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UNCLE MO COLT TOPS REVAMPED BARRETTS SALE

Sales-topping hip 14 under-tack | *Louise Reinagel photo*

by Jessica Martini

DEL MAR, Ca - The Barretts Spring 2-Year-Olds in Training Sale, which combined the company's traditional two juvenile auctions for the first time, was topped Wednesday by a $600,000 son of Uncle Mo. West Point Thoroughbreds' Terry Finley made the winning bid on hip 14, who was consigned by Eddie Woods.

In all, 74 horses sold Wednesday at Del Mar for a total of $6,421,000. The average was $86,770 and the median was $50,000. Of the 170 catalogued head, 54 were withdrawn and 42 failed to sell for a buy-back rate of 36.2%.

"Like it is across the country, the highly desirable horses are easy to sell," said Barretts General Manager Kim Lloyd. "There are people after them, there is a lot of competition for them. But for the horses that the market isn't fond of, it's tough sledding. We saw that again today."

Nine horses sold for $200,000 or over during Wednesday's auction. At last year's final Barretts March Select Sale, 12 juveniles reached that mark with a top price of $675,000. The top price at last year's final May sale, and only horse over $200,000, was $245,000. The 2017 March median was $100,000 and the May median was $27,500.

Barretts combined the two auctions in an attempt to present buyers with a larger catalogue of potential purchases and sellers with a broader buying base to market their product.

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HORSE TRACKING INITIATIVE COULD EVOLVE INTO AFTERCARE TOOL

by T.D. Thornton

Earlier this year, Santa Anita Park quietly rolled out a new policy requiring any licensee wishing to remove their horse's foal papers from the racing office to sign a waiver of responsibility and provide an explanation about why, where, for how long, and for what purpose the horse and its official registration documentation are leaving the grounds.

This private data-collecting initiative began as a way for track officials to better keep tabs on the local racehorse population. But now that Santa Anita's sign-out policy for foal paperwork is becoming more widely known, is being lauded within the aftercare community because it could eventually evolve into a best-practice way to track where racehorses go and exactly who is responsible for them upon any exit from a racetrack or licensed training center. **Cont. p8 (click here)**

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Cute little 'devil.' *With erratic weather on the East Coast this April, this filly by Daredevil, out of Dictate the Tempo (Dixie Union), may soon be romping in the snow again like she did in March. Foaled at Sagamore Farm in Reisterstown, MD on March 16, she is the sixth foal out of her dam and was Sagamore's first foal of 2018. Click here to submit photos of your 2018 foals for consideration in the TDN. Please include sire, dam, owner, and photographer's name.* | *Katlyn Lamp*

TDN Q&A: KEENELAND'S BOB ELLISTON **9**
On the eve of the opening of the Keeneland spring meet in Lexington, Joe Bianca speaks with CEO Bob Elliston about adjustments in takeout and overall expectations for the stand.

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The way rules are applies can look very different from track to track, raising a variety of emotions among racing fans. But Dean Towers says a change just might be on the horizon.

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"I didn't have any negative comments about combining the sale," Lloyd said. "Actually everybody was positive about it, the consignors and the buyers. We had a bigger catalogue--and everybody likes that. We had a huge turnout at the preview, we had a great turnout in the barn area and even here at the sale today there was a big turnout. The market determines the prices on the horses. But everything was in place today."

Of the combined marketplace, Lloyd added, "I think it opens the door for opportunities to sell a horse. I really do. I saw it today."

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BARRETTS SPRING 2-YEAR-OLDS IN TRAINING
WEDNESDAY'S TOP 12 LOTS

Hip	Sex	Sire	Dam	Price ($)
14	colt	Uncle Mo	Fresia	600,000

($35,000 i/u '15 KEENOV; $60,000 Ylg '16 BARSEL)
B-Bar C Racing Stables (CA)
Consigned by Eddie Woods, Agent III
Purchased by LEB, agent for West Point Thoroughbreds

Hip	Sex	Sire	Dam	Price ($)
167	colt	Into Mischief	Cape Discovery	450,000

($110,000 Ylg '17 KEESEP)
(Thoro-Stride walking video)
B-Brandywine Farm (KY)
Consigned by Wavertree Stables Inc (Ciaran Dunne), Agent
Purchased by Dennis O'Neill, Agent

Hip	Sex	Sire	Dam	Price ($)
109	filly	Will Take Charge	Trip for A. J.	335,000

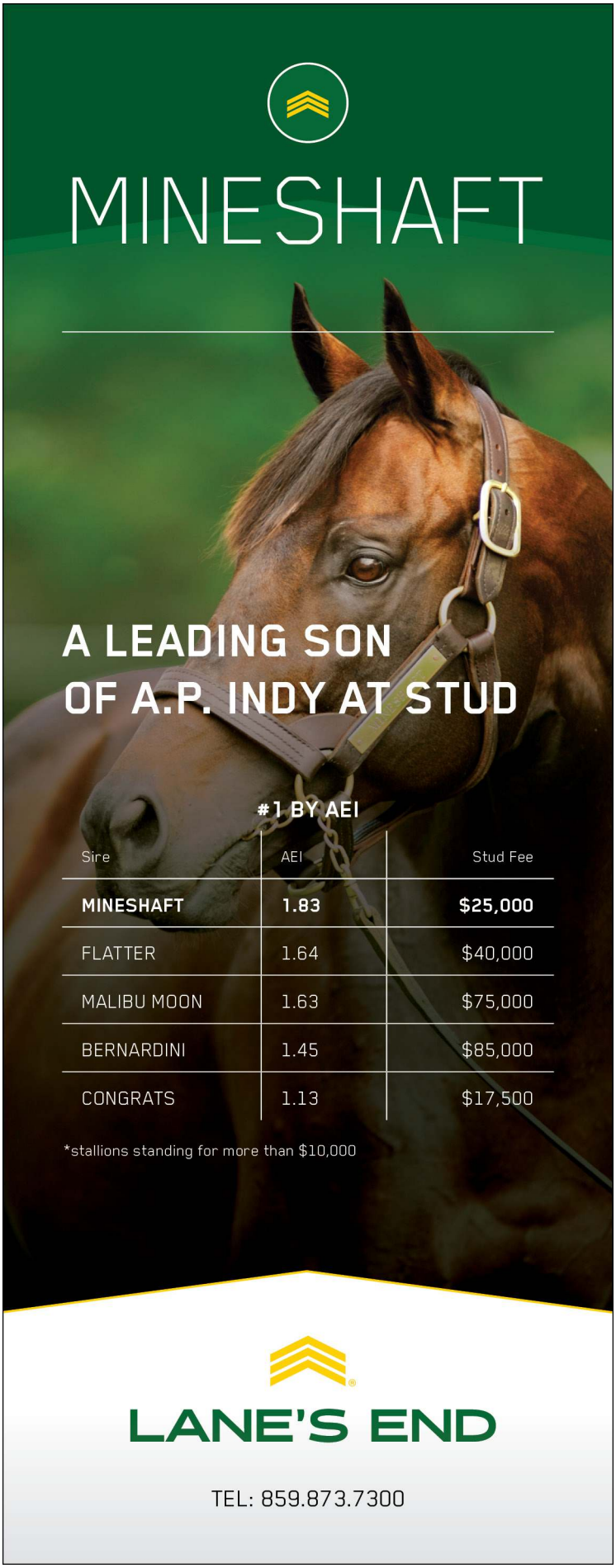
($100,000 Ylg '17 FTKJUL)
(Thoro-Stride walking video)
B-Lynn B Schiff (KY)
Consigned by Sequel Bloodstock, Agent
Purchased by Rockingham Ranch

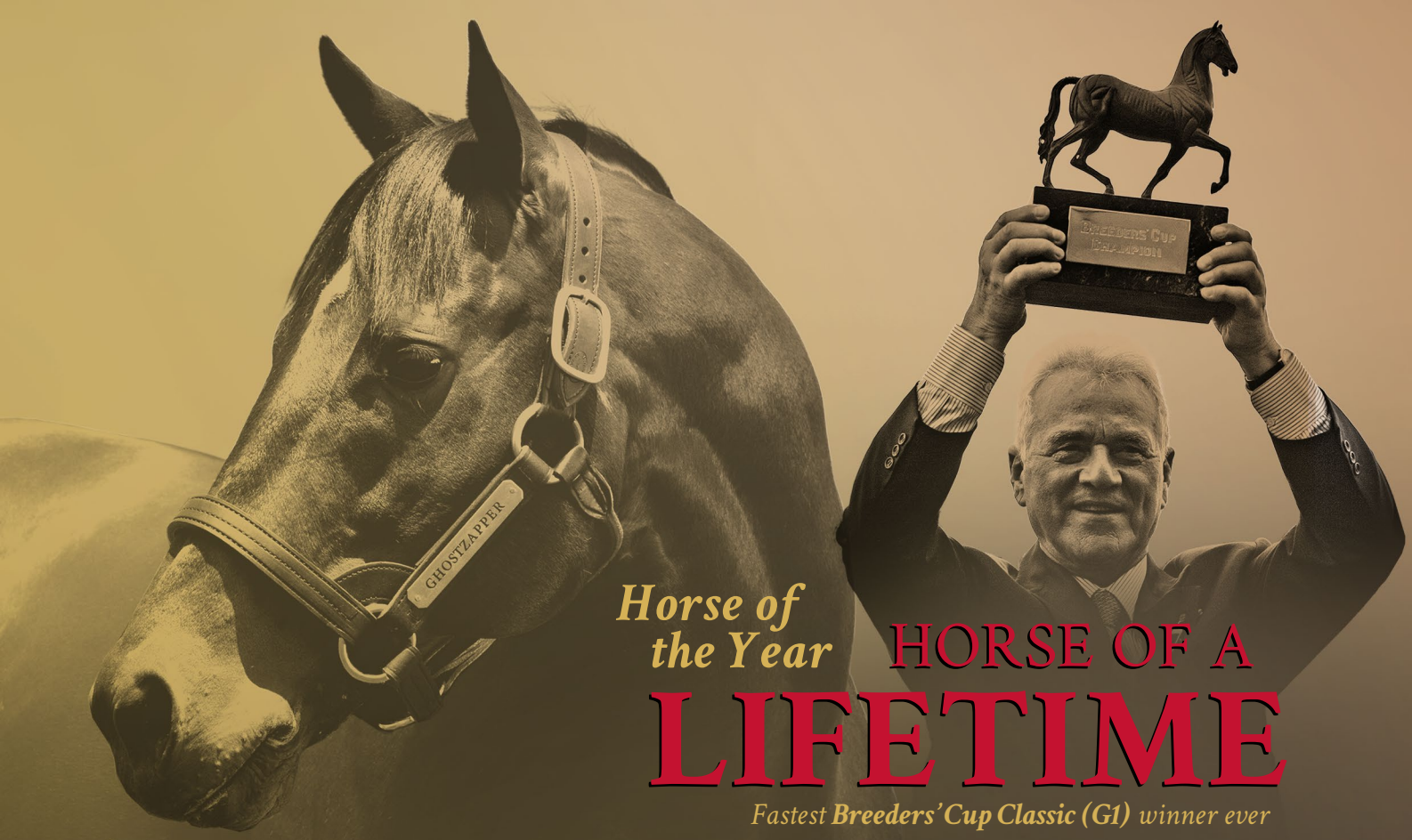
Hip	Sex	Sire	Dam	Price ($)
58	filly	Mineshaft	Noble Grey	275,000

($25,000 Wlg '16 KEENOV; $85,000 Ylg '17 KEESEP)
B-H & E Ranch (KY)
Consigned by Excel Bloodstock (Bruno DeBerdt), Agent
Purchased by Khalid Mishref Alkahtani

Hip	Sex	Sire	Dam	Price ($)
143	filly	Malibu Moon	Catrageous	205,000

($85,000 RNA Ylg '17 KEESEP)
B-Spendthrift Farm LLC (KY)
Consigned by Kings Equine, Agent for Spendthrift Farm LLC
Purchased by Red Baron's Barn & Rancho Temescal





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63 colt Smiling Tiger Perfect Feat 200,000
B-Premier Thoroughbreds (CA)
Consigned by Havens Bloodstock Agency Inc, Agent
Purchased by Solis/Litt, Agent

75 filly Violence Red Hot Bullet 200,000
B-Premier Thoroughbreds (CA)
Consigned by Havens Bloodstock Agency, Agent
Purchased by Blinkers On Racing Stable

80 filly Paynter Ruth and Neva 200,000
($95,000 Ylg '17 FTKOCT)
B-Susan King & WinStar Farm (KY)
Consigned by SGV Thoroughbreds LLC (Steven Venosa), Agent
Purchased by Gary Young, Agent for Mike Dubb

33 colt Yes It's True Jump Jivin Jade 190,000
($42,000 Ylg '17 KEEJAN; $120,000 Ylg '17 FTKJUL)
B-C Kidder & J K & Linda Griggs (KY)
Consigned by Wavertree Stables Inc (Ciaran Dunne), Agent I
Purchased by Justin Casse, Agent

60 colt Fed Biz One Hot Senorita 190,000
($90,000 Wlg '16 KEENOV; $175,000 Ylg '17 KEESEP)
B-Lynn Jones (KY)
Consigned by Excel Bloodstock (Bruno DeBerdt), Agent
Purchased by Rockingham Ranch

40 colt He's Had Enough Le Mi Geaux 160,000
($40,000 Ylg '17 FTKJUL)
B-Woodford Thoroughbreds (FL)
Consigned by Wavertree Stables Inc (Ciaran Dunne), Agent III
Purchased by DP Racing

72 filly Square Eddie Puff Pastry 160,000
B-Reddam Racing (CA)
Consigned by Wavertree Stables Inc (Ciaran Dunne), Agent IV
Purchased by Blinkers On Racing Stable

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SESSION TOTALS	2018*
• Catalogued	170
• No. Offered	116
• No. Sold	74
• RNAs	42
• % RNAs	36.2%
• No. $500K+	1
• High Price	$600,000
• Gross	$6,421,000
• Average	$86,770
• Median	$50,000

*No comparative stats due to format change.

West Point Strikes Early for Uncle Mo Colt

West Point Thoroughbreds provided the early fireworks at Barretts Wednesday, seeing off a pair of challengers to secure a colt by Uncle Mo for $600,000. Consigned by Eddie Woods, hip 14 is a California-bred 2-year-old out of Fresia (El Prado {Ire}), a half-sister to multiple graded stakes winner His Race to Win (Stormy Atlantic).

"I thought he was a beautiful horse," West Point's Terry Finley said after signing the ticket on the colt alongside bloodstock agent David Ingordo. "I thought he was a horse that would have fit in either of the first two sales [OBS March or Fasig-Tipton Gulfstream sale] we came to. The fact that he is a California-bred, that was just icing on the cake. He was a very special horse."

West Point has a group of promising prospects by Coolmore's Uncle Mo and Finley said he is quickly becoming a fan of the stallion.

"We like Uncle Mo--this class of 35 horses that we are going to come to the races with, we have four Uncle Mos. So I am starting to warm up to Uncle Mo a little bit more than I was."

Finley added West Point may eventually have additional partners on the bay colt, who will be trained by Jerry Hollendorfer.

"There should be a couple of others, but I don't know who is going to come in yet," Finley said. "We'll try to figure that out."

The juvenile, who was bred by Bar C Racing Stables, was making his second trip through the Barretts sales ring. He was purchased by Woods's Quarter Pole Enterprises for $60,000 at last year's Barretts Select Yearling Sale.

"He was a spectacular horse who worked well," said Woods. "He is a beautiful-looking horse who has been uncomplicated all year." **Cont. p5**

West Point's Terry Finley and consignor Eddie Woods
Cecilia Gustavsson photo

West Point Lands Uncle Mo Colt cont.

Woods continued, "He had a little blemish, that he still has, on a sesamoid. When we vetted him, we sent the X-rays to a lot of different vets around the country for multiple opinions and everyone was very comfortable with it. So we were good to go."

Of the colt's quarter-mile work in :21 1/5, Woods admitted, "I thought he might actually go a bit quicker. But we weren't on the same track that we usually work on. This was a little bit of a slower track, a very forgiving track, but a couple of ticks slower than what we've seen in the past. And he wasn't quite ready to work on that kind of track that far, but because he has natural talent, he did."

Neal and Pam Christopherson's Oregon-based Bar C Racing Stables purchased Fresia, with this Uncle Mo foal in utero, for $35,000 at the 2015 Keeneland November sale. Fresia had no reported foal in 2017 and was bred back to Harbor the Gold.

Into Mischief Colt to Zedan

Bloodstock agent Dennis O'Neill, bidding on behalf of Amr Zedan, went to $450,000 to secure a colt by Into Mischief from the supplemental catalogue of the Barretts Spring Sale Wednesday at Del Mar. The youngster, who was withdrawn from last month's OBS March sale due to a minor setback, was rerouted to the Barretts sale and showed up in Southern California with a co-bullet furlong work in :10 flat Monday.

"We thought he was the best colt in the sale and you can't beat Into Mischief right now," O'Neill said. "We were prepared to go a little higher--I was kind of surprised it stopped where it stopped. He was an absolutely gorgeous horse. His breeze was great and we got him galloping out really good. We're extremely excited to have him to say the least."

Hip 167 | *Thoro-Stride photo*

NTRA REPORT FROM CAPITOL HILL

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Consigned by Ciaran Dunne's Wavertree Stables, hip 167 is out of Cape Discovery (Cape Town). He was purchased by Ron Fein's Superfine Farms for $110,000 at last year's Keeneland September sale. Superfine already had a pinhooking score on the juvenile sales season this year. The operation purchased a colt by Fed Biz for $160,000 at the Keeneland September sale and the youngster sold for $725,000 at the Fasig-Tipton Gulfstream sale.

O'Neill purchased subsequent 'TDN Rising Star' Saudi Chroma (Lucky Pulpit) for $360,000 on behalf of Zedan at last year's Barretts March sale. The fledgling Zedan Racing Stable will be represented by Tyfosha (Flatter) in Saturday's GI Ashland S. and by Shane Zain (Medaglia d'Oro) in the GII Lexington S.

"He's just trying to compete at the top and we thought this was the best colt in here. That's what he wants to buy," O'Neill said of Zedan's business plan.

Hip 167, who has been stabled with the Wavertree horses in Barn D on Del Mar's backside, will only have a short trip to trainer Doug O'Neill's barn at the oceanside oval.

"He will go four barns over, he'll stay here at Del Mar," Dennis O'Neill confirmed.

Rockingham Ranch Takes Charge

Bloodstock agent Raymie Lightner, bidding on behalf of Gary Hartunian's Rockingham Ranch, signed the ticket at $335,000 to secure a filly (hip 109) from the first crop of Grade I winner Will Take Charge (Unbridled's Song). The chestnut filly is out of multiple stakes winner and multiple graded stakes placed Trip for A. J. (Trippi). She was consigned by Becky Thomas's Sequel Bloodstock.

Hip 109 | *Cecilia Gustavsson photo*

"From the start, she stood out," said Lightner. "She looked good on the track--she galloped out strong and looked good doing it. And she had great conformation. There was nothing not to like about her. She was the one we zeroed in on from the start. We are tickled to death to have. She did it all for us."

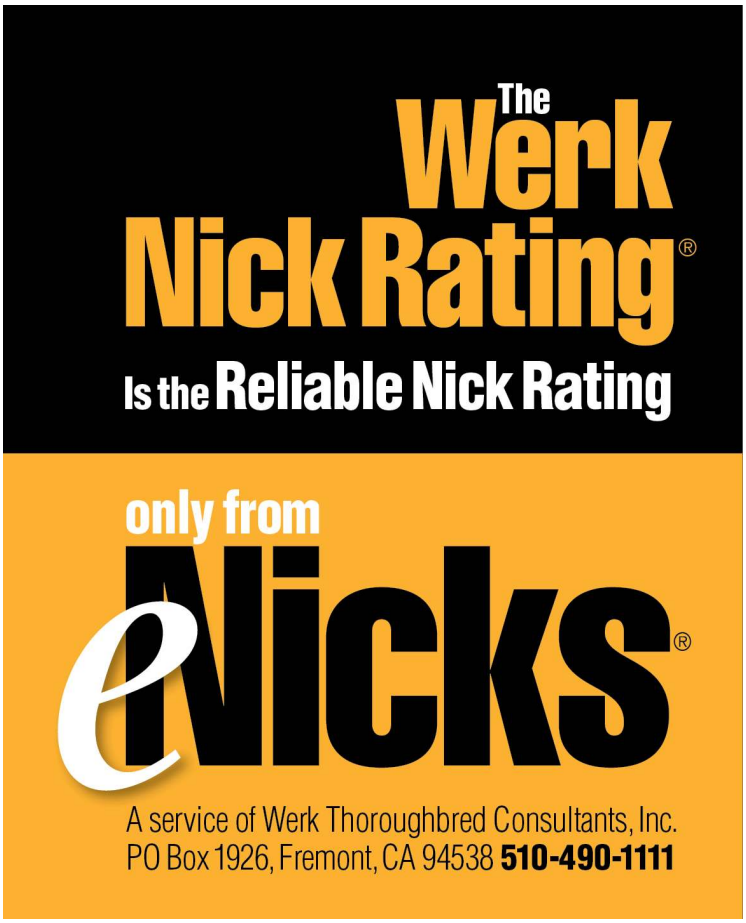
Peter Miller will train the filly for Rockingham Ranch. Hartunian's operation, which won a pair of Breeders' Cup races last fall, had the second and third-place finishers in last weekend's G1 Dubai Golden Shaheen and the runner-up in the G1 Al Quoz Sprint.

Also this spring, Rockingham has added a colt by Kantharos (hip 368), purchased for $410,000 at OBS March, and a Medaglia d'Oro colt (hip 95) purchased for $50,000 at the Fasig-Tipton Gulfstream sale, to its roster.

The Will Take Charge filly, bred by Lynn Schiff, was purchased by Thomas and Al Pike for $100,000 at last year's Fasig-Tipton July Yearling Sale.

Solis is All Smiles for Cal-bred Colt

Bloodstock agent Alex Solis, bidding on behalf of a partnership that will include the Roth family's LNJ Foxwoods, went to $200,000 to secure a colt by Smiling Tiger during Wednesday's Barretts sale. Out of Perfect Feat (Pleasantly Perfect), hip 63 is a full-brother to stakes winner Spiced Perfection and he worked a co-bullet in :10 flat Monday at Del Mar.



"He breezed really well, he is a big-striding, efficient horse," Solis said of the colt's appeal. "He galloped out really well. He's very well-balanced. And he's a full to a nice horse."

Solis continued, "I think, for a Cal-bred, he'll be a lot of fun to have. The Cal-bred program is so great now. We are breeding Straight Fire (Dominus) in California right now for that exact reason. This is a good way for them to get a taste for the Cal-bred market."

Multiple Grade I placed Straight Fire was campaigned by a partnership which included Jungle Racing, LNJ Foxwoods and KMN Racing. He now stands at Legacy Ranch.

Hip 63 was consigned by Havens Bloodstock Agency on behalf of breeder Premier Thoroughbreds, which purchased Perfect Feat for $7,500 at the 2014 Barretts January sale. Owned by Phil Lebherz, the burgeoning Premier Thoroughbreds matched that result later in the sale when hip 75, a filly by Violence brought $200,000 from Blinkers On Racing Stable.

Solis said he was happy with Barretts' new combined 2-year-old in training sale.

"It's much better having more horses," he said. "I think it's a good thing. I think they need to build on it still, but it's a good start. They are selling horses for a lot of money still."

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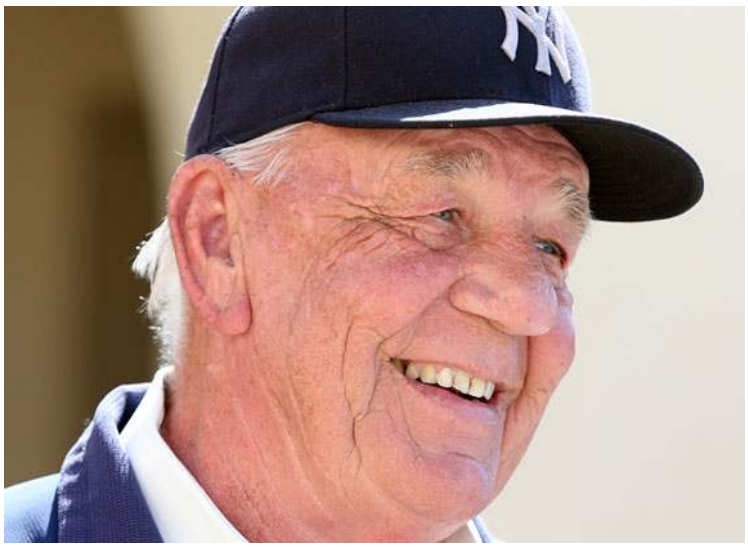

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Each sales day, we ask one buyer to look at the day's results, and choose the horse he or she thinks was the Buy of the Day.

Hip 159: c, Verrazano–East India, by Mizzen Mast
Consigned by Wavertree Stables Inc (Ciaran Dunne), Agent I
Buyer: Gary Broad. Price: $65,000

James Cassidy: "This is a well-balanced colt with very good action. I thought he would bring $100,000 and he would have been well worth that."

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BARRETTS SPRING 2-YEAR-OLDS IN TRAINING

Hip	Sex	Sire	Dam	Price ($)
26	filly	Tapizar	Homecoming Dance	125,000

B-Fred W Hertrich III & John D Fielding (KY)
Consigned by Kings Equine, Agent
Purchased by Seltzer Thoroughbreds LLC

This April-foaled bay was bought back on a bid of $20,000 at last year's Keeneland September sale, some three months before her half-brother Empire Line (Morning Line) won his first two starts, including the Damon Runyon S. The latter has since added a third-place effort in the Gander S. Hip 26 drilled an eighth of a mile in :10 1/5.

40 colt He's Had Enough Le Mi Geaux 160,000
B-Woodford Thoroughbreds (FL)
Consigned by Wavertree Stables Inc (Ciaran Dunne), Agent III
Purchased by DP Racing

This second produce from 2010 GIII Schuylerville S. victress Le Mi Geaux (First Samurai) was snapped up by Redwings for $40,000 at last year's Fasig-Tipton July Yearling Sale. The gray breezed in :10 2/5 Monday. (Thoro-Stride video)

80 filly Paynter Ruth and Neva 200,000
B-Susan King & WinStar Farm (KY)
Consigned by SGV Thoroughbreds LLC (Steven Venosa), Agent
Purchased by Gary Young, Agent for Mike Dubb

The second foal of racing age for her dam, twice stakes placed at two, the April foal was picked up by Dilligaf Stables for $95,000 at last year's Fasig-Tipton October sale and went :10 1/5 during Monday's under-tack preview.

115 colt Shakin It Up Unclouded 135,000
B-Drumkenny Farm & Declan Burke (KY)
Consigned by Starting Point Thoroughbreds, Agent
Purchased by Justin Casse, Agent

Purchased by Drumkenny for the upset price of $1,000 at KEEJAN a little over a year ago, this dark bay fetched $20,000 at the 2017 OBS October sale. He worked an eighth of a mile in :10 2/5.

143 filly Malibu Moon Catrageous 205,000
B-Spendthrift Farm LLC (KY)
Consigned by Kings Equine, Agent for Spendthrift Farm LLC
Purchased by Red Baron's Barn & Rancho Temescal

Bred on the A.P. Indy cross over Tale of the Cat responsible for GISW It's Tricky (Mineshaft)--dam of GII Wood Memorial S. favorite Enticed (Medaglia d'Oro)--this April foal was retained by her breeder when bidding stalled out at $85,000 at Keeneland September last fall.

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Horse Tracking Initiative cont. from p1

Stacie Clark, an operations consultant for the Thoroughbred Aftercare Alliance (TAA), told *TDN* in a phone interview that she envisions other North American racetracks will soon follow Santa Anita's lead, and that racing jurisdictions might someday willingly share this sort of data with aftercare organizations so everyone can get a better handle on the scope and potential costs of caring for Thoroughbreds after their racing days are over.

Clark also explained that this sort of cooperative data collection might eventually pave the way for a more comprehensive national traceability program similar to the one launched by Racing Australia four years ago to track racehorses from foaling through retirement.

Stacie Clark

"This is great," Clark said. "We talk about having accountability for first exit out of racing for our horses. And having a form that requires the connections to tell the track where their horses are going for the track's own inventory reasons makes sense. But the bonus is learning where these horses are actually going. I think it expands awareness, and to have somebody have that ability is a step in the right direction to have all horses accounted for and to know who was the last point of contact. Maybe this will inspire other racetracks to also do this so that we can answer where horses are going once they leave the racing industry. Hopefully it's to a new home, or a farm for retirement, breeding, or whatever, and not to a bad situation.

"It's working really well on an extensive basis in Australia, where everyone has to be accountable for all of the horses all of the time," Clark continued. "This is just sort of a smaller version of that. This initiative is having a side effect that is really positive for accounting for our Thoroughbreds that are leaving the track. The spin-off will be toward better integrity."

Tim Ritvo, the chief operating officer for The Stronach Group (TSG), which owns Santa Anita, confirmed via phone that this policy would soon be extended to all other TSG tracks (Golden Gate Fields, Gulfstream Park, Laurel Park, Pimlico Race Course and Portland Meadows).

"It's complementary to aftercare, which is great, because we can keep track of where the horses are going," Ritvo explained. "But for us, honestly, it's more of an inventory [control], so we know when a horse is out of the system and why and where it's going. But if it can help with aftercare, then all the better."

Madeline Auerbach, a California Horse Racing Board commissioner who is also an owner/breeder, the founder of California Retirement Management Account (CARMA), and a member of the TAA board of directors, told *TDN* she found out about the policy firsthand several weeks ago when she retired GSW Majestic Heat (Unusual Heat) for breeding purposes and stopped by the Santa Anita racing office to retrieve the mare's certificate. She was surprised to be asked to sign the tracking form because she had never been asked to do so in all her years in the racing industry.

Auerbach said she got a full explanation from Santa Anita's vice president of racing, Rick Hammerle, and immediately began spreading the word about the potential for aftercare cooperation that now exists.

"I am so glad I went to get her papers, because this made me aware of the policy, and I can now make our board and other people aware of it too," Auerbach said. "I hope that this catches on everywhere, because it's a wonderful help without [aftercare organizations] spending a great deal of money to get the same information that should be available without us spending the money."

From the view of a regulator, Auerbach was emphatic that Santa Anita is well within its rights in asking for this sort of information. **Cont. p9**

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Horse Tracking Initiative cont.

"These are things that I believe [a racing association] has a right to know, because [the stable area is] their property, and when you have a horse housed on their property…you are supposed to be a part of the show, part of the performance, part of the reason that they are able to generate income from that property," Auerbach explained. "So they have a right to know what your intentions are with that horse, and they want to keep track of it."

Auerbach continued: "It's a very legitimate concern. They have a right to ask, and I am thrilled to see it because one of the biggest problems we've had in aftercare is trying to identify the scope and the size of the problem. We've had no way really of finding out what happens to horses [that exit the racing population without explanation], and even though [TSG's initiative] is not a thousand percent accurate, we will have a much better handle when all the tracks adopt this policy of just asking the question, 'Hey, where'd your horse go?' We just want to know."

Asked if she sees Santa Anita's policy evolving into something like the Australian lifetime traceability model, Auerbach said, "I don't know that we have to do it exactly the way that they do in Australia, but this would certainly tell us what we need. You can extrapolate the numbers after you've done this for awhile. If you have a year or two [of data] under your belt and you start to see the same percentages [as those of horses whose exits from racing were previously unknown], then you can bet that that's the percentage that's going to wind up in aftercare. And that will give us a much clearer picture of the scope of the problem, and that's why it's so important."

But will this sort of data be something that TSG is willing to share?

"It could be," Ritvo said. "I'm not sure that we would share it immediately, because right now we're just concerned about where horses are going and why they're leaving. But as we acquire more and more data as things go on," it would be something TSG would consider, he added.

Auerbach said she was confident that a sharing agreement could be worked out.

"I don't think TSG or any other legitimate track will have any problem or difficulty in sharing that information publicly," Auerbach said. "I know it's proprietary in that they ask for it and that they collect it, but there's no reason that I can think of that would make it proprietary to the extent that they don't want to share it, because it helps all of us.

"Look, Santa Anita is a big partner for us with CARMA," Auerbach continued. "They match the funds that the owners put in. They have a vested interest in what happens to these horses, just like the rest of us do.

So they're a partner, and I can't see any of TSG tracks not allowing this information to be utilized by the people that are charged with taking care of horses in aftercare. I think they'll be more than reasonable."

Clark hinted at similar traceability initiatives that the TAA has in the pipeline.

"There are other things that the TAA is working about inventory that are really in the infant stages, but they're very positive," Clark said. "There's a lot of noise going on within the industry about what is everybody doing and why isn't everybody doing enough, but sometimes you just can't talk about what you're doing until you have the foundation laid down. The board of the TAA is very forward-thinking, and they're investigating a lot of avenues. So in the future there will be more to talk about, but [the TSG's tracking program] is going to be really helpful.

"We're all in this together," Clark summed up. "I doesn't matter what team we're on. We're not going to have a sport unless we all work together, and that includes having integrity and accountability and a plan."

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TDN Q&A

Keeneland found itself under fire last year after raising takeout rates for its Fall meet. The company listened to its customers, however, and reversed some of the increases this February. With the track's always-anticipated Spring Meet set to kick off Friday, TDN Associate Editor Joe Bianca talked to Keeneland Vice President of Racing and Sales Bob Elliston about that decision and what he's looking forward to most this April at the historic Lexington oval.

Bob Elliston | *Keeneland photo*

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TAKE CHARGE LADY, by Dehere. 11 wins, 2 to 4, $2,480,377. Won Ashland S. **[G1]**, Overbrook Spinster S. **[G1]** twice, Walmac Int'l Alcibiades S. **[G2]**, Fair Grounds Oaks **[G2]**, Silverbulletday S. **[G3]**, Arlington Matron H. **[G3]**, Dogwood S. **[G3]**, Ntra Great State Chal Inv Distaff S. 2nd Kentucky Oaks **[G1]**, Apple Blossom H. **[G1]**, Ogden Phipps H. **[G1]**, Gazelle H. **[G1]**, Delaware H. **[G2]**, Falls City H. **[G2]**, Golden Rod S. **[G2]**. Dam of 6 foals to race, 5 winners--

WILL TAKE CHARGE (c, by Unbridled's Song). **Champion 3YO Colt**. 7 wins at 2, 3, and 4, $3,924,648, Travers S. **[G1]**, Clark H. **[G1]**, Pennsylvania Derby **[G2]**, Oaklawn H. **[G2]**, Rebel S. **[G2]**, Smarty Jones S. 2nd BC Classic **[G1]** by a nose, etc.

TAKE CHARGE INDY (c, by A.P. Indy). Winner at 2, 3 and 4, $1,103,496 in US. Won Florida Derby **[G1]**, Alysheba S. **[G2]**. 2nd Clark H. **[G1]**, Arlington-Washington Futurity **[G3]**, Skip Away S. **[G3]**. 3rd Donn H. **[G1]**, Fayette S. **[G2]**.

Charming (f, by Seeking the Gold). Winner at 3, $43,155 in US. Dam of 2 winners, including--

TAKE CHARGE BRANDI (f, by Giant's Causeway). 5 wins at 2 and 3, $1,692,126, **Champion 2-year-old filly in U.S.**, Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies **[G1]**, Starlet S. **[G1]**, Delta Downs Princess S. **[G3]**, Martha Washington S., 2nd Schuylerville S. **[G3]**.

Elarose (f, by Storm Cat). Placed at 3. Dam of--

Intelligence (c, by Shakespeare). Winner at 3, $54,590, 3rd New York Derby.

2nd Dam

FELICITA, by Rubiano. Unraced. Dam of 5 winners--

TAKE CHARGE LADY (f, by Dehere). Won As... ster S. **[G1]**, Overbrook Spinster S. **[G1]**, etc., see ab...

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...R, by Blushing Groom (FR). 2 wi...

...ern Tryst (c, by Northern Baby). 3rd Tattersalls Middle ... **[G1]** (E...

Zarbyev (c, by Nureyev). Winner at 4, $38,471 in NA. 3rd Thanksgiving ... W. Gaudi... Memorial H. At 1 Sent to GB. 3 wins at 2 and 3, in Eng, $19,778. (Total: ...49) Sire.

Comilfo (f, by Compliance). 11 wins, 3 to 6, $96,149 in NA. Dam of 1 winner.

Mi Louisa (f, by Mi Selecto). 6 wins, 2 to 4, $111,296 in NA. 2nd Jersey ... Dam of--

MADONNA LILY (f, by Elusive Quality). 3 wins at 4, $110,255, Whi... rnation S. Producer.

Are You Home (f, by El Prado (IRE)). 3 wins at 3, $76,185, 3rd Reming... Park Oak. Producer.

She's Got Class (f, by Trempolino). Unplaced at 2 and 3 in NA. Dam of--

CHAMBERLAIN BRIDGE (g, by War Chant). 19 wins, 3 to 8, placed at 9, $1,948...0. Won Breeders' Cup Turf Sprint **[G2]**, Aegon Turf Sprint S. **[G3]**, Turf Monster H., ...dford S., Colonel Power S., Bonapaw S., My Frenchman S., etc. (Total: $1,953,0...

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TDN: Obviously, the big news recently is Keeneland bringing some takeout rates back down after raising them in the fall. Can you take me through that decision-making process, from the original increase to the rollback?

BE: Last year, when we made the decision [to raise takeout], we looked at where Keeneland's blended takeout was and our relative pricing to other circuits in the country, and we were significantly below that. When we made the modifications, we were still in a similar range on blended takeout with the major markets we compete with. We were of the mind that the increased revenues, to put the money back into the sport, with physical improvements and fan development, we thought people would understand what we were doing. We heard a lot from our customers and the recurring theme was that blended takeout wasn't necessarily the driver of wagering, it was takeout on specific pools. We actually did in fact grow our revenue streams, but we noticed that there were specific problems around the exacta, daily double and win/place/show pools. That was most of where the problems were and those pools made up almost 60% of our wagering. We talked to customers about, if we were able to go back to more competitive pricing for those pools, would they see that as more advantageous. So we specifically targeted exactas and win/place/show, which make up about 55% of our wagering. Those increases were the ones that really drove our customers nuts.

Racing at Keeneland | *Horsephotos*

TDN: Were you surprised at the level of backlash from the fall decision, referring to the horseplayers' boycott in particular?

BE: We weren't surprised because we achieved the financial outcomes we thought we would. We forecasted a slight decline, but if you know us and know what we were doing with the additional resources, you felt better about it. There was no boycott on track and we saw a limited difference here. Customers pointed out a very valid point and that's why we changed it. Looking just at blended takeout wasn't the correct way to look at it.

TDN: Keeneland is widely known in the industry as a forward-thinking, customer-friendly company. Considering that, how important was it for you to demonstrate that you were listening to your customers on this?

BE: That's absolutely the case, we do view ourselves as forward-thinking and a company that makes customer-centric decisions. Just in the last several months since Keeneland January, we've been going through listening sessions, sitting down with people from consignors to big buyers to sellers. We also had a focus group with 15 top handicappers and listened to them about other changes we can make, about possible changes in our wagering menu, guaranteed pools, etc. To have them respond the way they did after we made the [takeout decrease] was gratifying.

TDN: Can you expand upon what you were looking to learn from the players you talked to?

BE: Where they get their information to handicap from, their preferred vehicles [of data], how we can support that with additional elements, both on-track and on our broadcast, that go to the kind of things they were relying on.

TDN: The Spring Meet is unique from the Fall Meet in that it isn't sandwiched within your sales season and is more of a standalone racing event. Do you operate any differently in the spring being able to focus all of your energy and resources into racing?

BE: Operationally, not really. Here at Keeneland, because this is a national meet, horses come from all over the country and it's the same way with October. In the spring, we get some horses prepping for the Kentucky Derby and Oaks and it's also great that our other stakes can support the Triple Crown cards. We have such a tremendous following as far as the quality of these races attracting interest. We have a national audience that's both physically here and watching through simulcast.

TDN: What would you say you're looking forward to most during the upcoming meet?

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BE: It's going to be tremendous. We had a record number of stall requests, which is a good indication of who wants to come race with you. We had very few stalls available on site and have some of the top outfits from all over the U.S. coming here. You look at the quality of the horses on the stall applications and we may have five or six Breeders' Cup champions racing here in terms of how the stakes are shaping up. Our stakes coordinator has been loaded up with work getting all of that into the system because we've seen such tremendous enthusiasm. That coupled with the reaction from horseplayers from the takeout response that we had, all that suggests, if anyone can control the weather, we'll have a dynamite meet.

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Op / ED by Dean Towers

FOR ONE SPORT, UNIFORM RULES ARE LOOKING LIKE A PRETTY SAFE BET

by Dean Towers

About a decade ago now, I remember dutifully playing the races one evening. I had Penn National and Mountaineer up on my two screens, looking to make a few dollars.

In one of the early races at the Mountain there was an infraction the stewards were examining--an inside horse was drifting mercilessly, moving the outside challenger into about the six path. This decision was taking some time.

Coincidentally, while this inquiry was going on, the exact same thing happened at Penn National. I, as I think a fairly seasoned bettor, saw little difference between the two situations.

When the respective inquiry signs came down, at Penn the inside horse was left up. At Mountaineer, he was pitched. I imagined the thousands of bettors, owners, jockeys, trainers and fans who watched this, collectively finding their palms meeting their foreheads.

This phenomenon doesn't only occur in Thoroughbred racing, of course. For the trotters and pacers--with pylons, breaking stride, fair start poles as only a few examples--it's a very regular occurrence.

In one of the two sports, though, it appears change is on the horizon.

In the summer of 2017 the winningest harness driver of all time--John Campbell--retired and took a new job as the head of the Hambletonian Society. Campbell believed that harness racing, despite rules that are enforced (or not enforced) state by state (and the countless factions in the sport all seemingly pushing and pulling in a hundred directions), could do better. He called for a review of the rules in the sport, with the hopes that they could be uniformly written and enforced.

"We should have universal rules throughout harness racing. [It's] difficult for the judges to rule consistently. This will benefit the gamblers betting on our game, as well as participants and judges. It will be better for all involved to get this accomplished," noted Campbell at the time, as he took on the role as Chair of the effort.

Now, I would not blame you for thinking this sounded good, but like most ideas that get bogged down due to the sports' disparate structures, it would not get off the ground. That's not what's occurred. In fact, not only has this effort moved ahead, it's growing.

As Campbell and his committee, made up of trainers, drivers, horsepeople reps and various regulators, worked to standardize the U.S rulebook, Standardbred racing north of the border decided to join the fight. This directive quickly moved to being North America wide.

It's in Canada where I was asked, as a horseplayer, to take part in these meetings.

Going into them I was not overly confident; I've been to similar ones before as a horseplayer representative in both harness and Thoroughbred racing, and phrases about herding cats filled my head. But I must confess, I am more than pleasantly surprised.

Despite there being a rule for virtually everything in the sport - when horses show up to race in Ohio and Ontario, how a post parade for the public is governed in Nova Scotia versus New York, how interference is adjudicated at Monticello compared to the Meadowlands--they are all being handled meticulously, professionally and with a real desire to come to workable solutions. To hear representatives from a half dozen provinces amalgamate a rulebook, rule by rule, is pretty impressive.

I think it's worked this well because, like in Thoroughbred racing, everyone in the sport agrees that bettors and participants playing a game of jurisdictional, state by state roulette is something that should be a thing of the past. It perfectly exemplifies the proverb, "where there's a will there's a way."

After the initial rules are written, modified and amalgamated, there's still hard work to do and it could take many months; something John Campbell cautioned about very early on when he set no timelines. But I'm pretty confident this will happen.

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As a part of a volunteer horseplayer organization, quite a bit crosses our desks. We've looked into decisions by stewards--decisions that involve hundreds of thousands of dollars of customers' money--that seemed to have little rhyme or reason; we've examined the first-time gelding reporting rules and processes, which are, at best, nebulous. We've been asked to explain what a whip rule is at track A versus track C; what a late surface change does to a bettor's pick 5 in Texas versus what happened to them last week in California. That list barely scratches the surface.

These are all very tough questions to answer, and they've at times caused more than one hair to be pulled out in frustration. But maybe one day they will be questions that aren't so impossible. Harness racing is proving that these seemingly impenetrable cross-jurisdictional walls can at the very least be navigated. That's a heck of a good start.

Dean Towers is a board member of the Horseplayers Association of North America and has presented on wagering topics at various gambling conferences across North America.

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EQUESTRICON TICKETS ON SALE APR. 18

Tickets for the second annual Equestricon convention will be available for purchase Apr. 18, it was announced Wednesday. Scheduled for Monday and Tuesday of Breeders' Cup Festival Week leading up to the Breeders' Cup World Championships at Churchill Downs in Louisville, the convention will feature racing personalities, horsemen, handicappers and fans.

Tickets start as low as $10, and attendees will be offered an all-access pass to the entire two days of Equestricon for $65. A special VIP experience pass offers added access to a VIP party and concert for $360.

Tickets and updated prices will be available for purchase on Equestricon.com Apr. 18.

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BONUSES INCREASED AGAIN FOR DEL MAR'S 'SHIP AND WIN' PROGRAM

Del Mar's "Ship and Win" program, which offers bonuses for out-of-state horses who run during the summer meet, will return in 2018 with increased incentives. In 2011 when the program was introduced, connections of qualifying horses were rewarded with a $1,000 check and 20% purse bonus for initial Del Mar starts. Those numbers jumped to $1,500 and 30% last year, and will be $2,000 and 30% in 2018.

"This has been a wonderfully successful program for our horsemen, for Del Mar and for all of California racing," said Del Mar's racing secretary, David Jerkens. "We're approaching 1,000 horses brought into the state utilizing 'Ship and Win' and they've made thousands of starts at all its major racetracks. When these horses come our way, we find they almost all stay in the state. We added to the bonus money again this year to make it even more lucrative to those willing to step up and we're hoping to see another increase in new stock at our summer meeting."

Horses eligible for the program must have made their last starts outside out California and cannot have started in California within the last 12 months. First time starters are not eligible, and runners competing in stakes will receive the $2,000 starter fee, but no purse bonus.

For questions about eligibility, contact Jerkens or Del Mar's executive VP of racing Tom Robbins at (859) 792-4230.

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NYRA BETS PK5 RETURNS ON WOOD DAY

The NYRA Bets Late Pick 5, available exclusively to members of the New York Racing Association's ADW, will return this Saturday for the GII Wood Memorial S. card. With a 15% take-out and 50-cent minimum bet, the wager will be offered on the last five races of every live card at Aqueduct, Belmont and Saratoga Starting Saturday.

KY DERBY MUSEUM GALA SET FOR APR. 27

The annual Kentucky Derby Museum Gala will be Friday, Apr. 27. Churchill Downs is supporting partner of the event, and will host a cocktail hour at The Mansion on track followed by dinner and dancing at the museum.

"The support we receive from the community through the Gala is invaluable to the Kentucky Derby Museum, its mission and programs. Our amazing Gala Committee always creates a stellar event that is not to be missed," Kentucky Derby Museum President Patrick Armstrong said. "We are also excited to once again partner with Churchill Downs Racetrack. Kicking off the evening in The Mansion has been the perfect start to our Gala for the past two years. We are excited to once again start the evening in such a magnificent venue."

For more details on the event, and to order tickets, visit derbymuseum.org.

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TDN THOROUGHBRED DAILY NEWS

GRADED STAKES ENTRIES

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Friday, Keeneland, post time: 5:30 p.m. EDT

KENTUCKY UTILITIES TRANSYLVANIA S.-GIII, $150,000, 3yo, 1 1/16mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	ML
1	Maraud	Blame	Treadway Racing Stable	Pletcher	Velazquez	3-1
2	Tigers Rule	Kitten's Joy	Secure Investments & Vickie L. Foley	Foley	Rosario	15-1
3	Tap Daddy	Scat Daddy	Winchell Thoroughbreds LLC	Asmussen	Leparoux	12-1
4	Dragon Drew	Get Stormy	W. Bradley, R. Meyer, V. Stamp, V. & Schnurr Family Revocable Trust	Bradley	Graham	12-1
5	Admiralty Pier	English Channel	Hoolie Racing Stable, LLC & Bruce Lunsford	Minshall	Saez	8-1
6	Determinant	Tapit	John C. Oxley	Casse	Gaffalione	12-1
7	Funny Duck	Distorted Humor	Calumet Farm	Arnold, II	Hernandez, Jr.	15-1
8	Captivating Moon	Malibu Moon	Lothenbach Stables, Inc.	Block	Geroux	12-1
9	Golden Dragon	Skipshot	Olympia Star, Inc.	Yanakov	Gilligan	20-1
10	King Valero	Eskendereya	Romert Gonzalez	Gonzalez	Figueroa	50-1
11	Beer Pressure	Silent Name (Jpn)	Loooch Racing Stables, Inc.	Ewing	Albarado	20-1
12	Analyze It	Point of Entry	William H. Lawrence	Brown	Ortiz	7-5

Breeders: 1-John R. & Frank Penn, 2-Jeffrey K., Stephanie E. & William K. Ramsey, 3-Winchell Thoroughbreds LLC, 4-Kimberly S. & William B. Bradley, 5-Calumet Farm, 6-Courtlandt Farm, 7-SF Bloodstock, 8-Lothenbach Stables Inc, 9-Mikhail Yanakov, 10-Dean Grimm, 11-Andy Stronach, 12-P. Headley & Nancy Bell & NATO

Friday, Aqueduct, post time: 5:17 p.m. EDT

DISTAFF H.-GIII, $150,000, 4yo/up, f/m, 7f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	ML
1	Anydayismyday	Afleet Alex	Joseph A. Lowe	Pringle	DeCarlo	30-1
2	Highway Star	Girolamo	Chester & Mary Broman, Sr.	Ubillo	Arroyo	8-1
3	Torrent	Blame	Westrock Stables LLC	Moquett	Lezcano	12-1
4	Divine Miss Grey	Divine Park	Corms Racing Stable	Gargan	Carmouche	9-5
5	Berned	Bernardini	Robert Masiello, West Point Thoroughbreds & Chris Larsen	Motion	Lynch	15-1
6	Picco Uno	Macho Uno	Kennesaw Mountain Racing, LLC	Servis	Franco	12-1
7	Holiday Disguise	Harlan's Holiday	Lady Sheila Stable	Rice	Ortiz, Jr.	9-2
8	Sounds Delicious	Yes It's True	Stud El Aguila	Rice	Alvarado	8-5

Breeders: 1-Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC, 2-Chester & Mary R. Broman, 3-Westrock Stables, LLC, 4-Brereton C. Jones, 5-AR Enterprises, LLC., 6-Topsmeade, LLC & Adena Springs Farm, 7-Dr. William B. Wilmot & Dr. Joan M. Taylor, 8-Eric A. DelValle

Saturday, Santa Anita Park, post time: 6:30 p.m. EDT

SANTA ANITA DERBY-GI, $1,000,000, 3yo, 1 1/8m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Instilled Regard	Arch	OXO Equine LLC	Hollendorfer	Rosario	124
2	Orbit Rain	Orb	Ruis Racing LLC	Ruis	Blanc	124
3	Bolt d'Oro	Medaglia d'Oro	Ruis Racing LLC	Ruis	Castellano	124
4	Jimmy Chila	Jimmy Creed	Reddam Racing LLC	O'Neill	Gutierrez	124
5	Pepe Tono	Bodemeister	Juan J. Garcia	Garcia	Espinoza	124
6	Justify	Scat Daddy	China Horse Club, Head of Plains Partners LLC, Starlight Racing, WinStar Farm	Baffert	Smith	124
7	Core Beliefs	Quality Road	Gary Broad	Eurton	Baze	124

Breeders: 1-KatieRich Farms, 2-Machmer Hall, 3-WinStar Farm, LLC, 4-Highclere Inc. & Springtown Show Stable, 5-Sanford R. Robertson, 6-John D. Gunther, 7-Thomas J. Young

Saturday, Keeneland, post time: 5:45 p.m. EDT

CENTRAL BANK ASHLAND S.-GI, $500,000, 3yo, f, 1 1/16m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	ML
1	Monomoy Girl	Tapizar	M. Dubb, Monomoy Stables, LLC, The Elkstone Group LLC & Bethlehem Stables LLC	Cox	Geroux	4-5
2	Eskimo Kisses	To Honor and Serve	Magdalena Racing, Gainesway Stable & Harold Lerner	McPeek	Lanerie	2-1
3	Patrona Margarita	Special Rate	Craig D. Upham	Calhoun	Hernandez, Jr.	15-1
4	C. S. Incharge	Take Charge Indy	William Pacella, Frank L. Jones, Jr. & Frank Shoop	Romans	Saez	10-1
5	Andina Del Sur	Giant's Causeway	Don Alberto Stable	Albertrani	Leparoux	6-1
6	Ipanema Beach	Candy Ride (Arg)	Narola, LLC & Grant Davies	Arnold, II	Landeros	20-1
7	Tyfosha	Flatter	Zedan Racing Stables Inc	O'Neill	Ortiz, Jr.	15-1

Breeders: 1-FPF LLC & Highfield Ranch, 2-Gainesway Thoroughbreds Ltd., 3-Craig D. Upham, 4-Pacella Racing, Frank L. Jones Jr. & Frank Shoop, 5-Don Alberto Corporation, 6-Dr. Christoph Berglar, 7-Lazy Lane Farms, LLC

Saturday, Aqueduct, post time: 4:44 p.m. EDT

CARTER H.-GI, $400,000, 4yo/up, 7f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Spartiatis	Scat Daddy	Constantine Peter Beler	Rodriguez	Albarado	113
2	Army Mule	Friesan Fire	St. Elias Stable	Pletcher	Bravo	116
3	Favorable Outcome	Flatter	Klaravich Stables, Inc. & William H. Lawrence	Brown	Carmouche	118
4	Do Share	Candy Ride (Arg)	The Estate of Anthony Miuccio	Rice	Alvarado	118
5	Great Stuff	Quality Road	Bruce Golden Racing & David Jacobson	Jacobson	Davis	116
6	Petrov	Flatter	Rialto Racing Stables, LLC, Ron Moquett & Head of Plains Partners LLC	Moquett	Franco	116
7	Red Dragon Tattoo	Bellamy Road	Ten Strike Racing	Guerrero	Lopez	113
8	Green Gratto	Here's Zealous	Grant Grant & Anthony Grant	Grant	DeCarlo	114
9	Skyler's Scramjet	Creative Cause	SJB Stable & Marcello Micozzi	Nevin	McCarthy	116
10	Fellowship	Awesome of Course	Fred J. Brei	Decker	Rose	115
11	Awesome Slew	Awesome Again	Live Oak Plantation	Casse	Velazquez	121

Breeders: 1-C. Peter Beler, 2-Hope Hill Farm, 3-Charles T. Matses, 4-Colts Neck Stables, LLC., 5-Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC, 6-Sun Valley Farm, 7-Patrick Alexander Randal, 8-Kaz Hill Farm, 9-Tommy G. Ligon, 10-Jacks or Better Farm Inc., 11-Live Oak Stud

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Saturday, Santa Anita Park, post time: 7:30 p.m. EDT

SANTA ANITA OAKS-GI, $400,000, 3yo, f, 1 1/16m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	First Dudette	First Dude	Blinkers On Racing Stable, J. Lyons, C. Robin, J. VanDrie & L. Wagner	Koriner	Maragh	121
2	Spring Lily	Union Rags	Pam & Martin Wygod	Shirreffs	Espinoza	121
3	Midnight Bisou	Midnight Lute	Allen Racing LLC & Bloom Racing Stable LLC	Spawr	Smith	121
4	Fool's Paradise	Pioneerof the Nile	Reddam Racing LLC	Cecil	Gutierrez	121
5	Finess Bere (Fr)	Pedro the Great	Bradley Thoroughbred LLC, Madaket Stables LLC & Swift Thoroughbreds, Inc.	Van Dyke	Baffert	121
6	Exuberance	Archarcharch	Seltzer Thoroughbreds	Kruljac	Nakatani	121
7	Spectator	Jimmy Creed	Rick & Sharon Waller	D'Amato	Castellano	121
8	We All Hve Drms	Shackleford	Jim & Donna Daniell	McCarthy	Rosario	121
9	Thirteen Squared	Liaison	Arnold Zetcher LLC	Baffert	Baze	121

Breeders: 1-Gerald & Mary Bennett, 2-Emily Wygod, 3-Woodford Thoroughbreds, 4-Calumet Farm, 5-S.N.C. Regnier & San Gabriel Inv Inc., 6-Lakland Farm, 7-Eric & Sharon Waller, 8-Copper Penny Stables, 9-Arnold Zetcher LLC

Saturday, Keeneland, post time: 5:10 p.m. EDT

MADISON S.-GI, $300,000, 4yo/up, f/m, 7f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	ML
1	Sailor's Valentine	Mizzen Mast	Semaphore Racing LLC & Homewrecker Racing LLC	Kenneally	Lanerie	20-1
2	Lewis Bay	Bernardini	Alpha Delta Stables	Brown	Ortiz, Jr.	7-2
3	Salty	Quality Road	Gary Barber, Baccari Racing Stable LLC & Chester Prince	Casse	Gaffalione	10-1
4	Ms Locust Point	Dialed In	Jim Reichenberg & Cash is King LLC	Servis	Vargas, Jr.	12-1
5	Tequilita	Union Rags	Dorothy Alexander Matz	Matz	Saez	20-1
6	Teresa Z	Smart Strike	St. Elias Stable	Margotta, Jr.	Jimenez	50-1
7	Berned	Bernardini	Three C Stables LLC, West Point Thoroughbreds & Robert Masiello	Motion	Lynch	20-1
8	Miss Sunset	Into Mischief	Alan Phillip Klein & Philip Lebherz	Bonde	Leparoux	9-2
9	Natural Wonder	Summer Bird	Copper Cap Farm	Schu	Landeros	50-1
10	Ami's Mesa	Sky Mesa	Ivan Dalos	Carroll	Contreras	6-1
11	American Gal	Concord Point	Kaleem Shah, Inc.	Callaghan	Ortiz	4-1
12	Finley'sluckycharm	Twirling Candy	Carl R. Moore Management LLC	Calhoun	Hernandez, Jr.	4-1
13	Mines and Magic	Mineshaft	G. Watts Humphrey, Jr.	Oliver	Lezcano	30-1

Breeders: 1-Curtis C. Green, 2-Alpha Delta Stables, LLC, 3-Seclusive Farm, LLC & Prince Farm, LLC, 4-Lesley Campion, 5-Dorothy A. Matz, 6-Besilu Stables, LLC, 7-AR Enterprises, LLC., 8-Premier Thoroughbreds LLC & Alan Klein, 9-Copper Cap Farm Inc., 10-Tall Oaks Farm, 11-Kaleem Shah, Inc., 12-Lakland Farm, 13-G. Watts Humphrey Jr., Susie Keller, Vicki Oliver & G. Watts Humphrey III

Saturday, Keeneland, post time: 6:23 p.m. EDT

TOYOTA BLUE GRASS S.-GII, $1,000,000, 3yo, 1 1/8m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	ML
1	Zing Zang	Tapit	Jackpot Farm	Asmussen	Bridgmohan	30-1
2	Sporting Chance	Tiznow	Robert C. Baker & William L. Mack	Lukas	Saez	10-1
3	California Night	Midnight Lute	Three Diamonds Farm	Maker	Gaffalione	30-1
4	Kanthaka	Jimmy Creed	West Point Thoroughbreds	Hollendorfer	Leparoux	10-1
5	Quip	Distorted Humor	WinStar Farm LLC, China Horse Club International Ltd. & SF Racing LLC	Brisset	Geroux	6-1
6	Marconi	Tapit	Bridlewood Farm, Mrs. John Magnier, Derrick Smith & Michael B. Tabor	Pletcher	Moore	15-1

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Blue Grass S. cont.

7	Blended Citizen	Proud Citizen	Greg Hall & SAYJAY Racing, LLC	O'Neill	Frey	15-1
8	Gotta Go	Shanghai Bobby	Lothenbach Stables, Inc.	Wilkes	Landeros	30-1
9	Tiz Mischief	Into Mischief	Frank L. Jones, Jr.	Romans	Lanerie	30-1
10	Free Drop Billy	Union Rags	Albaugh Family Stables LLC	Romans	Ortiz, Jr.	5-1
11	Good Magic	Curlin	e Five Racing Thoroughbreds & Stonestreet Stables	Brown	Ortiz	2-1
12	Flameaway	Scat Daddy	John C. Oxley	Casse	Lezcano	6-1
13	Machismo	More Than Ready	Ron Paolucci, Ashley Quartarolo & R & C Ritchie	Quartarolo	Radosevich	20-1
14	Arawak	Uncle Mo	C T R Stables LLC, R3 Racing LLC & Steven Keh	O'Neill	De La Cruz	30-1
Also Eligible:						
15	Determinant	Tapit	John C. Oxley	Casse	Gaffalione	20-1

Breeders: 1-Gainesway Thoroughbreds Ltd., 2-Hunter Valley, 3-James H. Tolliver, 4-Spendthrift Farm LLC, 5-WinStar Farm, LLC, 6-Brushwood Stable, 7-Ray Hanson, 8-Machmer Hall, 9-T/C Stable, LLC, 10-Helen K. Groves Revokable Trust, 11-Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC, 12-Phoenix Rising Farms, 13-Pin Oak Stud, LLC, 14-Parrish Hill Farm & Ashford Stud, 15-Courtlandt Farm

Saturday, Aqueduct, post time: 5:55 p.m. EDT

WOOD MEMORIAL S. PRESENTED BY NYRA BETS-GII, $750,000, 3yo, 1 1/8m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Heartfullofstars	Astrology	Agave Racing Stable, Little Red Feather Racing, Bran Jam Stable, and Clark, D.	D'Amato	Davis	123
2	Firenze Fire	Poseidon's Warrior	Mr. Amore Stable	Servis	Franco	123
3	Evaluator	Overanalyze	R and H Stable	Dilger	Carmouche	123
4	Old Time Revival	Brethren	Fred J. Brei	Decker	Rose	123
5	Enticed	Medaglia d'Oro	Godolphin Racing, LLC	McLaughlin	Alvarado	123
6	Catch Twenty Two	Super Saver	E.V. Racing Stable	Chatterpaul	Reyes	123
7	King Zachary	Curlin	Thomas F. Conway	Romans	Albarado	123
8	Restoring Hope	Giant's Causeway	Gary & Mary West	Baffert	Prat	123
9	Vino Rosso	Curlin	Repole Stable & St. Elias Stable	Pletcher	Velazquez	123

Breeders: 1-Terrazas Thoroughbreds, LLC, 2-Mr Amore Stables, 3-EKQ Stables Corp., 4-Jacks or Better Farm Inc., 5-Godolphin, 6-Aschinger Bloodstock Holdings, LLC, 7-Waymore LLC, 8-Gary & Mary West Stables, Inc., 9-John D. Gunther

Saturday, Aqueduct, post time: 3:38 p.m. EDT

GAZELLE S.-GII, $300,000, 3yo, f, 1 1/8m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Mo Shopping	Uncle Mo	Repole Stable	Pletcher	Velazquez	114
2	Virginia Key	Distorted Humor	Blue Heaven Farm	Pletcher	Prat	114
3	Midnight Disguise	Midnight Lute	William B. & Devin T. Wilmot & Joan M. Taylor	Rice	McCarthy	120
4	Smokinpaddylassie	Paddy O'Prado	Edward Bruzek	Coletti, Jr.	Bisono	120
5	Sara Street	Street Sense	Godolphin Racing, LLC	McLaughlin	Davis	114
6	My Miss Lilly	Tapit	Courtlandt Farms	Hennig	Bravo	114

Breeders: 1-Repole Stable Inc, 2-Blue Heaven Farm, 3-Dr. William B. Wilmot & Dr. Joan M.Taylor, 4-Richard Simoff, 5-Godolphin, 6-Winchell Thoroughbreds LLC

Saturday, Keeneland, post time: 4:35 p.m. EDT

SHAKERTOWN S.-GII, $200,000, 3yo/up, 5 1/2fT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	ML
1	Frisky Magician	Street Magician	Michael Dubb	Abreu	Gaffalione	50-1
2	Commute	Hold Me Back	Gabe Grossberg & Sagamore Farm	Casse	Lezcano	5-1

Shakertown S. cont.

3	Kid Perfect	Majesticperfection	Jaguar Racing LLC	Montano, Sr.	Hernandez, Jr.	50-1
4	Zapperini	Ghostzapper	Lloyd Madison Farms, IV LLC	Foley	Beschizza	50-1
5	Bucchero	Kantharos	Ironhorse Racing Stable LLC	Glyshaw	De La Cruz	5-1
6	Commend	War Front	Claiborne Farm & Adele B. Dilschneider	Mott	Ortiz	12-1
7	Will Call	Country Day	Klein Racing	Cox	Bridgmohan	8-1
8	Tombelaine	First Defence	Michael & Jules Iavarone & Regal Horses, LLC	Day Phillips	Leparoux	8-1
9	Big Handsome	Street Boss	Team D, Head of Plains Partners LLC & ERJ Racing, LLC	Dutrow	Geroux	6-1
10	Loose On the Town	Speightstown	Jim & Susan Hill	Lynch	Saez	10-1
11	Latent Revenge	Latent Heat	Steve Vanovich, Steve Andriot, Brad Cain & P.J. Herald	Foley	Saez	30-1
12	Bound for Nowhere	The Factor	Wesley A. Ward	Ward	Garcia	20-1
13	Disco Partner	Disco Rico	Patricia A. Generazio	Clement	Ortiz, Jr.	5-2
14	Flashaway	Eskendereya	John C. Oxley	Casse	Lanerie	20-1
Also Eligible						
15	Mooose	Pleasantly Perfect	Chamerolles Farm LLC	Jurado	Leon	50-1
16	Recruiting Ready	Algorithms	Sagamore Farm	DePaz	Gaffalione	50-1

Breeders: 1-Richard & Kay Zwirn, 2-Meritage LLC, 3-Sovereign Farm LLC, Brereton C. Jones, Ingordo Bloodstock LLC & Padua Stables, 4-Lloyd Madison IV, LLC, 5-Southern Chase Farm, Inc. & Karen Dodd, 6-Claiborne Farm & Adele B. Dilschneider, 7-Richard & Bert Klein, 8-Juddmonte Farms Inc, 9-Rabbah Bloodstock LLC, 10-Anderson Farms Ont. Inc., 11-Westwind Farms, 12-Wayne, Gray & Bryan Lyster, 13-Patricia Generazio, 14-Dell Ridge Farm, LLC, 15-James & Priscilla Potter, 16-Claiborne Farm

Saturday, Santa Anita Park, post time: 7:00 p.m. EDT

ROYAL HEROINE S.-GII, $200,000, 4yo/up, f/m, 1mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Instant Reflex	Quality Road	D P Racing	Cassidy	Espinoza	120
2	Sophie P (GB)	Bushranger (Ire)	D P Racing	Cassidy	Van Dyke	120
3	Beau Recall (Ire)	Sir Prancealot (Ire)	Slam Dunk Racing & Medallion Racing	Callaghan	Rosario	120
4	Mdnght Crssng (Ire)	Dark Angel (Ire)	Abbondanza Racing, LLC & Medallion Racing	Baltas	Blanc	122
5	Thundering Sky	Sky Mesa	Matthew Schera	Weaver	Maragh	120
6	Enola Gray	Grazen	Nicholas B. Alexander	D'Amato	Baze	122
7	Madame Stripes (Arg)	Equal Stripes (Arg)	Gainesway Stable	Drysdale	Desormeaux	122
8	Mongolian Shopper	Any Given Saturday	Mongolian Stable	Ganbat	Elliott	120
9	Sassy Little Lila	Artie Schiller	Jeff Drown & Michael J. Ryan	Mandella	Castellano	120

Breeders: 1-Fred W. Hertrich III & John D. Fielding, 2-New Hall Stud, 3-Tom Wallace, 4-Tom & Geraldine Molan, 5-Almar Farm, LLC, 6-Nick Alexander, 7-Alvarez, Gustavo Javier, 8-Dagvadorj Ganbaatar, 9-Dr. John A. Chandler

Saturday, Keeneland, post time: 4:00 p.m. EDT

COMMONWEALTH S.-GIII, $250,000, 4yo/up, 7f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	ML
1	Heartwood	Tapit	James K. Chapman & Stuart Tsujimoto	Chapman	Valdivia, Jr.	20-1
2	Behavioral Bias	Shackleford	Brittlyn Stable, Inc.	Stall, Jr.	Lezcano	6-1
3	Westwood	Bernardini	Godolphin Racing, LLC	McLaughlin	Ortiz, Jr.	5-1
4	Warrior's Club	Warrior's Reward	Churchill Downs Racing Club	Lukas	Contreras	12-1
5	Conquest Windycity	Tiznow	David Staudacher	Maker	Ortiz	4-1
6	Limousine Liberal	Successful Appeal	Katherine G. Ball	Colebrook	Lanerie	6-5
7	Crewman	Candy Ride (Arg)	Dundalk 5 LLC	Poulos	Landeros	20-1
8	Shut the Box	Hard Spun	Two Dimes Stable	Montano, Sr.	Geroux	15-1
9	Awesome Saturday	Any Given Saturday	Chuck Hovitz	Calhoun	Hernandez, Jr.	20-1
10	First Premio	Pure Prize	Team Valor International	Casse	Gaffalione	12-1

Breeders: 1-Blue Heaven Farm, LLC, 2-Doug & Felicia Branham, 3-Darley, 4-John O'Meara, 5-WinStar Farm, LLC, 6-Mike & Katherine Ball, 7-Emory A. Hamilton, 8-Southern Equine Stables, LLC, 9-Craig L Minten, 10-Ronald G. McPeek

Saturday, Aqueduct, post time: 5:17 p.m. EDT

BAY SHORE S.-GIII, $250,000, 3yo, 7f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	I'm an Ocala Dude	First Dude	Michelle Nevin & Tom F. McCrocklin	Nevin	McCarthy	114
2	A Different Style	The Factor	Leonard C. Green	Servis	Carmouche	120
3	Justaholic	Justin Phillip	Lucky Man Racing LLC	Nations	Ferrer	116
4	National Flag	Speightstown	WinStar Farm LLC, China Horse Club Int'l Ltd. & SF Racing LLC	Pletcher	Prat	116
5	Engage	Into Mischief	Woodford Racing, LLC	Brown	Velazquez	116
6	Aveenu Malcainu	Into Mischief	Gold Square LLC	Englehart	Franco	123
7	Aqua Bel Sar	Trinniberg	Ryan Racing, Inc.	Parboo	Arroyo	116

Breeders: 1-Helen Barbazon & Joseph Barbazon, 2-Fletcher Gray & Carolyn Gray, 3-Gabriel Duignan, Patrick Costello, BenMcElroy & John Wade, 4-Siena Farms LLC, 5-Woods Edge Farm, LLC, 6-Taylor Brothers Properties LLC,George E. Saufley & Brian B. Kahn, 7-Ryan Racing, Inc.

Saturday, Aqueduct, post time: 4:11 p.m. EDT

EXCELSIOR S.-GIII, $150,000, 4yo/up, 1 1/8m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Backsideofthemoon	Malibu Moon	Lake Lonely Racing	O'Brien	McCarthy	119
2	Discreet Lover	Repent	Uriah St. Lewis	St. Lewis	Franco	115
3	Zanotti	Gio Ponti	Ten Strike Racing	Guerrero	Lopez	115
4	Wild About Deb	Eskendereya	Marisa Lizza	Rodriguez	Velazquez	117
5	Harlan Punch	Harlan's Holiday	David Jacobson	Jacobson	Davis	123
6	Admiral Blue	Admiral Alex	Leon J. Blusiewicz	Rodriguez	Alvarado	117
7	Control Group	Posse	Dubb, Michael and Simon, David	Rodriguez	Carmouche	123

Breeders: 1-Doug Branham, 2-Woodford Thoroughbreds, 3-Castleton Lyons & Kilboy Estate, 4-Northwest Farms LLC, 5-Rosemont Farm LLC, 6-Daniel T. O'Ryan & Katherine S. O'Ryan, 7-Colts Neck Stable & Alan Goldberg

Saturday, Santa Anita Park, post time: 4:30 p.m. EDT

PROVIDENCIA S.-GIII, $150,000, 3yo, f, 1 1/8mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Pulpit Rider	Lucky Pulpit	Mr. & Mrs. Larry D. Williams	Puype	Nakatani	120
2	Lexington Grace (Ire)	Sir Prancealot (Ire)	Doug Hames	Kruljac	Castellano	120
3	Treasuring (GB)	Havana Gold (Ire)	Qatar Racing Limited	Callaghan	Maragh	120
4	Paved	Quality Road	Ciaglia Racing LLC & Eclipse TB Partners	McCarthy	Van Dyke	120
5	Ms Bad Behavior	Blame	Sayjay Racing LLC, Greg Hall & Brooke Hubbard	Baltas	Desormeaux	120
6	Fatale Bere (Fr)	Pedro the Great	Benowitz Family Trust, Head of Plains Partners, Mark Mathiesen & Mathilde Powell	Powell	Rosario	120
7	Retro	Giant's Causeway	LNJ Foxwoods	Mandella	Smith	120
8	Florista (Ire)	Casamento (Ire)	Al & Saundra S. Kirkwood	Glatt	Conner	120
9	Deep Breath (Ire)	Bated Breath (GB)	Casner Racing, ERJ Racing & Equilete Stable	Harty	Baze	120

Breeders: 1-Mr. & Mrs. Larry D. Williams, 2-Tally-Ho Stud, 3-The Pocock Family, 4-St. George Farm, LLC, 5-Ron Clarkson, 6-SNC Regnier and San Gabriel Inv., Inc., 7-Barronstown Stud, 8-T. Monaghan, 9-Endeavour Bloodstock

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Rank	Stallion	BTW	BTH	GSW	GSH	G1SW	G1SH	Starters	Wnrs	Highest Earner	Earnings
1	**Violence**	2	6	1	3	--	--	62	18	$132,500	$908,761
	(2010) by Medaglia d'Oro			*Stands: Hill 'n' Dale Farms KY Fee: $25,000*						*Cosmic Burst*	
2	**Jimmy Creed**	2	4	1	1	--	--	37	12	$168,000	$633,395
	(2009) by Distorted Humor			*Stands: Spendthrift Farm KY Fee: $15,000*						*Kanthaka*	
3	**Graydar**	1	2	1	1	--	--	48	15	$129,225	$568,387
	(2009) by Unbridled's Song			*Stands: Taylor Made Stallions KY Fee: $7,500*						*Lombo*	
4	**Paynter**	--	4	--	--	--	--	47	15	$57,900	$533,973
	(2009) by Awesome Again			*Stands: WinStar Farm KY Fee: $12,500*						*Pryor*	
5	**Flat Out**	--	--	--	--	--	--	40	16	$45,600	$482,224
	(2006) by Flatter			*Stands: Spendthrift Farm KY Fee: $7,000*						*Cheponera*	
6	**Justin Phillip**	--	2	--	--	--	--	28	9	$177,569	$473,196
	(2008) by First Samurai			*Stands: Castleton Lyons KY Fee: $5,000*						*Ryono Tesoro*	
7	**Oxbow**	1	2	1	1	--	--	31	11	$172,030	$466,665
	(2010) by Awesome Again			*Stands: Calumet Farm KY Fee: $20,000*						*Coach Rocks*	
8	**Alternation**	--	2	--	--	--	--	34	11	$62,000	$461,295
	(2008) by Distorted Humor			*Stands: Pin Oak Stud KY Fee: $6,000*						*First Alternate*	
9	**Overanalyze**	1	3	--	--	--	--	56	13	$50,850	$423,457
	(2010) by Dixie Union			*Stands: WinStar Farm KY Fee: $15,000*						*Saints' Girl*	
10	**Morning Line**	1	4	--	--	--	--	29	10	$80,000	$402,843
	(2007) by Tiznow			*Stands: Lane's End Farm KY Fee: $7,500*						*Seven Trumpets*	
11	**Poseidon's Warrior**	1	1	--	1	--	--	27	7	$155,000	$377,397
	(2008) by Speightstown			*Stands: Pleasant Acres Stallions FL Fee: $6,500*						*Firenze Fire*	
12	**Shanghai Bobby**	--	3	--	1	--	--	45	6	$54,650	$373,124
	(2010) by Harlan's Holiday			*Stands: Ashford Stud KY Fee: $15,000*						*Shanghai Tariff*	
13	**Orb**	--	--	--	--	--	--	34	8	$73,044	$351,054
	(2010) by Malibu Moon			*Stands: Claiborne Farm KY Fee: $25,000*						*Princess Nonko (JPN)*	
14	**Animal Kingdom**	--	2	--	1	--	--	33	9	$53,400	$340,280
	(2008) by Leroidesanimaux (Brz)			*Stands: Jonabell Farm KY Fee: $30,000*						*Camila Princess*	
15	**Prospective**	1	1	--	--	--	--	25	10	$48,035	$274,999
	(2009) by Malibu Moon			*Stands: Ocala Stud Farm FL Fee: $3,000*						*Piven*	

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AMERICAN ALLOWANCES

IN ORDER OF PURSE:

8th-OP, $84,000, Alw (NW1$9MX)/Opt. Clm ($40,000), 4-4, 4yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:08.77, ft.

GOLDEN MISCHIEF (f, 4, Into Mischief--Lanai City {SP}, by Carson City) captured four stakes races for William and Corinne Heiligbrodt and trainer Steve Asmussen, including Remington's Flashy Lady S. in her sophomore finale last September. Purchased by Juddmonte Farms for $475,000 at FTKNOV and transferred to Brad Cox, she was a disappointing ninth as the 5-2 favorite in Oaklawn's Spring Fever S. last time Mar. 3. Backed as the even-money chalk here, she sat a stalking trip in second, challenged for command at the top of the stretch and took off from there to score by 8 1/4 lengths. Hotshot Anna (Trappe Shot) was second. Lanai City had a colt by Warrior's Reward in 2016 and a colt by Fast Anna this year. Sales history: $180,000 Ylg '15 FTKFEB; $235,000 RNA 2yo '16 OBSMAR; $475,000 3yo '17 FTKNOV. Lifetime Record: MSW, 17-7-3-0, $406,730. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

O-Juddmonte Farms, Inc.; B-Fredericka V. Caldwell (KY); T-Brad H. Cox.

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IN ORDER OF PURSE:

7th-TAM, $22,250, Msw, 4-4, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:13.71, ft.

FOG WARNING (c, 3, Winslow Homer--Get Noticed {SW-PR, $165,982}, by Graeme Hall) kept the early leaders within his scope in third and rallied in the stretch to post a 4 1/4-length decision at odds of 8-1. Heavy favorite Flying Bankroll (Brethren) was second. The winner's dam had a filly by Winslow Homer in 2016 and a filly by Khozan in 2017. She was bred back to Winslow Homer. Sales history: $22,000 RNA Ylg '16 OBSAUG. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, $13,750. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

O-Arnoud W. Dobber; B-Special Effort Farm, Laura & Michael Colon (FL); T-John G Vinson.

ADDITIONAL RACING

STAKES RESULTS:

HIGHLAND ICE S., (NB) $51,300, WRD, 4-3, 3yo/up, c/g, 6f, 1:10.07, ft.

1--**BALANDEEN, 124, c, 4, Bernardini--Mamma Kimbo (GSW, $242,250), by Discreet Cat**. ($190,000 RNA Ylg '15 KEESEP; $110,000 2yo '16 OBSAPR). O-Joey Keith Davis; B-Aaron & Marie Jones (KY); T-Chris A. Hartman; J-David Cabrera. $30,000. Lifetime Record: 20-4-3-2, $252,915.

2--**Topofthemountain**, 124, g, 6, Affirmatif--Snowlark, by Snowbound. O/T-Liz Horner; B-Peter Hladky (OK). $11,000.

3--**He's So Zazzy**, 124, g, 5, Oratory--Super Delicious, by Ra Ra Superstar. O-Thomas Julian; B-Pam K Wright (TX); T-Scott E. Young. $5,500.

Margins: 1, 1, 3/4. Odds: 2.90, 37.80, 2.10.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

6th-OP, $83,000, (S), 4-4, (NW2R3MX), 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:44.96, ft.

MINISTRY (f, 4, Ordained--Heated Debate {SP}, by Closing Argument) Lifetime Record: SW, 8-5-1-2, $286,720. O-Starfish Stable LLC; B-Arthur Hall & C F Newman (AR); T-Jaime N. Gonzalez.

5th-MVR, $24,000, 4-4, (NW3L), 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:41.68, gd.

ROSYJERSEY (f, 4, Jersey Town--Rosy Roar, by Roaring Fever) Lifetime Record: 6-3-1-0, $42,778. O/B-Dormelito Stud (NY); T-Eric R. Reed.

10th-TAM, $22,500, (NW1X)/Opt. Clm ($16,000), 4-4, 4yo/up, 5fT, :56.53, fm.

GO GONE GONE (g, 4, Gone Astray--Gone to Paris, by All Gone) Lifetime Record: 10-4-1-1, $52,310. O-Amancio Alonso; B-Joseph Arango (FL); T-Efren Loza, Jr. *$40,000 Ylg '15 OBSAUG.

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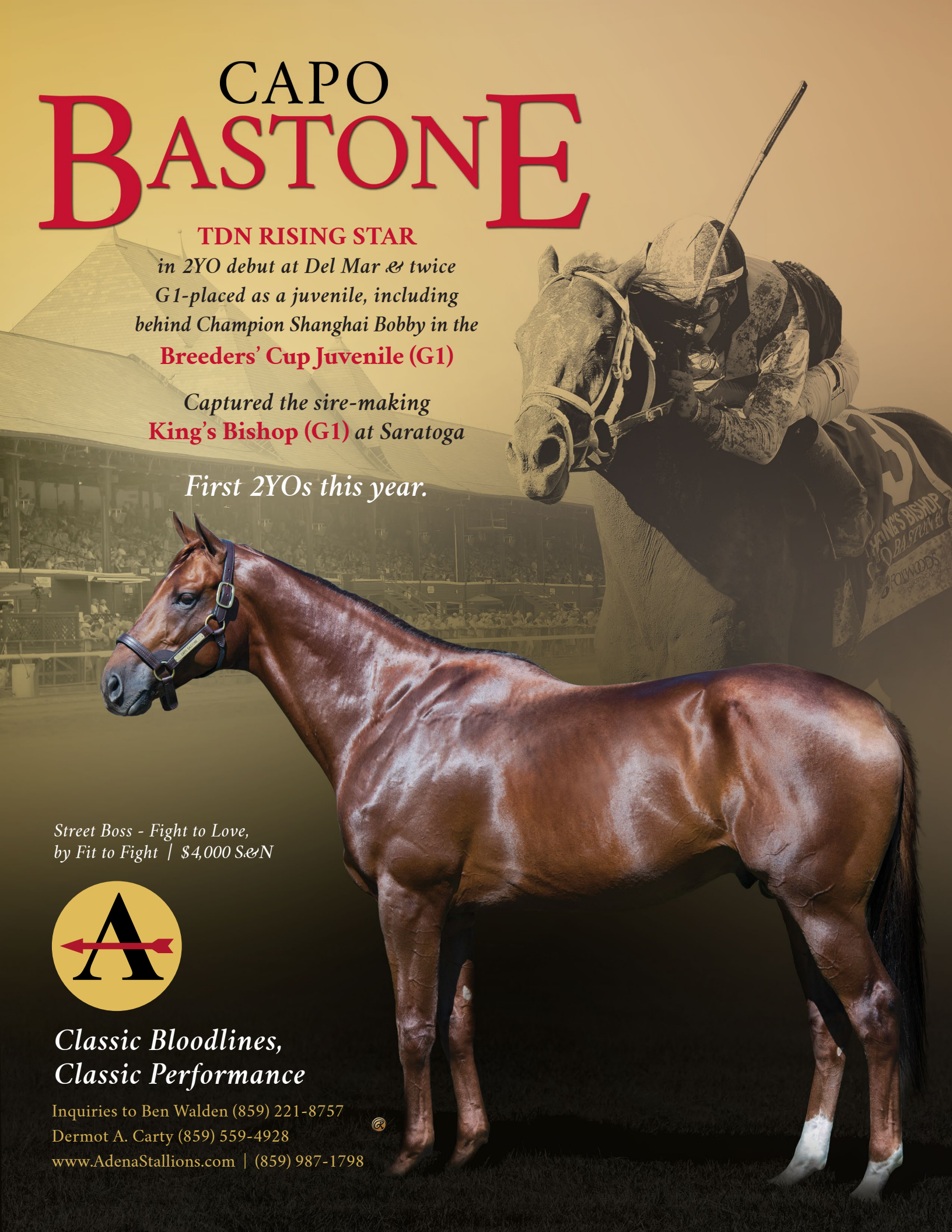

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SPRING MIST (f, 4, Spring At Last--Miss Lulu, by Unbridled) Lifetime Record: 8-2-1-1, $35,050. O-Kim H. Deaton; B-Hargus & Sandra Sexton & Silver Fern Farm, LLC (KY); T-William E. Deaton. *$14,000 Ylg '15 KEESEP; $10,000 RNA 2yo '16 EASMAY. **1/2 to Narvaez (Holy Bull), GSP, $294,023.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:
Gone Awry, f, 3, **Gone Astray**--Imperial Luck, by Imperialism. WRD, 4-3, 5 1/2f, 1:06.87. B-Shane Meche, Glenn Henry, Kenneth Broussard & Ronald Meche (LA). *$1,500 Ylg '16 OBSWIN.

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BERNARDINI, Balandeen, c, 4, o/o Mamma Kimbo, by Discreet Cat. Highland Ice S., 4-3, Will Rogers
GONE ASTRAY, Gone Awry, f, 3, o/o Imperial Luck, by Imperialism. MSW, 4-3, Will Rogers
GONE ASTRAY, Go Gone Gone, g, 4, o/o Gone to Paris, by All Gone. AOC, 4-4, Tampa Bay
INTO MISCHIEF, Golden Mischief, f, 4, o/o Lanai City, by Carson City. AOC, 4-4, Oaklawn Park
JERSEY TOWN, Rosyjersey, f, 4, o/o Rosy Roar, by Roaring Fever. ALW, 4-4, Mahoning Valley Race Course
ORDAINED, Ministry, f, 4, o/o Heated Debate, by Closing Argument. ALW, 4-4, Oaklawn Park
SPRING AT LAST, Spring Mist, f, 4, o/o Miss Lulu, by Unbridled. AOC, 4-4, Tampa Bay
WINSLOW HOMER, Fog Warning, c, 3, o/o Get Noticed, by Graeme Hall. MSW, 4-4, Tampa Bay

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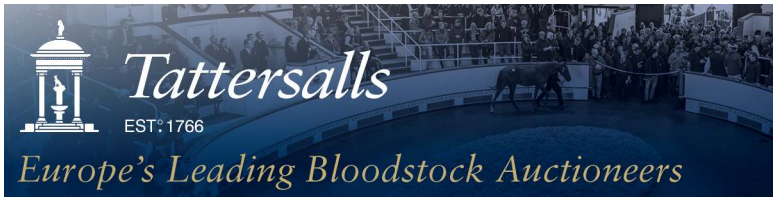

ASCOT SALE OPENS EURO BREEZE-UP SEASON

Sands Of Mali | *Racingfotos.com*

by Chris McGrath

Never mind if the curtain is dripping mud as it is raised on the European breeze-up season at Ascot today. Yes, conditions for yesterday's under-tack show were grim for young horses--especially for those unfortunate enough to be among the last of 127 ploughing through increasingly churned turf, bowing their heads into a swirling curtain of rain. And yes, there will be horses with more obvious pedigrees and physiques available at subsequent sales. Nonetheless anyone prospecting the Tattersalls Ireland catalogue can legitimately cling to two positives.

One is that an environment so lacking in neutrality may well compel buyers--ever more devoted to the stopwatch, in recent years--to go back to basics and think about the kind of things that first gave the breeze-ups a good name: action, demeanour, athleticism. Consignors are understandably worried that buyers may prove unnerved by that challenge, but the fact is that the rewards will be there for horsemen of the old school.

After all, they won't have to change the way they operate. One, returning to the stables, was asked whether he had seen the times yet.

He laughed outright. "You may as well use a grandfather clock for some of them," he said. So perhaps the wet spring, if also impacting Doncaster next week, will yield some salutary lessons to those who--for all their avowals to the contrary--rely first and foremost on all that expensive timing equipment. **Cont. p2**

NEWGATE YOUNG GUNS READY TO FIRE

By Kelsey Riley

There are no certainties in the bloodstock business, but one thing breeders can set their clocks by is that each year, Newgate Farm will be in the hunt for Australia's most desirable stallion prospects.

Given Newgate's constant presence at the very top of the game, whether that be breeding, racing, selling or standing Group 1 horses, it is scarcely believable that the nursery has been in existence for just seven years. The farm has enjoyed success with its foundation stallion, Foxwedge (Aus) (Fastnet Rock {Aus}), the sire of two Group 1 winners from his first crop and, in addition to two sires currently with their first 2-year-olds, Newgate has no fewer than nine unproven stallions coming up through the ranks.

The next to get their chance on the track will be Deep Field (Aus) (Northern Meteor {Aus}), Dissident (Aus) (Sebring {Aus}) and Wandjina (Aus) (Snitzel {Aus}), who have their first yearlings this year. **Cont. p9**

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The other consolation should be that this sale, while unapologetically pitched to those with a relatively limited budget, produced the leading graduate of last year's European breeze-up calendar in Sands Of Mali (Fr) (Panis). He may yet be overtaken by one or more contemporaries who are now on the Classic trail. But for now his G2 Gimcrack S. laurels represent the most prestigious achieved by the crop--and, as his buyer recalled yesterday, Sands Of Mali was actually the very first 2-year-old to breeze anywhere in Europe last year.

Chica La Habana | *Racing Post*

"I sat in the stands with Peter Swann and his wife Karin, and after watching them all we agreed that the very first horse up there had been the best," recalled Matt Coleman of StroudColeman Bloodstock. "That was just on the impression he made, not on times or anything. So we went down to look at him and found a big, strong horse who looked like he'd improve a lot, just an immature frame really."

"He had a wonderful action and we loved the way he went round the corner and disappeared off towards Swinley Bottom--the guy couldn't stop him. He was quite green up the track, so he was actually just getting going. Micky Cleere, who rode him, had never sat on the horse before. And when we asked him he said, 'I don't know what that is, but it can go.'"

Recalling the way he looked here last year, Coleman has high hopes that Sands Of Mali--who was consigned by Bansha House Stables and changed hands for £75,000--can resume his progress this year after failing to build on his York success in two subsequent starts.

"I saw him at Richard Fahey's the other day and he looks fantastic," he enthused. "He has really strengthened up. He ran absolutely no race in the [G1] Middle Park [S]. We had him scoped, blood-tested, everything; nothing turned up, it was just one of those inexplicable days. He seemed lackadaisical in the pre-parade ring and Paul Hanagan said that even going to the start he was not the same horse as in the Gimcrack." **Cont. p3**

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"But he ran well at the Breeders' Cup, just didn't get the trip," he said. "If you watch the video, he had them all on the stretch off the home bend but then the stamina ran out. We think he's a sprinter, and that's the road we'll be going. He'll probably run in the [G3] Prix Sigy next week and then we hope he can come back here for the [G1] Commonwealth Cup."

Coleman completed a good day's work here last year by also buying Swann a filly for £64,000. "Chica La Habana (Ire) (Havana Gold {Ire}) was a very strong, ready-made breeze-up type," he recalled. "She won the Hilary Needler Trophy at Beverley first time out. Unfortunately she got hurt at Royal Ascot, and was never the same afterwards. She was sold at Tattersalls in December and is now with Jim Cassidy in California. She hasn't run out there yet, but she's definitely talented."

Of course, this lot won't all turn out as gifted as that pair. Again, however, that is part of the challenge for buyers after spending three hours in the stands yesterday, making notes with shivering fingers. If they want to be back here in June for the royal meeting, when you would like to think that the going might be rather different, then they must decide which horses should be indulged for struggling in the ground--and which might just be ordinary horses, whatever the conditions.

For perhaps the principal anxiety for the whole sector, entering this new cycle, is the sheer volume of stock. No doubt the hundreds of extra horses in the system partly reflect the pinhooking successes that made so many headlines last year. But they will also include many who simply failed to find a home as yearlings, and were maybe handed over to a consignor in exchange for a stake.

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Madam Dancealot, a TATIRE Ascot graduate, who has scored twice at the Grade II level in the States. | *Benoit Photo*

TATTERSALLS ASCOT BREEZE UP SALE

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Given the symbiotic relationship between the yearling and breeze-up markets, it stands to reason that weaknesses below the top tier last autumn may be replicated this spring. Sooner or later, those contributing to overproduction must expect to pay a price. If that becomes noticeable through the medium of 2-year-old sales, however, then nobody should be blaming the format itself.

After all, it continues reliably to produce progressive racehorses as well as precocious ones. Coleman feels that much of the extra traffic traces to more and more people being inspired to try and turn a profit on a yearling.

"In our industry, whether you're an agent or a jockey or a trainer, we're all results-driven," he said. "So with all these top-class horses coming out of the breeze-ups the last few years, people want to buy them. And whether they're here or at home, clients do like being able to watch a horse gallop. There's obviously plenty to be said for that."

He is especially committed to this auction, as UK representative of Tattersalls Ireland. As such, he can also point to other recent graduates such as MGSW Madam Dancealot (Ire) (Sir Prancealot {Ire}) and, famously, The Wow Signal (Ire) (Starspangledbanner {Aus}), who won the G2 Coventry and G1 Prix Morny after being bought for just £50,000 by Sean Quinn.

While Coleman conceded that the ground yesterday could not be ideal for many, he stressed that they would still be judged on other merits.

"We all time the breezes but there's more to buying a breeze-up horse than that," he said.

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"Times dictate what the horses make but they don't necessarily tell you the best horse," said Coleman. "Sands Of Mali did a good time but he wasn't the fastest. Certainly on this ground it's more a case of assessing the horse, and having trust in the vendors and what they've seen at home. It's not all about two furlongs on one day."

"I've been UK rep for a few years now and part of my job is to bring new buyers to the sales," he added. "That was part of the reason I brought Peter and Karin here last year. It is for early-season horses. But results talk. People might think not it the poshest sale, compared to some of the others, but the best breeze-up horse you could have bought last year was here. The dream, of course, is to end up back here in two months. This sale has certainly found a niche--and it's working."

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CHARLIE FELLOWES BLOG: WHY TRAINERS ARE CREATURES OF HABIT

This is the second installment in a blog by Newmarket trainer Charlie Fellowes, who is entering his fifth season of training from St Gatien Cottage Stables.

Well, the turf season is underway and my yard has got off to an encouraging start. Admittedly, owing to the frustrating nature of the turf season here in England, I have only had one runner on grass (Doncaster's Lincoln meeting is followed by two weeks of all-weather racing), however that was an unlucky fifth in the Lincoln itself with a lovely older horse called Repercussion (GB).

Elsewhere we had a second at the All-Weather Championship finals with the admirably consistent Carolinae (GB) in the fillies' and mares' race, however the result that will have caught most people's eye, was the success of a filly called Snazzy (Ire).

Charlie Fellowes | *Emma Berry*

Fellowes's string on the Severals | *Emma Berry*

Now the subject matter for my second blog is all to do with the sales and what sort of horse we look for when trying to buy for clients. Well Snazzy is the perfect example of everything I wouldn't normally go for, but that is exactly the reason we bought her. I will explain further.

In my eyes, the best trainers are the guys that can train anything; sharp 2-year olds, stayers, milers, fillies, colts etc. I am now starting my fifth season with a licence and I am very aware that a lot of my best horses have been older horses that stay further than a mile. I therefore made the conscious decision to look for some sharper types at the sales last autumn, as I knew that I would probably be sent more backward types by my owner-breeders. Up step Snazzy. The earliest I have ever run a 2-year-old before last weekend was Guineas weekend in my first season as a trainer, however not only did Snazzy run in March, but she also won first time out. On pedigree she is born and bred to be out this early (by Kodiac (GB) out of a mare who heralds from a family full of speed), and as a neat well-developed filly, it meant that she was more than ready to make an early debut. Hopefully she will turn out to be good enough to head to Royal Ascot and raise the profile of our fledgling yard further.

The problem with buying smaller, sharper types is that generally speaking, demand is higher, and with higher demand you generally get higher prices. I buy a lot of my horses on spec and therefore can't afford to go overboard on the price front, so you have to give way on certain things. If you want to buy a horse who ticks the boxes both physically and on pedigree then you need to be ready to fork out plenty. I am not willing to give way on the physical aspects of a horse so I am happy enough to forgive a light pedigree. In my first year we bought Wet Sail, a Henrythenavigator colt out of a stakes-producing but very old mare.

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Henrythenavigator had gone a bit cold by this time and the mare hadn't produced a decent foal for a few years but he was a lovely strong individual that I fell in love with. Endless Acres (Ire) was another very good example as he was by Champs Elysees (GB) out of a mare that had produced just two winners, but once again he was a lovely type with a great walk and plenty of scope. The mare was from a staying family (by Alzao) and therefore his late-maturing pedigree was unfashionable, making him more affordable. Both horses achieved official BHA ratings of 103 and 98, respectively, and cost less than £40,000.

As a trainer, I am a creature of habit, and if we have success with something, I love to go back and revisit it. No, I am not talking about my appalling habit of wearing odd socks, so kindly pointed out by *TDN*'s European editor Emma Berry on Twitter recently, but instead an affiliation with certain stallions.

One who stands out in particular is Showcasing (GB), and although I am working on an extremely small sample, there is no doubt he has been a very lucky stallion for me. The first of his produce I was lucky enough to train was a gorgeous colt called Kasseopia (GB) who myself and Charlie Gordon Watson Bloodstock bought for £40,000 at the Craven Breeze-up Sale. His breeze was shockingly slow but he was a very good-looking horse and had only got going right at the end of his breeze, resulting in a slow time. Pretty quickly it became obvious he was smart and he duly won his third star by nine lengths at Kempton. Sold on to Team Valor, he sadly left my care after a second in a Grade III at Woodbine, but to this day he remains the most talented horse I have ever looked after. My first stakes winner, Moonlit Show (GB), was another Showcasing I was lucky enough to train for Peter O'Callaghan and the team at Yeomanstown Stud. She won a listed race at Fairyhouse impressively, before being retired at the end of her 2-year-old season, and was a huge landmark in my career as a trainer.

We secured one Showcasing yearling at the sales last autumn and were he by a different stallion, I am sure I would not have been as brave, as I spent far more than I would normally be comfortable with. He is out of a mare called Moving Sea (Ire) who has not produced a winner from two foals but the pedigree does boast top-class sprinter Muharaar under the second dam. So far, this lovely colt is doing everything right at home and hopefully he will continue my lucky run with the stallion.

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SEXTET ENTER DERBY PICTURE

Six 3-year-olds have been entered--at a cost of £9,000 apiece--at the second entry stage in the £1.5-million 1 1/2-mile G1 Investec Derby on June 2, Epsom Downs Racecourse announced on Wednesday. Among the sextet is G3 Acomb S. hero and Tim Easterby-trained **Wells Farhh Go (Ire)** (Farhh {GB}) who represents S A Heley & Partner; the Al Shaqab Racing duo of impressive nine-length winner **Rabdan (GB)** (Frankel {GB}) for Andre Fabre and the winning **Fajjaj (Ire)** (Dawn Approach {Ire}), for Hugo Palmer; fellow Palmer two-time scorer **White Mocha** (Lope de Vega {Ire}) for Dr. Ali Ridha; the once-raced **Bedouin's Story (GB)** (Farhh {GB}), who is aiming to give Godolphin and trainer Saeed bin Suroor a first Derby victory; and the unraced **Miles Christianus (Ire)** (The Carbon Unit) for Thistle Bloodstock. The total entries for the Derby now sit at 135. Cont. p7

Wells Farhh Go (red cap) wins the G3 Acomb S. | *Racing Post*

Sextet Enter Derby Picture Cont.

"Some interesting colts have been added to the Investec Derby at the second entry stage, including Rabdan, who Unibet have introduced into their Investec Derby betting at 25-1, the joint-eighth favourite," said Unibet's Head of Racing Communications Ed Nicholson. "Andre Fabre's Frankel colt impressed us recently at Saint-Cloud and it will be interesting to see where the master trainer goes with him next. That race was just a maiden, but Rabdan did it in great style and showed the mile and a half will not be an issue for him come the first weekend of June."

A horse can still secure a berth in the Investec Derby if they win the Listed Investec Blue Riband Trial over 10 furlongs at Epsom on Apr. 25. There is also a final entry stage, the five-day confirmation stage on Monday, May 28, where a horse can be supplemented for £85,000.

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ELARQAM, 'RAJA' STRAIGHT TO GUINEAS

Elarqam | *Racing Post*

Undefeated **Elarqam (GB)** (Frankel {GB}), who won the G3 Tattersalls Somerville S. for Sheikh Hamdan and trainer Mark Johnston will head straight to the G1 QIPCO 2000 Guineas at Newmarket on May 5 and will not have a prep race beforehand.

"We will go straight to the Guineas with him and I am looking forward to it," said former champion jockey Jim Crowley, who was aboard the 1.6-million gns purchase second up in the Somerville. "Hopefully Elarqam is something to look forward to this year. When you have got that pedigree and price tag there is always going to be a little bit of anticipation of the horse living up to the hype. He is a lovely horse and has got a great temperament. He did what I thought he would do at Newmarket last time out and the form has worked out nicely with winners coming out of it. I've hit the crossbar a couple of times in Classic races and now the aim is to win one, but they are never easy."

G2 Coventry S. winner **Rajasinghe (Ire)** (Choisir {Aus}) is also going directly to the first Classic of the season at Headquarters. The Rebel Racing colourbearer was unplaced in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Turf behind Mendelssohn (Scat Daddy), but trainer Richard Spencer feels his charge has wintered well.

"The plan all along has been to go straight to the Guineas, with a view of giving him a racecourse gallop two weeks before," said Spencer. "He has wintered well and looks as good, if not better, than last year. "We are going there with a personal view that I think he will stay the mile. He has obviously got that natural speed a miler needs. The plan is to start off in the Guineas with a view that we can stick to that trip or always bring him back."

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2011 G1 Deutsches Derby hero Waldpark (Ger) is looking for his first winner at Lyon Parilly on Thursday. | *Haras du Thenney*

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on the European racing scene

2.50 Saint-Cloud, Mdn, €25,000, unraced 3yo, f, 8fT
Alain and Gerard Wertheimer introduce a pair of intriguing prospects in this firsters' heat. **HALLUCINATE (GB) (Dubawi {Ire})** is a daughter of 2011 GI Mother Goose S. heroine Buster's Ready (More Than Ready) and represents Freddy Head. She is joined by Carlos Laffon-Parias trainee **Zanibar (Fr) (Invincible Spirit {Ire})**, a full-sister to last term's Listed Prix Coronation victress Enlighted (Ire), whose stakes-winning dam Flash Dance (Ire) (Zamindar) concluded her career with five Group 1 starts acting as chaperone for the storied Goldikova (Ire) (Anabaa), posting a fourth in the 2011 G1 Prix d'Ispahan.

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13 TRAINERS LOSE RIGHT TO SELF-CERTIFY

A total of 13 Flat trainers will have their right to withdraw horses via self-certificate suspended for 12 months beginning on Apr. 16, announced the British Horseracing Authority on Wednesday. The 13 did not operate below a set threshold regarding non-runner rates, in this case on the Flat at 14% and will have 14 days in which they may query the data. Trainers were informed of the changes in August of last year, and they had until April Fools' Day to reduce their non-runner rates. The recommendation of the recent non-runner review has seen the percentage of non-runner rates drop from 6.6% to 5.7% in the first three months of 2018.

"It is essential that we take these steps to reduce the number of non-runners," said BHA Chief Operating Officer Richard Wayman. "They are not good for our sport, its fans or its participants. What the data has shown is that the vast majority of trainers are able to operate well beneath the thresholds without any issue. Of course the welfare of horses must continue to come first and we fully expect that, if a horse is not fit to run, the affected trainers would withdraw it via a vet's certificate with no penalty."

Click here for a full list of trainers' non-runner rates, including those suspended.

PLUS 10 PAYS FIRST 2018 2YO BONUSES

Three Plus 10 races were conducted this past weekend, with the incentive programme paying out twice: at Newcastle with Charlie Fellowes trainee **Snazzy (Ire)** (Kodiac {GB}) for Highclere Racing and over the Musselburgh lawn with **Mayson Mac (GB)** (Mayson {GB}) for Evan Sutherland from the David O'Meara yard. The connections of each winner received a £10,000 increase in prizemoney. There will be over 800 2-year-old and 3-year-old races across Britain and Ireland that will feature a bonus in 2018. The race programme can be found at here.

CONDITIONS RESULTS:
2nd-SOU, £6,000, Cond, 4-4, 3yo/up, 6f 16y (AWT), 1:14.24, st.
LORD OBERON (GB) (g, 3, Mayson {GB}--Fairy Shoes {GB}, by Kyllachy {GB}) Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, $11,011. O-D J Mackay & Mrs E Burke; B-Mrs Sheila Oakes (GB); T-Karl Burke.
*80,000gns Ylg '16 TAOCT.

3rd-KEM, £6,000, 4-4, 4yo/up, 8f (AWT), 1:38.95, st.
MORDIN (IRE) (g, 4, Invincible Spirit {Ire}--Bryanstown {Ire}, by Galileo {Ire}) Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, $9,369. O-Abdullah Saeed Al Naboodah; B-Bernard Cooke (IRE); T-Simon Crisford.
*88,000gns Wlg '14 TATFOA; 200,000gns 2yo '16 TATBRE.

8th-LIN, £5,800, 4-4, 3yo, 12f (AWT), 2:29.67, st.
TECHNOLOGICAL (GB) (c, 3, Universal {Ire}--Qeethaara, by Aljabr) Lifetime Record: 7-2-2-0, $13,686. O-Mr Abdulla Al Mansoori; B-Stephen K. Isaac (GB); T-George Margarson.
*1,500gns Wlg '15 TATFOA.

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YOUMZAIN MOVED TO GLENVIEW

Triple G1 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe runner-up and MG1SW **Youmzain (Ire)** (Sinndar {Ire}--Sadima {Ire}, by Sadler's Wells) will stand the 2018 season at Glenview Stud in Ireland, reported *Racing Post*. The sire of GI Beverly D. S. heroine Sea Calisi (Fr), the former Mick Channon trainee is a half-brother to G1 Juddmonte Lockinge S. hero Creachadoir (Ire) (King's Best) and spent his first seven seasons at Haras du Quesnay in France. The 15-year-old has sired five black-type winners, including Group 2 winner Royal Youmzain (Fr).

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ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Wesenberg (Ger), c, 3, **Mastercraftsman (Ire)**--Winterthur (Ger) (SW-Ger & SP-Ity), by Alkalde (Ger). MUL, 4-3, 8fT, 1:44.74. B-Gestut Ebbesloh (GER). *1/2 to Wolkenburg (Ger) (Big Shuffle), SW & GSP-Ger; Winnemark (Ger) (Lando {Ger}), MGSP-Ger; and Wuhan (Ger) (One Cool Cat), GSP-Ger.

EUROPEAN-BRED WINNERS

IN QATAR:

Jewel House (GB), c, 4, **Dubawi (Ire)**--Arizona Jewel (GB), by Dansili (GB). Al Rayyan, 4-4, Hcp., 2000m. B-Juddmonte Farms Ltd. *215,000gns HRA '17 TATJUL. **VIDEO**

WORLDWIDE NEWS

Newgate Young Guns Ready to Fire Cont. from p1

Deep Field is a speedy, Group 2-winning son of Northern Meteor (Aus) (Encosta de Lago {Aus}). Northern Meteor died after siring just four crops but is shaping into an influential sire, his Zoustar (Aus) currently leading the first-season sire ranks. Deep Field is the first foal out of the A$3.2-million mare Listen Here (Aus) (Elusive Quality), the second being the G1 Caulfield Guineas winner Shooting To Win (Aus) (Northern Meteor {Aus}). With four major yearling sales in the book so far, Deep Field has averaged A$141,542.

Wayne Hawkes, Henry Field and John Hawkes | *Inglis photo*

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>
> Henry Field

Dissident, Australian Horse of the Year and a five-time Group 1 winner from seven furlongs to a mile, has averaged A$145,701. Dissident beat Wandjina in his final start, the 2015 G1 All Aged S., but Wandjina had already secured his spot at stud with a win in the G1 Australian Guineas. His yearlings have averaged A$104,783.

It certainly takes some strategising to ensure the careers of so many young horses get off to a fast start, and Newgate Managing Director Henry Field said some key elements include Newgate supporting the stallions themselves as well as syndicating them among the country's top breeders.

"We've worked really hard to build what we think is the most desirable roster of young stallions in Australia," he said. "A big part of the growth of Newgate has been the mentoring from and the partnerships we have with SF Bloodstock and also Matthew Sandblom."

"First of all, we only stand stallions that we're willing to support ourselves," Field said. "We breed 30 or 40 of our own mares to each of our horses for their first two seasons. We only stand horses that we believe the market will really get behind, and we also syndicate the majority of our horses, so many of the leading farms around the Hunter Valley are shareholders. We really got aggressive with syndication five or six years ago and I think that's led other studs such as Coolmore and a lot of the other major farms in the Hunter Valley to follow suit."

Field said syndication experienced a dip in popularity when global powerhouses Coolmore and Darley became major players in the market--they own most of their stallions outright--but he said he thinks the increase in competition provided by Newgate has seen some of the major farms pick this model back up as a means to attract breeders' best mares.

"We're a big believer that great breeders make great stallions, so we work hard to bring our horses into partnership with really top-class breeders," he said. **Cont. p10**

NEW JOB OPENINGS

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Newgate Young Guns Ready to Fire Cont.

"So many of our shareholders support our stallions so well, and now we've seen Coolmore syndicating the likes of Merchant Navy; I certainly think we're a part of the reason they've done that, and a lot of the other major farms in the Hunter Valley too. Syndication is back to being the norm again, and I think it's a great thing for broodmare owners because it gives them the opportunity to be part of the upside in a stallion."

Tom Ryan and Henry Field | *Aushorse photo*

Newgate has also supported its stallions by buying some of their progeny as yearlings, but Field stressed they would only buy colts fitting the strict criteria they look for in future stallions.

"We buy 10 or 15 colts a year, and that's more for our program of buying yearlings to produce our next stallions, and it's been a very successful operation for us with the likes of Capitalist and Russian Revolution," he said. "So far this year we've bought yearlings by all three of our first-crop stallions that we deemed good enough to go into our colts' program, and they'll go to Peter and Paul Snowden."

"The reality is that we support the stallions very heavily with high-class mares and we set them up to get a wonderful opportunity," he added. "We wouldn't expect or ask breeders to breed to stallions that we wouldn't support ourselves. There are a quite a few commercial stallion farms in Australia that have stood stallions and not supported them at all in the last five, 10, 15 years. We are very strong in our policy that if we're not going to support them heavily, we shouldn't expect breeders to do so. The whole way through the circle from breeding good mares to them, inspecting all their weanlings and yearlings, working as hard as we can to make sure they go into good stables, we work really hard at it. I think a huge part of the success of Newgate is people know that we don't just cover your mare and take your money. We believe in the whole process. I'm pretty sure we covered more mares than any other farm in Australia last year and I believe that's for two reasons: the product--we have many of the most exciting young stallions and stallion prospects in Australia--and secondly because we service our customers and treat them like partners, not just the old take the money and run approach."

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A quick glance at the Newgate roster confirms that Field and his team are fond of the speed horses for which Australia has become renowned. Ten of the 13 horses on the roster did their best running at distances below a mile, and Field said it behooves him to play to the breed's strengths.

"We're big believers in Australian speed," he said. "There's a reason why over the last 10 years the sire tables have been dominated by Australian stallions. If you look back at the top 10 Australian stallions over the last decade, there's very seldom a shuttle horse in the group. Every now and again there's a Street Cry, or a Danehill or More Than Ready that comes up, but absolutely the vast, vast majority of top-class stallions in Australia are fast, Australian colonial horses. I would recommend that people actually look through the sire tables themselves and see how clear this pattern is."

The speed-focused nature of Australian breeding and racing is a constant topic of discussion, especially as the country's longer-distance races continue to be dominated by European or New Zealand-sourced horses, but Field said he is not concerned by this trend.

"I'm very proud of the fact that, I believe, Australia breeds the fastest horses in the world, the best sprinters in the world, the best 2-year-olds in the world," he said. "That's what we really shine at and I'm a big believer in playing to your strengths. We've seen people bring out the mile, 2000-metre [shuttle stallions], and for the most part they've failed one after the next. When you stand the fastest Australian stallions, you're standing the fastest horses probably in the world given the fact that I believe our product, speed horses, are better than anywhere in the world."

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Newgate Young Guns Ready to Fire Cont.

Foxwedge shuttled to Whitsbury Manor Stud in England for four seasons and sired a pair of listed winners as well as the Group 1-placed Urban Fox (GB), and Field said that given the overall record of Australian shuttlers in Europe, he wouldn't be afraid to try another of his stallions there.

"If you look at shuttle stallions over the last 15 years, the Australian horse has definitely been far more successful in Europe than the European horse in Australia," he said. "The likes of Fastnet Rock, Exceed and Excel and Choisir. That's from a very small sample size, and I believe the reason for that is because you can't teach speed; you can only inherit it. It's such a heritable thing and we're injecting a supreme level of speed into European broodmares, and I think it's fascinating to think that the strike rate of fast, Australian horses succeeding in Europe far outweighs the European horses working in Australia from a shuttle perspective."

Dual Group 1-winning sprinter Russian Revolution, new to Newgate for 2018 | *Bronwen Healy*

In addition to Darley and Coolmore-owned young sires, unproven horses like Spill The Beans (Aus) (Snitzel {Aus}), Divine Prophet (Aus) (Choisir {Aus}) and Scissor Kick (Aus) (Redoute's Choice {Aus}) are being tried in Europe, but field said he would prefer to take the approach of shuttling a proven sire.

"I see a lot of opportunity and upside in that," he said. "Certainly we have some really exciting young stallions, for example Dissident, Deep Field and Wandjina all have yearlings we like very much. One of those horses, if they were champion first-season Australian sire, we'd certainly be very open-minded to shuttle one of them to Europe. But we'd rather them prove themselves in Australia first as a rule, and if they do that they can demand a better service fee in Europe and it would allow us the opportunity to buy mares and support them in Europe as well. It would be far more commercially viable."

It often seems that time flies as quickly as the Australian sprinter, and as such breeders will soon be getting a look at the next batch of Newgate-sired foals at the Australian breeding stock sales. Its first-crop foal sires are Horse of the Year Criterion (NZ) (Sebring {Aus}), who breaks the Newgate mold slightly by being a four-time Group 1 winner over 2000 and 2400 metres; and the super speedy Super One (Aus) (I Am Invincible {Aus}), a Group 3 winner over 5 1/2 furlongs. Super One has one catalogued for the Chairman's Sale - Elite Breeding Prospects and six for the Inglis Australian Broodmare and Weanling Sale. With their first foals due in 2018 is Newgate's largest intake of sires yet: G1 Golden Slipper winner Capitalist (Aus) (Written Tycoon {Aus}), who covered the largest book in Australia last year with 229 mares; G1 Blue Diamond S. winner Extreme Choice (Aus) (Not A Single Doubt {Aus}) (118 covered); G1 Coolmore Stud S. winner Flying Artie (Aus) (Artie Schiller) (185 covered) and the two-time group-winning sprinter Winning Rupert (Aus) (Written Tycoon {Aus}) (147 covered).

Already back at Newgate and preparing to begin his stud career this year after collecting a pair of 5 1/2-furlong Group 1s is Russian Revolution (Aus) (Snitzel {Aus}), a A$320,000 yearling purchase by China Horse Club. Field said interest in the 4-year-old has been strong.

"Russian Revolution has settled in really well," he said. "I can't remember ever having a stallion that's had more mares apply. I suppose given he's by far the fastest son of Snitzel ever to go to stud, and the fact he comes from that wonderful Encosta de Lago/Flying Spur pedigree, I suppose it's not something we should be surprised by." ***(Click here to return to p1)***

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CAMBRIDGE STUD ENTERS NEW ERA

Historic Cambridge Stud in New Zealand begins a new era under the ownership of Brendan and Jo Lindsay, as of Wednesday. Sir Patrick and Lady Justine Hogan developed the stud into a top-notch operation, standing leading stallions Sir Tristram (Ire) and his son Zabeel (NZ). More recently, young sire Tavistock (NZ) (Montjeu {Ire}) is beginning to make his mark. The change in ownership was announced in November.

"Our decision to buy Cambridge Stud underlines our commitment to New Zealand and its Thoroughbred industry and our shared desire for the iconic brand to remain in New Zealand," said Jo Lindsay.

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Jo & Brendan Lindsay, new owners of Cambridge Stud | *Peter Rubery*

Added Brendan, "Cambridge will undergo a major refurbishment over the next three years, including the upgrade of the recently acquired, adjoining Thorpe property, to cater for our expanding stallion roster. We will continue to operate Cambridge as a premier stallion and broodmare operation, doing what the stud has done best for 40 years, while our Karaka farm will be integrated with the Stud, carrying mares and foals and continuing to support the racing operation."

Former Godolphin Australia Managing Director Henry Plumptre will serve as chief executive and Scott Calder will serve as head of sales and nominations. Marcus Corban will continue as stud manager and Angelique Bridson will be in charge of marketing.

"We are all very excited to be part of something as special as Cambridge Stud," said Plumptre. "It is a privilege to be involved with an industry icon and we look forward to creating something that complements the brand as it is now, but sets the tone for the next 50 years. The enthusiasm and energy shown by Brendan and Jo already is infectious and we are all looking forward to the next few years, with the challenges they will bring. Cambridge and the farm at Karaka carry wonderful staff and I am very confident that they will rise to the occasion."

The 2018 fees for the three-horse Cambridge roster of Tavistock, Burgundy (NZ) (Redoute's Choice {Aus}) and Highly Recommended (Aus) (Fastnet Rock {Aus}, will be announced in the coming weeks.

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IMPENDING WILL STAND AT NORTHWOOD

Godolphin's homebred **Impending (Aus)** (Lonhro {Aus}--Mnemosyne {Aus}, by Encosta de Lago {Aus}), who won the G1 Stradbroke H. at Doomben during his 3-year-old year, will stand at Northwood Park in Victoria at season's end, Darley Australia announced Thursday morning. Graduating at first asking at Rosehill, the bay scored his first group victory in the 1500m G2 Stan Fox S. after finishing third in the G1 Golden Rose S. over 1400 metres early in his sophomore season before improving to take the Stradbroke in the Southern Hemisphere fall. The James Cummings trainee currently sports a record of three wins in 14 starts and earnings of $1,288,639. He was last seen in action running third in the G1 Darley Classic at Flemington on Nov. 11.

Out of champion and MG1SW Mnemosyne, Impending is a half-brother to Group 3 winner Forget (Aus) (Exceed And Excel {Aus}), as well as GSP Memorial (Aus) (Street Cry {Ire}) and a full to SP Epidemic (Aus). His SW second dam My Juliet (Aus) (Canny Lad {Aus}) is a half-sister to Group 2 placed Perfect Crime (Aus) (Marauding {NZ}).

"When you send a Group 1-winning mare like Mnemosyne to a champion racehorse and sire like Lonhro, you hope for a result like Impending," said Darley's Victoria General Manager Andy Makvi. "He's a great athlete and a great physical specimen. If his progeny inherit his looks and his walk, yearling buyers are going to be all over them. It's greatly in his favour that he's the product of two colonial-bred, Danehill-free champions. And Lonhro's dynasty is really on the move--Pierro (Aus) is showing the way, and there's Exosphere (Aus) and Impending to follow."

Impending will stand for A$20,000.

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Impending | *Darley*

WOODSIDE PARK ANNOUNCES 2018 FEES

Victoria-based Woodside Park Stud has announced their 2018 roster and fees, reported *ANZ Bloodstock News* early Thursday. Led by **Written Tycoon (Aus)** (Iglesia {Aus}) at A$110,000--he commanded A$88,000 in 2017--the roster is augmented by Written Tycoon's son **Rich Enuff (Aus)** at A$12,100 and shuttler **Cable Bay (Ire)** (Invincible Spirit {Ire}), who will stand for A$13,200. Cont. p13

Written Tycoon | *Woodside Park Stud*

Woodside Park Announces 2018 Fees Cont.

The four-strong roster is rounded out by MG1SW **Tosen Stardom (Jpn)** (Deep Impact {Jpn}), who is still in training. His fee will be announced later.

"Woodside's 2018 stallion roster will have worldwide appeal to broodmare owners with bloodlines from international superstars and colonial speed, with proven champions and promising, exciting young stallions," Woodside Park Stud Commercial General Manager James Price told *ANZ*. "Woodside Park Stud is proud to support and grow the Victorian breeding industry, and being passionately Victorian-owned, they believe Written Tycoon will continue to play a pivotal role in the success of the Victorian industry for the rest of his breeding career.

The chestnut's son Written By (Aus) saluted in the 2018 G1 Blue Diamond S., and was a strong fourth in the G1 Golden Slipper S. Written Tycoon has already sired champion juvenile colt and Golden Slipper hero Capitalist (Aus).

"It's highly likely that Written By will be awarded champion Australian 2-year-old colt. This will place Written Tycoon in elite company, joining Redoute's Choice (Aus) as one of only two stallions to have sired two champion 2-year-old colts in Australia in the last 20 years.

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Woodside Park Stud 2018 Roster & Fees

Stallion	Fee
Written Tycoon (Aus)	A$110,000
Rich Enuff (Aus)	A$12,100
Cable Bay (Ire)	A$13,200
Tosen Stardom (Jpn)*	TBD

**First-season sire*

'ALADDIN' TO RICH HILL STUD

Satono Aladdin (Jpn) (Deep Impact {Jpn}--Magic Storm, by Storm Cat), who won the G1 Yasuda Kinen last year for Satomi Horse Company and trainer Yasutoshi Ikee, will shuttle to Rich Hill Stud in New Zealand as part of a partnership between Shadai Stallion Station and the New Zealand nursery, the stud announced on Wednesday. Successful three times at group level, the Northern Farm-bred also won the G2 Mainichi Broadcast Swan S. and G2 Keio Hai Spring Cup amidst his eight wins in 29 starts. He retired to stand for ¥1,000,000 at Shadai Stallion Station this spring with $4,088,282 in earnings.

"Satono Aladdin is a magnificent looking horse. He had a great turn of foot and his time of 1:31.5 for the 1600m [of the Yasuda Kinen] that day was amazing, just point-two of a second outside the race record," Rich Hill Stud's John Thompson said. "His pedigree is also top class. The Sunday Silence sire line, especially through his champion son Deep Impact, has become a very sought after international commodity, so Satono Aladdin is a major coup for the New Zealand breeding industry."

Purchased for ¥130,00,000 *(US$1,219,705/£866,853/€993,154/A$1,583,764)* as a weanling by Hajime Satomi out of the JRHJUL sale, the bay is out of Grade II winner and GI Spinaway S. third Magic Storm (Storm Cat). Bred on the Deep Impact/Storm Cat cross that has also produced top-flight winners A Shin Hikari (Jpn), Kizuna (Jpn), Real Steel (Jpn) and Ayusan (Jpn), Satono Aladdin is a full-brother to G1 Queen Elizabeth II Cup heroine Lachesis (Jpn), as well as MGSP Flawless Magic (Jpn). GISW Drill (Lawyer Ron) is out of a full-sister to Magic Storm, while Satono Aladdin's third dam is SW & GSP Water Dance (Nijinsky II). This is the extended family of champion and dual U.S. Classic hero Little Current (Sea Bird {Fr}), as well as GISW Prayers'n Promises (Foolish Pleasure).

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Satono Aladdin | *JBIS photo*

'Aladdin' to Rich Hill Stud Cont.

Rich Hill Stud and Shadai earlier partnered with successful sire Pentire (GB) (Be My Guest), while the duo also bred 2015 G1 Melbourne Cup winner Prince of Penzance (NZ). Satono Aladdin is set to cover a restricted book and his fee will be announced later.

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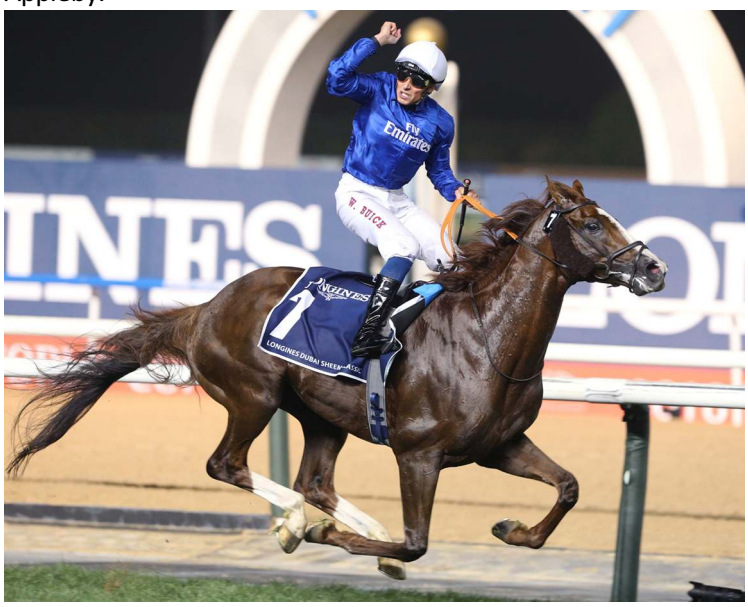
GODOLPHIN SENDING DUO TO HONG KONG

Saturday's G1 Dubai Golden Shaheen victor **Hawkbill** (Kitten's Joy) is pointing toward a start in the G1 Champions and Chater Cup at Sha Tin on May 27, Godolphin announced on their website on Wednesday. The chestnut would become the first foreign-trained horse to contest the 2400-metre event, which began in 1870.

"He's come out of Saturday's race in good order, and all going well, Hong Kong in May is on his radar," said trainer Charlie Appleby.



Hawkbill winning the Dubai Sheema Classic | *Coady Photography*

Hawkbill would be the second Hong Kong runner for Appleby, who is pointing 'TDN Rising Star' MGSW & MG1SP **Blue Point (Ire)** (Shamardal) at the fourth leg of the Global Sprint Challenge, the G1 Chairman's Sprint Prize, also at Sha Tin, on Apr. 29. The latter was a gate scratch out of the G1 Al Quoz Sprint on Mar. 31, after veterinarians detected blood when the colt arrived at the start, but Godolphin's Jungle Cat (Ire) (Iffraaj {GB}) won the race regardless.

"He's perfectly all right," said Appleby of Blue Point. "Hopefully, he'll get his chance to compensate in Hong Kong in few weeks."

G1 Takamatsunomiya Kinen victor **Fine Needle (Jpn)** (Admire Moon {Jpn}) is also set to contest the Chairman's Sprint Prize from Godolphin's Japanese arm.

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GODOLPHIN STUD & STABLE FINALISTS ANNOUNCED

Fourteen finalists for the 2018 Godolphin Stud and Stable Staff Awards were selected from 300 nominations, Godolphin announced on Wednesday. Of the 14, seven will be selected as winners and earn monetary prizes, at the official Stud and Stable Staff Awards Ceremony at Morphettville Racecourse on May 4. There will also be a Thoroughbred Excellence Award winner announced at the ceremony. Awards will be given in the following categories: leadership (Peter Keating and Jade Rossington), horsemanship (Warren Sutton and Scott Eeles), dedication to breeding (Angus McAlpine and Patrick Sheehan), dedication to racing (Joe Agresta and Steve Adams), administration (Michelle Nichols and Hannah Dick), Thoroughbred care and welfare (Lee Purchase and Liz Andriske), and newcomer (Jarom Rhind and Meg Stanley).

"The GSSSA, now in its fourth year, is a fantastic initiative supported by Godolphin, Racing Australia and Thoroughbred Breeders Australia, and provides great encouragement for, and rewards the talent of, the participants in our vibrant racing and breeding industry," said one of the judges, South Australia's chief stipendiary steward Johan Petzer. "The judging panel continues to be impressed by the outstanding quality of the nominations. There is no doubt the quality of the nominees in 2018 is impressive, which makes the task of determining the winners a difficult one for the panel."

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Horses train at Jinma Lake Racecourse on Thursday morning in advance of the fifth Chengdu Dubai International Cup. The five-race card will be contested entirely on turf on Apr. 7. There is also a jockey challenge, pitting Chinese jockeys against international reinsmen. | *DRC/Neville Hopwood*

GROUP ENTRIES

Saturday, Royal Randwick, New South Wales, Australia, post time: 4:30 p.m. (2:30 a.m. EST/7:30 a.m. GMT)

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1	4	Humidor (NZ)	Teofilo (Ire)	Weir	Zahra	128
2	8	Tosen Stardom (Jpn)	Deep Impact (Jpn)	Weir	Williams	126
3	1	Happy Clapper (Aus)	Teofilo (Ire)	Webster	Shinn	125
4	3	Endless Drama (Ire)	Lope de Vega (Ire)	Waller	Schofield	118
5	5	Prized Icon (Aus)	More Than Ready	Lees	Melham	118
6	11	Crack Me Up (NZ)	Mossman (Aus)	Baker	Collett	117
7	12	Invincible Gem (Aus)	I Am Invincible (Aus)	Lees	Walker	115
8	14	Tom Melbourne (Ire)	Dylan Thomas (Ire)	Waller	McEvoy	115
9	2	Kementari (Aus)	Lonhro (Aus)	Cummings	Avdulla	114
10	7	Comin' Through (Aus)	Fastnet Rock (Aus)	Waller	Clark	114
11	13	Lanciato (NZ)	Per Incanto	Newham	King	112
12	9	Egg Tart (Aus)	Sebring (Aus)	Waller	Newitt	111
13	10	Arbeitsam (Aus)	Snitzel (Aus)	Waterhouse/Bott	Dee	110
14	16	Mister Sea Wolf (Ire)	Amadeus Wolf (GB)	Waller	Ford	110
15	6	Cool Chap (Aus)	High Chaparral (Ire)	D&B Hayes/Dabernig	Parish	110
16	15	D'argento (Aus)	So You Think (NZ)	Waller	Brown	108

Saturday, Royal Randwick, New South Wales, Australia, post time: 3:50 p.m. (1:50 a.m. EST/6:50 a.m. GMT)

T J SMITH S.-G1, A$2,500,000 *(US$1,919,690/£1,365,726/€1,564,900)*, WFA, 3yo/up, 1200mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	6	Redzel (Aus)	Snitzel (Aus)	P&P Snowden	McEvoy	129
2	11	Le Romain (Aus)	Hard Spun	Lees	Schofield	129
3	2	Brave Smash (Jpn)	Tosen Phantom (Jpn)	Weir	Williams	129
4	7	Jungle Edge (Aus)	Dubawi (Ire)	Bell	Forrester	129
5	1	Takedown (Aus)	Stratum (Aus)	Moore	Shinn	129
6	8	Thronum (Aus)	Snitzel (Aus)	D&B Hayes/Dabernig	Zahra	129
7	4	Fell Swoop (Aus)	Not A Single Doubt (Aus)	Dale	Ford	129
8	3	In Her Time (Aus)	Time Thief (Aus)	Smith	Brown	124
9	12	English (Aus)	Encosta de Lago (Aus)	Waterhouse/Bott	Clipperton	124
10	10	Global Glamour (Aus)	Star Witness (Aus)	Waterhouse/Bott	Clark	124
11	13	Missrock (Aus)	Fastnet Rock (Aus)	Laing	Oliver	124
12	9	Trapeze Artist (Aus)	Snitzel (Aus)	Ryan	Angland	124
13	14	Showtime (Aus)	Snitzel (Aus)	M, W&J Hawkes	Avdulla	124
14	5	The Mission (Aus)	Choisir (Aus)	Perry	Purton	124

Saturday, Royal Randwick, New South Wales, Australia, post time: 3:10 p.m. (1:10 a.m. EST/6:10 a.m. GMT)

AUSTRALIAN DERBY-G1, A$2,000,000 *(US$1,536,151/£1,093,080/€)1,252,250*, Set Weights, 3yo, 2400mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	2	Ace High (Aus)	High Chaparral (Ire)	Payne	Angland	124
2	4	Vin De Dance (NZ)	Roc de Cambes (NZ)	Baker/Forsman	Waddell	124
3	10	Tangled (Aus)	Snitzel (Aus)	Waller	Walker	124
4	6	Mongolianconqueror (NZ)	Ocean Park (NZ)	Autridge/Richards	Bosson	124
5	14	Capital Gain (Aus)	Ad Valorem	Butterworth	Melham	124
6	3	Levendi (Aus)	Pierro (Aus)	Gelagotis	Zahra	124
7	5	Astoria (Aus)	Medaglia d'Oro	Cummings	Schofield	124
8	8	Furore (NZ)	Pierro (Aus)	Lees	Avdulla	124
9	19	Salsamor (NZ)	Tavistock (NZ)	Busuttin/Young	Purton	124
10	1	Weather With You (Aus)	Teofilo (Ire)	Baker/Forsman	Collett	124
11	18	The Lord Mayor (NZ)	Rock 'n' Pop (Aus)	Waller	Brown	124
12	9	Mission Hill (Aus)	Teofilo (Ire)	Baker/Forsman	Lane	124
13	16	Endowment (NZ)	Savabeel (Aus)	Gibbs	Oliver	124
14	17	Belfast (Aus)	Teofilo (Ire)	Busuttin/Young	McEvoy	124
15	20	Mongolian Marshal (NZ)	High Chaparral (Ire)	Baker/Forsman	Williams	124
16	12	Main Stage (NZ)	Reliable Man (GB)	Busuttin/Young	Shinn	124
17	15	Condor (Aus)	Fastnet Rock (Aus)	Perry	Newitt	124
18	13	Pissaro (Aus)	Pierro (Aus)	Laing	Clipperton	124
Emergencies:						
19	7	Yuralla Boy (Aus)	Dreamscape (Aus)	Howlett	No Rider	124
20	11	Love Waves (NZ)	Azamour (Ire)	A&E Cummings	No Rider	124

Saturday, Royal Randwick, New South Wales, Australia, post time: 2:30 p.m. (12:30 a.m. EST/5:30 a.m. GMT)

ATC SIRES' PRODUCE S.-G1, A$1,000,000 *(US$768,515/£546,665/€626,289)*, Set Weights, 2yo, 1400mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	13	Encryption (Aus)	Lonhro (Aus)	Cummings	Schofield	124
2	2	Long Leaf (Aus)	Fastnet Rock (Aus)	D&B Hayes/Dabernig	McEvoy	124
3	15	Not A Single Cent (Aus)	Not A Single Doubt (Aus)	Purcell	Shinn	124
4	7	Spin (Aus)	I Am Invincible (Aus)	P&P Snowden	Clark	124
5	14	Bondi (Aus)	Snitzel (Aus)	P&P Snowden	Zahra	124
6	3	Seberate (Aus)	Sebring (Aus)	D&B Hayes/Dabernig	Collett	124
7	5	Tchaikovsky (Aus)	Redoute's Choice (Aus)	P&P Snowden	Rawiller	124
8	10	Outrageous (Aus)	All Too Hard (Aus)	M, W & J Hawkes	Avdulla	124
9	6	Ragged Rascal (Aus)	Denman (Aus)	Perry	Parr	124
10	9	Ringerdingding (Aus)	Sebring (Aus)	O'Rourke	Melham	124
11	4	Adana (Aus)	Snitzel (Aus)	Waller	Walker	124
12	11	Affogato (Aus)	More Than Ready	Roche	Newitt	124
13	8	Oohood (Aus)	I Am Invincible (Aus)	McEvoy	Purton	119
14	1	Seabrook (NZ)	Hinchinbrook (Aus)	Price	Oliver	119
15	12	El Dorado Dreaming (Aus)	Ilovethiscity (Aus)	Smith	Brown	119

Saturday, Te Aroha, New Zealand, post time: 4:20 p.m. (12:20 a.m. EST/5:20 a.m. GMT)

FIBER FRESH NZ THOROUGHBRED BREEDERS S.-G1, NZ$200,000 *(US$146,188/£103,825/€119,057)*, WFA, 4yo/up, f/m, 1600mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	7	Thee Auld Floozie (NZ)	Mastercraftsman (Ire)	Marsh	Harris	125
2	5	Coldplay (NZ)	Savabeel (Aus)	Baker/Forsman	Cameron	125
3	9	Darscape Princess (NZ)	Darci Brahma (NZ)	Auret	Parkes	125
4	2	Heni (NZ)	Towkay (Aus)	Breslin	Myers	125
5	1	Cote D'Or (NZ)	Makfi (GB)	K&B Kelso	Johnson	125
6	10	Miss Wilson (Aus)	Stratum (Aus)	Bary	Colgan	125
7	11	Montoya Star (Aus)	High Chaparral (Ire)	M&M Pitman	McNab	125
8	8	Nicoletta (NZ)	Savabeel (Aus)	Baker/Forsman	Collett	125
9	4	Ruud Not Too (NZ)	Bernardini	Marsh	Spratt	125
10	12	Adriatic Pearl (NZ)	Zed (NZ)	Pender	Thornton	125
11	3	Symphonic (NZ)	O'Reilly (NZ)	P&D Williams	Coleman	125
12	6	Caprikosa (NZ)	Alamosa (NZ)	P&D Williams	Du Plessis	125

*All posts are displayed in local time.