

TEENAGER RUAIRI KILMARTIN ENJOYS DREAM RESULT WITH DARK ANGEL FILLY AT TATTERSALLS



Fifteen-year-old Ruairi Kilmartin with lot 159, the Dark Angel (Ire) filly he sold for 70,000gns | Alayna Cullen

By Adam Houghton

NEWMARKET, England--Fifteen-year-old Ruairi Kilmartin was left speechless after his Dark Angel (Ire) filly--a mere €7,000 buy at the Goffs November Foal Sale--had provided him with a fairytale result when selling to Paul Corrigan for 70,000gns on the opening day of the Tattersalls Somerville Yearling Sale.

"No, never," an incredulous Kilmartin replied when asked whether he'd dared to dream of lot 159 making that sort of money. "I thought she'd make 20 or 30 grand, but that's exceeded my expectations. We were flat out there yesterday evening with 40 or 50 shows, and she had three vets, but I didn't know what would happen."

Certainly, few could have predicted what played out at Park Paddocks before an emotional Kilmartin watched his filly exit the sales ring, having achieved the sort of result that many involved in the game wait a whole lifetime for, often in vain.

But don't be fooled into thinking that this was a stroke of luck on Kilmartin's part. [Cont. p3](#)

SOUTHWELL GALLOP DETAILS EMERGE FOR CITY OF TROY

City Of Troy (Justify), a winner of the G1 Derby, G1 Eclipse Stakes, and G1 International Stakes this spring and summer, is still on target for a **Sept. 20 Southwell gallop**, trainer Aidan O'Brien revealed during the Irish Champions Festival media event at Ballydoyle on Monday. The colt is aiming for a start in the GI Breeders' Cup Classic at Del Mar on Nov. 2.

O'Brien said, "He can go a mile, probably with four or five other horses and we'll go a good, strong pace and see what will happen. He'll work out of American [starting] stalls, so we'll have it as close as we can [to a race]."

"Obviously we won't have the surface, but that's not a bad thing because we're coming off the grass and it's a little bit of a step in between, rather than the big jump straight away."

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*Kate Harrington's Loch Tay (GB) (**Bated Breath {GB}**) graduated at second asking at Roscommon on Monday. This is the family of G1 Prix Marcel Boussac heroine **Proportional (GB)**. | Racingfotos.com*

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*Irish Derby hero Los Angeles (Ire) (**Camelot {GB}**) is likely to take his chance in the G1 Irish Champion Stakes during Irish Champions Weekend for trainer Aidan O'Brien.*

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No, this was all down to a young man who showed cool, hard judgement well beyond his years when he first saw the filly as a foal, less than three weeks after her full-sister, Heritage House (Ire), had finished fourth in a Listed race at Newmarket.

"She was by Dark Angel and her dam was a half-sister to Mehmas, so it was all speed," Kilmartin said of his reasoning behind the initial €7,000 purchase. "I saw her full-sister was in training with James Fanshawe and that she'd finished fourth in a Listed race. I thought she'd go on and get more black type, and luckily she did."

The filly was consigned by Kilmartin's father, Dermot, under the name of his Kildallan Farm in Westmeath. This seemingly wasn't Ruairi's first time with a bit of his own skin in the game, but he was in no doubt that this topped anything he'd done previously--and he has no plans to stop here, either.

"I'll go buy a few more foals!" he said of what might become of his windfall. "I've had a leg or two in a few of my dad's breezers before now, but this is by far the best result--I'm delighted."

Equally delighted to get his hands on lot 159 was Corrigan, a big supporter of the Linda Perratt yard in South Lanarkshire. That is likely to be the ultimate destination for this filly after Corrigan secured her with an online bid, acting on the advice of another youngster with a big future in the shape of apprentice jockey Tommie Jakes.

"Tommie chose her," said Corrigan. "He rides a lot for us and his family became friends. His mum [Tonie] and dad [Jeremy] have had horses for a long time. They will look after her and break her, etc. before she most likely moves to Linda's yard. Tommie thought she had plenty of scope and she should be a nice horse in the making." [Cont. p4](#)



Lot 154, Monday's session topper was a filly by Starman | Tattersalls

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It's worth pointing out that direct statistical comparisons with last year are difficult with this being the first two-day edition of the Somerville Yearling Sale, but the clearance rate of 76% is likely to give the Tattersalls team cause of concern after the high of 89% in 2023. Of the 214 lots offered here on day one, 161 sold for an aggregate sum of 4,385,500gns. The average was 27,239gns and the median was 22,000gns.

No Place for Nurturing Talent Like Tally-Ho

The popularity of the first yearlings by July Cup winner Starman (GB) was a feature of the Doncaster Premier Yearling Sale. Out of the five highest-priced lots, he was responsible for two of them, helping him to an impressive average of £52,360 and an aggregate of £1,309,000 for 25 sold.

A few days later and it was a case of deja vu here at Park

Paddocks as Starman again made his presence felt with the top lot during this opening session, a half-sister to the G3 Palace House Stakes winner Seven Questions (Ire) (Kodiac {GB}) who was sold to Richard Ryan for 100,000gns. She was consigned by Tally-Ho Stud who stand the first-season sire.

Of the 12 Starman yearlings offered, eight sold at an average of 37,125gns and for a total of 297,000gns. It wasn't quite the fireworks of Doncaster but still took fair doing for a stallion who stood his first season in Mullingar at a fee of €17,500 in 2022.

"She is a lovely filly, the mare is proven, and she will be the first Teme Valley horse with Karl Burke," Ryan said of lot 154. "I have been looking for a nice horse for Karl for some time and she fits all the criteria. Karl

trained Boogie Time [another half-sister by Kodiac] and he felt this was a step up as an individual. She has a great mind and a lot to like with a fabulous walk." [Cont. p5](#)



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"I like the sire and I quite like them as a bunch," Ryan added of the stallion. "I think he has got every chance."

Starman is certainly in the right place to make a good fist of his second career, while there are seemingly worse places to be than Tally-Ho if you're a young person looking to make your way in the industry, too.

Indeed, look no further than young Ruairi Kilmartin, who

already has his next steps mapped out after spending some time under the wing of Tally-Ho's Roger O'Callaghan.

"I have been going around with Roger and he has been really helpful," Kilmartin added. "I expect I will end up at Tally-Ho Stud, although my dad tells me to stick to the books!"

Burns Doesn't Stick Around to Soak in the Acclamation

The O'Callaghans weren't the only Irish racing dynasty able to celebrate a good day's work.

Paddy Burns, who belongs to another family which has been heavily involved in this industry for several generations, with uncle Maurice the owner of Rathsker Stud near Naas, also came away from Tattersalls having landed a nice touch. That said, can it be called a good day's work when your Acclamation (GB) colt is the very first lot through the ring, allowing you to head for your ferry crossing at Holyhead around the time this scribe was still considering the breakfast options at Park Paddocks?

I jest, of course, but the 75,000gns it cost Oliver St Lawrence to secure lot 2 certainly put a spring in Burns's step as he embarked on the long journey home to Loughtown Stud, a result which came about after he bought the dam, Adelante (Fr) (Zoffany {Ire}) for 25,000gns at the 2020 Tattersalls December Mares Sale. [Cont. p6](#)

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"I bought the mare out of George Baker's yard," Burns said of that initial purchase. "She was a tough, consistent filly and I like Zoffany as a broodmare sire. Royal Applause has worked on the family before, so we went for the same sireline with this colt.

"Thankfully, he was very popular and a lot of great judges were very complimentary about him as a speedy, sharp-looking sort of colt. They followed through on that in the ring and Oliver, Fawzi [Nass] and the Victorious Racing team are very lucky and successful owners. Hopefully, this guy brings them more of the same."

Burns was a first-time consignor at the Somerville Yearling Sale, but he promised to be back—even if the early bird slot can't be guaranteed every time—while St Lawrence was busy trying to find another Bradsell (GB) (Tasleet {GB}) for the Victorious Racing team. Bradsell, of course, sold at this sale for just 12,000 guineas in 2021, before finding his way into the hands of his Bahraini owners after being bought by Blandford Bloodstock for £47,000 at the Goffs UK Breeze-up Sale.

On Monday three yearlings went the way of St Lawrence on their behalf for a total of 190,000gns, with the others including lot 163, Ballyvolane Stud's Ardad (Ire) colt who fetched 65,000gns.

Talking Points

- George Scott was one of the most active members of the training ranks at the sale as he signed for six lots in tandem with Billy Jackson-Stops, while Eve Johnson Houghton and Highflyer's Anthony Bromley were another formidable combination as they came away with six of their own. However, it was Clive Cox who arguably made the biggest statement as he went to 85,000gns to secure a Sands Of Mali (Fr) colt from the Barton Stud draft. Lot 200 was one of five purchases made by the Lambourn trainer for a total of 236,000gns.
- Philipp Stauffenberg was another first-time consignor at this year's Somerville Yearling Sale and, though his A'Ali (Ire) filly [lot 185] failed to find a buyer, it still proved a worthwhile venture as his other filly by Hello Youmzain (Fr) [lot 223] went the way of Highflyer for 68,000gns. Admittedly, breeding precocious, speedy two-year-olds isn't really in keeping with the German way of doing things, but the name Stauffenberg Bloodstock is always to be respected in this game, whatever the circumstances. It will be interesting to see whether the team follow up with further consignments at this sale in the years to come. [Cont. p7](#)

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- Last year a total of seven six-figure yearlings sold at this sale, so it's fair to say that there's work to be done on day two to at least match that feat after lot 154, the Starman (GB) filly, was the only one to reach that benchmark during this opening session. There's obviously no reason for the team at Tattersalls to panic just yet, with over 210 yearlings still to go through the ring on Tuesday, but they might have hoped to be a bit further ahead of the curve given the much bigger catalogue assembled for the first two-day edition of this sale.
- It wasn't just the top end of the market which seemed to suffer, either. The average for 161 lots sold on Monday was 27,239gns, while the median was 22,000gns. By way of comparison, the average at the end of last year's sale for 271 yearlings sold was 31,904gns. The median was 27,000gns.

Buy of the Day

There isn't much of lot 92, the Kessaar (Ire) colt offered by Ringfort Stud. Nor is there much to speak of when it comes to the race record of his dam, the Mehmas (Ire) mare Destacado (Ire), who retired as an 11-race maiden. However, dig a little deeper in the pedigree and there's enough there to suggest that he could prove a shrewd buy at just 5,000gns. This colt is Destacado's first foal, but she in turn is a half-sister to four-black type performers, including the Listed winners Redolent (Ire) (Redback {GB}) and Pepita (Ire) (Sir Prancealot {Ire})--the dam of last month's G2 Lowther Stakes heroine Celandine (GB) (Kingman {GB})--plus the G3 Albany Stakes third Illaunglass (Ire) (Red Clubs {Ire}). Every inch a two-year-old, lot 92 could be the type to emulate Pont Neuf (Ire) (Cotai Glory {GB}), who won one of the first juvenile races of the season after being picked up by the same team--Anthony Bromley of Highflyer and Eve Johnson Houghton--for 24,000gns at this sale 12 months ago.

job they did with their Ubettabelieveit (Ire) filly who went the way of Rabbah Bloodstock for 62,000gns. Successful pinhooks to report were otherwise in relatively short supply on the day, so it's worth shining a light on the story of lot 189, a mere 12,000gns purchase at last year's Tattersalls December Foal Sale. She was sold on that occasion by Mickley Stud who would still have been celebrating this result for their first-season sire who stands at a fee of just £5,000.

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SOMERVILLE SEPTEMBER YEARLING SALE

DAY 1

MONDAY'S TOP LOTS

<u>Lot</u>	<u>Sire Dam</u>	<u>Price (€)</u>
154 f	Starman (GB)--Get Up And Dance (GB) <i>Bred by Tally-Ho Stud (Ire)</i> <i>Consigned by Tally-Ho Stud</i> <i>Purchased by Richard Ryan</i>	100,000
200 c	Sands Of Mali (Fr)--Island Drive (Ire) <i>Bred by Rathbride Farm (Ire)</i> <i>Consigned by Barton Stud</i> <i>Purchased by Clive Cox Racing</i>	85,000
2 c	Acclamation (GB)--Adelante (Fr) <i>Bred by Loughtown Stud (Ire)</i> <i>Consigned by Loughtown Stud</i> <i>Purchased by Oliver St Lawrence Bloodstock</i>	75,000
224 c	Showcasing (GB)--La Puntalina (Ire) <i>(28,000gns RNA Wlg '23 TATDEC)</i> <i>Bred by Whistbury Manor Stud (GB)</i> <i>Consigned by Whistbury Manor Stud</i> <i>Purchased by J & A Young (Leicester)/Quirke Bloodstock</i>	75,000
90 c	Havana Grey (GB)--Deep Impression (Ire) <i>(52,000gns i/u '22 TATDEC)</i> <i>Bred by Pier House Stud (Ire)</i> <i>Consigned by Pier House Stud</i> <i>Purchased by Powerstown Stud</i>	72,000

THE GOLDEN TOUCH

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<u>Lot</u>	<u>Sex</u>	<u>Sire Dam</u>	<u>Price (gns)</u>
189 f		Ubettabelieveit (Ire)--Illies Memories (Ire) <i>Consigned by North Fordon Farm</i> <i>Purchased by Rabbah Bloodstock</i>	62,000

Ruairi Kilmartin would have been the obvious way to go, but the team at North Fordon Farm also deserve a mention for the

Toppers Cont.

174 f, Wootton Bassett (GB)--Helvezia (Ire) 72,000
 (27,000gns Wlg '23 TATDEC)
 Bred by Westerberg (Ire)
 Consigned by WH Bloodstock
 Purchased by SackvilleDonald/Tom Dascombe



Clive Cox & Peter Fahey | Tattersalls

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He added, “We’ll work the fastest horses we can and we’ll go very hard for the first half [of the gallop]. I don’t know what’s going to happen as any horse we’ve sent to Southwell has never worked well, they always just about finish with their lead horse and maybe this will be the same, I don’t know.”

Flawless at two with three wins including the G1 Dewhurst Stakes and G2 Superlative to his name from three starts, the bay made his 3-year-old bow when ninth in the G1 2000 Guineas at Newmarket. He’s visited the winner’s circle in each of his starts since, and made all of the running in the International Stakes at York on Aug. 21.




City Of Troy | Getty Images

“We were waiting to let him go forward, but we only wanted to let him do it before the Classic as while he was aggressive the last day, he’ll be more aggressive the next day,” he said.

“We didn’t want to do that until very late because of what happened in the Guineas. It just took a long time to get back and we had to do it very subtle without him knowing. We had to keep him moving forward, so it took us a long time to get back to [front-running] at York.

“Ryan (Moore) went forward at York, but it was still controlled aggression. I know him and the next day he will hit the gates and want to go.”

A victory in the Classic has proven elusive for O’Brien, who added, “We think what he did is going to set him up well for America. We’ve never won the Classic, we’ve tried very hard for 25 years and it’s a very difficult race to win.” **Cont. p9**



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SESSION TOTALS	2024
• Catalogued	234
• Number Offered	214
• Number Sold	161
• Not Sold	53
• Clearance Rate	76%
• High Price	100,000gns
• Gross	4,385,500gns
• Average (% change)	27,239gns
• Median (% change)	22,000gns

**Note, the sale was held over one day last year, so comparisons are unavailable.*



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City Of Troy Cont.

He said, "There's no doubt probably [he could be better as a 4-year-old], but he's unique and he's a different kind of a horse, so I'd imagine he'll have to go off to stud.

"He's just too different and from day one he was like that. He's a great shape--he's not too weak, he's not too small. He's perfectly proportioned and balanced and not extreme in any way."

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HOCK INJURY SIDELINES WHITE BIRCH FOR THE REST OF THE SEASON



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High-class older horse **White Birch (GB)** (Ulysses {Ire}) is set to miss the remainder of the season due to a hock injury, it was announced on Monday.

Trained by John Murphy, White Birch kicked off the campaign in the best possible fashion with three straight wins at the Curragh, notably gaining his first success at the top level when last seen beating Auguste Rodin by three lengths in the Tattersalls Gold Cup in May.

That performance identified him as potentially a leading player for the major middle-distance prizes during the summer, but he was subsequently ruled out of the Prince Of Wales's Stakes and Coral-Eclipse due to unsatisfactory blood results.

The Murphy team had hoped to get him back for the autumn and a tilt at next weekend's Irish Champion Stakes at Leopardstown, but those plans have now had to be shelved after this latest setback.

George Murphy, assistant to his father, said, "He's just strained his near hock and he has to have box rest for three to four weeks, so unfortunately that will rule him out.

"It's just bad timing and it's unfortunate, but we're looking

forward to him next year."

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LOS ANGELES LIKELY FOR IRISH CHAMPION, AS O'BRIEN REVEALS PLANS FOR STABLE STARS

Camelot (GB)'s **Los Angeles (Ire)** is likely to contest the G1 Irish Champion Stakes on Irish Champions Weekend alongside Aidan O'Brien stablemates **August Rodin (Ire)** (Deep Impact {Jpn}) and **Luxemborg (Ire)** (**Camelot {GB}**), O'Brien revealed on Monday. The master of Ballydoyle also outlined plans for other runners from his stable for the mid-September meeting.

Five-for-six in his young career, with a third in the G1 Derby followed by victories in the G1 Irish Derby and G2 Great Voltigeur Stakes in June and August, respectively, Los Angeles faces a tough ask in the 1 1/4-mile Leopardstown affair on Sept. 14. He is also entered in the G1 St Leger Stakes at Doncaster that same day.

"It looks like at the moment Los Angeles is going to run," said O'Brien. "We had it in our head going to York that we might go that way and that was the reason for doing it.

"We thought he's the kind of horse that could finish in the first three, four or five in a [Irish] Champion Stakes and could go onto an Arc. That's what we still think and if the ground got soft in France he'd have no problem with that.

"Obviously we were delighted with his run in York. We could go to the Leger with him, but we have three others [by Galileo {Ire}] that look like real Leger horses (Illinois {Ire}, Jan Brueghel {Ire} and Grosvenor Square {Ire}) that will get the trip very well and we didn't think that he needs to go that trip.

"It definitely won't do him any harm to run over a mile and a quarter and we'll learn a lot about him. He could be an Arc horse and I'd say there's no doubt he'll stay in training next year."

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Los Angeles | *Getty Images*

Los Angeles/O'Brien ICW Team Cont.

In 2023, Derby/Irish Derby winner Auguste Rodin used a win in the Irish Champion as a springboard to a thrilling victory in the G1 Breeders' Cup Turf. Although a winner of the G1 Prince Of Wales's Stakes at Royal Ascot in June, the 4-year-old is aiming for some redemption after a fifth-place run in the G1 King George VI and Queen Elizabeth Stakes last out on July 27. The G1 Japan Cup is the long term goal for the son of Deep Impact.

"He loves fast ground and his last bit of work was excellent, he showed a lot of zest in it," added O'Brien. "He went by his lead horse very easy, whereas usually he wouldn't at that stage of the work. He was very confident and it was a bit different.

"The plan is to go to Leopardstown and then go to Japan after it. We think he's a mile-and-a-quarter horse that gets a mile and a half, but he doesn't want any further than that. He's a very slick horse who travels very well and does everything very easy.

"If he [Auguste Rodin] runs I'd imagine Ryan will ride him. I suppose if the ground got soft everything might change, but I'd imagine he will ride him."

Another Irish Champion Stakes entrant is Luxembourg, who claimed the G1 Coronation Cup in May. The 5-year-old entire led for part of the King George before succumbing to the charge of Goliath (Ger) (Adlerflug {Ger}) and finishing sixth.

"Luxembourg is a very consistent, strong horse," said O'Brien. "He'll go forward--over a mile and a quarter he doesn't mind making the running and you have to follow him because he won't be stopping."

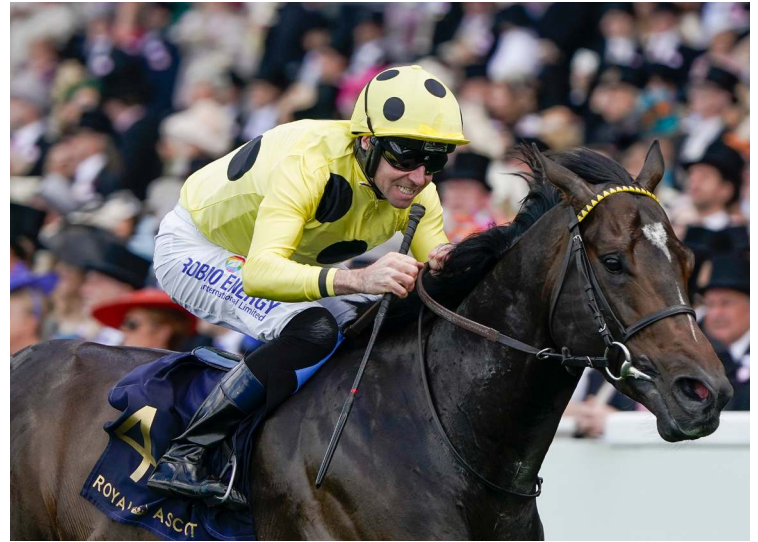
On the juvenile front, the unbeaten Railway/Futurity Stakes hero **Henri Matisse (Ire)** (**Wootton Bassett {GB}**) looms large in the G1 National Stakes, with G3 Acomb Stakes-winning stablemate **The Lion In Winter (Ire)** (**Sea The Stars {Ire}**) more likely for the Goffs Million on Sept. 28. Multiple group winner **Bedtime Story (Ire)**, a winner of all four of her starts, and **Lake Victoria (Ire)**, who sports a win in the G3 Sweet Solera Stakes, will represent **Frankel** in the G1 Moyglare Stud Stakes. The Cheveley Park Stakes is the aim for two-time Group 3 scorer **Fairy Godmother (Ire)** (Night Of Thunder {Ire}).

"That [National Stakes] was always the plan for Henri Matisse and the lads will decide whether the horse that won in York will run or not, but he's still there," said O'Brien. "If he doesn't go there he'll go to the Goffs. He's being kept on the boil for the National Stakes, but the plan is that he'll go to the Million."

Group 1 winner **Ylang Ylang (GB)** (**Frankel {GB}**) is on song to race in the G1 Matron Stakes, while standout stayer **Kyprios (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}) is aiming for his second consecutive G1 Irish St Leger. **Opera Singer (Justify)** is targeting the G1 Prix Vermeille in the hopes of enhancing her G1 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe credentials.

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SPRINT CUP FIELDS 21 RIVALS FOR INISHERIN AT LATEST ENTRY STAGE



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Group 1-winning sprinter **Inisherin (GB)** (Shamardal) faces 21 rivals in Saturday's G1 Betfair Sprint Cup at Haydock at the latest entry stage.

Trained by Kevin Ryan, the 3-year-old colt won the G3 Sandy Lane Stakes in the spring, before prevailing in the G1 Commonwealth Cup at Royal Ascot. Favoured for the G1 July Cup, he could only manage fifth, and has been benched since.

Mill Stream (Ire) (**Gleneagles {Ire}**), successful in that July Cup, was followed home by **Swingalong (Ire)** (Showcasing {GB}), who is trained by Karl Burke for Sheikh Juma Dalmook Al Maktoum.

Philip Robinson, assistant racing manager for the sheikh, said, "All is going well and it has been the plan for a while since she ran at Newmarket.

"She was beaten about a length and a half last year and I think she is at least two lengths better this year, so hopefully she will be thereabouts.

"It's the perfect race for her and one that has been on the cards for a long while."

Burke will also saddle G3 Prix de Meautry hero **Spycatcher (Ire)** (Vadamos {Fr}) and multiple group winner **Elite Status (GB)** (Havana Grey {GB}), with the latter also owned by Inisherin's owner Sheikh Mohammed Obaid.

There will be three contestants from William Haggas's Somerville Lodge, including Commonwealth Cup second **Lake Forest (GB)** (**No Nay Never**), G3 Chipchase Sxtakes victor **Motassib (GB)** (Exceed And Excel {Aus}) and Cheveley Park Stud's **Unequal Love (GB)** (Dutch Art {GB}). **Flora Of Bermuda (Ire)** (Dark Angel {Ire}) is a late addition to the Sprint Cup, and was supplemented at a cost of £20,000 on Monday. The Bermuda Racing Limited runner won the G3 Summer Stakes two starts ago. [Cont. p11](#)

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Other likely starters are Group 1 winner **Kinross (GB)** (**Kingman (GB)**), **Jasour (GB)** (Havana Grey {GB}), **Givemethebeatboys (Ire)** (Bungle Inthejungle {GB}), and **Shouldvebeenaring (GB)** (Havana Grey {GB}), who was a neck second in the 2023 edition.

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HIGHCLERE FILLIES TARGET GROUP 1S



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Believing (Ire) (Mehmas {Ire}), placed twice at the highest level, is in good order ahead of a start in the G1 Flying Five Stakes at the Curragh on Sept. 15, according to Highclere Thoroughbred Racing's Harry Herbert.

A winner of the G2 Sapphire Stakes over the minimum trip at the Curragh in July, the 4-year-old filly was third to Big Evs (Ire) (Blue Point {Ire}) in the G2 King George Stakes at Goodwood, before running fan favourite Bradsell (GB) (Tasleet {GB}) to three-quarters of a length in the G1 Nunthorpe Stakes on Aug. 23.

He said, "A wonderful performance and sensational splits through those last two furlongs so we head to the Curragh for the Flying Five, on a track where she won a Group 2 last time and hopefully she will be highly competitive again.

"She's an extraordinary animal and giving everyone a lot of fun, so we hope it doesn't get too soft over in Ireland and she can go one better.

"We'll see who turns up and what the ground is like and see what the final field for the Saturday looks like. Game on [for the rematch with Bradsell]. He's a wonderful horse, Bradsell, fantastic, and we weren't that far away on the wrong side.

"This is a straight five and hopefully we can get Ryan [Moore] again and Bradsell will obviously be a pretty warm favourite and we hope to go one better."

Last out G3 Prix de Lieurey heroine **Soprano (Ire)**

(**Starspangledbanner (Aus)**) is another Highclere filly hoping to make her mark at the highest level. Also slated for a start on Irish Champions Weekend in mid-September, the 3-year-old will start in the G1 Matron Stakes, all being well.

Herbert said, "She's thriving, she's fantastic and I think what we learned in France was very much that we won't be afraid to ride her prominently.

"She's had this little bit of a quirk where she's running free and then it's settle her down, settle her down at the back and in fact what she wants to be doing is be much more prominent.

"She seems to really enjoy that style of racing so in Ireland that will very much be the plan to ride her sensibly but don't give her too much to do."

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AMATEUR JOCKEY LAUREN KEEN-HAWKINS HOSPITALISED FOLLOWING FALL AT WORCESTER



Lauren Keen-Hawkins | Racingfotos.com

Amateur rider Lauren Keen-Hawkins sustained a major head injury in a fall at Worcester on Sunday and has been hospitalised in Birmingham, the Injured Jockeys Fund (IJF) announced on Monday.

The rider was aboard trainer Kim Bailey's Faerie Cutlass (GB) (Black Sam Bellamy {Ire}) in the last race of the day, a 2 1/2-mile handicap hurdle and was dislodged three flights from the winning post. Keen-Hawkins has a win aboard Dandy Dan (Ire) (Midnight Legend {GB}), as well as a second-place finish at Worcester in July to her credit.

In a statement released on Monday, the IJF said, "Amateur jockey Lauren Keen-Hawkins had a fall in the last race at Worcester Racecourse yesterday and was taken by ambulance to the Queen Elizabeth Hospital in Birmingham." [Cont. p12](#)

Lauren Keen-Hawkins Cont.

The statement continued, “Lauren has suffered a serious head injury and is now in critical care. Her parents and partner are with her and they kindly ask for privacy at this difficult time.”

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BHA GIVEN GOLD AWARD

A Gold Award, in recognition of their sustained support of the British Armed Forces community, was awarded to the British Horseracing Authority (BHA), the organisation announced on Monday.

The highest accolade available as part of the Armed Forces Covenant Employer Recognition scheme, the award is granted by the UK Government to employers who demonstrate exceptional commitment to those who serve and have served, including veterans, reservists and their families. The BHA has introduced a range of **measures** as part of their commitment to the armed forces community including bespoke advice and assistance programmes, flexible employment policies, additional leave to assist with training and deployment and a forces-friendly approach to recruitment. The BHA had signed the **Armed Forces Covenant** in October 2022.

BHA director of Legal, Governance and Business partners, Catherine Beloff, said, “We are immensely proud that less than two years after signing the Armed Forces Covenant we have achieved the highest accolade awarded by the Employer Recognition Scheme. Securing a Gold Award is a wonderful accomplishment and a testament to our collective efforts to strengthen the BHA’s valued relationship with the Armed Forces community.

“The BHA is committed to providing a welcoming and inclusive environment for all our colleagues and will continue to ensure that our employment policies recognise and reflect the unique skills, knowledge and experience that serving personnel, veterans and military families can bring to the organisation.”

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FIRST-SEASON SIRE WITH RUNNERS

Tuesday, September 3, 2024:

UNITED KINGDOM

Golden Horde (Ire) (Lethal Force {Ire}), Haras de Montfort et Preaux

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

15:05-SOUTHWELL, 6f, **Gold Black (Fr)**

€65,000 Arqana Deauville Yearling Sale V2 2023

Kameko (Kitten's Joy), Tweenhills Stud
87 foals of racing age/10 winners/1 black-type winner
14:35-CHEPSTOW, 8f, **Keep Singing (Ire)**
€3,500 Goffs Autumn Yearling Sale 2023

Pinatubo (Ire) (Shamardal), Dalham Hall Stud
109 foals of racing age/11 winners/0 black-type winners
15:30-GOODWOOD, 6f, **Lady Luzon (Ire)**
€80,000 Goffs Orby Yearling Sale (Book 1) 2023
15:30-GOODWOOD, 6f, **Leyhaimur (GB)**
100,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2023
15:13-CHEPSTOW, 5f, **Pearl of Windsor (GB)**
160,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2023

Sands of Mali (Fr) (Panis), Ballyhane Stud
98 foals of racing age/12 winners/1 black-type winner
17:10-NEWCASTLE, 7f, **Sands of Indi (Ire)**
€9,000 Goffs February Sale 2023; €45,000 Tattersalls Ireland
September Yearling 2023



Pinatubo | Darley

FRANCE

Far Above (Ire) (Farhh {GB}), Starfield Stud
83 foals of racing age/6 winners/0 black-type winners
2-CHANTILLY, 1300m, **Straighttothepoint (Ire)**
€7,000 RNA Goffs Orby Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2023

Stunning Spirit (GB) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}), Haras de Beaumont
17 foals of racing age/2 winners/0 black-type winners
2-CHANTILLY, 1300m, **Princess Spirit (Fr)**
€2,500 Arqana Deauville Nov. Yearling Sale 2023

Threat (Ire) (Footstepsinthesand {GB}), Haras du Mont Goubert
42 foals of racing age/2 winners/0 black-type winners
2-CHANTILLY, 1300m, **Lahomi (Fr)**

IRELAND

Pinatubo (Ire) (Shamardal), Dalham Hall Stud
109 foals of racing age/11 winners/0 black-type winners
2-GOWRAN PARK, 7f, **Zambales (GB)**

BRITAIN**Monday's Results:**

4th-Windsor, £30,000, Novice, 9-2, 2yo, 8f 31yT, 1:41.78, g/f.
SHRIMP SHADY (GB) (c, 2, Mastercraftsman {Ire}--Preveza {Fr}, by Dalakhani {Ire}), runner-up on debut at Kempton last month, tracked the leading duo early. Looming to Special Ghaiyyath (Ire) (Ghaiyyath {Ire}) a furlong out, the 5-4 favourite, who is currently the last known foal out of a daughter of the G1 Preis der Diana heroine Mystic Lips (Ger) (Generous {Ire}), stayed on to score by 2 1/2 lengths. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$23,961. O-Mr M W Pendarves; B-Porlock Vale Stud (GB); T-Andrew Balding.

3rd-Chepstow, £6,300, Novice, 9-2, 2yo, 5f 16yT, :58.61, gd.
LEXINGTON BLITZ (IRE) (c, 2, Invincible Spirit {Ire}--Broken Time {Ire}, by Iffraaj {GB}), who was penalised for his Windsor maiden win last month, quickly established a lead. Never in any danger, the 7-4 second favourite hit the line strong with five lengths to spare over Speed Of Maajid (GB) (Mayson {GB}). The winner is the third and currently last known foal out of a half-sister to the Listed Cathedral Stakes winner and G1 Jebel Hatta runner-up Eqtiraan (Ire) (Helmet {Aus}). The family features the triple Group 3 scorer Majestic Missile (Ire) (Royal Applause {GB}) and Democracy Dilemma (Ire) (Cotai Glory {GB}) who captured Staurday's Listed Beverley Bullet Sprint Stakes. Sales history: €50,000 Wlg '22 GOFNO1; €55,000 Ylg '23 GOFOR; €67,000 2yo '24 ARQBRU. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, \$9,791. O-Middleham Park Racing Liv; B-Troy & Joey Cullen & Irish National Stud (IRE); T-Robert Cowell.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

White Chapel Road (GB), c, 2, **Land Force (Ire)**--Ozone Kindly (GB), by **Sea The Stars (Ire)**. Brighton, 9-2, 6f 210yT, 1:23.42. Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-0, \$11,524. B-Stetchworth & Middle Park Studs Ltd (GB).

Miss Nightfall (GB), f, 2, **Sands Of Mali (Fr)**--Dusky Maid (Ire), by Dark Angel (Ire). Windsor, 9-2, 6f 12yT, 1:10.85. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-1, \$10,677. B-The Cool Silk Partnership (GB).

IRELAND**Monday's Results:**

1st-Roscommon, €25,000, Mdn, 9-2, 2yo, 7f 94yT, 1:36.11, sf.

LOCH TAY (GB) (c, 2, Bated Breath {GB}--Presiding Officer {GB}, by Beat Hollow {GB}), runner-up to The Parthenon (Ire) (Kingman {GB}) on debut over seven furlongs at Gowran Park in June, raced in a close-up second throughout the early stages. In front from the top of the straight, the 7-2 shot was green in front but was still able to draw away to score by 4 1/2 lengths from Majestic Wave (GB) (Sergei Prokofiev). "We gave him plenty of time after Gowran as he just kept growing on us, I think he's grown about two inches," Kate Harrington said. "He was only just ready to start back today and he did it nicely. I was very concerned about the ground and Shane [Foley] said he absolutely hated it, but his class got him through. He's a big, strong horse and he's got some nice entries for [Irish] Champions Weekend. We'll just see how he comes out of this and see whether we take them up or not." The unraced dam, whose filly foal is by Cotai Glory (GB), is a full-sister to the G1 Prix Marcel Boussac heroine Proportional (GB) and the G3 Park Express Stakes winner and G1 Irish 1,000 Guineas third Vote Often (GB). The family includes the GI E. P. Taylor Stakes heroine Folk Opera (Ire) (Singspiel {Ire}) and the G3 Gallinule Stakes winner Hannibal Barca (Ire) (Zoffany {Ire}). Sales history: 30,000gns RNA Ylg '23 TATOCT. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$19,899. O-Kate Harrington; B-Pursuit of Success LLC (GB); T-Jessica Harrington.

CONDITIONS RESULTS:

4th-Roscommon, €17,000, 9-2, 3yo/up, 10f 63yT, 2:18.95, sf.

VESTIGIA (IRE) (c, 3, Footstepsinthesand {GB}--Sciolina {Ire} {MSW-Ity, \$112,648}, by Oratorio {Ire}) Lifetime Record: 11-2-1-2, \$53,074. O-John Lavery; B-Coole House Farm Ltd. (IRE); T-Sheila Lavery. *€100,000 Ylg '22 TATIRY. **1/2 to Some Respect (Ire) (Gleneagles {Ire}), MSW & GSP-Ity, \$215,407; 1/2 to Erosandpsyche (Ire) (Sepoy {Aus}), G1SP-Ire, \$165,971.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Rosso (Ire), c, 3, **Camelot (GB)**--Egyptian Sky (Ire), by Fastnet Rock (Aus). Roscommon, 9-2, 12f 17yT, 2:47.12. Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-1, \$14,443. B-Barronstown Stud (IRE). *120,000gns Ylg '22 TATOCT. **1/2 to Solar Power (SAf) (Dynasty {SAf}), GSW-SAF.



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FRANCE

CONDITIONS RESULTS:

5th-Marseille-Borely, €27,000, 9-2, 3yo, 8 1/2fT, 1:43.09, g/s.
STUNNING ANGEL (FR) (f, 2, Stunning Spirit {GB}--Angel Islington {Ire}, by Dark Angel {Ire}) Lifetime Record: 8-2-1-1, €45,550. O-Gousserie Racing & Guillaume Luyckx; B-Gousserie Racing & Mme P Chehboub (FR); T-Remi Fradet.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Shooting (Fr), c, 2, **Chachnak (Fr)**--Shutka (Fr), by **Holy Roman Emperor (Ire)**. Marseille-Borely, 9-2, 9fT, 1:49.91. B-J P J Dubois (FR).

Iowa City (Fr), f, 2, **Territories (Ire)**--Iowa Falls (GB), by Dansili (GB). Marseille-Borely, 9-2, 9fT, 1:52.63. B-Mme L Lemiere Dubois (FR).

Nobleman (Fr), c, 3, **French Fifteen (Fr)**--Courtesy (Fr), by **Siyouni (Fr)**. Marseille-Borely, 9-2, 8 1/2fT, 1:43.10. B-JBS Invest NV (FR).

WORLDWIDE NEWS

NEW MEMBERSHIPS LAUNCHED BY DUBAI RACING CLUB

A trio of new memberships offering enhanced access to the horseracing action at Meydan Racecourse for the 2024-2025 Dubai Racing Carnival, were announced by the Dubai Racing Club (DRC) on Monday. The Dubai Racing Carnival begins on Friday, Nov. 8.

The Dubai Racing Club membership gives patrons access to the Parade Ring Lounge for all 16 Dubai Racing Carnival meetings, as well as a range of exclusive benefits. Rewards include complimentary food and house beverages, 10 entries to the DRC draw, valet parking and invitation to the Dubai World Cup post position gala in April. Members will also receive a complimentary desert ride at Emirates Equestrian Centre and discounts off guest admission to the races. It is priced at AED4,795.

The general public season pass also gives entry to the DRC draw and Dubai World Cup meeting, while the trackside season pass encompasses complimentary self-parking in the VIP Zone, plus discounts on food, beverage and merchandise. The general



Race goers line the edge of the parade ring at Meydan
Dubai Racing Club

public season pass is priced at AED70, while the trackside season pass is AED730.

Ali Al Ali, board member and CEO of the DRC, said, "Our loyal fans are a huge part of what makes Meydan Racecourse such a special place and we are looking forward to welcoming them back for an exciting 2024-5 Dubai Racing Carnival.

"To help bring racegoers even closer to the action we have launched three new membership options: DRC membership; the general public season pass and the trackside season pass. We recognise the importance of providing membership levels that suit everyone, from families who want to enjoy a fun evening out, our avid horseracing fans and to those who wish to visit for our unique hospitality."

For more details, or to reserve your membership, please visit [the DRC website](#).

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Tattersalls Somerville Yearling Sale - Day 2

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237	C	Nando Parrado x Le Freak	22,000	GONO1	JRSA
244	F	Ubettabelieveit x Lilbourne Lass	13,500	TADEF	Florence Cain
246	C	Kodi Bear x Little Miss Lilly	15,000	GOFEB	Mcculloch BS Partnership
252	C	Saxon Warrior x Luang Prabang	50,000	TADEF	Vendor
257	C	Kodi Bear x Magie Rouge	7,500	ARDEC	Malcom Imray
258	F	A'Ali x Made A Million	11,000	TADEF	SFB2 Invest/Capucines BS
264	C	Havana Grey x Marigay's Magic	60,000	TADEF	Robinstown Farm
275	C	Kodi Bear x Mickleberry	3,000	GONO1	Gillon BS
280	F	Lope Y Fernandez x Miss Bunter	15,000	TADEF	LB BS
281	C	Cotai Glory x Miss Moody	20,000	GOFEB	LH BS
282	F	Ubettabelieveit x Miss Roulette	15,000	TADEF	Paula Flannery
285	F	Sioux Nation x Moment In The Sun	9,000	GONO1	KS BS
286	C	Bangkok x Money Tree	8,000	TADEF	Eva O'Neill
297	C	Mohaather x Nanjizal	28,000	TADEF	Tally-Ho Stud
298	F	Havana Grey x Nantosuelta	16,000	TADEF	Noah McCain-Mitchell
300	F	Havana Grey x Napping	38,000	GOFEB	ST BS
302	C	Harry Angel x Nawaady	18,000	GONO1	Sarah-Louise Kinahan
304	C	King of Change x Nefetari	5,000	TINOF	Culworth Grounds Farm
305	F	Lope Y Fernandez x Nushafreen	15,000	TADEF	S T BS
311	C	Twilight Son x Oppressive	5,500	TADEF	Billy Big BS
316	C	City Light x Oystermouth	5,500	ARDEC	Pegasus BS
318	F	Sergei Prokofiev x Papaya	5,000	TADEF	Gordon Cosburn
319	C	Space Blues x Parisienne Ways	33,000	GOFEB	Tally Ho
322	F	Showcasing x Passefontaine	52,000	TADEF	Whitsbury Manor Stud
323	C	Starman x Pavlopetri	10,000	GONO1	Macaw BS (PS)
325	C	Zoustar x Peaceful Dream	31,000	TADEF	Manister House Stud
326	C	Lope Y Fernandez x Peak Spirit	6,000	TADEF	Healey / Csaba (P.S.)
328	F	Sioux Nation x Perfectimperfection	20,000	TINOF	Hegarty BS
330	C	Showcasing x Perfect Sunset	25,000	GONO1	Vendor

334	F	Without Parole x Petits Fours	5,000	TADEF	Tower House BS
340	C	Ardad x Powerful Dream	32,000	TADEF	Oaks Farm Stables
343	C	Phoenix of Spain x Princess Gold	18,000	GONO1	J B BS (PS)
346	F	Kodi Bear x Puff Pastry	25,000	GONO1	Finn Kent
347	F	Territories x Quandreviendrastu	12,000	TADEF	Culworth Grounds Farm
348	C	Supremacy x Queen Amidala	15,000	TADEF	Yeomanstown Stud
351	F	Nando Parrado x Queen of The Tarts	9,000	GONO1	The Bridge Stud
354	C	Kodiac x Raaiqah	25,000	GONO1	TPB BS
358	F	Golden Horde x Rastaba	32,000	GONO1	Drumhill Stud
362	C	Mohaather x Reprieval	10,000	TADEF	Vendor
371	C	Acclamation x Saecula Saeculorum	42,000	TADEF	Vendor
374	F	Space Blues x Samuna	12,000	GONO1	Gillon BS
377	C	Sea The Moon x Sated	32,000	TADEF	Drumhill Stud
378	F	Camelot x Savannah Spirit	8,000	TAOMY	Troy Steve BS Ltd
383	C	Lope Y Fernandez x Shaiydana	8,500	TADEF	WSF BS
384	C	Territories x Shatha	10,000	TADEF	Pegasus
387	C	Blue Point x She Can Dance	38,000	GONO1	Evergreen BS
388	C	Lucky Vega x She's Complete	19,000	GONO1	Kevin Quinn
390	C	Toronado x Shoyd	10,000	ARDEC	Pegasus BS
395	F	Starman x Single Thought	22,000	GONO1	Riverside BS
396	F	Gleneagles x Skytree	19,000	TADEF	Vendor
398	C	Oasis Dream x Snake's Head	25,000	TADEF	Racing BS
400	C	Dream Ahead x So Claire	8,000	TADEF	Vendor
405	C	Caravaggio x Spatial	20,000	KENOV	Cavalier Bloodstock
407	F	Ardad x Spicy Dal	11,000	TADEF	Elody Swann
411	C	Aclaim x Spirit Ranger	10,000	TADEF	Go Racing BS
416	C	Coulsty x Star Studded	13,000	GONO1	Weir View Stud
417	C	Ubettabelieveit x Starbotton	5,000	TADEF	Stewart Perkins
418	C	Space Blues x Stay Forever	50,000	TADEF	Jeremy Brummitt
420	C	Galiway x Stormyra	51,000	ARDEC	Peter & Ross Doyle BS
424	C	Dark Angel x Summer Dream	40,000	GONO1	Grangemore Stud
426	F	Kodi Bear x Sunflower	3,500	TADEF	J Robinson/Tennyson Stud
432	F	Ubettabelieveit x Tattenhams	3,250	TADEF	Jude BS (P.S.)
433	F	Sioux Nation x Temeraire	34,000	GOFEB	Manister House Stud

434	C	Dream Ahead x Tequila Royale	2,000	TADEF	Vendor
442	C	Arizona x Tralong Rock	28,000	GONO1	Castlehyde Stud
446	C	Sergei Prokofiev x Tulip Dress	6,000	TADEF	Richard Gallagher
452	C	Hello Youmzain x Vega Sicilia	10,000	ARDEC	C&S BS (PS)
453	C	Cotai Glory x Very Good	13,000	GONO1	Thomas Monaghan
459	F	Sioux Nation x Volcanic Lady	10,000	GONO1	RSL (PS)
463	C	Nando Parrado x Wittgenstein	26,000	GONO1	Loughmore Stables

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'RISING STAR' CHANCER MCPATRICK SWEEPS TO VICTORY IN HOPEFUL



Chancer McPatrick (outside) besting Ferocious | Sarah Andrew

by Christina Bossinakis

In what turned out to be the battle of the TDN Rising Stars, it was **Chancer McPatrick (McKinzie)** who, despite a problematic start, came on late to outgun **Ferocious** (Flatter) in Saratoga's closing day marquee juvenile test, the GI Hopeful Stakes.

"When it's meant to be, it's meant to be," said rider Flavien Prat, who was winning his seventh Grade I race of the meet. "The break was pretty bad and I never thought from there I could regroup. He did it and he showed that he's very talented."

The victory gave Prat his 14th graded victory of the meet--also his third on Monday's card--and the fifth win of the afternoon for red-hot trainer Chad Brown, who ended the meet with six Grade I victories and 45 wins overall.

"It means the world. My team works so hard--the clients and horses we have to work with--it's just a magical meet," said Brown of his 2024 Saratoga meet. "It's a meet for the ages, and I don't know how myself or anyone else could replicate this. It seems impossible. It all came together with a very strong, diverse group of horses. My team showed off their talents to be able to train any kind of horse--different ages, surfaces, distances. They showed when given the right horses to work with, they can certainly get them there. I'm proud of them and proud of the horses." **Cont. p3**

SARATOGA SEASON WRAPS UP ON A HIGH

by Mike Kane

SARATOGA SPRINGS, N.Y. - In a summer like no other at Saratoga Race Course --words that are appropriate most every year--which concluded Monday, there was noteworthy change that blended nicely into the tradition that make America's most important race meet so popular. To wit:

- A year ago, the main story of the meet, was the number of catastrophic injuries - 14 - which horses suffered in training and competition. With even more strict safety measures in place, there was single racing fatality and one in training during the meeting.
- Though it technically was not part of the Saratoga season, the Belmont Stakes at Saratoga Festival, June 6-9, held upstate for the first time due to the reconstruction of Belmont Park, kicked off racing at the earliest date in the oh-so long history of the sport in the city. The New York Racing Association returned to Aqueduct for a month before the summer meet launch on July 11. **Cont. p6**



D. Wayne Lukas celebrated his 89th birthday with a win on Saratoga's closing day Sept. 2 | Sarah Andrew

IN TDN EUROPE TODAY

STARMAN FILLY SHINES DURING FIRST DAY OF TATTERSALLS SOMERVILLE SALE

A filly by first-season sire Starman (GB) brought a session-topping 100,000gns during the first day of the Tattersalls Somerville Sale on Monday. Adam Houghton reports from Park Paddocks.

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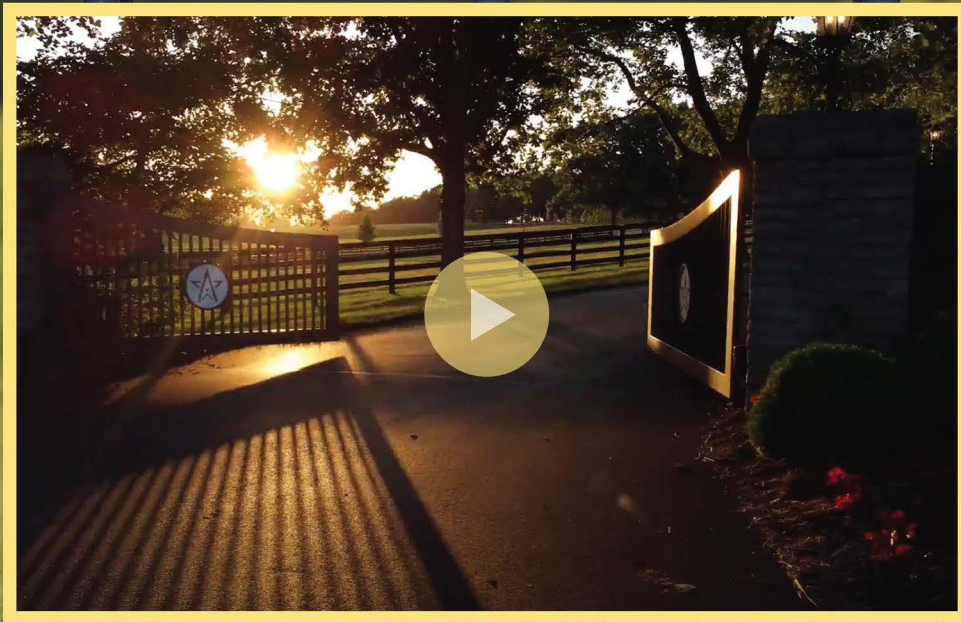
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Breaking like a shot, **Smoken Wicked** (Bobby's Wicked One)

raced to the front as a slow-starting Chancer McPatrick dropped to the back through an initial quarter mile in :22.76. Joined by **Mentee** (**City of Light**) up front, Smoken Wicked rushed through a half in :45.70 as 3-5 choice Ferocious, a \$1.3 million OBS March purchase, surveyed the pace just over a length behind. With several lengths to make up on the leaders leaving the quarter pole, Chancer McPatrick was no less than seven paths wide turning for home, but seemed to have the greatest

momentum straightening for home. With Smoken Wicked fighting desperately up front and Mentee beginning his retreat, it was Chad Brown's duo of **Incentive Play** (**Volatile**), inching closer on the inside, and Chancer McPatrick mounting his own rally down the center of the track. Hooking Ferocious to his

inside hip midway through the stretch, the Flanagan Racing colt swept to the front in the final sixteenth, crossing the wire a half-length ahead of the favorite.

Stablemate Incentive Play was 1 3/4 lengths back in third, with Smoken Wicked a length back in fourth. It was a long way back to the rest of the field.

"I hit the gate, lost my stirrups. It was pretty bad. The first jump he went right into the starting gate," explained Prat, who was also winning his 18th stakes race of the Saratoga season. "From there, I regrouped. I was obviously behind. I gave him a chance and when I tipped him out, he just made a great run like he did the first time."

"The way he broke, lost so much ground, I was basically trying to give him a good race and see if he would make a run," he said. "I got to the three-eighths pole and I found I had horse underneath me--I was like, 'Wow, I'll have him a chance,' and he responded right away."



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ON SATURDAY...

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Another to note, recent **Saratoga Skidmore Stakes** winner **Out On Bail** holds the **GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Turf Sprint** at **Del Mar** as an end of season target.

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Up in the stands, Brown shared Prat's concern moments after the break.

"I was concerned that he didn't get away from the gate as well as I hoped, and he was very far behind," he admitted. "When I started to see how fast they were going, I did have some hope on the turn—he started to follow my other horse midway through the race. When he got closer to him, I felt better. But man, what a run and what a finish."

Closing from way out of it in his career debut at Saratoga July 27, the \$725,000 OBS April juvenile purchase ran a similar race to Monday's victory, appearing almost disinterested in the early going, racing well wide before igniting down the lane to win by a respectable if not flashy margin. However, what he lacked in sparkle that day, he more than up for in substance with the one-length victory, earning the TDN Rising Star distinction in the process.

Involved in horse ownership for about five years, Sean Flanagan also achieved a milestone of his own, winning his first race at the Grade I level.



Chancer McPatrick, the first GISW for McKinzie | Sarah Andrew

"Chad was supremely confident and you can kind of tell when he knows," he said. "When he knows, he knows. He came into the paddock and he was all pumped. He said, 'we're on a roll, you know. I think we're going to get this done.' Son of a gun, didn't he ever."

As for Brown's third-place finisher, campaigned by Klaravich, the meet-leading trainer added, "Really brave. I know he dove inside. He won that way in his debut and it worked. I'm not so sure that

was where you wanted to be today, and Joel [Rosario] indicated that in hindsight exiting the race."

"I'm still very high on that horse. He might have went down to a part of the track that might have been just a little bit deeper down there today."

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Gustavo Delgado Jr., assistant and son of trainer Gustavo Delgado, was pragmatic about Ferocious's game runner-up finish.

"He seemed to be a little bit distracted. When the winner passed him by, he got engaged in the race," he said. "On the gallop out, he passed the winner again. They are learning what to do and he will get better with races. It's always a concern, especially when they come from a win like that first time, you can't expect that they now know everything--it's not like that. They're still learning every race and expectation is there for all of them--but it was still a huge race.

Despite his colt's bang-up effort, the race wasn't without its hiccups.

"He lost his left front shoe in the race," he confirmed. "But on the gallop out you could tell the horse is there, the finesse is there, it's just experience."

Of the narrowly beaten favorite--a sparkling 7 3/4-length winner in his Spa debut Aug. 3--the meet-leading Irad Ortiz Jr. added, "He didn't really give it to me [kicking in] until that horse [Chancer McPatrick] got close to me. When that horse get outside of me, he turned his engine on. He was fighting back and he ran a really good race. I had a good trip. I got run down by that one, but he was fighting back so I'm happy with him."

According to Brown, the 1 1/16-mile GI Breeders' Futurity on Oct. 5 at Keeneland and the one-mile GI Champagne Stakes on the same day at Belmont at the Big A, both "Win and You're In" qualifiers for the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile, are both among possibilities for his Hopeful runners.

"I don't know," he said when asked what he anticipated would be their ultimate juvenile starts. "The Champagne and Breeders' Futurity are the two races that were really on my radar if they had run well, so I'll talk to both owners and see how they come out and what track I think fits who."

Pedigree Notes:

Chancer McPatrick, the first TDN Rising Star for his freshman sire **McKinzie**, also became the sire's first career Grade I winner. The four-time Grade I-winning stallion stands for \$30,000 at Gainesway in Lexington.

A daughter of GI Alcibiades Stakes winner Dream Empress (Berstein), 10-year-old Bernadreamy produced a colt by **Liam's Map** in 2023. With no reported foal this season, she was bred back to **Elite Power**.

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O-Flanagan Racing; B-Rigney Racing, LLC (KY); T-Chad C.

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Saratoga Wraps, cont. from p1

- A second Belmont Stakes at Saratoga Festival will take place next June and if NYRA receives approval from its board and the state, it may conclude its Belmont-at-Aqueduct meet at Saratoga on the Fourth of July weekend.
- Despite the loss of a full program on Aug. 9 that was cancelled because of heavy rain from Tropical Storm Debby, and all four grass races on the Aug. 3 Whitney Day program, the second-biggest day of the season, NYRA's attendance and handle were a near match to the 2023 totals. The handle of \$803,806,964 was up nearly one percent from last year's \$799,229,288. Total paid attendance surpassed 1 million again, but was down a small fraction from 2023.
- During the rainy 2023 season, NYRA moved 65 races off the turf. This year, 44 were moved.
- With a remarkable performance, trainer Chad Brown won his fourth-straight title and seventh overall. His 45 wins doubled the runners-up, Mike Maker and Todd Pletcher and was one short of the record he set in 2018.
- Irad Ortiz, Jr. captured his third-consecutive riding title and sixth overall with 52 victories.
- Klaravich Stables, one of Brown's principal clients, retained is owner's title with 18 wins from 61 starts.

- Saratoga's marquee race, the \$1.25 million Travers Stakes on Aug. 24, more than lived up to lofty expectations. In a dramatic finish, Fierceness (**City of Light**) held off the filly star Thorpedo Anna (Fast Anna) in what turned into a showdown of the leaders of the 3-year-old divisions.
- Jockey Flavien Prat smashed the meet record for stakes victories with 18 and finished second to Ortiz, Jr. with 45 wins. The previous stakes record of 15 was shared by Joel Rosario, Ortiz, Jr. and John Velazquez. Forty percent of Prat's wins were in stakes.
- Hall of Fame trainer D. Wayne Lukas, who had a frustrating season, received a gift on his 89th birthday on Monday's card with a victory in the first race. It was his 266th Saratoga victory, fifth all-time.

NYRA president David O'Rourke said that the combination of the calendar and staging of the Belmont Stakes appeared to have some impact on the way the way the season unfolded in its opening weeks

"It's a unique year with the Belmont being here," he said. "It's one of the early Labor Day years, and next year will be even more so. So we had a little bit more in July. Could there have been a little bit of a demand pull forward from Belmont? Yeah, probably."

Still, the stats were strong and grew as the season progressed. "When I was looking at the attendance numbers, and I probably heard it more than the reality of what the data says, we weren't really off that much. It seemed like the weekends were possibly even a little stronger. Across Union Ave. from the main gate, King's Tavern co-owner Jason Fitch said he noticed a Belmont Stakes-related change of atmosphere.

"It was definitely a different feel this year," Fitch said. "I not saying that the Belmont stole the thunder, but our opening weekend usually feels like a celebration. Everyone is excited. There's a buzz around town, but talking to a lot of locals, and our staff, that quote, unquote buzz, wasn't really as powerful as it usually is for opening weekend. I don't think we really felt the excitement until it was probably Whitney weekend, two or three weeks in."

That said, Fitch noted business at King's and the City Tavern, which he co-owns with his brothers, was strong throughout the summer.

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Angel Cordero Jr. presenting meet-leading jockey Irad Ortiz Jr. with trophy | Sarah Andrew

O'Rourke said moving some of the Belmont Park events upstate is a novelty that is temporary and definitely not a long-term plan.

"Scarcity is really something that drives demand and interest," he said. "We need to leverage Saratoga for the Belmont specifically, while we rebuild the Belmont plant. I think what we're doing now in terms of vibe, Saratoga is a great vibe. It was hot in the beginning, it rained in the middle, and it's been beautiful for the last few weeks. I think the racing has been excellent. The Travers was one of the cooler ones that I've experienced."

Saratoga's safety turnaround from one season to the next is dramatic. The one racing fatality occurred on the grass in the GIII Saranac Stakes on Aug. 30. According to NYRA stats, 2,879 horses had competed in 369 races at Saratoga before The Big Torpedo was injured.

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"That's a credit to Dr. Sarah and her staff. I think is evidenced by industry-wide numbers, racing is moving in the right direction. The results are in the stats."

Dr. Sarah Hinchliffe is the Director of the NYRA Veterinary Dept., which is staffed by 10 veterinarians and two veterinary technicians.

"Safety is something that every stakeholder in the game has leaned into," O'Rourke said. "We'll get asked about the tracks all the time, but it's the vets and most importantly, the trainers, who care for the horses. Everyone's leaned in, everyone's on board, and we're seeing positive things."

As part of its safety program, NYRA took races off the grass early in the season, which helped preserve the courses for heavy use in the last couple of weeks. Rather than move some grass stakes to the dirt due to rain it postponed them a week.

Brown grew up in nearby Mechanicville and developed his interest in racing during family visits to the track. He won with his very first Saratoga starter, Star Player (Tale of the Cat) in the first race on the opening day of the 2008 season. He won his first meet title in 2016.

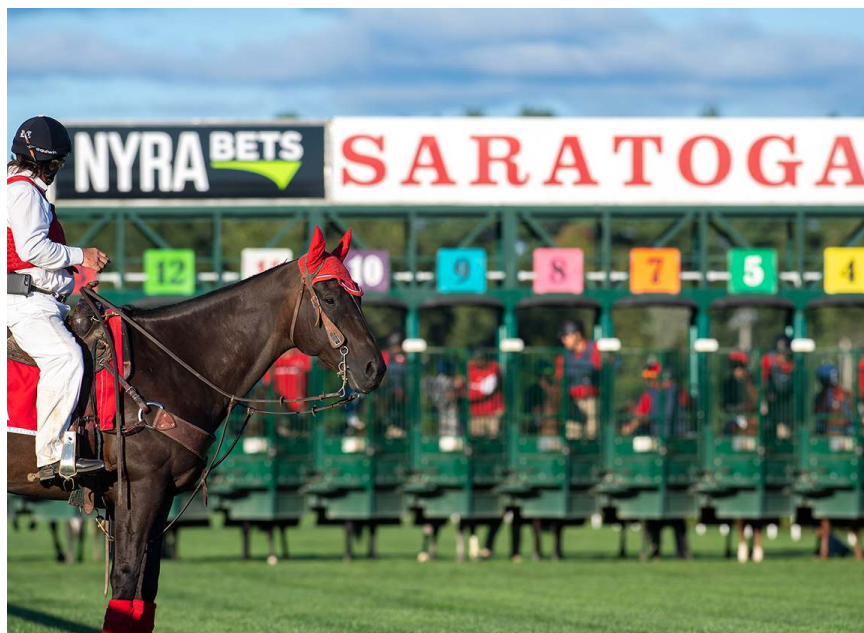
This summer, Brown won six Grade I stakes--Diana, Fourstardave, H. Allen Jerkens Memorial, Personal Ensign, Test and Hopeful--and a total of 13 graded stakes.

"It's definitely the best meet we've ever had," Brown said. "When it's all said and done, there may be a meet or two that we've won a couple more races, but we've never had a meet with this many important wins. Just the quality of races, the diversity of the races, just so many big races.

"I honestly didn't see it coming. I thought we'd have a solid meet, but not really a meet for the ages, which this was. For me, or any stable, it would be hard to the top a meet with this much quality, this many quality wins at the top end."

Brown credited his team and had his assistants hold the championship trophy at the presentation following the fifth race.

Prat had a Saratoga season to remember with this record for stakes. He won seven GI races, five of them for Brown. Thorpedo Anna was a very big story at the meet. Despite a poor start



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she easily won the GI Coaching Club American Oaks. Rather than run the three-time Grade I winner back in the GI Alabama against fillies, trainer and co-owner Kenny McPeek decided to try her against males in the Travers. She and Fierceness put on quite a show and McPeek said she came out of the race fine. "She's freaking amazing," he said. "She shines like a new penny.

She's eaten up every night."

McPeek said that Thorpedo Anna will stay in Saratoga to prepare for the GI Cotillion at Parx on Sept. 21 and probably will return to Saratoga afterward to get ready for the GI Breeders' Cup Distaff.

Fierceness entered the meet as a big question mark for Pletcher and Repole Stable. He won the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile and was the 2-year-old champion last year.

His victory in the GI Florida made him the favorite for the GI Kentucky Derby. He ended up 15th, beaten two-dozen lengths. Pletcher decided not to run him in the GI Belmont Stakes and brought him back on July 27 in the GI Jim Dandy, which he won by a length. Pletcher scuttled his original plan to skip the Travers and Fierceness jumped back into contention for another title with his win by a head.

"Anytime you fortunate enough to win the Travers," Pletcher said, "it's a good Saratoga."

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"ONE STEP AT A TIME, BABY STEPS": BAFFERT ON THE RETURN OF MUTH



Muth returning a winner in last weekend's Shared Belief Stakes
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GI Arkansas Derby winner **Muth** (*Good Magic*) marked his return to the races Sunday with a victory in the Shared Belief Stakes at Del Mar.

Checking off the initial box on his road back, the \$2 million OBS March topper is now poised to take the next step on the road to this fall's Breeders' Cup, which will be held at Del Mar Nov. 4-5.

"He's always been a really smart horse," said trainer Bob Baffert. "You can place him wherever you want to. He had to move a little earlier because my other horse [Imagination] was breathing down his neck [in the Shared Belief]. It's good see him back off that long layoff. Now we can point for the California Crown."

The new GI California Crown, formerly the Awesome Again, will be run at Santa Anita on Sept. 28. The nine-furlong test is worth \$1 million and is a "Win and You're In" for the Classic.

Precluded from running in the Kentucky Derby due his trainer's ineligibility, the Zedan Racing colt was knocked out of the GI Preakness Stakes due to illness.

"It was so disappointing to have him ready for the Preakness then he gets sick," Baffert recalls. "Something I was always worried about throughout my career, that these big horses would get sick. During the Triple Crown with [American] 'Pharoah' and *Justify* I went all those years and finally it hits. I think that's what every trainer worries about is sickness. When they get sick and they're travelling, that's why it hit him so hard."

Muth broke his maiden first out and then ran second in last year's GIII Best Pal Stakes, followed by a win in the GI *American Pharoah* Stakes at Santa Anita and a runner-up finish to Fierceness in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile. He started this year with victories in the GII San Vicente and Arkansas Derby before falling ill in May.

"That was a really tough race," Baffert noted of this weekend's Shared Belief. "There were some good 3-year-olds. It was like a Grade II race. There are no easy spots down here at Del Mar. All of them are going to be tough."

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TODAY'S FEATURED REPLAY

TDN Rising Star Chancer McPatrick (by *McKinzie*) remains undefeated with GI *Hopeful* win on Saratoga's closing day card.
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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

A UNIQUE OPPORTUNITY*by Suzi Pritchard-Jones*

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Last week, the 40th Asian Racing Conference took place in Sapporo, Japan. You may ask what relevance that has for anyone with horses in Continental America or Europe? The answer is many owners and trainers today play on the global stage. As an extremely small owner and breeder, even I have horses in the U.S., Ireland, England, France, and fractional ownership in Australia. And what do we all do first thing every morning? Read the *Thoroughbred Daily News*, and many listen to the Nick Luck Daily Podcast. In doing so, we have a rough oversight of what is happening in our industry on a daily basis. Sometimes word filters via 'bush telegraph' from countries outside the U.S. long before it ever hits media sources.

I'm sure there are perhaps other industries as globally connected, but I can guarantee not to the same extent, and this makes this industry unique. The connectivity of the Thoroughbred industry affords us the opportunity to manage information, to market, to publicize, to promote any message. Do we recognize this? Do we utilize this? NO. Why? Because we are all too siloed, too busy paddling our own canoes, too fractionalized to work together for the greater good of our sport and business.

The chairman of the Asian Racing Federation, Winfried Engelbrecht-Bresges, spoke of racing's social licence and "the challenge of how we as an industry are seen by people who are not in racing." The International Forum for the Aftercare of Racehorses (IFAR), whose one-day conference preceded the Asian Racing Conference, did much to place the topic of

aftercare on the minds of those in the corridors of power of racing jurisdictions around the world.

There has been too much bad press on the subject on what happens to Thoroughbreds when their racing careers are over. Sadly, this is not unfounded, and it does need to be exposed, but unfortunately we as a collective have failed miserably to address this situation. Yes, great strides have been made in the last 15 or so years, but it is only since the inception of IFAR that the topic has been addressed uniformly. The organizations we have are brilliant, and are a gallant attempt to stuff the dike. They are a base from which to work to develop a model we can be proud of as an industry, and not a stopgap.

We all know racing's social licence is wafer-thin. We know our fan base is diminishing in not all countries, but most. There are a gazillion marketing strategies out there with ways to attract a new and younger audience. The issue is the majority of the younger demographic today has no reference to horses, and has probably never even seen one in real life. Horses are about as relevant to them as dinosaurs.

What we do have in the Western world is a mental health crisis, be it children with ADHD, learning issues, social anxiety, depression, isolation; adults who are the victims of domestic abuse, alcohol or drug addiction, PTSD, veterans, prisoners or those battling suicidal tendencies. The field of Equine Assisted Services (EAS) is one which has expanded exponentially over the last 20 years, to where today, many governments around the world are now helping to fund various EAS programs which are proving to be so much more effective than any recognized form of therapy or medication. The fact that EAS is changing lives is possibly one of the best-kept secrets of the 21st century.

Today, there are a number of EAS programs using Thoroughbreds, and we are discovering that the Thoroughbred is ideally suited for this type of work. It is not a given, however, that this could be an avenue for many of our retired racehorses, as outside of the Thoroughbred community, our industry is viewed by many with suspicion and distrust.

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Not only could we inform, but we could reach a huge swath of the population and connect them to these magical creatures, creating an understanding of the bond which has existed between horses and humans throughout the centuries. Guarantee you wouldn't be finding articles in the Daily Telegraph titled "Should we be riding horses?" any more.

Call EAS an olive branch to reconnect this industry to the rest of society, or carry-on selfishly banging your own drums proclaiming all the good you all individually do. (FYI, it's not working.)

It's time to do better. We have an opportunity to create meaningful change, but this will not happen until organizations and corporations come together to work jointly to the same end. I have asked the world's auction houses to facilitate information on the many different modalities of EAS programs available. I now ask the racing and bloodstock media outlets if they would be prepared to do so? And whether the world's racecourses would take a look at programs such as Abijahs currently in operation at Canterbury Park with a view to replicating something similar.

We are a global community. It's time to begin acting as ONE, and not as individual fiefdoms, if we are to survive as an industry.

Suzi Prichard-Jones is an owner/breeder, and the author of 'Byerley, The Thoroughbred's Ticking Time Bomb.' She is also founder of the Byerley Turk & Godolphin Arabian Conservation Project.

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INDIANA HBPA, HORSESHOE INDIANAPOLIS MAKE \$25K DONATION TO SECOND STRIDE

Second Stride has received a combined donation of \$25,000 from the horsemen of the Indiana Horsemen's Benevolent and Protective Association (HBPA) and Horseshoe Indianapolis Racing & Casino.



Second Stride Board member Sean Beirne and wife Mary, were on hand for the presentation ceremony on Aug. 16 with Indiana HBPA Executive Director, Tim Glyshaw, and Indiana HBPA President, Joe Davis.
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"Second Stride does an excellent job in horse aftercare," said HBPA Executive Director Tim Glyshaw. "Whenever the Indiana HBPA or Horseshoe Indianapolis run into a situation where aftercare is needed, Second Stride has always been there to help us."

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Saturday, Kentucky Downs #9, post time: 5:18 p.m. EDT

ARISTOCRAT FRANKLIN-SIMPSON S.-GI, \$2,000,000, 3yo, 6 1/2FT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Hedwig	Maclean's Music	Godolphin, LLC	Harty	Saez	120
2	Evade (Fr)	Wootton Bassett (GB)	Resolute Racing and Qatar Racing	Maker	Torres	122
3	General Ledger	Summer Front	All in Line Stables, LLC	Joseph, Jr.	Ortiz	118
4	Yellow Card 🦟	Lost Treasure (Ire)	Jim and Donna Daniell	McCarthy	Velazquez	118
5	Bear River 🦟	Flameaway	Charles K. Marquis	Desormeaux	Graham	118
6	Apollo Ten	Violence	Cheyenne Stables, LLC	Clement	Gaffalione	122
7	Joe Shiesty 🦟	Air Force Blue	Foster Family Racing, Lonnie Reynolds Vicki Mills and Donald Coomes	Foster	Cedillo	122
8	Please Advise 🦟	Palace Malice	R. A. Hill Stable	Weaver	Prat	122
9	Vote No 🦟	Divisidero	Joseph P. Morey, Jr.	Morey	Corrales	122
10	Howard Wolowitz 🦟	Munnings	Gold Square, LLC	D'Angelo	Ortiz, Jr.	118
11	Mansa Musa (Ire)	Ten Sovereigns (Ire)	Team Valor International and Gary Barber	Mott	Alvarado	118
12	Smokey Smokey 🦟	Mendelssohn	Pura Vida Investments, LLC	Maker	Santana, Jr.	122
13	Barksdale 🦟	Street Sense	Cypress Creek Equine	Walden	Saez	118
14	Where Ya At Vince 🦟	Paynter	Patricia's Hope, LLC	Rivelli	Corrales	118
15	Save the Trees 🦟	Preservationist	Paradise Farms Corp., Skychai Racing, LLC David Staudacher and Cathleen Shircliff	Maker	Ortiz	118
16	How's Ur Attitude 🦟	Street Sense	Welch Racing, LLC	Ennis	Dettori	118

Breeders: 1-Godolphin, 2-Ecurie Des Monceaux, Ecurie LoickFouchet, R. Meahjohn, Kastro Stud Farm, 3-All In Line Stables, LLC, 4-Tiffany K. Veloudis, 5-Dreamfields Farm, Don Brady & BrendanBurke, 6-Candy Meadows LLC, 7-Rodney E. Orr, 8-Spartan Team Investments LLC, 9-Mr. & Mrs. A. John Price, 10-Martha Buckner & Matthew Ernst, 11-Middlelane Farm, 12-Sanford Robertson, 13-Dixiana Farms, LLC, 14-Laura McKinney, 15-Shawn Schabel & Sycamore BarkThoroughbreds, LLC, 16-Malibu Farm, LLC

Saturday, Kentucky Downs #7, post time: 4:04 p.m. EDT

AGS MUSIC CITY S.-GII, \$2,000,000, 3yo, f, 6 1/2FT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Crown Imperial	Classic Empire	4 G Racing, LLC	Ortiz	Torres	122
2	Kairyu (Ire)	Kuroshio (Aus)	Martin S. Schwartz and Michael O'Callaghan	DeVaux	Ortiz	124
3	Time to Dazzle 🦟	Not This Time	Tracy Farmer	Casse	Santana, Jr.	124
4	Pipsy (Ire)	Kodiac (GB)	Woodford Thoroughbreds, LLC	Walden	Rosario	124
5	Visually 🦟	Enticed	California Racing Partners, Ciaglia Racing, LLC Fick Brothers Racing Inc., Dario Bernardi & George P. Monty	Morey	Corrales	124
6	Amidst Waves 🦟	Midshipman	R. A. Hill Stable and BlackRidge Stables, LLC	Weaver	Prat	122
7	Pharoah's Wine	American Pharoah	William Pacella, Nancy Delony and Frank Shoop	Romans	Chuan	118
8	Buttercream Babe 🦟	Twirling Candy	Three Diamonds Farm	Maker	Ortiz, Jr.	118
9	Pounce 🦟	Lookin At Lucky	Resolute Racing	Casse	Davis	124
10	Simply in Front 🦟	Summer Front	Colebrook Farms	Kenneally	Saez	118
11	Regulatory Risk 🦟	Omaha Beach	Klaravich Stables, Inc.	Brown	Geroux	118
12	Vive Veuve 🦟	Collected	Sterling Stables, LLC	Sisterson	Gaffalione	122
13	Gavea (Ger)	Gleneagles (Ire)	Bal Mar Equine, LLC	Stall, Jr.	Hernandez, Jr.	118

14	Uphill Dance	Tonalist	Cheyenne Stables, LLC and Gary Barber	Halden	Geroux	118
15	Twirling Queen 🦄	Twirling Candy	GU Racing Stable, LLC	D'Angelo	Saez	122
16	Toupie	Uncle Mo	Wertheimer and Frere	Motion	Prat	122

Breeders: 1-4 G Racing, 2-Mr P. Turley, 3-Dr. Rodney Orr, 4-Noel Finegan, 5-ThoroughBred by Design LLC, 6-Woods Edge Farm, LLC & BallyfairBloodstock, 7-Pacella Racing, Frank L. Jones & NancyDelony, Frank Shoop, 8-Repole Stable, Inc, 9-Bell, Rankin, VanMeter & Hancock, 10-William Harrigan & Mike Pietrangelo, 11-Upson Downs Farm & Louis W. Wright, 12-Speedway Stables LLC, 13-Stiftung Gestut Fahrhof, 14-Chet Blackey & Trackside Farm, 15-Pursuit of Success, LLC, 16-Wertheimer et Frere



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Saturday, Kentucky Downs #10, post time: 5:55 p.m. EDT

FANDUEL TV KENTUCKY TURF CUP S.-GII, \$2,000,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/2mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Highway Robber 🦄	Hard Spun	Susan and Jim Hill	Lynch	Loveberry	124
2	Integration	Quality Road	West Point Thoroughbreds, LLC & Woodford Racing, LLC	McGaughey III	Carmouche	124
3	Cathkin Peak (Ire)	Alhebayeb (Ire)	Flying P Stable	Maker	Ortiz	124
4	Get Smokin	Get Stormy	Ironhorse Racing Stable, LLC, BlackRidge Stables, LLC	Casse	De La Cruz	124
			T-N-T Equine Holdings, LLC and Saratoga Seven Racing Partners, LLC			
5	Sugoi	Karakontie (Jpn)	Paradise Farms Corp. and David Staudacher	Maker	Ortiz, Jr.	124
6	King Curlin 🦄	Curlin	RSR Racing, LLC	Vanden Berg	Emigh	124
7	Tawny Port 🦄	Pioneerof the Nile	Peachtree Stable	Clement	Prat	122
8	Balladeer	Distorted Humor	Calvin Nguyen and Joey Tran	Papaprodromou	Geroux	122
9	Anglophile	English Channel	LFG Racing, LLC	Lynch	Cannon	122
10	Grand Sonata 🦄	Medaglia d'Oro	Whisper Hill Farm, LLC	Pletcher	Gaffalione	122
11	Chief Little Rock (Ire)	Galileo (Ire)	Derrick Smith, Mrs John Magnier and Michael Tabor	O'Brien	Dettori	118

Breeders: 1-Foxpointe Tbreds, 2-Larkin Armstrong, 3-G. Kinch, 4-Hurstland Farm, Inc. & James Greene Jr., 5-Normandy Farm, 6-Woodford Thoroughbreds, LLC, 7-WinStar Farm, LLC, 8-Bonne Chance Farm, LLC, 9-Upson Downs Farm & Louie W. Wright, 10-Whisper Hill Farm, LLC, 11-Coolmore



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Saturday, Kentucky Downs #11, post time: 6:31 p.m. EDT

AINSWORTH TURF SPRINT S.-GII, \$2,000,000, 3yo/up, 6fT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Gear Jockey	Twirling Candy	Calumet Farm	Arnold, II	Lezcano	121
2	Axthelm	Into Mischief	E. A. Seltzer, Beverly Anderson, Michael and J Iavarone	Joseph, Jr.	Ortiz	121
3	One Timer	Trappe Shot	Patricia's Hope LLC, and Richard Ravin	Rivelli	Loveberry	121
4	Cogburn 🦄	Not This Time	Clark O. Brewster, L. William and Corinne Heiligbrodt	Asmussen	Ortiz, Jr.	125
5	Charcoal	English Channel	Ron Dowdy	Wisner	Concepcion	121
6	Coppola 🦄	Into Mischief	Hammer Time Stable & Sport of Kings Racing Part. LLC	Romans	Lanerie	121
7	Grooms All Bizness	Fed Biz	Colts Neck Stables, LLC	Duarte, Jr.	Davis	121
8	Khaadem (Ire)	Dark Angel (Ire)	Mrs. Fitri Hay	Hills	Spencer	125
9	Noble Reflection 🦄	Liam's Map	Calvin Nguyen and Joey Tran	Papaprodromou	Dettori	121
10	Nobals	Noble Mission (GB)	Patricia's Hope, LLC	Rivelli	Corrales	121
11	Witty	Great Notion	Qatar Racing LLC, Detampel, Marc & E M. Merryman	Merryman	Gaffalione	121
12	Mo Stash 🦄	Mo Town	BBN Racing, LLC	Oliver	Saez	121
13	Five o' Somewhere 🦄 Bermudez	Munnings 118	Kenneth R. Spraggins, Marilyn Palazzo, Edna Atanacio, Richard Atanacio, et al.			Spraggins

Breeders: 1-Calumet Farm, 2-Edward A. Seltzer & Beverly Anderson, 3-St. Simon Place LLC, 4-Bellary Bloodstock, 5-Ron Dowdy, 6-Fifth Avenue Bloodstock, 7-Colts Neck Stables, LLC, 8-Yeomanstown Stud, 9-G. Watts Humphrey Jr., 10-Dr. John A. Chandler, 11-Elizabeth M. Merryman, 12-Rhineshire Farm LLC, 13-Brittlyn Stables



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Saturday, Kentucky Downs #6, post time: 3:27 p.m. EDT**LIGHT & WONDER LADIES MARATHON S.-GIII, \$2,000,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 5/16mT**

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Three Priests (Jpn)	Deep Impact (Jpn)	Merry Fox Stables	Varian	Velazquez	122
2	Chop Chop	City of Light	Selective, LLC	Cox	Prat	126
3	Angel Nadeshiko 🦄	Carpe Diem	Miller Racing, LLC	Joseph, Jr.	Ortiz, Jr.	122
4	Greenfinch	Justify	Mrs. J Magnier, M B. Tabor, D Smith & Westerberg Ltd	O'Brien	Dettori	118
5	Loved Reiko 🦄	Tapit	KatieRich Stables, LLC Leitch	Ortiz	122	
6	Vergara 🦄	Noble Mission (GB)	Gary Broad	Motion	Gaffalione	122
7	Necie Marie	Cross Traffic	Michael Milam	Reid, Jr.	Rosario	126
8	Forever After All 🦄	Connect	Dixiana Farms, LLC	Walsh	Beschizza	122
9	Viva La Red 🦄	Texas Red	WLT Investments, LLC	Biancone	Geroux	122

Breeders: 1-Merry Fox Stud Limited, 2-Cobra Farm & MRJ Thoroughbreds, 3-Fred W. Hertrich III, 4-Orpendale/Chelston/Wynatt, 5-Reiko Baum, Michael Baum & The Tapit Syndicate, 6-Neil Jones, 7-Jon A. Marshall, 8-Dixiana Farms LLC, 9-Erich Brehm & Charles Hovitz

Saturday, Kentucky Downs #8, post time: 4:41 p.m. EDT**MINT MILLIONS S.-GIII, \$2,000,000, 3yo/up, 1mT**

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Emmanuel 🦄	More Than Ready	Michael M. Hui, Case Chambers, David Staudacher, Paradise Farms Corp., Fugget About It Racing Stable and Phil Forte	Maker	Ortiz	126
2	Mountain Bear (Ire)	No Nay Never	Derrick Smith, Mrs John Magnier and Michael Tabor	O'Brien	Dettori	118
3	Irish Aces 🦄	Mshawish	Pocket Aces Racing, LLC	Walsh	Gaffalione	126
4	Cash Equity (Fr)	Toronado (Ire)	Kenneth L. Ramsey	Joseph, Jr.	Leparoux	122
5	Tut's Revenge	Eskendereya	Flying P Stable	Maker	Santana, Jr.	126
6	Strong Quality	Quality Road	Gary Barber and Kinsman Stable	Casse	Geroux	126
7	Funtastic Again 🦄	Funtastic	Three Chimneys Farm, LLC	Ward	Corrales	122
8	Talk of the Nation	Quality Road	Joseph Allen, LLC and CHC, Inc.	Pletcher	Ortiz, Jr.	122
9	Reckoning Force	Air Force Blue	Qatar Racing, LLC, Fergus Galvin and Marc Detampel	Walsh	Machado	122
10	Ancient Rome	War Front	Mrs. Fitri Hay	Hills	Spencer	122
11	Goliad	War Front	Perry R. Bass, II and Ramona S. Bass	Mandella	Prat	126

Breeders: 1-Helen K. Groves Revocable Trust, 2-Whisperview Trading Ltd, 3-Lynch Bages LTD, 4-S.C.E.A. Des Prairies, Thomas Jeffroy & Benoit Jeffroy, 5-Lane Thoroughbreds LLC, 6-Kinsman Farm, 7-BHMFR, LLC, 8-CHC Inc., 9-Frankfort Park Farm, 10-Orpendale/Chelston/Wynatt, 11-Ramona S. Bass LLC

Saturday, Colonial Downs #10, post time: 6:15 p.m. EDT**NEW KENT COUNTY VIRGINIA DERBY-GIII, \$500,000, 3yo, 1 1/8mT**

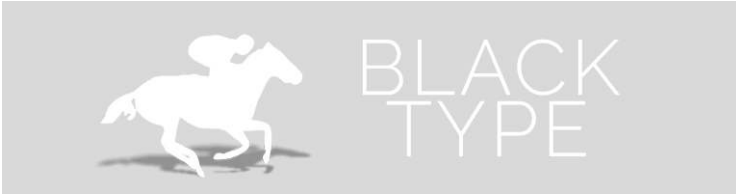
PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Herchee	Twirling Candy	100% Racing Stable, LLC	Pitts	Morales	118
2	Grand Mo the First 🦄	Uncle Mo	Granpollo Stable	Barboza, Jr.	Lopez	120
3	Deterministic 🦄	Liam's Map	St. Elias Stable, Ken Langone, C. Steven Duncker and Vicarage Stable	Clement	Franco	123
4	Izzy d'Oro	Get Stormy	Blake Kelly, Joseph Gellenbeck and Isidoro Russo	Kelly	Cohen	120
5	Frontline Warrior 🦄	War Front	Woodford Racing, J Hawn-Holt & W.S. Farish	McGaughey III	Cheminaud	118
6	In a Jam	Preservationist	Gary Barber	Casse	Sanchez	120
7	Desvio 🦄	Yoshida (Jpn)	Stonelea Stable, LLC and Bonnie Rye Stable	Meyers	Curtis	120
8	Massif	Sky Mesa	Respect the Valleys, LLC	Russell	Russell	120
9	Echo Lane	Treasure Beach (GB)	Anthony Rogers	Crichton	Gallardo	118
10	Oscar's World	Oscar Performance	Walmac Farm	Lynch	Garcia	120
11	Fulmineo	Bolt d'Oro	Starlight Racing and Mark B. Grier	Delacour	Carrasco	120
12	Zverev 🦄	Oscar Performance	Belladonna Racing, LLC, Peachtree Stable, Twin Brook Stables and West Point Thoroughbreds	DeVaux	Ruiz	120

Breeders: 1-100% Racing LLC, 2-John D. Gunther, 3-Hinkle Farms, 4-Shawhan Place LLC, 5-Julianna Hawn, Cross Triangle Farm, LLC, 6-Brereton C. Jones, 7-Eliza St George & Lee Mauberret, 8-Respect the Valleys, LLC, 9-Echo Lane Of Ocala, LLC, 10-Gary Broad - Walmac Farm, LLC, 11-Country Life Farm & Starr of Quality LLC, 12-Andrew Warren

2024 YTD Leading Sires of 2YOs by Black Type Horses

Rank	Stallion	BTW	Standing NA - Worldwide Earnings - NH Foals					Starters	Wnrs	Highest Earner	Earnings
			BTH	GSW	GSH	G1SW	G1SH				
1	Twirling Candy (2007) by Candy Ride (Arg)	1	5	--	1	--	--	36	10	\$161,500	\$847,473
2	Complexity (2016) by Maclean's Music	3	4	2	2	--	--	32	15	\$247,500	\$1,233,177
3	Vekoma (2016) by Candy Ride (Arg)	1	4	--	--	--	--	43	17	\$88,313	\$884,513
4	Uncle Mo (2008) by Indian Charlie	2	4	1	3	--	--	19	5	\$159,500	\$714,597
5	Stay Thirsty (2008) by Bernardini	1	4	--	--	--	--	38	11	\$89,400	\$676,092
6	Cairo Prince (2011) by Pioneerof the Nile	1	4	--	1	--	1	20	7	\$123,320	\$440,215
7	Not This Time (2014) by Giant's Causeway	1	3	1	2	--	--	24	11	\$140,980	\$880,840
8	Thousand Words (2017) by Pioneerof the Nile	2	3	1	2	--	--	34	11	\$266,380	\$811,707
9	Nyquist (2013) by Uncle Mo	2	3	1	2	1	1	21	7	\$220,000	\$679,067
10	Flameaway (2015) by Scat Daddy	2	3	--	--	--	--	26	8	\$132,269	\$641,399
11	Into Mischief (2005) by Harlan's Holiday	1	3	--	2	--	--	41	11	\$88,354	\$622,002
12	The Factor (2008) by War Front	--	3	--	--	--	--	35	7	\$61,000	\$402,449
13	Souper Speedy (2009) by Indian Charlie	1	3	--	--	--	--	7	3	\$133,077	\$313,696
14	Mitole (2015) by Eskendereya	1	2	--	--	--	--	37	10	\$159,500	\$660,454
15	Frosted (2012) by Tapit	--	2	--	--	--	--	32	10	\$110,070	\$562,452

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HARVEY PACK S., \$150,000, Saratoga, 9-2, 4yo/up, 5 1/2fT, 1:01.37, fm.

1--**BIG INVASION, 118, h, 5, Declaration of War--Curls in Place, by Curlin.** (\$72,000 Ylg '20 KEESEP). O-Reeves Thoroughbred Racing; B-John O'meara (KY); T-Christophe Clement; J-Dylan Davis. \$82,500. Lifetime Record: 20-9-5-1, \$1,069,832. *1/2 to We Miss Susie (Creative Cause), SP, \$194,842.

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2--**Our Shot, 118, g, 5, Kantharos--Fleetheart,** by Northern Afleet. (\$135,000 Ylg '20 EASOCT). O-Gatsas Stables, Schoenfeld, Steven and Terranova, II, John P.; B-Dr. S. Mark Rayburg Inc. (PA); T-John P. Terranova, II. \$30,000.

3--**Souper Quest, 118, c, 4, Munnings--Lady of Victory, by War Front.** O-Live Oak Plantation; B-Live Oak Stud (FL); T-Mark E. Casse. \$18,000.

Margins: HD, 3/4, 1HF. Odds: 3.75, 8.20, 2.55.

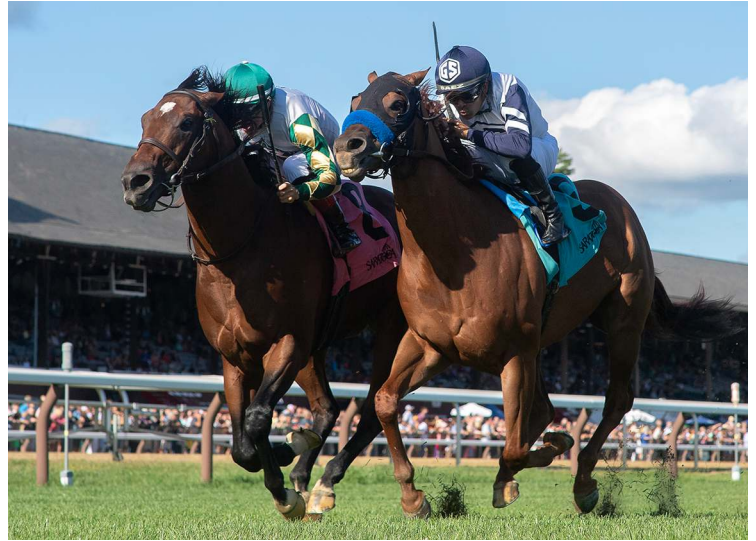
Also Ran: Arzak, High Front, Smithwick's Spice, Surveillance, Mister Mmmmm, Charging.

Big Invasion has found his knack for good timing once again, and broken a five-race skid here with a photo in his favor in the Harvey Pack Stakes at Saratoga.

Despite coming a neck short of winning the GI Breeders' Cup Turf Spring last season, and posting a career-high Beyer of 102, things did not go his way in 2024. He was off the board in every start until last out July 4, when he showed shadows of his former self en-route to running second against an optional claiming field at the Belmont Big A meet.

Given a 7-2 shot to get back into form here, Big Invasion took some light contact after the start and dropped back to eighth, content to watch as Souper Quest pushed High Front (I) through :21.08, :43.67 and :55.34 splits as they swung into the lane. Rolling from four wide late on the bend, Big Invasion started picking off his rivals as the frontrunner threw up the white flag midstretch and Souper Quest could not outkick the far outside closers. Moving in tandem with Our Shot, the winner proved too much for that hopeful and got his head down in a photo.

"He's back to winning. It's been a long time since he last won," said Christophe Clement. "Even if I was very disappointed at Aqueduct [July 4], he actually ran very well finishing second--they actually broke the track record that day. I'm delighted he won today so we can go on to better things."



Big Invasion (outside) | Sarah Andrew

When asked about a potential start in the GIII Belmont Turf Sprint Oct. 5, Clement reiterated that a return to the Breeders' Cup was the long-term goal. "We could go there. At the moment, probably [pointing long term to the] Breeders' Cup [Turf Sprint], but he will run once in between."

Big Invasion is the third in a row for his dam's eldest offspring to claim black type. He has one winning young half-brother Air Invasion (Air Force Blue) and a 2-year-old half-brother named War Cadence (**War of Will**). Curls in Place has a 2024 Bolt d'Oro colt to her credit and was bred to **Not This Time** for 2025. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

TRANQUILITY LAKE S., \$100,000, Del Mar, 9-2, (C), 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:37.88, ft.

1--**SHOW CARD, 116, f, 3, Into Mischief--Cognitive, by Uncle Mo. 1ST BLACK TYPE WIN.** O/B-Juddmonte (KY); T-Bob Baffert; J-Juan J. Hernandez. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 6-3-0-1, \$152,300.

2--**Super Shine (Arg), 119, m, 5, Super Saver--Sunshine Allie,** by Southern Halo. O-R Unicorn Stable; B-Firmamento (ARG); T-Philip D'Amato. \$20,000.

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3--**Yuki (Chi), 125, m, 5, The Lumber Guy--Dona Milly (Chi),** by Distorted Economy. O/B-Haras Lizzie (CHI); T-Marcelo Polanco. \$12,000.

Margins: 10, 4, 2. Odds: 1.70, 0.90, 25.90.

Also Ran: Ascendancy, Liberal Lady. Scratched: Grace Period (Fr).

Juddmonte homebred Show Card romped home the easiest of winners in the Tranquility Lake Stakes at Del Mar Monday. The bay filly sat just off pacesetter Yuki through a quarter in :23.42 and was pressing that longshot as the field of five bunched up down the backstretch as the half went up in :47.25. **Cont.**



Show Card | Benoit

Show Card took charge approaching the stretch and strode clear down the lane to an effortless victory.

Favored Super Shine was left at the gate and trailed the field early. Rank up the backstretch, she moved up along the rail to challenge for the lead on the inside of the pacesetter while Show Card was making her move to the outside, but her rally flattened out at the top of the lane. She fought back to grab the runner-up spot.

Show Card produced back-to-back victories at Santa Anita this spring, breaking her maiden Mar. 16 and returning to beat winners May 5, both at six furlongs. Stretched to two turns for the first time, she faded to last of four in the 1 1/16-mile GII Summertime Oaks last time out June 8.

Cognitive, purchased by Juddmonte for \$500,000 as a yearling at the 2016 Fasig-Tipton Saratoga sale, has an unraced 2-year-old filly by **Not This Time**, as well as a yearling filly by Into Mischief and a weanling filly by **Constitution**. She was bred back to **Constitution** this year. The winner's third dam, Turbo Dream (Unbridled), produced multiple Grade I winner Dream Rush. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

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GENEROUS PORTION S., \$100,000, Del Mar, 9-2, (S), 2yo, f, 6f, 1:11.28, ft.

1--**HOT GIRL WALK, 121, f, 2, by Bodexpress**

1st Dam: Awesome Mama, by Awesome Again

2nd Dam: Mama Nadine, by A.P. Indy

3rd Dam: Countess Diana, by Deerhound

1ST BLACK TYPE WIN. O-Richard Barton; B-Richard Barton Enterprises (CA); T-Carla Gaines; J-Antonio Fresu. \$57,000. Lifetime Record: 3-2-1-0, \$117,000.

2--**In the Air Tonight**, 124, f, 2, Stay Thirsty--Angel Allie, by **Sky Mesa**. (\$50,000 Ylg '23 FTCA YR). O-Chacon, Anthony J., Flores, Victor M. and Lovingier, Terry C.; B-Terry C. Lovingier (CA); T-Steve R. Knapp. \$19,000.

3--**Cayucos**, 121, f, 2, Omaha Beach--My Due Process, by Henny Hughes. **1ST BLACK TYPE.** O-Fairview, LLC; B-Thomas W Bachman (CA); T-Richard E. Mandella. \$12,000. Margins: 1 1/4, 14, 1. Odds: 5.50, 1.90, 0.70.

Also Ran: Thirsty Mama, Thirsty in Vegas, Nostri Vires.

Hot Girl Walk, off slowly in both previous starts, had no such issues Monday, jumping out to the lead in the early strides before settling into third behind a pair of dueling leaders. She rushed up three wide into the far turn and overtook favored Cayucos approaching the lane before kicking away to an easy victory. In the Air Tonight chased her home, gaining ground as Hot Girl Walk was geared down late.

Hot Girl Walk was runner-up in her five-furlong unveiling at Del Mar July 20 and graduated by three lengths going 5 1/2 furlongs Aug. 11. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

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5th-Saratoga, \$115,000, Alw (NW2\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$62,500), 9-2, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8mT, 1:48.04, fm, 2 1/2 lengths.

PREREQUISITE (f, 4, Upstart--Etsu, by Smart Strike), winner of last year's GII Wonder Again Stakes and runner-up in the GI Belmont Oaks Invitational, had not been out since finishing fifth in the GII Lake Placid Stakes last August. The 6-5 favorite took the early lead and was under a snug hold while setting fractions of :23.33 and :48.03. **Cont.**



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Let loose at the top of the lane, the bay filly skipped away to a 2 1/2-length victory. The girl from Ireland (Goldencents) was second. Prerequisite was a \$47,000 KEESEP yearling and a \$350,000 Fasig-Tipton Midlantic May purchase. She is a half-sister to Stay Hot (Summer Front), GSW, \$362,160. Etsu has a 2-year-old colt by **Complexity** who sold for \$95,000 at last year's Fasig-Tipton October sale, and a yearling full-brother to the winner. Prerequisite's third dam produced champion Farda Amiga. Lifetime Record: GSW & GISP, 6-3-1-0, \$334,250. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

O-First Row Partners and Team Hanley; B-Brereton C. Jones (KY); T-Chad C. Brown.



11th-Saratoga, \$110,000, Alw, 9-2, (NW1\$X), 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:40.66, fm, 1/2 length.

CHILD OF THE MOON (FR) (f, 4, The Grey Gatsby {Ire}--Ma Preference {Fr} {GSW-Fr, \$174,266}, by American Post {GB}) debuted in her native country as a 2 and 3-year-old, breaking her maiden in her fifth start last June. Brought to North America for Chad Brown, she just missed by a neck in her Saratoga debut over this distance July 19. Monday's 7-5 favorite dropped near the back of the field from her outside draw and was comfortably handled through fractions of :23.14 and :47.44. Spun off the turn while fanned out across the track, Child of the Moon came flying late to nail Mystifying (**Curlin**) by a half-length. Ma Preference, already the dam of this runner's half-sister Onthemoonagain (Fr) (Cape Cross {Ire}), SW & MGSP-Fr, GISP-USA, \$282,116, has a yearling filly by Dabirsim (Fr). Sales History: €110,000 Ylg '21 ARQDOY. Lifetime Record: 7-2-2-0, \$108,781. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO,**

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O-Madaket Stables LLC, Michael Dubb and Louis Lazzinnaro LLC; B-Patrick Chedeville (FR); T-Chad C. Brown.

A Hubert Guy Bloodstock Yearling Purchase

1st-Del Mar, \$79,456, Alw (NW1\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$40,000), 9-2, 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:15.23, ft, 7 lengths.

ONE MAGIC PHILLY (f, 3, Good Magic--My Philly Girl, by Empire Maker) showed good foot to close from 10th on debut to finish second in a June 15 Santa Anita maiden which yielded GIII Torrey Pines Stakes winner Hope Road (**Quality Road**) this past weekend at this venue. Also coming out of that race was third-place runner Normandy Queen (Omaha Beach), who was a next-out winner and claimed a second victory this past Sunday against optional claiming company at Del Mar. The Aug. 3 race when One Magic Philly broke her maiden by a neck over Seismic Beauty (**Uncle Mo**) also proved productive as that runner-up came back Aug. 30 to break her maiden by five lengths. Crowned the 6-5 favorite on the back of that form, she made it look like a gift as she briefly chased the pace into the turn and left a seasoned field in her wake, coming home seven lengths best over Nokie (**Quality Road**). One Magic Philly is a half-sister to My Philly Twirl (**Hard Spun**), SW, \$169,620. A 2-year-old half-brother by Omaha Beach was exported to Ireland last year and their dam most recently produced a 2024 colt by **Street Sense**. My Philly Girl was bred to **Jack Christopher** for 2025. Lifetime Record: 3-2-1-0, \$101,400. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

O/B-John Gallegos (KY); T-Philip D'Amato.

8th-Thistledown, \$35,800, (S), Alw, 9-2, (NW2L), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:12.62, ft, neck.

SILENT RULE (f, 3, Street Boss--Modern Lady, by Candy Ride {Arg}) romped to an 11 1/2-length first-out victory at this track and trip Aug. 10. The 1-5 favorite went quickly to the early lead, but soon had company and settled off the pace. She rallied four wide into the stretch and kicked into gear late to overtake Az We Speak (Sharp Azteca) in the final strides to win by a neck. Silent Rule was a \$16,000 KEESEP yearling. Modern Lady has a 2-year-old colt by **Volatile** who sold to tainer Eddie Kenneally for \$50,000 at last year's Keeneland September sale. She also has a yearling filly by Goldencents, produced a colt by **Golden Pal** this year and was bred back to Yaupon. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.** Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$41,820.

O-John Hoctel; B-T/C Stable, LLC (OH); T-Jay P. Bernardini.





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2nd-Saratoga, \$90,000, (S), Msw, 9-2, 2yo, f, 5 1/2ft, 1:02.96, fm, 1/2 length.

MARVELOUS MADISON (f, 2, Caravaggio--Shea Darby {SP, \$107,077}, by Street Sense), the even-money favorite, off half a step awkwardly, rated off the pace, but improved her position along the rail into the far turn and was squeezed back while attempting to move up inside of the pacesetter. She skimmed the rail to take control out of the turn and pulled away before holding off Wild Mischief (**Honest Mischief**) late to graduate by a half-length. Pacesetting Forever to Go (**Honest Mischief**) was three-quarter lengths back in third. Marvelous Madison is a half-sister to Shawdyshawdyshawdy (Summer Front), GSP, \$310,720; Just Step On It (Accelerate), SP, \$211,150; and to No Salt (**Tonalist**), SP, \$352,846. Shea Darby produced a colt by Olympiad this year and was bred back to Omaha Beach. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$49,500. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

O/B-Lawrence Goichman (NY); T-Chad C. Brown.

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6th-Saratoga, \$90,000, (S), Msw, 9-2, 2yo, 7f, 1:25.45, ft, 1 length.

MOBETTERTHANGOOD (c, 2, Mo Town--Sakura Ballerina, by Pure Prize) was off a touch slow in this unveiling, but the 9-1 shot gradually made up ground as they swung through the bend and into the stretch, going from eighth to just off the top flight in the six path as the field fanned out. Finding a second wind into the final furlong, the gap was shortening as Three B's (**Collected**) tried valiantly to hold off the challengers, that eventual runner-up had no response for Mobetterthangood as that one rolled by late to win by a length. The winner is the most recent to get a picture taken for his dam, who has produced a pair of fillies since him--a yearling by Known Agenda and a 2024 foal by **Keepmeinmind. Cont.**

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Sakura Ballerina was bred to **Mind Control** for 2025. Sales history: \$57,000 Ylg '23 SARAUG. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$49,500. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

O-Harold Lerner LLC, AWC Stables and Nehoc Stables; B-Allen C. Hallett (NY); T-Kenneth G. McPeck.



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7th-Saratoga, \$90,000, (S), Msw, 9-2, 2yo, 7f, 1:26.35, ft, 5 1/2 lengths.

BUTTAH (c, 2, Leofric--Salty Little Sis, by Chief Seattle) was bumped at the break before checking in fifth in his six-furlong debut at this track July 25. Let go at 11-1, the gray colt was hustled out and had the lead in the early strides before allowing Friend of the Devil (**Honest Mischief**) to take over. He sat just off the foe down the backstretch before engaging him on the far turn and took charge approaching the stretch as Friend of the Devil offered no resistance. Buttah sailed clear in upper stretch and strode under the wire 5 1/2 lengths in front. Favored Rock Star Rebel (Thousand Words) was second. Friend of the Devil was eased through the finish. Buttah is a half-brother to Lobsta (Emcee), MSW, \$359,445 and to Chowda (Emcee), SW, \$225,091. He has a weanling half-brother by **Tourist**. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.** Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$53,100.

O-Eddie F's Racing; B-Fedwell Farms (NY); T-Gary Sciacca.

3rd-Woodbine, C\$82,228, Msw, 9-2, 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f (AWT), 1:18.29, ft, 3 1/2 lengths.

ARAMI'S FACTOR (f, 3, The Factor--Arami's Flatter, by Flatter) hopped at the break and trailed home in last in her seven-furlong debut at this oval June 21. Sent off at 5-1, the bay

filly was away alertly this time and took the early lead. She was clear through an opening quarter in :22.43 and a half in :45.25, shrugged off favored Coffee Crisp (**Twirling Candy**) in upper stretch and drew away to win by 3 1/2 lengths. Arami's Flatter has an unraced 2-year-old colt by Speightster. The winner's third dam, Galloping Ami (Victory Gallop), produced champion Amis Gizmo, as well as graded winners Ami's Flatter and Kopion. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.** Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$38,914.

O-Ivan Dalos; B-Tall Oaks Farm (ON); T-Josie Carroll.

2nd-Del Mar, \$76,500, (S), Msw, 9-2, 2yo, f, 6f, 1:11.74, ft, 1 1/4 lengths.

PAVEL IS APPEALING (f, 2, Pavel--Almost Guilty, by Distorted Humor), the 2-1 favorite in her afternoon debut, settled just off the early pace past the half in :46.08, pounced past Rizzleberry Rose (Governor Charlie) midway down the lane and got a bit of separation late to win by 1 1/4 lengths. Almost Guilty returned to Pavel twice more since producing Pavel Is Appealing but has not produced a live foal since.

She is due back to him once more for 2025. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$45,000. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

O/B-Reddam Racing, LLC (CA); T-Doug F. O'Neill.

4th-Del Mar, \$76,000, (S), Msw, 9-2, 2yo, f, 6f, 1:12.08, ft, 3 lengths.

WE THE FREE (f, 2, Bodexpress--Straight N Strong, by Quality Road) wanted the lead but was outrun off a slow break and had to settle behind Heartfull of Joy (Heartwood). Poised outside that runner into the turn, she drew past with a quarter to run and spurted away to graduate by three lengths at odds of 6-1. 7-5 favorite Lil' Boom Boom filled the exacta. The sixth winner for her freshman sire (by Bodemeister), We The Free has a yearling full-sister and a weanling half-sister by Dads Caps. Straight N Strong is due to Tap Back for next season. Sales History: \$18,000 RNA Ylg '23 FTCAVR. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$45,000. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.** O/B-Richard Barton Enterprises (CA); T-George Papaprodromou.

2nd-Canterbury, \$29,270, Msw, 9-2, 2yo, f, 7 1/2ft, 1:31.98, fm, 1/2 length.

SKIPWINEYESTERDAY (f, 2, Vino Rosso--Roussalka {MSP, \$106,053}, by Skipshot), one of only two first-time starters in the field, stayed off the pace towards the rear of the field and sat fifth past the half in :48.91. As the maidens bunched up off the turn, the 3-1 shot swung wide and out-finished 7-5 favorite Zen Dreams (**Violence**) to win by a half-length.

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Roussalka has a yearling Omaha Beach colt, failed to take on a Pinehurst cover for this year and was covered by **Two Phil's** for 2025. Sales History: \$14,000 RNA Wlg '22 KEENOV; \$40,000 Ylg '23 FTKOCT; \$11,000 2yo '24 OBSOPN. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$17,400. **Click for the Equibase.com chart.**

O-Barbara Waite and Tim P. Padilla; B-Mark Glover & Tracey Glover (KY); T-Tim P. Padilla

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2nd-Finger Lakes, \$29,000, Msw, 9-2, 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:06.69, ft, 3 3/4 lengths.

SHINY LURE (f, 3, Catalina Cruiser--Frolic's Dream {GSW, \$294,094}, by Smoke Glacken) brought \$320,000 as a yearling in 2022 but didn't debut until late May when fifth as a 15-1 longshot at Aqueduct going six furlongs. Well-supported here, the 1-5 favorite quickly had her feet under her to rocket from the gate, setting the pace into the turn. After turning back a brief challenge from Mia Nipotina (Frank Conversation) past the quarter pole, Shiny Lure went clear for home, graduating by 3 3/4 lengths as Outta the Cloud (Cloud Computing) got up for second. Frolic's Dream, already the dam of both Wyeth (**Candy Ride {Arg}**), GSP, \$231,498 and Bode's Dream (Bodemeister), MSW, \$202,905, is herself a half to GSW/GISP Mokat (**Uncle Mo**). She has a 2-year-old **Quality Road** colt named Madaket Road who was a \$650,000 FTSAUG yearling last year, foaled a **War Front** filly this year and was bred back to **Quality Road** for 2025. Sales History: \$320,000 Ylg '22 FTSAUG. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$19,560. **Click for the Equibase.com chart.**

O-Jonathan Thorne; B-SF Bloodstock LLC (KY); T-Danny Gargan.

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STAKES RESULTS:

RED BANK S., \$127,000, Monmouth, 9-2, 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:36.10, fm.

1--**HE'SPUREGOLD, 122, g, 6, Vancouver (Aus)--Smart N Classy (GSW, \$466,209), by Smart Strike.** O-Roseland Farm Stable (Bowers); B-John Bowers Jr (NJ); T-Kelly J. Breen; J-Paco Lopez. \$75,000. Lifetime Record: 28-9-3-5, \$610,170. *1/2 to Stay Smart (Stay Thirsty), SW, \$268,080 and Valedictorian (Temple City), MGSW, \$761,115.

2--**There Are No Words, 118, g, 5, California Chrome--Way With Words, by Sefapiano.** (\$24,000 Ylg '20 EASOCT). O-Prancing Horse Farm, LLC; B-California Chrome Syndicate, Margaret C. Schwartz & George L. Schwartz (NJ); T-Chuck Spina. \$28,000.

3--**Sir London, 118, g, 5, Malibu Moon--Seeking Atlantis, by Seeking the Gold.** (\$135,000 RNA Ylg '20 KEEJAN; \$700,000 2yo '21 EASMAY). **1ST BLACK TYPE.** O-Amo Racing USA; B-Castleton Lyons & Kilboy Estate (KY); T-H. Graham Motion. \$10,000.

Margins: HD, 1 3/4, HD. Odds: 4.10, 3.80, 4.70.

ARCTIC QUEEN S., (NB) \$50,000, Finger Lakes, 9-2, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:12.49, ft.

1--**NO CHALK, 120, m, 5, Tapiture--Justleavemealone, by Speightstown.** O/B-Matties Racing Stable (NY); T-Sal Iorio, Jr.; J-Anthony Rodriguez. \$30,000. Lifetime Record: 22-6-10-2, \$230,255.

2--**Gone and Forgotten, 121, m, 6, Bustin Stones--Little Rocket, by Yes It's True.** O-Barry R. Ostrager; B-Stonewall Farm (NY); T-Linda K. Dixon. \$10,000.

3--**Easy Play, 120, m, 5, Big Brown--Sweet Frost, by Frost Giant.** O/B-Sunrise Stables (NY); T-Ralph D'Alessandro. \$5,000.

Margins: HF, NK, 1HF. Odds: 3.30, 1.80, 5.20.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

10th-Del Mar, \$79,368, (NW1\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$80,000), 9-1, 3yo, 1 1/16mT, 1:42.15, fm, 1 1/4 lengths.

CATHAL (IRE) (c, 3, No Nay Never--Lucky At the Bay, by Lucky Pulpit) Lifetime Record: 6-2-1-1, \$89,041. O-Diamond T Racing, LLC, Iapetus Racing, LLC, Lady Marion, LLC and Richard Alphin; B-Moni Market (IRE); T-John W. Sadler. *€120,000 Ylg '22 GOFOR.

9th-Parx Racing, \$62,800, (NW1X)/Opt. Clm (\$16,000), 9-2, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:47.26, ft, 1 3/4 lengths.

WINNIN' ONWEEKENDS (g, 4, Liam's Map--Whistling Straits, by Scat Daddy) Lifetime Record: 17-6-0-1, \$199,300. O-Double B Racing Stables; B-Main Line Racing Stable (PA); T-Ronald B. Abrams.

6th-Monmouth, \$54,050, (NW1\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$20,000), 9-2, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:37.82, ft, 1/2 length.

CICCIOBELLO (g, 5, Bellamy Road--Spa Sunrise, by Eddington) Lifetime Record: 14-3-1-1, \$177,785. O-Massimino Rapuano; B-My Way Stable (NY); T-Derek S. Ryan.

5th-Monmouth, \$49,900, 9-2, (NW1\$X), 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:43.16, fm, 2 1/2 lengths.

IRWIN (IRE) (g, 6, Australia {GB}--Sugar House, by Distorted Humor) Lifetime Record: 13-4-3-2, \$116,928. O-Lindy Farms, Ice Wine Stable and Fielding, John D.; B-China Horse Club International Ltd (IRE); T-Philip Antonacci. *€24,000 Ylg '19 GOFOR.

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6th-Timonium, \$41,800, (S), 9-2, (NW1BX), 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:47.16, ft, 6 1/2 lengths.

SPENCERIAN (f, 4, Irish War Cry--Cursive, by Straight Talking) Lifetime Record: 13-4-1-0, \$120,841. O-Larry E. Rabold; B-Franklin G. Smith (MD); T-Hugh I. McMahon.



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8th-Timonium, \$41,800, (S), 9-2, (NW1BX), 3yo/up, 4f, :45.30, ft, 3 lengths.

IRISH HERO (g, 3, Irish War Cry--Gracie's Hero, by Great Notion) Lifetime Record: 11-2-4-2, \$110,590. O/B-No Guts No Glory Farm (MD); T-John J. Robb.

8th-Albuquerque, \$41,400, (S), 9-2, (C), 3yo/up, 5f, :56.42, ft, neck.

SAMBAS MARK (g, 4, Marking--Samba Queen, by Giant's Causeway) Lifetime Record: 16-6-0-4, \$218,186. O-Allen, Norman W., Sonnenberg, Chuck and Fincher Racing LLC; B-R. D. Hubbard (NM); T-Todd W. Fincher. *1/2 to Sippin (Swissle Stick), MSW, \$442,602; and to Two Stepper (Attila's Storm), SW, \$124,510.

3rd-Canterbury, \$34,000, (S), 9-2, (NW1X), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:12.61, ft, 1/2 length.

GENERAL BATTLE AXE (g, 3, Commissioner--Battle Axe, by War Front) Lifetime Record: SP, 14-2-4-3, \$95,927. O/B-Pete Mattson (MN); T-Tim P. Padilla.

1st-Canterbury, \$34,000, (S), 9-2, (NW1X), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:12.46, ft, nose.

CALL'EM ALL (f, 3, Dialed In--Congregation, by Hold Me Back) Lifetime Record: 7-2-3-0, \$66,300. O-John Mentz, Russell & Paul Sampson; B-Almar Farm, LLC (MN); T-McLean Robertson. *\$52,000 Ylg '22 MNSAUG; \$50,000 3yo '24 FTDAPR.



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7th-Presque Isle Downs, \$33,640, 9-2, (NW1X), 3yo/up, 1 1/16m (AWT), 1:43.82, ft, 1 length.

FORTUNE SELLER (g, 3, Kitten's Joy--Violinist, by Unbridled's Song) Lifetime Record: 11-2-0-3, \$82,859. O-Bella Mia Stables, LLC; B-Theta Holding 1 Inc (KY); T-Kevin Rice. *\$65,000 Ylg '22 KEEJAN.

6th-Ferndale, \$31,900, 9-1, 3yo/up, f/m, 5f, 1:00.48, ft, 3 lengths.

SMILING MOLLY (m, 5, Smiling Tiger--Jilted Lady, by Exchange Rate) Lifetime Record: 20-3-5-3, \$176,326. O-Hoof Pick Racing Partners, LLC; B-W. Morgan Fussell & Joseph Wisner (CA); T-D. Wayne Baker.

3rd-Presque Isle Downs, \$31,680, (S), 9-2, (NW1BX), 3yo/up, 1m 70y (AWT), 1:40.84, ft, 2 3/4 lengths.

SPY NOVEL (g, 4, Boisterous--Tribal Spy {GSW, \$314,174}, by Tribal Rule) Lifetime Record: 14-3-2-2, \$103,995. O-Kenneth L. Ramsey; B-Gary Barber (PA); T-Nolan Ramsey.

5th-Canterbury, \$30,500, (NW2X)/Opt. Clm (\$20,000), 9-2, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10.28, ft, 2 1/2 lengths.

HI YAH (g, 4, El Deal--Homestake, by Afleet Alex) Lifetime Record: 23-5-2-5, \$132,284. O-Tyler Bowen and James T. Williams; B-Cloyce C. Clark (LA); T-Matt Williams. *\$12,000 Ylg '21 OBSOCT; \$40,000 2yo '22 OBSAPR.

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3rd-Thistledown, \$29,700, 9-2, (NW2X), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10.42, ft, 3/4 length.

GUNNER BAY (g, 4, Gun Runner--Indian Bay, by Indian Charlie) Lifetime Record: 14-5-2-0, \$124,131. O-Lawana L. and Robert E. Low; B-Hinkle Farms (KY); T-Steve Margolis. *\$250,000 Ylg '21 KEESSEP. **1/2 to Shivaji (**First Samurai**), GSW & G1SP-Jpn, \$2,149,680; and to Tarabi (**First Samurai**), SW & MGISP, \$493,140.

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7th-Finger Lakes, \$26,500, 9-2, (NW2L), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:12.46, ft, 2 1/4 lengths.

COIN JAR (g, 3, Central Banker--Mystery Mix, by Awesome Again) Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-2, \$40,760. O/B-Windylea Farm-New York, LLC (NY); T-Jonathan B. Buckley.

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ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Sammy's a Givine, g, 2, **Klimt**--Givine (Fr) (SW & MGSP-USA, MSP-Fr, \$256,280), by Blackdown (Fr). Canterbury, 9-2, 7 1/2ft, 1:32.71. Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-0, \$20,130. B-Liberty Road Stables (KY). *\$1,000 Wlg '22 KEENOV; \$7,000 Ylg '23 OBSOCT. **1/2 to Mo Fox Givin (**Mo Town**), GSP, \$296,350.

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Diamond Empress, f, 2, **Outwork**--Finer Things, by Stormy Atlantic. Louisiana Downs, 9-2, (S), 5f (off turf), 1:00.00. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$15,840. B-Brandon Trosclair (LA). *\$45,000 Ylg '23 TTAYRL; \$57,000 RNA 2yo '24 TTAAPR.

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Jarama, g, 3, **Danzing Candy**--Myfourchix (SW, \$333,536), by Henny Hughes. Del Mar, 9-1, (S), (C), 6f, 1:10.73. Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-1, \$41,500. B-Dianne Bashor (CA).

Angel's Shadows, g, 3, **Giacomo**--Angels o' War, by War Power. Albuquerque, 9-2, 6f, 1:11.40. Lifetime Record: 10-1-1-3, \$27,773. B-Pinot Noir Stables & Mike Nyland (OR).

Aelfgar, g, 3, **Leofric**--Star Orchid, by Successful Appeal. Finger Lakes, 9-2, 1 1/16m, 1:48.18. Lifetime Record: SP, 13-1-4-3, \$83,195. B-ZBS Thoroughbreds LLC & **Leofric** Syndicate (NY). *1/2 to Orchid Party (Desert Party), SP, \$269,393; and to No Hayne No Gayne (Haynesfield), SW, \$366,221.

Daily Grind, c, 3, **Medaglia d'Oro**--Walk Close (GSW, \$294,458), by **Tapit**. Saratoga, 9-2, 1 1/8m, 1:52.61. Lifetime Record: 14-1-2-0, \$129,077. B-Lochlow Farm & Godolphin (KY). *\$1,350,000 Ylg '22 FTSAUG. **Full to Anneau d'Or, GISP, \$459,491.

Spite Lite, f, 3, **Speightster**--Patience Love, by Paddy O'Prado. Thistledown, 9-2, 6f, 1:12.46. Lifetime Record: 5-1-0-2, \$26,626. B-Jeffrey Pesot (KY). *\$18,000 Ylg '22 KEESSEP.

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Derby Street, c, 3, **Street Sense**--Glory and Power, by **Medaglia d'Oro**. Woodbine, 9-2, 1 1/4mT, 2:03.96. Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-0, \$33,093. B-Bonne Chance Farm LLC (KY). *\$700,000 Ylg '22 KEESSEP.

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Tour Jete, f, 3, **War Dancer**--Dancing Bay (MSP), by Sligo Bay (Ire). Saratoga, 9-2, (S), (C), 1 1/16mT, 1:44.41. Lifetime Record: 5-1-2-0, \$61,642. B-War Dancer LLC, Team Penney Racing & Carem Stables (NY). *1/2 to Pay for Peace (Silent Name {Jpn}), SW, \$102,567.

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Dialed In, Call'em All, f, 3, o/o Congregation, by Hold Me Back. ALW, 9-2, Canterbury

El Deal, Hi Yah, g, 4, o/o Homestake, by Afleet Alex. AOC, 9-2, Canterbury

Giacomo, Angel's Shadows, g, 3, o/o Angels o' War, by War Power. MSW, 9-2, Albuquerque

Good Magic, One Magic Philly, f, 3, o/o My Philly Girl, by Empire Maker. AOC, 9-2, Del Mar

Gun Runner, Gunner Bay, g, 4, o/o Indian Bay, by Indian Charlie. ALW, 9-2, Thistledown

Into Mischief, Show Card, f, 3, o/o Cognitive, by **Uncle Mo**. Tranquility Lake S., 9-2, Del Mar

Irish War Cry, Irish Hero, g, 3, o/o Gracie's Hero, by Great Notion. ALW, 9-2, Timonium

Irish War Cry, Spencerian, f, 4, o/o Cursive, by Straight Talking. ALW, 9-2, Timonium

Kitten's Joy, Fortune Seller, g, 3, o/o Violinist, by Unbridled's Song. ALW, 9-2, Presque Isle Downs

Klimt, Sammy's a Givine, g, 2, o/o Givine (Fr), by Blackdown (Fr). MSW, 9-2, Canterbury

Leofric, Aelfgar, g, 3, o/o Star Orchid, by Successful Appeal. MSW, 9-2, Finger Lakes

Leofric, Buttah, c, 2, o/o Salty Little Sis, by Chief Seattle. MSW, 9-2, Saratoga

Liam's Map, Winnin'onweekends, g, 4, o/o Whistling Straits, by Scat Daddy. AOC, 9-2, Parx Racing

Marking, Sambas Mark, g, 4, o/o Samba Queen, by Giant's Causeway. ALW, 9-2, Albuquerque

McKinzie, Chancer McPatrick, c, 2, o/o Bernadreamy, by Bernardini. GI Hopeful S., 9-2, Saratoga

Medaglia d'Oro, Daily Grind, c, 3, o/o Walk Close, by **Tapit**. MSW, 9-2, Saratoga

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No Nay Never, Cathal (Ire), c, 3, o/o Lucky At the Bay, by Lucky Pulpit. AOC, 9-1, Del Mar

Outwork, Diamond Empress, f, 2, o/o Finer Things, by Stormy Atlantic. MSW, 9-2, Louisiana Downs

Pavel, Pavel Is Appealing, f, 2, o/o Almost Guilty, by Distorted Humor. MSW, 9-2, Del Mar

Speightster, Spite Lite, f, 3, o/o Patience Love, by Paddy O'Prado. MSW, 9-2, Thistledown

Street Boss, Silent Rule, f, 3, o/o Modern Lady, by **Candy Ride (Arg)**. ALW, 9-2, Thistledown

Street Sense, Derby Street, c, 3, o/o Glory and Power, by **Medaglia d'Oro**. MSW, 9-2, Woodbine

Tapiture, No Chalk, m, 5, o/o Justleavemealone, by Speightstown. Arctic Queen S., 9-2, Finger Lakes

The Factor, Arami's Factor, f, 3, o/o Arami's Flatter, by Flatter. MSW, 9-2, Woodbine

The Grey Gatsby (Ire), Child of the Moon (Fr), f, 4, o/o Ma Preference (Fr), by American Post (GB). ALW, 9-2, Saratoga

Upstart, Prerequisite, f, 4, o/o Etsu, by Smart Strike. AOC, 9-2, Saratoga

Vancouver (Aus), He'spuregold, g, 6, o/o Smart N Classy, by Smart Strike. Red Bank S., 9-2, Monmouth

Vino Rosso, Skipwinyesterday, f, 2, o/o Roussalka, by Skipshot. MSW, 9-2, Canterbury

War Dancer, Tour Jete, f, 3, o/o Dancing Bay, by Sligo Bay (Ire). MCL, 9-2, Saratoga