

CROMWELL: 'IF YOU'RE NOT GROWING YOU'RE DYING AND I DON'T WANT TO LET THIS SLIP'



The TDN team visit Gavin Cromwell as he continues to grow his two-year-old numbers with a view to trading on | *Tattersalls Ireland*

By Brian Sheerin

If you really do reap what you sow, then Gavin Cromwell is set for a bumper harvest. A cool €1 million has been injected into the trainer's County Meath stable in the past year alone and the green shoots have already been sighted with the runners who were readied on the trainer's new five-furlong hill gallop burning up the track of late.

Important winners they were, too. Diego Ventura (Ire) (Mehmas {Ire}) has been snapped up by Wathnan Racing after scoring on debut at Naas while Gowran Park winner An Chorr Dubh (Ire) (Coulsty {Ire}) was purchased by American clients for another good six-figure sum.

Impressive business considering sending out winners on the level has been something of a side hustle for a man better associated with big-race success over jumps.

That narrative is beginning to change. Princess Yaiza (Ire) (Casamento {Ire}) was one of Cromwell's first flag-bearers on the Flat but it's what the stable has done with its two-year-olds in recent seasons that has grabbed people's attention the most.

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PUBLIC WELCOMED BY SOUTHWELL FOR CITY OF TROY GALLOP

Southwell Racecourse will be opening its doors for free to members of the public who wish to watch **City Of Troy** (*Justify*) in action on Friday, September 20.

The Aidan O'Brien-trained colt will undertake a racecourse gallop prior to heading to Del Mar for the Breeders' Cup Classic. American starting stalls and an as yet unconfirmed team of stable-mates will join City Of Troy at the Nottinghamshire track as he is put through his paces.

Mark Clayton, executive director at Southwell, has confirmed that racing fans wishing to attend will need to register for a free ticket to the event once arrangements have been finalised.

He said, "We have decided that on September 20, everybody will be welcome to come and watch City Of Troy.

"We haven't got the times yet of when he will gallop, but once we have that, we will release a statement with the relevant information.

"All of the public are welcome for free, they will just need to pre-register on our website."

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City Of Troy will leave Ballydoyle for a racecourse gallop at Southwell

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Robson Aguiar signing for the €800,000 Cathedral at the Arqana May Breeze-Up Sale earlier this year. The daughter of Too Darn Hot, a successful pinhook by Powerstown Stud, won at Lingfield on Wednesday. [Replay](#). | Zuzanna Lupa

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From just three runners in the juvenile department at Royal Ascot, Cromwell has scooped the 2021 Queen Mary with Quick Suzy (Ire) (Profitable {Ire}) while Snellen (Ire) (Expert Eye {GB}) landed the Chesham Stakes last season. His other runner at the royal meeting, Mighty Eiru (Ire) (Inns Of Court {Ire}), finished runner-up in this year's Queen Mary. So almost a clean sweep.

"The horses on the Flat have been huge for us," Cromwell says. "We have 20 two-year-olds this year and we're definitely going to go out and buy more than that for next year. Diego Ventura was brilliant. We expected him to nearly go and win at Naas on what he was showing us at home and thankfully he did."

"Listen, he cost 72 grand at the Tattersalls Ireland Breeze-Up Sale but he has obviously worked out. It was very simple dealing with Richard Brown and the Wathnan Racing team. Roger

O'Callaghan [Tally-Ho Stud] recommended the horse to us. He said that he hadn't got the best out of the horse for the breeze and that he wouldn't mind keeping a leg.

"When a vendor is willing to put his neck on the line on a horse, it can give that bit of confidence, so we ended up splitting the horse up three ways between myself, Roger and John Brennan."

He added, "I think there'll be loads of improvement in him. That's equally as important for our business. You need those horses to go on and do something for their new owners and thankfully we've a good track record with that. We sold Quick Suzy to Eclipse Thoroughbreds after she won

her maiden at the Curragh and she went on to land the Queen Mary. You'd be hoping that the likes of Diego Ventura and An Chorr Dubh go on and do what you think they can."



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Such deals have fuelled the development of Cromwell's yard from a simple 14-acre green field site to one of the most dynamic training facilities in the country. This bustling operation was hardly imaginable when Cromwell and his wife Kiva lived in a one-bedroom apartment above the original block of eight stables for the best part of a decade when shoeing rather than training winners kept bread on the table.

"I was probably very lucky that, when I was shoeing, I wasn't relying on training for an income," he says. "Not only could I live off my farrier business, but I could also put some of that money into getting the yard set up. I was training for a good few years before I actually paid myself a penny out of the training business.

"But I never set out to be a trainer at all. When I built the first eight stables, I was riding in point-to-points just as a bit of fun, and I said I wouldn't mind having a few pointers with a view towards selling them. I thought I had no chance of selling them but I knew that I'd have even less of a chance without a gallop so I bit the bullet and put in a two-and-a-half furlong round gallop. It's the biggest gallop that I could squeeze into the 14 acres. That's all I had for years but we trained Jer's Girl (Ire) (Jeremy {Ire}) and Espoir D'Allen (Fr) (Voix Du Nord {Fr}) off it so it mustn't have been too bad."

If Jer's Girl provided a launchpad for the soon-to-be 50-year-old's training career, Espoir D'Allen could be viewed as the horse who confirmed Cromwell's arrival at the top tier of National Hunt racing. However, it took Cromwell a little longer to see it that way.

"When I won the Champion Hurdle with Espoir D'Allen in 2019, I felt it was one that just fell my way," he shares. "The three big ones on the day--Apple's Jade, Laurina and Buveur D'air--didn't perform and I just felt it was a lucky win. I nearly got more of a kick out of Flooring Porter (Ire) (Yeats {Ire}) winning his second Stayers' Hurdle a couple of years back. I suppose he's what you would call a rags-to-riches horse because I bought him myself as a store at the Land Rover Sale for just five grand and I do think we did a brilliant job with him."

In many ways, Cromwell's meteoric rise flies in the face of the elitist fears for Irish National Hunt racing. Here is a man who has challenged the sport's establishment and his prize for pulling himself up by his bootstraps is that Horse Racing Ireland has proposed that he, along with Willie Mullins, Gordon Elliott and Henry de Bromhead, will not be allowed enter their horses in a total of 60 races next season.

The new series, which was designed to level the playing field of jumps racing in Ireland, has caused consternation within the training ranks and, with the situation likely to go legal, Cromwell is understandably keeping schtum. But you can venture that he is not happy. **Cont. p5**



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On the track, things have been chirpier. The stable is well on course to bettering last season's best-ever tally of 21 domestic Flat winners. It has been humming along similarly sweetly over jumps as well. A record 72 National Hunt wins were achieved last year and, with the new campaign in its infancy, there are 25 on the board already.

Those are healthy numbers. Yet Cromwell can't relax. Like many top sports people, it's that fear of failure that drives him out of the bed before 5am every morning to draw up plans for an army of dual-purpose warriors that he has fought so hard to assemble.

"I wouldn't even dream of taking a holiday now," he says. "We've a great system in place but, if something were to happen if I did go away, I'm not sure I could live with myself."

A fear of failure is not the only thing sustaining this place. There are other motives behind keeping busy.

"I don't drink," he shares. "Used to alright. I gave it up seven years ago and, as the fella says, I didn't give it up because I didn't like it. It was just a conscious decision that I made. I actually said I'd go off it for a week and here I am seven years later. I was just getting too busy with the training and the shoeing. I used to always love a few pints in the evenings and, when I was shoeing, you'd always go into the pub on the way home from work. But there were times when you'd overstay your welcome."

So would you say there has been a direct correlation between kicking the bottle and the upsurge in your success as a trainer?

"One hundred per cent. Look, there are some fellas who can do the two, and fair play to them, but I couldn't. The training was starting to go well when I was still drinking but, when I started to get really busy, I wasn't able to handle the two. When I gave up the drink, I noticed a major difference. The whole thing jumped a couple of levels. This job is all about making decisions. If things didn't go well, I used to blame myself and the drink.

"Now, you still might have made the same decision, but you'd just be in the horrors and you'd blame being hungover for doing something stupid. If I make a bad decision these days, it's a conscious decision and I've made it with a clear mind and I've nothing or nobody else to blame. It's a lot easier to get up in the morning and to make those decisions now as well."

He continued, "Listen, life can be very boring. You have a

different circle of friends to what you used to have and you don't get the same phone calls on a Friday evening. I don't miss it but, to be honest, I'd say it's one of the reasons why I keep myself so busy. Say if we have no runners on a Sunday afternoon or something, if I haven't something planned with the kids--Jake [12], Sophie [10] and Cameron [9]--I find it the longest, most boring day ever. I don't know how some people can work five days a week."

Luckily for Cromwell, there are no signs of the yard slowing down. In actual fact, things are set to crank up a notch. All of the big-named stars of the jumps are back in full training while plans are afoot for the trainer--along with his new buying team of Kevin and Anna Ross--to hit the yearling sales harder than ever over the coming weeks and months.

"There is definitely a bit more interest heading into the yearling sales," he reveals. "And, with the year that we're after having on the Flat, I might be a bit more ballsier in gathering up

a few more yearlings on spec. I have been buying them on spec over the past few years. We worry about getting different owners into them after we buy them. There are some owners who will take a leg in half a dozen yearlings and then there are others who might take a leg in one or two.

"Nearly all of the yearlings are bought with a view towards trading them on and I do explain that to anyone who gets involved. Really, if you want to get involved to go racing and have fun, it's probably the

wrong thing for you because, in an ideal world, you will only see the horse run once. And, if you do see the horse run a few times, the plan probably hasn't worked out."

He added, "To be fair to Kevin and Anna, they have been great since they came on board. The proof of their work is there for everyone to see this year. They bought very well. Any horse who has done anything, they've bought them. Mighty Eriu, Fiery Lucy (GB) (Without Parole {GB}) and An Chorr Dubh were all bought for less than 70 grand combined. It just shows that, when you do the work you can root out the good horses."

It has taken Cromwell years of back-breaking work to have built what is now a flourishing training business from scratch. And in his case, the old adage of 'if you're not moving forward, you get left behind,' certainly applies given the scale of investment to the yard.



Cromwell's Champion Hurdle winner Espoir D'Allen | Getty Images

Gavin Cromwell cont.

There is a stealthy seriousness to how he conducts business but it shouldn't be confused for coldness. Cromwell is just a man who prefers not to use two words when one will do and, while his arrival at the top tier of Irish racing came many years ago, it has taken much longer for the man himself to agree with such a statement.

"I am comfortable in my own skin but I would never have been a very confident person. When I started training first, the thoughts of talking to owners or even the press used to kill me. I never did any public speaking of any type and even as a kid at school, if there was a play or something, I'd be the fella hiding at the back. I've gained a lot of confidence in recent years."

He added, "Up until very recently, I was seen by many people just as Gordon Elliott's farrier who trained a few horses on the side. And to be honest, it probably took me a while to let go of the farrier business and dive into the training thing full-time. I still have to think like that because you have to be careful not to let things slip in this business. You are only ever as good as your last winner and I've seen it so many times that, when someone goes through a bad spell, things can go downhill very fast. I don't want to let this slip. This really is a game where, if you're not growing you're dying, so you need to keep the revs up the whole time."

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"That is not live yet and until that is confirmed, we won't be accepting bookings, but we are expecting arrangements to be confirmed ASAP, then it will go live on our website," Clayton continued. "We will look after everybody and what an occasion it will be for us."

O'Brien has previously galloped both Galileo (Ire) and Giant's Causeway at Southwell ahead of Breeders' Cup assignments and more recently Mick Appleby took last year's Breeders' Cup Juvenile Turf Sprint winner Big Evs (Ire) (Blue Point {Ire}) for a spin on the Tapeta all-weather track before his trip to Santa Anita.

Clayton added, "Who knows, it could be the last time we see City Of Troy on these shores and he's going off to try to do something special.

"Aidan O'Brien coming to Southwell is quite a unique experience and it only happens maybe once a decade, so it will be nice to make something of it.

"We're also hoping to entice Big Evs back to do a gallop before the Breeders' Cup like he did last year. Mick has mooted it to me but it is still to be confirmed."

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NEW GOFFS BREEZE-UP SALE CONFIRMED FOR IRISH DERBY WEEKEND 2025



Goffs chief executive Henry Beeby | Goffs

The new Goffs Breeze-up Sale will be held on Irish Derby weekend 2025, it was announced on Wednesday. The breeze will take place at Naas Racecourse on Thursday, June 26 ahead of the sale at Goffs before evening racing at the Curragh on Friday, June 27.

Previously announced for early-June, the later date for the Irish Derby Breeze-up Sale is intended to accommodate quality two-year-olds who may have missed an earlier sale. The increased likelihood of optimum ground conditions at that point in the summer was identified by Goffs as another reason behind the decision to push back the date, as well as the additional time for sales preparation it allows.

"The move to Irish Derby weekend follows further consultation with both buyers and vendors of breeze-up horses," said Goffs chief executive Henry Beeby. "In particular, I wish to acknowledge the Breeze-Up Consignors Association (BUCA) and their members whose feedback we have welcomed and carefully considered in our decision.

"As with all Goffs sales, we will work tirelessly alongside Irish Thoroughbred Marketing (ITM) to provide the best market for those vendors who support the sale. We are investing a huge amount of time and resource in delivering international buyers to Kildare Paddocks and that also applies to this new breeze-up sale. The added benefit of the Irish Derby Festival taking place on our doorstep in Kildare will only help this goal." [Cont. p7](#)

Goffs Breeze-up Sale cont.

In line with the Goffs Customer Loyalty Scheme, no vendor commission will apply for yearlings purchased at Goffs in Ireland or the UK this autumn when they are sold at the Irish Derby Breeze-up Sale.

Nominations for the Goffs Irish Derby Breeze-up Sale will be taken alongside those for the established Goffs UK Breeze-up Sale at Doncaster.

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this would be a fitting place to give her more experience and see whether she'd be up to something like that.”

Of the experienced rivals in the line-up, the G3 Princess Margaret Stakes runner-up **Betty Clover (GB)** (Time Test {GB}) and Newmarket nursery scorer **Magic Mild (GB)** (Havana Grey {GB}) set the standard, but not a high one. Isa Salman Al Khalifa's William Haggas-trained **Jewelry (Ire)** (**Wootton Bassett {GB}**) and Hambleton Racing's **Greydreambeliever (Ire)** (Dark Angel {Ire}) from the Karl Burke stable did enough on their respective debuts at Newbury and York to suggest they have the material for a race of his nature.

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JUDDMONTE'S TABITI BIDS TO CONTINUE MOMENTUM IN THE DICK POOLE



Tabiti | [Racingfotos.com](https://www.racingfotos.com)

By Tom Frary

Juddmonte's juveniles have already gone far in 2024 and another bids to enhance her reputation on Thursday as **Tabiti (GB)** (**Kingman {GB}**) tackles the G3 Ire-Incentive, It Pays To Buy Irish Dick Poole Fillies' Stakes at Salisbury. Impressive on debut over seven furlongs at Newmarket last month, the Ralph Beckett-trained half-sister to the G2 Linlithgow Stakes winner Old Flame (GB) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}) drops back in trip having missed the G3 Prestige Stakes when the rain came.

“Obviously Plan A was the Prestige a couple of weeks ago, but there was a lot of rain and the ground went too soft, so we decided to miss that and there's actually very little for her to run in for a while, hence we're dropping down a furlong for this,” Juddmonte's European racing manager Barry Mahon explained. “Ralph did deliberate long and hard before he ran her whether to start her at six, so he felt she had plenty of speed. We had half an eye on the [Sept. 27 G2] Rockfel and there was nowhere else to give her more experience before then, so we thought

FIRST-SEASON SIRES WITH RUNNERS

Thursday, September 5, 2024:

UNITED KINGDOM

Earthlight (Ire) (Shamardal), Kildangan Stud
113 foals of racing age/10 winners/1 black-type winner
15:10-HAYDOCK PARK, 7f, **Feeraas (Ire)**
€150,000 Goffs Orby Yearling Sale (Book 1) 2023
17:55-WOLVERHAMPTON, 6f, **Addarella (Ire)**
£20,000 Goffs UK 2yo Breeze Up Sale 2024

Far Above (Ire) (Farhh {GB}), Starfield Stud
83 foals of racing age/6 winners/0 black-type winners
15:30-LINGFIELD PARK, 6f, **This Farh (GB)**

Fighting Irish (Ire) (**Camelot {GB}**), Haras d'Annebault
11 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners
17:55-WOLVERHAMPTON, 6f, **Elisabet (Fr)**

Ghaiyyath (Ire) (Dubawi {Ire}), Kildangan Stud
101 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners
14:50-SALISBURY, 8f, **Nighttime Dancer (Ire)**
110,000gns Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2022
16:05-NEWBURY, 7f, **Split Silk (GB)**
70,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2023

Hello Youmzain (Fr) (Kodiac {GB}), Haras d'Etreham
110 foals of racing age/9 winners/0 black-type winners
15:10-HAYDOCK PARK, 7f, **Veydari (Ire)**
38,000gns Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2022; 58,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2023; 200,000gns Tattersalls Craven Breeze Up Sale 2024



Sands Of Mali | Ballyhane Stud

Legends of War (Scat Daddy), March Hare Stud
14 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners
15:30-LINGFIELD PARK, 6f, **Dios de La Guerra (GB)**

Mohaather (GB) (Showcasing {GB}), Beech House Stud
96 foals of racing age/13 winners/2 black-type winners
16:05-NEWBURY, 7f, **Rikissa (GB)**
16:05-NEWBURY, 7f, **Suhub (GB)**

Rumble Inthejungle (Ire) (Bungle Inthejungle {GB}), Norman Court Stud
23 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners
17:55-WOLVERHAMPTON, 6f, **Hint of Humour (GB)**
1,000gns RNA Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 4) 2023

Sands of Mali (Fr) (Panis), Ballyhane Stud
98 foals of racing age/12 winners/1 black-type winner
15:10-HAYDOCK PARK, 7f, **Pietro (Ire)**
€50,000 Goffs November Foal Sale 2022; £24,000 Goffs UK Premier Yearling Sale 2023; £40,000 Goffs UK 2yo Breeze Up Sale 2024

Sergei Prokofiev (Scat Daddy), Whitsbury Manor Stud
121 foals of racing age/15 winners/2 black-type winners
17:10-NEWBURY, 6f, **Seraphim Angel (GB)**
16,000gns Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2022; 24,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 3) 2023

Shaman (Ire) (Shamardal), Yeomanstown Stud
104 foals of racing age/8 winners/0 black-type winners
15:40-HAYDOCK PARK, 8f, **King Casper (Ire)**
£26,000 Goffs UK Premier Yearling Sale 2023

Sottsass (Fr) (Siyouni {Fr}), Coolmore Stud
98 foals of racing age/2 winners/0 black-type winners
15:40-HAYDOCK PARK, 8f, **Caledonian (GB)**
95,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2023

War of Will (War Front), Claiborne Farm
113 foals of racing age/7 winners/0 black-type winners
14:50-SALISBURY, 8f, **Battle Stride**
\$100,000 RNA Keeneland Association November Breeding Stock Sale 2022; \$72,000 RNA Fasig-Tipton Kentucky Select Yearling Sale 2023; \$50,000 Fasig-Tipton Kentucky Fall Yearling Sale 2023; €100,000 Arqana May 2yo Breeze Up 2024

Without Parole (GB) (Frankel {GB}), Newsells Park Stud
53 foals of racing age/8 winners/0 black-type winners
14:50-SALISBURY, 8f, **Emily Rebecca (GB)**
14,000gns Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2022; 42,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 1) 2023

Wooded (Ire) (Wootton Bassett {GB}), Haras de Bouquetot
80 foals of racing age/5 winners/0 black-type winners
14:50-SALISBURY, 8f, **Orchard (Fr)**
€20,000 Arqana Deauville October Yearlings 2023; €60,000 Arqana May 2yo Breeze Up 2024

OBSERVATIONS

on the European racing scene

SALISBURY DEBUT FOR QATAR RACING'S SISTER TO KAMEKO

15.20 Salisbury, Mdn, £40,000, 2yo, f, 6f 213yT
KINGSCLERE (Kitten's Joy) comes to the races with a lot of baggage, being a homebred full-sister to Qatar Racing's G1 2,000 Guineas and G1 Futurity Trophy-winning sire Kameko and sporting the name of trainer Andrew Balding's historic stable. Among her rivals is Nurlan Bizakov's similarly unraced **Gulya (Ire) (Night Of Thunder {Ire})** from the Roger Varian yard who is out of a full-sister to the G1 Irish 2,000 Guineas-winning sire Romanised (Ire).

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Observations cont.

16.05 Newbury, Debutantes, £12,000, 2yo, f, 7ft
SUHUB (GB) (Mohaather {GB}), who was withdrawn from her intended debut at Newmarket last month, is eventually launched by William Haggas in this fascinating newcomers' affair. Shadwell's first foal out of their G1 Falmouth Stakes and G1 Sun Chariot Stakes heroine Nazeef (GB) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}) meets a notable Richard Hannon representative in **Gigi Bliss (Ire) (Galileo {Ire})**, Westerberg's daughter of the G2 Mill Reef Stakes runner-up Perfect Angel (Ire) (Dark Angel {Ire}) and half-sister to the impressive debut scorer Minnetonka (Ire) (**Kingman {GB}**). Another of note is Mike and Michelle Morris's **Ornately (GB) (Kingman {GB})**, a William Haggas-trained daughter of the G1 Moyglare Stud Stakes heroine Intricately (Ire) (Fastnet Rock {Aus}).

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HOW THEY FARED

14.40 Lingfield, Debutantes, £6,300, 2yo, f, 6f (AWT)
Cathedral (GB) (Too Darn Hot {GB}), Amo Racing's €800,000 joint-top-priced filly at the Arqana May Breeze-Up, made an impressive start to her career with an authoritative win.

19.30 Kempton, Novice, £9,900, 2yo, 7f (AWT)

Byblos (GB) (Frankel {GB}), Juddmonte's half-brother to the G1 Irish 2,000 Guineas and G1 Phoenix Stakes hero Siskin (First Defence), was a slow learner on this racecourse bow but made significant late headway to be fourth.

BRITAIN

Wednesday's Results:

3rd-Kempton, £9,900, Novice, 9-4, 2yo, 6f (AWT), 1:12.53, st/sl.
DASH DIZZY (IRE) (c, 2, Wootton Bassett {GB})--Dream The Blues {Ire}, by Oasis Dream {GB}), a half-sister to Scat Daddy's G1 Phoenix Stakes and G2 Norfolk Stakes-winning sire **Sioux Nation**, had been third on debut behind TDN Rising Star Powerful Glory (Ire) (Cotai Glory {GB}) at Pontefract last month and put that experience to full use by seizing the early lead. Too strong throughout, the 17-2 shot hit the line with 2 1/4 lengths to spare over I Maximus (GB) (Zoustar {Aus}). Alongside **Sioux Nation**, the dam who is a daughter of the G3 Ballyogan Stakes winner and G1 Haydock Sprint Cup-placed Catch The Blues (Ire) (Bluebird) has also produced Ballydoyle's triple listed-placed Alabama (Ire) (**No Nay Never**). She was bred to **Justify** in 2024. Sales history: €300,000 Ylg '23 ARAUG. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$10,419. O-Nurlan Bizakov; B-Fethard Bloodstock (IRE); T-Charlie Johnston.

4th-Kempton, £9,900, Novice, 9-4, 2yo, 7f (AWT), 1:25.67, st/sl.
THE FINGAL RAVEN (IRE) (c, 2, Mehmas {Ire})--Chupalla {GB}, by Helmet {Aus}), only eighth in a six-furlong maiden at the Goodwood Festival in July, shadowed the early leader. In command from two out, the 4-1 second favourite stretched out to score by 3 1/4 lengths from One More (Ire) (**No Nay Never**). The dam, who was impressive on her debut here in 2016, is a half to the dual group 3 winner and Derby runner-up Dee Ex Bee (GB) (Farhh {GB}) and a daughter of Dubai Sunrise (Seeking The Gold) who is a full-sister to Dubai Millennium (GB). Sales history: 72,000gns Ylg '23 TATOCT. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-1, \$7,869. O-Dominic Griffiths and David Kavanagh; B-Tally Ho Stud (IRE); T-Jamie Osborne.

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7th-Southwell, £7,300, Novice, 9-4, 3yo/up, f/m, 7f 14y (AWT), 1:25.84, st.

AL KHAUSSAA (IRE) (f, 3, Night Of Thunder {Ire}--Platinum Pearl {GB}, by Shamardal), third on debut at Kempton last month, shadowed the early leader Melon Twist (GB) (Showcasing {GB}) in second. Taking over approaching the furlong pole, the 8-11 favourite asserted to beat that rival by 1 3/4 lengths. The dam, whose first foal was the listed scorer Invitational (GB) (Poet's Voice {GB}), is connected to the Listed National Stakes winner and G2 Queen Mary Stakes-placed Maria Branwell (Ire) (James Garfield {Ire}). She also has the unraced 2-year-old filly The New Bay Pearl (GB) (New Bay {GB}) and a yearling filly by Showcasing (GB). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$6,185.

O-Ziad A Galadari; B-Galadari Sons Stud Company Limited (IRE); T-Roger Varian.

2nd-Kempton, £7,000, Novice, 9-4, 3yo/up, f/m, 11f 219y (AWT), 2:40.10, st/sl.

RUSSIAN CRESCENDO (GB) (f, 3, Cracksman {GB}--Russian Finale {GB}, by Dansili {GB}), a well-beaten fourth on debut here in July, sauntered to the leader's girth after the break and was happy to sit there until two out. Steadily asserting from there, the 5-2 favourite stayed on to score comfortably by 1 1/2 lengths from Nowhere (GB) (Nathaniel {Ire}). The dam, whose first foal was the G3 Princess Elizabeth Stakes scorer Bashkirova (GB) (Pivotal {GB}), is also responsible for the G3 Prix Belle de Nuit runner-up Royal Mila (GB) (Nathaniel {Ire}). She is a daughter of the G1 1,000 Guineas, G1 Coronation Stakes, G1 Nassau Stakes and G1 Lockinge Stakes-winning European champion Russian Rhythm (Kingmambo), whose daughters generally failed to set any pulses racing on the track but who have proven smart producers in their own right. As a result, Russian Rhythm is the second dam of the group winners Potapova (GB) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}), Marenko (GB) (Exceed And Excel {Aus}), Zonderland (GB) (Dutch Art {GB}), Spangled (GB) (Starspangledbanner {Aus}) and Good Guess (GB) (Kodiac {GB}), with the latter the winner of the G1 Prix Jean Prat. Russian Finale's unraced 2-year-old filly Finalise (GB) is by Masar (Ire), while her yearling colt by Pinatubo (Ire) is due to sell at the upcoming Tattersalls October Book 1. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$5,407.

O-Cheveley Park Stud; B-Cheveley Park Stud Limited (GB); T-William Haggas.

3rd-Lingfield, £6,300, Mdn, 9-4, 2yo, f, 6f 1y (AWT), 1:12.10, st.
CATHEDRAL (GB) (f, 2, Too Darn Hot {GB}--War And Peace {GB}, by Frankel {GB}), the €800,000 joint-top-priced filly at the

Arqana May Breeze-Up, was all the rage beforehand and started as the 1-2 favourite. Tracking the strong early pace under David Egan, the granddaughter of the G1 Matron Stakes heroine Emulous (GB) (Dansili {GB}) was launched from the top of the straight and brushed aside Warm Summer (Ire) (Blue Point {Ire}) passing the furlong pole en route to an authoritative 4 1/4-length success. Entered in next weekend's G1 Moyglare Stud Stakes, the winner is the fourth foal out of the unraced dam, whose third is the recent G3 Ballyogan Stakes runner-up Firebird (GB) (Lope De Vega {Ire}). The aforementioned Emulous produced the current Juddmonte luminary Bluestocking (GB) (Camelot {GB}), heroine of the G1 Pretty Polly Stakes who was runner-up in the G1 King George VI And Queen Elizabeth Stakes, G1 Irish Oaks and G1 British Champions Fillies & Mares Stakes. War And Peace's yearling colt is by Showcasing (GB), while she also has a colt foal by Pinatubo (Ire). Sales history: 110,000gns Ylg '23 TATOCT; €800,000 2yo '24 ARQBRU. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$4,357.

O-Amo Racing Limited; B-Exors of the Late Sir Robert Ogden (GB); T-Ralph Beckett.

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1st-Southwell, £6,300, Mdn, 9-4, 2yo, f, 8f 13yT, 1:41.20, st.

SECRET OF LOVE (GB) (f, 2, Sea The Moon {Ger}--So In Love {GB} {MSP-Fr}, by Smart Strike), sixth over seven furlongs on debut behind Thursday's G3 Dick Poole Stakes protagonist Tabiti (GB) (Kingman {GB}) at Newmarket last month, lined up as the 85-40 second favourite and quickly held an advantage over her only rival Cardinal Point (GB) (Dubawi {Ire}). Never in any danger, the homebred hit the line with 3 1/2 lengths to spare over that 1-3 market-leader to win the match decisively. The triple listed-placed dam produced the useful 3-year-old colt Sons And Lovers (GB) (Study of Man {Ire}), who was third in the G3 Craven Stakes and three other listed contests. Also responsible for a foal full-brother to that runner, she is a daughter of the listed winner Soft Morning (GB) (Pivotal {GB}) who is kin to the G1 Oaks d'Italia third Souvenance (GB) (Hernando {Fr}) and her G3 Prix des Reservoirs-winning full-sister Songerie (GB). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$5,131.

O/B-Miss K Rausing (GB); T-Andrew Balding.

CONDITIONS RESULTS:

1st-Hamilton, £8,900, 9-4, 2yo, 5f 7yT, 1:01.25, hy.

INVINCIBLE ANNICE (IRE) (f, 2, Invincible Spirit {Ire}--Mokhtarrah {Ire}, by Dark Angel {Ire}) Lifetime Record: 8-2-2-0, \$25,915. O-Nick Bradley Racing 5 & E Burke; B-Saoirse Trading & Irish National Stud (IRE); T-Karl Burke. *25,000gns Wlg '22 TADEWE; 50,000gns Ylg '23 TATOCT.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Obsidian Dream (GB), g, 2, **Mohaather (GB)**--Itiqad (GB), by Makfi (GB). Bath, 9-4, 5f 160yT, 1:11.03. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$4,357. B-Houghton-Cranford Partnership (GB). *6,000gns Ylg '23 TATOCT; £3,500 2yo '24 GOUKB.

Winston's Tipple (Ire), g, 3, **Churchill (Ire)**--Merry Me (Ire) (GSP-Ger, MSP-Eng), by Invincible Spirit (Ire). Lingfield, 9-4, 10f (AWT), 2:07.79. Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-2, \$12,101. B-Fitri Hay (IRE).

FRANCE

Wednesday's Results:

5th-Lyon-Parilly, €23,000, Cond, 9-4, 2yo, 1350mT, 1:26.27, sf. **OCEAN TREATY (GB)** (f, 2, **Kingman {GB}**--**Peace Charter {GB}** {MGSP-Ire}, by **War Front**), disappointing when down the field at Vichy in July, raced towards the rear of the main group. Given time to build her effort in the straight, the 5-1 shot stayed on to overhaul Valmacca (Fr) (Ribchester {GB}) close home and prevail by a short neck. The winner is the first foal out of the G2 Balanchine Stakes and G3 Coolmore Stud Juvenile Fillies Sprint Stakes-placed dam, a daughter of the GI Ashland Stakes, GI Spinster Stakes, GI American Oaks and GI Rodeo Drive Stakes heroine Emollient (Empire Maker) and half to the G2 Prix de Malleret winner Raclette (GB) (**Frankel {GB}**). Also connected to **Tapit's** GI Belmont Stakes-placed Hofburg, fellow sire Courtier (Pioneerof The Nile) and the G1 Dubai World Cup hero Laurel River (Into Mischief), her yearling filly is by **Frankel (GB)**, while she also has a filly foal by **Uncle Mo** and has been bred to **Curlin**. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, €14,500.

O-Juddmonte; B-Juddmonte Farms Ireland Ltd (GB); T-Henri-Francois Devin.

CONDITIONS RESULTS:

7th-Lyon-Parilly, €22,000, 9-4, 3yo, 8fT, 1:39.82, g/s. **THOR LIGHTNING (FR)** (c, 3, **Toronado {Ire}**--**Connivence {Fr}**, by **Motivator {GB}**) Lifetime Record: 11-3-3-1, €54,550. O-Thomas Jander; B-Elevage Pierre Levesque & Ecurie Thomas Levesque (FR); T-Stefan Richter. *€8,000 Ylg '22 AROCT; €14,000 HRA '23 ARJUL.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Hypercore (GB), c, 3, **Inns Of Court (Ire)**--Hypocristique (Ire), by High Chaparral (Ire). Lyon-Parilly, 9-4, 8 1/2fT, 2:13.52. B-Hypocristique Partnership (GB). *1,500gns RNA Wlg '21 TAFOA; €10,000 Ylg '22 ARSEP.

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Tuesday's Result:

KOZUKATA SHO (Jpn-G2)-Listed (NAR), ¥70,000,000, Morioka, 9-3, 3yo, 2000m, 2:03.20, yl.

1--**SUNRISE ZIPANGU (JPN)**, 123, c, 3, by **Kizuna (Jpn)**

1st Dam: **Saimaa (Ire) (SP-Fr, \$73,608)**, by **Zoffany (Ire)**

2nd Dam: **Serisia (Fr)**, by **Exit to Nowhere**

3rd Dam: **Seralia (GB)**, by **Royal Academy**

(¥64,000,000 Ylg '22 JRHAJUL). O-Life House; B-Oiwake Farm (Jpn); T-Hidetaka Otonashi; J-Yutaka Take; ¥40,000,000.

Lifetime Record: 9-3-1-1, ¥94,769,000. *Half to Gran Cielo (Jpn) (Heart's Cry {Jpn}), SP-Jpn, \$262,876. **Werk Nick Rating:**

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2--**Kashima Espada (Jpn)**, 123, c, 3, by Hokko Tarumae (Jpn)--

Kashima Samidare (Jpn), by Sinister Minister. O-Kazuhiisa Matsuura; B-Adachi Farm (Jpn); ¥14,000,000.

3--**Satono Phoenix (Jpn)**, 123, c, 3, by Henny Hughes--Mermaid

Tiara (Jpn), by Symboli Kris S. O-Hajime Satomi; B-Shimokobe Farm (Jpn); ¥8,000,000.

Margins: 3, 4, 6. Odds: 2.20, 0.80, 5.90.

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2	Dream Voyage (GB)	Kingman (GB)	Mr V. I. Araci	Hugo Palmer	David Probert	128
3	Greydreambeliever (Ire)	Dark Angel (Ire)	Hambleton Racing Ltd XXXV & E Burke	K. R. Burke	Clifford Lee	128
4	Handcuffed (GB)	Dark Angel (Ire)	HM The King & HM The Queen	Andrew Balding	Oisin Murphy	128
5	Jewelry (Ire)	Wootton Bassett (GB)	Isa Salman Al Khalifa	William Haggas	Tom Marquand	128
6	Magic Mild (GB)	Havana Grey (GB)	Jayar Investments	Clive Cox	Rossa Ryan	128
7	Miss Fascinator (Ire)	Mehmas (Ire)	Newsells Park Stud-Ardiles/Brazil/Hoddle	Roger Varian	Silvestre De Sousa	128
8	Santa Savana (GB)	Havana Grey (GB)	Whitsbury Manor Stud and Mrs M. E. Slade	Rod Millman	P. J. McDonald	128
9	Tabiti (GB)	Kingman (GB)	Juddmonte	Ralph Beckett	Ryan Moore	128
10	Troia (GB)	Kingman (GB)	Fittocks Stud & Andrew Bengough	Ed Walker	Saffie Osborne	128

Breeders: 1-Eve Johnson Houghton, 2-V. I. Araci, 3-J. Lenihan, 4-Queen Elizabeth II, 5-Coolmore, 6-Whitsbury Manor Stud, 7-Stephen Sullivan, 8-Whitsbury Manor Stud and Mrs M. E. Slade, 9-Juddmonte Farms Ltd, 10-Fittocks Stud & Andrew Bengough

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SIENA FARM LEGACY ON DISPLAY AT KEENELAND SEPTEMBER



A **Gun Runner** filly out of MGSW Isabella Sings heads Siena Farm's Keeneland September consignment this year | *Siena Farm*

by *Christina Bossinakis*

Siena Farm has been a regular player at the Keeneland sales over the years, and the upcoming September Yearling Sale will prove no different. Offering 17 yearlings in total, including a trio in Book 1 and an additional five in Book 2, the operation offers yet another group steeped in black-type and sire power.

Consigned by Taylor Made Sales (Agent XXV), Siena is represented by **Hip 88**, a **Gun Runner** filly out of MGSW Isabella Sings (Eskendereya). The half-sister to SW Alaura Michele (Arch) is already responsible for listed winner Otello (**Curlin**). A colt by Into Mischief out of Isabella Sings brought \$650,000 at Keeneland last September.

"We are very impressed with the Isabella Sings filly," said Siena Farm's COO Ryan Smith. "We've been pleasantly surprised with how well she moves and how good she looks. She has been presenting herself very well at the farm. We've had people come by and see her ahead of the sale, and they've been impressed too. I think if she shows how she has been, she'll do very well. We've heard that among Gun Runners, she stacks up very well. We have high hopes right now."

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BREEDING DIGEST: BERNARDINI MARES

DOUBLE UP AT THE SPA by *Chris McGrath*

It's easier to identify the phenomenon of a broodmare sire than to account for it. But we certainly have a modern marvel of the genre in Bernardini, whose posthumous consolidation of what had been an exceptionally precocious emergence in this sphere reached a fresh peak as the Saratoga summer drew to a close. On Saturday, one of his daughters produced Immersive (**Nyquist**) to win the GI Spinaway Stakes; and on Monday another Bernardini mare gave us Chancer McPatrick (**McKinzie**) to achieve a reciprocal status among the crop's colts in the GI Hopeful Stakes. Moreover the final weekend at the Spa also showed how distaff influence will continue to expand long after a sire's exit.

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Brian Sheerin speaks to County Meath trainer Gavin Cromwell about his evolving business model after he sold a pair of two-year-old debut winners for big money in recent weeks.



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Senza Parole, a daughter of Three Chimneys Farm's Gun Runner, was impressive in her near eight-length winning debut in Saratoga. The Don Alberto homebred's trainer Chad Brown said she is likely pointing to the GI Frizette Stakes. [Click here](#) to learn more about this 'TDN Rising Star.' | Sarah Andrew

7 | SHANNON ARVIN JOINS TDN WRITERS' ROOM PODCAST

It's about to be uber-busy season at Keeneland. The fall meet begins Oct. 4. But first there is the annual extravaganza that is the Keeneland September sale. That begins Sept. 9 and more than 4,000 horses are in the catalogue. The sale and the upcoming racing meet were among the topics of discussion when Keeneland CEO and President Shannon Arvin joined the TDN Writers' Room Podcast.

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The stewards at Charles Town Races on Wednesday issued a ruling that will not impose penalties against the licensure of trainer Justin Nixon after deeming that a "trace level" of a cocaine metabolite detected in a winning first-time starter he trained in March was the result of "inadvertent exposure" to that drug.



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Up At Dawn | Siena Farm

Also featured on the sale's opening day is **Hip 96**, a colt by **Constitution** out of unraced Joyful Addiction, herself a daughter of GI Vanity winner My Sweet Addiction (Tiznow) and a granddaughter of GISW Healthy Addiction (Boston Harbor). The 6-year-old **Munnings** mare, who was purchased for \$150,000 at Fasig-Tipton November Sale in 2022, produced this colt the following season and followed by with a **Life Is Good** filly this year.

"We're very excited about [the **Constitution** colt]," affirmed Smith. "Constitution's big crops are finally starting to come up after his early success."

"We are also extremely pleased with Joyful Addiction. She is a young mare that we got her two years ago and [the foals] she's produced has been a physical standout."

He added, "We're pleased with how he's developed, but he's also one that stood out as a foal."

Rounding out Book 1's trio is **Hip 276**, a filly by **Justify**. The Apr. 22 foal is out of Up At Dawn (**Uncle Mo**), a half-sister to GSWs Mr Freeze (To Honor and Serve), Dilemma (Grand Slam) and Heavenly Ransom (Red Ransom), in addition to Zayanna, herself the dam of Grade I winner Wicked Whisper and Grade II scorer Point of Honor.

"She has been doing really well," Smith confirmed. "I think the Isabella Sings filly has been taking some of the spotlight, but this filly has been looking good too. She has started to really improve over the past few weeks as she has started getting further into the prep. So we're also excited for her."

Making up the consignment's Book 2 offerings are **Hip 381**, a filly by **Constitution** out of Dear Elaine; **Hip 456**, a colt by **Gun Runner** out of GSP Island Saint; **Hip 533**, a filly by **Good Magic** out of My Sugar; **Hip 731**, a **Twirling Candy** filly out of Brabble and **Hip 932**, a filly by **City of Light** out of GSP Private Ensign.



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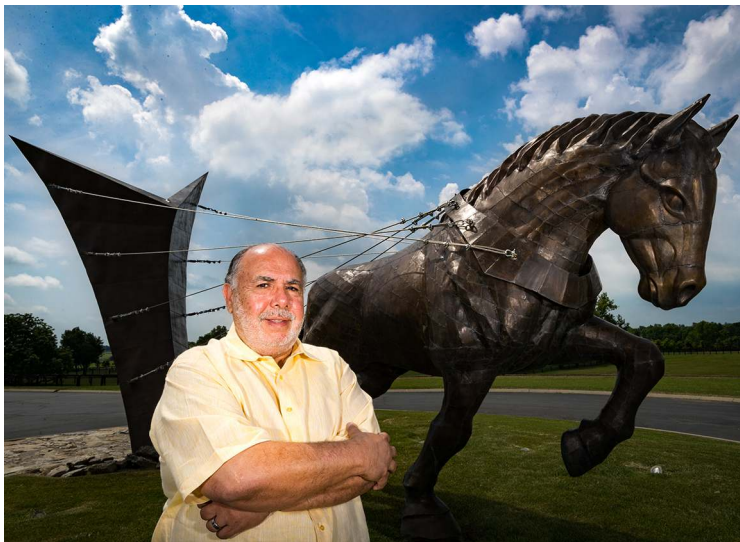
“The **Constitution** filly has been one that we have always liked and even more so now,” he said of the Dear Elaine filly.

In regard to Hip 456, he added, “The **Gun Runner** colt was a bit behind. But he's growing up now and has put on the size that's needed. He was always a bit on the small side as the mare's foals had been. Fortunately, he's found his groove and put on more weight and muscle as we get closer to the sale.”

Asked about this season's September consignment on a whole, Smith said, “We are pretty comfortable with the placement of these horses. We've always been happy with Keeneland and we believe that it is the best place to bring these yearlings at this stage.”

“Sometimes you have to hold on to some of these. But realistically, if we have to hold on to somebody, it's because we want to take a shot racing them. We stand behind our horses.”

Siena Embarks on a New Era...



Anthony Manganaro co-founded Siena Farm with David Pope and Nacho Patino | EquiSport

It's an understatement of epic proportions to say that Siena Farm and its founder, Anthony Manganaro, are well known in the Thoroughbred industry. However, the same can't necessarily be said about the farm's 30-year-old Chief Operating Officer, Ryan Smith.

A member of the Siena team for over seven years, Smith, who is from upstate New York, assumed the mantle of COO in April of 2023 at the age of 29, however, unbeknownst to him, however, he was on the precipice of facing his most challenging test since taking the reins. Later that August, Manganaro passed away unexpectedly at the age of 79.

“It was very difficult on everybody involved,” Smith said. “It is shocking that a whole year has gone by.”

The troupes, including Siena co-founder Ignacio 'Nacho' Patino, rallied and over the course of the past year to make the best of

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“It's really been a learning experience,” Smith said. “We've been fortunate to have help from Anthony's son, Todd. He's been tremendously helpful and supportive throughout this time. I am really fortunate that Nacho has been here forever. I didn't have a lot of time in this position before Anthony passed away, so I was sort of thrown into it. One thing Anthony used to always say is, 'You really don't learn how to drive until you are driving the car by yourself.' I think that's been the case this past year.”

Only three days removed from the one-year anniversary of Manganaro's passing (Aug. 20, 2023), Caitlinhergrtness (Omaha Beach), co-owned by Siena and WinStar Farm, won Woodbine's King's Plate Stakes--the first jewel in Canada's Triple Crown. One day later, Mullikin (*Violence*), racing for the same partnership, annexed the GI Forego Stakes at Saratoga.



Caitlinhergrtness winning last month's King's Plate for partners Siena and WinStar | Michael Burns

In tandem with WinStar, Siena also campaigns last year's GI Champagne winner and millionaire Timberlake (Into Mischief), who won this season's GII Rebel Stakes. Additionally, Siena owns a piece of MGSW Messier (Empire Maker), victorious in the GIII Westchester Stakes in May.

“It wasn't by design initially but it then became by design,” Smith said with a laugh when asked about Siena's increasing number of horses raced in partnership over time. “It just makes so much sense for us, especially when we had so much else going on. The team at WinStar is so incredibly talented and experienced, not only at selecting horses but also managing them. It's been a well-suited partnership partner for us.”

According to Smith, Siena currently owns five horses of racing age independently, however, the bulk of their horse in training (50-80 depending on the time of year) are raced in partnership.

“The number we own by ourselves is smaller than it used to be



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in previous years,” he explained. “The rest are with the partnerships, primarily with WinStar. It’s a formula that works.”

“In most of the scenarios that we were racing horses 100%, it was with horses we bred. Horses we thought either we wanted to keep them in the broodmare band or maybe somebody we didn’t get sold and we thought it just made sense to take a shot with them.”

Campaigned by Siena and trainer Tim Hamm, Siena homebred Dayoutoftheoffice (Into Mischief), the winner of the 2020 GI



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Frizette Stakes, sold to Japanese interests for \$2.85 million at the Fasig-Tipton November Sale in 2021.

“At time we have also opted to keep some of our fillies from our more accomplished mares, but it also made more economic sense to sell some others along the way like Dayoutoftheoffice.”

How has Siena’s breeding operation evolved with time?

“Over the past few years, we’ve been focusing a bit more on purchasing younger mares that showed some speed on the track and that had a bit stronger pedigrees to compliment the unraced or lightly-raced fillies that we already had in our broodmare band.”

According to Smith, the operation currently has approximately 30 head. However, that is about to change. Smith confirmed that the Siena mares will be dispersed at Keeneland in November.

“We will sell with Taylor Made under a common property line Siena Farm dispersal,” he said. “We have grouped the mares as best we can within the books. We want to make it easy for breeders to find what they want.”

Pointing to some of the mares that will head to the ring this fall, he added, “We have a couple of nice mares, including Night on the Town (**Street Sense**) and Medaglia Mo, that we’ll offer in November. We feel like we’ve assembled a strong group of mares.”

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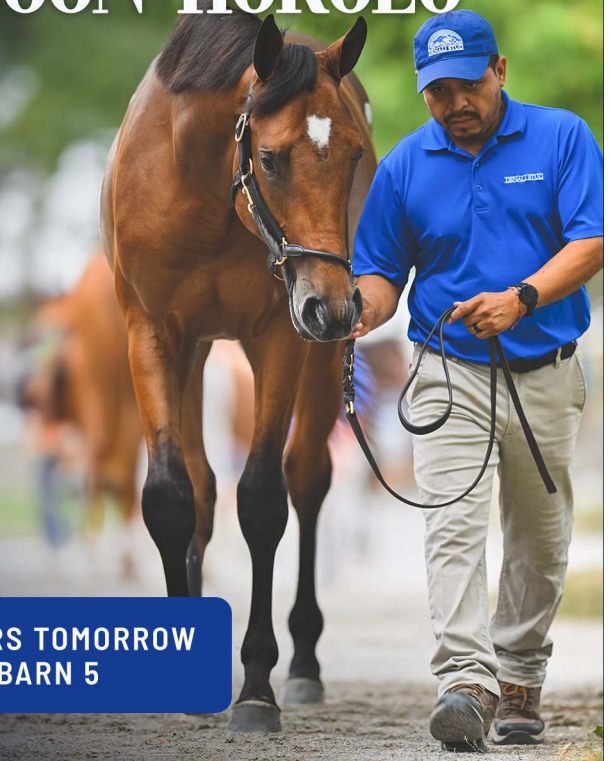
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Additionally, the remaining foals of this season--approximately 25--will be sold in 2025 to wrap up the breeding arm of the Siena operation.

"We have a really nice group of foals this season and we felt it made more sense for them and for us to sell them next year as yearlings. We are excited about this group," he explained.

Early in August, the 262-acre farm was listed for sale and will remain the base of operations until its sale.

"The farm has not been sold yet," Smith confirmed. "We will stay here as long as we can until it sells with the yearlings. If somebody purchases it before next summer, then we will board the yearlings for the period of time and after that we'd just be a racing operation."

Asked about what comes next for Siena, Smith said, "In the short term, we are going to continue to do things as we have been. We'll get these yearlings to the sale and then focus on getting the mares ready for November. It's the right time for us and would also be a good time for somebody looking to get started before the new year begins."

"The long-term plan is to pull back and focus on being a racing operation only and not having a breeding operation."

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SHANNON ARVIN JOINS TDN WRITERS' ROOM PODCAST

It's about to be uber-busy season at Keeneland. The fall meet begins Oct. 4. But first there is the annual extravaganza that is the Keeneland September sale. That begins Sept. 9 and more than 4,000 horses are in the catalogue.



The sale and the upcoming racing meet were among the topics of discussion when Keeneland CEO and President Shannon Arvin joined the TDN Writers' Room Podcast presented by Keeneland.



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Arvin is expecting that this will be a strong sale.

“The economic indicators so far are really good,” she said. “We, obviously, watch closely the other yearling sales that precede ours, and we're thrilled to see how successful they were. Over the years, I have been told that the horse business follows the stock market. What? I've actually looked at the statistics. It's really not true at all, which could be good or bad, depending on the day and what it looks like on Sept. 9th and 10th. I think we've got a lot of excitement in the industry. This is always, as you said, kind of a stressful time for our breeders who are bringing their full stock to market for this massive yearling sale. But it's really exciting. And one of the best things about the September sale is that it's exciting from start to finish. You know, you can find gems all the way through the sale, and you have a lot of prominent buyers that shop all the way through the sale, and it pays off for them.”

On the Wednesday prior to the Breeders' Cup, Keeneland will hold its first ever “Champions Sale” at Del Mar. Similar to what is done at the Royal Ascot meet, the sale will include horses that are entered in the Breeders' Cup.

“We brainstorm a lot,” Arvin said. “The sales team sits around, says what would help the market, what would help the breeders, what would be fun? Sales and racing clearly go hand in hand. So this seemed like a great opportunity to try something

different. The concept is that it's before the Breeders' Cup. Hopefully, we'll have entries that are either in Breeders' Cup races or on the undercard. It could also be shares or breeding rights to exciting stallions you might expect to see there, too.”

Keeneland's racing meet has become so popular that all seats are sold out in advance.

“The seats sell out in eight minutes,” she said. “So far as the general admissions go, we sell those out for our big days. We encourage everybody to get their GA tickets in advance. We used to report our attendance every race day, and I remember I'd get 10 emails a day with the attendance updates. We noticed all the scans, but we don't really report it anymore because we're not trying to pack in as many fans as possible. We really want it to be a good experience for the people that are here. So if you're in line for a hot dog, you can get a hot dog without waiting for 20 minutes.”

In our breeding spotlight section, we took a look at the [WinStar stallion Nashville](#).

Elsewhere on the podcast, which is also sponsored by the [Pennsylvania Horse Breeders' Association](#), [West Point Thoroughbreds](#), [WinStar](#), [XBTv.com](#) and [Stonestreet Farm](#), the team of Randy Moss, Zoe Cadman and Bill Finley, reviewed the major races of the holiday weekend, including the GI Pacific Classic, the GI Travers S. and the GI Hopeful S. The list also

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included the GIII **Nashville** Derby, worth a cool \$3.1 million, at Kentucky Downs. They wrapped up the Saratoga meet and sang the praises of Flavien Part and Dylan Davis, who both had strong meets.

Moss weighed in on how disqualifications are handled in the sport and advocated for a system whereby the jockey can be fined or suspended, but the winning horse is not taken down.

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Breeding Digest cont. from p1

Because Awesome Again, another resonant broodmare sire, was not only responsible for the dam of GI Jockey Club Gold Cup winner Highland Falls (**Curlin**), but also provided the granddams of both Immersive and the filly who ran so well against her, Quietside (Malibu Moon).

Between them, Awesome Again and Bernardini respectively attest to the tendency of noted broodmare sires either to produce sons who excel in the same capacity, or daughters who themselves deliver broodmare sires.

Into the latter bracket we can place Quiet American, whose debut crop of just 32 foals included Cara Rafaela, the dam of Bernardini, and Quiet Dance, dam of one Horse of the Year in Saint Liam and granddam of another in **Gun Runner**. Saint Liam



Bernardini | *Darley*

obviously had limited opportunity to recycle his legacy, but from his single crop produced the dam of Sharp Azteca (as well as a champion female runner in Havre de Grace). We'll have to see whether more recent sons of Quiet American mares, like **Charlatan** and the globetrotter State Of Rest (Ire), can also excel at the family trade.

Awesome Again, meanwhile, has extended a male line that has achieved particular celebrity through its parallel production. His

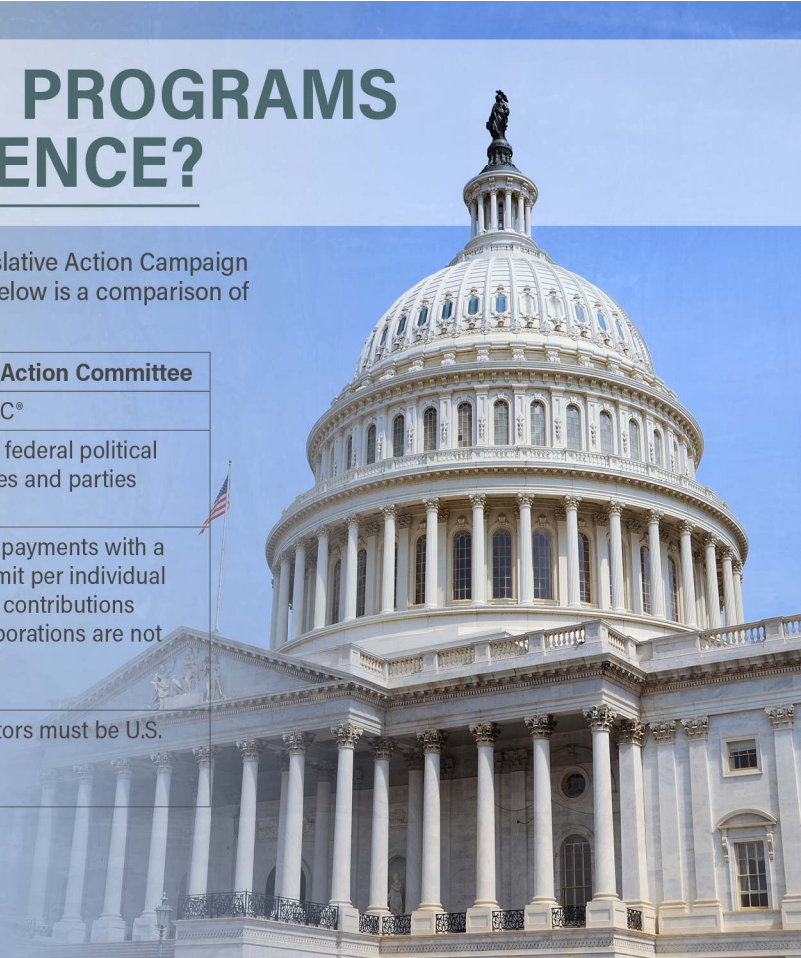
NTRA FUNDRAISING PROGRAMS WHAT'S THE DIFFERENCE?

The NTRA fundraises through two distinct programs, the Legislative Action Campaign and Horse PAC®, the political action committee of the NTRA. Below is a comparison of the two initiatives.

	Legislative Action Campaign	Political Action Committee
Common name	¼% Check-off Program	Horse PAC®
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half-brother Macho Uno, who sadly left us only this week, leaves no conspicuous legacy as a broodmare sire. But Awesome Again is one of several sons of Deputy Minister to have excelled in this capacity. Dehere found no male heir but produced the dams of **City of Light**, **Midnight Lute** and Will Take Charge. (**Midnight Lute**, incidentally, is the damsire of Ferocious, the Hopeful runner-up.) French Deputy is damsire of 98 stakes winners, while a daughter of Touch Gold has given us a rising sire in **Upstart**.

Awesome Again, himself damsire of Accelerate and Keen Ice, did sire an outstandingly macho runner in **Ghostzapper**, but while the latter has been a very good stallion overall, his principal legacy will surely be as damsire of **Justify**. Another **Ghostzapper** mare has since produced **Up to the Mark**, and while **Mystic Guide** or **Loggins** may yet prove capable of extending the male line, in the meantime you wouldn't mind keeping one of their daughters.

Bernardini's own prospects of salvaging a male succession were tragically diminished by the loss last summer of Art Collector, who had a berth reserved at Claiborne when succumbing to laminitis—the same condition that had claimed his sire two years previously. Stay Thirsty has offered Bernardini a couple of grandsons trying to get established at stud, in Coal Front and now **Mind Control**. But there's no question that

Bernardini's principal legacy is in the hands of his daughters, who have already produced 92 stakes winners.

What makes a great broodmare sire? Might they even deal in some kind of physiological inheritance, perhaps one as practical as helping the embryo or nursing foal to thrive? More probably these stallions, while often not especially competent at replicating those genetic attributes most adapted to athletic performance, have tended to be sent mares of good family—and ultimately something seems to percolate down from them. The outstanding example is Secretariat, who notoriously failed to establish a male line but whose daughters have had an immense influence through the likes of A.P. Indy, Storm Cat and Gone West.

To me, a well-sown family represents a far sounder foundation than the alchemy so widely proposed between tapering sire-lines. Okay, so daughters of Bernardini have produced **Maxfield** and **Speaker's Corner** for **Street Sense**, and now Immersive as well as Nysos for **Nyquist**. But three of those four examples emerged from the home herd, with all due insight into the right physical match and so on. And the bottom line is that depth across a pedigree means that it won't matter which strands of the mesh ultimately come through, because it's all good stuff.

True, there do appear to be prepotent sires that exalt ordinary

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mares. Yet the most dominant sire-lines seldom retain any coherent character, instead owing their reach to versatility. These are quite fundamental questions, seldom admitting definitive answers. All I know is that we often see clusters of distaff influence: the sires of Urban Sea and Toussaud, for instance, are both out of Buckpasser mares. And how many elite horses have mined their maternal ore from names like Princequillo, his daughter Somethingroyal, her sons Secretariat and Sir Gaylord, and the latter's sons Sir Ivor, Habitat and Drone?

Bernardini's sire A.P. Indy was as influential as broodmare sire as in every other capacity. But his daughters, in their prolific success as producers, may well have drawn particularly on his storied dam Weekend Surprise as a combination of the ultimate distaff brands of the era: she was by Secretariat out of a Buckpasser mare, whose own dam was by Secretariat's half-brother Sir Gaylord. And, who knows, maybe Bernardini has done the same.

Wheels within wheels, no doubt, but one way or another the one left by Bernardini is going to keep spinning for many a year yet.

ripples SPREADING FROM THE POND

There's been something for everybody among the fillies to have so far emerged from the current juvenile crop. We've had the \$1.8 million OBS sale-topper Miss Noon (Win Win Win) flying high in California, and we've had the \$3,500 Fasig October yearling The Queen's M G (Thousand Words) win the first two of the three big Saratoga prizes in this division. But her bid to complete the sweep ended in the slop last weekend when the GI Spinaway Stakes was instead dominated by two fillies that had never been anywhere near a sale ring.

Immersive's dam Gap Year (Bernardini), herself homebred, has duly made some amends for the relatively modest production record of her own mother Dubai Escapade (Awesome Again), at least relative to the covers earned by the latter as a Grade I-winning half-sister to Madcap Escapade (Hennessy).

But these breed-to-race programs call for immense patience, besides other more tangible resources. Godolphin's other homebred Grade I winner over the closing weekend of the meet, Highland Falls (Curlin), has duly continued a steep climb in the yield eventually resulting from Sheikh Mohammed's investment of \$5.75 in her dam, GI Breeders' Cup Distaff winner Round Pond, on her retirement back in 2007.

For a while this family seemed to hit a flat spot. With hindsight, admittedly, Round Pond's dam Gift of Dance (Tremolino) had been given limited opportunity besides the mating with Awesome Again that produced her champion. But Gift of Dance herself failed to win in 10 starts, while her siblings

Pennekamp (Bering {GB}) and Black Minnaloushe (Storm Cat) essentially failed to live up to expectations at stud.

Round Pond, naturally, was given covers commensurate with her value. Two of her seven foals never made the track, but we have already dwelt on why both could remain precious commodities, as daughters of Bernardini. Sure enough, one is Tyburn Brook, the dam of **Speaker's Corner** and his promising but fragile half-brother Knightsbridge (**Nyquist**).

Of Round Pond's five starters, meanwhile, Long River (A.P. Indy) was seven when he became a surprise Group 1 winner in Dubai, while the Dubawi (Ire) filly Lake Lucerne persevered to six to gain her black-type win in the Albert M. Stall Memorial last year.

Unsurprising, then, that the slow-burning fires of the great **Curlin** have made Highland Falls something of a work in progress. But his emphatic success in such a storied race puts him squarely among the leading older horses heading into the fall. Sometimes, whether on the track or off it, the long game will pay.

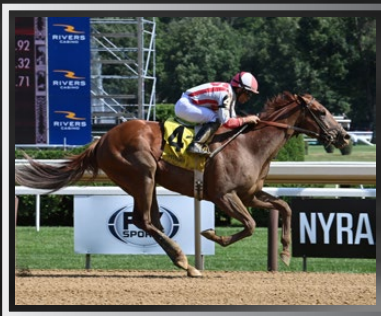
McKINZIE SEIZES HIS BIG CHANCE



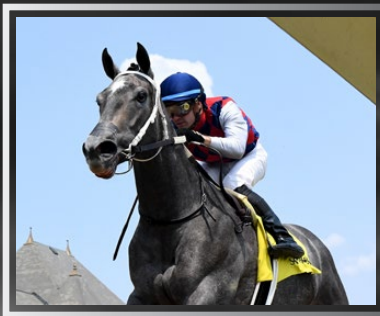
McKinzie | *Gainesway*

As for Chancer McPatrick, he's obviously a massive boost to his sire **McKinzie**. Given how few freshman sires will ever again receive another book to match their first, in quality or quantity, it stands to reason that they need to get rolling quickly or face a ruthless turn of the commercial tide. So while one or two of his peers are conspicuously sweating on a breakout, the pressure is now off **McKinzie**-whose first stakes performer of any description has cut to the chase and won a Grade I.

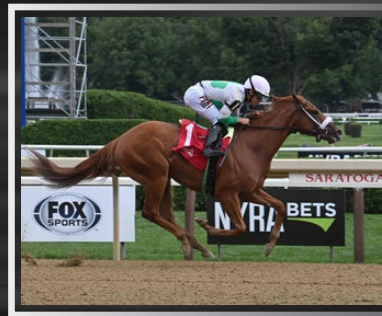
McKinzie certainly has the numbers behind him, his farm having unapologetically responded to the huge volume trademarked by Spendthrift and Ashford by corralling 214 mares into his debut book in 2021. That gives him a cavalry of 134



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named foals, narrowly behind only Vekoma (138) in this intake. Their reception at the sales last year was impressive, given the choice available: behind his standout \$1.2 million colt (out of Puca) at the September Sale, **McKinzie** managed a \$90,000 median-three times the \$30,000 conception fee.

That suggested an effective replication of his imposing physique, which had sustained him through an exemplary career (Grade I winner at two, three and four), and it can only have served his cause that his dam Runway Model was such an accomplished juvenile. Admittedly she was by Petionville, with the next two dams by Houston and Navajo, pretty leftfield seeding for a top horse, but there's plenty of black type inlaid into the family.

McKinzie had actually made a fairly quiet start on the track, with seven winners from 37 starters, but a Grade I headliner will always cover a multitude of sins. And after the historic embarrassment of last year's rookies, who mustered three graded stakes winners between them, this class is already up to five.

Chancer McPatrick was one of several big scores for **McKinzie** at the 2-year-old sales, having brought \$725,000 from John Kimmel and Nick Sallusto, acting for Sean Flanagan, when presented by Caliente Thoroughbreds at OBS April. (The previous month, in the same ring, Kimmel and Sallusto had been underbidders on Flanagan's behalf for a son of Flatter who made \$1.3 million. That colt, of course, has turned out to be Ferocious--the rival Chancer McPatrick just managed to hold off on Labor Day.)

Chancer McPatrick duly completed a spectacular pinhook, having been found by G S Inversiones Hipicas in the Denali consignment at the Fasig-Tipton July Sale for \$260,000. He was bred by Rigney Racing from Bernadreamy (Bernardini), who never really built on her Churchill maiden success for that

evolving program in 2017. As such she had seemed to contribute to a rather insipid production record for her dam, GI Alcibiades Stakes winner Dream Empress (Bernstein), in what proved a curtailed second career.

But Chancer McPatrick's fourth dam is the prolific producer Execution (The Axe), and it looks as though those embers have been stoked up here. The mare's half-brother by **Liam's Map** will duly seek to profit from his upgrade as Hip 721 at Keeneland next week.

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'TRACE' COCAINE POSITIVE IN WINNING CHARLES TOWN HORSE DEEMED

'INADVERTENT EXPOSURE' by T.D. Thornton

The stewards at Charles Town Races on Wednesday issued a ruling that will not impose penalties against the licensure of trainer Justin Nixon after deeming that a "trace level" of a cocaine metabolite detected in a winning first-time starter he trained in March was the result of "inadvertent exposure" to that drug.

West Virginia, along with Louisiana, are the only two states in America where Thoroughbred medication testing and enforcement are not subject to oversight by the Horseracing and Safety Integrity Act (HISA) and the Horseracing Integrity and Welfare Unit (HIWU). That's because of a preliminary injunction that is in effect while a lawsuit against HISA plays out in federal court.

Under HISA and HIWU rules, benzoylcegonine, the main metabolite of the human street drug cocaine, is a "banned" substance that is never to be present in any covered horse at any time.

Under West Virginia's rules, benzoylcegonine is a Class 1 drug, carrying a Category A penalty, the most severe classification.

Yet despite the differences in jurisdiction, the Wednesday ruling by the Charles Town stewards is **similar to how HIWU handled** two cocaine metabolite positives in 2023.

All three cocaine positives--the two under HIWU's jurisdiction last year and Nixon's positive in West Virginia--involved detections via blood samples, although the Charles Town stewards' ruling noted that urine testing was also utilized in Nixon's case.

Back on Nov. 7, 2023, HIWU issued a press release that stated, "Recently, Covered Horses trained by Keri Brion and R. McLane Hendriks tested positive for [the cocaine metabolite] in blood. While controls in urine for [benzoylcegonine] have long been established, no corresponding testing specifications existed for blood.

"These circumstances prompted HIWU to lift each trainer's

Provisional Suspension and review scientific literature to determine appropriate testing specifications for blood such that it would correspond to existing controls in urine.... As a result of this investigation, HIWU concluded that the levels of [cocaine metabolite] detected in the blood samples for Hendriks' and Brion's horses will not be pursued as Adverse Analytical Findings," the release stated.

The Charles Town stewards' ruling from Sept. 4, 2024, explained the initial positive and subsequent split-sample positive detected after Tempest (**Twirling Candy**)'s win at 9-10 odds in his Mar. 23, 2024, maiden special weight debut:

"Benzoylecgonine, confirmed to be present in Tempest's body while it was participating in a race, is a drug or medication for which no acceptable threshold concentration has been established by the West Virginia Racing Commission. Additionally, as the trainer of Tempest, Justin J. Nixon is the absolute insurer of and responsible for the condition of the horse...

"[However], there are mitigating factors which cause the Stewards to impose no penalty against Mr. Nixon's permit in this matter. Those factors are as follows: Mr. Nixon's past record as a permit holder is good in that he has never had a medication violation in any jurisdiction since his first license in 1994. The amount of benzoylecgonine found in the horse is a trace level which lends credibility to the probability that the horse was inadvertently exposed to the drug in some manner.

"Based upon an evaluation of the evidence, the Stewards conclude that the positive is attributable to inadvertent exposure. There is no reason to believe that Mr. Nixon knew of or caused the drug to be administered to the horse.

"Pursuant to [a state rule], the Stewards are to determine medication violations on a case by case basis and may determine to impose no penalty against a trainer's permit, if warranted. Weighing and balancing these factors, the Board of Stewards find that while Mr. Nixon is held responsible for the positive in this case, the Stewards shall impose no penalty against Mr. Nixon's permit.

"Therefore, the standard penalty for a first offense Class A medication violation (one-year suspension/\$10,000.00 fine) is not imposed in this matter. In addition, the Stewards do not impose the 6 Multiple Medication Violation points that would typically be imposed," the ruling stated.

Tempest was, however, disqualified and the purse winnings were forfeited.

On May 4, Tempest started at Laurel Park in a NW2L claimer (at the time, the colt was still considered a winner). He finished last in a field of eight.

Relegated back to the maiden ranks because of the pending ruling, Tempest started in—and won—his next start, a

maiden-claiming race at Colonial Downs on Aug. 29.

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WEEKLY STEWARDS AND COMMISSIONS RULINGS, AUG. 29 - SEPT. 4

by Dan Ross

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

NEW HISA/HIWU STEWARDS RULINGS

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

Resolved ADMC Violations

Date: 09/04/2024

Licensee: Johanna Urieta, trainer

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

Explainer: Medication violation for the presence of Methocarbamol- Controlled Medication (Class C)-in a sample taken from Bareback Fun, who finished second at Thistledown on 7/22/24.

Date: 09/03/2024

Licensee: Kelly Fernandez, trainer

Penalty: 7-day period of Ineligibility for Covered Person, beginning on September 4, 2024; Disqualification of Covered Horse's Race results, including forfeiture of all purses and other compensation, prizes, trophies, points, and rankings and repayment or surrender (as applicable); a fine of \$1,000; imposition of 2 Penalty Points. Admission.

Explainer: Medication violation for the presence of Lidocaine- Controlled Medication (Class C)-in a sample taken from La Marinera, who finished fifth at Delaware Park on 7/22/24.

Date: 08/30/2024

Licensee: Darien Rodriguez, trainer

Penalty: 7-day period of Ineligibility for Covered Person, beginning on August 31, 2024; Disqualification of Covered Horse's Race results, including forfeiture of all purses and other compensation, prizes, trophies, points, and rankings and repayment or surrender (as applicable); a fine of \$1,000; imposition of 1.5 Penalty Points. Admission.

Explainer: Medication violation for the presence of

Methocarbamol- Controlled Medication (Class C)-in a sample taken from Megacity, who won at Delaware Park on 6/20/24.

Date: 08/30/2024

Licensee: Thomas Amoss, trainer

Penalty: A fine of \$3,000. Admission.

Explainer: Intra-articular injection within 7 days of a timed and reported workout on the horse Ba Dee Yah on 6/26/24.

Date: 08/29/2024

Licensee: Tim Abraham, trainer

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

Explainer: Medication violation for the presence of Phenylbutazone-Controlled Medication (Class C)-in a sample taken from Big Cheddar, who finished second at Los Alamitos on 7/6/24.

Pending ADMC Violations

08/30/2024, Paul Valery, trainer: Provisional suspension for multiple medication violations for the use or attempted use of two banned substances-Gamma Aminobutyric Acid and Prasterone-as well as four controlled substances, Hemo Cease Xtreme, Blitz, Adenosine Tri-Phosphate and Lactanase. The horse involved is Quincy Café, who finished fourth at Gulfstream Park on 1/7/24.

08/30/2024, Paul Valery, trainer: Provisional suspension for two pending possession cases for two different substances containing Prasterone, on an event dated 5/14/24.

Note: Valery was already serving a provisional suspension for [prior pending medication violations](#).

09/04/2024, Bruce Brown, trainer: Pending medication violation for the presence of Methocarbamol-Controlled Medication (Class C)-in a sample taken from Our Reward, who finished second at Finger Lakes on 7/30/24.

Violations of Crop Rule

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

Delaware Park

Gregorio Rivera - violation date August 29; \$250 fine and

one-day suspension

Del Mar

Kyle Frey - violation date August 30; \$250 fine and one-day suspension

Frank Alvarado - violation date August 31; \$250 fine and one-day suspension

Horseshoe Indianapolis

Adam Beschizza - violation date Sept 3; \$250 fine and one-day suspension

Presque Isle Downs

Brooke Bays - violation date Sept 2; \$250 fine and one-day suspension

Carlos Camilo - violation date Sept 3; \$500 fine, no other information available

Thistledown

Erik Barbaran - violation date Sept 2; \$250 fine and one-day suspension

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

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

California

Del Mar

Date: 08/29/2024

Licensee: Frank Roberts, owner

Penalty: Owner Frank Roberts, having failed to respond to written notice to appear before the Board of Stewards at Del Mar Race Track on August 25, 2024, is suspended for violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1547 (Failure to Appear), pending an appearance at a hearing before the Board of Stewards to answer to charges alleging violation of CHRB rule #1876 (Financial Responsibility \$500.00 to K C Horse Transport). Suspension to commence September 5, 2024.

New York

Saratoga

Frankie Dettori - violation date August 30; Three-day suspension for careless riding, stay granted on appeal

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JAMES PHILPOTT PASSES AWAY

James A. Philpott, Jr., one of the original founding directors of Breeders' Cup Limited, died Monday. He was 77.

Philpott served as the volunteer corporate secretary of the Breeders' Cup for 30 years.

In a statement, the organization said, "It is with great sadness that we learned about the passing of Jim Philpott. Mr. Philpott served the Breeders' Cup with great honor, distinction and with extraordinary business acumen for the first 25 years of the company's existence. He was one of 20 original 'members' who contributed initial funding to form the company. As such, he stayed active as a Member/Trustee his whole life. Mr. Philpott served as the corporate secretary from 1993 until 2009, maintaining the bylaws and minutes of the Board and Committee meetings. Prior to that, he served as the assistant corporate secretary to Charles Taylor. We extend our deepest sympathies to Mr. Philpott's family and loved ones."

A graduate of Washington & Lee School of Law, where he served as editor-in-chief of its law review and graduated summa cum laude, Philpott began his career as Clerk of Court for the Fourth Circuit in Asheville, North Carolina, before practicing law in New York City. Throughout his education, he also served as a captain in the US Army.

Philpott's involvement with the Thoroughbred industry began in 1978 when he assisted the Kentucky Secretary of Agriculture in developing the original Code of Practice for contagious equine metritis. He moved to Kentucky in 1980 to become Executive Vice President and General Counsel of Gainesway Farm. He also served as Vice President and General Counsel of Live Foal Co. from 1986 to 1990.

He worked in private practice in Lexington for many years before joining the law firm of Stoll Keenon Ogden in 2008. He was elected president of the American College of Equine Attorneys in 2016.

Philpott served as Vice President of the Washington & Lee School of Law Alumni Council for several years, as well as on the board of The Lexington Philharmonic and The Lexington School.

He is survived by his children; John Harman Philpott and his wife, Mary Laura; Cameron Philpott Chason and her husband, Jeremy; and James Hundley Philpott and his wife, Emily, as well as his grandchildren: William Cameron Philpott, Mary Genevieve Philpott, Claire Brooks Chason, Charlotte Hundley Chason, Shelby Harman Chason, Marilyn Russell Philpott, and James Hunter Philpott. He is also survived by his sister, Martha Philpott

King. He was preceded in death by his wife, Judy Mauze Philpott.

The Philpott family will hold a private service. Memorials to a charity of one's choice are preferred in lieu of flowers.

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GLENN THOMPSON PASSES AWAY



Glenn Thompson | *Coady*

Former Ellis Park track superintendent Glenn Thompson passed away Saturday. He was 88.

Thompson began his career at Ellis Park at age 16, working on the maintenance crew before eventually becoming track superintendent. Known for his unwavering commitment to track safety, Thompson often started his workday as early as 2 a.m. to prepare the surface for morning training.

"I've always loved the sport, the horses and the people," Thompson said in a 2019 interview. "Every day, I did my best for the horses. It was never just a job--it was a passion."

Raised in Henderson, where the Green and Ohio Rivers meet, Thompson balanced his time between farming and his duties at Ellis Park. His dedication to the track and its community was unparalleled, and he often remarked, "Horses are all I know. That's why I do this."

"Glenn was the heart and soul of Ellis Park's track maintenance for decades," said Dan Bork, racing secretary at Ellis Park. "His dedication to the safety and care of our racing surface was unmatched. His work ethic and passion for the sport set a standard that will be felt for generations to come."

Thompson's son Clifton also served as a track superintendent, and his grandson Garrett worked alongside his father and grandfather.

Thompson is also survived by his daughter, Rhonda; granddaughter, Delaney; siblings Billy Thompson and Sheila Echols; and his significant other, Tracey Keller.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday at Tomblinson Funeral Home in Henderson, with burial to follow at Fernwood Cemetery. Visitation begins at 10 a.m.

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DEL MAR'S BING CROSBY MEET TO FEATURE 20 STAKES



Del Mar | Benoit

Del Mar's Bing Crosby Season, which opens Oct. 31 and will run an extra week through Dec. 1 this year, will play host to the Breeders' Cup championship Nov. 1 and 2. In addition to the championship races, Del Mar will offer 20 stakes worth \$3,150,000 during the meet.

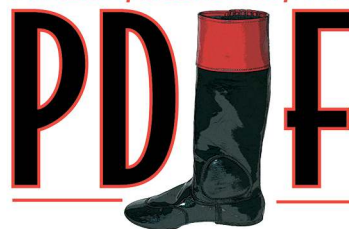
The schedule is highlighted by a pair of Grade I events: the \$300,000 GI Hollywood Derby is scheduled for Nov. 30 and the \$300,000 GI Matriarch Stakes will be run Dec. 1.

Six stakes races tied to the Breeders' Cup have been added to the season's 2024 line-up. The quartet added to the Friday card are all for 2-year-olds: the Thoroughbred Aftercare Alliance at a mile on the turf; the Golden State Juvenile Fillies for California-breds at seven furlongs; the Ken Maddy Stakes for fillies and mares aged two and up at five panels on the turf, and the Golden State Juvenile for California-breds at seven furlongs.

Added to the Breeders' Cup Saturday card are a pair of Grade III stakes for fillies and mares: the \$200,000 Bayakoa Stakes at a mile on the main track and the \$300,000 Goldikova Stakes for fillies and mares at a mile on the turf course.

"The combination of our usual fall attractions and the return of the Breeders' Cup this year will make for a very special Bing Crosby Season this time around," said Del Mar vice president and racing secretary David Jerkens. "We believe we offer the best racing in America during the fall and our additional week this time around just adds more sparkle to a season already filled with luster."

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To view the complete stakes schedule, [click here](#).

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WEBER NAMED INTERIM BOARD CHAIR OF MUSEUM OF RACING AND HALL OF FAME

Charlotte C. Weber has been chosen as the interim board chair of the National Museum of Racing and Hall of Fame through a vote by the institution's executive committee.

Weber, previously a vice chair, will serve in the chair position formerly held by John Hendrickson, who passed away Aug. 19. Hendrickson was the museum's chair since 2017.

Weber has been a Museum trustee since 2001.

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DERBY MUSEUM, CHURCHILL DOWNS PARTNER ON EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS

Churchill Downs has committed \$150,000 over three years to support educational programs at the Kentucky Derby Museum. The money will allow the museum to continue offering free in-house field trips during January and February and free outreach programming throughout the school year, extending the museum's reach to schools that may not be able to travel to Louisville.

"We are excited to partner with Churchill Downs on this

important initiative that directly supports our mission to engage, educate, and excite students about the Kentucky Derby,” said Patrick Armstrong, President and CEO of the Kentucky Derby Museum. “This generous commitment allows us to continue offering free educational programs that our instructors are so passionate about. With our organizations’ shared love of education, we’re proud to work together with Churchill Downs to not only preserve the Derby’s legacy, but also inspire the next generation.”

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THOROUGHBRED CHARITIES OF AMERICA AWARDS GRANTS TOTALING OVER \$1 MILLION IN 2024

Grants totaling over \$1 million were awarded by Thoroughbred Charities of America (TCA) this year, the organization announced in a release.

Eighty six organizations were approved for a grant, including 56 aftercare organizations, 21 backstretch and farm worker programs, five equine-assisted therapy organizations, three Thoroughbred incentive programs, and one research organization. Over the last 34 years, TCA has awarded more than \$27 million in grants.

TCA grants were bolstered this year by a bequest from late California Thoroughbred owner Nancy Messineo. Messineo was devoted to the well-being of animals, specifically horses. She was a strong supporter of Thoroughbred aftercare efforts and routinely worked to rehome her former racers. In addition to TCA, Messineo's estate bequeathed funds to the California Retirement Management Account (CARMA), the Wild Horse Sanctuary, the Red Bucket Sanctuary, and the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

"Each year TCA's Grants Committee works hard to ensure that we are an outstanding steward of the donations that we receive," said Erin Halliwell, executive director of TCA. "This year is no different, as the committee carefully reviewed over 100 applications. Our grants are only possible thanks to our

generous donors, and we are thrilled to be able to support so many impactful, effective, and change-making organizations in our industry because of this support."

Grant applications for the 2025 grant cycle will be available in mid-January.

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THIS DATE IN HISTORY...

September 5, 1978...Dr. Patches gunned down Seattle Slew to win the GIII Paterson H. at the Meadowlands.

September 7, 1970...Del Mar...Bill Shoemaker surpassed Johnny Longden's record of 6,032 wins, guiding dares J to victory to become the world's winningest jockey.

September 7, 2005...The United States entered the synthetic track era when Regal Approach posted a 13-1 upset in Turfway Park's first race over Polytrack.

September 10, 2004...Zippy Chippy competed for the final time when he finished last of eight at the Northampton Fair. The 13-year-old gelding retired winless in 100 starts.



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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
<i>Also Eligible</i>						
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-Tiffney 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, Del Mar #4, post time: 6:00 p.m. EDT

FANDUEL RACING DEL MAR DEBUTANTE S.-GI, \$300,000, 2yo, f, 7f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Proud Starlet 🍀	Mendelssohn	Smith or Camp	Yakteen	Rispoli	120
2	Nooni	Win Win Win	Zedan Racing Stables, Inc.	Baffert	Hernandez	123
3	So There She Was 🍀	Munnings	Davis or Great Friends Stables LLC	O'Neill	Fresu	120
4	Vodka With a Twist 🍀	Thousand Words	Medallion Racing, Aldabbagh or Strauss	D'Amato	Smith	123
5	Night Beacon 🍀	Spun to Run	WSS Racing	Hanson	Frey	120
6	Tenma 🍀	Nyquist	Baoma Corp	Baffert	Kimura	120
7	Jack's Magic Girl 🍀	Good Magic	Drager, Johnson or Parga	Jauregui	Berrios	120

Breeders: 1-George Krikorian, 2-Ocala Stud, Joseph M. O'Farrell III, David O'Farrell, et al., 3-Grantley Acres, 4-Pillar Property Services Inc, 5-Mulholland Springs LLC, 6-B Flay Thoroughbreds, 7-Dixiana Farms, 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
<i>Also Eligible</i>						
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 & Trakside 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)	Alhelayeb (Ire)	Flying P Stable	Maker	Ortiz	124
4	Get Smokin	Get Stormy	Ironhorse Racing Stable, LLC, BlackRidge Stables, LLC T-N-T Equine Holdings LLC and Saratoga Seven Racing Partners, LLC	Casse	De La Cruz	124
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 Tbreeds, 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



Saturday, Kentucky Downs #11, post time: 6:31 p.m. EDT**AINSWORTH TURF SPRINT S.-GII, \$2,000,000, 3yo/up, 6fT****CHALLENGE SERIES WIN AND YOU'RE IN.™**

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
<i>Also Eligible</i>						
13	Five o' Somewhere 🐾	Munnings	Kenneth R. Spraggins, Marilyn Palazzo, Edna Atanacio, Richard Atanacio, et al.	Bermudez	Spraggins	118

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

Saturday, Del Mar #9, post time: 8:30 p.m. EDT**JOHN C. MABEE S.-GII, \$250,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8mT**

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Anisette (GB)	Awtaad (Ire)	Eclipse Thoroughbred Partners	Powell	Rispoli	124
2	Hang the Moon 🐾	Uncle Mo	CJ Thoroughbreds	D'Amato	Kimura	120
3	Lucky Girl (Ire)	Exceed And Excel (Aus)	Kia-Ora Stud Australia	D'Amato	Smith	120
4	Uncorked (Aus)	Pierro (Aus)	The Elkstone Group LLC	D'Amato	Fresu	120
5	Royal Charter (GB)	Expert Eye (GB)	Apple Tree Stud	Powell	Herrera	120
6	Didia (Arg)	Orpen	Merrielle Stables or Resolute Racing	Correas, IV	Berrios	124
7	Fuente Ovejuna (GB)	Lope de Vega (Ire)	Farfellow Farms, Ltd	Walsh	Hernandez	120

Breeders: 1-Morera Partnership, 2-Repole Stable Inc, 3-Paul Hyland, 4-Mr. A Galbraith, 5-Biddestone Stud Ltd, 6-La Manija, 7-Stone Roses Bloodstock

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

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PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	Winner's Man (Kor)	Musket Man	S J Lee	K H Choi	126
2	Global Hit (Kor)	To Honor and Serve	H S Kim	D S Bang	126
3	Vics Go (Kor)	Vics	C K Woo	S H Lee	126
4	Light Warrior (Jpn)	Majestic Warrior	Yoshihara	Uchida	126
5	Success Macho (Kor)	Macho Uno	H M You	J G Min	126
6	Heuk Jeonsa (Kor)	Flat Out	S W Yoo	D K Kim	126
7	Simjangui Godong (Kor)	Jigeum I Sungan (Kor)	S B Jo	S T Shim	126
8	Wilson Tesoro (Jpn)	Kitatan Black (Jpn)	Kawada	Kotegawa	126
9	Montauk Chat 🦄	Preservationist	C H Kim	C D Lim	121
10	Galaxy Road (Kor)	Afleet Express	J G Jeon	G J Kim	126
11	Crown Pride (Jpn)	Reach the Crown (Jpn)	T Yokoyama	Shintani	126

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PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	Yes Perfect 🦄	Majestic Warrior	E S Kim	Y H Youn	126
2	Keiai Dorie (Jpn)	Espoir City (Jpn)	T Yokoyama	Murayama	126
3	Something Lost (Kor)	Hansen	E W Park	D Y Hong	126
4	Black Musk	Flat Out	I K Jo	Y G Choi	126
5	Morphis	Steven Got Even	Victoire	G H Lee	126
6	Eoma Eoma 🦄	Algorithms	Y G Kim	M G Song	126
7	Remake (Jpn)	Lani	Kawada	Shintani	126
8	Jasper Krone 🦄	Frosted	Danno	Mori	126
9	Speed Young (Kor)	Meniffee	H S Kim	D S Bang	126
10	Beolmaui Star (Kor)	To Honor and Serve	H M You	K W Baik	126
11	Anarchist 🦄	Distorted Humor	Maldonado	O'Neill	126
12	Gangseo Giant (f) 🦄	Union Rags	Munro	Y K Kim	121
13	Vincero Cavallo (Kor)	Cowboy Cal	J R Jo	I S Seo	123
14	Daemangui Gil (Kor)	Run Away and Hide	S J Lee	G J Kim	126
15	Daehan Jilju (Kor)	Congrats	C Y Jang	D C Kim	126
16	Raon the Point (Kor)	I'm Your Father	H C Shin	J K Park	126

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Thursday, September 5, 2024

KY Downs 1, \$100k, 2yo, (R), 1mT, 1:25 p.m. ET

Horse (Sire)	Sale	Price (\$)	Breeze
Roustabout (Caravaggio)	OBSJUN	15,000	:10 2/5

C-Bobby Dodd, agent; B-Clark O Brewster

KY Downs 2, \$170k, 2yo, 7fT, 1:57 p.m. ET

Horse (Sire)	Sale	Price (\$)	Breeze
Hard Circle (Hard Spun)	OBSAPR	30,000	:10 1/5

C-Wavertree Stables (C Dunne), agent; B-Three Diamond Farm

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6th-Colonial Downs, \$77,250, (S), Msw, 9-4, 2yo, 5 1/2fT, 1:03.74, fm, 4 1/2 lengths.

SAXTON (g, 2, Mosler--Winning Thread, by Lookin At Lucky), a 4-1 shot, rated off the pace down the backstretch. Tipped out three wide at the top of the lane, the dark bay gelding kicked into gear at midstretch and surged to a 4 1/2-length victory. Nola Boss (Holy Boss) was second. Saxton was a \$27,000 EASOCT yearling and a \$22,000 EASMAY juvenile. He has a yearling half-brother by **Oscar Performance**. Winning Thread was bred to **Mendelssohn** this year. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.** Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$45,000.

O-Lynch Racing LLC and Nick Sanna Stables LLC; B-Lazy Lane Farms, LLC. (VA); T-Cathal A. Lynch.

 Hip 2722 - Half brother sells at KeeSep with Warrendale

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5th-Colonial Downs, \$76,250, (S), Msw, 9-4, 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:36.32, fm, neck.

PUBLIC DEFENDER (f, 3, Constitution--On the Backstreets {MSW, \$181,093}, by Street Boss), unraced since finishing sixth over the Gulfstream turf last December, was adding blinkers and Lasix for this return. The 2-1 shot skimmed the rail while racing just off the early leaders. Shuffled back to midpack down the backstretch, the bay was back into contention as the pacesetter drifted out into the far turn and slipped through along the rail in deep stretch to graduate by a neck over the closing Come Rain or Shine (**Nyquist**). **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.** Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$47,160. O-John Stuart & Andrew Rosen; B-J. D. Stuart, Peter C. Bance & AR Enterprises, Inc. (KY); T-Jane Cibelli.

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1st-Horseshoe Indianapolis, \$36,000, (S), Msw, 9-4, 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:06.15, ft, 1 1/4 lengths.

REALER (f, 3, Mohaymen--Spooft, by Ghostzapper), the 8-5 second choice, raced along the rail in a three-way battle for the early lead. She grabbed command at the top of the lane and held Pernicious (Bird Song) at bay to the wire to graduate by 1 1/4 lengths. Spooft, a daughter of multiple graded winner Summer Wind Dancer (Siberian Summer), has a 2-year-old filly by Tapiture and produced a filly by Qurbaan last year. **Click for the Equibase.com chart.** Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$21,600. O-Spiess Stable LLC & Randy Klopp; B-Roger Spiess DVM & Randy Klopp (IN); T-Randy L. Klopp.

2nd-Horseshoe Indianapolis, \$32,000, Msw, 9-4, 2yo, f, 5 1/2f, 1:05.03, ft, 7 lengths.

PRAYING (f, 2, Vekoma--Pray for Leslie, by Bernardini) opened her career with a pair of runner-up sprinting efforts, at Churchill Downs June 14 and at Ellis Park July 6. The 1-5 favorite jumped out to the early lead and extended her advantage on the far turn before sailing home an easy seven-length winner. Praying, a \$130,000 KEESEP yearling and a \$410,000 OBS April juvenile, is the 18th winner for her freshman sire (by Candy Ride {Arg}). She is a half-sister to Alys Beach (Omaha Beach), GISP, \$143,500. Pray for Leslie has a yearling filly by Authentic and was bred to Nyquist this year. **Click for the Equibase.com chart.** Lifetime Record: 3-1-2-0, \$57,105.

O-Jeff Prunzik; B-Jeff Kerber (KY); T-Robert Medina.

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Hip 929: 1/2 sister by Authentic sells KEESEP  **VINERY SALES**

7th-Louisiana Downs, \$19,450, Msw, 9-3, 3yo/up, f/m, 5fT, :57.52, fm, 5 1/4 lengths.

SPA CITY GIRL (f, 3, Free Drop Billy--Kauai Nana, by Sea Prince), dismissed at 16-1, chased the pacesetters before rushing up along the rail approaching the straight. Tipped out a path into the lane, the bay filly bound to the lead at midstretch and drew away to score by 5 1/4 lengths. Kauai Nana produced a full-sister to the winner last year and a colt by Mark Valeski this year. She was bred back to Jimmy Creed. **Click for the Equibase.com chart.** Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$11,400.

O-Ernie Witt, II & Robert Tucker; B-J.W. Clement (AR); T-Ernie Witt, II.



Tremendous Machine, g, 4, More Than Ready--Sensible Gal, by Street Sense. Florence, 9-4, Hcp, €4,000, 1500mT, 1:39.20, gd. B-Mary Abeel Sullivan Revocable Trust (KY). *\$75,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP; €35,000 RNA 2yo '22 ARQMAY. **VIDEO.**



FIRST-CROP STARTERS TO WATCH: THURSDAY, SEPT. 5

2024 Stud Fees Listed

American Anthem (Bodemeister), Sierra Blanco Equine, \$3,000
24 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners
7-Albuquerque, 10:35 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, F S Liberty Belle, 12-1
\$10,000 RUI NMY yrl

Bodexpress (Bodemeister), Pleasant Acres Stallions, \$3,500
53 foals of racing age/6 winners/1 black-type winner
5-Remington, 9:26 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Kangaroo Coast, 10-1
\$20,000 FTC AYR yrl

Game Winner (Candy Ride {Arg}), Lane's End Farm, \$20,000
118 foals of racing age/2 winners/0 black-type winners
5-Remington, 9:26 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Game Runner, 9-2
\$130,000 KEE NOV wnl; \$410,000 KEE SEP yrl; 7-Kentucky Downs, 4:43 p.m. EDT, Msw 1mT, Mad About Marie, 6-1
\$75,000 KEE SEP yrl

Gift Box (Twirling Candy), Lane's End Farm, \$5,000
82 foals of racing age/5 winners/0 black-type winners
5-Remington, 9:26 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Billy Dixon, 8-1

Global Campaign (Curlin), WinStar Farm, \$12,500
123 foals of racing age/7 winners/0 black-type winners
1-Kentucky Downs, 1:25 p.m. EDT, Msw 1mT, Turnbuckle, 5-2
\$8,500 KEE SEP yrl

Higher Power (Medaglia d'Oro), Darby Dan Farm, \$10,000
92 foals of racing age/2 winners/0 black-type winners
6-Colonial Downs, 2:37 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, Ace On the Turn, 30-1
\$30,000 KEE NOV wnl; \$43,000 OBS OCT yrl; \$65,000 OBS MAR 2yo

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Honor A. P. (Honor Code), Lane's End Farm, \$10,000
 80 foals of racing age/5 winners/0 black-type winners
 7-Kentucky Downs, 4:43 p.m. EDT, Msw 1mT, Derry Girl, 9-2
 \$45,000 KEE NOV wnl; \$65,000 KEE SEP yrl
 6-Colonial Downs, 2:37 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, Honor Mags, 8-1
 \$20,000 KEE SEP yrl; \$62,000 OBS OPN 2yo

Improbable (City Zip), WinStar Farm, \$15,000
 128 foals of racing age/5 winners/1 black-type winner
 7-Kentucky Downs, 4:43 p.m. EDT, Msw 1mT, Summer Affair,
 12-1
 \$130,000 KEE JAN wnl; \$240,000 RNA FTS AUG yrl

Lookin At Lee (Lookin At Lucky), Irish Hill & Dutchess Views
 Stallions, \$2,500
 14 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners
 5-Remington, 9:26 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Missing Rocks, 3-1

McKinzie (Street Sense), Gainesway Farm, \$30,000
 170 foals of racing age/7 winners/1 black-type winner
 6-Colonial Downs, 2:37 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, King Express, 6-1
 \$60,000 KEE NOV wnl; \$110,000 FTK JUL yrl

Persian King (Ire) (Kingman {GB}), Haras d'Etreham, \$25,000
 102 foals of racing age/4 winners/0 black-type winners
 8-Colonial Downs, 3:39 p.m. EDT, Msw 1m, Sheila's Lion, 8-1
 \$75,000 KEE SEP yrl

Runaway Ghost (Ghostzapper), Double LL Farms, \$2,500
 26 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners
 7-Albuquerque, 10:35 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, Runaway Goddess,
 9-2
 \$6,200 RUI NMY yrl

Tom's d'Etat (Smart Strike), WinStar Farm, \$7,500
 79 foals of racing age/5 winners/0 black-type winners
 3-Belterra, 1:35 p.m. EDT, Alw 5 1/2f, Clean Machine, 9-5
 2-Kentucky Downs, 1:57 p.m. EDT, Msw 7fT, Zap d'Etat, 8-1
 \$15,000 KEE NOV wnl; \$7,000 KEE SEP yrl

Vekoma (Candy Ride {Arg}), Spendthrift Farm, \$15,000
 162 foals of racing age/18 winners/1 black-type winner
 7-Kentucky Downs, 4:43 p.m. EDT, Msw 1mT, Big Air, 6-1
 \$70,000 RNA KEE SEP yrl; \$120,000 OBS MAR 2yo

SECOND-CROP STARTERS TO WATCH: THURSDAY, SEPT. 5
 2024 Stud Fees Listed

Advertise (GB) (Showcasing {GB}), Manton Park Stud, \$10,000
 190 foals of racing age/44 winners/3 black-type winners
 7-Kentucky Downs, 4:43 p.m. EDT, Msw 1mT, Saratoga Empress
 (GB), 12-1

Catholic Boy (More Than Ready), Claiborne Farm, \$10,000
 161 foals of racing age/36 winners/1 black-type winner
 7-Kentucky Downs, 4:43 p.m. EDT, Msw 1mT, My Gal, 15-1

Preservationist (Arch), Airdrie Stud, \$5,000
 105 foals of racing age/38 winners/3 black-type winners
 8-Colonial Downs, 3:39 p.m. EDT, Msw 1m, Hidden Quarry, 6-1
 \$3,000 KEE SEP yrl

Sporting Chance (Tiznow), A & A Ranch
 45 foals of racing age/7 winners/1 black-type winner
 7-Albuquerque, 10:35 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, Lively Lady, 20-1



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8th-Colonial Downs, \$93,500, 9-4, (NW1X), 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2fT, 1:02.44, fm, neck.

CAROLINA HIDEAWAY (f, 4, Run Away and Hide--Carolina Shag {SP, \$174,542}, by Bop) Lifetime Record: 5-2-1-1, \$129,710. O/B/T-Susan S. Cooney (VA).

9th-Parx Racing, \$65,400, (NW1X)/Opt. Clm (\$16,000), 9-4, 3yo/up, f/m, 5f, :59.04, ft, 4 lengths.

SUMMER'S GIFT (f, 4, Well Spelled--Fappy's Gift, by Disco Rico) Lifetime Record: 4-3-0-0, \$98,150. O-Vento Equine, LLC; B-Godstone Farm LLC (PA); T-Philip T. Aristone.

7th-Delaware, \$47,400, 9-4, (NW1\$X), 3yo/up, 1m 70y, 1:43.86, ft, 1 3/4 lengths.

PAPPY'S REVENGE (c, 3, Bolt d'Oro--Steady N Love {SW, \$241,305}, by Not For Love) Lifetime Record: 11-2-2-2, \$132,612. O-Xtreme Racing Stables, LLC; B-ZWP Stable & Non Stop Stable (MD); T-McLean Robertson. *\$145,000 RNA Ylg '22 EASOCT. **1/2 to Shackled Love (Shackleford), SW, \$162,442.

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5th-Delaware, \$42,162, 9-4, (NW1\$X), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:12.11, ft, 3 lengths.

TAKE CHARGE CHLOE (m, 6, Will Take Charge--Banker's Buy {SW, \$279,958}, by Distorted Humor) Lifetime Record: 20-5-5-0, \$127,902. O/T-Juan Arriagada; B-Edward A. Cox, Jr. (KY). *\$55,000 Wlg '18 KEENOV; \$32,000 Ylg '19 KEESEP.



5th-Horseshoe Indianapolis, \$41,000, (S), 9-4, (NW1X), 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:44.19, fm, neck.

JOLLY JUSTICE (f, 3, Harry's Holiday--Bank Candy {SP}, by Banker's Gold) Lifetime Record: 7-2-1-1, \$58,745. O-Spiess Stable LLC & Randy Klopp; B-Justice Farm, Greg Justice (IN); T-Randy L. Klopp. *\$9,000 Ylg '22 INDMIX.

7th-Presque Isle Downs, \$38,900, 9-4, (NW1X), 3yo/up, 6f (AWT), 1:09.47, ft, neck.

KOTYLOS (g, 4, Kantharos--Cambiata {SP}, by Concerto) Lifetime Record: 16-4-1-6, \$113,460. O-T-N-T Equine Holdings, LLC; B-Henry L. Hinkle (PA); T-Randall R. Russell. *\$60,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP; \$75,000 RNA 2yo '22 EASMAV.



3rd-Horseshoe Indianapolis, \$38,880, (NW2\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$40,000), 9-4, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11.96, ft, neck.

ASSET PURCHASE (f, 4, Dialed In--Quick Hit Fever, by Dublin) Lifetime Record: SP, 7-3-1-1, \$161,080. O-WLT Investments, LLC; B-Sheltowee Farm & Dialed In Syndicate (KY); T-Anna M. Meah. *\$10,000 Ylg '21 FTKFEB; \$75,000 Ylg '21 FTKOCT; \$80,000 4yo '24 FTKHRA.

8th-Thistledown, \$35,800, (S), 9-4, (NW1X), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:11.88, ft, 4 3/4 lengths.

SPECTACULAR D'ORO (g, 3, Bolt d'Oro--Agressive Elegance {MSW, \$124,070}, by Macho Uno) Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-1, \$45,400. O-Blue Snow Racing Stables and Boots N Bikinis LLC; B-Peter J. Shepell (OH); T-David Wolochuk. *\$50,000 Ylg '22 FTKOCT; \$130,000 2yo '23 OBSAPR.

1st-Thistledown, \$35,800, (S), 9-4, (NW2L), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:12.04, ft, 7 3/4 lengths.

LUST FOR LIFE (g, 3, Cowtown Cat--Love Spun, by Hard Spun) Lifetime Record: SP, 4-2-0-1, \$48,397. O-HMD Racing Stables LLC and Taste of Victory Stables; B-Mapleton Thoroughbred Farm (OH); T-Michael L. Rone. *\$30,000 Ylg '22 OTBOMX. **1/2 to Special Reserve (**Midshipman**), MGSW & GISP, \$789,746.

4th-Thistledown, \$35,800, (S), 9-4, (NW2L), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:11.84, ft, 6 3/4 lengths.

OLLIE'S FOLLY (g, 3, Drill--Sweet Jody, by Value Plus) Lifetime Record: 12-2-2-1, \$65,302. O-Timothy A. Heinrichs; B-Timothy A. Heinrichs MD & Bryan R. Heinrichs (OH); T-Michael L. Rone. *1/2 to Little Blaker (Regal Ransom), MSP, \$391,094.

3rd-Finger Lakes, \$24,500, (S), 9-4, (NW1BX), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:12.25, ft, 4 3/4 lengths.

DARN THAT SONG (m, 5, Mission Impazible--Darn That Trip, by Trippi) Lifetime Record: 33-4-4-11, \$160,338. O-Eddie F's Racing; B-Sequel Stallions New York & Quiet Quarters Ranch (NY); T-M. Anthony Ferraro. *\$12,000 RNA Wlg '19 FTNMIX; \$25,000 Ylg '20 EASOCT.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Conspiracytheorist, g, 2, **Bea Jersey**--Holy Force, by Macho Uno. Assiniboia Downs, 9-3, 5 1/2f, 1:07.51. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$9,534. B-Pierre Esquirol (AB). *C\$19,000 RNA Ylg '23 ALBMIX.

Polar Drift, g, 2, **Isotherm**--Big N Lucky, by Pollard's Vision. Horseshoe Indianapolis, 9-3, (S), 7 1/2ft, 1:32.36. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$26,825. B-H. Allen Poindexter (IN).

Mondavila, g, 2, **Mondavi**--Lost Village, by Jump Start. Horseshoe Indianapolis, 9-4, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:05.88. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$23,100. B-Elise W. Kendall (IN). *1ST-TIME STARTER.

Gotta Have a Guy, c, 2, **Summer Front**--Take It All Back, by Flashback. Colonial Downs, 9-4, (C), 1mT, 1:38.15. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$28,000. B-Seth Gregory (NY).

Trew Violence, c, 2, **Violence**--La Pequena Gigi, by Sky Mesa. Horseshoe Indianapolis, 9-4, 5 1/2f, 1:05.79. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, \$34,767. B-George Yager (KY). *\$175,000 Ylg '23 KEESEP. **1/2 to Eskenforit (Eskendereya), SP, \$239,502.



Martynas' Joy, f, 3, **American Pharoah**--Avena, by Frankel (GB). Delaware, 9-4, 1 1/16mT, 1:43.99. Lifetime Record: 8-1-2-2, \$54,800. B-My Meadowview LLC (KY). *\$145,000 RNA Ylg '22 KEESEP; \$240,000 2yo '23 KEENOV.

Donate Life, f, 3, **Munnings**--Quargent, by War Front. Colonial Downs, 9-4, (S), (C), 5 1/2ft, 1:03.66. Lifetime Record: 9-1-4-1, \$71,292. B-Audley Farm Equine, LLC (VA). *\$8,000 Ylg '22 EASOCT.

Majestic Appeal, f, 3, **Practical Joke**--Witch's Coven (GSP, \$160,867), by Cuvee. Assiniboia Downs, 9-3, 6f, 1:14.78. Lifetime Record: 7-1-0-1, \$15,678. B-Ken Lee & Dennis Mitchell (KY).

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- Bolt d'Oro**, Pappy's Revenge, c, 3, o/o Steady N Love, by Not For Love. ALW, 9-4, Delaware
- Bolt d'Oro**, Spectacular d'Oro, g, 3, o/o Agressive Elegance, by Macho Uno. ALW, 9-4, Thistledown
- Constitution**, Public Defender, f, 3, o/o On the Backstreets, by Street Boss. MSW, 9-4, Colonial Downs
- Cowtown Cat**, Lust for Life, g, 3, o/o Love Spun, by **Hard Spun**. ALW, 9-4, Thistledown
- Dialed In**, Asset Purchase, f, 4, o/o Quick Hit Fever, by Dublin. AOC, 9-4, Horseshoe Indianapolis
- Drill**, Ollie's Folly, g, 3, o/o Sweet Jody, by Value Plus. ALW, 9-4, Thistledown
- Free Drop Billy**, Spa City Girl, f, 3, o/o Kauai Nana, by Sea Prince. MSW, 9-3, Louisiana Downs
- Harry's Holiday**, Jolly Justice, f, 3, o/o Bank Candy, by Banker's Gold. ALW, 9-4, Horseshoe Indianapolis
- Isotherm**, Polar Drift, g, 2, o/o Big N Lucky, by Pollard's Vision. MSW, 9-3, Horseshoe Indianapolis
- Kantharos**, Kotylos, g, 4, o/o Cambiata, by Concerto. ALW, 9-4, Presque Isle Downs
- Mission Impazible**, Darn That Song, m, 5, o/o Darn That Trip, by Trippi. ALW, 9-4, Finger Lakes
- Mohaymen**, Realer, f, 3, o/o Spoof, by **Ghostzapper**. MSW, 9-4, Horseshoe Indianapolis
- Mondavi**, Mondavila, g, 2, o/o Lost Village, by Jump Start. MSW, 9-4, Horseshoe Indianapolis
- Mosler**, Saxton, g, 2, o/o Winning Thread, by Lookin At Lucky. MSW, 9-4, Colonial Downs
- Munnings**, Donate Life, f, 3, o/o Quargent, by **War Front**. MCL, 9-4, Colonial Downs
- Practical Joke**, Majestic Appeal, f, 3, o/o Witch's Coven, by Cuvee. MSW, 9-3, Assiniboia

- Run Away and Hide**, Carolina Hideaway, f, 4, o/o Carolina Shag, by Bop. ALW, 9-4, Colonial Downs
- Summer Front**, Gotta Have a Guy, c, 2, o/o Take It All Back, by Flashback. MCL, 9-4, Colonial Downs
- Vekoma**, Praying, f, 2, o/o Pray for Leslie, by Bernardini. MSW, 9-4, Horseshoe Indianapolis



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- Violence**, Trew **Violence**, c, 2, o/o La Pequena Gigi, by **Sky Mesa**. MSW, 9-4, Horseshoe Indianapolis
- Well Spelled**, Summer's Gift, f, 4, o/o Fappy's Gift, by Disco Rico. AOC, 9-4, Parx Racing
- Will Take Charge**, Take Charge Chloe, m, 6, o/o Banker's Buy, by Distorted Humor. ALW, 9-4, Delaware

TODAY'S FEATURED REPLAY



Saxton (Mosler) surges to debut win at Colonial Downs.
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