



TATTERSALLS TO DISPERSE BALLYMACOLL STOCK



The dual stakes-winning filly **Abingdon (Street Cry)** will be a much sought after racing and breeding prospect in the Ballymacoll Dispersal at Tattersalls | *Racingfotos.com*

With no buyer in the pipeline for Ballymacoll Stud in its entirety after being on the market for 12 months, manager Peter Reynolds and the trustees of the stud decided to disperse the farm's stock at Tattersalls over several of the Newmarket-based auction house's sales beginning in the autumn, Tattersalls announced Sunday. A total of 48 horses--made up of mares (14), horses in and out of training (16), nine yearlings and nine foals--will be offered for sale at Tattersalls in via the October Yearling Sale Book 1 Oct. 3-5, Autumn Horses-In-Training Sale Oct. 30-Nov. 2, December Foal Sale Nov. 29-Dec. 2 and the December Mare Sale Dec. 4-7.

Champion and Breeders' Cup heroine **Islington (Ire)** (Sadler's Wells), who won four times at the highest level and is in foal to Kingman (GB), highlights the dispersal. **Justlookdontouch (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}), carrying to Sea The Stars (Ire) (Cape Cross {Ire}) and MSW **Abingdon** (Street Cry {Ire}) will also be offered. Since being purchased by the Weinstock family in 1960, Ballymacoll Stud has produced 30 Group 1 winners including two G1 Epsom Derby winners in Troy (Ire) and North Light (Ire) (Danehill).

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INGLIS CELEBRATES HERITAGE, FUTURE

by Kelsey Riley

As Inglis commemorates its 150th year in business, it has both plenty to be proud of in its heritage, and much to anticipate in its future. Year 150 will mark the closure of the company's headquarters at Newmarket in the Randwick district of Sydney, while a new state-of-the-art sales complex called Riverside Stables is being built adjacent to Warwick Farm Racecourse further out from the city. The Australian Broodmare and Weanling Sale on Apr. 10 to 12 will mark the final time the hammer drops at the historic Newmarket sales grounds, with that property set to be developed as the area grows as a health and education hub. In the first of this two-part series, we will look back on some of the events that have shaped Inglis's history.

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Calumet Farm homebred **Hence** (Street Boss) scored convincingly in the GIII Sunland Derby at Sunland Park Sunday evening. [Click or tap here to go straight to TDN America.](#)

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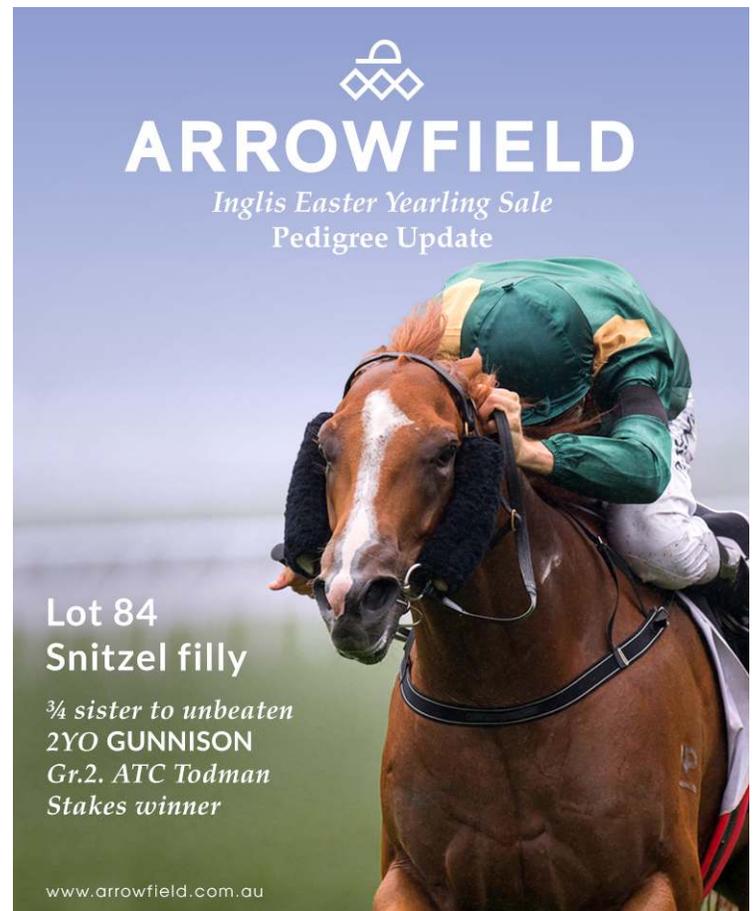
“It has been a privilege to have overseen the Ballymacoll Stud racing and breeding operation on behalf of the Weinstock family for 45 years,” commented long-standing farm manager Peter Reynolds. We have enjoyed so many truly wonderful days on racecourses throughout the world and I am enormously proud of what the team at Ballymacoll Stud has achieved over the years. To have owned or bred the winners of the Derby, the Oaks, the 2000 Guineas, the St Leger, the Irish Derby, the Irish Oaks, the Irish 2000 Guineas, the Melbourne Cup, the Breeders’ Cup Turf, the Breeders’ Cup Filly and Mare Turf and the Japan Cup all in the last 50 years, is a magnificent tribute to the commitment of the Weinstock family and all associated with Ballymacoll Stud. The success of Ballymacoll Stud reflects our consistent pursuit of excellence and Tattersalls is an appropriate stage on which to offer the Ballymacoll stock to as wide an international audience as possible.”

Added Tattersalls Chairman Edmond Mahony, “For more than 50 years the famous pale blue silks of Ballymacoll Stud have been a symbol of sporting excellence throughout the thoroughbred world and Tattersalls is honoured to have been entrusted with the dispersal of such outstanding bloodstock. Rarely, if ever, has a broodmare band of relatively modest numbers achieved so much on the global stage, and the Ballymacoll Stud Dispersal at Tattersalls represents a unique opportunity to share in a legacy of spectacular success and unprecedented over achievement. Tattersalls is proud to be conducting this dispersal on behalf of the trustees of Ballymacoll Stud and proud to share with them the same enduring ethos of excellence and utmost integrity.”

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1--**@CZABO (GB)**, 137, f, 4, by **Sixties Icon (GB)**

1st Dam: Fiumicino (GB) (SP-Eng), by **Danehill Dancer (Ire)**

2nd Dam: Valhalla Moon, by **Sadler's Wells**

3rd Dam: Akuna Bay, by **Mr. Prospector**

O-D Wachman, M V Magnier & Mrs L Shanahan; B-Norman Court Stud (GB); T-Mick Channon; J-Graham Lee. €45,725.

Lifetime Record: SW-Fr, 9-4-0-0, \$128,990. **Click for the [eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree](#). Werk Nick Rating: A+++.**

***Triple Plus*.**

2--**Somehow (Ire)**, 140, f, 4, **Fastnet Rock (Aus)**--Alexandrova

(Ire), by Sadler's Wells. O-Michael Tabor, Derrick Smith & Susan Magnier; B-Orpendale, Chelston & Wynatt (IRE); T-Aidan O'Brien. €15,500.

3--**Flying Fairies (Ire)**, 137, f, 4, **Holy Roman Emperor (Ire)**--

Bright Birdie (Ire), by Sadler's Wells. (€29,000 RNA Ylg '14 GOFORB; €12,000 RNA 2yo '15 GBMBR; 280,000gns 3yo '16 TATMA). O-Miss A H Marshall; B-Brittis Stud & Grange Stud (IRE); T-John Oxx. €7,750.

Margins: HF, 1, NK. Odds: 8.00, 1.75, 5.00.

Also Ran: Queen Anne's Lace, Wild as the Wind (Ire), Shes Ranger (Ire), Ce La Vie (GB), Legitimus (Ire), Chilli Spice (Ire), Dew Line (Ire), Cirin Toinne (Ire), Camellia Japonica (Ire).

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Just falling short of pattern-race level when fourth in the G1 Irish 1000 Guineas at The Curragh last May, Czabo was able to capture the Listed Prix des Lilas over this trip at Deauville in June before finishing last of 13 in the G1 Coronation S. at Royal Ascot 13 days later. Making her first outing since that day, the bay showed no signs of rustiness to outgun the race's class act Somehow and garner another big prize in Ireland for the Mick Channon stable. Never far from the pace, she briefly looked likely to come off second-best as the Ballydoyle favourite loomed on the front end approaching the furlong pole, but battled past her shortly after and stayed on strongly to assert up the hill.

"We took her to Saint-Cloud a few weeks ago, but she was too free for the first half-mile and it was a wasted effort," explained assistant trainer Mick Channon Jr. "I just spoke to [part owner] David Wachman and he said it was a great prep run taking her all the way to Paris. She's done it very nicely, we had fitness on our side and that helped. We have a fairly moderate band of broodmares, but [sire] Sixties Icon has improved them all. We wanted to get her going early as she had form early last year in soft ground and ran well in the Guineas."

Czabo, whose dam is the Listed Masaka S. runner-up Fiumicino, has a 2-year-old full-brother named Billy Ray (GB) to come. The fourth dam is the G1 Irish St Leger heroine Dark Lomond (Ire) (Lomond), whose descendants include Pugin (Ire) (Darshaan {GB}), who was runner-up in the Irish Leger.



Czabo and Graham Lee | *Racing Post*

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A LOOK AHEAD

WITH AMY MURPHY

The TDN has solicited the opinions of some prominent figures on the European bloodstock scene to answer three questions about the upcoming Flat season. Today's installment features the thoughts of trainer Amy Murphy:

Horse you are most looking forward to seeing this season?

AM: As always at this time of year everyone is very excited, we are all hoping we have a nice horse or two for the season ahead. In terms of horses I am looking forward to seeing this season, one would be Coronet (GB) who looked very good in both of her wins as a juvenile, especially in the [Listed] Zetland [S.]



Amy Murphy | Amy Murphy Racing

A stallion who could feature prominently (doesn't have to be first season)?

AM: Looking at the first-season sires, the obvious one would be Camelot (GB), who has all the credentials to make it as a stallion. However, I also really liked the Epaulette (Aus) yearlings at the sales last autumn.

Positive change you would like to see for the industry in 2017?

AM: We need to make becoming an owner an attractive process and as easy as possible. I would like to see the process of administering and of registering new owners to the sport simplified. I am aware things are currently being done which can only be positive.

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O'BRIEN CLASSIC COLTS WINTERED WELL

Aidan O'Brien is planning a reappearance at Dundalk next month for Classic contender **Caravaggio** (Scat Daddy). The unbeaten Scat Daddy colt has been off the track since winning the Group 1 Keeneland Phoenix S. at The Curragh in August, having previously landed the G2 Coventry S. at Royal Ascot last June. He had been in line for the G1 Middle Park S. at Newmarket in September, but a pulled muscle meant he ultimately missed that engagement.

"Caravaggio will work here on Monday and then the plan is to go to Dundalk for the Listed Patton S. over seven furlongs [Apr. 12]," said O'Brien, speaking at Naas after sending out a double as the Irish flat season opened. "Everything seems fine with him so far."

O'Brien also had news of **Churchill (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}), who finished his campaign as the champion European 2-year-old following wins in the G1 National S. and G1 Dewhurst S. The son of Galileo heads the ante-post markets on both the G1 2000 Guineas May 6 and the G1 Derby June 3.

"Churchill is good and everything seems to be fine so far with him," O'Brien continued.

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Caravaggio | *Racing Post*

MEADE HAS HIGH HOPES FOR ACLAIM

Newmarket trainer Martyn Meade has Group 1 aspirations for his progressive 4-year-old **Aclaim (Ire)** (Acclamation {GB}). Meade will aim the colt at the G1 Al Shaqab Lockinge S. at Newbury in May and, based on the progression he showed in the backend of 2016, he could be a lively candidate for the race.

"I'm very pleased with how he's wintered and I'm aiming for the Lockinge," said Meade. "That is the goal at the moment. It will be a big ask running in a Group 1 on his first run of the season, but I think he's a stronger horse this year and he deserves a crack at it. I think he'd go on any ground, but he probably prefers a little bit of cut."

Bred by Meade's son-in-law Dermot Farrington and Canning Downs, Aclaim signed off last season with a win in the G2 Dubai 100 Challenge S. at Newmarket in October, his third win in a row following wins in an Ascot handicap and a listed race at Newbury. Currently rated 114, Aclaim enters the new season with untapped potential and it will be interesting to see how far he can progress.

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SOLOW SETS SIGHTS ON RETURN

European racing fans can look forward to return of the world class grey **Solow (Fr)** (Singspiel {Ire}) in the coming months. The 7-year-old was restricted to just one outing in 2016 when winning a minor conditions race at Chantilly last March, a win that extended his winning streak to 10.

"Solow has been in training since the middle of December and so far he has taken every step very well," reported Pierre-Yves Bureau, racing manager for owners the Wertheimer brothers.

Solow enjoyed a golden 2015 when he put together a string of top-level wins that began with the G1 Dubai Turf at Meydan and culminated with the G1 QIPCO Queen Elizabeth II S. at Ascot. In between he also added the G1 Prix d'Ispahan, the G1 Queen Anne S. and the G1 Qatar Sussex S. However trainer Freddy Head and the owners will face an anxious build up to his return, given the gelding's recent history of injuries, especially when his training regime steps a gear.

"Soon he will begin more serious work," continued Bureau. "We are very cautious as he was out of training for a long time, but at the moment we are very pleased and hopefully we will see him again in the coming months. That [Royal Ascot] would be perfect, of course, but time will tell. The horse will tell Freddy when he is ready."

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Solow winning the Queen Anne S. at Royal Ascot | *Racing Post*

IRELAND



Sunday's Results:

1st-NAA, €17,500, Mdn, 3-26, 2yo, 5fT, 1:03.70, s/h.

+MOONLIGHT BAY (GB) (f, 2, Pivotal {GB}--Naadrah {GB} {SP-Fr}, by Muhtathir {GB}), sent off the 4-1 joint-second favourite for this 2-year-old opener to the Irish flat season, raced behind the leading group throughout the early stages. Tackling Royal Diplomat (Ire) (Zebedee {GB}) inside the final furlong, the €36,000 GOYHIT yearling had his measure in the last 75 yards and drew away to win by 2 1/2 lengths. The dam, who also has a yearling filly by Mukhadram (GB), is a half to the group-placed Prince Mag (Ire) (Zamindar) from the family of the dual G2 Grand Prix de Deauville-winning sire Irish Wells (Fr). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$11,642. [Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.](#) O-Norman Ormiston & Kevin Prendergast; B-Shadwell Estate Company Limited (GB); T-Kevin Prendergast.

7th-NAA, €16,000, Mdn, 3-26, 3yo, 8fT, 1:46.90, s/h.

ORDEROFTHEGARTER (IRE) (c, 3, Galileo (Ire)--Kitty Kiernan {GB} {MGSP-Ire}, by Pivotal {GB}), runner-up in seven-furlong starts at Leopardstown on debut June 3 and behind the **TDN Rising Star** performance of stablemate Cliffs of Moher (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) last time Oct. 29, was well away to lead early and accepted a brief tow in second after the initial exchanges of this sophomore return. Regaining control at the end of the back straight, the 11-4 second favourite was safely clear entering the final quarter mile and kept on strongly under mild urging in the closing stages to easily account for Tommy Hallinan (Ire) (Intense Focus) by 11 lengths. "He had a couple of good runs [last year], he galloped home well here and will get further," said winning rider Ana O'Brien. "He'll step up now and could go

to Leopardstown for a Guineas Trial." Orderofthegarter is the second scorer produced by MGSP Kitty Kiernan (GB) (Pivotal {GB}), herself out a winning full-sister to G1 Phoenix S. and G1 Gran Criterium-winning sire Spartacus (Ire) (Danehill) and GSW sires Johan Cruyff (GB) (Danehill) and Meteor Shower (Ire) (Danehill). His family also includes MG1SW Hong Kong champion stayer Blazing Speed (GB) (Dylan Thomas {Ire}). Lifetime Record: 3-1-2-0, \$17,584. [Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.](#) O-Derrick Smith, Susan Magnier & Michael Tabor; B-Barronstown Stud (IRE); T-Aidan O'Brien.

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2nd-NAA, €13,500, Mdn, 3-26, 3yo/up, 6fT, 1:16.37, s/h.

ALPHABET (GB) (f, 3, Lawman {Fr}--Applauded {Ire}, by Royal Applause {GB}), a 440,000gns TATOCT yearling, was last seen finishing ninth in a Navan maiden over this trip in August when under the care of David Wachman and broke well to lead racing enthusiastically. Stretching clear after halfway, the 7-1 shot was eased down late to record a 5 1/2-length success from Ma Fee Heela (Fr) (Siyouni {Fr}). The dam, who has already produced the stakes winner Amnesia (Ire) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}) and Mirage (Ire) (Oasis Dream {GB}), SW-US, \$115,803, is a half-sister to the G1 Irish 2000 Guineas and G1 Goffs Vincent O'Brien National S.-winning sire Power (GB), the GI E. P. Taylor S. and G2 Ribblesdale S. heroine and G1 Irish Oaks third Curvy (GB) (Galileo {Ire}) and fellow Ribblesdale scorer Thakafaat (Ire) (Unfuwain). Also from the family of the G1 2000 Guineas-winning sire Footstepsinthesand (GB), Applauded has a 2-year-old colt by Oasis Dream (GB) and a yearling filly by Lope de Vega (Ire). Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-0, \$12,759. [Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.](#)

O-Mrs John Magnier & Michael Tabor & Derrick Smith; B-Norelands Stud & Lofts Hall Stud (GB); T-Aidan O'Brien.

6th-NAA, €100,000, Hcp, 3-26, 4yo/up, 8fT, 1:47.42, s/h.

BRENDAN BRACKAN (IRE) (g, 8, Big Bad Bob {Ire}--Abeyr {GB} {SP-Eng}, by Unfuwain) Lifetime Record: GSW-Ire & GSP-UAE, 38-8-7-5, \$469,683. O-David Spratt & Sean Jones; B-Anamoine Ltd (IRE); T-Ger Lyons. *€4,000 RNA Ylg '10 TATFLT; 145,000gns 5yo '14 TAJUL. **1/2 to Makfool (Fr) (Spectrum {Ire}), SP-Eng, \$147,096.

4th-NAA, €50,000, Hcp, 3-26, 3yo, 7fT, 1:31.50, s/h.

GINO SEVERINI (IRE) (g, 3, Fastnet Rock {Aus}--Green Castle {Ire}, by Indian Ridge {Ire}) Lifetime Record: 5-1-0-1, \$34,540. O-Next Pension Fund Syndicate; B-Stonethorn Stud Farms Ltd (IRE); T-Fozzy Stack. *58,000gns Ylg '15 TAOCT. **1/2 to lthoughtitwasover (Ire) (Hurricane Run {Ire}), SW-Eng, \$121,297.

GERMANY

**Sunday's Result:****PREIS DER FORTUNA - GRAND PRIX-AUFGALOPP-Listed,**

€25,000, DSS, 3-26, 4yo/up, 10 1/2fT, 2:11.50, sf.

1--**MIGHTY MOUSE (GER), 122, g, 9, King's Best--Megaperls (Ger), by Zinaad (GB).** (€4,500 Ylg '09 BBAGO). O-Udo Rattay; B-Stall CBD (GER); T-Annika Fust; J-Andre Best. €14,000. Lifetime Record: SP-Fr & lty, 22-7-3-2, €101,070.

2--**Salve Venezia (Ger), 119, m, 5, Areion (Ger)--Salve Aurora (Ger), by King's Best.** O-Gestut Hony-Hof. €6,500.

3--**San Salvador (Ger), 122, g, 4, Lord of England (Ger)--Saratina (Ire), by Monsun (Ger).** (€85,000 Ylg '14 BBAGS). O-Gestut Winterhauch. €3,000.

Margins: HF, 3/4, 2 1/4. Odds: 6.50, 13.00, 1.80.

Also Ran: Fair Mountain (Ger), Nimrod (Ire), Eric (Ger), Rhett Butler (Ire), Capitano (Ger), Seismos (Ire).

OBSERVATIONS

on the European racing scene

3.20 Compiegne, Debutantes, €25,000, 3yo, f, 8fT

MEDIA MISCHIEF (Into Mischief) debuts for Khalid Abdullah and Andre Fabre who combined with the half-sister Nebraska Tornado (Storm Cat). Winner of the G1 Prix de Diane and G1 Prix du Moulin, she is also a half-sibling of the G1 Prix de la Foret third Mirabilis (Lear Fan) who later captured the GIII Churchill Downs Distaff Turf Mile for Bobby Frankel.

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WORLDWIDE NEWS

Inglis Celebrates Heritage, Future Cont. from p1

While Randwick is now the home of one of Australia's largest universities, the University of New South Wales, and one of its biggest hospitals, this was not always the case. When William Inglis started doing business as a livestock and produce auctioneer on George Street in Sydney in 1867, Randwick was the city's core for horse business.

"All the houses and property surrounding Newmarket were actually trainers' stables, and they were walking horses through the streets of Randwick down to the racecourse," explained Inglis's present-day Managing Director, Mark Webster.

The first yearling sale was held at Newmarket on May 1, 1867, but it wasn't until 1905 that Inglis began conducting those sales. Nonetheless that first sale, which comprised eight colts and one filly, produced the 1868 AJC Derby winner The Duke.

William Inglis did not live to see his company's foray into Thoroughbred sales, passing in 1896, and it was his son John T. Inglis who took the company into its next phase. The first Inglis Easter yearling sale was conducted in 1905, with 107 of 111 yearling offered sold. Inglis Director Arthur Inglis explained that Easter was chosen as the time to stage the sale because "that's when the country came to the city." Inglis explained that when he started with the company in 1974, "we had the best racing for the year in Sydney, and a lot of country people owned and bred Thoroughbreds at the highest level. In those days a lot of people would just own a horse as a hobby and they would be amongst our big buyers as well. Now it's much more international and people from all over the world are buying yearlings from us."

Five years after its inaugural staging, the Easter yearling sale produced its first Melbourne Cup winner when Posinatus was sold for 160 gns. The year 1923 also proved a pivotal year for the sale, with two more Melbourne Cup winners (Windbag and Spearfelt) selling, as well as future Hall of Famer and champion sire Heroic. Five years later, an Australian record price for a yearling was set when a syndicate of four came together to buy future stakes winner Dominant for 6,750gns--a record that would stand until the 1950s. [Cont. p8](#)



Hall of Famer and champion Heroic sells at Inglis

Inglis Celebrates Heritage, Future Cont.

The 1940s saw the sale of a handful of horses that would make their marks both locally and internationally. In 1942 Flight was bought for 60gns, and would go on to become a Hall of Famer and one of the country's greatest-ever racemares and broodmares. Bernborough, sold in 1945 for 2,600gns, became a great Australian racehorse and influential sire in the U.S. In 1947, champion Shannon set a record for an Australian racehorse when he was auctioned for 26,000gns after the death of his owner/trainer Peter Riddle. Reports in the *Sydney Sun* indicate that even then, the sale of Thoroughbreds was a spectacle. The paper read, "Fashionably dressed women paraded by the ringside several hours before the bidding started...many of them wore elaborate furs...Shannon was wearing a blue and white bath towel."

The year 1954 saw the first yearlings by the soon-to-be great imported sire Star Kingdom go

through the ring, and in 1957 Hall of Fame trainer TJ Smith paid a record 7,000gns for a colt by that sire. Prices for Thoroughbreds at Inglis continued to climb through to the 1970s, when present-day directors Arthur and Jamie Inglis both joined the company. Both are fifth generation Inglis family members; Arthur is the son of John A. "The Boss" Inglis, who became chairman and managing director of Inglis in 1958, while Jamie is a son of John Inglis's brother Dick, who started as an Inglis director in 1951. Of course, with the nature of the family business, both Inglises were immersed in the company long before their official start dates.

"Growing up, livestock sales and horse sales were a big part of my life as a kid," Jamie Inglis noted. "On school holidays I would travel with dad to sales, and I enjoyed that life and the culture and the environment. To be honest, if someone said to me today, what would I like to do if I had a choice, I'd say, 'I'd like to go to a sale.' Sales are in my blood; I just like going to sales."

"Both Art and I have been in the company a long time, from those early days," he added. "We've progressed to today to where we're directors, and now I'm a retired auctioneer."

Arthur Inglis added, "We both started off in the 70s. I lived at Newmarket with my parents and family so I was in the environment of the horse sales.

Probably 90% of the year the place was empty, but when the horses came in for the sales the place was transformed; it was an exciting time to be there. I started [with Inglis] the week after I left school at the end of 1974 in accounts, and I did university close by part-time. We were both in the business from very soon after leaving school."

At the time the Inglis cousins started with the company livestock auctions still formed the crux of the business—"in those days we had a minimum of four cattle sales a week; quite often there were five," Jamie noted—but Thoroughbred sales were continuing to grow. Jamie points to Easter's first A\$100,000 yearling in 1978 as a memorable moment during his time.

"The first A\$100,000 yearling, that came out of the blue and I remember that like it was yesterday," he said. "The first million-dollar yearling also was sold at our Easter sale on a rainy afternoon, and I remember that very well."

That milestone came 11 years later when TJ Smith spent A\$1.2-million on a filly by Sir Tristram (Ire).

"That million-dollar mark, it's amazing how that captured everyone's attention," Arthur recalled. "It was in every media, and was front-page stuff in business news. It was massive at the time."

The Australian bloodstock business enjoyed a boom in the 1980s as it did in other parts of the world, with 1989 returning record sales as a result of tax effective schemes that were put into place for buying

Thoroughbreds. In addition to the A\$1.2-million Sir Tristram filly bought by TJ Smith at the 1989 Easter sale, fellow Hall of Fame trainer Bart Cummings spent A\$13.6-million on 43 yearlings.

"Bart Cummings was buying for tax-effective schemes," Jamie explained. "He was to spend A\$20-million on yearlings that year in either New Zealand, in Melbourne or with us at Easter. Tommy Smith also was a major buyer, he was buying for a public company. His training facility had been floated so he was cashed up and buying. The sale was just unbelievable, it went through the roof."

But as typically follows a boom, there was a bust.

"Bart Cummings's syndicate failed, and the accounting companies had the right to step away from it, which they did, and Bart was left with the debt," Jamie recalled.



The 1906 Inglis Easter Yearling Sale

Inglis Celebrates Heritage, Future Cont.

“Later that year we had a sale called ‘Night of the Stars,’ where we sold all the Cummings yearlings again,” Jaimie continued. “There was about A\$20-million worth of yearlings put back through the ring, and they made 50% of that money. We were left with a big debt. Cummings took the accounting firms to court with no avail, and we wrote off a considerable amount of money.”

“Those years are vivid,” he added. “They were very difficult for the firm; 1990 was the first time from when we started to pay dividends that we didn’t pay a dividend because we were pretty strapped. Luckily our company carried very little debt so we survived and got through it, and all our vendors were paid of course. From there the Thoroughbred market took a bit of a dive and our interest rates went through the roof and things got pretty tough. That was 1991, 1992 and perhaps even 1993. And then the market got going again.”

Inglis’s Newmarket complex is perhaps best known for its Moreton Bay Fig tree that towers over the sales arena, and Jamie recalls watching many highrollers bidding beneath it.

“The big Moreton Bay Fig, seeing Tommy Smith bid under the tree, and all the identities that have come to Newmarket over the years; there’s a whole host of memories, of course the A\$5-million mare [Milanova, bought by Coolmore Australia in 2008], then the A\$5-million yearling we sold that was a half to Black Caviar [at the 2012 Easter sale]. All those sales really stick in my mind without any one big incident. There hasn’t been one major incident that stands out over the others; just a whole lot of memories for many years.”

The list of legendary Australian racehorses and sires to have graduated from Inglis sales makes for impressive reading, and includes more recent heroes such as Black Caviar (Aus) (Bel Esprit {Aus}), Choisir (Aus) (Danhill Dancer {Ire}), Takeover Target (Aus) (Celtic Swing {GB}), Fairy King Prawn (Aus) (Danhill), Forensics (Aus) (Flying Spur {Aus}), Miss Finland (Aus) (Redoute’s Choice {Aus}) and Silent Witness (Aus) (El Moxie) in addition to past stars like Might and Power (NZ) (Zabeel {NZ}), Flying Spur (Aus) (Danhill), Rory’s Jester (Aus) (Crown Jester {Aus}), Marscay (Aus) (Biscay {Aus}), Schillaci (Aus) (Salieri) and Naturalism (NZ) (Palace Music). Arthur Inglis nominated three-

time Group 1 winner Samantha Miss (Aus) (Redoute’s Choice {Aus}), a A\$1.5-million Easter yearling in 2007 and A\$3.85-million Inglis broodmare, as a highlight.

“She was bought by a friend of ours from the livestock industry [Ron Crogan],” Arthur explained. “He was good mates with my father and started off with Thoroughbreds racing horses with him, so it’s quite a good memory for us. We were at the farm when she was first inspected before the sale and then she made very good money as a yearling. She went on to be the only horse to beat Sebring, and she was favourite for the Cox Plate and she won an Oaks as well as being a top 2-year-old. We then got to sell her as a broodmare when she retired from racing. She made very good money bought by John Singleton, so we were there at various stages of her career.”

Inglis has come a long way since the 1970s, evolving from a largely livestock-driven company to one of the world’s most

prolific seller of yearlings and

Thoroughbreds of all varieties. Arthur admitted, “A horse sale is a horse sale, it fundamentally hasn’t changed,” but some tweaks have been made to keep up with the times.

“My father used to sell every horse through the ring,” he noted. “We didn’t have a roster of auctioneers. There were others available, but they weren’t specialist horse auctioneers, so they didn’t savour the opportunity of jumping up. Also in those early days we didn’t sell horses in



Salesgoers at the Newmarket complex

alphabetical order of dams. You’d see drafts quite commonly by sire, which is not something you get now.”

Arthur said the greatest advancements have come in the areas of information and technology.

“Way back when Jamie and I started of course there was no online pedigrees and form,” he said. “We had a team in the office who were dedicated to producing catalogues. A lot of those guys had a huge knowledge in their heads and they had to compile a pedigree page and send it off to a printer, and when it came back they had to proofread it and it had to go off again and sometimes be checked a second time. There were a lot of very knowledgeable pedigree people. We were at the forefront in this part of the world in a partnership to develop computer pedigrees, and now we don’t need to have that role. What has replaced it is marketing and communications.” **Cont. p10**

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“It used to be just put an ad in the various papers and now we’ve got a lot of touch points with clients in the online world and daily media,” Arthur added. “We have of course media releases, our own Inglis TV, we produce video and information content constantly, and we do a lot of marketing in various parts of the world, Asia, South Africa, mainland China, and there’s a lot of time and effort spent on that. Marketing and communications has grown massively as a role within our company and industry.”

Jamie added, “And of course there’s the digital input with online bidding, which has been very popular particularly with mare sales and racehorse sales

where you’re just looking at breeding or form. We’ve adopted change when it was required and necessary, and even this year we have a new sale [the Chairman’s sale] for elite Thoroughbreds either on the track, or broodmares and weanlings.”

Both Inglises agreed one of the most important legacies of the company through its first century-and-a-half are its many great employees, past and present.

“We’ve had some phenomenal employees over the years,” Jamie said. “The industry now today is littered with people who started with our company. They’re heading up Thoroughbred studs or they’re bloodstock agents. In fact one bloke, Vin Cox, is now our opposition, the head of Magic Millions. He started with William Inglis. So we’ve had some outstanding employees. From

my perspective, if someone said, ‘what’s the best thing you did while at William Inglis?’ I’d say, ‘just working alongside such great people.’”

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Arthur concurred, “We’ve been very lucky to have long-serving employees and it’s been wonderful to work with them. They’ve been the backbone of the company, and I think that’s probably characteristic of the company right through from the early days. There’s the family involvement, of course, but we’ve been well supported and the mainstay has been the outstanding staff.

We’re lucky in the industry we work in—it’s an industry that carries a lot of passion, excitement and interest, and consequently we have a lot of people wanting to work within it and work for us. And when they do come to us, quite often they like to stay.”

In its 150th year, there is little doubt William Inglis & Son has come full circle. That was perhaps no better demonstrated than at last year’s Easter yearling sale when champion trainer Gai Waterhouse stood beneath the Morton Bay Fig and lodged the winning bid of A\$2.3-million for the sale-topping Snitzel colt—just as her father TJ Smith did on numerous occasions all those years ago. This year’s Easter sale Apr. 4 to 6 boasts a star-studded catalogue with international appeal and plenty of relations to Inglis stars of the past, and the company will begin a new chapter in 2018 when it moves to Riverside Stables at Warwick Farm. Read tomorrow’s TDN for Part II of this story on what the future holds for Inglis.

Historical information for this piece was sourced from a timeline compiled by racing historian Andrew Lemon.

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TAVAGO INJURED, WILLIAMS STOOD DOWN

There was some fallout from the weekend’s Group 1 action in Australia from both a horse and rider point of view and unfortunately for connections of **Tavago (NZ)** (Tavistock {NZ}), it appears the 4-year-old may have run his last race. Trainer Trent Busuttin revealed the possibility of a serious suspensory ligament injury following his last place finish behind Jameka (Aus) (Myboycharlie {Ire}) in the G1 BMW at Rosehill on Saturday.

Busuttin tweeted, “The highs and lows of racing, a tough setback but our motto is always ‘the horse comes first.’”

Tavago, who beat Jameka in last year’s G1 BMW Australian Derby will undergo further scans this week to determine the extent of his injury.

There was better news for Craig Williams, who was discharged from the hospital following the fatal fall of his mount The Gold Trail (Ire) (Teofilo {Ire}) in the Listed Mornington Cup on Saturday. Williams suffered a concussion and will have to sit on the sidelines for a mandatory seven days, thus missing some high profile mounts on Saturday including the Darren Weir-trained **Tosen Stardom (Jpn)** (Deep Impact {Jpn}) in the G1 Doncaster Mile on the first day of The Championships.

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INTERNATIONAL OPTIONS FOR JAMEKA

The possibility of a clash between the brilliant **Winx (Aus)** (Street Cry {Ire}) and Saturday's dominant G1 BMW winner **Jameka (Aus)** (Myboycharlie {Ire}) is still up in the air, as connections of Jameka ponder different international options for their triple Group 1 winner. With Winx slated for the G1 Queen Elizabeth S. Apr. 8, Jameka may swerve that potential meeting to focus on the G1 Queen Elizabeth II Cup in Hong Kong Apr. 30 before a possible trip to Europe for the G1 King George & Queen Elizabeth Diamond S. at Ascot in July.

Outlining options to *Racing.com*, Jameka's co-owner Col McKenna said, "I spoke to Ciaran [Maher] this morning; the balls are in the air. Second prize [for the Queen Elizabeth] is A\$760,000. Who knows? They may run one-two, either way around." On a possible international foray McKenna added, "Going to the world stage, they have to be world class, and I'm not saying she's that yet, but she deserves the chance--that's all--and that's how we feel."

Ciaran Maher's assistant David Eustace also indicated that a clash with Winx would seem the less likely option. "I would say Hong Kong is the most likely next target for her, and if she performs there, Europe may well be considered. But you can't plan too far ahead; it's hard to travel horses if they're not running well, so she'd have to do that in Hong Kong."

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GUNNISON SLATED FOR CHAIRMAN'S SALE

Gunnison (Aus) (Not a Single Doubt {Aus}), a winner of his only two starts to date including the Mar. 4 G2 Todman S. last out, has been added to the inaugural Inglis The Chairman's Sale Session I, the elite racing prospects portion held at 6 p.m. local time Thursday, Mar. 30. Rated 115 by Timeform, second among



Gunnison | *Inglis*

Australian juvenile males to only G1 Blue Diamond S. runner-up and 'TDN Rising Star' Pariah (Aus) (Redoute's Choice {Aus}), the Peter and Paul Snowden trainee landed a Wyong 1000-metre barrier trial by two lengths Mar. 22.

"He's a sensational physical, but at this stage we are purely focused on stallion prospects, so as a gelding he just does not fit in with our program," said James Harron of James Harron Bloodstock, who picked out the colt for A\$850,000 at the 2016 Australian Easter Yearling Sale. "But I can genuinely tell you that Peter thinks this horse is a huge chance on Saturday in the Group 1 Inglis Sires [Produce S. Apr. 1]."

"Gunnison has gone from strength to strength since being gelded, I believe him to have improved again since the Todman and I feel he is a genuine winning chance in the Inglis Sires," said Peter Snowden.

A full set of Hong Kong X-Rays and video scope for Gunnison will be available in the repository. Gunnison's yearling half-sister by Snitzel (Aus) will go through the ring as [lot 84](#) from the Arrowfield Stud consignment during the Inglis Australian Easter Yearling Sale Apr. 4-6.

Entries for the sale close at 10 a.m. local time Monday. For more information about the Inglis The Chairman's Sale, go to www.inglis.com.au.

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ALL TOO HARD GETS FIRST WINNER

Vinery Stud's four-time Group 1 winning champion **All Too Hard (Aus)** (Casino Prince {Aus}--Helsing {Aus}, by Desert Sun {GB}), a half-brother to the undefeated superstar Black Caviar (Aus) (Bel Esprit {Aus}), sired his first winner, **Lincoln Hills (Aus)**, at Tauherenikau, New Zealand Sunday. Racing for Lincoln Farms and trainer Lisa Latta, the chestnut broke sharply and settled in a tracking third in the 1000-metre contest ([video](#)). Scrubbed on for his best effort, the A\$55,000 Magic Millions National Yearling Sale buy tackled stablemate Dreams of Platinum (Aus) (Dream Ahead) inside the final 200 metres and blew right on by. It was two lengths back to that foe at the winning post.

"Lisa has been very patient with him as he has had a couple of jump-outs and a nice quiet trial the other day," Latta stable representative Andie Rennie told www.nz.racing.co.nz. "There was a bit of confidence in the camp, so it was good to see him jump out and back up the ability that he has shown at home."

The winner's dam Hickory Hills (Aus) (More Than Ready) is out of a full-sister to MSP Skates (Aus) (Danehill), herself the dam of G1 Golden Slipper S. hero and young sire Vancouver (Aus) (Medaglia d'Oro). All Too Hard stood the 2016 Southern Hemisphere season for A\$55,000 and has 16 yearlings in the upcoming Inglis Easter Yearling Sale Apr. 4-6. All Too Hard has already had 10 progeny place in the top three to date, while his Mystic Empire (Aus) has already placed second in the G3 Widden S. at Rosehill earlier this year.

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All Too Hard | Vinery Stud

Sunday, Chukyo, Japan

TAKAMATSUNOMIYA KINEN-G1, ¥186,600,000 (US\$1,682,082/£1,346,530/€1,551,973), Chukyo, 3-26, 4yo/up, 1200mT, 1:08.70, gd.

1--**@&SEIUN KOSEI (JPN), 126, c, 4, Admire Moon (Jpn)**

1st Dam: Observant, by Capote

2nd Dam: Patently Clear, by Miswaki

3rd Dam: Badge of Courage, by Well Decorated

(¥13,000,000 Ylg '14 JRHAJUL). O-Shigeyuki Nishiyama;

B-Sakurai Farm; T-Hiroyuki Uehara; J-Hideaki Miyuki;

¥101,780,000. Lifetime Record: 15-6-5-0. **Werk Nick Rating:**

B+. [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

2--**Let's Go Donki (Jpn), 121, m, 5, King Kamehameha (Jpn)--Marutoku (Jpn), by Marvelous Sunday (Jpn).** O-Toshihiro Hirosaki HD Inc.; B-Shimizu Bokujo ; ¥40,080,000.

3--**Red Falx (Jpn), 126, h, 6, Swept Overboard--Vermouth (Jpn),** by Sunday Silence. O-Tokyo Horse Racing; B-Shadai Farm; ¥25,540,000

Margins: 1 1/4, NK, 1 1/4; Odds: 7.70, 4.10, 2.60.

Also Ran: Teehaf (Jpn), Fiero (Jpn), Talking Drum (Jpn), Snow Dragon (Jpn), Nac Venus (Jpn), Solveig (Jpn), Melagrana (Aus), Hiruno Devaro (Jpn), Bakushin Teio (Jpn), Rhein Spirit (Jpn), Xmas (Jpn), Shuji (Jpn), Once In A Moon (Jpn), Red Arion (Jpn), Toshos Piste (Jpn). [Click for the JRA chart and video](#), for the [Racing Post result](#) or the [free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree](#).

The Takamatsunomiya Kinen is the third leg of the Global Sprint Challenge and it produced an authoritative winner in Seiun Kosei, who was scoring at the top level for the first time. The ground seemed quite loose despite the official going description as 'good', but it proved no hindrance to the winning colt who benefitted from a smooth trip throughout. Settled in a nice position around fifth on the heels of the leaders, jockey Hideaki Miyuki went for home early in the straight and, despite drifting to his left from the centre of the course, he was far enough clear of his opponents not to cause any interference. At the post, he had 1 1/4 lengths to spare over Lets Go Donki with another neck back to the favourite Red Falx in third.

"I was told by the trainer that he handled the soft ground well and he ran comfortably in the forward position," said Miyuki. "He felt really good from the beginning and although I was afraid that I may have slipped him out too early, I believed in him and urged him to go until the wire."

It took Seiun Kosei seven runs to break his maiden and when he managed to do so, it was a 3-year-old maiden on dirt at Nakayama this time last year. Since then however, the 4-year-old has been consistent and progressive adding another four wins before Sunday including in a listed race at Kyoto Jan. 7.

G1 Takamatsunomiya Kinen Cont.

On his first attempt in a graded stakes race, he acquitted himself well when second to Dance Director (Jpn) (Aldebaran) in the G3 Silk Road S. at Kyoto Jan. 29 and he took the further jump in grade in his stride on Sunday to open up a range of future options on the global stage.

Pedigree Notes...

Seiun Kosei is the first stakes winner for the 17-year-old mare Observant (Capote), who showed little in six runs in Ireland for trainer Paddy Prendergast. She has however, proved a smart broodmare producing five winners in total from seven runners and nine foals. His second dam Patently Clear (Miswaki) was a winner in Ireland before being sent to breed in Japan where she produced the stakes winners Taiki Fortune (Seattle Dancer), Taiki Dia (Ogygian) and Taiki Lion (Wild Again).

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Seiun Kosei | JRA Photo

Sunday, Nakayama, Japan

MARCH S.-G3, ¥68,820,000 (US\$572,613/£496,785/€572,613), Nakayama, 3-26, 4yo/up, 1800m, 1:52.00, yl.

1--**INCANTATION (JPN)**, 127, h, 7, by **Sinister Minister**

- 1st Dam: **Original Spin (Ire)**, by **Machiavellian**
- 2nd Dam: **Not Before Time (Ire)**, by **Polish Precedent**
- 3rd Dam: **Time Charter (Ire)**, by **Saritamer**

O-Turf Sport Inc.; B-Tanikawa Farm; T-Tomohiko Hatsuki; J-Masaki Katsuura; ¥36,574,000. Lifetime Record: 27-9-2-3, G1SP-Jpn. **Werk Nick Rating: D.** [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

2--**Dia Del Rey (Jpn)**, 121, h, 5, King Kamehameha (Jpn)--Dia de la Novia (Jpn), by Sunday Silence. O-Carrot Farm; B-Northern Farm; ¥14,164,000.

3--**Altair (Jpn)**, 119, h, 5, Kane Hekili(Jpn)--Top of Dora, by Grand Slam. O-Nagako Fujita; B-Reiji Amaba; ¥9,082,000.

Margins: HF, HF, NK; Odds: 24.40, 4.40, 34.60.

Also Ran: London Town (Jpn), Asukano Roman (Jpn), Reget Rock (Jpn), Meisho Sumitomo (Jpn), Kokusuisen (Jpn), Dear Domus (Jpn), Meiner Crop (Jpn), Strong Souther (Jpn), Cosmo Canadian (Jpn), Shonan Apollon (Jpn), Happy Sprint (Jpn), Silk Dreamer (Jpn), Pit Boss (Jpn).

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Sunday's Results:

SINGAPORE THREE-YEAR-OLD SPRINT, S\$250,000 (£143,294/€165,475/A\$234,450), Kranji, 3-26, 3yo, 1200mT, 1:09.46, gd.

1--**#COUNTOFMONTECRISTO (NZ)**, 126, g, 3, **Echoes of Heaven (Aus)--Replicate (NZ)**, by **Towkay (Aus)**. (NZ\$57,500 2yo '15 NZBRTR). O-Joe Giovanni Sarjeet Singh; B-B F, Mrs H J & P J Crofskey; T-Michael Clements; J-Glen Boss; S\$148,750.

Lifetime Record: 4-4-0-0, S\$269,438. *First black-type winner for sire (Encosta de Lago {Aus}--Shantha's Choice {Aus}).

2--**Macarthur (Aus)**, 126, g, 3, **Charge Forward (Aus)--Mozambique (Aus)**, by **Redoute's Choice (Aus)**. (A\$65,000 RNA Ylg '15 MMGCYS). O-Royalty Racing Stable. S\$53,125.

3--**Sir Isaac (Aus)**, 126, g, 3, **Dream Ahead--Fatoon (Aus)**, by **Snaadee**. (A\$150,000 Ylg '15 MMGCYS). O-Sir Isaac Stable. S\$26,875.

Margins: 3/4, HF, HF. Odds: 2.20, 31.00, 4.80.

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ROCKET MAN SPRINT, S\$200,000 (£114,635/€132,357/A\$187,560), Kranji, 3-26, 3yo/up, 1200mT, 1:08.98, gd.

1--**LIM'S CRUISER (AUS)**, 116, g, 4, **Casino Prince (Aus)--Hope Downs (Aus)**, by **Good Journey**. (A\$17,000 Ylg '14 MMGCYS; A\$100,000 HRA '15 MMHIT). O-Lim's Stable; B-Patinack Farm (NSW); T-Stephen Gray; J-Danny Beasley; S\$119,000. Lifetime Record: 10-5-2-2, US\$323,013. *Formerly Cool Gambler (Aus).

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2--**Cavallo (NZ)**, 121, g, 7, **Testa Rossa (Aus)--Indovina (Aus)**, by **Elusive Quality**. (NZ\$30,000 RNA Ylg '11 NZBSEL; NZ\$130,000 2yo '11 NZBRTR). O-Great Ninth Stable. S\$42,500.

3--**Rafaello (Aus)**, 112, g, 4, **Oratorio (Ire)--Born Bold (Aus)**, by **Exceed and Excel (Aus)**. (A\$47,500 Ylg '14 MIMPER). O-Fred Crabbia. S\$21,500.

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Margins: NK, 1 1/4, HF. Odds: 3.60, 18.20, 29.40.

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HENCE SHOWS 'EM WHO'S 'BOSS' IN SUNLAND DERBY



Hence charges clear to take the Sunland Derby | *Coady*

Calumet Farm homebred **Hence** (Street Boss) rebounded from a lackluster performance in the GIII Southwest S. with a decisive victory in the GIII Sunland Derby Sunday evening. A bit overlooked at 10-1, the chestnut ran alongside **Shareholder Value** (Uncle Mo) in last as **Hedge Fund** (Super Saver) was chased by favored **Bronze Age** (Mineshaft) through opening splits of :22.26 and :45.72. Picking off rivals to sit in a two-wide third approaching the far turn, the Steve Asmussen pupil looked previously undefeated leader **Conquest Mo Money** (Uncle Mo) in the eye for a few brief strides in early stretch before rolling clear to a 3 3/4-length victory. Hometown hopeful Conquest Mo Money checked in second, 4 1/2 lengths clear of third-place finished Hedge Fund. Bronze Age came home last after being eased.

"I broke almost dead last, so I just tried to save ground going into the first turn and then I swung out a little bit just to get my momentum going," winning rider Alfredo Juarez, Jr., remarked. "When I started going from the 3/8ths pole to the wire, he was going at a good pace. When I got to the quarter-pole and he really started running, it was so emotional. It was really, really fun and I was just enjoying it every step of the way."

The pilot added, "This win is very special to me. Thank you to Steve Asmussen for believing in me."

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GHALIA STAYS PERFECT IN SUNLAND OAKS

Sumaya US Stable's **Ghalia** (Medaglia d'Oro) took her perfect record to three-for-three and registered her first black-type win Sunday when making her two-turn debut in the Sunland Park Oaks. In no hurry early, the 2-1 shot ran in second last as longshot **Soft Cheese** (Quality Road) and favored Grade I winner **Noted and Quoted** (The Factor) battled it out through early splits of :22.41 and :45.75 with local heroine **Kell Paso** (Divine Park) and **What What What** (Archarcharch) hot on their heels. The chalk called it a day after the opening half as Ghalia ranged up on the outside to sit fourth. Four wide turning for home, the \$600,000 KEENOV buy swept by What What What in the lane and looked poised to leave new leader Kell Paso in her dust, but that rival dug deep, battling Ghalia every step to the wire. However, Jose Ortiz kept on asking and Ghalia kept on finding to score by a neck. Kell Paso finished 5 3/4 lengths clear of What What What and Noted and Quoted faded to last. **Cont. p4**

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Turfway Park invited TAA and their KY-based accredited organizations to set up tables near the paddock to increase aftercare awareness and speak with patrons. Immediately after the 5th race, the TAA and their accredited organizations representatives presented a blanket to the winning connections in the winner's circle. Brad Cummings of EquiLottery and Jill Byrne of Churchill Downs also joined the TAA in the winner's circle. | Suzie Picou-Oldham

IN THEIR FOOTSTEPS: COLIN BRENNAN

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In the latest from this TDN series that focuses on people who follow their family into racing, Carly Silver learns the story of Colin Brennan, who works as an assistant for his trainer father Niall.

ORTIZ, RODRIGUEZ TAKE AQUEDUCT INNER TITLES

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SUNLAND DERBY-GIII, \$800,000, SUN, 3-26, 3yo, 1 1/8m, 1:48.10, ft.

1--#@HENCE, 122, c, 3, by [Street Boss](#)

1st Dam: Floating Island, by A.P. Indy

2nd Dam: Ballerina Princess, by Mr. Prospector

3rd Dam: Aladancer, by Northern Dancer

O/B-Calumet Farm (KY); T-Steven M. Asmussen; J-Alfredo J. Juarez, Jr. \$480,000. Lifetime Record: 6-2-1-1, \$542,601. **Werk**

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2--**Conquest Mo Money**, 122, c, 3, [Uncle Mo](#)--Stirring, by Seeking the Gold. (\$180,000 Ylg '15 SARAUG; \$8,500 2yo '16 KEENOV). O-Judge Lanier Racing; B-Twin Creeks Farm (NY); T-Miguel L. Hernandez. \$176,000.

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3--**Hedge Fund**, 122, c, 3, [Super Saver](#)--Rosy Humor, by Distorted Humor. O-WinStar Farm LLC, China Horse Club International Ltd. & SF Racing LLC; B-WinStar Farm, LLC (KY); T-Todd A. Pletcher. \$80,000.

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Margins: 3 3/4, 4HF, NK. Odds: 10.80, 4.20, 7.50.

Also Ran: Irap, Total Tap, Dilettante, Balandeen, Oxford Lane, Shareholder Value, Wine N Divine, Bronze Age. Scratched:

Kimbear. Click for the [Equibase.com chart](#), the [TJCIS.com PPs](#) or the [free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree](#). [VIDEO](#), [sponsored by Fasig-Tipton](#).

A non-factor seventh behind stablemate Reckling (Dialed In) and GII Remsen S. hero Mo Town (Uncle Mo) in his six-furlong debut at Saratoga Aug. 27, Hence improved to third behind eventual GIII LeComte S. winner Guest Suite (Quality Road) when stretched to 1 1/16 miles at Keeneland Oct. 8 and missed by a neck next out at Churchill Downs Nov. 13. Stumbling at the start of his sophomore bow in the slop at Oaklawn Jan. 16, the chestnut looked an easy winner turning for home before ducking in sharply in the final furlong and brushing the rail, but re-rallied gamely to earn a narrow victory. He failed to fire last time when checking in seventh in the GIII Southwest S. in Hot Springs Feb. 20.



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Pedigree Notes:

Brad Kelley's Calumet Farm purchased Floating Island with the winner in utero for \$55,000 at the 2013 Keeneland November sale. The 15-year-old mare also produced the 2-year-old filly Mad Grace (English Channel) and a yearling filly by Risque Remarque, a black and white paint Thoroughbred stallion, privately purchased by Kelley, who currently stands in Arizona. She was bred back to Calumet's GI Preakness S. winner Oxbow last term. Floating Island is a half-sister to MGSW Pico Teneriffe (Red Ransom), the dam of two-time Canadian champion Marchfield (A.P. Indy). This is also the family of the late Darley Sire Regal Ransom (Distorted Humor), a graded winner in both the U.A.E. and the U.S.; and MGSW Devil May Care (Malibu Moon).

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SUNLAND PARK OAKS, \$200,000, SUN, 3-26, 3yo, f, 1 1/16m, 1:44.24, ft.

1--#**GHALIA, 121, f, 3, by [Medaglia d'Oro](#)**

1st Dam: Verdana Bold (GSW, \$331,297), by Rahy

2nd Dam: True Legacy (GB), by A.P. Indy

3rd Dam: Harbour Club, by Danzig

(\$600,000 Wlg '14 KEENOV). O-Sumaya U.S. Stable; B-Edward A. Seltzer, Beverly Anderson & Darley (KY); T-Todd A. Pletcher; J-Jose L. Ortiz. \$120,000. Lifetime Record: 3-3-0-0, \$166,800.

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2--**Kell Paso, 121, f, 3, Divine Park--Listen to Libby, by Indian Charlie. (\$12,500 Ylg '15 KEESEP). O-William K. Goode; B-Brereton C. Jones (KY); T-Greg Green. \$44,000.**

3--**What What What, 121, f, 3, [Archarcharch](#)--Stormy Blast, by Kayrawan. (\$10,000 Ylg '15 BSCYRL). O-W. C. Racing, Neil Haymes & Glen Khan; B-Gregory William Roberts & Stelly Stables, LLC (KY); T-Doug F. O'Neill. \$20,000.**

Margins: NK, 5 3/4, 2 1/4. Odds: 2.00, 1.80, 9.90.

Also Ran: Conquest Slayer, Soft Cheese, McKenzie Honey, Noted and Quoted.



Ghalia (blue cap) bests Kell Paso | Coady

Ghalia donned cap and gown by a dominant 6 3/4 lengths when unveiled in a six-panel test at Gulfstream Jan. 22. She made it two in a row with another front-running score in a 6 1/2-furlong optional claimer in Hallandale Feb. 15.

Oussama Aoughazale's Sumaya US Stable and trainer Todd Pletcher also teamed up to win last weekend's GII Rebel S. at Oaklawn with "**TDN Rising Star**" **Malagacy** (Shackleford). Aoughazale recently purchased a farm in Kentucky to build his U.S. breeding operation and has been doing a lot of shopping to fill it at the winter breeding stock sales. Click [here](#) to read more on Aoughazale's shopping spree at Keeneland January, where he was leading buyer; and [here](#) to read about his Fasig-Tipton February purchases, which included the \$700,000 topper.

Pedigree Notes:

The winner's dam Verdana Bold, winner of the 2008 GIII Selene S., is also responsible for the juvenile colt Hucklebuck (Street Cry {Ire}). She produced an Into Mischief colt in 2016 and a filly by that Spendthrift stallion Feb. 25 of this year. **Click for the [Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.](#)**

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Ghalia edges past Kell Paso to score | Coady

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IN THEIR FOOTSTEPS: COLIN BRENNAN

by Carly Silver

From the pastures of Ireland to the bluegrass of Kentucky, three generations of trainers have borne the surname Brennan. The late Liam Brennan was a leading Irish amateur jockey and steeplechase trainer and his sons are horsemen Ian and Niall Brennan--the latter's eponymous stable is one of America's leading juvenile consignors. Niall has carried on the tradition with his eldest son Colin, who is somewhat of a throwback, with a relentless work ethic and a soft lilt to his voice reminiscent of his father's native County Kildare. Colin currently works as an



Colin Brennan | Joe diOrio photo

assistant trainer for Niall Brennan Stables.

Patriarch Liam passed away last year at the age of 83, but Niall taught 27-year-old Colin lessons he learned from his own father, like, "You always

keep your eyes and ears open and your mouth shut."

Colin has taken that to heart, saying, "You don't ever need to tell someone what you know. You just show them."

This process started at a young age, as Liam would travel from Ireland to Ocala, Florida, to visit for a month each year.

"We would walk through the fields together and stand at the track together," Colin reminisced, an evident fondness in his voice.

Liam would instruct his grandson in equine conformation and movement, teaching him to look beyond its current appearance to its potential.

"He never failed. He could always pick out a good horse, and I'm fortunate that we did get to spend time together before his passing," Colin said.

Both Colin and his sister Kristen--now a Calumet Farm employee, whom her brother described as having "a heart the size of Texas, and it's filled with horses"--take after their equestrian parents. Colin put in long hours before and after school in the barns. He spent eight seasons foaling and caring for hundreds of mares alongside his mother, horsewoman Jolane Weeks.

At age 18, he started spending his summers at Saratoga, first as a hotwalker, then as a foreman and trainer's assistant for Darley; he later became a foreman for trainer Linda Rice.

At one OBS March sale, Colin met a student in Darley's Flying Start program. To a young man looking to build his resume, Colin said, "It was one of those things, that no matter what, that was

the light at the end of the tunnel for me."

With this in mind as his ultimate goal, Colin fleshed out his resume, which included degrees in equine business management and equine anatomy and physiology from the College of Central Florida in 2012. Just a few months after graduation, he traveled to Ireland for the first leg of Flying Start.

The caliber of horsemen, animals, and facilities he experienced and met during Flying Start helped shape Colin as a horseman.

"You wouldn't be able to go to a Sheikh's suite in Meydan if you were trying to do a similar course on your own," he recalled.

Studying different animals all over the world taught him the effects of nature versus nurture on the development of a young Thoroughbred, while working alongside Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid al-Maktoum's employees exposed him to true blue-bloods.

"It was one of those shed rows that as you walk through that you have to pinch yourself," he gushed. "When they say they're trying to have the world's best of everything, they really meant it, and they do."

Before he even finished the two-year program in 2014, Colin had three potential job offers, but he chose to join Barbara Banke's Stonestreet Stables as a traveling assistant trainer. Two to three days a week, he boarded a plane to examine Stonestreet's horses all over the country, speaking to and working with top trainers. These networking opportunities were unparalleled.

"They really taught us how to engage with people, how to leave a good impression, how to gain the most out of an experience and the most out of a meeting," he said.

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In Their Footsteps cont.

Last summer, Colin was on the verge of a big step--deciding to go out on his own as a trainer--when his father gave him a call, saying their farm manager was moving on. And with that, the Prodigal Son returned to Brennan Stables.

Colin jumped at the chance, saying, "It's been my lifelong goal to come back and work with him and ideally take over the reins one day, and so this was the dream job, I think."

Now an experienced horseman in his own right, he works side-by-side with Niall on a more equal level than he did years ago, but he's still always learning.

"If I could be half the horseman that he is, I would be very happy," Colin said.

Working with family has its challenges, but Colin appreciates those moments.

"I think, all in all, I see, more so now, that there are times he takes out of his incredibly busy day and he'll just stop to pass things on to me," he noted, whether they're in the barn or on the track.

"I understand that I still have a long way to go as far as working into his operation," Colin said. "There is something about it that brings you together, and I wouldn't have it any other way."

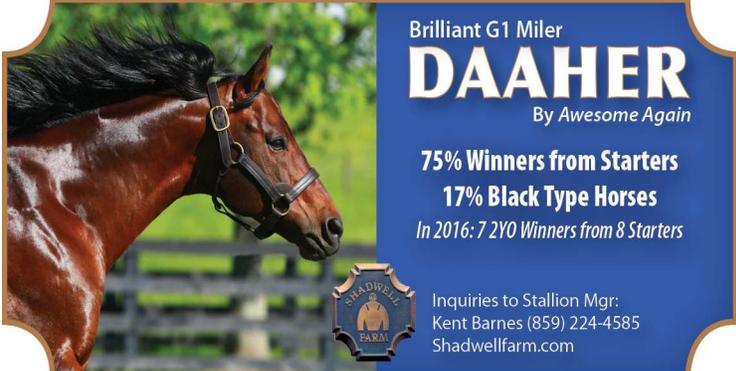
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Foal born Feb. 9, a filly by Artie Schiller.

Will be bred back to Street Sense.

Owned by Roberto Mesquita.

Boarded at Hidden Brook Farm.

Accomplishments: MG1SW-Brz, \$119,922. Dam of Greenzapper (Ghostzapper), G1SW-Brz.

BARBARA ORR, 17, Tale of the Cat--Forli's Slew, by Forli

Foal born Feb. 10, a filly by Sky Mesa.

Will be bred back to California Chrome.

Owned by Taylor Brothers Properties LLC.

Boarded at Taylor Made Farm.

Accomplishments: GSP. Dam of Rock Me Baby (Rock Hard Ten), SW & GSP, \$495,454; Hot Ore (Unusual Heat), SP; Hot Smoke (Unusual Heat), SP.

MOULIN DE MOUGIN, 7, Curlin--Cambiocorsa, by Avenue of Flags

Foal born Feb. 10, a colt by Medaglia d'Oro.

Will be bred back to California Chrome.

Owned by RanJan Racing Inc.

Boarded at Taylor Made Farm.

Accomplishments: GSW of \$313,660.

CRY CRY CRY, 11, Jump Start--Rajas Secret, by Storm Bird

Foal born Feb. 11, a colt by Palace Malice.

Owned by C and B Kidder, N Cole/Erv Woolsey, Ralph Kinder.

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Accomplishments: SW, \$179,745.

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IRAD ORTIZ, RODRIGUEZ & JACOBSON TAKE BIG A INNER TITLES

Irad Ortiz, Jr. closed out the Aqueduct inner-track meet with a five-win day Sunday, while trainer Rudy Rodriguez and owner David Jacobson also proved uncatchable in their respective divisions.

The younger Ortiz entered Sunday's card with a 15-win lead over Manny Franco, and pulled further clear with a closing day hat trick. Ortiz, who collected his 11th NYRA riding title Sunday, rode a total of 76 winners from 281 mounts for a 27% win rate and earned \$3.5 million in purses.



Irad Ortiz aboard Takrees after winning the Interborough S. | Joe Labozzetta

"I had a very good day," said Ortiz. "I have to thank God as well as all the trainers and owners who give me an opportunity, also my agent who is also doing a great job. It's a great accomplishment. I've been fortunate to be put on a lot of winners by owners and trainers this meet. I do my work and they give me good chances with good horses, so thanks to them."

Franco held second with 56 winners from 332 mounts and Kendrick Carmouche was third with 53 winners from 269 mounts.

Rodriguez dominated the trainer standings with 49 wins from 201 starts, which was 18 more than runner-up Linda Rice. It was the second straight inner track title, and seventh NYRA title overall, for Rodriguez, who won at a 24.4% clip and earned nearly \$2.1 million.

Rice closed out the meet with 31 winners from 130 starters for earnings of \$1.3 million.

Jacobson, who tied Chris Englehart for third in the trainer standings, led all owners with 14 wins from 62 starts, which was six more than Chester and Mary Broman's eight wins from 48 starts. Midwest Thoroughbreds was third with eight wins from 37 starts.

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NEW YORK

Sunday's Results:

3rd-AQU, \$55,860, (S), Alw (NW1\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$75,000), 3-26, 3yo, f, 6f, 1:14.73, my.

TIMELY TRADITION (f, 3, First Defence--True Believer, by Smart Strike) failed to factor in her turf debut here in November and dropped down to the \$40,000 maiden claiming level to best state-breds by 13 1/2 lengths over track and trip Dec. 7. Let go at odds of 5-1 for this sophomore debut on the final day of the inner track meet, the bay broke a step slowly and raced on the rail in third behind a quarter-mile in :23.05. She shifted out to the three path departing the turn and rallied gamely between horses to score by 1 3/4 lengths. Overnegotiate (Overdriven) completed the exacta. True Believer produced a colt by Creative Cause last year and was bred back to Competitive Edge. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, \$58,958. [Click for the Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton](#).

O-Mr. & Mrs. Bertram R. Firestone, B-Bertram R. Firestone (NY); T-Christophe Clement.

EASTERN U.S.

Sunday's Results:

8th-LRL, \$42,000, Alw (NW1X)/Opt. Clm (\$40,000-\$50,000), 3-26, 3yo, f, 5 1/2f, 1:04.22, ft.

ASTROLLINTHEPARK (f, 3, Divine Park--All in With Aces, by Quiet American) checked in second going six furlongs on debut at Fair Grounds Jan. 29 and improved to graduate by 1 1/2 lengths over that same track and trip Feb. 25. Pounded down to even money favoritism for this first try against winners, the bay set the pace in the clear through a quarter-mile in :23.07 and stepped away to widen her advantage through a half in :46.41. Never truly threatened, Astrollinthepark coasted home under steady encouragement to score by 3 1/4 lengths over She's Stunning (Adios Charlie). The winner is a half to Hard Aces (Hard Spun), GISW, \$1,087,990. All in With Aces produced a colt by Creative Cause in 2015, a colt by Hard Spun in 2016 and was bred back to Creative Cause. Lifetime Record: 3-2-1-0, \$56,740. [Click for the Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton](#).

O/B-Dreamchaser Thorobreds (KY); T-J. Larry Jones.

7th-LRL, \$40,000, Msw, 3-26, 3yo, f, 1m, 1:38.00, ft.
LIGHTS OF MEDINA (f, 3, Eskendereya--Medina Thunder, by Thunder Gulch), third on debut over a sloppy track at Saratoga July 31, closed out her 2-year-old year by rallying belatedly to check in fourth in a 1 1/16-mile turf affair at Aqueduct Dec. 3. The chestnut added a runner-up finish traveling an extended mile on the inner track in Ozone Park Jan. 15 and was tabbed as the 1-5 choice to graduate in this return to a one-turn trip. Never far back, she chased the pace in the two path through a half-mile in :49 flat and commenced a three-deep rally on the turn. Lights of Medina entered the lane on even terms with the pacesetter and kicked clear to score comfortably by five lengths over Head for the Shore (Candy Ride {Arg}), who closed to complete the exacta. The winner has a yearling half-brother named Releasethunder (More Than Ready). Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-1, \$46,100. [Click for the Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton](#).

O-Sumaya U.S. Stable; B-International Equities Holding, Inc. (KY); T-Todd A. Pletcher.

Camann Wins MJC Champions Handicapping Tournament:

Thomas Camann of Providence, Rhode Island, finished with a balance of \$2,496 to edge Frederick Cipriano and capture the spring session of the Maryland Jockey Club's Champions Handicapping Tournament held Saturday at Laurel Park. In addition to prize money, the top four finishers qualified for automatic berths to the National Handicapping Championship (NHC), Breeders' Cup Betting Challenge (BCBC) or The BIG ONE.

After wagering on races from Laurel, Gulfstream Park, Santa Anita, Aqueduct and Tampa Bay Downs, with no mandatory races and a minimum \$20 wager, Camann finished \$60.80 ahead of Cipriano's \$2,435.20. Given his choice of four tournament berths, Camann selected the BCBC to be held Nov. 3-4 at Del Mar. Cipriano, of Hallandale Beach, Florida, took home \$2,860 in prize money and chose a berth in The BIG ONE Sept. 23-24 at Laurel Park.

Third place went to Hewett Andrews of Pasadena, Maryland, and Steven Scalco of Laurel, Maryland, was fourth. Both Andrews and Scalco earned spots in the NHC.

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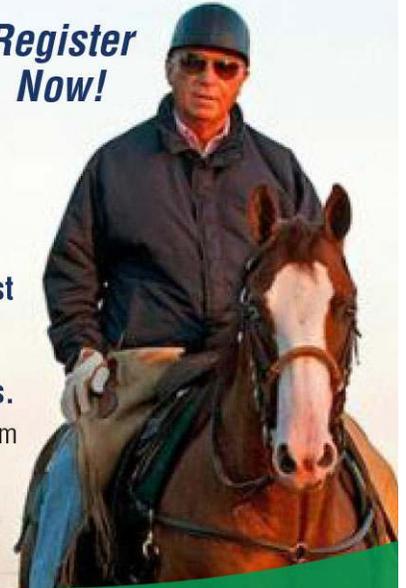
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FLORIDA

Sunday's Results:

4th-GP, \$38,000, Msw, 3-26, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:11.93, gd.

MORE FRONT (h, 5, War Front--Wildlife Festival, by Seeking the Gold) finished second in his best result in four starts for the Christophe Clement barn in 2014 and 2015, and was given a 4-1 chance to graduate off a near 18-month layoff in this first outing for the Chad Brown stable. Stalking the pace of Valdocco (Tapizar) through splits of :22.57 and :45.69, the bay emerged as the lone threat at the top of the lane and surged by the frontrunner inside the sixteenth pole to score by a length. The winner's second dam Dream Scheme (Danzig) is a GSW half to Clear Mandate, the MGISW dam of GISW Strong Mandate (Tiznow) and MGSW/MGISP Newfoundland (Storm Cat). Third dam Dream Deal (Sharpen Up {GB}) was a GISW as well. Wildlife Festival is responsible for a juvenile Bodemeister filly and foaled a filly by Street Sense Jan. 31. Sales History: \$100,000 Ylg '13 KESEEP; \$190,000 RNA 2yo '14 OBSMAR; \$400,000 2yo '14 EASMAY. Lifetime Record: 5-1-1-0, \$34,240. [Click for the Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton](#). O-Waterford Stable; B-G. Watts Humphrey (KY); T-Chad C. Brown.

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8th-TAM, \$21,750, Msw, 3-26, 3yo, 1 1/16mT, 1:44.13, fm. **TIGHT ROCK (c, 3, [Mineshaft](#)--Habiboo {MGSP, \$190,190}, by Unbridled's Song)** was soundly beaten in a pair of main track tries facing open company at Gulfstream to begin his career and showed drastic improvement over the local turf, running second behind Lunaire in a course-and-distance maiden heat Feb. 17. Tasked with the widest slot in a field of 10, the 5-2 shot traveled three wide around the opening bend and moved closer to track the pace from fourth through a half-mile in :49.62. Reaching even terms with first-time starter Philo (Pure Prize) in upper stretch, he found more to forge past that rival and prevail by a neck. A half-brother to Life Imitates Art (More Than Ready, GSW, \$203,720), Tight Rock has a 2-year-old half-brother named Killeen (More Than Ready) and a yearling half-sister by Bernardini. Habiboo--a half-sister to MGISW and sire Street Boss (Street Cry {Ire})--was bred back to Tiznow last spring. Sales History: \$250,000 Ylg '15 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-0, \$20,010. **Click for the [Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton](#).**

O-Shortleaf Stable, Inc.; B-Hardacre Farm LLC (FL); T-Claude R. McGaughey III.

CENTRAL U.S.

Sunday's Results:

8th-OP, \$82,000, Alw (NW1X)/Opt. Clm (\$62,500), 3-26, 3yo, 6f, 1:10.71, ft.

RAPID DIAL (c, 3, [Dialed In](#)--Cartia, by Empire Maker) graduated on debut by 2 3/4 lengths over track and trip Mar. 11 and connections thought so highly of him that they nominated him to the Triple Crown earlier this week. Pounded down to 10 cents over even-money, they bay rated in second one off and two out through the early going as a longshot zipped a first quarter in :21.73. Under a drive, the favorite stuck his head in front on the far bend and stubbornly held onto the lead despite the best efforts of a closing Crawford (Majesticperfection) to win by a half-length. Rapid Dial has a pair of half-brothers by Brethren--an unraced juvenile named Agassi and a yearling of 2016. Cartia, out of GII Humana Distaff H. heroine Zuppardo Ardo (Zuppardo's Prince), was bred back to that sire last spring. Sales history: \$7,500 Ylg '15 OBSOCT; \$75,000 2yo '16 OBSOPN. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$92,400. **Click for the [Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton](#).**

O-Greco Racing Stable, Michael P. Cloonan & Ingrid Mason; B-Arindel Farm (FL); T-Ingrid Mason.

6th-FG, \$44,120, Alw (C)/Opt. Clm (\$80,000), 3-26, 4yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2fT, 1:04.98, gd.

LOVABLE LYSS (f, 4, Big Brown--Dakota Rae, by Stephen Got Even) won two of her first three starts and missed by a head in the other before finishing off the board in the local Silverbulletday S. and GII Rachel Alexandra S. last winter. Capturing the Austintown Filly Sprint S. Apr. 16 at Mahoning Valley, the bay was second in the Goldfinch S. two weeks later at Prairie Meadows and was laid up for the rest of her sophomore season before running seventh in the Mardi Gras S. first time on turf Feb. 28. Dismissed at 10-1 in this spot, Lovable Lyss tracked the speed from third at the inside through a :22.56 quarter. Wheeling out into the four-path at the top of the lane, she closed stoutly to just edge co-favored Nobody's Fault (Blame) by a nose in the last jump. The winner is a half to Bacopa Breeze (Visionaire), SW, \$111,155. Her dam was bred to Competitive Edge last term. Sales History: \$30,000 Ylg '14 FTKFEB; \$7,000 Ylg '14 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: SW, 9-4-2-0, \$143,370. **Click for the [Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton](#).** O/T-Hugh H. Robertson; B-Thorostock LLC (KY).

Selected by Marette Farrell

9th-FG, \$43,000, Alw (NW1X)/Opt. Clm (\$50,000), 3-26, 3yo, f, 6f, 1:10.89, ft.

NINETEENTH STREET (f, 3, Proud Citizen--Ms. Sabbatical {SP}, by Malibu Moon) was sixth and fourth, respectively, in her first two tries at the special wight level and woke up with the addition of blinkers in a track-and-trip \$50,000 tagger Feb. 26. Let go as the longest shot in the field at 22-1 here, she raced off the pace in third behind a sharp :21.50 quarter-mile and rallied wide on the turn. The bay closed well in the stretch and held off a bid from Stonetacular (Speightstown) by 3/4 of a length. The winner has a juvenile half-brother by Stormy Atlantic and a yearling half-brother by Exchange Rate. Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-0, \$41,460. **Click for the [Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton](#).**

O-Pocket Aces Racing LLC; B-Somewhere Stables KY, LLC (KY); T-Steve Margolis.

4th-OP, \$80,000, Msw, 3-26, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:46.14, ft.

DRINKS ON BROADWAY (f, 3, [Stay Thirsty](#)--Broadway Gold {SW, \$166,645}, by Seeking the Gold) was fifth in her debut Nov. 5 at Churchill before running a narrow second over track and trip Mar. 2. Hammered down to 7-10 favoritism in this spot, the bay sat a close second through a :23.82 quarter, took charge passing a :47.74 half and drew off in the stretch to score by 4 1/4 lengths. Dark Bloom (Midnight Lute) was second-best. The victress is a half to Broadway's Alibi (Vindication), MGSW & GISP, \$521,500; Golden Lad (Medaglia d'Oro), MGSW, \$645,320;

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and R Gypsy Gold (Bernardini), MSW & GISP, \$271,417. Her third dam Eliza (Mt. Livermore) was 1992's champion juvenile filly. Broadway Gold, a half to GISW and leading sophomore sire Dialed In (Mineshaft), foaled a colt by Medaglia d'Oro last season. Sales History: \$180,000 2yo '16 OBSOPN. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, \$64,035. [Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.](#)

O-Upson Downs Farm, Sagamore Farm & Papason Stables; B-Ocala Stud (FL); T-Gary G. Hartlage.

CALIFORNIA

Sunday's Results:

DREAM OF SUMMER S., \$101,035, SA, 3-26, (S), 4yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:37.34, ft.

1--**#SKYE DIAMONDS, 120, f, 4, First Dude--Exonerated, by Johannesburg.** O-Tom Acker, Allen Racing LLC & Bloom Racing Stables LLC; B-Dizney Double Diamond LLC (CA); T-William Spawr; J-Tiago Josue Pereira. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 13-7-3-0, \$309,150.

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2--**Roo's Valentine, 120, f, 4, Vronsky--Black Valentine, by Cindago.** O-Kretz Racing LLC; B-Kretz Racing, LLC (CA); T-Kristin Mulhall. \$20,000.

3--**Dressed to a T, 122, m, 5, Square Eddie--Clerical Error (Ire), by Kendor (Fr).** O/B-Reddam Racing, LLC (CA); T-Ben D. A. Cecil. \$12,000.



Skye Diamonds and jockey Tiago Pereira *Benoit Photo*

Margins: 1 1/4, 7 3/4, HF.
Odds: 0.80, 5.80, 7.40.
Also Ran: Sheer Pleasure, Top Notch, Time for Ebby, Cuddle Alert, Mizzen Glory.
Scratched: Ashley's Sassy, Run for Retts.

Skye Diamonds began her career campaigning for owner/breeder Donald Dizney in the barn of Mike Machowsky and was claimed for \$40,000 by her current connections at Del Mar last August. The chestnut won three of her next four starts, including a pair of local open-company allowance races

Jan. 7 and Feb. 16. Bet down to heavy favoritism to make it three wins in a row while stretching out to a route of ground here, she broke alertly and secured an ideal spot chasing the pace in the two path through a half-mile in :49.08. Skye Diamonds was asked for more as pacesetter Roo's Valentine

made a run for it turning for home, but was able to reel that rival in by midstretch and kicked away to earn her first stakes success. "The question with her was two turns," said co-owner Jeff Bloom. "But with the way she's been training, we felt that the two turns wouldn't be a problem, and pedigree-wise, it made sense. What a great time to figure it out. There's no telling how good she is. She just keeps getting better and better." [Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.](#)

Saturday Night's Results:

9th-GG, \$27,854, Msw, 3-25, 3yo, f, 6f (AWT), 1:10.00, ft.
+ALLIFORD BAY (f, 3, City Zip--Valentine Fever {MSW & GSP, \$229,361}, by Stormin Fever), tabbed the 7-2 second choice in this unveiling, dueled with 6-5 favorite Eccentric Spinster (Distorted Humor) through a first quarter in :23.03 and conceded the advantage by about a half-length on the far turn. Coming back at that foe in upper stretch, she soon sprinted clear and was 2 1/4 lengths to the good of the crowd's pick at the wire. The winner is a half-sister to Venus Valentine (Congrats), GSW, \$168,141; as well as a juvenile filly by Trappe Shot. Her third dam, MSP Rambuckus (Bold Ruckus), is a full-sister to 1995 GI Kentucky Oaks heroine Gal in a Ruckus, and a half-sister to SW Pirate's Quill (Pirate's Bounty). Sales History: \$65,000 Wlg '14 KEENOV; \$150,000 2yo '16 OBSAPR. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$15,600. [Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.](#)

O-Peter Redekop B. C., Ltd.; B-Rosemont Farm LLC (KY); T-Blaine D. Wright.

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Sunday's Results:

HARRY HENSON H., \$100,000, SUN, 3-26, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:36.50, ft.

1--**K P WILDCAT, 122, f, 4, [Include](#)--Londoloz, by Forest Wildcat.** (\$22,000 RNA Ylg '14 KEESEP; \$40,000 2yo '15 OBSOPN). O-Karl Pergola; B-Cloyce C. Clark (KY); T-Weston Martin; J-Roimes Chirinos. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 11-6-2-2, \$290,645.

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2--**Catsadiva, 116, f, 4, Tale of the Cat--Song'n Dance, by Carson City.** (\$67,000 Ylg '14 KEESEP; \$360,000 2yo '15 EASMA). O-Lawana L. & Robert E. Low; B-C. Kidder & N. Cole (KY); T-Todd A. Pletcher. \$22,000.

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3--**African Rose, 123, m, 8, Bwana Charlie--Darby Rose, by Red Bullet.** (\$7,500 2yo '11 HEIDIS). O-Judge Lanier Racing; B-Heiligbrodt Racing Stable (FL); T-Miguel L. Hernandez. \$10,000.

Margins: HF, HF, 3/4. Odds: 2.50, 4.00, 3.50.
 Also Ran: Peppy Miller, Perfecta, Bright Town, Warrens Puppy Love, Danzatrice, Conquest Artura. Scratched: Minster'sadventure.

K P Wildcat took her first three starts in impressive fashion, but was third in the local Plum Pretty S. last winter. Annexing the Chaves City S. Oct. 3 at Zia, the dark bay ran a distant second in the Zia Park Oaks Nov. 23 and came in off a runner-up finish in the El Diario H. back at Sunland Feb. 12. Let go as the second choice here, K P Wildcat broke well from her outside stall before dropping back to run eighth off of a :22.81 quarter. Moving up two spots past a :45.94 half, she progressed into contention along the rail at the five-sixteenths pole and overtook Catsadiva in deep stretch to score the victory. The victress has a 2-year-old half-sister by Calibrachoa. Her second dam Dearly (GB) (Rahy) is a half to GISW Balletto (UAE) (Timber County). **Click for the [Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.](#)**

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- ALCINDOR** (Unbridled's Song), Byerpatch Farm, 15/4/0
 1-MVR, Msw 5 1/2f, Ol' L B, 5-2
 1-MVR, Msw 5 1/2f, Alcindor Hope, 15-1
- ALGORITHM** (Bernardini), Claiborne Farm, \$7.5K, 155/18/1
 4-WRD, Msw 6f, +Bellebreaksthecode, \$13K RNA KEE SEP yrl, 5-2
- DIALED IN** (Mineshaft), Darby Dan Farm, \$7.5K, 174/25/5
 8-MVR, Msw 6f, Landline, \$2K RNA FTK OCT yrl, 7-2
- SHACKLEFORD** (Forestry), Darby Dan Farm, \$20K, 208/29/2
 8-FG, Msw 6f, House Cat, \$35K OBS OPN 2yo, 8-1
- SURREPTITIOUSLY** (Awesome Again), LA, 5/0/0
 8-FG, Msw 6f, Casual Cool, \$2K ESL YRL yrl, 50-1
- THE FACTOR** (War Front), Lane's End Farm, \$15K, 218/28/3
 9-FG, Aoc 1 1/16mT, Senora Acero, \$40K KEE SEP yrl, 8-1
- ZULU MAGIC** (Johannesburg), Davidson's Tracks-N-Time, 11/1/0
 1-MVR, Msw 5 1/2f, Brother Z, 6-1

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STAKES RESULTS:

NEW MEXICO BREEDERS' DERBY, (NB) \$100,000, SUN, 3-26, (S), 3yo, 1 1/16m, 1:44.78, ft.

- 1--**GO FOR A STROLL, 122, g, 3, Attila's Storm--Garter, by Bernardini.** O/B-R. D. Hubbard (NM); T-Todd W. Fincher; J-Tracy J. Hebert. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 5-2-2-0, \$104,418.
- 2--**Storming Back, 122, g, 3, Attila's Storm--Accomodate, by Pleasantly Perfect.** O/B-Dale Taylor (NM); T-Todd W. Fincher. \$22,000.
- 3--**He's Another Who, 122, g, 3, Quinton's Gold--Mysterious Bandit, by Time Bandit.** O-Champion Racing Stable; B-Sam E & Sammy L Stevens (NM); T-Casey T. Lambert. \$10,000.
 Margins: NK, 4 1/4, NK. Odds: 4.40, 5.80, 1.70.

NEW MEXICO BREEDERS' OAKS, (NB) \$100,000, SUN, 3-26, (S), 3yo, f, 1 1/16m, 1:45.73, ft.

- 1--**PINK CADILLAC, 121, f, 3, Diabolical--Full Moon Tonight, by Storm Cat.** O/B-J. Kirk & Judy Robison (NM); T-Joel H. Marr; J-Ken S. Tohill. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: SP, 9-2-1-4, \$115,200.

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2--**Sippin**, 121, f, 3, Swissle Stick--Samba Queen, by Giant's Causeway. O/B-R. D. Hubbard (NM); T-Todd W. Fincher. \$22,000.

3--**McAway**, 121, f, 3, McKenna's Justice--Skip's Girl, by Skip Away. O-Judge Lanier Racing; B-McKenna Thoroughbreds LLC (NM); T-Miguel L. Hernandez. \$10,000.

Margins: NK, 3HF, 3/4. Odds: 7.70, 0.40, 13.80.

BILL THOMAS MEMORIAL S., \$100,000, SUN, 3-26, 3yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:16.01, ft.

1--**REDNECK HUMOR**, 122, g, 6, **Da Stoops--Dame Sylvieguilhem (SP)**, by Nureyev. O-Vanessa Evans, Earl Neugebauer & K. W. Sharp; B-Jacks or Better Farm Inc. (FL); T-Justin R. Evans; J-Miguel A. Perez. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 24-10-2-5, \$323,720. *1/2 to Flying Trip (Trippi), SW, \$265,946; and Ballet Diva (Hear No Evil), MSW & MGSP, \$482,945.

2--**Indexical**, 118, r, 6, Latent Heat--Mysteryachievement, by Regal Classic. (\$15,500 Ylg '12 FTKOCT; \$70,000 2yo '13 BARMAY). O-Teed Off Stable LLC & Chris Aulds; B-Ellen B. Kill Kelley (KY); T-Bart G. Hone. \$22,000.

3--**Real Heat**, 118, g, 7, Unusual Heat--Chi Chi Nette, by Ole'. (\$100,000 Ylg '11 BAROCT). O-A and A Equine Inc. & Harry L. Veruchi; B-Madeline Auerbach & Barry Abrams (CA); T-Justin R. Evans. \$10,000.

Margins: 3 3/4, 1, 1. Odds: 1.50, 13.60, 21.90.

LA CONEJA S., (NB) \$100,000, SUN, 3-26, (S), 4yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:03.65, ft.

1--**WOODACOULDADID**, 119, m, 6, **Minister Eric--Prospective Girl**, by Langfuhr. O/B-Terrine Gale Ransier (NM); T-Jose R. Gonzalez, Jr.; J-Elvin Gonzalez. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 22-7-2-2, \$179,218.

2--**Diabolical Dame**, 122, m, 5, Diabolical--Vipervapor, by Devon Lane. (\$25,000 Ylg '13 RUI MIX). O-Joe Dee Brooks, Scott Bryant & Derrol Hubbard B-Fred Alexander, Todd Fincher & Brad King (NM); T-Todd W. Fincher. \$22,000.

3--**Bryn's Fancy Pants**, 122, f, 4, Southwestern Heat--Fan's Cat, by Devon Lane. O-Dale & Carey Taylor & Jon Hogg; B-Dale & Debbie Taylor (NM); T-Todd W. Fincher. \$10,000.

Margins: HF, 1 1/4, 1 1/4. Odds: 34.40, 1.60, 1.70.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

8th-SA, \$60,433, (NW2\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$62,500), 3-26, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8mT, 1:47.03, fm.

PLACE DES VOSGES (m, 5, Pleasantly Perfect--Subeen {GB} {GISP}), by Caerleon) Lifetime Record: 23-4-6-3, \$207,264.

O-Abbondanza Racing, LLC; B-St. George Farm, LLC (KY); T-Richard Baltas. *\$150,000 Ylg '13 KEESEP; \$75,000 RNA 4yo '16 KEENOV. **1/2 to Stupendous Miss (Dynaformer), GSW, \$232,127; and Closing Range (After Market), GSW, \$214,353.

8th-GP, \$49,000, (C)/Opt. Clm (\$62,500), 3-26, 4yo/up, 5fT, :55.26, gd.

EXTRAVAGANT KID (g, 4, Kiss the Kid--Pretty Extravagant, by With Distinction) Lifetime Record: MSP, 15-4-3-3, \$145,735. O/B-Vicino Racing Stables, Inc. (FL); T-Milton W. Wolfson.

2nd-LRL, \$47,611, (NW3X)/Opt. Clm (\$25,500-\$32,000), 3-26, 4yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:03.88, ft.

ROWD E ALLIE (m, 5, E Dubai--Pining, by Pine Bluff) Lifetime Record: 20-7-2-1, \$277,403. O-Shindel Thoroughbred Ventures LLC; B-Two-Turn Farm LLC (PA); T-Kelly J. Breen.

2nd-SUN, \$41,700, (S), 3-26, 4yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:15.62, ft.

CITIZEN GELLER (g, 5, Pro Prado--Ghostly Belle, by Ghostly Moves) Lifetime Record: 29-6-3-4, \$215,444. O-UKUSA Stables; B-Larry & Denise Nichols (NM); T-Vance Earl Mikkelson.

10th-SUN, \$31,400, (NW3X)/Opt. Clm (\$25,000), 3-26, 4yo/up, 1m, 1:35.64, ft.

AMERICAN DUBAI (c, 4, E Dubai--Smash Review, by Bates Motel) Lifetime Record: GSP, 10-4-1-2, \$154,022. O-Richard Keith; B-C. Oliver Iselin (VA); T-Rodney C. Richards. *\$13,000 Wlg '13 EASDEC; \$35,000 Ylg '14 KEESEP; \$50,000 2yo '15 OBSMAR.

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7th-CT, \$24,000, 3-25, (NW2LX), 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:48.17, ft.

BLAZIN LUCK (g, 4, Friesan Fire--Carni's Luck {MSP}, by Carnivalay) Lifetime Record: 18-4-5-1, \$87,966. O-Carisa A. Figgins; B-Carisa & Ollie L. Figgins III (WV); T-Ollie L. Figgins, III.

6th-TAM, \$21,750, (NW2X)/Opt. Clm (\$32,000), 3-26, 4yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:36.37, fm.

BALLINSKELLIGS (f, 4, Malibu Moon--Eden's Storm, by Stormy Atlantic) Lifetime Record: 12-6-1-1, \$93,469. O-Ralph E. Whitney; B-Helen T. Andrews & Twin Hopes Farm (KY); T-Maria Bowersock. *\$210,000 Ylg '14 KEESEP.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Arch Revenge, c, 3, **Archarcharch**--Felucca, by Diesis (GB). OP, 3-26, (S), 1 1/16m, 1:46.71. B-McDowell Farm (AR). *\$10,000 Wlg '14 OBSOCT; \$28,000 Ylg '15 KEESEP; \$40,000 2yo '16 OBSMAR.

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Atta Boy Bear, g, 3, **Atta Boy Roy**--Lite Nite, by Conquistador Cielo. GG, 3-26, 6f (AWT), 1:10.00. B-Tim Donohue (WA). *\$14,000 Ylg '15 WASSEP.



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- Sharkzilla**, c, 3, **Distorted Reality**--Blue Ice Shark, by Moscow Ballet. GG, 3-26, 6f (AWT), 1:10.39. B-Roger P. Downes (CA). *\$1,200 Ylg '15 BARJAN.
- Compagno**, c, 3, **Gio Ponti**--Well Heeled Lady, by Broad Brush. GP, 3-26, (C), 7 1/2ft, 1:32.89. B-Anderson Boulton Thoroughbreds LLC (KY). *\$45,000 Ylg '15 KEESEP.
- Control Group**, c, 3, **Posse**--We Kept Her, by Victory Gallop. AQU, 3-26, (S), (C), 1m, 1:40.33. B-Colts Neck Stable & Alan Goldberg (NY). *\$27,000 Wlg '14 FTNMIX; \$49,000 RNA Ylg '15 SARAUG; \$19,000 RNA 2yo '16 EASMAY; \$15,000 2yo '16 OBSOPN.
- Prince Windsor**, g, 3, **Windsor Castle**--Fluvanna (MSP, \$174,984), by Ghostly Minister. CT, 3-25, (S), 7f, 1:28.17. B-Amber Locklear (WV).
- Fabulous Lady**, f, 4, **Big Drama**--Emotional Roar, by Roar of the Tiger. SA, 3-26, (C), 6 1/2ft, 1:14.14. B-Brenda Jones & R.C. Van Voorhees (NY). *\$50,000 Ylg '14 OBSAUG; \$120,000 2yo '15 OBSMAR.
- Bunyaan**, g, 4, **Invasor (Arg)**--Basaata (SP), by Dixieland Band. AQU, 3-26, (C), 1m, 1:43.02. B-Shadwell Farm, LLC (KY). *1/2 to Bashaar (Street Cry {Ire}), GSP, \$163,954.
- True Boldness**, g, 4, **Louis Quatorze**--Trusty, by Is It True. PEN, 3-25, (S), 6f, 1:11.13. B-Scott Fuchs (PA).
- Uninvited**, g, 4, **Misremembered**--Stormy Gal, by Storm Cat. SA, 3-26, 1 1/16m, 1:45.36. B-George Jacobs (KY). *1/2 to Derriane (Cozzene), SW-Fr, GSW-US, \$192,101; and Present Danger (Souvenir Copy), MSP, \$209,580.

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Date	Race	Track
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	GII TwinSpires.com Louisiana Derby	FG
	GII Mervin Muniz Memorial H.	FG
	GII New Orleans H.	FG
	GII TwinSpires.com Fair Grounds Oaks	FG
	GII Gulfstream Park Oaks	GP
	GII Pan American S.	GP
	GII Honey Fox S.	GP
	GIII Orchid S.	GP
4/2	GIII Appleton S.	GP
	GIII Top Flight Invitational H.	AQU
	GIII Tokyo City Cup	SA



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