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## ‘COMMAND’ POINTED TO COX PLATE

Australian-based owners Kevin and Colleen Bamford and American owner David Bernsen have purchased a stake in G1 Hollywood Derby winner **Unbridled Command** (Master Command) from Lewis Lakin and will send the 4-year-old on an international campaign to include the A\$3-million G1 Cox Plate in October. The Bamfords were part-owners of G1 Melbourne Cup hero American (Dynaformer). Trained for Lakin by Tom Bush, the 16.2-hands gray colt raced through his New York-bred conditions before registering a breakthrough success in the GII Saranac S. at Saratoga Sept. 2. He thrashed older state-bred rivals by nearly seven lengths in the Oct. 20 Mohawk S. at Belmont prior to defeating Grandeur (Ire) (Verglas {Ire}) by 1 1/2 solid lengths at Hollywood Nov. 25. Unbridled Command is penciled in to make his 2013 debut against Animal Kingdom (Leroidesanimaux {Brz}) and Point of Entry (Dynaformer) in the G1 Gulfstream Park Turf H. Feb. 9. Following that race, Unbridled Command will be sent to England, where he will be trained by Ed Dunlop with an eye on Royal Ascot and the Cox Plate and Hong Kong later in the season. Dunlop has successfully campaigned the likes of Ouija Board (GB) and Snow Fairy (Ire) on the international stage and also conditions 2011 Melbourne Cup runner-up Red Cadeaux (GB), recent winner of the G1 Hong Kong Vase. “I am thrilled to have been asked to train Unbridled Command,” Dunlop said in a release from Racing Victoria. “He has already proved himself to be a top-class horse in America who has shown he can travel across the country and win impressively, and I am hoping that he will be able to continue this in Europe and ultimately in Australia.” At this point, Unbridled Command is not considered a Melbourne Cup candidate. The Bamfords and Bernsen intend to be represented in the event by U.S. Grade III winner Kindergarden Kid (Dynaformer).



Unbridled Command winning the Hollywood Derby *Benoit photo*

## JEROME, SHAM KICK OFF THE NEW YEAR

The 3-year-old graded stakes season gets underway today on both coasts, with the running of the GII Jerome S. at Aqueduct and the GIII Sham S. at Santa Anita. The Jerome, at one time a fixture on the fall stakes schedule and moved forward from an April date in 2012, is missing Gulfport (Unbridled’s Song) from Florida, but has attracted an interesting octet, highlighted by Pick Six Racing’s **Vyjack** (Into Mischief) and **Mudflats** (Tapit), impressive in winning his maiden Dec. 8 and a recent private purchase by Little Red Feather Racing. A field of six is expected to face the starter in the Sham, led by



**Vyjack**  
*Adam Coglianese*

★ **"TDN Rising Star"** ★ **Goldencents** (Into Mischief), winner of two of his three trips to the post, including a front-running victory in the GIII Delta Jackpot S. Nov. 17. His lone career defeat came at the hands of pro-tem divisional leader Shanghai Bobby (Harlan’s Holiday) when shipped cross-country for the G1 Champagne S. at Belmont in early October. Trainer Bob Baffert, runner-up last year with Secret Circle (Eddington), will take two cracks at the Sham. **Manando** (Bluegrass Cat) was an impressive maiden winner at Hollywood last time Dec. 13, but must transfer synthetic form back to the main. **Den’s Legacy** (Medaglia d’Oro) landed the GIII Generous S. on turf and was a good third in the G1 CashCall Futurity Dec. 15, but also must prove that he can handle the dirt. **Previews cont. p3-4**

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Our coverage of next week's Keeneland January Horses of All Ages Sale kicks off in today's TDN, as Lucas Marquardt sits down with Patsy Symons. The New York-based owner will be represented by a pair of high-class fillies during Monday's opening session--Gitchee Goomie (City Zip) and Trix in the City (Friends Lake). "I have a small operation, and they're just both at the age where they need to go to the breeding shed," Symons commented.



**Patsy Symons**  
Adam Coglianesi

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## Selkirk Dies at 25



Lanwades Stud's stalwart stallion Selkirk (Sharpen Up {GB}--Annie Edge {Ire}, by Nebbiolo {GB}), who counts Group/Grade I winners Nahrain (GB) and Cityscape (GB) among his 90 black-type winners, passed away Thursday due to old age. "He was a wonderfully kind and co-operative character," said the stud's Kirsten Rausing. "We will greatly miss him, but his memory will live on, not only here at the stud, but throughout the thoroughbred industry in this country and abroad."

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**Can Vyjack See Out Jerome Distance?...**

**Vyjack** is one of two sons of Spendthrift's Into Mischief to take his shot at the Derby Trail this afternoon, and has been impressive in two tries at sprint distances. The \$100,000 Fasig-Tipton Midlantic juvenile acquisition was let go at 17-1 for his 6 1/2-furlong bow over the Aqueduct main track, but pounced from close range to best next-out winner Clawback (Put It Back) by 1 3/4 lengths. The form of that race was validated when the latter Beyered 89 in breaking his maiden next time out and Vyjack followed suit, posting a 96 Beyer in landing the Traskwood S. in the slop Dec. 9. But will he be able to handle the stretchout in trip this afternoon? His sire successfully negotiated two turns for the first time in the GI CashCall Futurity in 2007, but never routed again, winning the Damascus S. on the Breeders' Cup undercard in 2008 before running second in the GI Malibu S. Vyjack's dam, Life Happened is by a successful turf sprinter in Stravinsky, but produced GIII Coolmore Lexington S. runner-up and GII Peter Pan S. third Prime Cut to Bernstein, another Storm Cat-line stallion.

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**Vegas No Show** (Hard Spun) looms a sneaky player in here. Victorious in the Dover S. at Delaware Oct. 6, he was a good second to subsequent GISW Violence (Medaglia d'Oro) in the GIII Nashua S. Nov. 4. Blinkers went on for the Remsen, but they were clearly of no consequence, as he trailed in a distant last. The shades come off this afternoon.

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Saturday, Aqueduct, post time: 3:48 p.m. EST  
 JEROME S.-GII, \$200,000, 3yo, 1m70yds

PP HORSE	OWNER	BREEDER	TRAINER/JOCKEY	ML
1 <b>Siete de Oros</b> (A.P. Warrior--Crafty Sarah, by Crafty Friend)	Ramon Preciado	Glenn E Brok (PA)	Preciado A Arroyo	20-1
2 <b>Vyjack</b> (Into Mischief--Life Happened, by Stravinsky)	Pick Six Racing	Machmer Hall (KY)	Rodriguez Velasquez	2-1
3 <b>Long River</b> (A.P. Indy--Round Pond, by Awesome Again)	Darley Stable	Darley (KY)	McLaughlin Ortiz Jr	5-2
4 <b>Amerigo Vespucci</b> (Henrythenavigator--Senza Paura, by Fly Till Dawn)	Germania Farms Inc	Germania Farm (KY)	Tulloch Jr E Rodriguez	12-1
5 <b>Notacatbutallama</b> (Harlan's Holiday--Self Rising, by Hansel)	Repole Stable	Happy Hill Farm (NY)	Pletcher Dominguez	10-1
6 <b>Mudflats</b> (Tapit--Sunny Morning, by Tale of the Cat)	Little Red Feather Racing, et al	Gainesway Thoroughbreds (KY)	O'Neill Alvarado	3-1
7 <b>Vegas No Show</b> (Hard Spun--The Hess Express, by Lord Carson)	George & Lori Hall	Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings (KY)	Breen P Lopez	6-1
8 <b>James Jingle</b> (Harlan's Holiday--Unbridled Grace, by Unbridled Jet)	The Holly & Ivy Stable LLC	Mina Equivest LLC (NY)	Kelly Castro	30-1

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## SAN PASQUAL SWAN SONG FOR COIL

Karl Watson, Mike Pegram and Paul Weitman's **Coil** (Point Given), a two-time Grade I winner, makes his final career start in today's GII San Pasqual S. at Santa Anita before he retires to stud at Magali Farms in Santa Ynez, California. Campaigning primarily around two-turns as a sophomore last year, Coil won the GIII Affirmed H. over the Betfair Hollywood Park cushion track in June before his last-to-first victory in the GI Haskell Invitational at Monmouth Park. The Bob Baffert charge made a winning 4-year-old bow in an optional claiming event over the Del Mar Polytrack July 26, and recorded his second victory at the highest level in the GI Santa Anita Sprint Championship S. over this strip Oct. 6. After an unplaced effort in the GI Breeders' Cup Sprint at Santa Anita Nov. 3, Coil shipped cross-country for the GI Cigar Mile at Aqueduct Nov. 24. Although he could manage no better than third that day, he posted a respectable 105 Beyer Speed Figure for the effort, and in turn prepared for this final outing with a bullet five-furlong work in :58 2/5 over this track Dec. 29. Baffert also saddles **Jaycito** (Victory Gallop) and **Bank the Eight** (Distorted Humor). B J Wright's **Ultimate Eagle** (Mizzen Mast) boasts strong credentials here as the 120-pound highweight. The runaway winner of the GII Strub S. over this strip Feb. 4, Ultimate Eagle was 10th as the favorite in the GI Santa Anita H. Mar. 3 before being put on the shelf for nearly nine months. He returned with a second-place effort behind Data Link (War Front) in the GII Citation H. on the turf at Betfair Hollywood Park Nov. 23, and is likely to be better for that run.

Saturday, Santa Anita Park, post time: 6:36 p.m. EST

**SAN PASQUAL S.-GII**, \$150,000, 4yo/up, 1 1/16m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	ML
1	Jaycito	Victory Gallop	Leparoux	Baffert	5-1
2	Hoorayforhollywood	Storm Cat	Scr	Scr	Scr
3	Tres Borrachos	Ecton Park	Gomez	Jones	6-1
4	Ultimate Eagle	Mizzen Mast	Pedroza	Pender	5-2
5	John Scott	Bertrando	Espinoza	Gaines	3-1
6	Coil	Point Given	Garcia	Baffert	2-1
7	Bank the Eight	Distorted Humor	Bejarano	Baffert	8-1
8	Key Decision (Arg)	Not for Sale (Arg)	Maldonado	Avila	Scr
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## MAKING 'CENTS' OF THE SHAM

W C Racing, Dave Kenney and RAP Racing's **Goldencents** (Into Mischief) leads a group of six recently turned 3-year-olds in today's GIII Sham S. at Santa Anita. The bay earned **"TDN Rising Star"** status for a 7 1/4-length debut drubbing at Del Mar Sept. 2, and found only likely Eclipse Award recipient Shanghai Bobby (Harlan's Holiday) too good in the GI Champagne S. at Belmont Oct. 6. He was last seen annexing the \$1-million GIII Delta Downs Jackpot Nov. 17, and was flattered when third-place finisher Mylute (Midnight Lute) came back to take a Fair Grounds allowance by 10 3/4 lengths with a 94 Beyer Dec. 26 and ninth-place finisher Show Some Magic (Any Given Saturday) annexed the Dec. 23 Riley Allison Futurity.

Saturday, Santa Anita Park, post time: 4:31 p.m. EST

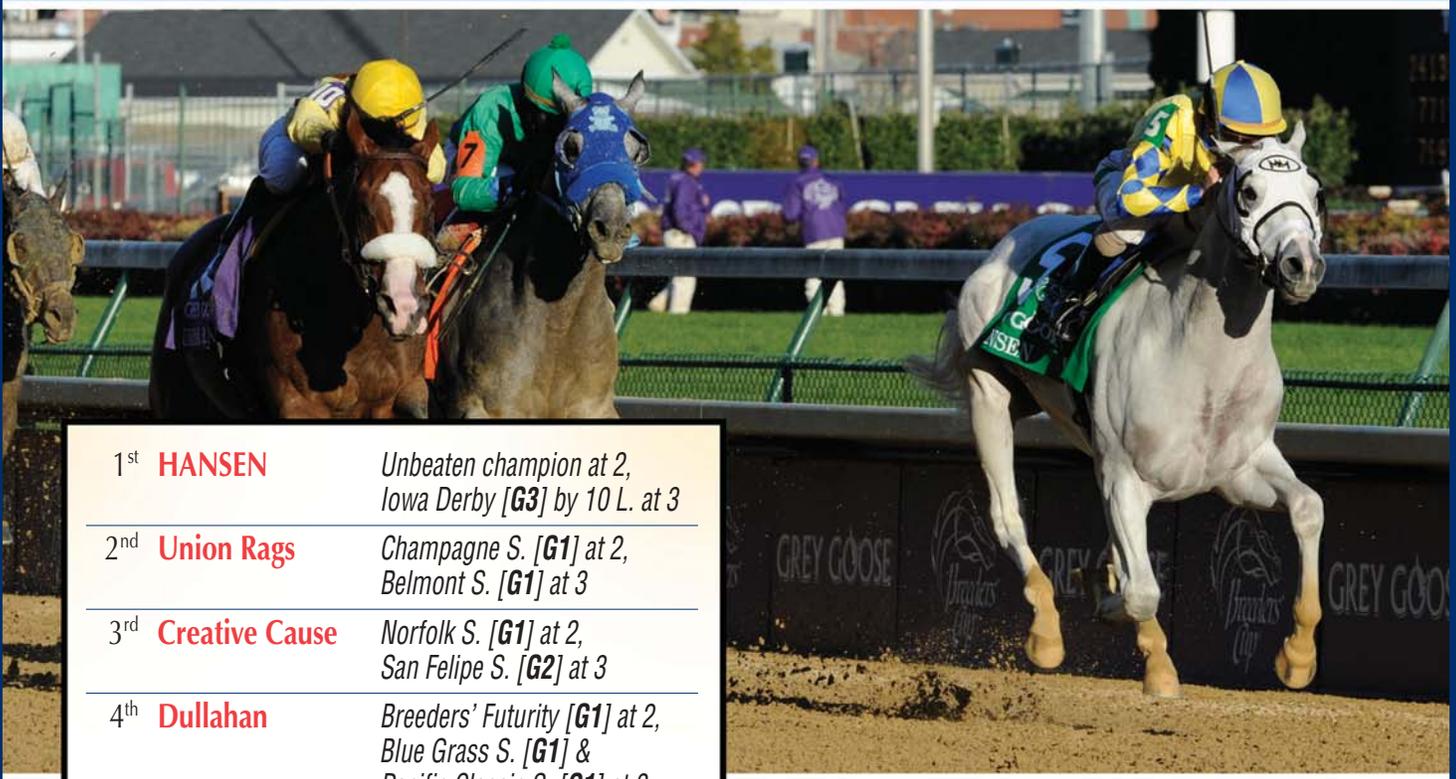
**SHAM S.-GIII**, \$100,000, 3yo, 1m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	ML
1	Den's Legacy	Medaglia d'Oro	Gomez	Baffert	3-1
2	Goldencents	Into Mischief	Krigger	O'Neill	4-5
3	Greeley Awesome	Mr. Greeley	Gutierrez	O'Neill	20-1
4	Dry Summer	Any Given Saturday	Talamo	Mullins	6-1
5	Dirty Swagg	Street Hero	Baze	Cho	12-1
6	Manando	Bluegrass Cat	Garcia	Baffert	3-1

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| 6 <sup>th</sup>  | <b>Crusade</b>          | Middle Park S. [G1] at 2  |
| 7 <sup>th</sup>  | <b>Fort Loudon</b>      | Carry Back S. [G3] at 3   |
| 8 <sup>th</sup>  | <b>Optimizer</b>        | Kent S. [G3] at 3   |
| 9 <sup>th</sup>  | <b>Speightscity</b>     |   |
| 10 <sup>th</sup> | <b>Drill</b>            | Del Mar Futurity [G1] at 2, San Vicente S. [G2] at 3                            |
| 11 <sup>th</sup> | <b>Alpha</b>            | Travers S. [G1] at 3  |
| 12 <sup>th</sup> | <b>Daddy Long Legs</b>  | Royal Lodge S. [G2] at 2, UAE Derby [G2] at 3                                   |
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**Sham S. cont.**

Goldencents shows back-to-back bullet six-furlong works at this track as he begins his quest to provide trainer Doug O'Neill with consecutive GI Kentucky Derby victories. O'Neill also trains **Greeley Awesome** (Mr. Greeley), who appears an outsider off a 9 1/4-length seventh-out graduation against \$40,000 claimers at Betfair Hollywood Park Nov. 30. Trainer Bob Baffert has a pair of chances as he seeks his first Sham title since Bob and John annexed the race in 2006. Westrock Stables's **Den's Legacy** (Medaglia d'Oro) returns to this surface for the first time since finishing fifth in the GI FrontRunner S. Oct. 8. Second in the Breeders' Cup Juvenile Turf Sprint Preview S. here Nov. 3, the bay grabbed the GIII Generous S. going long on the Betfair Hollywood turf Nov. 24. He was third behind Violence (Medaglia d'Oro) last time in the GI CashCall Futurity in Inglewood Dec. 15. Kaleem Shah's **Manando** (Bluegrass Cat) may offer some upside after graduating in career start number four last time on the stretch-out at Hollywood Dec. 13. He was third in a trio of sprints before that.

**Saturday, Gulfstream Park, post time: 5:05 p.m. EST**

**MARSHUA'S RIVER S.-GIII**, \$100,000, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	ML
1	Leading Astray	Belong to Me	Lezcano	Block	3-1
2	Chokurei (Ire)	Bertolini	Bravo	Frostad	6-1
3	Frolic's Revenge	Vindication	Saez	Wolfson	12-1
4	Affair Dabblers (K)	Star Dabblers	Santana	Kassen	12-1
5	Heavenly Landing (K)	Pulpit	Lanerie	Kenneally	4-1
6	Channel Lady (K)	English Channel	Castellano	Pletcher	8-1
7	Frontside (K)	War Front	Rosario	Caramori	8-1
8	Filare L'oro (K)	Hard Spun	Garcia	Pino	20-1
9	Hard Not to Like	Hard Spun	Rocco Jr	Matz	8-1
10	Fantasy of Flight (K)	Tiznow	Velazquez	Dutrow Jr	8-1

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**'Bobby', Violence on Track for Gulfstream Stakes...**

Two of trainer Todd Pletcher's most promising 3-year-olds, GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile winner **Shanghai Bobby** (Harlan's Holiday) and GI CashCall Futurity victor **Violence** (Medaglia d'Oro) are on track for the GIII Holy Bull S. Jan. 26 and the GII Fountain of Youth S. Feb. 26, respectively.



**Shanghai Bobby (right)** Benoit photo

"The Breeders' Cup Juvenile winner shouldn't have to worry about gaining points," Pletcher said of Shanghai Bobby's standing in the new points system for Kentucky Derby qualification. "But the rule is the rule, and everyone knows about it before the game starts." As for Violence, the conditioner stated that he's "been impressed with all three of his races." "For a maiden to run as well as he did first time out at seven-eighths at Saratoga, I was impressed with that," he continued. "He had a break, then came back to step up to a mile in the [GII] Nashua [S. at Aqueduct Nov. 4], then flew all the way to California and ran on a synthetic track for the first time. He's been very impressive so far. He's a big, leggy colt who is starting to fill out and grow into himself. He's got a wonderful disposition and a great mind. He's an easy horse to train."



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# RACETRACK ROUND-UP

## Animal Kingdom Gearing Up for Stateside Finale...

**Animal Kingdom** (Leroidesanimaux {Brz}), the 2011 GI Kentucky Derby last seen finishing a gallant runner-up to Horse of the Year candidate **Wis Dan** (Wiseman's Ferry) in the GI Breeders' Cup Mile, is doing well as he approaches what is likely to be his final American start in the GI Gulfstream Park Turf H. Feb. 9.



**Animal Kingdom** Adam Coglianesse

"Everything is going well," trainer **Graham Motion** commented. "Next week, he'll have a breeze, and we're on track for the Turf H. That's the plan still. We have a schedule, and I hope we can keep it."

The 5-year-old chestnut is scheduled to ship to Dubai for the G1 Dubai World Cup Mar. 30 and will likely remain in Europe thereafter.

"If he runs well in Dubai, we might take him to England and run him over there. Most likely he'll have three races," Motion added.

Team Valor International recently sold a majority interest in the Animal Kingdom's breeding rights to John Messara's Arrowfield Stud in Australia, where he will begin stallion duties in September.

## Csaba Aims Toward Hal's Hope...

**Csaba** (Kitten's Joy), recent winner of Gulfstream's Harlan's Holiday S. Dec. 15 is projected to make his next start in the one-mile GIII Hal's Hope S. Jan. 13. "I like the turn back," trainer **Phil Gleaves** said. "If all goes well in the Hal's Hope, the [GI] Donn H. [Feb. 9] would be next on the radar." The 4-year-old ran on the turf earlier in his career, but has rolled to three straight wins since exclusively running on the dirt, including a dead-heat finish with **Ducduc** (Langfuhr) in Calder's GIII Fred W. Hooper H. Nov. 24.

## Canadian Champion Tu Endie Wei Dies...

**Brereton Jones's** homebred **Tu Endie Wei** (Johar), the Champion 2-year-old filly of 2011 in Canada, died Dec. 24 while undergoing surgery for fibrous adhesions, according to published reports. Trained throughout her career by **Reade Baker**, Tu Endie Wei won the My Dear S. in her career debut at Woodbine and also took the Ontario Debutante S. and the Glorious Song S. during her championship season. She lifted two more Woodbine stakes last year as a sophomore, including the GIII Seaway S. in September. She made two starts south of the border during the summer, finishing third in the GIII Victory Ride S. at Belmont July 7, and sixth in the GI Prioress S. at Saratoga Aug. 4. The half-sister to 2010 Canadian Horse of the Year **Biofuel** (Stormin Fever) was retired to join Jones's broodmare band at **Airdrie Stud** in Kentucky following the conclusion of her career in November. She won five of 12 starts for earnings of \$528,005.

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### SELKIRK DIES

Champion racehorse and sire **Selkirk** (Sharpen Up {GB}--Annie Edge {Ire}, by Nebbiolo {GB}) died on Thursday at his base at Lanwades Stud due to old age. Bred and owned by George Strawbridge, the chestnut had stood his entire stud career at Kirsten Rausing's



**Selkirk with Eoin O'Mahony, who looked after him for 16 years at Lanwades**

Newmarket-based establishment and established a formidable reputation among the country's sires from the outset. Campaigned at Kingsclere by Ian Balding, he captured the 1991 G1 Queen Elizabeth II S. on his favored easy surface before going on to

annex a trio of Group 2 events the following season in the Celebration Mile, Challenge S. and Lockinge S. to be crowned European Champion Miler in both years. The achievements of his initial crop saw him become the Joint Champion First-Season Sire of Europe in 1997, which was followed by the title of leading British-based sire in 2002.

To date, he has sired the winners of over 1,500 races worldwide and approximately £35 million, including 90 individual stakes winners, 45 group winners and 15 individual Group 1 winners, the most recent being Nahrain (GB) and Cityscape (GB). Among his other top-level scorers are the Italian star Altieri (GB), two classy Aga Khan distaffers in Daryakana (Fr) and Kastoria (Ire) and the dual Grade 1 winner Squeak (GB). His record as a broodmare sire is also now firmly established, with Group 1 winners Quiff (GB), Mount Nelson (GB), Simply Perfect (GB) and Termagant (Ire) all under his auspices. Having had a limited book of 100 mares each season before the start of declining fertility four years ago, he will be represented by a final crop of yearlings in 2013. "I feel immensely privileged to have had Selkirk standing at Lanwades throughout his stud career," Kirsten Rausing commented yesterday. "He was a wonderfully kind and co-operative character. We will greatly miss him, but his memory will live on, not only here at the stud, but throughout the thoroughbred industry in this country and abroad."



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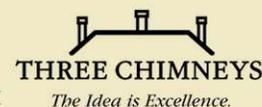
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### [Major League Soccer, Building a Fan Base](#)

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**Bill Shanklin, Horse Racing Business**

### [NJ horsemen join Governor Christie in sports betting case--again](#)

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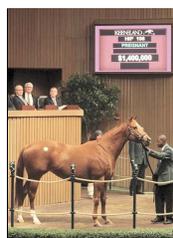
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### NEWS FROM THE GAMING WORLD:

#### [Link: No vote on gambling until new session](#)

"Yet another term of the Illinois General Assembly will come to an end next week without approval of slot machines for Arlington Park and new casinos in Lake County, Chicago and elsewhere, state Sen. Terry Link said Thursday. Link, a Waukegan Democrat, had left the door open for a last-minute deal before new lawmakers take their seats Jan. 9, but he closed it Thursday." **Mike Riopell, Daily Herald**



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### **Symons Sells Two Good Ones...**

Florida-based owner Patsy Symons has a racing stable of just four fillies, a number that will likely be halved after Monday's opening session of the five-day Keeneland January Horses of All Ages Sale in Lexington. That's because Symons is offering her two most accomplished runners, including the smart New York-bred mare **Gitchee Goomie** (City Zip--Riotous Miss, by Brief Ruckus), who goes under the hammer as [hip 7](#). That racing or broodmare prospect will be followed later in the day by another, Symons's stakes winner **Trix in the City** (Friends Lake--Trix City, by Carson City), who sells as [hip 242](#). Taylor Made Sales Agency consigns both mares.

"I have a small operation, and they're just both at the age where they need to go to the breeding shed," Symons said of the 6-year-old Gitchee Goomie and the 7-year-old Trix in the City.

Gitchee Goomie has been a fan favorite at the New York tracks for several years now. She debuted a winner going long on the turf at Saratoga in September of 2009, and missed the board just twice in her next 19 starts. She won a trio of state-bred stakes with six-figure purses, but was hardly just a talented Empire-bred. She finished a close-up third to Check the Label (Stormin Fever) in the 2010 GI Garden City S. at Belmont, twice ran second in the GIII Beaugay S.--last year to the talent Winter Memories (El Prado {Ire})--and in 2012 registered her biggest career victory in the \$325,000 GIII Dr. James Penny Memorial H. at Parx. In all, Gitchee Goomie put together a record of 22-7-9-2 and earnings of \$680,520. **Cont. p9**



**Gitchee Goomie**  
*Adam Coglianesse*

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**Keeneland January Preview cont.**

"She's really an unbelievable filly, and I think she'll make somebody a wonderful broodmare," said Symons, who added that a lot of those seconds could well have been wins, if not for Gitchee Goomie's quirky running style. "She breaks out well and looks at all the other horses, and then takes herself back to the back of the pack and runs behind everyone," Symons explained. "Then at a certain place on the track, when she decides to come home, she starts running. But if she gets to the front too soon, she'll pull herself up."

Symons describes herself as a relative novice to the racing game, but has been around horses all her life--she was born and raised in Kansas--and got her first taste of the sport nearly three decades ago. Symons and her late husband were members of the Centennial Farms partnership that campaigned champion sprinter Rubiano, but were kept too busy by their citrus groves in Florida--Symons Groves--to devote



**Patsy Symons** Adam Coglianese

much time to racing.

"But when my husband passed away 12 years ago, I decided that I needed to do something just for me," Symons explained. "So I decided I would go back to racing."

One of Symons's first purchases was a useful City Zip filly Sweet Bama Breeze, who ran a nose second in the NYS Fifth Avenue S. in 2007. She also owned a gelding by that sire named The Zipster, and had developed a clear affinity for City Zip when a friend told her about a yearling on offer--Gitchee Goomie--by the current Lane's End stallion who like Sweet Bama Breeze was bred by Barry Ostrager.

"I decided I needed another City Zip, and so we went and looked at her," said Symons. "I was very impressed with her breeding--her mother had started 87 times, made over \$380,000, and retired sound."

That toughness carried on to Gitchee Goomie, who for the majority of her racing career was trained by Rick Violette, Jr.

"She was always very sound and is still sound," Violette said Thursday. "And she was incredibly consistent. You don't get a lot of horses who, every time you lead them over there, they give you their A game."

Symons said her love of books and reading led to Gitchee Goomie's name.

Gitchee Goomie (also Gitchee Gumee, or Gichigami, meaning "big water") is what the Chippewa Indians called Lake Superior in Henry Wadsworth Longfellow's epic poem, "The Song of Hiawatha."

"I loved that book and read it many times," said Symons.

While Trix in the City didn't quite accomplish as much on the track as Gitchee Goomie, she was very good on her best day. First or second in nine of 23 starts for earnings of nearly \$200,000, Trix in the City beat Tapitsfly (Tapit) by 2 1/4 lengths in the 2011 De La Rose S. at Saratoga.

"Trix' is one of the more gorgeous animals you'll see," said Symons, a sentiment echoed by Violette.

"She's a beautiful filly, and is a beautiful mover," he said of the \$300,000 OBSAPR grad. "We won a stakes in Saratoga with her, but you know, I'm not sure we ever saw her best."

Though they're saying goodbye to Gitchee Goomie and Trix in the City, Symons and Violette have a couple of intriguing prospects for 2013, including another New York-bred filly whose name was taken from a popular--if more recent--work of fiction. The newly turned 3-year-old Effie Trinket (Freud), a \$130,000 OBSMAR acquisition and named after the *Hunger Games* character, won the restricted \$100,000 Aristie S. at Saratoga in her second career start last August and most recently finished fourth in the open Chelsea Flower S. at Belmont Oct. 28.

Symons also owns the 3-year-old filly Madgi (Tiz Wonderful), a \$70,000 OBSMAR buy who was a late-running third on debut at the Spa Sept. 2 in her lone start. "She's a really big mare, and we're giving her some time," said Symons. Both fillies are now in Florida with Violette.

"I wouldn't have been nearly so successful without Rick," Symons added. "He's been wonderful. I appreciate his abilities, and he's a good guy. I like him because he's political and supports the horsemen and all their endeavors, and it's nice to find someone who gives back."

These days, Symons has retired from the citrus business, but stays busy with varied investments. She spends most of her time in Florida, but summers in Saratoga, where a daughter and her grandchildren live.

"Saratoga's great, but it won't be the same without Gitchee Goomie," she said.

In the meantime, Symons said she'll forgo a trip to Keeneland to watch Gitchee Goomie and Trix in the City sell. "It's too difficult for me," she laughed. "It's like seeing one of my children go. I said my goodbyes to them, and I just hope they get wonderful homes, because they're truly wonderful horses."--L Marquardt

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**BESHEAR PROPOSES CASINO AMENDMENT**

Kentucky Governor Steve Beshear announced Thursday that he may propose an amendment for expanded gaming in the state that is not exclusive, and does not provide any guarantees, to the horse racing industry.

In an interview with the *Courier-Journal*, Beshear suggested that a clean amendment--one that does not guarantee any licenses or revenues to racing--may be the only way to get an expanded gaming amendment through the legislature, and that the racing industry may have to be content with his promise to support them once the amendment is approved.

"I think it has become fairly obvious from the past history of the legislature and its contemplation of this issue that the approach that carries the most possibility of success at this point is a fairly simple amendment that would ask the public if we should allow expanded gaming in the commonwealth, perhaps at a limited number of locations, but not designating anything about those locations," Beshear told the *Courier-Journal*. "I am committed to protecting the horse industry and making sure that we don't kill the goose that laid the golden egg in terms of one of our signature industries and that they receive sufficient funding from any type of expanded gaming. But it's certainly acceptable to me to have a very simple amendment voted on and then handle those details in a subsequent legislative session."

It is unclear whether the proposed amendment will proceed during this year's legislature or next, but Beshear said that the Thoroughbred industry would need to be united in order for it to be effective. Beshear noted that he has felt some resistance from the Thoroughbred industry on approaching the amendment in this manner, and that it is important the industry be united. Thoroughbred industry representatives fear that Kentucky casinos without guaranteed revenue for racing will encroach on their gambling business, as nearby out-of-state casinos have already done.

"The horse industry has to get together on being able to support this kind of approach because, obviously, they have few folks that listen to them in the legislature, and if they end up opposing an approach like this, then it makes it even more difficult to pass an amendment," Beshear said.

Senator Damon Thayer, a steadfast supporter of the Thoroughbred industry, has also suggested that any amendment guaranteeing protections to racing is unlikely to pass legislature. Thayer could not be reached for comment yesterday. --*Kelsey Riley*



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**ONTARIO LIBERAL CANDIDATES WEIGH IN ON SARP**

When former Ontario Premier Dalton McGuinty's Liberal government announced the cancellation of the province's Slots at Racetracks Program last March, it caused a potentially lethal blow to horse racing in Canada that will likely reverberate to affect Thoroughbred industries across North America. For almost 15 years, SARP proved a beneficial partnership for both the government and Ontario's racetracks, with 20%--or about \$345 million--of slots revenue going back into the racing industry annually to fund, among other aspects, purses and breeders awards. The government received 70% of slots revenues--about \$1 billion annually--with the remaining 10% going to the local municipalities where the racetracks are located.

The government has offered the racing industry an aid package of \$50 million per year for three years to transition to a self-sustainable model that doesn't rely on slots revenue, but many in the racing industry have lamented that it's not enough. On Oct. 15, 2012, McGuinty unexpectedly resigned and prorogued the Ontario legislature, leaving any immediate decisions on the future of horse racing in Ontario up in the air.

Seven candidates are vying to replace McGuinty, with an election set to take place Jan. 26. Simon Vodrey of [RacingFuture.com](http://RacingFuture.com) recently asked the candidates to weigh in on their proposed plans for the racing industry as part of a feature for *Ottawa Life Magazine*. Five of the seven candidates responded, and their comments, as follows, were posted on [RacingFuture.com](http://RacingFuture.com). **Cont. p2**



Ontario cont.

**Dr. Eric Hoskins** is a physician and co-founder and president of War Child Canada, a not-for-profit organization that supports war-affected children. He was perhaps the most definitive of any of the candidates when telling Vodrey: "I would review the decision to end the Slots at Racetracks Program in the first 60 days as Premier...I would build on what was learned from the Horse Racing Transition Panel's report...I don't formally endorse the report, but I will take aspects of the report into consideration...We need to develop a long-term, sustainable solution."

Former Winnipeg mayor and current Ontario MPP **Glen Murray** also took a stand when stating: "I am a great believer in math and like to make decisions based on good math. I've had several months listening to the concerns of people in rural and urban Ontario and I have very serious concerns about the revenue assumption that the government is determined to proceed with when it comes to the phasing out of SARP...As Premier, I would hit the pause button on this decision. I would ask that we take a much stronger evidence-based approach on this issue and look at rethinking our approach before making any major decisions...as Premier, I would want to sit down and have a very candid conversation with members of the Horse Racing Transition Panel about what's working and what's not."

**Gerard Kennedy**, a former Ontario Education Minister who has previously run for Premier, was less committal, but still supportive of racing: "The fact that ending the Program has such a damaging impact is something we're all now fully aware of. The decision was made in a way that did not take all the impact into account...I think that a number of things in the budget were done because the government didn't have the time to examine the likely consequences of its actions, and this is one of those things. I'm not convinced the existing strategy would work and I'm hoping to review it. I'm much more comfortable with slots and gaming being located at designated safe places for gambling in the province than casino locations in downtown areas. The revenue-sharing associated with the SARP was disproportionately beneficial to the government. We have to land somewhere that still allows a viable industry."

**Charles Sousa**, a member of provincial parliament for Mississauga, focused on helping the racing industry sustain itself: "I also want to promote a successful marketing procedure that can play a role in drawing in more revenue to the province's horse racing industry, thereby making it more financially sustainable. Again, we're talking about fiscal issues. I don't care what we call it. What's important is that we have to get the best value for money...I am not going to get into semantics, but what concerns me is the question of how are we going to continue to grow the industry itself and how are we going to reshape things in a way that enables the government partnership to work effectively and efficiently, thereby allowing the industry to survive and grow. Consultation with the industry is also crucial."

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**Kathleen Wynne**, a longtime McGuinty cabinet minister, stated: "I think that we do need a viable industry. There's no doubt about that. There are thousands of jobs associated with this industry and I think we need a sober second thought on the supports that need to be in place for the industry. It will go through a transition. It will look different in a few years than it looked a few years ago, but I don't think anyone is saying that's a bad thing. The consultation with the industry probably wasn't as robust as it should have been...I think that you save a lot of money and a lot of anxiety by talking to people first and then taking action so that you actually know what it is you're walking into." About the government reference to SARP as a 'subsidy' for racing, Wynne commented: "I think there was a semantic argument about what exactly the words meant. I think it's how you see the language and I know that the subsidy language was inflammatory to the sector and so I think we need to find language that is common and that we can agree is more descriptive of what is actually going on. The reality is that it was revenue that could have been used by the provincial treasury that was being used to stabilize the industry."

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--Kelsey Riley

## ▶ Florida

### Yesterday's Results:

**6th-GPX, \$48,300, Alw, NW3L, 4yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11 1/5, ft.**

1--**WHO IS CAMILLE, 119, f, 4, Dixie Union--Chapena, by Fusaichi Pegasus.** (\$27,000 RNA yrl '10 KEESEP; \$15,000 2yo '11 OBSAPR). O-Ron Hendrickson; B-Spendthrift Farm LLC (KY); T-Marcial Navarro. Lifetime Record: SW, 10-3-3-0, \$103,680.

2--**Starship Serena, 119, f, 4, Put It Back--Serene Lake, by Meadowlake.** (\$30,000 yrl '10 KEESEP; \$40,000 2yo '11 OBSMAR).

3--**Klondike Kate, 119, f, 4, Henny Hughes--Western Reel, by Gone West.**

Margins: 4HF, 2 1/4, HD. Odds: 4.20, 12.80, 1.20.

Who Is Camille took the filly division of the OBS Sprint S. last March, but was looking to atone for a pair of off-the-board finishes in Calder stakes in May and June, respectively. With some upbeat works in tow, including a four-furlong bullet in :48 flat at Calder Dec. 29, the dark bay streaked right to the lead. She dueled on the front end through a half in :46.24 before drawing off to a convincing victory under wraps.

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**9th-GPX, \$44,600, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$75,000), NW1X, 3yo, 6 1/2f, 1:16 3/5, ft.**

**SINGANOTHERSONG (c, 3, [Songandaprayer](#)--Mims Eppi {SP}, by Cactus Ridge)** reported home a 6 1/2-length graduate in his second start at Calder in July, but was still seeking his second victory. He had been on the board in his last four attempts, including a third in the Sept. 29 Birdonthewire S. and a same-spot finish last time over track and trip Dec. 15. The 2-1 shot zipped along on the front end, opening a four or five-length advantage turning for home. He soon grew tired from his early exertions, but found the wire with 3/4 of a length to spare over favorite Honorable Dillon (Tapit). Lifetime Record: SP, 8-2-3-2, \$73,705. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or [video replay](#).**

O/B-Herman Van Den Broeck (KY). T-Ronald Pellegrini.

**2nd-GPX, \$42,000, Msw, (S), 3yo, f, 6f, 1:12, ft.**

**LEMON BELLE (f, 3, [Lemon Drop Kid](#)--Queenie Belle {MGSW, \$605,130}, by Bertrando)**, a \$210,000 FTSAUG yearling turned \$400,000 KEEAPR 2-year-old, broke through here in career start number four in her first try against fellow Florida-breds. Sixth in a key heat at Belmont Oct. 8, the dark bay was a distant fifth when stretched out against another solid group topped by subsequent GII Demoiselle S. winner Unlimited Budget (Street Sense) at the Big A Nov. 9. She was turning back off a ninth-place run over the sod here Dec. 14, and was backed down to 9-5. Allowed to caboose the field early, the half-sister to Unrivaled Belle (Unbridled's Song), GISW, \$1,854,706, quickly closed the gap on the turn and tipped out to blow away her foes by five lengths. With Prejudice (With Distinction) was second. Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-0, \$27,825. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or [video replay](#).**

O-Martin S Schwartz. B-Gary Seidler & Peter Vegso (FL). T-Chad C Brown.

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**Woodford at Stonewall Ocala Announces Appointments:**

Woodford Stallions at Stonewall Farm Ocala has announced the appointment of Dough Phalin as General Manager and his wife Laurie as farm manager. Industry veterans, the Phalins oversaw operations at Cimarron Farm in Ocala before managing Summer Place Farm in Lexington for six years. The couple has been out of the industry recently, but have stated their excitement upon returning. "This is like coming home for us," said Doug Phalin. "That changed when we met [farm owner] Marc [Haisfield]'s father, Richard. He shared his philosophy about the business with us, as well as his son's goals for the farm, and we couldn't be more excited about utilizing our knowledge and background to lead the charge and make Woodford Stallions at Stonewall Farm Ocala the leading stallion farm in the world." Woodford Stallions at Stonewall Farm Ocala, home to 16 stallions including Leroidesanimaux (Brz) (Candy Stripes), has also announced the addition of Lisa Simoff as Director of Bloodstock Services and Assistant Director of Marketing.

**'Celebration of the Stars' Highlights Eclipse Eve:**

*Edited Press Release*

Gulfstream Park has announced that it will host Celebration of the Thoroughbred, a cocktail party on the evening of Friday, Jan. 18 in honor of the following day's 42nd annual Eclipse Awards, presented by *Daily Racing Form*, The Stronach Group and The Breeders' Cup. Celebration of the Thoroughbred will benefit Gulfstream Thoroughbred Aftercare Program and will be highlighted by live, silent and online auctions featuring breeding opportunities, travel packages, and the art of award-winning photographer Barbara Livingston. Admission to the party is included with an Eclipse Award ticket or party admission can be purchased separately for \$100 by contacting Michele Ravencraft of the NTRA.

The live auction, hosted by auctioneer Walt Robertson, will include breeding opportunities to Kitten's Joy and Ghostzapper, racing packages to the 2013 Breeders' Cup and opening weekend at Saratoga, and tickets to the U.S. Open Tennis Championships.

The online auction is now open for bidding at [www.biddingforgood.com/gpaftercare](http://www.biddingforgood.com/gpaftercare). Among the items available online are premium racing packages to Keeneland and Del Mar, plus stallion seasons to Harlan's Holiday, Leroidesanimaux (Brz), Macho Uno, Shackelford and many others.

Celebration of the Thoroughbred is one of many fundraising events hosted by Gulfstream during Eclipse Awards week. Charity events will also benefit the Permanently Disabled Jockeys Fund and The Race for Education.

"Gulfstream Park and The Stronach Group are extremely proud to host the Celebration of the Thoroughbred in conjunction with our other fundraising activities during Eclipse Awards week," said Gulfstream President Timothy Ritvo. "Thoroughbred aftercare is a priority for everyone at Gulfstream and The Stronach Group. The Celebration of the Thoroughbred will be a unique event and another memorable day in the rich history of Gulfstream, Florida racing and the Eclipse Awards."



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## New York

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**BUSANDA S.**, \$100,000, 3yo, f, 1m70yds

PP HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	ML
1 Princess of Sylmar	Majestic Warrior	Maragh	Pletcher	5-2
2 Kiss the Lady	Quiet American	C Velasquez	Rodriguez	3-1
3 Asiya	Daaher	Castro	McLaughlin	2-1
4 Ruby Lips	Hard Spun	Ortiz Jr	Dutrow Jr	8-1
5 By Molly Golly	Afleet Alex	Alvarado	Kenneally	12-1
6 Coconut Shrimp	Giant's Causeway	Dominguez	Pletcher	5-1

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## Central U.S.

Yesterday's Results:

**5th-FGX, \$39,000, Msw, 3yo, f, 1m70y, 1:44 2/5, ft.**

**DECEPTIVE VISION (f, 3, [A.P. Indy](#)--Eye of the Sphynx**

**{Ch. 3yo Filly-Can, GSW, \$688,340}, by Smart Strike),**

a late-running second on debut going seven panels at Woodbine Dec. 2, was backed down to 3-5 for this two-turn and dirt bow. The regally bred Canadian invader was hung widest of all from mid-pack throughout, but she edged up into contention at the head of the lane and scurried clear to a three-length graduation on the wire. Blue Violet (Curlin) was 3 1/4 lengths back in second. "We'll regroup and see what we have down the road," winning trainer Malcolm Pierce said when asked what might be next for the full-sister to Eye of the Leopard, Ch. 3yo Colt-Can, MSW & GSP, \$918,267; and Hotep, MSW & MGSP, \$668,302. "It looks like she handles the dirt just fine and she'll get a lot out of this race today." Deceptive Vision was produced by 2004 Woodbine Oaks winner Eye of the Sphynx, a half-sister to the MSW dam of Canadian Horse of the Year and Champion Turf Horse Quiet Resolve (Affirmed). Deceptive Union has a 2-year-old half-sister by Distorted Humor named Fun in the Desert. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$36,896. Click for the [brisnet.com](http://www.brisnet.com) chart or [video replay](#).

O/B-Sam-Son Farm (ON). T-Malcolm Pierce.

**Turfway Park Issues Statement on Hawthorne Outbreak:**

Daniel "Chip" Bach, General Manager of Turfway Park released a statement yesterday concerning the Equine Herpes outbreak at Hawthorne Park. He stated:

"Published reports provide evidence that the Equine Herpes outbreak affecting horses at Hawthorne Race Course continues to pose a risk of disease introduction. With this identified risk, and in consultation with state animal health officials, Turfway Park will disallow entry of horses currently stabled at Hawthorne as well as any horse that had been on the Hawthorne grounds during their fall race meet. These restrictions will remain in place until further notice.

We have appreciated the support of Hawthorne horsemen for Turfway Park racing in the past and regret we are unable to offer them a place to run at this time, but the safety of horses stabled at Turfway must take precedence.

We deeply appreciate the continued diligence of Robert Stout, DVM, Kentucky's state veterinarian, and E. S. 'Rusty' Ford, Kentucky's equine programs manager, in monitoring and advising us on the progression of this outbreak and we will continue to look to their office for further guidance."

## California

Yesterday's Results:

**3rd-SAX, \$57,500, Msw, 3yo, a6 1/2fT, 1:13 2/5, fm.**

**+ KOICHEES (c, 3, Lion Heart--Costume Girl {SP,**

**\$57,424}, by Maria's Mon) was ignored at 24-1 in this**

first go, but caught the bettors' eyes with a furious late rally. Tracking from mid-pack early in a well-strung-out field, the chestnut tipped out widest of all crossing over the dirt. He leveled off impressively in the lane to blow by his competition for a 1 1/2-length going-away score. Buckleberry Grey (Unbridled's Song) was second. Sales history: \$37,000 wlng '10 KEENOV; \$35,000 yrl '11 KEESEP; \$120,000 2yo '12 OBSMAR. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$33,600. Click for the [brisnet.com](http://www.brisnet.com) chart or [video replay](#).

O-B J Wright. B-Sun Valley Farm (KY). T-Michael Pender.

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**1st-SAX, \$56,750, Msw, 4yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:09 2/5, ft. MINER'S DAUGHTER (m, 5, [Mineshaft](#)--Private World {MSW, \$166,058}, by Thunder Gulch), fourth and third in a pair of Betfair Hollywood Park maidens in April and May, respectively, jumped up 20 points on the Beyer Speed Figure scale to 92 when she resurfaced in Inglewood to be beaten a head Dec. 7. Installed the 3-2 chalk for this, the homebred stalked from the pocket to confront pacesetting stablemate Elusive Daughter (Elusive Quality) in upper stretch. She blew past that one at the eighth pole and was 2 1/4 lengths clear of debuting Regime (Empire Maker) at the line. Elusive Daughter held on for third. Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-1, \$51,960. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [video replay](#).**

O-Kentucky West Racing LLC. B-Kentucky West Inc (KY). T-Bob Baffert.

## INDUSTRY INFO

### NTRA Advantage Group Purchasing Program Goes Bilingual:

*Edited Press Release*

The National Thoroughbred Racing Association announced today that NTRA Advantage, the organization's group purchasing program, will offer all its sales materials and communications in both English and Spanish in 2013. As part of the new policy, the NTRA Advantage portion of the NTRA.com website will have a similar, companion section in Spanish. Additionally, those who contact NTRA Advantage via phone (1-866-678-4289) or email ([equinebenefits@ntra.com](mailto:equinebenefits@ntra.com)) will be able to converse in Spanish. "Increasingly, horse industry purchasing decision makers throughout the country speak Spanish as their first language," said Bryan Pettigrew, Senior Vice President of NTRA Advantage. "To make it as easy as possible for all industry members to participate in our many Advantage program benefits, we will begin communicating in both English and Spanish to all members."

### WinStar to Launch New Stallion Barn:

*Edited Press Release*

WinStar Farm announced it will conduct drawings for its "Breed to Win" promotion that will reward supportive breeders with a complimentary 2013 breeding season to 12 WinStar stallions. The drawings will be held Saturday, Feb. 9 at 11 a.m. at the launch of WinStar's new state-of-the-art stallion complex in Versailles, which opens for the 2013 breeding season.

The "Breed to Win" promotion will consist of one complimentary season drawing for each of the 12 stallions, which will include Super Saver, Bellamy Road, Drosselmeyer, Spring At Last, Gemologist, Colonel John, Pioneer of the Nile, Sidney's Candy, Artie Schiller, Hold Me Back, U S Ranger and Maimonides. Breeders eligible for the 12 drawings will be those who have signed a 2013 contract to one of the correlating 12 stallions by a deadline of Feb. 8th at noon.

"With 4 WinStar stallions finishing in the Top 15 on the 2012 General Sires List, we wanted to show appreciation to our breeders who have played such a huge role in WinStar's growing success," said Elliott Walden, WinStar's President & CEO.

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#### IN BRITAIN:

**Rano Pano, f, 4, [Proud Citizen](#)--Princess Aries, by Royal Anthem. Wolverhampton, Britain, 1-4, Mdn, 4-6yo, 12f 50yds (AWT). B-Castle Park Farm Llc & John Osborne. \*\$30,000 wnlg '09 KEENOV; £23,000 2yo '11 GOFMAR.**

#### IN FRANCE:

**Damsah, f, 3, [Mr. Greeley](#). See "France."**

#### IN IRELAND:

**Dimitar, g, 4, [Mizzen Mast](#)--Peace and Love (Ire), by Fantastic Light. Dundalk, Ireland, 1-4, Hcp, 4yo/up, 1m (AWT). B-Ashbrittle Stud. \*18,000gns yrl '10 TATDEC.**

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

**BROTHER DEREK** (Benchmark), Airdrie, \$10K, 70/6/0

2-SA, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Bench Press, \$110K OBS MAR 2yo, 4-1

7-PRX, Alw, 6f, Captain Derek, \$32K OBS APR 2yo, 8-1

**CIRCULAR QUAY** (Thunder Gulch), Journeyman, \$13K, 89/10/1

2-TAM, Msw, 5 1/2f, Circular Rainbow, \$8K RNA OBS WIN yrl, 4-1

6-GP, Aoc, 1mT, Reporting Star, 7-2

**COUGAR CAT** (Storm Cat), 10/0/0

7-TP, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Turf Ruler

**CURLIN** (Smart Strike), Lanes End, \$75K, 218/15/0

9-GP, Msw, 1m, Dyker Beach, \$200K KEE SEP yrl, 12-1

9-GP, Msw, 1m, Air Squadron, 4-1

6-AQU, Msw, 6f, Curlin N Twirlin, \$100K KEE SEP yrl, 4-1

**FIRST DEFENCE** (Unbridled's Song), Juddmonte, \$20K, 110/8/1

5-AQU, Msw, 6f, Ballerina Belle, \$165K KEE SEP yrl, 10-1

9-TP, Stk, 6 1/2f, Smokinindaboyroom, \$50K KEE APR 2yo

**FROST GIANT** (Giant's Causeway), Empire Stud, \$5K, 57/12/2

6-AQU, Msw, 6f, Frosty But Funky, \$7K FTK OCT yrl, 12-1

**HEATSEEKER (IRE)** (Giant's Causeway), Hill 'n' Dale, \$20K, 98/13/1

4-SA, Msw, 1mT, Magnificent Shirl, 6-1

**HENRYTHENAVIGATOR** (Kingmambo), Ashford, \$65K, 223/16/2

8-AQU, Stk, 1m, Amerigo Vespucci, 12-1

**INTO MISCHIEF** (Harlan's Holiday), Spendthrift, \$13K, 72/8/3

3-SA, Stk, 1m, Goldcents, \$62K OBS OPN 2yo, 4-5

8-AQU, Stk, 1m, Vyjack, \$100K EAS MAY 2yo, 2-1

**J B E K** (Silver Deputy), 35/7/0

7-PRX, Alw, 6f, Silver Morgan, \$49K RNA EAS MAY 2yo, 7-2

6-AQU, Msw, 6f, Light Weight, \$45K OBS APR 2yo, 5-1

**LEWIS MICHAEL** (Rahy), Three Chimneys, \$13K, 59/7/1

9-TP, Stk, 6 1/2f, Lew and Mike

**MAGNA GRADUATE** (Honor Grades), Darby Dan, \$5K, 110/9/1

9-DED, Stk, 7f, Blazing Graduate, \$10K TEX APR 2yo, 20-1

**MAJESTIC WARRIOR** (A.P. Indy), Ashford, \$20K, 175/31/0

6-AQU, Msw, 6f, China Gold, \$230K FTF MAR 2yo, 6-1

7-AQU, Stk, 1m, Princess of Sylmar, 5-2

**MIDNIGHT LUTE** (Real Quiet), Hill N Dale, \$20K, 195/11/1

7-GP, Msw, 1m, Wabbajack, \$25K KEE SEP yrl, 6-1

2-SA, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Secretsatmidnight, \$100K KEE SEP yrl, 7-2

4-SA, Msw, 1mT, Irish Presence, \$50K FTF MAR 2yo, 8-1

**ROCKET INCLUDED** (Include), 6/3/1

9-SUN, Msw, 1m, Texas Rocket, 7-2

9-SUN, Msw, 1m, Secret Rocket, 5-1

**RUN AWAY AND HIDE** (City Zip), Darby Dan, \$8K, 94/10/1

9-DED, Stk, 7f, Heaven's Runway, 2-1

**SALUTE THE SARGE** (Forest Wildcat), Walmac, \$8K, 78/13/1

5-AQU, Msw, 6f, Cubicle Queen, \$15K EAS SEP yrl, 4-1

**STORM WOLF** (Stormin Fever), 22/1/0

2-SA, Msw, 5 1/2f, I'll Run the Show, \$20K BAR MAY 2yo, 15-1

**STREET BOSS** (Street Cry {Ire}), Darley, \$25K, 187/20/1

4-SA, Msw, 1mT, Foxy Boss, \$115K BAR MAR 2yo, 20-1

5-AQU, Msw, 6f, Madre Ditutticapi, \$29K RNA KEE SEP yrl, 5-1

**STREET HERO** (Street Cry {Ire}), Vinery, \$5K, 78/9/1

6-CT, Alw, 7f, Street Parade, \$7K RNA EAS SEP yrl, 12-1

3-SA, Stk, 1m, Dirty Swagg, 12-1

**THE GREEN MONKEY** (Forestry), Hartley DeRenzo, \$5K, 29/6/0

7-GP, Msw, 1m, The Best Monkey, \$44K OBS APR 2yo, 20-1

**TIZ WONDERFUL** (Tiznow), Spendthrift, \$13K, 206/13/1

3-GG, Msw, 1m, Tiz Fitting, \$30K OBS APR 2yo, 2-1

**WAR PASS** (Cherokee Run), Lanes End, \$30K, 126/9/1

7-PRX, Alw, 6f, Ore Pass, \$100K KEE SEP yrl, 5-2

4-SA, Msw, 1mT, Scooter Bird, \$200K OBS MAR 2yo, 8-1

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## Germany

### COLOGNE QUARANTINE BAN LIFTED

Horses stabled at Cologne are free to travel once again after the well-documented quarantine ban was lifted by the authorities yesterday. As a result of a single outbreak of Equine Infectious Anaemia (EIA) at the end of September, the reigning Arc champion Danedream (Ger) (Lomitas {GB}) was denied a chance to defend her crown in that Longchamp feature. With all resultant tests proving negative, the way is clear for leading trainer Peter Schiergen to begin shipping his representatives to Dubai on Monday ahead of the upcoming carnival as well as sending Danedream to Newmarket to board at Newsells Park Stud. She is set to be covered by Frankel (GB) in the spring before moving to her permanent base in Japan. Cologne's Race Club President Eckhard Sauren said in a statement, "We are happy that this whole business is now over and we can now go ahead planning our first fixture for 2013 on Easter Monday. I would like to thank all our trainers and their owners for their patience, as well as all my colleagues and the city veterinary authorities for their constructive co-operation in this difficult period."

## France

### Yesterday's Results:

**Deauville, 11.00, Mdn, €24,000, 3yo, f, 7 1/2f (AWT), 1:31.10, stn.**

**DAMSAH (f, 3, Mr. Greeley--Modeeroch {Ire} {MSW & MGSP, \$257,011}, by Mozart {Ire}), fifth over**

6 1/2 furlongs here when last seen Dec. 5, broke well and raced prominently against the rail throughout the early stages. In front with 300 meters remaining, the 23-10 favorite held on to score by a head from Asteria (Fr) (Orpen). Sales history: €110,000 yrl '11 ARQAUG. Lifetime Record: 3 starts, 1 win, 2 places, €14,700.

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O-H E Sheikh Joaan bin Hamad Al Thani; B-Ballylinch Stud Ltd; T-Damien de Watrigant.

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## Australasia

**KIA ORA STUD PURCHASES INTEREST IN ALL TOO HARD** Ananda Krishnan's Kia Ora Stud has purchased a substantial interest in G1 Caulfield Guineas S. victor **All Too Hard (Aus)** (Casino Prince {Aus}--Helsing {Aus}, by Desert Sun {GB}). Kia Ora Stud will join Vinery as owners of the colt's future racing and breeding career. "We are delighted Kia Ora have joined us in the ownership of All Too Hard", said Vinery's Peter Orton. "Kia Ora is one of the finest properties we have in the Hunter Valley, with a first class broodmare band and commitment to racing. Kia Ora, a strong supporter of Vinery, is a great contributor to the industry and to the local community. We look forward to Kia Ora sharing the excitement of All Too Hard's racing and his future success when he begins his much anticipated career at stud, bolstered by Kia Ora's powerful support." All Too Hard, also runner-up in last year's G1 Cox Plate, is a half-sibling Australian Horse of the Year and champion sprinter Black Caviar (Aus) (Bel Esprit {Aus}).

## Asia

### TRANSCEND RETIRED TO STUD

Koji Maeda's **Transcend (Jpn)** (Wild Rush--Cinema Scope {Jpn}, by Tony Bin {Ire}), a two-time winner of the G1 Japan Cup Dirt and runner-up in the 2011 G1 Dubai World Cup, has been retired from racing and



Transcend *japanracing.jp*

will take up stud duties at Arrow Stud on Hokkaido. A perennial leading dirt horse in Japan, the 7-year-old validated 2-1 favoritism in winning the first of his two Japan Cup Dirt tries in

December 2010 and followed up with a victory in the G1 February S. in early 2011. The homebred showed the way in the 2011 World Cup and looked on his way to victory, but was caught in the final jump by his compatriot Victoire Pisa (Jpn) (Neo Universe {Jpn}) in a race that took place two weeks after a devastating earthquake and tsunami battered the island nation. The homebred successfully defended his Japan Cup Dirt title in December 2011 and retires with 10 wins from 23 starts and earnings of \$9,660,647.



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## BREEDERS' EDITION AMERICA

### ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

**3rd-AQU, \$71,000**, Opt. Clm. (\$100,000), NW3X, 4yo/up, 1m70y, 1:40 2/5, ft.

**JOHANNESBURG SMILE (h, 6, Johannesburg--Serenity's Smile, by Dixie Brass)** Lifetime Record: MSW, 29-8-5-9, \$434,370. O/B-Francis Paolangeli (NY). T-Dominic G Galluscio. \*In for \$100,000 claiming tag. \*\*1/2 to Wildcat's Smile (Forest Wildcat), MSW & MGSP, \$420,321.

**6th-SAX, \$59,500**, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), NW1\$X, (S), 4yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10 1/5, ft.

**TWELVE FOLDS (f, 4, Cindago--Hurricane Courtney, by Tiger Ridge)** Lifetime Record: 10-2-4-1, \$126,548. O-A J L Productions LLC, Lo Hi Stable & Ed Golden. B-Mike Machowsky (CA). T-Michael Machowsky.

**8th-AQU, \$57,000**, Opt. Clm. (\$14,000), NW1X, (S), 4yo/up, f/m, 1m70y, 1:43 1/5, ft.

**DRINKSONTHEHOUSE (m, 5, Limehouse--Secreto's Dance, by Secreto)** Lifetime Record: 14-2-6-1, \$138,162. O-Tri Richard Stable & Michael C Sedlacek. B-Milfer Farm Inc & Edgewood Organization (NY). T-Richard A Violette Jr. \*1/2 to Dancing Blues (Cure the Blues), MSP, \$166,614; and The Name Was Gone (Gone for Real), MSP, \$183,680.

**9th-DED, \$41,000**, 1-3, NW1X, (S), 3yo, 6 1/2f, 1:20 2/5, ft.

**INDIAN ROAD (c, 3, Eugene's Third Son--Newhall Road, by Dixieland Band)** Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-1, \$57,680. O-McLoughlin Stables LLC. B-J Adcock & Richard Nip (LA). T-Thomas M Amoss. \*1/2 to New Real Deal (Roy), MG1SW-Arg.

**8th-LRL, \$40,000**, NW1X, 4yo/up, f/m, a1 1/16m, 1:46 4/5, ft.

**WONDERFUL SECRET (f, 4, Stevie Wonderboy--Top Secret {MGSW & MGISP, \$997,647}, by Afleet)** Lifetime Record: 6-2-0-0, \$45,220. O-Helen M Polinger. B-Brereton C Jones (KY). T-Timothy L Keefe. \*\$50,000 yrl '10 FTKJUL; \$35,000 2yo '11 FTMMAY.

**6th-DED, \$38,000**, 1-3, NW1X, 4yo/up, f/m, 5f, :59, ft.

**SECRET PAL (f, 4, Lunarpal--Full of Secrets, by Montbrook)** Lifetime Record: 8-4-0-0, \$55,410. O-Nathan Granger, Troy Collins, Tommy Thompson & Chris St Martin. B-Heiligbrodt Racing Stable (LA). T-Allen Landry. \*\$17,000 2yo '11 FTHRS.

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**4th-PEN, \$36,642, 1-3, NW1X, 4yo/up, 6f, 1:09 3/5, ft.**

**SMALL GIANT (h, 5, Grand Reward--Little Peak, by Hagley)** Lifetime Record: 30-5-7-6, \$148,516. O-Mike Rowland. B-Ghost Ridge Farms (PA). T-John G Locke. \*\$1,500 yrl '09 FTMOCT; \$21,000 2yo '10 OBSAPR. \*\*1/2 to Diablo's Peak (Diablo), SP, \$234,103.

**3rd-GGX, \$34,720, Opt. Clm. (\$62,500), NW2\$X, 4yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:37 3/5, gd.**

**LADY ASPEN (m, 5, Grand Reward--Candace in Aspen, by Woodman)** Lifetime Record: 17-4-3-3, \$144,666. O-PRO Thoroughbred Enterprises. B-Allen E Paulson Living Trust (KY). T-Jerry Hollendorfer. \*\$25,000 wlng '08 KEENOV.

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**6th-CTX, \$28,100, 1-3, NW1X, 4yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:48 3/5, ft.**

**LEADHILLS (g, 4, Outflanker--Duck the Punch, by Two Punch)** Lifetime Record: 14-4-2-2, \$76,380. O-Trevor R Hewick. B-Mrs J W Y Martin Jr (MD). T-Leslie J Frost.

**2nd-CTX, \$27,200, 1-3, NW3L, (S), 4yo/up, f/m, 4 1/2f, :53 1/5, ft.**

**UNHINCHED (f, 4, Eavesdropper--Insidious Lass, by Ball's Bluff)** Lifetime Record: 11-3-1-2, \$61,140. O/B-Gary W Carter (WV). T-Lyn Dee Venham.

**4th-CTX, \$20,200, 1-3, Opt. Clm. (\$10,000), 4yo/up, 7f, 1:27 3/5, ft.**

**COASTAL DRIVE (g, 8, Griffinite--Desert Drive, by Cannonade)** Lifetime Record: SP, 58-16-15-7, \$251,657. O-Charles T Starkey. B-John W Fenton II & Jerry Herron (NY). T-James H Starkey. \*\$36,000 yrl '06 FTKOCT.

**ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**

**Grandfield Belle, f, 4, Shakespeare--Belle Chant, by War Chant.** SUN, 1-4, 5f, :58 1/5. B-Lynn B Schiff (KY). \*\$1,000 yrl '10 FTKOCT.

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**Nylons, m, 7, More Than Ready--Married for Money, by Not For Love.** San Isidro, 1-2, cond., 5yo/up, 1100mT. B-Gulf Coast Farms LLC (KY). \*\$220,000 FTSAUG '08; \$8,000 KEEJAN '11.

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**Testa Rossa (Ire), c, 3, Oratorio (Ire)--Red Rita (Ire)** (MGSP-Eng), by Kefaaah. Wolverhampton, Britain, 1-4, Mdn, 3-5yo, 7f 32yds (AWT). B-Hugo Merry and Khalid Al-Mudhaf. \*£52,000 yrl '11 DONAUG.

**Atomic Bere (Fr), g, 3, Hurricane Cat--Arrondie (Fr), by Inchinor (GB).** Deauville, France, 1-4, Mdn, 3yo, c/g, 7 1/2f (AWT). B-SNC Regnier, T Regnier & F Regnier. \*€25,000 RNA yrl '11 ARQAUG; €40,000 RNA HIT '12 ARQNOV. \*1/2 to Tagar Bere (Fr) (High Yield), MSP-Fr, \$331,149.

**Benbecula (GB), g, 4, Motivator (GB)--Isle of Flame (GB), by Shirley Heights (GB).** Dundalk, Ireland, 1-4, Mdn, 4yo/up, 10f 150yds (AWT). B-Floors Farming & Christopher J Heath. \*48,000gns yrl '10 TATOCT; 45,000gns RNA 2yo '12 TATGNS.

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