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Despite the presence of four Grade I winners in today's GI Gulfstream Park Breeders' Cup S., it could be the relatively fresh face of Wertheimer et Frere's Go **Deputy** (Deputy Minister) who steals the show. Lightly



raced with just 11 starts to his credit, the six-year-old took a third-level allowance aoina 8 1/2 furlonas over this turf course Jan. 4 and might have made it two straight, but for a troubled trip in the GIII Mac Diarmida H. Jan. 29. Steadied on the far turn of

Go Deputy Equi-Photo

that 11-furlong event, the

homebred lacked room in upper stretch, but ran on gamely once in the clear to finish second, beaten threeparts of a length (video). A less-impeded run for this half-brother to GI Pacific Classic winner Dare and Go could land him in the winner's circle today. Gun Salute (Military), last year's GI Secretariat S. hero, and Mustanfar (Unbridled) have added incentive this afternoon, as a solid performance likely translates into a berth in the G1 Dubai Sheema Classic Mar. 25. Both horses return off significant absences. Gun Salute, much-improved with the addition of blinkers last spring, was eighth and never a factor in the GI Breeders' Cup Turf Oct. 29. Mustanfar, third as the 7-5 chalk in this last season, was most recently ninth in the GI Manhattan H. at Belmont Park June 5.

#### Saturday, Gulfstream Park, post time: 5:22 p.m. EST GULFSTREAM PARK BREEDERS' CUP S.-GI, \$250,000, $3v_0/u_0 = 1.7/16mT$

3yo/up, 1 7/16m1					
PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS	
1	Honor in War	Lord at War (Arg)	McGee	6-1	
2	Broadway View	Broad Brush	Zito	15-1	
3	Go Deputy	Deputy Minister	Pletcher	5-1	
4	Einstein (Brz)	Spend a Buck	Pitts	8-1	
5	Continuously	Diesis (GB)	Frankel	6-1	
6	Request for Parole	Judge TC	Hough	8-1	
7	Mustanfar	Unbridled	McLaughlin	3-1	
8	Gun Salute	Military	Mott	5-2	



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First Samurai (Giant's Causeway), who will make his first start around two turns in the Mar. 4 GII Fountain of Youth S., worked a mile in 1:37 2/5 at Gulfstream



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yesterday morning. The chestnut clicked off fractions of :49 2/5, 1:01 3/5 and 1:13 3/5 before galloping out nine panels in 1:53 3/5. "He lost interest a little bit in the stretch, but young horses will do that," trainer Frank Brothers said. The breeze was the three-yearold's last before his next start. "Now it's time to 'walk the walk,'" Brothers

First Samurai sherackatthetrack

said. First Samurai made his sophomore bow in the Feb. 4 GII Hutcheson S., finishing second behind Keyed Entry. The Hutch winner is scheduled to go next in the Mar. 18 GIII Gotham S. at Aqueduct.





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Saturday,	Caulfield,	Austr	alia,	post	time	: 3:3	0 p.m	i.
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AAMI BLUE DIAMOND SG1, A\$1,015,000, 2yo, 6fT						
SC PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WΤ		
1 12	Nadeem (Aus)	Redoute's Choice (Aus)	Hayes	122		
29	Royal Pericles (NZ)	Stravinsky	Wallace	122		
3 10	Due Sasso (Aus)	Scenic (Ire)	Mayfield-Smith	122		
47	Wonderful World (Aus)	Agnes World	Cummings	122		
5 14	Gait (Aus)	Anabaa	Hawkes	122		
65	Snort (Aus)	Happy Giggle (Aus)	Hore-Lacy	122		
7 13	Swinging Bachelor (Aus)	Royal Academy	Freedman	122		
86	Montfort (Aus)	Redoute's Choice (Aus)	Hore-Lacy	122		
93	Nediym's Glow (Aus)	General Nediym (Aus)	Ellerton	117		
10 8	Miss Finland (Aus)	Redoute's Choice (Aus)	Hayes	117		
11 4	Satin Robes (Aus)	Ne Coupez Pas	Freedman	117		
12 11	My Only Hope (NZ)	Redoute's Choice (Aus)	O'Brien	117		
13 2	Personify (Aus)	Galileo (Ire)	Hayes	117		
14 1	Global Start (Aus)	Agnes World	Conners	117		
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Trainer David Hayes is having a tremendously successful season, especially with his two-year-olds, and has nominated the filly **Miss Finland** as his best chance for a third victory in this event. The conditioner has tabbed jockey Craig Williams to ride the bay, winner in her most recent appearance of the Talindert S. at Flemington Jan. 28. "Craig left the selection of the horses to me and Miss Finland goes particularly well for him and is peaking at the right time," Hayes told *Australian Associated Press*. **Due Sasso** belied his odds of 25-1 to defeat **Wonderful World** in the Feb. 11 G3 Blue Diamond Prelude S. for the colts and geldings, while **Nediym's Glow** bested **Satin Robes** by a narrow margin in the fillies' version the same afternoon.

### Saturday, Santa Anita, post time: 1:30 p.m. PST

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#### Saturday, Oaklawn Park, post time: 5:15 p.m. CST

<b>SOUTHWEST S.</b> , \$250,000, 3yo, 1m							
PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WТ			
1	Mark of Success	Mt. Livermore	Stewart	117			
2	Agrapha	Magic Cat	Keen	115			
3	Lawyer Ron	Langfuhr	Holthus	122			
4	Travelin Leroy	Two Punch	Vazquez	115			
5	Music School	A.P. Indy	Howard	115			
6	Sharp Attack	Storm Cat	Lukas	115			
7	Steppenwolfer	Aptitude	Peitz	117			
8	Kingsfield	Ecton Park	Keller	122			
9	Red Raymond	Deputy Commander	Holthus	117			
10	Celluloid Hero	Glitterman	Robertson	117			

Lawyer Ron is the favorite on the grounds of his past performances and also for sentimental reasons. James T. Hines Jr. bred and raced the chestnut, but died in a tragic accident earlier this week. The colt comes into this test off three straight victories by a combined 27 1/2 lengths, his latest success coming in the GIII Risen Star S. at Louisiana Downs Jan. 14. Steppenwolfer closed stoutly to take a second-level allowance Feb. 3 and gets plenty of pace to run at this afternoon. Robby Albarado was originally booked to ride him, but will instead guide Music School, a threeparts brother in blood to Mineshaft. Trainer Neil Howard did not originally enter the dark bay, but had a change of heart when the Southwest was rescheduled from last Monday due to inclement weather.

#### Sunday, Santa Anita

<b>SAN LUIS OBISPO HGII</b> , \$150,000, 4yo/up, 1 1/2mT							
PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WТ			
1	Bullistic	Holy Bull	Flores	111			
2	Fantastic Spain	Fantastic Fellow	Nakatani	113			
3	Balustrade	Green Dancer	Santiago	111			
4	Bouthan (Fr)	Sadler's Wells	Valdivia Jr	113			
5	T.H. Approval	With Approval	Solis	116			
6	Atlando (Ire)	Hernando (Fr)	Pedroza	115			
7	King's Drama (Ire)	King's Theatre (Ire)	Valenzuela	122			
8	Modern Era (Aus)	Marscay (Aus)	T Baze	111			
9	Clipperdown (Ire)	Green Desert	Court	112			
10	Aubonne (Ger)	Monsun (Ger)	V Espinoza	110			

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#### **CLASSICSTAR OPERATING..AFTER IRS VISIT**

by Dan Liebman, courtesy of www.bloodhorse.com. A day after agents from the Internal Revenue Service were at ClassicStar Farm near Versailles, Ky., the horse operation is continuing, the farm manager said today. While refusing to be guoted about the investigation, farm manager Matt Lyons said "it is business as usual." He said mares are being bred and horses cared for like any other day at a Thoroughbred nursery. Lyons said the agents, which were no longer at the property, took some records with them. There are 121 mares at ClassicStar. For the last few years, ClassicStar, which involves the leasing of mares, has spent freely on broodmares, the subsequent foals bred in various partnership names. The offspring were mostly sold as yearlings. It was announced Feb. 7 that David Plummer and his son, Spencer, were no longer associated with ClassicStar. The managing partner of ClassicStar continues to be co-owner Tony Ferguson, who is an executive in the oil and gas exploration business. Agents at the farm directed inquires to assistant U.S. Attorney Alan Garten. Reached at his Portland, Utah, office, Garten said, "We cannot comment on an ongoing investigation but if the IRS is there, that speaks for itself." Garten would not say if the investigation was focused on individuals or ClassicStar, or if records, property or horses were being seized. For the complete story, click here.

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## GULFSTREAM ★

#### Yesterday's Results:

8th-GPX, \$33,000, Alw, NW1X, 4yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:40, fm.

NORFIELD (c, 4, <u>Golden Missile</u>--Nine Trumpets, by Forty Niner) broke his maiden in his second try on the turf, galloping home a four-length winner at Calder Dec. 5. The chestnut ran into today's GI Gulfstream Park Breeders' Cup H. candidate Einstein (Brz) in his latest and, after setting the pace, tired to be sixth behind that rival on the Gulfstream turf Jan. 7. The 17-10 chalk facing a softer field, he tucked in behind the leaders down the backstretch, angled outside to take a short lead at the eighth pole and gave it his all to the wire to best Outer Marker (Broad Brush) by a length. The winner was a \$65,000 FTKJUL yearling. Lifetime Record: 7-2-1-0, \$42,630.

O-Blyar Stable. B-Spring Farm (ON). T-Todd A Pletcher.

## 🗘 "TDN Rising Star" 🗘

7th-GPX, \$32,000, Msw, 3yo, f, 1m, 1:36 2/5, ft. SANGRITA, f, 3, by <u>Mr. Greeley</u>

> 1st Dam: Alvear, by Seattle Slew 2nd Dam: Andover Way, His Majesty 3rd Dam: On the Trail, by Olympia

Sangrita was off to a slow start in her Jan. 15 debut and never got into the hunt, finishing a distant fourth. Breaking sharply in her second appearance, the 1/2 to Offlee Wild (Wild Again), GISW, \$976,325, shadowed 2-1 chalk Hi Lili (Silver Deputy) for a half, went to the front after six furlongs and was all alone down the lane, sailing to a 12 3/4-length maiden as the 5-2 second choice. Hi Lili held off Grand Ridge (Grand Slam) for second. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$20,480.

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#### Gulfstream Report cont.

9th-GPX, \$33,000, Alw, NW1X, 3yo, f, 6f, 1:10 1/5, ft. **READY TO PLEASE (f, 3, More Than Ready**--Guilty Pleasure, by Pine Bluff) was winless in two starts at two, but came back after an eight-month layoff to break her maiden at Gulfstream Jan. 15. The \$75,000 KEENOV weanling and \$270,000 OBSFEB juvenile was the 8-5 chalk to put them back-to-back. Allowed to settle off a rapid half in :45.14, she swept to the front as they raced down the stretch and hit the wire two lengths in front of a troubled Gleaming Elegance (High Yield). Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-1, \$46,150. O-James T Scatuorchio. B-Nordic Thoroughbreds (KY). T-Todd A Pletcher.

#### Silver Train Readies for Richter Scale:

Silver Train (Old Trieste), getting ready for his first start since winning the Oct. 29 GI Breeders' Cup Sprint,



breezed six furlongs in 1:14 at Palm Meadows yesterday. Jockey Edgar Prado was in the saddle. The fouryear-old will make his 2006 debut in the GII Richter Scale Breeders' Cup S. at Gulfstream Mar. 4. "He went great," trainer Rick Dutrow, Jr. said. 'He's doing better than ever. It was just what I wanted. Now we have to see if it was just what he wanted." He added, "I wouldn't be disap-

Silver Train Horsephotos pointed if he didn't win this first race--there are bigger races down the road that we're zeroing in on. But he's ready to run and doing as well as he ever has." Also prepping for the Richter Scale, Bandini (Fusaichi Pegasus) went six furlongs in 1:14 1/5 at Palm Meadows. The four-year-old has not been out since finishing 14th in the May 7 GI Kentucky Derby.

#### Magna Graduate to DWC:

Trainer Todd Pletcher informed officials at Santa Anita yesterday that Magna Graduate (Honor Grades) would not ship in for next Saturday's GI Santa Anita H. The four-year-old, owned by Elisabeth Alexander, will instead make his next start in the \$6-million G1 Dubai World Cup Mar. 25. Orignally trained by Patrick Byrne, the dark bay began to flourish after joining the Pletcher barn last summer, with consecutive victories in the GIII Pegasus S., the GIII Discovery H. and the GII Clark H. He was most recently fourth, beaten 9 1/4 lengths, behind fellow World Cup hopeful Brass Hat (Prized) in the GI Donn H. at Gulfstream Feb. 4.



- 3:20p 6th-GPX, \$33K, Alw, 3yo, 6f
- HRTV EXCLUSIVE QUALITY (Elusive Quality), an \$850K KEESEP yrl, cruised to a two-length tally in his second start, a GPX sprint Jan. 7. Jazzed (Trippi) bested \$80K maiden claimers in bow, earning a 92 Beyer. brisnet.com pps
- 3:50p 7th-GPX, \$32K, Msw, 3vo, 6f
- HRTV MINISTER'S BID (Deputy Minister), out of MSW Princess Pietrina (Spectacular Bid), makes his debut. The bay brought \$750K as a KEESEP yrl and has posted solid works for trainer John Ward Jr. WinStar homebred Ultimate Goal (Storm Cat), out of GISW Sister Act (Saint Ballado), makes his first start for Todd Pletcher. brisnet.com pps
- 4:00p 2nd-SAX, \$50K, Alw, 3yo, 1m
- HRTV RECORD (Devil His Due) closed from midpack to win going away at 6 1/2f Feb. 4. The Bob Baffert trainee got a 91 Beyer for the effort. brisnet.com pps
- 11th-GPX, \$32K, Msw, 3yo, 6f 5:52p
- HRTV PRIZE CAT (Storm Cat), the first foal from GISW Plenty of Light (Colony Light), has been working bullets for first start. Owned and bred by the Joneses, he is another from Team Pletcher. He takes on fellow firsters by Distorted Humor, More Than Ready and Saint Ballado. brisnet.com pps
- 7th-SAX, \$100K, Pro Or Con H., (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT 6:37p
- HRTV Millionaire MOSCOW BURNING (Moscow Ballet), 5-for-8 on the SAX lawn, comes off a score in the Jan. 28 Sunshine Millions F/M Turf. MGISP Memorette (Memo {Chi}) makes first start since second in the July 30 GII San Clemente H.; GISW Alphabet Kisses (Alphabet Soup) gets blinkers off after an 8th in Jan. 29 GI Santa Monica H. brisnet.com pps

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#### Yesterday's Results:

8th-AQU, \$45,000, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$75,000), NW1X, 3yo, 6f, 1:11 1/5, ft.

CITY DWELLER (c, 3, Carson City--Lady Diplomat {MSP, \$116,000}, by Silver Deputy) was off the board in two tries at the Big A last fall and had to ship to Philly Park to earn his maiden victory Dec. 27. The chestnut colt was back at Aqueduct for an optional claimer Feb. 1 and set a swift pace before weakening to be second. Sent off the 6-5 favorite to take them all the way here, he flashed his speed from the start, opened up daylight on the far turn and coasted home a 9 1/4-length winner. Lifetime Record: 5-2-1-0, \$50,970.

O-Peter Karches & Michael Rankowitz. B-Peter Karches (KY). T-Christophe Clement.



herself one to watch with a 12 3/4-length romp. 2nd SAX (Alw \$68K) Eternal Melody (NZ) (Shinko

King {Ire}), making her third start off a 17-month layoff, rallies for the score.

Martha Washington S.-OPX Brownie Points (Forest Wildcat) earns a few for herself as she closes from off the pace to win going away.

## $\star$ EAST $\star$

Yesterday's Results:

7th-LRL, \$26,000, Msw, 3yo, 5 1/2f, 1:05 4/5, ft. + PAGAN MOON (g, 3, Malibu Moon--Pagan Love, by Pentelicus), a 9-2 shot at first asking, tracked 13-10 On the Phone (Phone Trick) through solid fractions, put a head in front at midstretch and opened it up late to best the pacesetter by 2 1/2 lengths. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$14,820.

O-William S Reightler, et al. B-Nancy Camp (WV). T-Jann P Anderson.

## CENTRAL

#### Yesterday's Results:

MARTHA WASHINGTON S., \$50,000, OPX, 2-24, 3yo, f, 1m, 1:39 3/5, ft.

- 1--BROWNIE POINTS, 115, f, 3, by Forest Wildcat 1st Dam: Stylish Society (MSP), by Forty Niner 2nd Dam: Northern Style, by Ack Ack 3rd Dam: Northern Heiress, by Nearctic O/B-Pin Oak Stable LLC (KY); T-D K Von Hemel; J-L S Quinonez; \$30,000. Lifetime Record: 6-3-1-0, \$75,350.
- 2--Sweet Sugaree, 115, f, 3, Tiznow--Clever Tide, by Clever Trick. (\$100,000 2yo 2005 OBSMAR). O-Dark Star Thoroughbreds LLC. \$10,000.
- 3--Kat Nan Do, 122, f, 3, Formal Gold--French Grand, by French Deputy. O-K Hulkewicz & N Basnett. \$5,000.

Margins: 2 3/4, 1 3/4, HF. Odds: 13.40, 11.50, 5.00. Brownie Points had exhibited her best form on the

grass, winning her maiden and the Cimarron S. over the Remington turf last fall. A troubled fourth in the Jan. 15 Bedanken S. at Louisiana Downs, the Pin Oak runner was lightly regarded in her return to the main. Well back early, the chestnut rallied on the turn, split horses decisively in the stretch and won going away. Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.

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8th-OPX, \$32,000, Msw, 3yo, 6f, 1:12 2/5, ft.

+ OKIE TIME (c, 3, <u>Mutakddim</u>--Oh Boy Valoy, by Bates Motel) was bumped lightly as they came away from the starting gate and had to be checked when caught in traffic on the turn, but changed lanes in the stretch and drove to the front in the final strides to take it by a halflength over Back Bay Baron (Way West {Fr}). The winner is a 1/2 to High Timer (High Brite), SW, \$229,996; Dynaboy (Dynaformer), SP,\$199,352; and That Tat (Faltaat), MSW & GSP, \$560,985. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$19,200.

O/B-Richter Family Trust (OK). T-Kelly R Von Hemel.

6th-OPX, \$32,000, Msw, 3,4,5yo, 1m, 1:40 4/5, ft. + MOUNT WEATHER (c, 3, <u>Down the Aisle</u>--Lucy

**Gayheart, by Golden Ruler)** was overlooked at 15-1 in his career opener, but went right to the front and led every step en route to a two-length tally. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$19,200.

O/B-Albert P Coppola (VA). T-Peter M Vestal.

## ★ SO. CALIFORNIA ★

#### Yesterday's Results:

**2nd-SAX, \$68,000, Alw,** NW1\$R6MX, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8mT, 1:47 2/5, fm.

- 1--ETERNAL MELODY (NZ), 118, m, 6, Shinko King (Ire)--Billie Holiday (NZ), by Defensive Play. O-Michael Bello; B-Excel Thoroughbreds Ltd (NZ); T-Robert J Frankel. Lifetime Record: MSW-NZ, GSP-US, 19-6-2-3, \$149,502.
- 2--Grand Opening (Ire), 118, f, 4, Desert King (Ire)--Gamine (Ire), by High Estate (Ire).
- 3--Dream's (Chi), 123, m, 5, Sam M.--Oak Tree (Chi), by Nureyev Dancer.

Margins: 1, 3/4, 3 1/4. Odds: 1.70, 1.10, 3.70.

**CORRECTION:** Thursday's *TDN* incorrectly reported the name of the owner and trainer of the late Outta Here. Bill Currin trained and was the co-owner of the six-year-old son of Dehere. We regret the error.

#### 2nd-SAX, cont.

A Listed winner in New Zealand, Eternal Melody ended her Southern Hemisphere campaign with an eighth-place finish in the G1 New Zealand Oaks in January of 2004. Third in the GIII Mint Julep H. and eighth in the GI American Oaks that season, she captured an optional claimer at Del Mar in July, then disappeared for 17 months. The bay returned to be second in a Santa Anita allowance test Dec. 29. Off at 2-1in her latest, she stepped up the ladder for the Jan. 27 La Zanzara H. and was third behind Aubonne (Ger), who takes on the boys in tomorrow's GII San Luis Obispo H. The sixyear-old was the second choice in this tough allowance test, but closed from fourth to catch favored Grand Opening inside the eighth pole before edging clear. Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.

#### ★ AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS ★

#### IN DUBAI:

Anani, h, 6, Miswaki--Mystery Rays (MGSW-Fr, \$130,978), by Nijinsky II. Nad Al Sheba, 2-24, Hcp, 2000mT. O-Mohammed Jaber Abdullah; B-Flaxman Holdings Ltd; T-Alec Laird. \*SP-Eng & UAE, SW-Fr, GSP-Ger. \*\*1/2 to King of Happiness (Spinning World), GSW-Eng, GSW & GISP-US, \$469,410. \*\*\*100,000gns yrl '01 TATHOU.

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#### Stakes/First-time Starters to Watch: Saturday, Feb. 25

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

APTITUDE (A.P. Indy), Juddmonte, \$25K, 188/17/0 10-OP, Stk, 1m, Steppenwolfer, \$375K OBS APR 2yo AUSTINPOWER (JPN) (Sunday Silence), Lou-Roe, \$3K, 18/0/0 4-AQU, Msw, 6f, Make Us Happy, \$35K EAS SEP yrl BRAHMS (Danzig), Vinery, \$13K, 167/18/2 11-TP, Stk, 1m, Classical Ryder 3-AQU, Aoc, 1 1/16m, Men's Club, \$80K FTK JUL yrl CITY ZIP (Carson City), Lane's End, \$8K, 118/24/2 4-AQU, Msw, 6f, All About Allison 7-GP, Msw, 6f, Imperial Zip, \$80K OBS FEB 2yo 4-AQU, Msw, 6f, Scapolite DAYLIGHT SAVINGS (Sky Classic), Stonewood, \$3K, 18/2/0 11-TP, Stk, 1m, Summer Cyclone, \$7K MIC AUG yrl **DIXIE DOT COM** (Dixie Brass), Cardiff, \$6K, 74/6/0 6-SA, Str, 6f, Moon Over Hemet ECTON PARK (Forty Niner), Wintergreen, \$15K, 119/14/2 6-SA, Str, 6f, Lazer Park, \$32K BAR MAR 2yo 10-OP, Stk, 1m, Kingsfield, \$32K OBS APR 2yo EL CORREDOR (Mr. Greeley), Hill N Dale, \$20K, 190/22/4 7-OP, Stk, 6f, Corredor de Plata, \$95K TEX MAR 2yo FIVE STAR DAY (Carson City), Wintergreen, \$10K, 126/15/3 7-GP, Msw, 6f, Five Star Special, \$210K OBS MAR 2yo FOREST CAMP (Deputy Minister), Airdrie, \$10K, 167/19/2 2-SA, Alw, 1m, Paddy Murphy, \$190K OBS MAR 2yo 4-AQU, Msw, 6f, Wind in the Forest FREUD (Storm Cat), Lakland, \$5K, 88/10/0 4-AQU, Msw, 6f, Tamberino, \$55K OBS MAR 2yo **PRIME TIMBER** (Sultry Song), Sez Who, \$5K, 93/19/1 4-AQU, Msw, 6f, Prime Honor, \$60K OBS JUN 2yo **ROCK AND ROLL** (Cure the Blues), Carapan, \$4K, 56/2/0 6-EVD, Msw, 6f, Rock N Roll Beat, \$6K OBS APR 2yo, 12-1 TALK IS MONEY (Deputy Minister), Millennium, \$5K, 83/12/0 11-TP, Stk, 1m, Money Code **TRIPPI** (End Sweep), Ocala, \$8K, 143/21/0 11-GP, Msw, 6f, T. J. Cole 6-GP, Alw, 6f, Jazzed WATCH THE BIRD (Rahy), Golden Crest, \$2K, 18/0/0 4-AQU, Msw, 6f, Mana's Magic, \$5K EAS SEP yrl

# EUROPE

BRITAIN \*

#### AMADEUS ON SONG

Conditioner Kevin Ryan, in fine form with four winners at Wolverhampton yesterday, has revealed that G1 Middle Park S. winner Amadeus Wolf (GB) (Mozart {Ire}) will point to the May 6 G1 2000 Guineas at Newmarket without a preparatory run. The bay provided Ryan with a first Group 1 success in the Middle Park. The Yorkshire- based Irishman told viewers of At The Races, "He'll go straight for the 2000 Guineas without a run. It's going to be a hard race, but I wouldn't swap him for any other horse in the race. He's wintered well, he's forward in his work and in his coat." Race sponsor Stan James currently rates Amadeus Wolf a 14-1 chance for Britain's first Classic of the season.

## $\star$ FRANCE $\star$

#### Saturday, Cagnes-sur-Mer, post time: 3:20 p.m.

PRIX POLICEMAN-Listed, €47,000, 3yo, 10f 165ydsT							
SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WΤ		
1	8	Salsalava (Fr)	Kingsalsa	Demercastel	128		
2	7	Nice Applause (Ire)	Royal Applause (GB)	Laurent-Joye Rossi	123		
3	5	Mister des Aigles (Fr)	Sendawar (Ire)	Barande Barbe	123		
4	2	Gauguin (Ire)	Alzao	Rob Collet	123		
5	6	Milord du Bourg (Fr)	Nombre Premier (GB)	Pelletan	123		
6	4	Papillon Rose (Ire)	Indian Danehill (Ire)	Pantall	123		
7	3	Moi Aussi	Mt. Livermore	Prescott	120		
8	1	Toorah Laura La	Black Minnaloushe	Clement	120		

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### $\star$ EUROPEAN-BRED WINNERS $\star$

#### IN DUBAI:

Stetchworth Prince (GB), c, 4, Cadeaux Genereux (GB)--Elfin Laughter (GB), by Alzao. Nad Al Sheba, 2-24, Hcp, 1500mT. O-Godolphin; B-Highclere Stud Ltd; T-Saeed bin Suroor. \*SP-Eng. \*\*1/2 to Smirk (GB) (Selkirk), SW & GSP-Eng, \$243,888. \*\*\*120,000gns yrl '03 TATOCT.

- Obe Gold (GB), g, 4, Namaqualand--Gagajulu (GB), by Al Hareb. Nad Al Sheba, 2-24, Hcp, 1200mT. O-B D R Partnership; B-Mrs M Mason; T-Mick Channon. \*SW-Eng & GSP-Ity. \*\*1/2 to Ardbrae Lady (GB) (Overbury {Ire}), G1SP-Ire.
- Jersey Bounce (Ire), h, 5, Septieme Ciel--Marcotte (GB) (MGSP-Bel), by Nebos (Ger). Nad Al Sheba, 2-24, Hcp, 2400mT. O-The Bayern Syndicate; B-BSI NV; T-Herman Brown. \*MSP-Fr. \*\*1/2 to Garden in the Rain (Fr) (Dolphin Street {Fr}), MSP-Fr & MGSP-US, \$466,683; Embraceable You (Fr) (Ti King {Fr}), GSP-US, \$202,624.
- Winisk River (Ire), h, 6, Barathea (Ire)--Brisighella (Ire), by Al Hareb. Nad Al Sheba, 2-24, Hcp, 1500mT. O-Sheikh Ahmed bin Mohammed al Maktoum; B-P H Betts; T-Erwan Charpy.
- Shanty Star (Ire), g, 6, Hector Protector--Shawanni (GB), by Shareef Dancer. Nad Al Sheba, 2-24, Hcp, 2000mT. O-Bouresly Racing Syndicate;
  B-Gainsborough Stud Management Ltd; T-Rashed Bouresly. \*GSW-Eng. \*\*32,000gns HIT '04 TATHIT.
- Tropical Star (Ire), g, 6, Machiavellian--Tropical (GB) (Hwt. Older Mare at 5-6f-Ire, MGSW-Ire & GSP-Eng, \$148,915), by Green Desert. Nad Al Sheba, 2-24, Hcp, 1400m. O-Sheikh Mohammed bin Maktoum al Maktoum; B-Gainsborough Stud Management Ltd; T-Ali Rashid al Raihe. \*G1SP-UAE.

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## MIDDLE EAST

#### Yesterday's Results:

BALANCHINE S.-Listed, \$150,000, Nad Al Sheba,

- 2-24, 3yo/up, f/m, 1777mT, 1:52.17, gd/sf.
- 1--IRRIDESCENCE (SAf), 137, f, 4, Caesour--Meretricious (SAf), by Dancing Champ. O-Team Valor; B-Mr & Mrs H Winterbach; T-Mike de Kock; J-W Marwing; \$97,500. Lifetime Record: Ch. 3yo Filly-SAf, MG1SW-SAf, 12-7-2-0, \$257,358. \*Full to Perfect Promise (SAf), G1SW-SAf & Aus.
- 2--Satwa Queen (Fr), 132, f, 4, Muhtathir (GB)--Tolga, by Irish River (Fr). O-The Lamprell Partnership. \$30,000.
- 3--Brindisi (GB), 130, m, 5, Dr Fong--Genoa (GB), by Zafonic. O-M H Dixon. \$15,000.

Margins: 1 1/4, 5HF, 5 1/4. Odds: 2-1, 4-5, 8-1. Also Ran: Shersha (Ire), Littletown Bridge, Festive Style (SAf), Kitara (Ger), Venus Arising (Ind), Quality Special (Brz), Kalaforte (Saf). Scratched: Clinet (Ire).

Irridescence, last year's champion three-year-old filly in South Africa, went on a three-race winning streak in her native country in 2005, notching the G1 South



African Fillies Classic Apr. 2, the G2 Gerald Rosenberg S. Apr. 28 and the G1 Woolavington 2200 June 5. Carrying highweight of 137 pounds while making her first start since finishing a closeup fifth in the G1 Vodacom Durban July H. July 2, the bay kept these within her sights and rallied to score by 1 1/4 lengths.

Andrew Watkins

"I told my trainer [Mike De Kock] that we could run her once at the Carnival and if she ran well, then we could consider running in the [Mar. 25 G1 Dubai] Duty Free," commented Team Valor President Barry Irwin. "I thought she ran dynamite considering the long layoff and the weight she carried and spotted. If she comes out of this race well, we'll go in the Duty Free."





## BREEDERS' EDITION AMERICA

#### ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

**9th-EVD, \$38,800,** 2-23, NW1X, (S), 3yo, 5 1/2f, 1:05 1/5, ft.

L. S. FAST JACK (c, 3, Valid Belfast--Poised to Pass {MSP}, by Top Avenger) Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-0, \$46,734. O-Marelle Yongue. B-Gary Schoelerman (LA). T-Abel J Blanchard.

7th-CTX, \$36,000, 2-23, 4yo/up, f/m, 7f, 1:27 2/5, ft. ALASKA ASH (m, 5, Weshaam--Versatile Keys, by Dewan Keys) Lifetime Record: SW, 23-5-5-4, \$217,444. O-Sheri S Perry. B/T-L E Perry Jr (WV).

8th-LRL, \$33,000, Opt. Clm. (\$32,000-\$28,000), NW3X, 4yo/up, 1 1/8m, 1:52 2/5, ft.

RECKLESS WAYS (g, 5, Level Sands--Runaway Doll, by Runaway Groom) Lifetime Record: 22-6-3-6, \$185,063. O-Lacey Gaudet. B-Jack W Jones (KY). T-Edmond D Gaudet.

8th-CTX, \$31,000, 2-23, NW1X, 4yo/up, 7f, 1:27 1/5, ft.

**BETTIN ON M J (g, 4, Quaker Ridge--Betchabucks, by Buckaroo)** Lifetime Record: 14-4-1-1, \$92,167. O-Devan L Shumway. B-Dr Lawrence D Shaffer (FL). T-Ernest M Haynes.

6th-LRL, \$28,000, NW1X, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8m, 1:56 4/5, ft.

IVY STEP (m, 5, Yarrow Brae--Norstep {MSW, \$229,845}, by Norquestor) Lifetime Record: 9-3-1-0, \$38,530. O/B-William R Harris (VA). T-Christopher W Grove.

6th-HAW, \$27,000, NW1X, (S), 3yo, 6f, 1:11, ft. HEAVEN'S HOPE (g, 3, Miesque's Son--Celestial, by Sky Classic) Lifetime Record: 6-2-2-0, \$44,200. O/B-Asiel Stable (IL). T-Richard P Hazelton. 8th-TPX, \$26,280, 2-23, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000), NW2X, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:41 3/5, ft.

DUAL FUEL (c, 4, Arch--Musical Miss, by Seattle Song) Lifetime Record: 12-3-2-2, \$90,657. O-Bakster Farm. B-Bohanon-Walden Inc (KY). T-Gregory D Foley. \*\$65,000 yrl '03 KEESEP. \*\*1/2 to Gilt Trip (Gilded Time), SW, \$105,900; and Trion Georgia (Prospect Bay), SW, \$308,255.

**10th-EVD, \$25,500,** 2-23, NW1X, 4yo/up, f/m, a1m70yd, 1:45 4/5, ft.

ELSIE LUCILLE (f, 4, Lord Avie--This One's for Us {SW}, by Cox's Ridge) Lifetime Record: 12-2-2-3, \$52,885. O-Earl & Keith Hernandez. B-Mrs C Wilson McNeely III (VA). T-Frank Leggio. \*\$13,000 yrl '03 KEESEP. \*\*1/2 to Cinnamon Charlie (Indian Charlie), SW.

#### ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Greta Susanna, f, 3, Bianconi--Foxie, by Foxhound. HAW, 2-24, (S), 6f, 1:11 1/5. B-William P Stiritz (II).

Tangled Lace, f, 3, General Meeting--Tangled Web, by Flying Paster. GGX, 2-23, (C), 6f, 1:11 1/5. B-Carol A Kingston (Wa). \*\$32,000 yrl '04 WASSEP.

#### $\star$ On the Worktab $\star$

GULFSTREAM PARK

First Samurai (Giant's Causeway), 1m, 1:37.60, 1/1

PALM MEADOWS

**Bandini** (Fusaichi Pegasus), 6f, 1:14.20, 2/2 **Barbican** (A.P. Indy), 4f, :48, 2/21 **Gulch Approval** (Gulch), 5f, 1:04, 17/27 **Silver Train** (Old Trieste), 6f, 1:14, 1/2

#### PAYSON PARK

**Balletto (UAE)** (Timber Country), 5f, 1:04.60, 2/4 **Survivalist** (Danzig), 5f, 1:01.40, 1/2

SANTA ANITA

**Bending Strings** (American Chance), 6f, •1:11.40, 1/29 **Spellbinder** (Tale of the Cat), 7f, 1:29, 2/7 **T. H. Approval** (With Approval), 3f, :37.20, 14/23



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- Shawnee Dancer, c, 3, <u>Indian Charlie</u>--Got the License, by Gone West. GPX, 2-24, (C), 1 1/16mT, 1:42 2/5. B-Hargus & Sandra Sexton & Mike Adams (Ky). \*\$90,000 yrl '04 FTKJUL.
- Lycurgus, c, 3, Not for Love--Canavakiss (SP), by Rakeen. GPX, 2-24, (C), 1 1/16mT, 1:41 2/5. B-David H Wade (Md). \*\$75,000 yrl '04 KEESEP.
- Put Back the Shu, c, 3, Put It Back-Katoshu, by Katowice. TAM, 2-24, 6f, 1:09 3/5. B-Arthur I Appleton (FI).
- **Quakerattleandroll**, f, 3, **Richter Scale**--Smartenclassy, by Regal Classic. EVD, 2-23, 1m, 1:41 4/5. B-Michael Cooney (Ky).
- Salty Soldier, g, 3, Salt Lake--Outre, by Jeblar. GGX, 2-24, (C), 6f, 1:10 2/5. B-Michael K McIntyre (Ky). \*\$11,000 yrl '04 KEESEP; \$9,000 2yo 2005 BESMAY.
- Welfare Cadillac, c, 3, <u>Successful Appeal</u>--Cadillac Black, by Majestic Light. TAM, 2-24, 1 1/16m, 1:45 4/5. B-Hartley/De Renzo Thoroughbreds, LLC (FI).
- Lone Cat, c, 4, Catienus--Dual Crown, by Dayjur. EVD, 2-23, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:06 2/5. B-Whitney Joseph Zeringue (La). \*1/2 to Letithappencaptain (Captain Bodgit), MSW, \$223,125.
- Sunette, m, 5, Lil's Lad--Limestone Landing, by Red Ryder. GGX, 2-24, 1m, 1:37 4/5. B-Walter B Mills (Ky). \*\$35,000 yrl '02 KEESEP; \$150,000 2yo 2003 KEEAPR. \*\*1/2 to It'sallinthechase (Take Me Out), SW & MGSP, \$192,160; and Upscaled (Sir Cat), GSP, \$109,045.

## BREEDERS' EDITION EUROPE

#### ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

- Arco Francy (Ire), f, 3, Alzao--Waky Nava (Ger), by Suave Dancer. Naples, Italy, 2-23, Mdn, 3yo, f, 1 1/8mT. B-Luciano Arcolini. \*€17,000 yrl '04 ITYSEP.
- Lady Gregory (Ire), f, 4, In The Wings (GB)--Athlumney Lady (GB) (GSW-Ire), by Lycius. Wolverhampton, Britain, 2-24, Mdn, 4yo/up, 12f 50yds (AWT). B-Frank Dunne.

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

Genebel (Aus), m, 5, Generous (Ire)--Twinklebelle (NZ), by Star Way (GB). Ellerslie (Auckland), 2-18, Hcp, 3yo/up, 1 1/2mT. B-D G McLaren.

Drumbeater (Aus), g, 5, Vettori (Ire)--Take The Music (Aus), by Salieri. Flemington (Melbourne), 2-17, Hcp, 3yo/up, 1m 145ydsT. B-Bloodstock Breeding Pty Ltd.

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- 04-01 200a Excelsior BC H.-III, Aqu, 9f (100), 03-18
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