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SARATOGA MEET BEGINS TODAY Thoroughbred racing returns to Saratoga Springs, New York for the 1995 season today. The Saratoga Race Course meeting will run six-days-a-week, Wednesdays through Mondays, until August 28. Topped by the \$750,000 Travers August 19, this year's stakes schedule offers 34 added-money events, including 10 Grade I stakes, during the 34-day meeting. Post time is 1 p.m. except for Travers Day, when the first race goes off at 12:30. Ten live races will be offered on days that include a Steeplechase (Wednesdays and Thursdays). In addition, Saturdays and Sundays will feature either ten live races or nine live races and a special event simulcast. Mondays and Fridays will feature nine-race cards.

CARDMANIA RETIRED Jean Couvercelle's 1993 Champion Sprinter Cardmania (Cox's Ridge) has been retired, trainer Derek Meredith announced at Hollywood Park Thursday morning. "He'll go to the United Pegasus Ranch in Mira Loma to become a trail horse," Meredith said, "He's active and he loves to be around people. He's a fun horse to ride." The nine-year-old gelding won six graded stakes during his 74-race career, including the GI Breeders' Cup Sprint in '93, the GII San Carlos H. in '94 and the G3 Prix Omenoni in Italy in '91. In his final career start April 28 at Hollywood, he finished third in the GIII Los Angeles H. He retires with earnings of \$1,443,229. "It was just general wear and tear that made us decide to retire him," Meredith added. "I spoke with Mr. Couvercelle on a conference call and it was a mutual decision. It's a big blow to our barn, but it was always important for us to retire him sound."

KEENELAND BREEDING STOCK SALE TO START NOVEMBER 11 Keeneland's annual breeding stock sale will start Saturday, November 11, one day earlier than previously scheduled. The sale is tentatively set to end Tuesday, November 21, however the final day of the auction will not be determined until entries close. Sales officials scheduled an earlier start to avoid any possible conflict with the Thanksgiving holiday. Entries for the November Breeding Stock Sale close August 1.

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#### Today, Saratoga: SCHUYLERVILLE S.-GII, \$100,000a, 2yo, f, 6f WT PP HORSE TRAINER JOCKEY 1 Zee Ladv Rice Santos 118 2 Western Dreamer Beagle Perret 121 3 Bundle of Gold Smith 115 Lukas 4 Davlight Come Dovle Krone 112 5 Casanova Storm Hennig Davis 115 6 Golden Attraction Barton 121 Lukas McGaughev 115 7 Mv Flag Bailey 8 Little Miss Fast Callahan Dav 112

My Flag (Easy Goer), out of 1988 Champion Older Mare Personal Ensign, won her only prior start, a maiden special weight at Belmont June 28. Zee Lady (Unreal Zeal) was a 7 1/2-length winner of the Astoria Breeders' Cup S. in her last start June 21. Cohighweight Western Dreamer (Gone West) won the WHAS-11 S. against males at Churchill Downs May 6 before finishing second to Golden Attraction (Mr. Prospector) in the July 2 Debutante S., also at Churchill.

#### Today, Saratoga:

SANFORD SGIII, \$100,000a, 2yo, 6f				
PP HOF	}SE	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WΤ
1 Squ	all Warning	Alexander	Day	115
2 Dev	oted Runner	Callejas	Velasquez	112
3 Mar	ia′s Mon	Schosberg	Davis	115
4 Froz	en Ice	Wright	Chavez	112
5 See	ker's Reward	Hennig	Perret	115
6 You	'vegotmynumber	Lukas	Smith	115
7 Edit	or's Note	Lukas	Barton	112
8 Cho	ice Shift	Zito	Beckner	115
9 Ros	ie O'Greta	Rice	Santos	118
10 Ok	By Me	Bond	Bailey	115
11 Bus	heta Buck	O'Brien	Velazquez	115
Lind	voight Rosia O'Gra	ta (Fight Ove	r) the only	filly

Highweight **Rosie O'Greta** (Fight Over), the only filly in the Sanford field, defeated males last out in the GIII Tremont Breeders' Cup S. at Belmont June 28.

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FORTY NINER TO JAPAN According to a story in Friday's Daily Racing Form, Forty Niner (Mr. Prospector), the Champion Two-Year-Old Colt of 1987, has been sold to the Japan Racing Association and will be relocated to Japan in time for the 1996 breeding season. The farm where he will stand in Japan has not yet been decided. Owned and bred by Claiborne Farm, Forty Niner won the GI Champagne S. and GI Futurity S. at two, and the GI Travers S. and GI Haskell Invitational S. at three, retiring with 11 wins from 19 starts and earnings of \$2,726,000. Upon his retirement, he entered stud at Claiborne Farm in Paris, Kentucky, where he stood through the 1995 breeding season. His fourth crop to race is now two-year-olds and he has already sired 12 blacktype winners, including graded stakes winners Nine Keys, End Sweep, On Target, Dalhart, Twining and Tactical Advantage. His progeny's earnings to date total \$6,903,341.

#### **BREEDERS' CUP/EBF COMMON FUND**

**ANNOUNCED** Officials of Breeders' Cup Ltd. and the European Breeders' Fund have announced an agreement which will allow stallions standing in non-Breeders' Cup and non-EBF countries to nominate to both programs simultaneously. Those stallions can be made eligible to both programs by payment of an annual nomination fee equal to one stud fee (minimum U.S. \$1,000) to the Breeders' Cup/EBF Common Fund; their foals will be eligible for nomination to the Breeders' Cup and/or the EBF. Breeders' Cup areas are North and Central America; the EBF territory includes continental Europe. Stallions standing outside these areas may be nominated to both programs for 1995 by December 15, 1995.

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#### Saturday, Hollywood Park:

#### CAESARS PALACE TURF CHAMPIONSHIP H.-GII, \$250,000a, 3vo/up, 1 1/2mT

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PP	HORSE	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WΤ
1	Liyoun (Ire)	Hendricks	Stevens	115
2	Special Price	Drysdale	Delahoussaye	122
3	Urgent Request (Ire)	Rash	P. Valenzuela	118
4	Jahafil (GB)	Shulman	McCarron	117
5	Sandpit (Braz)	Mandella	Nakatani	124
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Jahafil (GB) (Rainbow Quest) is three-for-three under jockey Chris McCarron. The two first paired up in March '93 to take the San Marino H. at Santa Anita, then parted ways until Jahafil's last two outings, when McCarron rode him to victories in a \$60,000 Hollywood allowance and then the Jim Murray H. in his last start July 1.

#### Saturday, Saratoga:

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TE	TEST SGI, \$150,000, 3yo, f, 7f			
PP	HORSE	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WΤ
1	Chaposa Springs	Wolfson	Bailey	120
2	Conquistadoress	McGaughey	Day	114
3	Lucky Lavender Gal	O'Connell	Davis	123
4	Nappelon	Araya	Chavez	123
5	Deputy Star	Donk	Krone	114
6	Daijin	Vella	Smith	123
7	Miss Golden Circle	Kimmel	Santos	114
8	Stormy Blues	Schulhofer	Migliore	120
9	Valid Goddess	Petro	Petro	117

**Daijin** (Deputy Minister) will ship in from her Woodbine base for the Test. A \$160,000 Keeneland November weanling, the half-sister to Canadian Horse of the Year With Approval comes into Saturday's race with a four-race winning streak. She will be cutting back in distance after taking Woodbine's 1 1/16-mile Selene S. (GIC) in her last start June 4. "From my point of view as a trainer, the horse is mentally relaxed coming off a route and settles nicely the first half-mile," said trainer Danny Vella. "Also, you can lighten up on a horse's training after a route, because they're already fit. It's a double barreled advantage."

#### Sunday, Hollywood Park:

#### SWAPS S.-GII, \$500,000, 3yo, 1 1/8m

PP	HORSE	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WТ
1	T.J.'s Gold	Perdomo	Delahoussaye	112
2	Mr Purple	McAnally	Nakatani	118
З	To Be Khaled	Cerin	Almeida	112
4	Thunder Gulch	Lukas	Stevens	126
5	Petionville	Bradshaw	Antley	120
6	Da Hoss	Dickinson	McCarron	118
7	Dazzling Falls	Turco	Pincay Jr.	122

**Mr Purple** (Deputy Minister) won his first two career starts last year, including the GII Hollywood Juvenile Championship, then was winless through his next six starts before taking the Harry Henson S. and GIII Affirmed H. in his last two outings. "I feel a lot more confident in him now than I did, say, three months ago," said trainer Ron McAnally. "He's doing everything right now, whereas before, he wasn't. He's on a track that he likes and Corey (Nakatani) is handling him with confidence, but I know we have our work cut out. This is the toughest race he'll hook all year."

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Sunday, Hollywood Park: VANITY INVITATIONAL H.-GI, \$300,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8m

PP	HORSE	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WΤ
1	Wandesta (GB)	Frankel	Nakatani	119
2	Real Connection	Stute	Pincay Jr.	113
3	Melrose Wine	Fanning	Flores	111
4	Paseana (Arg)	McAnally	McCarron	123
5	Private Persuasion	Hendricks	Stevens	114
6	Jackpot Jenny	O'Callaghan	Almeida	110
7	Top Rung	Proctor	Delahoussave	116

**Top Rung** (Seattle Slew), winner of the GII La Brea S. in '94 and the Santa Lucia H. earlier this year, last raced May 28 when she finished third to **Paseana (Arg)** (Ahmad {Arg}) in the GII Hawthorne H. at Hollywood.



#### Local News, Turfway Park:

Advance-purchase tickets are now available for the second annual \$1 million Kentucky Cup Day of Champions, to be run at Turfway Park Saturday, September 23. This year's edition of six Kentucky Cup races--headlined by the \$400,000 Kentucky Cup Classic--again is expected to feature many of the nation's top horses. Tickets can be purchased by calling Turfway Park's Ticket Office at 606-647-4711 or 800-815-2808.

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#### Yesterday's Result:

MILCARS STAR S., \$25,574, Sandown Park, England, 7-20, 2yo, f, 7f 16ydsT, 1:31.06, gd.

- 1--#TAMNIA (GB), 124, f, 2, Green Desert--Tanouma (GSP-Eng), by Miswaki. O-Prince A A Faisal; B-Nawara Stud Co. Ltd; T-J. Dunlop; J-J. Reid; \$16,820. \*1/2 to Khamaseen (GB) (G3-Ity, GSP-Eng, by Slip Anchor {GB}) and Azzilfi (GB) (G2-Eng, GSP-Ity & Ger, by Ardross {Ire}).
- 2--Solar Crystal (Ire), f, 2, Alzao--Crystal Spray (GB), by Beldale Flutter. \$5,090.
- 3--Lac Dessert, 124, f, 2, Lac Ouimet--Tiramisu, by Roberto. \$2,484. Margins: 1 1/4, 1 1/4, 3/4.

#### American-Bred Winner in England:

Grand Du Lac, c, 3, Lac Ouimet--Vast Domain (GSP), by Vice Regent. Sandown Park, 7-20, Heathrow Maiden S., 1m 14ydsT, 3yo/up, \$6,246 to winner. O/B-Mrs. V. Kraft Payson; T-David Loder. \*1/2 to St. Elias (SW, \$119,102, by Temperence Hill).

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#### ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

**3rd-HOL, \$43,000**, 3yo/up, 1 1/4mT, 2:01 3/5, fm. **LAUNCHING POWDER (g, 4, Relaunch--Powder Break {GI, \$664,391}, by Transworld).** Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-1, \$38,500. O-Team Valor. B-Robert I. Green (KY). T-Richard C. Mettee.

8th-APX, \$33,540, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m (off the turf), 1:38 3/5, sy.

**BEG BORROW N STEAL (f, 4, Sham--A Cinch Or Better, by Our Native)** Lifetime Record: 18-4-8-2, \$122,918. O-Chris M. & David Block & Dale Holt. B-David P. Block (IL). T-Chris M. Block. \*SW.

**9th-ELP, \$28,860**, 2yo, 6f, 1:12 1/5, ft. **GRANT ROAD (c, 2, Farma Way--Saucy Mae {SW, \$125,055}, by Time to Explode)** Lifetime Record: 5-2-1-0, \$61,605. O/B-Dreabon Copeland (KY). T-Bernard S. Flint. \*SP.

**4th-APX**, **\$26,750**, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:39 4/5, sy. **MR. GEORGEFF (c, 3, Georgeff--Swift Going, by Going Straight)** Lifetime Record: 12-4-1-4, \$62,729. O-Asiel Stable. B-Dr. Richard W. Radke (IL). T-Richard P. Hazelton.

**8th-WOX**, **\$25,600**, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8mT, 1:48 1/5, fm.

CRY LOUDER TESSA (m, 5, No Louder--Maryland May, by Brave Shot {GB}) Lifetime Record: 34-6-5-6, \$86,654. O-A. McPherson & Spiro Tanti Family St. B-William Herbert Rea (CAN). T-Alex McPherson.

**5th-APX**, **\$25,000**, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:40 1/5, sy. **WITH EVERY WISH (f, 4, Lear Fan--Amo, by Hold Your Peace)** Lifetime Record: 29-4-4-6, \$97,374. O-Pat & Robert Jaacks. B-Frances A. Genter Stable, Inc. (KY). T-David H. Hinsley. \*MSP.

8th-LRL, \$24,500, 3yo/up, f/m, 7f, 1:25 2/5, ft. MINNIE'S BRAT (f, 3, Shoot Again--First of Minnie, by Thomas Thistle) Lifetime Record: 15-3-3-1, \$40,191. O-One & Won Stable. B-Thomas E. Jones (VA). T-King T Leatherbury. \*SP.

## **DEVIL'S BAG**

has 25 winners and the earners of more than \$1 million in 1995.

4th-CRC, \$23,200, 3vo, a1 1/16mT, 1:43 1/5, ad, TONIDAR (c, 3, Jeblar--Toni Leone, by Hurok) Lifetime Record: 23-6-1-0, \$76,715. O-Cobble View Stable. B-Farnsworth Farms & M & M Bloodstock (FL), T-Luis Olivares.

8th-ELP, \$20,900, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:11 2/5, ft.

BELTWAY BANDIT (c, 3, Gone West--Icy Time {SW, \$146,046}, by Icecapade) Lifetime Record: 20-7-2-3, \$92,088. O-Post Call Stable. B-Tom Snyder & Nelson McMakin (KY). T-Donald J. Habeeb. \*1/2 to Cold Digger (MGSP, \$231,566, by Tank's Prospect) and Be Cool (GIII, \$141,539, by Tank's Prospect).

#### MAIDEN WINNERS:

- Argonnier, g, 2, Batonnier--Jehofa, by Peterhof. SOL, 7-20, 5f, :58, B-Mr, & Mrs, Robert H, Walter (Ca).
- + Fortunate Review, c, 2, Fortunate Prospect--Super Fantastic, by Super Concorde. CRC, 7-20, 4 1/2f, :53 1/5. B-Gerald Robins (FI). \*\$25,000 2vo 1995 OBSFEB. \*\*Full to Super Fortunate (MSW, \$230,697).
- Double the Bet, c, 2, Greinton (GB)--Double Drat, by Silver Hawk. ELP, 7-20, 5 1/2fT, 1:03 1/5. B-Merewath Farm (Ky).
- + Taxable Deduction, f, 2, Prized--State Tax, by Caro (Ire). HOL, 7-20, 5f, :59. B-Meadowbrook Farms, Inc (FI). \*\$7,500 vrl '94 OBSAUG. \*\*4th winner for freshman sire.
- Big Bad Bunny, f, 3, Caveat--Lady Rosemarie, by Snow Knight. LRL, 7-20, 1 3/16mT, 1:58 1/5. B-John Lyons & Wendy Lyons (Md).
- Ask Scotti, f, 3, Dr. Blum--Weird Combination, by Tri Jet. FLX, 7-20, 6f, 1:14 1/5. B-Barry Patrick Dr (Ny). \* 1/2 to Tensie's Pro (SW, \$199,159, by Distinctive Pro).
- Top Form, f, 3, Dynaformer--She's On Top, by Bold Bidder. LRL, 7-20, 1 3/16mT, 1:58 4/5. B-Wafare Farm & John Chitwood (Ky).
- Cathedral Rock, f, 3, Meadowlake--Headache Tree (SW), by Vanlandingham. ELP, 7-20, 6f, 1:11 3/5. B-Loblolly Stable (Ky).
- Slewasign, f, 3, Slewacide--Sign From Above (SW), by Great Above. LAD, 7-20, 6f, 1:11 3/5. B-Lazy E Ranch Inc (Ok). \*\$32,000 yrl '93 TEXAUG.
- Strong Ally, c, 3, Trempolino--Mouthfull, by Caro (Ire). HOL, 7-19, 1mT, 1:35 3/5. B-Gainesway Thoroughbreds Limited (Ky). \*GSP. \*\*\$45,000 wlna '92 KEENOV; \$80,000 yrl '93 KEESEP; \$700,000 2yo 1994 BESMAR. \*\*\*1/2 to Chenin Blanc (SW, \$691,930, by Lypheor {GB}).
- Old Sheffield, c, 3, Vigors--Cintura Argenta, by Drone. APX, 7-20, 1m (off the turf), 1:41. B-Cheery Co (II).
- Allanah, f, 4, Alwasmi--Aged in Oak (SP), by Mac Diarmida. WOX, 7-20, 1 1/8mT, 1:47 2/5. B-Allan Luxton & Gillian Luxton (Can).
- Explode at Will, g, 4, Explodent--Wooly Willow, by Irish Stronghold. HOL, 7-20, 7f, 1:22 3/5. B-Gainesway Thoroughbreds Limited (Ky). \*\$22,000 wnlg '91 KEENOV. \*\*Full to Exchange (MGI, \$1,287,795).

- Mr. Lawrence, c. 4, Love That Mac--Sister Sunny, by Nehoc's Bullet. FLX, 7-20, 6f, 1:12 2/5. B-John C. Lawrence (Ny).
- Hemet Eagle, f. 4. Swing Till Dawn--Red and Blue Eagle. by Naskra, HOL, 7-20, 6f, 1:09 4/5. B-F.W. Jones (Ca).

A # will distinguish first-time stakes-winners, a @ will indicate first-time graded stakes-winners, a + will denote winners who are first-time starters and a (R) will be used for races restricted to state-breds.

### NORTH AMERICAN SIRES OF 1995 **UNRESTRICTED SW'S (Through 7/18/95)**

SIRE	STATE	<u>SW's</u>
Gone West	KY	10
Danzig	KY	9
Crafty Prospector	KY	8
Dixieland Band	KY	8
Green Dancer	KY	8
Miswaki	KY	8
Wild Again	KY	8
Nureyev	KY	7
Gulch	KY	6
Seattle Slew	KY	6
Storm Cat	KY	6

(Based on winners of unrestricted stakes races with purses of \$25,000 or more in North America and winners of European stakes races that qualify for "blacktype" by North American catalogue standards and graded SW's in Japan.)

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### **STAKES CLOSINGS**

TODAY, FRIDAY, JULY 21: 7-23 \$300,000g American Derby-GII, **AP**, 3yo, 9.5fT (\$12,500-sup)



- TOMORROW, SATURDAY, JULY 22:
- 8-05 \$350,000g Whitney H.-GI, SAR, 3yo/up, 9f (\$350)
- 8-07 \$125,000a National Museum of Racing Hall of Fame S.-GII, SAR, 3yo, 9fT (\$125)
- 8-09 \$100,000a Adirondack S.-GII, SAR, 2yo, f, 6.5f (\$100)

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