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RISING STARS BATTLE IN FALMOUTH

★ **"TDN Rising Star"** ★ **Golden Lilac (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}) makes the short trip from Chantilly to take in Newmarket's G1 Falmouth S. and enhance her already substantial reputation. Expertly handled so far by Andre Fabre, Gestut Ammerland's G1 Poule d'Essai des Pouliches and G1 Prix de Diane heroine returned to upstage Cirrus des Aigles (Fr) (Even Top {Ire}) in the G1 Prix d'Ispehan at Longchamp last time May 27. Her trainer has publicly stated that she is the best filly he has had through his hands, and she will be a warm order to further justify that claim here. "It was a good performance in the d'Ispehan, as I didn't think she'd be fit enough," Fabre told *PA Sport*. "I'd prefer the ground to be good, rather than soft, but she can handle it and it is the same for everyone else. After this she will go to Deauville, where she will run in either the G1 Jacques le Marois or the G1 Prix Jean Romanet over 10 furlongs, which is restricted to fillies and mares. She gets 10 furlongs, as she showed in the Diane last year, but at the moment, I'd prefer to stay at this distance until she is 100%, as she's been off a long time." Of the 3-year-olds, fellow ★ **"TDN Rising Star"** ★ **Maybe (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}) bids to get back on track after an early Classic campaign which was relatively disappointing measured against her champion juvenile exploits. Third when hot favorite for the May 6 G1 1000 Guineas on the Rowley Mile here, Michael Tabor's colorbearer did not appear to stay the mile and a half of the G1 Epsom Oaks when fifth in that June 1 Classic. Taken out of the G1 Coronation S. at Royal Ascot due to a late setback and the G1 Pretty Polly S. due to heavy ground, she has become something of a forgotten horse as she squares up to her elders for the first time, though she is in receipt of a nine-pound break in the weights. **Cont. p6**



Golden Lilac gets the better of Cirrus des Aigles in the d'Ispehan
Scoopdyga

CALEB'S POSSE RETIRED TO THREE CHIMNEYS

Cheyenne Stable and Don McNeill's **Caleb's Posse** (Posse-Abbey's Missy, by Slewacide), who completed his 3-year-old season with a smashing victory in the GI Breeders' Cup Mile, has been retired from racing and will enter stud in 2013 at Robert N. Clay's Three Chimneys Farm. Bred by McNeill, Caleb's Posse was a three-time graded winner in 2011, having posted wins in the GIII Ohio Derby, GII Amsterdam S. and a thrilling last-gasp success over Uncle Mo (Indian Charlie) in the GI King's Bishop S. In his three trips to the post this season, he was defeated a nose in the GII Tom Fool H. and GI Carter H. and was most recently beaten a neck into second by Shackleford (Forestry) in the GI Metropolitan Mile H. May 28. "We discovered a non-displaced fragment in his left knee after the Met Mile," explained the colt's owners. "We were hopeful that some time off would resolve the situation, but recent radiographs have revealed that surgery to remove the chip will mean that he could not return to the racetrack this year. He has proven his brilliance on the track, and now we want to give him a chance to pass on that brilliance in the breeding shed." Added Clay, "We are thrilled that Caleb's Posse is coming to Three Chimneys. He was a brilliant miler who traces back to La Troienne. He's a quality individual who will cross well with a variety of pedigrees. We expect him to be a very popular commercial sire." Caleb's Posse retires with a record of 19-8-5-2 and earnings of \$1,423,379. A stud fee will be announced in the fall.



Smile Sprint H.-G2 winner GENTRY
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most recently second in the Suburban H.-G2
• by **ARCH**



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Distorted Humor	177	5
Ghostzapper	120	5
Tiznow	177	5

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Alhebayab Lands the July S.



Alhebayab (2)

Racing Post/Edward Whitaker

Sheikh Hamdan's Alhebayab (Ire) (Dark Angel {GB}) took advantage of the scratch of ante-post favorite Sir Prancealot (Ire) (Tamayuz {GB}) and was up in the nick of time to edge Lewisham (GB) (Sleeping Indian {GB}) in the G2 July S. Thursday at Newmarket.

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Shantaram the Newest Galileo Success

The unstoppable duo of trainer John Gosden and jockey William Buick took their show to Newmarket Thursday, and Shantaram (GB) (Galileo {Ire}) became his phenomenal sire's latest pattern winner in the G3 Bahrain Trophy.



Shantaram

Racing Post/M Cranham

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Clement Filly a TDN Rising Star

Funfair (More Than Ready), a homebred filly for Dr. Catherine Wills from the family of the talented Dynever (Dynaformer), became the newest TDN Rising Star Thursday with a thoroughly dominating debut going six panels over the Belmont turf course.

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READY FOR THE STARS!

FUNFAIR, 2yo filly by **MORE THAN READY** becomes a new **"TDN Rising Star"** with her 3 1/2-length debut win at Belmont Park yesterday!

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RESULTS

Thursday, Newmarket, Britain

TNT JULY S.-G2, £60,000, Newmarket, 7-12, 2yo, c/g, 6fT, 1:14.39, sf.

1--#**@ALHEBAYEB (IRE)**, 124, c, 2, by Dark Angel (Ire)
 1st Dam: Miss Indigo (GB), by Indian Ridge (Ire)
 2nd Dam: Monaiya (GB), by Shareef Dancer
 3rd Dam: Massorah (Fr), by Habitat

(170,000gns yrl '11 TATOCT). O-Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum; B-Yeomanstown Stud; T-Richard Hannon; J-Paul Hanagan; £34,026. Lifetime Record: 3-2-1-0, £49,086. *1/2 to Humidor (Ire) (Camacho {GB}), SW & GSP-Eng, \$105,416. **Second black-type winner for sophomore sire (by Acclamation {GB}). [Click for eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

Werk Nick Rating: A.

2--**Lewisham (GB)**, 124, c, 2, Sleeping Indian (GB)--Almunia (Ire), by Mujadil. (7,000gns yrl '11 TATOCT; £30,000 2yo '12 DONAPR). O-Wilmott, Austin & Power; B-Whitwell Bloodstock; T-N Quinlan; £12,900.

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3--**Ahern (GB)**, 124, c, 2, Dutch Art (GB)--Petra Nova (GB), by First Trump (GB). (£30,000 yrl '11 DONAUG; £80,000 2yo '12 GOFMAR). O-Qatar Racing Ltd; B-Hellwood Stud Farm; T-David Barron; £6,456.

Margins: NK, SHD, 2 1/4. Odds: 9-2, 25-1, 9-4.

Also Ran: Gale Force Ten (GB), Chilworth Icon (GB), Smoohtalkinrascal (Ire), Heavy Metal (GB). Scratched: Birdman (Ire), Sir Prancealot (Ire). [Click for brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree](#) or [Racing Post race chart](#). [Video, courtesy Racing UK.](#)



Sheikh Hamdan's Alhebayab (2) goes on to a cozy victory in the July S.
Racing Post/Edward Whitaker

TDN TODAY

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12 Stakes Winners
2 2-year-old SWs
19 Stakes Horses

2YO colt **CIRCLE UNBROKEN** found room then outkicked rivals to score by a length in the Bashford Manor S.-G3 at Churchill. He remains undefeated in two starts for Travis Morgeson V, LLC and trainer Garry Simms.

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Off the mark over five furlongs at Nottingham June 3, Alhebayeb looked in need of extra distance when runner-up over that trip in Royal Ascot's Listed Windsor Castle S. last time June 19. Relishing this step up to six, the grey showed battling qualities to make the most of the absence of stable companion and the likely favorite Sir Prancealot (Ire) (Tamayuz {GB}) for a first black-type success for the newly established Sheikh Hamdan-Richard Hannon partnership. Racing enthusiastically in a prominent third early, he was pushed along passing halfway and looked to be in the lead inside the final quarter before being headed by the eventual third Ahern. Rallying to regain the advantage in the final 50 yards, he was on top as the fast-closing Lewisham ate into his margin. "We knew he'd come on a fair bit from Ascot, as he's been flying at home and he obviously loves this soft ground--his dad won a Middle Park on it," Richard Hannon Jr. commented. "This one is a very nice horse and, at the moment, looks the best of the Hamdan 2-year-olds we have." Jockey Paul Hanagan added, "He's a lovely genuine horse with a great temperament and was very game. They didn't go that fast up front, so when they kicked, it caught him out a little bit, but he battled all the way. I thought he should have won at Ascot, as I was drawn on the wrong side and it all happened away from me. He was still very green and missed the kick, but came home very well there. He's one to look forward to and I think seven furlongs will be ideal."



Thursday, Newmarket, Britain

PRINCESS OF WALES'S GOLDSMITH S.-G2, £100,000, Newmarket, 7-12, 3yo/up, 1 1/2mT, 2:33.76, sf.

1--**@#FIORENTE (IRE)**, 128, c, 4, by Monsun (Ger)

1st Dam: Desert Bloom (Ire), by Pilsudski (Ire)

2nd Dam: Desert Beauty (Ire), by Green Desert

3rd Dam: Hellenic (Ire), by Darshaan (GB)

O/B-Ballymacoll Stud; T-Sir Michael Stoute; J-Ryan Moore; £61,899. Lifetime Record: 8-2-3-0,

£121,966. [Click for eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

Werk Nick Rating: B.

2--**Joshua Tree (Ire)**, 128, h, 5, [Montjeu \(Ire\)](#)--Madeira Mist (Ire), by Grand Lodge. (360,000 yrl '08 TATOCT). O-K K Al Nabooda & K Albahou; B-Castlemartin Stud & Skymarc Farm; T-Marco Botti; £23,467.

3--**Red Cadeaux (GB)**, 131, g, 6, Cadeaux Genereux (GB)--Artisia (Ire), by Peintre Celebre. (40,000gns RNA wnlg '06 TATDEC; 55,000gns yrl '07 TATOCT). O-Ronald Arculli; B-Foursome Thoroughbreds; T-Ed Dunlop; £11,745.

Margins: 2 3/4, 1HF, 7. Odds: 11-2, 20-1, 5-2.

Also Ran: Harris Tweed (GB), Sea of Heartbreak (Ire), Modun (Ire), Dandino (GB). Scratched: Jakkalberry (Ire), Quest for Peace (Ire).

[Click for Racing Post chart, brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree.](#) [Video, courtesy Racing UK.](#)

Fiorente looked a potential top-class prospect last term when finishing runner-up in the G2 King Edward VII S. at Royal Ascot and G3 Gordon S. at Goodwood in midsummer, but went missing afterwards and was having his first run back when sixth in the G2 Jockey Club S. on the Rowley Mile here May 5. Runner-up in the Listed Festival S. over 10 furlongs at Goodwood three weeks later, the homebred was a latest sixth in the G2 Hardwicke S. at Royal Ascot June 23. Always traveling strongly here, the homebred was reserved in fifth by Ryan Moore as Harris Tweed (GB) (Hernando {Fr}) set generous fractions up front and was shaken up to pass that rival inside the final quarter mile. Staying on up the rising ground, the dark bay was always comfortably holding Joshua Tree on his side, with Red Cadeaux unable to land a blow against the far rail. "We were a little frustrated before Ascot, as he just wasn't firing in his work," commented Sir Michael Stoute, who was saddling his ninth winner of this race. "He was off a long time before the Jockey Club, and as he's a big horse, I think he's taken a lot of winding up. We've always held him in high esteem and I couldn't believe he got beaten in the Gordon last year, but he did come home with an injury. I was panicking a little bit, as we needed him to perform, but he's looked a little bit sharper since Ascot. I think he will be very effective at 10 furlongs as well and is impervious to ground conditions, so it's time to stop and think and look at options. We'll find a plan." Connections of Joshua Tree are looking at the new \$400,000 American St Leger on the Arlington Million undercard Aug. 18, while Red Cadeaux will be rested in preparation for a return to Flemington for the Nov. 6 G1 Melbourne Cup.

First Yearlings: DEPLOYED.



#1 FRESHMAN
at Fasig-Tipton July
\$141,250 Avg.



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Black-Type Results cont.

Thursday. Newmarket, Britain

BAHRAIN TROPHY-G3, £55,000, Newmarket, 7-12, 3yo, 1 5/8mT, 2:53.07, sf.

1--**@#SHANTARAM (GB)**, 126, c, 3, by [Galileo \(Ire\)](#)

1st Dam: All's Forgotten, by Darshaan (GB)

2nd Dam: Forget About It (Ire), by Be My Guest

3rd Dam: You Make Me Real, by Give Me Strength

O/B-Lady Bamford; T-John Gosden; J-William Buick; £31,191. Lifetime Record: 5-2-3-0, £49,828. *Full to Gan Amhras (Ire), G1SP-Eng, \$567,262. **Werk Nick Rating: A + + + *Triple Plus*.**

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2--**Naseem Alyasmeen (Ire)**, 123, f, 3, Clodovil (Ire)--

Phillippa (Ire), by Galileo (Ire). (£44,000 yrl '10

DONAUG). O-Jaber Abdullah; B-Patrick Byrnes;

T-Mick Channon; £11,825.

3--**Good Morning Star (Ire)**, 123, f, 3, Shirocco (Ger)--

Hollow Ridge (GB), by Beat Hollow (GB). (8,000gns yrl '10 TATOCT; 9,000gns HIT '12 TATFEB).

O-Dr Marwan Koukash; B-Wardstown Stud Ltd;

T-Mark Johnston; £5,918.

Margins: 3 1/4, 2 3/4, HD. Odds: 9-4, 20-1, 20-1.

Also Ran: Rewarded (GB), Valiant (GB), Yazdi (Ire).

[Click for Racing Post chart.](#) [Video, courtesy Racing UK.](#)

Shantaram was beaten on his first three starts, but on two of them ran into Pattern-race performers in Model Pupil (GB) (Sinndar {Ire}) and Main Sequence (Aldebaran), with the latter defeat coming in the May 12 G3 Lingfield Derby Trial. Only workmanlike when getting off the mark in a 12-furlong maiden here last time June 8, the homebred's previously untapped stamina reserves were employed to full effect here.



Shantaram

Racing Post/Mark Cranham

Settled off the early speed initially by a confident William Buick, the bay strode to the front with the minimum of fuss passing the three-furlong pole and stretched clear for an emphatic score. "He's grown a lot and is the biggest horse in the yard at 17 hands and change, so I think it's taken him time to mature," trainer John Gosden commented. "He was unhappy in the ground the other day, but

handled it today and is progressive and going the right way. He'll be in the G1 St Leger [at Doncaster Sept. 15] and he is the sort of horse who ought to go for the G2 Great Voltigeur S. [at York Aug. 22], because he needs racing and educating and strips a huge horse and carries a lot of condition. William [Buick] said it was the first time that he has got his act together today."

First Yearlings: DEPLOYED.



US★RANGER

#1 FRESHMAN by ROI at Fasig-Tipton July

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\$170,000 filly
Bred by Charles Miller

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BLACK-TYPE PREVIEWS

Friday, Newmarket, Britain, post time: 3:00 p.m.

ETIHAD AIRWAYS FALMOUTH S.-G1, £160,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	1	Alanza (Ire)	Dubai Destination	Murtagh	Oxx	131
2	3	Barefoot Lady (Ire)	Ftstpsinthsnd (GB)	Hanagan	Fahey	131
3	7	Chachamaidee (Ire)	Ftstpsinthsnd (GB)	Queally	Cecil	131
4	10	Giofra (GB)	Dansili (GB)	Soumillon	de Ryr-Dpre	131
5	2	Golden Lilac (Ire)	Galileo (Ire)	Guyon	Fabre	131
6	8	Joviality (GB)	Cape Cross (Ire)	Buick	Gosden	131
7	5	Lay Time (GB)	Galileo (Ire)	Fortune	Balding	131
8	11	Siyouma (Ire)	Medicean (GB)	Mosse	Doumen	131
9	4	Elusive Kate	Elusive Quality	Dettori	Gosden	122
10	6	Irish History (Ire)	Dubawi (Ire)	Barzalona	Al Zarooni	122
11	9	Maybe (Ire)	Galileo (Ire)	R Moore	A O'Brien	122

Another who, like Maybe, missed the Coronation was Teruya Yoshida's **Elusive Kate**, who has yet to be seen this term due to the prevalent underfoot conditions, but whose return is keenly anticipated following her success in the G1 Prix Marcel Boussac at Longchamp on Arc day. Trainer John Gosden also saddles Princess Haya of Jordan's June 20 G2 Windsor Forest S. winner **Joviality**. "Joviality will not mind the [forecast] rain tonight, but it's a nightmare for Elusive Kate, as she is a top-of-the-ground filly with an easy action," commented Gosden. "She couldn't run in the Guineas and the Coronation, but we need to get a run into her to get her to Goodwood and hopefully good-to-firm ground there. She's been working extremely well, so it's sad that we are due overnight rain." Haras de la Perelle's **Giofra** is another who will not appreciate further easing of the ground, but at least that will bring stamina into play for the winner of the Apr. 8 G2 Prix d'Harcourt over 10 furlongs at Longchamp and runner-up in the G1 Prix Ganay back over that track and trip three weeks later. Trainer Alain de Royer-Dupre said, "She is a very good filly and I expect her to handle the step down to a mile. It's a straight mile at Newmarket and I think that she has enough speed for the drop in distance. I think that she has the ability and quality to win a Group 1."

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Black-Type Previews cont.

SENT BACK INTO BATTLE

John Gildea's **Sendmylovetorose (GB)** (Bahamian Bounty {GB}) returns to Britain today after a disastrous Royal Ascot visit with a view to a happier ending in Newmarket's G2 Cherry Hinton S. Impressive in her native Ireland when scoring by 5 1/2 lengths in a Navan maiden June 9 and when adding The Curragh's G3 Grangecon Stud S. to her tally at the start of this



Sendmylovetorose
Racing Post/Patrick McCann

month, she was trapped under the stalls before being withdrawn from the G3 Albany S. at the Royal meeting in between. "She arrived in Newmarket on Wednesday and she seems to have settled in well, so we're ready to go," trainer Andrew Oliver told *PA Sport*.

"I'm confident we won't have a repeat of what happened at Ascot. [Jockey] Colm [O'Donoghue] knows her well and we had no problems at the Curragh the last time, so hopefully we'll be all right. We know she handles softer ground. I'm not saying she needs it soft, but we know it won't be a worry if they get more rain. My only reservation is that she's a young filly and she's been busy. This will be her second trip to England in less than a month and in the meantime she's won a Group 3 in Ireland. She's a very relaxed filly, she's tough and she seems well, but we won't really know until we run her again how much it has all taken out of her."

Dr. Jim and Fitri Hay's colors are carried by **Agent Allison (GB)** (Dutch Art {GB}), who was runner-up to Newfangled (New Approach) in the Albany that Sendmylovetorose missed out on. Trainer Peter Chapple-Hyam said, "Agent Allison ran very well at Royal Ascot, but Newfangled was just too fast for her. In time, I can see her being better at seven furlongs or even a mile, but there's six or seven weeks until she can run in a group race over seven. She worked the other day and seems in very good form. She goes there as favourite or second favourite and I think she'll take all the beating."

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Richard Hannon saddles the unbeaten pair of **City Image (Ire)** (Elusive City) and **Maureen (Ire)** (Holy Roman Emperor {Ire}), with the former having annexed the Listed Empress S. over this course and distance June 30 and Maureen impressive on her first start over this trip at Newbury June 26. "City Image only got warmed up just in time when winning over five on her debut at Windsor, so we thought she would be suited by stepping up to six furlongs for the Empress S. over this course last time and she won that listed race in some style," Hannon explained. "She is a decent filly, as is Maureen, who might benefit from sticking to six rather than dropping back to five for the Super Sprint, where she was obviously well in. She traveled like a dream on her debut at Newbury and, though it looked an ordinary race, she was impressive and deserves a crack at black-type here."

Friday, Newmarket, Britain, post time: 2:25 p.m.

IRISH THOROUGHBRED MARKETING CHERRY HINTON S.-G2,
£60,000, 2yo, f, 6fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER
1	4	Agent Allison (GB)	Dutch Art (GB)	Spencer	P Chple-Hyam
2	3	City Image (Ire)	Elusive City	Fortune	Hannon
3	6	Fantacise (GB)	Pivotal (GB)	Fallon	Meehan
4	8	Jadanna (Ire)	Mujadil	Dettori	Given
5	11	Lovely Pass (Ire)	Raven's Pass	de Sousa	Al Zarooni
6	5	Mandy Layla (Ire)	Excellent Art (GB)	Eaves	Smart
7	12	Masarah (Ire)	Cape Cross (Ire)	M Dwyer	C Brittain
8	1	Maureen (Ire)	Hly Rmn Empr (Ire)	R Moore	Hannon
9	10	Premier Steps (Ire)	Fstspinshtsnd (GB)	Kingscote	Dascombe
10	2	Sandreamer (Ire)	Oasis Dream (GB)	Harley	Channon
11	7	Sendmylovetorose (GB)	Bhmian Bnty (GB)	O'Donoghue	Oliver
12	9	Threes Grand (GB)	Milk It Mick (GB)	Queally	Dixon

All carry 124 pounds.

Friday, York, Britain, post time: 2:35 p.m.

TYREGIANT.COM SUMMER S.-G3, £55,000, 3yo/up, 6fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	2	Boastful (Ire)	Clodovil (Ire)	G Lee	Burke	128
2	11	Gracia Directa (Ger)	Kyllachy (GB)	Winston	Moser	128
3	9	Hallelujah (GB)	Avonbridge (GB)	Lane	Fanshawe	128
4	10	Margot Did (Ire)	Excd & Excl (Aus)	H Turner	Bell	128
5	1	My Girl Anna (Ire)	Orpen	Gibbons	M Kelly	128
6	8	Sioux Rising (Ire)	Danetime (Ire)	Hamilton	Fahey	128
7	6	Swiss Dream (GB)	Oasis Dream (GB)	Scr	Scr	Scr
8	5	Inetrobil (Ire)	Bertolini	Makin	K Ryan	122
9	12	Lady Gorgeous (GB)	Cmptn Plce (GB)	Davies	Channon	122
10	7	Pearl Diva (Ire)	Acclamation (GB)	Havlin	P Ch-Hyam	122
11	3	Radio Gaga (GB)	Multiplex (GB)	Mullen	McMahon	122
12	4	Sentaril (GB)	Dnehill Dncr (Ire)	Harrison	Haggas	122

Saturday, Longchamp, France, post time: 7:50 p.m.

JUDDMONTE GRAND PRIX DE PARIS-G1, €600,000, 3yo, c/f, 12fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER
1	2	Last Train (GB)	Rail Link (GB)	Guyon	Fabre
2	9	Lidari (Fr)	Acclamation (GB)	Lemaire	Rouget
3	8	Saint Baudolino (Ire)	Pivotal (GB)	Barzalona	Fabre
4	1	Imperial Monarch (Ire)	Galileo (Ire)	J O'Brien	A O'Brien
5	4	Main Sequence	Aldebaran	Durcan	Lanigan
6	6	Hard Dream (Ire)	Oasis Dream (GB)	Pasquier	Rohaut
7	5	Albion (GB)	With Approval	Boudot	Fabre
8	7	Top Trip (GB)	Dubai Destination	Huet	Doumen
9	3	Nutello	Lemon Drop Kid	Peslier	Laffon-Parias

All carry 128 pounds.

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Saturday, Newmarket, Britain, post time: 3:20 p.m.

DARLEY JULY CUP-G1, £452,000, 3yo/up, 6fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	5	Bated Breath (GB)	Dansili (GB)	J Doyle	Charlton	131
2	15	Dandy Boy (Ity)	Danetime (Ire)	Dobbs	Marnane	131
3	9	Genki (Ire)	Shinko Forest (Ire)	Harley	Charlton	131
4	3	Hawkeyethenoo (Ire)	Hawk Wing	G Lee	Goldie	131
5	1	Krypton Factor (GB)	Kyllachy (GB)	Morris	Nass	131
6	7	Libranno (GB)	Librettist	Cosgrave	Hannon	131
7	11	Mayson (GB)	Invincible Spirit (Ire)	Hanagan	Fahey	131
8	4	Sepoy (Aus)	Elusive Quality	Dettori	Zarooni	131
9	13	Sirius Prospect	Gone West	S Kelly	Ivory	131
10	12	Society Rock (Ire)	Rck of Gibrtr (Ire)	R Moore	Fanshawe	131
11	2	Strong Suit	Rahy	R Hughes	Hannon	131
12	10	The Cheka (Ire)	Xaar (GB)	Fortune	Jhnsn Hghtn	131
13	8	Ortensia (Aus)	Testa Rossa (Aus)	Buick	Messara	128
14	14	Reply (Ire)	Oasis Dream (GB)	J O'Brien	A O'Brien	125
15	6	Fire Lily (Ire)	Dansili (GB)	Lordan	Wachman	122

Saturday, Newmarket, Britain, post time: 2:10 p.m.

32RED.COM SUPERLATIVE S.-G2, £60,000, 2yo, 7fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	3	Artigiano	Distorted Humor	Dettori	Al Zarooni	
2	7	Birdman (Ire)	Danehill Dancer (Ire)	Lane	Simcock	
3	1	Glory Awaits (Ire)	Choisir (Aus)	G Lee	K Ryan	
4	9	Letstalkaboutmoney (Ire)	Redback (GB)	Queally	Burke	
5	6	Lines of Battle	War Front	J O'Brien	A O'Brien	
6	5	London Citizen	Proud Citizen	Morris	Burke	
7	8	Luhalf (GB)	Cape Cross (Ire)	Harley	Channon	
8	11	Maxentius (Ire)	Hly Rmn Empr (Ire)	Buick	P Ch-Hym	
9	2	Ocean Applause (GB)	Royal Applause (GB)	B Doyle	J Ryan	
10	10	Olympic Glory (Ire)	Choisir (Aus)	R Hughes	Hannon	
11	4	Operation Chariot (Ire)	Refuse to Bend (Ire)	Fortune	Balding	

All carry 126 pounds.

Saturday, Newbury, Britain, post time: 3:10 p.m.

CHRISBEEKRACING.COM S. (HACKWOOD S.)-G3, £55,000, 3/up, a 6fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	4	Definightly (GB)	Diktat (GB)	Sweeney	Charlton	
2	8	Maarek (GB)	Pivotal (GB)	O'Donghue	Nagle	
3	7	Elnawin (GB)	Elnadim	Levey	Hannon	
4	1	Firebeam (GB)	Cdeaux Generx (GB)	Ahern	Haggas	
5	2	Mirza (GB)	Oasis Dream (GB)	Probert	R Guest	
6	3	Morache Music (GB)	Slping Indian (GB)	Sanders	Makin	
7	6	Oasis Dancer (GB)	Oasis Dream (GB)	Crowley	Beckett	
8	9	Regal Parade (GB)	Pivotal (GB)	Carson	Bradley	
9	5	Soul (Aus)	Commands (Aus)	de Sousa	bin Suroor	

All carry 130 pounds bar Definightly & Maarek, 134.

Saturday, Longchamp, France, post time: 7:15 p.m.

PRIX MAURICE DE NIEUIL-G2, €130,000, 4yo/up, 1 3/4mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	2	Ivory Land (Fr)	Lando (Ger)	Pasquier	de Ryr-Dpre	128
2	7	War Is War (Ire)	Galileo (Ire)	Huet	E O'Neill	125
3	5	Shahwardi (Fr)	Lando (Ger)	Mosse	de Ryr-Dpre	125
4	3	Los Cristianos (Fr)	Gold Away (Ire)	Guyon	Couetil	125
5	6	Tac de Boistron (Fr)	Take Risks (Fr)	Soumillon	Lyon	125
6	4	Vadamar (Fr)	Dalakhani (Ire)	Lemaire	Delzangles	125
7	1	Brigantin	Cozzene	Boudot	Fabre	125
8	8	Miss Lago (Ire)	Encsta de Lgo (Aus)	Benoist	Lellouche	121

Sunday, Betfair Hollywood Park, post time: 5:03 p.m. EDT

SUNSET H.-GIII, \$100,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/2mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	Romp (Arg)	Incurable Optimist	Garcia	Mulhall	113
2	Quaintly	Giant's Causeway	Fukunaga	Biancone	110
3	Juniper Pass	Lemon Drop Kid	Bejarano	Bell II	118
4	Dhaamer (Ire)	Dubai Destination	Leparoux	Mitchell	118
5	Renegade Storm	Storm Creek	Gomez	Jones	112

TATTERSALLS JULY SALE

July 11-13

STAR BILLING FOR ESENTEPE

by Emma Berry

Just as the King's mistress Nell Gwyn aroused plenty of interest in her Newmarket days, so did this year's G3 Nell Gwyn S. winner **Esentepe (Ire)** (Oratorio {Ire}) as she kept her date in the ring where she had made 22,000gns as a yearling and topped the July Sale by making 10 times that amount yesterday.

Tom Goff of Blandford Bloodstock made the winning bid of 220,000gns for the filly ([lot 431A](#)) who became the first ever group winner for the successful syndicate Middleham Park Racing back in April. Her price surpassed that paid for last year's

sales-topper, Top Spin (Ire) (Cape Cross {Ire}), who was bought by J P McManus for 175,000gns.

Having started her racing career with Richard Hannon, for whom she won her maiden at two and the Nell Gwyn on her second start at three, Esentepe was also third to The Fugue (GB) (Dansili {GB}) and Twirl (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) in the G3 Tattersalls Musidora S. at York in May. She will race on for the remainder of the season before being retired to the paddocks.

"The plan is for her to have a short holiday, and I mean short," said Tom Goff, who indicated that she had been bought for a new overseas partnership and will be trained in Ireland by David Wachman.

"She's a lovely, lovely filly and was the stand-out racing and broodmare prospect in the catalogue," Goff continued. "It's possible that she might have made more at the December Sale, but that was very nearly my last bid. We didn't leave much on the table."

For the first time in two days, a genuine buzz went round the ring at Park Paddocks as the seats filled with people eager to watch the four wildcard entries sell in succession. Esentepe was ushered in first and proved to be the highlight, as Middleham Park bought back both **Lily's Angel (Ire)** (Dark Angel {Ire}) ([Lot 431B](#)) at 105,000gns and **Penitent (GB)** (Kyllachy {GB}) ([431C](#)) at 60,000gns. The fourth wildcard, **Calico Cat (GB)** (Tiger Hill {Ire}) ([Lot 431D](#)), who was Group 3-placed on his debut in May, sold for a modest 40,000gns to Peter Jardby.

The wildcard buy-backs were two of just six horses unsold on a day which saw a clearance rate of 96%, up 5% on the corresponding two sessions last year. The aggregate rose by 7% to 1,903,600gns and the average was up by 11.6%, to 13,895gns. The median suffered a 6.7% decline to 7,000gns, from 7,500gns in 2011. **Cont. p9**



Esentepe
Emma Berry



The 100,000gns barrier had been reached for the first time at this July Sale just after 6 p.m. on Thursday when Tom Malone was pushed to that figure by trainer Donald McCain to buy 4-year-old **Figaro (GB)** ([lot 414](#)), a Cheveley Park Stud-bred son of Medicean (GB).

Malone confirmed that McCain's rival National Hunt trainer Tim Vaughan will be the recipient of the transaction. He said, "We really liked him, he's a very exciting horse. He's a proper dual-purpose prospect, but he still has a lot of strengthening to do. There's no plan yet for him as such, the plan was just to secure him and that wasn't easy."

Rated 90 and a dual winner at 10 and 12 furlongs, Figaro was consigned by Somerville Lodge Stables, where his dam Chorist (GB) (Pivotal{GB}) was also trained by William Haggas to win the G1 Pretty Polly S.

The Shadwell-bred **Eshaab** (Dynaformer) is on his way to the Middle East after being bought by Emmanuel de Seroux of Narvick International for 80,000gns. The 3-year-old, [lot 459](#), won a 10-furlong maiden at Pontefract in May for Ed Dunlop.

Dr. Marwan Koukash was at Park Paddocks to see eight of his horses in training go through the ring and these were headed by six-time winner **Pintura (GB)** (Efisio {GB}) ([lot 384](#)), whose most recent success came at his owner's beloved Chester racecourse in May. For Stephen Hillen, it was a case of 'so good he bought him twice': he went to 21,000gns for Pintura in the same ring as a back-end 2-year-old and this time bid 60,000gns to see the 5-year-old gelding secured for Michael Beaumont, an owner with Kevin Ryan.

Hillen said, "Marwan was needing to sort his horses out a little, and I have always loved the horse."


The morning session was punctuated by a few lots of interest, with the pre-racing bestseller being **King's Warrant (Ire)**, a 3-year-old son of King's Best consigned by Ger Lyons' Gleburnie Stables in County Meath and sold for 47,000gns. The colt ([lot 337](#)) will return to Ireland, this time to Kildare, having been bought by Martin and Maureen Flinter, who currently have both Flat and National Hunt horses in training with Willie McCreery and Gordon Elliott. King's Warrant's future is likely to lie in the jumping field after he has been gelded and given a six-week break.

Paul Ryan, who assisted the Flinters with their purchase, said, "He's a decent size and nice looking. He's to go jumping with and he'll go on the ground having won on heavy ground quite recently."

Two of the four-strong draft from Andy Oliver's Stragane House Stables filled the second and third top slots of the morning session, with **Security Breach (Ire)** (Red Clubs {Ire}) ([lot 350](#)) selling to Mags O'Toole for 42,000gns. Winner of a 12-furlong Tramore maiden on June 2, the 3-year-old has raced just four times and is a half-brother to the Listed Surrey S. winner Howya Now Kid (Ire) (Daggers Drawn).

Agent Ed Sackville of Sackville Donald made a first jumping purchase when signing the ticket at 34,000gns for **Potomac (Ire)**, a half-brother to listed winners Edinburgh Knight and Nightbird, also from the Oliver draft. The 4-year-old Shamardal gelding ([lot 347](#)) has won three times over eight and nine furlongs to earn a mark of 88 and was bought on behalf of Sackville's old university friend Rose Dobbin, who trains jumpers in Northumberland.

The final day of the sale kicks off Friday at 9:30 a.m., with a post-racing session beginning at 5:30 p.m.

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SESSION TOTALS			
	2012	2011	
Catalogued	218	243	
No. Offered	143	157	
No. Sold	137	143	
RNAs	6	14	
% RNA	4.2%	8.9%	
Gross	1,903,600gns	1,780,600gns	
Average (% change)	13,895gns (+11.6%)	12,452gns	
Median (% change)	7,000gns (-6.7%)	7,500gns	
CUMULATIVE			
	2012	2011	
Catalogued	478	515	
No. Offered	324	364	
No. Sold	284	305	
RNAs	40	59	
% RNA	12.3%	16.2%	
Gross	3,274,900gns	4,016,900gns	
Average (% change)	11,531gns (-12.4%)	13,170gns	
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TATTERSALLS JULY -- THURSDAY'S TOP LOTS

<u>Hip</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Price (gns)</u>
431A	Estentepe (Ire) (f, 3, Oratorio (Ire) --Mythie {Fr}, by Octagonal {NZ}) Consigned by Middleham Park Racing XXXVIII Purchased by Blandford Bloodstock	220,000
414	Figaro (GB) (g, 4, Medicean (GB) --Chorist {GB}, by Pivotal {GB}) Consigned by Somerville Lodge Ltd (William Haggas) Purchased by Tom Malone/Tim Vaughan	100,000
459	Eshaab (c, 3, Dynaformer --Jaish, by Seeking the Gold) Consigned by Shadwell Stud Purchased by Narvick International	80,000

FRIDAY TATTERSALLS JULY OUTS

476, 481, 483, 484, 486, 490, 491, 493, 495, 502, 505, 506, 513, 514, 516, 519, 520, 536, 540, 541, 545, 546, 549, 550, 556, 559, 562, 566, 571, 577, 579, 581, 584, 587, 591, 593, 594, 601, 603, 609, 611, 613, 614, 615, 619, 620, 622, 623, 624, 625, 628, 630, 634, 638, 639, 643, 651, 653, 654, 656, 657, 660, 661, 664, 665, 666, 667, 669, 670, 672



ARQANA AUGUST YEARLING SALE Deauville, France Aug. 18-21

FOR ARQANA, AN AUGUST HONOR ROLL

If a boutique sale's job is to amass the best and brightest, then Arqana's August Yearling Sale would have to be judged an unqualified success. The Deauville centerpiece--the 2012 renewal of which will be held roughly a month from now in France, from Aug. 18-21 --has presented to buyers a wide array of top horseflesh in recent years, evidenced by the fact that, in the past 18 months, no fewer than 10 graduates have won at the Grade I or Group 1 level.



Most Improved
Racing Post/Ed Whitaker

The most recent is **Most Improved (Ire)** (Lawman {Fr}), who lived up to his name with a breakout score in the G1 St James's Palace S. during Royal Ascot in June. Most Improved was a sensible €65,000 acquisition by Angie Sykes Bloodstock from the 2010 August draft of Monceaux.

Both the Cartier Award-winning juveniles in Europe last year got their starts Arqana's August Sale. The Grandcamp-consigned **Dabirsim (Fr)** (Hat Trick {Jpn}) doubled up the G1 Darley Prix

Morny and G1 Qatar Prix Jean-Luc Lagardere, and was also named France's Horse of the Year in 2011, all representing a handsome return on the €30,000 Simon Springer paid for him a year earlier. **Maybe (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}) was a pricier horse--Coolmore's Demi O'Byrne shelled out a still-not-outlandish €340,000 for the Croom House-offered yearling--but proved no less capable on the track, winning a trio of group stakes at two, including the G1 Moyglare Stud S.

French Fifteen (Fr) (Turtle Bowl {Ire}), a €30,000 August buy by trainer Nicolas Clement from the draft of Reboursiare et de Montaigu, ended a successful juvenile campaign last year with a win in the G1 Criterium International, then returned this year to give Camelot (GB) (Montjeu {Ire}) a stiff test in the G1 Qipco 2000 Guineas.

American racefans are plenty familiar with the exploits of **Zagora (Fr)** (Green Tune). Before she won last term's GI Diana H. at Saratoga for Martin Schwartz--who bought her privately in Europe--she was a €95,000 August yearling purchase by Suprina, which acquired her from the draft of Capucines. She's trained by Chad Brown, also the conditioner of the now-retired **Desert Blanc (GB)** (Desert Style {Ire}), who recently nosed out Papaw Bodie (Strong Hope) in the GI Manhattan H. on Belmont Stakes day. Desert Blanc was a €72,000 buyback at the 2009 Arqana sale from Mezeray, before ultimately being purchased by Swift Thoroughbreds and Mackie Racing.

U.S.-based owners also own another pair of high-profile August grads. Barry Irwin's Team Valor International campaigns **Gitano Hernando (Fr)** (Hernando {Fr}), a €40,000 David Redvers Bloodstock purchase who, after being acquired privately by Team Valor, won the 2009 GI Goodwood S. at Santa Anita and the 2011 G1 Singapore Airlines International Cup. The Connecticut-based moneymen Bjorn Nielsen, meanwhile, purchased **Masked Marvel (GB)** (Montjeu {Ire}) for €260,000 at Arqana in 2009, and two years later won the G1 St. Leger.



Zagora & owner Martin Schwartz
Adam Coglianese

Immortal Verse (Ire) (Pivotal {GB}), who won the 2011 G1 Coronation S. before lowering Goldikova (Fr) (Anabaa)'s colors in the G1 Darley Prix Jacques le Marois, was a €460,000 purchase by Robert Collet, who secured her from the draft of Kilfrush Stud. And last but not least is last year's G1 Irish St. Leger winner **Jukebox Jury (Ire)** (Montjeu {Ire}), a €270,000 Mark-Steven Johnston purchase from Kildaragh Stud and now an earner of over \$1.4 million.

The success of these horses has made Arqana August Yearling a must-attend on the global horse racing calendar, and warrants a closer look at the sale...and racing in France in general.

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Arqana August Yearling Sale (Aug. 18-21)

The catalogue for Arqana's August Yearling sale in Deauville is now available on-line at www.arqana.com.



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For Allen, Racing Overseas a Sound Proposition ...

The Bronx-born Joe Allen has been in Thoroughbred racing for more than three decades and has campaigned more than 45 stakes winners. Among those who have worn his prominent green and white silks have been



U S Ranger
Racing Post/Gerry Cranham

current phenom sire War Front (Danzig), the late, great Dynaformer (Roberto) and Grade I winners like Political Force (Unbridled's Song). More and more over the past few years, however, those silks have been seen overseas, as Allen has built up a successful operation in Europe, particularly in France with

trainer Jean-Claude Rouget.

While making clear he still loves racing in America and is not eschewing the U.S. version of the sport, Allen says his re-focusing on racing in Europe is grounded in unpleasant realities that many owners here face.

"I've been in this for over 30 years, and for me, it really became a soundness issue," he said. "It's always been more difficult to keep horses sound in America--and that goes way, way back--but I think lately it's been getting worse. I think the veterinarians and the medication has a lot to do with it. Anyway, I'm a breeder and I'm trying to develop mares, and when I do that, I want to find out, really, if their produce can run. How good are they? The problem I had with racing in America was that it took so long to get the horses to the races--if they ever made it. I thought I could get a better line on the horses in France. At least most of the horses make it to the races, in one form or another, and there are fewer breakdowns and fewer injuries."

Allen first sent horses to Rouget seven or eight years ago--horses he didn't necessarily would make it in the U.S.--and was impressed with the results the accomplished French conditioner achieved. In 2006, Allen sent over U S Ranger (Danzig), an impeccably bred colt from the family of Dynaformer. As a juvenile that year, U S Ranger went three-for-three in France. By season's end, Coolmore had acquired an ownership interest in the colt, and at both three and four he was Ireland's top-weighted sprinter with listed wins in Ireland and France and placings in the G1 Darley July Cup (2nd) and G1 Prix de la Foret (3rd).

"It's very special to watch your horses race there," Allen told the *TDN* recently.

Allen currently has a trio of 3-year-olds and eight 2-year-olds in training in France, and owns two more in partnership with Coolmore who are in training with Aidan O'Brien in Ireland, including the promising juvenile Lines of Battle (War Front).

"Racing in Europe doesn't preclude racing in America," said Allen. "I definitely plan on going forward and keeping horses here, because I love American racing. I really do. I was lucky enough to have a horse like War Front, who obviously is a very prolific stallion. In Europe, the purses still aren't fantastic, and the competition is still very difficult, but you worry less about soundness. In this country, you're really fighting soundness."

Allen added, "Listen, this isn't to say what I'm doing is right. No matter what, you need a lot of luck in this game to get by."

Owners at a Premium...

Joe Allen, of course, isn't the only prominent U.S. owner to maintain a stable in France. Martin Schwartz's success with horses like Stacelita (Fr) (Monsun {Ger}) is well-documented. Schwartz often buys horses privately in France, campaigns them there through the end of their 3- or 4-year-old seasons, then continues their racing careers in America. That's the route he took with Stacelita--heroine of the G1 Prix de Diane while carrying Schwartz's blue and orange colors.

A Group 1 winner at three and four in France, Stacelita crossed the Atlantic at five, won the GI Flower Bowl Invitational S. and GI Beverly D. S., and was named champion female turf horse last year. Schwartz charted a similar path for Zagora (Fr) (Green Tune), the winner of the 2010 G3 Prix de Psych for Schwartz and, later, heroine of the 2011 GI Diana H. at Saratoga. Schwartz has also campaigned the prominent French-breds Lady of Venice (Fr) (Loup Solitaire) and Gorella (Fr) (Grape Tree Road {GB}).

Arqana officials are hoping more American owners will follow Schwartz's lead. Instead of, or in addition to, buying privately, they encourage U.S.-based owners to consider buying horses as yearlings, then putting them into training in France to take advantage of the country's lucrative incentive program. Schwartz himself says that France's strong Owners' Premiums program is a major reason why he likes to race in France. "The program's extraordinary," he said simply.

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Jean-Claude Rouget
Racing Post/Edward Whitaker



Martin Schwartz
Horsephotos



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It's a program particularly lucrative for horses aged two and three, and works like this: the owners of qualifying horses receive an additional 75% of any prize money earned when the horse is two. For instance, if a horse earns €100,000, owners receive an additional €75,000. At three, the figure is 63%, and for horses aged four and up, the figure is 48%. That kind of bonus system can make a huge difference to an owner's bottom line.

"When I won [the Prix de Diane] with Stacelita, we took the better part of a €1-million purse--€571,400," said Schwartz. "But because she was French-bred, we got a bonus of 62%. It's a big, big pot. You win over \$1 million if you win the race."

Black is the New Black...

Whether owners also breed, or whether they plan to sell their horses as breeding stock at a future date, garnering black-type for a filly or mare can greatly increase their value. In France, say Arqana officials, a robust stakes program gives owners plenty of options to do just that. "There is quite a large number of black-type races for 3-year-old fillies--including a large number of listed races in the provinces," said Arqana's Managing Director Olivier Delloye.

"For breeders who like to get some black-type into their fillies before taking them to the farm as a broodmare, I would say it is definitely easier to get black-type for them in France than England, for instance."

Indeed, France has 235 black-type races for all age groups--125 of the listed variety, with 56 Group 3 events, 27 Group 2 events and 27 Group 1 events. A full 42 races are restricted to 3-year-old fillies, including 25 listed, 10 Group 3 events, 4 Group 2 events and 3 Group 1 events. "It might make sense for owners to have some horses

racing in Europe before taking them to the U.S. and having them pursue their careers at four and beyond, and then keeping them as broodmares in the U.S.," added Delloye.

Just like in the U.S., training expenses in France can vary greatly depending on location. But on par, it's probably a little cheaper to maintain a stable in France. "Usually in Chantilly, it's about €2,000 per month," said Delloye. "In the provinces, if you go to a good trainer, it's between €1,300 and €1,500--something like that."

Veterinarian expenses, however, are often a fraction of what they are in the States, according to Schwartz and others, but as Allen said, "The bills really don't mean anything if you have a good horse." And if you have a bad one, no bill is inexpensive.

Set to 'Star' at Arqana...

When he retired to the Aga Khan Studs in 2009 for a fee of €85,000, the Tsui family's **Sea the Stars (Ire)** (Cape Cross {Ire}) was considered one of the best horses to grace the sod in Europe in a generation or



Hip 34, by Sea the Stars (Ire)



Hip 120, by Sea the Stars (Ire)

two. In addition to an impeccable race record--he won eight of nine starts, six in Group 1 company, including the G1 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe--Sea the Stars hailed from one of the most heralded families in the stud book. His dam, Urban Sea (Miswaki), also won the Arc, and is one of the best broodmares of modern times, having produced eight black-type winners, including the brilliant sire and dual G1 Derby winner Galileo (Ire) (Sadler's Wells), and the further Group 1 winners My Typhoon (Ire) (Giant's Causeway) and Black Sam Bellamy (Ire) (Sadler's Wells).

Now, Sea the Stars's first yearlings are selling, and expectations are high. Arqana has seven catalogued at August, three fillies and four colts. Haras des Monceaux is one of two consignors with a pair of yearlings by Sea the Stars, and stud manager Henri Bozo is optimistic about both. First up is [Hip 34](#), a colt out of the stakes-winning Danehill mare Navajo Moon (Ire), herself a full to Five Dynasties and to G1 Irish Derby third Roosevelt (Ire).

"He's a very straight-forward colt," said Bozo of the S.F. Bloodstock-bred youngster. "To me, he's actually very Danehill-like. He looks very much like Danehill. He's got a strong forearm, strong backside, and looks like he's a 3-year-old already. He's got a very good temperament, and has never given us any trouble. I think he'll be precocious."

He is Navajo Moon's second foal. Her first, the unraced 2-year-old Tribal Path (Ire) (Giant's Causeway), is reportedly well-regarded by trainer Mark Johnston.

Monceaux's other Sea the Stars is [Hip 120](#), a colt from G1 Darley Prix Jean Romanet heroine Alpine Rose (Fr) (Linamix {Fr}) who was bred by Monceaux and Skymarc Farm Inc. It is the first produce from Alpine Rose, a full-sister to three other black-type winners, including G1 Grand Prix de Saint-Cloud winner Fragrant Mix (Fr).

"He's a little bit different [than hip 34]," said Bozo. "He's got more scope, and he's a grey horse, so he looks quite a lot like [damsire] Linamix."



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3 Group 1s
4 Group 2s
10 Group 3s
25 Listed



Both colts were bred in Ireland, but both, importantly, qualify for owners premiums in France. "Sometimes when you sell you have to convince yourself, but with these two, it is very exciting," Bozo added. "They have strong pedigrees--they are both out of good mares from fantastic families. I think they will be successful."

Haras des Monceaux, interestingly, has strong ties to the U.S. The was established by the American



Ralph Strassburger
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industrialist Ralph Strassburger, who in the 1920s purchased a villa from Baron Henri de Rothschild in Deauville, and, 18 miles south of the town, acquired Monceaux.

Strassburger enjoyed huge success racing in France, winning the Prix Maurice de Gheest and Prix Hocquart three times and the Grand Prix de Deauville, Prix du Cadran, Criterium de Saint-Cloud, Grand Criterium, Prix du Conseil de

Paris and Prix de Barbeville twice each. He also won the Washington D.C International in 1953 with Worden (Fr). In 2003, Lucien Urano, acquired the farm and set about to reestablish its former glory.

What to Expect This Year at Arqana August...

Arqana got off to a shaky start during its first day of selling last year, but rebounded through the remaining sessions and concluded with an average of €95,925, a 1.5% increase from the year before. The median of



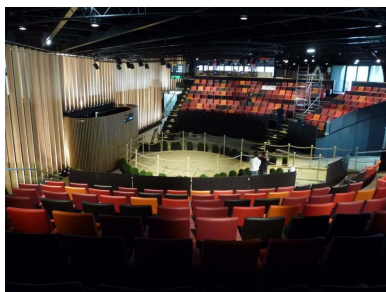
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€65,000 was down 7.1%. Topping the sale was the as-yet unraced Flight to Fancy (GB) (Galileo {Ire}), a daughter of

MGSP Sanjida (Ire) (Polish Precedent) who sold to Waratah Thoroughbreds for €1.7 million (\$2,443,070). The filly was consigned by Haras de la Perelle.

A total of 464 yearlings have been catalogued in 2012, and the sale, which started on a Monday last year, has been pushed back to begin on a Saturday.

Yearlings by Galileo (Ire) again will figure prominently, with 10 entered from arguably the world's preeminent sire. The late Montjeu (Ire), whose Camelot (GB) continues to remind what a devastating loss his sire will be, has eight in the sale.



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There are a number of offerings from American-based sires. [Hip 138](#) is a **Bernardini** filly who was produced by a half to GI Breeders' Cup Classic winner Volponi (Cyrptoclearance). **Arch** has two in the sale--[Hip 297](#) and [Hip 390](#)--as does **Elusive Quality**: [Hip 33](#) and [Hip 133](#). **Harlan's Holiday** has a filly in the sale ([Hip 118](#)), as do **Street Boss** ([Hip 87](#)), **Street Sense** ([Hip 50](#)) and **Tapit** ([Hip 150](#)), while there are colts **Medaglia d'Oro** ([Hip 51](#)) and **War Front** ([Hip 336](#)). There is a trio from **Smart Strike**: [Hip 17](#), [Hip 122](#) and [Hip 131](#); and first-year sire **U S Ranger** (Danzig) has two: [Hip 76](#) and [Hip 85](#). The biggest group from a U.S.-based sire is courtesy of the late Mr. Greeley, who has six: [Hip 16](#), [Hip 55](#), [Hip 321](#), [Hip 326](#), [Hip 340](#) and [Hip 360](#).

Young European sires like **Astronomer Royal** (Danzig) (11), **Mastercraftsman (Ire)** (Danehill Dancer {Ire}) (25), **Naaqos (GB)** (Oasis Dream {GB}) (14), and **Soldier of Fortune (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}) (12) are also well-represented.

For Haras des Monceaux's Henri Bozo, the inclusion of horses by these sires at Arqana, as well as many others from a European contingent of stallions currently viewed as exceptionally strong, is reason to attract American horsemen and women to Deauville next month. "The success that comes from this sale is very strong, and the quality for the money is very strong," he said. "We would love to see more Americans here."

What to do in Deauville...

Americans traveling to Deauville for Arqana's August Yearling Sale would be remiss not to take a day or two to explore the beautiful seaside resort and its captivating surroundings. Located 125 miles to the northwest of Paris, the small town of just 4,000 permanent residents is renowned for its culture and panache: it's part of a region sometimes referred to as the Parisian Riviera. Deauville is home to a world-class film festival,



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hosts yachting regattas, tennis and golf tournaments, and offers numerous events and destinations for jazz lovers, vintage car enthusiasts and history buffs. Located in Normandy, Deauville is close to the D-Day beaches, and there are several museums in the area dedicated to the WWII invasion. The area also features world-class hotels and restaurants. For more information or to plan your trip, visit <http://www.normandie-tourisme.fr>. For more information on the Arqana August Yearling Sale, visit www.arqana.com.

Arqana preview by Lucas Marquardt



NEWS TODAY

Breeders' Cup Announces Board of Directors Results *Edited Press Release*

The Breeders' Cup announced today that Tom Ludt, Clem Murphy and Oliver Tait have been re-elected to their positions as Directors on the Board. Mr. Ludt, Mr. Murphy and Mr. Tait, who will each serve a four-year term, were elected by the 39 Breeders' Cup Members who voted Wednesday at their annual meeting.

In addition, *TDN* Publisher Barry Weisbord was elected today by the sitting Directors in a special election to fill the seat vacated by the resignation of David Willmot. Mr. Weisbord's term will continue until July of 2013 when that seat will be filled by the Members at their annual meeting.

The complete Board of 14 Directors is as follows: Helen Alexander, Middlebrook Farm; Antony Beck, Gainesway Farm; Jerry Crawford, Donegal Racing/ Derby Dreams Partnership; William S. Farish Jr., Lane's End Farm; Craig Fravel, President & CEO of the Breeders' Cup; Roy Jackson, Lael Stables; Bret Jones, Airdrie Stud; Tom Ludt (Chairman), Vinery; Robert Manfuso, Chanceland Farm; Clem Murphy, Coolmore Stud; Satish Sanan, Padua Stables; Richard Santulli, Jayeff "B" Stables; Oliver Tait, Darley; and Barry Weisbord, *Thoroughbred Daily News*/Trakus.

Wildenstein Renews British Links...

Ecurie Wildenstein will again have horses in training in Britain after it was announced that Sir Henry Cecil and Luca Cumani will be sent horses. Among those set to be transferred is this year's G1 Poule d'Essai des Pouliches heroine and G1 Prix de Diane runner-up **Beauty Parlour (GB)** (Deep Impact {Jpn}), who has been switched from Elie Lellouche to Cecil. Cumani also learned that his stable will be sent a dozen unraced juveniles from the established leading French-based owner-breeders.

"The Wildenstein Stable today made the decision to send 14 of its 85 horses to be trained in the United Kingdom, of which two fillies will go to Sir Henry Cecil and 12 2-year-olds to Luca Cumani," read a statement released yesterday. "Considering its ambitions and following the example of other major French stables, the Wildenstein stable in fact wanted to give itself a more international calibre. Amongst the horses which represent the blue silks in the United Kingdom is Beauty Parlour, who will be trained by Sir Henry Cecil because of the long history that unites this stable with this trainer. The Wildenstein stable will keep its other horses in France where they will remain with their respective trainers."

Cecil, who last saddled a Wildenstein-owned winner when Rolly Polly (Ire) (Mukaddamah) captured the G3 Fred Darling S. in 2001, was responsible for the training of some of the operation's most illustrious names in Buckskin (Fr), Hello Gorgeous and Simply Great (Fr).

Cumani reacted to the news that he was to receive the draft of juveniles by issuing a statement on his website which read, "Bedford House Stables are, this morning, very pleased to announce the arrival of 12 unraced 2-year-olds from the Wildenstein Stable in France. We are very honoured to be associated with such a prestigious racing family who, over so many years, have enjoyed great success all over the world with All Along, Allez France, Sagace, Peintre Celebre, and more recently Vallee Enchantee, Westerner and Bright Sky. This has injected a great deal of excitement throughout the team at Bedford House, and we are all very much looking forward to the day these beautifully bred horses will make their debuts on the racecourse."



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Horse racing returns to Fargo after money woes closed track

"North Dakota Horse Park, the Fargo racetrack where races were shut down two years ago by highly publicized money woes, is staging a comeback." **Andrea Domaskin**, *The Great Plains Examiner*

Change must come to the focus of thoroughbred breeding

"Injuries are inevitable in thoroughbred racing, and some cannot be prevented. However, there has been a noticeable uptick in season- and career-ending ailments in the past generation. One can attribute that to several different factors, but one that is thoroughly within the control of those in the industry and can be controlled is playing a huge role: Breeding." **Andrew Champagne**, *The Saratogian*

Md. thoroughbred trainer leaps into past with show jumping competition

"A growing number of thoroughbreds are being groomed for new roles following their days on the race track, including assignments as fox hunters, riding horses, pets and show jumpers."

Sandra McKee, *The Baltimore Sun*

Downhill battle

"Mountain racing riders only know one way to go: all out"

Austin Considine, *ESPN The Magazine*

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MEDICATION AND PERFORMANCE ENHANCING DRUGS HEARING

The U.S. Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation held a "Medication and Performance Enhancing Drugs" hearing Thursday afternoon in Washington, D.C. The hearing began with remarks by Sen. Tom Udall (D-NM), who last year, along with U.S. Rep. Ed Whitfield (R-KY-01), introduced the Interstate Horseracing Improvement Act. Following his opening, the first witness panel gave their statements. The first panel consisted of Barry Irwin, CEO of Team Valor; Kent Stirling, Executive Director, Florida Horsemen's Benevolent & Protective Association and Chairman, Medication Committee, National Horsemen's Benevolent & Protective Association; Jeffrey Gural, Chairman and Managing Partner, American Racing and Entertainment, LLC; and James Gagliano, President of The Jockey Club. The hearing was streamed live, and both the webcast and witnesses' testimony can be viewed at <http://commerce.senate.gov>.

Irwin began the proceedings by reiterating his well-documented opposition to race-day medication, similar to that found overseas. "Racing has two drug problems; one of its own making, another foisted upon it," he said. "Some 40 years ago state commissions were sold a rotten bill of good by the name of 'permissive medication,' a failed experiment that has served to devalue our horses and bloodlines and to isolate us among all major racing centers of the world."

Stirling was up next. He spoke about the need to educate the public on the use of Lasix in racehorses, while restating the HBPA's position on doping. "Owners and trainers who cheat by administering drugs that have no legitimate use in horses in an attempt to win races should be kicked out of horse racing," he said. "Dermorphin, an opiate like substance derived from the skin of a South American frog that has been the subject of recent publicity, is one such drug. Using dermorphin is doping and all doping should be penalized severely. However, the NHBPA does not oppose the controlled use of truly therapeutic medication that has long been used in horse racing to treat injuries and infirmities. Medication, like furosemide...that acts to prevent pulmonary hemorrhaging during racing, is necessary to keep a horse healthy. Lasix use is not doping, and no one can reasonably conclude otherwise. It has been routinely administered by veterinarians for the past 40 years in their treatment of horses and is noted beside a horse's name in racing programs as L for racing with "Lasix".

Jeff Gural followed by recounting his recent experience of taking over running The Meadowlands from New Jersey. He spoke of a lack of a marketing presence within the racing industry, and the concerns of offshore wagering impacting a track's bottom line, as well as the medication and doping issue at hand. Gural pointed out that penalties or suspensions are often delayed due to legal proceedings, and are generally inadequate.

"One suggestion I have heard is to send a message to states that Congress would like to see the states adopt in the Interstate Compact Concept, which would allow all of the states to use the same rules and regulations," Gural said. He added, "Our industry needs change if we are going to survive because, unlike other sports, we have no commissioner to set the rules."

Jim Gagliano was the final witness on the panel, and presented The Jockey Club's recent efforts to both market the sport and reform the use of medication. "Regulations vary too widely in different states," he said. "Rigorous enforcement is lacking. The Jockey Club will support any reasonable means to implement and enforce its 'Reformed Racing Medication Rules' or something very close to it. That includes support in state-by-state adoption, an interstate racing compact, or federal legislation."

Gagliano added that although the Interstate Horseracing Improvement Act had admirable goals, he said that there some concerns with it as well. "First, the definition of performance enhancing drugs is too vague, unscientific, and fails to differentiate between truly therapeutic drugs...and drugs with no use except for performance enhancement," he stated. "Second, the requirements that violations be 'knowing' introduces a new, unnecessary, and unduly high prosecutorial standard of proceeding against trainers who violate the law." Gagliano also pointed out that the bill present would seek to amend the Interstate Horseracing Act, which could impact simulcasting and wagering.

After the witnesses gave their testimony, there was a question-and-answer period. All three supported the prospect of banning any trainers who were found to have used dermorphin, but later made some eye-opening remarks. Stirling called clenbuterol "the best drug of the last 20 years," but said it had been abused. Irwin, when asked if a trainer such as Doug O'Neill--with multiple medication violations--should be banned, said "I'd like to wave him goodbye."

Matt Witman led the second witness panel. "The AQHA horsemen have been credited by members of the industry's Racing Medication Testing Consortium for bringing dermorphin...to the attention of regulators and pushing for stringent testing standards regarding the drug. Samples of dermorphin were sent to labs by honest horsemen who wanted a level, honest playing field so the substance could be identified and a test developed. If the federal government wants to help, AQHA would welcome additional funding to help identify these drugs and develop tests for them in an attempt to stay ahead of people who want to cheat the system." **Cont. p16**

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U.S. Senate Hearing cont.

He was followed by Mark Paulhus, who began by recalling his 1982 efforts to pass the Corrupt Horse Racing Practices Act. Paulhus then cited the recent controversial *New York Times* article's assertion that 24 racehorses die per week, and said that number "is at least triple the number acknowledged."

Ed Martin was next up. "Racing commissions can take away the racing license, but there is nothing preventing a racehorse from being treated by a vet without a racing license away from the grounds of the racetrack," he said. "The ability to take or suspend the vet license could be quite a deterrent." Martin also called for more funding for research and testing.

The panel's final witness was Dr. Lyons, who was adamant in her zero-medication stance, but also pointed out that veterinarians should also be held accountable. "The unique authority and privilege that veterinarians have to administer, prescribe and dispense drugs is granted not through racing commissions but through licensure by State Veterinary Boards," she said. "Once licensed, veterinarians are required to strictly adhere to the standards of practice that regulate our profession. There are no exemptions for veterinarians who work with race horses. We are required to keep comprehensive patient records which demonstrate adherence to these strictly defined standards of practice for every patient, for each dose of every drug and we must make these records available to our clients upon request. But this is not what is happening at these race tracks. And this is the real drug problem that underlies the intolerable rate of permanent injury and death of race horses and their riders."

RACETRACK ROUND-UP

House Set for Mile Test...

The Queen's **Carlton House** (Street Cry {Ire}) is set to drop to a mile following his latest second in the G1 Prince of Wales's S. at Royal Ascot, it was announced yesterday. Beaten only by So You Think (NZ) (High Chaparral {Ire}) in that June 20 10-furlong contest, the



Carlton House
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G2 Dante S. and G3 Brigadier Gerard S. winner will tackle either next Saturday's G2 Summer Mile at Ascot or the G1 Prix Jacques le Marois at Deauville Aug. 12. "It is possible he could go for the Summer Mile, but I'll see how he is over the weekend when I give him a good piece of work," trainer Sir Michael Stoute said. "We know

he's pretty decent at a mile and a quarter, but we are about to try a mile. It was Ryan [Moore]'s suggestion, so he will run at either Ascot or in the Jacques le Marois."

29 Sophs Invited for Haskell...

A total of 29 invitations have gone out for the 2012 running of the GI Haskell Invitational at New Jersey's Monmouth Park Sunday, July 29. Topping the list and an expected runner is Zayat Stable and Michel and Tiffany Moreno's **Bodemeister** (Empire Maker), a pacesetter second to I'll Have Another (Flower Alley)



Bodemeister *Coady photography*

in the GI Kentucky Derby and GI Preakness S. He is one of four invitees from the barn of five-time Haskell-winning trainer Bob Baffert, alongside GI Belmont S. runner-up **Paynter** (Awesome Again); GISW **Liaison** (Indian Charlie); and GII Swaps S. victor

Blueskiesrainbows (English Channel). Donegal Racing's **Dullahan** (Even the Score) is also being pointed for the \$1-million test over nine furlongs. A staying-on third in the Derby, he exits a disappointing seventh to Union Rags (Dixie Union) in the Belmont. Also prominent among the list of 29 are reigning juvenile champion **Hansen** (Tapit), last-out winner of the GIII Iowa Derby; GIII Ohio Derby hero **Prospective** (Malibu Moon); and **Teeth of the Dog** (Bluegrass Cat), victorious in the GII Dwyer S.

UPCOMING MAJOR NORTH AMERICAN STAKES

Date	Race	Track
July 14	GI Man o'War S.	BEL
	GI American Oaks	BHP
	GII A Glean H.	BHP
	GII Delaware Oaks	DEL
	GIII Hollywood Juvenile Chmp S.	BHP
	GIII American Derby	AP
	GIII Arlington H.	AP
	GIII Modesty H.	AP
	GIII Stars and Stripes H.	AP
	GIII Robert G Dick Memorial H.	DEL
July 15	GIII Jersey Shore S.	MTH
	GIII Greenwood Cup	PRX
	GIII Sunset H.	BHP
July 18	Prince of Wales S.	WO
	GIII Bold Venture S.	WO
July 20	GIII Schuylerville S.	SAR
	GIII James Marvin S.	SAR
July 21	GI Eddie Read H.	DMR
	GI CCA Oaks	SAR
	GII Delaware H.	DEL
	GII Virginia Derby	CNL
	GIII Arlington Oaks	AP
	GIII Virginia Oaks	CNL

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THERE'S MORE THAN ONE WAY TO SELL A HOT DOG

I watched the CNBC special about Costco the other night. The story looked at what exactly the business does, how it brands, how it sells, and most of all, how it keeps prices low to grow.

One part of the show focused on hot dogs. Costco sells concession foot longs for \$1.50 and when asked why the price is so low the (now former) Costco co-founder and CEO Jim Sinegal said (paraphrasing): 'Most businesses will sell a hot dog for \$4.75, and ask themselves if they can squeeze the price up to get five and a quarter. We see a hot dog that we can sell for \$1.50, but we ask ourselves "Is there any way we can get it lower?"'

Costco--a place that you and I go for TV's or cases of soda pop--sells over \$100 million dollars in cooked hot dogs.

As we all know, Costco's share price has almost quadrupled in the last eight years, and it wasn't by accident. They work on a simple retail business model: Low margins are a result of low prices, but high volume is a result of low prices, too, yielding tremendous top line growth.

This week in the UK it was announced that British betting giant Betfair has agreed to pay racing, through the British Horse Racing Authority, 10.75% of their revenues from UK customers. This replaces their voluntary contribution, and they are the first betting company to strike a deal to support racing. It's simple, it's efficient, and according to Marcus Armytage of the *Telegraph* newspaper, welcomed.

"The deal is highly significant....because the British Horseracing Authority, Racecourse Association and Horsemen's Group seemed joined at the hip."

A deal like this continues to allow the market to work as intended. Betfair can charge a takeout rate of 5% or 25% or 12.5% or 1%; whichever one yields the most profit for them. They're selling their hot dog at a price the market wants, so they (and racing) can make the most money. An added bonus, again like most businesses: They sink most of that profit back into the business, trying to gain market share, and grow their enterprise. When they grow, the people selling the meat and buns will make more money in the long-term, through not only betting, but through television deals, sponsorships and on-course admissions (a significant part of UK racing revenues for racetracks and purses).

This is contrary to the way things are done in North American racing. Here, racing takes a slice of a fixed takeout rate (a margin), and because of that, more sounds better than less, and we're stuck in a high priced bog, which stifles betting growth. In effect, racing is the one asking if they can get \$5.25 for a hot dog, while the casino down the street is charging \$1.50. History has shown that the more of the margin racing tries to take--through industry infighting or intransigent systemic issues--the fewer customers they have, and the betting pie grows smaller. The phrase "fighting over a slice of a smaller pie" has entered the lexicon of North American racing the last 10 years for a reason. It's real.

This difference in the way two entities do business is not because there are smarter people in jurisdiction "A" than "B", or vice versa. It has everything to do with the culture of the sport, and the way it was systemically built.

In the UK, only about 1% (according to the 2010 Jockey Club Fact Book) of betting handle goes to purses. In the U.S. (despite what you continually may read about not enough going to purses here) this number is closer to 6%. The funny thing, however, is that the 1% in the UK was set in a free market, not unlike a bookie in 1897 setting a 10-cent line, the same 10-cent line that's alive and well today.

For example, while overrounds (i.e. the takeout) for a bookmaker odds line can be 1.5% per horse in the UK, the weight of money (more bet on the shorter horses), along with a tight competitive betting market looking for betting dollars, allows for customers to line shop and churn through a much lower rate than that. James Erickson, who presented at a Canadian Gaming Summit, is a professional player, who has diverted most of his horse racing volume from the U.S. to the UK betting markets.

"The favorite longshot bias can be huge in the UK, which adds to the overround, but on the most likely winners, you can find value as a horseplayer. I had heard anecdotally that bookmakers survive on 5% win takeouts, and as a professional, I can attest to that. If you are smart, and line shop, you can have success betting win at these low takeout rates. It can be even better on Betfair," he noted.

SYNTHETIC SURFACES IN NORTH AMERICA

<u>Track</u>	<u>All-Weather Surface</u>
Arlington Park	Polytrack
Del Mar	Polytrack
Keeneland	Polytrack
Turfway Park	Polytrack
Woodbine	Polytrack
Hollywood	Cushion Track
Golden Gate	Tapeta Footings
Presque Isle Downs	Tapeta Footings
OBS Training Center	Safetrack



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In North America, that 6% number has been set since about 1920, and it was not set by the market, in a competitive gambling landscape, it was set by government, horsemen and racetracks, in a monopoly setting. Now that racing is no longer a monopoly, but competing in a modern gambling landscape, they're setting rates exactly the same way. This is like AT&T managing to long distance charges of \$2 a minute in 2012, because that is what they charged in 1965 when they were the only company with long distance lines. Would they survive at \$2 a minute in the Internet age? If you listen to a lot of causal racewatchers in North America they believe UK racing looks wonderful, because racing is on television, it's on billboards, it's advertised everywhere, the stands are full, and its ingrained in the culture. "If only we could do that" they contend. Doesn't it resonate that racing is popular on television and in the culture in the UK because they've competed as a gambling game for so long? That they've taken money out at a reasonable rate from betting for purses that it encourages reinvestment in both customer retention and marketing? That instead of a high takeout tax that has people fighting over numbers made up by a state or horsemen group in 1908 ruling the roost, they let the market rule it?

I read a quote on a chat board the other day from one of those ubiquitous anonymous industry watchers. He or she said 'we need more people in the sport who want 3% of 500 instead of 6% of 200'. I think we should all agree with that.

UK racing, or racing around the world for that matter, is not all peaches and cream. The UK, Australia and even Hong Kong, although healthier, are not setting the world on fire, and racing in those places is a different can of worms. Let face it, this is a mature industry. However, just like Costco, no matter where you are in the world, sometimes less is more, and the betting industry in other locales proves that. Racing in North America, in my opinion, needs to protect what's best for purses in the long term, by looking at their margins, and setting rates not based on what they've always done, but where they want to go. If they do, perhaps purse levels will be sustainable and growing, instead of shrinking, while heavily relying on band-aids, like slots, or instant racing subsidies for survival.

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Yesterday's Results:

3rd-BEL, \$72,000, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$20,000), C, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10, ft.

1--INFLATION TARGET, 117, c, 3, [Tapit](#)--Prall Street, by Cherokee Run. (\$200,000 yrl '10 KEESEP).

O-Klaravich Stables Inc & William H Lawrence;
B-William Graves & Dennis Lynch (KY); T-Richard A Violette Jr. Lifetime Record: 7-2-2-2, \$123,700.

*Full to Rattlesnake Bridge, SW & GISP, \$463,300.

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2--Bravo Romeo, 114, c, 4, Bwana Charlie--
Full of Dance, by Dance Brightly.

3--Cap the Moment, 116, g, 5, Cappuchino--
Lilly's Moment, by Timeless Moment.

Margins: 3/4, 3, 3HF. Odds: 1.05, 7.50, 55.50.

Inflation Target graduated at second asking at the Big A Feb. 4 before hitting the board in three subsequent starts in New York, including his most recent going 8 1/2 furlongs in a \$75,000 optional claimer here May 19. Fading to fifth after a wide trip in the June 9 Easy Goer S. here, the bay was well-supported to get back on track with blinkers on this time. Linger near the back of this compact field after a tardy start, the bay closed on the front rank at the quarter pole, angled out three wide to take over from Bravo Romeo at the sixteenth pole and edged clear in the run to the wire. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or the [video, sponsored by Taylor Made Sales](#).**

★ NEW "TDN Rising Star" ★

5th-BEL, \$70,000, Msw, 2yo, f, 6fT, 1:08 3/5, fm.

+ FUNFAIR, f, 2, [More Than Ready](#)

1st Dam: Fleuron, by Distant View

2nd Dam: Flamboyance, by Zilzal

3rd Dam: Bridal Wreath, by Stop The Music

Funfair made the game look easy with an impressive 3 1/2-length score in this salty Belmont maiden. Up to prompt Priscilla Marie (Bustin Stones) through a quick opening quarter in :22.13, the 3-1 chance overtook that rival under minimal encouragement by Julien Leparoux at the head of the stretch and strode clear under her motionless partner. Colorful Image (Ready's Image) rounded out the trifecta. Flueron is a half-sister to MGSP Dynever (Dynaformer), who finished runner-up in the G1 Dubai World Cup and third in the GI Breeders' Cup Classic; and Flagrante (Rahy), dam of GI Breeders' Cup Dirt Mile Furthest Land (Smart Strike). **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or the [video, sponsored by Taylor Made Sales](#) or the [free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree](#).** Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$42,000.

O/B-Dr Catherine Wills (KY). T-Christophe Clement.

2nd-BEL, \$70,000, Msw, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10 1/5, ft.
+ HON. DE LEON (c, 3, [English Channel](#)--Cukee, by Langfuhr), sent off at 10-1, settled in a stalking fourth through an opening quarter in :22.22. Ready to pounce after a half in :45.52, the bay collared Sindaan (Distorted Humor) midstretch and was six lengths clear of the favorite at the wire. The winner is a half to Humble and Hungry (Limehouse), GSW, \$236,727. Sales history: \$10,000 2yo '11 OBSAPR. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or the [video, sponsored by Taylor Made Sales](#). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$42,000.**

O-Jose A Rodriguez. B-Rose Hill Farm Inc (KY). T-Richard E Dutrow Jr.

EASTERN U.S.



Yesterday's Results:

PAR FOUR OVERNIGHT S., \$56,250, DEL, 7-12, 2yo, 5 1/2f, 1:05, ft.

1--#THE ABSOLUTE ONE, 120, c, 2, by [Songandaprayer](#)

1st Dam: Driving Rain, by Storm Cat

2nd Dam: Efficiently, by Seattle Slew

3rd Dam: Cuddles, by Mr. Prospector

(\$100,000 yrl '11 KEESEP). O-Barry & Joni Butzow; B-Cerca Trova (KY); T-Michael V Pino; J-Jose C Caraballo; \$34,500. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$59,340.



THREE CHIMNEYS Raised and Grazed

2--Pitch N Roll, 120, c, 2, Scipion--Provobay, by Dynaformer. O-The Elkstone Group LLC. \$11,500.

Graduate of Custom Care Equine LLC

3--Shockman, 120, c, 2, Mutakddim--Red Thread, by Devil His Due. O-Wayne Sanders & Larry Hirsch. \$5,500.

Margins: HF, 7HF, HF. Odds: 0.80, 14.70, 4.70.

The Absolute One went wire-to-wire as the 8-5 favorite in his unveiling going 4 1/2 panels here June 17. The dark bay darted to the lead early in this one, kept a steady pace and, when pressured by Pitch N Roll in the stretch, dug and held on for the victory. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#). [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made Sales](#).**

• ON THE WORKTAB •

BELMONT

Winter Memories (El Prado {Ire}), 5fT, 1:01.22, 1/1

BETFAIR HOLLYWOOD

Holy Candy (Candy Ride {Arg}), 6f, 1:14.80, 6/14

The Factor (War Front), 4f, :47.60, 1/34

CHURCHILL DOWNS

Tapitsfly (Tapit), 5f, 1:03.40, 6/17

MONMOUTH

Sean Avery (Cherokee Run), 5f, 1:00.80, 1/7



East Report cont.

1st-PEN, \$39,000, Msw, (S), 2yo, 5f, :59, ft.
+ RES JUDICATA (c, 2, Smarty Jones--Mohonour, by Honour and Glory), the 4-5 chalk, bided time on the rail, found a gap between horses at the top of the stretch, chased down For Scipion (Scipion) and drew off for a length victory over that rival. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$23,400. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#). [Video](#), sponsored by Taylor Made Sales.**
 O-Someday Farm. B-P Chapman (PA). T-John C Servis.

CENTRAL U.S.

Seabiscuit Descendant to Old Friends:

Mixed Pleasure, a 27-year-old who may well be the oldest-living descendant of the legendary Seabiscuit, has been invited to live out his days at Old Friends Thoroughbred Retirement in Georgetown, Kentucky. "We are honored to have Mixed Pleasure retired to Old Friends," commented Old Friends' President Michael Blowen. "The skill and commitment of so many people led to this great horse coming here." The Denville, New Jersey-based organization Equi-Army-NDO, a Thoroughbred advocacy group, is in the process of raising funds for the transfer of Mixed Pleasure by Duane Belvoir of Belvoir Horse Transportation. The pensioned stallion is scheduled to depart his Oregon home July 15 and will arrive in Kentucky July 18. Equi-Army-NDO is also spearheading a search for adopters for the 12 other horses owned by the late Helen K. Tice, a central Oregon breeder. Barbara Grimaldi, the president of Equi-Army-NDO, believes Mixed Pleasure will become a fan favorite at Old Friends. "Seventy-two years after his famous great-great grandsire won the 1940 Santa Anita H. in what was then called the 'greatest comeback in sports history,' Seabiscuit's life and times still evoke strong emotions in both serious and casual horseracing fans," she stated. Donations to help fund the transport of Mixed Pleasure and to re-home the other Tice horses can be made to: Equi-Army-NDO, PMB 15, 123 E. Main St., Denville, NJ 07834. Inquiries regarding ownership interests in the other Tice horses may be directed to Jeanie Esajian at 916-698-7078 or Charlotte Farmer at 530-347-1402.

Yesterday's Results:

7th-LAD, \$26,000, Msw, (S), 2yo, f, 5.5f, 1:05 4/5, my.
+ LIKE A DOC (f, 2, Mauk Four--Doc's Fourth Girl, by Like a Soldier) was sent off at odds of 17-1 despite posting a four-furlong :47 3/5 bullet in her last work here July 7. The homebred broke from the inside, took an early lead along the rail and finished under urging to beat closing Smeauxkininthelane (Smoke Glacken) by a neck. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$15,600. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#). [Video](#), sponsored by Taylor Made Sales.**
 O/B-Jerry D Cart & Marion Lanasa (LA), T-J Cart.

Wednesday Night's Results:

10th-IND, \$34,001, Msw, 3,4,5yo, 6f, 1:12 1/5, ft.
+ DRIVEN FORCE (c, 3, [Pulpit](#)--Quiet Kim {GISP, \$213,969}, by Real Quiet), sent off as the 6-5 chalk, stalked the pace early, angled out on the turn, gained the lead at the top of the stretch and kicked clear to a commanding five-length victory. Jackstown (Sharp Humor) was second. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#).** Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$20,401.
 O/B-WinStar Farm LLC (KY). T-Kellyn Gorder.

CALIFORNIA

Gutierrez Claims ESPY Award:

Mario Gutierrez, who rode to stardom as the rider of GI Kentucky Derby and GI Preakness S. hero I'll Have Another (Flower Alley), was named the top jockey at Wednesday's ESPY Awards on ESPN. Gutierrez amassed the most votes, outpointing Javier Castellano, John Velazquez and Ramon Dominguez. He issued the following statement on Twitter: "Thank you everyone! It has been an incredible year. I could not have done it without the fans."

Claiming Rule Change Effective July 25:

Beginning Wednesday, July 25, claimed horses that do not win the race from which they are claimed will be eligible to race at that same level within 25 days after the California Horse Racing Board approved a regulatory change. The long-standing requirement of claimed horses running at a higher level than the claim level if that race came within 25 days will remain in effect for race winners. The amendment to CHRB Rule 1663 (Entry of Claimed Horse) originally was proposed by the Thoroughbred Owners of California in the belief that forcing new owners to run claimed horses for higher price tags encouraged them to unnecessarily keep those horses in the barn for days or even weeks until their "jail time" ran out after 25 days. The TOC recommended that race winners should continue to be required to run for a price of at least 25% higher than the claiming price, but race losers should be exempted from the same requirement. The Board agreed. The change could help increase field size and benefit the entire industry. The change will apply to horses claimed prior to July 25.

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Allowance Races - purses of \$20,000/up
Optional Claiming Races - purses of \$20,000/up
Maiden Special Weight Races - purses of \$18,000/up
Maiden Claiming Races - purses of \$18,000/up and a minimum claiming price of \$40,000

**Yesterday's Results:**

5th-BHP, \$53,012, Alw, NW1\$X, 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:37, fm.

1--**ARRAIGNMENT, 120, g, 4, [Include](#)--Flowerette, by Victory Gallop.** (\$20,000 yrl '09 KEESEP). O-Finder, Hendrickson & Ello Racing; B-Long Grove Stables LLC (KY); T-Ronald W Ellis. Lifetime Record: GSP, 16-4-2-5, \$123,727.

2--**Antidote, 124, h, 5, Tiznow--Elora, by Souvenir Copy.** (\$290,000 yrl '08 KEESEP; \$115,000 HRA '10 KEENOV).

3--**Robbie's War, 124, g, 4, War Chant--Miss Cassia (GB), by Compton Place (GB).**

Margins: 3/4, NO, NK. Odds: 2.90, 1.30, 4.20.

Arraignment, third in last September's GIII British Columbia Derby at Hastings, was claimed for a \$25,000 tag out of a third-place finish going 6 1/2 panels over the Santa Anita lawn Mar. 2. Sixth while stretching to 8 1/2 panels against allowance rivals here May 26, the gelding came home a narrow winner last time facing \$25,000 claimers here June 17. Settled in a stalking third through opening splits of :24.45, :48.14 and 1:12.04, the bay bid three wide turning for home and was up in time to prevail. [Click for the brisnet.com chart.](#) [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made Sales.](#)

8th-BHP, \$52,250, Msw, 2yo, 6fT, 1:12, fm.

MICELI (c, 2, [War Chant](#)--Tracktalk {Aus} {GSP-NZ}, by Armidale {Aus}) was pounded into 9-10 favoritism here for this second trip to the post off a useful third-place effort going an eighth of a mile shorter in his June 21 debut at this venue. A stalking second to the head of the lane, the bay got his cue from Jose Valdivia Jr., hit the front right at the eighth pole and went on to score by a length. First-time Shining Copper (Aragorn {Ire}) closed good ground at the fence to be second. [Click for the brisnet.com chart.](#) [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made Sales.](#) Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$36,000.

O-Firsthome Thoroughbreds & R Cher Family Farms LLC. B-R Sher Family Farm (KY). T-Adam Kitchingman.

6th-BHP, \$50,350, Msw, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m (AWT), 1:45 2/5, ft.

MAJESTIC MOMENT (c, 3, [Malibu Moon](#)--Silent Siren, by Quiet American), fifth last time over this track and trip June 15, was installed the 5-2 choice this time. Settled in a ground-sacing position in the early going, the chestnut closed on the leader Regulus (Distorted Humor) approaching the stretch, collared that rival midstretch and drew clear to earn his diploma by 1 1/4 lengths. Sales history: \$350,000 yrl '10 FTSAUG; \$470,000 2yo 2011 FTFFEB. [Click for the brisnet.com chart.](#) [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made Sales.](#) Lifetime Record: 5-1-0-1, \$37,940.

O-C R K Stable. B-Spendthrift Farm LLC (KY). T-John W Sadler.

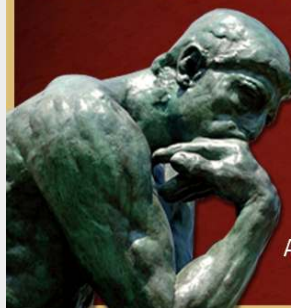
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INDUSTRY INFO

TCA Awards \$597,258 in Grants:*Edited Press Release*

Thoroughbred Charities of America (TCA) announced yesterday grants totaling \$597,258 have been awarded to 82 Thoroughbred industry-related non-profits that work to uphold TCA's mission. TCA distributes grants to several categories of Thoroughbred industry related nonprofits including rescue, rehabilitation and adoption organizations as well as education and backstretch programs, therapeutic riding programs and research organizations. Grant applications for the 2013 grant cycle will be available on www.tca.org in early January. "TCA is thrilled to once again assist so many charities that are doing such great work", said TCA President Dan Rosenberg. "TCA's grants wouldn't be possible if not for the generosity of our many donors and supporters; we are extremely grateful for their support." Over the past 22 years TCA has distributed grants to more than 200 charities that work to fulfill TCA's mission.

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[Par Four Overnight S.](#) The Absolute One (Songandaprayer) goes two-for-two.

[5th-BEL \(\\$70K, Msw\)](#) Funfair earns "TDN Rising Star" status.

[3rd-BEL \(\\$72K Alw\)](#) Inflation Target (Tapit) comes from off the pace to score.

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First-crop starters to watch: Friday, July 13

Sire (Sire's Sire), current farm, 2009 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/
BlackTypeWnrs * Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)

BELGRAVIA (Mr. Greeley), Hartley DeRenzo, \$5K, 29/0/0

1-CBY, Msw, 5f, +Zephyr Wind, 3-1

BROTHER DEREK (Benchmark), Airdrie, \$10K, 42/0/0

7-LAD, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Brother Day, \$6K TEX APR 2yo, 6-1

HARLINGTON (Unbridled), Hill N Dale, \$10K, 47/0/0

6-ELP, Msw, 1mT, Harling's Darling, \$72K FTK JUL yrl, 15-1

HEATSEEKER (IRE) (Giant's Causeway), Hill N Dale, \$20K, 59/0/0

6-ELP, Msw, 1mT, Mame's Flame, \$18K KEE SEP yrl, 12-1

PRIVATE VOW (Broken Vow), Red River Farms, \$2K, 65/1/0

7-LAD, Msw, 5 1/2f, Major Vow, 12-1

RUN AWAY AND HIDE (City Zip), Darby Dan, \$8K, 54/1/0

2-EVD, Msw, 5fT, +Mr D's Runaway, \$5K RNA TEX AUG yrl, 10-1

First/Second-crop starters to watch: Friday, July 13

Sire (Sire's Sire), current farm, 2008 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/
BlackTypeWnrs * Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)

AFTER MARKET (Storm Cat), Lane's End, \$30K, 165/36/3

2-EVD, Msw, 5fT, +Bacardi Cat Run, \$35K OBS APR 2yo, 4-1

ENGLISH CHANNEL (Smart Strike), Lane's End, \$25K, 161/38/6

2-EVD, Msw, 5fT, +Big Blue Sky, \$22K RNA BAR MAR 2yo, 8-1

SOUTHERN SUCCESS (Dixieland Band), \$, \$, 31/4/0

6-PEN, Msw, 6f, +Southern Parfait, 15-1

STORMELLO (Stormy Atlantic), Vinery, \$15K, 64/14/0

4-LAD, Msw, 7 1/2fT, +Miss Behaved, \$20K TEX APR 2yo, 15-1

WILD DESERT (Wild Rush), McMahon, \$8K, 71/5/1

7-LAD, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Desert Catcher, 4-1

7-LAD, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Old Pal of Mine, 4-1

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EUROPE



ALANDI RETURNS TO EUROPE Alandi (Ire)

(Galileo {Ire}--Aliya {Ire}, by Darshaan {GB}) will return to Europe after a deal brokered by Hubie De Burgh and Dermot Farrington was completed. The 7-year-old was purchased by Farrington Bloodstock on behalf of undisclosed clients. Alandi, who won the 2009 G1 Irish St Leger and G1 Prix du Cadran, was exported to Australia in 2009. Stud plans have not been finalized. "Alandi's new owners have not committed to a stud farm for 2013, however, their intention is to stand the horse in Europe," commented Dermot Farrington. "He moves beautifully has great bone and a lovely temperament. When you take into account the great job Sixties Icon (Galileo {Ire}) is doing, anything is possible from this sire line."

BRITAIN



Friday, Newbury, post time: 3:25 p.m.

ROSE BOWL S. - SPONSORED BY COMPTON BEAUCHAMP

ESTATES LTD-Listed, £23,000, 2yo, 6f 8ydsT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER
1	2	Boomshackerlacker (Ire)	Dark Angel (Ire)	Cosgrave	Baker
2	5	Euxton Hall (Ire)	Acclamation (GB)	D Nolan	Fahey
3	6	Living Desert (GB)	Oasis Dream (GB)	Milczarek	Toller
4	4	Master of War (GB)	Compton Place (GB)	Dobbs	Hannon
5	3	Rhamnus (GB)	Sakhee's Secret	R Hughes	Hannon
6	1	All On Red (Ire)	Red Clubs (Ire)	Donohoe	Coles

All carry 126 pounds, bar All On Red, 121.

Yesterday's Results:

Newmarket, 14.25, Hcp, £50,000, 3yo, 1 1/4mT, 2:09.11, sf.

STATURE (IRE) (g, 3, [Montjeu {Ire}](#)--Pescia {Ire} {GSP-Fr}, by Darshaan {GB}), off the mark over 10 furlongs at Windsor July 1, started at 12-1 and raced in a prominent second throughout the early stages. Hard at work passing the half-mile marker, the 28,000gns TATOCT yearling ground his way to the front with 1 1/2 furlongs remaining and drew away to best Silver Blaze (GB) (Haafhd {GB}) by 1 3/4 lengths. "He settles well when he's allowed to bowl and he's improving now," trainer Andrew Balding commented. "The hood works for him and he was gelded over the winter, as he was very difficult last year. He'll definitely get a mile and a half and there is a nice handicap in him somewhere." [Video, courtesy Racing UK](#). Lifetime Record: 6-2-1-0, £43,462.

O-N Botica; B-Barronstown Stud; T-Andrew Balding.



OBSERVATIONS

on today's European racing scene

3.35 Newmarket, £10,000, Mdn, 2yo, 7fT

AFONSO DE SOUSA ([Henrythenavigator](#)) shipped over from Ireland to take part in this maiden won in recent times by the smart performers Rio de la Plata (Rahy) and Native Khan (Fr) (Azamour {Ire}). Derrick Smith's \$300,000 KEESEP half-brother to Big Brown (Boundary), saddled by Aidan O'Brien, bids to build on an encouraging debut third in a six-furlong maiden at The Curragh last month. He meets some promising newcomers, including Philip Newton's **Evangelist** (GB) ([Oasis Dream](#) {GB}), a son of the 2007 G2 Park Hill S. winner Hi Calypso (Ire) (In the Wings {GB}).

4.10 Newmarket, £10,000, Mdn, 3yo, 1 1/4mT

LEO LUNA (GB) ([Galileo](#) {Ire}) makes his belated debut for the long-established Khalid Abdullah-Sir Michael Stoute partnership responsible for this colt's three-parts brother Sea Moon (GB) (Beat Hollow {GB}). Alongside that GI BC Turf runner-up and G2 Great Voltigeur S. and G2 Hardwicke S. winner, this homebred is also closely related to the 2003 G1 St Leger hero Brian Boru (GB) (Sadler's Wells), so should ultimately need further than this 10-furlong trip.

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British report cont.

Newmarket, 16.05, Cond, £15,000, 3yo, 1mT, 1:41.60, sf.

SOVEREIGN DEBT (IRE) (c, 3, Dark Angel {Ire}--Kelsey Rose {GB} {MSP-Eng}, by Most Welcome {GB}), a 105,000gns TATOCT yearling, caught the eye after a troubled trip when finishing strongly to be three-lengths back in ninth in the G3 Jersey S. at Royal Ascot June 20 and was waited with in rear early. Switched to the outer for his run, the 11-8 pick swooped on Mukhadram (GB) (Shamardal) with a furlong remaining and stayed on to score by two lengths. The winner is a half-brother to Puff (Camacho {GB}, GSW-Eng, \$126,421). [Video, courtesy Racing UK](#). Lifetime Record: 9-4-1-0, £35,127. O-Lawrie Inman; B-Yeomanstown Stud; T-Michael Bell.

Newmarket, 15.35, Mdn, £10,000, 2yo, f, 6fT, 1:14.34, sf.
+ **CERTIFY** (f, 2, [Elusive Quality](#)--Please Sign In {SW, \$324,446}, by Doc's Leader), sent off at 10-1 in the maiden won by the operation's ultimately disappointing ☆ **"TDN Rising Star"** ☆ Desert Gazelle (Smart Strike) 12 months ago, was reserved towards the rear early. Making progress down the center of the track, the \$80,000 KEESEP yearling responded to some cracks to seize the advantage with a furlong remaining en route to a convincing three-length success from Pearl Sea (Ire) (Elusive City). Likely favorite Fleeting Smile (Distorted Humor), the daughter of Fleet Indian (Indian Charlie), was scratched due to the soft ground. Certify is a half-sister to Cry and Catch Me (Street Cry {Ire}, GISW, \$226,480). [Video, courtesy Racing UK](#). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, £6,469. O-Godolphin; B-Hurstland Farm Inc, William Kartoziyan & Darley; T-Mahmood Al Zarooni.

Doncaster, 14.40, Mdn, £3,500, 2yo, 6fT, 1:15.40, sf.
A CERTAIN ROMANCE (GB) (c, 2, **Invincible Spirit** {Ire}-**Tiger's Gene** {Ger}, by **Perugino**), runner-up on debut over six furlongs at Yarmouth June 28, was sent off the 8-11 favorite and raced prominently on the stand's side early. In front with a quarter mile remaining, the 58,000gns TATDEC weanling and 40,000gns TATOCT yearling was passed by Burning Dawn (Bernstein) inside the final furlong, but rallied to regain the advantage close to home and score by a neck. [Video, courtesy Racing UK](#). Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, £2,938. O-Joseph Barton; B-Peter Gleeson and Irish National Stud; T-Peter Chapple-Hyam.

Wednesday's Late Result:

Kempton Park, 20.20, Hcp, £6,300, 3yo/up, 1 3/8m (AWT), 2:18.49, stn.

SILENT MOMENT (f, 3, [Giant's Causeway](#)--Mari's Sheba {GISP, \$131,432}, by **Mari's Book**), who bagged a 10-furlong maiden here last time June 20, settled in a handy fourth after the early exchanges of this handicap bow. Cruising upsides the leaders soon after turning for home, the 7-4 chalk quickened into another county approaching the final eighth and geared right down inside the last 100 yards to score by a facile four lengths from Huff and Puff (GB) (Azamour {Ire}). Silent Moment is a half-sister to Congaree (Arazi, MGISW, \$3,267,490); Sangaree (Awesome Again, SW & GISP, \$369,710). Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-0, £7,044. O-Godolphin; B-Darley; T-Saeed bin Suroor.

IRELAND



PRESIDENT HIGGINS EXPECTED FOR OAKS

President Michael Higgins and his wife Sabina will attend the G1 Darley Irish Oaks at The Curragh this Sunday. The President will present the trophies to the connections of the Oaks winner.

Yesterday's Results:

Dundalk, 14.55, Mdn, €10,500, 3yo, 6f (AWT), 1:11.71, stn.

STRIKE ACTION (GB) (f, 3, **Pivotal** {GB}--**Princess Manila**, by **Manila**), a 52,000gns TATDEC weanling and 100,000gns TATOCT yearling, was tried in group company at two and came here on the back of a second in a seven-furlong Dundalk handicap May 2. Restrained off the early pace, the 11-4 crowd's choice worked her way to the front with 100 yards remaining and asserted to score by 3/4 of a length from Feathers and Bows (Street Cry {Ire}). [Video, courtesy attheraces.com](#). Lifetime Record: 5-1-1-1, €9,805. O-Gigginstown House Stud; B-Card Bloodstock; T-David Wachman.

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Irish report cont.

Dundalk, 18.05, Mdn, €8,500, 3yo/up, 10f 150yds (AWT), 2:14.20, stn.

JESSIE JANE (IRE) (f, 3, [Dylan Thomas {Ire}](#)--Silver Skates {Ire}, by Slip Anchor {GB}) was third behind the eventual Oaks heroine Was (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) on debut in a mile maiden at The Curragh in August before filling the same spot behind the subsequent G1 Poule d'Essai des Poulisches bridesmaid Up (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) in a similar event here in September. Rank early before being handed a lead, the 4-7 favorite took over with a quarter mile remaining and held on to score by 3/4 of a length from Knight of Bangkok (GB) (Lahib). Jessie Jane is a half-sister to Icon Dream (Ire) (Sadler's Wells, GSP-Eng). Sales history: €20,000 RNA yrl '10 GOFSP.

[Video, courtesy attheraces.com](#). Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-2, €8,265.

O-Elaine Slattery; B-Ailesbury Bloodstock; T-David Wachman.

FRANCE



Yesterday's Result:

Chantilly, 16.10, Mdn, €24,000, unraced 3yo, 1 1/8mT, 1:56.22, sf.

+ **MYPRECIOUSBLUE (GB) (f, 3, [Peintre Celebre](#)--Pony Girl {Ire} {SP-Fr}, by Darshaan {GB})** settled at the back of the bunch for most of this first go. Rowed along passing the two pole, the 43-10 chance challenged wide entering the final eighth and quickened well to assert by 2 1/2 lengths from Maria Lucia (Ire) (Footstepsinthesand {GB}). Spiral Sea (Ire) (Hard Spun), a half-sister to Miss Finland (Aus) (Redoute's Choice {Aus}), was under pressure on the home turn and kept on at one pace in the straight to finish 10th. [Click for Equidia video](#). Lifetime Record: 1 start, 1 win, €12,000.

O/B-Wertheimer & Frere; T-Andre Fabre.

ASIA



Wednesday's Results:

JAPAN DIRT DERBY, Oi, 7-11, 3yo, 2000m, 2:05.3, gd.

1--**#HATANO VAINQUEUR (JPN), 123, c, 3, King Kamehameha (Jpn)--Hatano Plie (Jpn), by Brian's Time.** O/B-Good Luck Farm; T-Mitsugu Kon; J-Hirofumi Shii; ¥45,000,000. Lifetime Record: 7-5-0-0, ¥93,616,000.

2--**Trip (Jpn), 123, c, 3, Kurofune--Be Positive (Jpn), by Sunday Silence.**

3--**Art Sahara (Jpn), 123, c, 3, Manhattan Cafe (Jpn)--Art Roman (Jpn), by Russian Roubles.**

Margins: 1, 3, HF. Odds: 2.90, 6.10, 44.90.

BREEDERS' EDITION AMERICA

BLACK-TYPE RESULTS:

FLORENCE HENDERSON S., \$88,650, IND, 7-11, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:44, fm.

1--**#DREAMIN BIG, 123, f, 4, [Pure Prize](#)--Hush U**

Dreamer, by Roar. O-Penny S Lauer; B/T-Michael E & Penny S Lauer (IN); J-Francisco C Torres; \$49,469. Lifetime Record: 13-5-8-0, \$262,605.

2--**Keeneland Act, 123, f, 4, Grey Beard--Actress, by Academy Award.** (\$3,500 yrl '09 KEEJAN). O-Larry & Charlene Whitaker. \$16,490.

3--**Princess Gone Wild, 123, f, 4, Wild Zone--Windsor Princess (Ire), by Woods of Windsor.** O-Respite Farm. \$9,069.

Margins: HF, 4 1/4, 1 1/4. Odds: 0.60, 10.20, 4.00.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

12th-IND, \$60,001, 7-11, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:09 4/5, ft.

ST. MAXIMUS GATO (g, 5, Tactical Cat--Religious Colony, by Cherokee Colony) Lifetime Record: GSP, 14-4-2-3, \$179,321. O-Robert J Hunt. B-Barney & Ann Gallagher (IL). T-Donald F Hunt. *\$15,000 yrl '08 FTKOCT. **1/2 to Fight Girl (Fit to Fight), SW, \$111,544.

7th-WOX, \$56,084, NW3L, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:41 3/5, fm.

NIIGON'S PRINCESS (f, 4, Niigon--Victoria Princess, by Bold Executive) Lifetime Record: 18-3-4-2, \$169,261. O-Ellie Boje Farm, Jim & Jean MacLellan. B-George Bigliardi (ON). T-Ian Black. *\$37,136 yrl '09 ONTSEP.

7th-APX, \$54,560, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000), NW2\$X, 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f (AWT), 1:17 3/5, ft.

ALGONQUIN POSSE (f, 4, [Posse](#)--Lasqueti Island, by Cure the Blues) Lifetime Record: SP, 13-5-3-2, \$181,214. O-William Stiritz. B-Lee Rattray (IL). T-Scott Becker. *\$18,000 yrl '09 OBSAUG.

8th-APX, \$54,560, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000), NW2\$X, 3yo/up, f/m, a5 1/2fT, 1:04 4/5, fm.

REMEMBERMEALWAYS (f, 3, Whywhywhy--Chocolate Tale, by Tale of the Cat) Lifetime Record: SP, 13-6-1-3, \$190,974. O-Tom Rinaudo. B-Mike Reavis & Mark Triffler (IL). T-Kim Lunsford.

7th-BHP, \$52,700, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), NW1\$X, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6fT, 1:10, fm.

TASTY TREAT (f, 3, Roar--Vividora, by American Chance) Lifetime Record: 9-3-3-1, \$101,694. O-Cunningham Stable. B-John J Greely III (CA). T-Michael Pender. *\$20,000 RNA yrl '10 KEESEP; \$30,000 2yo '11 BESMAY.

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3rd-PID, \$48,585, 3yo/up, 6f (AWT), 1:10, ft.
GRAND OLD GAME (c, 4, [Grand Slam](#)--National Pastime, by Polish Numbers) Lifetime Record: 12-5-1-1, \$138,650. O-R Larry Johnson. B-Chain Bridge Stable (PA). T-Michael J Trombetta. *\$45,000 yrl '09 FTKJUL.

9th-IND, \$44,641, 7-11, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), NW1X, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10 1/5, ft.
MAN OF MIRACLES (g, 5, [Lost Soldier](#)--Brave and True, by Fappiano) Lifetime Record: 6-3-3-0, \$98,121. O/B-Reese Ranch (IN). T-Richard B Kohnhorst. *1/2 to Are N Aide (Vision and Verse), SP, \$133,081.

4th-PEN, \$40,000, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:42 4/5, fm.
INCISIVE STRIKE (g, 5, [Smart Strike](#)--With Patience {MSW & MGSP, \$393,094}, by With Approval) Lifetime Record: 16-3-2-3, \$106,841. O/T-Elizabeth M Merryman. B-Timothy J Gardner & Elizabeth Merryman (PA).

4th-PEN, \$37,440, 7-11, NW1X, 3yo/up, 5fT, :57, fm.
GOLDEN WHEELS (g, 3, [Limehouse](#)--Divine, by Topsider) Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-1, \$39,540. O-Michele C Sanger. B-Elizabeth Jones Valando (KY). T-Ann W Merryman. *\$7,500 wlng '09 KEENOV; \$10,000 yrl '10 FTMOCT; \$9,500 RNA yrl '10 FTMOCT.

13th-IND, \$36,000, 7-11, NW2L, (S), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:12 1/5, ft.
MINI MINE MO (g, 3, [Giacomo](#)--Mrs. P Minister {SW, \$169,413}, by Proud Appeal) Lifetime Record: 5-2-1-1, \$54,990. O-Merrill R Scherer, Dan J Lynch & Ken Sentel. B-Swifty Farms Inc (IN). T-Merrill R Scherer. *\$13,000 yrl '10 KEESEP. *1/2 to Montana Cat (Mountain Cat), MSP, \$199,817; Van Minister (With Approval), GSW, \$121,510.

7th-SAC, \$35,330, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), NW1\$X, 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:04 2/5, ft.
YUMA THURMAN (f, 3, [Sea of Secrets](#)--Queens Over Jacks {SP}, by K One King) Lifetime Record: 8-3-2-1, \$57,654. O/B-Bill Barenholtz & Pat Conner (CA). T-Rene Amescua.

7th-DEL, \$32,950, Opt. Clm. (\$16,000), NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, a1 1/16mT, 1:46 3/5, fm.
GRANT PARK (f, 4, [Action This Day](#)--Fickle Fate {MSW, \$153,080}, by Majestic Light) Lifetime Record: 15-3-3-1, \$77,340. O/B/T-Ann W Merryman (MD). *\$15,000 RNA yrl '09 FTMOCT.

9th-EVD, \$31,000, 7-11, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11 2/5, gd.
MISTY LADY (f, 4, [K One King](#)--Mist of Honour, by Honour and Glory) Lifetime Record: 17-4-3-3, \$95,541. O-Kenneth Powers. B-Save Crowe (LA). T-Karl Broberg.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Miss Goodthing, f, 2, [Closing Argument](#)--Thunder Lure, by Thunder Gulch. LAD, 7-12, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:05 3/5. B-Heiligbrodt Racing Stable (LA). *\$2,000 yrl '11 TEXAUG; \$39,000 2yo '12 TEXMAR. *SP.

Ruler of the Tribe, f, 2, [Tribal Rule](#)--Easy Going Dixie (SP), by Dixieland Heat. BHP, 7-12, (S), (C), 5f (AWT), 1:00. B-Gary Barber (CA).

For the Win, f, 3, [Congrats](#)--First Interview, by Private Interview. CRC, 7-12, 6f, 1:12 1/5. B-Cloverleaf Farms II LLC (FL). *\$24,000 yrl '10 FTKOCT; \$35,000 2yo '11 OBSMAR.

First Face, f, 3, [Macho Uno](#)--Miss Turlington, by Seattle Slew. FLX, 7-12, 1m, 1:43 3/5. B-Dr William B Wilmot and Dr Joan M Taylor (NY). *\$49,000 RNA yrl '10 FTNAUG. **1/2 to Incurable Optimist (Cure The Blues), GSW, \$271,309; Feisty Step (Coronado's Quest), GSP; Cervinio (Elusive Quality), GSP-Fr.

Mucho Macho Uno, g, 3, [Macho Uno](#)--Wage a Penny (SW), by Valid Wager. LAD, 7-12, 1m70y (off turf), 1:45. B-Dixiana Stables Inc (KY). *\$9,000 yrl '10 KEESEP. **1/2 to Vow To Wager (Broken Vow), SW & GSP, \$163,324.

Santa Strega, f, 3, [Not For Love](#)--Bellastrega, by Deputy Minister. PID, 7-12, 6f (AWT), 1:12 1/5. B-John Perrotta & Ed Mercaldo (KY).

The Great Bandini, g, 4, [Bandini](#)--Carsonality (SW, \$121,288), by Carson City. PEN, 7-12, 5fT, :56 2/5. B-Gaines-Gentry Thoroughbreds & Tres Vinos Farm (KY). *\$4,700 yrl '09 KEEJAN. **1/2 to Larrys Revenge (Vindication), GSP.

Mr. Chartbuster, g, 4, [Castledale \(Ire\)](#)--Summer Theatre, by Ide. WOX, 7-11, (C), 6 1/2fT, 1:15 2/5. B-David G Lovlie (AB). *1/2 to Dean's Kitten (Kitten's Joy), GSW & MGISP, \$802,950.

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CONDITIONS RESULTS:

FRANCE, Chantilly, 15.35, €37,000, 3yo, 6 1/2f (AWT), 1:17.25, sf.

ABU SIDRA (FR) (c, 3, [Shirocco](#) {Ger}--Mary Doun {Fr}, by Smadoun {Fr}) Lifetime Record: 7 starts, 4 wins, 2 places, €53,900. O-Mubarak Al Naemi; B-B Jeffroy, J C Leclerc, P Le Baut & P Cochard; T-Jean-Francois Bernard. *€37,000 yrl '10 ARQAUG; €60,000 2yo '11 ARQMAY.

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France:	Claude Beniada
Germany:	Christa Riebel
Ireland:	Dave Keena
Italy:	Giorgio Barsotti



ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Tyrannitar (Ity), c, 2, **Aussie Rules--Isili**, by Air Express (Ire). Naples, Italy, 7-11, Mdn, 2yo, 5fT. B-Azienda Agricola Valle Falcone.

Panzerotta (Ire), f, 2, **Captain Marvelous (Ire)**--Saviolo (GB), by Rossini. Grosseto, Italy, 7-11, Cond, 2yo, 5fT. B-Brian Delahunt. *£5,000 RNA yrl '11 DONAUG. **Third winner for freshman sire (by Invincible Spirit {Ire}).

Snow Angel (Ire), f, 2, **Danehill Dancer (Ire)**--Snowy Day in LA (Ire), by Sadler's Wells. Folkestone, Britain, 7-12, Mdn, 2yo, f, 5fT. B-Barronstown Stud. *1/2 to Snowflake Dancer (Ire) (Dylan Thomas {Ire}), MSP-Ire.

Hipster (GB), g, 2, **Kingsalsa--Hip (GB)**, by Pivotal (GB). Epsom, Britain, 7-12, Mdn, 2yo, 6fT. B-Cheveley Park Stud Ltd. *7,200gns wnlg '10 TATDEC; 20,000gns yrl '11 TATOCT.

Avantage (Fr), c, 2, **Layman--Territorial (GB)**, by Selkirk. Chantilly, France, 7-12, Mdn, 2yo, c/g, 7fT. B-Investment AB Rustningen.

Holy Dazzle (GB), f, 2, **Sunday Break (Jpn)**--Belle Alicia (Fr), by Smadoun (Fr). Chantilly, France, 7-12, Mdn, 2yo, f, 7fT. B-SCEA des Prairies. *€25,000 yrl '11 ARQOCT.

Stirring Ballad (GB), f, 3, **Compton Place (GB)**--Balnaha (GB), by Lomond. Folkestone, Britain, 7-12, Mdn, 3yo, 7fT. B-George Strawbridge. *1/2 to Balisada (GB) (Kris {GB}), G1SW-Eng, \$287,108.

Prewar (GB), f, 3, **Dubai Destination--Antebellum (Fr)**, by Anabaa. Chantilly, France, 7-12, Mdn, 3yo, 1 3/16m (AWT). B-Bloomsbury Stud. *7,000gns yrl '10 TATOCT.

Shelford (Ire), g, 3, **Galileo (Ire)**--Lyrical (GB), by Shirley Heights (GB). Leopardstown, Ireland, 7-12, Mdn, 3yo/up, 1 1/2mT. B-Brittis & Minch Bloodstock.

Colliding Worlds (Ire), f, 3, **High Chaparral (Ire)**--Wee Mad Snout (Ire), by Soviet Star. Leopardstown, Ireland, 7-12, Mdn, 3yo/up, 1 1/8mT. B-Thistle Bloodstock Limited.

Macchiara (GB), f, 3, **Medicean (GB)**--Castaway Queen (Ire), by Selkirk. Doncaster, Britain, 7-12, Mdn, 3yo/up, 6fT. B-Horizon Bloodstock Limited. *32,000gns yrl '10 TATOCT.

Shamora (Fr), f, 3, **Oratorio (Ire)**--Shamsada (Ire), by Kahyasi (Ire). Leopardstown, Ireland, 7-12, Mdn, 3yo/up, f/m, 7fT. B-M Russell MacNaab. *5,000gns RNA yrl '11 TATAPR.

Elasyaaf (Fr), c, 3, **Shamardal--Policalle (Fr)**, by Poliglote (GB). Chantilly, France, 7-12, Mdn, 3yo, 1 5/16m (AWT). B-Yves Elliot. *€95,000 yrl '10 ARQOCT.



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