



# BREEDING DIGEST: RIDING PUCA'S RISING TIDE



Puca | Keeneland

### by Chris McGrath

If you didn't know the sophisticated people behind the mating, you might imagine that Puca went to Good Magic on no better premise than to double down on the alchemy implicit in both names.

Because a puca (or pooka) in folklore is a shape-changing sprite, capable of bringing good or bad fortune. Shakespeare named Puck accordingly in A Midsummer Night's Dream, but my favourite example is Elwood P. Dowd's invisible drinking buddy Harvey, a rabbit standing just under six feet four inches. Perhaps you've noticed his silhouette at Harvey's Bar in downtown Lexington? If not, then check out the James Stewart movie, and meanwhile settle for a mare now resident down the road at Resolute Farm as the most celebrated Puca in town.

TDN visited Puca and her latest son by Good Magic earlier this summer, after Dornoch's GI Belmont Stakes success elevated her to the select group of mares to have produced two Classic winners, his brother Mage having of course won the GI Kentucky Derby last year. In now adding the GI Haskell Stakes, Dornoch has consolidated his claims as crop leader--and so become a rising tide that floats all boats.

Most obviously he has vindicated the \$2.9 million purchase of his dam by John Stewart at Keeneland last November.

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# OWNER-EXERCISE RIDER FOUND WITH ELECTRICAL DEVICE AND ILLEGAL DRUGS AT

PARX by J.N. Campbell

Vladimir Cespedes, an owner, exercise rider and stable employee based at Parx Racing was found in possession of an electrical device and illegal human narcotics on Monday, July 23, during an integrity sweep of the barn area which was led by Pennsylvania State Horse Racing Commission (PSHRC) investigators who were in coordination with the racetrack and the Pennsylvania Thoroughbred Horsemen's Association (PTHA), according to a stewards' ruling (24172PP) posted on the Commission's portal.

That same day, Cespedes was summarily suspended by the stewards for a potential violation of 7 PA Code Section 305.273 (h) and 185.2, and Horseracing Integrity and Safety Authority (HISA) Rule 2273. *Cont. p7* 

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Even as it was, her McKinzie yearling had made \$1.2 million in the same ring a few weeks previously. And just about every step taken by Dornoch since, starting in the GII Remsen Stakes, has enhanced the value of a mare still only 12 years old. No wonder her weanling is nicknamed "Preakness" on the farm.

But while Puca is now serving an ambitious new force, she's also working out nicely for others with a contrasting depth of experience--each, in their different way, outstanding exemplars for anyone trying to secure a lasting foothold in this most challenging of sports.

Airdrie Stud, for instance, can now amplify the genes being recycled by Mage, who joined their roster this spring. Dornoch himself will eventually enter competition at Spendthrift, and it will be interesting to follow their fortunes, given the different approach of these two farms. Spendthrift candidly plays the numbers game, which essentially pitches lower fees against the risk of a market glut. Airdrie tends to be more restrained in book sizes, while gamely still setting value fees and trusting in an uncommon flair—one that's proving seamless, between one generation and the next—for identifying talent, and giving it a chance through an expertly assembled home herd. In fact its two most industrial rivals, Ashford and Spendthrift, owe big guns Uncle Mo and Into Mischief to Airdrie projects, in Indian Charlie and Harlan's Holiday respectively.

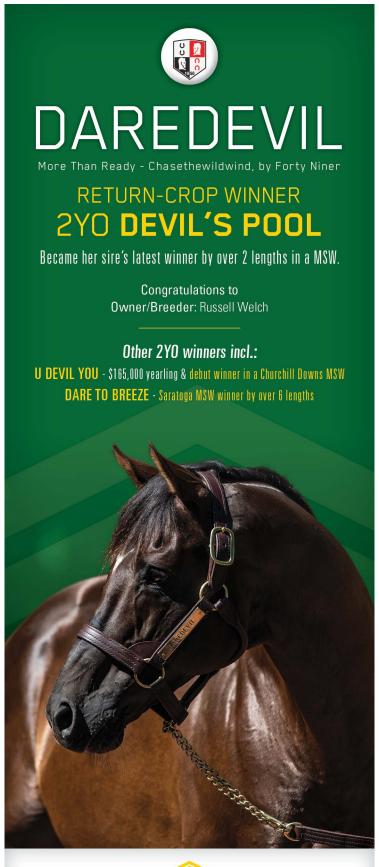
Physically, Mage primarily evokes their sire; Dornoch, their dam. Both, however, are powerful adverts for their upbringing by the most venerable farm in town.

Mage was the fourth Derby winner raised at Runnymede, founded in 1867 by the great-grandfather of current chairman/CEO, Brutus Clay III. With characteristic modesty, Clay deflects credit for the farm's commercial regeneration since the 2008 wake-up to Romain Malhouitre, who supervises day-to-day operations. Regardless, the arrival of Grandview Equine, breeders of Mage and Dornoch, itself illustrates the diversification these guys have achieved in the client base. Just like Airdrie, then, this is a farm with a great history now carrying forward its legacy in dynamic fashion--with a little help from Puca.

But on this rising tide let's not forget the boat that launched Puca herself. Because her dam, Boat's Ghost, surely merits closer attention in pondering how her daughter by Big Brown has achieved stardom. After all, she had already contrived a Grade I winner by a stallion as unproductive as Powerscourt (GB).



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Her own sire Silver Ghost became more notorious, at stud, for his fiery temperament than for prolific success. But he left a respectable imprint as a broodmare sire--for instance through Ascend (Candy Ride {Arg}), Yonaguska (Cherokee Run) and Roadster (Quality Road)--and his mating with Rocktheboat (Summer Squall), a mare who otherwise produced limited results from limited opportunity, somehow stoked up embers in their daughter Boat's Ghost.

Perhaps something clicked with Rocktheboat's damsire Native Royalty, by Raise A Native out of the important mare Queen Nasra, a daughter of Nasrullah. That's a strong echo of Silver Ghost's sire Mr Prospector: by Raise A Native, out of a mare by Nasrullah's great son Nashua. But don't forget that Silver Ghost himself belongs to the illustrious Gallorette family, his granddam Flight Dancer (Misty Flight) figuring as fourth dam of Gun Runner and third dam of Saint Liam.

One way or another, to produce an outlier by Powerscourt as well as a history-making mare means that Boat's Ghost, herself stakes-placed in a light career, must be revisited as a mare of consequence.

Which is pretty unfortunate for those who culled her, aged 19, for just \$17,000 at the Keeneland January Sale last year, barely a fortnight before Mage made his belated debut. As a result, however, yet another of the most exemplary operations around is prospering from Dornoch's rise. For Boat's Ghost was purchased by Nursery Place, whose peerless standards will assuredly maximize the potential of daughters by Raging Bull (Fr) (acquired in utero) and now Hard Spun (Good Magic's damsire, incidentally).

Unfortunately she missed this year, but the self-effacing master horseman who presides over Nursery Place is grateful for what they have. **Cont.** 



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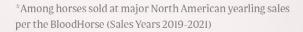
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**Good Magic colt out of Puca** | Sara Gordon

In fact he intends to race the Raging Bull, and refers to the Hard Spun as "a collector's item." If that's a strong endorsement, rest assured that plans for now remain no more excitable than that she will "probably just hang out for a while."

Hearing that, you just feel that the confluence behind Puca of beneficiaries as diverse as Airdrie, Runnymede and Nursery Place--united by a conviction that if you do right by a horse, everything else will fall in place--can be no coincidence.

### The Star Lighting up Thorpedo's Page

The colorful origins of **Thorpedo Anna**--the premature foaling of her dam, who was then kindly donated by her owner to the people looking after her so well--have understandably dominated her back story. And we have all relished, also, this fresh evidence that you don't need to be a tycoon or sheikh to strike gold somewhere along the line. (Albeit in our hearts we know that hardly any of us will get anywhere near Kenny McPeek's ability to spot the gleam of a hidden seam...)

But the fairytale element should not distract us from one or two fundamentals lurking in her page.

Doubtless plenty of people out there will just be chucking her into their software as a Fast Anna-Uncle Mo cross; or, more likely, as a "Medaglia d'Oro line"-Uncle Mo cross, that kind of shorthand becoming necessary when sires are as inconvenient to any kind of "system" as Fast Anna before his sad loss to laminitis three years ago.

For him to bequeath a filly as brilliant as Thorpedo Anna as his

one and only graded stakes winner is enough to divert my attention to a far more luminously obvious powderkeg behind the GI Coaching Club American Oaks winner.

Uncle Mo, then on the bubble at \$27,500, has turned out to be a different class of stallion from almost all the others mated with Thorpedo Anna's granddam Pacific Sky. But that mare offered him some remarkable blood.

Apart from anything else, she combined her damsire Seattle Slew as close as 3x2, her sire Stormy Atlantic being out of one of his daughters. Moreover we mustn't forget that Stormy Atlantic extends the storied Rough Shod bloodline, via his third dam Moccasin. And that line, in her pedigree, duly stands opposite one of the few that can look Rough Shod in the eye and ask for more.

Because even producing two Grade I winners (Eskendereya by Giant's Causeway, and Balmont by Stravinsky) qualifies Pacific Sky's dam Aldebaran Light (Seattle Slew) as a fairly minor addition to the dynasty rooted in the mighty Almahmoud. Aldebaran Light (a half-sister to Grade II winner Blazonry {Hennessy}) gets to her along the Cosmah branch, her fourth dam being Halo's half-sister Queen Sucree (Ribot {GB})--herself responsible for Derby winner Cannonade (Bold Bidder).

Pacific Sky's daughter by much her most potent mate was physically prevented from tapping into all this stuff, but such a concentration of big "brands," so close up, surely explains Thorpedo Anna far better than scratching our heads over Fast Anna.



**Thorpedo Anna** | Cognlianese



Of course, Fast Anna represents a sireline that found, in Sadler's Wells, the most explosive combination of all between

the Almahmoud and Rough Shod lines. And we could also mention that his damsire Rahy is out of a Halo mare; or even that his third dam, who additionally produced Kitten's Joy by Fast Anna's grandsire El Prado (Ire), was by Lear Fan--whose damsire Lt. Stevens was out of Rough Shod...

But those are all straws floating in the wind. Feel free to reduce everything to data, formulas, systems. Good luck, and we'll see you at the racetrack. Some of us, at least, will always be grateful that the mystery abides.



Without Parole | Amy Lanigan

won. Over the water, meanwhile, the son of Frankel (GB) has had five winners from just 17 starters on his doorstep at

Newsells Park Stud.

Starting out in Britain, Without Parole himself made his only juvenile appearance a few days before Christmas but rose quickly through the ranks to win the G1 St James's Palace Stakes on his fourth start. He's a half-brother to dirt miler Tamarkuz (Speightstown) out of a half-sister to two other accomplished dirt horses in Stay Thirsty (Bernardini) and Andromeda's Hero (Fusaichi Pegasus). The next dam, by Roberto, was second in four

Grade I races, and opens six consecutive generations curated by King Ranch.

Bearing in mind the transatlantic impact being made by Justify, the Gunthers are showing much bigger programs the way when it comes to reconciling the disastrous schism our industry has allowed to open between European and American gene pools.

### **Precocity Does Not Equal Speed**

Interesting to see the brilliant program that produced Without Parole (among many others) launching a couple of his first crop at Saratoga last week. One ran a very promising fifth, the other



### Cont.

Without Parole could prove another two-way street, and maybe not just on grass either. I have never seen a turf champion that ran more like a dirt horse than Frankel.

Without Parole stood for just £8,000 this year but does not have to look far for inspiration. His £17,500 neighbor Nathaniel (Ire) produced his ninth Group 1 winner in the G1 Irish Oaks last weekend.

And yet European breeders still stampede to precocious sprint sires as an ostensible source of "commercial speed." I hope they noted yesterday's TDN, which recorded Timeform's dismal verdict on the current European sprinters, continuing a pedestrian streak over the past five years. Remember the old saying: more haste, less speed.

As Justify is showing, the continued viability in the U.S. of speed-carrying, two-turn stallions represents a huge opportunity for European commercial breeding.

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### Electrical Device At Parx, cont. from p1.

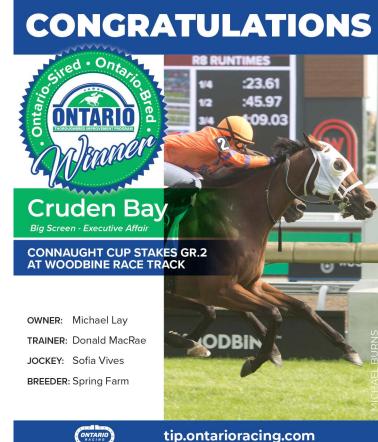


Investigator conducts a barn search at Parx on Monday | PSHRC

The Keystone State rule book's Section 305.273, which applies to a jockey and apprentice license, as well as owners, makes it unlawful for them to be in possession or control of any shocking device.

Also, section 185.2--conduct of licensee--bans inappropriate, illegal or unethical conduct which violates the state's rules for racing. The integrity of the sport and public perception of the industry are covered under this provision.

Finally, HISA Rule 2273 specifically states that no covered horse may have an electrical or mechanical device used on them at any time on racetrack grounds or during a workout.



According to Jason Klouser, the director of enforcement for the PSHRC, searches like the one performed on Monday at Parx are part of a wider program in Pennsylvania to catch perpetrators by working with local organizations who are integral to their program.

"The team was able to catch this individual because we used concentrated tactics," said Klouser. "It included our own people, but also members of the Organization of Racing Investigators. For the sake of these horses, I am just glad we found this device when we did."

Jeff Matty, the executive director of the PTHA, said, "The PTHA is proud of our collaborative efforts with the Pennsylvania State Horse Racing Commission in conjunction with Parx Racing. We strive for a fair and level playing field across the board, along with a safe and secure backstretch community. Efforts like this ensure that is achieved."

As for Cespedes's horses that he owns through Yellow Stripe Stable, Klouser confirmed that Wynn Giant (Freud), who is trained by Ilias Tapsas, was scratched from the twelfth race at Parx on Monday. Also, Angelus Warrior (Jersey Town), who is trained by Osvaldo Rojas, was scratched from the first race at Parx on Tuesday. Cont.



Members of the investigative team at Parx | PSHRC

The licensee does have the right to appeal the decision with a written response within 10 days of the violation.

Per the ruling, during the suspension Cespedes is denied access to all grounds under the jurisdiction of the Pennsylvania Horse Racing Commission.

A hearing is scheduled for Thursday, July 25 to determine whether the summary suspension will remain in place. Then a future disciplinary hearing will formally hear the merits of the case.

Cespedes's last violation occurred in late November of 2023 which resulted in a fine of \$100.00 for failing to follow the instructions of an outrider and disrespect for that individual.

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### SARATOGA NOTEBOOK, PRESENTED BY NYRA BETS: TRAINER JOSEPH LOOKING AT THREE OPTIONS FOR 'CONSISTENT' SKIPPY

by Tim Wilkin

SARATOGA SPRINGS, N.Y.--In his last eight starts, **Skippylongstocking** (Exaggerator) has run at eight different racetracks.

If trainer Saffie Joseph Jr. chooses the \$1 million GI Whitney Stakes at Saratoga Race Course for the 5-year-old's next start, it will be nine.

Joseph said he is mulling over what is next for Skippy, who was last seen finishing third--missing second by a head--in the GI Stephen Foster Stakes at Churchill Downs on June 29. That was his first start since winning the GII Oaklawn Handicap on April 20.

Besides the Whitney, Joseph is considering the \$1 million GII Charles Town Classic on Aug. 23--a race Skippylongstocking won last year--and the \$1 million GI Jockey Club Gold Cup at Saratoga on Sept. 2.

If Joseph decides on the Aug. 3 Whitney, he said he might also be able to make the Charles Town Classic.

"Normally, he does better with spacing, but he is doing well here," Joseph said outside his barn on the Saratoga backstretch Wednesday morning.

Running in the Whitney has plenty of appeal, of course. It is a prestigious race, one of the most important on the calendar for older horses.

"It's Saratoga," Joseph said. "These are the races you want to win, there are no two ways about it. They are the races that put more horses in your barn."

Skippylongstocking had his first Saratoga work this season last Saturday and went four furlongs in :48 (5/138). Joseph said a final decision on what race will be next will come after Skippy works this weekend.

The draw for the Whitney is Sunday.

The expected favorite for the 1 1/8-mile race is National Treasure (Quality Road) from Hall of Fame trainer Bob Baffert. National Treasure was last seen winning the GI Metropolitan Handicap on June 8. That race was held on the GI Belmont

Stakes undercard, which was held at Saratoga.

"Bar National Treasure, [Skippylongstocking] is up there with the rest of them right now," Joseph said. "The race at Churchill showed that; it gave us some confidence."

Skippylongstocking will be making his 25th career start with his next race, more than any other horse that is nominated to the Whitney.

Owned by Daniel Alonso, He has eight wins, two seconds and five third place finishes. He does not have a Grade I on his resume but has multiple graded stakes victories.

"He has gotten better as he has gotten older," Joseph said. "He has climbed the ladder because he has stayed consistent; some horses have consistently gone by the wayside but he has kept at it."

# McPeek Barn Sends Out Another 3-Year-Old in Jim Dandy

All during the spring, the barn of trainer Kenny McPeek was dominated by a pair of 3-year-olds: Mystik Dan (Goldencents), who won the GI Kentucky Derby and Thorpedo Anna (Fast Anna), champ of the GI Kentucky Oaks.

Thorpedo Anna has gone on to become the major player in the 3-year-old filly ranks with her wins in the GI Acorn Stakes and GI Coaching Club American Oaks. She might try the colts in the GI Travers Stakes at the end of August.

McPeek has another horse in his barn that will try and make some noise this weekend when **Gould's Gold** (Goldencents) runs in the \$500,000 GII Jim Dandy at Saratoga on Saturday.

Gould's Gold, owned by Four G Racing, Lance Gasaway and Magdalena Racing (Sherri McPeek), will be ridden by Brian Hernandez Jr., also the pilot of Mystik Dan and Thorpedo Anna.

Gould's Gold is the second longest price in the six-horse field at 15-1. *Cont.* 



Saffie Joseph Jr. and Skippylongstocking | Tim Wilkin

"He could throw an upset at 'em," McPeek said at his office at his barn at the Oklahoma Annex. "He could sneak in there and get a big piece of that."

McPeek said that with all the early speed signed on--Batten Down (Tapit), Seize the Grey (Arrogate) and Fierceness (City of Light)--the race could set up for a stalker. Like Gould's Gold.

Gould's Gold has just a maiden win in six career starts and has two seconds and a third. In his first graded stakes appearance, he was second, beaten 13/4 lengths by Batten Down, in the GIII Ohio Derby. Batten Down is the 5-1 third choice on the Jim Dandy morning-line.

"He has been working solid," McPeek said. "But he has to find another level for sure. The way he worked here Saturday (four furlongs in 47.60 4/58), he very well could."

### Romans Has High Hopes For 2-Year-Old Colt Keep It Easy



Dale Romans and Keep It Easy | Tim Wilkin

It has been a while since trainer Dale Romans has had a big horse. He'll be the first to tell you that.

"I don't get frustrated," Romans said at his barn on the Saratoga backstretch. "They will come along. I have had plenty of good ones, more than my share."

Over the years, Romans has trained horses named Roses in May and Keen Ice and Little Mike and Promises Fulfilled, just to name a few.

He's hoping that Keep It Easy (Hard Spun), a 2-year-old colt might add to his share.

He has had just two starts, breaking his maiden by four lengths when going off at 23-1. In his first start, he was seventh of eight at 10-1 odds.

"I didn't know they were going to give up on him that quickly," Romans said. "Everyone liked their horse in that (second) race. And he just blew them away."

Sandman (Tapit), the even-money choice in the race, was a \$1.2 million purchase at last March's Ocala Breeders' Two-Year-Olds in Training Sale.

If all goes well with Keep It Easy, who is owned by St. Elias Stable, West Point Thoroughbreds and CJ Thoroughbreds, Romans plans on running him in the GII Saratoga Special on Aug. 10.

"I think he is a top horse," Romans said of the Kentucky-bred. "It's always nice to have something you are excited about. He has never had a bad day."

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### FASIG-TIPTON JULY DIGITAL SALE GROSSES \$4,296,200 FOR 161 HORSES SOLD

In a massive digital catalogue featuring 2-year-olds, horses of racing age, breeding stock, weanlings, yearlings, and a stallion prospect, the Fasig-Tipton July Digital Sale closed Tuesday evening with 161 horses sold for \$4,296,200. The full results are available at Fasig-Tipton's site.

"This was our inaugural July Digital Sale and we're thrilled with the results," said Fasig-Tipton's Director of Digital Sales Leif Aaron. "It was a very strong digital sale with record participation from buyers and sellers and a rock-solid 83 percent clearance rate."

Graded winner Nadette (Fr) (Outrstrip {GB}) topped the sale, selling for \$420,000 to Stepaside Farm LLC. Consigned as a racing or broodmare prospect by Team Valor International, she is currently located at Colonial Downs, where she won the July 13 Beverly D. Preview Stakes and is nominated to the Aug. 10 GII Beverly D. Stakes, a Breeders' Cup "Win and You're In" qualifier.

"Team Valor is very happy with the sale of Nadette," said Team Valor CEO Barry Irwin. Cont.



Nadette | Benoit

Irwin continued, "We changed our business model a couple of years ago to be more commercial, so that instead of consuming the product until the end of a horse's racing life, we look to sell them when they still have racing life left in them. With fillies and mares, it is always better to sell for a racing rather than a broodmare value. This worked out well for our partners."

Among the 161 horses sold were 22 yearlings; six weanlings; 25 mares with foals-at-foot; 38 broodmares; and 60 racehorses.

Other top sellers included Right Prevails (Successful Appeal), from the Lakin Estate & Thomas Partnership, who sold for \$310,000 to Sequel New York. The mare, a full-sister to SW & MGISP Closing Argument, sold with her 2024 New York-foaled colt by Jackie's Warrior and was offered in foal to Forte. Another sales leader was One Front War (War Front), who sold for \$220,000 to Maker from the consignment of Four Star Sales, agent. The 3-year-old filly was second on debut at Woodbine on July 11.

Fasig-Tipton's next digital sale will be the August Digital Sale, which opens for bidding on Thursday, Aug. 22 and closes on Tuesday, Aug. 27. Nominations are now being accepted with entries closing Aug. 14.

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# 'GREY' POSTS FINAL WORK FOR JIM DANDY, BRIGHTWORK LIKELY FOR TEST RETURN

MyRacehorse's **Seize the Grey** (Arrogate) recorded his final major work Tuesday ahead of an intended date in the GII Jim Dandy Stakes at Saratoga this weekend. Over Oklahoma's training track rated 'wet-fast,' the grey covered a half-mile in :47.99.

The GI Preakness Stakes winner shipped to Churchill Downs following a seventh-place finish in the GI Belmont Stakes June 8 before returning to the Spa earlier this month.

"He was very strong and I'm very pleased with him," said Lukas. "I told the rider to go: 47 and a fifth, and she went: 47 and four. Trainers are always going to tell you, 'He did it all within himself.' But I really was pleased. It sharpened him up I think and put him on his toes."

Exiting post 2, the colt will be reunited with Jaime Torres.
Also representing this season's sophomore class, WSS Racing's **Brightwork** (Outwork), who hasn't been seen since finishing sixth in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies at Santa Anita last fall, is likely to mark her return in next weekend's GI Test Stakes, according to her trainer John Ortiz. The filly won last summer's GIII Adirondack Stakes and GI Spinaway Stakes at Saratoga.

"That's the plan for now. So far, all systems are go," said Ortiz. "Listen, we are in Saratoga, you go big or go home. She's proven herself before and I know I'm asking a lot of her, but at the same time there is nowhere else that we can go with her. I'm confident in her."

Brightwork worked five-furlongs from the gate in 1:00 flat over the Saratoga main track (2/23) July 21. Hall of Famer John Velazquez was up for the solo breeze.

"She had the gate work 14 days out, just a little reminder [of the gate]. We wanted to do a little more than just a maintenance work, but at the same time, not too much," said Ortiz. "She did that very well. I was very pleased. Johnny Velazquez was on her and he is very content with their effort."

Ortiz added that Brightwork will have one more maintenance work and if all goes well, she will enter the Test.

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Springs Event Center in Saratoga Springs. Populous is a global design firm that focuses on sports and entertainment, from stadiums and arenas to event spaces and urban environments.
Gralla will discuss cutting-edge racetrack projects around the globe and he will provide a look into the redesign of Belmont Park, which attempts to integrate modern technology into racetrack operations, while retaining the traditions of Thoroughbred racing.

Joe Asher, the chair of the board of the Wilson Center and the former CEO of William Hill US and president of IGT's PlaySports business, will present on the intersection of horse racing and sports betting, and Meghan Rodgers, senior vice president of Public Affairs, National Thoroughbred Racing Association (NTRA), will give an overview of the NTRA's Safety Runs First campaign.

Gary Fenton, managing partner of Little Red Feather Racing, and a member of The Jockey Club, will cover the present and future of California racing, and Dionne Benson, chief veterinary officer, 1/ST Racing, will share how California has improved the safety of its athletes, including the use of cutting-edge technology at the track.

The presentations will begin with an update on The Jockey Club and its companies by president and COO, James L. Gagliano.

Stuart S. Janney III, chairman of The Jockey Club, will preside over the conference, which begins at 10 a.m. ET. It will be livestreamed on The Jockey Club's website at jockeyclub.com. The website will also post a full agenda and bios of speakers in advance of the conference.

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# WOMEN'S SUMMIT EVENT RETURNS TO SARATOGA, HOSTS PANELS AND NETWORKING

The Horse Racing Women's Summit (HRWS) hosted their second event of the year with panels and networking opportunities taking place at the National Museum of Racing and Hall of Fame on Tuesday, July 23 in Saratoga Springs, New York, the organization said in a Wednesday release.

"To be clear, this is not an event where women get together to discuss female challenges," said Shona Rotondo, Chair of the HRWS Marketing & Communications Committee. "It's an event that brings together intelligent and successful industry professionals to discuss the challenges of our sport with the ultimate goal being to connect and share ideas that become the building blocks of future innovation."

Sessions began with a keynote conversation led by Liza Lazarus, CEO of the Horseracing Integrity and Safety Authority (HISA), that was hosted by Donna Barton Brothers, a racing analyst for NBC Sports.

"I'm really delighted that there are a number of initiatives, certainly also like this, around women," said Lazarus. "It's really important to me that we have a lot of women in the industry. My senior leadership team is more than half women."

Lazarus and Brothers not only discussed HISA and the progress being made across the country, but also delved into the topics of challenges and strategies for balancing a career and family, the importance of diversity and inclusion in the workplace, and the need for professionalization and technological advancement in the industry.

"We can't stay in the dark ages. If we want to continue to build the incredible legacy that horse racing has, we've got to take advantage of the tools that are available to us. We have to professionalize," said Lazarus.

The first panel of the day, entitled 'Prioritizing the Equine Athlete,' featured panelists Jena Antonucci, Classic-winning trainer; Tina Bond, president of the New York Thoroughbred Horsemen's Association; Jane McMahon, manager of McMahon of Saratoga Thoroughbreds; and Dr. Martha Misheff, DVM.

Moderated by Laura Simiele, the speakers emphasized the importance of prioritizing safety and confidence in the equine athlete lifecycle, from breeding to racing.

"The minute you feel your ego is more important than the well-being of the horse you are caring for, find a new job," said Antonucci.

Cont.



Donna Brothers (far left) with Lisa Lazarus (center) | HRWS

The second panel, entitled 'After Racing: Options Beyond Racing' and moderated by Rachel Dunn, was led by panelists Keri Brion, Multiple Graded Stakes-winning Flat and Steeplechase Trainer; Lisa Malloy, Program Director of ReRun Inc.; Jen Roytz, Co-Owner/Manager of Brownstead Farm; Kim Weir, Director of Strategic Growth at Therapeutic Horses of Saratoga.

With backgrounds across all aspects of not only the racing industry, but the equine world as a whole, the group discussed the importance of considering and preparing Thoroughbreds for a second career.

"Aftercare is not a bad word, but it's not accurate," said Weir. "It's not 'after' at all, it's a continuum of care. It's like the college athlete going on to their real world job after school."

A conversation with Jane Lyon, owner of Summer Wind Farm, about the full-circle journey of the Thoroughbred, hosted by Stephanie Hronis, HRWS Executive Committee Member and Thoroughbred owner, closed out the day's programming.

The next event on the 2024 HRWS calendar is the annual Horse Racing Women's Summit, set for Sept. 25-27 in Arcadia, California. To learn more and purchase tickets, click here.

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# PLETCHER EARNS \$75K HASKELL WEEKEND TRAINER CHALLENGE BONUS

Hall of Fame trainer Todd Pletcher, who saw Tapit Trice (Tapit) make a successful return in the GIII Monmouth Cup, earned a \$75,000 bonus from Monmouth Park as a result of the \$150,000 Haskell Weekend Trainer Challenge that ended Saturday, July 20.

Chad Brown, with a first (Beaute Cachee) and third-place finish (Delahaye) in the GIII WinStar Matchmaker Stakes, earned \$25,000 for finishing second to Pletcher with 55 points. Pletcher totaled 98 points over the Haskell Weekend Trainer Challenge that ran from July 19-21.

Pletcher also had the runner-up (Mindframe) in the NYRA Bets Haskell Stakes.

The top 10 point-getters all received bonuses.

"As always, we are grateful for all of the owners and trainers who participated all weekend," said John Heims, Monmouth Park's Director of Racing. "The Haskell trainer bonus debuted this year to great success and we look forward to bringing it back next year and in the years to come."

To be eligible for the bonus, trainers had to make at least five starts in at least three races during the July 19-21 cards at Monmouth Park.

The Haskell offered 25 points to the winning trainer, 20 points for second, 15 for third, 10 for fourth and seven points from



Todd Pletcher | Sarah Andrew

fifth place on.

The point system for the four other graded stakes on Haskell Day, July 21, were as follows: 18 points for first place, 15 points for second place, 10 points for third place, eight points for fourth place and five points for fifth through last place.

Points were also awarded for all other stakes races, for maiden special weight races, allowances and handicaps, as well as the remaining races over the three-day period.

Of the top 10 finishers, eight of the trainers are stabled at Monmouth Park.

The final results of the Haskell Weekend Trainer Challenge (bonus and points earned):

- 1. Todd Pletcher \$75,000 (98 points)
- 2. Chad Brown \$25,000 (55 points)
- 3. Pat McBurney \$20,000 (35 points)
- 4. Christophe Clement \$10,000 (31 points)
- 5. Claudio Gonzalez \$7,500 (28 points)
- 6. Louis Linder \$2,500 (24 points)
- 7. Mario Serey \$2,500 (23 points)
- 8. Joe Orseno \$2,500 (20 points)
- 9. (tie) Lindsey Schultz \$2,500 (20 points)
- 10. Shug McGaughey \$2,500 (20 points)

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### Thursday, Saratoga

**HONORABLE MISS H.-GII**, \$194,000, Saratoga, 7-24, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10.36, ft.

1--SPIRIT WIND, 120, m, 5, by Bahamian Squall

1st Dam: Sacred Psalm (SP), by Awesome of Course

2nd Dam: Spirit and Soul, by Saint Ballado

3rd Dam: Nifty Fifty, by Honey Jay

O-Miller Racing LLC; B-Jacks or Better Farm Inc. (FL); T-Saffie A. Joseph, Jr.; J-Mike E. Smith. \$110,000. Lifetime Record: 12-7-2-1, \$555,090. \*1/2 to Sing Praises (Hear No Evil), MSW, \$483,722; Silent Prayer (Brooks 'n Down), MSP, \$302,444.

Werk Nick Rating: B. Click for the

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- 2--Accede, 122, f, 4, Into Mischief--Jibboom, by Mizzen Mast. O-Juddmonte; B-Juddmonte Farms Inc (KY); T-Chad C. Brown. \$40,000.
- 3--Clearly Unhinged, 122, f, 4, Into Mischief--Smart Win, by Smart Strike. O-Hill 'n' Dale Equine Holdings, Inc. (J. G. Sikura) & Prussin, Jarret; B-Rock Brothers Breeding LLC (KY); T-Steven M. Asmussen. \$24,000.

### **DEVELOPED AT THOROSTOCK (NICK SALLUSTO)**



Margins: 3/4, HF, 1 3/4. Odds: 5.00, 4.00, 2.50.

Also Ran: Munnys Gold, Sterling Silver. Scratched: Everyoneloveslinda, Freedom Speaks, Hot Fudge.

Click for the Equibase.com chart or the TJCIS.com PPs. VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

With Hall of Fame jockey Mike Smith in Saratoga to ride, Spirit Wind set the tone up the backstretch and sported plenty in reserve as she took home the GII Honorable Miss Handicap at the Spa on Wednesday afternoon.

Since coming over from Carlos David's shedrow after she won the GIII Sugar Swirl Stakes at Gulfstream Park a few days before Christmas, the Saffie Joseph Jr. trainee started her 5-year-old campaign with a third-place finish in the GIII Hurricane Bertie Stakes in Hallandale Mar. 9. Stepping into the GI Derby City Distaff on the 'Run for the Roses' undercard, Spirit Wind faded to sixth, but appreciated the class relief when taking the Memorial Day Sprint Stakes at Lone Star Park May 27.

Sent off as a 5-1 shot here, the dark bay briefly wrestled for the top spot up the backstretch and was clear leader heading into the far turn. Asked for more by Smith entering the lane, Spirit Wind turned up pressure and found the wire over a late-charging Accede. Clearly Unhinged, sent off the 5-2 second choice, was third, while favored Munnys Gold (Munnings) was fourth.

"It was a big performance--six furlongs, I think she's as good as any," said Joseph. "Unfortunately, most of the races are

seven-furlongs for the fillies, so that's kind of unfortunate for her. Today, she made the lead pretty easy. She was able to hang on and get a big win on her resume."

"She's quick. Mike [Smith] was going to play it [at the break]; let her break fast and see where she is. You wouldn't envision [she would make the lead that easily]. I was a little scared she'd get pressed hard the whole way. The other horse made a run at her, and she was able to put away that horse. I'm thankful to win a race like that."

### **Pedigree Notes:**

Spirit Wind is the lone graded stakes winner for her sire (by Gone West). Dam Sacred Psalm is responsible for unraced 2-year-old Lead Pipe Joe (Battalion Runner) and a yearling colt by Vino Rosso. She did not produce a registered foal after being sent to Army Mule for this past term.



**Spirit Wind (inside)** | Sarah Andrew

# CHURCHILL GRANDSTAND RENOVATION PLAN WILL DEBUT FOR DERBY 151

An \$80-\$90 million renovation to the existing grandstand at Churchill Downs Racetrack that will update ticketed seating is scheduled to begin in August with completion planned in time for the 151st GI Kentucky Derby in May 2025, the track said in a Wednesday release.

The renovation of the Grandstand Club will transform existing outdoor aluminum bleachers into a combination of 8,300 new seating varieties. Updated options will include covered and uncovered stadium-style seats as well as rail boxes along the dirt track's outer rail that will offer a "trackside" seating experience where guests will be able to closely watch horses break from the Kentucky Derby Starting Gate. First-floor amenities for the Grandstand Club will include new and upgraded permanent concessions, bars and wagering windows. **Cont.** 



Grandstand Club seating plan | CDI

The project will also improve and add amenities for 2,800 guests in the existing third floor box seats under the Starting Gate Suites. The Grandstand Pavilion will create a more upscale social environment by converting the existing second-floor amenity area into a covered outdoor garden environment with new concessions, bars and wagering windows.

Expansion to the second floor will create additional space for overall guest circulation and add an outdoor balcony for dining. A new entrance to the Grandstand Pavilion will unify the surrounding exterior architecture.

"Like all of our recent enhancements at Churchill Downs, the renovation of the grandstands represents our commitment to providing unique guest seating options while honoring the historic significance of the property in order to achieve a world class sports and entertainment experience for our guests," said Mike Anderson, President of Churchill Downs.

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# WEEKLY RULINGS



### **JULY 18-JULY 24**

Every week, the *TDN* posts a round-up of the relevant Horseracing Integrity and Safety Act (HISA) related rulings from around the country.

Among this week's rulings, trainer Charles Essex has been suspended for 15 days and fined \$1,000 after his trainee, The Golden Egg, tested positive for acepromazine after finishing second at Emerald Downs May 31.

A ubiquitous sedative across the nation's backstretches, acepromazine is a Class B controlled medication under HISA, a

maximum first-time violation for which is what the Horseracing Integrity and Safety Unit (HIWU) meted out to Essex.

### **NEW HISA/HIWU STEWARDS RULINGS**

The following rulings were reported on HISA's "rulings" portal and through the HIWU "pending" and "resolved" cases portals.

### **Resolved ADMC Violations**

Date: 07/23/2024

Licensee: Ernesto Padilla-Preciado, trainer

**Penalty:** A fine of \$500; imposition of 1.5 Penalty Points.

Admission.

**Explainer:** Vets' list medication violation for the presence of Phenylbutazone—Controlled Medication (Class C)—in a sample

taken from Dontinvademyspace on 6/21/24.

Date: 07/22/2024

Licensee: Victor Barboza, trainer

**Penalty:** Disqualification of Covered Horse's Race results, including forfeiture of all purses and other compensation, prizes, trophies, points, and rankings and repayment or surrender (as applicable); a fine of \$500; imposition of 1.5 Penalty Points. Admission.

**Explainer:** Medication violation for the presence of Dantrolene—Controlled Medication (Class C)—in a sample taken from Tiffany Gold, who won at Gulfstream Park on 5/12/24.

Date: 07/18/2024

Licensee: Charles Essex, trainer

**Penalty**: 15-day period of Ineligibility for Covered Person, beginning on July 19, 2024; Disqualification of Covered Horse's Race results, including forfeiture of all purses and other compensation, prizes, trophies, points, and rankings and repayment or surrender (as applicable); a fine of \$1,000; imposition of 2 Penalty Points. Final decision by HIWU.

**Explainer:** Medication violation for the presence of Acepromazine—Controlled Medication (Class B)—in a sample taken from The Golden Egg, who finished second at Emerald Downs on 5/31/24.

### **Pending ADMC Violations**

**07/23/2024, Saul Morales, trainer:** Intra-articular injection within 7 days of a timed and reported workout on the horse Condemnation on 7/2/24.

**07/23/2024, Paul McEntee, trainer:** Pending vets' list medication violation for the presence of Aminocaproic Acid—Controlled Medication (Class C)—in a sample taken from Honors Legacy on 6/18/24. *Cont.* 

**07/23/2024, Fernando Abreu, trainer:** Pending medication violation for the use or attempted use of Magnesium sulfate and Methylsalicylate—Controlled Medications (Class B and C respectively)—during the race period from an event dated 6/16/24.

**07/22/2024, Juan Carlos Avila, trainer:** Intra-articular injection within 7 days of a timed and reported workout on the horse Little Vic on 6/29/24.

**07/22/2024, Carlos Martin, trainer:** Intra-articular injection within 7 days of a timed and reported workout on the horse Autumn on 6/27/24.

**07/22/2024, Tom Amoss, trainer:** Intra-articular injection within 7 days of a timed and reported workout on the horse Baa De Yah on 6/26/24.

**07/22/2024, Aaron Shorter, trainer:** Pending vets' list medication violation for the presence of Phenylbutazone—Controlled Medication (Class C)—in a sample taken from Business as Usual on 6/18/24.

**07/22/2024, Paul McEntee, trainer:** Pending medication violation for the presence of Cetirizine—Controlled Medication (Class C)—in a sample taken from Thirsty Accountant, who finished second at Belterra Park on 6/5/24.

**07/19/2024, Christopher Davis, trainer:** Pending medication violation for the presence of Flunixin—Controlled Medication (Class C)—in a sample taken from Papa Yo, who finished fifth at Hawthorne on 5/18/24.

**07/19/2024, William Mott, trainer:** Pending medication violation for the presence of Flunixin—Controlled Medication (Class C)—in a sample taken from Authorize, who was euthanized after pulling up in a race at Aqueduct on 4/26/24.

**07/19/2024, Mike Puype, trainer:** Provisional suspension for the possession of Isoxsuprine and Levothyroxine—banned substances—from an event dated 4/24/24.

More on the story here.

**07/18/2024, Raymond Handal, trainer:** Medication violation for the presence of Betamethasone—Controlled Medication (Class C)—in a sample taken from He Has it All, who finished second at Aqueduct on 5/18/24.

### **Violations of Crop Rule**

One important note: HISA's whip use limit is restricted to six strikes during a race.

### **COLONIAL DOWNS**

Monica McGoey – violation date July 19; \$500 fine, no other information available

### **DELAWARE PARK**

Kirsten Swan – violation date July 20; 5250 fine and one-day suspension

### **DEL MAR**

Joe Talamo – violation date July 20; 5250 fine and one-day suspension, 2 strikes over limit

### **SARATOGA**

John Ortiz – violation date July 19; \$500 fine, no other information available

Danilo Rave – violation date July 19; \$500 fine and one-day suspension

### **THISTLEDOWN**

Roberto Perez – violation date July 18; 5250 fine and one-day suspension

The *TDN* also publishes a round-up of key official rulings from the primary tracks within the four major racing jurisdictions of California, New York, Florida and Kentucky.

Here's a primer on how each of these jurisdictions adjudicates different offenses, what they make public (or not) and where.

### **CALIFORNIA**

Del Mar

Date: 07/20/2024

Licensee: Ron Brewer, owner

Penalty: Owner Ron E. Brewer, having failed to respond to written notice to appear before the Board of Stewards at Del Mar Race Track on July 18, 2024, is suspended for violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1547 (Failure to Appear), pending an appearance at a hearing before the Board of Stewards to answer to charges alleging violation of CHRB rule #1876 (Financial Responsibility \$773.62 to Veterinarian San Dieguito Equine Group-Dr. Manno). Suspension to commence July 27, 2024.

### Del Mar

Antonio Fresu – violation date July 21; Five-day suspension, careless riding



### **CANADIAN CHAMPION TRUTH OF IT ALL PASSES** AWAY AT HURSTLAND FARM

Canadian champion 2-year-old colt Truth of It All (Proud Truth) died peacefully from natural causes at age 34 on Wednesday, July 24 at Hurstland Farm in Midway, Kentucky, according to a press release from the farm.

By Darby Dan stallion Proud Truth, Truth of It All was born at Hurstland to MGSW Cup of Honey (Raise a Cup) Feb. 26, 1990. Trained by Sheldon Wolfe, Truth of It All won the 1993 edition of the GIII Grey Stakes en route to taking home the Sovereign Award for the top juvenile male. He also competed in the Kentucky Derby that year and finished 10th to winner Sea Hero (Polish Navy).

Rescued after his last race--a claiming event at Los Alamitos Sept. 14, 1997--he was offered to Hurstland's Alfred Nuckols, Jr. for retirement.

"After the Sovereign Award he received for Hurstland as his breeder and the wonderful experience he took me on with Al and Marge Schmidt and Sheldon Wolfe, I told them that he had a home at Hurstland as long as I had a farm," said Nuckols. "I picked him up with then farm manager, Tim Overton, in our box van and we returned him, after a short ride, to his birthplace at Hurstland where he enjoyed the last 27 years of his life, constantly enjoying his peppermints."

Affectionately nicknamed "Dennis the Menace" by Wolfe, Truth of It All had side gigs as a baby sitter for weanlings early in his retirement. In 2020, the pensioner was paired with Doc's Leading Lady (Doc's Leader)--granddam to MGSW Get Smokin (Get Stormy) who was also bred by Hurstland.

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### TAA ON SITE FOR SARATOGA RACES, SALES

Thoroughbred After Alliance will work to advance its initiatives at Saratoga in August, with a presence both at the racetrack for the GI Whitney Stakes weekend, as well as at the sales pavilion for both Fasig-Tipton Saratoga yearling sales.

The TAA will be present at the New York Racing Association's Community Outreach Booth on both Aug. 3 and 4. Patrons and race fans can visit to learn about accredited aftercare. Branded merchandise will also be available at the booth in exchange for a donation, including a limited-edition Thoroughbred Aftercare Alliance 'Saratoga' T-shirt.

In addition, TAA will host the winners of the Saratoga VIP Experience from the "Off to the Races" online benefit auction. This experience, donated by NYRA, the National Museum of Racing and Hall of Fame, and Anne's Washington Inn, will include a horseman's box for five, paddock and winner's circle access for the TAA race, and a tour with Tom Durkin at the National Museum of Racing and Hall of Fame.

TAA representatives will also be on-site to converse with consigners, buyers, and supporters to discuss accredited aftercare at the Fasig-Tipton Saratoga Sale Aug. 5 and 6 and will hand out New York Thoroughbred Breeding and Development Fund co-branded rub rags to consigners of the New York Bred Yearlings Sale, which will be held Aug. 11-12.

While in Saratoga, TAA officials will visit accredited aftercare facilities to conduct inspections as part of the accreditation process. Staff will also meet with trainers, owners, and other supporters throughout the week to discuss accredited aftercare.

TAA board members will convene for an annual board meeting Aug. 8.

"We are very excited to once again participate in so many industry events and spread awareness for accredited aftercare while we are at the NYRA Saratoga race meet," said Stacie Clark Rogers, Operations Consultant, Thoroughbred Aftercare Alliance. "It's wonderful to connect with supporters and partners during the race meet and the Fasig-Tipton sale and to visit and meet with many of our New York accredited organizations."

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### **GRADED STAKES** ENTRIES



### Thursday, Saratoga #9, post time: 5:45 p.m. EDT

### CARESS S. PRESENTED BY ALBANY MED-GIII, \$200,000, 4yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2fT

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PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Kerry 🛪	Practical Joke	Jordan, V. Wycoff	Sharp	Davis	118
2	Secret Money 🖛	Good Samaritan	Emcee Stable, Fortune Farm and Robert G. Hahn	Walsh	Gaffalione	124
3	Future Is Now	Great Notion	R. Larry Johnson	Trombetta	Lopez	124
4	Kaufymaker	Jimmy Creed	Gregory Kaufman	Ward	Saez	118
5	Danse Macabre 🛪	Army Mule	NBS Stable and Elements Racing, LLC	Danner	Beschizza	122
6	Freedom Speaks	American Freedom	Carol A. Reitman	D'Angelo	Velazquez	118
7	Run for the Hills 🛪	Runhappy	Gary Barber	Casse	Ortiz	120
8	Dontlookbackatall	Peace and Justice	West Point Tbreds, Scarlet Oak, Titletown Racing	Clement	Rosario	122
9	Zeitlos K	Curlin	Stonestreet Stables LLC and Peter Leidel	Asmussen	Torres	124
10	Roses for Debra 🖛	Liam's Map	Cheyenne Stable LLC and John O'Meara	Clement	Ortiz, Jr.	124
11	Star Guest (GB)	Dubawi (Ire)	Godolphin, LLC	Appleby	Prat	118
12	Hot Fudge 🖛	Liam's Map	KEM Stables	Rice	Lezcano	122
13	Everyoneloveslinda 🛪	Secret Circle	Red Storm Stable	Rice	Cancel	120
14	Speedy Traveler 🖛	First Samurai	Rigney Racing, LLC	Bauer	Torres	120

**Breeders:** 1-Waterville Lake Stable LLC, 2-WinStar Farm, LLC, 3-R. Larry Johnson, 4-Greg Kaufman, 5-St. Elias Stables LLC, 6-Hartmut H. Malluche & Silesia Farm, 7-Peter A. Berglar Racing Interests, LLC, 8-A1A Racing, 9-Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC, 10-Blackstone Farm LLC, 11-Godolphin, 12-Edwin Anthony, 13-E. H. Beau Lane III, 14-Nicholas M. Lotz

# Thursday, Del Mar #7, post time: 8:00 p.m. EDT COUGAR II S.-GIII, \$100,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/2m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Calm Sea 🖛	Mendelssohn	Valiant Ranches Ltd	Papaprodromou	u Frey	121
2	Midnight Mammoth	Midnight Lute	Jeffrey Sengara	Dollase	Ayuso	121
3	Reincarnate 🖛	Good Magic	SF Racing, Starlight Racing & Madaket Stables LLC	Baffert	Hernandez	123
4	Salesman (Ire)	Dubawi (Ire)	Wertheimer et Frere	Mandella	Kimura	123
5	Dual Threat 🛷	Into Mischief	Koentopp Racing, LLC	Hess, Jr.	Maldonado	121
6	Clooney 🖛	City of Light	Les Blake	Knapp	Pereira	121

Breeders: 1-Elaine MacPherson, 2-Pedro Gonzalez & Jorge Herrera, 3-Woods Edge Farm, 4-Wertheimer et Frere, 5-George Krikorian, 6-Keith Abrahams

# Friday, Saratoga #3, post time: 2:18 p.m. EDT AMSTERDAM S.-GII, \$200,000, 3yo, 6 1/2f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	World Record 🖛	Gun Runner	Siena Farm LLC and WinStar Farm LLC	Brisset	Prat	118
2	Donegal Momentum 🛪	Uncle Mo	Donegal Racing	Morley	Castellano	118
3	Pure Force	Constitution	Juddmonte	Cox	Geroux	118
4	Jefferson Street	Street Sense	Godolphin, LLC	Mott	Alvarado	118
5	Valentine Candy	Justify	L. William & Corinne Heiligbrodt, Jackpot Farm,	Asmussen	Rosario	122
			Whispering Oaks Farm and Coteau Grove Farms			

Breeders: 1-Runnymede Farm LLC, Falguieres Bloodstock, Gestut Zur Kuste AG, et al, 2-Speedway Stable, 3-Juddmonte, 4-Godolphin, 5-Pine Creek LP



# Saturday, Del Mar #10, post time: 9:30 p.m. EDT BING CROSBY S.-GI, \$400,000, 3yo/up, 6f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Anarchist 🖛	Distorted Humor	Ilium Stables, LLC	O'Neill	Kimura	122
2	See Through It	Curlin to Mischief	Lizbeth Medina	Vallejo	Pereira	122
3	Straight No Chaser	Speightster	MyRacehorse	Blacker	Fresu	122
4	Giant Game	Giant's Causeway	Rockingham Ranch or David A. Bernsen LLC	Eurton	Talamo	122
5	Roll On Big Joe	Prospective	Red Baron's Barn LLC or Rancho Temescal LLC	Hess, Jr.	Gutierrez	122
6	Closethegame Sugar 🖛	Girvin	Rice or Sugar Diaz, LLC	Rice	Rispoli	122
7	Happy Jack 🖛	Oxbow	Calumet Farm	O'Neill	Maldonado	124
8	The Chosen Vron	Vronsky	Sondereker Racing LLC, Fetkin or Thornburgh, et al	Kruljac	Berrios	124
9	Jackstown 🛪	Speightstown	SF Racing LLC, Starlight Racing or	Baffert	Hernandez	122
			Madaket Stables LLC, et al			

**Breeders**: 1-Centaur Farms, Inc., 2-Edward Allred, 3-John Eaton & Steve Laymon, 4-H. Allen Poindexter, 5-Max Ubide, 6-Brereton C. Jones, 7-Calumet Farm, 8-Tiz Molly Partners, 9-McCann Bloodstock, B. J. Scott, E. D.Richards, Mark Kelder & Speightstown Syn

# Saturday, Saratoga #6, post time: 3:20 p.m. EDT ALFRED G. VANDERBILT H.-GI. \$350,000, 3vo/up. 6f

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PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT			
1	Nakatomi 🖛	Firing Line	Qatar Racing LLC and Mrs. Fitriani Hay	Ward	Gaffalione	120			
2	Twisted Ride	Great Notion	Kasey K Racing Stable LLC, Michael R. Day and Final Turn Racing Stable LLC	Moore	Carmouche	117			
3	My Buddy B	Creative Cause	Hetrick, Krista, Nicole	Hetrick	Aviles	116			
4	Baby Yoda	Prospective	Pantofel Stable, LLC, Wachtel Stable, Gary Barber and Jerold L. Zaro	Mott	Cancel	122			
5	Subrogate 🛪	Arrogate	Colts Neck Stables LLC	Duarte, Jr.	Ortiz, Jr.	119			
6	Skelly	Practical Joke	Red Lane Thoroughbreds LLC	Asmussen	Santana, Jr.	123			

**Breeders:** 1-Arnold Zetcher LLC & Crestwood Farm, 2-Kasey K Racing Stable, 3-Bonne Chance Farm LLC, 4-Kathleen Amaya, Alexandro Centofanti & Raffaele Centofanti, 5-Grantley Acres & Molly Schabel, 6-H. Allen Poindexter

# Saturday, Saratoga #10, post time: 5:43 p.m. EDT JIM DANDY S. PRESENTED BY MOHEGAN SUN-GII, \$500,000, 3yo, 1 1/8m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Sierra Leone	Gun Runner	Mrs. John Magnier, Michael Tabor, Derrick Smith,	Brown	Prat	124
			Westerberg, Rocket Ship Racing and Peter Brant			
2	Seize the Grey	Arrogate	MyRacehorse	Lukas	Torres	124
3	Batten Down	Tapit	Juddmonte	Mott	Alvarado	120
4	Pony Express 🛪	Gun Runner	Talla Racing, Three Chimneys Farm, LLC,	Sadler	Rosario	118
			and West Point Thoroughbreds			
5	Gould's Gold	Goldencents	Four G Racing, L. Gasaway & Magdalena Racing	McPeek	Hernandez, Jr.	118
6	Fierceness	City of Light	Repole Stable	Pletcher	Velazquez	124

Breeders: 1-Debby M. Oxley, 2-Jamm, LTD., 3-Juddmonte, 4-Three Chimneys Farm, LLC, 5-Rock Ridge Thoroughbreds, LLC, 6-Repole Stable, Inc.



# **Saturday, Del Mar #8, post time: 8:30 p.m. EDT SAN DIEGO H.-GII**, \$300,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Express Train 🛪	Union Rags	C R K Stable LLC	Shirreffs	Smith	120
2	Katonah 🛪	Klimt R3 Racing LLC	O'Neill	Pereira	119	
3	Dr. Venkman 🛪	Ghostzapper	Agnew, Bunch or Cohen, et al	Glatt	Fresu	118
4	Arabian Knight 🖛	Uncle Mo	Zedan Racing Stables, Inc.	Baffert	Hernandez	124
5	Newgrange 🖛	Violence	Rockingham Ranch, David A. Bernsen LLC or   Little	e Red Feather R	Racing	D'Amato
	Kimura	121				
6	Subsanador (Arg)	Fortify	Wathnan Racing	Mandella	Berrios	120

**Breeders**: 1-Dixiana Farms LLC, 2-Haymarket Farm LLC, 3-Ghostzapper Syndicate &Hidden Brook Farm, 4-Corser Thoroughbreds LLC, 5-Jack Mandato & Black Rock Thoroughbreds, 6-El Mallin

# Saturday, Woodbine #9, post time: 5:21 p.m. EDT SEAGRAM CUP S.-GII, C\$175,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Palazzi 🛪	Pioneerof the Nile	Gary Barber	Casse	Civaci	124
2	Money Supply 🖛	Practical Joke	Jordan V. Wycoff	Sharp	Vives	123
3	Volcanic 🖛	Violence	Breeze Easy, LLC	Casse	Hernandez	121
4	Public Sector (GB) 🖛	Kingman (GB)	Michael lavarone, Jules lavarone, Saffie Joseph Jr.	Joseph, Jr.	Moran	121
5	Stanley House 🛪	Army Mule	John E. and Diana L. Russell	De Paulo	Campos	121
6	County Final 🖛	Oxbow	Ken Copenhaver	Joseph, Jr.	McCarthy	121
7	Journeyman	Animal Kingdom	Angela Rutledge and Michael W. Wright Jr.	Wright, Jr.	Munger	121
8	Wicked Django	Wicked Strong	Ryan Brewster	Cole	Nicholls	121
9	Paramount Prince	Society's Chairman	Michael J. Langlois and Gary Barber	Casse	Husbands	123

**Breeders**: 1-HnR Nothhaft Horseracing LLC & Pioneerof the Nile Syndicate, 2-Jeff Little, Teresa Little, Marilyn Little & William Lynn, 3-Don Alberto Corporation, 4-The Kathryn Stud, 5-Elevage II, LLC & St. Elias Stables, LLC, 6-Calumet Farm, 7-Godolphin, 8-Denny Andrews & Niall Brennan, 9-Ericka Nadine Rusnak

# Saturday, Monmouth #8, post time: 4:14 p.m. EDT MONMOUTH OAKS-GIII, \$250,000, 3yo, f, 1 1/16m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Scalable 🛪	Speightstown	Repole Stable	Pletcher	Lopez	118
2	Chilled	Frosted	G. Watts Humphrey, Jr.	Oliver	Bravo	118
3	Regaled 🖛	Mohaymen	Brittnee Caballero	Davis	Boyce	116
4	Yes to Champagne 🛪	Mitole	Jim Gladden	Wilkes	Rendon	118
5	Gun Song 🛪	Gun Runner	R. Lee Lewis	Hennig	Leparoux	122
6	My Two Sophia's	Hoppertunity	Donna Wright	Sacco	Camacho	118
7	Lady Lala	Girvin	DiBello Racing LLC	O'Connell	-	118
8	Little Jamie	Collected	J and J Stables	Medina	Vargas, Jr.	116

**Breeders**: 1-Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC, 2-G. Watts Humphrey Jr. & Vicki Oliver, 3-Chris Baccari, 4-Crowning Point Farm & Jeff Greseth, 5-Marianne Stribling, 6-Bright View Farm, 7-Kevin W McKathan, 8-J & J Stables





# Saturday, Woodbine #8, post time: 4:47 p.m. EDT ONTARIO COLLEEN S.-GIII, C\$135,000, 3yo, f, 1mT

HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
Grecian Goddess 🖛	Constitution	Thelma and Louise Stable, Earl I. Silver,	Brown	McCarthy	119
		Kenneth E. Fishbein and David Fishbein			
Rosa	Street Boss	Lanni Bloodstock LLC	Attard	Moran	119
Simply in Front 🖛	Summer Front	Colebrook Farms	Dixon	Stein	119
Tripolina 🖛	Constitution	X-Men Racing III LLC, Madaket Stables LLC	Attard	Moran	120
		and SF Racing LLC			
Uphill Dance	Tonalist	Uphill Stable	Halden	Munger	119
Crevalle d'Oro 🖛	Constitution	Blue Crevalle Racing and Quintessential Racing	Casse	Contreras	119
Sabatini	Uncle Mo	LNJ Foxwoods and NK Racing	Carroll	Vives	121
Ecstasy 🖛	Paynter	Tucci Stables	Attard	Aebly	119
Time to Dazzle 🖛	Not This Time	Tracy Farmer	Casse	Civaci	119
Witwatersrand 🖛	Connect	Gary Barber	Casse	Husbands	121
Ready for Shirl	More Than Ready	Charles E. Fipke	Attfield	Wilson	119
Miss Roberts (GB)	Siyouni (Fr)	Upland Flats Racing	Begg	Nicholls	119
Airosa 🛪	Uncle Mo	X-Men Racing III LLC, StarLadies Racing,	Attard	Hernandez	120
		Madaket Stables LLC and SF Racing LLC			
	Rosa Simply in Front Tripolina  Uphill Dance Crevalle d'Oro Sabatini Ecstasy Time to Dazzle Witwatersrand Ready for Shirl Miss Roberts (GB)	Rosa Street Boss Simply in Front Summer Front Tripolina Constitution  Uphill Dance Tonalist Crevalle d'Oro Constitution  Sabatini Uncle Mo Ecstasy Paynter Time to Dazzle Not This Time Witwatersrand Connect Ready for Shirl More Than Ready Miss Roberts (GB)  Street Boss Summer Front Constitution  Vonstitution Constitution Constitution Constitution More Than Ready Siyouni (Fr)	Grecian Goddess Constitution  Constitution  Constitution  Thelma and Louise Stable, Earl I. Silver, Kenneth E. Fishbein and David Fishbein  Rosa  Street Boss  Lanni Bloodstock LLC  Simply in Front  Colebrook Farms  Tripolina  Constitution  X-Men Racing III LLC, Madaket Stables LLC and SF Racing LLC  Uphill Dance  Tonalist  Uphill Stable  Crevalle d'Oro  Constitution  Blue Crevalle Racing and Quintessential Racing  Sabatini  Uncle Mo  LNJ Foxwoods and NK Racing  Ecstasy  Paynter  Tucci Stables  Time to Dazzle  Not This Time  Tracy Farmer  Witwatersrand  Connect  Gary Barber  Ready for Shirl  More Than Ready  Charles E. Fipke  Miss Roberts (GB)  Siyouni (Fr)  Upland Flats Racing  Alrosa  Uncle Mo  X-Men Racing III LLC, StarLadies Racing,	Grecian Goddess Constitution Thelma and Louise Stable, Earl I. Silver, Kenneth E. Fishbein and David Fishbein  Rosa Street Boss Lanni Bloodstock LLC Attard  Simply in Front Summer Front Colebrook Farms Dixon  Tripolina Constitution X-Men Racing III LLC, Madaket Stables LLC Attard  and SF Racing LLC  Uphill Dance Tonalist Uphill Stable Halden  Crevalle d'Oro Constitution Blue Crevalle Racing and Quintessential Racing Casse  Sabatini Uncle Mo LNJ Foxwoods and NK Racing Carroll  Ecstasy Paynter Tucci Stables Attard  Time to Dazzle Not This Time Tracy Farmer Casse  Witwatersrand Connect Gary Barber Casse  Witwatersrand Connect Gary Barber Casse  Ready for Shirl More Than Ready Charles E. Fipke Attfield  Miss Roberts (GB) Siyouni (Fr) Upland Flats Racing III LLC, StarLadies Racing, Attard	Grecian Goddess Constitution  Thelma and Louise Stable, Earl I. Silver, Kenneth E. Fishbein and David Fishbein  Rosa Street Boss Lanni Bloodstock LLC Attard Moran  Simply in Front Summer Front Colebrook Farms Dixon Stein  Tripolina Constitution X-Men Racing III LLC, Madaket Stables LLC Attard Moran  Tripolina Constitution Tonalist Uphill Stable Halden Munger  Crevalle d'Oro Constitution Blue Crevalle Racing and Quintessential Racing Casse Contreras  Sabatini Uncle Mo LNJ Foxwoods and NK Racing Carroll Vives  Ecstasy Paynter Tucci Stables Attard Aebly  Time to Dazzle Not This Time Tracy Farmer Casse Civaci  Witwatersrand Connect Gary Barber  Ready for Shirl More Than Ready Charles E. Fipke Attfield Wilson  Miss Roberts (GB) Siyouni (Fr) Upland Flats Racing III LLC, StarLadies Racing, Attard Hernandez

**Breeders**: 1-Alexander-Groves Thoroughbreds, 2-Lanni Bloodstock LLC, 3-William Harrigan & Mike Pietrangelo, 4-WinStar Farm, LLC, 5-Chet Blackey & Trackside Farm, 6-Sandra Sexton, 7-Bridlewood Farm, 8-Martha H. Buckner, 9-Dr. Rodney Orr, 10-G. Watts Humphrey Jr., 11-Charles Fipke, 12-Rabbah Bloodstock Limited, 13-Anderson Farms Ont. Inc.

### Sunday, Saratoga #9, post time: 5:45 p.m. EDT BOWLING GREEN S.-GII, \$250,000, 4yo/up, 1 3/8mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Ohana Honor 🖛	Honor Code	West Point Thoroughbreds, Woodford Racing, LLC,	McGaughey III	Carmouche	118
			Edward J. Hudson, Jr. and Lynne Hudson			
2	Silver Knott (GB)	Lope de Vega (Ire)	Godolphin, LLC	Appleby	Prat	124
3	Sugoi	Karakontie (Jpn)	Paradise Farms Corp. and David Staudacher	Maker	Leparoux	122
4	English Conqueror	English Channel	William A. Sorokolit, Jr.	Banach	Lezcano	118
5	Soldier Rising (GB)	Frankel (GB)	Madaket Stables LLC, Michael Dubb, Morris Bailey,	Clement	Ortiz	118
			Wonder Stables and Michael J. Caruso			
6	Strong Quality	Quality Road	Gary Barber and Kinsman Stable	Casse	Ortiz, Jr.	122
7	Strong Tide	English Channel	Penny S. Lauer	Lauer	Saez	118

**Breeders**: 1-Daniel J. Burke, 2-St Albans Bloodstock LLP, 3-Normandy Farm, 4-JWS Farms, 5-Dayton Investments Ltd, 6-Kinsman Farm, 7-Michael E. Lauer & Penny S. Lauer



# NORTH AMERICAN RACING

### SUMMER BREEZES:

McKinzie Colt Working Well For Career Debut



Some of the most highly anticipated races during the summer racing season are the 'baby' races during the boutique meetings at Saratoga and Del Mar and at Ellis Park, which attract its fair share of high-priced offspring from a variety of top national outfits. Summer Breezes highlights debuting 2-year-olds at those meetings that have been sourced at the breeze-up sales earlier in the year, with links to their under-tack previews. To follow are the horses entered for Thursday at Saratoga:



McKinzie | Gainesway

### **Thursday, July 25, 2024**

Saratoga 1, \$90k, 2yo, f, (S), 5 1/2fT, 1:10 p.m. ET

Horse (Sire)

Sale

Price (\$)

Breeze

Heavenly Light (City of Light)

OBSMAR

55,000

:10 2/5

C-Halcyon Hammock Farm, agt; B-Victoriam Farm, B Kinsell, agt

Saratoga 6, \$90k, 2yo, (S), 6f, 4:02 p.m. ET

Ark Royal (McKinzie) OBSAPR 90,000 :10 3/5

C-Top Line Sales LLC, agent; B-Lewis & Roslyn Titterton

Man of Mischief (Instagrand) OBSMAR 50,000 :10 2/5 C-Grade One Investments LLC, agent; B-Kenneth McPeek, agent

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### IN ORDER OF PURSE:

**2nd-Saratoga, \$90,000, (S), Msw**, 7-24, 2yo, 5 1/2fT, 1:02.97, fm, 1/2 length.

OUT ON BAIL (c, 2, Tiz the Law--Judge Lee, by Street Cry {Ire}) made his first two starts versus state-breds on the main track at the Big A, finishing a close second on debut May 10 and a well-beaten third behind subsequent GIII Sanford Stakes winner Mo



Out On Bail | Sarah Andrew

Plex (Complexity) June 20. Backed as the 7-5 favorite in this first try on grass, he broke like a shot from his outside draw and sat a pressing second through an opening quarter in :22.06. The gray stuck his head in front on the far turn, blew the race apart in the stretch and had enough left in the tank to hold safe by a half-length. Leon Blue (Mo Town) was a head better than fellow firster Pay the Juice (Omaha Beach) for second. Out On Bail becomes the fourth winner for his freshman sire (by Constitution). Judge Lee produced a full brother to the winner in 2023 and she was bred to Americanrevolution for 2025. Sales history: \$40,000 Ylg '23 SARAUG; \$110,000 2yo '24 OBSMAR. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-1, \$73,500. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

O-Case Chambers, Paradise Farms Corp. & David Staudacher; B-Matthew Nestor (NY); T-Michael J. Maker.

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**3rd-Delaware, \$43,350, Msw**, 7-24, 2yo, 5 1/2f, 1:06.31, my, nose.

GOLDEN COOKIE (c, 2, Violence--Macaroon, by Tapit), off at odds of 5-2 in this debut run, was sent to the front from his rail draw, enjoyed a clear advantage as they kicked for home, and, despite hanging on his left lead down the stretch, just held off favored Sacred Thunder (Holy Boss) by a whisker. The winner is a half-brother to Pennybaker (Medaglia d'Oro), SW-Fr, SW-USA, \$150,595. Macaroon, a full-sister to MGISW and young sire Frosted, had a filly by Medaglia d'Oro in 2024. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$24,000. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

O/B-Godolphin (KY); T-Michael Stidham.

### **Bridlewood Farm Training Graduate**



# FIRST-CROP STARTERS TO WATCH: THURSDAY, JULY 25 2024 Stud Fees Listed

**Global Campaign** (Curlin), WinStar Farm, \$12,500 123 foals of racing age/5 winners/0 black-type winners 1-Evangeline Downs, 6:30 p.m. EDT, Msw 5fT, Deftly Done, 6-1 \$24,000 RNA KEE NOV wnl; \$48,000 RNA FTK JUL yrl; \$22,000 RNA FTK OCT yrl

Improbable (City Zip), WinStar Farm, \$15,000 128 foals of racing age/2 winners/0 black-type winners 6-Saratoga, 4:02 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Dominican Thunder, 8-1 \$100,000 SAR AUG yrl 2-Colonial Downs, 2:02 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, Probale Ten, 30-1 \$37,000 KEE SEP yrl

Instagrand (Into Mischief), Taylor Made Farm, \$7,500 135 foals of racing age/4 winners/0 black-type winners 6-Saratoga, 4:02 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Man of Mischief, 8-1 \$50,000 OBS MAR 2yo

Maximum Security (New Year's Day), Coolmore Ashford, \$7,500 88 foals of racing age/2 winners/0 black-type winners 2-Colonial Downs, 2:02 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, Wiley Willard,

10-1 \$35,000 KEE SEP yrl

McKinzie (Street Sense), Gainesway Farm, \$30,000 170 foals of racing age/2 winners/0 black-type winners 6-Saratoga, 4:02 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Ark Royal, 6-1 \$57,000 RNA SAR AUG yrl; \$90,000 OBS APR 2yo 2-Colonial Downs, 2:02 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, Scotch Chocolate, 5-2 \$130,000 KEE SEP yrl

**Mr. Money** (Goldencents), Clear Creek Stud 46 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners 1-Evangeline Downs, 6:30 p.m. EDT, Msw 5fT, Dubaian Money, 9-2

Name Changer (Uncle Mo), Kaz Hill Farm 13 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners 1-Saratoga, 1:10 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2fT, Mega Changer, 8-1

**Spun to Run** (Hard Spun), Gainesway Farm, \$10,000 91 foals of racing age/3 winners/0 black-type winners 1-Evangeline Downs, 6:30 p.m. EDT, Msw 5fT, Running Ragged, 3-1 \$80,000 TTA YRL yrl

**Thousand Words** (Pioneerof the Nile), Spendthrift Farm, \$5,000 124 foals of racing age/7 winners/2 black-type winners 2-Colonial Downs, 2:02 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, Missed the Turn, 4-1

\$45,000 KEE JAN wnl; \$72,000 FTK OCT yrl; \$25,000 OBS MAR 2yo; \$90,000 FTK HRA 2yo

Volatile (Violence), Three Chimneys Farm, \$15,000 124 foals of racing age/4 winners/0 black-type winners 6-Saratoga, 4:02 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Play the Gray, 15-1 \$35,000 FTN MIX wnl; \$29,000 RNA SAR AUG yrl; \$16,000 FTK OCT yrl; \$45,000 OBS MAR 2yo



Yorkton (Speightstown), Crestwood Farm 30 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners 1-Evangeline Downs, 6:30 p.m. EDT, Msw 5fT, Yorktown Panther, 15-1 \$3,500 BSL Y&M yrl

# SECOND-CROP STARTERS TO WATCH: THURSDAY, JULY 25 2024 Stud Fees Listed

Catalina Cruiser (Union Rags), Lane's End Farm, \$10,000 173 foals of racing age/38 winners/0 black-type winners 1-Saratoga, 1:10 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2fT, Catalina Fina, 20-1 \$9,000 FTN MIX wnl

**Coal Front** (Stay Thirsty), Spendthrift Farm, \$5,000 81 foals of racing age/20 winners/4 black-type winners 1-Evangeline Downs, 6:30 p.m. EDT, Msw 5fT, Coal Battle, 20-1 \$70,000 TTA YRL yrl

**Leofric** (Candy Ride {Arg}), Darby Dan Farm, \$7,500 105 foals of racing age/15 winners/2 black-type winners 6-Saratoga, 4:02 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Buttah, 15-1

Maximus Mischief (Into Mischief), Spendthrift Farm, \$25,000 232 foals of racing age/62 winners/6 black-type winners 5-Canterbury, 8:10 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Maximus Maple Mo, 10-1 1-Evangeline Downs, 6:30 p.m. EDT, Msw 5fT, Mischievous Smile, 4-1

**Solomini** (Curlin), McMahon of Saratoga Thoroughbreds, \$7,500 142 foals of racing age/32 winners/4 black-type winners 1-Saratoga, 1:10 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2fT, Lady Delilah, 15-1



### **STAKES RESULTS:**

**DEBUTANTE S.**, (NB) C\$50,000, Assiniboia Downs, 7-23, 2yo, f, 5f, 1:01.06, ft.

- 1--GEE I'M FOXY, 119, f, 2, Klimt--Foxy Sara (SW, \$119,792), by Even the Score. (\$9,000 RNA Ylg '23 FTKOCT). O-Railside Stable; B-Kathie Maybee & Gary Jemo (KY); T-Jared Brown; J-Ronald Ali. C\$30,600. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$25,377.
- 2--Sneaky Situation, 121, f, 2, Mo Town--Afleet Lexi, by Afleet Alex. (\$4,000 Ylg '23 FTKOCT). \*1ST-TIME STARTER. O-Brown, Shelley, Anderson Livestock, Ltd., Blacksox Stables and Belle,

Oslen S.; B-TK Stables LLC (KY); T-Shelley Brown. C\$10,200.

3--Welcometohollywood, 122, f, 2, Omaha Beach--Arch of Troy, by Archarcharch. (\$45,000 RNA Wlg '22 KEENOV; \$7,000 Ylg '23 FTKOCT). O-Brown, Jared and Ganas, John; B-Endeavor Farm (KY); T-Jared Brown. C\$5,100.

Margins: 6, 3/4, 1 3/4. Odds: 3.85, 5.80, 0.45.

### **ALLOWANCE RESULTS:**

**6th-Saratoga, \$100,000**, (S), (NW2\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$45,000), 7-24, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:42.05, fm, 2 lengths.

**SPINNING COLORS (f, 4, Hard Spun--Kaleidoscope, by Elusive Quality)** Lifetime Record: 9-3-1-1, \$187,110. O-The Estate of William Parsons, Jr. & Howe, David S.; B-William Parsons Jr. & David Howe (NY); T-Mark A. Hennig.

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### **Hidden Brook Raised**



**3rd-Saratoga, \$95,000**, (S), 7-24, (NW1\$X), 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:39.75, ft, 1/2 length.

**ECHO IN ETERNITY (m, 5, Connect--Happy Clapper {MSP, \$221,151}, by Awesome Again)** Lifetime Record: 8-2-1-1, \$121,056. O-Flying P Stable; B-Mina Equivest LLC (NY); T-Bruce N. Levine. \*\$50,000 Ylg '20 FTKSEL. \*\*1/2 to Ice Princess (Palace Malice), SW & GSP, \$528,797.



### **Sold by Summerfield Sales**





**Echo in Eternity** | Sarah Andrew



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**7th-Delaware, \$50,125**, (S), 7-24, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m (off turf), 1:41.40, my, 4 1/4 lengths.

MALIBU BEAUTY (m, 6, Buffum--Slow and Steady, by Malibu Moon) Lifetime Record: MSW, 36-10-9-5, \$633,699. O/B-ZWP Stable & Non Stop Stable (MD); T-Gary Capuano. \*\$45,000 RNA Ylg '19 EASOCT. \*\*1/2 to Hanky Doodle (Cherokee's Boy), MSP, \$206,762; Lucky in Malibu (Lookin At Lucky), MSP, \$224,368; Steady Warrior (Cherokee's Boy), MSW, \$253,876; Steady N Love (Not For Love), SW, \$241,305.

### Prepped by Dreamtime Stables LLC

**3rd-Thistledown, \$41,400**, (NW3X)/Opt. Clm (\$25,000), 7-24, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10.44, ft, 3 1/2 lengths.

CITY SCENE (f, 3, Dominus--Nava, by Even the Score) Lifetime Record: SW, 10-6-4-0, \$217,360. O/B-Elkhorn Oaks Inc. (OH); T-James R. Jackson. \*Full to Candlelight Hours, MSW, \$587,610; 1/2 to Timeless Bounty (Elusive Hour), SW, \$282,760.

**2nd-Thistledown, \$28,000**, 7-24, (NW16M), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:11.26, ft, 1/2 length.

TIME TO SHOOT (g, 7, Elusive Hour--Charlies Fire {MSW, \$128,642}, by Fire Blitz) Lifetime Record: 25-6-6-6, \$144,898. O-Emerson Equistions LLC & Bestard, Brian; B-Felicia Campbell (MI); T-Richard J. Rettele. \*\$1,300 Ylg '18 OHIOCT.

**3rd-Finger Lakes, \$23,629**, 7-24, (NW2L), 3yo/up, 1m 70y, 1:45.97, ft, 1 3/4 lengths.

MAD MAGIC (g, 5, Munnings--Cool and Stormy, by Stormy Atlantic) Lifetime Record: 18-2-3-3, \$73,621. O-Saul J. Kupferberg; B-Colts, LLC (KY); T-Michael S. Ferraro. \*\$125,000 Ylg '20 KEESEP.

### Foaled and Raised at HERMITAGE FARM

6th-Fanduel Sportsbook And Horse Racing, \$18,800, Opt. Clm (\$25,000), 7-23, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10.93, ft, 1 1/4 lengths.

DEVIL'S TOWER (g, 6, Into Mischief--Quatrefoil, by Distorted Humor) Lifetime Record: SW, 34-15-3-2, \$473,780. O-Antonio Donato; B-Shortleaf Stable (KY); T-Armando Hernandez.



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### **ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**

**Devil's Pool**, f, 2, **Daredevil**--Zip Her Up, by City Zip. Louisiana Downs, 7-24, (S), 5f, :59.85. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$18,140. B-Russell Welch (LA).

**Millie's Stardust**, f, 2, **Hamazing Destiny**--Two Punch Millie, by My Pal Charlie. Louisiana Downs, 7-23, 5f, 1:00.12. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$11,400. B-David T & Lacinda V Rogers (AR). \*1ST-TIME STARTER.

**Notmyfirstrodeo**, g, 2, **Tonalist**--Unentangled, by Not For Love. Delaware, 7-24, 1m (off turf), 1:44.10. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$32,170. B-Clover Hill Farm, Inc. (MD).



**Ballad of Warrior**, g, 2, **Warrior's Reward**--Song Memory, by Unbridled's Song. Presque Isle Downs, 7-24, 5f (AWT), :58.68. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$23,400. B-Warrior's Reward (PA). \*1ST-TIME STARTER.

**Tongue Twister**, f, 3, **Get Stormy**--Bisou Francais, by Curlin. Saratoga, 7-24, (S), (C), 1 1/16mT, 1:44.54. Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-0, \$44,825. B-Stone Bridge Farm, LLC (NY). \*\$37,000 Ylg '22 SARAUG; \$45,000 2yo '23 EASMAY.

Rozay Summer, f, 3, Mitole--Summer On the Lawn, by First Defence. Presque Isle Downs, 7-24, 1 1/16m (AWT), 1:45.87. Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-0, \$22,056. B-Fred W. Hertrich III, John D. Fielding & Robert L. Tribbett (NY). \*\$160,000 Ylg '22 SARAUG. \*\*1/2 to Beyond Brilliant (Twirling Candy), GISW, \$776,780.

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Green Grace, f, 3, Point of Entry--C K Given, by Point Given. Fanduel Sportsbook And Horse Racing, 7-23, (S), 6f, 1:14.09. Lifetime Record: 8-1-3-1, \$35,364. B-John Reinhart (IL).

Sharp Az Can Be, f, 3, Sharp Azteca--Miss Subtle, by Misremembered. Thistledown, 7-24, 5 1/2f, 1:05.66. Lifetime Record: 7-1-2-0, \$27,956. B-Moreau Bloodstock International, Inc. (KY). \*\$85,000 Ylg '22 OBSOCT; \$24,000 RNA 2yo '23 OBSOPN.

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Ice Storm, g, 4, Frosted--Sinister Tale (SP, \$101,530), by Tale of the Cat. Assiniboia Downs, 7-23, 1m, 1:43.45. Lifetime Record: 20-1-8-1, \$55,338. B-Albert G. & Joyce E. Bell (KY). \*\$55,000 RNA Wlg '20 KEENOV; \$40,000 RNA Ylg '21 KEESEP; \$37,000 2yo '22 OBSAPR.

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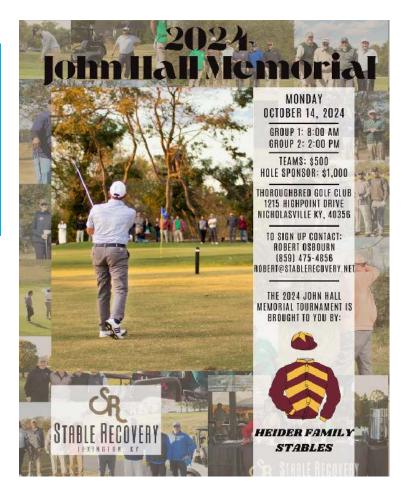
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Hard Spun's Spinning Colors | Sarah Andrew



THURSDAY, 25 JULY 2024



# MILL STREAM SET FOR DEAUVILLE RETURN AND WILL RACE ON NEXT YEAR



Jane Chapple-Hyam alongside Mill Stream's owner Peter Harris after the July Cup | Racingfotos.com

### By Emma Berry

The G1 July Cup winner Mill Stream (Ire) (Gleneagles {Ire}) will bid to maintain his unblemished Deauville record when he returns to the Normandy seaside for a crack at the G1 Prix Maurice de Gheest on August 4.

"He loves travelling so there are no worries there," says his trainer Jane Chapple-Hyam, who has once again demonstrated her skills in guiding the four-year-old through the grades to the very top. He is currently the co-highest-rated sprinter in Europe with a Timeform mark of 122, and it was at this time last year that he first came to wider prominence by winning the Listed Prix Moonlight Cloud. On the same card, his half-brother Asymmetric (Ire) (Showcasing {GB}) won the Listed Prix du Cercle.

For a time the elder of the pair, who had also won the G2 Richmond Stakes, held the bragging rights, but Mill Stream, with his Group 1 credentials, as well as picking up a Group 3 and Group 2 along the way, has now surpassed Asymmetric. In so doing, he has given another major boost to his breeders, the Murphy family of Redpender Stud. Cont. p3

# BEDTIME STORY THE STAR ATTRACTION AS JUVENILES TAKE CENTRE STAGE AT LEOPARDSTOWN AND SANDOWN

By Sean Cronin

Thursday's stakes action centres on a trio of juvenile heats at Leopardstown and Sandown, with runaway Listed Chesham Stakes victrix and 'TDN Rising Star' Bedtime Story (Ire) (Frankel {GB}) the star attraction in the G3 Jockey Club of Turkey Silver Flash Stakes over an extended seven furlongs at the Foxrock track. The five-runner field also features her Aidan O'Brien stablemate Exactly (Ire) (Frankel {GB}) and last month's G2 Airlie Stud Stakes fourth Barnavara (Ire) (Calyx {GB}), from the Jessica Harrington yard.

Ballydoyle is also represented by another 'TDN Rising Star' morning-line favourite in the Japan Racing Association Tyros Stakes. The twice-raced Surpass (Ire) (Saxon Warrior {Jpn}) justified odds-on favouritism when notching an impressive three-length triumph at Tipperary last month and will head postward at cramped odds for the second of two Group 3 contests on the card. Cont. p4



**Bedtime Story** | Racingfotos.com

### IN TON AMERICA TODAY

### BREEDING DIGEST: RIDING PUCA'S RISING TIDE

Puca (Big Brown) will now have two sons at stud in Kentucky when Dornoch (Good Magic) retires to Spendthrift Farm eventually. Chris McGrath finds out more.

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Miss Lamai (Mehmas), winner of the Listed Arqana Irish EBF Marwell Stakes at Naas, was a €90,000 Goffs foal turned 115,000gns Tattersalls Book 1 yearling by Ballyphillip Stud. | Laura Green/Tattersalls

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Kyprios (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) will anchor Aidan O'Brien's team for the Qatar Goodwood Festival next week.

### 6 | TATTERSALLS SOMERVILLE SALE EXPENDED TO TWO DAYS

The Tattersalls Somerville Sale catalogue was released on Wednesday, and it will be held over two days for the first time this year.

### 9 | €2.3-MILLION BREEZE-UP SENSATION TO DEBUT AT SANDOWN

A son of Justify, who cost €2.3 million at the Arqana May Breeze-Up Sale, will debut at Sandown on Thursday.

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### Jane Chapple-Hyam Cont. from p1

In the Chapple-Hyam stable Mill Stream has filled the void left by the dual Group 1 winner Saffron Beach (Ire) (New Bay {GB}), who subsequently sold for 3.6 million gns to Najd Stud at the Tattersalls December Sale.

"We all need that big horse," says the trainer. "We all know how hard it is to find one, and it's getting harder and harder to hold onto them, too. Anything that's good, the phone's ringing."

There's little doubt that the stallion farms have been circling for Mill Stream, but Chapple-Hyam is in the fortunate position of already having been told by the colt's owner Peter Harris that his star performer will stay in training at the age of five.

Harris, a former trainer and breeder, whose successes in both spheres notably include the G1 Middle Park Stakes winner Primo Valentino (Ire), held a dispersal of his Pendley Farm stock at Tattersalls in 2010. But he has remained a regular visitor to Park Paddocks and, with the help of bloodstock agent Anthony Stroud, has made significant investment in young stock to race.

"It has been terrific to be able to reward him with a Group 1 winner," says Chapple-Hyam. "Peter having been a trainer, he understands that there are more lows than highs, and he's a good sounding board and a great support to the yard.

"I'm lucky he knocked on my door. I didn't know him before that; I got a call, and that was that."

She continues, "It's nice for him to get something back as it's been hard work on his behalf as he walks around Tattersalls and looks at all the yearlings for Book 1 and Book 2, so it's good that his homework has paid dividends."

Mill Stream's longer-term targets include the Haydock Sprint Cup and the British Champions Sprint at Ascot in October, but in the immediate future a clash with Puchkine (Fr) and co is on the cards at a course where he is two-for-two.

"It's an extended six," Chapple-Hyam says of the Maurice de Gheest, "but going on how he hit the line in the July Cup I don't think it will be a problem, and he likes the track.

"There wouldn't be a Breeders' Cup on the cards because Peter is happy to keep him in training next year so I don't want to run the risk of sending him there."

Among the dozen or so horses she has in training for Harris is the two-year-old Echalar (Ire), who is set to make his debut at Ascot on Saturday in the British EBF Crocker Bulteel Maiden. The trainer clearly holds the half-brother to G3 Chester Vase winner Youth Spirit (Ire) and Listed winner Canberra Legend (Ire) in some regard and has also given him a Gimcrack entry.

"He's a lovely Too Darn Hot colt and he has trained well," she says. "I'll be expecting a big show from him, but we're up against some horses who have already run second. It's going to be a hot little maiden." Cont. p4





Asian Daze winning in the colours of Gai Waterhouse Racingfotos.com

### Jane Chapple-Hyam cont.

Mill Stream's memorable July Cup victory was made all the sweeter by a double that day at Newmarket being brought up by the filly Asian Daze (Ire). The star of the first crop of Frontiersman (GB) had already won three times for Johnny Murtagh and was bought by Gai Waterhouse at the Goffs London Sale for £200,000.

"It was an honour to get the call from Gai to train her and, thank God, we got the job done," she says, though the trainer has already had to bid farewell to the three-year-old who will eventually head south for Chapple-Hyam's native country, Australia.

"She's a tough little nugget and her character is like that as well. She left this morning for quarantine. It was nice that they ran her and she won, so she goes down there 104-rated and I'd be surprised if she doesn't get black type in Australia."

She adds, "I've known Gai over the years but it was a call out of the blue and, like I said, it was an honour. It's such a shame that Gai wasn't here this year, because usually she attends the July Cup, but she had commitments back in Australia.

"You could see how tough the filly is by the way she fought back when she got headed. She got a great ride from Billy Loughnane and he's going to go out [to Australia] in the winter to have six weeks with Gai, which will be a brilliant experience for him. It all worked out well."

Mill Stream is not the only member of Chapple-Hyam's stable who will be having his passport stamped for France this year, as she is also planning a Deauville raid with the three-year-old Sons And Lovers (GB) (Study Of Man {Ire}), who has been both Group 3 and Listed-placed this season.

"I'm going to send him to Deauville on the 11th to the Prix Nureyev," she says. "I feel he's still progressing and, back in his own age group, let's give it a go. You just never know going over to France, but he has a great attitude and character so I think he'll travel fine. He's not a worrier.

"He'll be bigger and stronger as a four-year-old but the door is being knocked at."

The trainer is clearly no stranger to success in Deauville, where Saffron Beach also landed the G1 Prix Rothschild two years ago, and it would be no surprise if Sons And Lovers is the next member of her stable to come bursting through that door.

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### RACE PREVIEWS



### Tyros Stakes cont. from p1

Surpass is set to be accompanied by stablemate **Swagman** (Ger) (Wootton Bassett {GB}), who claimed a narrow victory at Naas earlier in the month, and Joseph O'Brien trainee **Scorthy Champ (Ire)** (Mehmas {Ire}), who comes back off a 69-day break after shedding maiden status at this venue in May. The sixrunner-field also includes Newtown Anner Stud's undefeated homebred **Beckman (Ire)** (Beckford {GB}).

Aidan O'Brien is the winningmost trainer in both contests, with 13 prior victories in the Silver Flash and a whopping 16 wins in the Tyros.

All but one of 11 entries for Sandown's Listed EBN Star Stakes are previous winners with Juddmonte's likely favourite Flaming Stone (GB) (Kingman {GB}) seeking to confirm the promise of an impressive four-length tally in a Newbury novices' heat last month. "She won well and it might not have been the strongest contest, but she hit the line well and the runner-up ran well next time when second at Newmarket," commented Juddmonte racing manager Barry Mahon. "She looked good and Oisin Murphy was very complimentary of her. It's the next stepping stone now, into stakes company, and she will hopefully go there and have a good chance. It's a lovely time on the calendar for her to try for some black type and then there's a whole host of lovely fillies' Group races coming up later in the year. Hopefully she will be able to step up to this kind of level and then we can keep moving up the ladder slowly."

The Andrew Balding trainee's opponents include the hitherto undefeated **Anshoda (Ire)** (Inns Of Court {Ire}), **The Terminus** (**Ire)** (Too Darn Hot {GB}) and **Del Ray (GB)** (Kameko), with the latter bidding to become her freshman sire's first black-type scorer.

### EUROPEAN NEWS

# BALLYDOYLE ASSEMBLE STAR-STUDDED TEAM FOR THE QATAR GOODWOOD FESTIVAL



Kyprios | Megan Coggin

Star stayer **Kyprios (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}) is set to spearhead the Ballydoyle team at Goodwood next week when he lines up in the G1 Al Shaqab Goodwood Cup on the opening day of the meeting, Tuesday, July 30.

The six-year-old spent the first few months of last season on the sidelines due to injury, denying him the opportunity to try and defend the Goodwood Cup crown he won so memorably when beating Stradivarius (Ire) and Trueshan (Fr) in a thrilling contest in 2022. However, this year he's set to return to West Sussex with an unblemished record of three wins from three starts so far in 2024, culminating with a gutsy performance at Royal Ascot where he regained the Gold Cup title he also won in 2022.

Now a five-time Group 1 winner, Kyprios is reported to be in rude health ahead of the feature race on Tuesday's card, with trainer Aidan O'Brien describing stayers of his calibre as "very rare".

"Kyprios is lazy in his work, but we're very happy with him," said O'Brien. "Everything has gone well since Ascot.

"He's a very special horse and has a lot of class. He has a lot more class than most people think. He does stay which is unusual, but he'd have no problem being a group horse over a mile and a quarter. As he goes up in distance, he just gets better. Those good stayers are very rare. When you go to those distances, very few horses get them really, but he has the class and gets the trip as well."

Discussing the injury which forced Kyprios to miss last year's Goodwood Cup, O'Brien added, "It was a long process. At one stage we didn't think he'd live, but when he got through that part, we had to teach him how to use his joint and walk again. When he started walking again, he had to walk on a very slow treadmill with bails on either side of him to stop him falling over. That should tell you where he came from.

"It's incredible really--I never thought he would race ever again. There are so many people I should be mentioning who were involved in getting him back so all credit to them."

O'Brien is also set to be represented in the other two Group 1 races at the Qatar Goodwood Festival, with **Henry Longfellow** (Ire) (Dubawi {Ire}) bound for the Qatar Sussex Stakes and **Opera Singer** (Justify) an intended runner in the Qatar Nassau Stakes.

Unbeaten in three starts as a two-year-old, Henry Longfellow was last seen finishing second in the G1 St James's Palace Stakes at Royal Ascot, while Opera Singer was also in action at that meeting when filling the same position in the G1 Coronation Stakes.

"We're looking forward to him in Goodwood," O'Brien said of Henry Longfellow. "We always thought he was a special horse based on what he did last year. We were over the moon with his run at Royal Ascot.

"If we'd got a clearer run in France, we would have known more going into Ascot, so we went into Ascot just learning about him. There's every chance he'll progress."

"We were delighted with Opera Singer at Ascot," he continued. "The other horse who led just messed up her pace a little bit, but we were over the moon with her.

"We were always going to step up to go to a mile and a quarter in the Qatar Nassau Stakes with her after that. We're very happy with her and everything has gone well since Ascot.

"She has an incredible pedigree and is by Justify which just makes her extra special. We think she'll be happy with the trip and track and she can probably go even further too."

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### TATTERSALLS RELEASE CATALOGUE FOR FIRST TWO-DAY SOMERVILLE YEARLING **SALE**



Anisette | Horsephotos

A total of 465 yearlings have been catalogued for the fourth edition of the Tattersalls Somerville Yearling Sale, which will be held over two days at Park Paddocks for the first time this year. The opening session starts at 10am on Monday, September 2.

Graduates of the Somerville Yearling Sale include Anisette (GB) (Awtaad {Ire}), who started her career in Britain after being bought for 26,000 guineas back in 2021. She later joined Leonard Powell in the US and was last seen gaining her third top-level win in the Gamely Stakes at Santa Anita in May.

Anisette joins Bradsell (GB) (Tasleet {GB}), successful in last year's King's Stand Stakes at Royal Ascot, as top-level winning graduates. Bradsell sold for 12,000 guineas, also in 2021, while last year Arabian Dusk (GB) (Havana Grey {GB}) was picked up for 80,000 guineas. She went on to fetch 525,000 guineas at the Tattersalls Craven Breeze-up Sale and recently showed her top-class potential when winning the G2 Duchess Of Cambridge Stakes at Newmarket's July Festival.

The catalogue for this year's sale includes full- or half-siblings to 77 Group and Listed performers, plus 66 yearlings out of mares who achieved Group or Listed black type while racing. Highlights include lot 235, a half-sister to the GI Natalma Stakes winner La Pelosa (Ire) (Dandy Man (Ire)) by Earthlight (Ire); lot 279, a half-brother to last weekend's G2 Sapphire Stakes heroine Believing (Ire) (Mehmas (Ire)) by Inns Of Court (Ire); lot 156, a colt by Lucky Vega (Ire) out of the G2 Queen Mary Stakes scorer Gilded (Ire) (Redback {GB}); and lot 366, a Kameko colt out of the multiple Group 3 winner Rose Of Kildare (Ire) (Make Believe {GB}).

All yearlings catalogued will be eligible for the £100,000 Tattersalls Somerville Auction Stakes, as well as the £150,000 Tattersalls October Auction Stakes. In addition, 110 fillies are registered for the Great British Bonus scheme and are eligible to win up to £20,000 in bonus prize-money per qualifying race.

Tattersalls chairman Edmond Mahony said, "The Tattersalls Somerville Yearling Sale has quickly established itself as a leading source of top-class racehorses with Group 1 winners Anisette and Bradsell leading the way alongside recent G2 Duchess Of Cambridge Stakes winner Arabian Dusk.

"Ultimately the decision to expand the sale to two days was a straightforward one with the unprecedented demand for places reflecting not only the strength of the first three Tattersalls Somerville Yearling Sales, but also the outstanding racecourse successes.

"In terms of quality we are confident that the sale has taken another step forward and Europe's most progressive yearling sale yet again looks set to attract a wide cross-section of domestic and international buyers."

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### **GRAHAM LEE CHARITY RACE SCHEDULED FOR THIRSK ON JULY 26**



Graham Lee | Thirsk Racecourse

The Graham Lee IJF Fund Stable Staff Stakes, sponsored by Sky Bet, will take place on Friday, July 26 in support of the Injured Jockeys' Fund and Graham Lee, Thirsk Racecourse announced on Wednesday.

The race sees 10 volunteers from racing yards compete in a one-mile 'hands and heels' race. The riders will be led up by professional jockeys, with all participants having agreed to meet the minimum sponsorship obligation of £500. Cont. p7

### **Graham Lee charity race cont.**

A Grand National-winning rider, Lee prevailed in 2004 aboard Amberleigh House (Ire) (Buckskin {Fr}). He also won the 2015 G1 Gold Cup aboard Trip To Paris (Ire) (Champs Elysees {GB}). The 48-year-old sustained life-changing injuries after a fall at Newcastle last November. For more information on the charity race, please visit the Thirsk Racecourse website.

Race organiser Adele Mulrennan said, "We did this a few years ago before lockdown, raising funds for Racing Welfare, and it was a great success. It was a chance for the jockeys to show their appreciation for stable staff, so we came up with the idea of swapping roles, with stable staff riding in the race and jockeys leading them up.

"I have been chatting to a few jockeys this year, who said they have not had a chance to get behind any of the fundraising for Graham Lee. They were keen to do something, so I said why don't we do this again, except this time raising funds for the Injured Jockeys Fund and Graham."

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### FRED ARCHER TOUR TO BE OFFERED BY **DISCOVER NEWMARKET**

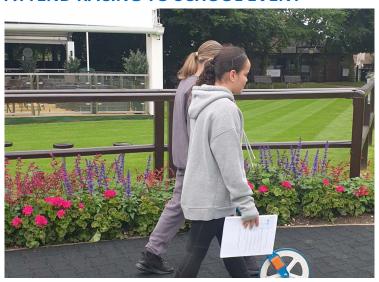
This year marks the 150th anniversary since legendary jockey Fred Archer was first named champion jockey, and a one-off guided tour will be offered on Sept. 4 to celebrate the milestone, Discover Newmarket announced on Wednesday.

The tour will investigate the close ties between Archer and Newmarket, with his great granddaughter, Diana Reynolds, providing details on Archer's life. On the tour, there will be a visit of Sir Mark Prescott's yard, Heath House Stables, where Archer began as an apprentice, and a guided visit by trainer James Fanshawe of his Pegasus Stables, formerly Falmouth House which Archer built as a trainer's yard.

Tickets to the event cost £120 per person and are bookable through Discover Newmarket. Reynolds, will also sign copies of her book Just One More Smile: Fred & Helen Archer's Tragic Love Story at the National Horseracing Museum at the end of the tour. To learn more about the tour, please visit Discover Newmarket's website.

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### **BOTTISHAM VILLAGE COLLEGE STUDENTS** ATTEND RACING TO SCHOOL EVENT



Bottisham Village College students in the parade ring at the July Course | Racing Welfare

Approximately 40 students from Bottisham Village College attended a Racing to School event at The National Stud and Newmarket's July Course earlier this month.

The Year 7 group were able to view stallions Lope Y Fernandez (Ire) and Stradivarius (Ire) at the stud, with several math-based activities held at the July Course. This visit followed on from the successful mock interviews Careers Event led by the charity back in February.

The day was well supported by the horseracing industry with volunteer interviewers from both Newmarket racecourses offering advice and feedback to the Year 7 group before they embark on their chosen career and study paths. The partnership between Racing to School and the College, which began in 2022, has already supported the learning of over 270 pupils at unique events.

Katie Neville-Jones, Careers Lead at the College said, "This day was a fantastic opportunity for our Year 7s to be inspired and enriched during our school's activity week. It is great to continue to work together with Racing to School after a few years, and to open up more opportunities in the future."

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# FIRST-SEASON SIRES WITH RUNNERS

### Thursday, July 25, 2024:

### **UNITED KINGDOM**

Ghaiyyath (Ire) (Dubawi {Ire}), Kildangan Stud
101 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners
18:45-NEWBURY, 7f, Phaedra (GB)
100,000gns RNA Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 1) 2023
14:40-SANDOWN PARK, 7f, Stanhope Gardens (Ire)
€82,000 Goffs November Foal Sale 2022; 210,000gns Tattersalls
October Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2023

Kameko (Kitten's Joy), Tweenhills Stud
87 foals of racing age/7 winners/0 black-type winners
15:15-SANDOWN PARK, 40K The European Bloodstock News Ebf
Star Stakes (Class 1) (Listed Race)7f, Del Ray (GB)
180,000gns RNA Tattersalls July Sale 2024
14:40-SANDOWN PARK, 7f, Houndsworth (Ire)
48,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2023
14:30-DONCASTER, 7f, Lightening Mann (GB)
52,000gns Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2022; 40,000gns
Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2023

Mohaather (GB) (Showcasing {GB}), Beech House Stud 96 foals of racing age/3 winners/1 black-type winner 14:30-DONCASTER, 7f, El Madar (GB) 14:30-DONCASTER, 7f, God of War (GB) 80,000gns Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2022

**Pinatubo (Ire)** (Shamardal), Dalham Hall Stud 109 foals of racing age/6 winners/0 black-type winners 18:45-NEWBURY, 7f, **Qilin Queen (Ire)** 280,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2023

Shaman (Ire) (Shamardal), Yeomanstown Stud
103 foals of racing age/5 winners/0 black-type winners
14:30-DONCASTER, 7f, Pap's Turf (Ire)
€23,000 Goffs February Sale 2023; €46,000 Tattersalls Ireland
September Yearling 2023

Sottsass (Fr) (Siyouni {Fr}), Coolmore Stud 97 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners 18:45-NEWBURY, 7f, Veraison (Ire) 110,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2023



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Arizona (Ire) (No Nay Never), Coolmore Stud

66 foals of racing age/2 winners/0 black-type winners

### **IRELAND**

3-LEOPARDSTOWN, 7.25f, Aleramo (Ire)
€20,000 Tattersalls Ireland September Yearling Sale Part II 2023
3-LEOPARDSTOWN, 7.25f, Arizona Beauty (Ire)
€34,000 Goffs Orby Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2023; £50,000 Goffs
UK 2yo Breeze Up Sale 2024
2-LEOPARDSTOWN, 30K GIII Jockey Club Of Turkey Silver Flash
Stakes (Fillies' Group 3)7.25f, Senna's Girl (Ire)
€14,000 Goffs Orby Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2023; €100,000
Tattersalls Ireland Goresbridge Breeze Up 2024

### Beckford (GB) (Bated Breath {GB}),

5 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners 4-LEOPARDSTOWN, 30K GIII Japan Racing Association Tyros Stakes (Group 3)7.25f, **Beckman (Ire)** 

Circus Maximus (Ire) (Galileo (Ire)), Coolmore Stud 49 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners 3-LEOPARDSTOWN, 7.25f, Proxima Centauri (Ire)

Mohaather (GB) (Showcasing {GB}), Beech House Stud 96 foals of racing age/3 winners/1 black-type winner 3-LEOPARDSTOWN, 7.25f, Eastern Peace (Ire) €22,000 Goffs November Foal Sale 2022; €45,000 Tattersalls Ireland September Yearling 2023; £30,000 Goffs UK 2yo Breeze Up Sale 2024



Sottsass (Fr) (Siyouni {Fr}), Coolmore Stud
97 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners
1-LEOPARDSTOWN, 8f, Idomything (Ire)
38,000gns RNA Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2022; 38,000gns
Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2023; 50,000gns RNA
Tattersalls Craven Breeze Up Sale 2024

**Tiz the Law** (Constitution), Coolmore Ashford 98 foals of racing age/3 winners/0 black-type winners 3-LEOPARDSTOWN, 7.25f, **Medici Venus** \$550,000 Keeneland Association September Yearling Sale 2023

### **FRANCE**

Chachnak (Fr) (Kingman {GB}), Haras de la Gastine 26 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners 3-VITTEL, 1600m, Baliros (Fr)

Madhmoon (Ire) (Dawn Approach {Ire}), Haras du Saz 21 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners 3-VITTEL, 1600m, Diamonds (Fr) €5,000 RNA Osarus September Yearling Sale 2023

Threat (Ire) (Footstepsinthesand {GB}), Haras du Mont Goubert 42 foals of racing age/2 winners/0 black-type winners 3-VITTEL, 1600m, Matheo Bello (Fr) €4,000 RNA Arqana December Breeding Stock Sale 2022; €3,500 Arqana Deauville Nov. Yearling Sale 2023 3-VITTEL, 1600m, Outrenoir (Fr)

# OBSERVATIONS on the European racing scene

# **€2.3M ARQANA BREEZE-UP SENSATION SET FOR SANDOWN DEBUT**

14.40 Sandown, Mdn, £10,000, 2yo, 7fT

Godolphin's **RULING COURT (Justify)** caused a stir when realising a whopping €2.3-million at this year's Arqana Breeze-Up sale and makes his eagerly awaited debut in a contest won in recent years by Arabian Crown (Fr) (Dubawi {Ire}), Nostrum (GB) (Kingman {GB}) and Kameko (Kitten's Joy). The Charlie Appleby trainee, a \$150,000 Keeneland September pinhook by Norman Williamson, is out of the Grade III-placed Inchargeofme (GB) (High Chaparral {Ire}) and encounters one dozen opponents in this one-turn test.



Lot 110, the €2.3-million Arqana May topper

Alison Murphy Photography

### 14.30 Doncaster, Nov, £6,800, 2yo, 7f 6yT

Wathnan Racing's **DAMYSUS** (**GB**) (**Frankel** {**GB**}), a 460,000gns Tattersalls October Book 1 acquisition, is kin to a trio of stakes performers produced by G1 Prix Marcel Boussac and G1 Prix de l'Opera third Legerete (Rahy) and is opposed by nine rivals in this debut. They include Victorious Racing's Roger Varian trainee **Ride The Thunder** (**Ire**) (**Night Of Thunder** {**Ire**}), himself a 400,000gns Book 1 graduate, who is out of the dual stakesplaced G1 Irish Oaks sixth Stellar Glow (Ire) (**Sea The Stars** {**Ire**}).

17.15 Leopardstown, Mdn, €18,000, 2yo, 8fT
Coolmore's DELACROIX (IRE) (Dubawi {Ire}), who possesses a
G1 Vincent O'Brien National Stakes entry, is a son of six-time
elite-level heroine and dual US champion Tepin (Bernstein) and
has Ryan Moore in the plate for this debut. Rivals include his
Aidan O'Brien stablemate Scandinavia (Justify), who is a halfbrother to G1 Prix Saint-Alary heroine Above The Curve
(American Pharoah).

18.20 Leopardstown, Mdn, €25,000, 2yo, f, 7f 57yT

Jessica Harrington trainee PROXIMA CENTAURI (IRE) (Circus

Maximus {Ire}), twice scratched from seven-furlong heats at this
venue, is the second foal produced by multiple Group 1-winning
Irish 1000 Guineas heroine Alpha Centauri (Ire)
(Mastercraftsman {Ire}). Her 17 rivals include Coolmore's
\$550,000 Keeneland September yearling Medici Venus (Tiz The

Law), who is an Aidan O'Brien-trained half to two black-type
performers out of GII Adirondack Stakes third Fully Living
(Unbridled's Song).

### **Observations cont.**

### 18.45 Newbury, Mdn, £12,000, 2yo, f, 7fT

Cheveley Park Stud homebred FORMAL (GB) (Dubawi {Ire}) is a daughter of G1 Falmouth Stakes heroine Veracious (GB) (Frankel {GB}) and faces a reduced field of seven in this unveiling.

Opposition includes Juddmonte's Sir Michael Stoute stablemate Polygram (GB) (Dark Angel {Ire}), who is out of a half-sister to GI Breeders' Cup Mile-winning sire Expert Eye (GB) (Acclamation {GB}).

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# Desdemona (GB), f, 2, Showcasing (GB)--Rose Marmara (GB), by Exceed And Excel (Aus). Lingfield, 7-24, 4f 217yT, :55.99. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-1, \$7,600. B-Whitsbury Manor Stud (GB). \*£20,000 RNA Ylg '23 GOFFUK; £24,000 RNA 2yo '24 GOUKB. Last Outlaw (Ire), g, 3, Dandy Man (Ire)--Dream Date (Ire), by Oasis Dream (GB). Leicester, 7-24, 5fT, :59.47. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$5,532. B-Mrs Louise Lyons (IRE). \*€80,000 Wlg '21 GOFNO1. \*Full to Extortionist (Ire), GSW & G1SP-Eng, GSP-Ire, \$257,297.

### BRITAIN

### Wednesday's Results:

**3rd-Salisbury, £10,000, Nov**, 7-24, 2yo, f, 6fT, 1:14.30, g/f. DREAM VOYAGE (GB) (f, 2, Kingman {GB}--Butterscotch {Ire} **(GSP-Ire)**, by Galileo (Ire)), a July 11 debut third over this trip at Newmarket last time, stalked the leaders in third after the initial exchanges here. Rowed along approaching the two pole, the 2-5 favourite quickened to the fore entering the final furlong and was ridden out to assert by 2 1/4 lengths from Tropical Heat (GB) (Mohaather {GB}). Dream Voyage, half to a yearling colt by Palace Pier (GB), is the third foal and scorer produced by G3 Balanchine Stakes runner-up Butterscotch (Ire) (Galileo (Ire)), herself a full-sister to G3 Kilternan Stakes victor and G1 Irish Derby and G1 Melbourne Cup runner-up Tiger Moth (Ire). Butterscotch is also kin to dual Group 2-placed sire Coach House (Ire) (Oasis Dream (GB)). Descendants of Dream Voyage's dual Group 1-placed second dam Lesson In Humility (Ire) (Mujadil) also include G2 Duchess Of Cambridge Stakes Persian Dreamer (Calyx (GB)) and G2 Duchess Of Cambridge Stakes third Queen Olly (Ire) (No Nay Never). Sales history: 150,000gns RNA Ylg '23 TATOCT. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$13,109. O/B-Vefa Ibrahim Araci (GB); T-Hugo Palmer.

### **ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**

Shout (Ire), c, 2, Advertise (GB)--Poppet's Promise (GB), by Bated Breath (GB). Salisbury, 7-24, 6fT, 1:13.56. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$6,916. B-Kildaragh Stud (IRE). \*38,000gns Ylg '23 TATOCT.

Easy Peeler (GB), f, 2, Due Diligence--Satsuma (GB), by Compton Place (GB). Catterick Bridge, 7-24, 5f 212yT, 1:13.48. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$8,359. B-Whitsbury Manor Stud (GB). \*Full to Good Vibes (GB), GSW-Eng, \$126,592; and 1/2 to Yakushima (GB) (Havana Grey {GB}), SW-Jpn, \$435,743.

Chuti Manika (Ire), c, 2, Magna Grecia (Ire)--Assault On Rome (Ire) (SP-Ger), by Holy Roman Emperor (Ire). Catterick Bridge, 7-24, 7f 6yT, 1:26.20. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$7,782. B-Christine E Budden & Partners (IRE).

### **IRELAND**

### Wednesday's Results:

**ARQANA IRISH EBF MARWELL S.-Listed**, €50,000, Naas, 7-24, 2yo, 5fT, 1:02.49, yl.

1--MISS LAMAI (IRE), 128, f, 2, by Mehmas (Ire)
1st Dam: Tough Spirit (Ire), by Iffraaj (GB)

3rd Dam: Recite (Jpn), by Forty Niner

**1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN**. (€90,000 Wlg '22 GOFNO1; 115,000gns Ylg '23 TATOCT). O-C R Hirst; B-Denis McDonnell (IRE); T-Karl Burke; J-Clifford Lee. €30,000. Lifetime Record: SP-Eng, 4-2-1-0, \$67,771. \*1/2 to Spirit Of Camelot (Ire) (Camelot {GB}), SP-Aus.

2nd Dam: One Spirit (Ire), by Invincible Spirit (Ire)

- 2--Make Haste (GB), 128, f, 2, Blue Point (Ire)--Quick March (GB), by Lawman (Fr). (40,000gns Wlg '22 TADEWE; 75,000gns Ylg '23 TATOCT). **1ST BLACK TYPE**. O-LNJ, Gainesway, Chappell, Eves Partnership; B-Sheraton Bloodstock Ltd (GB); T-Diego Dias. €10,000.
- 3--Shamrock Breeze (Ire), 128, f, 2, Ardad (Ire)--Ikigai (GB), by Sayif (Ire). (€38,000 Ylg '23 TATIRY; £100,000 2yo '24 GOUKB). O-Shamrock Thoroughbreds; B-Farmleigh Bloodstock Ltd (IRE); T-Jack Davison. €5,000.

Margins: 1 3/4, HD, NO. Odds: 0.91, 14.00, 7.00. Also Ran: Merrily, Queens Fury (Fr), Amazing Athena (Ire), Say Yes To Dreams (Ire), Skillman Ave (Ire), Proudly Yours (Ire), Irish Ballet (Ire).

Karl Burke trainee **Miss Lamai (Ire)** (Mehmas {Ire}--Tough Spirit {Ire}, by Iffraaj {GB}) bounced back off a close-up fourth in last month's G2 Queen Mary Stakes to secure a career high in Wednesday's Argana Irish EBF Marwell Stakes at Naas.

The 10-11 favourite, a debut winner at Thirsk in April and runner-up in May's Listed Marygate Stakes at York, raced off the pace towards the rear through the initial fractions of this five-furlong dash. Powering forward on the bridle once past halfway, she came under pressure to launch her challenge approaching the final furlong and was driven out in the closing stages to defeat **Make Haste (GB)** (Blue Point {Ire}) by 1 3/4 lengths.

### **Listed Marwell Stakes Cont.**

The long-time leader **Shamrock Breeze (Ire)** (Ardad {Ire}) was a head adrift in third with the fast-finishing **Merrily** (No Nay Never) a nose further back in fourth.

"She's a good, tough filly and I thought that, if she ran up to either of her last two runs, she would be hard to beat, although you never know with two-year-old fillies," said Burke. "We walked the track and when I watch Naas on TV, they are always coming stands' side and it walked that way as well. I said to Cliff [Lee] if they all go the other way to make sure he was on this side to make his challenge and, if they split, to definitely come this way. I think that helped. She got caught in the last 50 yards in the Marygate and at Royal Ascot they were spread across the track and she never got cover. That's the first time I've really seen her finish off her race. I've always thought she'd be a better filly with a bit of cover and that's worked out today. She's in the [G2] Lowther and we'll discuss that. This is huge for [owner] Chris [Hirst], who lives in Thailand, as he's building up a broodmare band."

Miss Lamai is the third of five foals and one of three scorers produced by a winning half-sister to Grand Prix de Vichy victrix One For Bobby (Ire) (Frankel {GB}). The March-foaled bay's second dam, multiple Group-placed Listed Owenstown Stud Stakes winner One Spirit (Ire) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}), is out of a half-sister to dual Group 1-winning sire Diktat (GB) (Warning {GB}). Miss Lamai is a half-sister to the stakes-placed Spirit Of Camelot (Ire) (Camelot {GB}), a yearling colt by Australia (GB) and a weanling filly by Blackbeard (Ire).

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**YEOMANSTOWN STUD IRISH EBF S.-Listed**, €50,000, Naas, 7-24, 3yo/up, 5f 205yT, 1:14.06, yl.

1--NIGHTEYES (IRE), 129, f, 3, Night Of Thunder (Ire)--Penny Pepper (Ire) (GSW-Ire, \$124,311), by Fast Company (Ire).

1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN. (150,000gns Ylg '22 TATOCT). O-Akela Thoroughbreds Ltd; B-Owenstown Bloodstock Ltd (IRE); T-David O'Meara; J-Daniel Tudhope. €30,000. Lifetime Record: SP-Eng, 10-4-3-1, \$79,269.

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- 2--Over The Blues (Ire), 129, f, 3, Bungle Inthejungle (GB)--Fast Jazz (Ire), by Frozen Power (Ire). **1ST BLACK TYPE**. O-Mrs Barbara M Keller; B-Kilnamoragh Stud (IRE); T-Patrick Foley. €10,000.
- 3--Letherfly (Ire), 129, f, 3, Churchill (Ire)--Tammy Wynette (Ire), by Tamayuz (GB). **1ST BLACK TYPE**. (€30,000 Ylg '22 TATIRY). O-Harcourt Racing Syndicate; B-Gerrardstown House Stud (IRE); T-Noel Meade. €5,000.

Margins: 3, SHD, HD. Odds: 3.33, 7.00, 66.00.

Also Ran: Dance Night Andday (Ire), Navassa Island (Ire), Shandy (Ire), Amazon Lady (Ire), Apricot Ice (Ire), Majestic Beauty (GB), Pinafore (Ire), Pearls And Rubies, Bellaphina (Ire), National Lady (Ire). Scratched: Little Queenie (Ire).

Dual handicap winner Nighteyes, who ran third in Sandown's June 15 Listed Scurry Stakes when last seen, raced towards the rear through halfway in this first overseas start. Caught behind a wall of horses with a quarter-mile remaining, the well-backed 10-3 favourite seized upon an opening along the stands' side rail passing the furlong pole and surged clear in the closing stages to claim a career high by daylight.

"I didn't plan on being as far back, but she was a bit anxious in the stalls and missed the beat a little bit, although in hindsight it wasn't a bad thing," explained winning rider Danny Tudhope. "She's definitely got ability and is improving all the time. As a two-year-old we thought she was pretty good, but things didn't fall right for her and she bumped into one or two nice ones. She has progressed into a lovely three-year-old and has done nothing wrong this season. She keeps improving and deserves to win a Listed race. The ways the races have been run tonight, the winners are coming up the near side and she picked up well up the stands' side and won well. I'm delighted and it's great for the owners."

Nighteyes is the latest of four foals and leading performer out of G3 Ballyogan Stakes victrix Penny Pepper (Ire) (Fast Company {Ire}). The April-foaled bay's dam is kin to G1 British Champions Sprint hero Art Power (Ire) (Dark Angel {Ire}), Listed Prix Ronde de Nuit victrix Morning Frost (Ire) (Duke Of Marmalade {Ire}), G3 Prix Sigy third Symmetric Power (Ire) (Dark Angel {Ire}) and the stakes-placed Shaan (Ire) (Iffraaj {GB}).



Night Of Thunder | Darley

**1st-Naas,** €**18,000, Mdn**, 7-24, 2vo, 5f 205vT, 1:14.52, vl. DIEGO VENTURA (IRE) (c, 2, Mehmas {Ire}--Leoube {Ire}, by Kodiac (GB)) misbehaved during the preliminaries, which included a false start, and recovered from a sluggish getaway to chase the leaders in 10th after the initial strides of this debut. Rowed along at halfway, the 33-1 outsider was ridden to go fourth entering the final furlong and kept on strongly in the closing stages to prevail by a half-length from the deas-heaters Majestic Wave (GB) (Sergei Prokofiev) and Magnum Force (Ire) (Mehmas {Ire}). "He goes really well and I'm not surprised he won as we liked him, but I'm sorry I didn't back him when I saw his [33-1] price afterwards," said trainer Gavin Cromwell. "He was green and pulled up when he hit the front. He won with loads of horse left, it looked a nice race on paper and he could be very nice. I can't say I was confident or anything like that, but I would have been very disappointed if he wasn't bang there. I don't have a plan, so we'll get him home and we'll see." Diego Ventura is the third of four foals and second scorer from as many runners produced by a winning granddaughter of G1 Prix du Cadran heroine Mercalle (Fr) (Kaldoun {Fr}). The Marchfoaled bay is kin to a yearling colt by Sioux Nation. Sales history: €88,000 Ylg '23 GOFOR; €72,000 2yo '24 TATGOR. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$11,690.

O-J R Brennan & Kiva Cromwell; B-Sean Ronan & Caroline Hanly (IRE); T-Gavin Cromwell.

### **CONDITIONS RESULT:**

Naas, €17,000, Alw, 7-24, 3yo/up, 7fT, 1:29.88, yl.

POWER UNDER ME (IRE) (g, 6, Mehmas {Ire}--Oonagh {Ire}, by
Arakan) Lifetime Record: GSW-Ire, 21-6-3-2, \$183,553.

O-Vincent Gaul; B-Ms Barbel Reiss (IRE); T-G. M. Lyons.

\*€28,000 Wlg '18 GOFNOV.

### FRANCE

### **CONDITIONS RESULTS:**

**6th-Vichy,** €**15,000, Cond**, 7-24, 3yo, 10fT, 2:10.47, gd. SKADOOSH (FR) (g, 3, Birchwood {Ire}--Via Con Me {Fr}, by Big Bad Bob {Ire}) Lifetime Record: 20-2-1-2, €35,525. O-Mickael Macari, Mme Sylvie Pimbonnet & Anthony Pimbonnet; B-Barexi Equestrian (FR); T-Marc Pimbonnet.

### **ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**

Twenty Seven Jet (Fr), g, 3, Dariyan (Fr)--Peppermint (Ire), by Elusive City. Saint-Malo, 7-24, 12 1/2fT, 2:48.95. B-Mme Julie Mestrallet, ⊔ Negoce, Pierre-Alain Touchard & Robert Albigot (FR). \*€17,000 Ylg '22 ARQOCT.

Evergreen (Ire), c, 3, Night Of Thunder (Ire)--Steip Amach (Ire)

(MGSW-Ire & MG1SP-Fr, \$229,302), by Vocalised. Vichy, 7-24, 8fT, 1:40.40. B-Riviera Equine SARL, Haras d'Etreham, Johann Girod de l'Ain & Jean-Sven Grivel (IRE). \*€220,000 Ylg '22 ARAQUG.

After Midnight (Fr), f, 3, Teofilo (Ire)--All Stars (Ire), by Sea The Stars (Ire). Saint-Malo, 7-24, 12 1/2fT, 2:46.38. B-Thierry de la Heronniere (FR). \*€80,000 Ylg '22 ARQOCT.

### WORLDWIDE NEWS

### THE AUTUMN SUN TO MISS THE 2024 SH BREEDING SEASON, AS HE RECOVERS FROM A PELVIC INJURY

Champion and Group 1 sire **The Autumn Sun (Aus)** (Redoute's Choice {Aus}) will miss the 2024 Southern Hemisphere breeding season as he continues to recover from a pelvic injury, Arrowfield Stud announced on X.

"Leading young sire The Autumn Sun will miss the 2024 breeding season after sustaining a pelvic injury in his paddock in late March," the stud said in a statement. "He has been under close veterinary care and restricted to box rest at Arrowfield since that time. A scan earlier this week revealed his injury is healing but not to the extent necessary for him to be able to serve this coming season.

"The Autumn Sun is otherwise in good health and coping well with his recuperation. We are confident he will make a full recovery and resume stud duties in the 2025 season."

The five-time Group 1 winner, whose eldest foals will turn four on Aug. 1, already has six top-level performers to his name. The son of Azmiyna (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) also sired a trio of first-crop Group 1 Classic-winning fillies during the 2023/2024 racing season--Autumn Angel (Aus), Coco Sun (Aus), and Vibrant Sun (Aus).

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### Thursday, Leopardstown, Ireland, post time: 17:50

### **JOCKEY CLUB OF TURKEY SILVER FLASH S.-G3**, €30,000, 2yo, f, 7f 57y

SC	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Barnavara (Ire)	Calyx (GB)	Alpha Racing	Jessica Harrington	S Foley	128
2	Bedtime Story (Ire)	Frankel (GB)	Derrick Smith, Mrs John Magnier & Michael Tabor	Aidan O'Brien	R L Moore	128
3	Exactly (Ire)	Frankel (GB)	Derrick Smith, Mrs John Magnier & Michael Tabor	Aidan O'Brien	W M Lordan	128
4	Senna's Girl (Ire)	Arizona (Ire)	David L'Estrange & Diego Dias	Diego Dias	D E Sheehy	128
5	Varner (Ire)	Elzaam (Aus)	Peter Trainor & Giselle De Aguiar	Adrian Murray	J A Heffernan	128

Breeders: 1-Andriy Milovonov & Viktor Tymoshenko, 2-Coolmore, 3-Coolmore, 4-Minch Bloodstock, 5-Ballybin Stud Ltd & Patrick F Kelly

### Thursday, Leopardstown, Ireland, post time: 18:50

### **JAPAN RACING ASSOCIATION TYROS S.-G3**, €30,000, 2yo, 7f 32y

SC	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Beckman (Ire)	Beckford (GB)	Newtown Anner Stud Farm Ltd	Ger Lyons	C T Keane	131
2	Hotazhell (GB)	Too Darn Hot (GB)	Silverton Hill Partnership	Jessica Harrington	S Foley	131
3	Mano Chicago (Ire)	Study Of Man (Ire)	Samuel M Mencoff	Johnny Murtagh	B M Coen	131
4	Scorthy Champ (Ire)	Mehmas (Ire)	Rectory Road Holdings Ltd, Barry Fowler & Mrs A M O'Brien	Joseph O'Brien	D P McDonogh	131
5	Surpass (Ire)	Saxon Warrior (Jpn)	Derrick Smith, Mrs John Magnier & Michael Tabor	Aidan O'Brien	R L Moore	131
6	Swagman (Ger)	Wootton Bassett (GB)	Michael Tabor, Derrick Smith & Mrs John Magnier	Aidan O'Brien	W M Lordan	131

**Breeders:** 1-Newtown Anner Stud, 2-Blue Diamond Stud Farm (UK) Ltd, 3-Ballygallon Stud Ltd, 4-Healthy Wood Company Ltd, 5-James Wigan, 6-Gestut Brummerhof



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### EUROPEAN BLOODSTOCK NEWS EBF STAR S.-Listed, £40,000, 2yo, f, 7f 0y

SC	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Alla Stella (GB)	Study Of Man (Ire)	Kirsten Rausing	Sir Mark Prescott	Luke Morris	128
2	Anshoda (Ire)	Inns Of Court (Ire)	Mr Nawaf Almutairi	David Loughnane	Thomas Greatrex	128
3	Celestial Orbit (GB)	No Nay Never	Magnier's,Shanahan and MacLennan	Ollie Sangster	Jamie Spencer	128
4	Del Ray (GB)	Kameko	Qatar Racing Ltd	Archie Watson	Oisin Murphy	128
5	Dollyana (GB)	Land Force (Ire)	Mondial Racing & Mrs L Alexander	William Muir & Chris Grassick	Lewis Edmunds	128
6	Flaming Stone (GB)	Kingman (GB)	Juddmonte	Andrew Balding	William Buick	128
7	Jayvee (Ire)	Dandy Man (Ire)	Medallion, Aldabbagh & Weston	Brian Ellison	Ben Robinson	128
8	Jewel Of London (GB)	Lope De Vega (Ire)	Abdulla Al Mansoori	Richard Hannon	Sean Levey	128
9	Love Talk (Ire)	Ten Sovereigns (Ire)	Nick Bradley Racing 19 & Partner	Grant Tuer	Sam James	128
10	Santa Savana (GB)	Havana Grey (GB)	Whitsbury Manor Stud & Mrs M E Slade	Rod Millman	Rossa Ryan	128
11	The Terminus (Ire)	Too Darn Hot (GB)	King Power Racing Co Ltd	Sir Michael Stoute	Richard Kingscote	128

**Breeders:** 1-Kirsten Rausing, 2-Silk Fan Syndicate, 3-B V Sangster, 4-The An Ghalanta Partnership, 5-Mondial ESM Ltd, 6-Mrs Anita Wigan & Juddmonte Farms Ltd, 7-Airlie Stud & Mrs S M Rogers, 8-Filly Folly/Sweet Partnership/LDV Syndicate, 9-Glenvale Stud & Edgeridge Ltd, 10-Whitsbury Manor Stud & Mrs M E Slade, 11-King Power Racing Co Ltd

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