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THE SUSSEX SPAR

While it may not have the same resonance as Frankel vs Canford Cliffs three years ago, today's match-up between **"TDN Rising Star" Kingman (GB)** (Invincible Spirit {Ire}) and **Toronado (Ire)** (High



Kingman
Racing Post Photo

Chaparral {Ire}) in Goodwood's G1 Qipco Sussex S. offers one of this season's focal points. Where the eight-pound advantage the former gets due to weight-for-age puts them remains to be seen, but it can only make the task of last year's winner all the more difficult especially as Kingman is hardly

immature physically. The Juddmonte flagbearer's ability to withstand four tough races in just over two months is testament to his maturity and there are very few in training who can withstand his dramatic turn of acceleration which marked the closing stages of the G1 St James's Palace S. at Royal Ascot last time June 17. Also apparently impervious to ground conditions, having narrowly lost out in the May 3 G1 2000 Guineas on a quick surface and dominated in the mud in the Irish equivalent at The Curragh three weeks later, Kingman is the deserved favorite of the pair.

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Toronado & Sheikh Joaan
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A 'PRIME' PERFORMANCE IN PRINCE OF WALES

Coltimus Prime (Milwaukee Brew) atoned for a ninth-place finish in the first leg of the Canadian Triple Crown--Woodbine's Queen's Plate July 6--with an ultra impressive front-running tally in the Prince of Wales S. at Fort Erie yesterday. Away well from the six-hole, the dark bay quickly seized control while moving in to save ground along the rail. Holding a comfortable lead on **Lynx** (Curlin), the Cabernet Racing Stables colorbearer glided along through sensible early splits of :24.03 and :48.11. Lynx drew even with the leader at the quarter-pole and a brief battle ensued, but Coltimus Prime found another gear in mid-stretch and powered clear of his pursuer to score by 3 1/2 lengths going away.

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'GLORIOUS' RUN FOR 'COTAI'

Cotai Glory (GB) (Exceed and Excel {Aus}) held off the aptly named **Fast Act (Ire)** (Fast Company {Ire}) to score his first graded success in Goodwood's G3 Molecomb S. and set a new course record in the process. Last of seven behind the subsequent G2 Coventry S. seventh Dr No (GB) (Aussie Rules) on debut over six furlongs at Nottingham May 20, Cotai Glory was nevertheless sent to Royal Ascot to contest the Listed Windsor Castle S. Despite proving awkward in the preliminaries and meeting early trouble in running, the chestnut showed a measure of the ability connections believed he possessed when a respectable sixth behind Hootenanny (Quality Road) in that June 17 five-furlong contest. When the ground rides firm at Bath, it is as fast as it gets in Britain at the country's only non-watered track and Cotai Glory relished the five furlongs he raced over on that slick surface to open his account in a maiden July 10. Taken back up to six furlongs for the Listed Rose Bowl S. at Newbury eight days later, he was passed late on only by the unbeaten Limato (Ire) (Tagula {Ire}) and lined up with conditions in his favor again here. Soon in front, he was put under pressure by Fast Act in the final furlong, but pulled out extra to secure a first black-type success. "The one thing with him is he tries and this quick five furlongs suits him, as he's all speed," jockey George Baker commented. *Cont. p4*



Cotai Glory
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Blasi Returns to Asmussen Barn

Fired four months ago after the release of a controversial PETA video, Scott Blasi resumed his position as assistant trainer to Steve Asmussen yesterday.



Scott Blasi
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Social Inclusion
Lauren King

New Trainer for Social Inclusion

Rontos Racing Stable's **Social Inclusion** (Pioneer of the Nile) has been transferred from conditioner Manny Azpurua to Chad Brown and heads to Saratoga today to join his new stable.

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TODAY'S GRADED STAKES

EST	Race
9:30a	Gordon S.-G3, GOO
10:05a	QIPCO Sussex S.-G1, GOO
10:40a	Vintage S.-G2, GOO

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Trainer John Gosden is not totally convinced that the current prices are fair, however. "He's in good form and I'm happy with him, but I think the betting is a little extreme at the moment," he said. Toronado came here 12 months ago with a point to prove and a score to settle with his 2000 Guineas and St James's Palace conqueror Dawn Approach (Ire) (New Approach {Ire}) and duly turned the tables on that star miler with an impressive surge. Last of six when flopping in the G1 Juddmonte International trying an extended 10-furlong trip on his only subsequent start last term, Al Shaqab Racing's 4-year-old returned to win what was probably a below-par renewal of Royal Ascot's G1 Queen Anne S. June 17, but Richard Hannon Jr. is in a confident mood. "Toronado's last piece of work was exceptional and we could not be happier with him," he said. "He is definitely a stronger horse than he was last year and he has also toughened up mentally. We were delighted he won first time out in the Queen Anne, but we also knew that he wasn't on his A-game. He had been off a long time and was probably a bit rusty, but since Royal Ascot he has thrived and, while we have huge respect for Kingman, Toronado has a course victory on his CV and that counts for a lot as Goodwood is not an easy track." Heading the small support cast now that War Command (War Front) is out is last year's G1 Dewhurst S. third and GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Turf winner **Outstrip (GB)** (Exceed and Excel {Aus}), who was a strong-closing third in the St James's Palace despite meeting trouble in running. "We always wanted to have a crack at the Sussex S. provided the ground was good or faster and, hopefully, he will get those conditions," conditioner Charlie Appleby commented. "He's an athletic horse and handled the course at Goodwood well last year. We felt that he hit the front a little too soon [when second] in the Vintage S., but we learned a lot from that run. We know that we have a big task to beat Kingman and Toronado, but Outstrip heads to Goodwood in good order and I hope he can put up a big performance." It is not often that Ballydoyle supply the outsider, but ☆ **"TDN Rising Star"** ☆ Darwin (Big Brown), whose latest second in The Curragh's G3 Minstrel S. 11 days ago was a disappointing blow to his reputation, needs a major jump forward to shake up the main protagonists.

Wednesday, Goodwood, Britain, post time: 3:05 p.m.

QIPCO SUSSEX S.-G1, £300,000, 3yo/up, 8fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER
1	2	Darwin	Big Brown	Moore	A O'Brien
2	5	Toronado (Ire)	High Chaparral (Ire)	Hughes	Hannon
3	4	Kingman (GB)	Invincible Spirit (Ire)	Doyle	Gosden
4	1	Outstrip (GB)	Exceed and Excel (Aus)	Buick	Appleby
5	3	War Command	War Front	SGR	SGR

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BET365 MOLECOMB S.-G3, £50,000, GWD, 7-29, 2yo, 5fT, :57.30 (NTR), gd/fm.

1--#**@ COTAI GLORY (GB)**, 127, c, 2, by [Exceed and Excel \(Aus\)](#)

1st Dam: **Continua**, by **Elusive Quality**

2nd Dam: **Infinite Spirit**, by **Maria's Mon**

3rd Dam: **Eternal Reve**, by **Diesis (GB)**

(75,000gns yrl '13 TATOCT). O-Ms A A Yap & F Ma; B-Glebe Stud, J F Dean & Lady Trenchard; T-Charles Hills; J-George Baker; £28,355. Lifetime Record: 5-2-1-0, £37,235. *Full to Excel's Beauty (GB), SP-Eng. **Werk Nick Rating: A+**. [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

2--**Fast Act (Ire)**, 127, c, 2, Fast Company (Ire)--

Nullarbor (GB), by Green Desert. (£35,000 yrl '13 DONAUG). O-Hambleton Racing Ltd XXXII;

B-Newlands House Stud (IRE); T-Kevin Ryan; £10,750.

3--**Beacon (GB)**, 127, c, 2, Paco Boy (Ire)--Key Light

(Ire), by Acclamation (GB). (£52,000 yrl '13

DONAUG). O-Highclere Thoroughbred Racing (Albany); B-J M Cole (GB); T-Richard Hannon; £5,380.

Margins: HF, HD, 1HF. Odds: 3.00, 10.00, 0.91.

Also Ran: Mukhmal (Ire), Union Rose (GB), Spirit of Xian (Ire), Dougal (Ire), Burning the Clocks (Ire). [Click for the Racing Post result or the brisnet.com PPs. VIDEO, courtesy Racing UK.](#)

"Racing has really improved him, as he was quite hard to settle earlier this season and he's going the right way." Trainer Charlie Hills added, "We were pretty confident, as at this stage five furlongs is ideal. He showed speed throughout the race and has paid a serious compliment to Limato, who's a very good horse. We were slightly worried that today might come too soon, as he's quite a highly-strung horse, but he's settling down a bit with racing now. He got six last time and fast ground is the key, so we'll keep a weather watch as he is in the G1 Prix Morny [at Deauville Aug. 24] or we could possibly wait for Doncaster [for the Sept. 12 G2 Flying Childers S.]"

Tuesday, Fort Erie

PRINCE OF WALES S., \$463,000, FEX, 7-29, (R), 3yo, 1 3/16m, 1:54 2/5, ft.

1--#**COLTIMUS PRIME**, 126, c, 3, [Milwaukee Brew](#)

1st Dam: **Certainly Special**, by **Distorted Humor**

2nd Dam: **With Certainty**, by **Broad Brush**

3rd Dam: **Irtifa (GB)**, by **Lahib**

O-Cabernet Racing Stables; B-J Horner (ON); T-Justin J Nixon; J-Eurico Rosa Da Silva. \$277,800. Lifetime Record: 9-3-2-0, \$392,788. *1/2 to Crysta's Court (Silent Name {Jpn}), SW, \$214,454.

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2--**Lynx**, 126, g, 3, [Curlin](#)--Silver Bird, by Lit De Justice.

(\$28,000 yrl '12 KEESEP; \$150,000 2yo '13

OBSAPR). O-Peachtree Stable; B-Jim McAlpine & Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings (ON); T-Cathal Lynch. \$92,600.

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3--**Ami's Holiday**, 126, c, 3, Harlan's Holiday--

Victorious Ami, by Victory Gallop. (\$35,000 RNA yrl '12 KEESEP). O-Ivan Dalos; B-Tall Oaks Farm (ON); T-Josie Carroll. \$46,300.

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Margins: 3HF, 3/4, HF. Odds: 5.40, 4.85, 1.60.

Also Ran: Smart Spree, Rhythm Blues, East Side, Lions Bay, Ascot Martin, Matador, Money Talks.

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Coltimus Prime graduated by eight lengths at second asking in a state-bred test over the Woodbine synthetic last November and followed that with a neck second in that venue's Display S. that December. Trying dirt for the first time in the GII Tampa Bay Derby Mar. 8, the dark bay only beat one rival home in the 10-horse field, and improved to fifth when returned to the synthetic next time out for Keeneland's Apr. 12 GI Toyota Blue Grass S. Sent back to Woodbine, he was second as the heavy chalk in a state-bred allowance May 11, and won a similar test next out there June 8 prior to his unplaced effort in the Queen's Plate. Barren in 2012, the winner's dam Certainly Special produced a colt by Sky Conqueror in 2013 and a colt by Silent Name (Jpn) this year.



Coltimus Prime
Coady Photography



BLACK-TYPE PREVIEWS

VINTAGE STUFF

Where Glorious Goodwood has an edge over Royal Ascot is its ability to earmark the following year's Classic contenders and today's G2 Veuve Clicquot Vintage S. is the premier launchpad for the future Guineas players. Arguably the most impressive maiden winner of all Europe's juveniles so far, Derrick Smith's **Highland Reel (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}) scored by 12 lengths over a mile at Gowran Park at the start of the month in a display of pure ruthless galloping. The third, Hall of Fame (Ire) (Teofilo {Ire}), and fourth, Crescent (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}), have since won decent races and the half-brother to the Australian Group 1 performer Valdemoro (Aus) (Encosta de Lago {Aus}) is poised to provide Aidan O'Brien with a first winner of this prestigious prize, which boasts the likes of Troy (GB), Petoski (GB), Dr Devious (Ire), Alhaarth (Ire), Shamardal and Sir Percy (GB) among its alumni. Richard Hannon Sr. won the last four of these before his retirement and his son has already shown he has grasped the baton in one of the stable's finest years already. He saddles Denford Stud's June 17 G2 Coventry S. seventh **Dr No (GB)** (Aussie Rules) and Michael Kerr-Dineen and Martin Hughes' **Tupi (Ire)** (Tamayuz {GB}). Richard Hughes opts to ride the latter, who scored on debut over this trip at Sandown June 13. "Tupi came from a long way back to win first time out at Sandown," Hannon Jr. commented. "He was green, but the penny dropped just in time and he beat another smart colt of ours in Marshall Jennings in what looked a good maiden. He is taking a big jump in class, but we like him a lot. Dr No will love the fast ground, was only beaten two lengths in the Coventry S. at Royal Ascot and he might improve again for going up in trip." One who is already established at this level is Ahmad Abdulla Al Shaikh's **Ahlan Emarati (Ire)** (Holy Roman Emperor {Ire}), who was third in the five-furlong G2 Norfolk S. at Royal Ascot June 19 and second to Dr No and Tupi's stable companion Kool Kompany (Ire) (Jeremy) in The Curragh's G2 Railway S. over an extra panel last time June 28.

Wednesday, Goodwood, Britain, post time: 3:40 p.m.

VEUVE CLICQUOT VINTAGE S.-G2, £80,000, 2yo, 7fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER
1	2	Ahlan Emarati (Ire)	Hly Rmn Emperor (Ire)	Spencer	P Chapple-Hyam
2	3	Chadic (GB)	Echo of Light (GB)	de Sousa	Johnston
3	4	Dr No (GB)	Aussie Rules	Moore	Hannon
4	7	Faithful Creek (Ire)	Bushranger (Ire)	Fortune	Meehan
5	6	Highland Reel (Ire)	Galileo (Ire)	J O'Brien	A O'Brien
6	8	Pallister (GB)	Pivotal (GB)	Fanning	Johnston
7	1	Room Key (GB)	Mount Nelson (GB)	O'Neill	Johnson Hghtn
8	5	Tupi (Ire)	Tamayuz (GB)	Hughes	Hannon

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Today's G3 Gordon S. at Glorious Goodwood is one of the first recognised St Leger preps, with two winners of that Doncaster Classic having stopped by successfully here since 2006 in Sixties Icon (GB) (Galileo {Ire}) and Conduit (Ire) (Dalakhani {Ire}). Today's renewal features the shock G1 Eclipse S. third **Somewhat** (Dynaformer), whose stamina for this 12-furlong test has yet to be taken on trust. Only caught late on by Mukhadram (Ire) (Shamardal) and Trading Leather (Ire) (Teofilo {Ire}) in that 10-furlong Sandown feature, Sheikh Majid bin Mohammed Al Maktoum's bay was returning to the kind of form which saw him win the Listed Washington Singer S. and finish runner-up in the G2 Superlative S. and G2 Royal Lodge S. last term. One who looks tailor-made for the Leger is Ronnie Arculli's **Red Galileo** (GB) (Dubawi {Ire}) judged on his staying-on fifth in the June 7 G1 Epsom Derby, which is also the case regarding Seasons Holidays' **Observational** (GB) (Galileo {Ire}). Not seen since putting in a dour staying effort to win the 11-furlong Listed Cocked Hat S. here May 23, he has that vital track experience to call on over these tricky contours. "He's pretty lightly raced and he's stepping up in class, but he has been improving," jockey George Baker said.

Wednesday, Goodwood, Britain, post time: 2:30 p.m.

NEPTUNE INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT GORDON S.-G3, £80,000, 3yo, 12FT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER
1	4	Ayrad (Ire)	Dalakhani (Ire)	O'Neill	Varian
2	2	Cloudscape (Ire)	Dansili (GB)	Buick	Gosden
3	1	Observational (GB)	Galileo (Ire)	Baker	Charlton
4	5	Red Galileo (GB)	Dubawi (Ire)	Moore	E Dunlop
5	3	Scotland (Ger)	Monsun (Ger)	Crowley	Balding
6	7	Snow Sky (GB)	Nayef	Doyle	Stoute
7	6	Somewhat 	Dynaformer	Fanning	Johnston
8	8	Windshear (GB)	Hurricane Run (Ire)	Hughes	Hannon

All carry 127 pounds.

2--**Toormore** (Ire), 122, c, 3, Arakan--Danetime Out (Ire), by Danetime (Ire). (£36,000 yrl '12 DONAUG) O-Middleham Park Racing IX & James Pak; B-Bec Bloodstock; T-Richard Hannon; £32,250.

3--**Anjaal** (GB), 122, c, 3, Bahamian Bounty (GB)--Ballymore Celebre (Ire), by Peintre Celebre. (105,000gns yrl '12 TATOCT). O-Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum; B-Carmel Stud; T-Richard Hannon; £16,140.

Margins: NK, HF, 1 3/4. Odds: 7.00, 0.83, 25.00.

Also Ran: Garswood (GB), Amarillo (Ire), Glory Awaits (Ire), Boom and Bust (Ire). Scratched: Gregorian (Ire), Here Comes When (Ire), Professor (GB). [Click for the Racing Post result or the brisnet.com PPs. VIDEO, courtesy Racing UK.](#)

Weakened by the withdrawal of the G1 July Cup third Gregorian (Ire) (Clodovil {Ire}) and notable for another defeat of the increasingly disappointing Toormore, this renewal took on a far-from-vintage feel, and it was Es Que Love who produced the goods to secure a first black-type success. Formerly with Mark Johnston, the bay proved able to maintain a busy schedule at two, three and four and his industrious nature meant that he was there to pick up the pieces on the occasions that less-exposed rivals failed to rise to the challenge. Beaten just over four lengths by Black Caviar (Aus) (Bel Esprit {Aus}) when ninth in the 2012 G1 Diamond Jubilee S., he returned to that kind of form in some major handicaps a year on to suggest he is a real mid-summer campaigner. Bought in the off-season and transferred to Clive Cox, he ran second in the G3 Abernant S. at Newmarket Apr. 17 and third in the May 14 G2 Duke of York S. when switched back to six furlongs and was put forward for both the big sprints at the latest edition of the Royal meeting. Ninth tried over five in the G1 King's Stand S. June 17, he was 11th in the Diamond Jubilee five days afterwards and enjoyed what was for him a holiday before filling the third spot in the G3 Hackwood S. again over six at Newbury just 10 days ago. Settled in a perfect spot in a stalking third early racing under cover, Es Que Love was full of run as Toormore was committed on the front end by Richard Hughes approaching the quarter pole. Unleashed by Adam Kirby at the furlong marker, he swamped the favorite with just over 100 yards to race and asserted as Toormore's barnmate Anjaal made eye-catching progress to make the frame. "They didn't feel to me that they went very quick, as he's traveled very strong and come there on the bridle," his jockey explained. "We learnt quite a lot about him last time--he's not ungenue, but today we thought we'd play it a bit later and he's done it easily." *Cont. p7*

GRADED/GROUP RESULTS

Tuesday, Goodwood, Britain

BET365 LENNOX S.-G2, £150,000, GWD, 7-29, 3yo/up, 7fT, 1:24.55, gd/fm.

1--**#@ES QUE LOVE (IRE), 129, h, 5, by Clodovil (Ire)**

1st Dam: Es Que (GB), by Inchinor (GB)

2nd Dam: Bellona (Ire), by Bering (GB)

3rd Dam: Bellarida (Fr), by Bellypha (Ire)

(22,000gns yrl '10 TATOCT; 110,000gns HRA '13 TATHIT). O-The Es Que Love Partnership; B-Newhall Ltd (IRE); T-Clive Cox; J-Adam Kirby; £85,065.

Lifetime Record: 48-5-9-5, £227,262. *1/2 to Dominant (Ire) (Cacique {Ire}), G1SW-HK & GSP-Eng, \$2,385,074. **Werk Nick Rating: B.** [Click for the nNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

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G2 Lennox S. cont.

Cox added, "He's a real yard favorite at home since he joined us and that's how he works in the mornings at home. There was no pace in the Hackwood last time, where Adam took a calculated decision taking it up two out and he didn't quite last home. He's got a high cruising speed and can really change gear when he needs to. This was a step up in performance, so we'll enjoy today before making plans. He's well-entered up in the G2 Hungerford S. [at Newbury Aug. 16] and G2 Park S. [at Doncaster Sept. 13], so we'll take that decision in a couple of days' time."



EQUILOTTERY FOR DUMMIES

When Brad Cummings announced Equilottery at the beginning of the month, we all knew we were for it, but a lot of us who don't pay much attention to lotteries didn't really 'get it.' So I sat down with Brad when I was in Lexington a couple of weeks ago and asked him to explain it for those of us who don't yet understand it--Equilottery for Dummies.



Brad Cummings

Brad explained a couple of the key concepts. One thing that's important to understand is that lotteries in North America, like other forms of gambling, are essentially organized and administered on a state-by-state or (in Canada) a provincial basis. Though Equilottery is one 'game,' it would take a different shape in each state or province--which must allow both lotteries and pari-mutuel

betting. We'll return to this point in a minute.

Second thing to understand--which I confess I didn't realize--is that states don't make up their own 'games.' There are gaming companies which invent the games and sell them to the various states. Brad cited the example of Kentucky: a company called GTECH provides all the games for the Kentucky lottery, and their payment is a small percentage of every lottery ticket sold. That's how the gaming companies generate revenues.

Equilottery is a lottery game, provided by the Equilottery LLC company. Brad and team persuade a state or provincial lottery to buy the game, each state runs its own lottery and the payoffs are tied to the respective pari-mutuel pools.

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Here's how it works. A lottery takeout is typically 40%. Equilottery is a \$2 game. For each \$2 bet, the respective state or province keeps \$1. Of that dollar, 80 cents is 40% of the \$2 bet, so that is the lottery (state) take-out. The other 20 cents collected by the respective states goes into a separate, supplemental 'bonus' pool which each state pays out separately. The second \$1 is bet straight into the racetrack's pari-mutuel pool, and just becomes part of that pool. Say, for example, the Equilottery bet is a trifecta, and the player selects 3-5-8 in that order. The bettor's second dollar is just part of the pari-mutuel pool, so the player simply has a \$1 trifecta 3-5-8, and if the bettor wins, he or she gets the \$1 trifecta payoff back, plus a share of the 20-cent supplemental pool which will be unique to each state.

Brad and team sell the game to the respective states, with the idea that in each state or province Equilottery is played once each day. Part of the package is that the Equilottery team then consults with the state on the best race to use each day. On most days each state would play the game on a local race with a big field, timed between 4:00 p.m. and 6:00 p.m., with a lottery cut-off time of say, 4:00 p.m. On some days, particularly weekends, states might choose to have that day's Equilottery be on a race of regional or national significance to build larger pools.

Equilottery is designed to appeal to lottery players, who get a new and maybe interesting game, as well as to several horse industry elements. Racetracks benefit from increases in the pools on those Equilottery races. Brad points out that seasoned horseplayers will feel they have an advantage in the lottery races--as a certain percentage of the pool will consist of an even higher percentage of random bets than usual--and the industry as a whole will benefit from increased exposure.

The development of Equilottery can be traced to Brad's exposure to horse racing, which was absolutely zero until six years ago, in 2008. Now 36, Brad is a native of the Chicago suburbs, where he never knew about Arlington Park or Hawthorne, and attended university as an aspiring actor at Illinois State in Normal, Illinois (following in the footsteps of John Malkovich, he explains). He moved to Louisville to work for Stage One Theatre, and met his wife Nikki when both were cast members in a charity production of the Rocky Horror Picture Show. But Brad realized that, in his opinion, he was not likely to be the next John Malkovich. He abandoned acting for a short career running statewide political campaigns in Kentucky, then signed up to handle the business side of *The Paulick Report* in 2008. **Cont. p8**



Bill Oppenheim cont.

"I had to look up what a furlong was," Brad explained. "I literally knew nothing." Equilottery is designed to help other people who would also have to look that up to create a connection to the horse business.

Incidentally, Brad did have a breakthrough moment as a performer after all, when he sang the National Anthem on the Friday of the 2012 Breeders' Cup at Santa Anita. Engaging though he is, I have to admit until that moment, he was just a name on a page to me. After he belted out a stirring rendition of the National Anthem though, I certainly knew who he was.

After his first industry job at *The Paulick Report*, Brad moved on to PM Advertising and just finished a stint as COO of that company. He has now launched Equilottery as a full-time venture. Hopefully this piece will help clarify exactly what is Equilottery, and how it will benefit the industry. It definitely will do that. The industry has absolutely nothing to lose here, it can only gain. So hopefully when we say, "of course I support Equilottery," we will have a little bit better idea of what we are supporting.

GALILEO TOP SIRE OF NEW A RUNNERS

According to data supplied by The Jockey Club Information Systems (TJCIS), there were 827 new A Runners through July 8 of this year. Almost exactly 50% of them (416) were 3-year-olds, so on the Leaders Lists by Sires and Broodmare Sires we're running, we've noted the number of new A Runners and the number of those which are 3-year-olds. Keep in mind though, that horses which are top 2% earners mid-year are not guaranteed to be top 2% earners by the end of the year. At this stage of proceedings, the top 2% of earners in North America have earned \$83,710 or more, but at the end of 2013, horses had to earn \$131,000 or more to be counted as A Runners. Inevitably a certain number of horses which qualify as midyear A Runners will end up being B Runners at the end of the year. If they've earned the minimum to qualify by now (July 8), they'll need to earn another \$50,000 this year to remain an A Runner.

Given that disclaimer, the leading North American or European sire of new 2014 A Runners through July 8 is



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Coolmore's **Galileo (Ire)**, with 14 new A Runners. Eight of them are 3-year-olds, including dual Derby winner Australia (GB) and G1 Irish 1000 Guineas winner Marvellous (Ire). The Irish National Stud's **Invincible Spirit (Ire)** is tied for second with Lane's End's **Smart Strike** (10 each). Darley

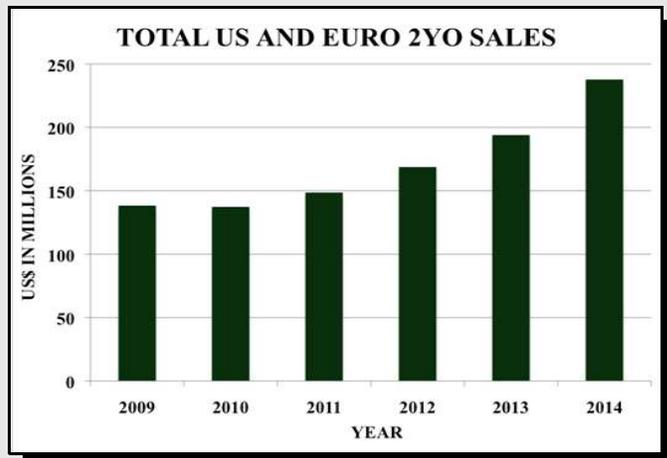
Kildangan's **Teofilo (Ire)**, Banstead Manor's **Oasis Dream (GB)**, and Walmac's somewhat forgotten man **Successful Appeal** have eight new 2014 A Runners each. Gainesway's top 2014 North American sire **Tapit** is one of four with seven new A Runners; six of his are 3-year-olds, including Tonalist, Constitution, and Coup de Grace.

Weekly Sales Ticker

by Bill Oppenheim

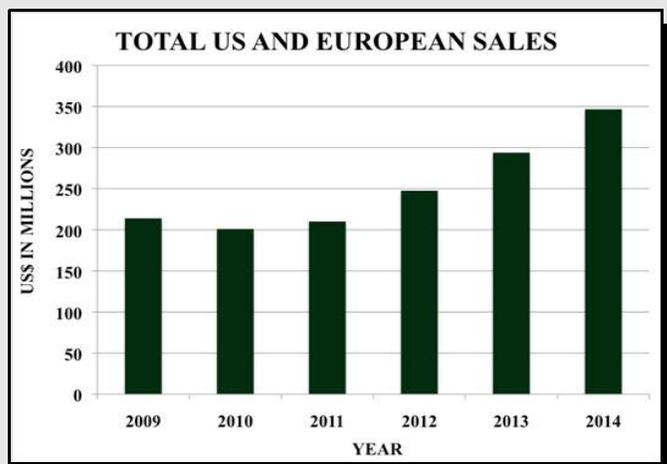
"For three years 2009-2011, at this stage of proceedings the North American and European auction marketplace had dropped to between \$200-\$215 million, and for the same three years the average price, as of July 31, had been \$37,000 and change. Since 2010 the number sold is up 21%, gross revenues are up 72%, and the average price is up 43%. This year gross NA/EU auction sales so far are up 18%."

— Bill Oppenheim



TOTAL US & EURO SALES AS OF JULY 28, 2014

YEAR	CAT	RING	SOLD	%W/D	%S/R	%S/C	GROSS	AVG
2014	5,095	3,813	2,965	25.2%	77.8%	58.2%	\$237,676,763	\$80,161
2013	4,273	3,230	2,530	24.4%	78.3%	59.2%	\$193,858,921	\$76,624
2012	4,409	3,368	2,596	23.6%	77.1%	58.9%	\$168,660,465	\$64,969
2011	4,609	3,471	2,601	24.7%	74.9%	56.4%	\$148,632,749	\$57,144
2010	4,054	3,209	2,369	20.8%	73.8%	58.4%	\$137,292,470	\$57,954
2009	4,684	3,431	2,449	26.8%	71.4%	52.3%	\$138,306,840	\$56,475



TOTAL US & EURO SALES AS OF JULY 29, 2014

YEAR	CAT	RING	SOLD	%W/D	%S/R	%S/C	GROSS	AVG
2014	10,494	8,135	6,404	22.5%	78.7%	61.0%	\$346,558,234	\$54,116
2013	9,378	7,276	5,593	22.4%	76.9%	59.6%	\$292,758,017	\$52,344
2012	9,257	7,222	5,517	22.0%	76.4%	59.6%	\$247,624,102	\$44,884
2011	9,694	7,492	5,561	22.7%	74.2%	57.4%	\$210,103,082	\$37,782
2010	9,399	7,476	5,293	20.5%	70.8%	56.3%	\$200,978,340	\$37,971
2009	10,524	7,834	5,685	25.6%	72.6%	54.0%	\$214,029,697	\$37,648

Data compiled by Brianne Stanley



Bill Oppenheim cont.

Lane's End is the leading farm, standing four of the 15 active sires on this list: Smart Strike, as mentioned above; leading third-crop sire **Curlin** and **Lemon Drop Kid**, with seven new 2014 A Runners each; and **Candy Ride (Arg)**, with six. Darley Jonabell's **Hard Spun**, sire of GII Jim Dandy winner Wicked Strong, also has seven. Two F2011 second-crop sires have six new 2014 A Runners each in their first crops: WinStar's **Pioneerof The Nile** and Gilltown Stud's **Sea The Stars (Ire)**, sire of Classic winners and 'Arc' co-favorites Taghrooda and Sea The Moon. WinStar's **Tiznow** also has six, along with Ashford's **Giant's Causeway**, and deceased **Harlan's Holiday** and **Unbridled's Song**.

SIRES OF 6+ NEW 2014 A RUNNERS

SIRE	ST	FARM	NEW A's	3YO's
GALILEO	IRE	COOLMORE	14	8
INVINCIBLE SPIRIT	IRE	IRISH NAT'L STUD	10	7
SMART STRIKE	KY	LANE'S END	10	5
TEOFILO	IRE	KILDANGAN	8	6
OASIS DREAM	GB	BANSTEAD MANOR	8	5
SUCCESSFUL APPEAL	KY	WALMAC	8	3
TAPIT	KY	GAINESWAY	7	6
CURLIN*	KY	LANE'S END	7	4
LEMON DROP KID	KY	LANE'S END	7	4
HARD SPUN	KY	DARLEY	7	2
PIONEEROF THE NILE**	KY	WINSTAR	6	6
SEA THE STARS**	IRE	GILLTOWN	6	6
TIZNOW	KY	WINSTAR	6	5
HARLAN'S HOLIDAY	Dead		6	4
GIANT'S CAUSEWAY	KY	ASHFORD	6	3
UNBRIDLED'S SONG	Dead		6	3
CANDY RIDE (ARG)	KY	LANE'S END	6	2

* 1st Foals 2010
 ** 1st Foals 2011

The leading damsire of new 2014 A Runners is **Danehill**, with 13 (only two by Galileo, though). **A.P. Indy** is second, with nine, followed by **Darshaan (GB)** (7) and **Forest Wildcat** (6). Four sires still standing have five new 2014 A Runners as broodmare sires: Darley Kildangan's **Cape Cross (Ire)**; Darley Jonabell's **Elusive Quality**; Taylor Made's **Forestry**; and WinStar's **Distorted Humor**.

DAMSIRES OF 5+ NEW 2014 A RUNNERS

SIRE	ST	FARM	NEW A's	3YO's
DANEHILL	Dead		13	8
A.P. INDY	Retired		9	5
DARSHAAN	Dead		7	3
FOREST WILDCAT	Dead		6	2
CAPE CROSS	IR	KILDANGAN	5	4
ELUSIVE QUALITY	KY	DARLEY	5	4
FORESTRY	KY	TAYLOR MADE	5	4
DISTORTED HUMOR	KY	WINSTAR	5	3

ADDENDA: British and Irish interests have succeeded in combining two 'self-help' programs into one, called Plus Ten (because there are rewards of £10,000/€12,500 in lots of qualifying races). The *Racing Post* Yearling Bonus, which was originally devised by mostly Irish consignors, and a British scheme known as BOBIS (don't ask) have now combined into one plan, with a three-stage entry fee: £150/€187.50 as a foal; £200/€250 as a yearling; and £350/€437.50 as a 2-year-old. The total bill is £700/€875, but could end up being paid by three separate entities depending on who owns the horse at the times of nomination. Progeny of British and Irish-based mares and stallions are eligible. Darley kicked off proceedings by announcing they are nominating 332 foals.

CONDOLENCES to the family of the great horseman Alan Lillingston, who died earlier this week at age 79. Owner of Mount Coote Stud in Ireland, Alan was a prominent figure in Irish racing and breeding for over 50 years. I first met him when Mount Coote was a prominent yearling consignor in the 1980's. He was extremely knowledgeable, a complete gentleman and unstintingly generous with his time and expertise. He sired four children, including Luke, a prominent bloodstock agent who now manages Mount Coote, and Georgina Bell. [CLICK HERE TO SHARE THIS STORY](#)

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CAMPBELL'S BIG BET STILL LOOKING GOOD

In April, Dogwood Stable's Cot Campbell placed a wager through William Hill on his outfit's **Palace Malice** (Curlin) taking 2014 Horse of the Year honors. The 12-1 he got at the time looks like a savvy investment so far, as the bay added to his GII Gulfstream Park H. and GII New Orleans H. victories with a smashing success in the GIII Westchester S. May 11 and a comprehensive tally in a strong renewal of the GI Metropolitan H. June 7. Last year's GI Belmont S. hero already rests atop the NTRA Top Thoroughbred Poll, and he could further solidify his number one spot if he can keep his winning streak going in a loaded renewal of the \$1.5 million GI Whitney H.--a "Win and You're In" qualifier for the GI Breeders' Cup Classic--at Saratoga Saturday.



Palace Malice, Mike Smith up, with Cot Campbell (right) and Todd Pletcher (left)
NYRA/Coglianesse

"He's very sharp," Campbell said of Palace Malice yesterday during an NTRA "Road to the Breeders' Cup" teleconference. "He's a little edgy--almost like a fighter who's getting ready to fight. He's a little feisty now. If you walk up to him, you better have a peppermint in your hand."

Campbell, who campaigns the Todd Pletcher trainee along with five partners, noted that Palace Malice's 2014 season will also include the GI Woodward S. Aug. 30, the GI Jockey Club Gold Cup Sept. 27 and the GI Breeders' Cup Classic Nov. 1 should all go according to plan Saturday.

Longer term goals, however, are still very much up in the air. Campbell said that while he has received a number of inquiries regarding breeding rights for Palace Malice, he and his partners have not yet decided whether or not the handsome bay will compete again next year at age five.

"In our case, we're racing people, but we don't want to be stupid either," Campbell offered. "Many farms have called about the horse, and I've said, 'Let's wait until this fall--see where we are and see how his level of enthusiasm is and what we've accomplished at Saratoga.' I think there have been 10 farms--we'll make a point to talk to each and see what we're going to do. That's the way we've left it. The scenarios are that we could retire him this fall or we could do another year. We'll have to figure that out as we go along."

He added, "Like a lot of people, our clients didn't buy shares in this horse to try to make a profit. They would love to do it, and they are going to do it, but they love the excitement of racing. You can't buy that. You absolutely cannot buy running in these big races. It just has to come to you. It's a fabulous lifetime experience, and we have to weigh whether we want to have that experience again, or whether we want to cash in and get the dough."

Dogwood partners have had many of those priceless experiences with the help of fellow Todd Pletcher-trained stand-outs such as Cotton Blossom, Trippi and Limehouse. Campbell was one of the first owners to employ the future six-time Eclipse Award winner when he first went out on his own after working as an assistant for Hall of Famer D. Wayne Lukas.

"When Todd was with Lukas, I would see him up here [in Saratoga] scurrying around on the backside and always going about his business," recalled Campbell. "They were winning a lot of races and clearly he was the guy in charge of the division at that time. When he went out on his own in late 1995, he told me just in a matter-of-fact way that he was out on his own. I said, 'Good, good luck.' Then, early in 1996, I did send him a few horses. I think he had maybe seven or eight horses when I sent him four or five. And I think Todd has always been very grateful for that. So we go back 17 or 18 years, and it's been a marvelous relationship. I could go on for a half hour with all his great attributes."

If Palace Malice lives up to the hype Saturday, Campbell will certainly have more nice things to say about Pletcher, and 12-1 will be looking even better.

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'STALLING' LOOKS TO HAVE PAID OFF FOR DEPARTING

Claiborne Farm and Adele Dilschneider's **Departing** (War Front) looked like an emerging superstar late last year with open-length victories in the GII West Virginia Derby in August and GII Super Derby in early September. After fading to fourth at 3-10 odds in Remington's GIII Oklahoma Derby Sept. 29, however, conditioner Al Stall, Jr. decided to regroup and focus on a 4-year-old campaign and sent **Departing** to Claiborne farm to be turned out for about 80 days. The bay reemerged successfully in a one-mile Churchill optional claimer Apr. 30, and made an ominous bid before settling for third in Churchill's GI Stephen Foster H. June 14. **Departing** goes third off the lay off in Saturday's GI Whitney H. at the Spa.



Departing *Coady Photography*

"The race in Oklahoma clearly wasn't his 'A' race and we just felt like he was telling us he wanted a little breather," Stall explained during yesterday's NTRA teleconference. "He's a gelding who doesn't carry a ton of conditioning even though he's gotten a lot more as a 4-year-old than he did as a 3-year-old. So, it just made sense because the 3-year-old races were over, to get him away from the track and focus in on the second half of 2014. I guess, the main focus would've been the third race back, which is the Whitney. We're fortunate enough to be one day away from the entry box from getting there. That itself is a tribute to the horse and my crew."

Of his Foster effort, in which **Departing** finished just a neck behind last year's champion 3-year-old and fellow Whitney hopeful **Will Take Charge** (Unbridled's Song), Stall said, "I thought it was a huge effort. He had only had a one-turn mile allowance race in 8 1/2 months and he made the lead there in between calls in the stretch and actually looked like he might go on with it, but he just didn't. He came out of the race really well, and he's training every bit as good as he's ever trained in his life up here in Saratoga."

Departing's three works over the track at Saratoga include a bullet five-furlong spin in 1:00.24 July 18.

"That was his strong work for the race," Stall noted. "It was just a typical work of his. He just laid off another horse. To give you a direct quote from [regular rider] Robby Albarado, he said at the sixteenth pole the hair was standing up on the back of his neck he was traveling so well. [Albarado] was so excited about the work. Visually, he was just in hand and traveling so much on his own... he went by the other horse like he was tied to a post. It was very, very exciting. He had a nice blowout the other day, so we feel like we're really on track for a good effort."

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Stall, a native of New Orleans, is perhaps best known as the trainer of Claiborne and Dilschneider's 2010 champion older horse **Blame** (Arch). **Blame** won that year's Stephen Foster and Whitney and later defeated **Zenyatta** (Street Cry {Ire}) in the GI Breeders' Cup Classic.

"This is a different type of horse--he's certainly not **Blame**," Stall said of **Departing** when asked to compare the two. "We knew **Blame** was good. We thought he was a Grade I horse--he proved that in the Foster. We knew he would take us a long, long way throughout the year, and he ended up taking us all the way to the promised land. This horse might be able to do it--we're not sure. But with **Blame**, we knew we had something. This horse sure works awful well, and this race is going to be the acid test of his life. So we'll find out what we have and what direction we're going in after it."

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SYNTHETIC SURFACES IN NORTH AMERICA

Track	All-Weather Surface
Arlington Park	Polytrack
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Keeneland	Polytrack
Turfway Park	Polytrack
Woodbine	Polytrack
Golden Gate	Tapeta Footings
Presque Isle Downs	Tapeta Footings
OBS Training Center	Safetrack



NEWS TODAY

BLASI RETURNS TO ASMUSSEN STABLE

Scott Blasi, the primary figure in a controversial video released by People for the Ethical Treatment of Animals, has returned as assistant to trainer Steve Asmussen, according to published reports. Blasi was fired four months ago in the aftermath of the video's release, which showed him using profane language.

"It's great to be back doing what I love," Blasi told Dave Grening of *Daily Racing Form*.

"I don't think my care or love or passion for the game has ever been a question," he continued. "There are obviously ways you can grow and get better as a person. Everybody's trying to do that all the time, especially myself. There are better ways to handle things, that's for sure. Self-reflection has never hurt anybody. I got to do a lot of that. I'm really happy with where I'm at in my life."

Asmussen told Grening, "He makes us better. I'm better with him. He's done a lot of good for us in 18 years."

In response to Blasi's reinstatement, PETA's Senior Vice President Kathy Guillermo released the following statement Tuesday afternoon:

"Steve Asmussen's "suspension" of Scott Blasi always seemed a sham. Ultimately, Asmussen is responsible for the cruelty shown in PETA's investigation, including the use of sedatives, pain-masking drugs, and chemical stimulants; running sore and injured horses; and smearing caustic chemicals on horses' legs. If the racing industry cares at all about Thoroughbreds, the end of the mock suspension will be seen as a return to business as usual and should be condemned by everyone who gives a hoot about horses."

SHADWELL TURF MILE GETS PURSE INCREASE

Keeneland's GI Shadwell Turf Mile, previously boasting a \$750,000 purse, will now be worth \$1-million, Keeneland and Shadwell Farm announced yesterday. The increase makes the Oct. 4 event--which Shadwell has sponsored since 1999--Keeneland's first \$1-million stakes race.

"Shadwell Farm has played a very special role in Keeneland's history for 30 years, actively supporting our racing program as both a sponsor and owner, and as a leading buyer at our sales," said Keeneland President and CEO Bill Thomason. "We sincerely thank Sheikh Hamdan and [Vice President & General Manager] Rick Nichols for their commitment to Thoroughbred racing, to Central Kentucky and to Keeneland."

The Shadwell Turf Mile is a "Win and You're In" event granting the victor automatic berth into the GI Breeders' Cup Mile. The test was won by two-time reigning Horse of the Year Wise Dan (Wiseman's Ferry) in 2012 and he was bested by Silver Max (Badge of Silver) when attempting a title defense in an off-the-turf renewal last year.

BRIS Speed Ratings Top Weekly Stakes Races

Horse	Sire	Race	BRIS Speed
Valid	Medaglia d'Oro	Monmouth Cup S.-G2	107
Bayern	Offlee Wild	William Hill Haskell Invitational S.-G1	106
Fed Biz	Giant's Causeway	San Diego H.-G2	105
Irish Surf	Giant's Causeway	Cougar II H.-G3	105
Get Happy Mister	First Samurai	Mount Elbert S.	101
Big Macher	Beau Genius	Bing Crosby S.-G1	100
Burn the Mortgage	Kitten's Joy	Eight Miles East S.	100
Rock Me Baby	Rock Hard Ten	California Dreamin' H.	100
Coup de Grace	Tapit	Amsterdam S.-G2	99
La Tia	City Place	Ontario Matron S.-G3	99
R Free Roll	Rockport Harbor	Honorable Miss H.-G2	99
Rainbow Heir	Wildcat Heir	Teddy Drone S.	99
Ageless	Successful Appeal	Royal North S.-G3	98
Majestic River	A.P. Indy	Molly Pitcher S.-G2	98
Antipathy	A.P. Indy	Shuvee H.-G3	97
Sister Ginger	Student Council	Girls Inc of Shelbyville Shelby County S.	97
Starstruck (IRE)	Galileo (IRE)	WinStar Matchmaker S.-G3	97
Wicked Strong	Hard Spun	Jim Dandy S.-G2	97
Geeky Gorgeous	Devil His Due	Regret S.	96
Lil Bit O'Fun	Langfuhr	Wickerr S.	96
Sweet Luca	Candy Ride (ARG)	Addison Cammack H.	96
Miss d'Oro	Medaglia d'Oro	Power by Far H.	95
On Down the Road	Desert God	Land of Enchantment H.	94

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"Sheikh Hamdan and all of us at Shadwell have enjoyed working with Keeneland to develop the Shadwell Turf Mile," said Nichols. "A special tribute to the late Howard Battle who, as Keeneland's racing secretary, worked very hard in the early days of sponsorship to elevate the Turf Mile from a Grade III to a Grade I event. Sheikh Hamdan has always felt that our best breeding stock comes from horses that compete successfully at a mile. Keeneland has provided the opportunity and the stage for him to develop a world-class race at that distance that will draw and test horses from all over the globe."

IN OTHER NEWS...

A Daily Roundup of Racing Articles in Other Media

[Racing commission to hold meeting Wednesday on Colonial Downs thoroughbred season](#) Colonial Downs and the horsemen's association will meet Wednesday morning in another attempt to agree on the terms of the next thoroughbred racing season. **Amy Jo Martin, Tidewater Review**

[Hawthorne a big loss to Thoroughbred industry](#) The [New Zealand] Thoroughbred industry has lost one of its characters with the passing of Norm Hawthorne. A long-time studmaster Hawthorne, 87, retired about five years ago to Cambridge after many years in Matamata where he operated his Paramount Lodge standing a large number of stallions during that time. **Tim Ryan, stuff.co.nz**

[Here's to 150 years of elegance](#) On Aug. 2, 1864, the first Thoroughbred race was run on the track as we know it, nestled between Union and Nelson Avenues. **Teresa Genaro, The Saratogian**



RACETRACK ROUND-UP

SOCIAL INCLUSION TRANSFERRED TO BROWN

Rontos Racing Stable's **Social Inclusion** (Pioneerof the Nile) has been transferred from trainer Manny Azpurua to Chad Brown, owner Ron Sanchez of Rontos Racing Stable announced yesterday. He will join Brown's string in Saratoga today.



Social Inclusion
Lauren King

"We believe it's time for him to fly and try another training pattern," Sanchez said on Twitter. "Manny is a great trainer. He is 85 and I want him to rest and relax, and not have to travel

everywhere. I need him in Florida taking care of my 2-year-olds."

Opening his account with a pair of impressive wins at Gulfstream, Social Inclusion finished third in the GI TwinSpires.com Wood Memorial Apr. 5, the GI Preakness S. May 17 and the GII Woody Stephens S. June 7. The bay was last seen finishing seventh to Woody Stephens victor Bayern (Offlee Wild) in the GI William Hill Haskell Invitational S. at Monmouth Park July 27.

MINOR CUTS AND BRUISES FOR 'TAG'

Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum's unbeaten **Taghrooda (GB)** (Sea the Stars {Ire}) suffered a few minor cuts and bruises while defeating older males in her brilliant victory in last weekend's G1 King George VI and Queen Elizabeth S. at Ascot, according to *PA Sport*. "Her appearance was down to owner Sheikh Hamdan Al Maktoum, who took the brave call to bypass the [G1] Darley Irish Oaks and take on the colts and older horses, including his [G1] Coral-Eclipse winner Mukhadram," racing



Taghrooda
Racing Post Photo

manager Angus Gold told *Channel 4 Racing*. "Sheikh Hamdan was obviously thrilled. It was a big call of his as everybody said and I think he will have gotten a lot of satisfaction from being proved right and she's proved herself well out of the ordinary, so it's lovely for everybody." Gold continued of the G1 Epsom Oaks heroine, "Sheikh Hamdan's policy has always been, bar the odd one, to retire 3-year-old fillies at the end of their year. With a filly like this, you've won a Classic, you've won a King George, and in his view she will not have a lot left to prove, so he'd rather she was breeding in the paddocks. As far as I know, [trainer] John [Gosden] is happy with her. She's got a few nicks and bruises, nothing that a bit of time won't heal."

EAGLE TOP ON BRIEF HOLIDAY

Eagle Top (GB) (Pivotal {GB}), hero of Royal Ascot's G2 Kind Edward VII S., is set to be given a mid-season break following his respectable fourth-place finish in last weekend's G1 King George VI and Queen Elizabeth S. at Ascot, according to *PA Sport*. Hugo Lascelles, bloodstock advisor for Eagle Top's owner Lady Bamford, said, "He's come out of the race well and we were all very proud of his run. The handicapper has put him up 3 pounds since the race and I think it was a fine effort on just his fourth career start. He certainly didn't let us down." Lascelles continued, "Hopefully it's onwards and upwards from here and he's got a good chance of making it, but we haven't made any definite plans. He's going to have a break now. I don't think you'll be seeing him run in August. We'll be looking towards September and the autumn."

SALES NEWS

DBS PREMIER CATALOGUE AVAILABLE

The 503-strong catalogue for the 2014 DBS Premier Yearling Sales--to be held Aug. 26 & 27 at Doncaster--is now available. All horses sold under the hammer at the Premier Sales will be eligible for the 2015 DBS Premier Yearling S. at York worth £300,000. "Results on the track drive the success of yearling sales, so to achieve the Group 1 sprint double at Royal Ascot this year and have a Group 2 winning 2-year-old--one of three so far this year--just shows how well graduates of this sale are performing," DBS Managing Director Henry Beeby said. "The quality of the catalogue shows that this sale is at an exciting point in its history. We have worked hard to get the Premier Sales to where it is today and we feel confident that this year will see this sale take that next step. The talk over the last couple of months and the demand we have had from vendors to get their horses into this sale is very encouraging and as ever, we are hugely grateful to those who have entrusted their horses to us. We are looking forward to welcoming everyone to Doncaster at the end of August." [Click here to view the catalogue.](#)

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DUTROW LAWSUIT DISMISSED

Banned trainer Rick Dutrow suffered another legal setback in his attempt to have his license reinstated when a U.S. District Court judge dismissed his lawsuit Tuesday. In the lawsuit, filed in February 2013, Dutrow claimed the 10-year ban handed down by the New York State Racing and Wagering Board violated his federal due process. Dutrow said the board should have had a full hearing into alleged conflict of interests by chairman John Sabini. The NYSGC, Sabini, Daniel D. Hogan, and Charles J. Diamond and the Association of Racing Commissioners International separately moved to dismiss the case and yesterday Judge Sandra Townes of the U.S. District Court of the Eastern District of New York agreed. In her order of dismissal, Judge Townes wrote, "Aside from reciting in conclusory fashion that he was 'denied the opportunity to fully and fairly develop a record,' Plaintiff suggests no additional information he would have put before the Appellate Division. Having failed to show that he was not afforded a full and fair opportunity to litigate these issues, Plaintiff is collaterally estopped from asserting his "1983 claims" in the instant action." The Racing and Wagering Board banned Dutrow, trainer of GI Kentucky Derby winner Big Brown, citing a history of multiple infractions.



A DIFFERENT PAIR OF SHADES: VISION TURNS SEVEN *by Heather Likins*

Vision, a photographic fund-raising event for the Latino Community Advocacy Program (LCAP), celebrates its seventh anniversary Aug. 5 in Saratoga Springs, New York. LCAP sits under the larger umbrella of the Saratoga County Economic Opportunity Council (EOC) and was established in 2005 to address the needs of Saratoga's Spanish-speaking community. English as a Second Language Classes (ESL) was the cornerstone of the original program, but LCAP expanded to include photography classes later that year.

Catherine Eckert, the Latino Community Advocacy Coordinator, explained, "Our program started with the English as a Second Language Classes at the Saratoga Race Course."

The original photography classes grew into Estamos Aqui--We Are Here, a black and white traveling photography exhibit displaying photos from the Latino perspective produced yearly by the photography class students.

"Estamos Aqui is the name of the photography project that is around Saratoga County," Eckert continued. "The Latino community has such a unique life here in Saratoga--and everywhere.

"It's very cool to see their lives here through art," Eckert added. "Photography just seemed to be an easier way to show that, as opposed to painting or some other medium."



2013 Photos at Vision Gala
Courtesy LCAP

In 2007, in need of funds to provide the multitude of free services offered to its constituents, the LCAP established Vision, a fundraising arm of Estamos Aqui.

"LCAP provides services to anyone who walks through our door," said Eckert. "Estamos Aqui started and then Vision became an event as a fundraiser. The funds that are raised from the Vision event give us the capability to provide these services free for the community."

Being able to attend the Vision gala is a multi-week journey for the students--through learning about photography basics and perfecting their craftsmanship, to telling their personal stories through the lens with the help of talented volunteers.

"Everything just fell into place after our programming was set," added Eckert. "Our program purchased the cameras through our funding that we've gotten through Vision. Then we have our initial workshop that introduces the students to Vision and Estamos Aqui. Anyone who is interested is given a camera at that point. We have seven photographers this year and have a release form that we have the students sign. These are the expectations, and this is what the event is for."

"The first class is how to use a camera," said Eckert. "There are examples of photos that have been taken and we talk to them just a little bit saying, 'Why does this photo work?' We teach them those things. This year we have photographer Emma Dodge Hanson and her assistant donating their time to really go into the art form of photography--composition, lines, and the different tints," she added. "Our participants come away with more than just 'Here's how you take a photo.' This is why you take the photo. This is why it's a good photo. The art of black and white photography is important, too. They have four classes of those."

"The last class, which is on July 17th, we have a committee member who's also an English professor helping the photographers tell their story," Eckert commented. "Each photo has a title and caption. Then they have their biography in the program. The professor has stepped it up a notch this year. Let's hear it from the student's view, more than just what's going on here. Tell us why. Tell us your story."

This final workshop for the students is doubly important because it is also when they submit their prospective Vision event photos for judging. **cont. p2**



Vision cont.

“On the 17th of July, we have four people sitting on a jury,” explained Eckert. “Each photographer submits five photos and then the jury deliberates on which photos will be exhibited at the Vision gala, and out of those photos, which ones are the winners. Those are the photos that are exhibited. The students find out and the participants are invited to come for free. They can bring guests to the party to celebrate their great accomplishments. The public is invited to come as well, as a fundraiser for the EOC.”

The first six Vision events--held at the clubhouse at Saratoga Race Course until this year--featured a different style of presentation. However, as more interest has been generated from Vision and Estamos Aqui, the program has adapted.

“Our event is on Tuesday, Aug. 5 and is from 5:30-8:00 p.m.,” Eckert said. “This year, it's at the Rail Tent, which is right next to the clubhouse at Saratoga Race Course. You can see the track and it's beautiful. We will have hor d'oeuvres, beer has been donated and wine is getting donated. It is being staffed by Centerplate. Garland Nelson and Soul Session will be playing live music.”

“In the past, all the photos have been all in one spot,” Eckert continued. “The Vision event is going to be more of a walk-around experience. We will actually have the photos standing around the whole venue instead of just in one area, so it feels more like a gala. Soul Session will be in one area and you can walk around with your cocktail and your food and network with people.”

Ticket sales from the Vision event--\$60 this year--are not the only means of fundraising for LCAP.

“We also have note cards that we sell which have five photos in a packet that are outstanding that people can purchase,” added Eckert.

Once the annual Vision event has occurred, LCAP continues to track the progress of its students.

“We have one student who was a winner of the Vision contest, I think, three years in a row,” said Eckert. “He's very promising. He's enrolling in Skidmore College in the fall.”

“We had another student who is just such a great mouthpiece for our program,” continued Eckert. “He was a participant for the last couple years, and this year he decided, ‘No, I want other people to take advantage of this because I've learned so much.’ He's now taken on the role of a volunteer. He wants to give back and tell everyone else about it.”

“We have the Ceballos family who started this year in our photography class,” she added. “They've been English as a Second Language students in our program for some time now, and they really love it. Their proficiency in English has been phenomenal. It just



Shy and Solitud
Danilo Rojas

proves that, with dedication, they can really get into it, and they've just become more confident in their every day lives. Then they decided to do something fun and start this photography class. That is an example of a family that has really traveled through our program.”

Maria Ceballos, a current-year photography and English student, is grateful for the chances the program has given her and her family.

“We have been presented the great opportunity to get to know the Saratoga Springs EOC, whom I am very thankful for, because they have helped us a lot with English, photography classes, with our doctors' appointments and health insurance, and also with unemployment services,” Ceballos said. “The funds from Vision are collected and used to continue to help other people, just like my family, to provide more opportunities for their future.”

As Vision and Estamos Aqui continue to grow, Eckert sees an increased impact on the community.

“This year we've really boosted the traveling exhibit of the past Vision photos,” she said. “They've been at cafe Uncommon Grounds in downtown Saratoga and the Arts Council. They are going to be in the Clifton Park library soon. We are trying to do a monthly rotation and really promote it. We've been going to information sessions around the county and really spreading the news about what the photography project is and then also what the EOC does. It's opened up another way the EOC can tell the community about the great opportunities we have and the services that we offer. We like the intimate setting that Vision is now, but with awareness of Estamos Aqui and our programming, it would be great if it got bigger and bigger.” [CLICK HERE TO SHARE THIS STORY](#)



A Prayer for my Family *Alfonzo Ramirez Garcia*

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Saratoga

Wednesday, Saratoga, post time: 4:42 p.m. EST

CORONATION CUP S., \$100,000, 3yo, f, 5 1/2f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	ML
1	Ruslana	City Zip	Lopez	Ward	12-1
2	Sweetmarys Success*	Teuflesberg	Rosario	Ward	6-1
3	Burn Control	Bernstein	Crmuch	DeMasi	6-1
4	Hot Squeeze	Latent Heat	Velasquez	Weaver	12-1
5	Scatcapade	Scat Daddy	Rosario	Clement	5-1
6	Recoupe	Indian Charlie	Napravnik	Trombetta	7-2
7	Stars Above Me (GB)	Excd And Excl (Aus)	Ortiz Jr	Motion	5-1
8	Fat Kat	Weigelia	Bravo	Reid	10-1
9	Isabelle	Successful Appeal	Solis	Lewis	8-1
10	Elena Strikes	Smart Strike	Velazquez	Pletcher	4-1

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5th-SAR, Msw, (S), 2yo, f, 5f

Myfourchix (Henny Hughes) exits the OBS April sale, where she breezed in :10 flat. The \$35K yearling sold well for \$90K at OBS. She's bred to win early and worked in company for trainer Richard Schosberg here at Saratoga, but did most of her work at Belmont prior to moving up here to the Spa.

Nonna Jo ([Majestic Warrior](#)) had a :59 flat work on the Belmont training track June 29. She has a little substance in her pedigree to take her speed a distance a distance of ground; like the pattern here.

Yourcreditsgood (Noonmark) is another graduate of OBS April, where she worked a good :10 2/5 with her ears flopping. She seemed to be very comfortable in her breeze and looked good doing it. She has a race under belt July 2 in which she traveled four wide and ran well enough to be third. She should improve with more seasoning.

Oohlala ([Hard Spun](#)) is a filly we haven't seen yet, as she trained exclusively at Fair Hill training center. She has worked on both the dirt and synthetic. She's an interestingly bred filly, as she has some strong speed in her pedigree, but also a little late bloomer--not sure she can win early. Danzig is her grandsire on her sire's side and Woodman is her broodmare sire, which says to me that she will develop a bit later and enjoy turf. We will look at her on the track and listen to what NYRA paddock analyst Maggie Wolfendale has to say about her.

Jessica's Ride ([Freud](#)) is all Cuvee (her dam's sire) in her look, demeanor and quickness. We loved her breeze at OBS April (:10 1/5, \$45K)--she was bred and consigned by Niall Brennan and she looks like a decent filly, with good scope and balance. She was well prepared and looks like one to FQLLQW as 2-year-old-- she's meant to win early.

Foals by **Zo Zo's** sire [Super Saver](#) are racy.

Zo Zo worked :10 1/5 at the OBS April sale, moving like a nice filly. She was a \$45K KEESEP yearling and, consigned as 2-year-old by the McKathan Bros, sold for \$100K, a fair price for her. She showed some speed and backed up to fourth in her July 2 debut at Belmont, but can definitely improve here if she draws in from AE list. [Brisnet.com PPs](#)

TODAY'S INSIGHTS

4:10 p HR/TVG **8th-SAR, \$85K, Alw, N1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f**
LA MADRINA ([Tapit](#)) looks to return to the winner's circle after a third in a salty Belmont allowance over an additional furlong May 17. The Emory Hamilton homebred earned her ☆ **"TDN Rising Star"** ☆ status when delivering a dominating performance in a Gulfstream Park maiden special weight after a poor break first out Mar. 29. The Shug McGaughey charge is a half-sister to fellow ☆ **"TDN Rising Star"** ☆, MGISW-US and MG1SP-Eng Verrazano (More Than Ready) as well as GSW El Padrino (Pulpit) and is from an extremely deep female family. [Click for the Brisnet.com PPs.](#)

7:30 p HR/TVG **6th-DMR, \$75K, Msw, 2yo, 1mT**
BOLLENTE ([More Than Ready](#)), a \$50,000 KEESEP yearling purchase blossomed into a \$550,000 OBSAPR 2-year-old acquisition for the formidable team of Mark Casse and John Oxley after a quarter-mile breeze in :21, debuts in this contest. The dark bay posted a five-furlong breeze over the Del Mar main track in 1:00 1/5, good for 11/38 July 24. [Click for the Brisnet.com PPs.](#)

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California

Wednesday, Del Mar, post time: 8:00 p.m. EST

GRADUATION S., \$100,000, (S), 2yo, 5 1/2f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	ML
1	Atta' Boy Woody	Atticus	Talamo	Hollendorfer	5-2
2	Colorado Strong	Lucky Pulpit	Van Dyke	Rollins	10-1
3	London Legacy	Grace Upon Grace	Pedroza	Solis	15-1
4	Global Magician	Globalize	Trujillo	Miller	5-1
5	Local Reason	Olmodavor	Bejarano	Moger Jr	8-1
6	Peradventure	Papa Clem	Steiner	Rollins	4-1
7	Wake Up Nick	Cindago	Gutierrez	O'Neill	9-5

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Beau Genius Euthanized:

Grade I winner **Beau Genius** (Bold Ruckus--Royal Colleen, by Viceregal) was euthanized at Ballena Vista Farm in Romona, California Friday due to the infirmities of old age, just two days before his son Big Macher annexed Del Mar's GI Bing Crosby S. The 29-year-old had been pensioned from stud duties in 2009, and Big Macher hails from his final crop. The Dr. Brian Davidson and Joseph Shiewitz homebred won 19 times during his career for trainers Gerald Bennett and Gerry Belanger en route to earnings in excess of \$1.055 million. His signature victory came in the 1990 GI Philip Iselin H. He began his stud career at Vinery in Kentucky, where he stood from 1991 to 2000. **cont. p4**



Big Macher

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Beau Genius cont.

Beau Genius relocated to Don and Karen Cohn's Ballena Vista Farm for the 2001 season. "Beau Genius was a champion sire, a near champion racehorse and was 100% class; he thoroughly enjoyed his breeding career, his retirement and his life of a champion," said Don Cohn. "We at the farm will, the California racing community will and the entire racing industry will deeply miss the presence and influence of Beau Genius."

Eastern U.S.

Yesterday's Results:

1st-MNR, \$19,400, Msw, 3yo/up, 5f (off turf), :59 2/5, ft. READ THE CARDS (c, 3, [Run Away and Hide--Foolish Tee, by Lil E. Tee](#)), runner-up when debuting for a \$30,000 tag at Turfway Park Jan. 19, posted several quick works in preparation for this return, including a best-of-22 four panels in :49 1/5 at The Thoroughbred Center July 16 and most recently, a three-furlong move in :38 1/5 there July 24. Sent off at 9-5, the dark bay took command one off the rail while under pressure to his inside. Read the Cards shook loose leaving the bend and opened up impressively down the stretch to win by 13 1/4 lengths over Packet Cat (Tale of the Cat). Sales history: \$35,000 yrl '12 FTKOCT. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$13,740. [Click for the brisnet.com chart.](#) O-Preston Stables LLC. B-Jonathan W Meredith (IN). T-Tim Schuh.

Central U.S.

Yesterday's Results:

2nd-IND, \$34,000, Msw, (S), 2yo, f, 5f, :59 3/5, ft. LIMEDABOSS (f, 2, [Limehouse--Bitdaboss {SP}, by Mystery Storm](#)), third at first asking over a half-panel longer here June 27, went off at 2-1 with that experience under her belt. In front from the bell, the bay hugged the rail around the turn and increased her advantage down the stretch to score by three lengths over favored Play Dirty (Magna Graduate). Sales history: \$11,000 RNA yrl '13 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$24,880. [Click for the brisnet.com chart.](#) O/B-Penny & Michael E Lauer (IN). T-Michael E Lauer.

Condition Codes for Allowance Races

Code	Description
NW	Non-Winner of...
1-6	Number of Races
\$	Monetary Condition
R	Distance Condition
3M, 6M, 9M,	
Y, Y+, L	Time Period (ex: NW2L = NW 2 races lifetime)
X	Other-than Condition (ex: NW3X = non-winners of 3 races other than maiden, claiming, or stabled)
C	Other Conditions Not Specified

INDUSTRY INFO

Equibase Launches Website Redesign:

Edited Press Release

Equibase Company LLC announced the launch of their redesigned website, [equibase.com](#), yesterday, which features a multi-homepage concept with user-chosen pathways for new/casual fans, regular visitors and seasoned players/expert handicappers. The new site is more tablet-friendly and offers several new features with a clean, more modern look.

"The 1-2-3 homepage approach provides a specially tailored experience for everyone, whether you simply love horses or play the races on a daily basis," said Hank Zeitlin, Equibase president and COO. "Equibase.com is the industry's official source for racing information and serves almost one-million pageviews per day, and now it is even more engaging for all levels of racing fans."

The site was designed in collaboration with Lexington-based agency Cornett and was the culmination of a nearly year-long process that included focus groups with racing fans, handicappers, and several industry organizations regarding functionality and content.

"Equibase.com is by far the Thoroughbred industry's number one trafficked site so it was important to make improvements where needed by enhancing the features and elements that have made it so successful to date," said Cornett president Kip Cornett.

A "featured tracks" section was incorporated at the top of pages that lists tracks, including entries and results pages, enabling users to immediately find the high-profile tracks currently running. Among the other enhancements are product comparison pages, which help users understand the specific features of the various past performances and other products offered.

• ON THE WORKTAB •

<u>CHURCHILL DOWNS</u> Ria Antonia (Rockport Harbor), 5f, :59.00, 1/28
<u>DEL MAR</u> Texas Ryano (Curlin), 5f, 1:02.00, 15/18
<u>DELAWARE PARK</u> Cassatt (Tapit), 5f, 1:01.00, 1/1
<u>FAIR HILL</u> Norumbega (Tiznow), 4f, :49.40, 4/8
<u>GOLDEN GATE FIELDS</u> Shared Belief (Candy Ride {Arg}), 5f, 1:01.60, 1/10
<u>PENN NATIONAL</u> Taris (Flatter), 5f, 1:00.15, 1/5
<u>SARATOGA</u> Will Take Charge (Unbridled's Song), 3f (tr), :35.56, 1/2



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First-crop starters to watch: Wednesday, July 30

Sire (Sire's Sire), current farm, 2011 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/BlackTypeWnrs * Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)

- CHARITABLE MAN** (Lemon Drop Kid), Taylor Mountain Farm, \$4K, 36/1/0
1-CT, Msw, 4 1/2f, +He'sacharitableman, \$4K EAS SEP yrl, 12-1
1-CT, Msw, 4 1/2f, Too Much to Do, 7-2
3-CT, Msw, 4 1/2f, +Singing Harvest, 3-1
- DISCREETLY MINE** (Mineshaft), Lanes End, \$10K, 97/4/0
7-DEL, Msw, 5f, Subtle Intent, \$60K RNA OBS MAR 2yo, 5-1
- GOLDEN BALLS (IRE)** (Daneshill Dancer {IRE}), Campus Farm, \$2K, 14/0/0
2-SR, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Golden Love, 12-1
- GRACE UPON GRACE** (Rio Verde), Lovacres Ranch, \$2K, 13/0/0
7-DMR, Stk, 5 1/2f, London Legacy, 15-1
- GRASSHOPPER** (Dixie Union), Lane's End Texas, \$4K, 25/2/0
2-EVD, Msw, 5fT, +Ensifera, 4-1
- LINE OF DAVID** (Lion Heart), Spendthrift Farm, \$6K, 49/0/0
1-CT, Msw, 4 1/2f, Wrongsidetwntyne, \$8K EAS SEP yrl, 10-1
- MUNNINGS** (Speightstown), Ashford Stud, \$10K, 104/1/0
3-CT, Msw, 4 1/2f, Sir A. J. Munnings, 6-1
- QUALITY ROAD** (Elusive Quality), Lane's End, \$25K, 110/3/1
6-DMR, Msw, 1mT, Seve's Road, \$94K OBS MAR 2yo, 5-2
- STREET MAGICIAN** (Street Cry {Ire}), Heritage Stallions, \$3K, 38/0/0
6-PEN, Msw, 5 1/2f, Rockin Jojo, \$42K RNA OBS APR 2yo, 7-2
- SUPER SAVER** (Maria's Mon), Winstar, \$18K, 116/3/0
5-SAR, Msw, 5f, Zo Zo, \$100K OBS APR 2yo, 6-1
- TEMPLE CITY** (Dynaformer), Spendthrift Farm, \$5K, 88/1/0
6-DMR, Msw, 1mT, Nakamoto, \$77K OBS APR 2yo, 10-1
6-DMR, Msw, 1mT, +Papacoolpapacool, \$14K RNA KEE SEP yrl, 6-1

First/second-crop starters to watch: Wednesday, July 30

Sire (Sire's Sire), current farm, 2010 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/BlackTypeWnrs * Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)

- DENIS OF CORK** (Harlan's Holiday), Taylor Mountain, \$3K, 35/5/0
1-CT, Msw, 4 1/2f, +Grip and Ride, 7-2
- DUNKIRK** (Unbridled's Song), Ashford, \$10K, 186/40/3
6-PEN, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Boardwalk Run, \$37K OBS APR 2yo, 6-1
- FOREFATHERS** (Gone West), Red River, \$2K, 81/12/0
2-EVD, Msw, 5fT, +Winsome Beauty, \$22K ESL YRL yrl, 5-1
- LEONNATUS ANTEAS** (Stormy Atlantic), Colebrook Farms Stallion Station, 39/7/1
4-WO, Stk, 1 1/16mT, And I Did, 12-1
- ON EAGLES WINGS** (Gone West), Beau Ridge Farm, \$1K, 12/3/0
1-CT, Msw, 4 1/2f, +Safe On Wings, 12-1
- PAPA CLEM** (Smart Strike), Legacy Ranch, \$7K, 124/20/2
2-SR, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Open Day Light, \$8K NCA AUG yrl, 8-1
- 7-DMR, Stk, 5 1/2f, Peradventure, \$240K RNA BAR JUL 2yo, 4-1**
- PIONEER OF THE NILE** (Empire Maker), WinStar, \$15K, 159/31/4
3-CT, Msw, 4 1/2f, +Prince of the Nile, \$67K RNA OBS APR 2yo, 5-1

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Yesterday's Results:

BET365 SUMMER S. (HCP), £80,000, GWD, 7-27, 3yo/up, 14fT, 2:58.50, gd/fm.

- 1--**VAN PERCY (GB)**, 128, g, 4, **Sir Percy (GB)**--Enforce (SW & GSP-Eng, \$100,924), by Kalanisi (Ire). (27,000gns yrl '11 TATOCT). O-OTI Racing, Mrs L E Ramsden & R Morecombe. B-Anthony & Victoria Pakenham (GB); T-Andrew Balding; J-David Probert; £49,800. Lifetime Record: 17-5-3-2, £116,013.
- 2--**Havana Cooler (Ire)**, 131, c, 4, Hurricane Run (Ire)--Unquenchable, by Kingmambo. (30,000gns yrl '11 TATOCT). O-Leonidas Marinopoulos; £14,912.
- 3--**Noble Silk (GB)**, 128, g, 5, Sir Percy (GB)--Tussah (GB), by Daylami (Ire). (28,000gns yrl '10 TATOCT). O-The FOPS; £7,456.

Margins: NK, 2 1/4, HF. Odds: 8.00, 2.50, 10.00. **Click for the Racing Post result. VIDEO, courtesy Racing UK.**

Brought along steadily and patiently by Andrew Balding last term, Van Percy was fourth in a competitive 12-furlong handicap at the most recent renewal of this meeting and warmed up for his return with two wins from four starts in 2014. In the last of those, over this trip at Newmarket May 17, the bay showed he was coming of age when scoring with real authority and had the worst of the draw when subsequently ninth in Newcastle's Northumberland Plate over two miles June 28. Stalking the well-backed favorite Havana Cooler in mid-division throughout, he was poised to strike as that rival worked his way to the front inside the final quarter mile. Gaining a slight edge with a furlong remaining, Van Percy was driven out to hold his renewed rally and book a ticket to the prestigious Ebor H. at York Aug. 23. "He is in the Ebor, but he needed a penalty from winning this to get in and he should have a nice weight now," his conditioner said. "He ran well at that meeting last year and is settling so much better now. He has just grown up a lot and is like a little terrier who doesn't want to give up."

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5th-GWD, £20,000, Mdn, 2yo, c/g, 6fT, 1:11.99, gd/fm. + MISLEADING (GB) (c, 2, [Footstepsinthesand {GB}](#)--Danny's Choice {GB}**, by **Compton Place {GB}**), sent off at 13-2, broke professionally and held a narrow lead of those racing up the center of the track before grinding his way to the front overall with a furlong to race. Gradually drawing away in the run to the line, the €16,000 ARQDEC weanling and €65,000 ARQOCT yearling held a 1 1/2-length advantage over Aussie Ruler (Ire) (Aussie Rules) at the line. "He's always shown plenty at home, but is still a bit on the weak side and had sore shins a few weeks ago," trainer Peter Chapple-Hyam commented. "He's eligible for French-bred premiums, so we'll take it a bit slowly and go for a conditions race and possibly have a go at the G1 Prix Jean-Luc Lagardere [at Longchamp Oct. 5]. Footstepsinthesand's do stay a little bit, but seven furlongs is right for him at the moment." Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, £12,938. [VIDEO, courtesy Racing UK.](#) O-Mrs Fitri Hay. B-G B Bloodstock Limited (GB). T-Peter Chapple-Hyam.**

Ireland

Yesterday's Results:

3rd-GAL, €16,500, Mdn, 2yo, f, 7fT, 1:27.88, gd. LEGATISSIMO (IRE) (f, 2, [Danehill Dancer {Ire}](#)--Yummy Mummy {GB}**, by **Montjeu {Ire}**), a 350,000gns TATOCT yearling, started off with a disappointing effort when beating only one rival at Leopardstown July 3 and suffered a bad trip early shuffled back towards the rear from her wide draw. Always traveling easily, the 12-1 shot saved ground on the inner and threaded her way through the pack with a convincing surge to reel in Tamador (Ire) (Arcano {Ire}) in the final yards and score by a half length. Together Forever (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}), the half-sister to Lord Shanakill (Speightstown), was another compromised by the draw, and after being forced to make a wide move on the home turn, stayed on into fourth. The winner's dam is a full-sister to the champion stayer and multiple highweight Fame and Glory (GB). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, €11,385. [VIDEO, courtesy attheraces.com.](#) O-Michael Tabor & Mrs John Magnier & Derrick Smith. B-Newsells Park Stud. T-David Wachman.**

France

Yesterday's Result:

1st-CHA, €34,000, Cond, 2yo, 6fT, 1:11.89, sf. TERRITORIES (IRE) (c, 2, [Invincible Spirit {Ire}](#)--Taranto {GB}** {SP-Eng}, by **Machiavellian**), a debut third going six panels at Maisons-Laffitte last time July 6, stalked the pace in second after a level break here. Easing up to take a slender advantage into the final furlong, the 2-5 chalk quickened smartly in the closing stages to comfortably best Souvenir Delondres (Fr) (Siyouni {Fr}) by 1 1/2 lengths. Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 1 win, 1 place, €20,750. [Click for Equidia VIDEO.](#) O-Godolphin SNC. B-Darley (IRE). T-Andre Fabre.**

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STAKES RESULTS:

RAINBOW CONNECTION S., \$69,452, FEX, 7-29, (R), 3yo/up, f/m, 5f (off turf), :57 2/5, ft.
1--#BELLA'S REBEL, 116, f, 3, [Rebellion \(GB\)](#)--Marina Bella**, by **Bold Executive**. (C\$15,000 yrl '12 ONTSEP). O-Gary E Wellwood; B-Jennifer Leuty (ON); T-Scott H Fairlie; J-Michelle Rainford. \$41,670. Lifetime Record: 7-4-0-1, \$126,262. *1/2 to Amazon Belle (Tenpins), SP, \$166,956.**

2--[Dreamy Moonlite](#), 118, m, 6, [Dance to Destiny--Moonlite Walk](#), by [Migrating Moon](#). O-Jane Staples. \$13,890.

3--[Dance to the Moon](#), 118, m, 7, [Perigee Moon--Bold and Dancing](#), by [Bold N' Flashy](#). O-C Scott Abbott Racing Stable Ltd. \$6,945.

Margins: 3/4, 1 1/4, 1HF. Odds: 8.00, 19.15, 3.20.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

8th-PRX, \$51,180, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), NW2X, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:37 3/5, ft.
J B'S UNC (g, 6, [Cactus Ridge--Angel Jubilee](#), by [Is It True](#)) Lifetime Record: 30-13-3-3, \$185,457. O-High Point Thoroughbred Partners. B-EquiVision Inc (KY). T-Jorge Navarro.

7th-PRX, \$35,400, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11 2/5, ft.
HEY KIDDO (f, 3, [Stonesider--Kid Silver](#), by [Silver Ghost](#)) Lifetime Record: SP, 9-2-5-1, \$140,024. O-J A G Racing & Jettany Thoroughbred Corp. B-Xanthus Farms Inc (PA). T-David P Duggan. *1/2 to Jake N Elwood (During), SW, \$293,950.

5th-PID, \$29,250, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 1m (AWT), 1:39 2/5, ft.
ONLY ONE FOR ME (m, 5, [Senor Swinger--Fountain of Truth](#), by [Proud and True](#)) Lifetime Record: 33-6-1-8, \$133,621. O-Thomas Elmer Schaeffer. B-Norman & Peggy Dellheim (PA). T-Walter F Bish.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Automatic Jax, g, 3, [Broken Vow](#)--Nite in Rome (GSP), by Harlan's Holiday. MNR, 7-28, 5 1/2f, 1:07. B-Bally Breeders & Scott & Debbie Pierce (KY). *\$80,000 yrl '12 KEESEP; \$100,000 2yo '13 OBSAPR.

Amy Jane, f, 3, [Malibu Moon](#)--Five Star Daydream (SW & GSP, \$148,867), by Five Star Day. MNR, 7-28, 5f (off turf), 1:00 2/5. B-Spendthrift Farm LLC (KY). *\$100,000 yrl '12 KEESEP; \$220,000 RNA 2yo '13 BESMAR.



Shaniko Spirit, m, 5, **Shaniko**--Tricky Showers, by Clever Trick. IND, 7-29, (S), 1 1/16mT, 1:46 4/5. B-House's Thoroughbreds (IN).



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HANDICAP RESULTS:

4th-GAL, €115,000, 7-29, 3yo/up, 8f 100yT, 1:45.83, gd.

VASTONEA (IRE) (g, 6, Verglas {Ire}--Roystonea {GB} {SP-Fr}, by Polish Precedent) Lifetime Record: 23-4-3-1, €195,930. O-Mrs Kevin Prendergast. B-Eyrefield Lodge Stud. T-Kevin Prendergast. *€80,000 yrl '09 GOFMIL.

3rd-CHA, €60,000, 7-29, 3yo, 8fT, 1:39.11, sf. TEKNEAS (GR) (c, 3, Kavafi {Ire}--Tritonia {Gr} {MSP-Fr}, by Saddlers' Hall {Ire}) Lifetime Record: 13 starts, 3 wins, 6 places, €63,100. O/T-Frederic Sanchez. B-Figaia Stud (GR). *€110,000 RNA HRA '13 ARQARC.

1st-GWD, £50,000, 7-29, 4yo/up, 9f 192yT, 2:02.84, gd/fm. SENNOCKIAN STAR (GB) (g, 4, Rock of Gibraltar {Ire}--Chorist {GB} {Hwt. Older Mare-Eng & Ire at 9.5-11f, G1SW-Ire, SW & MG1SP-Eng, GSP-Fr, \$723,796}, by Pivotal {GB}) Lifetime Record: 33-8-9-1, £152,184. O-The Vine Accord. B-Cheveley Park Stud Ltd (GB). T-Mark Johnston. *36,000yrl '11 TATOCT. **1/2 to Gospel Choir (GB) (Galileo {Ire}), MGSW-Eng, \$322,730.

CONDITIONS RESULTS:

4th-CHA, €34,000, 7-29, 3yo, 10fT, 2:10.39, vsf. DOMINANDROS (FR) (g, 3, Teofilo {Ire}--Afyra {GB} {SP-Fr}, by Oasis Dream {GB}) Lifetime Record: 3 starts, 2 wins, 0 places, €29,500. O-Winterbeck Manor Stud & Partners. B-Haras de la Perelle (FR). T-Gay Kelleway. *€28,000 yrl '12 ARQOCT; €18,000 2yo '13 ARQMAY.

6th-LTB, €32,000, 7-28, 4yo/up, 9fT, 1:55.55, vsf. FRANKYFOURFINGERS (FR) (c, 4, Sunday Break {Jpn}--Texaloula {Fr}, by Kendor {Fr}) Lifetime Record: MSP-Fr, 13 starts, 5 wins, 7 places, €117,275. O-Ahmed Mouknass & Ecurie Pandora Racing. B-SCEA des Prairies (FR). T-Christian Delcher-Sanchez. **6th-CHA, €28,000, 7-29, 4yo, 10fT, 2:04.13, vsf. KATHINKA (GER) (f, 4, Speedmaster {Ger}--Karsawina {Ger} {SP-Fr}, by Lando {Ger}) Lifetime Record: 14 starts, 4 wins, 6 places, €62,800. O-MM Racing. B-Gestut Harzburg (GER). T-Markus Munch. *€16,000 yrl '11 BBASEP. **Full to Karsabruni (Fr), GSW-Ger.**

5th-CHA, €28,000, 7-29, 4yo/up, 7fT, 1:24.40, vsf. BLUE SOAVE (FR) (g, 6, Soave {Ger}--Rhapsody in Blue {Fr}, by Bering {GB}) Lifetime Record: GSW-Fr, 40 starts, 11 wins, 11 places, €250,540. O-Mille Karine Belluteau & Mme Christelle Gustave. B-Mille Karine Belluteau (FR). T-Fabrice Chappet. *1/2 to Blue Panis (Fr) (Panis), MSW & GSP-Fr, GSP-Ger & US, \$439,872.

3rd-LTB, €27,000, 7-29, 3yo, 8fT, 1:44.84, sf. WIRELESS (FR) (c, 3, Kentucky Dynamite--Sachet, by Royal Academy) Lifetime Record: SP-Fr, 6 starts, 3 wins, 3 places, €55,850. O-Ecurie I M Fares. B-Haras de Manneville (FR). T-Jean-Claude Rouget.

5th-LTB, €14,000, 7-29, 4yo, 7fT, 1:29.28, sf. BOUSATET (FR) (f, 4, Muhtathir {GB}--Miss Mission {Ire} {SP-Fr}, by Second Empire {Ire}) Lifetime Record: 13 starts, 4 wins, 6 places, €24,426. O-Martin Wainwright. B-Francois Bayrou & Frank McNulty (FR). T-Damien de Watrigant. *€42,000 wlng '10 ARQDEC; €47,000 RNA yrl '11 ARQAUG. **Full to Yarubo (Fr), MSP-Fr, \$226,574.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Groor (GB), c, 2, Archipenko--Alta Moda (GB), by Sadler's Wells. BEV, 7-29, 7f 100yT, 1:26.54. B-Kirsten Rausing (GB). *70,000gns yrl '13 TATOCT. **Horsforth (GB), f, 2, Kyllachy (GB)--Lady McBeth (Ire), by Avonbridge (GB). BEV, 7-29, 5fT, 1:04.21. B-Laundry Cottage Stud Farm (GB). *£8,000 yrl '13 DONAUG.**

+ Insolite (Fr), f, 2, Literato (Fr)--Tambura (Fr), by Kaldoun (Fr). LTB, 7-29, 7fT, 1:31.27. B-Gilles & Alette Forien (FR). *1/2 to Ximb (Fr) (Septieme Ciel), SW & G1SP-Fr, \$136,030; and Verba (Fr) (Anabaa), SW-Fr & GSP-Eng, \$152,546.

+ Svoul (Fr), c, 2, Siyouni (Fr)--Dansia (Ger), by Lavirco (Ger). LTB, 7-29, 7fT, 1:31.27. B-Mme Catherine Niederhauser Dietrich (FR). *€30,000 yrl '13 ARQOCT; €300,000 2yo '14 ARQMAY. **10th winner for freshman sire (by Pivotal {GB}).

What A Party (Ire), f, 2, Windsor Knot (Ire)--Tarziyma (Ire), by Kalanisi (Ire). YAR, 7-29, 7f 3yT, 1:26.54. B-Martyn J McEnery (IRE). *€1,200 yrl '13 GFOCT; £3,000 2yo '14 BRITYO.

Prevalent, f, 3, Empire Maker--Helstra, by Nureyev. CHA, 7-29, 5 1/2fT, 1:05.28. B-Juddmonte Farms Inc (KY). *1/2 to Stern Opinion (Mizzen Mast), MSW & MGSP-Fr, \$246,851.

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