

### LOOKIN AT LUCKY RETIRED TO ASHFORD

Champion Lookin At Lucky (Smart Strike--Private Feeling, by Belong to Me), a five-time Grade I winner of more than \$3.3 million--including this year's GI Preakness S. (video)--has been retired to Ashford

of Lookin At Lucky un-

couldn't be more de-

record is outstanding,



Lookin At Lucky winning the Preakness Sarah K. Andrew

and his pedigree contains Mr. Prospector and Danzig, two of the most potent forces of the last 30 years or so. We would also like to thank trainer Bob Baffert and his owners Mike Pegram, Karl Watson and Paul Weitman for the wonderful job they have done with this horse." Cont. p2-3

# LOOKIN AT LUCKY'S GREATEST HITS

Date	Race
10-02-10	GII Indiana Derby (Hoo)
8-1-10	GI Haskell Invitational S. (Mth)
5-15-10	GI Preakness S. (Pim)
3-13-10	GII Rebel S. (OP)
12-19-09	GI CashCall Futurity (Hol)
10-4-09	GI Norfolk S. (OSA)
9-7-09	GI Del Mar Futurity (Dmr)
7-11-09	Maiden Special Weight (Hol)

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### **TEN JUVENILES TRYING TO HIT THE JACKPOT**

A field of 10 two-year-old colts and geldings will face the starter for this afternoon's GIII Delta Downs Jackpot S., the country's richest juvenile event outside of the Breeders' Cup. The morning line gives a slight edge to WinStar Farm homebred Blue Laser (Bluegrass Cat),

who tries a conventional dirt surface for the first time in his career. A debut third in a seven-furlong turf test at Woodbine Aug. 1, the chestnut came from just off the pace in a two-turn maiden on the Polytrack Aug. 28 and exits a halflength victory in the GIII Grey S. in which



Sweet Ducky Eaui-Photo

Classic Legacy (Macho Uno) was 3/4 of a length back in third. "Blue Laser's going to want to be pretty close up to the pace," trainer Mark Casse told Daily Racing Form. "He doesn't have to be on the lead. We'll leave that up to [jockey] Shaun [Bridgmohan]." Another expected pace presence should be **Sweet Ducky** (Pulpit), who invades from New Jersey off back-to-back wins in the Sept. 25 Garden State S. and the Oct. 23 Seton Hall University S. "I think his last race he really showed me he was putting it all together," trainer Kelly Breen told DRF. "I think he's just starting to learn about being competitive. I think he likes to win." Field p4



THOROUGHBRED DAILY NEWS **SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 2010**  Lookin At Lucky Retired cont.

Crowned as champion two-year-old male following victories in the GI Del Mar Futurity, GI Norfolk S., GI CashCall Futurity, and an unlucky second-place finish in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile, the \$475,000 KEEAPR two-year-old purchase came back even stronger at three for the Baffert barn. Racing in the colors of Karl Watson, Michael E. Pegram and Paul Weitman, the half-brother to MGSW Kensei (Mr. Greeley) kicked off his 2010 campaign with a thrilling win in Oaklawn's GII Rebel S. before suffering from a pair of nightmare trips in the GI Santa Anita Derby and GI Kentucky Derby. With a rider switch to Martin Garcia, the handsome bay showed his class with a courageous win in the second leg of the Triple Crown, and stamped himself as the leader of the three-year-old division with an authoritative four-length score over a stacked field in Monmouth's GI IZOD Haskell Invitational S. Lookin At Lucky, bred in Kentucky by Gulf Coast Farms LLC, concluded his career with a win over a sloppy track in the GII Indiana Derby and a respectable fourth in the GI Breeders' Cup Classic. The 🗘 "TDN Rising Star" S retires with a record of 13-9-1-1, and earnings of \$3,307,278. Lookin At Lucky's dam, Private Feeling, brought \$2 million from Live Oak Stud in foal to Mr. Greeley at the 2009 FTKNOV sale. She was bred back to Smart Strike this year. Coolmore's Demi O'Byrne added, "Lookin At Lucky is the most striking of individuals, and he is without doubt the best stallion prospect I saw in America all year." Baffert also holds Lookin At Lucky in the highest regard. "This horse is such a warrior," the Hall of Fame trainer said after the Preakness. "He wants to win; he tries so hard. He's got a great mind. He's a cool horse, a really great athlete with a very long incredible stride. He's one of the best horses I've ever had."



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- BC Sprint result strongly flattered him
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- Sprint wnr was drilled by #1 at Saratoga 3 - Smiling Tiger (5)
- Solid 3yo was game third in Sprint 4 – Here Comes Ben (2)
- Didn't fire his best shot in Dirt Mile

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Champion trainer

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Lookin At Lucky Retired cont.

### From the July 12, 2009 TDN...

# 🗘 NEW "TDN Rising Star" 🗘

6th-HOL, \$57,000, Msw, 2yo, 6f (AWT), 1:10, ft. +LOOKIN AT LUCKY, c, 2, by <u>Smart Strike</u>

1st Dam: Private Feeling, by Belong to Me 2nd Dam: Regal Feeling, by Clever Trick 3rd Dam: Sharp Belle, by Native Charger

Lookin At Lucky proved undesirable as a KEESEP yearling and was bought back by Lance Robinson's Gulf Coast Farms for just \$35,000. Put into training with partner Jerry Bailey, the colt progressed nicely and worked an eighth of a mile in :10 flat for this year's Keeneland April Sale of Two-Year-Olds in Training. Purchased for \$475,000 by these top connections, the bay worked well at both Santa Anita and this track, and was dispatched the 7-10 chalk to score at first asking. Well-placed between rivals and not far from the pace of second choice Sterling Outlook (Eurosilver), the half-brother to Kensei (Mr. Greeley), GSW, \$228,628, looked ticketed for second, but knuckled down late and reeled in the front-runner to score by 3/4 of a length. It was another 3 1/4 lengths back to lvory Fudge (Candy Ride {Arg}) in third. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$33,000. Click for the free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree or Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.

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#### Saturday, Churchill Downs, post time: 4:37 p.m. EST MRS. REVERE S.-GII, \$175,000, 3vo, f, 1 1/16mT

**PP HORSE** SIRE JOCKEY TRAINER ML Ice Mist 🕲 1 Forest Danger Castanon Flint 15-1 2 Wild Mia Wildcat Heir Lenclud Proctor 10-1 3 La Cloche Ghostzapper Desormeaux Toner 15-1 4 Gitchee Goomie City Zip Garcia Violette Jr 6-1 5 Aruna Mr. Greeley Dominguez Motion 7-2 Fugitive Angel Alphabet Soup Napravnik Sheppard 6 3-1 Snow Top Mountain Najran Gomez Proctor 7-2 7 8 In the Slips More Than Ready Leparoux Fox 12-1 9 Stars to Shine (K) Tale of the Cat Husbands Frostad 20-1 Cimarron Secret Geroux 10 Dade Babe Miller 8-1 11 Quiet by Seven 🕓 Quiet American Goncalves Herrell 50-1

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### Mrs. Revere S. cont.

Aruna could go favored in her attempt to remain perfect in three starts since her repatriation from France. Sixth to the top-shelf Sarafina (Fr) (Refuse to Bend {Ire}) in the G1 Prix Saint-Alary for trainer Jonathan Pease in May, the daughter of MGSW Surva (Unbridled) was up for a head victory in a Sept. 6 Saratoga allowance and enters this off a widening three-length success in the Oct. 11 Pebbles S. at Belmont Park. Ramon Dominguez is in for the ride. Fugitive Angel bested fellow Pennsylvania-breds in the grassy Russian Rhythm S. at Penn National Aug. 6 and in the Malvern Rose S. on the Presque Isle Tapeta 13 days later before coming off the pace for an easy win in the GIII Valley View S. at Keeneland Oct. 22. Gitchee Goomie finished one spot behind Snow Top Mountain when third in Belmont's GI Garden City S. Sept. 18 and followed up with a nose success in the Oct. 29 Topicount S. at the Long Island oval.

# Saturday, Delta Downs, post time: 4:40 p.m. EST

DELTA DOWNS PRINCESS SGIII, \$500,000, 2yo, f, 1m					
PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	ML
1	Niji's Grand Girl 🕲	Candy Ride (Arg)	Albarado	McPeek	4-1
2	Grandacious 🕲	Grand Slam	Campbell	Calhoun	10-1
3	Patty's Pride	Special Rate	Tejera	Jenkins	12-1
4	Little Widow Maker 🕲	Orientate	Singh	Smith	15-1
5	Perfectly Candid	Pleasantly Perfect	Valenzuela	Gorham	8-1
6	Fiscal Policy	Wildcat Heir	Melancon	Amoss	9-2
7	Promise Me a Cat	D'wildcat	Castellano	Martin	5-2
8	Bouquet Booth 🕲	Flower Alley	Bridgmohan	Margolis	5-1
9	All About Allie	Storm and a Half	Laviolette	Whited	8-1

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Saturday, Delta Downs, post time: 5:15 p.m. EST DELTA DOWNS JACKPOT S.-GIII, \$1,000,000, 2vo, 1 1/16m

PP	HORSE	OWNER	BREEDER	TRAINER/JOCKEY	ML
1	Gourmet Dinner	Our Sugar Bear Stable	Ocala Stud & William J. Terrill-Fl	Standridge	6-1
	(c, 2, TrippiPotluck Dini			Madrid	
		Lanni Family Trust, B Schiappa & K Jones	Maria Camperlengo-Fl	Baffert	6-1
	(c, 2, Macho UnoAstella	a, by Tactical Advantage)		Talamo	
3		Caroline Dodwell	Diamond D Ranch-Tx	Johnson	12-1
	(g, 2, Jet PhonePure M	ischief, by Wayne's Crane)		Borel	
4	Rush Now 🕲	Mr. & Mrs. William K. Warren Jr.	Chris & Kirt Cahill-Ky	A Dutrow	9-2
	(c, 2, TiznowDirty Rush	, by Wild Rush)	-	Albarado	
5		Six-S Racing Stable & Nikolas Petralia	Mr./Mrs. Sidney Craig & Jenny Craig-Ky	C Lewis	10-1
		Seeking Results, by Seeking the Gold)		Valenzuela	
		Our Blue Streaks Stable	Milfer Farm IncNY	Levine	8-1
	(g, 2, MingunTwilight E	mpress, by Twilight Agenda)		Castellano	
7	Decisive Moment	Just For Fun Stable	Just For Fun Stables-Fl	Arias	20-1
	(c, 2, With DistinctionLa			Clark	
8	Blue Laser 🖾	Win Star Farm LLC	WinStar Farm LLC-Ky	Casse	3-1
		h a Princess, by With Approval)		Bridgmohan	
9	Sweet Ducky 🕲	George & Lori Hall	TDV Development Corporation-Ky	Breen	4-1
	(c, 2, PulpitStorm's Dar	ling, by Storm Boot)		Bravo	
	Dreamsrunwild	Sandra Duke	Danny Wills-La	Duke	20-1
	(c, 2, Offlee WildPitcha	totaltizzy, by Tiznow)		Diego	



### Delta Downs Princess S.

In a field full of speed and stretch-out sprinters, **Patty's Pride** may be well-positioned to take full advantage. The dark bay rallied from centerfield to miss by a nose in the Donnie Wilhite Memorial S. at Louisiana Downs Aug. 28. An even fifth in the Sept. 25 Happy Ticket S. in Shreveport, she was last seen finishing a solid runner-up in the Oct. 23 La Senorita S. on the turf at Retama and tries the main track for the first time here. **Niji's Grand Girl** is the lone member of the field with a score at a mile or further, having graduated by a neck over Churchill's one-turn configuration Oct. 31.

# Saturday, Woodbine, post time: 3:57 p.m. EST

KENNEDY ROAD SGIII, \$150,000, 3yo/up, 6f (AWT)					
PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	ML
1	Forgetthestorm	Stormy Atlantic	Sutherland	Carroll	8-1
	Signature Red	Bernstein	Contreras	Attard	7-2
3	Ravalo®	Mutakddim	Sanchez	Barr	6-1
4	Fatal Bullet	Red Bullet	Da Silva	Baker	2-1
5	General Brock	Monashee Mountain	Pizarro	Charalambous	15-1
6	Field Commission	Service Stripe	Ramsammy	Vella	5-2
7	Paso Doble	Bold n' Flashy	Wilson	MacRae	10-1

## Saturday, Aqueduct, post time: 3:44 p.m. EST

#### DISCOVERY H.-GIII, \$100,000, 3yo, 1 1/8m **PP HORSE** SIRE JOCKEY TRAINER ML Golden Moka 🕲 Golden Missile 5-2 Razo Ir Lynch 1 2 Stormy's Majesty Stormy Atlantic Prado Galluscio 5-1 3 Teaks North Northern Afleet Valdivia Jr Sallusto 7-2 Overcommunication 🕲 Unbridled's Song 4 Velazquez Pletcher 10-1 5 Not Abroad Not For Love Petro Ritvo 4-1 6 Al Muhtasib 🕲 Distorted Humor Castro McLaughlin 5-1 7 Dominant Jeannes (K) Pleasantly Perfect Maragh Albertrani 8-1

**Teaks North** registered an 11-1 upset in the Aug. 28 Restoration S. over the Monmouth turf course, then received a suspect ride and was an even fifth in the GI Jamaica S. at Belmont Park Oct. 9. Returned to the main track for his most recent appearance, the dark bay gelding was shuffled back to second-last after six furlongs, but rallied for a two-length victory in the Oct. 30 Big Brown S. at the Jersey Shore. Al Muhtasib needed five starts to break his maiden and has since run second in Monmouth allowance company Sept. 6 and took an Oct. 24 event by a length at that track.



### Saturday, Hollywood Park, post time: 7:05 p.m. EST HOLLYWOOD PREVUE S.-GIII, \$100,000, 2yo, 7f (AWT)

	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	ML
	Awesome Patriot 🕲	Awesome Again	Espinoza	Baffert	6-1
2	Industry Leader 🕲	Cherokee Run	Bejarano	Mulhall	5-2
3	Contemplated	Bertrando	Flores	Sadler	6-1
4	High Level Jeff 🕲	Vindication	Rosario	O'Neill	2-1
	Premier Pegasus	Fusaichi Pegasus	Quinonez	Cho	5-1
6	Northern Indy 🕲	A.P. Indy	Smith	Jauregui	12-1

Industry Leader took all the action at the windows and ran to his even-money odds with a professional 2 1/4-length victory going six furlongs at the Oak Tree meeting Oct. 31. He tuned up for this with a near-bullet five-furlong work in :59 3/5 Nov. 13 and appears to be sitting on go. High Level Jeff graduated by an impressive eight lengths at Calder Oct. 10 and had to dig deep to take an entry-level allowance by a neck Oct. 28. He tries a synthetic surface for the first time in his career. Premier Pegasus, a 44-1 maiden winner at Del Mar July 24, made it two straight last time with a frontrunning score in the Oct. 23 Jack Goodman S.

### Saturday, Dortmund, Germany, post time: 4:00 p.m. RASHIT SHAYKHUTDINOV-CUP (EX HESSEN-POKAL)-

<b>G3</b> , €55,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/4mT						
SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	6	Durban Thunder (Ger)	Samum (Ger)	Richter	Mundry	129
2	2	Falun (Ger)	Pentire (GB)	Palik	A Trybuhl	127
3	3	Ordenstreuer (Ire)	Nayef	Pasquier	Hiller	127
4	1	Zaungast (Ire)	Alkalde (Ger)	Pietsch	Hickst	127
5	5	Toughness Danon (GB)	Tiger Hill (Ire)	Pedroza	Wohler	125
6	8	Elle Shadow (Ire)	Shamardal	Starke	Schiergen	122
7	4	Keep Cool (GB)	Starcraft (NZ)	Minarik	Lowe	121
8	7	Sun Society (Ger)	Law Society	Best	M Trybuhl	121

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TWIN TOPPERS ON SALE'S PENULTIMATE DAY

A pair of horses realized final bids of \$37,000 to top the next-to-last day of trade at the Keeneland November Breeding Stock Sale Friday in Lexington. Selling as a stallion prospect, hip 4416, Get Rich Quick (Seeking the Gold), was hammered down to S A Enterprises. Consigned by Brookdale Sales, agent, Get Rich Quick, a half-brother to MGSW Bedanken (Geri), SW & MGSP Much Obliged (Kingmambo) and MGSP Free Thinking (Unbridled) placed four times in stakes company, including a runner-up effort in this year's GIII Col. E. R. Bradley H. at the Fair Grounds. Hip 4376, a first-crop colt by GISP Ready's Image (More Than Ready) out of Naughtier (Wild Zone), was purchased by Stoney Lane Farm from the consignment of Susan M. Forrester, agent. The sale concludes today with a session beginning at 10 a.m. ET. Full results available at www.keeneland.com.

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# GOFFS IRELAND - SINCE 1866

### NOVEMBER BREEDING STOCK Nov. 19-20, 2010

### **STARS OUT AT GOFFS**

Yesterday's opening session of Goffs' November Breeding Stock Sale was all about Sea the Stars (Ire) and the two mares offered in foal to the Tsui Family's



ground-breaking performer duly provided the central focus at the Kill venue. At a minute before half past five, the first opportunity to buy into the story in Europe was provided when hip <u>911</u>, Tinnakill House Stud's 14-year-old **Karmifira (Fr)** (Always Fair) entered the ring.

Hip 916

With the words of Henry Beeby proclaiming the "Irish Legend" ringing in the ears of the assembled masses, the bidding got underway at  $\in$  100,000 for the 1999 G1 Poule d'Essai des Pouliches runner-up who has already produced two black-type fillies including last year's G1 Prix Marcel Boussac bridesmaid On Verra (Ire) (Smart Strike). In the event,  $\in$  280,000 was not enough for Dermot and Meta Cantillon to let go of the proven broodmare and her prize package. **Cont. p7** 

### GOFFS NOVEMBER BREEDING STOCK STATISTICS FRIDAY, NOV. 19, 2010

SESSION	2010	2009
Catalogued	281	257
No. Offered	235	221
No. Sold	163	167
RNAs	72	54
% RNA	30.6%	24.4%
Gross	€3,985,200	€4,174,400
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### Goffs November cont.

Just over 15 minutes later, €100,000 was also the starting point in the bidding for another with a covering by that champion. Hip 916, the winning four-year-old Blas Ceoil (Mr. Greeley) from Jim Bolger's Redmondstown Stud, shares her dam with a total of six black-type performers including Radharcnafarraige (Ire) (Distorted Humor). That current incumbent of Bolger's Coolcullen stable shaped up as a potentially top-class prospect for her sophomore year when successful in the G3 Coolmore Stud Fillies S. and fourth in both the G2 Cherry Hinton S. and G3 Albany S. With Teofilo (Ire) also on her page, Blas Ceoil had obvious star appeal and Hubie de Burgh was ultimately the one to profit when prevailing with a bid of  $\in$  300,000. "She's been bought for an Australian breeder who wanted a nice, young mare in foal to Sea the Stars and she fitted the bill," the buyer said. "This mare will go down to Australia in January and she will be foaled down there and the foal will eventually race down there. She's a nice young mare from a very good family."

### **Darley Draft Ignites the Trading...**

After a steady, but unspectacular start, the action began to heat up as it was getting dark outside and the draft responsible was that of Darley, which Hugo Merry had particular designs on yesterday. Having paid  $\in$  50,000 earlier in the session for that establishment's hip 750, the 2003 G2 Lowther S. third Dunloskin (GB) (Selkirk) in foal to Teofilo (Ire), he was back for more as the choicely bred youngsters came under the hammer. His most expensive purchase was €52,000 for hip 884, the four-year-old Saa'ida (Ire) (Diesis {GB}) who is a relative of Pistolet Bleu (Ire) carrying a foal by Dubawi (Ire). Three lots later, Paracel (Gone West), a five-year-old daughter of the 1998 1000 Guineas heroine Cape Verdi (Ire) (Caerleon) offered in foal to Shamardal, fetched €135,000 when selling to Bertie Butler. Moments earlier, he also paid €50,000 for hip 886, the Listed-placed 11-year-old Sunray Superstar (GB) (Nashwan) who is a full-sister of the 2001 G1 Prix Saint-Alary winner and G1 Prix de Diane runner-up Nadia (GB) in foal to Manduro (Ger). Next into the ring after Paracel was Lion Forest (Forestry), the unraced three-year-old full-sister to the 2005 GI Hollywood Starlet S. winner Diplomat Lady and half to last year's GII Comely S. scorer Dream Play (Hennessy). Carrying the only other foal by the pre-eminent sire Dubawi (Ire), the jewel of the Darley draft was knocked down to Thursday's session-topping buyers Mertoun Paddocks for €160,000.

GOFFS NOVEMBER MARES -Day Two Outs: 986, 990, 992, 993, 994, 1000, 1006, 1017, 1032, 1035, 1067, 1070, 1074, 1076, 1086, 1087, 1122, 1132, 1134, 1146, 1185, 1187, 1199, 1211, 1219, 1254, 1260, 1268, 1287, 1290. www.goffs.com

Hot on the heels of that consignment was the second part of the draft of His Highness The Aga Khan and the star turn was hip 894, the three-year-old Edallora (Ire) (Refuse To Bend {Ire}) whose three Group One-winning siblings include the 1997 Irish Oaks heroine Ebadiyla (Ire) (Sadler's Wells). She was knocked down to Barry Walters for €105,000, a price which was later matched by SF Bloodstock for Tinnakill House's hip 908, the four-year-old **Towanda** (Dynaformer). Carrying a foal by Verglas (Ire), she is a full-sister to the unbeaten G1 Fillies' Mile winner White Moonstone. The momentum carried over into Shadwell's Derrinstown Stud consignment, of which the highlight was the €75,000 paid by BBA Ireland for hip 904, Za Aamah (Mr. Prospector). Despite being 14 now, the daughter of the 1989 G1 Yorkshire Oaks winner Roseate Tern (GB) (Blakeney {GB}) has the 2008 G3 Ballysax S. winner Moigen (Ire) (Red Ransom) to commend her and is carrying a half-sibling to that smart runner by Alhaarth (Ire). Selling continues with a concluding session today. Full results are available on www.goffs.com.

<u>Hip</u> 916	Blas Ceoil Sea th (f, 4, Mr. GreeleyExtraterr	<mark>ing Sire</mark> e Stars (Ire) <sup>r</sup> estrial, by Storm Bird)	<u>Price (€)</u> 300,000	
<u>888</u>	Consigned by Redm Purchased by De F Lion Forest <u>Dubav</u> (f, 3, ForestryPlaycalle Consigned by	Burgh Equine <u>vi (Ire)</u> r, by Saratoga Six)	160,000	
<u>887</u>	Purchased by Merte Paracel <u>Shama</u> ( <i>m</i> , 5, Gone WestCape Ve Consigned by	oun Paddocks a <mark>rdal</mark> erdi {Ire}, by Caerleon) y Darley	135,000	
<u>894</u>	Purchased by Edallora (Ire) Brood (f, 3, Refuse to Bend {Ire}Ebazi Consigned by H H The Purchased by Ba	<b>mare Prospect</b> iya {Ire}, by Darshaan <sub>{</sub> Aga Khan's Studs	<b>105,000</b> (GB})	
<u>908</u>	Towanda <u>Vergla</u> (f, 4, DynaformerDesert Gol Consigned by Tin Purchased by SF	i <mark>s (Ire)</mark> Id, by Seeking the Gold nakill House	105,000 1)	
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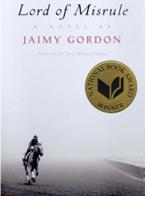
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### HORSE RACING-THEMED BOOK TAKES NATIONAL BOOK AWARD In what many considered a longshot, <u>Lord of Misrule</u> by Jaimy Gordon has been awarded the prestigious National Book Award for

fiction. Even Gordon herself said when accepting the award in New York Wednesday night, "I'm totally unprepared, and I'm totally surprised." The novel, staged at a mythical West Virginia bush track in the 1970s named Indian Mound Downs, was released Nov. 15 by McPherson & Co. This is Gordon's sixth book. The Baltimore native, who now resides in Kalamazoo, Mich., teaches creative writing at Western Michigan University. Click here for Gordon's interview with Bret An-



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thony Johnson. For a review by Andy Beyer, click here.



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> DIALED IN (c, 2, <u>Mineshaft</u>--Miss Doolittle, by Storm Cat) \$475,000 yrl '09 FTSAUG Consigned by Lane's End, agent Purchased by Whitehorse Stables

It would be hard to imagine a horse compromising his own chances more than Dialed In did at first asking. He blew the break, spotting the field double-digit lengths. He ran greenly around the turn toward the back of a crowded 12-horse field. Once the pack straightened for home, he rallied gamely, but had no interest in running straight himself, lugging in several times under Julien Leparoux. Regardless, he got up to win by a half-length as the 5-2 favorite (video). That explains why trainer Nick Zito lights up when you ask him about Dialed In, who made his unveiling in a 6 1/2-furlong maiden special weight at Churchill Downs Nov. 12. "Like everybody says: he's a serious horse," said Zito at Keeneland November earlier this week. "I thought he'd run big. But I think everyone was amazed at the trouble he overcame. He's the real deal." He certainly could be, even though his speed figure (89 BRIS) didn't come back particularly fast and the time for the race, 1:17 3/5, wasn't noteworthy. What was noteworthy was the colt's big, loping stride, and his sheer raw talent. And, of course, anytime a Zito horse wins at first asking--he hits at just a modest seven-percent clip--it's worth mentioning.

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### Taking Flight cont.

Dialed In gave some hint of his ability in the mornings--he had several eye-catching moves over Saratoga's slow Oklahoma training track, including a :48 1/5 work from the gate Oct. 18 and a bullet :48 flat work eight days later. He put in his final pre-debut prep with a :47 3/5 drill at Churchill Nov. 3 (2/32). Zito smiles when asked if he thinks he's got a legitimate Derby horse on his hands. "We'll just take him to Florida and go from there," he said. It isn't the first time Zito's had a nice son of Mineshaft in the barn. He's trained some of the Lane's End stallion's best runners, including the graded winners Fly Down, Cool Coal Man and Coal Play. The last two are owned by LaPenta, who said Dialed In's race was a roller coaster ride. "When he broke slow, I was extremely disappointed, since I had been anxiously anticipating his debut," said the owner. "While we thought he'd run a credible maiden race, aside from his greenness, his display of ability and heart exceeded our already elevated expectations. It was one of the more impressive/eventful maiden races I have ever seen." LaPenta, who often enters his yearling buys in juvenile sales, but passed with Dialed In because he was "extremely immature," said they would, "look for a one-mile allowance to begin his three-year-old campaign." Dialed In is a son of the 12-year-old Storm Cat mare Miss Doolittle, a \$1.3 million KEEJUL yearling who ran second in the GII Schuylerville S. at Saratoga in 2000. Miss Doolittle, herself a daughter of champion juvenile filly and GI Breeders' Cup heroine Eliza (Mt. Livermore), has produced SW Broadway Gold (Seeking the Gold) and SP SP Mambo Master (Kingmambo). She was sent through the Keeneland January Sale earlier this year and was hammered down to Arindel Farm for \$85,000 while in foal to Curlin. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$28,800. O-Robert LaPenta; B-W S Farish & Madeleine Pickens (KY): T-Nick Zito.

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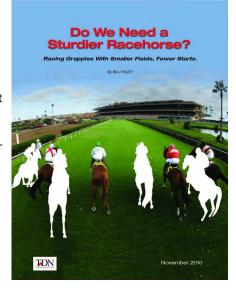
### **DO WE NEED A STURDIER HORSE? Racing Grapples With Smaller Fields, Fewer Starts**

# by Bill Finley

Allen Jerkens's list of feats is a mile or two long, but none is more impressive than his dismantling of Secretariat. He didn't do it just once, but twice, and did it in the span of eight weeks. First Onion beat the Triple Crown winner in the

1973 Whitney at Saratoga. Fifty-six days later, Jerkens got him again, this time with Prove Out in the Woodward.

They were different races, won by different horses, but each had one thing in common, besides their trainer: Both were running back in a week or less. Onion raced four days before the Whitney; Prove Out ran one week prior to the Woodward. Thirty-



seven years later, with seemingly every owner and trainer in the sport convinced the animal is no longer sturdy and must be pampered, no one would dare try something like that.

Jerkens, the 81-year-old Hall of Famer and racing icon, can't understand why.

"The biggest change in racing is that people are of the opinion that you shouldn't run horses very often," Jerkens said. "It used to be that if a horse was sound and hadn't lost any weight from his last race and was feeling well, and if a race came up, you would run them. Now people for some reason think they shouldn't run. I can't understand it. I've had a lot of horses in my life who won real big races close together. What's going on, it's a fallacy." *TDN* Book Excerpt cont. p11



TDN Book Excerpt cont.

Jerkens remains one of the most respected horsemen in the game, but there are probably some, maybe even many, who think he's out of touch with the modern realities of the sport and the equine athlete, a dinosaur from another era. After all, the statistics tell a very different story.

In 1970, the year Secretariat was born, the average number of starts per runner per year was a healthy 10.22. Forego, born that same year, ran 57 times, including 18 starts in 1973. But even those numbers, remarkable by today's standards, don't put the mighty Forego in the same league with some of the true iron horses in the sport's history.

Hall of Famer Stymie started 131 times.

Round Table raced 66 times and won 43 races before anyone sent him off to the breeding shed, from where he became the leading sire in North America in 1972. Whirlaway's 1941 campaign typified what horses did 70 some years ago. He had seven starts prior to the Kentucky Derby, including a win in the Derby Trial just four days prior to the Run for the Roses. After his horse won the Derby and the Preakness, trainer Ben Jones was apparently concerned there was too much time between Triple Crown races. Why else would he have started him in an allowance race at Belmont 10 days after the Preakness and 18 days before the Belmont? It was one of 20 starts he made during his three-year-old campaign.

Previewing Whirlaway's appearance in the Belmont allowance race for the New York Times, reporter Lincoln A. Werden wrote: "In keeping with his policy of giving the colt plenty of work, trainer Ben Jones announced that Whirlaway will not only race today (on a Tuesday), but possibly in the Peter Pan Handicap on Friday, depending on the outcome of today's test." (After winning the allowance race by 21/4 lengths, Whirlaway passed the Peter Pan). The most recent Kentucky Derby winner, Super Saver, raced just six times this year and was retired after a poor effort in the Travers. And that makes him more robust than most. In 2009, the average number of starts per horse was down to 6.23, a 39-percent decline over the 1970 numbers. That's among the reasons why so many believe the modern Thoroughbred is a veritable weakling, unable to stand up to the pressures of racing, prone to injury and no match for his tough-as-steel counterpart from the '40s, '50s and '60s.

"There's no doubt, we are breeding a weaker horse," owner and breeder Arthur Hancock said. "The big problem is all the medication. We are breeding a chemical horse." Hancock believes that the influx of drugs and medications, legal and otherwise, is at the crux of the problem, a theory many people share. Others believe the cause of the apparent weakening of the athlete is due to the changes in the way we breed horses in modern times. Everyone, or so it seems, wants to breed for speed and not stamina, and if that means breeding a horse that raced just five times before breaking down to an unraced mare, so be it. Or maybe it has something to do with year-round racing, or problems with track surfaces.

Theories abound. Among those trying to answer the question are a number of scientists who specialize in equine genetics, smart people whose perspective is different from that of the typical horseman. Why has the breed changed? They argue that it hasn't. Dr. James MacLeod is a member of the team at the University of Kentucky's Gluck Equine Research Center.

Among other things, he studies how physical exertion and the musculoskeletal stress of athletic events predispose both horses and humans to joint injuries. In other words, he knows a lot about horses and genetics and how the animal can change from generation to generation. As a scientist, he cannot see any reason why horses now are any weaker or more injury prone than horses from 40 or 50 years ago. He says that not nearly enough time has gone by for the breed to undergo any sort of significant change.

"It is hard to arrive at a genetic explanation for a shift in the population as large and as diverse as Thoroughbreds in such a short period of time," MacLeod said. "I understand there are many variables in play in terms of how condition books are written, how we train and other factors, and separating those things out would be a challenge.

But, purely on the genetics and looking at what is this animal and the biomechanics of its tissues, it is difficult to support an inherited biological mechanism to explain why horses race much less frequently today than three to five decades ago."

Dr. Ernest Bailey is also with the Gluck Equine Research Center, and is an expert in the field of genetics and the horse. Like MacLeod, he says there's no evidence to support the theory that the modern horse is somehow less sturdy or strong than the horse of the mid-20<sup>th</sup> century.

"Many breeders believe that horses have become less durable," Bailey said. "This certainly implies a change in the genetics of the Thoroughbred horse population since the beginning of the 20th century when horses ran more frequently. The breeders are very astute and I respect their opinions. I do have some reservations. Forty to 50 years is a very short time to manifest such an extensive change in such a large population of horses, worldwide. The onset of the problem appears to be fairly abrupt, and that is more consistent with changes in management."

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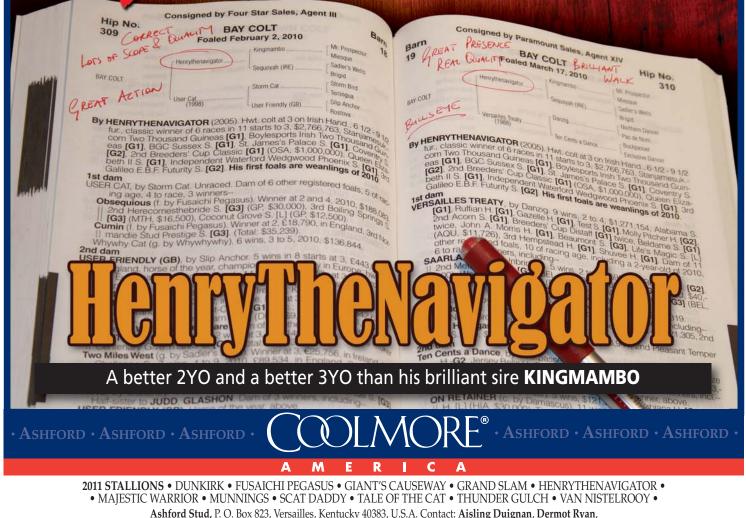


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### Yesterday's Results:

8th-AQU, \$48,000, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$75,000), NW1X, 2yo, f, 1mT, 1:38 4/5, gd.

UPPER EAST SIDER (f, 2, Forest Wildcat--Upper Noosh {GSW, \$290,454}, by Red Ransom), a half-sister to the solid grass horse Yield Bogey (Langfuhr), MGSP, \$240,975, never got in the hunt when unveiled on the Saratoga dirt in open company Aug. 5. The Fox Ridge homebred was treated with Lasix when switched to turf and New York-bred company at Belmont Sept. 12, and wound up airing by eight lengths at a remarkable 12-1. Well-beaten on the Belmont main track in the Maid of the Mist S. Oct. 23, the dark bay was 4 3/4 lengths behind O "TDN Rising Star" O Ruthenia (Pulpit) in the Good Mood S. on the Elmont weeds Oct. 31, and was a generous 10-1 here. Upper East Sider broke like a shot under Jean-Luc Samyn "On the Green" and quickly opened up daylight, and had enough left in the tank to hit the wire 3/4 of a length to the good of favored Excited (Giant's Causeway). Click for the brisnet.com chart. Video, sponsored by Taylor Made. Lifetime Record: 5-2-0-0, \$52,670. O/B-Fox Ridge Farm (NY). T-Patrick J Kelly.



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<u>5th-CD (Msw)</u> Shadow Warrior (A.P. Indy) shines under the Churchill lights.



# WORTH 1,000 WORDS

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### Lower Handle Forces Calder Purse Adjustment:

Citing lower-than-expected handle trends over the last month, officials at Calder Race Course have announced that they will reverse the 10-percent purse increase announced in June effective Nov. 22 and continuing through the end of the meet. Additionally, the track has cancelled the \$100,000 GIII Kenny Noe Jr. H. Dec. 4 and will push back the GIII La Prevoyante H. from Dec. 11 to Jan. 2 and the GIII Stage Door Betty H. from Dec. 18 to Jan. 1. Calder's Vice President and General Manager John Marshall stated, "We work diligently throughout the year to manage purses responsibly. Recent business trends make these adjustments necessary to achieve a responsible purse balance and assure a vibrant beginning to the next Calder Meet." Officials report that even after this adjustment, purses paid during Calder, Tropical and overall are significantly higher than the last two years. Added Racing Secretary Mike Anifantis, "By rescheduling the two stakes to Jan. 1 and 2, horsemen will have well-positioned graded black-type opportunities for their fillies and mares. We understand the importance of these races to owners and breeders, including their national appeal to our fans for this and future years."

### **Grand Reward to Ghost Ridge:** *Edited Press Release*

Grand Reward (Storm Cat--Serena's Song, by Rahy) will relocate to Ghost Ridge Farms in York, Pennsylvania, for 2011. The blue-blooded GII Oaklawn H. hero stood his first four seasons at Hill 'N' Dale Farms in Lexington, Kentucky, and is represented by GSW Grand Rapport and Our Donna, a stakes winner and Group 1placed runner in Argentina. He currently ranks in the top five for second-crop sires by number of winners this term. "Ghost Ridge is delighted to offer this impeccably bred son of sire of sires Storm Cat to the breeders of the Mid Atlantic region," the farm's General Manager Carl McEntee said. The full-brother to English Group 1 winner Sophisticat will command a fee of \$4,000, stands and nurses. He joins a stallion roster that includes Smarty Jones (Elusive Quality), E Dubai (Mr. Prospector), Jump Start (A.P. Indy) and Greatness (Mr. Prospector).



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East report cont. Yesterday's Results:

6th-CRC, \$29,700, Msw, 2yo, 1mT, 1:36, fm. ITOUCH (c, 2, Dixie Union--Listen A. P., by A.P. Indy) flashed a bit of speed in his career debut on the Delaware dirt Sept. 11, but backed out of it and finished a well-beaten ninth. He had four rapid drills since, and went postward as the 8-5 choice for this infield shift. Forwardly placed after breaking from the seven hole, the bay colt put his head in front turning for home, and dug in admirably when headed by Runyon Humor (Distorted Humor) to prevail by a head after a stretch-long battle. Itouch is a homebred for the Wertheimer brothers, who acquired his third dam Soundings (Mr. Prospector) for \$310,000 at KEENOV in 1988. Her descendants to carry the same white-and-blue colors include MG1SW and successful sire Green Tune (Green Dancer) and French champion juvenile filly Pas de Reponse (Danzig). Click for the brisnet.com chart. Video, sponsored by Taylor Made. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$18,170.

O/B-Wertheimer & Frere (KY). T-Todd A Pletcher.

# AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS

### IN BRITAIN:

Cheery Cat, g, 6, Catienus--Olinka, by Wolfhound. Wolverhampton, 11-19, Hcp (Apprentices), 3yo/up, 5f 216yds (AWT). B-Kenneth L & Sarah K Ramsay. \*\$25,000 yrl '05 FTKOCT; 15,000gns 2yo '06 DONAPR; 12,500gns HIT '07 DONHIT.

### IN IRELAND:

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### Yesterday's Results:

**2nd-CDX, \$49,037, Alw**, NW2\$X, 3yo/up, f/m, 5fT, :58, gd.

WILDCAT HEIRESS (f, 3, <u>Wildcat Heir</u>--Saramy, by Personal Hope), a half-sister to Babaganush (Capture the Gold), SW, \$197,786; and Springs Road (Repent), MSP, \$148,170, wired her rivals in her Sept. 5 career opener at Hoosier. Second in a Sept. 30 allowance at the Indiana oval, the bay filly led every step to take a Polytrack heat at Keeneland Oct. 27 and was the 5-2 second choice in this initial turf test. The Florida-bred jumped away quickly from her rail post, led at every call and fended off favored Cauy's Humor (Distorted Humor). Sales history: \$50,000 yrl '08 FTKJUL; \$40,000 2yo '09 OBSMAR. Click for the <u>brisnet.com chart</u>. <u>Video, sponsored by Taylor Made</u>. Lifetime Record: 4-3-1-0, \$82,752.

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5th-CDX, \$51,650, Msw, 2yo, 1m, 1:37 2/5, ft. SHADOW WARRIOR (c, 2, A.P. Indy--Victory Ride {GISW, \$390,391}, by Seeking the Gold), a son of the 2001 GI Test S. heroine, rallied from way out of it in his Oct. 21 debut at Keeneland, but came up 3/4 of a length short of winner Rampaige (Smart Strike) when fourth that day (video). Sent off at 3-1 while going a furlong further here, the dark bay broke alertly and was prominently positioned down the backstretch through a :46.86 opening half. He put his head in front midway through the turn, but looked to be a bit green once they straightened for home. Jockey Robby Albarado guided his mount over to the rail and Shadow Warrior lengthened his stride nicely to emerge a three-length winner. Awesome Bet (Awesome Again) egded Perjury (Fusaichi Pegasus) for second. The winner is a half-brother to Magical Ride (Storm Cat), GSP, \$102,738. Sales history: \$290,000 RNA yrl '09 KEESEP. Click for the brisnet.com chart. Video, sponsored by Taylor Made. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$33,382.

O-G Watts Humphrey Jr. B-G Watts Humphrey Jr & Louise I Humphrey (KY). T-George R Arnold II.



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### Central Report cont.

7th-CDX, \$50,985, Msw, 2yo, 1m, 1:37 1/5, ft. CASPER'S TOUCH (c, 2, Touch Gold--Lizzy Cool, by Saint Ballado) debuted with a fourth-place effort in what has become a productive Keeneland maiden Apr. 22 and was part of his trainer's team that made the trip overseas to test the waters at Royal Ascot. He gave a favorable account of himself in the June 19 Chesham S., moving into second inside the final quarter-mile before weakening slightly to finish third at a well-backed 9-1. The half-brother to Cool Bullet (Red Bullet), MSW, \$173,521, had been away since and trained forwardly for this first go over the dirt. Rated along in centerfield by Julien Leparoux, Casper's Touch traveled strongly at the inside and moved into third nearing the stretch. Shifted out three wide at the guarter pole, it took him a few strides to pick up, but he gradually reeled in the pace-pressing Fusa Code (Fusaichi Pegasus) and went on to score by 2 1/4 lengths at odds of 5-1. Sales history: \$50,000 yrl '09 FTKJUL. Lifetime Record: SP-Eng, 3-1-0-1, \$41,514. Click for the brisnet.com chart. Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.

O-Magdalena Racing. B-D J Burke (KY). T-K G McPeek.

### Churchill Announces Second Purse Increase: Edited Press Release

For the second time in a week, Churchill Downs will raise its overnight purses due to higher than expected all-sources wagering levels. Effective immediately, overnight race purses will be increased by 20 percent for the final eight days of the Fall Meet, which wraps up its 21-day run on Sunday, Nov. 28. "We've been fortunate to have good weather and full, competitive fields during our boutique, four-week Fall Meet, which has limited competition from other racetracks during the fall," said Kevin Flanery, president of Churchill Downs. "Also, some of our high-level allowance and claiming races for our top-tier horses have not filled and were not used, which means there's more money available to distribute. We're thrilled that horse racing fans have responded to our product through strong all-sources wagering, and that our owners, trainers, jockeys and breeders will benefit from a 20-percent increase in prize money over the final stretch of our season." Churchill Downs announced that overnight race purses would jump 6.3 percent for the final 10 days of the season earlier this month. The revised projection for total overnight purses awarded at the meet is \$6.8 million, up from the original projection of \$6.2 million. "As we've said before, these positive purse adjustments aren't long-term solutions to the problems we continue to face in Kentucky's signature horse racing industry," Flanery continued. "Purses remain well shy of their highest levels of recent years, and Kentucky still isn't on a level playing field with states whose racetracks have an immense competitive advantage by having their purses fueled by slot machine and casino revenues."



First-crop starters to watch: Saturday, November 20 Sire (Sire's Sire), current farm, 2007 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/ BlackTypeWnrs \* Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)

A. P. WARRIOR (A.P. Indy), Stonewall Farm, \$20K, 31/4/1 9-AQU, Msw, 1 1/16mT, Megalithic, \$15K SAR AUG yrl, 5-1 BADGE OF SILVER (Silver Deputy), Airdrie Stud, \$15K, 101/13/0 2-PEN, Msw, 5 1/2f, J's Hot Shot Lady, \$5K OBS MAR 2yo, 10-1 BANDINI (Fusaichi Pegasus), Walmac Farm, \$18K, 100/8/0 2-PEN, Msw, 5 1/2f, Lady Bandini, \$2K KEE SEP yrl, 3-1 4-AQU, Msw, 1 1/16mT, Igoturback, \$24K SAR AUG yrl, 8-1 BELLAMY ROAD (Concerto), Pauls Mill, \$13K, 93/10/3 10-CD, Msw, 6f, Electric Boots, \$125K FTK JUL yrl, 12-1 BLUEGRASS CAT (Storm Cat), WinStar Farm LLC, \$50K, 118/18/2 7-DED, Stk, 1 1/16m, Blue Laser, \$320K KEE NOV wnl, 3-1 BORREGO (El Prado {Ire}), Wintergreen Stallion Station, \$20K, 68/7/0 8-DED, Stk, 1m, Pura Vida, 30-1 FIRST SAMURAI (Giant's Causeway), Claiborne Farm, \$40K, 88/9/1 5-PHA, Msw, 6f, Admiral Perry, 2-1 FLOWER ALLEY (Distorted Humor), Three Chimneys, \$25K, 88/6/0 6-DED, Stk, 1m, Bouquet Booth, \$30K OBS OPN 2yo, 5-1 FOREST GROVE (Forestry), Canmor Farms, \$8K, 68/8/1 6-HAW, Msw, 6f, Forbidden Forest, 7-2 GIACOMO (Holy Bull), Adena Springs Kentucky, \$13K, 77/7/1 9-RP, Aoc, 6f, Blushing Sis, \$6K TEX AUG yrl, 9-2 GOOD JOURNEY (Nureyev), Magali, \$8K, 64/1/0 4-HOL, Msw, 6 1/2f, Thirtyfirststreet GREELEY'S GALAXY (Mr. Greeley), Sugar Maple Farm, \$8K, 42/3/0 9-AQU, Msw, 1 1/16mT, Big Fearless, 6-1 HENNY HUGHES (Hennessy), Darley, \$40K, 100/13/0 3-GG, Stk, 6f, Wealthy Aviator, \$275K BAR MAR 2yo LION TAMER (Will's Way), Clear Creek Stud LLC, \$5K, 25/1/0 9-DED, Stk, 1m, Liondrive, \$18K OBS APR 2yo, 8-1 MASS MEDIA (Touch Gold), Journeyman Stud, \$5K, 49/10/1 10-CRC, Alw, 5 1/2f, Luna Grande, \$3K OBS AUG yrl, 10-1 POMEROY (Boundary), Vinery FL, \$13K, 96/20/0 7-CT, Alw, 4 1/2f, Mizz Pomeroy, \$12K EAS SEP yrl, 8-1 9-RP, Aoc, 6f, Golden Springs, \$45K OBS AUG yrl, 15-1 9-RP, Aoc, 6f, Imperial Pomeroy, 20-1 ROCKPORT HARBOR (Unbridled's Song), Darley, \$20K, 118/14/2 2-PEN, Msw, 5 1/2f, Deco Rocks, \$20K KEE SEP yrl, 12-1 10-CD, Msw, 6f, Featherwing, \$110K FTK JUL yrl, 7-2 SHARP HUMOR (Distorted Humor), WinStar Farm LLC, \$13K, 110/20/2 9-AQU, Msw, 1 1/16mT, Rudy Rudy Rudy, \$14K EAS SEP yrl, 10-1 2-WO, Alw, 6f, Wicket Ewok, \$30K EAS MAY 2yo, 5-2 3-CT, Alw, 4 1/2f, Princess Cecilia, \$34K FTK JUL yrl, 7-5 10-CD, Msw, 6f, Angelica Zapata, 10-1 4-HOL, Msw, 6 1/2f, +Mint Humor 2-WO, Alw, 6f, Devilish Stunt, \$17K FTK OCT yrl, 9-2 SILVER TRAIN (Old Trieste), Vinery, \$25K, 125/19/0 2-WO, Alw, 6f, Midway Train, \$90K OBS FEB 2yo, 12-1 9-AQU, Msw, 1 1/16mT, Precious Metal, \$50K KEE SEP yrl, 8-5 7-CT, Alw, 4 1/2f, Jinjoo Train, \$7K EAS SEP yrl, 12-1 SUAVE (A.P. Indy), Darby Dan Farm, \$18K, 86/12/1 4-HOL, Msw, 6 1/2f, +Conflicted Traits, \$14K BAR OCT yrl 1-DED, Msw, 5f, Little Santaya, 6-1

9-AQU, Msw, 1 1/16mT, Brothers Outlaw, \$8K SAR AUG yrl, 6-1



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WAR FRONT (Danzig), Claiborne Farm, \$13K, 76/15/2 5-PHA, Msw, 6f, +Don Diablo, 9-2 8-DED, Stk, 1m, Tensas Punch, \$32K TEX AUG yrl, 4-1 10-CD, Msw, 6f, +Sam's Bliss, \$93K FTK JUL yrl, 5-1 WITH DISTINCTION (Storm Cat), Hartley, 116/18/0 2-WO, Alw, 6f, Bear Chocolated, \$200K OBS APR 2vo, 7-2 7-DED, Stk, 1 1/16m, Decisive Moment, \$70K OBS APR 2yo, 20-1 2-PEN, Msw, 5 1/2f, Freshcat, \$5K EAS MAY 2yo, 20-1 First/Second-crop starters to watch: Saturday, Nov. 20 Sire (Sire's Sire), current farm, 2006 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/ BlackTypeWnrs \* Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available) AFLEET ALEX (Northern Afleet), Gainesway, \$40K, 232/72/12 3-DED, Stk, 7f, Fast Alex, 4-1 EXEMPLIFY (Unbridled's Song), 12/3/0 3-DED, Stk, 7f, Two Ex, 6-1 FOREST DANGER (Forestry), WinRich T'breds, \$20K, 151/46/0 9-CD, Stk, 1 1/16mT, Ice Mist, \$12K OBS APR 2yo, 15-1 GHOSTZAPPER (Awesome Again), Adena Springs, \$200K, 174/48/5 9-CD, Stk, 1 1/16mT, La Cloche, 15-1 KITTEN'S JOY (El Prado {Ire}), Ramsey Farm, Inc, \$25K, 206/69/5 4-AQU, Msw, 1 1/16mT, +Yankee Kitten, 3-1 LIMEHOUSE (Grand Slam), Vinery, \$18K, 165/56/5 2-RP, Msw, 7 1/2fT, +Nicknook, \$19K KEE SEP yrl, 6-1 LONE STAR SKY (Conquistador Cielo), Le Mesa Stallions, 37/9/1 9-DED, Stk, 1m, Fort Hood, 9-2 LUNARPAL (Successful Appeal), Le Mesa Stallions, \$3K, 45/11/1 9-DED, Stk, 1m, Pocketknife, 15-1 LYDGATE (Pulpit), Red River Farms, \$2K, 59/13/1 10-DED, Stk, 7f, Thruthegardengate, 15-1 MAVERICK (Dixieland Band), 40/8/0 3-DED, Stk, 7f, Royal Hay Patch, 12-1 MIDWAY ROAD (Jade Hunter), Lane's End Texas, \$5K, 63/21/0 10-DED, Stk, 7f, Badness, 15-1 MINGUN (A.P. Indy), York Stud, \$8K, 136/30/2 7-DED, Stk, 1 1/16m, Bug Juice, \$3K NEW OCT wnl, 8-1 OFFLEE WILD (Wild Again), Darley, \$15K, 127/50/4 7-DED, Stk, 1 1/16m, Dreamsrunwild, \$4K LOU OCT yrl, 20-1 ORATORY (Pulpit), Country Life Farm, \$5K, 105/34/0 8-DED, Stk, 1m, Sweettalkin Hottie, \$5K LTB AUG vrl, 20-1 POLLARD'S VISION (Carson City), Wintergreen Stallion Stn, \$10K, 165/53/7 9-AQU, Msw, 1 1/16mT, +Ernie the Shoe, \$26K EAS SEP yrl, 8-1 1-DED, Msw. 5f. +Miss Pollv. \$2K LTB AUG vrl. 5-1 PROUD ACCOLADE (Yes It's True), Bridlewood, \$4K, 85/32/3 10-DED, Stk, 7f, Jill Marie, \$2K KEE SEP yrl, 12-1 RACE ON GREEN (A.P. Indy), O'Sullivan, 33/3/0 9-CT, Stk, 1 1/8m, Green Spring Boy, 6-1 SAINT LIAM (Saint Ballado), Lane's End. \$50K. 98/51/4 7-AQU, Stk, 6f, Angels in Arms, 12-1 SOUTHLAND BLUES (Dixieland Band), 13/1/0 6-HAW, Msw, 6f, +Southland Jazz, 8-1 SPECIAL RATE (Pulpit), Key Ranch, \$3K, 42/6/0 6-DED. Stk. 1m. Patty's Pride. 12-1 VALUE PLUS (Unbridled's Song), Stonewall Farm, \$10K, 178/59/0 7-AQU, Stk, 6f, Babai Baby, \$70K FTK JUL yrl, 7-2 8-DED, Stk, 1m, Sweet Jody, \$34K LOU OCT yrl, 10-1

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WILDCAT HEIR (Forest Wildcat), Journeyman Stud, \$7K, 225/94/8 3-GG, Stk, 6f, McKenzies Way, \$100K BAR MAR 2yo 9-CD, Stk, 1 1/16mT, Wild Mia, 10-1 4-MTH, Msw, 6f, +Blues Heir, 5-2 7-CRC, Msw, 6f, +Lovely Lexus, 12-1 6-DED, Stk, 1m, Fiscal Policy, \$140K OBS APR 2vo. 9-2 WOKE UP DREAMIN (Holy Bull), Millennium Farms/Moon Lake, \$8K, 96/25/0 1-DED, Msw, 5f, +Precious Mittens, 20-1



### Yesterday's Results:

Dundalk, 19.00, Mdn, €10,500, 3yo, 1m (AWT), 1:35.11, stn.

+ YOUM MUTAMIEZ (c, 3, Seeking the Gold -- Shy Lady {Fr} {SW-Ger}, by Kaldoun {Fr}), a half to Ya Hajar (GB) (Lycius), GSW-Fr; Zafeen (Fr) (Zafonic {GB}), Hwt. 3yo Colt-Eng at 7-9.5f, G1SW-Eng & G1SP-Fr, \$557,860; and Atlantic Sport (Machiavellian), SW-Eng & SP-Ity, \$114,070, chased the leaders in sixth after a tardy exit in this racecourse bow. Making smooth headway rounding the home turn, the well-backed 5-2 second choice quickened to the fore approaching the final furlong and kept on strongly to easily best Swing Pattern (Leroidesanimaux {Brz}) by 2 1/2 lengths. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, €7,245. Video, courtesy attheraces.com. O-Jaber Abdullah; B-Rabbah Bloodstock LLC; T-Paul Deegan.

Dundalk, 18.30, Mdn, €9,450, 2yo, 1m (AWT),

1:37.49, stn.

IMPERIAL ROME (IRE) (c, 2, Holy Roman Emperor {Ire}-Ripalong {Ire}, by Revoque {Ire}), ninth at Leopardstown on debut Oct. 31, was rousted from the gate to lead after the early exchanges of this second go. Stoked up with 1 1/2 furlongs remaining, the 8-1 chance ran on well in the latter stages to comfortably best Narjawa (Ire) (Marju {Ire}) by two lengths. Imperial Rome, the 23rd winner for his freshman sire (by Danehill), is a half to Shamwari Lodge (Ire) (Hawk Wing), GSW-Ire & MSW-Eng, \$206,624. Midador (Ire) (Hawk Wing), a son of Igreja (Arg) (Southern Halo), never featured after an extremely slow exit and finished 12th. Sales history: €125,000 yrl '09 GOFMIL. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0,  $\in$ 6,480. Video, courtesy

attheraces.com.

O-Susan Magnier, Michael Tabor & Derrick Smith; B-Pier House Stud; T-David Wachman.

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**Dundalk, 18.00, Mdn**, €9,450, 2yo, 1m (AWT), 1:37.85, stn.

MEMPHIS TENNESSEE (IRE) (c, 2, <u>Hurricane Run {Ire}</u>--Hit the Sky {Ire}, by Cozzene), a first-up fifth at Cork Aug. 22, raced in midfield after the initial strides of this comeback. Taking closer order once into the stretch run, the 11-10 chalk was ridden along to challenge approaching the final eighth and ran on well thereafter to assert by 1 1/2 lengths from Giants Serapis (Ire) (Giant's Causeway). A half to Royal Bench (Ire) (Whipper), GSW-Fr, \$208,433, Memphis Tennessee is the 17th winner for his freshman sire (by Montjeu {Ire}). Sales history: 72,000gns wnlg '08 TATDEC; 150,000gns yrl '09 TATOCT. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, €6,480. <u>Video, courtesy attheraces.com</u>.

O-Susan Magnier, Michael Tabor & Derrick Smith; B-Kilfrush Stud; T-Aidan O'Brien.



### **ALLOWANCE RESULTS:**

**7th-WOX, \$61,571**, NW2L, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8m (AWT), 1:53 2/5, ft.

WINNING CHARM (f, 3, Peaks and Valleys--Brazen Charm, by Bold Ruckus) Lifetime Record: 11-2-4-0, \$122,161. O-Bear Stables Ltd. B-Minshall Farms (ON). T-Michael P De Paulo. \*C\$15,000 yrl '08 CANSEP.

9th-WOX, \$61,136, NW1X, 3yo/up, 7f (AWT), 1:22 4/5, ft.

RED SPARTAN (g, 3, Omega Code--Toggle, by Premiership) Lifetime Record: 10-4-0-0, \$110,269. O-Norseman Racing Stable. B-Jean Haimalas (FL). T-John Mattine. \*\$22,000 RNA wlng '07 OBSOCT; \$52,000 yrl '08 OBSAUG.

**3rd-AQU, \$44,000**, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), NW2X, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11 3/5, ft.

MYAKKA (m, 5, Crafty Prospector--Talamanca {SP, \$102,480}, by St. Jovite) Lifetime Record: SP, 18-4-4-1, \$163,481. O-Patsy C Symons. B-Sequel 2004 (NY). T-Richard A Violette Jr. \*\$52,000 yrl '06 FTNAUG; \$170,000 2yo '07 OBSMAR.

4th-PEN, \$38,828, 11-18, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), NW2X, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11 1/5, ft.
HYGH JACQUE (f, 3, Wheaton--Rebel Rose, by Sword Dance {Ire}) Lifetime Record: SP, 7-3-2-2, \$90,380.
O-William J Solomon. B-Jack Jordan Racing (PA).
T-Michael W Salvaggio Jr.

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**1st-RPX, \$33,200**, NW2L, (S), 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:46 2/5, ft.

FINER PHYSIQUE (g, 3, Tarakam--Miss Boom, by Vanlandingham) Lifetime Record: 9-2-3-2, \$43,062. O-Jerry Lowry. B-Mike Castor (OK). T-Mike R Teel.

5th-PEN, \$32,704, NW1X, 2yo, 6f, 1:11 1/5, ft. UNLEASH THE HUMOR (c, 2, <u>Sharp Humor</u>--The Classicshopper, by Regal Classic) Lifetime Record: MSP, 6-2-1-1, \$69,540. O-Premier Stables Unlimited. B-Three Lyons Racing LLC (KY). T-Mark Shuman. \*\$19,000 RNA wIng '08 KEENOV; \$27,000 RNA yrl '09 FTKJUL; \$37,000 RNA 2yo '10 FTFFEB.

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7th-LRL, \$30,000, NW1X, 3yo/up, 7f, 1:25, ft. CHECKSANDBALANCES (g, 4, E Dubai--Silver Reserve, by Silver Deputy) Lifetime Record: 24-5-7-1, \$106,252. O/T-Timothy F Ritchey. B-Ed Hudon (KY). \*1/2 to Rule By Night (Malibu Moon), SP, \$158,900.

7th-RPX, \$29,850, 11-18, Opt. Clm. (\$100,000), NW1X, 2yo, 6f, 1:10, ft. LION HALL (c, 2, Lion Heart--Excuse Me Miss, by Arch)

Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$32,550. O-Roland Mackie. B-Luis Bravo (KY). T-Chris A Hartman. \*\$25,000 wlng '08 KEENOV; \$60,000 2yo '10 BESMAY. \*\*In for a \$100,000 tag. \*\*\*Won by four lengths.

8th-RPX, \$29,500, Opt. Clm. (\$35,000), NW2X, 3yo/up, 5fT, :57 1/5, fm. TOMAHAWK CREEK (g, 7, Twining--Miss the War, by Lord At War {Arg}) Lifetime Record: 23-5-4-5, \$73,961. O-Blanca E Flores De Cuevas. B-Whippoorwill Farm Inc (KY). T-Steve H Davis.

6th-RPX, \$28,500, 11-18, Opt. Clm. (\$20,000), NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:03 4/5, ft. LACEY OFFICER (f, 3, Officer--Taylor's Queen {MSW, \$181,656}, by Crowning Decision) Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-0, \$48,425. O-Jerry Durant. B-JMJ Racing Stable (KY). T-W Bret Calhoun. \*\$45,000 yrl '08 KEEJAN; \$42,000 RNA yrl '08 KEESEP; \$50,000 2yo '09 TEXMAR.

**3rd-RPX, \$28,500**, 11-18, Opt. Clm. (\$20,000), NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:38 1/5, fm. **MISS HOCKADAY (f, 3, Greenwood Lake--Miss Vesuvio, by Thirty Six Red)** Lifetime Record: 5-3-1-0, \$37,200. O-John A Kester. B-Barbara Hunter (KY). T-Jearl Ace Hare.

8th-CTX, \$27,200, 11-18, NW3LX, 3/up, 7f, 1:26, ft. CUTTER (c, 3, Saint Liam--Brite Diamond, by Deputy Minister) Lifetime Record: 16-3-2-4, \$64,070. O-Harry Kassap LLC. B-Lochlow Farm (KY). T-Patrick J Magill. \*\$20,000 RNA yrl '08 KEESEP.



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8th-FLX, \$25,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10 3/5, gd. BOB'S DYLAN (m, 5, David--Right About Now, by Pentelicus) Lifetime Record: SW, 36-13-4-4, \$251,289. O-Blue Star Stable. B-Stonewall Farm & Robert Breier (NY). T-Michael S Ferraro.

**3rd-HAW**, **\$25,000**, NW1X, 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:35 1/5, fm.

COOL C NOTE (g, 4, <u>Bernstein</u>--No Stopping, by Unbridled) Lifetime Record: 21-5-3-4, \$103,505. O-William Stiritz. B-Kathleen Schonefeld (KY). T-Scott Becker. \*\$12,000 wlng '06 KEENOV; \$100,000 yrl '07 KEESEP.

### **ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**

- + Enchanted Stone, c, 2, <u>Birdstone</u>--Fairway Meadow, by Meadowlake. AQU, 11-19, (C), 6 1/2f, 1:18 4/5. B-Alaska's Great Eagle LLC (KY).
- + Yoho, g, 2, Old Forester--Nina Tranquila, by Lord At War (Arg). WOX, 11-19, (S), 5f (AWT), :57 4/5.
  B-Robert & Beth Hancock (ON). \*\$2,500 yrl '09 KEEJAN. \*\*14th winner for freshman sire (by Forestry).
- Victoria Miss, f, 2, Wildcat Shoes--Oneatmanale's, by Dance Brightly. DED, 11-19, 5f, :59 4/5. B-Dennis Milligan, Ron & Mack Ball (LA).
- Cherokee Princess, f, 3, Concern--Princesa Del Cielo, by Conquistador Cielo. RPX, 11-18, (S), 6f, 1:12 2/5. B-Clyde & Bobbye Stipe (OK). \*1/2 to Princess Bianconi (Bianconi), SW, \$242,791.
- Dixie Dot Run, g, 3, Dixie Dot Com--Sea Caylee Run, by Desert Wine. DED, 11-18, 1m, 1:41 2/5. B-J Adcock (LA). \*\$2,500 wlng '08 LOUAUG; \$4,000 2yo '09 EVDMAR. \*\*1/2 to Sea to See (Al Mamoon), MSW & MGSP, \$464,492.

Apriority, c, 3, <u>Grand Slam</u>--Midway Squall, by Storm Bird. CRC, 11-19, 7f, 1:23 3/5. B-Donald R Dizney (FL). \*\*1/2 to Squall City (Carson City), SW, \$173,190; British Attitude (Broad Brush), MSP, \$183,583; and Acadia Breeze (Royal Academy), SP, \$152,066.

- Victoria Cross, f, 4, Delineator--Valour Road (MSP), by Honour and Glory. RPX, 11-19, 7 1/2fT, 1:33 4/5. B-Oak Crest Farm (WA).
- Nefertiti, f, 4, <u>Speightstown</u>--Clearly a Queen (MGSW, \$479,532), by Lucky North. LRL, 11-19, 5 1/2f, 1:06 2/5. B-WinStar Farm LLC (KY). \*\$330,000 wlng '06 KEENOV.

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Moongoddess, m, 6, Trajectory--Moonshin File, by Regentair. WOX, 11-19, (S), 5f (AWT), :58 3/5. B-Gardiner Farms Limited (ON). \*C\$1,200 yrl '05 ONTSEP.

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### ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Islesman (GB), g, 2, Oratorio (Ire)--Purple Vision (GB), by Rainbow Quest. Wolverhampton, Britain, 11-19, Mdn, 2yo, 7f 32yds (AWT). B-Barry Walters. \*7,000gns yrl '09 TATOCT.

- + Robber (Ity), c, 2, Rob's Spirit--Pepper Doll (Ity), by Lycius. Naples, Italy, 11-18, Mdn, unraced 2yo, c/g, 1 1/8mT. B-Azienda Agricola Antezzate SRL.
- Hidden Destiny (GB), g, 3, Bahamian Bounty (GB)--Cayetana's Raid, by Rahy. Wolverhampton, Britain, 11-19, Mdn, 3-4yo, 5f 216yds (AWT). B-Newsells Park Stud. \*5,000gns yrl '08 TATOCT.

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