



\$575K MAXFIELD COLT ON TOP AS BK 3 CONCLUDES WITH INCREASES



Sunday's session topper, by Maxfield | Keeneland

by Jessica Martini

LEXINGTON, KY - The Keeneland September Yearling Sale continued ahead of its 2023 edition as Book 3 concluded Sunday night with a colt by Maxfield leading the way when selling for \$575,000.

Through the two Book 3 sessions, 526 yearlings sold through the ring for a gross of \$83,880,000. The section's average was \$159,468--up 4.7% from a year ago--and the median was \$130,000, an increase of 13.04%. Ten horses sold for \$500,000 or more, compared to 13 hitting that mark a year ago.

During last year's Book 3 section, 562 yearlings sold through the ring for \$85,565,000 for an average of \$152,251 and a median of \$115,000.

With trainers Bob Baffert, Chad Brown and Mark Casse among the first-week shoppers still on the grounds as Book 3 concluded, Sunday's session marked a transition for the 12-day auction, according to Mark Taylor of Taylor Made Sales Agency.

"[Saturday] and today, to me, it felt a little bit thin like a lot of horses didn't have quite punch above the reserve," Taylor said. "They were getting done, but it was right there and you had to be careful with your reserves. But I think the market was still fair. Sunday, to me, seems like sometimes it's a transitional day." **Cont. p3**

PRIDE OF OHIO TAKES AIM ON KENTUCKY--

AND BEYOND by T.D. Thornton

The Week in Review

Let's start this column with the disclaimer that it's way too early to start seriously talking about how a one-turn-mile victory at age two might translate to winning a 10-furlong stakes some 7 1/2 months from now in a chaotic field of 20.

We'll also put aside for the moment that the GIII Iroquois S. has never been a prognosticator for success in the GI Kentucky Derby. Dating to the race's inception in 1983, juveniles who ran in that late summer/early autumn Churchill Downs stakes have gone a collective 0-1-1 from 30 starts as sophomores on the first Saturday in May. The Sep. 14 winner of the Iroquois, 'TDN Rising Star' Jonathan's Way (Vekoma), also has the distinction of being an Ohio-bred. You've got a pretty good head for obscure facts if you know that Wintergreen in 1909 was the only Kentucky Derby winner ever to be foaled in the Buckeye State. **Cont. p11**

IN TDN EUROPE TODAY

KYPRIOS LIVED UP TO BILLING IN IRISH ST LEGER

Kyprios (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) won the G1 Comer Group International Irish St Leger in good style at the Curragh on Sunday.

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Frank Barroby, the Hastings Park trainer and Canadian Hall of Famer, made a brief return from retirement from the saddle on Saturday. The 81-year-old was the leading rider at the track on multiple occasions in the 1960s and 70s and stepped in to help when there weren't enough pony riders to shepherd runners to the start for the BC Derby. | Patti Tubbs

12 | JONATHAN'S WAY TO TARGET BREEDERS' CUP JUVENILE

According to trainer Phil Bauer, GIII Iroquois winner Jonathan's Way (Vekoma) is expected to make his next start in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile at Del Mar Nov. 1.

13 | THORPEDO ANNA POSTS FINAL WORK AHEAD OF COTILLION

Classic winner Thorpedo Anna (Fast Anna) recorded her final major work before an intended start in Saturday's GI Cotillion Stakes at Parx.

15 | PAIR ADDED TO INGLIS DIGITAL USA SEPTEMBER

The Inglis Digital USA September Sale added a pair of offerings to its catalog-debut winner Saxton (Mosler) and MSP Munny Grab (Munnings. Both will be offered Sept. 25.



2024 Fall Meet Stakes



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\$350,000 Stoll Keenon Ogden Phoenix (G2) 3YOs & up, 6 furlongs | \$50,000 KTDF Contribution Nomination Deadline: Sept. 18 | \$100

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\$750,000 First Lady (G1) *Presented by UK HealthCare* 3YOs & up, F&M, 1 mile (turf) | \$100,000 KTDF Contribution Nomination Deadline: Sept. 18 | \$150

\$350,000 Thoroughbred Club of America (G2) 3YOs & up, F&M, 6 furlongs | \$50,000 KTDF Contribution Nomination Deadline: Sept. 18 | \$100

\$350,000 Woodford (G2) Presented by FanDuel 3YOs & up, 5 1/2 furlongs (turf) | \$50,000 KTDF Contribution Nomination Deadline: Sept. 18 | \$100

\$600,000 Juddmonte Spinster (G1) 3YOs & up, F&M, 1 1/8 miles | \$100,000 KTDF Contribution Nomination Deadline: Sept. 18 | \$150

\$350,000 Castle & Key Bourbon (G2)
\$2YOs, 1 1/16 miles (turf) | \$50,000 KTDF Contribution Nomination Deadline: Sept. 18 | \$100

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	Oct 11	\$300,000 Sycamore (G3) 3YOs & up, 1 1/2 miles (turf) \$50,000 KTDF Contribution Nomination Deadline: Sept. 25 \$100
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	Oct 25	\$200,000 Myrtlewood 2YO fillies, 6 furlongs \$50,000 KTDF Contribution Nomination Deadline: Oct. 9 \$100
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Taylor continued, "Some of the people are almost done and maybe they are just bidding on a few select horses. And then some of the people who are really coming for Book 4 are maybe up here around the ring and they are dabbling and maybe buying a few in the back ring. But it's kind of a transition day."

Through six sessions, 1,166 yearlings have grossed \$336,408,000. The cumulative average of \$288,515 is up 8.15% from the same point in the 2023 auction and the median is up 5% at \$210,000. The buy-back rate is 28.51%. It was 26.08% last year.

"I think the sale has been very, very good," Taylor said. "I think Keeneland has done a great job of bringing in buyers from all over the world. There has been a ton of European breeze-up people that have bought a lot of horses from us, so getting them over here and getting them engaged, I think it's a good sign for our breeders that those guys want American horses and they think they can do well at the breeze-up sales. That's been kind of a bright spot."

Looking ahead to the auction's second week, Taylor added, "I thought Book 3 was good, but my hope is that Book 4 is even stronger, that there is new blood coming in and it's going to kick on and go from there." The Keeneland September sale continues through Saturday with sessions beginning daily at 10 a.m.

Maxfield Colt for the Amigos

Trainer Bob Baffert, still on the grounds shopping through Book 3 at Keeneland, and bloodstock agent Donato Lanni went to \$575,000 to acquire a colt from the first crop of Maxfield on behalf of the 'Three Amigos': Mike Pegram, Karl Watson, and Paul Weitman Sunday. Out of Bible Belt (Pulpit), the dark bay colt is a half-brother to graded-placed Hardworkcleanlivin (Colonel John). Bred by Bill Thompson, Jr., he was consigned by Indian Creek.

"Bob is here and the three amigos are all here," Lanni said. "It's nice to have them here. The Maxfields have been selling really well. They are all beautiful. And we all liked this colt. He was a must-have."

The Three Amigos were buying their second yearling by Maxfield. They also paid \$575,000 for a colt by the sire consigned by Burleson Farms (hip 1108).

Through six sessions, has had 41 yearlings sell for an average of \$275,366. He was represented by pair of million-dollar yearlings in Book 1.



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Maxfield Colt a High for Thompson

Bill Thompson, Jr., breeding Thoroughbreds since 1996, sold his highest-priced yearling Sunday at Keeneland when his colt by Maxfield sold for a session-topping \$575,000 to Three Amigos.

"That exceeded my expectations," Thompson admitted. "I was hoping that we might be \$250,000 to \$300,000, so this certainly exceeded my expectations."

The session topper is out of Bible Belt (Pulpit), a mare Thompson purchased for \$15,000 at the 2011 Keeneland January sale.

Maxfield is in the midst of a breakout sale with his first-crop yearlings at Keeneland.

Of the decision to send his mare to the Darley stallion, Thompson said, "Maxfield was a stallion that I had the opportunity to see at the racetrack when he was in his racing days.

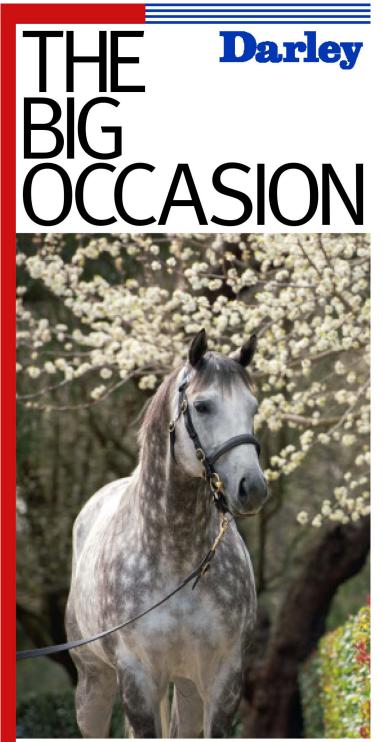


Bill Thompson Jr | Keeneland

[Trainer] Brendan [Walsh] was really kind to take him out and let us see him. And I was impressed with his disposition, the way he carried himself. That's the difficult thing to ascertain about a potential mating. What is the horse's demeanor? That's so important, I think, not only for the sales, but also for the racetrack. They've got to have that demeanor and confidence that they don't get addled. So I like to pay attention to what I observe of them and Maxfield was such a standout individual from the way he carried himself."

Thompson has six mares that he boards at Winsom Farm in Paris, Kentucky.

"I had horses when I was younger--Quarter Horses, just riding horses," Thompson recalled. "But I was really interested in the Thoroughbred world. I bought my first mare in 1996 and had the good fortune to breed to Saint Ballado in his second year and that yearling went on to do very well. I sold her well here at Keeneland. So what do you do? Get some money, buy a couple more mares. So that's where I am today."



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Asked what it was like to watch his high-selling yearling go through the ring Sunday, Thompson said, "It feels rewarding because there are so many things that can go wrong. I lost two foals this year. It's a difficult game, but when everything lines up and you have a success like this, it just feels terrific."

Nyquist Colt to Wathnan Racing

A colt by Nyquist (hip 1813) is joining the expanding U.S. stable of Wathnan Racing after bloodstock agent Case Clay made a final bid of \$550,000 to secure the yearling Sunday at Keeneland. The dark bay is out of stakes-placed Slimey (Quality Road) and was consigned by Knockgriffin Farm.

"He really just caught my eye," said Clay. "He has a lot of presence and is a beautiful mover."

The Wathnan Racing of the Emir of Qatar Sheikh Tamim bin Hamad Al Thani burst on the European racing scene last summer when winning a pair of races at Royal Ascot. The operation returned to win four races at the royal meeting this year.

Clay has been shopping for Wathnan at the yearling sales over the last month as the operation expands its U.S. roster, which already has seen graded success with Subsanador (Arg) (Fortify)'s win in the GIII Phillip H. Iselin Stakes

"In America, they are looking to buy two-turn dirt horses, colts and fillies," Clay said. "There are 13 in training at the moment



and so far at Saratoga and September sale, they have bought 14---11 here [at Keeneland] and three at Saratoga."

Wathnan's purchases at Keeneland have included a colt by Gun Runner (hip 235) for \$800,000 and a colt by Not This Time (hip 4) for \$675,000. At Saratoga, Clay's three purchases on behalf of Wathnan included a filly by Tapit (hip 160) for \$850,000; a colt by Into Mischief (hip 55) for \$850,000; and a second filly by Tapit (hip 135) for \$500,000.



Fitzgerald Hits Another Book 3 Home Run

Jim Fitzgerald's Knockgriffin Farm hit a pinhooking home run when topping the second Book 3 section in 2023 with a \$900,000 son of Constitution he had purchased for \$100,000 at Keeneland January eight months earlier. Fitzgerald did again Sunday at Keeneland when selling a colt by Nyquist for \$550,000 to Case Clay Thoroughbred Management. The yearling was purchased for \$95,000 at Keeneland this past January.

"He just had an overall range about him," Fitzgerald said. "The way he moved as a weanling, I thought there was just so much potential there. He grew up exactly as I thought he would. I think his better days are ahead of him. He's really started to come into himself now and I think Case Clay bought a really nice horse."

Of the colt's price tag in January, Fitzgerald said, "I was a little surprised by it, but he had a lot of maturing to do. And sometimes you get a bit lucky. And obviously I got lucky, especially with Nyquist, who is probably one of the hottest sires around right now."



Hip 1813, a colt by Nyquist | Keeneland

Casse Celebrates with More Shopping

By any measure, Mark Casse had a good day at the race Saturday. The trainer saddled the top three in the GI Natalma Stakes, the top two in the GI Woodbine Mile and south of the border captured the GIII Pocahontas Stakes at Churchill Downs. Casse wasn't on hand at any of those races, however, as he shopped the Keeneland September sale.

"It's funny," Casse said at the sales pavilion Sunday. "I think we've won the Natalma eight or nine times and the Summer four or five times. I think that was our third Woodbine Mile. I haven't been to any of them. It's always the week of the sale. I tell everybody, that book has been written. I am trying to buy next year's winners."

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KEE, 3YO & UP, 6f To be run Oct 4 **CLOSES SEPT 18**

BREEDERS' CUP JUVENILE

Claiborne Breeders' Futurity (GI)

KEE, 2YO, 1 1/16m To be run Oct 5 **CLOSES SEPT 18**

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Coolmore Turf Mile (GI) KEE, 3YO & UP, 1m (T) To be run Oct 5 CLOSES SEPT 18

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Thoroughbred Club of America (GII)

KEE, 3YO & UP, F & M, 6f To be run Oct 5 **CLOSES SEPT 18**

BREEDERS' CUP JUVENILE TURF

Castle & Key Bourbon (GII) KEE, 2YO, 1 1/16m (T) To be run Oct 6 CLOSES SEPT 18

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Juddmonte Spinster (GI) KEE, 3YO & UP, F & M, 1 1/8m To be run Oct 6 CLOSES SEPT 18

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Asked how he celebrated the racetrack success Saturday, Casse said, "We went out to dinner with some friends. We were going strong, trying to buy horses and watch races. This is always an interesting week."

Casse had a knockout summer with his 2-year-olds at Saratoga and the babies continue to perform with **And One More Time** (Omaha Beach), Vixen (Vekoma), and **Nitrogen** (Medaglia d'Oro) sweeping the trifecta in the Natalma and **La Cara** (Street Sense)'s win in the Pocahontas.

"We had a wonderful year with our 2-year-olds," Casse said. "We started a new plan at the beginning of the year. We bought yearlings, but then we got them ready at our training center, so we had a good group ready early. We got them started. I think that's the key. You look at a filly like La Cara who won the Pocahontas, she started a couple of times before she even won. So it takes some of those horses a few starts."

Tynan Makes the Scene at Keeneland



Ronan Tynan | Keeneland

Ronan Tynan took time away from his teaching duties at University of Kentucky to take in the sales at Keeneland Sunday, but the Irish tenor, who breeds and races in his native country, found bidding competitive.

"I teach two weeks each semester at University of Kentucky," Tynan, said. "I have a stud farm in Ireland and in the past I've bought horses here, but it's very good sales this year. Holy moly."

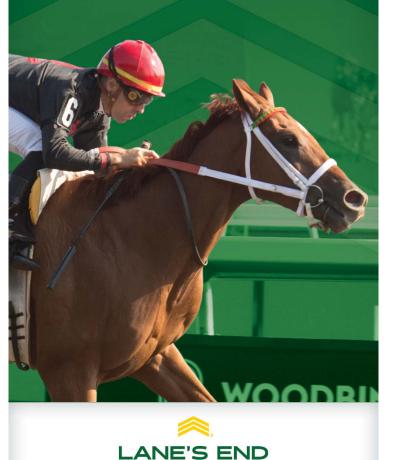
Asked if he had bid on anything Sunday, Tynan admitted, "I saw a beautiful filly by Street Sense and she attracted my attention hugely, but then she detracted my attention because she flew. I tell you what, if this is an indication of the way things are going, it's going to be hard to get something within the realm of my pocket. But it's fantastic."



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Tynan will be hoping the action is as competitive in Ireland when he turns to the selling side of the sales.

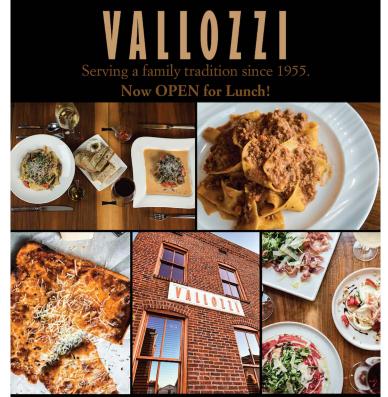
"I breed and race," Tynan said. "The year before I had eight winners, last year I had seven or eight. This year, not so good, but you have years like that. I have foals for the sales in Ireland. I'm a little worried about how it goes. Ireland is not America. I think Europe may be near a recession, not near the top, but the tier below it."

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KEENELAND SEPTEMBER YEARLING SALE SUNDAY'S TOP YEARLINGS

HIP	<u>SEX</u>	SIRE DAM	<u> PRICE (\$)</u>
1916	colt	MaxfieldBible Belt	575,000
	Breed	er: William B. Thompson, Jr.	
	Consi	gnor: Indian Creek, agent	
	Purch	aser: Three Amigos	
1813	colt	NyquistSlimey	550,000
	(\$95,0	000 yrl ''24 KEEJAN)	
	Breed	ler: Gage Hill Stable II, W.S. Farish,Ken L	angone (KY)
	Consi	gnor: Knockgriffin Farm, agent	
	Purch	aser: Case Clay Thoroughbred Manager	nent
1863	colt	MaxfieldVirtuoso	525,000
	Breed	er: Rock Ridge Thoroughbreds (Ky)	
	Consi	gnor: Warrendale Sales, Agent XI	
	Purch	aser: Kenneth McPeek, agent	
1798	colt	YauponSeize the Ring	475,000
	Breed	er: Chippewa Bloodstock (Ky)	
	Consi	gnor: Scott Mallory, Agent for Buena Me	adera
	Purch	aser: Monique Delk, agent	
1940	colt	Candy Ride (Arg)Caught Looking	475,000
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		er: 2500 Determined Stud (Ky)	
	-	gnor: Scott Mallory, Agent for Determin	ed Stud
		aser: Mike Ryan, agent	
1946	colt	GhostzapperChoosy	460,000
		er: Newtownanner Stud Farm (Ky)	
	-	gnor: Blake-Albina Thoroughbred Servic	es, Agent I
		aser: Kenneth McPeek	
1673		VolatileLune d'Amour	450,000
	Breed	ler: Three Chimneys Farm (Ky)	



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Consignor: Taylor Made Sales Agency, Agent CLXV Purchaser: Klaravich Stable, Inc. 450,000 **1881** filly **Complexity**--Yankee Union Breeder: Brereton Jones (Ky) Consignor: Airdrie Stud Raised and Offered Purchaser: Douglas Scharbauer 1932 colt 425,000 Gun Runner--Boxwood Breeder: Mr & Mrs William L Pape (Ky) Consignor: Royal Oak Farm (Damian & Braxton Lynch) Purchaser: Schumer Bloodstock/KDS 1634 colt **Street Sense--Italia** 400,000 (\$185,000 i/u '22 KEENOV) Breeder: Fred Hertrich, III & John Fielding (Ky) Consignor: Taylor Made Sales Agency, Agent CXXXV Purchaser: Donato Lanni, Agent for SF/Starlight/Madaket 1801 filly 385,000 McKinzie--She Rocks the Look Breeder: Tim Thornton & Eric Buckley (Ky) Consignor: St George Sales, Agent for Threave Main Stud Purchaser: Main Line & Avalon Stable 1558 fillv **Constitution**--Disobedient 350,000 Breeder: Anderson Farms Ont. and 552727 Ontario (ON) Consignor: Anderson Farms, agent Purchaser: Lael Stable

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1634 coltStreet SenseItalia400,000Consigned by Taylor Made Sales Agency, Agent CXXXVPurchased by Donato Lanni, Agent for SF/Starlight/MadaketFred Hertrich purchased Italia, with this colt in utero, for\$185,000 at the 2022 Keeneland November sale. The mareproduced a colt by Constitution this year and was bred back toCurlin.

1687 coltPractical JokeMedia Tone290,000Consigned by St George Sales, Agent XVI
Purchased by Klaravich Stable, Inc.Circle Creek acquired this colt for \$90,000 at this year's
Keeneland January sale.

1736 coltVekomaPaden Affair275,000Consigned by Vinery Sales, Agent IXPurchased by Kimmel/Sallusto, Agent for Sean FlanaganSusan Naylor Moulton purchased this colt by hot-startingfreshman sire Vekoma for \$75,000 at last year's KeenelandNovember sale.

1754 coltBeau LiamPrivy Council220,000Consigned by Paramount Sales, Agent LXVIII
Purchased by Monique Delk, agentRexy Bloodstock purchased this colt for \$85,000 at the 2023Keeneland November sale.

1781 coltVekomaRockin the Bleu's240,000Consigned by Taylor Made Sales Agency, Agent CLXVII
Purchased by JAS/CostaTB Stables acquired this colt by hot freshman sire Vekoma for
\$65,000 at the 2023 Keeneland November sale.

1808 coltBlameSilviculture200,000Consigned by Four Star Sales, agentPurchased by Jerry CrawfordJena Antonucci and Katie Miranda's Horseology partnershippurchased this colt for \$50,000 at Keeneland last November.

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- The Keeneland September Book 3 section concluded with increases in both average and median. Through the two sessions, Keeneland sold 526 yearlings for \$83,880,000. The average of \$159,468 was up 4.7% and the median of \$130,000 was up 13.04% from a year ago.
- Yearlings from the first crop of Maxfield, who had a pair of million-dollar colts earlier in the auction, continued to be in demand. A son of the Darley stallion topped Sunday's session when selling to the Three Amigos for \$575,000.
- Taylor Made Sales Agency was the leading consignor during Book 3, with 54 head sold for \$7,101,000.
- Monique Delk was the leading buyer of Book 3. Bidding on behalf of Vinnie Viola's St. Elias Stable, Delk signed for eight yearlings for \$3,380,000. She signed for an additional two yearlings in partnership with Donegal and Whisper Hill Farm.
- Through six sessions, alone or in partnership, Delk has signed for 14 yearlings for \$7,850,000.
- Jim Fitzgerald's Knockgriffin Farm, which topped Bk 3 a year ago with a home run pinhook, had another big score Sunday. The operation sold a colt by Nyquist for \$550,000. The yearling was purchased at Keeneland January earlier this year for \$95,000.



Hip 1863, by Maxfield, brought \$525K | Keeneland



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SESSION TOTALS	2024	2023
• Catalogued	420	417
• No. Offered	352	358
• No. Sold	253	277
• RNAs	99	81
• % RNAs	28.13%	22.63%
• High Price	\$575,000	\$900,000
• No. Over \$500k	3	5
• Gross	\$35,976,000	\$38,868,000
• Average (% change)	\$142,198 (+1.34%)	\$140,318
Median (% change)	\$110,000 (+10.00%)	
CUMULATIVE TOTALS	2024	2023
• Catalogued	1970	1965
• No. Offered	1631	1622
• No. Sold	1166	1199
• RNAs	465	423
• % RNAs	28.51%	26.08%
• Gross	\$336,408,000	\$319,865,000
 Average (% change) Median (% change) 	\$288,515 (+8.15%) \$210,000 (+5.00%)	\$266,776 \$200,000

101 Pinhooks Sold in Book 3 Average Nearly \$44,000 Profit Each

We took a deep dive into how Book 3's pinhooks fared and attempted to analyze how the prospects as a whole performed over the two days. We've subtracted a loose estimated cost of \$25,000 for each yearling's board, veterinary expenses, farrier work, sales prep, and sales entry fees. Obviously, this amount has the potential to vary substantially per offering.

A total of 138 yearlings were consigned over the two days of Book 3 as pinhooks. Eleven of the 138 were outs and 26 were RNAs, leaving 101 to represent the pinhook sector. The 101 sold for a total of \$16,428,000 from a combined output of \$9,496,000 at original purchase. Less \$2,525,000 for the 101 in combined estimated costs, that leaves a profit of \$4,407,000 for the group or an average of \$43,634 and a median of \$150,000. Sixty-four were profitable at an average profit of \$89,469, one broke even, and 36 lost money at an average loss of \$36,639.

The pinhooking standout of Book 3 was Nyquist's colt out of Slimey (Quality Road), who was purchased for \$95,000 by Knockgriffin Farm and Stoney Pointe Bloodstock at Keeneland January before reselling Sunday for \$550,000. *@JillWilliamsTDN*

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Nov. 1	Golden State Juvenile Fillies (California Bred)	F, 2 YO	7 furlongs	\$175,000			
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Nov. 1	Golden State Juvenile (California Bred)	2 YO	7 furlongs	\$175,000			
Nov. 1	Ocean View (Allowance, 1 xm)	3 & Up	6 1/2 Furlongs	\$150,000			
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Race Date	Race Name	Sex & Age	Distance	Purse			
Nov. 2	Bayakoa Stakes (Gr.III)	F/M 3 & up	1 mile	\$200,000			
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The Week In Review: cont. from p1



Phil Bauer and Richard Rigney | Keeneland

Yet even if the historical odds are stacked against him, you have to admit the connections of this 2-for-2 colt are entitled to at least a little bit of celebratory "Derby dreaming" hype after watching Jonathan's Way establish command, take pressure through the middle stages, and shrug off decent bids at the top of the stretch and through the lane to score in Saturday's Iroquois by 2 3/4 lengths in 1:36.08 (89 Beyer Speed Figure).

"Isn't this great? An Ohio-bred?" owner Richard Rigney asked rhetorically while basking in the afterglow of his 1.26-1 favored colt earning the first 10 points on the 2025 Road to the Derby qualifying leaderboard.

Rigney, who has operated Rigney Racing for the past 11 years, said post-win that he named this \$290,000 KEENOV weanling after his teenage son.

Presumably, he was aware when he christened the colt that an old adage in the sport dictates you don't name a racehorse after a family member or friend unless you think the horse will turn out to be something special.

It turns out that indeed was the case with Jonathan's Way.

"As a weanling, we were thinking big, high things of this horse from the very beginning," Rigney said in post-race interview footage provided by the Kentucky Horsemen's Benevolent and Protective Association.

"One of the wonderful things about [bloodstock agent] John [Moynihan] is that he's not looking at what the [catalogue] page looks like. He's looking at who are the athletes, and it just couldn't have been better for us," Rigney said.

If you sift those against-the-grain statistics about the Iroquois S. and Ohio-breds through a finer sieve, you can come up with a couple of exception-to-the-trend coincidences that give glimmers of hope to the prospect that Jonathan's Way might have a fighting chance in the spring Classics. Last year's winner of the Iroquois S., West Saratoga (Exaggerator), did make it into the 2024 Derby, finishing twelfth. But the fourth-place horse out of that 2023 Iroquois, Seize the Grey (Arrogate), eventually annexed his own slice of the 2024 Triple Crown, upsetting the GI Preakness S. at 9-1 odds

And while no winner of the Iroquois S. has ever worn a blanket of roses under Churchill's twin spires, the favorite for the Derby 22 years ago, Harlan's Holiday, was actually an Ohio-bred who had won the previous year's Iroquois.

Off as the 6-1 public choice in the 2002 Derby wired by the 20-1 War Emblem, Harlan's Holiday finished seventh.

Rigney was well aware of that connection, too, and even added another layer of intrigue to the Iroquois/Ohio kismet.

"The other thing that's kind of awesome is Harlan's Holiday was an Ohio-bred," Rigney said. "And the person that bought Harlan's Holiday [in 2000 as the stable manager for Jack and Laurie Wolf], was Barry Berklehammer, the one who broke this horse.

"So we're pretty happy. We've got the Ohio mojo going," Rigney enthused.

Jonathan's Way, through just two lifetime starts, has also managed to mirror the exploits of his first-crop sire, Vekoma. Both won six-furlong sprints in New York in their debuts, then registered victories as favorites in one-turn-mile stakes second time out.

In Jonathan's Way's case, he parlayed a 4 ¹/₄-length score at Saratoga Aug. 17 into a win in the Iroquois.

Vekoma, by contrast, had gotten a later start. As a May 22 foal, he won his Sept. 23, 2018, debut at Belmont Park, then (bypassing the Breeders' Cup the same weekend), took down the Nov. 4 GIII Nashua S.

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Harlan's Holiday and Todd Pletcher | Horsephotos

At age three, Vekoma ran third in the GII Fountain of Youth S., won the then-GII Blue Grass S., and finished twelfth in the 2019 Kentucky Derby.

After missing 10 months with foot ailments, Vekoma's connections cut him back to one-turn races in 2020, and he ended his career with three straight stakes tallies, including the 2020 GI Metropolitan Handicap. He was sidelined again that summer, pointed toward the Breeders' Cup without a prep race, then a fever caused Vekoma



Barry Berkelhammer | Fasig-Tipton photo

to miss what was to be his final start in the GI Sprint. Jonathan's Way's trainer, Philip Bauer, said that running through adversity in start No. 1 established that his colt could handle stakes company.

In his Saratoga coming-out party, Jonathan's Way got bumped at the break, was taken up and got pinched back, powered through dirt kickback, circled the field, then swept to the lead in the lane and drew off in what was termed a "sparkling effort" by the Equibase chart caller.

"Certainly in the debut, we never anticipated the trouble he encountered," Bauer said. "But he overcame it, and was much the best that day.

"[Saturday] we felt the [nine] post was to our advantage, to see how [the pace] developed, and he developed things himself [by going straight for the lead]," Bauer said.



While watching the Iroquois unfold, Bauer said he took a measure of comfort in getting a visual read that Jonathan's Way was not overtaxing himself on the front end despite taking heat for most of the trip.

"Joel [Rosario] is a great rider for a reason," Bauer said. "When they break sharp, you try not to take anything away from them."

The main track at Churchill did not appear biased on Saturday, but it was decidedly not slanted toward early speed.

Of 11 races on the main track, only the opener and Jonathan's Way's win were wire jobs. Four races were won by stalkers from midpack; five others featured deep closers.

"The horse gives you a ton of confidence in the mornings. He's ultra-talented, and I feel sorry for his workmate at times," Bauer said.

"Two-year-olds, it's a 'light bulb' moment a lot of times," Bauer continued. "You could tell after his first race he knew what the game's all about. Started training a little more forwardly in the mornings. We came in here with a ton of confidence."

The Nov. 1 GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile is next, Bauer said, although he did admit that the seven weeks between starts presents a dilemma about whether or not to fit in another prep stakes.

"I think we'll train up," Bauer said. "I think with Kentucky

Downs [holding the early September dates], Churchill tries to just back up [the date of the Iroquois] a little bit. The timing gets a little messed up."

Bauer's solution?

"Talented horses, you've just got to keep them happy," he said.

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JONATHAN'S WAY TO TARGET BREEDERS' CUP JUVENILE

Rigney Racing's **TDN Rising Star Jonathan's Way** (Vekoma) went wire-to-wire in the GIII Iroquois Stakes at Churchill Downs, earning the colt 10 qualifying points towards the GI Kentucky Derby. According to trainer Phil Bauer Sunday, the colt will now head to the Nov. 1 GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile at Del Mar.

Jonathan's Way winning at the Spa | Sarah Andrew

"It was an unbelievable day for our barn," Bauer said. "Watching him turn for home in the Iroquois, he looked so comfortable on the front end. His ears told a story--he was just waiting for Joel [Rosario] to ask for more. And, really, Joel didn't have to push him much at all."

The Ohio-bred earned TDN stardom after his impressive 4 1/4-length score going six panels at the Spa Aug. 17.

"For only his second start, he showed a lot of heart and gave us a new dimension in his running style. He cooled out great and was in perfect [Sunday] morning."

Jonathan's Way is only the second horse that Bauer and Rigney Racing have had on the Road to the Kentucky Derby leaderboard. The duo previously campaigned Another Lemon Drop, who finished fourth in the 2015 GIII Lecomte Stakes at Fair Grounds.

"We actually bought him as a weanling for \$290,000 and we were thinking high things of this horse from the beginning," Rigney said. "I have a great team behind me and I use John Moynihan as my bloodstock agent. The great thing about John is he's not looking at the page behind the horse but the physical attributes."

Jonathan's Way's was broken by Barry Berkelhammer, who also holds the distinction of having broken Grade I-winning Ohio-bred Harlan's Holiday.

"Seeing him already reward us is surreal," he added. "Being one of the favorites for both the Breeders' Cup Juvenile and Kentucky Derby is a dream come true. This is the greatest sport in the world."

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THORPEDO ANNA POSTS FINAL WORK AHEAD OF COTILLION

Brookdale Racing, Mark Edwards, Judy Hicks and Magdalena Racing's **Thorpedo Anna** (Fast Anna) posted her final work Saturday at Saratoga in preparation for Saturday's GI Cotillion Stakes at Parx Racing.

Trained by Kenny McPeek, the GI Kentucky Oaks winner covered five furlongs in 1:00.20 over the Oklahoma dirt training track under regular exercise rider Danny Ramsey.

McPeek, who is currently at the Keeneland September Yearling Sale, said the report on the filly's work was positive.

"All accounts are that she worked super and came out super," said McPeek. "She's doing great at Saratoga."

Thorpedo Anna was last seen finishing second to reigning Champion 2-Year-Old Colt Fierceness in the Aug. 24 GI DraftKings Travers at the Spa. She has won three Grade Is this year, including the DK Horse Acorn during the Belmont Stakes Racing Festival at Saratoga, and the Coaching Club American Oaks at the Spa.



Thorpedo Anna | Sarah Andrew

Parx will be the fifth track the TDN Rising Star has raced over. "She's all set and will probably ship down the day before," said McPeek. "She's handled everything else she's ever done, I don't know why she wouldn't handle that."

Thorpedo Anna has remained at Saratoga since the Travers and has posted two works, the other being a half-mile in :50.80 seconds on Sept. 7.

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'SKIPPY' WORKS AHEAD OF WOODWARD; JOSEPH CHARTS PLANS WITH TEAM

Daniel Alonso's **Skippylongstocking** (Exaggerator) breezed a half mile in :49.90 over the Oklahoma dirt training track Sunday in preparation for a start in the Sept. 28 GII Woodward at Belmont at the Big A.

Trained by Saffie Joseph, Jr., the 5-year-old won three graded stakes this season, including last time out in the GII Charles Town Classic on Aug. 23.

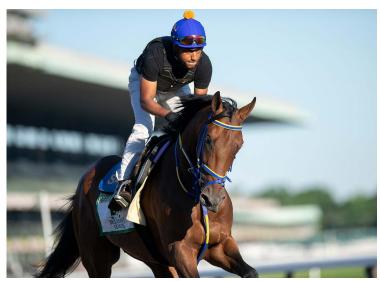
"It's a good spot for him and he's doing well at Saratoga, so it's not too long of a ship," Joseph, Jr. said. "He just seems to keep getting better. He had a good work [Sunday] and for him it was just perfection. I just hope he can continue the way he is right now."

Joseph, Jr. could also be represented by C2 Racing Stable and Agave Racing Stable's **Soul of an Angel** (Atreides), who is possible for the 6 1/2-furlong GII Gallant Bloom Sept. 29.

Joseph, Jr. said Soul of an Angel worked well Saturday while covering three-eighths in :36 flat in company with Practically Dark over the Oklahoma dirt training track.

The 5-year-old was purchased privately earlier this year and won the GII Ruffian going a one-turn mile on May 4 here on debut for Joseph, Jr.

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Skippylongstocking | Sarah Andrew

Soul of an Angel, fifth in the nine-furlong GI Ogden Phipps after a slow start, was a close second in the 1 1/16-mile GIII Molly Pitcher in July at Monmouth and a distant third last out in the nine-furlong GI Personal Ensign on Aug. 23 at the Spa.

"She is possible to cut back in the Gallant Bloom but it's not decided just yet," Joseph, Jr. said. "We just want to get her back to one turn. She hasn't run at one turn since she won the Ruffian."

Miller Racing's dual graded stakes-winner **Spirit Wind** (Bahamian Squall) was also on the Oklahoma tab Saturday, covering three-eighths in :35.66.

Joseph, Jr. indicated the 5-year-old mare could target the Oct. 5 GII Thoroughbred Club of America at Keeneland.

Joseph also indicated C Two Racing Stable and Mathis Stable's **The Queens M G** (Thousand Words), winner of Saratoga's Schuylerville and GIII Adirondack this summer, would likely stretch out around two turns in the 1 1/16-mile GI Alcibiades on Oct. 4 at Keeneland.

The dark bay, a private purchase following a gritty debut win in April at Keeneland, finished a distant fifth last out in the seven-furlong GI Spinaway Aug. 31.

"No excuses for her as far as trip last time," he said. "The trip was perfect and she came out of it well. The slop was an unknown factor and maybe that was the cause, but time will tell," Joseph, Jr. said. "She's probably going to go to Keeneland. I'd like to try her two turns and see how she gets on there in the Grade I."

Joseph Jr. added that C2 Racing Stable, Kuehne Racing and Mark Corrado's **Andrea** (Thousand Words), who is 2-for-2 after a pair of frontrunning romps at Gulfstream this summer, exited Saturday's Hallandale Beach victory in good order, however, her next start has yet to be decided.

"She's a nice filly. She's progressive and really going in the right

direction," Joseph, Jr. said. "She had a nice debut and we stretched her out [Saturday] which was not ideal going from 5 1/2-furlongs to a mile, but there wasn't any other options. She handled it well."

Andrea was purchased by Joseph, Jr. for \$105,000 from the OBS Spring Sale of 2-Year-Olds in training where she worked in :9.4.

"She looked like she had speed and class. You never know until you get them back to the track, but since she came in she's trained well," Joseph, Jr. said.

The South Florida-based trainer also noted that last year's GI Breeders' Cup Classic-winner **White Abarrio** (Race Day), who finished fifth last time out in the GI Metropolitan Handicap in June, remains in training at Saratoga and is getting closer to a breeze.

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ANOTHER CLEESHAY WORKS FOR FRIZETTE; EPITAPH POINTS TO FUTURITY

Trainer Gary Contessa will point a pair of New York-breds to Breeders Cup "Win and You're In" events at Belmont at the Big A with **Another Cleeshay** (Volatile) targeting the Oct. 5 GI Frizette Stakes and **Epitaph** (Country House) pointing to the GIII Futurity on Oct. 4.

"I look to shoot high. If you don't shoot high, you can't do amazing things," said Contessa, who captured the GI Hopeful Stakes last year with 54-1 shot Nutella Fella.

Another Cleeshay worked five-eighths in 1:03 flat Saturday over the Oklahoma dirt training track in company with maiden But Now Am Found.

Sean Shay's Another Cleeshay will look to parlay a 9 1/2-length debut score on Aug. 30 at Saratoga into a first career stakes win in the one-turn mile Frizette for juvenile fillies.



Another Cleeshay winning in Saratoga | Sarah Andrew

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"She broke slow, broke in the air, but she's got talent," said Contessa of the filly's debut. "Junior [Alvarado] knew how good she was, too. He knew she could overcome that break. The worst that could have happened is if they'd shut off the inside on her and she'd have no place to go. Luckily, the horses stayed off the rail and she was able to zip up the rail."

Another Cleeshay, bred by 3C Stables, was purchased by Contessa for \$40,000 at the Fasig-Tipton Midlantic 2-Year-Olds in Training Sale.

"I thought she was extremely athletic. I loved the way she moved," said Contessa. "I'm all about analyzing the stride of a horse when I'm buying at a 2-year-old sale. I might look at a tape of a horse working 20 times before I bid on it and that's what I did with her."

Contessa said the filly, who was also nominated to the state-bred Joseph A. Gimma next week, is doing well and he has no concerns about stepping her up in class and distance.

"I can always run in a New York-bred stake, but I can't always run in a Breeders' Cup," Contessa said. "We don't know how good she is. She won very impressively first time out. I think the mile is going to suit her, so why not take a shot?"

Epitaph, purchased by Contessa for \$15,000 at the Midlantic sale, graduated in front-running fashion in his Aug. 25 debut sprinting 5 1/2-furlongs over firm Spa turf.

The gelding, with Alvarado up, showed the way through splits of :21.83 seconds, :45.99 and :57.96 en route to a one-length victory in a final time of 1:04.13.

Bred by NK Racing, Epitaph, who worked five-eighths in 1:02.50 Saturday over the Oklahoma dirt training track, was nominated to next weekend's state-bred Bertram F. Bongard but will instead look to earn his way into the Breeders' Cup in November at Del Mar in the six-furlong Futurity for juveniles.

"Epitaph worked well [Saturday], too," Contessa said. "He's another one where I really liked his sale video. I nominated him to the New York-bred race, but I think we'll go to the Futurity with him as well. He won impressively going 5 1/2-furlongs on the grass."

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DEBUT WINNER SAXTON, SP MUNNY GRAB ADDED TO INGLIS DIGITAL USA SEPTEMBER SALE



Munny Grab winning at the Big A | NYRA/Coglianese

The Inglis Digital USA September Sale added a pair of offerings to its catalog in debut winner **Saxton** (Mosler) and MSP **Munny Grab** (Munnings), both to be offered on Wednesday, Sept. 25.

Saxton enters the September sale after a 4 1/2-length debut victory in a 5 1/2-furlong turf maiden special weight at Colonial Downs Sept. 4.

Trainer Cathal Lynch co-owns the 2-year-old gelding with Nick Sanna Stables.

"Saxton acts like an older horse," remarked Lynch of Saxton. "He is good minded and feels like he will improve as we stretch him out. The Laurel Futurity on Sept. 28 could be his next possible start."

A Virginia-bred with Maryland-sired eligibility and Maryland Million certification, Saxton was bred by Lazy Lane Farms. He is first runner and winner out of the Lookin At Lucky mare Winning Thread. His family includes third dam Grade II winner Secret Account, in addition to Kentucky Oaks winner Plum Pretty, GISW Secret Hello, and Grade III winner Conveyance.

Munny Grab is stakes-placed on both dirt and turf, most recently finishing a gaining third over the grass in the Suzie O'Cain Stakes at Saratoga. The New York bred filly earned a career best 78 Beyer Speed Figure in that effort.

The 3-year-old launched her career on the main track during her juvenile season, beating fellow New York-breds by four lengths in an Aqueduct maiden special weight, then finishing third in the Gin Talking Stakes at Laurel Park.

Munny Grab is trained by Horacio De Paz, earning \$144,140 for owners Magic Cap Stables and Hayden Racing. She is consigned by Lucan Bloodstock, agent. "The future is very bright for Munny Grab who is stakes placed on dirt and turf and is still improving race by race," said Karl Keegan of Lucan Bloodstock. "She's one of those unique fillies that is effective no matter what surface she's on. Her 2-year-old half-brother is in training will Bill Mott, and the reports on him are excellent."

Bred by EKQ Stables Corp., Munny Grab is out of the stakes-winning Maria's Mon mare Another World, whose seven foals to race are all winners. Her pedigree traces back to a Thomas Mellon Evans female family that features champion Pleasant Stage and Grade I winners Changeintheweather, A Phenomenon, Seattle Meteor, and Marsh Side.

"Munny Grab and Saxton are among the exciting new racehorses added to our September catalog," said Inglis Digital USA CEO Liza Hendriks. "With demand for racehorses at a high, sellers are leveraging recent successes, and these horses can remain in training through the sale without having to move, offering buyers an excellent opportunity."

Entries close for the Inglis Digital USA September Sale on Monday, Sept. 16. The catalog will be released Friday, Sept. 20, and the horses will sell Wednesday, Sept. 25.

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BRITISH COLUMBIA DERBY-GIII, C\$125,000, Hastings
Racecourse, 9-14, 3yo, 1 1/8m, 1:51.20, sy.
1--AUGUST RAIN, 124, g, 3, by Sungold
1st Dam: Bitatude, by Super Saver
2nd Dam: Amandatude, by Aptitude
3rd Dam: Heavenliness, by Lord Avie
(C\$20,000 Ylg '22 BRCSEP). O/B-Peter Redekop BC LTD (BC);

T-Barbara Heads; J-Amadeo Perez. C\$68,750. Lifetime Record: 11-7-1-2, \$259,342. Werk Nick Rating: A. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree. Click for the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.

2--Moneyshot, 124, g, 3, Frosted--Cool Beans, by Candy Ride (Arg). 1ST BLACK TYPE, 1ST GRADED BLACK TYPE. (\$50,000 2yo '23 OBSAPR). O-WYN Racing Stables Corp.; B-Magic Cap Stables, LLC (KY); T-Ian Jewell. C\$25,000.

Trained & Sold by LUCAN BLOODSTOCK Karl Keegan

3--J Dutton, 124, g, 3, Smiling Tiger--Cat Five' O, by Pleasantly Perfect. (\$97,000 Ylg '22 FTCAYR). O-Gordon Christoff and Lance B. Giesbrecht; B-PT Syndicate #1 LLC (CA); T-Robert J. Anderson. C\$12,500.

Margins: 1 1/4, 3 1/4, HD. Odds: 0.85, 15.80, 3.75.

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Collecting his second consecutive graded win in Saturday's GIII British Columbia Derby, August Rain has rarely put a foot wrong, having finished out of the money only once in 11 career starts. A three-time listed winner at 2, the gelding finished second in his 2024 debut facing allowance foes at Hastings in May before winning his next two at the stakes level, including the 8 1/2furlong Chris Loseth Handicap July 6. A close-up third in the Aug. 5 BC Cup Sir Winston Churchill Derby Trial, the chestnut rebounded to take the GIII Canadian Derby last time out at Century Mile Aug. 24.

Sent off the well-supported 4-5 choice here, the BC bred settled in midpack early through respectable early splits. Narrowing the distance on the front runners while racing two wide turning for home, August Rain shifted out while closing down the lane, took command was maintained a 1 1/4-length advantage over Moneyshot at the wire. J Dutton was third.



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Pedigree Notes:

Bitatude, out of SW and MGSP Amandatude (Aptitude), was purchased for \$700 carrying this son of Sungold at the Washington Yearling and Mixed Sale in 2021. Offered at the CTHS BC Mixed Sale the following yearling, he sold to Peter Redekop for \$15,244 US.



MONMOUTH PARK CONCLUDES WITH INCREASES IN TOTAL AND ON-TRACK HANDLE

Spurred in part by a record handle on NYRA Bets Haskell Stakes Day, Monmouth Park continued its upward trend with increases in both total and on-track handle for the fourth straight year, while jockey Paco Lopez and trainer Claudio Gonzalez were repeat winners of their respective titles as the 50-day meet came to an end on Sunday.

Total average handle was \$4,251,965, a 5.4% increase over last year's average of \$4,032,648 during a 51-day meet.

On-track handle averaged \$352,939, a 3.7% increase over last year's average of \$340,257.

In addition, the total handle of \$212,598,246 for the 50 days was an increase of nearly \$7 million over last year's 51-day total handle of \$205,665,035.

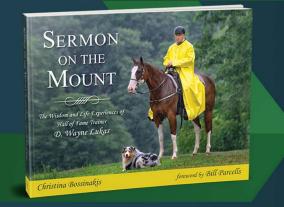
The overall on-track handle also increased despite one less day of live racing, finishing at \$17,646,973 compared to \$17,353,093 in 2023.

"It's a testament to the owners, trainers and the quality of racing that we were able to show an increase in handle once again," said Dennis Drazin, Chairman and CEO of Darby Development, LLC, lessee and operator of Monmouth Park. "With everything we have on the horizon, from the state-of-the-art Caesars Sportsbook now under construction to the development that is planned for the property, the future of Monmouth Park has never been brighter."

Haskell Day produced a record total handle of \$21,748,294 for the 14-race card, eclipsing the record set a year earlier. The crowd of 38,976 was the largest for Haskell Day since 2015.

Among the future enhancements to the facility is the 16,000 square foot Caesars trackside sportsbook, which is currently under construction. Completion is scheduled for next year.

JEMB, of which Morris Baily is the chairman of the board, has partnered with Darby Development and Monmouth Park to develop 80 acres of the track property, with plans calling for multi-family housing, a hotel and retail and youth sports facilities. THE FIRST & ONLY AUTHORIZED ACCOUNT OF THE LIFE & CAREER OF D. WAYNE LUKAS



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On the racing front, Lopez won his 11th Monmouth Park riding title overall and 10th in the past 12 years, finishing with 76 winners to 65 for runner-up Jairo Rendon.

Gonzalez won his third straight Monmouth Park training total, holding a 34-32 advantage over Mario Serey, Jr.

Robert Reidy, a Rumson resident, earned his first leading owner's title with 14 winners from 66 starts. Reidy has been an owner since 2010.

Thoroughbred racing in the state shifts to East Rutherford starting on Friday for the boutique Monmouth-at-Meadowlands all-turf meet. Live racing will run from Sept. 20 to Oct. 18 on Fridays and Saturdays, with the six-race cards starting at 7 p.m.

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Friday, Presque Isle Downs #9, post time: 7:36 p.m. EDT PRESQUE ISLE DOWNS MASTERS S.-GII, \$300,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f (AWT)

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT			
1	Sunday Shoes 🕋	Pioneerof the Nile	Lael Stables	Ward	Hernandez	120			
2	Roses for Debra 🕋	Liam's Map	John O'Meara and Cheyenne Stable, LLC	Clement	Ortiz, Jr.	125			
3	Jill Jitterbug	Cross Traffic	Shagbark Farm, LLC	Walsh	Morales	118			
4	Baby No Worries 🖛	Mr Speaker	Chan E Brook Stables	Girten	Gallardo	118			
5	Heaven Rules	Midshipman	Divine Light Healing Ministries	Rice	Ayala	118			
6	Nice as Pie	Tapiture	Dede McGehee	Danner	Beschizza	118			
7	Pandora's Gift (Ire)	Churchill (Ire)	Stuart Williams	Williams	Curtis	116			
8	Gal in a Rush 🕋	Ghostzapper	West Point Tbreds, Chris Larsen, Titletown Racing	Clement	Davis	125			
9	She's Fire	Flameaway	Divine Light Healing Ministries	Rice	Rodriguez	114			

Breeders: 1-Woodford Thoroughbreds, LLC, 2-Blackstone Farm LLC, 3-Ryan D. Walsh, 4-Cave Brook Farm, 5-Mulholland Springs LLC & MoreraBreeding and Racing LLC, 6-Dede McGehee, 7-Rossenarra Bloodstock Ltd, 8-Tom & Mary Lou Teal & Adena Springs, 9-Bill Adair, Phyllis Adair & Connie Brown

Saturday, Churchill Downs #8, post time: 4:25 p.m. EDT

DO	DOGWOOD SGIII, \$300,000, 3yo, f, 7f							
PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT		
1	Uphill Dance	Tonalist	Cheyenne Stables, LLC and Gary Barber	Mott	Gaffalione	118		
2	Fibber 🕋	Frosted	Flatland Racing Stable	Hartman	Concepcion	120		
3	Reagan's Flame 🕋	Flameaway	Watkins Diamond Stables, LLC	Schultz	Arrieta	118		
4	Cap Classique	Vino Rosso	DARRS, Inc.	Russell	Lanerie	118		
5	My Mane Squeeze	Audible	William J. Butler and WinStar Farm, LLC	Maker	Saez	122		
6	Neom Beach	Omaha Beach	Bloom Racing Stable, LLC and The Line Racing	Asmussen	Torres	118		
7	Manama Gold <	Star Guitar	Victorious Racing	Pletcher	Vazquez	120		
8	Legadema 🕋	Arrogate	Rigney Racing, LLC	Bauer	Corrales	120		
9	Halina's Forte	Mitole	Rigney Racing, LLC	Bauer	Alvarado	120		

Breeders: 1-Chet Blackey & Trackside Farm, 2-Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC, 3-Jason Hall, Herschel Martindale & Stephen Mott, 4-Cypress Creek Equine, LLC & ThreeDiamonds Farm, 5-William Butler, 6-Tami Bobo, 7-Brittlyn, Inc., 8-Mill Ridge Farm, et al., 9-Bill & Corinne Heilegbrodt & A.F.& B.Vanlangendonck



Saturday, Gulfstream #10, post time: 5:35 p.m. EDT

PRINCESS ROONEY INVITATIONAL S.-GIII, \$220,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 7f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Cousin Kristi 🕋	Kantharos	CJ Thoroughbreds and RAF Productions, LTD	Gambolati	Diaz, Jr.	119
2	Imonra	Violence	Vegso Racing Stables Inc.	Joseph, Jr.	Vasquez	119
3	Haulin Ice	Coal Front	C2 Racing Stable, LLC, Miller Racing, LLC,	Joseph, Jr.	Gonzalez	118
			Paul Braverman, and Timothy Pinch			
4	Maryquitecontrary	First Dude	Rodney G. Lundock	Plesa, Jr.	Zayas	121
5	Soul of an Angel	Atreides	C2 Racing Stable, LLC and Agave Racing Stable	Joseph, Jr.	Van Dyke	123
6	Unsolved Mystery	Goldencents	California Racing Partners, Ciaglia Racing LLC	Delgado	Rojas	119
			and Seacoast Racing LLC			
7	Battle Cry	Prospective	Skull Stable LLC	Barboza, Jr.	Reyes	119
8	Gallop d'Hermes	Medaglia d'Oro	Gandolfi Stables and El Herraje, LLC	Zanelli, Jr.	Leon	116
9	Pacholli (Uru)	Alcorano (Brz)	Abel Rangel	Parra	Trejos	121
10	Beth's Dream	Jess's Dream	Virginia Gamble	Barboza, Jr.	Jaramillo	121

Breeders: 1-Very Un Stable, 2-Vegso Racing Stable, 3-Eugenia Thompson-Benight, 4-R. G. Lundock, 5-Westbrook Stables, LLC, 6-Joanne R. Mummert, 7-Amalio Ruiz Lozano, 8-R. S. Evans, 9-Bage Do Sul, 10-Dr. & Mrs. James Gamble

Saturday, Belmont The Big A #8, post time: 4:11 p.m. EDT

NC	BLE DAMSEL SGII	l, \$175,000, 3yo/up, 1	f/m, 1mT			
PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Ocean Club	Curlin	Glen Hill Farm	Sisterson	Dettori	124
2	Five Towns (GB)	Lord Kanaloa (Jpn)	Merry Fox Stables	Motion	Ruiz	124
3	Poca Mucha 🕋	Tourist	Pantofel Stable, Wachtel Stable, and Zaro, Jerold L.	Mott	Carmouche	124
4	Edict (Arg)	Il Campione (Chi)	Behrendt, John, T.	Donk	Gomez	126
5	Alluring Angel (GB)	Fastnet Rock (Aus)	Goichman, Lawrence	Brown	Franco	122
6	Breath Away (GB)	Bated Breath (GB)	Reeves Thoroughbred Racing, Tango Uniform Racing LLC Steven Rocco	Clement	Davis	122
7	Elounda Queen (Ire)	Australia (GB)	Medallion Racing, Agave Racing Stable Gregory L. Harbut	Cox	Rivera, Jr.	122
8	Saffron Moon 🕋	Malibu Moon	CHP Racing	Brown	Cancel	122
9	Midnight Mile (Ire)	No Nay Never	Magnier, Mrs. John and Henry, Roisin	Brown	Cheminaud	122
10	Movie Moxy 🕋	Street Sense	Rice, Linda and Marequest	Rice	Davis	122
11	Signal From Noise 🕋	Arrogate	Klaravich Stables, Inc.	Brown	Franco	122

Breeders: 1-Glen Hill Farm, 2-Merry Fox Stud Limited, 3-Brownwood Farm, 4-Triple Alliance S.A., 5-Michael E. Wates CBE, 6-Highgate Stud, 7-Skyfarm Farm & Scea Marmion, 8-Cove Springs Farm LLC, 9-Premier Bloodstock, 10-Bonne Chance Farm, LLC, 11-Woodford Thoroughbreds, LLC

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IN ORDER OF PURSE:

VICTORIAN QUEEN S., C\$100,000, Woodbine, 9-15, (S), 2yo, f, 7fT, 1:22.16, fm.

1--SOUPER SUPREME, 122, f, 2, by Souper Speedy 1st Dam: Platinum Steel (SP, \$171,013), by Eddington 2nd Dam: Crafty Toast, by Crafty Prospector 3rd Dam: Give a Toast, by Storm Bird

(C\$100,000 Ylg '23 CANSEP). O-Michael J. Langlois and Gary Barber; B-Ericka Rusnak (ON); T-Mark E. Casse; J-Patrick Husbands. C\$60,000. Lifetime Record: 4-3-1-0, \$177,083. *1/2 to Paramount Prince (Society's Chairman), Ch. 3-year-old Colt-Can, MGSW, \$842,222.

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2--Ella It Is, 120, f, 2, Point of Entry--Our Ella, by Silent Name (Jpn). (C\$19,000 RNA Ylg '23 CANSEP). 1ST BLACK TYPE.
O-Heste Sport Inc.; B-Norse Ridge Farms (ON); T-Mark E. Casse. C\$20,000.

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3--**Skylight Caper**, 120, f, 2, Souper Speedy--Kin's Ghost, by Ghostzapper. (C\$115,000 Ylg '23 CANSEP). O-Canuck Racing Club and Terra Racing Stable; B-Phoenix Rising Farms (ON); T-Kevin Attard. C\$11,000.

Margins: 2 1/4, 2, 3/4. Odds: 0.65, 10.60, 2.55.

Also Ran: I Love to Win, Serious Green, Princess Rosina, Misty Point.

Souper Supreme ran to her odds in the Victorian Queen Stakes after winning second out against maiden optional claiming company at Woodbine July 6 and then taking home the restricted auction company Muskoka Stakes trophy in Toronto Aug. 25. At 65 cents on the dollar here, the bay took to the turf for the first time like water and made every pole a winning one as she sailed home a winner on Sunday. A half-sister to current sire Army Mule (Friesan Fire), the winner's dam visited Silent Name (Jpn) consecutively starting in 2022, which yielded a filly and a colt May 18. Platinum Steel was not reported bred for next year. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

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Souper Supreme | Michael Burns

BULL PAGE S., C\$100,000, Woodbine, 9-15, (S), 2yo, c/g, 7fT, 1:21.49, fm.

1--DEWOLF, 120, c, 2, by Silent Name (Jpn) 1st Dam: Holy Cargo, by Holy Bull 2nd Dam: Cargo, by Caro (Ire) 3rd Dam: Aerturas (Fr), by Manado (Ire)

(\$185,000 Ylg '23 KEESEP). **1ST BLACK TYPE WIN.** O-X-Men Racing IV LLC, Canuck Racing Club, Madaket Stables LLC and SF Racing LLC; B-BHMFR, LLC (ON); T-Kevin Attard; J-Rafael Manuel Hernandez. C\$60,000. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, \$77,814.

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- BRED IN ONTARIO BY BHMFR, LLC
- 2--Unbridled Weather, 118, g, 2, Prime Attraction--Old Cooksville, by Weather Warning. (C\$9,000 Ylg '23 CANSEP).
 1ST BLACK TYPE. O-Pier 1 Stables; B-Kanny Ng (ON); T-Angus Buntain. C\$20,000.
- 3--Shadow Realm, 118, c, 2, Signature Red--Poke the Dragon, by City Zip. (C\$67,000 RNA Ylg '23 CANSEP). O-Norseman Racing Stable; B-Howard Walton (ON); T-Sid Attard. C\$10,000. Margins: 1 1/4, HF, 3/4. Odds: 0.90, 10.40, 3.80.
 Also Ran: Kekoa, Awesome Rainbow, Magic Power, Ride for the Purse, Shinigami.

Dewolf debuted in maiden special weight company going six furlongs on the grass at Woodbine July 4 but only managed fourth and dropped into an optional claimer last out, breaking through by 2 3/4 length Aug. 24. He scratched from last Saturday's GI Summer Stakes to tackle this spot instead and was heavily supported at 4-5 when trying this longest distance to date. Forwardly placed while third along the inside, Dewolf stalked pacesetter Unbridled Weather into the turn and pounced with an outside move with a quarter to run. **Cont.** And while Unbridled Weather was game along the fence, Dewolf slowly edged away for the win. The 42nd stakes winner for Silent Name, Dewolf is out of a half to GI Preakness Stakes winner Red Bullet (Unbridled) and to the dam of GISW Silent Poet (Silent Name {Jpn}). Holy Cargo has a yearling full-sister to the winner and reported a Funtastic colt this year before visiting Idol for 2025. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.



Dewolf | Michael Burns

SADIE DIAMOND FUTURITY, C\$96,000, Hastings Racecourse, 9-14, (S), 2yo, f, 6 1/2f, 1:17.74, sy.

- 1--SOMEDAY LADY, 120, f, 2, by Cairo Prince--Tessanna, by Storm Victory. (C\$30,000 Ylg '23 BRCSEP). 1ST BLACK TYPE WIN. O-Jeffrey Sengara; B-Helen Klimes & Willow Creek Farms (BC); T-Cindy Krasner; J-Kerron Khelawan. C\$55,000. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-1, \$51,340.
- 2--They Call Me Tom, 117, f, 2, Sungold--Daylight Cat, by Discreet Cat. (C\$30,000 Ylg '23 BRCSEP).1ST BLACK TYPE.
 O-Dallas Nelson; B-James Barry Doud (BC); T-Tim Rycroft. C\$20,000.
- 3--Breezin Brianne, 122, f, 2, Bakken--My Special Angel, by Finality. (C\$24,000 Ylg '23 BRCSEP). O-Conrad Rozenek;
 B-Mark Johnson & Lyle Johnson (BC); T-Mel Snow. C\$10,000.
 Margins: 3HF, 5HF, HD. Odds: 4.10, 24.00, 0.30.
 Also Ran: Another Last Dance, I'm in Control, Why Nots a
 Wynner. Scratched: Dazzle Me Dawn, Sweet Gypsy Rosa.

Someday Lady earned her first black-type score after running third in the BC Cup Debutante Stakes over this course and distance Aug. 5 and then was the runner-up in the auction restricted CTHS Sales Stakes at Hastings Aug, 26. A 4-1 shot here, the juvenile raced in third into the first turn and steadily began to reel in the leaders up the backstretch. The hooded filly grabbed the lead around the far turn and never looked back. The winner's dam is responsible for a gelded yearling by Bakken and she foaled a filly by Cistron Apr. 20. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

BRITISH COLUMBIA OAKS, C\$73,500, Hastings Racecourse, 9-14, 3yo, f, 1 1/8m, 1:51.03, sy.

1--AVANA, 124, f, 3, Vino Rosso--Revealing Moment, by After Market. (\$60,000 Wlg '21 KEENOV; \$100,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP; \$150,000 2yo '23 OBSMAR). O-Peter Redekop B. C., Ltd.; B-Bryan Anderson & Carol Anderson (BC); T-Barbara Heads; J-Amadeo Perez. C\$41,250. Lifetime Record: 7-6-0-0, \$144,292.

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- 2--**Viva La Diva**, 124, f, 3, Sungold--Vinoterra, by Finality. O-Russell J. Bennett and Lois Bennett; B-R. J. Bennett (BC); T-Barbara Heads. C\$15,000.
- 3--**Eyes of Beauty**, 124, f, 3, Lent--Making Eyes, by American Chance. **1ST BLACK TYPE**. O/B-Gordon Christoff (BC); T-Robert J. Anderson. C\$7,500.

Margins: 3/4, 10HF, NO. Odds: 0.25, 6.40, 28.30. Also Ran: Signora Vittoria, Dreaming d'Oro, Baby I'm a Star, Brooke Magic.

Avana kept her five-win streak going in the British Columbia Oaks on Saturday evening. After collecting three black-type wins this summer at Hastings, the 3-year-old added the Century Casino Oaks Aug. 24 which she won by 4 3/4 lengths. Wellbacked at 25 cents on the dollar here, the chestnut loped along towards the rear as the field circled the bull ring for the first time. Approaching the far turn for the final time, Avana launched her bid and began to drive down the lane. Pacesetter Viva La Diva (Sungold) put in a valiant effort trying to stick with the chalk as the runner-up. A half-sister to GISW Belle Gallantey (After Market), the winner's dam is responsible for 2-year-old filly in-training Revealing Sun (Sungold) and a yearling filly by that same sire. Revealing Moment was bred to Two Phil's for next season. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO**, **sponsored by FanDuel TV.**



Souper Supreme (Souper Speedy) wins at Woodbine (click to watch)



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8th-Churchill Downs, \$130,920, Alw (NW2X)/Opt. Clm (\$125,000), 9-15, 3yo, f, 6f, 1:09.25, ft, head. MINK'S PALACE (f, 3, Palace Malice--Scattering Mink, by Scat Daddy) was a debut maiden winner late last year and picked up her second win two starts back over course and near distance June 22 while fourth most recently at Ellis going seven furlongs Aug. 11. The 5-1 shot sat at the back of the field through the opening half, biding her time into the far turn before fanning out across the track at the quarter marker to challenge Riperton (Constitution). The pair kept things tight down the lane with Mink's Palace getting the better bob to win by a head while insighted runner V V's Dream (Mitole) just hung on for third. Scattering Mink has a 2-year-old unraced War of Will filly named As Advertised and reported a full-sister to Mink's Palace this season. She was bred to Gunite for 2025. Lifetime Record: 6-3-1-1, \$265,830. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

O/B-Summerhill Farm (KY); T-Eddie Kenneally.

7th-Churchill Downs, \$130,644, Alw, 9-15, (NW1X), 3yo/up, f/m, 7f, 1:22.67, ft, 2 3/4 lengths.

BENEDETTA (f, 3, City of Light--Tessie Flip, by Grand Slam) debuted a juvenile winner at Los Alamitos during the summer, was the runner-up in the GIII Sorrento Stakes at Del Mar in early August and was well-beaten in the GI Del Mar Debutante Stakes in September. Making the switch from Simon Callaghan's California operation to Steve Asmussen's shedrow, the filly kicked off her 3-year-old campaign under the Twin Spires and was fifth against optional claimers June 28. Shipping to the Spa, the bay was third while facing allowance company Aug. 17. A 4-1 shot here, Benedetta skillfully angled out of the chute and held a short lead up the backstretch. The filly continued to control the fractions around the far turn and saved plenty for the run down the lane as she won by 2 3/4 lengths over Huntress for Hire (Nyquist). The winner is a half-sister to Jo Jo Air (Scat Daddy), MSW & GSP, \$221,474. Herself a half-sister to MGISW Switch (Quiet American), Tessie Flip is responsible for a yearling

filly by Maxfield and she foaled a colt by Jackie's Warrior Jan. 26. She was entered in Forte's first book for next term. Sales
History: \$290,000 RNA Ylg '22 KEESEP; \$750,000 2yo '23
OBSMAR. Lifetime Record: 6-2-1-1, \$157,680. Click for the
Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.
O-Kaleem Shah, Inc.; B-Springhouse Farm & Dromoland Farm
(KY); T-Steven M. Asmussen.



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9th-Laurel, \$52,405, Alw (NW1X)/Opt. Clm (\$50,000-\$62,500), 9-15, 2yo, f, 6f, 1:12.51, ft, 3 lengths.

NOT TOO LATE (f, 2, McKinzie--Donna Getyourgun {SP, \$167,626}, by Stormy Atlantic) broke her maiden by two lengths at third asking at Parx Aug. 19. Overlooked at odds of 11-1 here, the filly raced mid-pack as the favorite Biscuitwiththeboss (Holy Boss) showed the way up the backstretch. The juvenile fanned three wide around the far turn and suddenly shot to the lead by the top of the lane. Striding home like a pro, the dark bay cleared the condition by three lengths over Shkhara Fire (Friesan Fire). The winner is a halfsister to Mizzen Beau (Mizzen Mast), SW, \$205,559. A half-sister to MGSW Clearly a Queen (Lucky North), Donna Getyourgun is responsible for a yearling colt by Silver State and she foaled a filly by Olympiad Apr. 16. She was not listed as bred for 2025. Not Too Late is the ninth winner for her first-crop sire (by Street Sense). Sales History: \$75,000 Ylg '23 KEESEP; \$8,000 2yo '24 EASMAY.

Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-0, \$69,000. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

O-Trin-Brook Stables, Inc.; B-Tony Holmes (KY); T-Uriah St. Lewis.





IN ORDER OF PURSE:

6th-Churchill Downs, \$121,125, Msw, 9-15, 2yo, f, 1 1/16m, 1:44.81, ft, 1 1/4 lengths.

SUNDAY DISRUPTOR (f, 2, Not This Time--Pocket Gift {MSP, \$176,227}, by Great Notion) finished in fifth place behind nextout winner Echo Sound (Echo Town) on debut at Ellis Park's main track Aug. 3 and the juvenile was the runner-up stretching out to a mile over the same surface Aug. 26. At 71 cents on the dollar here, the top choice tucked in along the rail in fourth heading into the first turn and continued to hold that spot up the backstretch. Given her cue around the far turn, the filly circled the leaders, asserted herself by the eighth pole and kicked for home to score by 1 1/4 lengths over a charging Margot's Angel (Practical Joke). The winner is a half-sister to Pass the Plate (Temple City), MSW & MGSP, \$556,669. Pocket Gift was entered in Twirling Candy's book for next season. Sales History: \$350,000 Ylg '23 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, \$85,129. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

O-Fern Circle Stables and Three Chimneys Farm, LLC; B-Silverton Hill, LLC (KY); T-Kenneth G. McPeek.

WOODS EDGE FARM *GRADUATE*



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2nd-Churchill Downs, \$120,000, Msw, 9-15, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:43.64, ft, nose.

D'ORO UNBRIDLED (c, 3, Medaglia d'Oro--Unbridled Forever {GISW, \$805,257}, by Unbridled's Song) debuted a well-beaten third at Keeneland in early April, then was fifth at Churchill Downs May 4. After nearly a three-month break, the colt returned to the races and was a well-beaten runner-up at Colonial Downs July 27. A 9-2 shot here, the homebred tracked a trio heading into the first turn, but was having trouble keeping pace with the leaders up the backstretch. The 3-year-old began to rally around the far turn though and passing the eighth pole he took aim at Eglise (Frosted) who seemed to be cruising. Diving to the inside, D'oro Unbridled dug down and nailed his target in the final jump to graduate by a nose. His dam's last registered foal, the winner's second dam is GI Kentucky Oaks heroine Lemons Forever (Lemon Drop Kid), who also produced champion older dirt female Forever Unbridled (Unbridled's Song). Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-1, \$93,725. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV. O/B-Charles Fipke (KY); T-Ignacio Correas, IV.



D'oro Unbridled (inside) | Coady Media

5th-Churchill Downs, \$95,184, Msw, 9-15, 2yo, f, 5 1/2f, 1:04.31, ft, 1 1/4 lengths.

KENTUCKY SMOKESHOW (f, 2, Volatile--Dying to Dance, by Street Cry {Ire}) took money down from her 10-1 morning line and was forwardly placed early into the turn while third, fanned out to take on a pair of dueling leaders into the stretch and was driven hard past to edge away late by 1 1/4 lengths over Wisconsin Gal (Army Mule). The 10th winner for her freshman sire (by Violence), Kentucky Smokeshow is a half to both Encumbered (Violence), SW, \$136,995 and Your Only Man (Creative Cause), GSP, \$197,604. She has a foal half-sister by Independence Hall while Dying to Dance is due back to Global 2

Campaign. Sales History: \$80,000 Ylg '23 KEESEP; \$20,000 2yo '24 OBSMAR. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$52,320. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.** O-Joey Keith Davis, JD Thoroughbreds, LLC, Larry J. Romero and Pravin A. Patel; B-Rose Hill Farm (KY); T-Chris A. Hartman.

1st-Belmont The Big A, \$90,000, Msw, 9-15, 2yo, f, 1 1/16mT, 1:44.11, fm, 3/4 length.

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LAVENDER DISASTER (f, 2, Into Mischief--Cafe Americano {GSW, \$178,800}, by Medaglia d'Oro) debuted going long Sunday and had to take back a bit after an unsettled start saw her hit the side of the gate. Situated mid pack in fourth through fractions of :24.62 and :50.15, she came through along the rail into the far turn before angling out with a quarter remaining to take aim at pacesetter Snipsnippitysnip (Girvin). Once in the clear past the furlong marker, the 3-5 favorite closed with a good kick to prevail by three-quarters of a length over stablemate Competitive Market (Authentic). The first foal out of the Peter Brant-owned GSW Cafe Americano, Lavender Disaster's second dam is dual Canadian champion Roxy Gap (Indian Charlie). Cafe Americano, herself a \$625,000 KEESEP yearling back in 2017 for White Birch Farm, has a yearling Tapit colt who was withdrawn from this year's KEESEP sale and returned to Into Mischief for a full-sibling to Lavender Disaster next year. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$49,500. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV. O-Peter M. Brant; B-White Birch Farm, Inc. (KY); T-Chad C. Brown.

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Lavender Disaster | Chelsea Durand

2nd-Belmont The Big A, \$90,000, Msw, 9-15, 2yo, f, 6f, 1:13.47, ft, 2 lengths.

WILD MAMA (f, 2, American Pharoah--Safwah, by Medaglia d'Oro) came away running from the outside stall to contest the front just a short distance back of pacesetter Smooth Claret (Vino Rosso). Steadily advancing from along the outside, the 5-1 shot picked up the lead past the quarter pole and drew off convincingly but was reeled back in a bit late by a closing Save the Queen (Practical Joke) to win by a diminishing two lengths. Safwah is a half-sister to both GI Kentucky Derby winner Always Dreaming (Bodemeister) and GI Spinaway Stakes winner Hot Dixie Chick (Dixie Union) who produced GISW Pauline's Pearl (Tapit). Wild Mama has a foal half-brother from the first crop of Flightline while her dam visited Elite Power for 2025. Sales History: \$380,000 Ylg '23 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$49,500. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

O-R. Lee Lewis, Ryan Lewis and Anthony Lewis; B-RMJ Stables, LLC (KY); T-Mark A. Hennig.

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9th-Belmont The Big A, \$90,000, Msw, 9-15, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8mT, 1:48.79, fm, 2 1/4 lengths.

SHADE OF PALE (f, 3, Demarchelier {GB}--Pale Moon {GB}, by Dansili {GB}) debuted as a juvenile at Monmouth last summer then took nearly a year off and returned to the Jersey Shore to hit the board going 1 1/16 miles June 15. 7-1 in this spot, she split the field against the rail through much of the backstretch, tracking fifth past the half-mile pole in :48.01. Ready to roll when given rein off the turn, Shade of Pale took over into the stretch and stayed away, coming home 2 1/4 lengths ahead of Jitterbug (Justify). From her sire's first crop, the winner has a 2year-old More Than Ready half-sister, a yearling full-sister and a foal full-brother. Pale Moon (GB) went to Mystic Guide this year. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, \$59,600. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

O-Peter M. Brant; B-White Birch Farm, Inc. (KY); T-Chad C. Brown.

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1st-Woodbine, C\$82,754, Msw, 9-15, 2yo, 1 1/16mT, 1:40.81, fm, 3 1/2 lengths.

ASHLEY'S ARCHER (c, 2, Karakontie {Jpn}--Certainly Special, by Distorted Humor) took money but endured a rough beginning and never factored going seven furlongs over Woodbine's Tapeta course Aug. 18. On the surface switch and the stretch out Sunday, the 7-1 shot was much more prominently placed and shot right to the front, setting a safe advantage and taking this field gate to wire to graduate by 3 1/2 lengths over Sugar Buzz (Twirling Candy). Certainly Special has already done well as a broodmare, producing successful runners like Narrow Escape (Sky Conqueror), GSP, \$181,572, Crysta's Court (Silent Name {Jpn}), SW, \$241,004 and Coltimus Prime (Milwaukee Brew), Ch. Older Horse-Pan, Ch. Stayer-Pan, SW-Pan, SW-USA, SW & GSP-Can, \$644,125. She foaled a colt by Goldencents this year and was bred back to Maxfield for 2025. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$38,916. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

O-Gary Barber & Archer Racing; B-J. Horner (ON); T-Mark Casse.

4th-Woodbine, C\$72,300, Msw, 9-15, 2yo, 7f (AWT), 1:24.76, ft, 1 1/4 lengths.

HE'S NOT JOKING (c, 2, Practical Joke--Collegeville Girl {SW, \$270,526}, by Central Banker) only missed by a neck on debut in Toronto Aug. 4. Supported heavily at the windows here, the 55 cents on the dollar favorite did not break on top from the rail, but the juvenile made the front alongside a longshot up the backstretch. The 2-year-old gained the advantage around the far turn and turned on the jets down the lane to get his picture taken by 1 1/4 lengths over Drexel Hill (Bolt d'Oro). The winner is his dam's first foal, but he does have a yearling half-brother named October Wedding (Silver State). Collegeville Girl foaled him a full-brother Feb. 28 and she was sent to Instagrand for 2025. Sales History: \$105,000 Ylg '23 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$42,128. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

O-Di Scola Boys Stable; B-James Wasserson (KY); T-Josie Carroll.

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1st-Laurel, \$48,410, Msw, 9-15, 3, 4,/5yo, f/m, 7f, 1:25.69, ft, 4 3/4 lengths.

BE INSPIRED (f, 3, Munnings--Oh Carole {SP, \$151,530}, by Unbridled's Song), the only first-time starter in the field, pressed the tempo outside No More Kisses (Twirling Candy) up the backstretch, took command around the far turn and was easily the class of the field to the line, winning by 4 3/4 lengths as the 4-5 favorite. 9-1 shot Diamond Sue (Cuba) filled out the exacta. Out of a half to the dam of G3 U.A.E. Two Thousand Guineas winner Mendelssohn Bay (Mendelssohn), Be Inspired has a 2-year-old half-brother by Caravaggio and a foal half-sister by Jack Christopher. Sales History: \$575,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$28,200. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

O-Repole Stable and LNJ Foxwoods; B-Chelsea Bloodstock, Galtee Bloodstock & Paget Bloodstock (KY); T-Brittany T. Russell. **1st-Hawthorne, \$35,000, Msw**, 9-15, 2yo, 5 1/2f, 1:05.52, ft, 6 3/4 lengths.

BABY BOAT (c, 2, Vino Rosso--Anahauc {MSP, \$239,188}, by Henny Hughes) went off as the 7-5 favorite but was caught wide from his outside gate up the backstretch and had to race wide into the turn. In contention past the quarter pole, he responded well to urging and cleared off nicely to win by 6 3/4 lengths over Taunting (Daredevil). Baby Boat has a foal half-sister by Speaker's Corner with Anahauc due to Mystic Guide fro 2025. Sales History: \$50,000 Ylg '23 KEESEP; \$100,000 2yo '24 OBSAPR. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$21,000. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV. O-Doubledown Stables, Inc.; B-Spendthrift Farm LLC (KY); T-James P. DiVito.



IN SWEDEN:

Twirling Ghost, c, 4, Twirling Candy. See "Sweden".

IN IRELAND:

This Songisforyou, h, 6, Temple City. See "Ireland".



FIRST-CROP STARTERS TO WATCH: MONDAY, SEPT. 16 2024 Stud Fees Listed Air Strike (Street Sense), Duncan Farms, \$2,000 3 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners

3-Thistledown, 1:50 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, Professor Nick, 2-1

Authentic (Into Mischief), Spendthrift Farm, \$50,000 160 foals of racing age/5 winners/0 black-type winners 3-Horseshoe Turf Pick 3, 5:47 p.m. EDT, Msw 5fT, Thehillonwoodside, 15-1 \$70,000 KEE SEP yrl; \$85,000 OBS APR 2yo

Complexity (Maclean's Music), Airdrie Stud, \$12,500 121 foals of racing age/15 winners/3 black-type winners 8-Thistledown, 4:20 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, Complexity Girl, 6-1 \$17,000 KEE NOV wnl Game Winner (Candy Ride {Arg}), Lane's End Farm, \$20,000 118 foals of racing age/3 winners/1 black-type winner 3-Horseshoe Turf Pick 3, 5:47 p.m. EDT, Msw 5fT, Baytown Amy Rose, 15-1 \$92,000 KEE NOV wnl; \$3,000 KEE SEP yrl

Gift Box (Twirling Candy), Lane's End Farm, \$5,000 82 foals of racing age/7 winners/0 black-type winners 4-Horseshoe Indianapolis, 3:43 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, Catatonic, 7-5 \$20,000 EAS OCT yrl; \$105,000 EAS MAY 2yo

Global Campaign (Curlin), WinStar Farm, \$12,500 123 foals of racing age/9 winners/0 black-type winners 8-Thistledown, 4:20 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, Secret Valentine, 9-2

Speculating (Medaglia d'Oro), Fouillard Farm, \$1,500 9 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners 2-Assiniboia Downs, 9:00 p.m. EDT, \$40K Buffalo S., 1m, Twolefttoload, 10-1 CAN\$23,500 CTH MAN yrl

Tom's d'Etat (Smart Strike), WinStar Farm, \$7,500 79 foals of racing age/5 winners/0 black-type winners 8-Thistledown, 4:20 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, Illuminate, 4-1

Volatile (Violence), Three Chimneys Farm, \$15,000 124 foals of racing age/9 winners/0 black-type winners 3-Horseshoe Turf Pick 3, 5:47 p.m. EDT, Msw 5fT, Volatile Market, 3-1 \$37,000 RNA KEE NOV wnl; \$110,000 KEE SEP yrl

SECOND-CROP STARTERS TO WATCH: MONDAY, SEPT. 16 2024 Stud Fees Listed

Mitole (Eskendereya), Spendthrift Farm, \$15,000 296 foals of racing age/92 winners/7 black-type winners 4-Horseshoe Indianapolis, 3:43 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, Hoosier Promise, 5-1 \$57,000 FTK OCT yrl

One Sided (Quality Road), R. A. Rowe Farms

14 foals of racing age/5 winners/0 black-type winners 3-Thistledown, 1:50 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, Blue Blood Cowboy, 6-1 RNA OTB OMX yrl





STAKES RESULTS:

E.B. JOHNSTON S., \$75,000, Los Alamitos, 9-14, (S), 3yo/up, 1m, 1:35.52, ft.

- 1--**MAN O ROSE, 122, g, 4, Stanford--Kathleen Rose (GSP, \$342,238), by Good Journey**. **1ST BLACK TYPE WIN**. O/B-B&B Zietz Stables, Inc. (CA); T-Jeff Mullins; J-Edwin A. Maldonado. \$42,000. Lifetime Record: 12-7-2-0, \$319,840.
- 2--**Dont Fight the Fed**, 122, c, 4, **Nyquist**--Taffeta, by Scat Daddy. O/B-Reddam Racing, LLC (CA); T-Antonio C. Garcia. \$14,250.

3--**Coalinga Road**, 124, g, 7, **Quality Road**--Coco Ecolo, by Johannesburg. O/B-Harris Farms (CA); T-Carla Gaines. \$9,000. Margins: 8, 2, 2HF. Odds: 1.10, 7.60, 3.90.

ALBERTA PREMIER'S FUTURITY, (NB) C\$51,000, Century Mile, 9-14, (S), 2yo, 6f, 1:10.76, wf.

- 1--SMOKE DADDY, 124, c, 2, Flameaway--Miss Altamira, by Majestic Warrior. O-Greystone Farms Ltd, Lori Guhle and John Guhle, John; B-Lori Leigh Guhle (AB); T-Madison Zielke;
 J-Keihton Natera. C\$30,000. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$23,837.
- 2--**G T Ray Sir**, 124, g, 2, Gayego--Surging Star, by Sky Mesa. O/B-Bar None Ranches Ltd. (AB); T-Ron Grieves. C\$10,000.
- 3--Rowdy Town, 124, g, 2, Brody's Cause--She'sadowntowngirl, by More Than Ready. (C\$22,500 RNA Ylg '23 ALBMIX).
 O-Amber Jacobson, B First Racing, Prolift Crane, Kelli Hemingson, Katrina Smulan, Frey Racing Stable, Wolter Van Der Kamp, Karen Meek and Robert Meek; B-Running Fawcett Thoroughbreds LTD (AB); T-Carson Frey. C\$5,000.
 Margins: 4HF, 3, 1 3/4. Odds: 4.80, 1.25, 5.55.

ALBERTA OAKS, (NB) C\$50,500, Century Mile, 9-14, (S), 3yo, f, 1 1/16m, 1:46.52, wf.

- 1--**DESTIN TO BE GREAT, 122, f, 3, Destin--Samara Street (SP, \$155,220), by Street Cry (Ire)**. (C\$21,000 Ylg '22 ALBMIX). O-Willow Creek Farms; B-Highfield Investment Group Inc. (AB); T-Robert C. Kingston; J-Rafael Zenteno Jr. C\$30,000. Lifetime Record: 9-1-1-1, \$33,052.
- 2--Jodeys Lil Pain, 124, f, 3, Cape Canaveral--Teemans Kid, by Teeman. (C\$2,500 Ylg '22 ALBMIX). O-C and H Duggan Farms; B-Roy Robert McClintock (AB); T-Gonzalo Anderson. C\$10,000.
- 3--**Kulsum**, 124, f, 3, It's No Joke--Pretty Golden, by Formal Gold. (C\$2,500 Wlg '21 ALBMIX; C\$2,000 Ylg '22 ALBMIX).

O-Mohamad Khan; B-P Esquirol (AB); T-James Brown. C\$5,000. Margins: 2 1/4, 1HF, 4HF. Odds: 23.45, 3.50, 19.85. **STURGEON RIVER S.**, C\$50,500, Century Mile, 9-14, (S), 2yo, f, 6f, 1:11.48, wf.

- 1--NO MORE LIES, 123, f, 2, Fed Biz--Tell Me Lies (MSW, \$266,620), by Captain Bodgit. (C\$40,000 Ylg '23 ALBMIX). 1ST BLACK TYPE WIN. O-Stetson Inc, Ryan Stetson, Stetson Enterprises Ltd. and Everblack Cattle Co. Ltd.; B-Bushido Stables (AB); T-Tim Rycroft; J-Jose Mariano Asencio. C\$30,000. Lifetime Record: 3-2-1-0, \$40,338.
- 2--**Nasas Princess**, 122, f, 2, Flat Out--Canaveral Leader, by Cape Canaveral. **1ST BLACK TYPE**. O-Central City Stable and Bar None Ranches, Ltd.; B-Bar None Ranches Ltd. & Central City Stables (AB); T-Ron Grieves. C\$10,000.
- 3--**Pocketfulofdreams**, 123, f, 2, Always Dreaming--Scarlet Fire, by Super Saver. (C\$30,000 Ylg '23 ALBMIX). **1ST BLACK TYPE**.
- O-C and H Duggan Farms Ltd.; B-Starline Thoroughbreds (AB); T-Gonzalo Anderson. C\$5,000.

Margins: 3/4, 1HF, 3 1/4. Odds: 0.80, 7.50, 45.45.

ALBERTA BREEDERS' H., (NB) C\$49,500, Century Mile, 9-14, (S), 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:45.51, ft.

- 1--**SMART PLAY, 126, g, 6, Smarty Jones--Smile Again Theta** (SW, \$182,097), by Smile Again. O-Tim Kane, Jerri R. Robertson, Lesley Hardy and Heather Chieffo; B-Pierre Esquirol & Jerri Robertson (AB); T-Jerri R. Robertson; J-N'Rico Prescod. C\$30,000. Lifetime Record: GSP-Can, 31-6-8-4, \$131,348.
- 2--**Brody's Pal**, 122, g, 4, Brody's Cause--Trail of Letters, by Bold Executive. (C\$15,000 Ylg '21 ALBMIX). O-Jacks Stable; B-Sybil Palmer (AB); T-Seymour Biggs. C\$10,000.
- 3--**H K Rapper**, 123, g, 4, Singing Saint--Mimipaoponchis, by Broken Vow. O-On The Rail Racing; B-Kerry Wilson (AB); T-Jason Coney. C\$5,000.

Margins: 4, HD, 4 3/4. Odds: 3.90, 27.50, 11.35.

RED DIAMOND EXPRESS H., (NB) C\$49,000, Century Mile, 9-14, (S), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10.35, ft.

- 1--SOLO RING, 126, g, 8, Where's the Ring--Drum Solo, by Dr.
 Adagio. (C\$13,000 Ylg '17 ALBMIX). O-Hurley Racing Stable;
 B-Peaceful Valley Farms (AB); T-Deanna Walper; J-Kyle Carter.
 C\$30,000. Lifetime Record: 34-13-9-3, \$197,708.
- 2--**Common Knowledge**, 122, g, 6, Mank--Lil Missknowitall, by Kafwain. (C\$21,000 Ylg '19 ALBMIX). O-Dallas Nelson; B-Starline Thoroughbreds (AB); T-Tim Rycroft. C\$10,000.
- 3--**Bare Back Jack**, 123, g, 7, Bakken--Thesefoolishthings, by Captain Bodgit. (C\$18,000 Ylg '18 ALBMIX). O-On The Rail Racing; B-Moonshine Meadow Ranch (AB); T-Jason Coney. C\$5,000.

Margins: 3 3/4, 1 3/4, HD. Odds: 0.95, 25.55, 6.45.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

9th-Churchill Downs, \$136,505, (NW2\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$80,000), 9-15, 3yo/up, 1 1/8m, 1:49.94, ft, neck.

HURRY HURRY (c, 4, Accelerate--Grassy Nellie, by Belong to Me) Lifetime Record: 12-5-1-2, \$298,058. O-Steve L. Robbins; B-Lannister Holdings (KY); T-Matthew P. Sims. *\$70,000 RNA Wlg '20 KEENOV; \$90,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP. **1/2 to I Will Score (Roman Ruler), GSW, \$193,860.

12th-Woodbine, C\$104,080, (NW2X)/Opt. Clm

(\$34,838-\$36,672), 9-14, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m (AWT), 1:43.66, ft, head.

DUN DRUM (g, 8, Bold n' Flashy--Lea's Moon, by Perigee Moon) Lifetime Record: MSW, 45-7-4-4, \$439,171. O-Joan H. Addison, Janet Black and Barbara Brown; B-Joan H. Addision & John Carey (ON); T-Ian Black. *C\$18,000 RNA Ylg '17 CANSEP. **1/2 to Ellas My Love (Pool Play), MSP, \$226,343.

9th-Monmouth, \$88,400, (S), Hcp, 9-15, 3yo/up, 5fT, :55.94, fm, 4 3/4 lengths.

SMITHWICK'S SPICE (g, 8, Frost Giant--Spicy McHaggis, by Good and Tough) Lifetime Record: MSW, 48-13-10-6, \$692,492. O/B-New Spice Stable LLC (NJ); T-Douglas Nunn.

7th-Monmouth, \$86,700, (S), Hcp, 9-15, 3yo/up, f/m, 5fT, :56.67, fm, 3/4 length.

BEL PENSIERO (f, 4, Army Mule--Milaya, by Eskendereya) Lifetime Record: MSP, 15-4-5-1, \$284,937. O-Hudson Stable, LLC, Let It Ride Equine Holdings and A R M Racing LLC; B-ARM Consulting (NJ); T-Anthony R. Margotta, Jr.

8th-Woodbine, C\$85,465, (NW2X)/Opt. Clm (\$34,838-\$36,672),
9-14, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m (AWT), 1:43.36, ft, 5 lengths.
RON'S GIZMO (g, 7, Giant Gizmo--Street Kid, by Lemon Drop
Kid) Lifetime Record: SP, 28-7-3-3, \$291,713. O-Linda J. Theil and Harri Hosein; B-Kanny Ng (ON); T-Ronald H. Sadler.

8th-Woodbine, C\$81,854, (NW1X)/Opt. Clm (\$22,003-\$23,470),
9-15, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:43.43, fm, 3/4 length.
ZISISIT (IRE) (m, 5, Zoffany {Ire}--Watsdaplan {Ire}, by Verglas {Ire}) Lifetime Record: 23-5-5-2, \$154,375. O-Russell Tanz;
B-Ross Moorhead (IRE); T-Martin Drexler. *€18,000 RNA Wlg
'19 GOFNOV; €33,000 Ylg '20 GOFOCT.

8th-Monmouth, \$54,650, (NW1\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$20,000), 9-15, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:39.14, ft, 1/2 length.

SUMMER CAUSE (g, 4, Summer Front--Our Cause, by Arch) Lifetime Record: SP, 8-2-2-2, \$122,360. O/B-Waterford Stables, Inc. (KY); T-Christophe Clement. 9th-Gulfstream, \$48,670, (NW1\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$25,000), 9-15, 3yo/up, 1m 70y (AWT) (off turf), 1:39.92, ft, 1 length. READ ON (g, 4, Ghostzapper--Chanel Number One, by English Channel) Lifetime Record: 18-3-3-1, \$122,673. O-Anthony Rogers; B-Ghostzapper Synd. &, Talisonny Tbred. Consultants, Dr T. Baker & N.Drion, et al (KY); T-Rohan Crichton. *\$60,000 Ylg '21 KEEJAN; \$80,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP.

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8th-Charles Town, \$27,400, 9-14, (NW1X), 3yo/up, 7f, 1:26.86, ft, 1 3/4 lengths.

ALVY (g, 4, Accelerate--Wilburnmoney {SW, \$153,311}, by Wilburn) Lifetime Record: 24-6-5-5, \$137,062. O-Bush Racing Stable; B-The Elkstone Group LLC (MD); T-Timothy C. Kreiser.

5th-Century Mile, C\$24,370, 9-14, (NW1\$9M), 3yo/up, 1m, 1:38.88, ft, head.

AMERICAN BLAZE (g, 4, American Freedom--Beauty N Balance, by Lookin At Lucky) Lifetime Record: GSP-Can, 18-6-4-0, \$207,701. O-Terry Hamilton and Murray House; B-Gary & Mary West Stables Inc. (KY); T-Tom Rycroft. *\$20,000 Wlg '20 KEENOV; \$25,000 Ylg '21 FTKJUL; \$27,000 2yo '22 OBSMAR.

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ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

My Rapha, g, 2, **Alternation**--It's the Swede (MSW, \$238,699), by Yes It's True. Prairie Meadows, 9-14, (S), (C), 5 1/2f, 1:06.19. Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-0, \$28,383. B-James Hobbs (IA).

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Gunny Highway, g, 2, **Blended Citizen**--Leisure, by Harlan's Holiday. Remington, 9-14, 7 1/2fT, 1:37.94. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$20,383. B-Davey De Wilkett (OK). *First winner for freshman sire (by Proud Citizen).

Fibonaccis Ride, f, 2, **Clubhouse Ride**--Wild Caroline, by Wildcat Heir. Los Alamitos, 9-15, (S), 5f, :57.79. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$24,000. B-James Shenouda (CA). *1ST-TIME STARTER.

Drop Your Gloves, g, 2, Game Winner--Sunrise Kitty, by Cowtown Cat. Woodbine, 9-15, (C), 6 1/2f (AWT), 1:19.51. Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-0, \$26,479. B-Dennis A. Drazin (KY). *\$42,000 RNA Ylg '23 FTKOCT; \$23,000 2yo '24 OBSAPR. **Third winner for freshman sire (by Candy Ride {ARG}).

Stormy Flight, g, 2, **Get Stormy**--Suburb, by City Zip. Laurel, 9-15, 5 1/2fT, 1:02.99. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$30,550. B-Morgan's Ford Farm (VA). *\$20,000 Ylg '23 EASOCT.

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Campaign Promises, f, 2, **Global Campaign**--Bid It Up, by Stormy Atlantic. Charles Town, 9-14, 4 1/2f, :53.84. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$19,732. B-Lynn Kober & Tom Trahey (KY). *\$10,000 Ylg '23 FTKOCT. **Ninth winner for freshman sire (by Curlin).

Say Me True, c, 2, Golden Lad--Serenity Hill, by Speightstown. Laurel, 9-15, 6f, 1:11.29. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$32,430. B-Nancy M Rizer & Eric A Rizer (MD). *1/2 to Princess Kokachin (Graydar), MSW, \$510,720. **1ST-TIME STARTER.

Keeno, c, 2, **Keen Ice**--Siesta Time, by Tapit. Remington, 9-14, 7 1/2fT, 1:37.80. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$24,098. B-Calumet Farm (KY).

Big Soiree, f, 2, **Mr. Big**--Silver Soiree, by Tapizar. Fresno, 9-14, 5 1/2f, 1:04.85. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$21,450. B-Paradox Stables (CA).

Dumb Money, c, 2, **Sea Wizard**--Cyclical, by More Than Ready. Monmouth, 9-15, 5 1/2fT, 1:03.87. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$42,931. B-Colonial Farms (NJ).

Infinity Factor, c, 2, The Factor--Flashy Doll, by New Year's Day. Canterbury, 9-14, 6f, 1:13.09. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$17,400. B-MMJS Equine & Jon Myers (NE). *\$32,000 2yo '24 OBSOPN. **Full to Aloha Breeze, MSW, \$195,010. ***1ST-TIME STARTER.

Tape Runner, f, 3, **Audible**--Diamonds and Rust, by Curlin. Gulfstream, 9-15, 1m 70y (AWT) (off turf), 1:41.00. Lifetime Record: 7-1-2-0, \$50,040. B-Jack Swain (KY). *\$70,000 Ylg '22 FTKOCT; \$65,000 2yo '23 OBSOPN.

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Enduring, f, 3, English Channel--In Dy Ritz, by A.P. Indy. Woodbine, 9-15, 1mT, 1:34.72. Lifetime Record: 7-1-0-2, \$49,410. B-Calumet Farm (KY). *\$115,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP; \$70,000 3yo '24 FTDMAY. **Full to Ritzy A. P., SW & MGSP, \$409,321.

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Maximatch, g, 3, Maximus Mischief--Try to Catch Her, by Broken Vow. Laurel, 9-15, (C), 1mT, 1:36.67. Lifetime Record: 5-1-1-1, \$34,400. B-Martin J. Keogh, Justin & Gemma Wojczynski (KY). *\$95,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP; \$100,000 2yo '23 EASMAY. **1/2 to Unique Factor (The Factor), SP, \$219,173.

Where's the Wine, f, 3, Mitole--Amarone, by Quality Road. Hawthorne, 9-15, 7 1/2fT, 1:31.86. Lifetime Record: 5-1-0-1, \$37,898. B-Three Diamonds Farm (KY). *\$260,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP.

Bavaria Road, g, 3, **Speightstown**--Mindy Sue (MSW & GSP, \$208,612), by Pleasantly Perfect. Canterbury, 9-14, 5fT, :56.24. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$23,200. B-Novogratz Racing Stables Inc. (KY). *1/2 to Malibu Max (Malibu Moon), MSP, \$443,752.

- **Star Byfar**, g, 3, **Star Guitar**--Safari Calamari (MSP, \$243,230), by Half Ours. Louisiana Downs, 9-14, 7 1/2fT, 1:31.71. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$17,640. B-Brittlyn Stables, Inc. (LA).
- Subtle Storm, f, 3, Stormy's Majesty--Inner Strength, by Stephen Got Even. Charles Town, 9-14, (S), 7f, 1:28.60. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$16,419. B-Maurice F Casey III (WV).
- **Zeca Diabo**, g, 4, **Danza**--Bala Perdida, by Badge of Silver. Churchill Downs, 9-15, (C), 6f, 1:10.16. Lifetime Record: 12-1-2-1, \$90,710. B-Equinox Inc. (KY).
- **Mo Damorninggrouch**, m, 5, **Frost Giant**--Sister City, by Good and Tough. Belmont The Big A, 9-15, (S), (WC), 6fT, 1:10.08. Lifetime Record: 14-1-4-3, \$81,151. B-Graph- Racing (NY).

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American Freedom, American Blaze, g, 4, o/o Beauty N Balance, by Lookin At Lucky. ALW, 9-14, Century Mile

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Audible, Tape Runner, f, 3, o/o Diamonds and Rust, by Curlin. MSW, 9-15, Gulfstream

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Cairo Prince, Someday Lady, f, 2, o/o Tessanna, by Storm Victory. Sadie Diamond Futurity, 9-14, Hastings

City of Light, Benedetta, f, 3, o/o Tessie Flip, by Grand Slam. ALW, 9-15, Churchill Downs

Clubhouse Ride, Fibonaccis Ride, f, 2, o/o Wild Caroline, by Wildcat Heir. MSW, 9-15, Los Alamitos Thoroughbred **Danza**, Zeca Diabo, g, 4, o/o Bala Perdida, by Badge of Silver.

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Central Banker. MSW, 9-15, Woodbine Sea Wizard, Dumb Money, c, 2, o/o Cyclical, by More Than Ready. MSW, 9-15, Monmouth Silent Name (Jpn), Dewolf, c, 2, o/o Holy Cargo, by Holy Bull. Bull Page S., 9-15, Woodbine **Smarty Jones**, Smart Play, g, 6, o/o Smile Again Theta, by Smile Again. Alberta Breeders' H., 9-14, Century Mile **Souper Speedy**, Souper Supreme, f, 2, o/o Platinum Steel, by Eddington. Victorian Queen S., 9-15, Woodbine **Speightstown**, Bavaria Road, g, 3, o/o Mindy Sue, by Pleasantly Perfect. MSW, 9-14, Canterbury Stanford, Man O Rose, g, 4, o/o Kathleen Rose, by Good Journey. E.B. Johnston S., 9-14, Los Alamitos Thoroughbred Star Guitar, Star Byfar, g, 3, o/o Safari Calamari, by Half Ours. MSW, 9-14, Louisiana Downs **Stormy's Majesty**, Subtle Storm, f, 3, o/o Inner Strength, by Stephen Got Even. MSW, 9-14, Charles Town **Summer Front**, Summer Cause, g, 4, o/o Our Cause, by Arch. AOC, 9-15, Monmouth Sungold, August Rain, g, 3, o/o Bitatude, by Super Saver. GIII British Columbia Derby, 9-14, Hastings The Factor, Infinity Factor, c, 2, o/o Flashy Doll, by New Year's Day. MSW, 9-14, Canterbury Vino Rosso, Avana, f, 3, o/o Revealing Moment, by After Market. British Columbia Oaks, 9-14, Hastings **Vino Rosso**, Baby Boat, c, 2, o/o Anahauc, by Henny Hughes. MSW, 9-15, Hawthorne **Volatile**, Kentucky Smokeshow, f, 2, o/o Dying to Dance, by Street Cry (Ire). MSW, 9-15, Churchill Downs Where's the Ring, Solo Ring, g, 8, o/o Drum Solo, by Dr. Adagio. Red Diamond Express H., 9-14, Century Mile Zoffany (Ire), Zisisit (Ire), m, 5, o/o Watsdaplan (Ire), by Verglas



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'HE'S ONE IN A MILLION': O'BRIEN HAILS ARC POSSIBLE KYPRIOS AFTER GALILEO'S LEGER DOUBLE



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by Tom Frary

Aidan O'Brien is always on edge when **Kyprios (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}--Polished Gem {Ire}, by Danehill) is at the races, but the mighty stayer proved yet again that there is no real cause for concern with a typically straightforward success in Sunday's G1 Irish St Leger at The Curragh. Back in peak form as he had been when first capturing this in 2022, the Moyglare homebred and colour-bearer was the 2-5 favourite to erase the memory of his runner-up placing 12 months ago when not fully recharged following his major injury.

Cruising in second throughout for Ryan Moore, the 6-year-old veteran of two G1 Gold Cups, two G1 Goodwood Cups and a G1 Prix du Cadran was sent on two out and was soon beyond recall to register his brace in this prestige event. **Vauban (Fr)** (Galiway {GB}) was 2 1/4 lengths away in second, with the surprisingly non-threatening **Giavellotto (Ire)** (Mastercraftsman {Ire}) 3/4 of a length further behind in third. The success also constituted one of the last great tributes to his late sire, who was completing a notable St Leger weekend double having had the one-two in Saturday's G1 St Leger at Doncaster with Jan Brueghel (Ire) and Illinois (Ire). **Cont. p3**

'SHE REALLY LOVES IT': BECKETT IN AWE OF BLUESTOCKING AFTER VERMEILLE BATTLE

ROYAL by Tom Frary

Showing that her recent travails had left no mark on Sunday, Juddmonte's **Bluestocking (GB)** (Camelot {GB}--Emulous {GB}, by Dansili {GB}) instead relished a heavyweight clash with a younger rival up the ParisLongchamp straight to edge the G1 Qatar Prix Vermeille from **Aventure (Ire)** (Sea The Stars {Ire}). Hard at it when second in the G1 King George VI And Queen Elizabeth Stakes and when fourth in the G1 Juddmonte International in the previous weeks, Ralph Beckett had considered leaving the G1 Pretty Polly Stakes winner at home so was a relieved trainer in the hallowed winner's enclosure afterwards.

So zestful in the hands Rossa Ryan she was instantly pressing Aventure's pacemaker **Halfday (Fr)** (Lope De Vega {Ire}) to step on it, the race-hardened homebred was visibly tanking up the renowned "false straight" heading to the home turn after which she left in front as the target. **Cont. p5**

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Sir Ron Priestley (GB) (Australia {GB}) and Franny Norton pictured winning the G2 Betfair Exchange Jockey Club Stakes at Newmarket in May of 2021. Norton announced his retirement from the saddle on Sunday. | Getty Images

7 | BRADSELL SOARS IN FLYING FIVE STAKES

The G1 Bar One Racing Flying Five Stakes, a qualifier for the GI Breeders' Cup Turf Sprint, went to Bradsell (GB) (Tasleet {GB}).

9 | BC BERTH BOOKED FOR LAKE VICTORIA

The Frankel (GB) filly won the G1 Moyglare Stud Stakes at the Curragh and has earned a spot in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies Turf.

10 | MEHMAS COLT TAKES NATIONAL STAKES

Scorthy Champ (Ire) surprised in the G1 Coolmore Vincent O'Brien National Stakes.

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G1 Irish St Leger Cont. from p1

Intriguingly, on a weekend when several threads were weaved into the enthralling tapestry of the 2024 G1 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe, O'Brien revealed that connections are pondering a belated tilt at the ParisLongchamp monument. "We knew that, at any time, he could run in an Arc, but it's important to mind him and do the right thing for him and let him tell us how he is and where he wants to go at that time of the year," he said, before hinting that it is more than 50-50 that the chestnut forms part of the star cast in three weeks' time. "There is only one Arc and he has a serious engine," he added. "He looks very fresh there. He just doesn't get tired, he keeps going."

Kyprios posted sectionals in the 2022 Gold Cup that would place him front and centre in an Arc, particularly one as open as this year's, but that was him in his prime and it remains to be seen whether he can ramp it up enough to eclipse the likes of Ardross (Ire), Westerner (GB) and his own stable's Order Of St George (Ire) who went close in it. Whatever the decision, the fact that he was all business-as-usual in this potentially tricky test is worth celebrating in its own right.

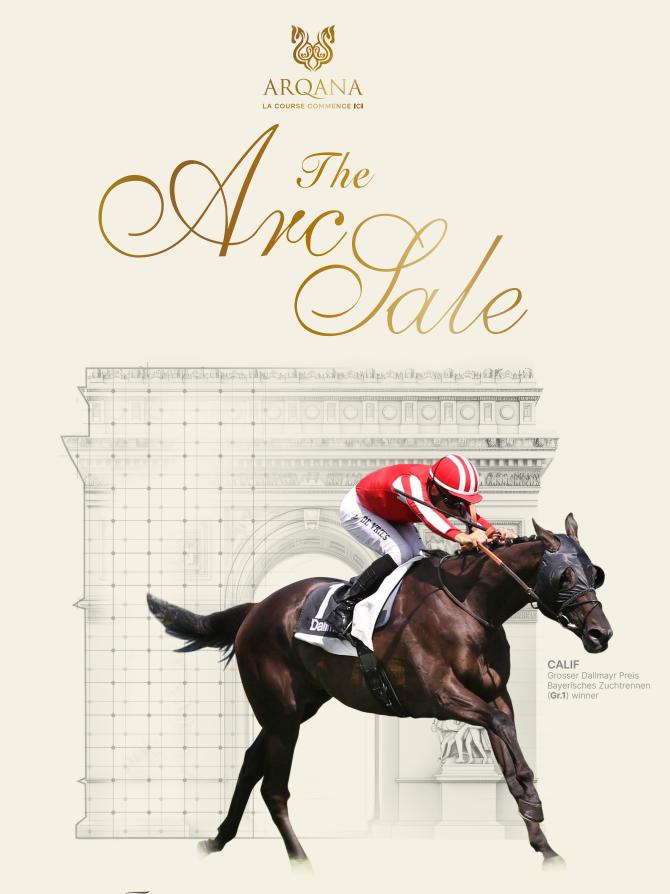
For O'Brien, every task completed by the yard's latest stayer Alister is to be savoured after his joint infection which took him so close to the brink. "He's so special and we can see what he did there today," the master of Ballydoyle said after greeting his seventh Irish Leger winner which takes him closer to the shared record of nine of his contemporary Dermot Weld and the late Dr Vincent O'Brien. "Every year he seems to be improving--Ryan said he won so easy and that even looks to be his best again."

"It's a special place and a special race and these kind of horses are once in a lifetime," he added. "In the Ascot Gold Cup very few horses are able to get that far, but this horse has serious class as well. He's so genuine to get through what he did and still be the way he is and stay the way he does and relax the way he does. He's one in a million."

Ryan Moore was in no doubt as to where the winner stands in the category from his personal point of view. "He's just an unbelievable horse--the best stayer I've ridden," he declared. "He knows plenty about what he's doing, he just takes a while to engage but he didn't really even open up today. He's got a lot of class and a lot of speed."

Eva Maria Bucher-Haefner was on hand to watch the performance at first hand and enjoy a fourth renewal in the famous Moyglare silks and a second dual winner following Kyprios's full-sister Search For A Song (Ire). "It's the first time I've been here that he's won. I was here last year and he was second," she said. "What beautiful work they've done with him, because he was quite sick. I'd say yes to him racing on next year, I would love to see him again." **Cont. p4**





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Pedigree Notes

Kyprios has one of those unique pedigrees and as the last foal out of the illustrious Polished Gem he has provided a fitting culmination of a life's work. As well as this remarkable performer and his aforementioned dual Irish Leger-winning fullsibling Search For A Song, she has produced six other black-type runners including High Chaparral's G1 Prince of Wales's Stakeswinning sire Free Eagle (Ire), the multiple group scorer Custom Cut (Ire) (Notnowcato {GB}) and the G2 British Champions Fillies & Mares Stakes winner Sapphire (Ire) (Medicean {GB}). Polished Gem is a full-sister to the GI Matriarch Stakes winner Dress To Thrill (Ire) and daughter of the G1 Irish 1,000 Guineas heroine Trusted Partner (Affirmed), who is also the third dam of the G1 Vincent O'Brien National Stakes hero Thunder Moon (Ire) (Zoffany {Ire}) and the G1 Criterium International winner Vert De Grece (Ire) (Verglas {Ire}).

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Sunday, The Curragh, Ireland COMER GROUP INTERNATIONAL IRISH ST LEGER-G1, €600,000, Curragh, 9-15, 3yo/up, 14fT, 2:59.04, gd. 1--KYPRIOS (IRE), 137, h, 6, by Galileo (Ire) 1st Dam: Polished Gem (Ire) (2x Broodmare Of The Year-Ire), by Danehill 2nd Dam: Trusted Partner, by Affirmed

3rd Dam: Talking Picture, by Speak John

O-Moyglare/Magnier/Tabor/Smith/Westerberg; B-Moyglare Stud Farm Ltd (IRE); T-Aidan O'Brien; J-Ryan Moore. €348,000. Lifetime Record: MG1SW-Eng & G1SW-Fr, 17-13-2-0, \$2,759,937. *Full to Search For A Song (Ire), MG1SW-Ire, SW & GSP-Eng, G1SP-Fr, \$1,086,486; 1/2 to Custom Cut (Ire) (Notnowcato {GB}), MGSW-Eng, MGSW-Ire, \$951,925; 1/2 to Free Eagle (Ire) (High Chaparral {Ire}), G1SW-Eng, GSW & G1SP-Ire, \$926,416; Full to Falcon Eight (Ire), GSW-Ire, SW-Eng, \$394,361; 1/2 to Sapphire (Ire) (Medicean {GB}), GSW-Eng, MGSW & G1SP-Ire, \$518,947; 1/2 to Valac (Ire) (Dark Angel {Ire}), GSW-Aus, \$448,653; Full to Amma Grace (Ire), SW & GSP-Ire. Werk Nick Rating: A. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree, or the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.

- 2--Vauban (Fr), 137, g, 6, Galiway (GB)--Waldfest (GB), by Hurricane Run (Ire). 1ST GROUP 1 BLACK TYPE. O-Mrs S Ricci;
 B-Philippe Decouz & SCEA du Bas Bugey (FR); T-Willie Mullins. €120,000.
- 3--Giavellotto (Ire), 137, h, 5, Mastercraftsman (Ire)--Gerika (Fr), by Galileo (Ire). O-Scuderia La Tesa Limited & Vaibhav Shah;
 B-Societa Agricola La Tesa SRL (IRE); T-Marco Botti. €60,000.
 Margins: 2 1/4, 3/4, 3/4. Odds: 0.40, 8.00, 3.00.
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G1 Prix Vermeille Cont. from p1

Maxime Guyon had to ask the Wertheimers' fellow **TDN Rising Star** Aventure to dig deep to get by Bluestocking passing the 300-metre marker and for a few strides it looked as if she had the measure of the visitor.

With the pressure on inside the final furlong, lesser souls would have understandably cried enough but the eventual winner was almost willing Ryan to ask more big questions with the French filly's red light flashing alongside her. Sensing Aventure falter for a stride as her reserves ran out, the 27-10 favourite surged again to the line to open up a 3/4-of-a-length success from the 3-year-old in an epic encounter. Bluestocking's compatriot **Emily Upjohn (GB)** (Sea The Stars {Ire}) ran her best race for a while to get on the premises late and finish half a length away in third, with some serious fillies and mares adrift of the main trio.

"She worked really well last weekend--she's been working exceptionally well lately, but I wasn't convinced that coming was the right decision," Beckett revealed. "There were a couple of things in the week that I just wasn't happy with. It wasn't the race or the circumstances, more her, but she really loves it and that showed that today. She seemed beaten, but she's simply very tough." Bluestocking is not entered in the Arc and would need to be supplemented, but Beckett seemed to be leading towards a return trip over Ascot's Champions Day. "She is entered in the British Champions Fillies & Mares Stakes, but she got beaten there last year and she's proven that she loves this course so if she's in good shape and if her connections are all in agreement I'd be very tempted to supplement her for the Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe," he added.

"When horses are happy to race, as she showed today, I think you have to keep going. Everything points to her acting on all types of ground, save for fast. The ground was clearly slower today than during the 2023 Arc meeting and some ease in the ground will always be to her advantage."

Christophe Ferland said of Aventure, "She ran a beautiful race, but we came across the proverbial immovable object! The winner is a year older and certainly more battle-hardened than Aventure but she nevertheless ran a very fine race.

"She has lost no caste in defeat and we'll have to see how she comes out of the race when it comes to planning the rest of her season. She was the only 3-year-old splitting older fillies and she will remain in training at four. She might run again. In the Arc possibly."

John Gosden was happy that Emily Upjohn is continuing her steady progression back to former heights. **Cont. p6**

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G1 Prix Vermeille Cont.

"The form of the Pretty Polly Stakes is working out really well and the top 3-year-olds and older fillies and mares were all concerned at the finish," he said. "Aventure is a very good filly, so we're pleased with Emily Upjohn. The ground was a bit sticky today and she prefers it faster but we saw what we wanted to see. She won't go for the Arc if the rains materialise and instead we would be more likely to go to the Breeders' Cup Filly and Mares, where she'll get the fast conditions she relishes."

Pedigree Notes

Bluestocking's dam Emulous, who captured six black-type races over seven furlongs and a mile including the G1 Matron Stakes, is a full-sister to the G3 Prix Gontaut-Biron winner First Sitting (GB) and the Listed Criterium de Vitesse winner Daring Diva (GB). The latter is in turn the dam of the G2 Ridgewood Pearl Stakes winner Brooch (Empire Maker), whose son Mandaloun (Into Mischief) captured the Kentucky Derby and Haskell.

Daring Diva also produced the Listed Naas Oaks Trial winner and G2 Blandford S. runner-up Caponata (Selkirk) and is kin to the dam of Camelot's Alounak (Fr) who was second in the GI Canadian International. Emulous is responsible for the unraced War And Peace (GB) (Frankel {GB}), dam of the G3 Ballyogan Stakes runner-up Firebird (GB) (Lope De Vega {Ire}) and the stable's promising 2-year-old debut-winning filly Cathedral (GB) (Too Darn Hot {GB}). She also has the useful 3-year-old gelding Qirat (GB) (Showcasing {GB}), who looks a black-type performer in the making judged by his recent Goodwood handicap win, the unraced 2-year-old gelding Dissident (GB) (Frankel {GB}), a yearling filly by Kingman (GB) and a filly foal again by Frankel.



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1--BLUESTOCKING (GB), 130, f, 4, by Camelot (GB)

1st Dam: Emulous (GB) (G1SW-Ire, \$528,533), by Dansili (GB)

2nd Dam: Aspiring Diva, by Distant View 3rd Dam: Queen Of Song, by His Majesty

TDN Rising Star. O-Juddmonte; B-Juddmonte Farms (East) Ltd (GB); T-Ralph Beckett; J-Rossa Ryan. €342,840. Lifetime Record: G1SW-Ire, GSW & MG1SP-Eng, 12-4-5-1, €1,327,185.

Werk Nick Rating: A++. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree, or the

- free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.
- 2--Aventure (Ire), 122, f, 3, Sea The Stars (Ire)--Balladeuse (Fr), by Singspiel (Ire). 1ST GROUP 1 BLACK-TYPE. TDN Rising Star. O/B-Wertheimer et Frere (IRE); T-Christophe Ferland. €137,160.
- 3--Emily Upjohn (GB), 130, m, 5, Sea The Stars (Ire)--Hidden Brief (GB), by Barathea (Ire). TDN Rising Star. (60,000gns Ylg '20 TATOCT). O-Lloyd Webber, Tactful Finance, S Roden;
 B-Lordship Stud & Sunderland Holding Inc (GB); T-John & Thady Gosden. €68,580.

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VICTORIOUS RACING'S BRADSELL CONTINUES HIS STREAK IN THE FLYING FIVE

by Tom Frary

Backing up his success in last month's G1 Nunthorpe Stakes at York, Victorious Racing's **Bradsell (GB)** (Tasleet {GB}--Russian Punch {GB}, by Archipenko) proved he is a sprinter to be reckoned with by doubling up in Sunday's G1 Flying Five Stakes at The Curragh. Prominent throughout under Hollie Doyle, the Archie Watson-trained 2-1 favourite was committed two out and stayed on strongly to score by 1 1/4 lengths from compatriot **Believing (Ire)** (Mehmas {Ire}) to bring his group 1 win tally to three having also conquered last year's G1 King's Stand Stakes. Another Brit **Makarova (GB)** (Acclamation {GB}) was the same margin back in third, with the first six home all hailing from England. With the victory, Bradsell has punched his ticket to the GI Breeders' Cup Turf Sprint at Del Mar in November.

"He's so special. He just dominated them," Doyle said of the winner, whose prior visits to this track had resulted in a fourth in the G1 Phoenix Stakes and seventh in this race 12 months ago. "I'm always confident when I'm riding him, but his track record hasn't been great here which was a little bit of a worry. He's just improved and improved and proven today he's one of the best sprinters around."

"He bangs out of the stalls, you can fill him up and hold onto him. He's got a good turn of foot and he tries real hard," she added. "I was happy to have the two to aim at and I knew when



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I pushed the button he'd give me all he could, but it's a stiff five here so I was just trying to hold onto him as long as I can. He has been our flagbearer this year and long may it continue."

Watson is ready for the next part of the journey. "I thought he was by far the best sprinter around and I hope he's showing people that he is," he declared. "He's so fast and so tough and just a pleasure to have anything to do with. At the beginning of last year we were going down the Commonwealth Cup route as he had won a Coventry over a stiff six and I didn't even have him in the King's Stand, but he wasn't really finishing off over six. Luckily, we were able to supplement him for the King's Stand and it's been five since then."

"I wouldn't mind trying an easy six, but I don't see why. He's so good at five, there are plenty of group 1s to run in and the two more obvious races--the Abbaye and the Breeder's Cup in Del Mar. I wouldn't want it to be horrible ground and the draw stupid at Longchamp, so the Breeder's Cup should be right up his street. One or both of those would be the plan."

Pedigree Notes

Bradsell's dam Russian Punch, who captured the seven-furlong Listed Radley Stakes, hails from the family of the G1 Middle Park Stakes hero Mister Majestic (Ire) and the G1 Grand Prix de Paris hero Homme De Loi (Ire). **Cont. p8**

G1 Flying Five Stakes Cont.

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Her filly foal by Oasis Dream (GB) is named Ruby Punch (GB). Share this story

Sunday, The Curragh, Ireland

BAR ONE RACING FLYING FIVE STAKES-G1, €400,000, Curragh, 9-15, 3yo/up, 5fT, :57.25, gd.

1--BRADSELL (GB), 132, c, 4, by Tasleet (GB)

1st Dam: Russian Punch (GB) (SW-Eng), by Archipenko 2nd Dam: Punch Drunk (GB), by Beat Hollow (GB) 3rd Dam: Bebe De Cham (GB), by Tragic Role

TDN Rising Star. (12,000gns Ylg '21 TATSOM; £47,000 2yo '22 GOFTY). O-Victorious Racing; B-Mrs D O'Brien (GB); T-Archie Watson; J-Hollie Doyle. €240,000. Lifetime Record: MG1SW-Eng, SW-Fr, 11-6-0-3, \$1,336,090. Werk Nick Rating: A. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree, or the

free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.

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2--Believing (Ire), 129, f, 4, Mehmas (Ire)--Misfortunate (Ire), by Kodiac (GB). (70,000gns Ylg '21 TATOCT; 115,000gns 2yo '22 TATBRE). O-Highclere Thoroughbred Racing - Jane Addams;
B-M Mullen & Cloneymore Farm (IRE); T-George Boughey.

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3--**Makarova (GB)**, 129, m, 5, Acclamation (GB)--Vesnina (GB), by Sea The Stars (Ire). **1ST GROUP 1 BLACK TYPE**.

O/B-Brightwalton Bloodstock Ltd (GB); T-Ed Walker. €40,000. Margins: 1 1/4, 1 1/4, HF. Odds: 2.00, 3.50, 28.00.

Also Ran: Kerdos (Ire), Washington Heights (GB), Desperate Hero (GB), Bucanero Fuerte (GB), Beautiful Diamond (GB), Big Gossey (Ire), She's Quality (Ire), Ano Syra (Ire),

Givemethebeatboys (Ire), Go Athletico (Fr), Matilda Picotte (Ire), Jasour (GB), Vadream (GB), Moss Tucker (Ire), Go Bears Go (Ire).

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CHALLENGE SERIES WIN AND YOU'RE IN." LAKE VICTORIA GIVES O'BRIEN A TENTH

MOYGLARE by Tom Frary

Most were expecting that Aidan O'Brien would be welcoming back a 10th winner of The Curragh's G1 Moyglare Stud Stakes on Sunday and that it would be an unbeaten daughter of Frankel (GB), but few would have predicted that it would be Lake Victoria (Ire) and not Bedtime Story (Ire). Like her deservedly much-vaunted stablemate, Lake Victoria held TDN Rising Star status heading into this seven-furlong test having beaten the reopposing Red Letter (GB) (Frankel {GB}) on debut over this course and distance in June and gone to Newmarket to follow up in the G3 Sweet Solera Stakes.

Anchored in last early by Wayne Lordan, the daughter of the G1 Haydock Sprint Cup and G1 Commonwealth Cup heroine Quiet Reflection (GB) (Showcasing {GB}) benefitted from the overly-fast pace carved out by the yard's number one. Bedtime Story was going to have to be every bit as good as she had looked at Royal Ascot to maintain the stern gallop she set, but by the time the 4-5 favourite had reached the furlong pole it was starting to look ominous.

With all four others striving to the line as that market-leader

caved in, it was the 11-2 shot Lake Victoria who came over the top 100 yards out and prevail by 1 1/4 lengths from Al Shaqab Racing's G2 Prix du Calvados winner **Simmering (GB)** (Too Darn Hot {GB}). The other Ballydoyle trainee **Exactly (Ire)** (Frankel {GB}) was another short head back in third as Bedtime Story wound up a tired last of the quintet in this 'Win and You're In' GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies Turf qualifer.

Aidan O'Brien was not completely surprised by the outcome. "When she won here the first day, she got to the front and was very green and she won very impressively at Newmarket, so she's a very classy filly," he said. "It's a possibility she could go to the Cheveley Park. We ran her here with the thought in our head that she could be a Cheveley Park filly--that was the plan. We wanted to take our time on her, let her relax and not give her a tough race and Wayne gave her a brilliant ride. She's fast, she's by Frankel but she's made like a sprinter."

Turning his attention to Bedtime Story, he added, "Ryan's filly hit the gates and he just couldn't get her back. That was it, but she'll be grand. It's always a worry, after what she did in Ascot, that that could happen and we took her very gentle the next twice, afraid that it could happen but it still did. We'll go round the way and work another way to get her to go to sleep again. Wayne actually rides her out all the time, so he will do that."

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Tattersalls October Book 1 National Stakes Winner



SCORTHY CHAMP NATIONAL STAKES, Group 1

sold Tattersalls October Yearling Sale, Book 1 by Ballylinch Stud to Joseph O'Brien for 155,000 gns



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Pedigree Notes

Lake Victoria's aforementioned dam Quiet Reflection, who also captured the G2 Sandy Lane Stakes and G3 Cornwallis Stakes, produced as her first foal the stable's G2 Dante Stakes-placed Bluegrass (Ire) by Frankel's sire Galileo (Ire). A granddaughter of the Listed Hilary Needler Trophy winner Clare Hills (Ire) (Orpen) from the family of Fear And Greed (Ire) (Brief Truce) who was second in this and the Kentucky Derby hero and leading sire Alysheba, her yearling and foal are full-brothers to Lake Victoria.



Lake Victoria (near side) | Getty Images

Sunday, The Curragh, Ireland

MOYGLARE STUD STAKES-G1, €400,000, Curragh, 9-15, 2yo, f, 7fT, 1:23.73, gd.

1--LAKE VICTORIA (IRE), 128, f, 2, by Frankel (GB) 1st Dam: Quiet Reflection (GB) (MG1SW-Eng, GSW-Fr, GSW-Ire, \$926,853), by Showcasing (GB) 2nd Dam: My Delirium (GB), by Haafhd (GB) 3rd Dam: Clare Hills (Ire), by Orpen

1ST GROUP 1 WIN. TDN Rising Star. O-Michael Tabor & Derrick Smith & Mrs John Magnier; B-Coolmore (IRE); T-Aidan O'Brien; J-Wayne Lordan. €240,000. Lifetime Record: GSW-Eng, 3-3-0-0, \$315,993. Werk Nick Rating: A+++ *Triple Plus*. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree, or the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.

2--Simmering (GB), 128, f, 2, Too Darn Hot (GB)--Cashla Bay (GB), by Fastnet Rock (Aus). 1ST GROUP 1 BLACK TYPE.
(70,000gns Ylg '23 TATOCT). O-Al Shaqab Racing; B-Lofts Hall Stud (GB); T-Ollie Sangster. €80,000.

Purchased by Casse & Sangster

3--Exactly (Ire), 128, f, 2, Frankel (GB)--Heartache (GB), by Kyllachy (GB). 1ST GROUP 1 BLACK TYPE. O-Derrick Smith, Mrs John Magnier & Michael Tabor; B-Coolmore (IRE); T-Aidan O'Brien. €40,000.

Tattersalls October Book 3 Group Winner

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Margins: 1 1/4, SHD, HD. Odds: 5.50, 8.50, 20.00. Also Ran: Red Letter (GB), Bedtime Story (Ire).



'HE'S TOP NOTCH': SCORTHY CHAMP BRINGS UP A THIRD NATIONAL FOR JOSEPH

by Tom Frary

Sunday's G1 Goffs Vincent O'Brien National Stakes at The Curragh had a more open look to it than the betting suggested beforehand and that proved the case as the Joseph O'Brientrained outsider **Scorthy Champ (Ire)** (Mehmas {Ire}--Fidaaha {Ire}, by New Approach {Ire}) stepped up to earn the bragging rights. **Cont. p11**

G1 National Stakes Cont.

Third behind this race's favourite Henri Matisse (Ire) (Wootton Bassett {GB}) on his second start over this course and sevenfurlong trip in the G2 Futurity Stakes last month, the 12-1 shot who had won on debut at Leopardstown in May raced on the wing halfway down the field throughout the early stages.

Sent forward by Dylan Browne McMonagle to reel in the British raider Seagulis Eleven (Ire) (Galileo Gold (GB)) approaching the furlong pole, the flashy chestnut who races for Rectory Road Holdings Limited, Barry Fowler and Anne Marie O'Brien stayed on to score by 3/4 of a length from the 5-6 market-leader Henri Matisse, with Seagulls Eleven the same margin behind in third.

O'Brien, who had sent out Thunder Moon (Ire) (Zoffany {Ire}) and Al Riffa (Fr) (Wootton Bassett {GB}) to win this in 2020 and 2022, was not surprised by the outcome. "He's a very talented horse," he said. "He's still learning and is still a big baby. I knew he'd stay well and he went through the gears nicely from halfway, was good and tough in the last furlong and got to the line strong."

"He's going to have no problem getting further, as he relaxes good and he's got a really good temperament," he added. "It was a fantastic ride by Dylan and I'm so delighted for Barry Fowler, who's in the partnership with Sam McCauley, who's

been such a huge supporter of ours for the last number of years and it's so special to win a group 1 for them. We knew whatever happened the last day, we were going to be better for the run after his lay-off and I thought he was really impressive. Dylan felt that he idled in front. He's top-notch. "I see him more as a miler, so I suppose he could go for the Lagardere or the Breeders' Cup."

Aidan O'Brien said of Henri Matisse, "He's a baby still. When he got there the last day he jinked and he did the same today. He's still probably physically mature, but he's mentally immature," he said. "I knew Joseph fancied the winner and it was probably a good race."

Pedigree Notes

Three of Fidaaha's first four foals have now won at group level, with her first being the winner's G2 Criterium de Maisons-Laffitte and G3 Prix Imprudence-winning full-sister Malavath (Ire) who was also and runner-up in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Turf and G1 Prix de la Foret. She was followed by Mehmas's G3 Horris Hill Stakes-winning TDN Rising Star Knight (Ire), who was also second in the G2 Celebration Mile, while Fidaaha is a full-sister to the GIII Robert G. Dick Memorial Stakes winner Ceisteach (Ire) and a half to the dual group 3 winner and dual group 1-placed Steip Amach (Ire) (Vocalised). Cont. p12



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Qatar Prix Foy (Gr.2)

ParisLongchamp Owners: Bertrand Millière, Christian Goutelle, Jean-Paul Gauvin, Fabien Gauvin, Mme Marion Gauvin, Cedric Millière & Jean-Pierre Gauvin Trainer: Jean-Pierre Gauvin Breeders: Pierre Joyaux & Baronne Marie-Louise van Dedem

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G1 National Stakes Cont.

Next Sale:

From the family of the G1 Prix de l'Opera heroine Shalanaya (Ire) (Lomitas {GB}), her 2024 colt is also by Mehmas while she was bred to Not This Time this year.

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Sunday, The Curragh, Ireland GOFFS VINCENT O'BRIEN NATIONAL STAKES-G1, €400,000, Curragh, 9-15, 2yo, c/f, 7fT, 1:25.08, gd.

1--SCORTHY CHAMP (IRE), 131, c, 2, by Mehmas (Ire) 1st Dam: Fidaaha (Ire), by New Approach (Ire) 2nd Dam: Ceist Eile (Ire), by Noverre 3rd Dam: Sharafanya (Ire), by Zafonic

1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN, 1ST GROUP WIN, 1ST GROUP 1 WIN. (155,000gns Ylg '23 TATOCT). O-Rectory Road Holdings Limited & Barry Fowler & Anne Marie O'Brien; B-Healthy Wood Co Ltd (IRE); T-Joseph O'Brien; J-Dylan Browne McMonagle. €240,000. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-1, \$283,017. *Full to Malavath (Ire), MGSW & G1SP-Fr, GISP-US, \$534,111; Full to Knight (Ire), GSW-Eng, \$103,121. Werk Nick Rating: A++. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree, or the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.

- 2--Henri Matisse (Ire), 131, c, 2, Wootton Bassett (GB)--Immortal Verse (Ire), by Pivotal (GB). 1ST GROUP 1 BLACK TYPE. O-Mrs John Magnier & Michael Tabor & Derrick Smith & Merriebelle Irish Farm Limited; B-Immortal Verse Syndicate (IRE); T-Aidan O'Brien. €80,000.
- 3--Seagulls Eleven (Ire), 131, c, 2, Galileo Gold (GB)--Thrilled (Ire), by Kodiac (GB). 1ST GROUP 1 BLACK TYPE. (50,000gns Ylg '23 TATOCT). O-Two Plus Three Two Plus Four; B-Tally Ho Stud (IRE); T-Hugo Palmer. €40,000.

Margins: 3/4, 3/4, 2 1/4. Odds: 12.00, 0.83, 7.00. Also Ran: Aomori City (Fr), Cowardofthecounty (Ire), Rock Of Cashel (Ire), Hill Road, The Parthenon (Ire).



he stays this trip, he loves Longchamp and he has improved,"

the owner-breeders' racing manager Pierre Yves Bureau said of

"He is a very good horse with a lovely temperament, we knew

SOSIE HAS THE ANSWERS IN THE PRIX NIEL

by Tom Frary

All eyes were on the returning G1 Prix du Jockey Club hero Look De Vega (Fr) (Lope De Vega {Ire}) in Sunday's G2 Qatar Prix

Niel at ParisLongchamp, but while he appeared to run out of stamina the Wertheimers' **Sosie** (Ire) (Sea The Stars {Ire}--Sosia {Ger}, by Shamardal) proved that is his strong suit to book his Arc ticket. Rested since his G1 Grand Prix de Paris success over this course and mile-and-a-half trip, the Andre Fabre-trained homebred shadowed that Classicwinning peer throughout the early stages with Ronan Thomas happy to let the 7-10 favourite bowl along in front.



Sosie | Scoop Dyga

the winner, who had been third to Look De Vega in the Jockey Club and enters the big event as a lightly-raced, still-unexposed type. "It's been a great season and we need to keep it going."

> "Logically, he will head to the Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe and physically-speaking, he's reaching maturity," he added. "The colt showed a good turn of foot. He has a very calm temperament, which is certainly an asset when it comes to the big occasions."

Hermine Bastide, representing Coolmore, said of Delius, "He ran really well and the whole team is delighted--he finished where we expected him to and was 80 per-

Sent forward by Maxime Guyon

as the petrol gauge started to empty in his chief rival approaching two out, the 100-30 second favourite drew away to beat **Delius (GB)** (Frankel {GB}) by 1 1/2 lengths, with Look De Vega two lengths behind in third.

cent wound up for this. Ioritz Mendizabal wasn't unduly hard on him and we'll mull matters over with his owners as he has the option of heading to Australia for the Melbourne Cup." Cont. p14



g. 2015 PENNY'S PICNIC X VAILLANTE

Qatar Prix du Petit Couvert (Gr.3)

ParisLongchamp Owner: Stal Vie en Rose Trainer: Sofie Lanslots Breeder: Guy Pariente Holding

2016 V.2 YEARLING SALE Price: €42,000 Buyer: Agence FIPS Vendor: Haras de Colleville

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G2 Prix Niel Cont.

Yann Lerner was still thinking of an Arc tilt with Look de Vega. "We know that these races can be tactical affairs, so we wanted to ensure that he got the race he needed because we know he's well above his optimal weight compared to the Prix du Jockey-Club," he explained. "Despite the fact that he's been cranked up on the training grounds, he was a long way off his best form. He needed to get a race under his belt to help him to be in mint condition in three weeks' time."

"His rider said that he battled well upsides Sosie until asking for a breather in the final 200 metres and we know that the colt has a lot of scope for improvement," he added. "We need to ensure that he's in top form come the big day. In three weeks' time, he'll be cherry ripe."

Pedigree Notes

Sosie's dam Sosia, who was placed in the Listed Prix Coronation, is also responsible for the dual listed winner and the four-times group 3-placed Anasia (GB) (Intello {Ger}), the listed scorer Copie (GB) (Iffraaj {GB}) and the G3 Prix Daphnis runner-up Sosino (Ire) (New Approach {Ire}). The second dam Sahel (Ger) (Monsun {Ger}) produced the G1 Premio Lydia Tesio winner Sortilege (Ire) (Tiger Hill {Ire}) who is in turn the second dam of last year's G2 Union-Rennen winner and G1 Grosser Preis von Baden runner-up Straight (Ger) (Zarak {Fr}).

Sahel is a full-sister to the G1 Deutsches Derby-winning pair Samum (Ger) and Schiaparelli (Ger), as well as the G1 Preis der Diana heroine and Deutsches Derby runner-up Salve Regina (Ger) who is also the third dam of this year's G3 Zukunfts-Rennen winner Santagada (Ger) (Soldier Hollow {GB}), with this being the family of the runaway Deutsches Derby hero and sire Sea The Moon (Ger) by Sea The Stars. Sosia's unraced 2-year-old colt by Camelot (GB) is named Uther (GB), while her a 2024 full-brother to Sosie is named Jumeau (Ire).

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Sunday, ParisLongchamp, France

QATAR PRIX NIEL-G2, €130,000, ParisLongchamp, 9-15, 3yo, 12fT, 2:34.33, sf.

1--SOSIE (IRE), 128, c, 3, by Sea The Stars (Ire) 1st Dam: Sosia (Ger) (SP-Fr), by Shamardal 2nd Dam: Sahel (Ger), by Monsun (Ger) 3rd Dam: Sacarina (GB), by Old Vic (GB)

O/B-Wertheimer et Frere (IRE); T-Andre Fabre; J-Maxime Guyon. €74,100. Lifetime Record: G1SW-Fr, 6-4-1-1, €642,890. *1/2 to Anasia (GB) (Intello {Ger}), MSW & MGSP-Fr, \$147,779; Copie (GB) (Iffraaj {GB}), SW-Ger; and Sosino (Ire) (New Approach {Ire}), GSP-Fr. Werk Nick Rating: A+++. *Triple Plus*. Click for the

eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree, or the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.

- 2--Delius (GB), 128, c, 3, Frankel (GB)--Whatami (GB), by Daylami (Ire). TDN Rising Star. (675,000gns Wlg '21 TATFOA).
 O-Mrs John Magnier, Derrick Smith, Michael Tabor & Westerberg; B-Mr & Mrs David Brown (GB); T-Jean-Claude Rouget. €28,600.
- 3--Look De Vega (Fr), 128, c, 3, Lope De Vega (Ire)--Lucelle (Ire), by High Chaparral (Ire). (€160,000 Ylg '22 ARQAUG). O-Al Shaqab Racing, Ballylinch Stud Et Al; B-Haras de la Morsangliere & Ecurie des Charmes (FR); T-Carlos and Yann Lerner. €13,650.

Margins: 1HF, 2, SNK. Odds: 3.30, 6.70, 0.70.

Also Ran: Wintertraum (Ger), Ambiente Friendly (Ire). Scratched: Augustus (Ger).

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HANALIA STEPS UP FOR BLANDFORD

SUCCESS by Tom Frary

The Aga Khan's **Hanalia (Ire)** (Sea The Stars {Ire}) had looked to

be building towards something special and it came on the right stage on Sunday as she swooped to conquer The Curragh's G2 Moyglare Jewels Blandford Stakes. Successful in the Listed Irish EBF Naas Oaks Trial in June. sixth in the G1 Irish Oaks the following month and second to the owner-breeder's Tarawa (Ire) (Shamardal) in the nine-furlong G3 Snow Fairy Fillies Stakes also here last month, the Johnny Murtagh-trained relative of Sea The Stars's dual Derby hero Harzand (Ire) was dropped out in last early by Shane Foley.



Hanalia | Getty Images

Confidently steered throughout, the 12-1 shot was delivered to overhaul Ballydoyle's long-time leader **Wingspan (Ire)** (Dubawi {Ire}) inside the final furlong and prevail by a neck, with 3/4 of a length back to the 2-1 favourite and Irish Oaks third **Purple Lily (Ire)** (Calyx {GB}).

"With the little bit of rain last night and the extra furlong, we were coming here quietly confident," Murtagh said. "There are a

lot of good fillies in Ireland at the moment and I just had the feeling today was going to be the day for her. I knew she came home well. She needs to be settled early. She's keen and if you put her in the race early, she can get up on the bridle so I told him the more relaxed she is, the better she'll finish. These are hard won and we'll see is she can go on and have a shot at a group 1 next."

Pedigree Notes

The dam Hanakiyya (Ire) (Danehill Dancer {Ire}) is also

responsible for the G3 Prix Bertrand du Breuil winner Hunaina (Ire) (Tamayuz {GB}) and the G3 Derrinstown Stud 1,000 Guineas Trial scorer Hamariyna (Ire) by Sea The Stars's Sea The Moon (Ger). Cont. p16





PRYDWEN

CLASSIC GLORY from GOFFS

Group 3 Deutsches St. Leger at Dortmund

G2 Blandford Stakes Cont.

Alongside the aforementioned Harzand, the family also includes another Irish Derby hero in Hurricane Lane (Ire) (Frankel {GB}), whose half-brother Sweet William (Ire) by Sea The Stars captured Friday's G2 Doncaster Cup, as well as the G1 British Champions Fillies & Mares Stakes heroine Seal Of Approval (GB) (Authorized {Ire}). Hanakiyya's 2-year-old filly Hanamaya (Ire) is by Night Of Thunder (Ire), while she also has a yearling colt by Palace Pier (GB).

Sunday, The Curragh, Ireland

MOYGLARE JEWELS BLANDFORD STAKES-G2, €200,000, Curragh, 9-15, 3yo/up, f/m, 10fT, 2:05.38, gd.

1--HANALIA (IRE), 128, f, 3, by Sea The Stars (Ire)

1st Dam: Hanakiyya (Ire), by Danehill Dancer (Ire) 2nd Dam: Handaza (Ire), by Be My Guest 3rd Dam: Hazaradjat (Ire), by Darshaan (GB)

1ST GROUP WIN. O-H H Aga Khan; B-His Highness The Aga Khan's Studs SC (IRE); T-Johnny Murtagh; J-Shane Foley. €120,000. Lifetime Record: 6-3-1-0, \$193,252. *1/2 to Hunaina (Ire) (Tamayuz {GB}), GSW-Fr, SW-Eng, \$177,753; ½ to Hamariyna (Ire) (Sea The Moon {Ger}), GSW-Ire. Werk Nick Rating: A. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree, or the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree. 2--Wingspan (Ire), 128, f, 3, Dubawi (Ire)--Hydrangea (Ire), by Galileo (Ire). O-Westerberg,Mrs J Magnier,M Tabor,D Smith; B-Coolmore (IRE); T-Aidan O'Brien. €40,000.

3--Purple Lily (Ire), 128, f, 3, Calyx (GB)--Boca Raton (Ire), by Approve (Ire). TDN Rising Star. (€17,500 Wlg '21 GOFNO1; €24,000 Ylg '22 TATIRY; €155,000 2yo '23 TATGOR). O-Zinlo Syndicate; B-Mr B O'Neill (IRE); T-Paddy Twomey. €20,000.
Margins: NK, 3/4, 1HF. Odds: 12.00, 12.00, 2.00.
Also Ran: Caught U Looking (Ire), American Sonja (GB), Rogue Millennium (Ire), Lumiere Rock (Ire), Elizabeth Jane (Ire), Bellezza (Ire). Scratched: Goldana (Ire).

MANDURO'S IRESINE BATTLES TO PRIX FOY

SUCCESS by Sean Cronin

Dual Group 1 victor **Iresine (Fr)** (Manduro {Ger}--Inanga {GB}), by Oasis Dream {GB}) ran second in last year's G2 Qatar Prix Foy and embellished his palmares with a hard-fought win in Sunday's latest renewal of the 12-furlong contest at ParisLongchamp.

The 2-1 second choice, who finished fourth in June's G1 Grand Prix de Saint-Cloud when last seen, moved forward to stalk the pacesetting **Continuous (Jpn)** (Heart's Cry {Jpn}) after the early exchanges. **Cont. p17**

GROUP 1 GLORY *from* GOFFS

BRADSELL

Group 1 Bar One Racing Flying Five Stakes at The Curragh





G2 Prix Foy Cont.

Coming under pressure off the home turn, he gained an edge approaching the final furlong and was driven out to hold the late rattle of **Zarir (Ire)** (Frankel {GB}) by a short-neck in game fashion. Continuous stayed on well to finish 2 1/2 lengths adrift in third.



Iresine | Scoop Dyga

"It didn't go well for him in the Grand Prix de Saint-Cloud and I was worried that maybe he had his lost his quality, his fighting spirit and part of his sparkle in [the G1] Japan [Cup]," reflected trainer Jean-Pierre Gauvin. "He was doing well at home, but you never know, so the result is very satisfying. He and [jockey] Marie Velon know each other so well and what a partnership they make. Of course, being a gelding, the [G1 Prix de l'] Arc [de Triomphe] is not for him, so we will be again left with possibilities like the [G2] Prix du Conseil de Paris, the [G1] Royal Oak and maybe travelling abroad. We are not against the idea again."

Pedigree Notes

Iresine, the leading performer out of a full-sister to G3 Prix de Guiche and G3 Prix Daphnis runner-up In Chambers (GB) (Oasis Dream {GB}), is a granddaughter of G3 Prix Vanteaux runner-up Reve De Reine (Lyphard). Reve De Reine is also the dam of G3 Prix de Guiche victor Roi De Rome (Time For A Change) and G3 Prix Thomas Bryon third Rose De Thai (Lear Fan). Iresine's fourth dam is G1 Poule d'Essai des Pouliches, G1 Prix Saint-Alary and G1 Grand Prix de Saint-Cloud heroine Riverqueen (Fr) (Luthier {Fr}), whose descendants include G1 Prix Jean Prat hero Rouvres (Fr) (Anabaa), dual G1 Premio Presidente della Repubblica victor Altieri (GB) (Selkirk) and multiple Australian Group 1 winner Zaaki (GB) (Leroidesanimaux {Brz}). Iresine is kin to the unraced 2-year-old colt Morus (Fr) (Mondialiste {Ire}).

Sunday, ParisLongchamp, France

QATAR PRIX FOY-G2, €130,000, ParisLongchamp, 9-15, 4yo/up, 12fT, 2:34.15, sf.

1--IRESINE (FR), 130, g, 7, by Manduro (Ger)

1st Dam: Inanga (GB), by Oasis Dream (GB) 2nd Dam: Cas Royaux, by Woodman 3rd Dam: Reve De Reine, by Lyphard

(€6,000 Ylg '18 ARQOCT). O-Bertrand Milliere, Christian Goutelle, Jean-Paul Gauvin, Fabien Gauvin, Mme Marion Gauvin, Cedric Milliere & Jean-Pierre Gauvin; B-Pierre Soyaux & Marie-Louise van Dedem (FR); T-Jean-Pierre Gauvin; J-Marie Velon. €74,100. Lifetime Record: MG1SW-Fr, 23-15-2-3, €899,750. Werk Nick Rating: A.

Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree, or the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.

- 2--Zarir (Ire), 128, g, 4, Frankel (GB)--Zarshana (Ire), by Sea The Stars (Ire). O-H H The Aga Khan; B-H H The Aga Khan's Studs SC (IRE); T-Francis-Henri Graffard. €28,600.
- 3--Continuous (Jpn), 128, c, 4, Heart's Cry (Jpn)--Fluff (Ire), by Galileo (Ire). O-D Smith, Mrs J Magnier, M Tabor & Westerberg; B-Wynatt, Chelston Ireland & Orpendale Bloodstock (Jpn); T-Aidan O'Brien. €13,650.

Margins: SNK, 2HF, 12. Odds: 2.00, 7.50, 0.90. Also Ran: Sacred Spirit (Ire). DNF: Feed The Flame (GB) - pulled up.

HOLY ROMAN EMPEROR'S GREAT GENERATION DOUBLES PATTERN-RACE

TALLY IN THE SCEPTRE by Sean Cronin

Scuderia Sagam's G3 Chartwell Fillies' Stakes victrix **Great Generation (Ire)** (Holy Roman Emperor {Ire}--Adutchgirl {Ger}, by Dutch Art {GB}), last of 15 contesting Deauville's G1 Prix Maurice de Gheest in her most recent start, rebounded in style to double her pattern-race tally in Sunday's G3 Japan Racing Association Sceptre Fillies' Stakes at Doncaster.

The Marco Ghiani-ridden 8-1 chance found space in short supply upon leaving the stalls and was under wraps at the tail of the 11-runner field through the early fractions of this sevenfurlong test. Tanking forward after halfway, she was ridden into contention passing the furlong marker and kept on strongly to usurp **Elim (Ire)** (Make Believe {GB}) by a length in the dying embers.

"It was quite frustrating last time in France when she didn't run a very good race, so it was great to see her back winning," said Ghiani. "I think it's hard to say if she's a Group 1 filly [or not], but she tried really hard and everything went smoothly. I would rather the ground was a bit faster, it is soft today, and she's won on good-to-soft before." **Cont. p18**

G3 Sceptre Fillies' Stakes Cont.

He added, "For a Group race, you'd ideally have good ground. Last time I rode her [in York's G3 Summer Stakes], I just took her out and travelled, but when I pressed the button I had nothing left in the last 20 yards. Today, I kept hold of her as long as I could."



Great Generation (right) | *Racingfotos.com*

Pedigree Notes

Great Generation, the third of five foals, is one of two scorers from as many runners produced by a half-sister to multiple Group-winning G2 German 2000 Guineas second Aspectus (Ire) (Spectrum {Ire}) and to the dam of stakes-winning G1 Criterium de Saint-Cloud runner-up Willie The Whipper (GB) (Whipper). Descendants of her G3 Hamburger Stutenpreis-winning second dam Anna Thea (Ire) (Turfkonig {Ger}) also include G2 Diana-Trial victrix Akribie (Ger) (Reliable Man {GB}), last year's G2 Hansa-Preis and G2 Carl Jaspers-Preis victor Assistent (Ger) (Sea The Moon {Ger}), G3 Hamburger Stutenpreis victrix Anna Katharina (Ger) (Kallisto {Ger}) and this year's G3 Fruhjahrs-Meile winner Arcandi (Ger) (Zarak {Fr}). The March-foaled bay, who hails from the family of G1 Derby hero Adayar (Ire) (Frankel (GB) and G1 1000 Guineas vixtrix Billesdon Brook (GB) (Champs Elysees {GB}), is a half-sister to the once-raced 2-year-old colt Qaaeadd (Ire) (Earthlight {Ire}) and a yearling colt by Kodi Bear (Ire).

Sunday, Doncaster, Britain

JAPAN RACING ASSOCIATION SCEPTRE FILLIES' STAKES-G3, £85,000, Doncaster, 9-15, 3yo/up, f, 7f 6yT, 1:26.22, sf.

1--GREAT GENERATION (IRE), 129, f, 3, by Holy Roman Emperor (Ire) 1st Dam: Adutchgirl (Ger), by Dutch Art (GB)

2nd Dam: Anna Thea (Ire), by Turfkonig (Ger) 3rd Dam: Anstandige (Ger), by Star Appeal

(39,000gns Ylg '22 TATOCT). O-Scuderia Sagam SRLS B-A Dutch Girl Partnership (IRE); T-Marco Botti; J-Marco Ghiani. £48,204. Lifetime Record: 8-4-1-0, \$172,804. Werk Nick Rating: A. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree, or the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.

- 2--Elim (Ire), 130, f, 4, Make Believe (GB)--Majestic Dancer (Ire), by Danehill Dancer (Ire). **1ST GROUP BLACK TYPE**. (€11,500 Wlg '20 GOFNOV; €22,000 Ylg '21 GOFSPT). O-Julie Martin, David R Martin & Dan Hall; B-Lawn View Stud (IRE); T-Ed Bethell. £18,275.
- 3--Queen Of Mougins (Ire), 126, f, 3, Ten Sovereigns (Ire)-Premiere Danseuse (GB), by Gold Away (Ire). 1ST BLACK TYPE;
 1ST GROUP BLACK TYPE. (€200,000 2yo '23 TATGOR).
 O-Valmont, Obank & Partners; B-Pier House Stud (IRE);
 T-Ralph Beckett. £9,146.

Margins: 1, NO, 1 1/4. Odds: 8.00, 2.25, 6.50. Also Ran: Fair Angellica (GB), Choisya (GB), Doom (GB), Key To Cotai (Ire), Nine Tenths (Ire), Ziggy's Dream (Ire), Topanga (GB), Cell Sa Beela (GB). Scratched: Vetiver (GB).

Sunday, ParisLongchamp, France

QATAR PRIX DU PIN-G3, €80,000, ParisLongchamp, 9-15, 3yo/up, 7fT, 1:21.27, sf.

1--TOPGEAR (FR), 128, h, 5, by Wootton Bassett (GB) 1st Dam: Miss Lech, by Giant's Causeway 2nd Dam: Mysterieuse Etoile, by Quiet American 3rd Dam: Rose Indien (Fr), by Crystal Glitters

(€200,000 Ylg '20 ARQSEP). O-Hisaaki Saito; B-SNIG Elevage (FR); T-Christopher Head; J-Stephane Pasquier. €40,000. Lifetime Record: 13-5-5-1, €200,300. Werk Nick Rating: A. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree, or the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.

- 2--**Ten Bob Tony (Ire)**, 125, c, 3, Night Of Thunder (Ire)--Hug (Ire), by Dark Angel (Ire). **1ST BLACK TYPE**; **1ST GROUP BLACK TYPE**. (€65,000 Ylg '22 GOFOR; €100,000 2yo '23 ARQMAY). O-TBT Racing Ltd; B-Knocktoran Stud (IRE); T-Ed Walker. €16,000.
- 3--Dark Trooper (Ire), 128, g, 4, Dark Angel (Ire)--Warshah (Ire), by Shamardal. 1ST BLACK TYPE; 1ST GROUP BLACK TYPE.
 (60,000gns Ylg '21 TATOCT; 500,000gns 3yo '23 TATAUT).
 O-Wathnan Racing; B-Yeomanstown Stud (IRE); T-Alban de Mieulle. €12,000.

Margins: HF, HF, 1 3/4. Odds: 280, 16.00, 15.00.

- Also Ran: Exxtra (Fr), Sajir (Ire), Shartash (Ire), Mount Athos (GB), Omicrone (Fr), Breizh Sky (Fr).
- Scratched: Ribaltagaia.



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Sunday, ParisLongchamp, France

QATAR PRIX DU PETIT COUVERT-G3, €80,000, ParisLongchamp, 9-15, 3yo/up, 5fT, :57.24, sf.

1--PRADARO, 126, g, 9, by Penny's Picnic (Ire) 1st Dam: Vaillante (Ire), by Zilzal 2nd Dam: Valverda, by Irish River (Fr) 3rd Dam: Via Venise (Fr), by Shoemaker (GB)

(€42,000 Ylg '16 ARQAUG). O-Stall Vie En Rose; B-Guy Pariente Holding (FR); T-Sofie Lanslots; J-Aurelien Lemaitre. €40,000. Lifetime Record: 58-12-10-5, €366,600. *1/2 to Valkena (Fr) (Kendargent {Fr}), GSP-Fr; Vital Body (Fr) (Gold Away {Ire}), MSP-Fr; and Pradora (Fr) (Sagacity {Fr}), SP-Fr. **Werk Nick Rating: A**.

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- 2--Electric Storm (Ire), 122, f, 4, Night Of Thunder (Ire)--Ancestral (GB), by Bated Breath (GB). O-Saeed Manana; B-Rabbah Bloodstock Ltd (IRE); T-James Tate. €16,000.
- 3--Rogue Lightning (Ire), 126, g, 4, Kodiac (GB)--Field Of Stars (GB), by Acclamation (GB). (80,000gns Ylg '21 TATOCT;
 42,000gns 2yo '22 TATBRE; £1,000,000 3yo '23 GOFASC).
 O-Wathnan Racing; B-Airlie Stud & Mrs S Rogers (IRE); T-Tom Clover. €12,000.

Margins: SHD, SHD, NO. Odds: 53.00, 5.30, 3.80.

Also Ran: Grand Grey (Ire), Mgheera (GB), No Half Measures (GB), Ponntos (Ire), Monteille (GB), Lesslepasser (Fr), Aesop's Fables (Ire), Batwan (Fr), Vicious Harry (Fr), Shelbylandor (Fr), Dawn Charger (Ire), Ismael Paint (Fr).

Sunday, Dortmund, Germany

WETTSTAR.DE 140TH DEUTSCHES ST LEGER-G3, €55,000, Dortmund, 9-15, 3yo/up, 14fT, 3:02.45, g/s. 1--PRYDWEN (IRE), 132, g, 6, by Camelot (GB)

1st Dam: Honey Hunter (Ire), by Shamardal 2nd Dam: Ancient Art (GB), by Monsun (Ger) 3rd Dam: Shinko Hermes (Ire), by Sadler's Wells

1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN; **1ST GROUP WIN**. (€30,000 Ylg '19 GOFORB). O-Blue Starr Racing & Keith Breen; B-Honey Hunter Syndicate (IRE); T-George Scott; J-Callum Shepherd. €32,000. Lifetime Record: 30-10-2-4, €257,463. *1/2 to Comanche Country (Ire) (Highland Reel {Ire}), GSW-US, \$274,154. **Werk Nick Rating: A++**.

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- 2--**Tres Rock Women (Ire)**, 129, m, 5, **Australia (GB)**--Tres Rock Glory (Ire), by Fastnet Rock (Aus). **1ST BLACK TYPE**; **1ST GROUP BLACK TYPE**. (€190,000 Ylg '20 ARQAUG). O-Stall Grafenberg; B-Chevotel de La Hauquerie (IRE); T-Sascha Smrczek. €12,000.
- 3--Go Daddy (Ire), 123, g, 3, Smooth Daddy--Libys Dream (Ire), by Invincible Spirit (Ire). (€16,000 Wlg '21 GOFNO1; €36,000 Ylg '22 TATIRY; €50,000 2yo '23 TATGOR). O-Perspicacious Punters Racing Club; B-Michael O'Reilly (IRE); T-William Muir & Chris Grassick. €6,000.

Margins: SHD, 2, 3HF. Odds: 3.70, 18.60, 3.40. Also Ran: Alessio (Ger), Rose Of Lips (Ger), Niagaro (Ger), Atlantica (GB), Done Deal (Fr), Lion's Head (Ger).

Sunday, Bro Park, Sweden

STOCKHOLM CUP INTERNATIONAL-G3, SKr1,260,000, Bro Park, 9-15, 3yo/up, 12fT, 2:27.20, gd.

1--BEST OF LIPS (IRE), 130, h, 6, by The Gurkha (Ire)
1st Dam: Beata (Fr), by Silver Frost (Ire)
2nd Dam: Bright Moon, by Alysheba
3rd Dam: Bonshamile (GB), by Ile de Bourbon

(90,000gns RNA Ylg '19 TATOCT). O-Stall Lintec; B-Stall Parthenaue (IRE); T-Andreas Suborics; J-Hugo Boutin. SKr810,000. Lifetime Record: MGSW-Ger & Ity, GSP-Fr, 30-8-7-6, SKr6,329,638. **Werk Nick Rating: B+**.

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- 2--**Hard One To Please (Ire)**, 130, g, 5, Fast Company (Ire)--Alyssum (Ire), by New Approach (Ire). (£8,000 Ylg '20 GOFSPT; 80,000gns 2yo '21 TATGNS). O-Vasby Hast AB; B-Lodge Park Stud (IRE); T-Annike Bye Hansen. SKr270,000.
- 3--Mozart (Den), 130, g, 4, Le Havre (Ire)--Malegganda (Fr), by Divine Light (Jpn). 1ST GROUP BLACK TYPE. O-Mme Fernande;
 B-Stutteri Hjortebo (DEN); T-Niels Petersen. SKr108,000.

Margins: SHD, 1, 1HF. Odds: 1.53, 7.41, 13.56.

Also Ran: Seneschal (Swe), Ami De Vega (Ire), Quebello (Ger), Captain Chorus (GB), Greenland (Ire), Redirect (Ire), Go On Carlras (Swe), Mendel's Rock, Outbox (GB).

EUROPEAN NEWS

FRANNY NORTON TO RETIRE ON SEPT. 21



Franny Norton | *Getty Images*

Jockey Franny Norton will retire on Sept. 21, the contemporary of Frankie Dettori announced on Instagram. The Liverpool native will end his career riding at Chester Racecourse.

Norton, who turned 54 this year, began riding in 1988. A Chester specialist, he was a close ally of Mark Johnston, and now rides for his son Charlie, among others. Throughout his career, Norton has been associated with several Pattern winners including Permian (Ire) (Teofilo {Ire}), and G1 St Leger second Sir Ron Priestley (GB) (Australia {GB}), to name a few. A notable boxer, his latest victory, of which he has at least 1859, was aboard Aviemore (GB) (Kodiac {GB}) for the younger Johnston at Chester on Sept. 13.

Norton said in a statement, "After an incredible journey spanning over 35 years, the time has come for me to hang up my boots and call it a day in horse racing.

"On the 21st of September at Chester Racecourse, I will ride my final race, marking the end of an amazing chapter of my life.

"From the early days in the saddle to the many highs and lows that followed, this sport has given me memories I will treasure forever. I've been blessed to ride alongside some of the best jockeys, work with the finest trainers, and compete at the most iconic racecourses. Every moment has been a privilege.

"To the fans who have supported me over the years, your encouragement has meant the world. To the owners, trainers, and stable staff, it's been an honour to share the track with you. And to my family and loved ones--your unwavering support has carried me through every victory and every challenge. "While I may be stepping away from the track, I will always remain connected to the sport that has been my life. Racing has taught me resilience, passion, and humility, and I'm forever grateful for the incredible journey it has taken me on.

"I look forward to seeing you all at Chester for one last race. Let's make it a day to remember!

"Much love, F."

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FIRST-SEASON SIRES WITH RUNNERS

Monday, September 16, 2024: UNITED KINGDOM Earthlight (Ire) (Shamardal), Kildangan Stud 113 foals of racing age/10 winners/1 black-type winner 14:50-THIRSK, 6f, Summer of Light (GB) 20,000gns RNA Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2023; €13,000 Tattersalls Ireland Breeze Up 2024

Ghaiyyath (Ire) (Dubawi {Ire}), Kildangan Stud
101 foals of racing age/2 winners/0 black-type winners
15:20-THIRSK, 7f, Valiant Knight (GB)
65,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2023

Kameko (Kitten's Joy), Tweenhills Stud
87 foals of racing age/10 winners/1 black-type winner
14:07-WINDSOR, 5f, Apple's Angel (Ire)
€10,000 RNA Goffs November Foal Sale 2022; €15,000 RNA
Tattersalls Ireland September Yearling 2023; £27,300 Tattersalls
Online June Sale 2024

Mohaather (GB) (Showcasing {GB}), Beech House Stud 96 foals of racing age/13 winners/2 black-type winners 17:30-KEMPTON PARK, 7f, **Motabaah (Ire)**

Pinatubo (Ire) (Shamardal), Dalham Hall Stud 109 foals of racing age/12 winners/0 black-type winners 15:20-THIRSK, 7f, **Regal Agenda (GB)**

Rumble Inthejungle (Ire) (Bungle Inthejungle {GB}), Norman Court Stud

23 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners
14:07-WINDSOR, 5f, Hint of Humour (GB)
1,000gns RNA Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 4) 2023
16:55-KEMPTON PARK, 7f, Mister Knockout (GB)



Kameko sired his first Grade I winner in Canada | Tweenhills

Sands of Mali (Fr) (Panis), Ballyhane Stud 99 foals of racing age/13 winners/1 black-type winner 14:07-WINDSOR, 5f, Aviation Time (Ire)

Sergei Prokofiev (Scat Daddy), Whitsbury Manor Stud 121 foals of racing age/16 winners/2 black-type winners 14:07-WINDSOR, 5f, Seraphim Angel (GB) 16,000gns Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2022; 24,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 3) 2023

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Ghaiyyath (Ire) (Dubawi {Ire}), Kildangan Stud
101 foals of racing age/2 winners/0 black-type winners
2-CHANTILLY, 1800m, Eggleston (Ire)
50,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2023;
€60,000 Arqana May 2yo Breeze Up 2024

Gift Box (Twirling Candy), Lane's End Farm 82 foals of racing age/7 winners/0 black-type winners 6-CHANTILLY, 1200m, Ironico \$20,000 Fasig-Tipton Kentucky Select Yearling Sale 2023; \$160,000 Ocala Breeders' Sales March Sale of Two-Year-Olds in Training 2024

Hello Youmzain (Fr) (Kodiac {GB}), Haras d'Etreham
110 foals of racing age/10 winners/1 black-type winner
2-CHANTILLY, 1800m, Toca Boca (Fr)
4-CHANTILLY, 1800m, Hello Mia (GB)
€5,000 Arqana Deauville October Yearlings 2023; €17,000
Osarus Breeze-Up La Teste 2024

Persian King (Ire) (Kingman {GB}), Haras d'Etreham
102 foals of racing age/6 winners/0 black-type winners
2-MAR.BORELY, 1200m, Mighty Young (Fr)
€16,000 Arqana Deauville October Yearlings 2023

Pinatubo (Ire) (Shamardal), Dalham Hall Stud
109 foals of racing age/12 winners/0 black-type winners
4-CHANTILLY, 1800m, Al Jafara (GB)
15,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2023;
€37,000 Arqana May 2yo Breeze Up 2024

Telecaster (GB) (New Approach {Ire}), Haras du Mesnil 40 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners 4-CHANTILLY, 1800m, **Rosa Gallica (Fr)**

Yafta (GB) (Dark Angel {Ire}), Haras de la Haie Neuve
26 foals of racing age/2 winners/0 black-type winners
2-MAR.BORELY, 1200m, Marvelous by Night (Fr)
€11,000 Arqana December Breeding Stock Sale 2022



HALF TO SPACE BLUES DEBUTS AT KEMPTON

17.30 Kempton, Novice, £6,800, 2yo f, 7f (AWT)

WILD ANGEL (GB) (Too Darn Hot {GB}) is the 10th foal out of the G2 Challenge Stakes winner Miss Lucifer (Fr) (Noverre), who produced Godolphin's GI Breeders' Cup Mile and G1 Prix de la Foret-winning sire Space Blues (Ire) by Too Darn Hot's sire Dubawi (Ire). Charlie Appleby introduces the April-foaled bay in a contest that includes another notable newcomer in Ballylinch Stud's colour-bearer Wilhelmina (GB) (New Bay {GB}), a Kevin Philippart De Foy-trained half-sister to last year's surprise G1 British Champions Fillies & Mares Stakes heroine Poptronic (GB) (Nathaniel {Ire}).

14.30 Chantilly, Cond, €30,000, 2yo, c/g, 9fT

NITOI (Siyouni {Fr}) is a half-brother to last year's G1 Hong Kong Vase and Group 1 Grosser Preis von Bayern hero Junko (GB) (Intello {Ger}) who debuts for the same Andre Fabre stable. Out of the Wertheimers' \$2.35-million 2016 Fasig-Tipton Kentucky November Sale purchase Lady Zuzu (Dynaformer), he is connected to English Channel's son Optimizer.

HANDICAP RESULTS:

5th-Doncaster, £**70,000**, 9-15, 4yo/up, 6f 111yT, 1:19.92, sf. **BALDOMERO (IRE) (g, 6, Shalaa {Ire}--Besotted {Ire} {SW & GSP-Fr}, by Dutch Art {GB})** Lifetime Record: 49-4-16-6, \$269,906. O-The Horse Watchers 6; B-C-Squared Investments (IRE); T-Michael Appleby. *185,000gns Wlg '18 TATFOA; 150,000gns Ylg '19 TATOCT; £460,000 2yo '20 GOFARQ; 32,000gns HRA '21 TATAHI; 35,000gns RNA HRA '22 TATAHI. **1/2 to Fancy Me (Ire) (Pivotal {GB}), GSW-Fr; 1/2 to See You Around (Ire) (Siyouni {Fr}), SW & GSP-Fr, \$106,567.

2nd-Doncaster, £**65,000**, 9-15, 3yo, 7f 6yT, 1:26.17, sf. **TELEMARK (IRE) (g, 3, Night Of Thunder {Ire}--Terzetto {Ire}, by Iffraaj {GB})** Lifetime Record: 9-3-0-1, \$72,701. O-Rabbah Racing; B-Godolphin (IRE); T-Simon & Ed Crisford.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Annie Edson Taylor (GB), f, 3, Mayson (GB)--Rivalry (GB), by
Medicean (GB). Bath, 9-15, 5f 10yT, 1:01.78. Lifetime Record:
5-1-2-2, \$13,499. B-Highfield Farm LLP (GB). *7,500gns Wlg '21
TADEWE; 20,000gns Ylg '22 TATSOM.

IRELAND

Sunday's Results:

7th-Curragh, €250,000, Cond, 9-15, 2yo, 6f 63yT, 1:15.91, gd. SPIRIT D'OR (IRE) (f, 2, Invincible Spirit {Ire}--Across The Sea **(GB)**, by Dubawi **(Ire)**, fourth in the Listed Prix de la Vallee d'Auge at Deauville before opening her account at Moulins over five furlongs last month, tracked the pace throughout the early stages of this Tattersalls Ireland Super Auction Sales Stakes. Committed approaching the furlong pole, the 13-2 second favourite asserted for a two-length success from Gloriously Glam (Ire) (Profitable {Ire}). "It couldn't have worked out any better," jockey Ronan Whelan said. "Watching the videos and speaking to everyone involved, she's guite a forward-going filly. The last furlong was a little bit of an unknown, but we thought if she did things right she'd see it out. She has a great attitude and is tough. It was a big call by Gavin to bring her over here from France. We worked in Jim Bolger's many moons ago and he rang me during the week and we had a debrief whether it was worth bringing her over. We both thought it was a good idea." The winner is the first foal out of the dam, whose yearling full-brother to the winner is catalogued in the Tattersalls Ireland

September Sale. A daughter of the G3 Oh So Sharp Stakes winner Alsindi (Ire) (Acclamation {GB}) and half to Invincible Spirit's GIII Soaring Softly Stakes runner-up Invincible Gal (GB), she is also a grandaughter of the Listed St Hugh's Stakes winner and G3 Prix d'Arenberg runner-up Needles And Pins (Ire) (Fasliyev). Her colt foal is by Phoenix Of Spain (Ire). Sales history: €55,000 Ylg '23 TATIRY; €145,000 2yo '24 ARQBRU. Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-0, \$169,947.

O-FTP Equine Holdings Ltd; B-Irish National Stud (IRE); T-Gavin Hernon.

HANDICAP RESULTS:

1st-Curragh, €**150,000**, 9-15, 3yo/up, 6fT, 1:10.93, gd. **MY MATE ALFIE (IRE) (g, 3, Dark Angel {Ire}--Bear Cheek {Ire} {GSW-Ire}, by Kodiac {GB})** Lifetime Record: SW & MGSP-Ire, 14-3-2-6, \$334,200. O-A K Whelan; B-BT Bloodstock & P O'Callaghan (IRE); T-Ger Lyons. *€70,000 Ylg '22 GOFOR.

8th-Curragh, €**150,000**, 9-15, 3yo/up, 10fT, 2:06.27, gd. **THIS SONGISFORYOU (h, 6, Temple City--Song of Hours, by Unbridled's Song)** Lifetime Record: 11-3-2-2, \$135,064. O-Mrs A F Mee; B-Malibu Farm, LLC (KY); T-Emmet Mullins. *\$57,000 Ylg '19 KEESEP.

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FRANCE

Sunday's Results:

GRAND PRIX REGION GRAND EST-Listed, €60,000, Strasbourg, 9-15, 3yo/up, 10 1/2fT, 2:20.00, g/s.

- 1--DILAWAR (IRE), 127, g, 7, Dubawi (Ire)--Dolniya (Fr) (G1SW-UAE, GSW & MG1SP-Fr, G1SP-Eng, \$4,225,405), by Azamour (Ire). (€500,000 5yo '22 ARQARC). O-Victorious Racing; B-H H The Aga Khan's Studs SC (IRE); T-Carlos & Yann Lerner; J-Stephane Ladjadj. Lifetime Record: GSW-Fr, 20-7-5-3, €252,565. *1/2 to Dolayli (Fr) (Siyouni {Fr}), GSP-Fr, \$139,189; and Dolia (Fr) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}), MSP-Fr.
- 2--**Dar Toungi (Fr)**, 131, g, 6, Kendargent (Fr)--Toungi (Ire), by Rock Of Gibraltar (Ire). O/B-Jean-Claude Seroul (FR); T-Jerome Reynier. €12,000.
- 3--Zora (Fr), 118, f, 3, Toronado (Ire)--Zaphira (Ger), by Big Shuffle. 1ST BLACK TYPE. (€16,000 RNA Ylg '22 ARQNOV).
 O-Ulrich Langenbach; B-Sascha Smrczek & Torsten Mundry (FR); T-Sascha Smrczek. €9,000.

Margins: 1HF, HF, NK. Odds: 3.20. 9.00, 5.30. Also Ran: Everillo (Fr), Zen Spirit (Ire), Bolthole (Ire), Kammuri Diamond (Ger), Aigle Vaillant (Fr), Sheema's Rose (Fr), Millionaire (Ger).

CONDITIONS RESULTS:

2nd-Le Lion d'Angers, €**22,000, Cond**, 9-15, 3yo, 7fT, 1:25.56, sf.

FERRARI FEVER (FR) (g, 3, Panis--Enough Paint {Ire}, by New Approach {Ire}) Lifetime Record: 20-5-5-2, €112,600. O-Ecurie Foret Jaune, JPH Racing, Julien Phelippon & Joel Phelippon; B-Alain Chopard (FR); T-Julien Phelippon. *€19,000 Ylg '22 OSAAUG.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

- Khadidja (GB), f, 2, Study Of Man (Ire)--Kandahari (GB), by Archipenko. Strasbourg, 9-15, 7fT, 1:31.00, B-Kirsten Rausing (GB). *€70,000 RNA Ylg '23 GORORB. **1/2 to Kawida (GB) (Sir Percy {GB}), SW-Eng, GSP-Fr & Ire; and Khinjani (GB) (Sir Percy {GB}), GSP-US.
- **Snowsociety (Fr)**, f, 2, **Toronado (Ire)**--Society Lady (Fr), by Zafeen (Fr). Le Lion d'Angers, 9-15, 2yo, 6fT, 1:10.93. B-Haras de Saint Julien & Mme Regula Vannod (FR).
- **Circle Of Dreams (Ire)**, f, 3, **Dubawi (Ire)**--Divine Image (GSW-UAE, \$391,535), by Scat Daddy. Royan-La Palmyre, 9-15, 8fT, 1:43.30. B-Godolphin (IRE).
- Wedgewood Pearl (Fr), f, 3, Hunter's Light (Ire)--It's Complicated (GB), by Cape Cross (Ire). Landivisiau, 9-15, 10 3/4fT, 2:18.43. B-Mme Liza Judd (FR).
- **Coudebol (Fr)**, g, 3, **Pastorius (Ger)**--Rain Ville (Fr), by Raintrap (GB). Royan-La Palmyre, 9-15, 14 1/2fT, 3:25.30. B-Mme Fanny Guedj & Jean-Louis Gay (FR)
- Guerrier Mystere (Ire), g, 3, Profitable (Ire)--Wandering Heart (Ire), by Iffraaj (GB). Sable-sur-Sarthe, 9-15, 8 1/4fT, 1:42.98. B-Mme Sue Lenehan (IRE). *€19,000 Wlg '21 GOFNOV; 14,000gns RNA 2yo '23 TATGNS; €5,000 2yo '23 ARQJUL.
- Swirling Wind (GB), f, 3, Too Darn Hot (GB)--Astonishing (Ire) (SW-Eng), by Galileo (Ire). Sable-sur-Sarthe, 9-15, 14 1/4fT, 3:19.71. B-Apple Tree Stud (GB). *270,000gns Wlg '21 TATFOA. **1/2 to Gold Maze (GB) (Golden Horn {GB}), MGSP-Ire; Heavenly Breath (GB) (Dark Angel {Ire}), GSP-Fr; and Surprise Exhibit (GB) (Showcasing {GB}), SP-Eng.

GERMANY

Sunday's Results:

GROSSER PREIS DER SPARKASSE HANNOVER (JUNIOREN-PREIS)-Listed, €25,000, Hannover, 9-15, 2yo, 8fT, 1:43.36, g/s. 1--LAZIO (GB), 128, c, 2, Make Believe (GB) 1st Dam: La Caldera (GB), by Hernando (Fr) 2nd Dam: La Caldela (Ger), by Alzao 3rd Dam: La Colorada (Ger), by Surumu (Ger) 1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN. (€30,000 Ylg '23 BBAGS). O-Stall Lucky Owner; B-Roland Lerner (GER); T-Waldemar Hickst; J-Nina Baltromei. €15,000. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, €21,000.

- 2--Name Lord (Ger), 128, c, 2, Lord Of England (Ger)--Near Dam (Ger), by Dalakhani (Ire). **1ST BLACK TYPE**. (€26,000 RNA Ylg '23 BBAGS). O/B-Gestut Wittekindshof (GER); T-Andreas Suborics. €5,000.
- 3--Zauberkonig (Ger), 128, c, 2, Teofilo (Ire)--Zarzali (Aus), by Hussonet. 1ST BLACK TYPE. (€165,000 Ylg '23 BBAGS).
 O-Liberty Racing 2023 Kings; B-Stiftung Gestut Fahrhof (GER); T-Peter Schiergen. €3,125.

Margins: HF, 1 1/4, 1 1/4. Odds: 3.70, 8.30, 2.00.

Also Ran: Rekabet (Ger), Walkover (Ger), Let's Attack (Ger).

Lazio swooped late to notch a narrow win over 7 1/2 furlongs at Dusseldorf in his Aug. 18 debut last time and repeated the dose to continue on an unbeaten roll with a half-length tally in this black-type bow. Positioned fifth of the six runners before slipping back to trail all five rivals, he made relentless headway under pressure out wide inside the final quarter-mile and rolled on by the pacesetting Name Lord nearing the line to register a career high in ultimately snug fashion.

Lazio, who becomes the 13th stakes winner for his sire, is the fifth foal and scorer produced by a dual-winning full-sister to the dual stakes-placed La Hermana (GB) (Hernando {Fr}), herself the dam of five black-type performers headed by GIII Orchid Stakes victrix La Luna De Miel (Ger) (Monsun {Ger}). La Hermana is also the second dam of G2 German 2000 Guineas hero Lancade (GB) (Areion {Ger}). The March-foaled bay, whose third dam La Colorada (Ger) (Surumu [Ger}) won the G3 Herbst-Stutenpreis heroine and ran second in the G3 German 1000 Guineas, is kin to the dual stakes-placed La La Land (Ger) (Outstrip {GB}) and a yearling filly by Alson (Ger). La Colorada's leading performer is multiple Group 1-winning sire Lomitas (GB) (Niniski), with this being the damline of taproot mare Love In (GB) (Crepello {GB}).

4th-Dortmund, €**52,000**, **Cond**, 9-15, 2yo, 7fT, 1:30.43, g/s. **LADY SAHARA (GER) (f, 2, Counterattack {Aus}--Lady Jacamira {Ger} {GSW-Ger, \$120,360}, by Lord Of England {Ger}}**, who backed up a July 3 debut win at Hamburg with a fourth at Baden-Baden last month, was well away from the outside stall to race in a prominent second through the early fractions here. Nudged along passing the two pole, the 7-5 chalk came under sterner urging approaching the final furlong and was driven out to deny Sympathie (Ger) (Make Believe {GB}) by a head in a blanket finish. Lady Sahara, full to a yearling colt and kin to G3 Silbernes Pferd victor Ladykiller (Ger) (Kamsin {Ger}), is the seventh of eight foals and one of five scorers from as many runners out of G3 Franz-Gunther von Gaertner-Gedachtnisrennen victrix Lady Jacamira (Ger) (Lord Of England {Ger}). **Cont. p24**

4th-Dortmund Cont.

The March-foaled bay's dam is kin to the dam of G3 Premio Mario Incisa della Rocchetta victrix Lady Alida (GB) (Tobougg {Ire}). Sales history: \in 32,000 RNA Ylg '23 BBAGS. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, \in 41,000.

O/B-Gestut Karlshof (GER); T-Marian Falk Weissmeier.

2nd-Dortmund, €**10,000, Mdn**, 9-15, 2yo, 8fT, 1:40.80, g/s. LIFETIMES (IRE) (c, 2, Gleneagles {Ire}--La Petite Virginia {Ger}, by Konigstiger {Ger}) broke in the front rank and was steadied to stalk the leader in second through halfway in this debut. Bounding to the front with 300 metres remaining, the 4-5 favourite switched leads soon after and lengthened clear in taking fashion to easily outclass Bright Smiles (Ire) (Kodi Bear {Ire}) by an untroubled facile 10 lengths. Lifetimes is the fifth of six foals and second scorer produced by an unraced half-sister to G1 Deutsches Derby-winning sire Lavirco (Ger) (Konigsstuhl {Ger}), dual Group-winning G1 Deutsches Derby third Laveron (Ger) (Konigsstuhl {Ger}) and the G3 Furstenberg-Rennen victor Lyonel's Glory (GB) (Green Desert). Descendants of the Aprilfoaled chestnut's second dam also include Group 3-winning G1 Premio Lydia Tesio runner-up Lacy (Ger) (Authorized {Ire}) and dual Group 3-winning sire Langtang (Ger) (Campanologist). Lifetimes is a half-brother to G1 Pretty Polly Stakes heroine La Petite Coco (Ire) (Ruler Of The World {Ire}) and a yearling filly by Camelot (GB). Sales history: €85,000 RNA Ylg '23 BBAGS. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, €6,000.

O-Stall Hanse; B-Stiftung Gestut Fahrhof (IRE); T-Peter Schiergen.

1st-Hannover, €**10,000, Mdn**, 9-15, 2yo, f, 7fT, 1:30.05, g/s. QUEBEC (GER) (f, 2, Sea The Moon {Ger}--Q's Gorl {Ger}, by Soldier Hollow {GB}) broke swiftly and accepted a tow in second after the initial strides of this unveiling. Cruising to the front with 300 metres remaining, the 37-10 second favourite was not for catching thereafter and powered clear in the closing stages to easily account for Nyra (Ger) (Isfahan {Ger}) by an impressive 4 3/4 lengths. Quebec, half to a yearling colt by Waldpfad (Ger), is the second of three live foals and first scorer out of a halfsister to Listed Newmarket Stakes victor Your Old Pal (GB) (Rock Of Gibraltar {Ire}) and Listed Oslo Cup victor Quebello (Ger) (Sea The Moon {Ger}). Her dam Q's Gorl (Ger) (Soldier Hollow {GB}) is a full-sister to the dam of multiple Group-winning dual G1 Bayerisches Zuchtrennen placegetter Quest The Moon (Ger) (Sea The Moon {Ger}). Quebec's third dam is the dual Groupwinning matriarch and G1 1000 Guineas third Bella Colora (GB) (Bellypha {Ire}). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, €6,000. O/B-Gestut Brummerhof (GER); T-Andreas Suborics.

CONDITIONS RESULTS:

6th-Hannover, \in 52,000, Cond, 9-15, 3yo, 8 3/4fT, 1:50.75, g/s. GLADY TIGER (GER) (g, 3, Zoffany {Ire}--Glady Romana {Ger} {SW-Ger}, by Doyen {Ire}) Lifetime Record: 6-3-0-1, \in 61,250. O-Eckhard Sauren; B-Stall Oberlausitz (GER); T-Henk Grewe. * \in 38,000 Ylg '22 BBAGS.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

- In The Stars (Ire), f, 3, Sea The Stars (Ire)--Imagery (Ger) (SW & GSP-Ger), by Monsun (Ger). Hannover, 9-15, 8 3/4fT, 1:50.30. B-Yeguda Centurion SLU (IRE). *€250,000 Ylg '22 BBAGS. **1/2 to Ismene (Ger) (Tertullian), SW-Ger; Imi (Ger) (Tertullian), G1SP-Ger, \$107,262; and Instigator (Ger) (Nayef), MSP-Fr & SP-Ger, \$361,974.
- **Emily (Ger)**, f, 3, **Too Darn Hot (GB)**--Emerita (Ger) (SW-Ger), by Areion (Ger). Dortmund, 9-15, 7fT, 1:29.23. B-Gestut Paschberg (GER).

SWEDEN

Sunday's Results:

LANWADES STUD STAKES-Listed, SKr600,000, Bro Park, 9-15, 3yo/up, f/m, 8fT, 1:35.90, gd.

- 1--LITTLE ARABELLA, 130, f, 4, Karakontie (Jpn)--Sensitized, by Street Sense. 1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN. O-Global Farm AB;
 B-Ravdansens Stuteri AB (KY); T-Patrick Wahl; J-Alina Ohgren. SKr360,000. Lifetime Record: 22-6-3-2, SKr1,413,091.
- 2--Mystery Night (Ire), 130, m, 5, Night Of Thunder (Ire)--Zehrah (Ire), by Raven's Pass. (€43,000 Wlg '19 GOFNOV; 65,000gns Ylg '20 TATOCT; £120,000 2yo '21 ARQMAY). O-Stall Perlen;
 B-John Frances Keegan (IRE); T-Jan-Erik Neuroth. SKr126,000.
- 3--Easywithme (Ire), 126, f, 3, El Kabeir--Bella Ophelia (Ire), by Baltic King (GB). 1ST BLACK TYPE. (€6,000 Ylg '22 GOFSPT).
 O-NP Racing AS; B-Yeomanstown Stud (IRE); T-Niels Petersen. SKr54,000.

Margins: 1, NK, HF. Odds: 27.99, 1.78, 5.20.

Also Ran: Take A Pull (GB), Takeko (Ire), Farhh Out (Swe), Emma Emilleen (GB), Glor Tire (Ire), American Lily (Ire). Scratched: Silent Night (Swe).

TATTERSALLS NICKES MINNESLOPNING-Listed, SKr600,000, Bro Park, 9-15, 3yo/up, 8f, 1:38.40, gd.

1--**TWIRLING GHOST, 130, c, 4, Twirling Candy--Come Home Lady, by Came Home**. (\$30,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP). O-Stall Poulard HB; B-B D Gibbs Farm LLC & Fleetwood Bloodstock LLC (KY); T-Roy Arne Kvisla; J-Jack Mitchell. SKr360,000. Lifetime Record: 13-6-1-2, SKr1,259,280.

- 2--Falkor (Swe), 130, g, 6, Barocci (Jpn)--Lana Jolie (Ger), by Whipper. 1ST BLACK TYPE. O-Stall Klover - Easy; B-Pernilla Nilsson (SWE); T-Patrick Wahl. SKr126,000.
- 3--**Pusjkin (Ire)**, 130, g, 6, Muhaarar (GB)--Propaganda (Ire), by Sadler's Wells. (€35,000 Ylg '19 GOFORB). O-Stall Inger Linell -Asap; B-Irish National Stud (IRE); T-Francisco Castro. SKr54,000.

Margins: NK, 5, NO. Odds: 2.12, 17.98, 2.15.

Also Ran: Chianti (Fr), Ellis St Martin (Swe), Indy Humor, Twice as Happy (Ire), El Camino (GB).

TRYCKSERVICE BRO PARK SPRINT CHAMPIONSHIP-Listed,

SKr600,000, Bro Park, 9-15, 3yo/up, 6fT, 1:09.60, gd.

- 1--APHELIOS (GB), 130, g, 5, Kodiac (GB)--Homily (GB), by Singspiel (Ire). (70,000gns 3yo '22 TATJUL; 78,000gns RNA 3yo '22 TATAUT; 65,000gns 4yo '23 TATAUT). O-Vasby Hast AB; B-Kingwood Stud (GB); T-Annike Bye Hansen; J-Elione Chaves. SKr360,000. Lifetime Record: SW-Nor, 28-11-8-3, SKr2,329,116. *1/2 to Land Of Legends (Ire) (Iffraaj {GB}), GSW-UAE, \$361,095.
- 2--El Guanche (Fr), 130, h, 8, Power (GB)--Miss Gran Canaria (GB), by Selkirk. (€5,000 RNA Ylg '17 GOFFEB). O-PELU Lakarpraktik AB; B-Alfonso Toma Nunez Troyano (FR); T-Nina Lindberg Lensvik. SKr126,000.
- 3--**Action Point (Ire)**, 128, c, 3, Blue Point (Ire)--Khaleesi Wind (Ire), by Exceed And Excel (Aus). (45,000gns RNA Ylg '22 TATOCT). O-Salem Rashid Bin Ghadayer; B-Rabbah Bloodstock Ltd (IRE); T-Archie Watson. SKr54,000.

Margins: 2HF, 1, 2HF. Odds: 0.18, 7.33, 7.57. Also Ban: Soulofchess (GB) Lost My Sock (Ire) S

Also Ran: Soulofchess (GB), Lost My Sock (Ire). Scratched: Hotline Bling (Ire).

SPAIN

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Alpha Wonder (Ire), c, 2, Wootton Bassett (GB)--Along The Beach, by War Front. La Zarzuela (Madrid), 9-15, 7fT, 1:28.57. B-Coolmore (IRE). *€30,000 2yo '24 ARQMAY.



Sunday, Chukyo, Japan

KANSAI TELECASTING CORP.SHO ROSE STAKES-G2, ¥100,520,000, Chukyo, 9-15, 3yo, f, 2000mT, 1:59.90, gd. 1--QUEEN'S WALK (JPN), 121, f, 3, by Kizuna (Jpn) 1st Dam: Wavell Avenue (GISW-US, \$1,198,125),

by Harlington 2nd Dam: Lucas Street, by Silver Deputy 3rd Dam: Ruby Park, by Bold Ruckus

O-Sunday Racing; B-Northern Farm (Jpn); T-Mitsumasa Nakauchida; J-Yuga Kawada; ¥53,064,000. Lifetime Record: 6-3-1-0, ¥122,926,000. *Half to Grenadier Guards (Jpn) (Frankel {GB}), G1SW-Jpn, \$2,370,527. Werk Nick Rating: B. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree. Click for the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.

- 2--**Celesta (Jpn)**, 121, f, 3, Harbinger (GB)--Kalimba (Jpn), by Rulership (Jpn). **1ST BLACK TYPE**. **1ST GROUP BLACK TYPE**. O-Silk Racing; B-Northern Farm (Jpn); ¥21,304,000.
- 3--**Sekitoba East (Jpn)**, 121, f, 3, by Declaration of War--Barefoot Lady (Ire), by Footstepsinthesand (GB). (¥0 RNA Wlg '21 JRHJUL; ¥23,100,000 Ylg '22 HOKJUL). O-TN Racing; B-Taihei Farm (Jpn); ¥13,152,000.

Margins: 1HF, HD, HF. Odds: 3.90, 25.80, 50.60.

Also ran: Tagano Elpida (Jpn), Regaleira (Jpn), Lady Value (Jpn), Lavanda (Jpn), Canicule (Jpn), Aurora X (Jpn), Sunset View (Jpn), Safira (Jpn), Hawaiian Tiare (Jpn), Flaming Hoop (Jpn), The Bride (Jpn), Rabbiteye (Jpn). **Click for the JRA chart & video.**



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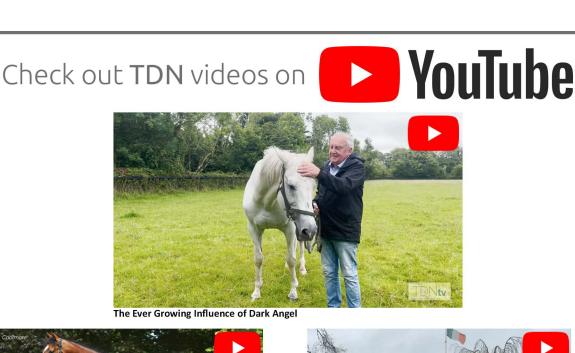


LISTED STAKES ENTRIES

Monday, Marseille-Borely, France, post time: 14:12

LA COUPE DE MARSEILLE-Listed, €55,000, 3yo, 10fT PP SC HORSE SIRE TRAINER JOCKEY WT 1 2 Agualeto (Fr) Recoletos (Fr) Hernon Mendizabal 126 2 8 Arpenteur (Ire) Masar (Ire) Ferland Lecoeuvre 126 Ruler Of The World (Ire) Perret 3 1 Lord Of War (Fr) Crastus 126 7 126 4 Motadarrek (GB) Night Of Thunder (Ire) Rouget Mouesan 5 9 126 Arrow Eagle (Fr) Gleneagles (Ire) Rouget Eyquem 6 4 Fanatic (Ire) No Nay Never Ferland Corallo 126 122 7 6 Get Together (Fr) Galiway (GB) Vermeulen Grandin 3 Cottier Besnier 122 8 Sisterland (Fr) Shalaa (Ire) 9 11 Make A Wish (Fr) Morandi (Fr) Escuder Pacaut 122 122 10 5 Palmarola American Pharoah Reynier Orani Scandella-Lacaille Millet 122 10 Darling Darling (Fr) Dabirsim (Fr) 11

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