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Triple Threats

BARBARO SHIPS OUT; DEREK WAITS

Kentucky Derby winner **Barbaro** (Dynaformer) arrived safely yesterday at his home-base at Fair Hills Training Facility in Northeast Maryland after departing Churchill Downs Sunday afternoon. The Michael Matz trainee is expected to make his next start in the G1 Preakness S. at Pimlico May 20. Looking for redemption in the second jewel of the Triple Crown, **Brother Derek** (Benchmark), who dead-heated for fourth in the Derby, is expected to leave the Louisville oval next Wednesday. Trainer Dan Hendricks said that his star will not breeze between races and expects a better result in the Preakness. "If we run our race and get a better trip, I think we are good enough to win the Preakness," said Hendricks.



Barbaro Horsephotos

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Lawyer Ron Camp Looking for Answers...

Lawyer Ron (Langfuhr), who was a lackluster 12th in Saturday's Kentucky Derby, will accompany Brother Derek on the flight East next Wednesday. A final decision whether the GII Arkansas Derby winner will contest the Preakness will be made by the end of the week. "We had a complete work-up on the horse [Monday] and the x-rays are going to be sent to the doctors to look at," explained trainer Bob Holthus. "We'll know for sure by Saturday what we are going to do with the horse." Outlining immediate plans for the colt, Holthus added, "Until then, he is going to walk, and by Thursday, he'll be back on the track with an exercise rider."



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NUMIDE SWEEPS TO VICTORY IN HOCQUART

Trainer Jean-Claude Rouget claimed his fifth G2 Hocquart since 1997 as **Numide (Fr)** (Highest Honor {Fr}) swept from last to deny old foe **Gentlewave (Ire)** (Monsun {Ger}) on the line at Longchamp yesterday. Christophe Soumillon was in the process of asking the latter for his main effort, but dropped his whip when doing so and was undone as that persuasive aid became noticeable by its absence with the wire looming large. However, Numide was not winning out of turn, backing up two victories at Toulouse--Nov. 23 and Feb. 15--with a last-out second to Gentlewave in the Mar. 18 Listed Prix Maurice Caillault and reversed that form with a career best here. Slowest from the gate as Sudan set modest fractions, the eventual winner sat in rear until the home straight. He was set alight inside the final quarter, making rapid headway to go second at the distance and he was not to be denied as a powerful surge carried him to a last-gasp success. [Click for the racingpost.co.uk chart](http://clickfortheracingpost.co.uk/chart) or the [free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree](http://freebrisnet.com/catalogue-style/pedigree).

Monday, Longchamp, France

PRIX HOCQUART-G2, €130,000, Longchamp, 5-8, 3yo, c/f, 1 3/8mT, 2:23.00, vsf.

1--@#**NUMIDE (FR)**, 128, c, 3, by Highest Honor (Fr)

1st Dam: Numidie (Fr) (SW-Fr), by Baillamont

2nd Dam: Yamuna (Fr), by Green Dancer

3rd Dam: Yeovil (Fr), by Sir Gaylord

O-Ecurie I M Fares; B-Haras de Manneville; T-Jean-Claude Rouget; J-loritz Mendizabal; €71,400.

Lifetime Record: 6 starts, 3 wins, 1 place, €94,900.

* Full to Reve d'Oscar (Fr), G1SW-Fr & G1SP-Ity, \$261,761.

2--**Gentlewave (Ire)**, 128, c, 3, Monsun (Ger)--Saumareine (Fr), by Saumarez (GB). (€55,000 yrl '04 DEAAUG). O-Gary Tanaka; B-Haras de la Perelle; T-Andre Fabre; €28,600.

3--**Sudan (Ire)**, 128, c, 3, Peintre Celebre--Sarabande, by Woodman. O-Ecurie Wildenstein; B-Dayton Investments Ltd; T-Elie Lellouche; €13,650.

Margins: SNK, 6, NO. Odds: 7.10, 0.90, 10.00.

Also Ran: Nordic Thunder (Ger), Kentucky Dynamite, Royal Pennekamp (Fr), Double Eagle (Fr).

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Monday, Longchamp, France

PRIX D'HEDOUVILLE-G3, €80,000, Longchamp, 5-8, 4yo/up, 1 1/2mT, 2:39.10, vsf.

- 1--**@BELLAMY CAY (GB)**, 121, c, 4, by Kris (GB)
 1st Dam: Trellis Bay (GB) (SP-Eng), by Sadler's Wells
 2nd Dam: Bahamian (Ire), by Mill Reef
 3rd Dam: Sorbus (Ire), by Busted (GB)

O-Khalid Abdullah; B-Juddmonte Farms; T-Andre Fabre; J-Christophe Soumillon; €40,000. Lifetime Record: 8 starts, 5 wins, 2 places, €135,450.

- 2--**Salutino (Ger)**, 123, c, 4, Monsun (Ger)--Saderlina (Ire), by Sadler's Wells. O-Baronne Karin von Ullmann; B-Gestut Schlenderhan; T-Andre Fabre; €16,000.

- 3--**Walk in the Park (Ire)**, 123, c, 4, Montjeu (Ire)--Classic Park (GB), by Robellino. (130,000 yrl '03 GOFORB; 270,000gns 2yo '04 TATAPR). O-Michael Tabor; B-Lodge Park Stud; T-John Hammond; €12,000.

Margins: 3/4, 1, NK. Odds: 1.40, 3.70, 4.60.

Also Ran: Marend (Fr), Policy Maker (Ire), Coventgarden (Fr), Alost (Fr), Farouge (Fr).

Christophe Soumillon was reunited with his whip for this classy undercard event, but it became excess baggage as the Belgian pushed out Bellamy Cay for an



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impressive pillar-to-post success. The Juddmonte homebred ran fifth in the July 14 G1 Grand Prix de Paris at this track, but dropped one rung back here in the shorter G3 Prix du Prince d'Orange Sept. 17. He tasted stakes success for the first time when

bagging the Oct. 19 Listed Prix Vulcain and repeated the dose on seasonal bow in the Listed Prix de la Porte de Madrid at Saint-Cloud Apr. 18. Sent straight to the head of affairs upon flagfall, the crowd's choice gradually increased the tempo from the half-mile marker and he proved resilient in front, turning down all challenges with the gauge not reaching maximum. Bellamy Cay may now point to the G2 Grand Prix de Chantilly June 4. Click for the racingpost.co.uk chart.

Sunday, Tokyo, Japan

NHK MILE CUP-G1-JRA, (Listed), ¥180,900,000, Tokyo, 5-7, 3yo, 1600mT, 1:33.2, fm.

- 1--**#LOGIC (JPN)**, 126, c, 3, by Agnes Tachyon (Jpn)
 1st Dam: April Drama (Jpn), by Sakura Yutaka 0 (Jpn)
 2nd Dam: Fine Drama, by Shinzan (Jpn)
 3rd Dam: Sweet Berry (Jpn), by Tosamidori (Jpn)

O-Koji Maeda; B-Shuichi Takeda; T-Kojiro Hashiguchi; J-Yutaka Take; ¥95,990,000. Lifetime Record: 8-3-2-3.

- 2--**Fine Grain (Jpn)**, 126, c, 3, Fuji Kiseki (Jpn)--Mill Grain (GB), by Polish Precedent. O-Shadai Race H.; B-Shadai Farm; ¥38,140,000.

- 3--**Kinshasa no Kiseki (Aus)**, 121, c, 3, Fuji Kiseki (Jpn)--Keltshaan, by Pleasant Colony. O-Kazumi Yoshida; B-Arrowleave Joint Venture; ¥23,570,000.

Margins: NK, 1 1/2, 1 3/4. Odds: 8.70, 25.90, 14.80.

Sent off the third choice, Logic rated in mid-pack early, improved his position along the rail in the stretch and swung outside to outbattle longshot Fine Grain in the final furlongs for a narrow win. "He was in good form and had a fast breeze, but I thought it would be tough for him to beat such a good field," admitted winning jockey Yutaka Take. "He responded very impressively when I asked and this was his best race yet." Logic, third in the G3 Shinzan Kinen while making his seasonal debut in January, was second in the Feb. 25 G2 Arlington Cup before a third-place effort in the Apr. 8 G2 New Zealand Trophy last time out. Trainer Kojiro Hashiguchi, who conditioned G2 Godolphin Mile winner Utopia (Jpn) until that charge was purchased by Godolphin last week, will aim Logic at the May 28 Japanese Derby. Favored Fusaichi Richard (Jpn) (Kurofune) finished sixth, while New Zealand Trophy winner Meiner Scherzi (Jpn) (Grass Wonder) was 10th.

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Saturday, Kyoto, Japan

KYOTO SHIMBUN HAI-G2-JRA (Listed), ¥104,740,000, Kyoto, 5-6, 3yo, 2200mT, 2:14.80, fm.

1--**#TOHO ALAN (JPN)**, 123, c, 3, by **Dance in the Dark (Jpn)**

1st Dam: **Hidden Dance**, by **Nureyev**

2nd Dam: **Hidden Light**, by **Majestic Light**

3rd Dam: **Tallahto**, by **Nantallah**

O-Toho Bussan Co Ltd; B-Masami Maekawa; T-Hideaki Fujiwara; J-Shinji Fujita; ¥54,868,000.

Lifetime Record: 4-3-0-0.

2--**Aperitif (Jpn)**, 123, c, 3, El Condor Pasa--I See Silence (Jpn), by Sunday Silence. O-North Hills Management Co Ltd; B-Shadai Farm; ¥22,248,000.

3--**Meiner Polite (Jpn)**, 123, c, 3, Admire Vega (Jpn)--Modesty Itself, by Blushing Groom (Fr). O-K.

Thoroughbred Club Ruffian; B-S Bokujo; ¥14,124,000.

Margins: NK, 3/4, NK. Odds: 14.10, 27.50, 20.30.

Toho Alan, looking to earn a spot in the May 28 Japanese Derby, stalked the pace from second, gained command turning for home and held on gamely for the win. "I was just happy because I've wanted him to run in the Japanese Derby since I rode him in his debut," explained winning rider Shinji Fujita. "The pace was slow, so I thought it was effective for him to take the lead. He was always relaxed and answered me perfectly today." Toho Alan picked up two consecutive wins since his debut in January, but finished a disappointing 10th in the Mar. 19 G2 Spring S. last time out. Previously unbeaten Maruka Shenck (Jpn) (Sunday Silence) finished fifth.

Saturday, Niigata, Japan

NIIGATA DAISHOTEN-G3-JRA (Listed), ¥78,160,000, Niigata, 5-6, 4yo/up, 2000mT, 1:59.1, fm.

1--**#OSUMI GRASS ONE (JPN)**, 121, c, 4, by **Grass Wonder**

1st Dam: **Hokko Oka (Jpn)**, by **Lindo Shaver**

2nd Dam: **Lands Prompt (Jpn)**, by **Prompt (Fr)**

3rd Dam: **Tosa Mor (Jpn)**, by **Tosamidori (Jpn)**

O-Osumi Co Ltd; B-Keiichi Samekawa; T-Masatoshi Ando; J-Hirofumi Shii; ¥41,602,000. Lifetime Record:

11-5-4-1. *1/2 to Osumi Erst (Jpn) (Warning {GB}), MSP-Jpn, \$772,029; Osumi Haruka (Jpn) (Fusaichi Concorde {Jpn}), MSW-Jpn, \$2,646,557.

2--**Kanahara Dragon (Jpn)**, 123, h, 8, Amber Shadai (Jpn)--Minagawa Roman (Jpn), by **Bravest Roman**.

O-M Terauchi; B-Tanikawa Stud; ¥16,172,000.

3--**El Camino (Jpn)**, 112, h, 8, Jade Robbery--El Reina (Jpn), by **Slew o' Gold**. O-Hiroyoshi Usuda; B-Shadai Farm; ¥10,086,000.

Margins: 2, 1 1/4, NO. Odds: 3.80, 31.50, 162.50.

Niigata Daishoten cont.

Osumi Grass One raced from the rear under Hirofumi Shii and improved his position from outside. He accelerated powerfully in the stretch, closing with every stride to take the lead and draw away for the win. "I wasn't worried about his position because of the long home stretch at Niigata," said Shii. "He showed a very powerful late kick today. This is my first graded stakes win at Niigata, so I am very happy." Off the board in only one of 11 starts to date, Osumi Grass One was coming off a third-place finish in the Apr. 8 Osaka-Hamburg Cup.

Saturday, Sonada, Japan

HYOGO CHAMPIONSHIP-G3-NAR (Listed),

¥51,000,000, Sonada, 5-6, 3yo, 1870m, 2:01.20, gd.

1--**GRACE TIARA (JPN)**, 117, f, 3, by **Fuji Kiseki (Jpn)**

1st Dam: **Royal Tiara (Jpn)**, by **Northern Taste**

2nd Dam: **Royal Cosmah (Jpn)**, by **Royal Ski**

3rd Dam: **Matchless Native**, by **Raise a Native**

O/B-Shimokobe Farm; T-Takahisa Tezuka;

J-Katsuharu Tanaka; ¥30,000,000. Lifetime Record: 8-4-1-0, ¥104,510,000.

2--**Friendship (Jpn)**, 121, c, 3, French Deputy--Friendly Beauty, by Stalwart. O-Teruya Yoshida; B-Shadai Farm; T-Katsuhiko Sumii; ¥10,500,000.

3--**Gioire (Jpn)**, 121, c, 3, Meisei Opera (Jpn)--Max Koruti (Jpn), by **Tosho Boy (Jpn)**. O-Takeshi Fujita; B-Masami Mori; T-Naoe Sowa; ¥5,400,000.

Margins: NK, 4, 3HF. Odds: 2.20, 0.40, 7.90.

Friday, Funabashi, Japan

KASHIWA KINEN-G1-NAR (Listed), ¥102,000,000, Funabashi, 5-5, 4yo/up, 1600m, 1:38.60, gd.

1--**ADJUDI MITSUO (JPN)**, 125, h, 5, by **Adjudicating**

1st Dam: **Orimitsu (Jpn)**, by **Judge Angelucci**

2nd Dam: **Usa Roman (Jpn)**, by **Tompson**

3rd Dam: **Beat Flower (Jpn)**, by **Never Beat (GB)**

O-Masao Orido; B-Fujikawa Farm; T-Masayuki Kawashima; J-Hiroyuki Uchida; ¥60,000,000.

Lifetime Record: 18-9-2-2, ¥457,600,000.

2--**Blue Concorde (Jpn)**, 125, h, 6, Fusaichi Concorde (Jpn)--Ebisu Family (Jpn), by **Brian's Time**. O-Ogifushi Racing Club; B-Etsuo Kawakami; T-Toshiyuki Hattori; ¥21,000,000.

3--**Saqalat (Jpn)**, 125, h, 6, Afleet--Scarlet Lady (Jpn), by **Sunday Silence**. O-Sunday Racing; B-Northern Farm; T-Sei Ishizaka; ¥12,000,000.

Margins: 1HF, 2, 2. Odds: 0.50, 2.30, 4.20.

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Wednesday, Nagoya, Japan

KAKITSUBATA KINEN-G3-NAR (Listed), ¥46,500,000, Nagoya, 5-3, 4yo/up, 1400m, 1:27.20, gd.

1--**ROCKY APPEAL**, 125, h, 8, by Valid Appeal

1st Dam: **Dame's Rocket**, by Timeless Native

2nd Dam: **Rinley Rinley**, by Dancing Count

3rd Dam: **Twirl the World**, by Frankie's Nod

(\$100,000 2yo '00 OBSFEB). O-Makoto Kaneko; B-Mockingbird Farm Inc; T-Hiromi Yamazaki; J-Seiji Yamazaki; ¥30,000,000. Lifetime Record: 48-10-5-9, ¥215,070,000.

2--**Precise Machine (Jpn)**, 125, h, 7, Mayano Top Gun

(Jpn)--Be Silent (Jpn), by Sunday Silence. O-Seiichi

Iketani; B-Shiraoui Farm; T-Kiyoshi Hagiwara;

¥9,000,000.

3--**Coreless Time (Jpn)**, 123, h, 8, Wakoa Raiden (Jpn)--

Coreless Doll (Jpn), by Brian's Time. O-Masashi

Kobayashi; B-Coreless Stud; T-Akio Kawamura;

¥3,600,000.

Margins: NK, HF, 1. Odds: 19.80, 0.80, 27.50.

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DERBY RATINGS DECLINE NBC Sports announced yesterday that the 132nd edition of the Kentucky Derby received a 7.4 overnight rating and 17 share, the lowest since the network aired its first broadcast in 2001. Down from 8.2/19 in 2005 and 8.3/18 in 2004, the telecast peaked between 5:45 p.m. and 6:45 p.m. EDT, when it generated an 8.9/20 rating. During that same time slot, last year's telecast hit 10.0/23. This year's pre-race segment, from 5- 5:45 p.m. EDT, generated a 5.5/13 share, down from 6.0/15 a year ago. Competition included CBS' coverage of the Wachovia PGA golf tournament, and ABC's telecast of the NCAA women's gymnastics. Final ratings will be reported Thursday. The rating measures the number of households tuned in to the telecast, with each ratings point equaling approximately 770,000 homes.



SLY PONDERERS OAKS BID Connections of Sunday's G1 1000 Guineas winner **Speciosa (Ire)** (Danehill Dancer {Ire}) were yesterday giving serious consideration to a tilt at the June 2 G1 Epsom Oaks. Following 2 1/2-length defeat of Confidential Lady (GB) in the mile Classic at Newmarket, trainer and part-owner Pam Sly revealed that a supplementary entry to the mile-and-a-half Classic was on the cards. "She's fine and was a little bit stressed [Monday] when we turned her out into her pen, so we just put her back in her stable," she said. "I thought she was going away at the end, and although the Oaks will be stabbing in the dark, I'll have a word with Micky [Fenton] and see if he thinks she'll stay."

CROWDS DOWN AT NEWMARKET Officials at Newmarket racecourse were looking at a downturn in attendance and tote turnover over the Guineas Festival weekend. While Managing Director Lisa Hancock praised the quality of the two main races won by George Washington (Ire) and Speciosa (Ire), Sunday's crowd fell to 12,767 this year from 15,234 last term. That in turn affected the Tote turnover of £255,843, which fell from the £398.936 of last year. "From a racing perspective, it's been absolutely fantastic with two exceptional Classics, which is what this meeting is all about," Hancock said Sunday. "The crowd really warmed to Speciosa this afternoon and that was really pleasing to see. Looking at the crowds, Saturday's was good, while we will be down for [Monday]--but we knew that we would be. The wet weather wasn't going to help us and we also were aware that the fact that tomorrow isn't a Bank Holiday--as the Monday following this meeting usually is--was going to be a problem for us. But overall, the meeting has been a major success for us and I'm really pleased for the sponsors Stan James, who are giving this meeting the continuity and support that it deserves."



PEDIGREE INSIGHTS

BY ANDREW CAULFIELD

Saturday, Newmarket, Britain

STAN JAMES 2000 GUINEAS S.-G1, £330,000,

Newmarket, 5-6, 3yo, c/f, 1mT, 1:36.86, gd/fm.

1--**GEORGE WASHINGTON (IRE)**, 126, c, 3, by **Danehill**

1st Dam: **Bordighera (SP-Fr)**, by **Alysheba**

2nd Dam: **Blue Tip (Fr)**, by **Tip Moss (Fr)**

3rd Dam: **As Blue (GB)**, by **Blue Tom**

(1,150,000gns yrl '04 TATOCT). O-Susan Magnier, Michael Tabor & Derrick Smith; B-Lael Stables; T-Aidan O'Brien; J-Kieren Fallon; £187,374. Lifetime Record: Ch. 2yo Colt-Eur, Hwt. 2yo Colt-Ire, MG1SW-Ire, 6-5-0-1, £504,723. *1/2 to Grandera (Ire) (Grand Lodge), Ch. Older Horse-Eur, Hwt. Older Horse-Eng & Ire at 9.5-11f, G1SW-Eng, Ire & Mal, GSW-UAE, G1SP-Fr & Aus, \$2,873,271.

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From now on George Clooney, the star of "Good Night, and Good Luck" and "Syriana," is going to have to share his nickname of Gorgeous George. Channel 4's commentator Simon Holt couldn't resist applying this nickname to Danehill's son George Washington after this charismatic colt produced a spectacular burst to overwhelm a strong field in Saturday's 2,000 Guineas.

There are a few similarities between the two Gorgeous Georges. Whereas Clooney has regularly featured on lists of Beautiful People, George Washington was voted the pick of all the yearlings sold in Europe in 2004. With John Magnier's group having to wear down Nobutaka Tada, the bidding for this exceptionally good-looking individual rose to 1,150,000gns at Tattersalls.

His price was fully 400,000gns higher than the next best price that year (for another son of Danehill), which is a reflection of how much he stood out from the crowd. The colt is also an exceptional mover, as Newmarket's overhead camera revealed. As George Washington quickened, his stride reached such impressive lengths that he reminded me of a greyhound in full flight.

One of the internet biographies for Clooney states that he "often plays scoundrels that are likable and have redeeming qualities." That sentence could just as easily have been written with the equine Gorgeous George in mind. His trainer Aidan O'Brien has made no secret of the colt's quirky temperament, which he describes as a form of arrogance, and we were treated to a full display of his wilfulness as he defied O'Brien's gentle efforts to persuade him to enter the winner's enclosure.

"He's a horse that was obviously always so superior from the time he was born to his companions that he just developed this attitude--that he's just absolutely different class than every other animal that's around. It's all part of his make-up," was how O'Brien summed up George Washington's domineering approach. But this quiriness simply adds to the magnetism of a colt who has true superstar potential. It is his temperament, rather than his pedigree, which suggests that a mile is his ideal distance at the moment.

George Washington, of course, initiated a truly spectacular classic double for Roy and Gretchen Jackson's Lael Stables. But whereas the Jacksons raced Barbaro's dam, they shrewdly stepped in to buy George Washington's dam, Bordighera, in 2001.

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George Washington
Speciosa
Bullish Luck
Oonagh Maccool
Stream Cat
Dandy Man
Man of Illusion
Oprah Winney
Galatee

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1st 2,000 Guineas-Gr.1, Newmarket
1st 1,000 Guineas-Gr.1, Newmarket
1st Champions Mile-Gr.1, Sha Tin
1st Louisville Breeders' Cup H.-Gr.2, Churchill Downs
1st Crown Royal American Turf S.-Gr.3, Churchill Downs
1st Palace House Stakes-Gr.3, Newmarket
1st Aegon Turf Sprint Stakes-Gr.3, Churchill Downs
1st Bouverie Stakes-L.R., Belmont
1st Victor McCalmont Memorial S.-L.R., Gowran Park

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This daughter of Alysheba was bred and raced by Daniel Wildenstein, for whom she won over 1 5/8 miles and was second in Listed company over 1¼ miles. But by the time she produced her first foal in 1997 she was owned by Stan Cosgrove, best known as the manager of the very successful Moyglare Stud. Cosgrove's choice for Bordighera's second mate was Danzig's grandson Grand Lodge. The resultant colt, Grandera, didn't create much of a stir in the sales ring, but he showed sufficient promise at two for Lael to buy into him. Grandera proceeded to earn the equivalent of over \$400,000 as a three-year-old, when his best efforts included half-length defeats in the G1 Prix du Jockey-Club and G1 Eclipse S. A win in the Dubai Arc Trial, following a second in the G1 Juddmonte International, added up to a strong enough incentive for Godolphin to buy Grandera.

It looks as though the Jacksons decided to invest some of their profits in Grandera's dam. They bought Bordighera when she was again in foal to Grand Lodge, and the value of their new buy escalated in 2002 when Grandera collected three Group 1 races, including the Prince of Wales's S. and Irish Champion S. No wonder Grandera's younger brother went on to realise 800,000gns as a yearling in 2003. That was the year Bordighera conceived George Washington to Danehill, who was no doubt chosen because he represented the same male line as Grand Lodge. By 2003 Danehill had finally replaced Sadler's Wells as the highest-priced stallion in Europe, with the demand for his services reflecting his recent exploits of his Classic winners Rock of Gibraltar, Landseer and Aquarelliste, and of such as Mozart, Banks Hill and Dress To Thrill.

George Washington looks and acts like an aristocrat, and if you trace his female line back far enough you eventually come to Perruche Bleue, winner of the French Oaks in 1932. However, the bloodlines in the bottom quarter of his pedigree aren't all patrician. His second dam Blue Tip is by Tip Moss, a moderate stallion, and none of Blue Tip's first three dams ever raced. An inexpensive yearling, Blue Tip started her three-year-old season with victories on heavy ground in the Listed Prix La Camargo and G3 Prix Penelope. It was then that she was acquired by Daniel Wildenstein and she justified her purchase by being placed in such good races as the G2 Prix de l'Opera (twice) and GII E.P. Taylor S. Unfortunately Blue Tip didn't prove quite as effective as a broodmare in the U.S., but two of her sons did well over jumps in France.

No doubt George Washington's owners can hardly wait to stand him at Coolmore. They have every right to be optimistic about his potential as a stallion, in view of the success they have enjoyed with two of Danehill's other stallion sons, Danehill Dancer and Mozart (last year's leading first-crop stallion and also sire of Dandy Man, winner of the Group 3 sprint before the 2000 Guineas).

It was Danehill Dancer, of course, who sired Speciosa, the highly popular winner of Sunday's 1000 Guineas.

Danehill Dancer's racing career divided neatly into two parts, one very good and the other rather disappointing. The good part consisted of four wins and a Group 1 second from his first five starts, including Group 1 victories in the Phoenix S. and National S. (two races which were to be won by George Washington 10 years later). Unfortunately, his last six starts produced nothing better than one third place, and by the time he stood his first season in Ireland in 1998, at the Coolmore satellite at Kilsheelan, his reputation had lost much of its shine. He therefore spent his first four years covering mainly nondescript mares at a fee around the IR4,000gns mark.

It was only after Danehill Dancer's first crop did well in 2001 that his fee was increased to IR£9,000—a fee which still placed him well down the pecking order amongst the Coolmore stallions in 2002. He now commands a fee of €75,000, and no one can say he isn't worthy of it following his achievements with his IR£9,000 crop.

GEORGE WASHINGTON (IRE), c, 2003

Danehill	Danzig	Northern Dancer	Nearctic
		Pas de Nom	Natalma Admirals Voyage Petitioner (GB)
	Razyana	His Majesty	*Ribot Flower Bowl
		Spring Adieu	Buckpasser Natalma
Bordighera SP-Fr, 5-1-1-0, \$26,813 8FIs, 2Ch, 2G1SW	Alysheba	Alydar	Raise a Native Sweet Tooth
		Bel Sheba	Lt. Stevens Belthazar
	Blue Tip (Fr) GSW-Fr, GSP-NA 12FIs, 1GSP, 1SP	Tip Moss (Fr)	Luthier (Fr) Top Twig (Ire)
		As Blue (GB)	Blue Tom
		8FIs, 1GSW	As Well (Fr)

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Admittedly, he has numbers very much on his side, with this 2003 crop totalling more than 140 foals, but he has still done very well to come up with Speciosa, Silent Times (G2 Champagne S.), Decado (who established himself as a candidate for the Irish 2000 Guineas with decisive victories at Listed and Group 3 levels), Danehill Music (a Group 3 winner in Ireland in 2006) and Nordtanzerin (a Group 3 winner in Germany last year). Then there's the Listed winners Misu Bond (a creditable fifth in the 2000 Guineas), Salut d'Amour and Strut, and he has another very interesting prospect called Aeroplane.

This year's collection of Danehill Dancer two-year-olds should be pretty special, as they were sired at a much increased fee of €30,000, and the future must also be bright for his 2006 yearlings, sired at €45,000.

Speciosa is the first graduate of a British Breeze-Up sale to become a Classic winner, and she was very well bought at 30,000gns. It's easy to be wise after the event, but the bottom half of her pedigree contains several elements which have contributed to Danehill's success. Her dam Specifically is by Sky Classic, a champion son of Nijinsky, and Speciosa's next two dams are daughters of the brilliant Arc winners Alleged and Vaguely Noble.

The Danehill--Nijinsky cross is responsible for such as Banks Hill, Intercontinental, Dansili, Cacique, Indian Danehill, Danelissima, Daneskaya, Sheer Viking, Indian Jones and Steel Princess, and Alleged sired the dams of two of Danehill's Group 2 winners. Daughters of Vaguely Noble produced the likes of Oratorio, Danefair, Prove, Vortex and the Australian Group 1 hero Danarani.

Speciosa promises to stay beyond a mile, as her second dam Specificity, who made all to win a two-mile Listed race, is a half-sister to Touching Wood, winner of the St Legers in Britain and Ireland. Specificity is also the dam of Pride, a high-class middle-distance filly in France, and Speciosa's fourth dam is Foolish One, a half-sister to the legendary Bold Ruler. As I said, she was very well bought for 30,000gns at Doncaster.

SPECIOSA (IRE), f, 2003

Danehill Dancer (Ire)	Danehill	Danzig	Northern Dancer
		Razyana	Pas de Nom
	Mira Adonde	Sharpen Up (GB)	His Majesty
		Lettre d'Amour	Spring Adieu
Specifically 10-1-2-0, \$15,889 7Fls, 1G1SW, 1SW	Sky Classic	Nijinsky II	Atan
		No Class	Rocchetta (GB)
	Specificity SW-GB, SP-Fr 11Fls, 1GSW	Alleged	Caro (Ire)
		Mandera	Lianga
		14Fls, 2GSW, 1SW	Northern Dancer
		Foolish One	Flaming Page
		Nodouble	
		Classy Quillo	
		Hoist the Flag	
		Princess Pout	
		*Vaguely Noble	

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This week's accomplishment: Mulhall privately purchased MGSW and 2003 GI Breeders' Cup Sprint runner-up Bluesthstandard (American Standard), who had been descending the claiming ranks in Southern California, and promptly retired him. The nine-year-old is now living on her farm.

Birthdate: 7/27/82

Birthplace: Pasadena, Ca

Current Residence: Covina Hills, Ca.

Family: Mother Mary Lynn, father Richard Mulhall, brother Michael

Education: Grammar School (Anokia and High Point), High School (Mayfield Senior)

Of all the horses you have been around, who has been your favorite and why? Sharp Cat. We grew up together and she spent a lot of time with us at the farm. We ended up being best friends and she turned out to be a great racehorse.

If you could change one thing about our sport, what would it be? Retire horses before it's too late. Let them retire with dignity.

If you had the opportunity, would you bungee jump? Tried it! Never again!

What is your favorite vacation spot? Hawaii.

Favorite food or meal? Pizza.

What's the funniest movie you've ever seen? Overboard, with Goldie Hawn and Kurt Russell.

Childhood Ambition? To spend my life working with horses. I always wanted to be a trainer or veterinarian.

Proudest Moment? Finishing my first Grand Prix alive and with no rails.

Perfect Day? Working with nothing but horses and dogs.

How's Bluesthstandard adjusting to life off the track? He's adjusting great. He absolutely loves life here at the house. Every time I go out to clean his stall or feed him he screams his head off. For a horse that had such a bad reputation for not being the nicest horse, he sure has settled into retired life and is the biggest sweetheart you've ever seen. He doesn't have a mean bone in his body.

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Yesterday's Results:

4th-CRC, \$28,000, Msw, 2yo, 4 1/2f, :53 4/5, ft.
+ **HONORED IMAGE (c, 2, Halo's Image--Real Honor, by Honor Grades)**, a \$5,500 OBSAUG yearling, was the 3-1 third choice in his debut. The dark bay colt set the pace and sailed clear down the lane to win by 7 1/4 lengths. Favored Dream Beau (Notebook) was second. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$18,800.
O-Siobhan P Ellison. B-Mr & Mrs J & S Coursey (FL). T-Larry Pilotti.

3rd-CRC, \$23,000, Msw, 3&4yo, 5fT, :55, fm.
STEEL THE GLORY (g, 3, Saint Ballado--Si Je N'Avais Plus {Ire} {MSP-Fr}, by Kaldoun {Fr}), second in five of his first six starts, was sent off the 4-5 favorite to shed his bridesmaid status in his turf debut. Pressed on the lead through fractions of :21.48 and :43.71 and drew clear under a hand ride to score by three lengths. Steel the Glory was a \$26,000 KEEJAN yearling. Lifetime Record: 7-1-5-1, \$41,820.
O-Richard Siemens. B-Maurice Lagasse (KY). T-Kirk Ziadie.

7th-CRC, \$23,000, Msw, 2yo, 4 1/2f, :54, ft.
+ **DILLON SAID (c, 2, In Case--Star Ruby, by Rubiano)**, with a May 1 bullet four-furlong move at this track in :48 4/5 under his belt, was sent off at 4-1 in his debut. The \$3,000 FTMOCT yearling pressed the pace before taking charge at the quarter-pole en route to a 3 3/4-length victory over Bleniem (Graeme Hall). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$13,800.
O-Scott Loring. B-Albert O Poe (VA). T-David Fawkes.

Sunday Night Results:

AUBURN S., \$40,000, EMD, 5-7, 3yo, 6f, 1:08 3/5, ft.
1--**#COURTING SEATTLE, 117, g, 3, Doneraile Court--Wacissa, by Boundary.** (\$17,000 yrl '04 KEESEP).
O-Tom Donovan, Phil Torres & B J & Rising Star Stable; B-Tomoka Farms, Inc (FL); T-Howard Belvoir; J-J Whitaker; \$22,000. Lifetime Record: 4-3-1-0, \$50,090.

2--**Ballou Slew, 121, g, 3, Slewledo--Aly's Scamper, by Rolls Aly.** (\$9,500 wlng '03 ORESEP). \$8,000.

3--**Tusko T., 118, g, 3, You and I--Synastry's Maid, by Synastry.** \$6,000.

Margins: 2 3/4, NO, NK. Odds: 2.80, 3.50, 6.30.

Courting Seattle opened his career with back-to-back wins at this track last summer, but had not been out since suffering his first loss when a narrow runner-up behind Tusko T. in the July 30 Emerald Express S. Bumped at the break, the bay gelding pressed pacesetting Ballou Slew through fractions of :21.80 and :44.00, took over with three-sixteenths to run and drew clear under a hand ride.

STAKES CLOSINGS

TOMORROW, WEDNESDAY, MAY 10:

05-20 \$150,000 **Lazaro Barrera Memorial-II, Hol, 3yo, 7f (150)**

05-28 \$150,000 **Connaught Cup-III, Wo, 4yo/up, 8.5fT (150)**

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IN JAPAN:

Harvest Season, f, 3, **Tale of the Cat**--Preparation, by Easy Goer. Kyoto, 5-6, Plate Race, 7f. Lifetime Record: 7-2-2-1, \$184,732. O/B-Takashi Watanabe; T-Yuji Ito. *Went wire-to-wire and won by 1 3/4 lengths. "She started very fast and had very good speed," said winning rider Yutaka Take. "She usually doesn't change leads, but when she did she was very effective in the closes stages."

Eishin Imphal, c, 4, **High Yield**--See You, by Gulch. Niigata, 5-7, Kajigawa Tokubetsu, 9fT. Lifetime Record: 16-2-4-1, \$325,179. O-Toyomitsu Hirai; B-Mueller Farms, Inc.; T-Yoshio Oki. *\$200,000 yrl '03 FTSAUG. **Powered to the lead late to win by a neck.

Lord Ultima, h, 6, **Seeking the Gold**--Secrettame (SW & GSP, \$101,598), by Secretariat. Kyoto, 5-6, Gion Tokubetsu, 7fT. Lifetime Record: 7-4-1-1, \$438,929. O-Lord Horse Club; B-Dr. William O. Reed; T-Kenji Yamauchi. *3/4 to Gone West (Mr. Prospector), GISW, \$682,251; Lion Cavern (Mr. Prospector), MGSW & G1SP-Eng, MG1SP-Fr, GSW-US, \$420,815; Multiengine (Tank's Prospector), GSP. ***\$500,000 yrl '01 KEEJUL. ***Making his second start off a 9 1/2-month layoff, was on the lead from the start and held on to win by 3/4 lengths.

JAPANESE WINNER BY AMERICAN SIRE:

+ **Heian le Monde (Jpn)**, c, 3, **Kingmambo**--Red Cat (MSW & GSP, \$333,132), by Storm Cat. Tokyo, 5-6, Novice Race, 7f. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$44,643. O-Shoji Ogihara; B-Oiwake Farm; T-Yasuhisa Matsuyama.

IN BRITAIN:

Deira, f, 3, **Green Desert**--New Sayyedati, by Shadede. Wolverhampton, Britain, 5-8, Hcp, 3yo, f, 7f 32yds (AWT). B-Darley.

IN ITALY:

+ **Golden Surfside**, c, 2, **Bianconi**. See "Italy."

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★ BRITAIN ★

Yesterday's Results:

Windsor, 7.50, Mdn, £6,000, 3yo, 10f 7ydsT, 2:11.00, sf.

SIXTIES ICON (GB) (c, 3, **Galileo {Ire}**--**Love Divine {GB}** {G1SW-Eng, \$431,558}, by **Diesis {GB}**), sixth on debut in a decent Newmarket maiden Apr. 18, was sent off the 6-4 favorite to get off the mark. Content to stalk **Fleeting Memory (GB)** (Danehill) throughout, he was asked to challenge at the top of the straight and engaged with that rival soon after. Getting on top with 1 1/2 furlongs remaining, he needed one slap from Shane Kelly's whip to take control and assert for a 3/4-length success. "He's still a little bit green and a bit of a baby," trainer Jeremy Nosedá said. "The penny still hasn't quite dropped, and he wouldn't want a lot of racing on quick ground, but he could be a nice middle-distance handi-capper in the making." The winner, a 230,000gns TATOCT yearling, is the second foal of the 2002 G1 Epsom Oaks heroine **Love Divine**. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, £3,886.

O-Susan Roy; B-Lordship Stud; T-Jeremy Nosedá.

Observations
on today's European racing scene
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2.20p Maisons-Laffitte, Cond, €33,000, 3yo, f, 7 1/2ft BREATHE, f, 3, by **Ocean of Wisdom** caught a tartar when fourth to Juddmonte Farms' **Phantom Rose** in her first go at Chantilly Apr. 20, but ran with promise nonetheless. Representing the Niarchos family, the half to GI Breeders' Cup Mile heroine **Six Perfections (Fr)** finished that mile event, despite running a bit greenly, with such gusto to suggest a race of this type is hers for the taking.

Cav Okay went into every notebook for the Royal Ascot meet with an explosive debut performance....
"I've never known one to leave the gate like him" enthused handler, Richard Hannon... "It'll take a good one to lower him this year."
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★ FRANCE ★

Yesterday's Results:

Longchamp, 1.50, Hcp, €57,000, 3yo, 1mT, 1:42.50, vsf.

INDIANSKI (IRE) (c, 3, Indian Ridge {Ire}--Plissetskaia {Fr} {MSP-Fr}, by Caerleon) was let go at generous odds of 74-5 returning from an Apr. 6 course-and-distance fifth behind subsequent G3 Prix la Force runner-up Echoes Rock (Ger). Positioned at the rear until the straight in this handicap bow, the homebred made relentless wide headway under a drive, swooping in the final strides to deny Mysterious Lina (Fr) (Linamix {Fr}) by a half length. Lifetime Record: 7 starts, 3 wins, 4 places, €54,490.

O/B-Wertheimer & Frere; T-Carlos Laffon-Parias.

Longchamp, 2.20, Cond, €33,000, 2yo, c/g, 5fT, :58.80, vsf.

KENCHOP (FR) (c, 2, Nombre Premier {GB}--Ducie {GB}, by Distant Relative {Ire}) improved off a debut fifth at Maisons-Laffitte Mar. 24 to finish second at Chantilly last time Apr. 28. Smartly away to seize immediate control in this third go, the 5-1 chance extended his advantage under tender handling inside the closing panel to account for Chichi Jelois (Fr) (Chichicastenango {Fr}) by a cozy 1 1/2 lengths. Lifetime Record: 3 starts, 1 win, 2 places, €21,250.

O-Didier Bouquil; B-A Chopard & Mme M Delteil; T-Didier Soubagne.

Longchamp, 2.50, Cond, €33,000, 2yo, f, 5fT, :58.80, vsf.

POLTAVA (FR) (f, 2, Victory Note--Passiflore {Fr}, by Sillery) opened her account with a claiming victory at Saint-Cloud Mar. 11 and followed up with a conditions win at that track Apr. 18. Quickly into stride from an outside draw here, the 21-10 pick sat a close second for the most part and responded to forceful urging to wear down Take Blood (Fr) (Take Risks {Fr}) by a head in the bobber. Balance of Nature (Storm Cat) ran with a degree of promise, leading until outgunned by more experienced rivals inside the final furlong. Lifetime Record: 3 starts, 3 wins, €39,000.

O-Malcolm Parrish; B-G Cachot & Mlle V Cheron; T-David Smaga.

★ EUROPEAN-BRED WINNERS ★

IN JAPAN:

Ferrari Seven (Ire), c, 3, Danehill--Peach Out of Reach (Ire), by Sadler's Wells. Tokyo, 5-7, Novice Race, 10fT. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$54,464. O-Yoshimi Ichikawa; B-Swersky & Associates & Orpendale; T-Kazuo Fujisawa. *Won by 1 1/2 lengths.

Post times are listed in local time, unless noted.

★ ITALY ★

Sunday's Late Results:

Milan, 3.20, Hcp, €56,700, 4/up, f/m, 10fT, 2:04.30, sf.
FAIR NASHWAN (GB) (f, 4, Nashwan--Fairy Sensazione {GB} {SP-Ity}, by Fairy King) ran third in last term's G1 Oaks d'Italia and came here off a second in an Apr. 9 course-and-distance conditions event in her only start since. Shuffled back to fifth after the opening exchanges of this hot heat, the 1-2 choice turned for home in sixth, but passed every rival inside the final quarter and was pushed out to comfortably best Love Money (Ire) (Intikhab) by 1 3/4 lengths. Lifetime Record: SW & G1SP-Ity, 6 starts, 4 wins, 2 places, €119,085.

O/B-Scuderia Blueberry SRL; T-Bruno Grizzetti.

Milan, 3.50, Cond, €36,000, 3yo, 12fT, 2:30.50, sf.
FA A MEZZ (GB) (c, 3, Halling--Sispre {Fr}, by Master Willie {GB}) went postward as the 13-10 pick returning from a respectable fourth in the Apr. 23 Listed Premio Botticelli at Rome. Settled two lengths off the pace into the straight, he eased to the front approaching the final furlong and was not fully extended in the closing stages to hold Sotto Il Vulcano (Ger) (Perugino) by an easy half length. The victor is a full to Fisich (GB), GSW & G1SP-Ity, \$547,691. Lifetime Record: 5 starts, 3 wins, 2 places, €41,378.

O-Scuderia Rencati; B-Azienda Agricola Francesca; T-Alduino & Giuseppe Botti.

Rome, 4.45, Cond, €31,500, 3yo, 10fT, 2:05.20, gd.
SOUND OF DESERT (IRE) (c, 3, Desert Prince {Ire}--Salsa Sound {Ire}, by Law Society), successful at Milan Apr. 5, raced in third into the home straight here. Seizing control at the quarter-mile marker, the 7-2 chance was ridden out from there to secure an easy 2 1/2-length win from Go Jo Black (Ire) (Desert Prince {Ire}). Sound of Desert, a €43,000 ITYSEP yearling, is a half to Baila Salsa (Ire) (Barathea {Ire}) GSW-Ity, \$145,870; and a full to Step Danzer (Ire), SW & G1SP-Ity, \$306,007. Lifetime Record: 5 starts, 3 wins, 2 places, €38,879.

O-Scuderia Quadrante Rosso SRL; B-Allevamento Deni SRL; T-Alduino & Giuseppe Botti.

Rome, 3.15, Mdn, €27,000, unraced 2yo, c/g, 5fT, 1:00.60, gd.

+ **GOLDEN SURFSIDE (c, 2, Bianconi--Rhonda's Rocket, by Fit To Fight)** broke fast and quickly established a two-length lead under a tight hold. Maintaining that advantage throughout, the even-money shot was pushed out inside the final furlong to defeat Parvati (Ity) (Stuck) for an impressive debut score. Lifetime Record: 1 start, 1 win, €12,750.

O-Scuderia Golden Horse SRL; B-Pegasus Stud & Joseph Arriola; T-Giuliano Fratini.



Rome, 4.15, Mdn, €27,000, unraced 2yo, f, 5fT, :59.30, gd.
 + **NOBLE HERO (IRE) (f, 2, Daggers Drawn--Noble Indiana {Ity}, by Indian Ridge {Ire})** shared pacemaking duties until taking a slight lead into the second half of this first at bat. Pressed on both sides inside the final quarter, the 4-5 favorite accelerated away from Juturna (Intidab) with 150 yards remaining and was value for more than the official winning margin of 1 1/2 lengths. Lifetime Record: 1 start, 1 win, €12,750.
 O/B-Allevamento La Nuova Sbarra; T-Luigi Riccardi.



AUSTRALASIA



GALILEO COLT TOPS INAUGURAL NZB SALE

A colt by young sire Galileo (Ire) elicited a NZ\$150,000 bid from Lyndhurst Farm to lead the way at the New Zealand Bloodstock's inaugural National Weanling Sale, which took place Sunday at Karaka. Cataloged as hip [218](#), the sale-topper is out of the Last Tycoon (Ire) mare Liberty Song (Ire) and is a half to Smuggler's Song (Dr Devious), a stakes winner in Ireland. From the extended family of Loup Sauvage and Loup Solitaire, he was sold by Curraghmore Stud, agent. The only other horse to realize six figures was hip [260](#), a son of Pins (Aus) who was knocked down to Ascot Farm for NZ\$110,000. The Sept. 29 foal, consigned to the sale by Walnut Hill Farms, is out of Pagarah (NZ) (Grosvenor {NZ}) and is a half to Kerry O'Reilly (NZ) (O'Reilly {NZ}), a two-time New Zealand Group-2 winner. Sunday's single-session event saw 202 horses sell for NZ\$2,304,000, an average of NZ\$11,406 and a median of NZ\$6,000. The sale enjoyed a solid clearance rate of 84 percent. For complete results, nzb.co.nz.

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STAKES RESULTS:

DERBY PUERTORRIQUENO S.-G1-PR, \$112,200, ELC, 5-7, 3yo, 1 1/16m, 1:47 3/5, ft.

1--**GOLD GIFT, 118, c, 3, by Goldwater--Gray Speed, by Gift of Kings.** O-Fanucci Racing; B-Haras Santa Isabel, Inc (PR); T-Allison Escobar; J-J Diaz Rodriguez; \$67,320. Lifetime Record: Ch. 2yo Colt-PR, 13-12-0-1, \$262,650. * 1/2 to Bancada (Cagey Bidder), SW-PR, \$175,887.

2--**Mr. Alvin Peter, 118, c, 3, Lord Carson--Low Bidder, by Spectacular Bid.** O-Carlos Oyola Stable; B-Haras Santa Isabel, Inc (PR); T-Julio Diaz Jr; \$22,440.

3--**Canito, 118, c, 3, Master Bill--Just Janet, by Wheaton.** O-Mana Racing; B-Potrero Luna, Inc (PR); T-Rafael Rohena; \$11,220.

Margins: 1HF, 3HF, 4. Odds: 0.90, 3.15, 6.80.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

8th-DEL, \$38,600, NW1X, 3yo, a1m70yd, 1:44 1/5, ft. SMOKEM OUT (g, 3, [Smoke Glacken](#)--Hooten Annie {GSP, \$130,159}, by [Known Fact](#)) Lifetime Record: 13-5-2-1, \$70,500. O-Gabriel Goldberg. B-Robert E & Lawana Low (KY). T-Maria Virginia Pascual. *\$180,000 yrl '04 KEESEP.

7th-DEL, \$38,600, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, a1m70yd, 1:44 2/5, ft.

UNBRIDLED BELLE (f, 3, [Broken Vow](#)--Little Bold Belle {SW}, by [Silver Buck](#)) Lifetime Record: 5-2-1-1, \$48,840. O-Team Valor Stables LLC. B-Charger Six Venture (KY). T-Todd A Pletcher. *\$4,000 yrl '04 KEESEP.

8th-FLX, \$20,100, NW2BX, (S), 3yo/up, 5 1/2f, 1:06 1/5, ft.

FIDDLERS PRIDE (g, 5, [Subordination](#)--Diaspora {MSP}, by [Vice Regent](#)) Lifetime Record: SP, 31-5-6-5, \$128,082. O/B-Fiddlers Green Stable (NY). T-Ralph D'Alessandro.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

State of the Art, c, 3, [Defrere](#)--Mystical Prospect, by Crafty Prospector. DEL, 5-8, 5f, :58 4/5. B-Liberation Farm, Christine & Dan Hansen (Ky). *\$5,000 yrl '04 FTMOCT.

Tri Some Pie, g, 3, [Tri for the Gold](#)--Salty Pie, by Salt Lake. PHA, 5-8, 1 1/16m, 1:46 1/5. B-Roberta Seeger (Pa).

★ ON THE WORKTAB ★

BELMONT

Evening Attire (Black Tie Affair {Ire}), 4f (tr), :50.23, 12/13
Henny Hughes (Hennessy), 3f, :37.10, 3/16
Smuggler (Unbridled), 5f, 1:02.07, 10/20

CHURCHILL DOWNS

Magna Graduate (Honor Grades), 5f, 1:00.20, 4/13

HOLLYWOOD PARK

Giacomo (Holy Bull), 4f, :53.00, 26/26
Karen's Capar (War Chant), 6f, 1:15.00, 9/11
Texcess (In Excess {Ire}), 4f, :49.00, 7/26
Urban King (Ire) (Desert King {Ire}), 6f, 1:14.20, 3/11

MONMOUTH

Joey P. (Close Up), 4f, :48.60, 3/30
Timo (El Prado {Ire}), 4f, :52.80, 26/30
Zoffinger (Unbridled), 4f, :51.20, 20/30

SANTA ANITA

Declan's Moon (Malibu Moon), 3f, :35.40, 2/26
Too Much Bling (Rubiano), 5f, :58.40, 1/34
Wanna Runner (El Corredor), 6f, 1:13.60, 7/16

SARATOGA

India (Hennessy), 4f (tr), :50.86, 19/23



(American Breeders' Edition cont.)

SO. HEMISPHERE WINNERS BY U.S. SIRE:

Juste Momente (Aus), f, 2, **Giant's Causeway**--Skates (Aus), by Danehill. Flemington (Melbourne), 5-6, Hcp, 2yo, 7fT. B-Goldendale & Chelston Ire Ltd.

Interfere (Aus), f, 2, **Royal Academy**--Bletchwyn (Aus), by Bletchingly (Aus). Rosehill (Sydney), 5-6, Hcp, 2yo, 5 1/2fT. B-J D & Mrs K F Brown.

Super Fund (Aus), f, 3, **Bianconi**--Mutual Fund (Aus), by Zeditave (Aus). Sandown (Melbourne), 5-7, Hcp, 3yo, 7fT. B-M Tong.

Shirl Pegasus (Aus), f, 3, **Fusaichi Pegasus**--Night Rule (GB), by Shirley Heights (GB). Canterbury (Sydney), 5-1, Mdn, 3yo, 5 1/2fT. B-Best Western Group Pty Ltd.

Fritz's Princess (Aus), f, 3, **More Than Ready**--Superb Lady (Aus), by Canny Lad (Aus). Rosehill (Sydney), 5-6, Hcp, 3yo/up, f/m, 6fT. B-Vinery Australia NSW Pty Ltd.

Best On Board (Aus), g, 3, **Thunder Gulch**--Twist My Heart, by Dayjur. Randwick (Sydney), 5-3, Mdn, 3yo, 7fT. B-Swettenham Stud.

Amianan (Aus), g, 4, **Belong To Me**--High Heels (Aus), by Canny Lad (Aus). Rosehill (Sydney), 5-6, Hcp, 3yo/up, 7 1/2fT. B-Gooree Park Stud Pty Ltd.

Taken at the Flood (Aus), g, 4, **Bianconi**--Golden Hanoof, by Slew O' Gold. Rosehill (Sydney), 5-6, Hcp, 3yo/up, 1 1/4mT. B-J Crisp.

Chiack (Aus), g, 4, **Distorted Humor**--Fanfare Bubbles (NZ), by Palace Music. Sandown (Melbourne), 5-7, Hcp, 4yo/up, 6fT. B-Mrs D M Burley.

Chilli Trick (Aus), f, 4, **Favourite Trick**--Abbotswood (NZ), by Sir Tristram (Ire). Randwick (Sydney), 5-3, Hcp, 3yo/up, 7fT. B-Swettenham Stud.

 **FRESHMAN FOCUS**

First-crop progeny to watch: Tuesday, May 9

Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 2003 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/SW Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)

FIRST TOUR (Tour d'Or), n/a, 9/0/0

3-CRC, Msw, 2f, +Favorite Baby

FRENCH ENVOY (Deputy Minister), Stonehedge South, \$3K, 50/0/0

6-CRC, Msw, 4 1/2f, Jnj's French Rose, \$2K OBS AUG yrl

INCLUDE (Broad Brush), Airdrie, \$13K, 107/0/0

3-CRC, Msw, 2f, A Slick Chic, \$4K OBS AUG yrl

MONSIEUR CAT (Tabasco Cat), Rising Hill, \$2,500, 17/0/0

6-CRC, Msw, 4 1/2f, +Redeeming Grace

THUNDERELLO (Montbrook), Sugar Maple, \$8K, 54/0/0

5-DEL, Msw, 4 1/2f, +Gonetoground, \$24K KEE SEP yrl, 4-1

YONAGUSKA (Cherokee Run), Vinery, \$10K, 105/0/0

6-CRC, Msw, 4 1/2f, +Easy Rose, \$19K OBS AUG yrl

**BREEDERS' EDITION
EUROPE**

CONDITIONS RESULTS:

ITALY, Milan, 5.35, 5-7, €31,500, 4yo/up, 1 3/4mT, 2:59.10, sf.

EL BIBA D'OR (IRE) (h, 7, **Common Grounds {GB}**--**Quiet Awakening**, by **Secreto**) Lifetime Record: SP-Ity, 42 starts, 9 wins, 16 places, €160,327. O/T-Pierluigi Giannotti; B-Scuderia Briantea.

ITALY, Rome, 2.45, 5-7, €22,500, 4yo/up, 7 1/2f (AWT), 1:33.90, gd.

POLYDORS (IRE) (c, 4, **Monashee Mountain**--**Polista {Fr} {SW-Fr}**, by **Persepolis {Fr}**) Lifetime Record: MSP-Ity, 13 starts, 5 wins, 5 places, €72,318. O-Azienda Agricola Antezzate SRL; B-Scuderia Siba SPA; T-Alduino & Giuseppe Botti.

ITALY, Rome, 3.45, 5-7, €22,500, 4yo/up, 1 1/4mT, 2:04.90, gd.

LORD NASH (GB) (c, 4, **Nashwan**--**Freccia d'Oro {Ger} {SW-Ger}**, by **Acatenango {Ger}**) Lifetime Record: SW-Ity, 6 starts, 3 wins, 1 place, €51,085. O-Scuderia Corte Lambruschini; B-Elektra SAS; T-Maurizio Grassi. *€46,000 yrl '03 ITYSEP.

FRANCE, Lyon-Parilly, 2.30, 5-7, €15,000, 2yo, 5fT, time: n/a, sf.

CUANDO CUANTO (FR) (c, 2, **Chelsea Manor {GB}**--**Embraze Moi {Fr} {SP-Fr}**, by **Vacarme**) Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 2 wins, €14,000. O-Mme C Raymond; B-Patrick Chedeville; T-B Goudot. *€6,500 yrl '05 DEAOCT.

ITALY, Florence, 5.55, 5-7, €13,500, 3yo, 7 1/2fT, time: n/a, gd.

BATISTA BOMB (IRE) (c, 3, **In the Wings {GB}**--**Marania {Ire}**, by **Marju {Ire}**) Lifetime Record: 9 starts, 2 wins, 7 places, €39,134. O-Razza Rossonera SAS; B-M Parola; T-Bruno Grizzetti.

ITALY, Florence, 4.55, 5-7, €13,500, 4yo/up, 1 1/2mT, time: n/a, gd.

ALBURNO (IRE) (h, 8, **Muhtarram**--**Atreides {Ire}**, by **Simply Great {Fr}**) Lifetime Record: SW-Ity, 69 starts, 18 wins, 28 places, €261,185. O-Renata Ramondini; B-Fredi, Artus & Talon Sampieri; T-Francesco Manganelli.

The **brisnet.com** 'Race of the Day' is the 8th Race, \$38,000 Allowance, at Delaware. For pps and a complete race analysis, click [here](#).

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ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Camissa (GB), f, 2, **Averti (Ire)**--Ambitious (GB), by Ardkinglass (GB). Windsor, Britain, 5-8, Mdn, 2yo, f, 5f 10ydsT. B-D K Ivory.

Deyada (Ire), f, 2, **King Charlemagne**--Petticoat Rose (Ire), by Salt Dome. Florence, Italy, 5-7, Cond, 2yo, 5 1/2fT. B-Allevamento Fralb Razza 2001 SRL. *€7,000 yrl '05 ITYSEP.

Flute Divine (GB), f, 2, **Royal Applause (GB)**--Magical Flute (GB), by Piccolo (GB). Angers, France, 5-7, Mdn, 2yo, f, 5 1/2fT. B-Peter Taplin. *17,000gns yrl '05 TATOCT.

Ciao (Ire), f, 3, **Imperial Ballet (Ire)**--White Squall (GB), by Caerleon. Killarney, Ireland, 5-8, Mdn, 3yo, f, 1m 100ydsT. B-Ballybrennan Stud Ltd.

Secret Liaison (GB), g, 3, **Medicean (GB)**--Courting (GB) (SW-Fr & Eng), by Pursuit of Love (GB). Ayr, Britain, 5-8, Mdn, 3-5yo, 1mT. B-Cheveley Park Stud Ltd. *50,000gns yrl '04 TATOCT.

Onciale (Fr), f, 3, **Ultimately Lucky (Ire)**--Hassaya (Fr), by Simon du Desert (Fr). Lyon-Parilly, France, 5-7, Cond, 3yo, f, 1 3/8mT. B-Jacques Bere.

King's Revenge (GB), c, 3, **Wizard King (GB)**--Retaliator (GB), by Rudimentary. Wolverhampton, Britain, 5-8, Mdn, 3yo, 1m 141yds (AWT). B-Helshaw Grange Farm and C J Whiston. *21,000gns yrl '04 DONSEP.

SO. HEMISPHERE WINNERS BY EUROPEAN SIRES:

Top Tier (Aus), c, 2, **Agnes World**--Tierani (Aus), by Tierce (Aus). Ballarat (Victoria), 5-6, Mdn, 2yo, c/g, 5fT. B-K Unterlechner.

Forewinners (Aus), c, 3, **Danehill Dancer (Ire)**--Cavallina (Aus), by Marauding (NZ). Doomben (Brisbane), 5-1, Mdn, 3yo, 6f 165ydsT. B-Ms J McAlpine.

Dr Nipandtuck (Aus), g, 3, **Dr Fong**--Clippings (Aus), by Snippets (Aus). Flemington (Melbourne), 5-6, Hcp, 3yo, 6fT. B-Goulburn Ovens TAFE.

Afforestation (Aus), g, 3, **Octagonal (NZ)**--Forest Finch (Aus), by Waajib (Ire). Canterbury (Sydney), 5-1, Mdn, 3yo, 5 1/2fT. B-Mr N P Cunningham.

My Son Day (Aus), c, 3, **Piccolo (GB)**--File Past (Aus), by Without Fear (Fr). Doomben (Brisbane), 5-1, Hcp, 3yo/up, 5f 45ydsT. B-R Hames & M J Murray.

Princess Margaret (Aus), f, 4, **Spectrum (Ire)**--Grouse Lane (Aus), by Sea Road (Aus). Gold Coast (Queensland), 5-6, Silk Stocking S.-Listed, 3yo/up, f/m, 6fT, A\$96,000 to winner. B-P L & M G Reeves; T-Michael Nolan.

Bexaar (Aus), g, 4, **Xaar (GB)**--Bella Diva (NZ), by Centro (NZ). Flemington (Melbourne), 5-6, Hcp, 3yo/up, 6fT. B-R A Lord, Mrs J Lord, Miss K L Lord & S J Roxburgh.

Tsolias (NZ), g, 5, **Entrepreneur (GB)**--Imperial Ivory (Aus), by Imperial Prince (Ire). Doomben (Brisbane), 5-1, Hcp, 3yo/up, 11f 45ydsT. B-Bledisloe Bloodstock Ltd.

Universal Heights (Aus), g, 5, **Spinning World**--Triana Heights (NZ), by Sir Tristram (Ire). Flemington (Melbourne), 5-6, Hcp, 3yo/up, 10fT. B-N Stewart.

Mc Lir (Aus), g, 6, **Celtic Swing (GB)**--Virginia Sham, by Sham. Wagga Wagga (New South Wales), 5-5, Wagga Cup-Listed, 3yo/up, 1 1/4mT, A\$65,000 to winner. B-C L Biggins; T-Merilyn Anderson.

FOALING NEWS:

CAMPAGNARDE (ARG), 19, Oak Dancer (GB)--Celine (Arg), by Lefty

Foal born Apr. 10, a filly by Pleasantly Perfect.

Will be bred back to A.P. Indy.

Owned by Diamond A Racing Corp.

Boarded at Diamond A Farm, Ky.

Accomplishments: Ch. 3yo Filly-Arg, GISW-US & Arg, \$499,225-US. Dam of Rize (Theatrical {Ire}), GSW & GISP, \$728,680; Lucien (Jade Hunter), SP; Stratostar (Pulpit), SP, \$155,644; Lovely Rafaela (A.P. Indy), GSW, \$162,015.

CASINO BLUES, 10, Thirty Six Red--Cured Myself, by Cure the Blues

Foal born Apr. 10, a filly by Smoke Glacken.

Will be bred back to Southern Image.

Owned by Barry Golden.

Boarded at Taylor Made Farm, Ky.

Accomplishments: SP. Dam of Bluesbdancing (Golden Gear), MSW, \$196,481.

YOU'D BE SURPRISED, 17, Blushing Groom (Fr)--Key Witness, by Key to the Mint

Foal born Apr. 11, a colt by Dynaformer.

Will be bred back to Langfuhr.

Owned by Mr & Mrs Roy Jackson.

Boarded at Mill Ridge, Ky.

Accomplishments: MGISW of \$606,007. Dam of Myself Itself (Pulpit), SW & GSP, \$165,806; Sly One (Storm Cat), SP.

LA FEMINN, 10, Memo (Chi)--Lila Finn, by Mamaison

Foal born Apr. 13, a colt by Unbridled's Song.

Will be bred back to Dixie Union.

Owned by Diamond A Racing Corp.

Boarded at Diamond A Farm, Ky.

Accomplishments: MSW & MGSP, \$366,429.

RECICLADA (CHI), 11, Rictorious--Exing (Chi), by Exceller

Foal born Apr. 13, a colt by Pleasantly Perfect.

Will be bred back to Forestry.

Owned by Diamond A Racing Corp.

Boarded at Diamond A Farm, Ky.

Accomplishments: MGSW-US & GSW & G1SP-Chi, \$351,971-US.

SLEWVEAU, 15, Slew o' Gold--Istria (GB), by Silly Season

Foal born Apr. 13, a filly by Strong Hope.

Will be bred back to Afleet Alex.

Owned by Robert Lothenbach.

Boarded at Chesapeake Farm, Md.

Accomplishments: Dam of Mayo on the Side (French Deputy), GISW, \$642,366.