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GAME ON DUDE RETIRED

Eight-time Grade I winner **Game on Dude** (Awesome Again--Worldy Pleasure, by Devil His Due) has been retired, confirmed trainer Bob Baffert Thursday. This season, the gelding accounted for his sole victory in the Mar. 8 GI Santa Anita H., but his final time of 1:58 was good enough to surpass the 79-year-old mark for the 10-furlong race. Winless in his last three starts, including fourth-place efforts in the GI Gold Cup June 28 and the Aug. 24 Pacific Classic, the decision was made to retire the war horse after collecting 16 career victories from 34 starts and earnings of \$6,498,893. **Cont. p3**



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KEENELAND SEPTEMBER ROLLS ON

Closing out its 10th day of selling, Keeneland realized increases for the fifth consecutive session of the September Yearling Sale in Lexington Thursday. During the second and final session of Book 4, 276 horses sold for \$9,376,000, a 3.7% increase over the gross of \$9,038,600 for 291 horses sold last year. The average increased 9.3%, from \$31,060 to \$33,971. The median price of \$25,000 remained the same as in 2013. **Cont. p7**



COMPETITIVE EDGE TO MISS REST OF 2014

Undefeated **"TDN Rising Star"** **Competitive Edge** (Super Saver), winner of the Sept. 1 GI Hopeful S., will miss the remainder of the season after a hairline fracture was discovered in his left foreleg. The injury is believed to have been sustained during a routine gallop at Belmont Park Sunday morning. The juvenile, who was sent to Rood & Riddle Equine Hospital in Lexington, underwent surgery Monday and had two screws inserted by Dr. Larry Bramlage. "He came back a little off after a gallop Sunday morning and we did some X-rays," trainer Todd Pletcher told *TDN*. "We shipped him to Dr. Bramlage and he performed surgery on him Monday. Everything went very well." The injury, which does not appear to be career ending, will require the bay miss 60 days of training. The colt is expected to remain at Ashford Stud before rejoining the Pletcher string in Southern Florida. "Dr. Bramlage felt the recovery time would most likely be 60 days and he could resume training," said Pletcher. "It's not great timing, but it's a very minor fracture given how those things can sometimes get. The prognosis is excellent. Hopefully, he will get clearance to begin training about Nov. 15 and he'll rejoin our stables soon after that." **cont. p3**



Competitive Edge
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Gross	\$268,795,000	\$273,475,100
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Competitive Edge cont. From p1.

Purchased for \$750,000 by Alex Solis II and Jason Litt on behalf of Nancy Favreau and Kathy Psoinos at the Fasig-Tipton March sale, the colt holds the distinction of being freshman sire Super Saver's highest-priced auction purchase in 2014. Competitive Edge came home an impressive 10 1/4-length winner in his career debut at Saratoga July 26, and that performance prompted Coolmore partners to secure an interest in the colt. Looking to become Pletcher's 999th stakes winner in the Hopeful, the WinStar Farm-bred handily defeated another undefeated colt, I Spent It (Super Saver). "We were looking at several of the upcoming 2-year-old stakes, but the GI Champagne S. [at Belmont Oct. 4] was the most likely race," added Pletcher. "It's disappointing and frustrating, but we are thankful it's not more severe. It's a major blow to lose a horse like that for the rest of the year, especially a very gifted 2-year-old, but the prognosis is very good. We hope to have a big spring with him."

Game on Dude Retired..cont. from p1

Bred by Adena Springs in Kentucky, Game on Dude-- a \$210,000 RNA from the Adena Springs draft at Keeneland September in 2008--was purchased privately by Ernie Kuehne. Later sold to Bernie Schiappa, with the assistance of Don Bauer, after the Kentucky-bred broke his maiden at second asking at Gulfstream in 2010, the partnership would subsequently include Joe Torre's Diamond Pride, Lanni Family Trust and Mercedes Stable. Winner of the GIII Lone Star Derby at three, the chestnut earned his first of three GI Santa Anita H.'s in 2011, the same season he won the GI Goodwood S. and finished runner-up behind Drosselmyer (Distorted Humor) in the GI Breeders' Cup Classic at Churchill Downs. The following year, he kicked off the year with a score in the GII San Antonio S. and added victories in four additional graded stakes, including the GI Hollywood Gold Cup and GI Awesome Again S. Stymied once again in the 2012 Breeders' Cup with a seventh-place effort behind Fort Larned (E Dubai), Game on Dude returned with a vengeance at six, annexing five graded stakes in a row, including the GI Santa Anita H., the GI Hollywood Gold Cup and the GI Pacific Classic, becoming only the second horse in history to collect the illustrious triumvirate. Ninth in the 2013 Breeders' Cup Classic, he rounded out the season with a game second behind GI Travers S. hero Will Take Charge (Unbridled's Song).



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JOHNSON HOUGHTON HEARING OCT. 16

The hearing for trainer Eve Johnson Houghton's case in Britain's morphine positive saga will take place Oct. 16, according to the British Racing Authority. A total of eight horses from five yards in Britain tested positive for morphine over the summer due to a suspected case of contaminated feed. The hearing for the other seven trainers will be held Sept. 25., but Johnson Houghton's case is being heard separately because the circumstances surrounding the horse in her care, Charlie Wells (Ire) (High Chaparral {Ire}), are believed to be slightly different. While hers is still suspected to be a case of contaminated feed, Johnson Houghton does not use the Dodson & Horrell product involved in the other cases.



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BLACK-TYPE PREVIEWS

CUPS CONTENDERS ON OFFER

With Group 1 action in Australia quickly heating up, thoughts are naturally turning to the nation's most popular race, the G1 Melbourne Cup Nov. 4, and that A\$6 million showpiece's early favorite, **The Offer (Ire)** (Montjeu {Ire}), makes his second start of the season in today's G1 Underwood S. at Caulfield. The Offer joined the Gai Waterhouse stable last year and, after performing with promise in black-type company throughout the season, blew away the opposition with a near four-length victory in the G1 Sydney Cup Apr. 19. He returned with an encouraging fifth-place finish running at well short of his optimum distance in the one mile G2 Dato Tan Chin Nam S. at Moonee Valley Sept. 6, and despite the fact that he is still building up in trip his stable remains bullish about his chances. "On his work and the way he has been I think he is a winning chance for sure," Roger Elliott, Melbourne representative to Waterhouse, told *Racing and Sports*. "He looks enormous. His weight is good. Everything is just going right," Elliot added. "I'm pretty confident he's going along well and I think the further he gets in distance, the better he will go." A handful of top flight rivals will ensure that The Offer does not have an easy task, and one of those is the 6-year-old mare **Silent Achiever (NZ)** (O'Reilly {NZ}). The four-time Group 1 winner really came into her own last season, recording a Group 1 hat trick in the New Zealand S., Ranvet S. and The BMW, and she resumed with a fourth-place effort in the G1 Memsie S. over 1400 meters Aug. 30. **Star Rolling (Aus)** (Casino Prince {Aus}) achieved the most important victory of his career two starts back in the G2 P.B. Lawrence S. and finished one slot behind The Offer last out in the Dato Tan Chin Nam. He could boast a fitness advantage while some of the more high-profile players are still getting warmed up. French stakes winner **Lidari (Fr)** (Acclamation {GB}), with trainer Peter Moody since last year, transferred his form Down Under when winning the G2 Blamey S. at Flemington in March. He was fifth first up in the P.B. Lawrence and fourth in the Dato Tan Chin Nam, and will be more suited to this distance than some of the other key players. **Cont. p5**



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NEW "TDN Rising Star"

7th-SAR, \$83,000, Msw, 2yo, 5 1/2f, 1:03 4/5, ft. **CARPE DIEM**--a \$550,000 KEESEP yearling turned \$1.6-million OBSMAR co-topper after breezing an eighth in **:10.1**--lived up to his name with this smart debut score. He fired a five-furlong bullet in :59 3/5 (1/34) at the Spa Aug. 25 and was backed accordingly as the 3-5 chalk. Gunned to the front from his stall draw, the chestnut



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Saturday, Caulfield, Australia, post time: 2:00 a.m. EDT

UNDERWOOD S.-G1, A\$400,000 (US\$361,119), 3yo/up, 1800mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER
1	6	Happy Trails (Aus)	Good Journey	Rodd	Beshara
2	2	Foreteller (GB)	Dansili (GB)	Boss	Waller
3	7	Super Cool (Aus)	Fastnet Rock (Aus)	Newitt	Kavanagh
4	8	The Offer (Ire)	Montjeu (Ire)	Berry	Waterhouse
5	5	Crackerjack King (Ire)	Shamardal	Walker	Hys&Dbernig
6	1	Lidari (Fr)	Acclamation (GB)	Nolen	Moody
7	4	Star Rolling (Aus)	Casino Prince (Aus)	Baster	Mrgn&Wddsn
8	9	Thought Worthy	Dynaformer	Schofield	Hickmott
9	10	Stipulate (GB)	Dansili (GB)	Dunn	Hys&Dbernig
10	3	Silent Achiever (NZ)	O'Reilly (NZ)	Oliver	James

All carry 130 pounds bar Silent Achiever, 125.

THREE-PEAT REPEAT FOR WALLER?

The Sydney racing faithful won't soon forget the astonishing feat achieved by Chris Waller in last season's G1 Doncaster Mile, when the champion trainer saddled the first four home in that event on the opening card of The Championships, and the conditioner is back with three of those four--winner **Sacred Falls (NZ)** (O'Reilly {NZ}), second **Royal Descent (Aus)** (Redoute's Choice {Aus}) and fourth **Hawkspur (Aus)** (Purrealist {Aus})--for today's G1 George Main S. over the same course and distance. On paper it is difficult to separate the trio; they have all competed most recently in the G2 Warwick S. over 1400 meters Aug. 23 and the G2 Chelmsford S. over 1600 meters Sept. 6, with Sacred Falls finishing fourth both times; Hawkspur fifth and second and Royal Descent second both times. Royal Descent currently takes a slight edge in the betting at 4-1. Favored is the 3-year-old **Panzer Division (Aus)** (Redoute's Choice {Aus}), who enjoys a weight break of up to 19 pounds as the lone sophomore in the lineup. The winner of two of three outings, Panzer Division won the G3 Ming Dynasty Quality S. Sept. 6. Perhaps the most intriguing horse in the field is the 4-year-old filly **Lucia Valentina (NZ)** (Savabeel {Aus}). Last season's G1 Vinery Stud S. winner and G1 Australian Oaks third recorded an eye-popping last-to-first victory first up in the G2 Tramway S. Sept. 6, and is the current joint-favorite for the G1 Caulfield Cup Oct. 18.

Look for the  throughout the TDN graded stakes entries, denoting Keeneland sales graduates.



Saturday, Randwick, Australia, post time: 1:45 a.m. EDT

GEORGE MAIN S.-G1, A\$350,000 (US\$315,979), 3yo/up, 1600mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	1	Sacred Falls (NZ)	O'Reilly (NZ)	Purton	Waller	130
2	4	Hawkspur (Aus)	Purrealist (Aus)	Cassidy	Waller	130
3	3	Toydini (Aus)	Bernardini	Hawkeses	Brown	130
4	9	Laser Hawk (Aus)	Artie Schiller	Angland	Pride	130
5	5	Teronado (Aus)	Testa Rossa (Aus)	Munce	Hill	128
6	2	Royal Descent (Aus)	Rdoute's Chce (Aus)	G Schfield	Waller	125
7	6	Lucia Valentina (NZ)	Savabeel (Aus)	McEvoy	Lees	124
8	7	Rising Romance (NZ)	Ekraar	McDonald	Logan	124
9	10	Gypsy Diamond (Aus)	Nt a Sngle Dbt (Aus)	Shinn	Snowdens	124
10	8	Panzer Division (Aus)	Rdoute's Chce (Aus)	Avdulla	Messara	111

Saturday, Delaware Park, post time: 3:07 p.m. EDT

KENT S.-GIII, \$150,000, 3yo, 1 1/8mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	Divine Oath 	Broken Vow	Caraballo	Pletcher	120
2	Other Cheek	Smart Strike	Boyce	Delacour	116
3	Cabo Cat	Kitten's Joy	Cintron	Hennig	120
4	Lafontaine	Artie Schiller	Bahen	Charalambous	120
5	Craftsman (Ire)	Mastercraftsman (Ire)	TBA	Motion	116
6	Bashart 	War Front	Navarro	Matz	116
7	Gadget Man	Honour and Glory	Pimentel	Pierce Jr.	116

Friday, Maisons-Laffitte, France, post time: 3:50 p.m.

LA COUPE DE MAISONS-LAFFITTE-G3, €80,000, 3yo/up, 10fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	6	Smoking Sun	Smart Strike	Pasquier	Bary	131
2	8	Fractional (Ire)	Manduro (Ger)	Guyon	Fabre	126
3	1	Line Drummer (Fr)	Galileo (Ire)	Rispoli	Reynier	126
4	3	Feuerblitz (Ger)	Big Shuffle	Thulliez	Figge	126
5	5	Calvin Williams (Fr)	Carlottamix (Fr)	Bachelot	Nigge	126
6	2	Vally Jem (Fr)	Dylan Thomas (Ire)	Mendizabal	Sepulchre	122
7	7	Gaga A (Uru)	T H Approval	Lemaire	Smaga	122
8	4	Planetaire (GB)	Galileo (Ire)	Peslier	Laffon-Parias	120

Friday evening, Hastings, New Zealand, post time: 12:33 p.m. EDT

WINDSOR PARK PLATE-G1, A\$200,000 (US\$162,782), 3yo/up, 1600mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	11	Veyron (NZ)	Thorn Park (Aus)	Norvall	Laing	130
2	16	Shuka (NZ)	Bachelor Duke	Du Plsiss	P&DWillms	130
3	12	Nashville (NZ)	Darci Brahma (NZ)	Riddell	A&H Bull	130
4	5	Pure Champion (Ire)	Ftstepsinthesand (GB)	Grylls	O'Silvn/Scctt	130
5	3	Ransomed (NZ)	Hndsome Rnsm (Aus)	Parke	Vile	130
6	6	Sacred Star (Aus)	Flying Spur (Aus)	Colgan	Pike	130
7	15	I Do (Aus)	No Excuse Nded (GB)	Bosson	Sharrock	125
8	10	Xanadu (NZ)	Elusive City	Johnson	K&B Kelso	125
9	14	O'Fille (NZ)	O'Reilly (NZ)	Harris	Marshment	125
10	4	Zennista (NZ)	Zenno Rob Roy (Jpn)	Tinsley	Latta	125
11	8	Costume (NZ)	Savabeel (Aus)	Coleman	G&D Rgrsn	125
12	13	Pussy O'Reilly (NZ)	O'Reilly (NZ)	Myers	K&B Kelso	125
13	2	Soriano (NZ)	Savabeel (Aus)	Hutchngs	G&DRgrsn	125
14	1	Zonza (NZ)	Zabeel (NZ)	Innes	James	125

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15	9	Abidewithme (NZ)	Redoute's Chce (Aus)	Cameron	Bridgman	125
16	7	Addictive Habit (NZ)	Colombia (NZ)	Spratt	Somervell	130

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Sunday, Woodbine, post time: 5:07 p.m. EDT

ONTARIO DERBY-GIII, \$150,000, 3yo, 1 1/8mA (AWT)

PPHORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1 Squeeze the King	Niigon	Moran	Lynch	117
2 Coltimus Prime	Milwaukee Brew	Da Silva	Nixon	119
3 Freitag	Giant Gizmo	Stein	Frostad	117
4 Lunar Rover (K)	Malibu Moon	Boulanger	Bond	117
5 Jose Sea View (K)	Badge of Silver	Wilson	Baker	117
6 Picozza (K)	More Than Ready	Campbell	Pletcher	117
7 Ami's Holiday (K)	Harlan's Holiday	Contreras	Carroll	119
8 Florida Won (K)	Birdstone	Husbands	Casse	117

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RACETRACK ROUND-UP

TRIO OF OPTIONS FOR AKTABANTAY

Trainer Hugo Palmer is considering three options for the next appearance of the Aug. 30 G3 Solario S. winner **Aktabantay (GB)** (Oasis Dream {GB})--the G1 Jean Luc Lagardere at Longchamp Oct 5, the G1 Dewhurst S. at Newmarket Oct. 17 or the G1 Breeders' Cup Juvenile Turf Nov. 1.

"He has been great since [the Solario] and is due to work at the end of this week," Palmer said, while noting that he would prefer firmer going for his first group winner. "I don't want to run him on soft ground again," he noted. "We were over the moon with the result, but he didn't show us that electric turn of foot he showed at Newmarket on his debut, and I can only put that down to the ground. He was brave to win, but I'm convinced he'll be a better horse on a sounder surface, so I'll have to keep one eye on the weather."

Aktabantay owns two wins and three seconds from five outings.



Aktabantay
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DETTORI ON TOP OF THE WORLD

Four days removed from partnering Al Shaqab Racing, Magnier, Tabor and Smith's **Ruler of the World (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}) to a front-running victory in the G2 Prix Foy at Longchamp, jockey Frankie Dettori was full of praise for the 4-year-old, and expressed confidence in the chances of last year's G1 Investec Derby winner in the G1 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe Oct. 5.

"I was very impressed," Dettori told *At the Races* yesterday. "He's a very, very good horse. The time was great, he did it all on his own--he had to do it the hard way and it never looked in doubt."



Frankie Dettori and Sheikh Joaan with Ruler of the World
Racing Post

Ruler of the World, who was notching his first win since the Derby, was making his first start since a 13th place finish in the G1 Dubai World Cup Mar. 29.

"He'd also had a long layoff and I'm sure that Aidan will improve him a little bit more, and he is the Derby winner," Dettori added. "Aidan told me he stays well and I didn't want it to turn into a sprint--I had to make the first move to make sure I took the sting out of the field and it worked."

Ruler of the World is currently 16-1 for the Arc. A pair of 3-year-old fillies currently lead the betting: dual French Classic winner **Avenir Certain (Fr)** (Le Havre {Fr}) and G1 Investec Oaks and G1 King George VI and Queen Elizabeth S. winner **Taghrooda (GB)** (Sea the Stars {Ire}).

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Topping the 10th day was Hip 3024, a colt from the family of GI Kentucky Derby winner Mine That Bird (Birdstone) and multiple Grade I winner Dullahan (Even the Score). Consigned by Betz Thoroughbreds Inc, agent, the chestnut was secured by Midwest Thoroughbreds for \$200,000. The colt is out of the Mr. Greeley mare Aspen Whisper, whose half-sister Mining My Own produced Mine That Bird and Dullahan, winner of Keeneland's GI Toyota Blue Grass S. in 2012.

Also bringing some action the ring was Hip 3051, a colt by Yes It's True out of the Brahms mare Brahms Allegro. From the family of Grade I winners Stellar Jayne (Wild Rush) and Starrer (Dynaformer), the grey brought \$180,000 from agent Garry Simms. The colt was consigned by VanMeter Sales.

Since the first day of selling Sept. 8, a total of 2,153 yearlings sold for \$268,795,000, down slightly from 2013 when 2,313 yearlings sold for \$273,475,100. The average of \$124,847 rose 5.6% from \$118,234 last year, while the median increased 10.8%, from \$65,000 to \$72,000.

Warrendale Sales was Thursday's top consignor, selling 25 yearlings for \$949,500, while the leading buyer honors went to Carl R. Moore Management LLC, which paid \$227,000 for three horses.

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<u>3024</u>	colt	<u>Midshipman</u>	<u>Aspen Whisper</u>	200,000
B-Betz Thoroughbreds, Peter Lamantia, Jim Blackburn & Jim Betz (KY) Consigned by Betz Thoroughbreds Inc, agent Purchased by Midwest Thoroughbreds				
<u>3051</u>	colt	<u>Yes It's True</u>	<u>Brahms Allegro</u>	180,000
B-T.F. VanMeter (KY) Consigned by VanMeter Sales, Agent I Purchased by Garry Simms, agent				
<u>2941</u>	colt	<u>Tale of the Cat</u>	<u>Souper Miss</u>	165,000
B-Jim Fitzgerald & Jeff Ackerman et al (KY) Consigned by Knockgriffin Farm, agent Purchased by Tom Durant				
<u>2862</u>	colt	<u>Super Saver</u>	<u>Over Served</u>	145,000
B-Dr & Mrs. Charles Huber & WinStar Farm (KY) Consigned by Warrendale Sales, Agent VIII Purchased by Nick de Meric, agent				
<u>2989</u>	colt	<u>Scat Daddy</u>	<u>Volver (Ire)</u>	115,000
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Rank	Stallion	YOB	Crops	Earnings	Rnrs	Wnrs	BT Wnrs	BT Horses	GS Wnrs	GS Horses	G1S Wnrs
1	Tapit Sire: Pulpit	2001	7	\$10,486,114	272	118	12	27	9	20	3
				Stands: KY [US\$150,000]				AWD (List): 7.38, AWD (Lifetime): 7.50			
2	Kitten's Joy Sire: El Prado (IRE)	2001	6	\$7,759,114	264	114	16	28	5	16	1
				Stands: KY [US\$100,000]				AWD (List): 7.68, AWD (Lifetime): 7.91			
3	Giant's Causeway Sire: Storm Cat	1997	11	\$7,659,197	316	135	12	25	8	16	1
				Stands: KY [US\$85,000]				AWD (List): 8.22, AWD (Lifetime): 7.87			
4	Candy Ride (ARG) Sire: Ride the Rails	1999	7	\$7,619,919	247	126	11	19	8	10	1
				Stands: KY [US\$35,000]				AWD (List): 6.89, AWD (Lifetime): 6.91			
5	City Zip Sire: Carson City	1998	10	\$6,940,050	245	134	14	20	3	6	2
				Stands: KY [US\$25,000]				AWD (List): 6.48, AWD (Lifetime): 6.63			
6	Speightstown Sire: Gone West	1998	7	\$6,653,027	211	116	13	29	3	16	0
				Stands: KY [US\$80,000]				AWD (List): 6.48, AWD (Lifetime): 6.62			
7	Lemon Drop Kid Sire: Kingmambo	1996	11	\$6,601,151	208	108	11	22	7	13	1
				Stands: KY [US\$35,000]				AWD (List): 7.84, AWD (Lifetime): 7.73			
8	Medaglia d'Oro Sire: El Prado (IRE)	1999	7	\$6,580,373	226	103	11	23	6	12	2
				Stands: KY [US\$100,000]				AWD (List): 7.53, AWD (Lifetime): 7.59			
9	Hard Spun Sire: Danzig	2004	4	\$6,406,476	204	101	9	17	6	9	3
				Stands: KY [Private]				AWD (List): 7.17, AWD (Lifetime): 7.35			
10	Harlan's Holiday Sire: Harlan	1999	8	\$6,296,385	244	115	13	26	4	9	0
				Stands: USA [Dead/Retired/Exported]				AWD (List): 7.05, AWD (Lifetime): 7.07			
11	Curlin Sire: Smart Strike	2004	3	\$6,148,490	148	86	10	20	2	12	1
				Stands: KY [US\$25,000]				AWD (List): 7.55, AWD (Lifetime): 7.56			
12	Smart Strike Sire: Mr. Prospector	1992	15	\$6,146,531	219	87	11	29	7	13	1
				Stands: KY [US\$100,000]				AWD (List): 7.57, AWD (Lifetime): 7.95			
13	Tiznow Sire: Cee's Tizzy	1997	10	\$5,991,179	198	99	7	17	4	7	0
				Stands: KY [US\$75,000]				AWD (List): 7.52, AWD (Lifetime): 7.65			
14	Street Cry (IRE) Sire: Machiavellian	1998	9	\$5,526,579	212	85	5	21	3	14	0
				Stands: KY [US\$100,000]				AWD (List): 7.85, AWD (Lifetime): 8.20			
15	Bernardini Sire: A.P. Indy	2003	5	\$5,478,355	194	75	9	16	6	7	0
				Stands: KY [US\$100,000]				AWD (List): 7.59, AWD (Lifetime): 7.52			
16	Malibu Moon Sire: A.P. Indy	1997	12	\$5,254,894	261	127	9	23	2	8	0
				Stands: KY [US\$95,000]				AWD (List): 7.02, AWD (Lifetime): 7.17			
17	Ghostzapper Sire: Awesome Again	2000	6	\$5,247,230	117	71	10	16	3	8	2
				Stands: KY [US\$50,000]				AWD (List): 7.19, AWD (Lifetime): 7.19			
18	More Than Ready Sire: Southern Halo	1997	11	\$5,161,179	234	99	8	17	2	8	1
				Stands: KY [US\$50,000]				AWD (List): 6.95, AWD (Lifetime): 7.01			
19	Tale of the Cat Sire: Storm Cat	1994	13	\$4,999,406	237	109	4	13	1	4	1
				Stands: KY [US\$25,000]				AWD (List): 6.71, AWD (Lifetime): 6.60			
20	English Channel Sire: Smart Strike	2002	4	\$4,956,442	147	72	12	20	6	10	1
				Stands: KY [US\$25,000]				AWD (List): 7.95, AWD (Lifetime): 7.99			
21	Unbridled's Song Sire: Unbridled	1993	15	\$4,936,871	165	73	5	19	3	10	0
				Stands: USA [Dead/Retired/Exported]				AWD (List): 7.23, AWD (Lifetime): 7.38			
22	Yes It's True Sire: Is It True	1996	11	\$4,707,101	184	105	7	12	2	3	1
				Stands: KY [US\$10,000]				AWD (List): 6.40, AWD (Lifetime): 6.63			
23	Any Given Saturday Sire: Distorted Humor	2004	3	\$4,616,729	163	96	4	15	3	5	0
				Stands: PA [US\$5,000]				AWD (List): 6.92, AWD (Lifetime): 7.02			
24	Stormy Atlantic Sire: Storm Cat	1994	13	\$4,602,175	199	91	10	20	5	9	0
				Stands: KY [US\$30,000]				AWD (List): 6.59, AWD (Lifetime): 6.78			
25	Pulpit Sire: A.P. Indy	1994	14	\$4,578,786	149	68	9	14	4	6	1
				Stands: USA [Dead/Retired/Exported]				AWD (List): 7.55, AWD (Lifetime): 7.61			

The data included represents the Northern Hemisphere-born progeny of sires standing anywhere in the world, and winning anywhere in the world (Northern and Southern Hemispheres included) and Southern Hemisphere-born foals' Northern Hemisphere wins and earnings only. While data from Hong Kong and Japan are included, earnings from those countries are excluded. *No jump statistics are included.*



Goffs Orby Sale 
 30 September - 1 October 2014

ORBY GOES INTO ORBIT *By Kelsey Riley*

A modern day record-priced yearling; the most lucrative dispersal in European history; the highest-priced horse ever sold at an Irish auction; a Frankel foal parading at Kensington Palace in London. These are just a few of the reasons Goffs has been in the headlines over the last 12 months, and Ireland's premier sale company looks to continue its dream run with its flagship Orby Sale at the Kill Paddocks in County Kildare Sept. 30 and Oct. 1. Ireland's premier yearling sale has posted stellar results the last two seasons after revamping its format-- with a focus on quality over quantity--in 2012. That year's edition saw a 33% increase in gross (€27,189,500) despite having 59 fewer horses through the ring; a 47% rise in average (€90,331) and a 33% increase in median (€58,000), with just 15% of horses failing to find new homes and five realizing more than €500,000, including an €800,000 top-priced lot.



Last year's Orby topper Ol' Man River
Racing Post

While the median dipped marginally (1.7% to €57,000) last year, all other indicators outperformed the previous year. The average breached the €100,000 barrier despite 40 more horses going through the ring, rounding at out €101,004 (up 12%), and the gross was up to €34,745,500. The two-day stand was brought to a dramatic close when a regally bred colt by Montjeu (Ire) out of the dual Guineas winner Finsceal Beo (Ire) (Mr. Greeley) was knocked down to M V Magnier for €2.85 million--a modern-day record for a yearling in Ireland and the second-highest price ever paid for a yearling in that country. Later named Ol' Man River and put into training with Aidan O'Brien for the Coolmore partners, Ol' Man River earned ☆ **"TDN Rising Star"** ☆ status with a flashy debut win at The Curragh Aug. 31, and is currently amongst the favorites for next year's G1 Investec Derby.

"The Orby is all about the best Irish horses," said Goffs Chief Executive Henry Beeby. "Our top price last year is really what we're all about. If we had to encapsulate what we're about in one horse--he's a beautifully bred Irish horse, a Montjeu out of Finsceal Beo. He was an absolutely to-die-for physical. Then, absolutely crucially, he's living up to the reputation."

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If Goffs' fortunes continue in the same direction, they could find a Derby winner on their honor roll next year. "They're very patient with [Ol' Man River] because he's



Henry Beeby
Goffs

very special," Beeby added. "I asked Aidan O'Brien a few times how he was doing, and he said, 'We're minding him, because he's a proper horse.' He comes out and wins his debut, beating a pretty good field in very impressive style. He's already 20-1 for the Derby next year. They're talking about one more race in Group 1 or 2 company

this season, putting him away and aiming towards the Derby."

Beeby also paid tribute to Chicquita (Ire) (Montjeu {Ire}), who set a €6-million European record for a filly in training at Goffs November last year; Cappella Sansevero (GB) (Showcasing {GB}), the £1.3-million topper of the inaugural Goffs London Sale in June; and Europe's latest sire sensation, Sea the Stars (Ire), whose foals have made numerous headlines at Goffs in recent seasons.

"That is what the sale is all about," he said. "[Ol' Man River], Chicquita, Cappella Sansevero, Sea the Stars foals--all those sorts of thing over the last couple years have demonstrated that Goffs is there to serve the Irish breeders; to be there to sell the best horses. Give us the opportunity, and we will match any sale company in the world."

Goffs Goldmine...

"Four hundred and fifty of the best Irish yearlings." That is the tagline adopted by Goffs for this year's Orby sale, and flipping through the catalogue, it is not difficult to imagine its inhabitants gracing the winner's enclosures of Classic and Group 1 races. Amongst the standout pedigrees are [lot 5](#), a filly from the first crop of standout miler Canford Cliffs (Ire) who is a half-sister to champion European mare Alexander Goldrun (Ire) and Group 3 winner Medecis; [lot 19](#), one of 14 in the catalogue by Galileo (Ire), and a full-brother to three Group 1 performers; [lot 24](#), another Galileo, this time a filly who is the first foal out of Group 3 winner and Classic-placed Sent From Heaven (Ire) (Footstepsinthesand {GB}); and [lot 41](#), a filly by the red-hot Invincible Spirit (Ire) out of Grade I winner Folk Opera (Ire) (Singspiel {Ire}).

"It does not take a huge leap of faith to conclude that the Orby catalogue features some of the best yearlings available in 2014."



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Others to watch include [lot 395](#), a Fastnet Rock (Aus) half-brother to European and U.S. champion 2-year-old Johannesburg (Hennessy) and [lot 403](#), a full-sister to 2012 G1 Irish Derby hero and consistent Group 1 performer Trading Leather (Ire) (Teofilo {Ire}). In addition, two yearlings from the last crop of Ol' Man River's sire, Montjeu, will be on offer.

"That Goffs' Orby Sale features some of the best yearlings in Ireland is beyond argument, as the support of the country's leading breeders has been humbling," said Beeby. "The result is a catalogue that is certainly the measure of any and offers huge appeal to all levels of the market, as well as unbeatable value. Irish horses consistently win around the globe at the highest level. The Orby is Ireland's best yearling sale so it does not take a huge leap of faith to conclude that the Orby catalogue features some of the best yearlings available in 2014."

Goffs broke from the traditional three-day format of its Orby Sale in 2012, shrinking the catalogue to two days.

"I think every sale worldwide is seeing a focus on quality, at whatever level of the market they're at," Beeby said. "My concern was people turning up at Goffs and not finding a consistent standard. Two years ago, we said, 'the focus is the horse--just pick the horses.' So we ended up with less horses, but that was definitely the right thing to do."

The statistics of the past two Orby Sales speak for the success of the new format, and Beeby expressed confidence that this year's catalogue is up to the same standard.

"The Orby Sale should be a catalogue of the best Irish horses available to us, and that's what it is," he said. "Two years ago it went very well, and last year it built on that. This year's catalogue is another step forward."

The upward curve of the sale over the last two years has seemingly injected the Irish breeders with confidence.

"A few years ago when we went to the leading Irish studs, it was a polite, 'We'll see what we can find,'" Beeby said. "Now, they're saying, 'You will get a significant share of our best horses.' I'm not asking anyone to send us all their best horses, because there are plenty of other options, but the Orby Sale is very much a selection of the best horses in Ireland, and that's been reflected the last couple years in the standard of the horses and the feedback buyers have given us."

GOFFS ORBY SALE STATISTICS

CUMULATIVE	2013	2012	2011
Catalogued	425	400	460
No. Offered	395	355	414
No. Sold	344	301	333
RNAs	51	54	81
%RNAs	12.9%	15.2%	19.6%
No. 500k+	5	5	0
High Price	€2,850,000	€800,000	€350,000
Gross	€34,745,500	€27,189,500	€20,494,000
Average	€101,004 (+12%)	€90,331 (+47%)	€61,544
Median	€57,000 (-1.7%)	€58,000 (+38%)	€42,000

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Orby By The Numbers...

There are 30 more horses catalogued to the Orby Sale than 12 months ago, which raises the question of whether the €100,000-plus average can be sustained. Beeby insisted, however, that because the same quality-focused standards were applied in building this year's catalogue, it is not out of the realm of possibility for the sale to maintain or continue its upward trajectory.

"There are 30 more horses than last year, and if we've applied the same standards, which I think we have, that means we have a better catalogue, because we have 30 more horses," he noted. "There are more horses there that we believe are of the same standard, and we looked at significantly more horses this year on the back of the last two years. The foal crop isn't that much bigger, so that means we're making serious progress. Being the best in Ireland is the first goal, but to have the best in Ireland is the next thing. We believe our catalogue is the measure of any these days."

Beeby acknowledged, however, that some serious horsepower will be required to replace Ol' Man River.

"This time last year, did I think we had a yearling to make €2,850,000? No I didn't," he said. "I thought we had a yearling to make a million, but I didn't know what he'd make--I hadn't seen him for a while, and he goes and makes that. So if the average is €100,000, we have to have 28 horses of that average price to replace him if he isn't there. That was the second-highest price in Ireland ever, and the highest in 30 years, so that will be very hard to replace. **Cont. p11**



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Beeby added, "I think what we're looking for this year is a consolidation of last year's figures. If there is growth we'll be delighted. We had a very strong clearance rate last year, so it's important to maintain that because ultimately we're there to sell horses."

International Appeal...

This year's Orby catalogue boasts a diverse offering of American-based sires. In addition to stallions like Speightstown, Distorted Humor and Elusive Quality (one each catalogued) that have become household names in Europe thanks to the exploits of their progeny, a few new shooters can be found amongst the pages. Coolmore's Cape Blanco (Ire), who was himself an Orby graduate before going on to Grade and Group 1 success on the track, is represented by four first crop yearlings; his Ashford barnmate Scat Daddy has three catalogued and Haynesfield, Kitten's Joy, Lonhro (Aus), Paddy O'Prado, Quality Road (sire of this year's Listed Windsor Castle S. winner and G1 Prix Morny second Hootenanny), Street Boss, Summer Bird and Tiznow all have one each catalogued.

While some of these are pinhook prospects purchased



**Orby graduate and first-crop yearling sire
Cape Blanco**
Racing Post

in America, others were recruited by Beeby and Goffs' American representative Joe Hopkins in the spring.

"It's all about making the sale one of international appeal," said Beeby. "It's focusing on Ireland, but it also has international appeal. Joe and I came across and went to several farms in April to recruit a few. Not big numbers, but it's just to add a bit more diversity to the catalogue." Asked how some of the younger U.S.-based sires would be received, Beeby noted, "I think they'll be received well, because they're good looking horses. We focused on the horse first. We're not looking for well-bred horses with slight issues. We're looking for the horse first and foremost, with hopefully the pedigree to back it up."

Tinnakill House will consign the Tiznow colt (lot 387)--who they purchased for \$325,000 in utero at Keeneland January last year--and Tinnakill's Dermot Cantillon said Tiznow's success with limited opportunity in Europe encouraged them to take the plunge and ship their colt to Ireland to sell.

"It was a difficult decision for us whether to leave him in America or bring him home, and we were influenced because there was a [Tiznow] horse in France that looked like he might make it into a Classic horse," Cantillon explained. "From very few runners in Europe, Tiznow has done well, so we decided to take him back to Europe."

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The colt's dam, Mousse Au Chocolat (Hennessy), was herself a stakes winner and twice group placed in France. Cantillon noted that she was sent to Ireland last year in foal to Distorted Humor, who last weekend sired his third European Group 1 winner in G1 Moyglare Stud. S. winner Cursory Gance.

"He was out of a mare who did very well in France and was rated 107," Cantillon added. "He's a big, strapping colt and a good walker. I think he'll get on very well at the sales."

While the Irish-based Tinnakill has long been a supporter of Goffs, Cantillon noted that the recent changes in format of the sale have elevated it to a new level.

"I think the key has been cutting back in numbers," he said. "It's part of the quality. The team at Goffs and Irish Thoroughbred Marketing have done a great job attracting people from all over the world into the sale. I think if you look at the spread of buyers last year, that's a great reflection on their work."



Lot 387--Tiznow colt
Goffs

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In addition to hosting the progeny of international sires, Orby graduates have excelled across the globe. In addition to this year's G1 Phoenix S. winner Dick Whittington (Ire) (Rip Van Winkle {Ire}), the Orby sale has produced Hong Kong standouts Designs On Rome



Four-time Group 1 winner Sky Lantern was a €75,000 Orby purchase
Racing Post

(Ire) (Roman Emperor {Ire}) and Military Attack (Ire) (Oratorio {Ire}); last year's G1 1000 Guineas heroine and four-time Group 1 winner Sky Lantern (Ire) (Red Clubs {Ire}); G1 Irish 1000 Guineas winner Just the Judge (Ire) (Lawman

{Fr}); 2012 and 2013 G1 Irish St Leger winners Royal Diamond (Ire) (King's Best) and Voleuse de Coeurs (Ire) (Teofilo {Ire}); GII Hollywood Cup and GII Twilight Derby winner Grandeur (Ire) (Verglas {Ire}); G1 Cheveley Park S. winner Lightning Pearl (Ire) (Marju {Ire}); G1 Investec Oaks and G1 German Oaks winner Dancing Rain (Ire) (Danehill Dancer {Ire}), a €200,000 purchase in 2009 who sold to John Ferguson for 4 million guineas at Tattersalls December last year, and multiple group winner Banimpire (Ire) (Holy Roman Emperor {Ire}), who was bought by Jim Bolger for €52,000 in 2009 and resold for €2.3 million at the 2011 Goffs November sale before realizing 1.5 million guineas at Tattersalls December the following year. In addition to those two home run mares, the value to be found at Orby is accentuated by the fact that just two of those listed above were purchased for more than €100,000. Beeby noted that a very important aspect of the Goffs philosophy is ensuring that overseas visitors not only enjoy the sale, but their visit to Ireland as well. He stressed that the team at Goffs work tirelessly to ensure they make a good impression.

"It's a focus on quality," he said. "They will get a service like no other. It's a bit like the Avis advert in the 1960s--when you're number two, you try harder. I would say, no disrespect to anyone else, that Goffs offers something with a little quirk to it. We offer proactivity that is unmatched. We offer a diversity of team, and we offer a sale that mixes in a unique hospitality that is genuinely Irish." This approach has apparently gone over well with overseas visitors. "An American buyer came to us for the first time last year, and I met him at another sale later on, and he said to me, 'Henry, let me just tell you, if I had to choose just one sale outside America, it would be you because you do it better.' By that he wasn't criticizing the other teams, he just felt there was something a bit different at Goffs. That was very gratifying to hear, but it meant we're getting that part of it right. Of course, essentially, the most important thing is the horse."



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If we haven't got the horse we haven't got anything, but what we try to do is get the horses together, then build [the hospitality]."

He added, "It's very important to us to make sure people enjoy their visit. They hopefully go away with a champion--or at least a good horse and a winner--but they also go away with a good feeling. Goffs is indelibly linked to Ireland. We've been there since 1866, and I think Goffs is the seventh-oldest registered company in Ireland. It's a huge heritage--it's very Irish. It's important to us that people enjoy not just their trip to Goffs, but their trip to Ireland. What's good for Goffs is good for Ireland, and what's good for Ireland is good for Goffs."

The Goffs Orby Sale begins at 10 a.m. local time Sept. 30 and Oct. 1. For the full catalogue, visit www.goffs.com.

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115,000 visitors each year, is a full service Thoroughbred nursery and stallion station, and has a long history of selling outstanding racehorses at Goffs.

In 1946--the same year it was formally established by incorporation under the National Stud Act--the Irish National Stud, which

is owned by the Irish Government, acquired its first stallion for £52,000. His name was Royal Charger, and although he was sold to stand in America just eight years later, he would lay the foundation for the Irish National Stud as a developer of top-class sires. Royal Charger's influence lives on today largely through the exploits of his great grandson Roberto, the sire of Kris S. and Dynaformer, amongst others.

"The first bet was a winning bet," said John Osborne, chief executive of the Irish National Stud, on the stud's acquirement of Royal Charger. The stud would hit another home run in the 1980s when acquiring Ahonoora, described by Osborne as "a sprinter with not much pedigree." Despite that profile, Ahonoora proved a sire of great diversity, producing the likes of G1 Epsom Derby winner Dr Devious (Ire); G1 2000 Guineas winner Don't Forget Me (Ire); G2 King's Stand S. winner Indian Ridge (GB); successful sire Inchinor (GB) and Group 1 winners Park Appeal (GB) and Park Express (GB), the dams of New Approach (Ire) and Cape Cross (Ire). Ahonoora is also the broodmare sire of American champions Azeri and Animal Kingdom. Ahonoora entered stud duties at a fee of £1R 2,250, and was sold to Coolmore seven years later for £1R 7 million. The Irish National Stud was able to enjoy the same upward trajectory with Ahonoora's son Indian Ridge, who joined the farm's roster in 1994.

"He started at a fee of £1R 5,000, and went up to as high as €85,000," Osborne explained. Indian Ridge is best known as the sire of G1 Breeders' Cup Mile winners Ridgewood Pearl (GB) and Domedriver (Ire); British champion and sire Compton Place (GB); G1 Prix de l'Abbaye winner Namid (GB) and five-time Grade I winner Relaxed Gesture (Ire).

It is possible, however, that the Irish National Stud's greatest stallion success story is currently in the making. The year that Indian Ridge's first 2-year-olds were hitting the track, a strapping bay son of Green Desert named Invincible Spirit (Ire) was born. Trained



Invincible Spirit
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by John Dunlop for Prince Faisal, Invincible Spirit performed with consistency in Europe's sprinting division, capping his career with a victory in Haydock's G1 Sprint Cup in 2002 before retiring to the Irish National Stud the following year for a

fee of €10,000. It didn't take long for Invincible Spirit to begin making his mark. In 2006 he had 35 first-crop 2-year-old winners--a record for a freshman sire--and in 2007 his fee went up to €35,000. That first crop included G1 French Derby and G1 Prix Jean Prat winner Lawman (Fr) as well as group winners Conquest (Ire) and Captain Marvelous (Ire).

"He was well supported at a modest fee, and our loyal clients really helped make him," Osborne noted.

Like Ahonoora and Indian Ridge before him, Invincible Spirit's progeny continued to train on, and his fee rocketed to €75,000 in 2008. He went on to sire the likes of European champion sprinter Fleeting Spirit (Ire) and G1 Breeders' Cup Juvenile winner Vale of York (Ire), and his more recent luminaries include six-time Group 1-winning sprinter Moonlight Cloud (GB); this year's four-time Group 1-winning miler Kingman (GB); this year's dual Group 1 winner Charm Spirit (Ire); G1 July Cup hero Mayson (GB) and G1 Cheveley Park S. heroine Rosdhu Queen (Ire). Invincible Spirit shuttled to Australia's Chatswood Stud for three seasons and from less than 300 foals produced triple Group 1 winner Yosei (Aus) and six other stakes winners, most notably I Am Invincible (Aus), Australia's champion first-season sire of 2013/14. Invincible Spirit is undoubtedly poised to continue this legacy in the Northern Hemisphere as well, with sons already at stud including the Classic sire Lawman; Vale of York, Mayson, Born to Sea (Ire)--the brother to Galileo (Ire) and Sea the Stars (Ire)--and Zebedee (GB), Europe's current leading first crop sire by number of winners. With Invincible Spirit, the Irish National Stud has come full circle. Invincible Spirit's sire, Green Desert, is out of a mare by Sir Ivor, a grandson of Royal Charger.

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Perhaps the Irish National Stud's greatest legacy, however, will be its Thoroughbred Breeding course. Launched in 1971 by Michael Osborne, John's father, the six-month course is designed to give students practical and theoretical experience in the breeding industry, and includes hands-on work at the stud and



John Osborne
Racing Post

evening lectures. John Osborne notes that the course was the first of its kind in the industry.

"There wasn't much at that time in terms of formal education in the horse business, and [Michael Osborne] liked the idea that you could bring a bit of science to it," he explained. "Some

might consider the student course a masters in mucking out, but we do take the science of it very seriously, and try to up our game all the time. At the same time, the standard of the candidates applying is increasing all the time, so we have to consistently renew the structure of the program accordingly."

Osborne added that the value of the course is apparent through the support of the industry and the strong network it has built.

"There is so much goodwill towards the students, and the students don't realize until after they've left the program the value of all the industry professionals they get to meet and spend time with," he said. "But the most important aspect of the course might be the peer network. The students learn so much from their own classmates, as well as all the previous students, and it's a wonderful support group to step into. It's wonderful to go around the world and see the success of the graduates. It's very gratifying--anywhere you are in the world you're likely to run into someone that has either done the course or knows someone who has."

With its roots inextricably woven into the heritage of the Irish Thoroughbred, the Irish National Stud also has had a longstanding and successful association with Goffs.

Classic winners bred by the stud and consigned at Goffs include Desert King (Ire) (Danehill), who became trainer Aidan O'Brien's first Classic winner when he took the 1997 G1 Irish 2000 Guineas and G1 Irish Derby, and last year's G1 Irish St Leger victress Voleuse de Coeurs (Ire) (Teofilo {Ire}).

"The Irish National Stud sells basically everything it produces at Goffs," Osborne noted. "Goffs is our market--it's been good to us over the years. The association between the Irish National Stud and Goffs goes back a long time."

The Irish National Stud will this year bring nine to Orby, including [lot 442](#), an Invincible Spirit full-sister to the Sept. 12 G2 May Hill S. third Shagah (Ire), who made €280,000 in the Orby ring last year.

"She's off the scales physically," Osborne said of lot 442. "She's an absolute beauty."

The stud will also offer [lot 10](#), a daughter of Invincible Spirit's successful sire son Lawman who is a three-quarter to Cable Bay (Ire) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}), who was second in last year's G1 Dewhurst S. [Lot 399](#) is a Galileo (Ire) half to multiple Group 3 winner Yellow Rosebud (Ire) (Jeremy) and stakes winner Seeharn (Ire) (Pivotal {GB}), and [lot 118](#) is a son of the stud's young sire Lord Shanakill (Speightstown).

"He's a strong colt by Lord Shanakill," Osborne noted. "He doesn't have the strongest page, but I would suggest everyone take a look at him."

With the recent strong results at Goffs and other auction houses surely an indicator to go by, Osborne expressed optimism about the Thoroughbred industry.

"There's exciting times ahead in the bloodstock industry," he said. "Everywhere you look there are people investing or looking to invest. We've weathered a lot of storms so hopefully there are more good times ahead."

One thing that is certain is that the Irish National Stud will continue to grace Kildare, ensuring its legacy lives on through its stallions and the graduates of its breeding course and sales consignments alike.

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CASINO VOTE ENDS NEW ENGLAND RACING

By *Christie DeBernardis*

A vote by the Massachusetts state gambling commission to back the Wynn casino in Everett over the Mohegan Sun casino at Suffolk Downs Tuesday will result in the closure of Suffolk Downs, and the end of Thoroughbred racing in New England.

The 79-year-old Revere/East Boston, Massachusetts venue is the last remaining racetrack in the New England area. The track has been hanging on by a thread for a few years now with the casino, and the revenue it would bring in, providing the only glimmer of hope.



Suffolk Downs
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Following Tuesday's vote, Suffolk Downs Chief Operating Officer Chip Tuttle announced that the track would begin to wind

down its racing operations. The last day of the current meet, Monday, Sept. 29, will also be the last day of live racing at Suffolk Downs.

"It's terrible for the family of workers here, not only direct employees but the very hard working horsemen and women for whom this is the last straw in New England racing," Tuttle said. "Suffolk Downs is the last Thoroughbred track in New England. It is a sad day for all these people, and a troubling sign for the racing industry as a whole. We are looking at contraction, and the idea that there is not going to be racetrack in a major media market like Boston is troubling."

Suffolk's current leading trainer Jay Bernardini first stepped foot on the grounds at age eight and has not missed a season at Suffolk Downs since he took out his trainer's license 30 years ago. Bernardini is ahead by 27 wins in the trainer standings, guaranteeing him his first Suffolk Downs leading trainer title after finishing second or third in the past few years.

"I'm trying to enjoy the moment," the 48-year-old said. "You work for 30 years--my wife and I put the family business together--and it's gratifying to have success, but bittersweet to know it is the last race and last day. The last day is always emotional with everyone leaving, but you know you are coming back. We are competitors, but also an extended family. You say good bye and wish them the best."

Bernardini continued, "I look at the track though and say I'm blessed to be here, doing well and being a top trainer. Suffolk Downs is a big part of my world that is now gone."

The Lynn, Massachusetts resident spends every summer racing at Suffolk, but the rest of the year he races in Maryland at Laurel and Pimlico. Right now, his plan is to continue that tradition and his 40-horse string will ship to Maryland Oct. 1.

"For me I am moving on to Maryland," Bernardini remarked. "Fortunately I am one of most successful guys here with the biggest clientele base. They don't want to get out of business. Other guys unfortunately are not in my shoes and you just feel bad for them. Several trainers are just going to retire and have already sent their clients to me."

The conditioner added, "Next summer I will have to decide if there is no Suffolk what I will do and come up with a plan B as to what I am going to do in the summer time. I am considering Charles Town, Delaware or maybe Thistledown. I will have to train somewhere other than home, but I get anxious to come home to my family. A lot of pro athletes have to separate with families, but I don't like not being at home."

If the casino bid had been approved for Suffolk Downs, it would have guaranteed at least 15 more years of racing and \$40-million in improvements to the racing program.

"Our owners have lost more than \$50 million on racing operation since 2007," Tuttle remarked. "They have been incredibly generous to keep it going. They could have been cynical and closed until we got gaming licenses. Richard Fields and Joe O'Donnell have been generous for long time to support the work force and keep racing going here."

Suffolk Downs will continue to host simulcasting through at least late November and possibly through the end of the year, but they will not be applying for a 2015 racing license come January.

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Study Finds Furosemide not Necessary to Realize Long-Term Racing Careers

Editor's Note: The Jockey Club believes that horses should compete only when they are free from the influence of medication. The following essay, written by Matt Iuliano, the executive vice president and executive director of The Jockey Club, provides insights into a recent study pertaining to exercise-induced pulmonary hemorrhage (EIPH) and long-term racing performance.

By *Matt Iuliano*

A team of highly respected, international researchers and scientists recently found that in 98% of horses they studied there was no association between exercise-induced pulmonary hemorrhage (EIPH) determined after an endoscopic examination and long-term racing performance.

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The findings challenge some long-held opinions in North American racing, including the contention that the use of the diuretic furosemide—sold under the trade name Salix and commonly known as Lasix—is necessary to ensure the long-term careers of equine racing athletes.

The study, “Prospective study of the association between exercise-induced pulmonary haemorrhage and long-term performance in Thoroughbred racehorses,” was conducted by Kenneth Hinchcliff, B.V.Sc., Ph.D., a longtime researcher of EIPH and professor of veterinary science at the University of Melbourne in Australia, and Paul S. Morley, D.V.M., Ph.D., professor of epidemiology at Colorado State University.

It was published online in the Equine Veterinary Journal this spring.

The unique, long-term study found a lack of significant association between EIPH and a productive racing career, except in the most severe cases. The researchers reviewed the careers of 744 horses racing in Australia, where race-day medication is prohibited. The vast majority of those horses had productive racing careers without the use of furosemide.

In 2003, those horses had been examined for EIPH and were the subjects of a study into how EIPH affected performance in a single race. For their latest report, the researchers reviewed the entire careers of those horses to determine how their EIPH status affected their racing records.

EIPH is graded on a scale of 0 to 4, with 0 indicating the lowest, or no, indications of EIPH on endoscopic examination and 4 being the highest, often including epistaxis, or bleeding from the nostrils. The original Melbourne study found that horses with either no indication or the slightest indication of EIPH had better finish positions. Horses with mild to more moderate indications of EIPH were more often associated with impaired racing performance in the single race that was studied.

The latest study goes beyond a single race to look at entire racing careers.

Whereas the first study found that horses with EIPH grades greater than 1 had impaired racing performances, this latter study found no statistically significant difference among horses with EIPH graded from 0 to 3 in terms of:

- Duration of careers on the racetrack,
- Number of wins per start and,
- Number of placings per start.

Only those horses with the most severe EIPH of grade 4 (1.7% of the population) had a significant reduction in lifetime racing performance.

When the data was grouped, the authors reported that horses with EIPH scores of 2, 3 and 4 started an average of 2.8 fewer times during their lifetime when compared to horses with EIPH scores of 0 and 1. However, they noted the difference in lifetime starts was highly influenced by the low number of race starts in horses with EIPH graded as 4.

Many of the horses with EIPH graded as 4 were retired from racing early on, which reduced the average number of lifetime starts for any group that included those horses.

The lifetime racing performances of horses with EIPH that continued to race indicate these horses were successfully managed over a productive racing career in a jurisdiction where furosemide was not permitted. Reviewing all the data, the researchers in the most recent comprehensive study concluded:

“The lack of significant associations between the most common forms of EIPH and long-term performance can be interpreted as indicating an absence of important clinical, physiological, or management factors that limit performance in these horses.”

With the latest research showing that less than 2% of the Thoroughbred population may have impaired lifetime racing performance attributable to EIPH, it is increasingly difficult to reconcile 95% of all North American starts occurring after the race-day administration of furosemide.

As The Jockey Club stated in 2011, overuse of an under-needed medication is not producing a level playing field. In all likelihood, it is doing just the opposite.

We believed then and we believe now that horses should compete only when they are free from the influence of medication.

A prohibition on all race-day medications levels the field.



California Chrome, on the track Thursday morning, galloped between a mile and a half and a mile and three-quarters, with exercise rider Willie Delgado aboard as he prepares for Saturday’s GII Pennsylvania Derby. According to assistant trainer Alan Sherman, “He was striding out nicely today. I thought he handled the track real well. He schooled great, looked around, taking everything in. I thought [Wednesday] when he jogged, he looked around a bit, but today, I thought he was more focused. He’ll gallop again [Friday] and I think he’ll be even more focused tomorrow.”

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OAKLAWN TO OFFER LASIX FREE INCENTIVES IN '15

Edited Press Release

Charles J. Cella, president of Oaklawn Racing & Gaming, issued that the Arkansas track will become the first in America to offer purse bonuses for horses that run and win without Lasix in 2015. The Oaklawn 'Lasix-free Bonus' program will provide a 10% bonus to the winner's share of the purse for all horses that run and win without Lasix. This means Oaklawn's Lasix-free incentives, which will be provided by Oaklawn itself and will not come out of the purse fund, will range from \$1,080 for its minimum purse of \$18,000 up to \$60,000 for the GI Arkansas Derby. The total potential bonus supplement will be \$1.4 million.

"We know some horses do indeed need Lasix in order to run to potential and I want to make this very clear: we are not advocating that horses who need Lasix, race without it," said Cella. "However, it is also our belief that many of the horses running on Lasix may not need it. We think it is in the best interest of the sport and the breed to find a way to have more horses run without Lasix. Our hope is this program will be a step in the right direction."

Added Mark Lamberth, an Arkansas Racing Commissioner and chairman-elect for the Association of Racing Commissioners International, "I applaud Oaklawn for thinking outside the box and taking a positive step toward trying to reduce race-day therapeutic medications. As an owner and lover of the sport, this makes me proud to be from Arkansas, where racing continues to come first."

Cella said if the results are encouraging, he would hope other tracks might consider similar programs.

"We don't know if this will work or not," said Cella. "We're trying to do the right thing. And we want to send a message that if you have a good horse that does not need Lasix, come to Oaklawn. If the program does work, we'll share the results with other tracks and racing jurisdictions, and we'll build on it here at Oaklawn."

Oaklawn's 2015 racing season kicks off Jan. 9 and continues through Apr. 11.



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New York

Yesterday's Results:

8th-BEL, \$80,000, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$62,500), NW2\$X, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:39 1/5 (NTR), ft.

1--TRANSPARENT, 119, r, 4, [Bernardini](#)--Habiboo (MGSP, \$190,190), by Unbridled's Song. (\$725,000 yrl '11 FTSAUG). O-Godolphin Racing LLC; B-Hardacre Farm LLC (FL); T-Kiaran P McLaughlin. Lifetime Record: 13-3-1-1, \$236,484.

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2--Cease, 119, g, 7, War Chant--Limit, by Cox's Ridge. 3--Sinistra, 123, g, 4, Stonesider--Margin for Error, by Dixie Brass.

Margins: 1 1/4, 5HF, HF. Odds: 0.85, 43.75, 5.20.

Transparent--disqualified from first and placed fifth in last term's Curlin S. at Saratoga--has shown flashes throughout his career, including runaway maiden and allowance wins at Aqueduct in 2013. A respectable fourth in Will Take Charge (Unbridled's Song)'s GII Pennsylvania Derby Sept. 21, he had only faced the starter once since, finishing fourth in a handicap at Meydan for trainer Saeed bin Suroor last time Jan. 9. Shadowing longshot Cease from the outside in second throughout, Transparent turned up the heat on the far turn, hit the front in the stretch and held the determined runner-up at bay to get the money while establishing a new track record. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#).**

6th-BEL, \$62,000, Alw, NW1\$X, (S), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:08 1/5, ft.

CUANTOS (c, 3, Read the Footnotes--Bound on Bi, by Bounding Basque), fifth in his Belmont debut June 29, broke through with an impressive 4 3/4-length maiden win at 12-1 at the Spa July 21. Second, beaten only a nose, in his first crack at this level upstate Aug. 25, he was sent off at odds of 2-1 here. Away alertly from his rail draw, Cuantos clicked off splits of :22.68 and :45.06 and kept on finding more in the stretch, stopping the clock in a snappy 1:08.33. It was 1 3/4 lengths back to 3-5 favorite Giantinthemoonlite (Giant's Causeway) in second. The winner is a half to Bounding Bi (Outflanker), MSP, \$364,580. Sales history: \$27,000 yrl '12 FTNAUG. Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-0, \$100,800. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#). O-Alan Brodsky. B-GeeZee Stable LLC (NY).T-Mark A Hennig.**

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7th-BEL, \$60,000, Msw, (S), 2yo, f, 1mT, 1:36, fm.
+ ACK NAUGHTY (f, 2, [Afleet Alex](#)--Dash for Money {GSP}, by General Meeting) was backed at odds of 7-2 while debuting from post 11 here. Placed within striking distance in sixth, she was on the move while saving ground on the far turn. Tipped out four wide at the top of the lane, she exploded on the outside to win going away by three lengths. Fellow firster Congress Park (Divine Park) was second. The victress is a half to So Lonesome (Awesome Again), MSW, \$334,067; and No Spin (Johannesburg), MSW, \$329,158. Sales history: \$20,000 RNA yrl '13 FTNAUG. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$36,000. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#).**
 O-Nantucket Thoroughbred Partners & Michael J. Ryan. B-Waterville Lake Stables Ltd LLC (NY). T-Chad C Brown.

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Eastern U.S.

Wednesday Night's Results:

6th-CTX, \$25,000, Msw, 2yo, 6 1/2f, 1:22, ft.
CAROLINA SPEED (c, 2, [Munnings](#)--Carolina Sunrise, by Awesome Again) was a rallying third in his unveiling at odds of 5-1 going four furlongs at Timonium Sept. 1. Sent off at 6-5 here, he vied for command from the inside for the opening half mile, gained a narrow advantage in the stretch and fended off a fresh challenge from Wrongsidetwntynine (Line of David) to graduate in game fashion by a half length. The winner, a half brother to Reveron (Songandaprayer), SW & GISP, \$331,275, becomes the sixth winner for his freshman sire (by Speightstown). Sales history: \$52,000 yrl '13 FTKOCT; \$44,000 RNA 2yo '14 FTMMAY; \$30,000 RNA 2yo '14 OBSJUN. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$18,300. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#).**
 O-Stanley Dunn Jr. B-Equus Farm (KY). T-Timothy C Grams.

Florida

Yesterday's Results:

4th-GPX, \$43,000, Msw, 2yo, f, 1m, 1:40 4/5, wf.
BELLA COLLINA (f, 2, [Pleasantly Perfect](#)--Chardae, by Forty Niner), sixth with some trouble in her debut going 5 1/2 furlongs Aug. 23, was heavily supported as the 3-5 favorite to take this one as the skies opened up. Working bullets at Calder in the interim for this stretch out in distance, she cruised on the front end through fractions of :24 2/5 and :49 and had plenty left in reserve, drawing off to a 7 1/2-length decision over the sealed surface. The victress is a half to Tee Cat (Tabasco Cat), SW, \$198,467; and Snug Harbour (Boston Harbor), SW, \$164,100. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$26,860. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#).**
 O/B-Vegso Racing Stable (FL). T-William P White.

Central U.S.

Yesterday's Results:

2nd-APX, \$33,560, Msw, 3yo/up, a1 1/16mT, 1:48 3/5, gd.

DA BIG HOSS (c, 3, [Lemon Drop Kid](#)--Lady Struck Gold, by Touch Gold), a well-beaten fifth in his Arlington unveiling last August, returned from the bench with a fourth-place finish at Monmouth July 6. Trying grass for the first time following a bullet five-furlong workout in 1:00 over the Polytrack Sept. 7, the West homebred was backed at odds of 5-1. Settled toward the rear after bumping into a rival at the start, Da Big Hoss was sixth through a half mile in an easy :51.17. With Channing Hill aboard, he began to roll while three wide on the far turn and kicked home nicely down the lane to graduate by 2 3/4 lengths. The winner's second dam is Lady Blessington (Fr) (Baillamont), MGSW & MGISP, \$585,892. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$21,740. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#).**

O-Gary & Mary West. B-Gary & Mary West Stables Inc (KY). T-Wayne M Catalano.

Wednesday Night's Results:

7th-RPX, \$32,475, Alw, NW1X, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:09 2/5, ft.

MERANGO TANGO (c, 3, [Lemon Drop Kid](#)--Ransom Dance, by Red Ransom) delivered as the 3-2 chalk over next out maiden winner Hawks Nest (Wildcat Heir) in his Aug. 23 Remington debut, and was favored at 6-5 to stay perfect. He wasn't away to the most alert beginning, but rushed up from his inside draw to vie for command. The chestnut fought his way to the front in midstretch and kicked clear late to score by 2 3/4 lengths. Merango Tango is a half to Diamond Spirit (Holy Bull), MGSP, \$173,292; Hidden Ransom (Silver Ghost), MSP, \$182,307; and Ghost Dancing (Silver Ghost), SW, \$163,897. Sales history: \$80,000 wlng '11 KEENOV. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$34,545. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#).**

O-Alan Booge Racing Inc. B-Estate of Edward P Evans (VA). T-Tim P Padilla.

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JC Released 2013 Breeding Statistics:

Edited Press Release

The Jockey Club reported that 2,230 stallions covered 36,656 mares in North America during 2013, according to statistics compiled through Sept. 9, 2014. These breedings have resulted in 21,697 live foals of 2014 being reported to The Jockey Club on Live Foal Reports received as of Sept. 9, 2014. The Jockey Club estimates that the number of live foals reported so far is approximately 90% complete. The reporting of live foals of 2014 is down 1.4% from last year at this time when The Jockey Club had received reports for 22,001 live foals of 2013. In addition to the 21,697 live foals of 2014 reported through Sept. 9, The Jockey Club had also received 2,692 No Foal Reports for the 2014 foaling season. Ultimately, the 2014 registered foal crop is projected to reach 22,000.

The number of stallions declined 6.8% from the 2,392 reported for 2012 at this time last year, while the number of mares bred decreased 3.3% from the 37,908 reported for 2012.

The 2013 breeding statistics are available alphabetically by stallion name through the Resources - Fact Book link on The Jockey Club homepage at www.jockeyclub.com.

The Jockey Club's Executive Vice President and Executive Director Matt Iuliano noted that the breeding statistics do not represent live foals born in each state or province, but are a count of live foals by conception area, regardless of where the foals were born. He also stated that the statistics do not represent the final fertility record of any stallion or conception area. Kentucky annually leads all states and provinces in terms of Thoroughbred breeding activity. Kentucky-based stallions accounted for 43.3% of the mares reported bred in North America in 2013 and 51.1% of the live foals reported for 2014.

The 15,857 mares reported bred to 258 Kentucky stallions in 2013 have produced 11,089 live foals, a 3.4% increase on the 10,726 Kentucky-sired live foals of 2013 reported at this time last year. The number of mares reported bred to Kentucky stallions in 2013 increased 1.8% compared to the 15,569 reported for 2012 at this time last year.

Among the 10 states and provinces with the most mares covered in 2013, half produced more live foals in 2014 than in 2013 as reported at this time last year: Kentucky, California, New York, New Mexico, and Texas. The following table shows the 10 states and provinces, ranked by number of state/province-sired live foals of 2014 reported through Sept. 9, 2014.

The statistics include 338 progeny of stallions standing in North America but foaled abroad, as reported by foreign stud book authorities at the time of publication. In this category, 91 live foals by North American stallions were reported from Republic of Korea, 71 from Saudi Arabia, 42 from Great Britain, 30 from Japan and 28 from Ireland.

Remaining countries on the list are Venezuela, 23; Philippines, 15; France, 9; India, 7; Turkey, 6; Russia, 4; Uruguay, 3; Argentina, 3; Qatar, 2; Jamaica, 2; Germany, 1; Barbados, 1.

The report also includes 73 mares bred to 13 stallions in North America on Southern Hemisphere time; the majority of these mares have not foaled.

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- BLACK CARD** (Private Terms), 3/0/0
- 2-TDN, Msw, 5 1/2f, Smoothasblacksilk, 10-1
- DESERT PARTY** (Street Cry {Ire}), Sequel, \$8K, 82/7/1
- 6-RP, Msw, 1mT, Killer Party, \$20K RNA KEE NOV wnl, 15-1
- 9-GP, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Party Crasher, \$40K OBS APR 2yo, 10-1
- ESKENDEREYA** (Giant's Causeway), Taylor Made, \$18K, 104/5/0
- 3-CD, Msw, 1 1/16mT, +Pat's Shoes, 15-1
- 3-CD, Msw, 1 1/16mT, Outlawed, \$220K OBS APR 2yo, 10-1
- GRASSHOPPER** (Dixie Union), Lane's End Texas, \$4K, 25/3/0
- 3-CD, Msw, 1 1/16mT, Swingtime, 12-1
- HOLD ME BACK** (Giant's Causeway), Winstar, \$6K, 78/7/1
- 4-TDN, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Laid Back Lady, \$65K OBS APR 2yo, 3-1
- HOSTILE TAKEOVER** (Dixie Union), 6/0/0
- 2-TDN, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Hostile Nation, 12-1
- KANTHAROS** (Lion Heart), Ocala Stud, \$5K, 51/5/0
- 9-GP, Msw, 5 1/2f, X Y Jet, \$56K OBS AUG yrl, 3-1
- MAJESTICPERFECTION** (Harlan's Holiday), Airdrie Stud, \$10K, 79/10/0
- 3-CD, Msw, 1 1/16mT, Majesticco, \$90K OBS OPN 2yo, 3-1
- MARCHFIELD** (A.P. Indy), 46/0/0
- 6-WO, Msw, 1m, Silent Hill, 10-1
- SUMMER BIRD** (Birdstone), Japan, \$15K, 93/2/0
- 3-CD, Msw, 1 1/16mT, Mariano Intheninth, \$70K KEE NOV wnl, 5-2
- 3-CD, Msw, 1 1/16mT, Tis Summer, 30-1
- WARRIOR'S REWARD** (Medaglia d'Oro), Spendthrift Farm, \$13K, 104/9/1
- 6-RP, Msw, 1mT, Aston, \$9K RNA KEE SEP yrl, 30-1



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First/second-crop starters to watch: Friday, September 19

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EECCHOO (Maria's Mon), 2/0/0

6-IND, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Hey Hey You You, 30-1

MAIMONIDES (Vindication), WinStar, \$3K, 61/9/1

6-BEL, Msw, 6f, +Jacapo, 10-1

MR. NIGHTLINGER (Indian Charlie), JEH Stallion Station Oklahoma Division, \$2K, 74/11/1

7-RP, Stk, 7f, Mr. Starofthenight, 30-1

7-RP, Stk, 7f, Lingerlonger, 8-1

ROCK HAMPTON (Storm Cat), 27/2/0

9-GP, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Returning Rock, 12-1

SAVE BIG MONEY (Storm Cat), Mighty Acres, \$2K, 44/8/1

5-RP, Stk, 7f, Mama's Mad Money, \$5K TEX AUG yrl, 9-5

SQUARE EDDIE (Smart Strike), Vessels Stallion Farm, 62/17/1

4-LRC, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Caymus Kat, \$42K BAR MAY 2yo, 3-1

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Moonlightnavigator, c, 2, [Henrythenavigator](#). See "Breeders' Edition Europe."

Panda Spirit, f, 2, **Invincible Spirit (Ire)**--Towanda, by Dynaformer. YAR, 9-18, 7f 3yT, 1:25.18. B-SF Bloodstock LLC (KY). *90,000gns yrl '13 TATOCT.

Potent Embrace, f, 3, [Street Cry \(Ire\)](#)--Karen's Caper (MGSW & GISP-US, GSW & G1SP-Eng, \$622,136), by War Chant. PON, 9-18, 8f 4yT, 1:43.57. B-Darley (KY). *1/2 to Kinglet (Kingmambo), GSW-UAE, \$174,950.

The Steward, c, 3, [Street Cry \(Ire\)](#). See "Britain."

Britain

Thursday, Ayr, post time: 3:45 p.m.

EBF STALLIONS HARRY ROSEBERY S.-Listed, £40,000, 2yo, 5fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	11	Mind of Madness (Ire)	Azamour (Ire)	Spencer	Brown	132
2	9	Cool Strutter (Ire)	Kodiac (GB)	Makin	Hannon	129
3	14	Fendale (GB)	Excd and Excel (Aus)	Mulrennan	Smart	129
4	3	Hatchet Harry (Ire)	Ftstpsinthesand (GB)	Curtis	Evans	129
5	6	Lightscameraction (Ire)	Pastoral Pursuits (GB)	G Lee	Kelleway	129
6	4	Squats (Ire)	Dandy Man (Ire)	Fanning	Haggas	129
7	5	Accipiter (GB)	Showcasing (GB)	Morgan	Wall	124
8	1	Al Fareej (Ire)	Iffraaj (GB)	Fallon	Tate	124
9	8	Al Ghuwariyah (Ire)	Acclamation (GB)	Hamilton	K Ryan	124
10	15	Jane's Memory (Ire)	Captain Rio (GB)	Dwyer	Guest	124
11	2	Just the Tip (Ire)	Kodiac (GB)	Eaves	Dalgleish	124
12	12	Miss Mullberry (GB)	Kodiac (GB)	Tudhope	O'Meara	124
13	7	Primrose Valley (GB)	Pastoral Pursuits (GB)	Ffrench	Vaughan	124
14	10	Secret Liaison (Ire)	Dandy Man (Ire)	Allan	Tate	124
15	13	Shamrock Sheila (Ire)	Fast Company (Ire)	Gibbons	S Moore	124

Yesterday's Results:

2nd-YAR, £5,000, Mdn, 2yo, 8f 3yT, 1:38.76, gd.
BARTHOLOMEW FAIR (GB) (c, 2, [Dansili {GB}](#)--Rebecca Sharp {GB} {G1SW-Eng & GSP-Fr, \$373,373}, by **Machiavellian**), runner-up going seven furlongs on debut here Aug. 13, was quickly into stride and stalked the pace in third under a tight hold through halfway in this one. Easing into the firing line approaching the two pole, the 4-7 chalk was stoked up inside the final eighth and quickened well to comfortably best Royal Altitude (GB) (Zamindar) by 3 1/4 lengths. "He ran a lovely race first time and won well today," commented rider Andrea Atzeni. "He's a lovely horse, he traveled beautifully and picked up well. He'll be a nice horse for next year." Sales history: 525,000gns yrl '13 TATOCT. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, £4,197. [VIDEO, courtesy attheraces.com](#).

O-Sheikh Mohammed Obaid Al Maktoum. B-Hascombe & Valiant Studs (GB). T-Luca Cumani.

1st-YAR, £5,000, Mdn, 2yo, 6f 3yT, 1:11.70, gd.
+ VERY SPECIAL (IRE) (f, 2, **Lope de Vega {Ire}**--**Danielli {Ire}**, by **Danehill**) sported a hood for this debut and was steadied in rear from the break. Making ominous headway into contention approaching the final quarter mile, the 6-1 chance quickened to the fore entering the final eighth and was pushed out to maintain a straight line thereafter to best Temperance Society (Ire) (Dark Angel {Ire}) by an impressive five lengths, becoming the 15th winner for her freshman sire (by Shamardal). "She'd been showing up nicely at home and the hood helped calm her down," said winning rider James Doyle. "She went to post a bit toey, but was lovely and relaxed in the race, and quickened away well. She swapped leads and wandered around a little when I asked her to lengthen. She was a bit green and hopefully there's more to come." The 280,000gns TATOCT yearling is a half to Chriselliam (Ire) (Iffraaj {GB}), Hwt. 2yo Filly-Eur & Eng, G1SW-Eng & US, \$729,460; and Janicellaine (Ire) (Beat Hollow {GB}), GSP-US, \$130,054. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, £3,150. [VIDEO, courtesy attheraces.com](#). O-Godolphin. B-Ballylinch Stud (IRE). T-Saeed bin Suroor.

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2nd-KMP, £4,000, Mdn, 3yo/up, 8f (AWT), 1:38.48, ft.
SANTA TERESA (IRE) (f, 3, [Cape Cross {Ire}](#)--**Avila {GB}**, by **Ajdal**), fifth on debut over an extended mile on Wolverhampton's Polytrack Aug. 26, was sent off the 3-1 second choice and led for the first furlong before taking a tow from New Year's Night (Ire) (Raven's Pass). Getting the better of that rival passing the furlong pole, the 85,000gns TATOCT yearling asserted for a half-length score. The winner is a half-sister to Dilshaan (GB) (Darshaan {GB}), G1SW-Eng, \$274,178; and to Darrfonah (Ire) (Singspiel {Ire}), SW & GSP-Eng, G1SP-Fr, \$166,438. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, £2,588. [VIDEO, courtesy Racing UK](#). O-Saeed Manana. B-Rabbah Bloodstock Limited (IRE). T-William Haggas.



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3rd-KMP, £4,000, Mdn, 3yo/up, 8f (AWT), 1:40.36, ft. THE STEWARD (c, 3, [Street Cry {Ire}](#)--Candlelight, by Kingmambo), seventh on debut over this track and trip Sept. 2, was hurried along from the break to take a prominent pitch in second. Working hard to gain the advantage in the last 100 yards, the 6-1 shot asserted for a three-quarter length verdict over Cape Summit (GB) (Tamayuz {GB}). Sales history: \$185,000 2yo '13 FTFMAR; \$385,000 RNA yrl '12 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, £2,588. [VIDEO, courtesy Racing UK.](#) O-Mr Donald R Dizney. B-Fairway Thoroughbreds. T-Sir Mark Prescott Bt.

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1.50 Newbury, Mdn, £10,000, 2yo, 6f 8yT
FOREIGN DIPLOMAT (GB) ([Oasis Dream {GB}](#)) bids to build on a promising debut third behind **★ "TDN Rising Star" ★** White Lake (GB) (Pivotal {GB}) in York's valuable "Convivial Maiden" last month. Clipper Logistics' William Haggas-trained half-brother to this year's G3 Prix de Psyche winner Be My Gal (GB) (Galileo {Ire}) from the family of Dutch Art (GB) (Medicean {GB}) encounters another colt who showed smart form on his racecourse bow at Newmarket last month in Newsells Park Stud's **Encore d'Or (GB) ([Oasis Dream {GB}](#))**, a 220,000gns TATOCT half-brother to the dual G1 King's Stand S. winner and sire Equiano (Fr) (Acclamation {GB}), who represents the Ralph Beckett barn. From Godolphin is a newcomer of note in the Saeed bin Suroor-trained **Beautiful Ending (GB) ([Exceed and Excel {Aus}](#))**, a half-sister to the trio of Group 1 performers Nayyir (GB) (Indian Ridge {Ire}), Highest (Ire) (Selkirk) and Sky Hunter (GB) (Motivator {GB}).

4.05 Newbury, Cond, £16,000, 2yo, f, 7fT
YODELLING ([Medaglia d'Oro](#)) looked a filly to follow on her smooth winning debut at Kempton a fortnight ago and takes on smart rivals in this often-informative affair. Charlie Appleby pitches Godolphin's daughter of the dual Group 2 winner Echoes In Eternity (Ire) (Spinning World), who is from immediate family of Nathaniel (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) and Great Heavens (GB) (Galileo {Ire}), against Rockcliffe Stud's Sept. 4 G3 Dick Poole Fillies' S. runner-up **Marsh Hawk (GB) (Invincible Spirit {Ire})**. Also in the lineup is Sir Evelyn de Rothschild's **Crystal Zvezda (GB) ([Dubawi {Ire}](#))**, a Sir Michael Stoute-trained half-sister to the high-class Crystal Capella (GB) (Cape Cross {Ire}) and Hillstar (GB) (Daneshill Dancer {Ire}).

France

Thursday, Maisons-Laffitte, post time: 2:50 p.m.

PRIX SARACA-Listed, €55,000, 2yo, 6 1/2fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	5	Kerman (Fr)	Invincible Spirit (Ire)	Soumillon	Rouget	126
2	9	El Valle (Fr)	Dobby Road (Fr)	C Demuro	Dissaux	126
3	8	Cheik Bere (Fr)	Hold That Tiger	Hamelin	Figge	126
4	4	Royal Spring (Fr)	Tamayuz (GB)	Thulliez	Clement	126
5	2	Enough Paint (Ire)	New Approach (Ire)	Mendizabal	Heloury	122
6	6	La Berma (Ire)	Lawman (Fr)	Lemaire	Chappet	122
7	2	Lady Sybil (Fr)	Siyouni (Fr)	Barzalona	Barberot	122
8	7	Piler Lann (Fr)	Le Havre (Ire)	Jarnet	Heloury	122
9	10	Loose Cannon (Fr)	Palace Episode	Prat	Windrif	122
10	1	Super Eria (Fr)	Hold That Tiger	Crastus	C Boutin	122

Yesterday's Results:

PRIX TURENNE-Listed, €55,000, STC, 9-18, 3yo, c/g, 12fT, 2:33.60, gd.

1--#BEHESHT (FR), 123, c, 3, by Sea the Stars (Ire)
1st Dam: Behkara (Ire) (GSW & MG1SP-Fr, \$237,456), by Kris (GB)
2nd Dam: Behera (Ire), by Mill Reef
3rd Dam: Borushka (Ire), by Bustino (GB)

O-His Highness The Aga Khan; B-H H The Aga Khan's Stud SC; T-Alain de Royer-Dupre; J-Christophe Soumillon; €27,500. Lifetime Record: 7 starts, 3 wins, 4 places, €93,200. *3/4 to Behkabad (Fr) (Cape Cross {Ire}), G1SW-Fr & GISP-US, \$1,443,286; and 1/2 to Carthage (Fr) (Peintre Celebre), SW & GSP-Fr, \$222,856.

2--Nolohay (Ire), 123, c, 3, [Dubawi \(Ire\)](#)--Antioquia (GB), by Singspiel (Ire). (€62,000 yrl '12 ARQAUG). O-Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum, Juan Hinojosa Vacas, Carlos Laffon-Parias & Felipe Hinojosa. €11,000.

3--Ashkannd (Fr), c, 123, Sinndar (Ire)--Ashalanda (Fr), by Linamix (Fr). O-His Highness The Aga Khan. €8,250.

Margins: SNK, 1 1/4, 6. Odds: 1.70, 2.40, 17.70. Also Ran: Meadow Creek (GB), Prince Nomad (Fr), Swacadelic (Ger). [Click for the Racing Post result.](#) [Equidia VIDEO.](#)

Demoted from second to fourth on his first attempt at black-type in Longchamp's Listed Prix de l'Avre over 12 this trip May 25, Behesht responded positively to the application of blinkers to win a course-and-distance conditions event June 29 before finishing runner-up in the Listed Prix Frederic de Lagrange also over this distance last time at Vichy July 26. Following his pacemaker Ashkannd in second throughout the early stages, the homebred was taken wide in early stretch and looked temporarily as if he might struggle to reel in his barnmate. Staying on as Nolohay launched his challenge to his right, he knuckled down to gain the edge with a furlong remaining and hold the challenge of the **★ "TDN Rising Star" ★** in the drive to the line.

LA COUPE DE MARSEILLE-Listed, €55,000, MBY, 9-18, 3yo, 10fT, 2:00.38, gd.

1--#PITCH (FR), 128, g, 3, by [Manduro \(Ger\)](#)
1st Dam: Wedge, by Storm Cat
2nd Dam: Kentucky Rose (Fr), by Hernando (Fr)
3rd Dam: Kapuchka (Ire), by Soviet Star (€70,000 yrl '12 ARQOCT). O-Jean-Claude Seroul; B-Haras de Manneville (FR); T-Frederic Rossi; J-Franck Blondel. €27,500. Lifetime Record: 5 starts, 3 wins, 2 places, €59,000. *1/2 to Wedge Trust (Ire) (Zamindar), SW & GSP-Fr, \$151,485.

2--Master's Spirit (Ire), 128, c, 3, [Mastercraftsman \(Ire\)](#)--Lavayssiere (Fr), by Sicyos. (€120,000 RNA yrl '12 ARQAUG). O-Haras de la Gousserie. €11,000.

3--Savoken (Fr), 128, g, 3, Kentucky Dynamite--Savoya (Fr), by Anabaa. O-Ecurie du Sud. €8,250.

Margins: 1, SNK, SNK. Odds: 1.20, 5.00, 11.00. Also Ran: Corso Como (Fr), Cajun (Fr), Vercingetorix (Ire), Nabbaash (GB), Verdura. [Click for the Racing Post result.](#) [Equidia VIDEO.](#) Cont. p6

**La Coupe de Marseille cont.**

Confined to conditions events prior to this, Pitch scored at Marseille-Pont-de-Vivieux May 19 and Lyon-Parilly June 8 before finishing runner-up over this trip at Chantilly July 29. Settled behind the leading trio early, the chestnut took control approaching the furlong pole en route to a decisive score.

4th-STC, €25,000, Mdn, 3yo, c/g, 10fT, 2:11.54, gd. LEON LUSIO (GER) (c, 3, It's Gino {Ger}--Lareda {Ger}, by Acatenango {Ger}), runner-up over six furlongs at Krefeld when last seen in November, stalked the pace in second early. Committed on the front end with a quarter mile to race, the €3,000 BBAOCT yearling drew away to score by three lengths from De Bon Aloï (Fr) (Desert Style {Ire}). Rhett Butler (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}), the son of Rags to Riches (A.P. Indy), was never a factor and finished 10th. Lifetime Record: 3 starts, 1 win, 1 place, €13,700. [Click for Equidia VIDEO.](#) O-Mme Ursula Klein. B-R Dengler. T-Sascha Smrczek.

7th-STC, €25,000, Mdn, 3yo, f, 10fT, 2:12.98, gd. BECQUASCENTHE (FR) (f, 3, Nombre Premier {GB}--Mlle Saumarez {Fr}, by Saumarez {GB}), third on debut over 12 furlongs at Vichy July 24, enjoyed the perfect position throughout the early stages stalking the pace against the fence. Moving to the lead with 300 meters remaining, the 11-5 pick asserted to beat Nazmia (Ire) (Holy Roman Emperor {Ire}) by two lengths. Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 1 win, 1 place, €15,650. [Click for Equidia VIDEO.](#) O-Mme Virginie Becquart & Paul & Robert Schlienger. B-B & C Becquart. T-C Scandella.

2nd-MBY, €16,000, Mdn, unraced 2yo, 9fT, 1:50.66, gd. + ZVARKHOVA (FR) (f, 2, Makfi {GB}--Varsity {GB} {MSP-Ire & SP-Fr, \$164,495}, by Lomitas {GB}) made a sharp exit to avoid the early scrimmaging and moved smoothly in second for most of this first go. Easing to the front rounding the home turn, the 47-10 chance was ridden clear approaching the final furlong and stayed on well under mild coaxing to score by eight lengths from Jay Gatsby (Giant's Causeway). She becomes the 14th winner for her freshman sire (by Dubawi {Ire}). Sales history: €80,000 yrl '13 ARQAUG; €85,000 2yo '14 ARQMAY. Lifetime Record: 1 start, 1 win, €8,000. [Click for Equidia VIDEO.](#) O-Alain Jathiere. B-Hars du Cadran, Jean-Louis Blot & SCEA des Bissons (FR). T-Jean-Claude Rouget.

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STAKES RESULTS:

LONESOME GLORY H.-GI (Stp), \$150,000, BEL, 9-18, 4yo/up, 2 1/2mT, 5:01 3/5, fm.
1--**DEMONSTRATIVE, 158, g, 7, by [Elusive Quality](#)**
1st Dam: Loving Pride (GSW-Fr), by Quiet American
2nd Dam: Yafill, by Nureyev
3rd Dam: Taras Charmer, by Majestic Light (25,000gns HRA '10 TATJUL). O-Mrs George L Ohrstrom Jr; B-Gainsborough Farm LLC (KY); T-Richard L Valentine; J-Robert Walsh. \$90,000. Lifetime Record: 11-1-3-2, \$15,261.
2--**Parker's Project, 140, g, 8, Parker's Storm Cat--Let's Canoodle, by Oh Say.** O-Hudson River Farms; B/T-Jonathan Sheppard (PA); \$27,000.
3--**Spy in the Sky, 140, g, 10, Thunder Gulch--Monaassabaat, by Zilzal.** O-Colvin G Ryan; B-Gainsborough Farm LLC (KY); T-George Weaver. \$15,000.
Margins: 1, 1HF, 1. Odds: 1.70, 17.70, 13.90.
Also Ran: All Together, Barnstorming, Bluegrass Summer, For Non Stop (Ire), Divine Fortune.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

6th-WOX, \$54,721, 9-17, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000), C, 3yo/up, f/m, 7f (AWT), 1:22 4/5, ft.
BAMBARRA BOLD (f, 3, Jiggs Coz--Bold Course, by Trajectory) Lifetime Record: 5-3-0-0, \$87,636. O-John Unger & Murray Shopiro. B-John Unger (ON). T-Barbara J Minshall. *1/2 to Strut the Course (Strut the Stage), SW, \$385,330.

8th-LRL, \$51,688, Opt. Clm. (\$32,000-\$28,000), NW3X, 3yo/up, 5 1/2fT, 1:01 1/5, fm.
GRATEFUL NATION (g, 4, Great Notion--Trueytoot {MSP, \$160,050}, by Concern) Lifetime Record: 16-4-4-3, \$156,318. O-Rebecca B Davis. B-Dr & Mrs Thomas Bowman & Rebecca Davis (MD). T-Dylan Smith.

7th-WOX, \$45,481, 9-17, NW2L, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m (AWT), 1:44 4/5, ft.
BILKY BLUZ (f, 3, Mobil--Ky Bluz Girl, by Hold for Gold) Lifetime Record: 9-2-0-1, \$79,354. O-Stephen Chesney & Cory S Hoffman. B-Andrew Fredericks (ON). T-Kevin Attard.

4th-RPX, \$38,250, 9-17, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:37 1/5, fm.
KATRINA NICOLE (m, 5, Wando--Lucky Lady Laura {SW}, by Whitesburg) Lifetime Record: 6-2-1-1, \$45,866. O-Flying V Ranch. B-Tim & Marianne Visnieski (OK). T-W Bret Calhoun. *1/2 to Lauras Last Music (Prospector's Music), MSW, \$135,483.



7th-IND, \$38,000, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), NW2X, (S), 3yo/up, 7 1/2fT, 1:32, fm.

DOIMAKEYAHAPPY (g, 5, **Spanish Steps--Do I Make Ya Randi**, by **Crown Ambassador**) Lifetime Record: 25-6-5-6, \$171,593. O-Voodoomon Racing. B-Martin Stables Inc (IN). T-James R McMullen. *\$1,000 yrl '10 OBSJAN; \$3,500 2yo '11 OBSJUN.

5th-PEN, \$36,424, 9-17, Opt. Clm. (\$32,000), NW3X, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:09 4/5, ft.

SPRING DANCE (m, 5, **Dance With Ravens--Snunner**, by **Yarrow Brae**) Lifetime Record: SW, 10-5-1-2, \$191,678. O/B-James M Courtney (PA). T-Timothy C Kreiser. *1/2 to Power of Snunner (Power by Far), MSP, \$174,340.

8th-APX, \$34,000, NW2\$X, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f (AWT), 1:11 4/5, ft.

SMILING GAMBLER (m, 6, **Wild Gambler--Dance N Smile**, by **Chester House**) Lifetime Record: SP, 17-3-5-3, \$136,607. O-Aimee Bohlman. B-Gary D Heien (IL). T-Anthony Mitchell.

6th-PEN, \$33,300, 9-17, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11 2/5, ft.

YOU KNOW JUNEAU (f, 3, **Fairbanks--Valley of the Gods {MSW, \$395,081}**, by **Valley Crossing**) Lifetime Record: 7-2-2-1, \$58,326. O/B-David O'Neill (PA). T-Lester J Stickler Jr.

7th-CTX, \$27,000, 9-17, NW1X, 3yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:20 1/5, ft.

CACTUS CITY ROAD (g, 5, **Bellamy Road--Leelu**, by **Carson City**) Lifetime Record: 29-5-4-3, \$125,902. O-Ray M Pennington III. B-Kathryn I East (TX). T-Kevin S Patterson. *1/2 to Zoeling (Favorite Trick), MSW, \$371,356.

4th-LAD, \$26,500, NW3L, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 1m70y, 1:44 1/5, ft.

OH BABY OH BABY (f, 3, **Orientate--Tumble Me Right {Jpn}**, by **Forty Niner**) Lifetime Record: 9-3-3-1, \$81,115. O-Carl R Moore Management LLC. B-Simmons & Associates Inc (LA). T-W Bret Calhoun. *\$52,000 2yo '13 TEXMAR.

3rd-MNR, \$25,600, 9-17, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), NW3X, 3yo/up, 7fT, 1:21 3/5, fm.

BLACK CIRCLE (g, 6, **Black Mambo--Circle of Friends**, by **Maudlin**) Lifetime Record: 31-5-5-5, \$107,704. O-Wayne D Scanlan. B-Pedro Sarabia (FL). T-Debra Hale. *1/2 to Psychedelic (Trippi), Ch. Imp. 3yo Filly-Jam.

8th-ALB, \$25,300, 9-17, NW3L, (S), 3yo/up, 5f, :58, ft.

REESER (g, 3, **Quinton's Gold--Grand Julie**, by **Le Grande Danseur**) Lifetime Record: 10-3-1-1, \$40,529. O-Rex Adkisson. B-Susie Prather (NM). T-Tyrone Gleason. *\$14,000 RNA yrl '12 RUIJUL.

7th-MNR, \$20,000, 9-17, NW2L, 3yo/up, 1m70y, 1:44 3/5, ft.

STRAIGHT UP BILL (g, 5, **Sligo Bay {Ire}**--**Eyes Aglow**, by **Broad Brush**) Lifetime Record: 28-2-7-2, \$56,734. O-Billy, Donna & Justin Hays. B-Jodi Arthur (KY). T-Joe Woodard.

2nd-MNR, \$20,000, 9-17, NW2L, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 7fT, 1:25, fm.

WELLS NOTICE (f, 3, **Notional--Miss Wellspring {SW, \$296,212}**, by **Afternoon Deelites**) Lifetime Record: 6-2-2-1, \$31,975. O-Michael J Hund. B-Spendthrift Farm, LLC (KY). T-J Michael Baird. *\$8,000 wlng '11 KEENOV.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Awol, c, 2, **Outflanker**--Paying Off (SW, \$192,380), by Malibu Moon. LRL, 9-18, (C), 6f, 1:12. B-Janet Wayson (MD). *Full to Joint Custody, MSW, \$274,405.



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+ **Isntzee Wonderful**, f, 2, **Tiz Wonderful**--Chief Tappanee, by Chief Seattle. APX, 9-18, (C), a1mT, 1:43 1/5. B-Lothenbach Stables Inc (KY). *\$38,000 RNA yrl '13 KEESEP.

Yes, f, 3, **In Summation**--Yeah Me, by Menifee. LAD, 9-18, a5fT, :57 3/5. B-Robert A Murphy & Dr Sandy Price-Murphy (FL). *\$15,000 yrl '12 FTKOCT; \$8,500 yrl '12 OBSJAN; \$27,000 RNA 2yo '13 BESMAR.

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One Touch, g, 3, **Macho Uno**--Zarrin, by Maria's Mon. KDX, 9-17, 1mT, 1:38. B-Sierra Farm (KY).

Sister Rolly, f, 3, **Milwaukee Brew**--Ascot Tobie (SP, \$116,656), by Ascot Knight. WOX, 9-17, (S), 1 1/16m (AWT), 1:46 2/5. B-RMC Stable (ON). *1/2 to Consolidator Joe (Consolidator), MSP, \$523,091; Kettle Rapids (Mizzen Mast), MSW, \$206,826.

One More Act, f, 2, **Patriot Act**--Hurricane Betsy, by Quiet American. FLX, 9-18, 5 1/2f, 1:07 1/5. B-Stonewall Farm (NY).

Whimiscal Miss, f, 3, **Sasha's Prospect**--Devout Sinner (MSW, \$241,740), by Tricky Creek. RPX, 9-17, 1mT, 1:37 2/5. B-Joan Charlton (OK).

Shiva Ryan, r, 3, **Tapit**--Desert Queen, by Wavering Monarch. GPX, 9-18, 1mT, 1:35 2/5. B-Santa Rosa Partners (KY). *\$150,000 yrl '12 KEESEP; \$43,000 2yo '13 OBSAPR. **1/2 to Marylebone (Unbridled's Song), GISW, \$171,800; Unigold (Silver Deputy), SP-Eng, \$214,787.

Aflutter, g, 4, **Birdstone**--Let's Canoodle, by Oh Say. PEN, 9-18, (S), 1 1/2m (off turf), 2:38 3/5. B-Jonathan Sheppard & Hudson River Farms (PA).

Hard to Handle, g, 4, **Hard Spun**--Handlewoman (MSP, \$127,564), by Elusive Quality. DEL, 9-18, 5 1/2f, 1:04. B-Twin Creeks Farm, Tom & Nancy Clark (KY). *\$270,000 2yo '12 FTMMAY; \$120,000 RNA yrl '11 KEESEP.

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Native Best, g, 4, **Seeking the Best (Ire)**--Native Verse, by Vision and Verse. IND, 9-18, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:04 4/5. B-Reese Ranch (IN).

Resolutely, f, 4, **Stonesider**--Miss Rodeo, by Rodeo. BEL, 9-18, (S), 1 1/16mT, 1:46 1/5. B-Find A Cure Stable LLC (NY). *No Lasix.

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1st-AYR, £10,000, 2yo, 8fT, 1:39.18, gd.

MOONLIGHTNAVIGATOR (c, 2, [Henrythenavigator](#)--Victorica {SW & GSP-US, \$293,067}, by Exbourne) Lifetime Record: 5-2-1-0, £13,561. O-Malcolm Walker. B-Highfield Farm (KY). T-John Quinn. *\$32,000 RNA yrl '13 KEESEP; £230,000 2yo '14 DONAPR.

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6th-MBY, €22,000, 3yo, 1550mT, 1:33 3/5, gd/sf.
STEEL TRAIN (FR) (c, 3, Zafeen {Fr}--Silent Sunday {Ire} {SW-Fr, \$127,642}, by Testa Rossa {Aus}) Lifetime Record: 9 starts, 2 wins, 4 places, €35,500. O/B-Erich Schmid. T-Henri-Alex Pantall. *€28,000 RNA yrl '12 ARQOCT.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Free Entry (Ire), f, 2, **Approve (Ire)**--Dear Catch (Ire), by Bluebird. PON, 9-18, 5fT, 1:03.10. B-Yeomanstown Stud (IRE). *55,000gns yrl '13 TATOCT. **1/2 to Golden Destiny (Ire) (Captain Rio {GB}), GSP-Eng, \$149,672. ***19th winner for freshman sire (by Oasis Dream {GB}).

Get Knotted (Ire), g, 2, **Windsor Knot (Ire)**--Genuinely (Ire), by Entrepreneur (GB). AYR, 9-18, 6fT, 1:10.94. B-Rossenarra Bloodstock Ltd (IRE). *€11,000 yrl '13 TATIRE.

+ **Sov (Ire)**, c, 3, **Duke of Marmalade (Ire)**--Exotic Mix (Fr), by Linamix (Fr). PON, 9-18, 10f 6yT, 2:15 3/5. B-Mr Colm McEvoy (IRE). *€40,000 wlng '11 GOFNOV; 95,000gns yrl '12 TATOCT. **3/4 to Maureen (Ire) (Holy Roman Emperor {Ire}), MGSW-Eng, \$171,410.

Intisaab (GB), g, 3, **Elnadim**--Katoom (Ire), by Soviet Star. LIS, 9-18, 6f 60yT, 1:23.18. B-Shadwell Estate Company Ltd (GB).

Artful Rogue (Ire), g, 3, **Excellent Art (GB)**--Szabo (Ire), by Anabaa. KMP, 9-18, 12f (AWT), 2:35. B-Michael Morrissey, *55,000gns yrl '12 TATOCT.

No Wunder (GB), g, 3, **Rock of Gibraltar (Ire)**--Iwunder (Ire), by King's Best. LIS, 9-18, 8fT, 1:41.26. B-Exors of the Late J Ellis (GB). *29,000gns wlng '11 TATDEC; 120,000gns yrl '12 TATOCT.



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