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NOBLE INDY REFUSES TO BE DENIED IN LA DERBY

Noble Indy | *Hodges Photography*

After losing his perfect record when third in the Feb. 17 GII Risen Star S., blinkers proved to be the key for **'TDN Rising Star'** Noble Indy, who clawed his way back to the lead in the final strides of Saturday's GII Louisiana Derby to secure his spot in the GI Kentucky Derby starting gate. The 5-2 favorite broke a bit to his outside, lightly bumping 99-1 shot **Marmello** (Concord Point), but was quickly corrected by Hall of Fame pilot John Velazquez and sent to the front. Conceding the lead to Marmello, the bay stalked from second through swift opening splits of :22.97 and :46.61 with Risen Star winner **Bravazo** (Awesome Again) close behind in third.

Noble Indy charged out to a clear lead with five-eighths left to run and showed the way into the stretch, where he was confronted by **Lone Sailor** (Majestic Warrior) and those two battled stride-for-stride to the wire. GIII Southwest S. victor **My Boy Jack** (Creative Cause) made an eye-catching move from last entering the stretch and gained steadily on the dueling leaders while running out in the center of the track. Lone Sailor briefly headed Noble Indy in the long Fair Grounds stretch, but the Todd Pletcher pupil clawed his way back to register a neck success. Lone Sailor held second by a half-length over My Boy Jack.

"The blinkers made him concentrate a little bit better and he is braver that way," Velazquez said. "He is still a little bit green, which is why we put the blinkers on him." ***Cont. p3***

ART PRESTON DIES

Art Preston, who campaigned the likes of GI Belmont S. winner Victory Gallop, GI Breeders' Cup Mile hero Da Hoss and MGISW Flat Out with his brothers J.R. and Jack, passed away Saturday in Texas. His ex-wife Stephanie confirmed the news to the *TDN* via email.

An Oklahoma native, Preston graduated with a Bachelor's degree in geology from the University of Illinois and later partnered on a variety of business ventures with his brothers involving gas and oil, real estate, restaurants, cattle ranches and geothermal power generation companies. His success in the business world paved the way for an introduction to Thoroughbreds, which came with his fractional purchase of a low-level claimer in the late 1970s. With his brothers, Preston founded Preston Farm near Quanah, TX, then eventually developed Prestonwood Farm near Lexington, where they stood top sire Kris S. and Groovy. ***Cont. p14***

IN TDN EUROPE TODAY

ESTIJAAB SUPREME IN SLIPPER SCORE

The A$1.7-million filly Estijaab (Aus) (Snitzel [Aus]) rewarded connections with a win in Saturday's G1 Golden Slipper.
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TODAY in the TDN
THOROUGHBRED DAILY **NEWS**

Sunday, March 25, 2018

The life and career of Jockey Jose Luis Flores was honored Saturday at his home track at Parx Racing in Bensalem, Pennsylvania. The Flores family (center) was surrounded by other industrial professionals who came out to pay their respects. | *Taylor Ejdys/EQUI-PHOTO*

CHOCOLATE MARTINI HOLDS ON IN OAKS 5

From claimer to graded stakes winner, the Broken Vow filly fended off Eskimo Kisses (To Honor and Serve) in deep stretch to capture the GII Fair Grounds Oaks.

MADISON'S LUNA DOMINANT IN HUTCHESON 12

The $400,000 KEESEP purchase rallied impressively to answer his maiden score with a victory in the GIII Hutcheson S.

TODAY'S GRADED STAKES

EST	Race	Click for	TV
2:40a	**Takamatsunomiya Kinen-G1**, CKO	----------	TVG
7:15p	**Sunland Derby-GIII**, SUN	TJCIS PPs	TVG

Saturday, Fair Grounds

TWINSPIRES.COM LOUISIANA DERBY-GII, $1,000,000, FG, 3-24, 3yo, 1 1/8m, 1:50.28, ft.

1--**NOBLE INDY, 122, c, 3, by Take Charge Indy**
1st Dam: Noble Maz (MSW, $327,340), by Storm Boot
2nd Dam: Illusive Note, by Dixieland Band
3rd Dam: Niner's Gal, by Forty Niner
'TDN RISING STAR' 1ST BLACK TYPE WIN, 1ST GRADED STAKES WIN. ($45,000RNA Ylg '16 KEESEP). O-WinStar Farm LLC & Repole Stable; B-WinStar Farm, LLC (KY); T-Todd A. Pletcher; J-John R. Velazquez. $600,000. Lifetime Record: 4-3-0-1, $691,600. **Werk Nick Rating: A+. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.**

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2--**Lone Sailor**, 122, c, 3, Majestic Warrior--Ambitious, by Mr. Greeley. ($120,000 Ylg '16 KEESEP). O-G M B Racing; B-Alexander - Groves - Matz, LLC. (KY); T-Thomas M. Amoss. $200,000.

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3--**My Boy Jack**, 122, c, 3, Creative Cause--Gold N Shaft, by Mineshaft. ($14,000 RNA Wlg '15 KEENOV; $20,000 Ylg '16 KEESEP). O-Don't Tell My Wife Stables & Monomoy Stables, LLC; B-Brereton C. Jones (KY); T-J. Keith Desormeaux. $100,000.

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Margins: NK, HF, 7 3/4. Odds: 2.70, 9.30, 3.20.

Also Ran: Givemeaminit, Snapper Sinclair, Hyndford, Retirement Fund, Bravazo, Dark Templar, Marmello. **Click for the Equibase.com chart, the TJCIS.com PPs or the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.**

Velazquez continued, "The pace was much faster than I anticipated today. I tried to give him a little break on the backstretch and he got a little keen on me and finally by the half-mile pole I decided not to fight him anymore and he had nice run down the lane."

"Todd has done a great job with him and he has developed very nicely," said part-owner WinStar Farm's Elliott Walden. "He won his first two starts easily and then came here and got a little education, coming from off the pace a little bit and took some dirt in his face [in the Risen Star]. He was a real brat in the paddock that day, but he grew up today. The experience of coming over here twice, I think really helped him." ***Cont. p4***

Louisiana Derby cont.

Romping by 8 3/4 lengths in his seven-panel unveiling at Gulfstream Dec. 3, Noble Indy earned his '**TDN Rising Star**' nod with a 3/4-length success in his first attempt around two turns in Hallandale Jan. 11. He checked in third behind Bravazo and Snapper Sinclair (City Zip), who finished fifth here, last time in the Risen Star.

Pedigree Notes:

Noble Indy is the fifth black-type winner from the first crop of GI Florida Derby hero Take Charge Indy, a former WinStar sire who now resides in Korea. He is the second foal out of Noble Maz, whose most recent produce is a 2-year-old filly by Revolutionary. The winner hails from the family of MGISW Banker's Lady (Nijinsky II), who produced MGSW & MGISP Banker's Gold (Forty Niner); and Grade I winner and former Walden trainee Ecton Park (Forty Niner).

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Saturday, Fair Grounds

TWINSPIRES.COM FAIR GROUNDS OAKS-GII, $392,000, FG, 3-24, 3yo, f, 1 1/16m, 1:44.44, ft.

1--**CHOCOLATE MARTINI, 122, f, 3, by Broken Vow**
1st Dam: Nicksappealinglady (MSP, $158,728), by Successful Appeal
2nd Dam: That's My Double, by Darn That Alarm
3rd Dam: Ladies Double, by Kris S.

1ST BLACK TYPE WIN, 1ST GRADED STAKES WIN. ($65,000 Ylg '16 KEESEP). O-Double Doors Racing, LLC; B-Savino A. Capilupi (KY); T-Thomas M. Amoss; J-Mitchell Murrill. $240,000. Lifetime Record: 7-3-0-1, $278,636. *1/2 to Nicky's Brown Miss (Big Brown), SW & MSP, $191,395. **Werk Nick Rating: D+. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.**

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2--**Eskimo Kisses**, 122, f, 3, To Honor and Serve--Silver Colors, by Mr. Greeley. O-Magdalena Racing (Sherri McPeek), Gainesway Stable & Harold Lerner; B-Gainesway Thoroughbreds Ltd. (KY); T-Kenneth G. McPeek. $80,000.

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3--**Wonder Gadot**, 122, f, 3, Medaglia d'Oro--Loving Vindication, by Vindication. ($80,000 Ylg '16 KEESEP; $325,000 2yo '17 OBSAPR). O-Gary Barber; B-Anderson Farms Ont. Inc. (ON); T-Mark E. Casse. $40,000. **'TDN Rising Star'**

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Margins: HD, 3/4, HF. Odds: 13.90, 4.30, 1.80.
Also Ran: Classy Act, She's a Julie, Saguaro Row, America's Tale.
Scratched: Testing One Two, Patrona Margarita. **Click for the Equibase.com chart, the TJCIS.com PPs or the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.**

Chocolate Martini went from claimer to graded stakes winner with a 13-1 upset in the Fair Grounds Oaks, earning a spot in the gate for the May 4 GI Kentucky Oaks in the process. Drawn widest of all in post nine, the bay was away in good order and was reserved in second last by jockey Mitchell Murrill as even-money favorite Classy Act (Into Mischief) whistled along through opening splits of :23.39 and :46.28. Chocolate Martini was three wide and still several lengths off Classy Act as the chalk turned for home with a comfortable lead, but the favorite began to falter in mid-stretch, lugging out a bit as Chocolate Martini came up on her outside and a pair of rivals engaged her from the rail. Narrowly avoiding being bumped by Classy Act as she seized

Chocolate Martini (9) | *Hodges Photography*

control from the pacesetter in the final sixteenth, Chocolate Martini held off a late-charging Eskimo Kisses to score a narrow victory.

"She came to me in great shape," said winning trainer Tom Amoss, who also finished a closed second in the GII Louisiana Derby with Lone Sailor (Majestic Warrior). "We really didn't anything different than the other guys had done with her. We just caught her coming into her maturity level just right and we were lucky in that regard. It paid off today." ***Cont. p6***

Fair Grounds Oaks cont.

The conditioner added, "I don't think you can keep these owners away from the Oaks. They are going to the Kentucky Oaks as long as she is healthy."

Purchased by Carl R. Moore Management for $65,000 at the 2016 Keeneland September sale, Chocolate Martini finished last of 12 when unveiled at Churchill Downs in September and only beat one home when 11th next out on the turf there Nov. 11 for previous trainer Bret Calhoun. Dropped in for $30,000 in a sloppy main track test in NOLA in December, she finished a well-beaten third, but graduated by 6 1/4 lengths next out going a mile over this strip Jan. 12. Returned to the turf in a 7 1/2-furlong claimer at the Fair Grounds Feb. 2, Chocolate Martini came on late to be fourth and was claimed by Double Doors Racing and Tom Amoss for $30,000. Amoss put the filly back on the main track going an extended mile here Feb. 18 and she won by a neck in her first start for her new connections.

Pedigree Notes:

Chocolate Martini is the 25th graded stakes winner for her sire Broken Vow. A half-sister to SW Nicky's Brown Miss, she is the latest foal out of MSP Nicksappealinglady, who was most recently bred to Tapizar. The winner traces her lineage back to MGISW turfer Ladies Din (Din's Dancer).

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Saturday, Fair Grounds

NEW ORLEANS H.-GII, $376,000, FG, 3-24, 4yo/up, 1 1/8m, 1:49.87, ft.

1--**GOOD SAMARITAN, 118, c, 4, by Harlan's Holiday**
1st Dam: Pull Dancer (MSP, $152,937), by Pulpit
2nd Dam: Mayhavebeentheone, by Arch
3rd Dam: Emmaus, by Silver Deputy
O-WinStar Farm, China Horse Club, SF Racing LLC & Head of Plains Partners; B-WinStar Farm, LLC (KY); T-William I. Mott; J-Joel Rosario. $240,000. Lifetime Record: MGISP, 11-4-3-1, $1,191,116. **Werk Nick Rating: B+. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.**

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2--**Hollywood Handsome**, 115, c, 4, Tapizar--Ladyflickerflacker, by Forestry. ($200,000 Ylg '15 FTKOCT). O-Mark H. & Nancy W. Stanley; B-North Hanover Bloodstock (KY); T-Dallas Stewart. $80,000.

Consigned by GAINESWAY

3--**Scuba**, 119, g, 7, Tapit--Cuaba, by Smoke Glacken. ($375,000 Wlg '11 KEENOV; $105,000 3yo '14 KEENOV). O-DARRS, Inc.; B-Palides Investments N.V., Inc. (KY); T-Brendan Walsh. $40,000.

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New Orleans H. cont.

Margins: 2 1/4, 5, 9 1/4. Odds: 1.30, 14.20, 5.90.
Also Ran: Han Sense, The Player. Scratched: Leofric.
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Good Samaritan stamped himself as a horse to watch in 2018 with an impressive last-to-first victory in his seasonal bow in the New Orleans H. Away well from the outside post in this five-horse affair, the 6-5 second choice trailed the field by several lengths as 4-5 favorite and recent GIII Mineshaft H. winner The Player (Street Hero) ticked off early fractions of :23.88 and :48.18 with Scuba and Han Sense (Hansen) breathing down his neck. Those two grays overtook the pacesetter as three-quarters went up in 1:11.85, at which point The Player was pulled up by Hall of Famer Calvin Borel and vanned off. Still last with plenty of work to do exiting the bend, Good Samaritan quickly and effortlessly began to make up ground in the lane while running two wide. With Joel Rosario still sitting chilly, the dark bay swept past his rivals in the final furlong and cruised clear to a decisive victory. Hollywood Handsome completed the exacta.

Good Samaritan | *Hodges Photography*

Winner of the grassy 2016 GII Summer S., Good Samaritan placed in three other graded events on turf during his juvenile and sophomore campaigns before switching to the dirt at Saratoga last summer, where he came charging late to spring an 8-1 upset in the GII Jim Dandy S. Rallying from well back to be fifth to champion West Coast (Flatter) in the GI Travers S. Aug. 26, he checked in fourth in the GI Jockey Club Gold Cup Oct. 7 and came up just a half-length short when second in the GI Clark H. at Churchill Downs when last seen Nov. 24. ***Cont. p8***

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Pedigree Notes:

Good Samaritan is the third foal out of the MSP Pull Dancer, who was purchased by breeder and part owner WinStar Farm for $150,000 at the 2010 Keeneland November sale. WinStar, the China Horse Club and SF Racing also own the winner's 3-year-old half-brother Brave Nation (Pioneerof the Nile), who most recently finished second for Hall of Famer Bill Mott in a Tampa Bay maiden special weight Mar. 3. Pull Dancer is also responsible for a juvenile filly named Dancensing (Tiznow) and a yearling colt by Bodemeister. The 12-year-old mare was bred back to Curlin after producing that May 5 colt. Good Samaritan hails from the family of MGSW Caress (Storm Cat), the dam of GISW sire Sky Mesa (Pulpit) and MGSW & GISP Golden Velvet (Seeking the Gold); MGSW Bernstein (Storm Cat), sire of champion Tepin and MGISW Karakontie; and MGSW Wiseman's Ferry (Hennessy), who sired two-time Horse of the Year Wise Dan.

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'TDN Rising Star' Noble Indy (Take Charge Indy) claws his way back to win the GII Louisiana Derby.

Saturday, Fair Grounds

MUNIZ MEMORIAL H.-GII, $300,000, FG, 3-24, 4yo/up, 1 1/8mT, 1:49.59, fm.

1--**SYNCHRONY, 118, h, 5, by Tapit**
1st Dam: Brownie Points (GSW & MGSP, $951,230), by Forest Wildcat
2nd Dam: Stylish Society, by Forty Niner
3rd Dam: Northern Style, by Ack Ack
O/B-Pin Oak Stud, LLC (KY); T-Michael Stidham; J-Joe Bravo. $180,000. Lifetime Record: 12-5-3-2, $438,102.
Werk Nick Rating: A+++ *Triple Plus*.
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2--**Arklow**, 116, c, 4, Arch--Unbridled Empire, by Empire Maker. ($160,000 Ylg '15 KEESEP). O-Donegal Racing, Joseph Bulger & Peter Coneway; B-John R. & Frank Penn (KY); T-Brad H. Cox. $60,000.

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3--**Zulu Alpha**, 116, g, 5, Street Cry (Ire)--Zori, by A.P. Indy. O/B-Calumet Farm (KY); T-Neil J. Howard. $30,000.

Margins: 1 3/4, 3/4, NK. Odds: 3.00, 11.80, 91.00.

Also Ran: Mr. Misunderstood, Ring Weekend, Lucullan, Forge (GB), One Mean Man, Revved Up, Galton, Danish Dynaformer.

Write out p9

NEW STALLIONS OF 2018
Ranked By Graded Wins

Stallion	Fee	GSWs	Beyer
Gun Runner	$70,000	10	119
MIDNIGHT STORM	$12,500	7	110
Arrogate	$75,000	4	122
Cupid	$12,500	4	108
Lord Nelson	$25,000	4	107
Practical Joke	$30,000	4	104
Classic Empire	$35,000	4	102
Mohaymen	$7,500	4	96

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Synchrony | *Hodges Photography/Amanda Hodges Weir*

Synchrony flew home over the top to take the course-and-distance GIII Fair Grounds H. last month, and held his good form here to comfortably defeat this salty group. Away well from his rail draw to sit closer this time in fourth, the Abercrombie homebred settled in nicely while hugging the fence down the backside. Angled off the inside past a 1:12.51 six-furlong split, the chestnut kicked on to take over in midstretch and was never seriously threatened thereafter.

Transferred from Donnie Von Hemel to Mike Stidham ahead of his 4-year-old campaign, Synchrony was fifth in a local main-track optional claimer last February but immediately took to the turf in his first try over it when defeating the accomplished Sir Dudley Digges (Gio Ponti) almost exactly a year ago. He followed that up with a close second over yielding sod in Laurel's Henry Clark S. Apr. 22, and completed the exacta in the GIII Red Bank S. at Monmouth May 27. His tally last time was his first at the graded level.

Pedigree Notes:

Synchrony had a right to take to the turf, as his versatile dam annexed the 2008 GIII Ouija Board H. on the Lone Star grass. He is bred on the highly potent Tapit--Storm Cat cross responsible for the likes of Grade I winners Hansen, Careless Jewel, Sweet Loretta and Tell a Kelly. Synchrony's now 2-year-old half-sister Chocolate Kisses (Candy Ride {Arg}) was a $410,000 Fasig-Tipton Saratoga purchase last year by John Oxley. She already has three published breezes at Casse Training Center, including a three-furlong move in :37 flat Saturday morning. Brownie Points produced a More Than Ready colt in 2017 and was bred back to Pioneerof the Nile.

Saturday, Santa Anita Park

SAN LUIS REY S.-GII, $201,380, SA, 3-24, 4yo/up, 1 1/2mT, 2:27.73, gd.

1--**ITSINTHEPOST (FR), 124, g, 6, by American Post (GB)**
1st Dam: Sakkara Star (Ire), by Mozart (Ire)
2nd Dam: Sun Silk, by Gone West
3rd Dam: Silk Slippers, by Nureyev
(€5,000 Ylg '13 OSLATE). O-Red Baron's Barn LLC; B-Julien Leaunes (FR); T-Jeff Mullins; J-Tyler Baze. $120,000. Lifetime Record: 33-9-7-5, $1,095,712. **Werk Nick Rating: A. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.**

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2--**Hayabusa One (Fr)**, 120, h, 5, Siyouni (Fr)--Northern Ocean '**TDN Rising Star**' (Fr), by Green Tune. (€45,000 Ylg '14 AR14; €35,000 2yo '15 ARMAY). O-Team Valor International & Gary Barber; B-Dominque Lepagney (FR); T-Peter Miller. $40,000.

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3--**Responsibleforlove (Ire)**, 115, m, 5, Duke of Marmalade (Ire)--Vee Gita (Ire), by Vettori (Ire). (€17,000 Ylg '14 GO14). O-Team Valor International & Mrs G A Rupert; B-Patrick Grogan (IRE); T-Neil D. Drysdale. $24,000.

Margins: 3/4, 5 1/4, NK. Odds: 1.10, 2.30, 17.30.

Also Ran: Colonist, Rye, Aquaphobia, Play Hard to Get, Oscar Dominguez (Ire), Saltini. Scratched: Frank Conversation. **Click for the Equibase.com chart, the TJCIS.com PPs or the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree. VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

Full Write Out p.10

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San Luis Rey cont.

Itsinthepost was given a tactically perfect ride by Tyler Baze and outstayed his emerging rival '**TDN Rising Star**' Hayabusa One to successfully defend his title in the GII San Luis Rey H. He becomes the first horse to go back-to-back in the 12-furlong event since the legendary John Henry in 1980-1981.

With the starting gate positioned on the backstretch as opposed to its usual spot up the hill--moved as a result of recent rains--Itsinthepost jumped well from his low draw and hugged the fence while a touch keen through the opening stages to be centerfield, right on the back of a sensible early pace. Still tugging a bit for rein as they ambled through the lane the first time, Itsinthepost was eased out into the three path and into the clear by Tyler Baze and the duo was up into a stalking third with a little less than half the journey to travel. Creeping into it comfortably nearing the turn, Itsinthepost was called upon in earnest, got first run on his chief market rival and, despite wandering a bit late, hit the line comfortably in front to lead home a French-bred 1-2 and a foreign-bred triple.

"Very few horses that you get on really want to win. This horse does, every time," the winning jockey said. "I think he's my all-time best horse now, for money won...He has the will to win."

Itsinthepost, purchased for €5,000 out of the 2013 Osarus September Yearling Sale, was a creditable seventh to Talismanic (GB) (Medaglia d'Oro) in the GI Breeders' Cup Turf in November and was running his 2018 record to a perfect three for three. Victorious in the GII San Gabriel S. over nine panels Jan. 6, he dropped his nose on the line first to best Hayabusa One in the Feb. 3 GII San Marcos S. going the mile and a quarter.

Saturday, Santa Anita Park

SANTA MONICA S.-GII, $200,000, SA, 3-24, 4yo/up, f/m, 7f, 1:21.00, ft.

1--**SELCOURT, 122, f, 4, by Tiz Wonderful**

1st Dam: Azure Spring, by Open Forum

2nd Dam: Meadow Concerto, by Meadowlake

3rd Dam: Two-Thirty Girl, by Songman

O-Medallion Racing, Keith Abrahams & Sandra Lazaruk; B-Keith Abrahams (KY); T-John W. Sadler; J-Tyler Baze. $120,000. Lifetime Record: 6-4-1-1, $283,920. **Werk Nick Rating: A. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree. 'TDN Rising Star'**

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Santa Monica cont.

2--**Marley's Freedom**, 120, f, 4, Blame--Relaxing Green, by Formal Gold. ($35,000 Ylg '15 KEESEP). O-Cicero Farms, LLC; B-Jack Swain (KY); T-Robert B. Hess, Jr. $40,000.

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3--**Skye Diamonds**, 122, m, 5, First Dude--Exonerated, by Johannesburg. O-Allen Racing LLC, Bloom Racing Stables, LLC, Tom Acker, & Jon Lindo; B-Dizney Double Diamond LLC (CA); T-William Spawr. $24,000.

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Margins: 4HF, 1 1/4, 3/4. Odds: 2.70, 8.80, 3.30.

Also Ran: Paradise Woods, Just a Little Hope.**Click for the Equibase.com chart, the TJCIS.com PPs or the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree. VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

Selcourt | *Benoit*

The ultra-consistent Selcourt kept her hot streak going with her third straight stakes score in the Santa Monica. MGISW and fellow "**TDN Rising Star**" Paradise Woods (Union Rags) finished a disappointing fourth in this seasonal bow as the 4-5 chalk. Sent off as the second choice behind that rival, Selcourt shot out of the gate and went straight to the lead, clocking opening splits of :22.85 and :45.13 with Paradise Woods in tow. The favorite called it a day at the top of the stretch, but Selcourt was just getting started and poured it on late to win as she pleased.

"She's been great all winter, going up the ranks and stepping up to challenges," said Sadler. "She got some soft splits early, but she kicked home so well, that's what makes [the final time] so impressive on a dying-out kind of track."

As for what's next, Sadler said, "We've got the [GI] Humana Distaff maybe [May 5 at Churchill Downs] or maybe the [GI] Beholder Mile [at Santa Anita June 2] at the end of the meet here, but no immediate plans. She's had three good races already. There's one step left, which is to go for the Grade I, so we'll look around and see what's available."

Romping by 9 1/4 lengths when unveiled here last February, Selcourt finished second to GISW Union Strike (Union Rags) in the Santa Paula S. last April and was third in the Angel Flight S. a month later. Shelved for the season following that effort, she kicked off her 4-year-old campaign in style with a 7 1/2-length romp in the Kalookan Queen S. here Jan. 14 and followed suit with a victory in the GIII Las Flores S. Feb. 18.

Pedigree Notes:

Part owner Keith Abrahams bought Selcourt's dam Azure Spring for just $32,000 carrying a foal by Chapel Royal at the 2006 Keeneland November sale. Abrahams also owns her 3-year-old half-brother Camps Bay (Lookin at Lucky), who most recently finished third in his second start for Sadler at Santa Anita Mar. 9. The winner has a 2-year-old half-brother by Temple City and a yearling half-brother by Twirling Candy. Azure Spring was bred back to Temple City last spring.

Saturday, Gulfstream Park

HUTCHESON S.-GIII, $100,000, GP, 3-24, 3yo, 6f, 1:10.45, ft.

1--**MADISON'S LUNA, 117, c, 3, by Tapit**

1st Dam: Scarlet Tango (SP), by French Deputy

2nd Dam: Silver Tango, by Silver Badge

3rd Dam: Royal Tango, by Princely Pleasure

1ST BLACK TYPE WIN, 1ST GRADED STAKES WIN. ($400,000 Ylg '16 KEESEP). O-Rigney Racing, LLC; B-Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC (KY); T-Philip A. Bauer; J-Julien R. Leparoux. $61,380. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, $73,180. *1/2 to Tara's Tango (Unbridled's Song), GISW, $806,004; Visionaire (Grand Slam), GISW, $465,882; Scarlet Strike (Smart Strike), GSW & GISP, $421,530. **Werk Nick Rating: A. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.**

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2--**Soutache**, 121, c, 3, Backtalk--Granrubanbleu, by Afleet Alex. O/B-GoldMark Farm (FL); T-Ralph E. Nicks. $19,800.

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3--**Tricks to Doo**, 121, c, 3, Into Mischief--Doolittle, by Polish Numbers. ($115,000 Ylg '16 EASOCT; $600,000 2yo '17 OBSMAR). O-Lael Stable; B-D.C. Goff (KY); T-Arnaud Delacour. $9,900.

Margins: 5, 2 1/4, 7 1/4. Odds: 4.50, 2.90, 2.50.

Also Ran: Belle Tapisserie, Impact Player, My Chinumado. **Click for the Equibase.com chart, the TJCIS.com PPs or the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree. VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

Madison's Luna | *Lauren King*

A debut winner at Tampa Bay Feb. 10, Madison's Luna took his record to two-for-two with a dominant win in the Hutcheson. The 9-2 shot broke inward, brushing with his neighbor, but was quickly straightened out by jockey Julien Leparoux and was hot on the heels of pacesetters Belle Tapisserie (Tapizar) and Tricks to Doo through a sharp first quarter in :22.42. Drawing alongside those rivals on the backstretch run, the $400,000 KEESEP buy took control entering the bend while drifting out a bit and stormed clear in the lane to win for fun.

"It was ambitious but we thought it was worth a try," said winning conditioner Phil Bauer, who named the GIII Pat Day Mile May 5 at Churchill Downs as Madison's Luna's next start. "I'm very pleased, maybe a little surprised how he did it. He left me a little surprised in his maiden win at Tampa too. He cruised up to the pretty honest pace. You're always excited when they get to the quarter pole in that manner. We were excited when Julien turned him loose and put a few [lengths] on them and maintained it."

Pedigree Notes:

Breeder Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings purchased Madison's Luna's dam, the SP Scarlet Tango, for $850,000 carrying a full-sibling to 2008 GI King's Bishop winner Visionaire (Grand Slam) at that year's Keeneland November sale. During her tenure at Stonestreet, she produced Grade I-winning '**TDN Rising Star**' Tara's Tango (Unbridled's Song), who had her first foal, a colt by Medaglia d'Oro, Jan. 18; and GSW and GISP Scarlet Strike (Smart Strike), who summoned $1.3 million from Al Shaqab at the 2014 Keeneland November sale. The now-20-year-old mare is also responsible for a 2-year-old colt by Speightstown and a Curlin colt born Jan. 28 of this year. Madison's Luna is bred on the same Tapit/Unbridled's Song cross that produced champion and '**TDN Rising Star**' Unique Bella.

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NEW YORK CENTRAL LOOKS TO ENTER DERBY PICTURE *By Christie DeBernardis*

New York Central | *Coady*

"TDN Rising Star" **New York Central** (Tapit) will attempt to stamp his ticket to Louisville for the First Saturday in May while making his black-type bow Sunday in the GIII Sunland Derby. Dominating by 7 1/4 lengths in his second start going six panels at Churchill Downs Nov. 26, the gray was a close second next out in a one-mile test at Oaklawn Jan. 13 and scored by a neck next out going two turns in the mud there Feb. 19.

A two-time winner at Churchill last year, **Seven Trumpets** (Morning Line) missed by a half-length when second in the Jerome S. at Aqueduct Jan. 13, but could only manage seventh in the GIII Southwest S. at Oaklawn Feb. 19. His trainer Dale Romans also saddles "TDN Rising Star" **Hollywood Star** (Malibu Moon), who was last seen finishing fourth in the GIII Sam F. Davis S. Feb. 10.

Kaleem Shah's **All Out Blitz** (Concord Point) checked in second behind Grade I-winning "**TDN Rising Star**" McKinzie (Street Sense) in the GIII Sham S. Jan. 6 and was third last time in the GII San Vicente S. Feb. 10. Another California-based runner that could make some noise at a price is **Peace** (Violence). The Richard Mandella pupil was fourth last time behind Bolt d'Oro and McKinzie in the GII San Felipe S. Mar. 10, earning a 90 Beyer Speed Figure for that effort.

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CORRECTION: Due to an editing error, Hootenanny's sire was incorrectly listed as Scat Daddy in Saturday's newsletter. The 2014 GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Turf winner is in fact by Quality Road. We regret the error.

Ed DeRosa of TwinSpires.com takes on TDN's Steve Sherack and Brian DiDonato as they handicap each prep race leading up to the GI Kentucky Derby. The three will make $100 Win/Place bets --highest bankroll after the Lexington S. wins.

DeROSA: ***GII Louisiana Derby Result*** - **Noble Indy** refused to lose at 5-2. **DeROSA BANKROLL: $2930.**

GIII Sunland Derby - We'll stick with picking an also ran from the local prep in the big race in the Sunland Derby and favor Mine That Derby runner-up **Runaway Ghost**. The Ghostzapper colt should like the added distance, and local connections won't attract the money the national outfits do when shipping in to New Mexico. Runaway Ghost on top! ***Selection: #11 Runaway Ghost (8-1).***

SHERACK: ***GII Louisiana Derby Result*** - And I thought that was a rough beat last weekend with Pony Up. I guess I'll take more place money (**Lone Sailor** was second at 9-1) for now, though. **SHERACK BANKROLL: $1910.**

GIII Sunland Derby - **Peace**, always held in high regard by Hall of Famer Richard Mandella, may be primed for a breakthrough effort returning on surprisingly short notice here. While all eyes were on McKinzie and Bolt d'Oro, and rightfully so, Peace made a flashy move from far back on the far turn and came home in a very good :31.29 (only Bolt d'Oro was finishing faster in :31.20) while a well-beaten fourth in a GII San Felipe S. for the ages Mar. 10. I'm willing to give him a pass for his disappointing fifth with first-time blinkers in the GIII Robert B. Lewis, but it's time for him step up now. ***Selection: #5 Peace (12-1).***

DiDONATO: ***GII Louisiana Derby Result*** - **Retirement Fund** never threatened. **DiDONATO BANKROLL: $2590.**

GIII Sunland Derby - With all the out of town shippers, it seems like **Runaway Ghost** might not get quite as much respect as he deserves. But he's pretty much just as fast as anyone in here, and boasts an experience edge over a track that can be a bit quirky. I loved the way he sat patiently turning for home two back when a pair of rivals swarmed him before opening back up and cruising to victory. He took a lot of heat early last time, but ran on admirably to settle for second to underrated '**TDN Rising Star**' Reride, who's apparently running in the UAE Derby. Nine panels shouldn't be an issue for this son of Ghostzapper, so if Runaway Ghost is able to sit a trip, he's got just as good a shot as anyone. ***Selection: #11 Runaway Ghost (8-1)***.

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FL DERBY RUNNERS PUT IN FINAL WORKS

Impressive GII Holy Bull S. winner **Audible** (Into Mischief) was among a quartet of GI Florida Derby contenders putting in their final breezes ahead of the Mar. 31 test. Working in company with fellow sophomore Vino Rossi (Curlin), the Todd Pletcher pupil covered a half-mile in :49.19 (3/30) at his trainer's Palm Beach Downs base Saturday morning (video).

"I thought it was a standard Audible work," Pletcher said. "He's not an overzealous workhorse, but he put in a nice :49 on a track that isn't playing particularly fast. He galloped out with some enthusiasm. He seems like he's training consistently with the way he was training up to the Holy Bull and some of his other races. He seems like he's had a good time since the Holy Bull. He seems to be coming up to the Florida Derby in good order."

Over at Gulfstream, Dale Romans worked his Florida Derby duo of **Promises Fulfilled** (Shackleford) and **Storm Runner** (Get Stormy). GII Fountain of Youth S. upsetter Promises Fulfilled breezed five furlongs in 1:02.04 (19/42) (video).

"I thought he worked beautifully," Romans said. "He was moving good. He just went nice and easy in the last work before the race."

Tammy Fox guided Storm Runner, most recently a troubled seventh in the Fountain of Youth, through a best-of-42 five panels in :59.17 (video).

"I thought he worked good and Tammy gave me the thumbs-up," Romans said. "She was impressed." ***Cont. p14***

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FL Derby Runners Put in Final Works cont.

Rounding out Saturday's Florida Derby workers was Loooch Racing Stables' **Fire When Ready** (Empire Way), who went six furlongs in 1:15 flat (video) at Santa Anita for trainer Bob Hess. The gelding kicked off this term with a starter optional claimer win at Santa Anita Jan. 14 and was fourth in the California Cup Derby last time Feb. 19.

"We got the last quarter in :24 2/5," Hess said. "He went well. He tucked in behind two horses and got a lot of kickback. He quickened up late, shot through along the rail and finished up a length ahead of the other two."

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Art Preston Dies cont. from p1

Distorted Humor, a horse campaigned in partnership with Russell Reineman, launched his stallion career at Prestonwood, as did Victory Gallop, who famously dashed Real Quiet's Triple Crown aspirations in 1998. Other top horses to carry the Prestonwood green-and-red were GSW Connecting Terms and MSW & MGSP Birr.

In 2000, Kenny Troutt and Bill Casner teamed to purchase Prestonwood from the brothers and renamed it WinStar Farm. The nursery remains home to Distorted Humor, now 25 years old.

"Art was a great man and he and his brothers were tremendous sportsmen. Winning the Belmont for them and going to dinner with them that night at the Garden City Hotel was something I will never forget," said trainer Elliott Walden, who conditioned several of the Prestonwood runners. "They were always willing to take a chance and really enjoyed the sport. Jack, J.R. and Art laid a tremendous amount of groundwork for Kenny and Bill to come in and hit the ground running."

Art Preston leads in Flat Out following the 2012 Jockey Club Gold Cup at Belmont Park | *Adam Coglianese photo*

Art Preston is survived by his ex-wife and 16-year-old son Cole Dyer Preston, who will take over what remains of Preston's Thoroughbred holdings. A wake will be held this Thursday, March 29, at Oxbow Farm, 2150 N. Middletown Road, Paris, KY.

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PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	ML
1	All Out Blitz	Concord Point	Kaleem Shah, Inc.	Callaghan	Garcia	4-1
2	Dark Vader	Tale of Ekati	Alesia, Burns Racing, Ciaglia Racing & Christensen	Eurton	Elliott	15-1
3	New York Central	Tapit	China Horse Club, SF Racing, WinStar Farm et al.	Asmussen	Santana, Jr.	9-2
4	Hollywood Star	Malibu Moon	Albaugh Family Stables LLC	Romans	Albarado	6-1
5	Peace	Violence	Spendthrift Farm & Town and Country Racing	Mandella	Van Dyke	12-1
6	Shane Zain	Medaglia d'Oro	Zedan Racing Stables Inc	O'Neill	Thompson	15-1
7	Prince Lucky	Corinthian	Daniel McConnell	Pletcher	Velazquez	6-1
8	Seven Trumpets	Morning Line	West Point Thoroughbreds	Romans	Contreras	6-1
9	Choo Choo	English Channel	Calumet Farm	Hollendorfer	Gutierrez	8-1
10	Dream Baby Dream	Into Mischief	Dream Baby Dream Racing Stable	Asmussen	Juarez, Jr.	10-1
11	Runaway Ghost	Ghostzapper	Joe Peacock	Fincher	Hebert	8-1
12	Fortified Effort	Ez Effort	Yother, Eikleberry, Matthews & Fleming	Eikleberry	Eikleberry	20-1

Breeders: 1-Kaleem Shah, Inc., 2-Schleprock Racing LLC, 3-SF Bloodstock LLC, 4-George Krikorian, 5-Grade I Bloodstock & Tony Holmes, 6-Don Alberto Corporation, 7-Daniel W. McConnell Sr., 8-St. George Farm, LLC, 9-Calumet Farm, 10-Pegasus Stud LLC, 11-Joe Peacock, 12-Fleming Thoroughbred Farm LLC

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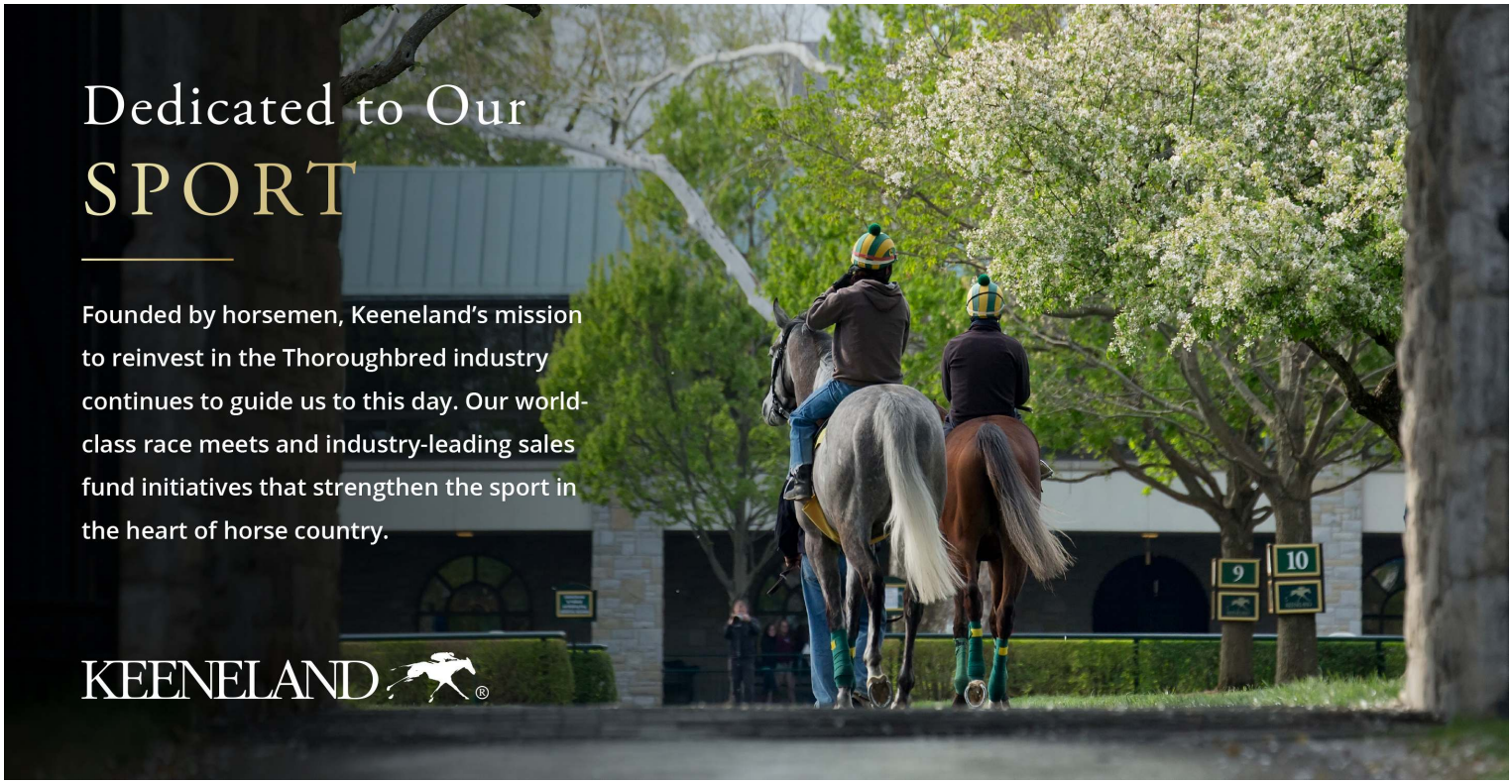

BODE COLT CLOSES STRONGLY FOR RISING STARDOM

Once On Whiskey | *Benoit Photo*

Pegram, Watson and Weitman's **Once on Whiskey** (Bodemeister) caught the eye when he flew home for second behind stablemate Curly's Rocket (Into Mischief) and galloped out far in front first out going a furlong shorter at Santa Anita Feb. 3. Further flattered when the third finisher from that heat Core Beliefs (Quality Road) returned to win well on the stretch-out while earning an 88 Beyer Speed Figure, the $150,000 KEESEP acquisition was backed down to 7-10 favoritism in Arcadia Saturday and didn't disappoint en route to garnering '**TDN Rising Star**' honors. Away slowly like he was first out, the dark bay caught up with the rest of the field as they reached the turn. He was up into second hitting the quarter pole, and came very wide into the lane as Paddock Pick (Graydar) took over. That one dug in as best he could, but Once On Whiskey had more to give and strode out a 2 3/4-length winner in 1:22.92. Once On Whiskey is the first foal out of Crespano (Mineshaft), who was third in a Belmont restricted stakes race going seven panels in 2013. Crespano, a daughter of stakes winner Code of Ethics (Honour and Glory), has a yearling filly by The Factor and most recently visited Not This Time.

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NEW TDN RISING STAR

2nd-SA, $54,345, Msw, 3-24, 3yo, 7f, 1:22.92, ft.
ONCE ON WHISKEY, c, 3, Bodemeister
1st Dam: Crespano (SP, $216,680), by Mineshaft
2nd Dam: Code of Ethics, by Honour and Glory
3rd Dam: Smuggly by Lord Avie
Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, $43,200. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton. Free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.**
O-Karl Watson, Michael E. Pegram & Paul Weitman; B-Gabriel Duignan & Crosshaven Bloodstock (KY); T-Bob Baffert.
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IN ORDER OF PURSE:
PURPLE MARTIN S., $150,000, OP, 3-24, 3yo, f, 6f, 1:09.65, ft.
1--**MIA MISCHIEF, 119, f, 3, by Into Mischief**
1st Dam: Greer Lynn, by Speightstown
2nd Dam: Roll Over Baby, by Rollin On Over
3rd Dam: Sweet Praise, by Honey Jay
'**TDN Rising Star**' ($135,000 Ylg '16 KEESEP; $300,000 2yo '17 FTFMAR). **1ST BLACK TYPE WIN.** O-L William & Corinne Heiligbrodt; B-Spendthrift Farm LLC (KY); T-Steven M Asmussen; J-Ricardo Santana Jr. $90,000. Lifetime Record: 6-3-3-0, $220,800.

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2--**Salt Bae**, 116, f, 3, Paynter--Agatha, by Distorted Humor. ($100,000 Ylg '16 KEEJAN). O-Fleur De Lis Stables; B-Fred W Hertrich III & John D Fielding (KY); T-Bernard S Flint. $30,000.

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3--**Criminal Mischief**, 115, f, 3, Into Mischief--Sparky Three, by Monarchos. ($145,000 RNA Ylg '16 FTSAUG). O-Charles Kidder, Nancy Cole, Ben Kidder, Nick Strong & Gaynor Voute; B-C Kidder, N Cole, B Kidder, E Voute & N Strong (KY); T-D Wayne Lukas. $15,000.

Consigned by GAINESWAY
BLACKWOOD GRADUATE

Margins: 8 1/4, 1HF, 4 1/4. Odds: 0.60, 5.80, 13.20.
Also Ran: Turbo Shaft, Buy Sell Hold, Clay's Dialing In, Vision of Justice, Msbrooklynbrawler.

Mia Mischief | *Coady photography*

Pounded into 3-5 favoritism, '**TDN Rising Star**' Mia Mischief displayed a new dimension in Saturday's Purple Martin S., taking a sit off the pace before rolling home late for a first black-type success.

Exiting a tough loss at the hands of then undefeated Amy's Challenge (Artie Schiller) in the Jan. 20 Dixie Belle S., the bay, who had led at the first three calls in each of her five career trips to the post, was beaten for speed this time and settled in fourth spot early on before improving one position entering the turn. Asked to go after the dueling pacesetters three wide nearing the stretch, she rolled to the lead with a little less than a quarter-mile to race and and turned on the afterburners to score by a widening margin in fast time.

Accorded Rising Star status following a towering 16 1/4-length graduation over a sloppy Keeneland strip last October, Mia Mischief was rolled as the 3-10 chalk in the Spendthrift Juvenile Fillies S. at Churchill Oct. 29 before atoning for that effort with a smooth allowance victory beneath the Twin Spires Nov. 25.

A $135,000 Keeneland September yearling turned $300,000 Fasig-Tipton Florida juvenile, Mia Mischief becomes the 33rd stakes winner for her successful sire and is one of four winners from five to race for her dam, a half-sister to GSW Sing Baby Sing (Unbridled's Song), SW & GISP Value Plus (Unbridled's Song), MSW & GSP Majorbigtimesheet (Carson City) and GSW Roll Hennessy Roll (Hennessy). Greer Lynn is the dam of a yearling filly by Unbridled's Song's young stallion son Cross Traffic and was most recently bred back to Into Mischief. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

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MADDIE MAY S., $98,000, AQU, 3-24, (S), 3yo, f, 1m, 1:38.50, ft.
1--**SPLIT TIME, 118, f, 3, by Take Charge Indy**
1st Dam: Speed Dating, by Not For Love
2nd Dam: Near and Dear, by Red Ransom
3rd Dam: Deputy Dear, by Deputy Minister
($62,000 Ylg '16 SARAUG). **1ST BLACK TYPE WIN.** O-Tic Stables; B-Sequel Stallions New York LLC (NY); T-Linda Rice; J-Junior Alvarado. $60,000. Lifetime Record: 4-3-1-0, $138,200.

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2--**Our Super Nova**, 118, f, 3, Boys At Tosconova--White Wedding Day, by Crimson Guard. O/T-Lauren Linn; B-Tracy Egan (NY); $20,000.
3--**Cause We Are Loyal**, 122, f, 3, Creative Cause--Rock 'n Wolin, by Not For Love. ($65,000 Ylg '16 SARAUG; $120,000 2yo '17 FTFMAR). O-Reddam Racing LLC; B-Jorge Wagner (NY); T-Mark A. Hennig. $10,000.

VINERY SALES GRADUATE
Trained at Crupi's New Castle Farm

Margins: HF, 3HF, 1 3/4. Odds: 1.15, 9.30, 10.40.
Also Ran: Under Suspicion, Breezy Gal.

Split Time entered off a pair of runaway wins against state-breds over track and trip, including a 5 1/4-length romp in the slop versus optional claiming company Feb. 16. She sat a stalking trip while racing under cover through an opening quarter in :23.45 here. Looking for racing room at the top of the stretch, she was finally angled out into the clear by Junior Alvarado in mid stretch and finished up full of run to register a career high. Speed Dating, a half-sister to popular MSW New York-bred Saratoga Snacks (Tale of the Cats), had a colt by Alpha in 2016 and a filly by Freud in 2017. She was bred back to the latter.

"She's a nice filly," winning trainer Linda Rice said. "We bought her as a yearling in Saratoga and she's won three in a row now, so we're really excited. She had some great, easy trips in her two previous wins. Today, I was pretty impressed with her grittiness. She had a difficult trip the entire race and was never in a comfortable spot, but she managed to swing out and kick home." **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

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ANY LIMIT S., $75,000, GP, 3-24, 3yo, f, 6f, 1:11.89, ft.

1--**ELEVENSES, 117, f, 3, by More Than Ready**
1st Dam: Cougarstown (SW, $101,723), by Speightstown
2nd Dam: Fair Apache, by Bertrando
3rd Dam: Skipping Beats, by Lyphard
1ST BLACK TYPE WIN. ($50,000 Ylg '16 KEESEP). O-Joseph V. Shields, Jr.; B-Ramspring Farm (KY); T-James A. Jerkens; J-Luis Saez. $46,500. Lifetime Record: 4-3-0-0, $109,650.

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2--**Onebrethatatime**, 117, f, 3, Brethren--Onemiracleatatime, by Gulch. O/B-Arindel (FL); T-Stanley I. Gold. $15,000.

3--**Twice Around**, 117, f, 3, Jimmy Creed--Vanetta Hill, by Crown Attorney. ($15,000 Ylg '16 FTKOCT). O-Haymarket Farm LLC; B-Susan Foreman (ON); T-Gail Cox. $7,500.

BLACKWOOD GRADUATE
Registered Ontario-Bred

Margins: 3/4, 4 1/4, 1 1/4. Odds: 0.10, 18.00, 19.60.
Also Ran: Roses in the South, Di Maria. Scratched: Eight Thirtyone.

Elevenses | *Kenny Martin*

Elevenses, pounded at the windows for this return to stakes company, extricated herself from some traffic trouble turning for home and kept on coming to get the job done Saturday afternoon. A romping 10 1/4-length debut scorer in a sloppy, off-the-turf sprint at the Big A in November, the relatively inexpensive KEESEP pick-up settled for fifth as the favorite after a wide trip in the local, restricted Glitter Woman S. Jan. 6. She was adding blinkers and Lasix when she aired by 7 3/4 lengths in a Mar. 4 optional claimer last out.

Away second-last in this compact field of five, Elevenses rushed up to chase the pace from the rail before being shuffled back a bit into the bend. Leading rider Luis Saez maneuvered her four wide out into the clear hitting the top of the stretch, and she kicked home resolutely to reel in Onebrethatatime with a bit of room to spare.

Winning owner Joseph V. Shields also owned and bred this race's namesake, MGSW Any Limit (Limit Out), who was trained by winning conditioner Jimmy Jerkens's father, the late, great H. Allen Jerkens.

"I thought she was still in good shape running up on the inside, but then it looked like she wasn't going to be able to get through," Jerkens said. "It looked like the dirt started hitting her flush in the face. There's always a point where it's hitting them in the chest and if you lose a length or two, it's hitting them right in the face. She started shaking her head. But, Luis is the leading rider and I kind of knew he was going to get it done."

Elevenses is bred on a version of the More Than Ready--Gone West cross that is also responsible for the likes of champion sprinter Roy H (More Than Ready). Stakes-winning dam Cougarstown sold for $85,000 carrying Elevenses at the 2014 Keeneland November sale. The daughter of MSW Fair Apache has a yearling colt by Graydar and recently foaled a colt by Constitution. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

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CRESCENT CITY OAKS, $75,000, FG, 3-24, (S), 3yo, f, 1m 70y, 1:43.21, ft.

1--**TESTING ONE TWO, 122, f, 3, by Star Guitar**
1st Dam: Yes Sir, by Scat Daddy
2nd Dam: Misty Light Air, by Miswaki
3rd Dam: One More Breeze, by Mythical Ruler
O/B-Brittlyn, Inc. (LA); T-Victor Arceneaux; J-Diego Saenz. $45,000. Lifetime Record: MSW, 6-4-0-1, $199,135.

2--**Champagne Diva**, 122, f, 3, Tale of the Cat--Wine Diva, by Pine Bluff. ($47,000 RNA Ylg '16 ESLYRL). O-Diamond Racing, Inc., J. & J. Janssen & P. & N. Camodeca; B-Becky Winemiller (LA); T-Leo G. Gabriel, Jr.. $15,000.

3--**Remember Daisy**, 122, f, 3, Misremembered--Very Speightstown, by Speightstown. O/B-Al & Bill Ulwelling (LA); T-Gary M. Scherer. $8,250.

Margins: 3 1/4, NK, 7. Odds: 1.10, 4.50, 8.80.
Also Ran: Special Blessing, Saints' Girl, Tap Dance Star, Thegrayspider.

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Third on debut at Evangeline Downs Aug. 23, Testing One Two captured her next three straight, including the Louisiana Jewel S. Nov. 17 and the Take Charge Brandi S. Jan. 12. The homebred was most recently fifth in the GII Rachel Alexandra S. here Feb. 17. The favorite settled in fifth while traveling four wide around the clubhouse turn. She made steady progress down the backside to be within a length of the lead while three wide around the far turn. The bay struck the front at the eighth pole and steadily pulled away for her third stakes win. This is the first foal out of Yes Sir, who also produced a juvenile full-sister to Testing One Two. **Click for the Equibase.com chart.**

Sunday, Sunland Park, post time: 4:44 p.m. ET
SUNLAND PARK OAKS, $200,000, 3yo, f, 1 1/16m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	ML
1	Kram	Colonel John	Chirinos	Fincher	3-1
2	Charge Back	Take Charge Indy	Santana	Asmussen	4-1
3	Bella Be Ready	More Than Ready	Contreras	Dominguez	10-1
4	Blamed	Blame	Tohill	Marr	4-5
5	Exotic Beauty	Super Saver	Gonzalez	Hone	8-1

Sunday, Aqueduct, post time: 4:56 p.m. ET
CICADA S., $100,000, 3yo, f, 6f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	ML
1	Danyelli	Mineshaft	Alvarado	Rodriguez	6-1
2	Aunt Babe	Desert Party	Rocco	Ferraro	8-1
3	Gypsy Janie	Daaher	DeCarlo	Quick	12-1
4	Strategic Dreams	Archarcharch	Franco	Rodriguez	2-1
5	Lezendary	Zensational	McCarthy	Rodriguez	5-2
6	Gibby	Tizway	Carmouche	Lake	6-1
7	Shamrock Rose	First Dude	Davis	Casse	4-1

IN ORDER OF PURSE:
2nd-AQU, $67,620, Alw (NW2$X)/Opt. Clm ($62,500), 3-24, 4yo/up, 1m, 1:35.80, ft.
GIFT BOX (r, 5, Twirling Candy--Special Me, by Unbridled's Song) hit the board in his first five career starts, including a third-place finish in the GIII Remsen S. and a second-place finish in the following year's Curlin S. at Saratoga. He was a well-beaten fourth in the 2016 GI Travers S. behind the last two Horse of the Year recipients Arrogate (Unbridled's Song) and third-place finisher Gun Runner (Candy Ride {Arg}). He entered this off four consecutive runner-up finishes in New York, including a nose defeat Feb. 4. The 2-5 favorite sat in a perfect spot tucked in along the rail behind the leaders down the backstretch. He maneuvered out three-wide on the far turn and took command at the quarter pole while still under a hand ride. The gray was let loose in the final furlong and pulled away to an easy 8 3/4-length score. Virtual Machine (Drosselmeyer) closed for second. Gift Box is a half-brother to Stonetastic (Mizzen Mast), MGSW & GISP, $856,062. Their dam is responsible for a juvenile filly named Wamathaat (Speightstown) and a yearling filly by Honor Code. She visited Medaglia d'Oro last season. Sales history: $135,000 Wlg '13 FTKNOV. Lifetime Record: GSP, 13-3-5-2, $344,160. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**
O-W.S. Farish; B-Machmer Hall & Carrie & Craig Brogden (KY); T-Chad C. Brown.

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9th-GP, $54,600, Alw (NW1X)/Opt. Clm ($25,000), 3-24, 4yo/up, 5fT, :55.11, fm.
IMPRIMIS (g, 4, Broken Vow--Shoppers Return, by Put It Back) won his first two career starts for his breeder Craig Wheeler, most recently capturing a state-bred optional claimer over the lawn here with an 88 Beyer Speed Figure Feb. 28. Purchased privately and transferred to Joe Orseno, the even-money favorite forced the issue from second, set his sights on the leader at the top of the stretch and kicked clear impressively to win by 4 1/4 promising lengths. Super Spender (Super Saver) was second. The winner's dam produced a filly by Violence in 2016 and a filly by Summer Front in 2017. She was bred back to Violence. Lifetime Record: 3-3-0-0, $91,400. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**
O-Breeze Easy, LLC; B-Craig L Wheeler (FL); T-Joseph F. Orseno.

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7th-TP, $21,985, Alw (NW2$X)/Opt. Clm ($40,000), 3-23, 3yo/up, 1m (AWT), 1:38.04, ft.
HINTON (c, 4, Candy Ride {Arg}--Barn Cat, by Bluegrass Cat) took three of his first four starts before running sixth in the GIII Ohio Derby at Thistledown June 24. He made a successful 4-year-old debut here last time out against optional claiming company Feb. 10. The 7-5 favorite stalked the early tempo in midpack around the first turn and onto the backstretch. The dark bay moved out five wide on the far turn, took the lead just outside the eighth pole and kicked clear to a 2 1/4-length victory. Action Everyday (The Factor) set the pace throughout and held for second. Hinton hails from the family of MGISW Stop Traffic (Cure the Blues) and GISW Cross Traffic (Unbridled's Song). This is the first foal out of Barn Cat, who is a half to

MGSW Gouldings Green (Charismatic). She also has a 3-year-old full-sister to the winner named My Dear Opal, a juvenile colt named Elvis the Cat (The Factor) and a yearling colt by Mr Speaker. Lifetime Record: 8-5-0-2, $49,546. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**
O/B-Maccabee Farm (KY); T-Thomas Drury, Jr.

IN ORDER OF PURSE:

3rd-AQU, $58,800, Msw, 3-24, 3yo, 6f, 1:12.47, ft.
EVERYBODY LOVES ME (f, 3, Maclean's Music--Meridian Mama, by Forestry) showed sharp early speed in her three prior trips to the post, including a well-beaten second on debut behind subsequent GI Spinaway S. heroine and '**TDN Rising Star**' Lady Ivanka (Tiz Wonderful) at the Spa Aug. 9. The bay tired to 11th when last seen sprinting on the Belmont grass Sept. 24. Off at 5-2 here, she forced the issue from second, turned for home with a narrow advantage and was saved by the wire to graduate by a head. Throw the Fade (Shackleford) came flying late to just miss. The winner's dam is also represented by a Flashback colt of 2016 and a Secret Circle filly of 2017. She was bred back to Liam's Map. Sales history: $26,000 Ylg '16 KEESEP; $315,000 2yo '17 OBSAPR. Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-0, $53,147. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**
O-Curragh Stables, Gatsas Stables & Ken Geren; B-Hill 'n' Dale Equine Holdings Inc (KY); T-John P. Terranova II.

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10th-GP, $48,000, Msw, 3-24, 3yo, 6f, 1:11.70, ft.
BREAKING THE RULES (c, 3, War Front--Protesting {GSP, $213,050}, by A.P. Indy) was given an 8-1 chance in this unveiling. He chased in fourth behind a pair of dueling leaders through an opening quarter in :22.36. The Phipps homebred was caught behind a wall of horses at the top of the stretch, finally found a seam along the inside in the lane and shot on through to graduate by a neck. Zippy Willy (City Zip) was second. Protesting, a half-sister to MGSW Parading (Pulpit), is also represented by a Speightstown colt of 2016. The winner's third dam is the great My Flag (Easy Goer). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, $28,800. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**
O/B-Phipps Stable (KY); T-Claude R. McGaughey III.

4th-FG, $41,000, Msw, 3-24, 3yo, 1m 70y, 1:43.09, ft.
LAST BAD HABIT (c, 3, Arch--Stormy Frolic {MSW & GSP, $360,273}, by Summer Squall), a half-brother to Frolic's Revenge (Vindication), MSW, $346,075, reported home a well-beaten fifth behind '**TDN Rising Star**' Telekinesis (Ghostzapper) on debut going six furlongs here Feb. 9. Stretching to two turns, the rail-drawn 4-1 chance raced in sixth through fractions of :23.44 and :46.77. He began to rev up with a sweeping move on the far turn and kept on coming in the stretch to graduate by two lengths. Making a Marc (Uncle Mo) was second. Stormy Frolic, a half-sister to GSW Super Frolic (Pine Bluff), had a filly by Curlin in 2016 and a filly by Orb in 2017. She was bred back to California Chrome. Sales History: $160,000 Ylg '16 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, $25,830. **Click Equibase.com chart.**
O-Spendthrift Farm LLC; B-Stride Rite Racing Stable, Inc. (KY); T-Albert M. Stall, Jr.

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7th-FG, $38,000, Msw, 3-24, 3yo, f, 1mT, 1:38.77, fm.
HAYWORTH (f, 3, Arch--Glamorista {GSP, $138,032}, by Unbridled's Song) did little running when sixth in her debut over this course Feb. 17. The 20-1 longshot broke sharply, but couldn't tuck in behind horses going into the first turn and was forced three wide around the bend. The homebred remained three wide around the far turn while picking up momentum before swinging out into the five path at the top of the stretch. She continued to gain on the leaders inside the final furlong, took control at the sixteenth pole and kicked clear to a 2 1/2-length upset while becoming the second runner by her late sire to graduate in New Orleans Saturday. The lone firster in the field and favorite Maybe Wicked (Mizzen Mast) completed the exacta. This is the first winner out of Glamorista, who is a half to MGISW Critical Eye (Dynaformer). She is also represented by a juvenile colt named Souper Thriller (Awesome Again) and was bred to Distorted Humor and Speightstown in 2017. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, $22,800. **Click for the Equibase.com chart.**
O/B-Brinker Hill Farm, Inc. (IL); T-Mark E. Casse.

5th-PRX, $33,750, (S), Msw, 3-24, 3yo, f, 6f, 1:15.46, ft.
HEELSTOTHESKY (f, 3, Smarty Jones--Colleen's Scorpion, by Scorpion), last of eight heading into the far turn, hit the gas with a sweeping move while at least six wide and came over the top in the stretch to win going away by 3 1/4 lengths. The winner is a half-sister to Colleen's Sailor (Northern Afleet), MSP, $510,307; and Fratello Del Nord (Northern Afleet), SP, $179,698. Colleen's Scorpion is also represented by an English Channel 2-year-old colt. Sales history: $6,500 Ylg '16 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, $19,800. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**
O-William C. Buckley; B-Sienna Farms LLC (PA); T-Laura S. Roadcap.

FIRST & SECOND-CROP RUNNERS

First-/second-crop starters to watch: Sunday, Mar. 25

Farm and fee represent current information

Alternation (Distorted Humor), Pin Oak Stud, $7,500
143 foals of racing age/18 winners/0 black-type winners
8-FG, Aoc 1 1/16mT, G'S TURN, 12-1
$3,500 TTA MIX yrl

Animal Kingdom (Leroidesanimaux {Brz}), Jonabell Farm, $35,000
215 foals of racing age/15 winners/3 black-type winners
6-TAM, Msw 1mT, NIGHT OWL, 2-1
$160,000 KEE SEP yrl

Anthony's Cross (Indian Charlie), Pleasant Acres Stallions, $2,500
30 foals of racing age/2 winners/0 black-type winners
6-OP, Msw 6f, BLASPHEMY, 10-1
$6,000 OBS WIN yrl; $8,500 OBS AUG yrl; $70,000 OBS MAR 2yo
12-GP, Msw 5fT, HEIDI HO, 7-2
$14,000 RNA OBS APR 2yo; $7,500 OBS OPN 2yo

Brethren (Distorted Humor), Pleasant Acres Stallions, $6,000
100 foals of racing age/7 winners/0 black-type winners
5-TAM, Msw 6f, THE STIFLER, 15-1

Corfu (Malibu Moon), Bridlewood Farm, $3,500
41 foals of racing age/5 winners/0 black-type winners
10-TAM, $100K Ocala Breeders' Sales Sophomore S., 7f, REAL FAST MUSIC, 6-1
7-FG, Msw 6f, SPONTANEOUS, 5-1
$35,000 EAS OCT yrl; $130,000 EAS MAY 2yo

Data Link (War Front), Claiborne Farm, $7,500
186 foals of racing age/14 winners/1 black-type winner
5-TAM, Msw 6f, SENT FROM HEAVEN, 4-1
$10,000 KEE SEP yrl

Declaration of War (War Front), Ashford Stud, $40,000
255 foals of racing age/17 winners/3 black-type winners
4-TAM, Msw 1mT, LUSITANIA (IRE), 9-2
65,000gns TAT FOA wnl

Double Irish (Tapit), Mcdowell Farm, $1,000
16 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners
9-OP, Msw 6f, BIGSHOTOFWHISKEY, 30-1

Ez Effort (In Excess {Ire}), Fleming Thoroughbred Farm, private
27 foals of racing age/5 winners/1 black-type winner
11-SUN, $800K GIII Sunland Derby, 1 1/8m, FORTIFIED EFFORT, 20-1
$35,000 ARZ NOV yrl

Flat Out (Flatter), Spendthrift Farm, $10,000
230 foals of racing age/29 winners/1 black-type winner
7-AQU, Msw 1m, BALLARD HIGH, 7-2
$110,000 FTK OCT yrl; $220,000 OBS OPN 2yo

Fort Larned (E Dubai), Adena Springs, $15,000
97 foals of racing age/4 winners/1 black-type winner
5-TAM, Msw 6f, FORT PECK, 8-1

Graydar (Unbridled's Song), Taylor Made Stallions, $15,000
193 foals of racing age/29 winners/1 black-type winner
7-FG, Msw 6f, TENACIOUS FAITH, 20-1

Jimmy Creed (Distorted Humor), Spendthrift Farm, $12,500
183 foals of racing age/27 winners/4 black-type winners
5-GP, Msw 5 1/2f, EVERYONELOVESJIMMY, 7-5
$19,000 RNA KEE SEP yrl
7-FG, Msw 6f, FAITH IN JIMMY, 8-1
$1,000 KEE SEP yrl

Just a Coincidence (Forestry)
4 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners
9-OP, Msw 6f, JUST A COINKYDINK, 3-1

Keep Up (Unbridled's Song), Mill Ridge Farm, $5,000
28 foals of racing age/5 winners/0 black-type winners
5-TAM, Msw 6f, YEAHIKNOW, 9-2
$4,000 FTK FEB yrl; $12,000 KEE SEP yrl; $9,000 OBS WIN 2yo

Liaison (Indian Charlie), Spendthrift Farm, $10,000
166 foals of racing age/16 winners/2 black-type winners
7-FG, Msw 6f, FANCY FOX, 5-1
$20,000 FTK JUL yrl; $50,000 TTA APR 2yo

Morning Line (Tiznow), Lane's End Farm, $10,000
134 foals of racing age/20 winners/2 black-type winners
8-FG, Aoc 1 1/16mT, MORNING STRIDE, 12-1
$100,000 KEE SEP yrl; $95,000 RNA OBS MAR 2yo
11-SUN, $800K GIII Sunland Derby, 1 1/8m, SEVEN TRUMPETS,

6-1
$45,000 KEE SEP yrl; $205,000 OBS APR 2yo

Orb (Malibu Moon), Claiborne Farm, $25,000
195 foals of racing age/14 winners/1 black-type winner
4-TAM, Msw 1mT, BIDDING CIRCLE, 10-1
$80,000 KEE JAN yrl

Overanalyze (Dixie Union), WinStar Farm, $10,000
193 foals of racing age/33 winners/5 black-type winners
7-AQU, Msw 1m, RACING RAVEN, 5-1

Passion for Gold (Medaglia d'Oro), Haras Penalolen, $5,000
20 foals of racing age/4 winners/0 black-type winners
10-TAM, $100K Ocala Breeders' Sales Sophomore S., 7f, LORD BARNA, 4-1
$14,000 OBS OPN 2yo

Paynter (Awesome Again), WinStar Farm, $25,000
218 foals of racing age/23 winners/1 black-type winner
10-TAM, $100K Ocala Breeders' Sales Sophomore S., 7f, BRINY MARLIN, 5-1
$200,000 FTS AUG yrl

Point of Entry (Dynaformer), Adena Springs, $25,000
147 foals of racing age/17 winners/2 black-type winners
9-TAM, $100K DRF Bets Sophomore Turf S., 1 1/16mT, EMPIRICALLY, 10-1
$47,000 RNA KEE SEP yrl
6-TAM, Msw 1mT, MOXIE MOMENTUM, 10-1

Poseidon's Warrior (Speightstown), Pleasant Acres Stallions, $6,500
101 foals of racing age/9 winners/1 black-type winner
7-AQU, Msw 1m, JUSTINSPEIGHTOFIT, 30-1

Prospective (Malibu Moon), Ocala Stud Farm, $5,000
97 foals of racing age/16 winners/1 black-type winner
10-TAM, $100K Ocala Breeders' Sales Sophomore S., 7f, NINETYEIGHTTWO, 12-1
7-TAM, $100K Stonehedge Farm South Sophomore Fillies S., 7f, PROSPECTIVE LADY, 8-1
$30,000 OBS OPN 2yo
12-GP, Msw 5fT, R HAPPY ENDING, 10-1
$8,000 RNA OBS AUG yrl; $145,000 OBS APR 2yo
7-TAM, $100K Stonehedge Farm South Sophomore Fillies S., 7f, SHES ONE MAD MOMMA, 15-1
$24,000 OBS WIN yrl; $15,000 OBS AUG yrl

Soldat (War Front), Woodford Thoroughbreds, $5,000
158 foals of racing age/19 winners/0 black-type winners
7-TAM, $100K Stonehedge Farm South Sophomore Fillies S., 7f, CHARCUTERIE, 8-1
$155,000 OBS AUG yrl
9-TAM, $100K DRF Bets Sophomore Turf S., 1 1/16mT, THE X, 4-1
$20,000 OBS AUG yrl; $60,000 FTF MAR 2yo

Take Charge Indy (A.P. Indy), Kor, $20,000
202 foals of racing age/37 winners/5 black-type winners
6-SUN, $200K Sunland Park Oaks, 1 1/16m, CHARGE BACK, 4-1

Treasure Beach (GB) (Galileo {Ire}), Pleasant Acres Stallions, $10,000
128 foals of racing age/18 winners/0 black-type winners
4-TAM, Msw 1mT, BELLE'S CACHET, 15-1
4-TAM, Msw 1mT, FULL TILT TREASURE, 20-1
9-TAM, $100K DRF Bets Sophomore Turf S., 1 1/16mT, PARADISE ISLAND, 10-1
9-TAM, $100K DRF Bets Sophomore Turf S., 1 1/16mT, SEATTLE TREASURE, 6-1

Violence (Medaglia d'Oro), Hill 'n' Dale Farms, $15,000
248 foals of racing age/41 winners/5 black-type winners
5-GP, Msw 5 1/2f, DOMINANCE, 2-1
$235,000 FTK JUL yrl
11-SUN, $800K GIII Sunland Derby, 1 1/8m, PEACE, 12-1
$37,000 RNA KEE NOV wnl; $50,000 FTK JUL yrl; $75,000 FTK OCT yrl; $280,000 OBS APR 2yo
7-FG, Msw 6f, TALK VEUVE TO ME, 4-1
$45,000 RNA KEE NOV wnl; $20,000 KEE SEP yrl; $95,000 RNA OBS MAR 2yo

Winslow Homer (Unbridled's Song), Journeyman Stud, $5,000
57 foals of racing age/4 winners/0 black-type winners
6-OP, Msw 6f, HOME RUN TRICK, 30-1
$5,000 OBS OCT wnl

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STAKES RESULTS:

CRESCENT CITY DERBY, $75,000, FG, 3-24, (S), 3yo, 1 1/16m, 1:44.90, ft.

1--**BATTLE AT SEA, 122, c, 3, by Into Mischief**
1st Dam: Mystery At Sea (SP), by Capote
2nd Dam: Sea Regent, by Vice Regent
3rd Dam: Miss Tidal Wave, by Captain's Gig
1ST BLACK TYPE WIN. ($145,000 Ylg '16 ESLYRL; $55,000 2yo '17 OBSMAR). O-Three Diamonds Farm; B-Clear Creek Stud LLC (LA); T-Michael J. Maker; J-Jose L. Ortiz. $45,000. Lifetime Record: 5-2-0-1, $77,025. *1/2 to Cook Some Rice (Half Ours), SW, $153,81.

2--**Pound for Pound**, 122, c, 3, Redding Colliery--Buttercup's Song, by Unbridled's Song. ($5,000 Ylg '16 ESLYRL). O-Israel Flores Horses LLC; B-J. Adcock & B&B Bloodstock (LA); T-Jose Grimaldo. $15,000.

3--**Gracida**, 122, r, 3, **Custom for Carlos**--Tensas Wedding Joy, by Broken Vow. ($65,000 Wlg '15 KEENOV; $80,000 Ylg '16 FTKJUL; $400,000 2yo '17 FTFMAR). O-Zedan Racing Stables Inc; B-Curt Leake & Elm Tree Farm, LLC (LA); T-Doug F. O'Neill. $8,250.

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Margins: 2 1/4, 2HF, 2. Odds: 7.70, 4.50, 3.40.

SOUTHERN PARK S., $75,000, MVR, 3-24, (S), 3yo, f, 6f, 1:14.85, ft.

1--**TANGO RUN, 122, f, 3, by Run Away and Hide**
1st Dam: Thedoctorscat, by Tale of the Cat
2nd Dam: American Tango, by Quiet American
3rd Dam: Brazilian Beat, by Summing
($32,000 Ylg '16 FTKOCT) O-Michael A. Foster; B-Harold Fishman (OH); T-William D. Cowans; J-Rex A. Stokes III. $45,000. Lifetime Record: 5-4-0-1, $169,500.

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2--**Fancy Feelin**, 118, f, 3, Jimmy Creed--Rush to War, by Majestic Warrior. O/B-Daniel J. & Patricia J. Yates (OH); T-William D. Cowans. $15,000.

3--**Dotthei**, 120, f, 3, **Haynesfield**--Jensens Score, by Even the Score. O/B-Steve M DeMaiolo (OH); T-Penny Rone. $7,500.

Margins: 2, 5, 1. Odds: 3.10, 2.00, 4.60.

COSTA RISING S., $60,000, FG, 3-24, (S), 4yo/up, 5 1/2fT, 1:04.28, fm.

1--**MONTE MAN, 123, g, 5, Custom for Carlos--Sarah's My Angel (SP), by Sutter's Prospect**. ($55,000 Ylg '14 FTKJUL; $125,000 2yo '15 OBSMAR). O-Ivery Sisters Racing; B-Val C. Murrell (LA); T-Ron Faucheux; J-Adam Beschizza. $36,000. Lifetime Record: 25-7-4-3, $262,055. *1/2 to Gand Facile (Zuppardo's Prince), MSW, $310,660.

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2--**Rock N Sake**, 117, g, 5, Half Ours--Passion for Words, by Benchmark. ($27,000 Ylg '14 ESLYRL). O-Roy Investments LLC; B-Tom Curtis & Wayne Simpson (LA); T-Shane Meche. $12,000.

3--**Trust Factor**, 123, h, 5, Paddy O'Prado--Mainsail, by Mizzen Mast. ($4,000 Ylg '14 KEESEP; $12,000 2yo '15 OBSOPN). O-Scrivener Stables; B-J. Adcock & Hume Wornall (LA); T-Michael J. Maker. $6,600.

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Margins: 1 1/4, NK, 1HF. Odds: 6.60, 11.10, 1.40.

NEW ORLEANS LADIES OVERNIGHT S., $50,000, FG, 3-24, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:42.73, fm.

1--**SULLY'S DREAM, 121, f, 4, Colonel John--Karate Gal, by First Samurai**. ($29,000 RNA Ylg '15 KEEJAN; $24,000 RNA Ylg '15 KEESEP). O-Ralph Ebert & Patrick & Michael Waresk; B-Glendalough LLC (KY); T-John Alexander Ortiz; J-Gary L. Stevens. $30,070. Lifetime Record: 17-6-0-1, $190,699.

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2--**Vagabond Princess**, 118, m, 5, Pure Prize--Cave In, by Mineshaft. ($30,000 Ylg '14 FTKOCT). O-Michael R. Meeks; B-Phillip Match (KY); T-Jose Lozano Sanchez. $9,700.

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BLACKWOOD GRADUATE

3--**Mannerly**, 117, f, 4, Unbridled's Song--Mary Ellise, by In Excess (Ire). ($360,000 Ylg '15 KEESEP). O-Stonestreet Stables LLC; B-Daniel J. Burke (KY); T-Brendan P. Walsh. $4,850.

Margins: 4HF, 1HF, HF. Odds: 9.90, 12.00, 11.80.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

3rd-OP, $83,000, (NW2X)/Opt. Clm ($40,000), 3-24, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:44.36, ft.

DORODANSA (m, 5, Bellamy Road--Fiery Dancer {SW, $179,241}, by Atticus) Lifetime Record: MSP, 22-4-2-7, $220,803. O-Steven & Brandi Nicholson; B-Centaur Farms, Inc. (KY); T-Kellyn Gorder. *$50,000 Ylg '14 KEESEP; $65,000 RNA 2yo '15 OBSOPN.

10th-OP, $82,000, (NW1$X)/Opt. Clm ($16,000), 3-24, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:38.25, ft.
BAD STUDENT (g, 7, Student Council--Vanilla Babe, by Bianconi) Lifetime Record: 56-16-5-14, $306,629. O/T-Robertino Diodoro; B-Fred Lewis (KY).

3rd-SA, $70,793, (NW1$X)/Opt. Clm ($40,000), 3-24, 4yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10.32, ft.
TIME FOR EBBY (m, 5, Time to Get Even--Ebbets Field, by Touch Gold) Lifetime Record: 22-5-2-3, $194,449. O-John B Evans; B-Terry C. Lovingier (CA); T-Steve Knapp. *$17,000 Ylg '14 NCAAUG.

7th-SA, $62,170, (NW2$X)/Opt. Clm ($62,500), 3-23, 4yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:43.14, gd.
PRINCE OF ARABIA (h, 5, Mineshaft--Princess Haya {GSW & GISP, $441,736}, by Street Cry {Ire}) Lifetime Record: GSP, 20-3-3-4, $169,520. O-D P Racing; B-Eileen H. Hartis (KY); T-James M. Cassidy. *$175,000 Ylg '14 KEESEP.

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9th-AQU, $57,000, (S), 3-24, (NW1$X), 4yo/up, 6f, 1:11.41, ft.
WICKED MACHO (g, 4, Macho Uno--Wicked Beauty, by Vindication) Lifetime Record: 7-2-1-1, $93,135. O-Gary Barber; B-Richard Greeley (NY); T-Mark E. Casse. *$115,000 Ylg '15 KEESEP.

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8th-PRX, $50,400, 3-24, (NW1X), 3yo, f, 6f, 1:13.88, ft.
SPANKY (f, 3, To Honor and Serve--Generation of Love, by Forestry) Lifetime Record: 7-2-1-0, $54,644. O-Bran Jam Stable & David W. Clark; B-Shortleaf Stable (KY); T-Louis C. Linder, Jr.

1st-FG, $42,000, (NW2X)/Opt. Clm ($40,000), 3-24, 4yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:43.16, fm.
DOT MATRIX (g, 5, Freud--Aunt Dot Dot, by Gulch) Lifetime Record: 20-5-3-3, $209,441. O-Ten Strike Racing; B-Truxton Stables (NY); T-Brad H. Cox. *1/2 to Aunt Ellipsis (Successful Appeal), SW, $204,386.

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12th-FG, $40,000, (S), (NW1X)/Opt. Clm ($12,500), 3-24, 4yo/up, 1mT, 1:39.15, fm.
IN THE NAVY (g, 4, Midshipman--Southern Princess, by Dixieland Band) Lifetime Record: 16-4-3-3, $104,800. O/B-Kendel D. Standlee (LA); T-Scott Gelner.

6th-PEN, $31,600, (S), 3-23, (NW1X), 4yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:04.79, ft.
FANCY IS MY NAME (m, 5, Wiseman's Ferry--Moochie Too, by Jeblar) Lifetime Record: 39-5-9-7, $132,896. O-Bush Racing Stable; B-Haras El Aguila (PA); T-Lester J. Stickler, Jr. *$13,000 2yo '15 EASMAY.

1st-PEN, $31,600, (S), 3-24, (NW1X), 4yo/up, 5 1/2f, 1:04.75, ft.
GURT BOYS (g, 5, Jump Start--Immune to Gloom {MSP, $165,968}, by Citidancer) Lifetime Record: 25-4-7-6, $153,774. O/B-Thomas McClay (PA); T-Michael W. Salvaggio, Jr.

6th-MVR, $31,300, (S), 3-24, (NW1X), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:15.37, ft.
MYGIRLFRIDAY (f, 4, Lunarpal--Girlish Figure, by Strong Hope) Lifetime Record: 14-2-2-2, $68,209. O-Mapleton Thoroughbred Farm; B-Dr. George Mapleton Thoroughbreds (OH); T-Jennifer Tooley. *$2,000 RNA Ylg '15 FTKOCT.

8th-GG, $29,943, 3-24, (NW1$X), 3yo/up, 1 1/16m (AWT), 1:43.73, ft.
TAIMA THE HAWK (g, 5, Kitten's Joy--Beauty's Due {SP, $171,434}, by Devil His Due) Lifetime Record: 19-3-5-3, $98,300. O-Mary Tucker; B-Celebre Investments (KY); T-Samuel Calvario. *$72,000 Ylg '14 KEESEP. **1/2 to Devil By Design (Medaglia d;Oro), GSW, $268,041.

7th-CT, $24,500, 3-23, (NW3X), 3yo/up, 7f, 1:26.28, ft.
FOLLOW THE NOTION (g, 7, Great Notion--Follow the Queen, by Not For Love) Lifetime Record: MSP, 25-7-4-4, $176,170. O/B/T-Gary L. Williams, Jr. (WV).

5th-CT, $24,000, 3-23, (NW2X), 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:21.07, ft.
ROCK N' GOLD (m, 5, Medallist--Rocky's Angel, by Rock Slide) Lifetime Record: MSP, 20-5-9-2, $134,620. O-Grams Racing Stable LLC; B-Judith A. & Timothy C. Grams (WV); T-Timothy C. Grams.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:
Mr. Hot Rocks, g, 3, **Bustin Stones**--Red Hot Peppers, by Jelly Roll Blues. AQU, 3-24, (S), (C), 6f, 1:12.78. B-Jerry Bilinski (NY).

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Sweeping Vista, g, 3, **Emcee**--Meadow Vista (GSP, $202,895), by Meadowlake. AQU, 3-24, (S), (C), 6f, 1:12.51. B-EKQ Stables Corp. (NY). *$47,000 RNA Ylg '16 SARAUG. **1/2 to Bachata (Kingmambo), SW & GSP, $163,925. ***1ST-TIME STARTER.
Jimmy Who, g, 3, **Exchange Rate**--Nathan's Mom Becky, by Wildcat Heir. PRX, 3-24, 6 1/2f, 1:21.45. B-Hinkle Farms (KY).

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My Aunt Beth, f, 3, **Haynesfield**--Beth's Brew, by Storm Brewing. MVR, 3-24, 1m, 1:43.61. B-Westwind Farms (KY). *1/2 to Uncle Brent (Pioneering), SW, $210,326. **Won by 18 lengths.

Navy Armed Guard, g, 3, **Midshipman**--Black Java, by Pine Bluff. TAM, 3-24, 1m 40y, 1:42.70. B-George Pruette & Philip Coomer (KY). *$47,000 2yo '17 OBSAPR. **1/2 to Discreet Angel (Discreet Cat), Ch. Imp. 2yo & 3yo Colt-PR, MSW-PR, $166,464.

El Heroe, g, 4, **Street Hero**--Alpine Secret, by Swiss Yodeler. CT, 3-23, 6 1/2f, 1:21.03. B-Xanthus Farms Inc. (PA).

Brickhouse, g, 4, **Vronsky**--Smoothasvelvet, by Mr. Integrity. SA, 3-24, (S), 6 1/2f (off turf), 1:17.90. B-Old English Rancho, Patsy & Sal Berumen (CA). *$3,000 Ylg '15 BAROCT.

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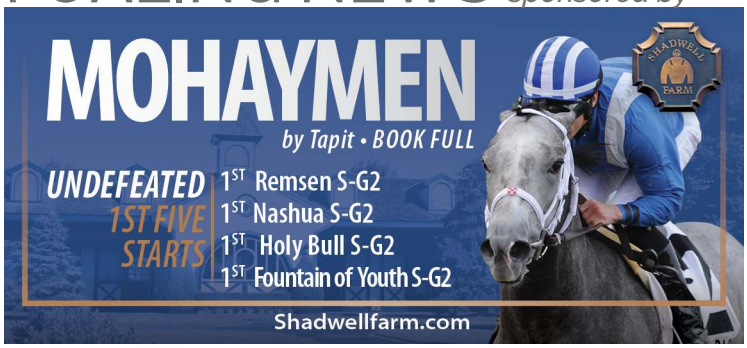

CAYUGA'S WATERS, 16, Langfuhr--Tomahawkstress, by Apalachee.
Foal born Feb. 25, a filly by Empire Maker.
Will be bred back to American Pharoah.
Owned by Brant Laue.
Boarded at Hurstland Farm, KY.
Accomplishments: SW, $194,422; dam of Cascadilla Falls (E Dubai), SW, $140,310; Glorious View (Pleasant Tap), SW, $307,190; and Highball (Lemon Drop Kid), MSP, $229,471.

MAYAN MILAGRA, 16, Menifee--Dhaka, by Icecapade
Foal born Feb. 25, a colt by Frosted.
Will be bred back to Tapit.
Owned by/boarded at Woodford Thoroughbreds, KY.
Accomplishments: Dam of Dancinginherdreams (Tapit), GSW, $328,516; and Doubled (Exchange Rate), SW, $159,455.

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ANY GIVEN SATURDAY, Lydia Sweetie, f, 3, o/o Juilette Girl, by Roman Ruler. ALW, 3-24, Penn National

ARCH, Hayworth, f, 3, o/o Glamorista, by Unbridled's Song. MSW, 3-24, Fair Grounds

ARCH, Last Bad Habit, c, 3, o/o Stormy Frolic, by Summer Squall. MSW, 3-24, Fair Grounds

BELLAMY ROAD, Dorodansa, m, 5, o/o Fiery Dancer, by Atticus. AOC, 3-24, Oaklawn Park

BODEMEISTER, Once On Whiskey, c, 3, o/o Crespano, by Mineshaft. MSW, 3-24, Santa Anita

BROKEN VOW, Chocolate Martini, f, 3, o/o Nicksappealinglady, by Successful Appeal. Twinspires.com Fair Grounds Oaks, 3-24, Fair Grounds

BROKEN VOW, Imprimis, g, 4, o/o Shoppers Return, by Put It Back. AOC, 3-24, Gulfstream Park

BUSTIN STONES, Mr. Hot Rocks, g, 3, o/o Red Hot Peppers, by Jelly Roll Blues. MCL, 3-24, Aqueduct

CANDY RIDE (ARG), Hinton, c, 4, o/o Barn Cat, by Bluegrass Cat. AOC, 3-23, Turfway Park

COLONEL JOHN, Sully's Dream, f, 4, o/o Karate Gal, by First Samurai. New Orleans Ladies Overnight S., 3-24, Fair Grounds

CUSTOM FOR CARLOS, Monte Man, g, 5, o/o Sarah's My Angel, by Sutter's Prospect. Costa Rising S., 3-24, Fair Grounds

EMCEE, Sweeping Vista, g, 3, o/o Meadow Vista, by Meadowlake. MCL, 3-24, Aqueduct

EXCHANGE RATE, Jimmy Who, g, 3, o/o Nathan's Mom Becky, by Wildcat Heir. MSW, 3-24, Parx Racing

FREUD, Dot Matrix, g, 5, o/o Aunt Dot Dot, by Gulch. AOC, 3-24, Fair Grounds

GREAT NOTION, Follow the Notion, g, 7, o/o Follow the Queen, by Not For Love. ALW, 3-23, Charles Town

HARLAN'S HOLIDAY, Good Samaritan, c, 4, o/o Pull Dancer, by Pulpit. New Orleans H., 3-24, Fair Grounds

HAYNESFIELD, My Aunt Beth, f, 3, o/o Beth's Brew, by Storm Brewing. MSW, 3-24, Mahoning Valley Race Course

INTO MISCHIEF, Battle At Sea, c, 3, o/o Mystery At Sea, by Capote. Crescent City Derby, 3-24, Fair Grounds

INTO MISCHIEF, Mia Mischief, f, 3, o/o Greer Lynn, by Speightstown. Purple Martin S., 3-24, Oaklawn Park

JUMP START, Gurt Boys, g, 5, o/o Immune to Gloom, by Citidancer. ALW, 3-24, Penn National

KITTEN'S JOY, Taima the Hawk, g, 5, o/o Beauty's Due, by Devil His Due. ALW, 3-24, Golden Gate

LUNARPAL, Mygirlfriday, f, 4, o/o Girlish Figure, by Strong Hope. ALW, 3-24, Mahoning Valley Race Course

MACHO UNO, Wicked Macho, g, 4, o/o Wicked Beauty, by Vindication. ALW, 3-24, Aqueduct

MACLEAN'S MUSIC, Everybody Loves Me, f, 3, o/o Meridian Mama, by Forestry. MSW, 3-24, Aqueduct

MEDALLIST, Rock n' Gold, m, 5, o/o Rocky's Angel, by Rock Slide. ALW, 3-23, Charles Town

MIDSHIPMAN, In the Navy, g, 4, o/o Southern Princess, by Dixieland Band. AOC, 3-24, Fair Grounds

MIDSHIPMAN, Navy Armed Guard, g, 3, o/o Black Java, by Pine Bluff. MSW, 3-24, Tampa Bay

MINESHAFT, Prince of Arabia, h, 5, o/o Princess Haya, by Street Cry (Ire). AOC, 3-23, Santa Anita

MORE THAN READY, Elevenses, f, 3, o/o Cougarstown, by Speightstown. Any Limit S., 3-24, Gulfstream Park

RUN AWAY AND HIDE, Tango Run, f, 3, o/o Thedoctorscat, by Tale of the Cat. Southern Park S., 3-24, Mahoning Valley Race Course

SMARTY JONES, Heelstothesky, f, 3, o/o Colleen's Scorpion, by Scorpion. MSW, 3-24, Parx Racing

STAR GUITAR, Testing One Two, f, 3, o/o Yes Sir, by Scat Daddy. Crescent City Oaks, 3-24, Fair Grounds

STREET HERO, El Heroe, g, 4, o/o Alpine Secret, by Swiss Yodeler. MSW, 3-23, Charles Town

STUDENT COUNCIL, Bad Student, g, 7, o/o Vanilla Babe, by Bianconi. AOC, 3-24, Oaklawn Park

Dorodonsa by Bellamy Road grabbed her first victory of 2018 Saturday at Oaklawn Park I *Coady*

TAKE CHARGE INDY, Noble Indy, c, 3, o/o Noble Maz, by Storm Boot. Twinspires.com Louisiana Derby, 3-24, Fair Grounds
TAKE CHARGE INDY, Split Time, f, 3, o/o Speed Dating, by Not For Love. Maddie May S., 3-24, Aqueduct
TAPIT, Madison's Luna, c, 3, o/o Scarlet Tango, by French Deputy. Hutcheson S., 3-24, Gulfstream Park
TAPIT, Synchrony, h, 5, o/o Brownie Points, by Forest Wildcat. Muniz Memorial H., 3-24, Fair Grounds
TIME TO GET EVEN, Time for Ebby, m, 5, o/o Ebbets Field, by Touch Gold. AOC, 3-24, Santa Anita
TIZ WONDERFUL, Selcourt, f, 4, o/o Azure Spring, by Open Forum. Santa Monica S., 3-24, Santa Anita
TO HONOR AND SERVE, Spanky, f, 3, o/o Generation of Love, by Forestry. ALW, 3-24, Parx Racing
TWIRLING CANDY, Gift Box, r, 5, o/o Special Me, by Unbridled's Song. AOC, 3-24, Aqueduct
VRONSKY, Brickhouse, g, 4, o/o Smoothasvelvet, by Mr. Integrity. MSW, 3-24, Santa Anita
WAR FRONT, Breaking the Rules, c, 3, o/o Protesting, by A.P. Indy. MSW, 3-24, Gulfstream Park
WISEMAN'S FERRY, Fancy Is My Name, m, 5, o/o Moochie Too, by Jeblar. ALW, 3-23, Penn National

Breaking the Rules rode the rail to victory on debut for his sire War Front Saturday at Gulfstream Park I *Leslie Martin*

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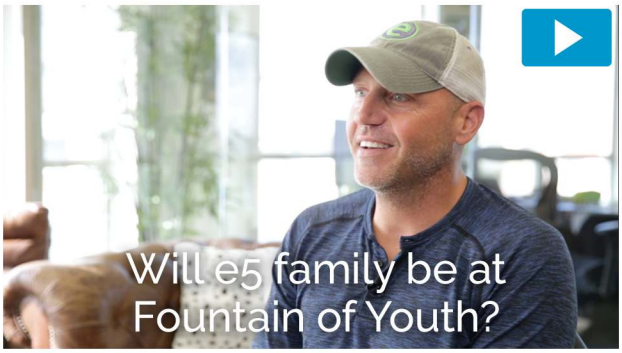

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ESTIJAAB SUPREME IN SLIPPER SCORE

Estijaab and Brenton Avdulla win the Golden Slipper | *Bronwen Healy*

One year ago, Rosehill Gardens was rocked by the victory of the rags to riches, A$20,000 filly She Will Reign (Aus) (Manhattan Rain {Aus}) in the G1 Golden Slipper.

This year's Slipper winner, **Estijaab (Aus)** (Snitzel {Aus}), has no such Cinderella story.

Emirates Park's 2-year-old filly was always meant to be great: she had the looks, the pedigree, the price tag and the race record, and on Saturday she put it all together to deliver a front-running victory in the world's richest race for juveniles. It was a second Slipper win in four years for the Emirates Park/Hawkes Racing combination, the first coming with another filly, Mossfun (Aus) (Mossman {Aus}), in 2014. Like Mossfun, Estijaab also led home a trifecta of fillies. Coming in behind her on Saturday were the Tony McEvoy-trained pair of **Oohood (Aus)** (I Am Invincible {Aus}) and **Sunlight (Aus)** (Zoustar {Aus}).

'TDN Rising Star' Estijaab caught a flyer under Brenton Avdulla from barrier 17 and was able to swiftly cross over to the fence. The post time favourite and G1 Blue Diamond S. winner **Written By (Aus)** (Written Tycoon {Aus}) stalked her three-quarters of a length in arrears with Gai Waterhouse's **Santos (Aus)** (I Am Invincible {Aus}), looking to give her a seventh Slipper win and the all-out record, breathing down his neck.

The early favourite and previously unbeaten Magic Millions 2YO Classic winner **Sunlight (Aus)** (Zoustar {Aus}) sat in the two path about three lengths off the pace, with her stablemate and eventual runner-up Oohood about three lengths further back and between horses with recent Coolmore acquisition and G2 Todman S. winner **Aylmerton (Aus)** (Siyouni {Fr}) to her inside.

Meanwhile, Avdulla was able to control the pace aboard Estijaab and sat motionless as they turned for home, and the filly dug deep when pressured by Written By and Sunlight on her outside and Oohood on the rail. The hard luck Oohood, amazingly still a maiden but also third in the G1 Blue Diamond S., came with a late surge but Estijaab found the line a short neck to the good.

Avdulla, who was winning his first Slipper, told the *Racing NSW* press team, "It's very emotional, I've put in a lot of hard work with the stable and they are very loyal John, Michael and Wayne [Hawkes]."

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"Ever since I've been on this girl since day dot she's given me a special feel," Avdulla continued. "You dream of riding Golden Slipper winners; when I was 15 and starting apprentice school I was the biggest in the class and they said I had 12 months in the saddle and then I was going back to school. I've just won a Slipper. I don't know what to say."

Estijaab was providing John Hawkes, father of training partners Michael and Wayne, with his fourth Slipper win, and it was the second for the younger Hawkeses. John Hawkes, who saddled Guineas to win the 1997 Slipper for Bob Ingham's Woodlands Stud and Forensics 10 years later for the same connections, told *Racing NSW* post-race, "It's a great effort, with the boys and the family. Emirates are great people, they've been loyal supporters. They put a lot of money into the game and it is great to see them get a result."

Of Estijaab, he added, "She's such a professional, she was asleep in the stalls and 2-year-olds don't do that. Her gate speed is unbelievable and that's her attribute. They are all individuals and we just take them as they come."

A very emotional Wayne Hawkes was full of praise for Avdulla's ride.

"She drew the outside barrier and for Brenton to do what he did, he summed it up very well; the greatest shot if you haven't seen it is the overhead shot, it was amazing. To see how she jumped so clean and so easy, she just put two lengths on them straight away. He didn't roar across, he just took his time, it was a winning ride."

Oohood ran the fastest final 200 metres, :11.72 to Estijaab's :12.03, and trainer Tony McEvoy said, "She just got a spot back further than we wanted. She tried very hard and just wasn't good enough on the day. Oohood was super, and I think that confirmed how well she has been running without luck in Melbourne and she was fantastic. If she pulls up well we will go to the Sires' and Sunlight will go for a break. She's done an amazing job, she presented and ran her heart out for us."

Estijaab was making her fourth start in the Slipper and she has won three of those. She earned her TDN Rising Star tag with a four-length first-out victory at Randwick on Jan. 20, and was second to Sunlight in the G2 Silver Slipper after setting a relentless pace while pestered by another rival. Estijaab was back on a winning track in the G2 Reisling S. on Mar. 10. In just four starts she has now bankrolled over A$2-million, and so perhaps Emirates Park will be able to return to this year's Easter Sale in two weeks' time with a slightly bigger budget than they had last year. **Cont. p3**

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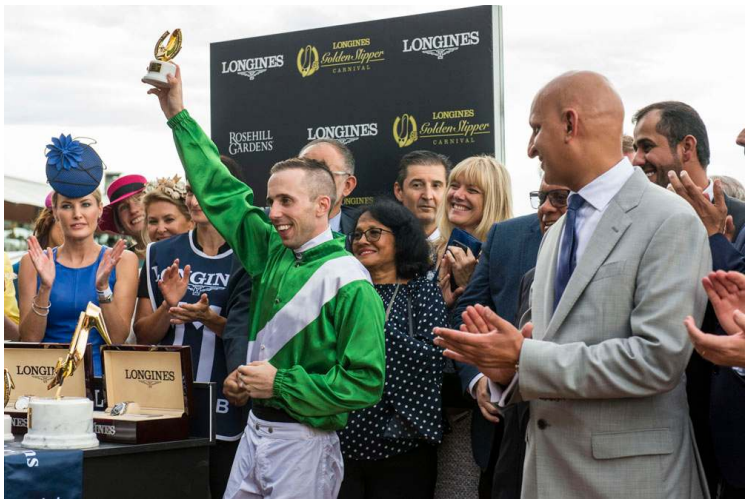
Pedigree Notes...

Emirates Park's Hussain Lootah admitted at Easter last year that they had spent their entire budget on Estijaab when signing at A$1.7-million for the filly from the Arrowfield draft, and she was indeed their only buy at the sale. Estijaab was the second most expensive filly at that sale–just A$100,000 shy of the price tag of a Redoute's Choice (Aus) half-sister to Group 1 winner English (Aus) (Encosta de Lago {Aus})–and she was the priciest of Saturday's Slipper runners, with 17 of the 20 (including emergencies) having gone through a sales ring. Estijaab has, technically, gone through the ring twice: her dam, the G1 Sir Rupert Clarke S. and G1 Robert Sangster S. winner Response (Aus) (Charge Forward {Aus}), was bought by Katsumi Yoshida from Newgate Farm while carrying Estijaab for A$1.5-million at the Magic Millions National Broodmare Sale in 2015.



Brenton Avdulla and Hussain Lootah | *Bronwen Healy*

SF Bloodstock had signed for Response for A$840,000 at Inglis's Australian Broodmare Sale in 2012 and while that isn't a small sum, in addition to selling her on for seven figures they also sold her first foal, the stakes-placed Alter Call (Aus) (Fastnet Rock {Aus})–also a 'TDN Rising Star'--for A$1.05-million at the Magic Millions Gold Coast Yearling Sale in 2013. The A$350,000 that Peter Moody spent on a full-sister to Estijaab at this year's Gold Coast sale now looks like money very well spent, and the mare has another weanling filly by Snitzel and is in foal to the champion sire once again.

Estijaab is the first Golden Slipper winner for the reigning champion sire and multiple record-breaking Snitzel, and interestingly Arrowfield's stallion also featured as the broodmare sire of Emirates Park's other Slipper winner, Mossfun. Estijaab is Snitzel's 13th Group 1 winner and fourth this season, joining Trapeze Artist (Aus) (Golden Rose), Redzel (Aus) (Darley Classic) and Russian Revolution (Aus) (Oakleigh Plate). **Cont. p4**

Golden Slipper S. cont.

She is one of seven Group 1 winners by Snitzel sold as a yearling by Arrowfield, and she is the seventh Slipper winner bred and/or sold by John Messara's nursery, joining Danzero (Aus) (Danehill) (1994), Flying Spur (Aus) (Danehill) (1995), Catbird (Aus) (Danehill) (1999), Belle du Jour (Aus) (Dehere) (2000), Miss Finland (Aus) (Redoute's Choice {Aus}) (2006) and the aforementioned Forensics.

"The Golden Slipper has shaped Australia racing, as it has shaped Arrowfield," said Messara, the man responsible for getting the breed-defining Danehill to Australia. "I couldn't be prouder to produce the third generation Slipper winner in Estijaab, with her sire Snitzel following his sire Redoute's Choice and grandsire Danehill in Arrowfield's rich legacy."

Estijaab becomes the second straight Slipper winner out of a mare by Charge Forward, and that former Arrowfield resident, a Slipper runner-up himself, is also the broodmare sire of Sunlight, as well as Group 3 winner Limestone (Aus) (Helmet {Aus}).

Emirates Park Stud in the Hunter Valley was founded in the late 1980s by the Dubaian Nasser Lootah, father of Hussain Lootah, and stallions currently standing at the farm include Al Maher, Dream Ahead and Artie Schiller. **Click for the free Arion.co.nz catalogue-style pedigree.**

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GOLDEN SLIPPER S.-G1, A$3,539,500, ATC, 3-24, 2yo, Open Set Weight, 1200mT, 1:12.01, Soft.

1--**ESTIJAAB, 54.5, f, 2, by Snitzel**

1st Dam: Response (MG1SW-Aus, A$836,575), by Charge Forward

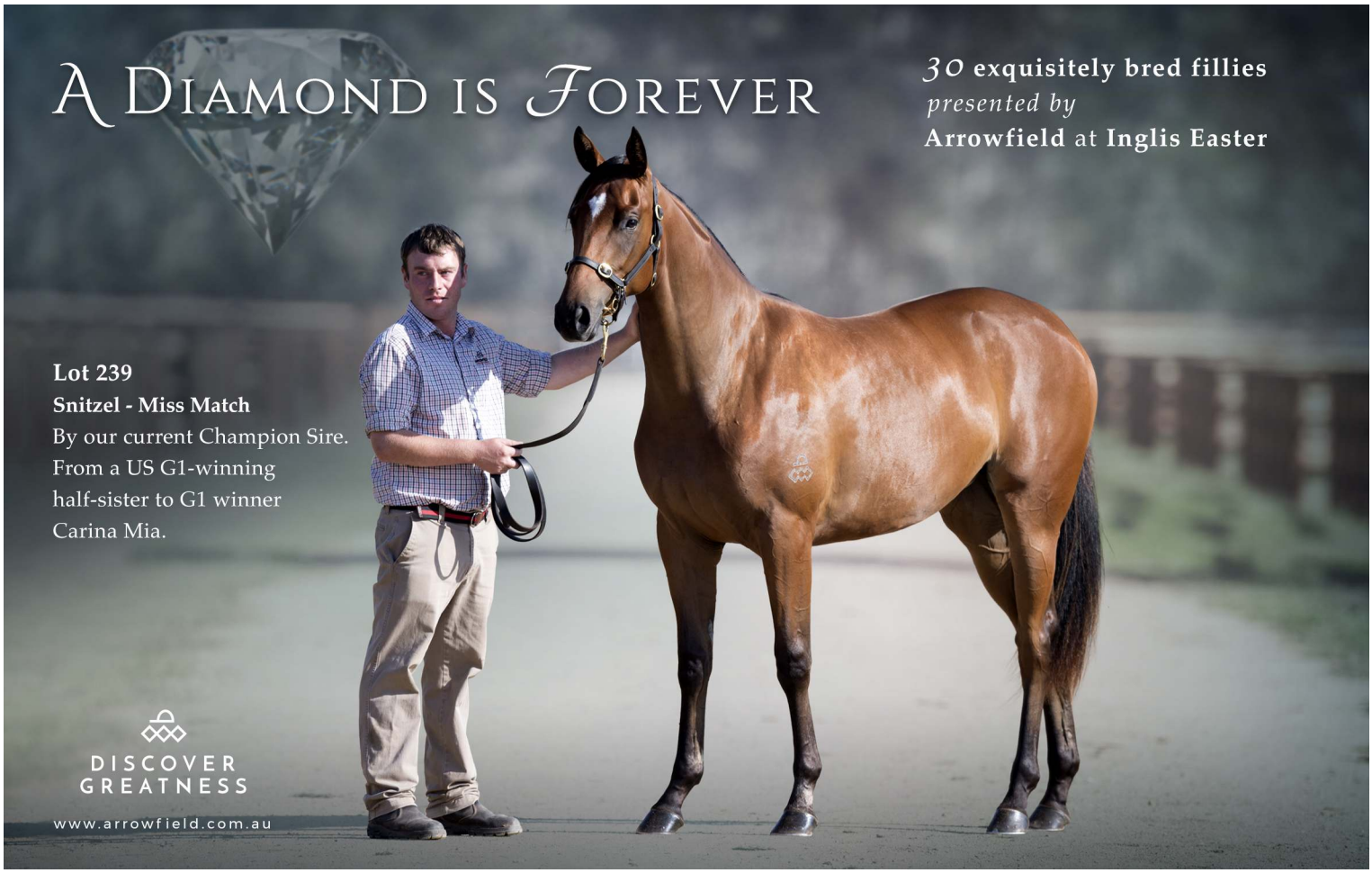
2nd Dam: Live it Up, by Match Winner (FR)

3rd Dam: Relive, by King Hadrian (AUS)

'TDN Rising Star' 1ST GROUP 1 WIN. (A$1,700,000 Ylg 2017 WI Sydney Easter Yearling Sale) O-Emirates Park (Mgr: N A H Lootah); B-Arrowfield Group Pty Ltd NSW; T-M, W & J Hawkes; J-B Avdulla; A$2,039,500. Lifetime Record: 4-3-1-0, A$2,335,075. *1/2 to Alter Call (Aus) (Fastnet Rock {Aus}), SP-Aus. **Werk Nick Rating: A+++ *Triple Plus*. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.**

2--**Oohood**, 54.5, f, 2, I Am Invincible--Bella Sunday, by Sunday Silence (USA). O/B-Sheikh Mohammed Bin Khalifa Al Maktoum; T-Tony McEvoy; J-Z Purton; A$600,000.

3--**Sunlight**, 54.5, f, 2, Zoustar--Solar Charged, by Charge Forward. O-Mrs L Fung, Ms R C Parker, Mrs I E Mitchell, Mrs K L Thompson, Mrs R J Fletcher, Miss S R Fletcher, Miss J R Fletcher, Miss H Wall & G1g Racing & Breeding (Mgr: Mrs T L Vogel); B-Widden Stud Australia Pty Ltd NSW; T-Tony McEvoy; J-L Currie; A$300,000.



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COOLMORE BUYS INTO LE BRIVIDO

Having bought into Australian juvenile Aylmerton (Aus) (Siyouni {Fr}) last week, the Coolmore team have invested in another son of the Aga Khan stallion in **Le Brivido (Fr)**. The Andre Fabre trained 4-year-old carried the silks of Prince Faisal Bin Khaled to victory twice last year, most notably when winning the G3 Jersey S. at Royal Ascot, having been just touched off by Brametot (Ire) (Rajsaman {Fr}) in the G1 Abu Dhabi Poule d'Essai des Poulains on his previous start. According to the France Galop website Prince Faisal retains 50% ownership of Le Brivido with the other half split between Susan Magnier, Mayfair Speculators, Michael Tabor and Derrick Smith.

Le Brivido was purchased by Ted Voute for €105,000 from Longways Stables at Arqana's Breeze Up Sale in May 2016 and was unraced after his win at Royal Ascot last year. He does, however, hold an entry in the G3 Prix Edmond Blanc at Saint Cloud on April 2.

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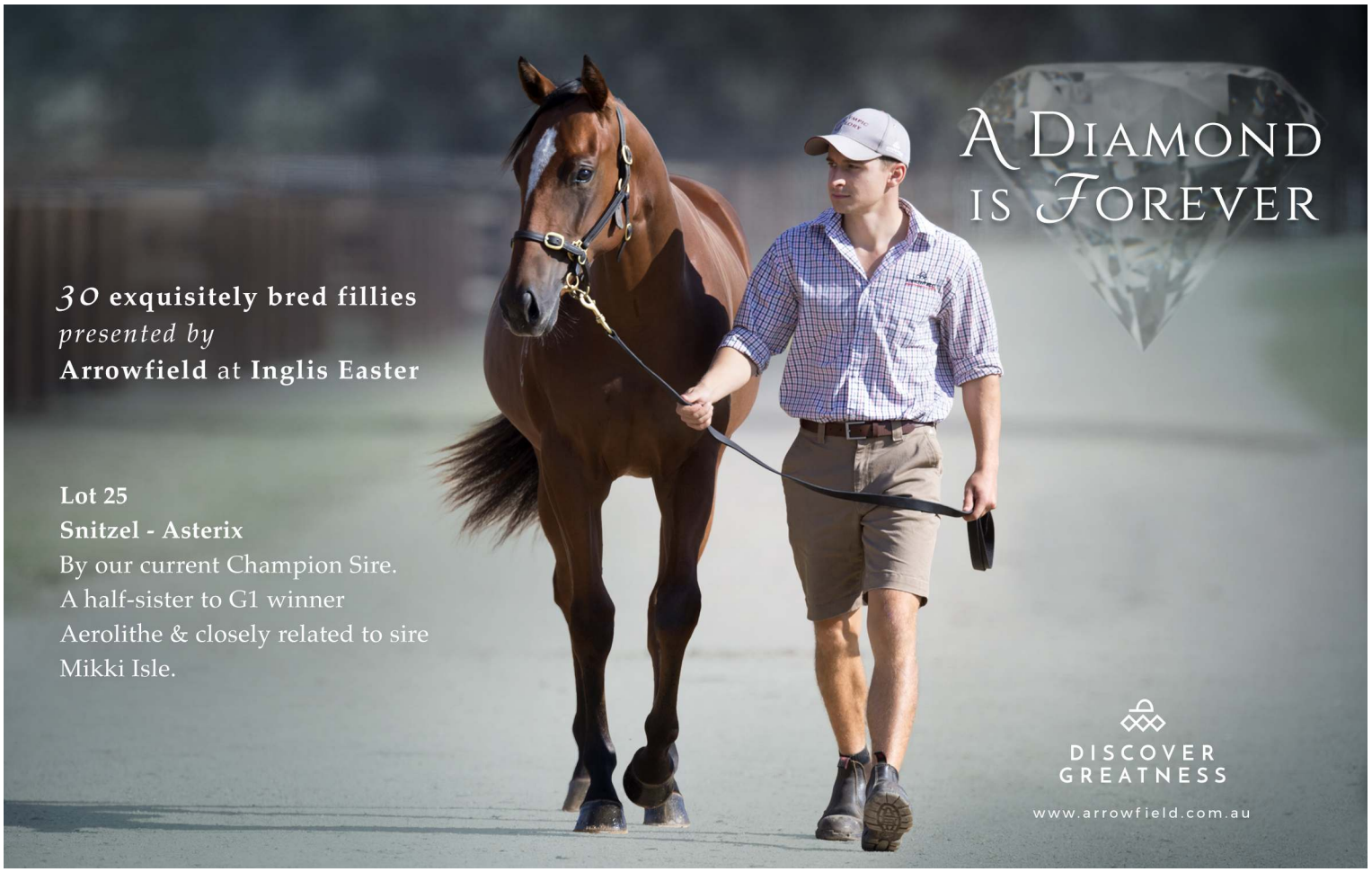

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Saturday's Results:

UNIBET CAMMIDGE TROPHY S.-Listed, £37,000, DON, 3-24, 3yo/up, 6f 2yT, 1:16.18, sf.

1--**PERFECT PASTURE (GB), 134, g, 8, Pastoral Pursuits (GB)--Word Perfect (GB), by Diktat (GB)**. (£11,000 Ylg '11 DONNOV). O-S Hull & S Hollings; B-Mrs Jean Turpin (GB); T-Mick Easterby; J-David Allan. £20,983. Lifetime Record: 46-13-2-4, $278,114.

2--**Mr Lupton (Ire)**, 134, g, 5, Elnadim--Chiloe Wigeon (Ire), by Docksider. (€6,500 Wlg '13 GOFNOV; £15,000 Ylg '14 DNPRM; £68,000 RNA 2yo '15 DONSEP). O-Mr N. D. Kershaw & Partner. £7,955.

3--**Ice Age (Ire)**, 134, g, 5, Frozen Power (Ire)--Incendio (GB), by Siberian Express. (€7,500 RNA Ylg '14 GOFFEB; 21,000gns Ylg '14 TAOCT). O-Eden Racing III. £3,981.

Margins: 1 1/4, 2, HF. Odds: 4.00, 6.00, 8.00. **Click for the Racing Post result**. **Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton**.

Recording his first black-type success in the Listed Leisure S. over this trip at Windsor in May, Perfect Pasture went through a barren spell but bounced back with a brace of handicap wins over this course and distance in October and over five at Nottingham early the next month before running second in the Listed Wentworth S. again over this track and trip three days later. Returning in the same form, the bay veteran was in front initially before accepting a lead by halfway but once sent on again with 1 1/2 furlongs to race was soon in total command. The dam, who proved a useful sprint handicapper for the stable, also has an unraced 3-year-old gelded full-brother to the winner named Carlton Thomas (GB), a 2-year-old colt by Heeraat (Ire) and a yearling colt by Canford Cliffs (Ire).

UNIBET DONCASTER MILE S.-Listed, £37,000, DON, 3-24, 4yo/up, 8fT, 1:43.63, sf.

1--**ZABEEL PRINCE (IRE), 126, g, 5, Lope de Vega (Ire)--Princess Serena, by Unbridled's Song**. **1ST BLACK TYPE WIN.** (325,000gns Ylg '14 TATYEA). O-Sheikh Mohammed Obaid Al Maktoum; B-Round Hill Stud (IRE); T-Roger Varian; J-Andrea Atzeni. £20,983. Lifetime Record: 6-4-1-0, $66,774. *1/2 to Puissance de Lune (Ire) (Shamardal), MGSW & MG1SP-Aus, $877,536, & to Majesty (Ire) (Shamardal), MSP-Aus, $205,736.

2--**Born To Be Alive (Ire)**, 126, g, 4, Born To Sea (Ire)--Yaria (Ire), by Danehill. (10,000gns Ylg '15 TAOCT). O-Mr Tim Dykes & Mrs E Burke. £7,955.

(l to r) Co-trainers Michael, John and Wayne Hawkes celebrate Estijaab's G1 Golden Slipper victory. | *Bronwen Healy*

3--**Another Touch (GB)**, 126, g, 5, Arcano (Ire)--Alsalwa (Ire), by Nayef. (€80,000 Ylg '14 GOFSPT). O-Nicholas Wrigley & Kevin Hart. £3,981.

Margins: 2HF, 2, HD. Odds: 0.90, 8.00, 10.00. **Click for the Racing Post result**. **Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton**.

Restricted to just five outings throughout 2016 and 2017, Zabeel Prince advertised his class when comprehensively beating last year's Lincoln H. winner Bravery (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) in a York handicap in early October before finishing 11th when fancied for the valuable Balmoral H. on Ascot's Champions Day card eight days later. Sent to the front by Andrea Atzeni, the chestnut was pressed by Born To Be Alive until drawing away from that rival inside the final furlong.

Trainer Roger Varian has bigger plans for the expensive yearling purchase, who is a half-brother to two Australian black-type performers headed by the G2 Blamey S. and G2 Back to Caulfield P. B. Lawrence J. J. Liston S. winner and G1 Turnbull S. and G1 Makybe Diva S. runner-up Puissance de Lune. "He's quite good I think. Sheikh Mohammed Obaid been very patient with his horse--there has never been any pressure from the owner to run him any more than we have and I think he could be rewarded this year," he said. "I was a bit concerned we would run a bit fresh when we were in front, but the horse switched off nicely. I think he is better with a lead, but it looked like being tactical. He's a talented horse and I think he'll peak as a five-year-old. I will speak with his owner, but I'm sure he'll be in all the good mile races. Whether he recovers in time to go to Sandown for the Group Two [Apr. 27 Sandown Mile], we'll have to see, but he'll probably warrant an entry in the [G1] Lockinge [S. at Newbury May 19]. Pattern races will be his future."

Other than Puissance de Lune, the dam also made her mark via her first live foal Serena's Storm (Ire) (Statue of Liberty), who although just a minor winner went on to produce the star performer Rizeena (Ire) (Iffraaj {GB}). Successful in the G1 Coronation S., G1 Moyglare Stud S. and G2 Queen Mary S., she was also runner-up in the G1 Falmouth S., G1 Matron S. and G1 Fillies Mile. The second dam Serena's Sister (Rahy) is, as her name suggests, a full-sibling of the great Serena's Song who produced Doubles Partner (Rock Hard Ten). He captured the GII American Turf S., GIII Canadian Turf S. and GIII Tampa Bay S. and also placed in the GI Woodford Reserve Turf Classic S. and GI Maker's 46 Mile S. Princess Serena's 2-year-old filly Queen Power (Ire), by Puissance de Lune and Majesty's sire Shamardal, cost SackvilleDonald 500,000gns at Tattersalls in October.

4th-DON, £100,000, Hcp, 3-24, 4yo/up, 8fT, 1:43.56, sf.

ADDEYBB (IRE) (g, 4, Pivotal {GB}--Bush Cat, by Kingmambo), a 200,000gns TAOCT yearling, was one of the main ante-post gambles for this prestigious Lincoln H. which traditionally kickstarts the British flat turf season. Last seen winning the nine-furlong "Silver Cambridgeshire" which acts as a consolation race for those unable to get into the main event at Newmarket in late September, the chestnut broke well and tanked along towards the fore of the group racing far side. Still full of running passing the two-furlong pole, the 5-1 second favourite was given the green light by James Doyle soon after and surged clear for an emphatic 2 3/4-length success from last year's Balmoral H. winner and 9-2 market-leader Lord Glitters (Fr) (Whipper). "He was strong throughout and usually when he gets there, he doesn't do a whole lot but he quickened up well and put the race to bed," his rider commented after steering the lightly-raced and progressive winner to a victory rarely witnessed in such a competitive handicap. "The ground was a bit of an unknown, but he had the right pedigree to do his stuff today. He's such an unassuming horse. He goes through the motions and is not a flashy work horse at home. He's certainly a horse on the up." Trainer William Haggas was equalling the record of four wins in the race and added, "The right horses were up in the front. The top-weight [Lord Glitters] is a good horse and [third-placed] Mitchum Swagger (GB) (Paco Boy {Ire}) is a good horse, so I think the form will prove to be strong. In this ground anything can happen, but he's by Pivotal and we minded him as a young horse. We thought we'd go for the [Apr. 27 G2] Sandown Mile next if something like this happened, so I see no reason to change it. I think the track will suit him, it should be slow ground and it's time he got up in grade." Lord Glitters's jockey Danny Tudhope said of the runner-up, "He's run a big race with top weight and while he can handle that ground, I'd love to ride him on some better ground." The dam, whose first foal was the GIII Generous S. third Meer Kat (Ire) (Red Ransom), is out of a SW and GSP sister to the G2 Goldene Peitsche-winning sire Nicholas (Danzig). Lifetime Record: 6-4-0-1, $138,403. **Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton**.

O-Sheikh Ahmed bin Rashid Al Maktoum; B-Rabbah Bloodstock Limited (IRE); T-William Haggas.

5th-DON, £11,400, Cond, 3-24, 2yo, 5f 3yT, 1:04.64, sf.

IZZER (IRE) (c, 2, Clodovil {Ire}--Broadway Musical {Ire}, by Exceed and Excel {Aus}), sent off at 4-1 for this traditional juvenile turf opener, the "Brocklesby", was forced to chase the strong early pace before moving smoothly to lead with two furlongs to race. Tackled soon after by Broken Spear (GB) (Pastoral Pursuits {GB}), the 11,000gns TAOCT yearling dug in to assert and score by 3/4 of a length. The winner is the first foal out of a relative of the top-class group and grade I scorers Dank (GB) (Dansili {GB}), Eagle Mountain (GB) (Rock of Gibraltar {Ire}) and Sulk (Ire) (Selkirk). Her 2017 offering is a filly by Anjaal (GB). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, $10,423. **Video, sponsored by**

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O-David Hudd & Chris Wright; B-Rathasker Stud (IRE); T-Mick Channon.

6th-DON, £5,800, Mdn, 3-24, 3yo, 10f 43yT, 2:19.76, sf. **PROSCHEMA (IRE) (c, 3, Declaration of War--Notable {GB}, by Zafonic)**, who was runner-up on debut behind the subsequent G3 Autumn S. winner Ghaiyyath (Ire) (Dubawi {Ire}) over a mile at Newmarket in September before finishing third over that trip at Newbury the following month, was sent off the 11-8 favourite and stalked the leading trio throughout the early stages. Working his way to the front a furlong out, the 65,000gns TATDEY yearling stayed on to score by 3/4 of a length from Argentello (Ire) (Intello {Ger}). Proschema is a half-brother to the G2 Prix de Royallieu scorer Maria Royal (Ire) (Montjeu {Ire}), GSW-Fr, $216,475, and to the GIII Belmont Gold Cup Invitational S. winner Red Cardinal (Ire) (Montjeu {Ire}), Hwt. Older Horse-Ger at 14f+, GSW & G1SP-Ger, GSW-US, GSP-Eng, $334,214. The unraced dam, who also has a 2-year-old filly by Camelot (GB) named Pleasurable (Ire), is a Juddmonte-bred half-sister to the G3 Prix de Sandringham winner Orford Ness (GB) (Selkirk), who in turn was responsible for two of the operation's class acts in Main Aim (GB) (Oasis Dream {GB}), who went so close to winning a G1 July Cup, and Weightless (GB) (In the Wings {GB}) whose three group wins were headed by the G2 Prix Dollar and Home Affairs (GB) (Dansili {GB}). This is also the family of the GI Matriarch S. heroine and G1 Poule d'Essai des Pouliches third Price Tag (GB) (Dansili {GB}). Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-1, $8,377.
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O-Empire State Racing Partnership; B-Lynch Bages LTD (IRE); T-Tom Dascombe.

2nd-LIN, £5,800, Cond, 3-24, 3yo, 8f 1y (AWT), 1:38.97, st. **NIGHT CASTLE (IRE) (g, 3, Dubawi {Ire}--Rock Opera {SAf} {Ch. 2yo Filly & G1SW-SAf, SP-UAE, $115,777}, by Lecture)**, who scored by five lengths over seven furlongs at Newcastle last time Mar. 8, was quickly up to lead. Tackled and briefly headed by Wind Storm (GB) (Holy Roman Emperor {Ire}) approaching the final furlong, the 4-7 favourite was back in front 100 yards later and ultimately scored with a degree of comfort by 3/4 of a length. The winner is a half-brother to the evergreen 2012 G2 Richmond S. scorer Heavy Metal (GB) (Exceed and Excel {Aus}), who has done so well at Meydan this spring when winning the G2 Al Maktoum Challenge Round 1 and G3 Firebreak S., MGSW-UAE & GSW-Eng, $1,190,704. His dam was champion 2-year-old filly in South Africa and successful in the G1 Allan Robertson Fillies Championship and G2 Ascot Stud Fillies Nursery. Connected to the G1 Cape Flying Championship winner Gulf Storm (SAf) (Sail From Seattle), she has a 2-year-old colt by Invincible Spirit (Ire) named Royal Meeting (Ire) and a yearling colt by Shamardal to come. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, $10,519.
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O-Godolphin; B-Godolphin (IRE); T-Charlie Appleby.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNER:
Blackheath (GB), g, 3, **Excelebration (Ire)**--Da's Wish (Ire), by Sadler's Wells. WOL, 3-24, 7f 36y (AWT), 1:28.64. B-Rangefield Bloodstock (GB). *15,500gns Wlg '15 TATFOA; €50,000 Ylg '16 TIRSEP.

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ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:
Mawrooth (GB), c, 3, **Dubawi (Ire)**--Ghaidaa (Ire) (MSP-Eng), by Cape Cross (Ire). PLB, 3-24, 8 1/2f (AWT), 1:39.49. B-Shadwell Estate Company Limited (GB).
Mister Horpy (Fr), c, 3, **Orpen**--Miss Sissy (Fr), by Sicyos. PLB, 3-24, 10 1/2f (AWT), 2:12.35. B-Henri-Alex Pantall & Mme Y Chabot (FR).

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IN AUSTRALIA:
Kings Will Dream (Ire), g, 4, **Casamento (Ire)**--Road Harbour, by Rodrigo de Triano. Mornington, 3-24, Mornington Cup-Listed *(£163k/€187k)*, 2400mT, 2:28.67. B-Steven Nolan. *1ST STAKES WIN. **€50,000 Ylg '15 GOFORB; 7,500gns HRA '16 TATHIT. **VIDEO** *(See related story p13)*

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Frankel's half-brother Morpheus has his first runners on Sunday | *Amy Lynam*

WORLDWIDE NEWS

WINX SETS WORLDWIDE GROUP 1 RECORD

It seems that records tumble each time **Winx (Aus)** (Street Cry {Ire}) sets foot on a racecourse anymore, and on Saturday the world's co-highest rated horse set a new worldwide mark for Group 1 wins when she hit 17 in Rosehill's G1 George Ryder S. With her first-up win in the G1 Chipping Norton S. three weeks ago Winx had broken Black Caviar (Aus) (Bel Esprit {Aus})'s Australian Group 1 record, and next up in the G1 Queen Elizabeth S. in three weeks' time the 6-year-old will look to equal that great sprinter's Australian record of 25-straight wins.

Winx has frightened off enough of her opposition at this stage that she had to face just five over the 1500 metres, but plenty of punters were intrigued by Godolphin's 3-year-colt **Kementari (Aus)** (Lonhro {Aus}), who is unbeaten this prep including a last-out win in the G1 Randwick Guineas. Kementari, at $8.50, was made the first single-digit horse in the odds to face Winx since last October's G1 Turnbull S., but in the end the great mare relegated him to the position she has each of her rivals her last 24 times to the post.

Racing a joint last under Hugh Bowman while **Invincible Gem (Aus)** (I Am Invincible {Aus}) set the tempo with **Happy Clapper (Aus)** (Teofilo {Ire}) on his heels, Winx kept Kementari in her sights two lengths ahead. Winx shortened that margin to a length passing the 1000 metres, and by the time she passed the 600 she was drawing even with her rival. Winx shrugged off Kementari with ease when they straightened and it was Happy Clapper who proved most valiant, forcing Bowman to go to the whip on Winx at the 150. She drew clear when asked, however, and found the line three-quarters of a length the best without being put under much pressure. Kementari made encouraging late headway and, like Happy Clapper, likely set himself up well for the G1 Doncaster H. at The Championships in two weeks.

"It was a bit of a tactical race, there was no pressure early," Bowman told *Racing NSW*. "I actually never went in behind [Kementari] because I could just feel I was getting away from them a bit. They are high-class horses and I've never treated her opposition with disrespect; I've always treated them with the respect they deserve. Happy Clapper is a supreme athlete and look, this mare is just better than them. I have so much confidence in her, she gave me such a thrilling feeling as she did everyone watching here today. I could feel the crowd erupt as we went to the front at the 200m and a world record, what a special, special horse she is and I'm just so grateful to be her jockey."

Co-owner Peter Tighe leads in Winx after her record 17th Group 1 win | *Bronwen Healy*

Waller echoed Bowman's sentiments in terms of respect for Winx's rivals.

"I was a little bit concerned when I knew Happy Clapper won so well first up and he's a horse we have so much respect for, and Kementari not just winning the Randwick Guineas but winning the two lead ups as well," the trainer said. **Cont. p10**

"They are two quality horses and it was good for her today, it did make her stretch, it made her lift and I think that was perfect for where we are heading, the Queen Elizabeth S. in three weeks' time."

As Winx prepares for a title defense of the Queen Elizabeth, the world waits with bated breath for the decision on her Royal Ascot bid, which connections had promised would come after the Ryder.

Pedigree Notes...

Winx is the second foal out of Vegas Showgirl, who was crowned champion broodmare of 2016 after her exploits were also boosted by El Divino (Aus) (Snitzel {Aus}), who became a 'TDN Rising Star' with a debut win before dead-heating for the victory in the G3 Kindergarten S. at The Championships on the same day that Winx won the Doncaster three years ago. That week was an especially fruitful one for John Camilleri's Vegas Showgirl; a few days later her then yearling Snitzel colt, now named Boulder City (Aus) and in training with Gai Waterhouse and Adrian Bott, topped the Inglis Easter yearling sale at A$2.3-million. Vegas Showgirl has a yearling filly by Snitzel (Aus) named Courchevel (Aus) and a filly foal by Exceed and Excel (Aus). **Click for the free Arion.co.nz catalogue-style pedigree.**

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Saturday, Rosehill, Australia

GEORGE RYDER S.-G1, A$951,000, ATC, 3-24, 3yo/up, Open Weight For Age, 1500mT, 1:31.48, Soft.

1--**WINX, 57.0, m, 6, by Street Cry (IRE)**
1st Dam: Vegas Showgirl (NZ) (MSW-NZ, NZ$172,062), by Al Akbar
2nd Dam: Vegas Magic, by Voodoo Rhythm (USA)
3rd Dam: Vegas Street (NZ), by Sovereign Edition (IRE)
(A$230,000 Ylg 2013 MM Gold Coa`st Yearling Sale) O-Magic Bloodstock Racing (Mgr: P G Tighe), R G Treweeke & Mrs D N Kepitis; B-Fairway Thoroughbreds NSW; T-C J Waller; J-J Bowman; A$587,000. Lifetime Record: 2x Horse of the Year & Ch. Middle Distance Horse-Aus, Ch. Older Horse-Aus, 34-28-3-0, A$16,563,925. *1/2 to El Divino (Aus) (Snitzel {Aus}), GSW-Aus, A$192,260. **Werk Nick Rating: A+++ *Triple Plus*. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.**

2--**Happy Clapper**, 59.0, g, 7, Teofilo (Ire)--Busking, by Encosta de Lago. O/B-M W Thomas; T-P J Webster; J-B Shinn; A$190,000.

3--**Kementari**, 56.0, c, 3, Lonhro--Yavanna, by Redoute's Choice. O-Godolphin; B-Darley NSW; T-James Cummings; J-B Avdulla; A$98,000.

Margins: 0.8 len, 1.8 len, 4.5 len. Odds: 0.07, 20.00, 7.50.
Also Ran: Crack Me Up (NZ), Invincible Gem, Clearly Innocent.
Click for the Racing Post result. VIDEO.

SMITH FILLY HAS HER TIME IN THE GALAXY

The G1 Galaxy H. saw a breakthrough win for **In Her Time (Aus)** (Time Thief {Aus}), who atoned for a previous narrow defeat at the top level to register her first Group 1 success. Patiently ridden by Zac Purton in the 1100m event, the Ben Smith-trained filly was settled in mid division as **Ball Of Muscle (Aus)** (Dubawi {Ire}) took them along. This leader was tracked by **Jungle Edge (Aus)** (Dubawi {Ire}) and **Snitty Kitty (Aus)** (Snitzel {Aus}) as they turned for home with Purton still biding his time in fifth on the 3-1 punters' choice. 300 metres out Purton started to get busy and as soon as In Her Time drew level at the 200 metre marker she began to put daylight between herself and her rivals. **English (Aus)** (Encosta De Lago {Aus}) staged a late rally but In Her Time had the race won at that stage, hitting the line three parts of a length ahead of the Waterhouse/Bott-trained filly with **Viridine (Aus)** (Poet's Voice {GB}) sticking to his guns the same distance back in third.

"We've been waiting a while, probably 12 months we've been waiting to win one,'' trainer Ben Smith told *Racing.com* after the race. "Zac rode her a treat today, probably a bit further back than she normally is so for her to knuckle down and come after them like that and finish off the way she has it was very pleasing. I was starting to panic a little bit, but it was great to see she got the job done." Having played the bridesmaid in a few top level races Smith said he reckons In Her Time is now the finished article. "She's a lot bigger and stronger this time in. Her feet problems that have niggled her for probably 12 months, she's over that now."

Hong Kong-based Purton was gracious in victory and said, "She's deserved to win a Group 1 and now she's finally got it, so I'm very happy for Ben and connections. She began really well so I was able to come across and just slot in nicely behind the speed. She got there pretty easy and just wandered a bit late, it was a good effort."

In Her Time surprised many when making a winning debut at odds of 70-1 at Canterbury in September 2015 but a couple of bouts of cardiac arrhythmia halted her progress until that problem was rectified. She resumed winning ways on the last day of 2016 when scoring at Canterbury before enjoying a good spell in early 2017, winning the G2 China Horse Club Breeders Classic at Randwick and the G2 Ranvet Millie Fox S. at Rosehill. She came up short on her next starts at the highest level before high-class placed efforts in the G1 Ubet Stradbroke and the G1 Tattersall's Tiara both at Doomben in June of last year. She maintained a high level of form notching up two more stakes wins before being narrowly denied by Hey Doc (Aus) (Duporth {Aus}) in the G1 Ladbrokes Manikato S. at Moonee Valley last October and was produced in fine shape by her trainer to take Saturday's test. Cont. p11

Galaxy S. cont.

Pedigree Notes...

In Her Time's pedigree features a number of accomplished sprinters. Her dam Hell It's Hot (Aus) (Zeditave {Aus}) won over 1000 metres and has produced four winners from five runners, with In Her Time being the highest achiever. Hell It's Hot is a half-sister to three stakes winners in Hot As Hell (Aus) (County {Aus}), Flaming Hot (Aus) (County {Aus}) and Craig's Dragon (Aus) (Catbird {Aus}), while her half-sister Harlem Heat (Aus) (Xaar {GB}) has produced the stakes winner Harlem River (Aus) (Fastnet Rock {Aus}). Hell It's Hot has produced 11 foals in total and coming through the ranks are three fillies; a 2-year-old by Dream Ahead called Sultry Dreamer (Aus), a yearling by Olympic Glory (Ire) and a foal by Artie Schiller. **Click for the free Arion.co.nz catalogue-style pedigree.**

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Saturday, Rosehill, Australia
GALAXY H.-G1, A$707,000, ATC, 3-24, 3yo/up, Open Handicap, 1100mT, 1:04.30, Soft.
1--**IN HER TIME, 55.0, m, 5, by Time Thief**
1st Dam: Hell It's Hot, by Zeditave
2nd Dam: Steam Heat, by Salieri (USA)
3rd Dam: Supaburn, by Blazing Saddles (AUS)
1ST GROUP 1 WIN. O-P J Brown, R G Dan, S Rippon, Ms D Childs, Mrs H Childs, G G O'Connell, Mrs H J O'Connell, P Brock, Mrs C A McDonald, D W Higgins & S Flaherty; B-Est D Cobcroft NSW; T-Benjamin Smith; J-Z Purton; A$409,000. Lifetime Record: 18-8-3-1, A$1,890,725. **Werk Nick Rating: A. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.**
2--**English**, 54.5, m, 5, Encosta de Lago--Court, by Anabaa (USA). O-Newhaven Park (Mgr: Rj, So, Jw & Rc Kelly, Ga Walker & Ns Agostini); B-Newhaven Park Stud NSW; T-G Waterhouse & A Bott; J-S Clipperton; A$132,000.
3--**Viridine**, 51.0, c, 3, Poet's Voice (GB)--Patina, by Anabaa (USA). O-Godolphin; B-Darley NSW; T-James Cummings; J-B Avdulla; A$69,000.
Margins: 0.8 len, 1.6 len, 2.8 len. Odds: 3.00, 15.00, 3.20.
Also Ran: Snitty Kitty, The Mission, Ball of Muscle, Le Romain, Takedown, Lady Esprit, Jungle Edge, Derryn.
Click for the Racing Post result. VIDEO.

GAILO CHOP DOMINATES THE RANVET

In his sixth season of racing, Darren Weir's **Gailo Chop (Fr)** (Deportivo {GB}) has looked better than ever and he posted a dominant performance to win the G1 Ranvet S. under Mark Zahra on Saturday.

The 7-year-old was in his element on the soft ground and was always prominent in the 10-furlong contest, traveling sweetly as **Classic Uniform (Aus)** (Al Maher {Aus}) set the pace. At the 400 metre marker Gailo Chop eased into the lead but was being stalked on his outside by **Single Gaze (Aus)** (Not A Single Doubt {Aus}). However, he quickly shrugged off that challenger and stretched clear up the straight to justify favouritism by three lengths. Single Gaze held off **Prized Icon (Aus)** (More Than Ready) by a head for second.

Gailo Chop | *Bronwen Healy*

"He's been a great horse to me and he thoroughly deserved that win," Mark Zahra told *Racing.com* post-race. "I was happy for him to have a bunny today, it just gave him something to follow and got him off the rail a little bit. Terry Henderson [of owners OTI Rcing] has been crowing all week about the wet-track and he was spot on. Darren [Weir] is flying, I'm just happy to be a part of it."

It was a first Sydney Group 1 win for trainer Darren Weir, who wasn't present to accept his prize. That honour fell to his Warrnambool foreman Jarrod McLean, who said, "Obviously it's a huge thrill today to collect Weiry's first Group 1 in Sydney with one of our stable favourites. He's an incredible horse, he wins races from the front and it's a huge thrill to win up here."

Gailo Chop began his career in France under the tutelage of Antoine de Watrigant, for whom he won seven races in his native country highlighted by a win in the G2 Prix Guillaume d'Ornano - Haras du Logis Saint-Germain at Deauville in 2014. At this stage OTI Racing had bought into the gelding and the following year he was shipped to Australia, albeit still under de Watrigant's care, and on his second run Down Under he landed the G1 Longines Mackinnon S. at Flemington on his favoured soft ground. He returned to the Northern Hemisphere but saw racecourse action only twice in 2016, including when a never-dangerous seventh behind Postponed (Ire) (Dubawi {Ire}) in the G1 Dubai Sheema Classic at Meydan. **Cont. p12**

Ranvet S. cont.

Gailo Chop then got a one-way ticket back to Australia, switching to Darren Weir's team and the highlight of his 2017 campaign was a narrow win over Johannes Vermeer (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) in the G1 Ladbrokes S. at Caulfield last October. He resumed in fine fettle this year, bagging the G3 TS Carlyon Cup and the G2 Peter Young S. both at Caulfield in February before running a half-length second to Harlem (GB) (Champs Elysees {GB}) in the G1 TAB Australian Cup at Flemington two weeks ago.

Pedigree Notes...

Gailo Chop was bred by Alain Chopard in whose colours he raced until winning the G3 Prix La Force in 2014, and is the first and only Group 1 winner for his sire Deportivo (GB). Unusually for a multiple Group 1 winner, Gailo Chop is also the only stakes winner in three generations of his pedigree. His dam, the 18-year-old Grenoble (Fr) (Marignan), was a winner in France and although she has bred four winners from five runner none of her progeny have the class of Gailo Chop, who was her last reported foal. **Click for the free Arion.co.nz catalogue-style pedigree.**

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Saturday, Rosehill, Australia

RANVET S.-G1, A$686,000, ATC, 3-24, 3yo/up, Open Weight For Age, 2000mT, 2:04.78, Soft.

1--**GAILO CHOP (FR), 59.0, g, 7, by Deportivo (GB)**
1st Dam: Grenoble (FR), by Marignan (USA)
2nd Dam: Blue Wings (FR), by In the Wings (GB)
3rd Dam: Blue Rider (USA), by Wajima (USA)
O-Oti Racing (Mgr: T Henderson), J Higgins, Mrs F Archibald, L Webb, Ms D McKeown, Ms M Webb, D & Mrs D Miller, A & Mrs P Goodfellow, Werrett Bloodstock, Bobbin Along & Uthmeyer Racing; B-Alain Chopard; T-D K Weir; J-M Zahra; A$409,000. Lifetime Record: MGSW & MG1SP-Fr, 27-13-3-3, A$3,268,047. **Werk Nick Rating: A++. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.**

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2--**Single Gaze**, 57.0, m, 5, Not a Single Doubt--Redaluca's Gaze, by Intergaze. (A$70,000 Ylg 2014 MM Gold Coast Yearling Sale) O-N Olive, M P Hay, D E Tout, W P Oxford, M Notaras, R P Keeley, P Kouvelis, N Keeley, M J Obrien, R A Stuart & Redbank North Pty Ltd; B-Mr JA Middleton NSW; T-N J Olive; J-Ms K O'Hara; A$132,000.

3--**Prized Icon**, 59.0, h, 4, More Than Ready (USA)--Tropical Affair, by Danehill (USA). O/B-Gooree Stud (Mgr: E M Cojuangco); T-K A Lees; J-J Bowman; A$69,000.

Margins: 3.0 len, 3.2 len, 6.5 len. Odds: 1.05, 4.00, 10.00.
Also Ran: Consensus (NZ), Sarrasin (GB), Harlem (GB), Ventura Storm (IRE), Classic Uniform.
Click for the Racing Post result. VIDEO.

GUINEAS EXACTA FOR WALLER

While no doubt still basking in the euphoria of Winx (Aus) (Street Cry {Ire}) breaking the world record for number of Group 1 wins, it was back to business for Chris Waller in the very next race and the master trainer again pulled off a magnificent feat when saddling a 1-2 in the G1 Sky Racing Rosehill Guineas. It was **D'Argento (Aus)** (So You Think {NZ}) under Hugh Bowman who lead home the Waller exacta when beating **Tangled (Aus)** (Snitzel {Aus}) by a length and a quarter in the 10-furlong contest with **Furore (NZ)** (Pierro {Aus}) a further length back in third. D'Argento capped a banner day for his sire So You Think, who also had a pair of new Group 3 winners.

So You Think had a great day with three group winners | *Coolmore*

There was drama in the race, however, as G1 Vodafone NZ Derby winner **Vin De Dance (NZ)** (Roc De Cambes {NZ}) actually passed the post in second but was relegated to fourth after a stewards enquiry deemed he had interfered with Tangled.

While Waller had no pre-race doubts about D'Argento's ability, he did harbour suspicions about what the colt's best trip might be. "I had serious doubts about him getting 2000 metres because I've seen the brilliance that he's got," the trainer told *Racing.com*. "You don't usually see such a brilliant sprinter/miler that I thought he was prior to the Randwick Guineas, where he had no luck, come out and be dominant in a Rosehill Guineas after being three-wide. I've got to reassess my thoughts, he obviously can stay and we'll work out from a colt's perspective where is his best value. Is it a Doncaster so he can show off that speed or do we go down the Derby path, which is such a traditional race on the Australian calendar?" Cont. p13

Rosehill Guineas cont.

Despite being beaten on his previous two attempts at stakes level, D'Argento went off favourite on Saturday and showed the level of class that his initial starts suggested he could be capable of. Two juvenile wins over six and 7 1/2 furlongs from two starts last year were followed by a smart 2018 reappearance when he won a handicap at Randwick in January over 6 1/2 furlongs. He was doing his best work at the finish when third in the G2 Hobartville S. over seven at Rosehill on Feb. 24 before a tough trip saw him finish mid-division behind Kementari (Aus) (Lonhro {Aus}) in the G1 Randwick Guineas two weeks ago.

With D'Argento having improved for the step up to 10 furlongs on Saturday, Bowman said he thinks the G1 Australian Derby in two weeks' time would be an ideal target. "I always thought 10 furlongs would be his best trip but I'd be inclined to push Chris [Waller] to take him to the Derby after today's performance. He really relaxed in the run and he was strong late. Whatever he does this time in he'll be a better horse in the spring. He's still immature."

Pedigree Notes...

D'Argento was bred by Gerry Harvey and is the third Group 1 winner for Coolmore's dual hemisphere champion and 10-time Group 1 winning stallion So You Think (NZ), who enjoyed a banner day with three total stakes winners. Sold at the Magic Millions Gold Coast Yearling Sale for A$135,000, he is out of the stakes winning mare Fullazz (Aus) (Redoute's Choice {Aus}), who has a perfect record with her starters so far with five winners from five runners, including the stakes-placed Fullazaboot (Aus) (Sepoy {Aus}). Further back the pedigree traces to Group 1 winner and sire Sizzling (Aus) (Snitzel {Aus}). Fullazz was barren to Sepoy in 2016 but delivered a half-sister to D'Argento by All Too Hard (Aus) in 2017. **Click for the free Arion.co.nz catalogue-style pedigree.**

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Saturday, Rosehill, Australia

ROSEHILL GUINEAS-G1, A$607,000, ATC, 3-24, 3yo, Open Set Weight, 2000mT, 2:06.10, Soft.

1--**D'ARGENTO, 56.5, c, 3, by So You Think (NZ)**
1st Dam: Fullazz (SW-Aus, A$218,750), by Redoute's Choice
2nd Dam: Battonage, by Kenmare (FR)
3rd Dam: Estate Label, by Without Fear (FR)
1ST STAKES WIN. (A$135,000 Ylg 2016 MM Gold Coast Yearling Sale) O-Paramount Racing (Mgr: Ms K M Wood), R Cummins, Mrs H L Cummins, J W Roe, D N Wilson, Mrs G Robertson, Ms J A Coleman, M Woodcroft, Mrs J Woodcroft, M Azzopardi, Mrs L Azzopardi, R; B-Mr G Harvey NSW; T-C J Waller; J-J Bowman; A$351,000. Lifetime Record: 6-4-0-1, A$569,275. *1/2 to Fullazaboot (Aus) (Sepoy {Aus}), SP-Aus, A$421,000. **Werk Nick Rating: A+++ *Triple Plus*. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.**

2--**Tangled**, 56.5, c, 3, Snitzel--Bramble Rose (NZ), by Shinko King (IRE). (A$310,000 Ylg 2016 WI Sydney Easter Yearling Sale) O-N A Greenhalgh, Mrs M T Greenhalgh, R Smith, I Bruce, F W Mitchell, I M Lilburne, Ms E M Weston, R L McKay, Henry Field Bloodstock Pty Ltd (Mgr: H A Field), Horse Ventures; B-Mr M Sandblom NSW; T-C J Waller; J-M J Walker; A$114,000.

3--**Furore (NZ)**, 56.5, g, 3, Pierro--Stormy Choice, by Redoute's Choice. (NZ$210,000 Ylg 2016 NZB National Yearling Sale) O-Australian Bloodstock (L Murrell), Bromance Racing (Mrs L Priestley), A Brogan, Mrs M Ronan, J Stumer, Miss E Bale, J Tassone, B Ronan, L Ronan, D Edmondson, J Rourke, S Riddle, B-GSA Bloodstock Pty Ltd, NZ; T-K A Lees; J-B Avdulla; A$58,000.

Margins: 1.3 len, 2.3 len, 2.4 len. Odds: 2.80, 14.00, 80.00.
Also Ran: Vin de Dance (NZ), Cliff's Edge, Ace High, Mission Hill, Mongolianconqueror (NZ), Villermont, Capital Gain, The Lord Mayor (NZ), Main Stage (NZ), Condor, Kaonic (NZ), So You Win, Endowment (NZ), Age of Fire, Terwilliker.
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KINGS WILL DREAM REMAINS PERFECT DOWN UNDER *by Alan Carasso*

Kings Will Dream (right) runs away in the Mornington Cup
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Kings Will Dream (Ire) (Casamento {Ire}) ran his Australian record to a perfect five-from-five with a dominating five-length success in Saturday's A$300,000 Listed Mornington Cup (2400mT) in Victoria, earning a ballot exemption for the G1 Caulfield Cup later in the year in the process. **Cont. p14**

Mornington Cup cont.

Favoured at $2.10 (11-10) for this black-type debut, the 4-year-old landed just ahead of midfield in the three-out, three-back spot with cover for the opening mile of the 12-furlong test. Held together by Dean Yendall down the side of the track, Kings Will Dream was steered out into the three path leaving the 400-metre point and raced away in the final eighth of a mile despite failing to switch his legs (video).

A €50,000 Goffs Orby yearling purchase, Kings Will Dream was sold for 7,500gns as an unraced 2-year-old at Tattersalls' October Horses-In-Training Sale in 2016 and proceeded to break his maiden in three runs for trainer Mickey Hammond. He won benchmark races at Warrnambool and Ballarat in his first two tries in Australia before adding a pair of six-figure handicaps at Flemington in his two most recent trips to the post.

"When we went to the benchmark we didn't think we were going to win the Mornington Cup," Weir told Racing.com. "I was thinking more like a (benchmark) 70. He's had a great preparation and he was strong to the line over the 2400 metres which is great to see. You could (keep racing him) but it's job done now. He deserved his rest now and it's all about the Caulfield Cup."

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AUSTRALIAN-BRED WINNERS

IN MACAU:

Bring Me Speed (Aus), g, 3, **Sebring (Aus)**--Jessica Rose (Aus), by Keep the Faith (Aus). Taipa, 3-24, Hcp. *(A$49k)*, 1500mT, 1:27.6. B-Konj Pty Ltd As Trustee For Collier Family Trust (NSW). *A$67,500 RNA Ylg '16 INGEAS. **VIDEO**

ASIA

RED FALX TOUGH TO GO PAST IN TAKAMATSUNOMIYA KINEN *by Alan Carasso*

A two-time winner of the G1 Sprinters' S., **Red Falx (Jpn)** (Swept Overboard) will look to add Japan's other top short-track event when he jumps as the favourite for Sunday's G1 Takamatsunomiya Kinen at Chukyo Racecourse in Nagoya.

A close third to **Seiun Kosei (Jpn)** (Admire Moon {Jpn}) and the mare **Let's Go Donki (Jpn)** (King Kamehameha {Jpn}) as the $2.60 (8-5) chalk 12 months ago, the popular gray defeated the latter to win the Sprinters' for the second consecutive season last October.

Eighth in the G1 Mile Championship S. the following month, Red Falx exits a fast-closing third to **Diana Halo (Jpn)** (King Halo {Jpn}) in the G3 Hankyu Hai (1400mT) at Hanshin Feb. 25.

"It's too bad he didn't win, but it was a good race, a good sharpener and should stand him well for races to come," trainer Tomohito Ozeki commented.

Fine Needle (Jpn) (Admire Moon {Jpn}) bested **Rhein Meteor (Jpn)** (Meisho Bowler {Jpn}) to win last year's G2 Centaur S., but was no match for Red Falx in the Sprinters', finishing 12th in that Oct. 1 affair. The 5-year-old rediscovered his winning ways last time, finding the line two lengths better than Seiun Kosei in the G3 Silk Road S. Jan. 28.

Aerovelocity (NZ) (Pins {Aus}) raided from Hong Kong to win the 2015 running of the Takamatsunomiya Kinen and the jurisdiction is represented by the hard-knocking **Blizzard (Aus)** (Starcraft {NZ}) this time around. A solid fifth in last year's Sprinters', the chestnut was an excellent third in the G1 Longines Hong Kong Sprint two back and a close fifth in the G1 Centenary Sprint Cup Jan. 28.

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JAPANESE GROUP 1 RACES – 2018

Date	Race	Track
Mar. 25	Takamatsunomiya Kinen	Chukyo
Apr. 1	Osaka Hai	Hanshin
Apr. 8	Oka Sho (1000 Guineas)	Hanshin
Apr. 15	Satsuki Sho (2000 Guineas)	Nakayama
Apr. 29	Tenno Sho (Spring)	Kyoto
May 6	NHK Mile Cup	Tokyo

Asian Report cont.

Saturday, Hanshin, Japan
MAINICHI HAI-G3, ¥72,550,000, Hanshin, 3-24, 3yo, 1800mT, 1:46.50, fm.
1--**BLAST ONEPIECE (JPN), 123, c, 3, by Harbinger (GB)**
1st Dam: Tsurumaru Onepiece (Jpn), by King Kamehameha (Jpn)
2nd Dam: Tsurumaru Glamor (Jpn), by Fuji Kiseki (Jpn)
3rd Dam: Elatis, by El Gran Senor
***1ST STAKES WIN. 1ST GROUP WIN.** O-Silk Racing; B-Northern Farm; T-Masahiro Otake; J-Kenichi Ikezoe; ¥38,385,000. Lifetime Record: 3-3-0-0, ¥55,686,000. **Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree. Werk Nick Rating: A+++ *Triple Plus*.**
2--**Gibeon (Jpn)**, 123, c, 3, Deep Impact (Jpn)--Contested, by Ghostzapper. O-Shadai Race Horse; B-Shadai Farm; ¥15,110,000.
3--**Indy Champ (Jpn)**, 123, c, 3, Stay Gold (Jpn)--Will Power (Jpn), by King Kamehameha (Jpn). O-Silk Racing; B-Northern Farm; ¥9,555,000.
Margins: 2, NK, NK. Odds: 1.50, 2.90, 4.10.
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Blast Onepiece stamped himself as a legitimate candidate for the G1 Tokyo Yushun Saturday at Hanshin, winning the G3 Mainichi Hai comfortably to remain perfect in his three career appearances.

Handy to the pace from gate one and settled in the box seat, the race favourite railed through to challenge inside, but was in very tight and looked to perhaps bounce off the rail with approximately 400 metres to travel. But he was full of run once overcoming that potentially disastrous situation and kicked home to score confidently from the previously unbeaten duo of Gibeon and Indy Champ.

Pedigree Notes:

Blast Onepiece is the seventh group winner for his sire, who is set to be represented by his Group 1 gallopers Mozu Katchan (Jpn) and Deirdre (Jpn) at next Saturday's Dubai World Cup meeting. The sire's other Group 1 winner, Mile Championship hero Persian Knight (Jpn), is scheduled to return to action in next Sunday's G1 Osaka Hai. Blast Onepiece is kin to a 2-year-old filly by G1 Dubai World Cup victor Victoire Pisa (Jpn) and a yearling Orfevre (Jpn) filly that sold for €29 million (US$254,330) as a foal at last year's JRHA Select Sale. Tsurumaru Onepiece was most recently bred to 2013 Tokyo Yushun hero Kizuna (Jpn) (Deep Impact {Jpn}).

Saturday, Nakayama, Japan
NIKKEI SHO-G2, ¥129,200,000, Nakayama, 3-24, 4yo/up, 2500mT, 2:33.90, fm.
1--**GANKO (JPN), 123, h, 5, by Nakayama Festa (Jpn)**
1st Dam: Sing up Rock (Jpn), by Singspiel (Ire)
2nd Dam: Antiquary (Ire), by Polish Precedent
3rd Dam: Anna Matrushka (GB), by Mill Reef
***1ST STAKES WIN. 1ST GROUP WIN.** O-Mitsuo Sugisawa; B-Takeshi Maetani; T-Shigeki Matsumoto; J-Yusuke Fujioka; ¥68,050,000. Lifetime Record: 28-6-5-3, ¥160,541,000. **Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree. Werk Nick Rating: A.**
2--**Chestnut Coat (Jpn)**, 121, c, 4, Heart's Cry (Jpn)--White Veil (Jpn), by Kurofune. O-Yasushi Kubota; B-Shimokobe Farm; ¥27,300,000.
3--**Sakura Empereur (Jpn)**, 126, h, 7, King Kamehameha (Jpn)--Sakura Mega (Jpn), by Sunday Silence. O-Sakura Commers; B-Tanioka Stud; ¥ 17,150,000.
Margins: 3/4, 3/4, HD. Odds: 4.40, 19.60, 11.30.
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TDN EUROPE/INTERNATIONAL GROUP ENTRIES

Sunday, Chukyo, Japan, post time: 3:40 p.m. (2:40 a.m. EST/7:40 a.m. GMT)

TAKAMATSUNOMIYA KINEN-G1, ¥215,400,000 *(£1,450,099/€1,659,727/US$2,051,563)*, 4yo/up, 1200mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Seiun Kosei (Jpn)	Admire Moon (Jpn)	Uehara	Matsuda	126
2	Rieno Tesoro	Speightstown	Takei	Yoshida	121
3	Blizzard (Aus)	Starcraft (NZ)	Yiu	Teetan	126
4	Snow Dragon (Jpn)	Admire Cozzene (Jpn)	Takagi	Ono	126
5	Nobo Baccara (Jpn)	Admire Aura (Jpn)	Temma	Muto	126
6	Red Falx (Jpn)	Swept Overboard	Ozeki	M Demuro	126
7	Nac Venus (Jpn)	Daiwa Major (Jpn)	Sugiura	Miura	121
8	Let's Go Donki (Jpn)	King Kamehameha (Jpn)	Umeda	Iwata	121
9	Fine Needle (Jpn)	Admire Moon (Jpn)	Takahashi	Kawada	126
10	Diana Halo (Jpn)	King Halo (Jpn)	Oneda	Matsuyama	121
11	Dance Director (Jpn)	Aldebaran	Sasada	Take	126
12	Nero (Jpn)	Johannesburg	Mori	Minarik	126
13	Reine Minoru (Jpn)	Daiwa Major (Jpn)	Honda	Wada	121
14	Rhein Meteor (Jpn)	Meisho Bowler (Jpn)	Mizuno	Nishida	126
15	Jeune Ecole (Jpn)	Kurofune	Yasuda	Fukunaga	121
16	Shining Lei (Jpn)	Deep Impact (Jpn)	Takano	Y Kitamura	126
17	King Heart (Jpn)	Orewa Matteruze (Jpn)	Hoshino	H Kitamura	126
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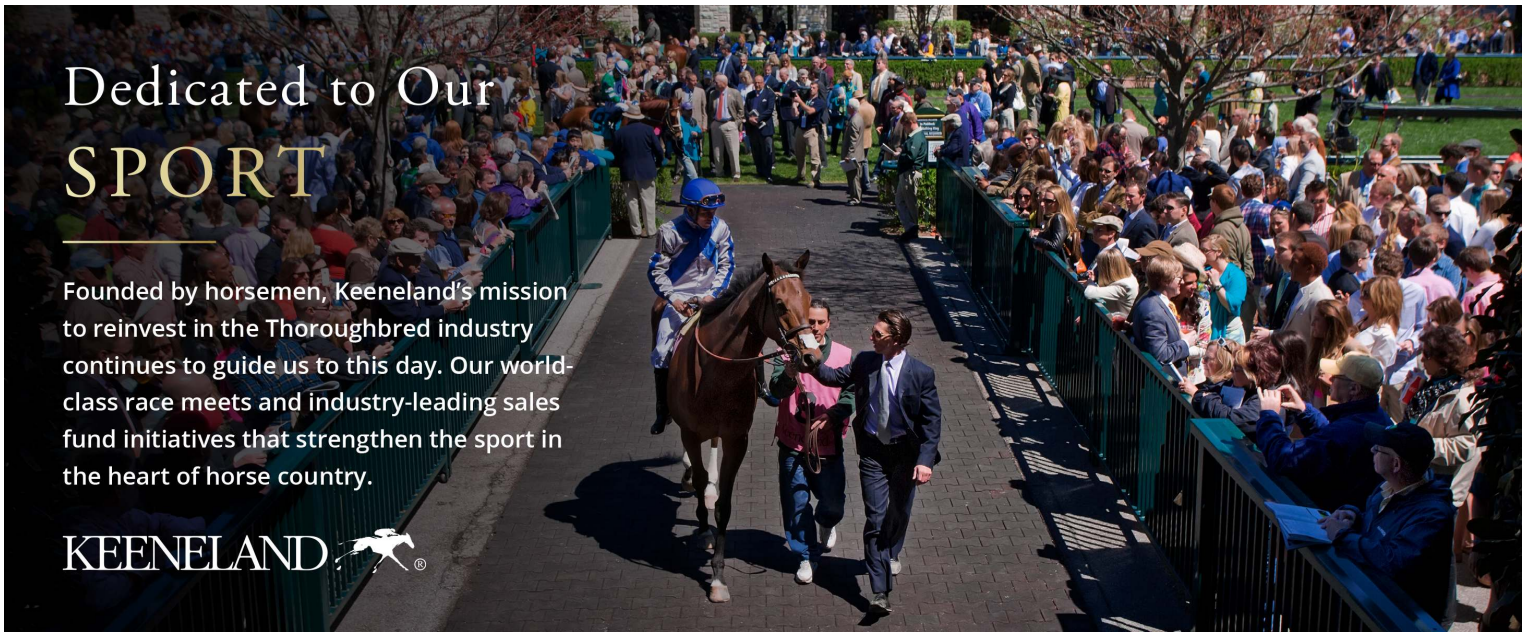
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1	3	Bumbasina (Ire)	Canford Cliffs (Ire)	McCreery	Lee
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3	5	Making Light (Ire)	Tamayuz (GB)	Smullen	Weld
4	4	Panstarr (GB)	Pivotal (GB)	Manning	Bolger
5	2	Saint Irini (Ire)	Dream Ahead	Hayes	Delany
6	6	Simmie (Ire)	Fast Company (Ire)	Foley	Keatley
7	1	Star Quality (GB)	Champs Elysees (GB)	Gordon	Loughnane