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## FULL FIELDS ABOUND FOR BREEDERS' CUP XVI

With the exception of the two Juvenile events, Saturday's Breeders' Cup at Gulfstream Park will feature full and contentious

fields, headed by mostly lukewarm favorites, according to the morning line. Only two of the top choices will start at less than 3-1 odds, undefeated juvenile filly **Chilukki** (Cherokee Run), established as the 8-5 pick in her race, and Distaff favorite **Silverbulletday** (Silver Deputy) at 5-2. **Behrens** (Pleasant Colony), who can cement his case for Horse of the Year honors with a victory in the Classic, has been installed as the 3-1 favorite for the \$4 million centerpiece. He faces 13 others and will break from the two hole. "He likes Gulfstream. He broke his maiden here in the first start of his life," said trainer H. James Bond. "The number two post is number one in terms of the number of 1 1/4-mile races won, so I'm happy with it," he added. The five-year-old will have to contend with 4-1 second choice **General Challenge** (General Meeting), leader of the five-strong three-year-old brigade, and one of eight horses being sent out by trainer Bob Baffert. The John and Betty Mabee homebred proved he could hold his own against older horses with a powerful three-length victory in the G1 Pacific Classic, accounting for **River Keen** (Ire) (Keen {GB}) in the process. Europeans have fared poorly in two prior Breeders' Cups at Gulfstream (1989, 1992), but 7-2 Turf favorite **Daylami** (Ire) (Doyoun {Ire}) stands the best chance of reversing those fortunes. The gray five-year-old couldn't handle the sticky going at Longchamp in the Oct. 3 Arc de Triomphe, but in his previous start demolished a good field in the G1 Champion S. at Leopardstown. American hopes in the Turf are carried by G1 Turf Classic winner **Val's Prince** (Eternal Prince), defending champion **Buck's Boy** (Bucksplasher) and **Yagli** (Jade Hunter), who set a track record at Gulfstream this past winter. Other favorites include **Soaring Softly** (Kris S.), 7-2 for the new Filly/Mare Turf; **Brave Act** (GB) (Persian Bold {Ire}), 7-2 in the Mile; **Artax** (Marquetry), 7-2 in the Sprint; and **Forest Camp** (Deputy Minister), 3-1 in the Juvenile.

## DISTAFF-GI, \$2,000,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8m, post time: 1:10 p.m.

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1	Heritage of Gold	Gold Legend	Amoss	12-1
2	Keeper Hill	Deputy Minister	Frankel	5-1
3	Banshee Breeze	Unbridled	Nafzger	4-1
4	Tap to Music	Pleasant Tap	Orseno	12-1
5	A Lady From Dixie	Dixieland Band	Lukas	20-1
6	Beautiful Pleasure	Maudlin	Ward	3-1
7	Silverbulletday	Silver Deputy	Baffert	5-2
8	Louve Mysterieuse	Seeking the Gold	Fabre	20-1
9	Manistique	Unbridled	Shirreffs	6-1

All carry 123 pounds, except Silverbulletday, Louve Mysterieuse, 120.

**Heritage of Gold** schooled in the paddock yesterday morning and then headed to the track for a four-furlong work. When all was said and done, the bay four-year-old stopped the clock in :48 1/5, which caught trainer Tom Amoss a bit off guard. "This close to the race, I certainly didn't want to let her do anything more than let her stretch her legs," he said. "We let her finish up a little bit today in the work, but it was really designed to be a maintenance work. I thought she'd go a little slower than that."

## JUVENILE FILLIES-GI, \$1,000,000, 2yo, f, 1 1/16m, post time: 1:43 p.m.

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1	Cash Run	Seeking the Gold	Lukas	20-1
2	Talk Back	Talkin Man	Tiller	12-1
3	Chilukki	Cherokee Run	Baffert	8-5
4	Scratch Pad	Notebook	Waunsch	8-1
5	Spain	Thunder Gulch	Bonde	8-1
6	Darling My Darling	Deputy Minister	Ward	4-1
7	Surfside	Seattle Slew	Lukas	3-1
8	Warrior Queen	Quiet American	A O'Brien	15-1
9	Asher	Mountain Cat	Moquett	30-1

All carry 119 pounds.

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- #372 **ELIZA** Eclipse Champion 2YO, Millionaire (i/f A.P. Indy)
- #640 **WINGLET** Dam of Eclipse Champion AJINA (i/f Storm Cat)
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**Breeders' Cup Preview cont.**

**MILE-GI, \$1,000,000, 3yo/up, 1mT, post time: 2:20 p.m.**

PP HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1 Middlesex Drive	Pine Bluff	P Hauswald	12-1
2 Docksider	Diesis (GB)	John Hills	12-1
3 Delay of Game	Summer Squall	Arnold	20-1
4 Hawksley Hill (Ire)	Rahy	Drysdale	5-1
5 Kirkwall (GB)	Selkirk	Frankel	20-1
6 Jim and Tonic (Fr)	Double Bed (Fr)	Doumen	6-1
7 Lend a Hand (GB)	Great Commotion	bin Suroor	8-1
8 Quiet Resolve	Affirmed	Frostad	20-1
9 Khumba Mela (Ire)	Hero's Honor	Clement	30-1
10 Tuzla (Fr)	Panoramic (GB)	Baffert	15-1
11 Brave Act (GB)	Persian Bold (Ire)	McAnally	7-2
12 Silic (Fr)	Sillery	J Canani	6-1
13 Susu (GB)	Machiavellian	Stoute	15-1
14 Garbu	Strawberry Road (Aus)	Mott	10-1

All carry 126, except Khumba Mela, Tuzla, 123.

Docksider shipped over to Calder to work four furlongs on the main track in :48. Gary Stevens, who has the call in the Mile, was slated to be aboard for the work, but trainer John Hills decided at the last minute to stick with his regular exercise rider. "He worked nicely on the bridle and pulled up quietly after passing the (winning) post," said Hills.

**SPRINT-GI, \$1,200,000, 3yo/up, 6f, post time: 2:53 p.m.**

PP HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1 Furlough	Easy Goer	McGaughey	30-1
2 Kona Gold	Java Gold	Headley	6-1
3 Big Jag	Kleven	Pinfield	10-1
4 Enjoy the Moment	Slew's Royalty	Spawr	30-1
5 Artax	Marquetry	Albertrani	7-2
6 Successful Appeal	Valid Appeal	Kimmel	12-1
7 Stravinsky	Nureyev	A O'Brien	15-1
8 Forestry	Storm Cat	Baffert	4-1
9 Good and Tough	Carson City	Alexander	20-1
10 Vicar	Wild Again	Nafzger	20-1
11 Son of a Pistol	Big Pistol	Headley	20-1
12 Affirmed Success	Affirmed	Schosberg	6-1
13 Regal Thunder	Chief's Crown	J Canani	15-1
14 Lexicon	Conquistador Cielo	Mandella	8-1

All carry 126, except Enjoy The Moment, Furlough, (123), Successful Appeal, Stravinsky, Forestry, and Vicar (124).

**Breeders' Cup Sprint cont.**

Trainer Frank Alexander sent out his Sprint hopeful Good and Tough for a three-furlong breeze which was clocked in :36 1/5. "His last eighth of a mile was exceptional," Alexander said. "He seems to be coming up to the race real good." Cherokee Run won the 1994 Sprint for Alexander. The GI Florida Derby winner over this track, Vicar drilled four furlongs in :48 3/5 and galloped out five panels in 1:01 4/5 for trainer Carl Nafzger. "It was what I wanted for him and he's coming up to the race in great shape," Nafzger said of his Phoenix S. runner up.

**FILLY & MARE TURF-GI, \$1,070,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 3/8mT, post time 3:24 p.m.**

PP HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1 Spanish Fern	El Gran Senor	Frankel	6-1
2 Pleasant Temper	Storm Cat	Walden	15-1
3 Caffe Latte (Ire)	Seattle Dancer	J Canani	12-1
4 Gandria	Green Dancer	Cheadle	30-1
5 Natalie Too	Irish River (Fr)	Lukas	30-1
6 Zomaradah (GB)	Deploy (GB)	Cumani	8-1
7 Insight (Fr)	Sadler's Wells	Hammond	20-1
8 Borgia (Ger)	Acatenango (Ger)	Fabre	12-1
9 Mossflower	Affirmed	Schosberg	12-1
10 Perfect Sting	Red Ransom	Orseno	6-1
11 Anguilla	Seattle Slew	Skiffington	12-1
12 Soaring Softly	Kris S.	Toner	7-2
13 Louve	Irish River (Fr)	Fabre	15-1
14 Coretta (Ire)	Caerleon	Clement	5-1

All carry 123 pounds, except Caffe Latte, Gandria, Perfect Sting and Louve, 119.

Trainer John Hammond arrived in Florida just in time to catch his GI E.P. Taylor winner Insight zip three furlongs in :35 4/5 over the main track. "She'll handle the course, even another tropical storm would be no problem," said Hammond. "She's been to Toronto and Belmont, so handling the bends shouldn't trouble her."

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Breeders' Cup Preview cont.

**JUVENILE-GI, \$1,070,000, 2yo, 1 1/16m, post time 3:57 p.m.**

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1	Chief Seattle	Seattle Slew	Kimmel	6-1
2	High Yield	Storm Cat	Lukas	10-1
3	Personal First	Personal Hope	Paulus	30-1
4	Millencolin	Dehere	Lukas	15-1
5	Mull of Kintyre	Danzig	A O'Brien	15-1
6	Graeme Hall	Dehere	Pletcher	20-1
7	Captain Steve	Fly So Free	Baffert	12-1
8	Charlie's Beau	Beau Genius	Barnett	30-1
9	Anees	Unbridled	Hassinger	15-1
10	Forest Camp	Deputy Minister	Baffert	3-1
11	Kiss a Native	Kissin Kris	White	6-1
12	Dixie Union	Dixieland Band	Mandella	4-1
13	Hugh Hefner	Bertrando	Jones	30-1
14	Brahms	Danzig	A O'Brien	12-1

All carry 122 pounds.

**TURF-GI, \$2,000,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/2mT, post time: 4:30 p.m.**

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1	Dream Well (Fr)	Sadler's Wells	Bary	10-1
2	Royal Anthem	Theatrical (Ire)	Mott	5-1
3	Daylami (Ire)	Doyoun (Ire)	bin Suroor	7-2
4	Bonapartiste (Fr)	Kendor (Fr)	McAnally	15-1
5	Buck's Boy	Bucksplasher	Hickey	8-1
6	Honor Glide	Honor Grades	Clement	12-1
7	Courteous (GB)	Generous (Ire)	Cole	15-1
8	First Magnitude (Ire)	Arazi	Fabre	15-1
9	Val's Prince	Eternal Prince	Bond	6-1
10	Fahris (Ire)	Generous (Ire)	McLaughlin	20-1
11	Dark Moondancer (GB)	Anshan (GB)	McAnally	8-1
12	Yagli	Jade Hunter	Mott	10-1
13	Unite's Big Red	Unite	Mills	50-1
14	Thornfield	Sky Classic	England	20-1

All carry 126 pounds, except First Magnitude, 123.

Defending champion **Buck's Boy** zipped three furlongs over a fast Gulfstream main track in :35 3/5. **Yagli** had a half-mile breeze in :48 with race rider Jerry Bailey in the saddle.

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**CLASSIC-GI, \$4,000,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/4m, post time: 5:10 p.m.**

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1	Catienus	Storm Cat	Schosberg	30-1
2	Behrens	Pleasant Colony	Bond	3-1
3	River Keen (Ire)	Keen (GB)	Baffert	6-1
4	Golden Missile	A.P. Indy	Orseno	20-1
5	Vision and Verse	Storm Cat	Mott	20-1
6	Cat Thief	Storm Cat	Lukas	12-1
7	Almutawakel (GB)	Machiavellian	bin Suroor	6-1
8	Ecton Park	Forty Niner	Walden	20-1
9	Budroyale	Cee's Tizzy	West	12-1
10	General Challenge	General Meeting	Baffert	4-1
11	Lemon Drop Kid	Kingmambo	Schulhofer	8-1
12	Chester House	Mr. Prospector	Frankel	20-1
13	Old Trieste	A.P. Indy	Puype	12-1
14	Supreme Sound (GB)	Superlative (Ire)	Dickinson	30-1

All carry 126 pounds, except Vision and Verse, Cat Thief, Ecton Park, General Challenge and Lemon Drop Kid, 122.

Vision and Verse was the only Classic contender to register a work yesterday, going four furlongs in :47 3/5 beneath Gary Stevens, who will ride the Belmont and Travers runner up for the first time Saturday.

**Lukas Horses To Breathe-Right**

Wayne Lukas announced yesterday that his seven Breeders' Cup starters will be equipped with the Breathe-Right nasal strips that are threatening to become the latest fad in racing. Similar to the nasal strips worn by human athletes, they are supposed to help horses breathe better and therefore run faster. Trainers Bobby Frankel and Joe Orseno are among others who have said they'll use the strips. "I'm using them because there's nothing to lose," Lukas said. "They're harmless and easy to apply, just like you and I would use them for a pickup basketball game. I thought I'd give them a try. I've never even galloped horses in them. How can they hurt?" Under Florida racing regulations, trainers do not have to report the use of nasal strips at the time of entry. The information as to who is using them will not be made available to the public.

**Turf Course Open For Training Today**

The soft Gulfstream turf course was rolled yesterday and will be open for turf works today. Friday's turf stakes are expected to be conducted as scheduled and the course should be listed no worse than "good", according to superintendent Ted Malloy.

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Friday, Maisons-Laffitte, France, post time: 2:10 p.m.  
**CRITERIUM DE MAISONS-LAFFITTE-G2**, FF595,000,  
 2yo, 7fT

SC (PP)	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER
1 (6)	Speak In Passing	Danzig	Fabre
2 (8)	Touch Of The Blues (Fr)	Cadeaux Geneueux (GB)	Laffon-Parias
3 (4)	Visions Flight (Ire)	Bluebird	Hammond
4 (1)	Compton Bolter (Ire)	Red Sunset (Ire)	Butler
5 (7)	Akeed	Affirmed	Cole
6 (3)	Blu Air Force (Ire)	Sri Pekan	Grizzetti
7 (5)	Perugina (Fr)	Highest Honor (Fr)	C Head
8 (2)	Radhwa (Fr)	Shining Steel (GB)	Rob Collet

All carry 123 pounds, except Perugina & Radhwa (120).

**Breeders' Cup Hopefuls Top Hong Kong Nominations:**  
 Buck's Boy (Bucksplasher), Thornfield (Sky Classic), Val's Prince (Eternal Prince) and Yagli (Jade Hunter), all pointing for Saturday's Breeders' Cup, head the list of nominations for this year's Hong Kong International races, to be run at Sha Tin Dec. 12. All four are cross-entered in the 1 1/4-mile Hong Kong International Cup, with a purse of HK\$10 million, and the 1 1/2-mile Vase, with a purse of HK \$7 million. Also on the International card are the HK\$7 million Hong Kong Mile, which has drawn the likes of Anguilla (Seattle Slew) and Hawksley Hill (Ire) (Rahy), and the HK\$5.3 million Hong Kong Sprint, the richest five-furlong test in the world. Each of the four stakes is limited to 14 starters--10 from overseas and four from Hong Kong. Overseas invitees and reserves will be announced Wednesday, Nov. 10.

**LEADING BROODMARE SIRES OF 1999 UNRESTRICTED SWs**  
 (Through October 31)

BROODMARE SIRE	SWs
Mr. Prospector (Raise a Native)	16
Shirley Heights (GB) (Mill Reef)	16
Nijinsky II (Northern Dancer)	14
Blushing Groom (Fr) (Red God)	12
Riverman (Never Bend)	12
Sadler's Wells (Northern Dancer)	12
The Minstrel (Northern Dancer)	12
Alydar (Raise a Native)	11
Green Dancer (Nijinsky II)	11
Irish River (Riverman)	11
Nureyev (Northern Dancer)	11
Seattle Slew (Bold Reasoning)	11
Be My Guest (Northern Dancer)	10
Danzig (Northern Dancer)	10
Habitat (Sir Gaylord)	10
Raise a Native (Native Dancer)	10

*(Based on winners of unrestricted stakes with purses of \$25,000 or more in North America and winners of European stakes that qualify for "black-type" by North American catalogue standards and graded SWs in Japan.)*

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☆ NEWS TODAY ☆

**EUROPE BANS TRI-STATE AREA HORSES** According to published reports, the European Commission has banned the importation of horses from New York, New Jersey and Connecticut. The ban was issued after horses on Long Island tested positive for the West Nile-like fever, the disease which has been blamed for six human fatalities. Horses returning to Europe from the Breeders' Cup which had been scheduled to leave the U.S. from New York's Kennedy Airport may have to change their route home to avoid the area.

☆ WORLD-WIDE ☆

**Sunline Targets Hong Kong Cup:**

New Zealand champion Sunline (NZ) (Desert Sun {GB}) will make her next start in the 1 1/4-mile Hong Kong International Cup at Sha Tin Dec. 12. "The combined effects of inoculation and her hard run in the Cox Plate left her a little jaded," trainer Trevor McKee said. "We'll take her home to New Zealand, where she'll have some time to recover before going to Hong Kong." The winner of the G1 W.S. Cox Plate in her last start, the four-year-old filly will be joined in Hong Kong by Australian Group 1 winner Northern Drake (Aus) (Varick), who is entered in both the Hong Kong Cup and the 1 1/2-mile Vase.

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**BREEDERS' CUP SIRES--AND SIRE LINES**

We used to talk about how the Eclipse line dominated Thoroughbred breeding--well, maybe not that many of us used to talk about it, but that's how it was referred to, the dominance of the Eclipse line over all others. Judging from a quick scan of the fields for the 1999 Breeders' Cup, Eclipse has been eclipsed. Now, call it Phalaris.

Because even Phalaris was foaled as long ago as 1913--such an announcement on the eve of what is still the best single day's racing on the planet in the last year of the twentieth century may not seem that important compared to the mammoth, if not impossible task, of trying to sort out a few winners for Saturday. And probably, in spite of our fanciful hopes that generalities about breeding can somehow be reduced to doping out the winners of specific races, talking about sire line trends will not find this weekend's winners. But there are some mighty interesting trends.

For me, the Phalaris line can be separated into four huge, major branches--Native Dancer; Dante/Turn-to; Nearctic/Northern Dancer; and Nasrullah. The second of those, what I call Dante/Turn-to, is now primarily Halo and Roberto, two sons of Hail to Reason, and happens to only have three 1999 Breeders' Cup starters representing it. Generally, though, it is a line which still threatens to take its place alongside the other 'Big Three'. The three Hail to Reasons this year all happen to be Roberto-line: Red Ransom (Perfect Sting) and Kris S. (Soaring Softly), two of the favorites in the new Filly/Mare Turf race; and Kissin' Kris, a son of Kris S., who has John Franks' Kiss a Native running for him in the BC Juvenile Colts. But, as I say, that line generally is stronger than that. Of 102 horses down to run in this year's Breeders' Cup, 94 of them are by Phalaris-line stallions, and 90 of those hail from the Big Three Branches--26 each for Native Dancer and Nasrullah, and 38 for Nearctic/Northern Dancer (of which 37 are Northern Dancer).

In some respects, it is therefore more important to talk about how the lines break down than which individual stallions are most prominently represented.

Having said that, 1999 Champion Sire-elect Storm Cat leads all sires with six individual runners this year, and runners by three other stallions either by Storm Cat (Mountain Cat) or Storm Bird (Summer Squall, Personal Hope) make a total of nine for what I call, for the moment at least, the Storm Bird branch of Northern Dancer. Vice Regent has six, consisting of three by Deputy Minister--all with pretty good chances, too--plus Silverbulletday, by Silver Deputy, and two by Dehere, now ticketed for Japan, in the BC Juvenile Colts. You know what that probably means. The Nijinsky branch pops up with seven, Danzig with five, Nureyev three, Sadler's Wells two, and a few others (including two by Dixieland Band) run the total to 38 of the 102 probable starters--well over a third. Nasrullah, led by the Seattle Slew branch (eight by five stallions, including two by A.P. Indy and three by the old man himself), and Native Dancer, led by the Mr. Prospector branch (12, by ten different stallions) each have 26 declared runners -- for over a quarter each. Two quarters and a third don't leave much room for the Rest of the World. At least Phalaris doesn't quite yet dominate to that extent on the damsire side, though two-thirds of the runners are still Phalaris line on the bottom. Ribot (9), Damascus (5), and In Reality (4) are the leading non-Phalaris lines represented by runners this year. *Bill Oppenheim is a journalist and consultant specializing in pedigrees, sires and the auction market. The former editor and publisher of Racing Update, he now lives in Scotland and may be contacted by phone (011-44-1-887-830-282) or fax (011-44-1-887-830-671).*

LEADING BREEDERS' CUP TRAINERS (by number of wins)		
	Starts	Wins
D Wayne Lukas	120	13
Shug McGaughey	42	7
Neil Drysdale	19	5
Bill Mott	27	5
Ron McAnally	23	4

**LANE'S END AT THE BREEDERS' CUP**

*We wish the best of racing luck to all the participants in the Breeders' Cup, including possible starters sired by Lane's End stallions:*

- A.P. INDY** (Old Trieste, Golden Missile)
- DIXIELAND BAND** (Dixie Union, A Lady From Dixie)
- KINGMAMBO** (Lemon Drop Kid)
- PINE BLUFF** (Middlesex Drive)
- PLEASANT COLONY** (Behrens)
- PLEASANT TAP** (Tap to Music)
- SUMMER SQUALL** (Delay of Game)



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## ☆ EAST ☆

### Yesterday's Result:

5th-CRC, \$17,500, Msw, 2yo, f, 1 1/16m (off turf), 1:48 3/5, ft.

**ELLESMERE** (f, 2, Tabasco Cat--Empress Aly, by Alydar) was fifth in her debut behind Surfside, added Lasix when third in an off-the-turf affair at Saratoga Aug. 22 and was banged around at the start of her last, a 10th-place finish when stretched to a mile at Belmont Sept. 22. Trying two turns for the first time, the \$380,000 FTSAUG yearling stalked the early pace, took over after six furlongs and strided out to win by 4 1/4 lengths from second choice Wild Harem (Wild Again) as the 4-5 favorite. Ellesmere is the sixth winner for her freshman sire (by Storm Cat). Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-0, \$14,160. O-Eugene Melnyk. B-Bert Linder (Ky). T-Todd Pletcher.

### Meadowlands Cancels Race Card:

The Meadowlands Racetrack was forced to cancel its live racing program prior to the first race on Tuesday night due to unsafe weather conditions. "In the interest of the safety of the riders and the horses, it was best that we cancel racing," said the track's Vice President and General Manager Chris McErlean. "Both the heavy rain and the high winds made for unsafe conditions." The Meadowlands remained open for simulcasting and live racing was expected to resume last night.

### Calder Concludes Summer Meet:

Eibar Coa was the top rider at Calder's just-completed summer meeting. The top owner was Monarch Stables, Inc. and the leading trainer was Bill White. Total on-track attendance in 1999 was 600,550 compared to 627,077 a year ago. Total on-track handle was down from \$61,371,595 to \$54,677,134, but total combined handle rose from \$340,140,256 to \$358,536,749. Calder opened its Tropical meet yesterday.

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#### SESSION

Sunday, Nov. 7  
Monday, Nov. 8  
Tuesday, Nov. 9  
Wednesday, Nov. 10

#### DEADLINE

Thursday, Nov. 4 at 4 p.m.  
Friday, Nov. 5 at 4 p.m.  
Saturday, Nov. 6 at 4 p.m.  
Sunday, Nov. 7 at 4 p.m.



## ☆ MIDWEST ☆

### Yesterday's Results:

8th-CDX, \$49,355, Alw, 3yo/up, 1 1/8mT, 1:49 2/5, gd.

1--**ROD AND STAFF**, 121, h, 6, Marsayas--Bristol Dream, by Quack. O-Old Frankfort Stud; B-Jim H Plemmons (KY); T-Bobby C Barnett. Lifetime Record: SW & MGSP, 29-9-7-5, \$440,276.

2--**Stay Sound**, 116, c, 4, Red Ransom--Whimsical Wolf, by Wolf Power (SAf).

3--**Midway Magistrate**, 121, h, 5, Magesterial--Say Forever, by Little Current.

Margins: 1 3/4, 3/4, 4 1/4. Odds: 1.70, 4.00, 2.80.

Rod and Staff rallied for second in the GIII Baltimore Breeders' Cup H. at Pimlico June 20 before heading to the sidelines for the summer. The chestnut returned with a strong victory in a money allowance at Keeneland Oct. 21 and was sent off as the favorite here. Breaking from the two hole, he saved ground early, rallied along the rail in the stretch and edged away late.

6th-CDX, \$44,310, Alw, 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:37 1/5, gd.

**ALISIOS** (c, 3, Kris S.--Aurora, by Danzig), a full to Arch, GISW, \$480,990, handled his turf debut with aplomb when he captured the New Colony S. at Hawthorne Sept. 15, but could only manage fifth in the GIII Hawthorne Derby Oct. 10. Dismissed at 5-1 here, the bay colt settled into stride on the lead and drew away through the stretch for a 2 1/2-length victory. Lifetime Record: SW, 9-4-2-1, \$139,265.

O-H Alexander & H Groves Revocable Trust.

B-H Alexander & H Groves (KY). T-David Carroll.

### STAKES CLOSINGS

#### TODAY, THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 4:

11-07 \$200,000 *Steinlen*, GP, 3yo, 8fT, (10000s)

11-07 \$200,000 *Safely Kept*, GP, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, (10000s)

11-07 \$150,000 *Pebbles*, GP, 3yo, f, 8.5fT, (7500s)

11-07 \$150,000 *Miesque*, GP, 2yo, f, 8.5fT, (7500s)



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5th-CDX, \$34,600, Msw, 2yo, f, 6f, 1:11 2/5, ft. **EASY ACTION** (f, 2, Crafty Prospector--Tippy Girl {MSW & MGSP, \$285,817}, by Raise a Cup), a \$160,000 FTSAUG yearling and a \$300,000 BESMAR juvenile, rallied for third in her Oct. 21 debut at Keeneland. The 8-5 chalk, close up early, moved into contention turning for home and edged away late by 1 1/2 lengths. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$26,180. O-W S Farish & Melbish Stable. B-Foxfield (KY). T-Neil J Howard.

2nd-CDX, \$33,080, Msw, 3/up, f/m, 6f, 1:12 3/5, ft. + **TEMPESTINA** (f, 3, Storm Cat--Magari, by Quack), unruly at the gate, broke alertly and went up to stalk the leaders. The 6-1 shot took over at the top of the stretch and extended her advantage for a 6 1/4-length debut score. She is a 1/2 to Afto (Relaunch), GSW, \$133,386. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$21,680. O/B-Ramona S Bass & Arthur A Seelingson Jr (KY). T-Thomas Amoss.

**KTMFC Donates \$83,000 to Charities:**

The Board of Directors of the Kentucky Thoroughbred Farm Manager's Club has released a list of the recipient's of the club's donations for 1999. Topping the list were ReRun, Inc., which received \$29,000; Central Kentucky Riding for the Handicapped, which received \$20,000; and the Kentucky Equine Management Internship Program, which received \$8,500. In all, the KTMFC distributed a club-record \$83,000.

☆ **WEST** ☆

**Baze to Miss Remainder of '99:**

Russell Baze will miss the rest of the year after injuring his back in a spill at Bay Meadows last Sunday. When his mount Rural Charmer threw Baze to the ground in the day's sixth race, the jockey suffered a compressed vertebrae and a hairline fracture in his back. "I'm doing all right, all things considered," commented Baze. "They (the doctors) said I have to wear a brace for six weeks, but I'm going to take it day by day." The injuries end Baze's streak of seven consecutive 400-win years.

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☆ **FOREIGN** ☆

**AMERICAN-BRED WINNER IN BRITAIN:**

Rossel, g, 6, Blushing John--Northern Aspen (GISW-US, GSW-Fr, \$249,287), by Northern Dancer. Musselburgh, Scotland, 11-3, 'Now You Know Ann Dawson Is Fifty And Nearly A Granny' H., 3yo/up, 1 1/2mT, \$4,862 to winner. O-Allan W Melville; B-Allen E Paulson; T-Peter Monteith.

**AMERICAN-BRED WINNER IN FRANCE:**

De Haute Lutte, f, 3, Alleged--Baranciaga, by Bering (GB). Saint-Cloud, 11-3, Prix de Janvry, (Hcp.), 3yo, 1 3/4mT, \$9,588 to winner. O-Lord Wolverton; B-Naji Pharaon; T-Eric Danel.

**LARGEST WINNING MARGINS  
IN THE BREEDERS' CUP**

Horse	Race	Margin
<b>INSIDE INFORMATION</b>	'95 Distaff	13 1/2 lengths
<b>COUNTESS DIANA</b>	'97 Juv. Fillies	8 1/2 lengths
<b>PRINCESS ROONEY</b>	'84 Distaff	7 lengths
<b>BAYAKOA (ARG)</b>	'90 Distaff	6 3/4 lengths
<b>LIFE'S MAGIC</b>	'85 Distaff	6 1/4 lengths
<b>SKIP AWAY</b>	'97 Classic	6 lengths
<b>FAVORITE TRICK</b>	'97 Juvenile	5 1/2 lengths
<b>BRAVE RAJ</b>	'86 Juv. Fillies	5 1/2 lengths
<b>ARAZI</b>	'91 Juvenile	5 lengths
<b>BROCCO</b>	'93 Juvenile	5 lengths
<b>MEADOW STAR</b>	'90 Juv. Fillies	5 lengths
<b>STORM SONG</b>	'96 Juv. Fillies	4 1/2 lengths

**CLOSE CALLS IN THE BREEDERS' CUP**  
Winners by a nose

Winner	Runner-up	Race
<b>ALPHABET SOUP</b>	<b>LOUIS QUATORZE</b>	'96 Classic
<b>EILLO</b>	<b>COMMEMORATE</b>	'84 Sprint
<b>EPITOME</b>	<b>JEANNE JONES</b>	'87 Juv. Fillies
<b>ESCENA</b>	<b>BANSHEE BREEZE</b>	'98 Distaff
<b>FERDINAND</b>	<b>ALYSHEBA</b>	'87 Classic
<b>FRAISE</b>	<b>SKY CLASSIC</b>	'92 Turf
<b>HOLLYWOOD WILDCAT</b>	<b>PASEANA (ARG)</b>	'93 Distaff
<b>PERSONAL ENSIGN</b>	<b>WINNING COLORS</b>	'88 Distaff
<b>TASSO</b>	<b>STORM CAT</b>	'85 Juvenile

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**ALLOWANCE RESULTS:**

**9th-HAW, \$46,464**, Opt. Clm. (\$40-35,000), 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:17 2/5, ft.

**CAPITOL VIEW (f, 4, Sports View--Capitol Caper, by Senate Whip)** Lifetime Record: SP, 13-5-1-4, \$127,264. O-John Conforti. B-Clover Towne Farm Ltd (IL). T-R O Goodridge.

**7th-CDX, \$36,300**, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:12, ft.

**LITTLETALKINTOOTIE (f, 3, Regal Affair--Tucked Inside, by Great Above)** Lifetime Record: 9-4-3-0, \$66,256. O-Ronald B Edmondson. B-Rosemont Farm Inc (KY). T-Marcos G Medrano. \*1/2 to Downtown Clown (Skywalker), MSW, \$320,451

**7th-HAW, \$30,800**, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, a1m70yd, 1:47 1/5, ft.

**MY DALLAS (f, 3, Houston--My Leader, by L'Enjoleur)** Lifetime Record: 9-3-1-0, \$58,760. O-Shari L & Michael P Brickman. B-Michael Paul & Sharon Brickman (IL). T-Joseph E Broussard.

**4th-CRC, \$21,500**, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:11 2/5, ft.

**GALLANT KNIGHT (c, 3, Gallapiat--Gold and Bold, by Gold Meridian)** Lifetime Record: 8-2-2-2, \$37,340. O/B-Margaret Ann Roca (FL). T-W Paschal Bignault.

**9th-CRC, \$19,000**, 2yo, f, 1m, 1:42 4/5, ft.

**SEE U AT MY WINDOW (f, 2, Piccolino--Psychodelicate, by Time for a Change)** Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-1, \$25,010. O/B-Darsan Inc (FL). T-Larry Bates.

**MAIDEN WINNERS:**

**Afillyate, f, 2, Blushing John--Lady T. V. (MSW, \$120,760)**, by T. V. Lark. HOO, 11-2, 6f, 1:13 3/5. B-Harvey Liebeskind Md & Donald Dreyfuss (FL). \*\$16,000 yrl '98 KEEJAN. \*\*1/2 to Gene's Lady (What a Pleasure), MGSW, \$946,190.

**Tawa Run, c, 2, Cherokee Run--Sixteen Ticks, by Turkoman. CDX, 11-3, (C), 6f, 1:12 4/5. B-Lavin Bloodstock Services (Ky). \*\$35,000 yrl '98 KEESEP. \*\*15th winner for freshman sire (by Runaway Groom).**

**Easy Action, f, 2, Crafty Prospector--Topsy Girl (MSW & MGSP, \$285,817)**, by Raise a Cup. CDX, 11-3, 6f, 1:11 2/5. B-Foxfield (Ky). \*\$160,000 yrl '98 FTSAUG; \$300,000 2yo '99 BESMAR.

**Bolder Still, c, 2, Pentelicus--Bold Burst, by Dahar. CRC, 11-3, (C), 7f, 1:27 2/5. B-Edward & Ashley Wiest (FI). \*\$25,000 2yo '99 OBSMAR.**

**Ry Jac, c, 2, Phone Trick--Ride the Wind (SP, \$118,089)**, by Meadowlake. HAW, 11-3, 6f, 1:10 1/5. B-Sally Andersen (Ky). \*\$46,000 yrl '98 KEESEP.

**Casanova Consort, f, 2, Silver Ghost--Possible Consort, by Deputy Minister. CRC, 11-3, 1 1/16m (off turf), 1:49 3/5. B-Edward P Evans (Ky).**

**Ellesmere, f, 2, Tabasco Cat--Empress Aly, by Alydar. CRC, 11-3, 1 1/16m (off turf), 1:48 3/5. B-Bertram N Linder (Ky). \*\$380,000 yrl '98 FTSAUG. \*\*Sixth winner for freshman sire (by Storm Cat).**

**+ Tempestina, f, 3, Storm Cat--Magari, by Quack. CDX, 11-3, 6f, 1:12 3/5. B-Ramona S Bass & Arthur A Seelingson Jr (Ky). \*1/2 to Afto (Relaunch), GSW, \$133,386.**

### NTRA THOROUGHBRED POLL Through October 31, 1999

**TOP 10**

1. BEHRENS
2. SILVERBULLETDAY
3. RIVER KEEN (IRE)
4. CHILUKKI
5. BEAUTIFUL PLEASURE
6. BANSHEE BREEZE
7. LEMON DROP KID
8. VAL'S PRINCE
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# THOROUGHBRED DAILY NEWS

## ★ EUROPEAN EDITION ★

Thursday, November 4, 1999



### OVERHEARD AT BREEDERS' CUP

Michael Tabor, owner of Juvenile contenders **Brahms (USA)** (Danzig {USA}) and **Mull of Kintyre (USA)** (Danzig {USA}) and Sprint candidate **Stravinsky (USA)** (Nureyev {USA}), said of his runners' post position draws, "The draw is ideal for Mull of Kintyre (post 5) and Stravinsky (post 7). Brahms is not a good draw on the outside, but you can't have everything. We thought 5 to 8 would be ideal, in the middle of the pack. We'll discuss what strategy we'll use with Brahms."

Trainer Michael Stoute was also less than pleased with the post position of his Mile runner, **Susu (GB)** (Machiavellian {USA}), who will break from stall 13. "It could not have been much worse," said Stoute. "It doesn't set up well coming from outside at a mile. She will have to run faster than she has ever run in her life from out there."

John Hills, trainer of Mile hopeful **Docksider (USA)** (Dieses {GB}), had better luck in the draw, getting post 2. "I can't complain," he said. "This horse likes to run fairly close to the pace anyway. I might have lots of excuses, but I don't think the draw will be one of them. We got Gary Stevens to ride the horse because he knows what goes on over here (in America), so we'll leave it up to him."

Europeans will be side by side in the Breeders' Cup Filly and Mare Turf, with **Zomaradah (GB)** (Deploy {GB}) drawing the 6 and **Insight (Fr)** (Sadler's Wells {USA}) getting the 7. "I'm very happy with number 6," trainer Luca Cumani said. "It's not inside where you can get stuck, or outside where you might get a view of the car park." John Hammond, trainer of **Insight**, looked at his filly's morning-line odds and said, "I think 20-1 is quite generous. I'll back her each way at that price."

## ★ PREVIEW ★

Today, Nantes, France, post time: 2:10 p.m.

**PRIX DES SABLONNETS**-Listed, FF240,000, 2yo, 1mT

SC	(PP)	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	(8)	Madour (Fr)	Kaldoun (Fr)	Renard	121
2	(5)	Kick Boxer (Fr)	Exit To Nowhere (USA)	Sepulchre	121
3	(7)	Silicon Dancer (GB)	Suave Dancer (USA)	Le Stang	121
4	(9)	Firestone (Ger)	Dictator's Song (USA)	Kurdu	121
5	(1)	Jean De Luz (Fr)	Midyan (USA)	Dissaux	121
6	(4)	Starine (Fr)	Mendocino (USA)	Capitte	118
7	(2)	Vencera (Fr)	Green Tune (USA)	G Doleuze	118
8	(3)	Fairy West (USA)	Gone West (USA)	Laffon-Parias	118
9	(6)	Gold Round (Ire)	Caerleon (USA)	C Head	118

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## ★ FRANCE ★

### Yesterday's Results:

**PRIX CERES**-Listed, FF260,000, Saint-Cloud, 11-3, 3yo, f, 1mT, 1:50.40, hy.

1--#**ANGELINA CAROLINA (IRE)**, 121, f, 3, Kris (GB)--**Angelina Ballerina (USA)** (SW-GB, GSP-Ire, SP-US, \$136,705), by **Nureyev (USA)**. O/B-Haras de la Perelle; T-Jean de Roualle; J-Olivier Peslier; FF140,000. Lifetime Record: 9 starts, 2 wins, 7 places, FF401,000.

2--**Queen Of Norway (USA)**, 121, f, 3, Woodman (USA)--**Qena (USA)**, by The Minstrel (Can). (130,000gns yrl '97 TAHOU). FF48,000.

3--**Dinner Time (Fr)**, 121, f, 3, Bering (GB)--**Dinner Out (USA)**, by Al Nasr (Fr). (32,066gns yrl '97 AFAUG). FF36,000.

Margins: 1, 3, HF. Odds: 9.10, 6.10, 2.20.

Also ran: **Cerita (Ire)**, **Tsar's Pride (GB)**, **Mamamia (Fr)**, **Silver Star (GB)**, **Ebdaa (GB)**.

Having broken her maiden at the seventh attempt in a conditions event at Deauville Aug. 28, **Angelina Carolina** tackled stakes company for the first time and finished fifth in the Sept. 29 Prix Coronation at Saint-Cloud. Returning over the same course and distance, she put her first experience to good use by defeating some seasoned campaigners at this level with a well-timed late run to secure the win. **Mamamia (Fr)** (Linamix {Fr}) went straight to the lead and was soon clear of **Tsar's Pride (GB)** (Sadler's Wells {USA}) and **Silver Star (GB)** (Zafonic {USA}) as the eventual winner was reserved off the pace in rear. **Queen Of Norway** made smooth headway from midpack to take the lead with 1 1/2 furlongs to run, but **Angelina Carolina** posed a serious threat. Under stronger driving, she challenged on the outside with a furlong to run and grabbed the lead in the last half furlong for a hard-earned win. The pair finished clear and **Queen Of Norway** was not disgraced in second. **Dinner Time**, the favorite, stayed on well inside the last furlong to take third close home.

## ★ IRELAND ★

### GOFFS NOVEMBER SALE ADDS A DAY

The Goffs November Premier Foal and Breeding Stock Sale will now run an extra day, from Wednesday, Nov. 24 to Sunday, Nov. 28. There are 700 foals catalogued over the first three days and 400 mares on the final two days. "This is a sale that is going from strength to strength," Goffs Managing Director Philip Myerscough said. "The exceptional value of the Irish pound is an additional attraction."

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**Irish Report cont.**

**MCCLEAN MOVES TO MANAGER OF IRISH T'BRED MARKETING TEAM**

Donn McClean has been named manager for Irish Thoroughbred Marketing, the Irish Horseracing Authority has announced. McClean, a graduate of Dublin City University, joined the Authority as part of Irish Thoroughbred Marketing in 1996.

**★ BRITAIN ★**

**FATALITIES SPOIL MUSSELBURGH FINALE**

The *Sporting Life* reports that the final meeting at Musselburgh was marred yesterday after two horses suffered fatal injuries. The first, Faraj, fractured a leg during the EBF Median Auction Maiden S., while the second, the three-year-old Warring Kingdom (GB), had to be euthanized after the Tote Bookmakers S. There was a delay as stewards, trainers and jockeys examined the course, but the meet was allowed to continue. Steward's Secretary Robert Earnshaw told *Sporting Life*, "The stewards held an inquiry (after the course was inspected) and after speaking to everyone, it was decided that racing should continue. All the jockeys were happy enough to carry on." Clerk of the Course Bill Farnsworth was quoted by the paper as saying, "I don't know what the problem might have been and I will have to have a good look at it (Thursday) morning."

**LEVY BOARD BACKS MARKETING PROGRAM**

The Levy Board yesterday awarded a grant of £69,850 to help trainers in Britain learn marketing skills. The grant was paid to the National Trainers' Federation to cover a programme of six seminars at the major racehorse training centres, conducted by the Department of Management and Professional Development at London's Guildhall University. The object of the seminars is to introduce relevant marketing practices to trainers, assist in areas of communication and interpersonal skills, reinforce owner/trainer ties and provide an improved business product. Rodney Brack, the Levy Board chief executive, said: "The NTF's initiative in taking steps to improve the business performance of its members is most welcome. While the emphasis in the seminars will be on marketing, the practical solutions offered will, in many cases, cover good business practice."

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**Yesterday's Result:**

**3.10 Musselburgh, EBF Maiden S. (Class D), 11-3, £5,500, 2yo, 1mT, 1:43.10, gd.**  
 + **LITTLEPACEPADDOCKS (IRE) (f, 2, Accordion {Ire}-Lady In Pace {Ire}, by Burslem {Ire})**, an 11-2 chance, raced in seventh behind front-running Tswalu (GB) (Cosmonaut {GB}). She was ridden from the quarter-mile marker as Makasseb (GB) (Kris {GB}) took the lead, then moved into fifth at the furlong pole. Ridden strongly throughout the final furlong, she ran on to grab the lead in the last stride for a short head debut win. The winner is a full to Yavana's Pace (Ire), Hwt. Older Horse-Ire at 11-14f, GSW-Fr, MSW-GB, SW & G1SP-Ire, SP-Den, \$425,834. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, £3,615.  
 O/B-Mrs Joan Keaney; T-Mark Johnston; J-Joe Fanning.

**★ ITALY ★**

**Yesterday's Results:**

**2.10 Rome, Premio Aubry (Cond.), 11-3, L45,900,000, 2yo, 1mT, 1:40.30, gd.**  
**GOLDEN CAVERN (GB) (c, 2, Lion Cavern {USA}--Nightitude {GB} {SP-GB}, by Night Shift {USA})**. Lifetime Record: 3 starts, 2 wins, 1 place, L46,580,000. O/T-F Fili; B-Miss G Abbey; J-S Landi.

**2.25 Milan, Premio Omate (Cond.), 11-3, L38,250,000, 2yo, 6fT, 1:18.50, hy.**  
**BODEGA NORTON (GB) (c, 2, Distant Relative {Ire}--Artistic Licence {GB}, by High Top {Ire})**. Lifetime Record: 4 starts, 2 wins, 2 places, L49,810,000. O/T-M Guarnieri; B-I W T & Mrs Loftus; J-M Monteriso.

**4.25 Milan, Premio Udine (Mdn.), 11-3, L30,600,000, 2yo, 1 1/4mT, time: n/a, hy.**  
**MARANIA (IRE) (f, 2, Marju {Ire}--Lady Bentley {GB} {G1SW-Ity}, by Bellypha {Ire})**. Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 1 win, 1 place, L23,545,000. O-Scuderia Belforte; B-Az. Agr. Razza Emiliana SRL; T-B Grizzetti; J-M Demuro. \*26,850gns yrl '98 ANOCT.

**1.45 Rome, Premio Doralice-Corsa FIA (Mdn.), 11-3, L30,600,000, 2yo, 1mT, 1:41.70, gd.**  
 + **FRONTIER WELSH (ITY) (c, 2, Welsh Guide {Ire}--Frontier Wassl {Ire}, by Wassl {GB})**. Lifetime Record: 1 start, 1 win, L17,000,000. O-R Misserville; B-S.ra F Misserville; T-L Camici; J-G Temperini.

**2.35 Rome, Premio Alba-Corsa FIA (Cond.), 11-3, L30,600,000, 2yo, f, 1mT, 1:42.10, gd.**  
 + **KILL THE GOLDEN (IRE) (f, 2, Tenby {GB}--Two Magpies {Ire}, by Doulab {USA})**. Lifetime Record: 1 start, 1 win, L17,000,000. O-S.ra V Mancini; B-W Webb; T-L Bietolini; J-A Corniani. \*8,415gns wnl '97 GONOV.  
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**Italian Report cont.**

**3.00 Rome, Premio Hasty Flirt (Cond.),** 11-3, L30,600,000, 4yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:44.10, gd. **SPECIAL STAR (GB)** (h, 5, **Soviet Star {USA}**--**Sharpina {GB}**, by **Sharpen Up {GB}**). Lifetime Record: GSP-Ity, 58 starts, 17 wins, 21 places, L424,660,000. O-S.ra L Sarnataro; B-Britton House Stud & Newhall Farm Estate; T-A Tortorella; J-A Corniani.

★ UNITED STATES ★

**U.S. Debuts:**

**7th-Santa Anita Park, \$47,000, Alw, 3/up, f/m, 6 1/2ft EVENING PROMISE (GB)** (f, 3, **Aragon {GB}**--**Rosy Sunset {Ire}**, by **Red Sunset {GB}**) Lifetime Record: 13-2-2-1, \$68,425.

Winless since taking the Listed Firth of Clyde S. at Ayr Sept. 19, 1998, Evening Promise came close in her final British start, missing by a head when second in the Sept. 18 Ayr Gold Cup H. at six furlongs. The bay had been off the board in five of six prior starts this season. A confirmed closer, she gets Lasix for her U.S. bow. O-Duggan & Vreeland. B-Major W R Paton-Smith. T-Kathy Walsh.

★ AUSTRALIA ★

**SO. HEMISPHERE WINNERS BY SHUTTLE STALLIONS:**

- Routine Blue (NZ)**, c, 2, **Blues Traveller (Ire)**--Alice Downs (Ire), by Thatching (Ire). Muswellbrook (New South Wales), 11-1, William Inglis T J Smith Starmaker Plate, 2yo, 4 1/2ft, \$10,647 to winner. B-J L McVean; T-Jack Denham. \*1/2 to Miss Tessla (NZ) (Crested Wave), GSW-Aus.
- Grand Union (Aus)**, f, 3, **Grand Lodge (USA)**--Lesseps (USA), by Ferdinand (USA). Randwick (Sydney), 11-2, Tilecraft H., 3yo, f, 1mT, \$9,517 to winner. B-Mr B T Agnew; T-Bill Mitchell.
- Latin Reign (Aus)**, g, 3, **Perugino (USA)**--Elizabeth Hill (Arg) (MGSP-Arg, GSP-Uru), by Jack Hylton (Ire). Hamilton (Victoria), 11-1, Program Print Maiden, 3yo, 6ft, \$2,768 to winner. B-Mr E W & Mrs S J Cockram; T-Terry O'Sullivan.
- Astig (Aus)**, c, 4, **Danehill (USA)**--Paraluman (Aus), (SP-Aus), by Showdown (GB). Flemington (Melbourne), 11-2, Andersen Consulting Plate, 4/5yo, 7ft, \$19,775 to winner. B-Gooree Pastoral Co.; T-Lee Freedman.
- My Eagle (NZ)**, f, 4, **Danehill (USA)**--Lyphard's Reve (USA), by Lyphard's Wish (Fr). Morphettville (Adelaide), 11-2, Firestone Maiden, 3yo/up, 6ft, \$3,568 to winner. B-Mrs J A & Mr P Hogan; T-Leon MacDonald.
- Stately Dane (Aus)**, f, 4, **Danehill (USA)**--Stately Queen (Aus), by Tattenham (Aus). Kembla Grange (New South Wales), 11-2, Gladstone Hotel H., 3yo/up, f/m, 6ft, \$2,494 to winner. B-Mr G Goon; T-Bryan Guy.
- Overtime (Aus)**, f, 4, **Night Shift (USA)**--Espouse (Aus), by Marscay (Aus). Morphettville (Adelaide), 11-2, C2000 Classic H., 3yo/up, f/m, 6ft, \$4,199 to winner. B-Corumbene Stud; T-David Balfour.

**Pioneer (Aus)**, g, 4, **Night Shift (USA)**--Carshalton (Aus), by Bletchingly (Aus). Eagle Farm (Brisbane), 11-2, XXXX Gold H., 3yo/up, 6ft, \$3,833 to winner. B-Woodlands Stud; T-John Hawkes.

**Optimistic (Aus)**, h, 5, **Bluebird (USA)**--Princess Pushy (Aus) (GSW-Aus), by Cossack Prince (NZ). Colac (Victoria), 10-31, Colac H., 3yo/up, 1mT, \$3,955 to winner. B-Mornmoot Stud Pty Ltd; T-Mark Bairstow.

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**EUROPEAN-BRED WINNERS:**

- Mr Magic (Ire)**, g, 4, **Fairy King (USA)**--First Nadia (Ire), by Auction Ring (USA). Happy Valley, 11-2, Class 5, 6ft. O-Wong Tai Quan; B-Thomas Downey; T-T W Laung. \*17,821gns wnl '95 GONOV.
- Manley's Fortune (GB)**, g, 4, **Inchinor (GB)**--Rubelite (Ire) (GSP-GB), by Kalaglow (Ire). Happy Valley, 11-2, Class 5, 9ft. O-Manley Syndicate; B-Brook Stud Ltd; T-Wong Tang-ping. \*27,000gns wnl '95 TADEF.
- Winning Years (Ire)**, g, 5, **Shalford (Ire)**--Silent Girl (GB), by Krayyan (GB). Happy Valley, 11-2, Class 4, 8 1/2ft. O-Mr & Mrs Tommy CheungYumman; B-Mrs M T Dawson; T-T W Laung. \*35,000gns yrl '95 TADEF. \*Named Hidden Thoughts (Ire) in Ireland.
- Charming Guest (Ire)**, g, 7, **Be My Guest (USA)**--Summer Dreams (Can), by Victoria Park (USA). Happy Valley, 11-2, Class 3, 8 1/2ft. O-Ma Kai-yum; B-Norelands Bloodstock; T-P F Yiu. \*16,500gns wnl '92 TADEF. \*\*1/2 to Park Dream (Ire) (Ahoonora {GB}), GSW-Ire, SP-US, \$136,541.
- Gaylord (Ire)**, g, 7, **Tirol (Ire)**--Lady Vivienne (Ire), by Golden Fleece (USA). Happy Valley, 11-2, Class 1 & 2, 11ft. O-James Tien Pei-chun; B-J P McManus; T-J Moora. \*14,953gns yrl '93 GOOC1. \*\*1/2 to Chief Advocate (Ire) (Law Society {USA}), G1SW-SAf.

★ MAIDEN WINNERS ★

- + **Littlepacepaddocks (Ire)**, f, 2, **Accordion (Ire)**--Lady In Pace (Ire), by Burslem (Ire). Musselburgh, Scotland, 11-3, EBF Maiden S. (Class D), 2yo, 1mT, £3,615 to winner. B-Mrs Joan Keaney. \*Full to Yavana's Pace (Ire), Hwt. Older Horse-Ire at 11-14f, GSW-Fr, MSW-GB, SW & G1SP-Ire, SP-Den, \$425,834.
- + **Marania (Ire)**, f, 2, **Marju (Ire)**--Lady Bentley (GB) (G1SW-Ity), by Bellypha (Ire). Milan, Italy, 11-3, Premio Udine (Mdn.), 2yo, 1 1/4mT, L17,000,000 to winner. B-Az. Agr. Razza Emiliana SRL. \*26,850gns yrl '98 ANOCT.
- + **Kill The Golden (Ire)**, f, 2, **Tenby (GB)**--Two Magpies (Ire), by Doulab (USA). Rome, Italy, 11-3, Premio Alba-Corsa FIA (Cond.), 2yo, f, 1mT, L17,000,000 to winner. B-William Webb. \*8,415gns wnl '97 GONOV.
- + **Frontier Welsh (Ity)**, c, 2, **Welsh Guide (Ire)**--Frontier Wassl (Ire), by Wassl (GB). Rome, Italy, 11-3, Premio Doralice-Corsa FIA (Mdn.), 2yo, 1mT, L17,000,000 to winner. B-S.ra F Misserville.