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## CORONADO'S QUEST DEAD

MGISW Coronado's Quest (Forty Niner--Laughing Look, by Damascus) died of an apparent heart attack at Shizunai Stallion Station in Japan Wednesday. The 11-year-old stallion was sold to the Japanese Bloodhorse Breeders' Association for the 2004 breeding season. Bred and raced by Stuart S. Janney III, Coronado's Quest was the winner of five of his six starts as a juvenile, including the GII Remsen S., GII



Coronado's Quest Equi-Photo

Cowdin S. and GIII Nashua S. Janney sold an interest in the chestnut to Stonerside Stable after his victory in the GII Wood Memorial and he went on to take the GI Haskell Invitational H., GI Travers S., GII Dwyer S. and GII Riva Ridge S. for the partnership and trainer Shug McGaughey. He retired to Claiborne Farm with a record of 17-10-2-0 and earnings of \$2,046,190. From five crops to race in the U.S., he had 10 stakes winners. The best of his progeny was Society Selection, who captured the GI Frizette S., GI Test S. and GI Alabama S. and earned \$1,984,200. His runners have earned more than \$8.7 million to date; his first Japanese crop turned two this year.

## BADGE OF SILVER OUT OF DUBAI DUTY FREE

According to published reports, Ken Ramsey's **Badge of Silver** (Silver Deputy) will be forced to miss the Mar.



Badge of Silver Benoit Photo

25 G1 Dubai Duty Free H. due to a quarter crack. The six-year-old has not raced since winning the Jan. 1 GII San Gabriel H. in his turf debut. Ramsey journeyed to the United Arab Emirates last year and won the G1 Dubai World Cup with Roses in May.

Trainer Bobby Frankel has announced that World Cup candidates **High Limit** (Maria's Mon) and **Marenostrom** (Brz) (Royal Academy), who both ran off the board in the Mar. 4 GI Santa Anita H., will also skip the trip, as will G1 Dubai Golden Shaheen hopeful **Major Success** (Mazel Trick).

## DISCREET CAT TRIUMPHANT IN RETURN

Running for the first time in Godolphin's blue silks, **Discreet Cat** (Forestry) showed little rust returning from a 6 1/2-month break when he captured a 1600-meter (about one mile) conditions event yesterday at Nad Al Sheba race course in Dubai. The bay, now a three-year-old, won his debut impressively at Saratoga last August and was purchased privately by Godolphin from Joyce Robsham, but had been on the sidelines since. Yesterday's victory was an easy one for Discreet Cat, who rallied from the back of the pack under jockey Frankie Dettori and scampered clear to a four-length success. Simon Crisford, the Godolphin racing manager, said, "He won well and we are really pleased with him. It was a nice race to start him off in and we are now going to step him right up in class in the UAE Derby and see what happens there." Discreet Cat is likely to be one of the favorites for the G2 UAE Derby, which will be held at Nad Al Sheba Mar. 25 as part of the Dubai World Cup program.



Discreet Cat Andrew Watkins

## ☆ PREVIEW ☆

### Saturday, Santa Anita

**SANTA MARGARITA H.-GI**, \$300,000, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8m

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THE WORLD



## ★ GULFSTREAM ★

### Yesterday's Results:

**9th-GPX, \$33,000, Alw, NW1X, 4yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:16 2/5, ft.**

**HOT SPACE (c, 4, Lord Carson--Actinella, by Seattle Slew),** a three-length winner of his June 14 bow at Calder, tried the GII Carry Back S. in his second career outing and acquitted himself well, finishing third to Lost in the Fog. Sidelined off a fifth-place effort at Saratoga Aug. 13, the half to French Riviera (French Deputy), GSW, \$121,000, was the 7-2 third choice on his return. Allowed to track the pace three wide, the \$82,000 KEENOV weanling and \$350,000 FTKJUL yearling purchase went up to challenge for the lead turning for home, drew clear and stayed on for a one-length victory over White Socks (Belong to Me). Odds-on favorite Woodford Gale (Distorted Humor) stumbled at the start and tired late to finish fifth. Lifetime Record: GSP, 4-2-0-1, \$70,410. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O-Buckram Oak Farm. B-SallyJ Andersen (FL). T-Ralph Ziadie.

**8th-GPX, \$32,000, Msw, 3yo, f, 1 1/16mT, 1:39 4/5, fm.**

**MIRACLE MOMENT (f, 3, Chester House--Rejoyced {SP}, by Relaunch),** a debut third going six panels over the Belmont turf July 4, was eighth in a two-turn event on the Saratoga weeds July 29. An improved fourth when returned to Belmont Sept. 22, the bay was a solid third on the Aqueduct lawn Nov. 20, but bolted on the final turn in her latest and finished sixth over this course Jan. 7. Equipped with blinkers for this attempt, she was sent to the front by Chantal Sutherland and set a fast pace. The fractions began to take their toll late, but the 11-1 chance was able to hold on for a 1/2-length victory over Meribel (Peaks and Valleys). Lifetime Record: 6-1-0-2, \$30,604. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O-Joyce B Young. B-Great American Insurance Companies (KY). T-Barclay Tagg.

**10th-GPX, \$32,000, Msw, 3yo, f, 1 1/16mT, 1:41, fm. + PINE ISLAND (f, 3, Arch--Matlacha Pass, by Seeking the Gold),** a granddaughter of the recently deceased Our Country Place, displayed some talent in her morning trials over the turf course at Payson Park, but was dismissed at odds of 28-1 at first asking. Held up at the back of the pack for the opening half-mile, the Phipps homebred rallied wide into the stretch and closed willingly to catch favored Hostess (Chester House) for a neck victory. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$19,200. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O/B-Phipps Stable (KY). T-Claude R McGaughey III.

## ★ NEW YORK ★

### Yesterday's Results:

**8th-AQU, \$50,000, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$75,000), NW3X, 4yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:38, ft.**

**1--NO SLEEP, 123, f, 4, Robyn Dancer--Allie's Toy, by Fortunate Prospect.** O-Maggi Moss; B-Joel Sainer (FL); T-Gary C Contessa. Lifetime Record: 19-6-5-4, \$171,224. \* 1/2 to Hummel (Jeblar), SW, \$182,475; and Misguided Left (Double Honor), SW, \$106,805.

**2--Victory Pool, 118, f, 4, Victory Gallop--Taliesin, by Talinum.** (\$70,000 2yo 2004 OBSMAR).

**3--Game Card, 113, m, 5, Wagon Limit--Chris' Diamond, by Gate Dancer.**

Margins: 2 3/4, 1 3/4, 4 1/4. Odds: 0.40A, 8.80, 0.40A.

Claimed for \$25,000 last October, No Sleep won for a \$35,000 tag two starts later Nov. 18 before getting a rest. Fourth in a two-turn allowance in her Jan. 6 comebacker, the gray rolled to a 5 3/4-length success Jan. 26 and cleared her next allowance condition with a 2 1/4-length tally Feb. 20. Part of a heavily favored entry, No Sleep bobbed at the start, but recovered to race in close attendance to the pace. Angled out in upper stretch, she assumed command with a furlong to race and was ridden out to a third straight win.

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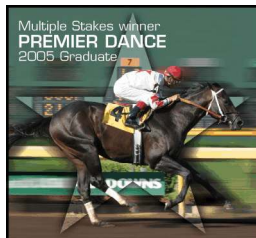
### STAKES CLOSINGS

**TOMORROW, SATURDAY, MARCH 11:**

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**Aqu, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f (100)**

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**New York Report cont.**

**7th-AQU, \$48,000, Alw, Opt. Clm.** (\$35,000), NW2X, 4yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:38 3/5, ft.

**TIFFANY TOUCH** (f, 4, Deputy Minister--Careless Heir-ess {MGSW, \$393,594}, by Runaway Groom) took a second-level allowance for state-breds over the Aqueduct main track Nov. 14 and made it two straight with a victory in open company Dec. 14. Second in a Jan. 20 test over the inner, the \$90,000 KEESEP yearling was coming into this off another runner-up effort here Feb. 20. Favored at 4-5, the bay set a moderate pace, drew clear when set down for the drive and staved off a late bid from Lila Paige (Cryptoclearance) for a half-length victory. Lifetime Record: 16-5-4-2, \$187,296. O-Dogwood Stable. B-Gallaghers Stud, Inc (NY). T-Todd A Pletcher.

**2nd-AQU, \$44,000, Msw, 4yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:41 3/5, ft.**

**BACCARAT BABE** (f, 4, El Prado {Ire}--Family Enterprize {GISW, \$334,578}, by Tri Jet), eighth in a Saratoga turf maiden last Aug. 1 for Kieran McLaughlin, made a favorable impression in her first start for this barn, finishing second over the Woodbine main track Dec. 10. Fourth in a six-furlong test over the Aqueduct inner track Jan. 27, the homebred was the even-money chalk on the stretch out to two turns. With the pace from the outside, the half to Silver Bird (Lit de Justice), SW & MGSP, \$539,329, poked a head in front at the eighth pole and held on for a 3/4-length victory over Love Doll (Crafty Prospector). Lifetime Record: 10-1-3-0, \$58,815. O-Stronach Stables. B-Adena Springs (KY). T-J Nixon.

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# TODAY'S INSIGHTS

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**4:21p TVG 8th-AQU, \$47K, Alw/Opt. Clm (\$35K), 6f**  
**RATHOR (IRE) (Machiavellian)** was very consistent in Europe for trainer Henry Cecil, with two wins and three runner-up efforts from seven starts. He earned triple-digit Timeform figures in his last three and has trained smartly for his main-track debut. The half brother to French SW & G1SP Sensible (Fr) was produced by a half-sister to GISW Aube Indienne (Fr). [brisset.com](http://brisset.com) pps

**4:44p HRTV 9th-GPX, \$33K, Alw, 1mT**  
**MUSEEB (Danzig)**, a half to heavyweight Mehthaaf and full to champion Elnadim, was twice stakes placed for trainer John Dunlop last year, but went off form towards the end of the campaign. A grandson of the phenomenal mare Fall Aspen, the four-year-old adds Lasix for the U.S. debut. [brisset.com](http://brisset.com) pps

**5:04p HRTV 3rd-SAX, \$59K, Alw/Opt. Clm (\$62.5K), 1 1/16m**  
 Trainer Bobby Frankel sends out a formidable uncoupled entry, headed by TNT Stud's **NOTRE DAME (BRZ) (Royal Academy)**. A Group 3 winner in her native Brazil last July, the chestnut should be tough on the stretch out to two turns. Stablemate **LADY PEGASUS (Fusaichi Pegasus)** took consecutive starts last spring, but was overmatched in a pair of Grade I tests. Second in her last two, including a one-mile allowance Dec. 31, the daughter of MGISW Nastique will be well-backed for her return. [brisset.com](http://brisset.com) pps

## Point Given

### ANOTHER GIVEN

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1	<b>GIANT'S CAUSEWAY</b> (97, Storm Cat),	Ashford Stud, Ky	\$1,609,388
2	<b>HENNESSY</b> (93, Storm Cat),	Ashford Stud, Ky	\$1,352,540

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**New York Report cont.**

**FNYR Proposes Racing Reform Legislation:**

Friends of New York Racing, a non-profit research and advocacy group headed by President Tim Smith, has submitted a proposal outlining legislation that would restructure and reform the racing industry in the state. The legislation, the result of a year-long study in conjunction with the Government Law Center of the Albany Law School, would, among other things, broaden the definition of those who are eligible to operate the current New York Thoroughbred racing assets; allow for video lottery terminals at Belmont Park; give the six OTBs the option to join forces with the state's tracks; and permit account wagering clients to make deposits to their accounts via the computer or other electronic means, and not just by telephone. "We hope that as much of this proposed legislation as possible can be adopted this year," said Smith. "It includes many of the key recommendations of our 2005 reports. Its passage would lead to a better business model for New York racing and thus strengthen the upcoming bids for the current New York Racing Association franchise. Most importantly of all, this legislation would increase purses, improve breeding farm economics and help assure the future viability of the industry in New York." FNYR had announced that it would close down its operations once the legislation had been submitted. "While the mission of FNYR was finite in scope and has been completed, much remains to be done to realize the full potential of the New York racing industry," Smith said. "The current business structure is 50 years old, and not surprisingly needs updating. Balancing the needs of racing as a sport and racing as a business will be of critical importance. We think our proposed legislation is a good first step in that direction." For more information, go to [www.friendsofnyr.com](http://www.friendsofnyr.com).

A # will distinguish first-time stakes-winners, a @ will indicate first-time graded stakes-winners, a ▲ will denote a first-time Grade/Group 1 winner, a + will first-time starters, an (S) will be used for state-bred races, a (C) will be used for maiden-claiming races and an (R) will be used for other restricted races.

★ EAST ★

**Yesterday's Results:**

**6th-LRL, \$26,000, Msw, 3yo, 1m, 1:36 2/5, ft. HAPPY SURPRISE (c, 3, Crowd Pleaser--Abovehawaii, by Great Above)** was well-bet in his Feb. 8 bow over six furlongs at this track, but faltered to be fifth after a wide trip at odds of 9-2. Adding Lasix while getting an additional quarter mile to work with, the half to Tropical Punch (Two Punch), MSW & MGSP, \$404,376, sprinted to a clear early advantage, set the pace along the inside and was ridden out to an impressive 11 3/4-length victory as the 2-1 second choice. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$15,600.

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O/B-Mrs Raymond H Burnette (MD). T-Gary Capuano.

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**1st-SAX (Msw \$50K) Kelly Mac** (Thunder Gulch) fights every step of the way to graduate.


**3rd-SAX (Msw \$47K) Miss Maestro** (Bernstein) in a virtuoso performance.

**8th-GPX (Msw \$32K) Miracle Moment** (Chester House) wires 'em with blinkers on.

**10th-GPX (Msw \$32K) Pine Island** (Arch), 28-1 firster, helps fuel a \$109K Pick 6 carryover.

**6th-LRL (Msw \$26K) Happy Surprise** (Crowd Pleaser) crushes in his first try at a mile.

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**East Report cont.**

**10th-TAM, \$18,000, Msw, 3yo/up, 7f, 1:24 1/5, ft.**  
**SUCCESS SUCCESS (c, 3, Successful Appeal--Caribbean Success, by Bet Big)** debuted with a runner-up effort against \$25,000 maidens at this oval Feb. 18 and was the 5-1 third choice stepping up to maiden-special-weight company. Steadied in traffic early, the dark bay charged four wide off the final turn, overtook Mojito Man (Hennessy) inside the final furlong and went on to best that foe by 2 1/4 lengths. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$13,780.  
 O-David P Holloway. B-Hartley/DeRenzo Thoroughbreds (FL). T-Joe McAlister.

**OBS March Under Tack Shows:**

The Ocala Breeders Sales Company will conduct its first under-tack show for the March Selected Sale of Two-Year-Olds in Training today and tomorrow at 9 a.m. in Ocala, Florida. The second show will be held at the same time next Friday and Saturday, Mar. 17-18. The two-day auction, with 535 juveniles catalogued, will take place Mar. 21-22. Results and catalogue information may be viewed at [www.obssales.com](http://www.obssales.com).

★ CENTRAL ★

**Wednesday Night's Results:**

**8th-EVD, \$30,500, Alw, NW1X, 3yo, f, 5 1/2f, 1:04 3/5, ft.**  
**RED CHERRIES SPIN (f, 3, With Approval--Lavish Gift {GB}, by Generous {Ire})** aired by 6 1/4 lengths in her Nov. 12 career opener at Churchill for a \$30,000 tag. The grey came back to run third in an allowance at Louisiana Downs Dec. 22 and was the 2-1 second choice this time. Up close early on the inside, the homebred angled out for running room approaching the stretch and opened up by 8 1/2 lengths under a hand ride. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-1, \$35,210.  
 O/B-Yoshio Fujita (KY). T-Carl Bowman.

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**8th-TPX, \$21,500, Msw, 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:19 3/5, ft.**  
**C K GIVEN (f, 3, Point Given--Rapunzel Runz {SW & MGSP, \$244,266}, by Explodent)**, a \$100,000 KEEJAN yearling, debuted with a fourth over this surface Jan. 28. Bet down to 4-5 here, the chestnut was in the thick of things throughout before shaking loose for a 1 1/4-length tally over Kamaina Rose (Royal Academy). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$14,625.  
 O-Jeffrey S Cooper. B-Gentry Stable & The Thoroughbred Corporation (KY). T-Dallas Stewart.

★ SO. CALIFORNIA ★

**Yesterday's Results:**

**1st-SAX, \$60,200, Alw, NW2x, 4yo/up, 1mT, 1:36 4/5, fm.**  
**PLACE COWBOY (IRE) (h, 5, Compton Place {GB}--Paris Joelle {Ire}, by Fairy King)** hadn't been out in more than 10 months, but was ready to go despite the layoff. An allowance winner over course and distance in January of 2005, the bay hit the board in his next two, then tackled the top of the class in the May 7 GI Woodford Reserve Turf Classic at Churchill Downs. He set the pace in that nine-panel test, but faded late to be seventh, beaten just four lengths at 35-1. Making his return after a series of solid morning trials, the 5-1 chance tracked pacesetter Art Moderne (Woodman) as they dawdled through a half in :50.29 and six furlongs in 1:14.67. The leader turned it on as the challengers came after him at the top of the lane, shading :11 for the next eighth, but Place Cowboy was relentless in pursuit and got his nose in front at the wire after a final furlong in :11.34. The winner was a €34,000 GOFNOV weanling and an 85,000gns TATOCT yearling. Lifetime Record: 13-3-4-1, \$104,226.  
 O-Gould Family Trust. B-J Bourke & R O'Callaghan (Ire). T-J Cassidy.

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**So. Cal Report cont.**

**1st-SAX, \$50,128, Msw, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:37 1/5, ft.**

**KELLY MAC (m, 5, [Thunder Gulch](#)--Yekaterina, by Strawberry Road {Aus})** made a belated debut last summer at Del Mar, checking in fifth in a six-furlong maiden, but went missing off a third-place effort in a similar event at the Oak Tree meeting Sept. 29. The 17-10 favorite in her first two-turn endeavor, the half to Whoopdoo (Jade Hunter), GISP, \$238,850, dueled for the early lead from between rivals, poked her head in front at the quarter pole and stayed on dourly for a neck success over Empress Pegasus (Fusaichi Pegasus). Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-1, \$34,660. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O-Mercedes Stables LLC. B-Madeleine A Paulson (KY). T-Darrell Vienna.

**3rd-SAX, \$47,200, Msw, 4yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2fT, 1:14 2/5, fm.**

**MISS MAESTRO (f, 4, [Bernstein](#)--La Veta Madre, by Mining)** turned in a runner-up effort on the Hollywood Park main track May 15 before being shelved. The dark bay most recently returned from a nine-month hiatus to miss by a nose over course and distance Feb. 11, but was no better than the 3-1 third choice in this spot. Last but one for the opening half mile, the \$10,500 FTKOCT yearling and \$35,000 BESMAR juvenile came wide across the dirt, was roused to the front at the eighth pole and drew clear to defeat Storm Hearted (Lion Hearted) by 1 1/4 lengths. Favored Tolerance (Seeking the Gold), the daughter of Toussaud, saved ground throughout and was just nipped for the place. Lifetime Record: 3-1-2-0, \$45,400. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O-Sandy Weinstock Farm & Carl L Herrmann Jr. B-Dr D W Frazier (KY). T-Paul G Aguirre.

The **brisnet.com** 'Race of the Day' is the **9th Race, \$33,000 Allowance at Gulfstream Park.** For pps and a complete race analysis, click [here](#).

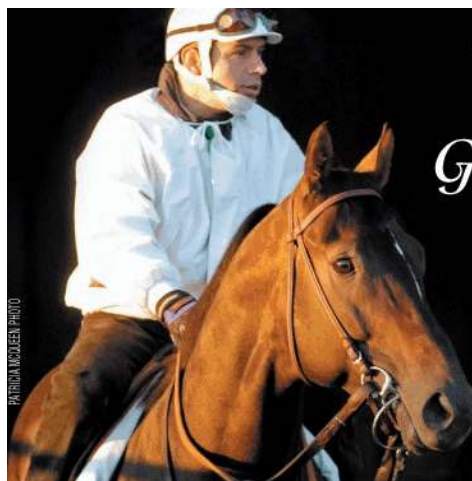
**California Seeks Funding for Polytracks:**

California Senator Dean Florez is in the process of writing a bill that will seek funding for Polytrack surfaces at California racetracks. The California Horse Racing Board has voted that it will require the state's tracks to install the synthetic surfaces before the end of 2007 in an effort to cut down on racehorse injuries. Florez is working with the CHRB and with members of the racing industry on the wording of the legislation. "The installation of Polytrack is one of many long-term steps needed to ensure that we have a healthy and prosperous racing industry in California," Florez said. "I'm committed to developing a sensible funding mechanism that will accelerate its introduction in our state." The CHRB has scheduled two meetings to provide information and answer any questions regarding Polytrack. Representatives of Keeneland Race Course, which will install a Polytrack oval in time for its 2006 fall meet, will attend the first meeting, set for Mar. 21 at Santa Anita. Trainer Michael Dickinson, who created and patented the synthetic all-weather Tapeta surface for his Maryland training center, will speak at the second meeting, scheduled for Apr. 4 at Santa Anita.

★ INDUSTRY INFO ★

**NTRA/Breeders' Cup CFO to Retire:**

Ferguson Taylor, the chief financial officer and corporate treasurer of the National Thoroughbred Racing Association and Breeders' Cup Ltd., will retire effective Apr. 1. Taylor, 61, joined the Breeders' Cup in 1983 as controller, and has served as the CFO for the NTRA since 2001, when the two organizations combined their operations. The NTRA and Breeders' Cup will begin a formal search for Taylor's replacement. "It has been my distinct pleasure to work shoulder to shoulder with Fergie since the day I hired him back in 1983," said NTRA Commissioner and Breeders' Cup President D.G. Van Clief, Jr. "His financial acumen, combined with his dedication, loyalty and integrity, have made him a valuable asset and a major contributor to our organization."




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★ AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS ★

IN DUBAI:

**Discreet Cat**, c, 3, **Forestry**--Pretty Discreet (GISW, \$230,422), by Private Account. Nad al Sheba, 3-9, Hcp., 1600m, 1:35.91. B-E Paul Robsham. \* 1/2 to Pretty Wild (Wild Again), MSW & MGISP, \$398,280.

**Remaadd**, g, 5, **Daylami (Ire)**--Bint Albaadiya (SW-Eng), by Woodman. Nad al Sheba, 3-9, Hcp., 2000m, 2:04.38. B-Darley. \* GSP-Eng.

**SOPHOMORE SPOTLIGHT**

**Stakes/First-time Starters to Watch: Friday, Mar. 10**

*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

3-EVD, Msw, 1m, Mister Attitude, 8-1

**FIVE STAR DAY** (Carson City), Wintergreen, \$10K, 126/17/3

8-TP, Msw, 6f, Djembe, \$50K EAS MAY 2yo

**LUFTIKUS** (Meadowlake), Taylor Mtn, \$3K, 78/11/2

3-CT, Msw, 4 1/2f, +Queens English, 3-1 & Mr. Gordon's Girl, 5-1

**MONARCHOS** (Maria's Mon), Claiborne, \$25K, 131/8/2

8-OP, Msw, 6f, Altimeter

**PRIME TIMBER** (Sultry Song), Sez Who, \$5K, 93/19/1

9-AQU, Msw, 6f, Teakwood, \$52K OBS MAR 2yo

**PUT IT BACK** (Honour and Glory), Bridlewood, \$5K, 79/14/1

1-EVD, Msw, 6f, Bionda Fence, \$5K LTB WNT yrl, 10-1

6-GG, Aoc, 6f, Smokey Stover, \$140K EAS MAY 2yo



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IN DUBAI:

**Azarole (Ire)**, g, 5, **Alzao**--Cashew (GB), by Sharrood. Nad al Sheba, 3-9, Hcp., 1600mT, 1:41.08. B-Lord Vestey. \*45,000gns HIT '05 TATOCT. \*\*1/2 to Macadamia (Ire) (Classic Cliche {Ire}), Hwt. Older Mare-Eng at 7-9.5f, GSW-Eng, \$312,142; and Pistachio (GB) (Unblest {GB}), GSW-Swe, MSW & GSP-Nor, SP-Eng, MSP-Ger.

**Shakis (Ire)**, h, 6, **Machiavellian**--Tawaaded (Ire), by Nashwan. Nad al Sheba, 3-9, Hcp., 2000mT, 2:06.33. B-Shadwell Estate. \*MGSP-Fr & GSP-UAE.

**Seihali (Ire)**, h, 7, **Alzao**--Edwina (Ire), by Caerleon. Nad al Sheba, 3-9, Hcp., 1600mT, 1:39.11. B-Rathbarry Stud. \*GSP-UAE. \*lr£180,000 yrl '00 GOFORB.

IN SOUTH AFRICA:

**Country Lodge (Ire)**, f, 3, **Grand Lodge**--Principium, by Hansel. Vaal, 3-9, Maiden, 1400mT. B-Barronstown Stud & Pacelco SA. \*1/2 to Kongo Rikishio (Ire) (Stravinsky), SW-Jpn, \$761,231. \*\*18,000gns wnlg '03 TATDEC.



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## MIDDLE EAST



## ★ SAUDI ARABIA ★

### ★ DUBAI ★

**Yesterday's Results:**

**UAE OAKS-Listed**, \$250,000, Nad Al Sheba, 3-9, 3yo (NH/SH), f, 1800m, 1:52.14, ft.

1-#**IMPERIAL ICE (SAf)**, 130, f, 3, by **Western Winter**  
**1st Dam: Imperial Conquest (SAf)**, by **Royal Chalice (SAf)**  
**2nd Dam: Eligible (SAf)**, by **Dancing Champ**  
**3rd Dam: Party Time (SAf)**, by **Filipepi (GB)**

O-Rupert Plersch & Robert Harrison; B-J Nash; T-H Brown; J-K Shea; \$162,500. Lifetime Record: 8-3-1-0, \$228,719. \*Full to Imperial Triumph (SAf), GSW & G1SP-SAf; and Imperial Gem (SAf), SP-SAf.

2-**Quality Special (Brz)**, 130, f, 3, Burooj (GB)--Lady Be Special, by Bering (GB). O-Estrela Energia Stables; B-Haras Female Do Sul; \$50,000.

3-**Dont Dili Dali (GB)**, 121, f, 3, Dansili (GB)--Miss Meltemi (Ire) by Miswaki Tern. (7,500gns yrl '04 TATOCT). O-Peter Webb & Peter Lay; B-G Russell; \$25,000.

Margins: 1, 2 1/4, 2. Odds: 9-5, 8-1, 9-1.

Also Ran: Kalaforte (SAf), Princess Woodman (Brz), Give Me the Night (Ire), Zeina of Arabia (GB), Donia Dubai (Ire), Rock Opera (SAf), Nawassi (Chi).

In search of her first stakes success following a runner-up effort to since-derailed Vague in the UAE 1000 Guineas Feb. 16, Imperial Ice outfinished a game Quality Special to lead home a Southern Hemisphere exacta. A winner of two of three starts in her native South Africa in 2005, Imperial Ice made an inauspicious debut in Dubai this year, missing the board in three successive efforts (two on the grass, one on the dirt) before her second in the 1600-meter UAE 1000 Guineas. Here, the chestnut raced along in mid-pack under Kevin Shea, forged to a narrow lead over Quality Special 400 meters out and inched away under spirited right-handed encouragement.

Click for the [emiratesracing.com](http://emiratesracing.com) chart.

### JUDGE T C TO SAUDI ARABIA

*The Blood-Horse* has reported that **Judge T C** (Judge Smells--I'm Pretty, by Secretariat) has been sold for stud duty to Prince Sultan Mohammed Saud al Kabeer at Nofa Equestrian Resort in a deal brokered by Narvick International. The 15-year-old had previously been standing as property of a partnership for \$8,500 at McMahon of Saratoga Thoroughbreds in Saratoga Springs, New York. A multiple graded-stakes winner of \$826,826, the dark bay has sired 15 stakes winners to date. Among his leading representatives are Canadian champion and Grade I winner Lady Shari and Grade I winner Request for Patrol, as well as graded-stakes winners Strait from Texas, The Judge Sez Who, Truly a Judge and Zone Judge.

### ★ ON THE WORKTAB ★

#### GULFSTREAM PARK

**Clock Stopper** (Gilded Time), 5f, :59.60, 3/11

#### HOLLYWOOD PARK

**Buzzards Bay** (Marco Bay), 4f, :47.40, 3/35

**Imperialism** (Langfuhr), 3f, :35.80, 2/22

**Miss Norman** (Artax), 4f, :49.40, 21/35

**Tatsuji (Ire)** (Fusaichi Pegasus), 6f, 1:14.40, 12/24

#### PAYSON PARK

**Chestertown Slew** (Seattle Slew), 4f, :52.40, 16/18

**Naissance Royale (Ire)** (Giant's Causeway), 4f, :52.20, 14/18

**Saoirse Cat** (Storm Cat), 4f, :51.00, 7/18

#### SANTA ANITA

**Berbatim** (Bernstein), 5f, 1:00.20, 9/66

**Congrats** (A.P. Indy), 6f, ●1:11.40, 1/17

**Flip Flop (Fr)** (Zieten), 4f, :49.60, 50/67

**Moscow Burning** (Moscow Ballet), 5f, 1:02.00, 40/66

**New Joysey Jeff** (Bright Launch), 5f, 1:01.60, 33/66

**Super Frolic** (Pine Bluff), 6f, ●1:11.40, 1/17

#### TAMPA BAY DOWNS

**Battle Won** (Honour and Glory), 4f, :48.20, 2/30

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## BREEDERS' EDITION AMERICA

**ALLOWANCE RESULTS:**

**10th-EVD, \$44,800**, 3-8, NW2L, (S), 4/up, 1m, 1:40 1/5, ft.  
**TACO TODDY** (g, 4, **Zarbyev--La Bella Rose**, by **Sir Richard Lewis**) Lifetime Record: 7-2-2-1, \$61,636.  
O/B-Francis C Gainey (LA). T-Joe Duhon.

**9th-EVD, \$44,800**, 3-8, NW2L, (S), 3yo, 6f, 1:11, ft.  
**CAPT. RHON** (c, 3, **You and I--Frolicking Missy**, by **Miswaki**) Lifetime Record: 6-2-0-3, \$52,583. O-Ralph J Wadleigh. B-Rolling Hills Farm (LA). T-K L Bourgeois.  
\*\$2,500 yrl '04 LOUSEP; \$20,000 2yo '05 TEXMAR.

**9th-OPX, \$36,700**, Opt. Clm. (\$62,500), C, 4yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11 1/5, gd.  
**TELLER LINE** (m, 7, **Roar--S. S. Asiatic**, by **Polish Navy**) Lifetime Record: 31-11-5-7, \$233,262. O-Get in the Picture Stable. B-Peter J Sheppell (KY). T-M Campbell.

**8th-CTX, \$32,000**, 3-8, NW3L, 4/up, 9f, 1:57 2/5, ft.  
**JINGLE BELLS** (g, 4, **Citidancer--Christmas Cactus {SP, \$126,563}**, by **Allen's Prospect**) Lifetime Record: 8-2-2-1, \$46,450. O-Henry T Rathbun. B-Mr & Mrs Henry T Rathbun (MD). T-A White.

**4th-CTX, \$31,000**, 3-8, NW1X, 4/up, f/m, 4.5f, :53 1/5, ft.  
**JOLIE LOUISE** (m, 5, **Mister Jolie--Cincinnati Pops**, by **Dixieland Band**) Lifetime Record: 18-5-3-6, \$86,875. O-Farhat W Khalaf. B-Steve Baker (TX). T-Ronney W Brown. \*\$2,000 yrl '02 TEXAUG. \*\*1/2 to Twist and Pop (Oliver's Twist), SW, \$228,910.

**8th-LRL, \$30,000**, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000-\$20,000), NW2X, 4yo/up, 7f, 1:23 2/5, ft.  
**HESA BIG STAR** (g, 4, **Hesabull--Starbuster**, by **Housebuster**) Lifetime Record: 12-3-3-3, \$75,740. O-Robert L Cole Jr. B-Red Sunset Farm (FL). T-Howard E Wolfendale. \*\$1,400 wlng '02 OBSOCT.

### New Jersey-bred Champions for 2005

**Park Avenue Ball** (Citidancer) - Horse of the Year, Ch. 3yo  
**Pure Disco** (Disco Rico) - Ch. 2yo Filly  
**First Class Guy** (Unbridled Jet) - Ch. 2yo Colt  
**I'mtoogoodtobetrue** (Good and Tough) - Ch. 3yo Filly  
**Trueamericanspirit** (Is it True) - Ch. Handicap Horse  
**Smart N Classy** (Smart Strike) - Ch. Handicap Mare  
**Joey P.** (Close Up) - Ch. Sprinter

**ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**

**Catch That Moxie**, g, 3, **Cinnamon Creek--Proper Halo**, by Proper Reality. OPX, 3-9, (S), 6f, 1:13 3/5. B-Ron Finkbeiner & Joe Roach (Ar).

**Helmsmaster**, g, 3, **Helmsman--Cryptic Madam**, by Cryptoclearance. SAX, 3-8, (S), (C), 7f, 1:25 1/5. B-Long Hollow Tb's & Mr & Mrs Mike Fluty (Ca). \*\$8,500 yrl '04 BESOCT.

+ **Tensas Phone Call**, c, 3, **Lion Cavern--Xylophone**, by Dehere. EVD, 3-8, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:04 4/5. B-Sam O Leake Jr (La). \*\$35,500 yrl '04 LOUAUG.  
\*\*Won by 7 1/2 lengths.

**Fort Carillon**, f, 3, **Runaway Groom--She's Ok**, by Tsunami Slew. AQU, 3-9, (C), 1m, 1:40 2/5. B-Albert Coppola (On).

**Pugnacious Millie**, m, 5, **K. O. Punch--Zydeco Queen**, by Full Pocket. EVD, 3-8, 6f, 1:13 2/5. B-Alice Gladys Cohn (Ky). \*1/2 to Bayou Buster (Housebuster), SW, \$148,438.

## BREEDERS' EDITION EUROPE

**CONDITIONS RESULTS:**

**FRANCE, Maisons-Laffitte, 2.20**, 3-9, €33,000, 3yo, 5 1/2fT, 1:10.70, vhy.

**SABASHA (FR)** (f, 3, **Xaar {GB}--Saba {Ity}**, by **Kris {GB}**) Lifetime Record: 9 starts, 2 wins, 7 places, €44,300. O-Guy Pariente; B-SCEA La Poterie; T-Francois Rohaut. \*€47,000 yrl '04 DEAOCT.

**FRANCE, Maisons-Laffitte, 4.20**, 3-9, €29,000, 4yo/up, 6fT, 1:18.50, vhy.

**CAMPO BUENO (FR)** (c, 4, **Septieme Ciel--Herba Buena {Fr}**, by **Fabulous Dancer**) Lifetime Record: SW & GSP-Fr, 18 starts, 6 wins, 10 places, €126,700. O-B Wayne Hughes; B-T de la Heronniere, Mme D de la Heronniere & F Champion; T-Xavier Nakkachdji. \*25,000 yrl '03 DEAOCT.

**FRANCE, Maisons-Laffitte, 2.50**, 3-9, €21,000, 3yo, 1 5/16mT, 2:26.30, vhy.

**BEFON (FR)** (c, 3, **Bering {GB}--Fontanina {Ire}**, by **Lake Coniston {Ire}**) Lifetime Record: 6 starts, 2 wins, 3 places, €24,300. O-Jose Gonzalez; B-A Fracas & Darley Stud Management Co Ltd; T-Carlos Laffon-Parias. \*€12,000 yrl '04 DEAOCT.



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