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**NO DERBY FOR STEVIE WONDERBOY**

No GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile winner has ever gone on to win the Kentucky Derby and the streak will continue this year. Merv Griffin's **Stevie Wonderboy** (Stephen Got Even), champion two-year-old and winner of last season's Juvenile, will miss the GI Kentucky Derby after suffering a condylar fracture to his right right ankle, according to published reports. The injury was detected after the chestnut worked six furlongs in 1:13.40 at Hollywood Park Monday.

**Stevie Wonderboy**  
*Benoit photo*

"He worked fantastic," trainer Doug O'Neill told *Blood-Horse*. "While he was cooling out, his groom commented that his ankle was filling up. We checked it out and could see the ankle filling up as we spoke. X-rays showed the beginning of a condylar fracture that will require one screw and 90 days off." O'Neill remains optimistic that his star colt will return to the races. "We're all disappointed, and Merv was pretty upset, but the important thing is that he'll be back," O'Neill continued. "Timing wise, it couldn't have come at a worse time, but these things in this sport, it's part of the game. It just shows you how hard it is to go through a grueling two-year-old campaign and then come back on the Derby trail. It's a lot of wear and tear on a horse." After notching the Juvenile by 1 1/4 lengths over Henny Hughes, Stevie Wonderboy returned to finish second behind Brother Derek in the Jan. 14 GII San Rafael S. last out. Overall, he has won three of six starts, with earnings of \$1,058,940.



**Stevie Wonderboy following the BC Juvenile**  
*Sherackatthetrack*

**OBS KICKS OFF**

Juveniles are the name of the game today as the two-year-old season opens with the Ocala Breeders' Sales Company's Selected Two-year-old in Training Sale at Calder Race Course in Miami. With over 150 horses ready to pass through the ring, many familiar faces are set to return. Sequel Bloodstock, Wavertree Bloodstock, Eddie Woods, Niall Brennan Stables and Nick De Meric are among consignors who will be once again offering horses, while numerous buyers, including those representing Darley, Aaron and Marie Jones, and Coolmore have also been seen making the rounds. Top sires Deputy Minister, Elusive Quality, Silver Deputy, Successful Appeal and Distorted Humor are among those represented, as are a strong group of freshman sires, including Buddha, E Dubai, Officer, Snow Ridge, Orientate and Texas Glitter. Bidding at the single-day sale, which has produced the likes of GSWs Magna Graduate, She Says it Best and Golden Shaheen winner Saratoga County, gets underway at 12:00 p.m. For the complete catalog, go to [www.obssales.com](http://www.obssales.com).

**'HENNY' WON'T MAKE UAE 2000 GUINEAS**

Sheikh Mohammad's GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile S. runner-up **Henny Hughes** (Hennessy) will not make a scheduled start in Friday's G3 UAE 2000 Guineas at Dubai's Nad Al Sheba. The chestnut worked Monday at the race course, but trainer Alec Laird wasn't convinced the colt would be ready for the 1800-meter (about nine furlongs) event. "He was only here about a month and he hadn't had much of a program," Laird explained of the sophomore, who was shipped to Dubai after the Breeders' Cup. "We had to scrap running him in the Guineas." Despite the setback, Laird said 'Henny' could still make the G2 UAE Derby on the Dubai World Cup undercard Mar. 25, but would pointed toward a race before that. "We've been asked to go for a mile [in a trial race] because he hasn't really proved himself beyond that," Laird said. "But we've got a chance of making the Derby. We're hopeful his class will prevail; what he may lack in stamina he can make up for in class." Laird also said the \$250,000 Al Bastakiya, a conditions event at Nad Al Sheba Mar. 2, was a possible target.

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**Yearlings vs. Two-year-olds...**

Few can argue the success of the OBS February sale, given the increasing quality in the stock, but often, trends in the previous year's yearling market dictates whether consignors are going to end the season in the red or in the black. Most would agree that the yearling and two-year-old markets are entirely different animals, with yearling sales giving buyers a limited view of prospective purchases, while juvenile sales offer a greater depth of information. But according to some, the people who are willing to spend millions on yearlings often come up gun shy when the two-year-old sales roll around in the spring time. "If you go to Keeneland in September, you have to line up for an hour to get coffee," said consignor Niall Brennan, who is offering 10 juveniles this year. "There are so many people who come from all over the world for the yearling sales, because traditionally that's the place to go. The million-dollar question is why aren't more of those buyers coming here?" Although organizations like the National Association of Two-year-old Consignors is throwing its weight, money and clout behind marketing in an effort to strengthen the juvenile position in the bigger picture, buyback rates still remain inflated at the two-year-old sales. "We're going to have to live with 40-percent buybacks, which means that you will sell six out of 10, and that is a hard way to make a living," explained Wavertree's Ciaran Dunne, who was responsible for three graded-stakes winners last year; Your Tent or Mine, Stream Cat and Effectual. "The thing is that you show a yearling off a 20-foot walk and it is easy to make a case for a multitude of horses. By the time they get to this level, we are much more exposed. You can take a \$150,000 yearling and it can become a million-dollar two-year-old, but it's also why a \$150,000 yearling suddenly becomes unwanted. Unfortunately, that's part of the game."



**Your Tent or Mine**

*Benoit photo*

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**Raising the Ante...**

With yearling averages hovering around the \$100,000 mark at Keeneland September in 2005, pinhookers have been feeling the squeeze to try and keep up with the pace. "The guys, who are buying for re-investment for the two-year-old sales, have to go at one pace and must invest their money at the rate that the yearlings are increasing in price," explained O & H Bloodstock's Terry Oliver. "I think that a lot of the guys have just made up their minds to buy better horses. And when you buy better horses, the risk goes up. The bottom line is that a lot of people have a lot of money in their horses, and it took its toll on them a little bit by the end of last year's two-year-old season, but I think as the two-year-old market catches back up to the yearling level, it will tend to level off."

According to Sequel Bloodstock's Becky Thomas, sometimes the hard-hitting players who frequent the top of the strong yearling market can help out those operating just below the highest rung. "You always have to adjust," said Thomas. "When you go to the yearling sales, maybe you have to pay more or maybe you have to buy more fillies, because that's what you can afford. Like at last year's Keeneland September sale over the first couple of days, there were such a high number of really awesome horses. That being said, just under those top horses, there were individuals that would be a great horse during the fifth day of the sale or at Fasig-Tipton. We were able to buy some of those horses. We bought four Storm Cats. Would we ever be able to buy Storm Cats? Sometimes, trends that make it harder for us to buy turn around and work in our favor." According to Dunne, the unpredictability of two-year-old market is what makes it unique. "Some years the stars align, and some years they don't," he said. "The market is such a way with the two-year-olds that when you get it right, you get it really right."



**Becky Thomas**  
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**Blazing the Way at OBS...**

The Hamm family doesn't rely on big numbers when it comes to trying to score at the two-year-old sales, but if the 2005 season is anything to go by, it appears that they don't have to. Wait a While, a filly they purchased for \$50,000 at the 2004 Keeneland September Sale, and pinhooked for \$260,000 at OBS February, looked like a good thing when she destroyed six others by 14 lengths in Saturday's GII Davona Dale S. at Gulfstream Park.



**Wait a While**  
Equi-Photo

Trained by Todd Pletcher, the three-year-old is a winner of three of five starts. One of a small but select two-horse consignment at last year's sale, the gray filly, who worked an eighth in a solid time of :10 3/5, realized the second-highest price for a filly. "It feels great to sell that kind of horse, because we're trying to sell good horses, so everyone has a good experience and, hopefully, they'll want to come back," said Tim Hamm. Blazing Meadows, the Hamm's full-fledged training operation located in Ocala, has also produced SW and GISP Too Much Bling, who the Hamms sold an interest in after he began his racing career. This year, the Hamm team is hoping to strike again with yet another two-horse entry at OBS, including [Hip 104](#), a Capote colt who recorded the fastest work of the second breeze session Feb. 5 when he covered an eighth in :10 1/5. "We liked his pedigree and he has a good dam sire [Time for a Change]," said Hamm, explaining what drew him to the colt. "He had some size, height, length and good scope to him to make us think that he would continue on. He's an April foal, and since we bought him in September [at Keeneland for \$45,000], he's put a lot of shoulder and hip on. We expect big things from him."

**In a New York State of Mind...**

Becky Thomas' Sequel Bloodstock has seen its share of success. Traditionally among the top consignors at the two-year-old sales, Thomas is carving a niche for her operation in the breeding arena. Well known for selling top ready-to-run juveniles, Thomas, who operates Lakland North Farm, is in the process of developing Sequel Bloodstock's breeding operation. "We try to keep our Empire bred on the east coast, so buyers can take advantage of the New York program," she commented.

Thomas is armed with a strong group of New York bred this year, including [Hip 121](#), a dark bay filly by Freud out of stakes-winner Mighty Emy. The Apr. 15 foal, who was bred in partnership by Lewis Lakin and Sequel, worked during the first session in :22 flat. "We are just trying to breed a good horse," said Thomas. "The most wonderful thing about breeding in New York is that extra money when they go back and run in New York. We're not just trying to breed for the sake of breeding in New York, we're trying to get them in the program. That gives us a bigger shot at going back to New York and collecting some of that money." Thomas has already reaped the rewards of raising a top-notch New York-bred with Behaving Badly, winner of the GI Santa Monica. "Good horses can run anywhere," she said. "As for this year's group, I think this is the best group of horses that we've had in the last three years."

**A New Ad-venture...**

No stranger to the two-year-old game, pinhooker Terry Oliver ventured into new territory for the current juvenile sales season by joining forces with the equally-experienced Bo Hunt to form O & H Bloodstock. Employed by Tony Bowling and Bobby Dodd for over 10 years, Oliver struck out on his own at the end of the last decade, and enjoyed plenty of success since, headed by the likes of GISW A.P. Adventure, who later sold for \$3.7 million at Keeneland November; and GSW Gradepoint and MGSW Private Vow. At the conclusion of last year's two-year-old sale season, Oliver purchased an interest in Hunt's Ocala Farm and the two have divided the responsibility equally. Hunt manages the farm operation and Oliver oversees the sales



**Private Vow**  
Adam Coglianesse

game. "The thing that drove me nuts last year is that you just can't be in two places at one time," explained Oliver. "The bottom line is that you drive yourself to a point, and eight years of it was all I could take. We train 50 to 75 horses a year and it's a full time job." And the solution? "It took a little bit of the day-to-day strain out by adding a vested partner to make things a little bit easier," he said. "We did this to spread the risk a little bit and we have a lot of nice horses on the farm and they need the same attention. These horses deserve to have 100 percent of my attention."



**Nominations Close Wednesday, February 22**

**\$750,000 Toyota Blue Grass Stakes (G1)**  
for three-year-olds to be run 1 1/8 miles on April 15

**\$500,000 Ashland Stakes (G1)**  
for three-year-old fillies to be run at 1 1/16 miles on April 8



**Hot Hand for Graham...**

Don R. Graham has become a regular on the South Florida sales scene. With a dozen two-year-olds split between OBS February and Fasig-Tipton Calder, and a few reserved for Fasig-Tipton Midlantic, Graham heads



**Spanish Chestnut**  
Benoit photo

into this year's sale fresh off a prosperous 2005 season. The consignor, who sold a Tale of the Cat filly for \$500,000 last year, was responsible for three graded-stakes winners in 2005; Spanish Chestnut, Brooke's Halo and Gold Storm. This year, Graham may have another star on his hands in [Hip 56](#), a filly by

Forest Camp who zipped an eighth in :10 flat during the first breeze session Jan. 30. Out of the In Reality mare Daggett, the bay is closely related to champion Smarty Jones. "I love the bottom side of the family, the Smarty Jones part of the pedigree," explained Graham, who purchased the filly for \$42,000 at last year's OBS August Sale. "As it turns out, [Forest Camp] has a horse on the West coast, Your Tent or Mine, who looks like he wants to go a distance of ground. So with Smarty Jones on the bottom side of her pedigree, I don't think distance will be a problem for her." According to Graham, OBS caught the filly going :20 4/5 for the quarter. "That was quite impressive," he said adding, "And several people caught her galloping out in :33 2/5. She's the real deal." With runners like Hip 56 in his barn, can Graham expect 2006 to top 2005? "I think so," he said. "Overall, top to bottom, given the times that my horses worked here [Jan. 30], I think this is the best group I've had. As far as athleticism goes, I think these babies are pretty athletic. We feel very blessed." The times for Graham's other consignees are :10 1/5 [[Hip 149](#)]; :10 2/5 [[Hip 2](#), [Hip 182](#), [Hip 108](#)]; and :10 3/5 [[Hip 153](#)].

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☆ **HIP HAPPENINGS** ☆

**Hip 126, f, Salt Lake--More Likely, by Housebuster**  
*Consigned by Paul Sharp, Agent I*

From the family of Gill Rare Treat H. winner With a Twist, the filly recorded the fastest quarter-mile work of :21 2/5 during the first breeze. "I liked her conformation and she had a very elegant walk," said Paul Sharp of his \$55,000 FTKJUL yearling purchase. "Since then, she has matured very rapidly and she still has a big beautiful walk. She has been training forwardly."

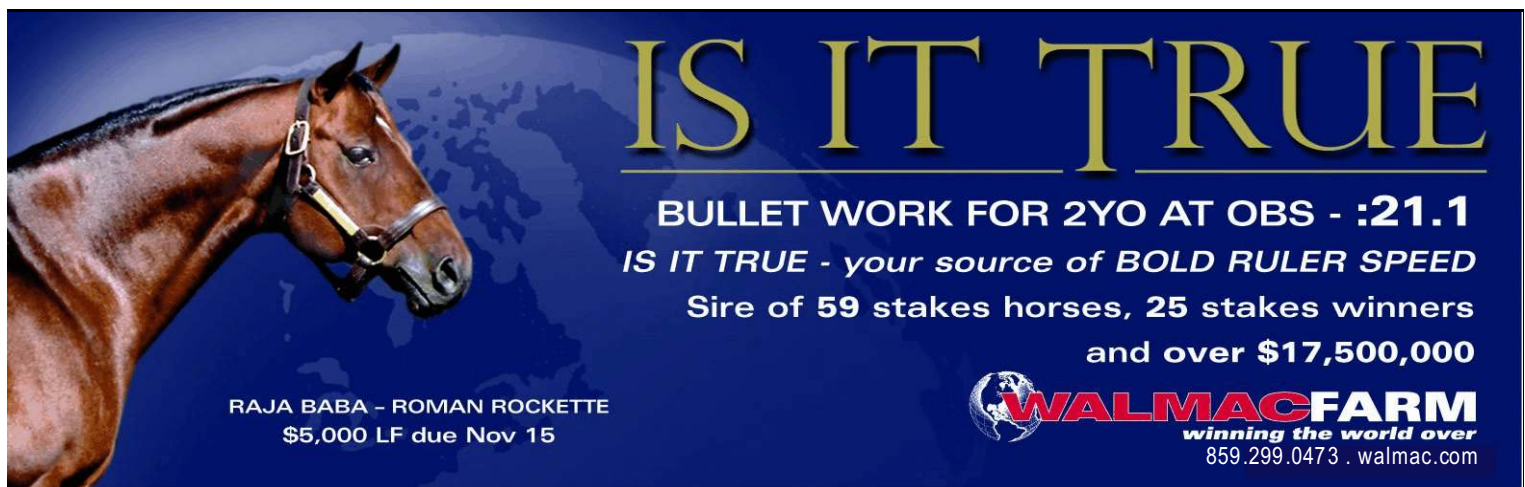
**Hip 154, c, Pulpit--Queens Wild, by Spectacular Bid**  
*Consigned by O & H Bloodstock, Agent II*

Sporting a crisp :10 2/5 work during the first session, this son of Claiborne stallion Pulpit combines two of America's most influential breeding farms during the end of the last century with the help of Rokeby Stable's blue hen mare Wild Applause. The famed Northern Dancer mare, a multiple graded stakes winner and Grade I-stakes-placed, is the dam of GISW Eastern Echo and graded-stakes winners Yell, Roar, and Blare of Trumpets, as well as Queens Wild, the dam of this colt. A Maryland-bred, the Apr. 15 colt was a \$90,000 purchase at last year's Keeneland September Yearling sale.

**Hip 98, c, Forest Camp--Holy Love, by Holy Bull**  
*Consigned by Wavertree Stables Inc. (Ciaran Dunne), Agent I*

The \$140,000 Keeneland November weanling purchase looked good in a sharp :10 1/5 move at the first Calder breeze show Jan. 30 and gives consignor Ciaran Dunne reason to believe that he can deliver. "He's got it all," said Dunne. "He's a big stretchy horse, brilliantly fast and very sound. And he's by a horse that looks like he'll really be a good stallion." Out of the unraced Holy Bull mare Holy Love, the Apr. 18 colt is a grandson of Graded stakes winner and stakes-producer Love's Exchange.

Hip Happenings cont.



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**Hip 52, f, Grand Slam--Cosa Lucinante, by Capote**  
*Consigned by Niall Brennan, Agent I*

Despite her late foaling date, this daughter of Grand Slam appears to have advanced by leaps and bounds over the course of the fall and winter. Purchased for \$130,000 at the Keeneland September Yearling sale, the Apr. 29 foal is from the family of Above the Stars, dam of a string of winners, including GIII Bay Meadows Oaks winner Katilac Ofthestars. During the first preview, the bay recorded the second-fastest work of the day, zipping through an eighth of a mile in :10 1/5. "She's a lovely filly and worked exceptionally well," said consignor Niall Brennan. "She has a good pedigree and is very sound. I expect her to sell really well."

**Hip 50, c, Yes It's True--Color Unlimited, by Houston**  
*Consigned by Sequel Bloodstock (Becky Thomas), Agent*

The Apr. 20 foal breezed during the first under tack show, completing a quarter mile in :22 1/5, but kicked his game up a notch during the second preview when he covered the same distance in :21 3/5. By the promising Padua stallion Yes It's True, winner of the GI Frank J. DeFrancis Memorial Dash S. and sire of GISW Proud Accolade, the bay is out of the stakes-producing mare Color Unlimited.

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**WORLD SERIES ON HOLD** There will be no official World Series this year after the Committee of the World Racing Championships announced that the innovation faces a review. While the idea of a points-based system has suffered blows in recent times with the withdrawal of Emirates sponsorship and the death of Chairman Michael Osborne in December, the WRC and International Federation of Horseracing Authorities remain committed to awarding the merit of international performers. Horse Racing Ireland's Chief Executive Brian Kavanagh commented, "As our member organizations look forward, we must provide a sharper focus on world rankings and recognition that can be widely tracked and accepted by the entire racing world. While no timetable is set for a relaunch of the World Racing Championships in a new format, the members will continue their full commitment and cooperation to showcase international competition at its highest levels in racing. In the meantime, the World Racing Championships logo will continue to be used by member organizations to demonstrate their continuing association and commitment." The World Racing Championships, which is a joint venture to promote a coherent link between the top international races, involves Horse Racing Ireland, Arlington Park Racecourse, Ascot Racecourse, the Baden Baden Internationaler Club, Breeders' Cup, France Galop, Hong Kong Jockey Club, Japan Racing Association, Moonee Valley Racing Club, Singapore Turf Club and the Woodbine Entertainment Group.

**What They're Saying At The Sales...**

"It appears there are tremendously nice horses here, conformation wise. There are many outstandingly conformed and very athletic horses. There should be a horse for every type of buyer here."  
*Consignor Paul Sharp*

"The market has been going up steadily over the last few years and I think it'll be another strong sale again this year. If you see enough of the right buyers here and there's a very select amount of horses here, about 150 are going to sell, I think it should be a good sale."  
*Consignor Tim Hamm, Blazing Meadows*



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Saturday, Kokura, Japan

**KOKURA DAISHOTEN-G3-JRA (Listed)**, ¥78,180,000, Kokura, 2-4, 4yo/up, 1800mT, 1:47.20, fm.

1--**MEJIRO MEYER (JPN)**, 119, h, 7, by **Sakura Bakushin 0 (Jpn)**

1st Dam: **Mejiro El Nath (Jpn)**, by **Soccer Boy (Jpn)**

2nd Dam: **Courage (Jpn)**, by **Yamaninsky (Jpn)**

3rd Dam: **Kei Faber (Jpn)**, by **Faberge II (Fr)**

O-Mejiro B; B-Mejiro Stud; T-Yoshiyasu Tajima; J-Yuga Kawada; ¥41,616,000. Lifetime Record: 27-6-5-4.

2--**Eishin Dover**, 119, c, 4, Victory Gallop--Eishin Georgia, by Kris S. O-Toyomitsu Hirai; B-Columbiana Farm; T-Saburo Yuasa; ¥16,176,000.

3--**Meisho Kaido (Jpn)**, 130, h, 7, Scan--Kinsen Glory (Jpn), by Hittite Glory (GB). O-Yoshio Matsumoto; B-Masashi Morinaga; T-Masahiro Sakaguchi; ¥10,088,000.

Margins: HF, 1 3/4, 1 1/4. Odds: 41.70, 2.90, 3.50.

Given little chance to succeed at 42-1, rank outsider Mejiro Meyer stole away on the front end and never looked back en route to the half-length tally over favored Eishin Dover. "He was in good form today," said winning jockey Yuga Kawada. "He never gave up until the finish. I am happy to win a graded-stakes race." Winner of the G3 Kisaragi Sho in 2002, Mejiro Meyer added a pair of victories the following year before being sidelined for 18 months. Off the bench, he was well beaten when 14th in December's G3 Chunichi Shimbun Hai and was also 14th last out in the Final S., leading to boxcar odds in this test. Kawada hustled Mejiro Meyer out from the inside draw in a 16-horse affair and the pair made every pole a winning one.

Sunday, Kyoto, Japan

**SILK ROAD S.-G3-JRA (Listed)**, ¥78,130,000, Kyoto, 2-5, 4yo/up, 1200mT, 1:08.90, fm.

1--**TAMAMO HOT PLAY (JPN)**, 123, h, 5, by **Fuji Kiseki (Jpn)**

1st Dam: **Hot Play (Jpn)**, by **Northern Taste**

2nd Dam: **Dyna Hot (Jpn)**, by **Dictus (Fr)**

3rd Dam: **Royal Sash (GB)**, by **Princely Gift (GB)**

O-Tamamo K; B-Shinsei Bokujo; T-Katsumi Minai; J-Kunihiko Watanabe; ¥41,581,000. Lifetime Record: 20-5-0-2.

2--**Meiner Albion (Jpn)**, 119, c, 4, Meiner Love--Golden Botan (Jpn), by Dancer's Image. O-K Thoroughbred Club Ruffian; B-Sadanori Murashita; T-Yoshihiro Hatakeyama; ¥16,166,000.

3--**I'll Love Again (Jpn)**, 119, c, 4, El Condor Pasa--Tokio Reality, by Meadowlake. O-Yomoji Saito; B-Northern Farm; T-Takahisa Tezuka; ¥10,083,000. Margins: HD, 3/4, HD. Odds: 8.00, 9.00, 2.20.

Tamamo Hot Play secured his second graded success with this victory. Winless since the 2004 G2 Swan S., he missed the board in seven subsequent starts before showing signs of life with a second in the Andromeda S. in November. He regressed with a ninth in the Yodo Tankyori S. last out, but was in a winning mood Sunday, rallying from the middle of the pack and sprinting home a head in advance of Meiner Albion. "If he's not in the mood to race, he won't get on the bit," said winning jockey Kunihiko Watanabe. "So I tried to keep him concentrated today." The rider said it was an especially sweet victory for him, explaining, "It's been two years since my last graded win, so I'm very happy."

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Sunday, Tokyo, Japan

**KYODO NEWS SERVICE HAI-G3-JRA (Listed),**  
 ¥81,080,000, Tokyo, 2-5, 3yo, 1800mT, 1:48.40, fm.

1--**ADMIRE MOON (JPN)**, 125, c, 3, by End Sweep

1st Dam: My Katies (Jpn), by Sunday Silence

2nd Dam: Katies First, by Kris (GB)

3rd Dam: Katies (Ire), by Nonoalco

O-Riichi Kondo; B-Northern Farm; T-Hiroyoshi Matsuda; J-Yutaka Take; ¥42,406,000. Lifetime Record: 5-4-1-0.

2--**FUSAICHI RICHARD (Jpn)**, 125, c, 3, Kurofune--Fusaichi Airedale (Jpn), by Sunday Silence. O-Fusaro Sekiguchi; B-Northern Farm; T-Kunihide Matsuda; ¥17,116,000.

3--**MATCHLESS VALOR (Jpn)**, 123, c, 3, French Deputy--Match the Pieces (Jpn), by Jade Robbery. O-Sunday Racing Co Ltd; B-Northern Farm; T-Kiyoshi Hagiwara; ¥11,058,000.

Margins: HF, 3/4, HF. Odds: 1.80, 1.00, 8.50.

Admire Moon, the second choice behind last year's JRA two-year-old champion colt Fusaichi Richard, rebounded from his only loss in December to stage the mild upset. Admire Moon began his career with three straight wins, including the G3 Sapporo Nisai S. and G3 Sapporo Kinen, but tasted defeat for the first time in December's G3 Radio Tampa Hai Nisai S. Offered a good chance against last year's G1 Futurity S. winner Fusaichi Richard, Admire Moon was settled in a mid-pack position under champion jockey Yutaka Take, who was aboard for the first time. Take opted for the overland route, and his charge responded with a methodic bid that put him in command in the stretch. The favorite put in a game run late, but couldn't catch Admire Moon. "It was my first time riding him, but he is a good horse," said Take. "He answered me well."

Sunday, Valparaíso, Chile

**CLASICO EL DERBY-G1**, \$40,000 to winner, Valparaíso Sporting Club, 2-5, 3yo, 2400mT, 2:24.78, gd.

1--**PORFIDO (CHI)**, 128, c, 3, by Mash One (Chi)

1st Dam: Piazza Venecia (Chi), by Roy

2nd Dam: Helty (Chi), by Hawk II (Brz)

3rd Dam: Lustrosa (Chi), by L'Exile (Ger)

O-Stud Sumaya; B-Haras Sumaya; T-Jorge Inda; J-Luis Torres; \$40,000. Lifetime Record: 13-7-0-4, \$131,223. \* 1/2 to National Park (Chi) (Hussonet), Co-Ch. 2yo Colt-Chi, MG1SW-Chi.

2--**TRES PÚBLICOS (Chi)**, 128, c, 3, Chantilly (Chi)--Tres Bancas (Chi), by Hussonet. O-Stud La Poza; B/T-Patricio Baeza.

3--**DOCTOR SI (Chi)**, 128, c, 3, Bernstein--Doctorcilla (Arg), by Ahmad (Arg). O-Stud El Sheik; B-Haras El Sheik; T-Carlos Vásquez.

Margins: 2 3/4, 5HF, 1 3/4. Odds: 2.40, 1.70, 3.00.

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## PEDIGREE INSIGHTS

BY ANDREW CAULFIELD

**Saturday, Santa Anita**

**STRUB S.-GII**, \$300,000, SAX, 2-4, 4yo, 1 1/8m, 1:49, ft.

1--**HIGH LIMIT, 121, c, 4**, by [Maria's Mon](#)

**1st Dam: Known Romance, by Known Fact**

**2nd Dam: Spa Romance, by Saratoga Six**

**3rd Dam: Intentional Move, by Tentam**

(\$145,000 yrl '03 KEESEP). O-Gary & Mary West Stables Inc; B-Brookfield Farm (KY); T-Robert J Frankel; J-P Valenzuela; \$180,000. Lifetime Record: GISP, 11-5-1-1, \$862,500.

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Bearing in mind that victory in the GI Champagne S. had been followed by the Eclipse Award for two-year-old male in 13 of the previous 24 years, the 1995 Champagne stood a pretty good chance of confirming the year's top juvenile. Among the contenders were two previous Grade I winners in Hennessy and Maria's Mon, and some extra spice was added by the presence of the impressive Unbridled's Song, a wide-margin Saratoga maiden winner of his only previous start.

In the event, the race proved a bit of an anti-climax, as there was only one horse in it at the finish--Maria's Mon--who stretched away by nearly four lengths to record his fourth victory in five starts.

Then, nine days later, Maria's Mon suffered a non-displaced condylar fracture to his left-fore ankle, which left the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile at the mercy of his vanquished rivals from the Champagne. Unbridled's Song took the Juvenile by a neck from Hennessy, as Maria's Mon began a recovery which was expected to be complete before the Triple Crown.

The son of Wavering Monarch duly collected the Eclipse Award, but his recovery wasn't as speedy as had originally been hoped.

He didn't have his first breeze of 1996 until May 18, the day that Louis Quatorze won the Preakness S. Trainer Rick Schosberg suggested that the Travers could be his first major target, but it wasn't to be. A bruised frog delayed his comeback and he could finish only second when he finally reappeared, in a Belmont allowance July 17. After a disappointing sixth in the GII Jim Dandy S., an announcement soon followed that Maria's Mon was being retired to Pin Oak Stud, with the announcement citing problems associated to his earlier injury to his left-fore.


Injury therefore effectively robbed Maria's Mon of his chance of following in the illustrious footsteps of numerous previous winners of the Champagne S., such as Riva Ridge, Foolish Pleasure, Seattle Slew, Alydar, Spectacular Bid, Forty Niner, Easy Goer, Sea Hero and Timber Country.

An unproductive sophomore season also can't have helped the stallion prospects of a colt who already labored under the handicap of being the only Grade I winner ever sired by Wavering Monarch. Consequently, Maria's Mon's opening fee was set as low as \$7,500, compared to the \$30,000 charged for the services of Hennessy and Unbridled's Song.

With a background like this, there was every chance that Maria's Mon--like so many of today's stallions--would struggle to maintain breeders' interest beyond his first and second seasons, unless he rapidly came up with the goods.

That is exactly what appears to have happened. Although Pin Oak did a good job of maintaining numbers throughout his first four years, those first four crops varied considerably.

Maria's Mon got off to a magnificent start with his first foals, born in 1998. Among his 72 named foals were three graded winners and six other stakes winners, for an eye-catching 12.5 percent. Leading the way was Monarchos, winner of the GI Florida Derby and GI Kentucky Derby in the first half of 2001. There was also a top winner among the stakes winners from his second crop in See How She Runs, who notched the GI Selene S. at Woodbine. Cont.



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By LAUREN STICH, DAILY RACING FORM, 31ST JAN. 2006.

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**Caulfield cont.**

Then the doldrums set in. A smaller third crop failed to produce a single stakes winner and neither of the American stakes winners from his fourth crop won or placed at graded level.

Fortunately, the emergence of Ilusoria, Lady Andromeda, Silver Tornado, Wedlock, Lil Punkindo and Wander Mom among Maria's Mon's dozen first-crop juvenile winners made breeders sit up and take notice. This, quickly followed by Monarchos' highly encouraging exploits, resulted in a strong fifth crop, conceived at an increased fee of \$12,500 in 2001. And with his fee raised to \$35,000 from 2002, we can surely expect Maria's Mon's later crops to outshine their predecessors.

The first five weeks of 2006 have seen this happening. High Limit and Gaff, two four-year-olds from his fifth crop, have won at graded level and so have the three-year-olds Cause To Believe and Wait A While. That fifth crop had already produced two other graded winners in Watchmon and Whimsy, as well as the talented Monarch Lane. The chances are that there will be more graded winners to come from the 2003 crop, as Maria's Mon's three Triple Crown entrants include Latent Heat, an impressive maiden winner at Santa Anita in January.

High Limit was gaining his third success at Grade II level when he ran out a very smooth winner of the Strub S. Saturday, and he is clearly going the right way now. A bright future also awaits Wait A While, even if the sloppy track might have contributed to the ease of her 14-length victory in Saturday's GII Davona Dale S.

Monarch Lane, the GII Illinois Derby second-place finisher who made an impressive return from a long layoff at Gulfstream in January, as well as High Limit, both have In Reality's son Known Fact as their broodmare sire. Valid Appeal, another son of In Reality, figures as the broodmare sire of the stakes-winning sisters Cauby and Maria's Mirage, while Maria's Mon's only foal out of an In Reality mare is the stakes-winning Saskya. This adds up to a very profitable partnership.

However, the most interesting aspect of High Limit's pedigree is that his dam Known Romance is inbred 3x4 to Intentionally and 2x4 to that outstanding mare Tamerett.

Tamerett, a half-sister to Sharpen Up's once-raced sire Atan, produced only eight foals, but five of them were stakes winners. Two of these five, Tamtent and Tentam, were by Intentionally, while another, Known Fact, was by Intentionally's son In Reality. It was Tentam who sired High Limit's successful third dam Intentional Move, who produced the Grade I-winning Dance Teacher and the Grade II winner Gold Mover.

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Tentam--something of a forgotten name these days--was as versatile as he was talented. As a four-year-old he proved capable of winning the Met Mile on dirt and the United Nations H. over 1 3/16 miles on turf. Tentam sired only 213 named foals during his short innings at Windfields Farm, but 35 of them became stakes winners and his AEI stood at an impressive 2.93. It therefore made good sense to try to replicate the excellence of Known Fact and Tentam by combining these close relatives in a pedigree.

**HIGH LIMIT, c, 2002**

<b>Maria's Mon</b>	Wavering Monarch	Majestic Light	Majestic Prince
		Uncommitted	Irradiate
	Carlotta Maria	Caro (Ire)	Buckpasser
		Water Malone	Lady Be Good
<b>Known Romance</b> unraced 5Fs, 1GSW	Known Fact	In Reality	Fortino (Fr)
		Tamerett	Chambord (GB)
	Spa Romance 11-1-10, \$14,035 9Fs, 1SW	Saratoga Six	Naskra
		Intentional Move	Gray Matter
			Intentionally
			My Dear Girl
		Tim Tam	
		Mixed Marriage	
		Alydar	
		Priceless Fame	
		Tentam	
		Lunar Dancer	

Although Maria's Mon wasn't able to show how far he stayed, he had plenty of stamina in his pedigree. His grandsires, Majestic Light and Caro, both stayed a mile and a half, and his second dam, Water Malone, gained one of her Grade II wins over a mile and a quarter.

A mature High Limit should also stay a mile and a quarter, but he doesn't lack speed and neither did Maria's Mon, whose first stakes victory came over six furlongs in the Gill Sanford S.

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**SILVER WAGON TO TRY TURF IN APPLETON**

**Silver Wagon** (Wagon Limit), winner of the 2003 GI Hopeful S., is scheduled to make his turf debut in Saturday's GIII Appleton H. at Gulfstream Park. The five-year-old, runner-up to Ghostzapper in last year's GI Metropolitan H., breezed seven-eighths of a mile on the grass in 1:26 Jan. 25 and came back with a bullet five-furlong work on the dirt yesterday in 1:01.00. "Sometimes when you switch a horse to the grass, it wakes them up a little mentally," trainer Ralph Ziadie said of Silver Wagon, who found the winner's circle just once from nine starts last season. "I don't really know how he'll respond, but I want to him to get that chance," Ziadie added. "Who knows? He may not like it at all and if that's case, we'll put him back on the main track. But we want to give it a try. I just hope the weather is good so we can find out."

★ **GULFSTREAM** ★

**Yesterday's Results:**

**8th-GPX, \$38,610, Alw, Opt. Clm.** (\$100,000), NW4X, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:40 2/5, fm.

**OLAYA** (f, 4, **Theatrical {Ire}**--Solaia {SW & GSP-Eng}, by Miswaki) had not been seen since earning a game neck win in the Nov. 5 GII Long Island H. in her U.S. debut. Sent off the even-money choice in a field shortened to four by scratches, the bay filly chased pacesetter Ready's Gal (More Than Ready) into the lane, then powered past that rival along the rail in deep stretch en route to a 3/4-length victory. Lifetime Record: GSW-US & SW-Fr, 10-4-2-1, \$184,475.

O-Prince Faisal Salman. B-Belgrave Bloodstock (KY). T-H Graham Motion.

**10th-GPX, \$32,000, Msw, 4yo, 1 1/8mT, 1:46 3/5, fm.**

**LEADWITHYOURCHIN** (c, 4, **Dynaformer**--**Deux Danseuses, by Deputy Minister**) was third over the Calder lawn Dec. 5 before making his lone main-track appearance when third in a Jan. 19 one-mile Gulfstream maiden last time out. Let go at 8-1, the bay colt was last in the early going, but unleashed a potent stretch run and stormed clear to an easy 6 1/4-length victory over League of Nations (A.P. Indy). The winner was a \$210,000 KEESEP yearling. Wall Street (Fusaichi Pegasus), making his first turf start, was never a factor and finished 10th. First-time starter Hot Dogger (El Prado {Ire}) broke down a few strides before the wire. Lifetime Record: 9-1-0-2, \$29,246.

O-Barry K Schwartz. B-Gregory Hawkins (KY). T-Michael E Hushion.

★ **CARIBBEAN** ★

**Sunday's Late Results:**

**ANTONIO R MATOS S.-G1-PR** (Listed), \$67,200, ELC, 2-5, 3yo, f, 1 1/16m, 1:49, ft.

1--#**ELABORADORA, 116, f, 3, by Eqtesaad**

1st Dam: **Miss Mandela, by Once Ivor**

2nd Dam: **Silent Stash, by Silent Screen**

3rd Dam: **Stowe, by \*Royal Serenade**

O-Caridad Inc; B-Enrique R Ubarri (PR); T-Maximo Gomez; J-Juan Diaz Rodriguez; \$40,320. Lifetime Record: 11-3-4-4, \$93,880.

2--**Palma Real, 116, f, 3, King's Crown**--Another Copelan, by Copelan. O-Silent Stable Inc; B-Potrero Luna, Inc (PR); T-Sammy Garcia; \$13,440.

3--**Reina Musical, 116, f, 3, King Cugat**--Music Row, by Java Gold. O-J C Racing; B-Jimenez Jorge R (PR); T-Ramon Morales; \$6,720.

Margins: NK, 1, 2 3/4. Odds: 2.50, 8.15, 4.40.

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## ★ EAST ★

### Trainer Don Rice Gets 30 Days for "Milkshaking":

Don Rice, a six-time leading trainer at Tampa Bay Downs, has been suspended for 30 days and denied privileges of the grounds after having two of his trainees test positive for an excess amount of alkaline agents during the last week. The Oldsmar racetrack began testing for the alkaline agents using total Carbon Dioxide in January. "We were concerned with the possibility of 'milkshaking' within the racing community," said Vice President and General Manager Peter Berube. "We implemented the testing so that we could set forth a level playing field for the horsemen and the wagering public and a safe environment for the competing horses and the overall integrity of the sport."

### Christmas Strike Tops F-T Midlantic Winter Mixed Sale:

**Christmas Strike** (Smart Strike), in foal to Lion Hearted, topped yesterday's Fasig-Tipton Midlantic Winter Mixed Sale in Timonium, Maryland. The eight-year-old mare, sold as [hip 28](#), was consigned by Charlton, agent, and was purchased for \$39,000 by Tower Hill Farm. Out of Christmas Gift (Green Desert), Christmas Strike is a half sister to Bright Candles (El Gran Senor), the dam of Grand Slam and Leestown. The sale topper is the dam of multiple stakes placed No Passing Zone (Pleasant Tap). During the one-session sale, Fasig-Tipton sold 117 horses for a total of \$514,700 and an average of \$4,399. The median was \$2,000. Those figures are down from last year's auction, when 112 horses sold for \$807,900 and an average of \$7,213. The 2005 median was \$4,000.

## ★ INDUSTRY INFO ★

### Breeders' Cup Logo Introduced:

The official logo for the 23rd Breeders' Cup World Thoroughbred Championships was released yesterday by Breeders' Cup Ltd. and the National Thoroughbred Racing Association. This year's running will take place at Churchill Downs Nov. 4. The historic racetrack also hosted the event in 1988, 1991, 1994, 1998 and 2000. "The 2006 event logo combines the Twin Spires of Churchill Downs, one of the great signature elements in sports, with the greatest international day of Thoroughbred racing," said Damon Thayer, vice president of Breeders' Cup Event Management. "We look forward to displaying the logo widely throughout the Commonwealth of Kentucky and to our international outlets."



## ★ AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS ★

### IN JAPAN:

**Fusaichi Dinosaur**, c, 3, **Grand Slam**--Ring Star (MSW, \$178,106), by Great Gladiator. Sonoda, 2-1, Myokenyama Tokubetsu, 7f. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$10,084. O-Fusao Sekiguchi; B-Windways Farm Limited; T-Hideyuki Mori.

**Red Award**, c, 3, **Red Ransom**--Awwaliya (GB), by Distant Relative (Ire). Tokyo, 2-4, Novice Race, 8f. Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-0, \$65,546. O-Southnia Inc; B-Budget Stable; T-Kazuo Fujisawa. \*Always prominent, he accelerated powerfully 200 meters out and drew clear to win by four lengths. "He was very relaxed and answered me well," said winning rider Hiroshi Kiamura. "He has learned a lot about racing."

**Lee Sam Weapon**, h, 5, **Crafty Prospector**--Flyfisher, by Riverman. Kyoto, 2-5, Hcp., 6f. Lifetime Record: 21-4-3-1, \$567,395. O-Osamu Hirata; B-Dunchurch Lodge Stud; T-Yoshiyasu Tajima. \*\$60,000 wnlg '01 KEENOV; \$140,000 2yo '03 BESMAR. \*\*Moved to the outside, he surged late and won by a neck. "He did not have any problem with the kick-back," said winning jockey Katusmi Ando. "And he picked it up well when I asked him in the stretch."

**Wild Shout**, h, 5, **Rahy**--Head East (GISP-US, \$182,280), by Gone West. Kyoto, 2-5, Plate Race, 6fT. Lifetime Record: 22-4-7-2, \$577,899. O-Koji Maeda; B-Pollock Farms; T-Masamichi Wada. \*\$135,000 wnlg '01 KEENOV. \*\*Forged to the lead in upper stretch and dug in late to prevail by a neck.

### JAPANESE WINNER BY U.S. SIRE:

+ **Chiffon Veil** (Jpn), f, 3, **El Prado** (Ire)--Sin for Me, by Time for a Change. Kyoto, 2-5, Maiden Race, 6f. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$58,824. O-Shadai Race Horse; B-Shadai Farm; T-Toru Miya. \*Full to Water Polaris, SP-Jpn, \$331,154.

### IN BRITAIN:

**Parkview Love**, g, 5, **Mister Baileys** (GB)--Jerre Jo Glanville (SP-US), by Skywalker. Wolverhampton, Britain, 2-6, Hcp, 4yo/up, 9f 103yds (AWT). B-Mark Johnston Racing Ltd. \*SW-Eng. \*\*5,000gns yrl '02 TATOCT; 18,000gns HIT '04 TATHIT; 60,000 HIT '04 DONLIN.

### STAKES CLOSINGS

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**BREEDING CAPITAL LAUNCHED** Some of the bloodstock world's leading figures are massing together in a new enterprise named Breeding Capital, which will act as a high-level investment fund. Watership Down Stud's General Manager Simon Marsh and bloodstock agents Charlie Gordon-Watson and Michael Youngs have joined forces with the renowned stockbroker Christopher Holdsworth Hunt, who is the chairman and fund manager, and William Sporborg, who will act as managing director. Centering around the purchase of a select band of high-profile broodmares, the venture is to be aimed at financial investors from outside the bloodstock world as well as some from within and is to be regulated by the Financial Services Authority. As the bloodstock director, Marsh will oversee the purchase internationally of six or seven broodmares--making up approximately 65 percent of the capital--and 15 percent other bloodstock, with the horses to be based mainly at Watership Down and New England Stud in Britain, Kiltinan Stud in Ireland, Lane's End Farm in Kentucky and Paca Paca Farm in Japan. Gordon-Watson and Youngs will act as consultants on the purchase of broodmares and the fund's other activities, which will include the pinhooking of foals or yearlings, reselling racehorses abroad and dealing in stallion shares. The bloodstock will be bought over the next two years and produce of the mares will be sold primarily at the major yearling auctions up until 2010, when the decision will be made as to whether to list, sell or wind up the fund. According to the *Racing Post*, current shareholders in the operation, which will benefit from 20-percent tax relief under the Enterprise Investment Scheme, include Lady Lloyd Webber and Johnny and Roger Weatherby.

★ EUROPEAN-BRED WINNERS ★

**JAPANESE WINNERS BY EUROPEAN SIRES:**  
**Niagara (Jpn)**, c, 3, **Fantastic Light**--Reve d'Oscar (Fr) (G1SW-Fr & G1SP-Ity, \$261,761), by Highest Honor (Fr). Kyoto, 2-4, Plate Race, 9f. Lifetime Record: 3-2-1-0, \$124,370. O-Makoto Kaneko Holdings; B-Northern Farm; T-Yasuo Ikee.  
**B of the Bang (Jpn)**, c, 3, **King's Best**--Seazun (Ire) (G1SW-Eng, \$184,773), by Zieten. Kokura, 2-4, Novice Race, 9fT. Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-0, \$65,126. O-Makoto Kaneko Holdings; B-Northern Farm; T-Kunihide Matsuda.

The **brisnet.com** 'Race of the Day' is the **10th Race, \$39,200 Allowance, at Sunland.** For pps and a complete race analysis, click [here](#).

**ALLOWANCE RESULTS:**  
**8th-BMX, \$39,260**, 2-5, NW1X, 4yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:03 4/5, ft.  
**BUBBLES AGAIN (m, 5, Tychonic {GB}--Blowing Bubbles, by Forceten)** Lifetime Record: 14-5-0-5, \$118,402. O-Scott Sherwood. B-Edward Allred (CA). T-Brian J Koriner.  
**8th-OPX, \$36,000**, 2-5, Opt. Clm. (\$50,000), NW3X, 4yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:39 3/5, ft.  
**DADDY'S PETUNIA (m, 5, Run Softly--Loyal, by Lord Avie)** Lifetime Record: 23-4-3-3, \$123,338. O-Robert C Cartwright. B-Pegasus Stud & Ledglands LLC (KY). T-Bobby C Barnett.  
**10th-CTX, \$33,000**, 2-4, NW2X, 4yo/up, f/m, 7f, 1:26 1/5, sy.  
**ALASKA ASH (m, 5, Wesham--Versatile Keys, by Dewan Keys)** Lifetime Record: SW, 22-4-5-4, \$195,844. O-Sheri S Perry. B/T-Lawrence E Perry Jr (WV).

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7th-SUN, \$26,500, 2-5, NW3L, 4yo/up, 6f, 1:10 2/5, ft.

**SPANISH HIGHWAY** (h, 5, Cahill Road--Prado's Joy, by El Prado {Ire}) Lifetime Record: SW, 25-3-5-3, \$104,865. O/B-David & Elaine Parks (WA). T-Bill Tollett.

9th-PHA, \$24,905, NW2X, 4yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:45 2/5, ft.

**POCOMOONSHINE** (g, 4, [Malibu Moon](#)--Summell, by Summing) Lifetime Record: 13-3-6-1, \$88,715. O-Ellendale Racing. B-Ellen Dale Racing LLC (PA). T-Ramon Preciado.

9th-SUN, \$24,300, 2-5, NW2L, 4yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10 3/5, ft.

**NO END IN SIGHT** (f, 4, Straight Man--Burmese, by Geiger Counter) Lifetime Record: 8-2-2-0, \$57,300. O-Heiligbrodt Racing Stable. B-Sez Who Thoroughbreds (FL). T-Steven M Asmussen.

10th-PHA, \$21,000, NW1X, 4yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:18 4/5, ft.

**LIGHTS OUT LEWIE** (f, 4, General Royal--Mirasol, by Secretariat) Lifetime Record: 15-3-1-6, \$56,730. O-Larry Ciletti & Ronald Glorioso. B-Dan Dressel (KY). T-Ronald S Glorioso. \*\$22,000 wlng '02 KEENOV.

**ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**

**Valid Concorde**, f, 3, Concorde's Tune--Valid Silk (SW, \$114,760), by Valid Appeal. GPX, 2-6, (C), 6f, 1:11 2/5. B-E Paul Robsham (FI).

**Arlene**, f, 3, Game Plan--Lisbona, by His Majesty. SAX, 2-5, (S), 1mT, 1:36 3/5. B-Royal Match Stud, Inc (Ca). \*\$10,000 yrl '04 WASDEC.

**Rittenhouse Dancer**, c, 4, [Meadowlake](#)--South Sea Dancer (MSP), by Northern Dancer. PHA, 2-6, 5 1/2f, 1:05 2/5. B-Black Type Stud Pty Ltd (Ky). \*1/2 to Signal Tap (Fappiano), MGSW & GISP, \$429,108.

**SO. HEMISPHERE WINNERS BY U.S. SIRE:**

**Pelagic (NZ)**, c, 3, [Fusaichi Pegasus](#)--Barents Sea, by Sea Hero. Te Rapa (Auckland), 2-4, Mdn, 3yo/up, 1mT. B-A R Galbraith & Waitaria Holdings Ltd

**More Than Lucky (Aus)**, f, 3, [More Than Ready](#)--Cerebella (NZ), by Centro (NZ). Randwick (Sydney), 2-4, Hcp, 3yo, 1 1/8mT. B-Mr R Mortimer.

**Biscayne Bay (Aus)**, g, 3, [Stravinsky](#)--Mont Tremblant, by St. Jovite. Flemington (Melbourne), 2-4, Hcp, 3yo, 5 1/2fT. B-J Cameron.

**All Bar One (Aus)**, c, 4, [Hennessy](#)--Max's Sister, by Phone Trick. Doomben (Brisbane), 2-4, Hcp, 3yo/up, 6fT. B-Ascot Breeding Partnership.



**SOPHOMORE SPOTLIGHT**

**Stakes/First-time Starters to Watch: Tuesday, Feb. 7**

*Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 2002 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/SW Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)*

**ALBERT THE GREAT** (Go for Gin), Three Chimneys, \$10K, 125/17/0 9-PHA, Alw, 1 1/16m, Captain John, \$15K EAS MAY 2yo, 15-1  
**CONSCIENCE CLEAR** (Relaunch), Martin, \$1000, 23/2/0 4-MNR, Msw, 6f, Rememberinjonathon, \$47K TEX MAR 2yo  
**DELAWARE TOWNSHIP** (Notebook), Padua, \$7K, 84/13/2 6-PHA, Msw, 5 1/2f, Dela Doll, 10-1  
**DISCO RICO** (Citidancer), Murmur, \$4K, 74/5/2 6-PHA, Msw, 5 1/2f, Silk 'n Sass, 5-1  
**PIKEPASS** (Forty Niner), Spendthrift, \$8K, 116/8/0 5-SUN, Msw, 6f, Passing Partners, 7-2

★ ON THE WORKTAB ★

**HOLLYWOOD PARK**

**Bending Strings** (American Chance), 4f, :49.00, 10/24  
**Stevie Wonderboy** (Stephen Got Even), 6f, 1:13.40, 3/12

**PALM MEADOWS**

**Bandini** (Fusaichi Pegasus), 4f, :50.00, 28/54  
**Bluegrass Cat** (Storm Cat), 5f, 1:02.80, 47/60  
**Dubai Escapade** (Awesome Again), 4f, :47.40, 1/54  
**Gaff** (Maria's Mon), 5f, 1:02.60, 43/60  
**Half Ours** (Unbridled's Song), 4f, :49.40, 15/54  
**Host (Chi)** (Hussonet), 5fT, 1:05.00, 3/10  
**Muqbil** (Swain {Ire}), 4f, :49.20, 14/54  
**Mustanfar** (Unbridled), 4fT, :52.60, 2/20  
**Sir Shackleton** (Miswaki), 5f, 1:01.40, 23/60  
**Spun Sugar** (Awesome Again), 4f, :49.80, 25/54

**PAYSON PARK**

**Adieu** (El Corredor), 4f, :53.00, 38/43  
**English Channel** (Smart Strike), 4f, :53.20, 42/43  
**Gun Salute** (Military), 4f, :51.40, 15/43  
**Honey Ryder** (Lasting Approval), 4f, :52.20, 30/43  
**Old Forester** (Forestry), 4f, :51.40, 15/43  
**Relaxed Gesture (Ire)** (Indian Ridge {Ire}), 4f, :51.80, 18/43  
**Tap Day** (Pleasant Tap), 5f, 1:03.60, 2/20

**SANTA ANITA**

**Choctaw Nation** (Louis Quatorze), 5f, 1:02.60, 33/50  
**Ender's Shadow** (A.P. Indy), 5f, 1:02.60, 33/50  
**Hasty Kris** (Kissin Kris), 4f, :48.20, 14/45  
**Imperialism** (Langfuhr), 7f, 1:27.60, 2/3  
**In Excelsis** (Fusaichi Pegasus), 5f, 1:02.40, 31/50  
**Snorter** (Awesome Again), 6f, 1:13.60, 5/22  
**Surf Cat** (Sir Cat), 7f, 1:24.80, 1/3  
**Talullah Lula** (Old Trieste), 6f, 1:13.40, 2/22  
**Ticker Tape (GB)** (Royal Applause ({GB}), 5f, 1:00.20, 4/50



## BREEDERS' EDITION EUROPE

**CONDITIONS RESULTS:**

**ITALY, Pisa, 2.25, 2-5, €13,500, 3yo, 7½fT, 1:33.10, sf.**

**OBLISCA (IRE) (f, 3, Second Empire {Ire}--Acqua Ossigenata {Ire}, by Alzao) Lifetime Record: 6 starts, 3 wins, 2 places, €22,780. O/B/T-Dr Giulio Tumsich.**

**ITALY, Pisa, 2.50, 2-5, €13,500, 3yo, 1 1/4mT, 2:10.60, sf.**

**WICKWING (GB) (f, 3, In the Wings {GB}--Chetwynd {Ire}, by Exit to Nowhere) Lifetime Record: 5 starts, 2 wins, 3 places, €16,575. O-Scuderia Francesca; B-G S Shropshire; T-Alduino & Giuseppe Botti.**

**ITALY, Pisa, 3.20, 2-5, €12,600, 4yo/up, 1 1/8mT, 1:55.20, sf.**

**GASATO (IRE) (h, 5, Marju {Ire}--Pechenga {GB}, by Nureyev) Lifetime Record: 26 starts, 9 wins, 13 places, €82,382. O-A & S Botti; B-Scuderia Siba SPA; T-Alduino & Giuseppe Botti.**

**ITALY, Rome, 4.30, 2-5, €9,000, 3yo, 1m (AWT), 1:38.60, st.**

**MODERN TATE (IRE) (c, 3, Titus Livius {Fr}--Rofan, by Cozzene) Lifetime Record: 8 starts, 3 wins, 2 places, €17,867. O/B-Razza della Sila; T-Roberto Brogi.**

**ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**

**Zylog (Ire), c, 3, Lend a Hand (GB)--Red Shareef (GB), by Marju (Ire). Marseille-Borely, France, 2-6, Mdn, 3yo, 1 1/8mT. B-Glending Bloodstock. \*1/2 to Caesar Beware (Ire) (Daggers Drawn), MSP-Eng, \$537,196. \*\*11,500gns wnlg '03 TATDEC.**

**Irish Wells (Fr), c, 3, Poliglote (GB)--Sign of the Vine (Fr), by Kendor (Fr). Marseille-Borely, France, 2-6, Cond, 3yo, 1 1/8mT. B-Eight International Racing Ltd. \*1/2 to Sign of the Wolf (GB) (Loup Solitaire), GSW-Fr, \$172,903.**

**SO. HEMISPHERE WINNERS BY EUROPEAN SIRES:**

**Luvuleo (Aus), c, 2, Galileo (Ire)--Luvscay (Aus), by Marscay (Aus). Canterbury (Sydney), 2-2, Mdn, 2yo, 6fT. B-Emirates Park (Vic) Pty Ltd.**

**Personify (Aus), f, 2, Galileo (Ire)--Procrastinate (Aus), by Jade Hunter. Morphettville (Adelaide), 2-4, Queen Adelaide S.-Listed, 2yo, 5½fT, A\$33,500 to winner. B-Mr J M Ryan; T-David Hayes.**

**Derry City (NZ), g, 3, City on a Hill--Cayna (NZ), by Kaapstad (NZ). Te Rapa (Auckland), 2-4, Mdn, 3yo/up, 1 1/4mT. B-R J Mulcaster.**

**Danasierra (Aus), f, 3, Danehill--Red Express (Aus), by Sovereign Red (Aus). Canterbury (Sydney), 2-2, Mdn, 3yo, f, 6fT. B-Pitt Place Pty Ltd.**

**Bold Reason (Aus), c, 3, Singspiel (Ire)--Gay Performance (Aus), by Bataan (Aus). Doomben (Brisbane), 2-4, Hcp, 3yo, 5f 30ydsT. B-Mr M R & Mrs P I Head.**

**Bollywood (Aus), g, 4, Danehill--Planet Hollywood (Aus), by Star Watch (Aus). Sandown (Melbourne), 2-1, Hcp, 3yo/up, 1 1/8mT. B-Mrs S Suduk & Pacelco S A.**

**Crums (Aus), g, 4, Danehill--Champagne (NZ), by Zabeel (NZ). Randwick (Sydney), 2-4, Hcp, 3yo/up, 1 1/4mT. B-Mr R A Emery.**

**Babinda Half (Aus), g, 4, Desert Prince (Ire)--Stellare (Aus), by Bletchingly (Aus). Doomben (Brisbane), 2-4, Hcp, 3yo/up, c/g, 6fT. B-Mr M A Pitt.**

**Santa Margherita (NZ), f, 4, Marju (Ire)--Colwyn Bay (NZ), by Kingdom Bay (NZ). Avondale (New Zealand), 1-30, Hcp, 3yo/up, 1 5/16mT. B-Roberts Holdings Ltd.**

**Crimson Reign (Aus), f, 4, Red Ransom--Crimson Road, by Strawberry Road (Aus). Canterbury (Sydney), 2-2, Canterbury Classic-Listed, 3yo/up, 5½fT, A\$52,000 to winner. B-Ascot Breeding Partnership; T-Jason McLachlan.**

**Island Swing (Aus), g, 5, Celtic Swing (GB)--Sardinia (Arg), by Fort de France (Arg). Canterbury (Sydney), 2-2, Hcp, 3yo/up, 7f 165ydsT. B-Mr E W Cockram.**

**Allegro Spiritoso (Aus), m, 6, Piccolo (GB)--Lightning Revenge (Aus), by Semipalatinsk. Doomben (Brisbane), 2-4, Hcp, 3yo/up, f/m, 6fT. B-Mr A J Williams.**

### ★ ON THE WORKTAB ★

BELMONT

**Fleet Indian (Indian Charlie), 5f (tr), 1:01.24, 4/19**

CALDER

**Silver Wagon (Wagon Limit), 5f, 1:01.00, 1/17**

GULFSTREAM

**Ecclesiastic (Pulpit), 4f, :52.00, 39/45**

**Laity (Pulpit), 5f, 1:01.20, 4/25**

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