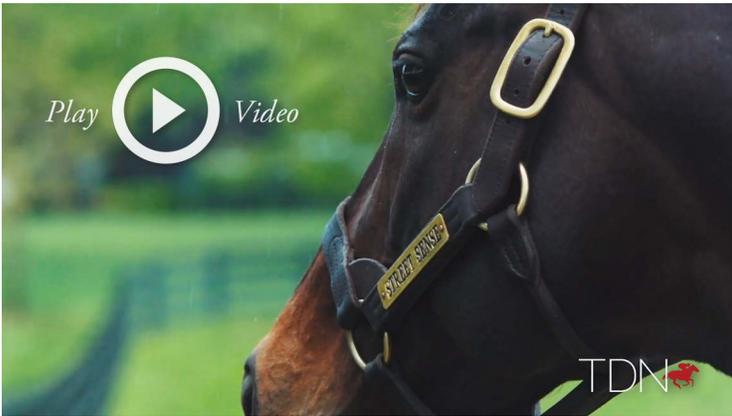


DERBY DREAMING WITH DARLEY'S STREET SENSE



Watch Darley's Darren Fox talk Street Sense

by Katie Ritz

A four-time Grade I winner in training at Santa Anita under Bob Baffert, an undefeated homebred Triple Crown hopeful, and a 2-year-old named a 'TDN Rising Star' after winning on debut by almost nine lengths.

This year, **Street Sense** is a stallion sale manager's dream. The champion juvenile and GI Kentucky Derby winner's race record speaks for itself, but now his top progeny are looking to make this their sire's biggest year yet.

Street Sense spent a year in Japan in 2013 after starting off his first five years at stud at his home base at Jonabell Farm. But Darley Sales Manager Darren Fox said that the son of Street Cry (Ire) was quickly returned to the States when his early performers started making headlines.

"He spent one season in Japan to cover Sheik Mohammed's own mares as well as the Darley Japan's clients' mares," Fox said. "But as soon as he arrived there, he got as hot as a pistol back in the United States and was quickly brought back here. He has just gone from strength to strength since his return."

Street Sense's leading performer to date came from that first crop upon his 2014 return. **McKinzie** burst onto the scene as a 2-year-old, winning the GI Los Alamitos Cash Call Futurity. He added two more Grade I victories at three in the Pennsylvania Derby and the Malibu S. before taking the **GI Whitney S.** last year at four. Resurfacing Sunday at Santa Anita after a trip to Saudi Arabia for the G1 Saudi Cup, the bay ran to his short odds to annex the GII Triple Bend S. comfortably.

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BOUND FOR CLEMENT STABLE, 10 HORSES PERISH IN TRAILER FIRE by Bill Finley

A Sallee van en route from Florida to trainer Christophe Clement's stable at Belmont Park crashed early Sunday morning on the New Jersey Turnpike. According to reports, 10 horses died in the fire.

Clement confirmed the accident on his twitter feed. His post read: "This morning we learned from Sallee that a van carrying horses to our barn in NY caught on fire. We understand both drivers were admitted to hospital, and that all horses have passed. We are all devastated by the news and heartbroken-- we are working to understand what happened."

Clement did not announce the names of the horses involved. West Point Thoroughbreds later tweeted that two of its runners, Tampa Bay Downs debut-winning sophomore filly Hot Mist (Tonalist) and \$375,000 yearling purchase Under the Oaks (American Pharoah), were among those on the trailer. **Cont. p5**

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“McKinzie was a hugely important horse for Street Sense,” Fox said. “He really got the Street Sense train rolling again as a member of that first crop back from Japan. As a four-time Grade I winner of some of the most prestigious races in the country, he was certainly an announcement of what this horse can do as a sire.”

Another Street Sense colt wouldn't let McKinzie steal all of last year's hype for the sire. Maxfield broke his maiden on debut just weeks after McKinzie's romp in the Whitney, and then the juvenile went on to claim the **GI Claiborne Breeders' Futurity** by over five lengths.

“I was able to watch Maxfield work late in his 2-year-old season,” Fox said. “And what struck me about him at that point was that for such a big, leggy, framey-type horse, when you watched him work he was so efficient and so light on his feet. He covered the ground deceptively well.”

The Godolphin-raced colt was considered to be one of the favorites going into the Breeders' Cup Juvenile, but a chip kept him from reaching the starting gate in November.

After returning to the Walsh barn early this year, Maxfield came back by storm last month when he took the **GIII Matt Winn S.** at Churchill Downs.

“He encountered a little more hustle and bustle throughout that race,” Fox said. “So he certainly learned a lot from that experience. He's an exciting horse for us and for Street Sense.”

Maxfield remains in training with Brendan Walsh, looking to make his bid in the upcoming Triple Crown season. His connections can only hope he is able to emulate a sophomore season similar to that of his sire's.

After being named champion 2-year-old the year before, ‘**TDN Rising Star**’ Street Sense returned to Churchill Downs to take the 2007 Kentucky Derby from a field that included several other eventual notable sires in Hard Spun (Danzig), Curlin (Smart Strike) and Scat Daddy (Johannesburg). The victory made him the first horse in history to complete the Breeders' Cup Juvenile and Kentucky Derby double, an honor he now shares only with fellow Darley sire Nyquist (Uncle Mo).

Street Sense rounded out his career with two more wins--in the GII Jim Dandy S. followed by the GI Travers S.--giving him additional bragging rights as the only horse of this century to complete the Kentucky Derby and Travers double.



Maxfield Wins the Matt Winn | Coady Photo

The \$4-million dollar earner moved into the same stud barn as his sire upon retirement in 2008 with a \$75,000 stud fee.

“We have a rich history with this sire line,” Fox said. “Street Cry was very near and dear to our hearts here at Jonabell. He is a son of Machiavellian, who stood for Sheik Mohammed's farm in Dalham Hall. Street Cry was an exceptional sire with 23 individual Grade I/Group 1 winners.”

From the beginning, Fox said that Street Sense has thrown a horse reflective of his sire line's mold.

“Physically, he tends to replicate himself,” he said. “If you have a mare who needs leg or some size and scope, he's certainly the man for the job. He just gets an athletic, two-turn type horse. He's also a very easy horse to breed to in that he's receptive to pretty much every sire line out there.”

Out of the Dixieland Band mare Bedazzle, Street Sense hails from the same family as that of graded stakes winner and influential sire Mr. Greeley (Gone West).

With a stud fee of \$75,000 this year, he's also starting to garner attention as a broodmare sire with eight stakes winner to his credit including the Group 1 winner Roaring Lion (Kitten's Joy). **Cont. p4**

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Street Sense cont.

As his influence on both sides of the pedigree grows, demand for his progeny in the sales ring continues to increase, with a \$171,000 yearling average in 2019.

With the current group of Street Sense runners in training this year, it could appear as though there's no place for that number to go but upwards.

One of the first 'TDN Rising Star' 2-year-olds of the year, **Cazadero** is a Street Sense homebred for Stonestreet Stables. The Asmussen trainee broke his maiden on debut by almost nine lengths, scoring an 81 Beyer Speed Figure on May 29.

And, of course, there's still Maxfield. The Godolphin organization is keeping close tabs on the colt that could give them their first Kentucky Derby title.



Cazadero | Coady Photo

“It would be such a major coup for everyone involved, for the sire and the home team” Fox said. “Maxfield is Darley through and through, by a Darley sire and his dam is also a homebred. Everyone is Derby dreaming at this stage, but it’s certainly very exciting to be able to dream right now.”

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Sallee President/CEO Nicole Pieratt said that because the investigation was ongoing, she could not comment further on the accident.

According to nbcphiladelphia.com, the trailer, which was traveling northbound on the Turnpike, hit a concrete divider. The accident occurred in East Windsor Township, which is near Trenton.

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‘HONOR’ SYSTEM PRODUCES PAIR OF STRONG BI-COASTAL STAKES WINS

The Week in Review, by T.D. Thornton

In a non-pandemic world, this column would be wrapping up the just-concluded Triple Crown, and top-level graded stakes racing in America would be going into that early-summer lull between the spring Classics and the July openings of Saratoga and Del Mar.

But this is the new normal imposed by COVID-19, and one of the post-lockdown perks it provides is that elite-level on-track action is just now starting to heat up.

Belmont Park’s stakes-centric card on Saturday dovetailed nicely into Santa Anita’s gauntlet of graded races, and top honors for best performance on each coast went to—fittingly—the “Honor” horses.

The patient, grind-down, layoff victory by **Code of Honor** (Noble Mission {GB}) in the GIII Westchester S. stamped last year’s GI Runhappy Travers S. victor as a formidable East Coast dirt router in his 4-year-old debut.

And in California, a similarly styled closing kick by **Honor A.P.** (Honor Code) in the GI Runhappy Santa Anita Derby cemented his status as a sophomore powerhouse whose long-term potential is only eclipsed right now by his long, ground-devouring stride.



Honor A.P. overtakes Authentic in the Runhappy Santa Anita Derby | Benoit Photo

Back in Action in New York

Away since a seventh-place run in last year’s Breeders’ Cup Classic, Code of Honor’s favored (1.25-1) comeback came amid a sudden cloudburst that rendered Belmont Park’s main track muddy for the 1 1/16 miles Westchester.

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The race unfolded in tactically entertaining fashion as second favorite **Endorsed** (Medaglia d’Oro) seized the lead assertively at the half-mile pole with a back-of-the-pack run up an open rail, while Code of Honor took the overland route, advancing methodically under his own power.



Code of Honor wears down Endorsed | Horsephotos

The two peeled off from the pack for their own private stretch duel, with the heart of the fight coming between the eighth and sixteenth poles, and Code of Honor edging away incrementally thereafter for a half-length win.

Although the Westchester provided the most aesthetically satisfying stakes finish of the afternoon at Belmont, it wasn’t the feature on the card by graded ranking. That distinction went to the seven-furlong GI Runhappy Carter H., won emphatically by 1.65-1 favorite **Vekoma** (Candy Ride {Arg}), who romped by 7 1/4 lengths against a respectable field.

Vekoma is in the midst of his own comeback—he’s now two races back from a 13th-place drubbing in last year’s GI Kentucky Derby. Now that he’s four-for-four in one-turn races, middle distances are emerging as his obvious sweet spot.

The turf stakes at Belmont on Saturday? Trainer Chad Brown absolutely dominated them.

His trainees ran one-two in the GII Fort Marcy S. over nine furlongs with **Instilled Regard** (Arch) on top. Then Brown saddled the first four finishers of the GIII Intercontinental S. over seven furlongs, with **‘TDN Rising Star’ Newspaperofrecord** (Ire) (Lope de Vega {Ire}) keying the superfecta.

For good measure, Brown also won Saturday’s maiden special weight nightcap on the grass.

New post time for Santa Anita: Santa Anita Park announced Sunday that it will shift its first post time for the remainder of its meet (June 12 through June 21) from 12:30 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Meanwhile, on the Left Coast...

Honor A. P. emerged from his 2 3/4-length Santa Anita Derby score as the clear West Coast kingpin in the sophomore division.

Authentic (Into Mischief), the 1-2 favorite, did himself no favors by breaking flat-footed and outward, straying about three paths to the right of his outermost starting stall before righting himself to contest the pace while parked three wide into the clubhouse turn.

Authentic sparred for a share of the lead behind a pair of longshot pacemakers while Honor A.P., the 2-1 second choice, never let him out of his striking sights for the backstretch run of the nine-furlong test, staying in the clear and well outside of horses.

As the pack tightened into the far turn, Authentic again gave up real estate, but Honor A.P. loomed even wider, commencing his bid 3 1/2 furlongs out but not truly winding up until five-sixteenths out. His four-wide sweep into the stretch put him over the top three-sixteenths from the wire, and the ridgling determinedly ramped up the pressure through the stretch while not overly extending himself.

Honor A.P.’s win is best described as a blunt-force show of power rather than a lightning-in-a-bottle display of brilliance. Like older counterpart Code of Honor on the East Coast, he is to be feared as the distances increase in future stakes engagements.

The heavy favorites delivered as expected in the 1 1/4-mile GI Hollywood Gold Cup and 1 1/16-mile GII Santa Anita Oaks. But both winners faced little in the way of serious competition in those short-field (six and four entrants, respectively) stakes.

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Week in Review cont.

'TDN Rising Star' Improbable (City Zip) stalked the pace and opened up at will to win the Gold Cup by 3 1/4 lengths at 1.3-1 odds.

Swiss Skydiver (Daredevil) easily wired the Oaks by four lengths at 3-5 for her third consecutive victory at her third different track. Gone are the days when you could bet her at 9-1 and 16-1, like in her previous two tallies at Gulfstream and Oaklawn.



Swiss Skydiver & Mike Smith | Benoit Photo

It would be a fair question to ask whether or not we saw the GI Kentucky Derby winner on Saturday at Santa Anita. But it would be equally reasonable to wonder if that potential future superstar might not be **Cezanne** (Curlin), the \$3.65-million Fasig-Tipton Gulfstream topper who was unveiled as a 2 1/4-length winner at 2-5 odds in a maiden special weight. He was just nominated to the Triple Crown last week at the revised second deadline for the series.

Named after the 19th-century French painter Paul Cezanne, the Bob Baffert trainee broke okay, was asked to pick up the pace to engage the frontrunners, and shifted outward to the two path soon after clearing the gap at the 6 1/2-furlong start point.

Cezanne was always in the hunt and under pressure in a four-way go for the lead through legit splits. He hit the top coming off the turn, wandered slightly outward, got a couple of right-handed reminders to stay focused, then opened up to win by a measured 2 1/4 lengths.

What's in a Name?

Watching jockeys soar through the homestretch wearing protective face masks in front of empty grandstands should be enough of a reminder that America's racetracks are operating in the midst of a pandemic. But in case you need further reinforcement that the COVID-19 crisis is a part of our social fabric, the first wave of coronavirus-related Thoroughbred names is just now hitting the entries in the form of 2-year-olds.

Herd Immunity (Union Rags) won his five-furlong debut at Santa Anita on Saturday as the 3-5 chalk. The term is a descriptor for when most of a population is immune to an infectious disease, and it's been increasingly cited as a goal for the global overcoming of COVID-19.

Last Wednesday, on the first day of the season at Belmont, juvenile colt **Fauci** (Malibu Moon) ran second as the beaten favorite in his first start. He's named in honor of Dr. Anthony Fauci, the director of the National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases.

Self Isolation (Square Eddie) ran third on May 17 in her 2-year-old Santa Anita debut.

Social Distancing, **Flatten the Curve**, and **No Spectators** are all in the pipeline as registered names according to *Associated Press*, although none of those horses yet appear in the Equibase database.

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Sunday, June 7, 2020	\$15,224,584
Sunday, June 16, 2019	\$8,221,868
Change	up 85%

Churchill Downs

Sunday, June 7, 2020	\$7,420,744
Sunday, June 9, 2019	\$3,378,689
Change	up 120%

Santa Anita

Sunday, June 7, 2020	\$8,940,186
Sunday, June 9, 2019	\$7,773,358
Change	up 15%

Sunday, Santa Anita

TRIPLE BEND S.-GII, \$200,000, Santa Anita, 6-7, 3yo/up, 7f, 1:22.56, ft.

1--**MCKINZIE**, 124, h, 5, by **Street Sense**

1st Dam: Runway Model (MGSW & MGISP, \$725,598), by Petionville

2nd Dam: Ticket to Houston, by Houston

3rd Dam: Stave, by Navajo

'**TDN Rising Star**' (\$170,000 Ylg '16 KEESEP). O-Karl Watson, Mike Pegram & Paul Weitman, Paul; B-Summer Wind Farm (KY); T-Bob Baffert; J-Mike E. Smith. \$120,000. Lifetime Record: MGSW, 16-8-6-0, \$3,438,560. *1/2 to Rompin Reid (Medaglia d'Oro), SP, \$172,945. **Werk Nick Rating: A.**

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3--**Dark Vader**, 122, h, 5, **Tale of Ekati**--Dark Obsession, by Grand Slam. (\$10,000 RNA Ylg '16 FTKJUL; \$150,000 2yo '17 OBSMAR). O-S Alesia, Burns Racing LLC, Ciaglia Racing LLC & R Christensen.; B-Schleprock Racing LLC (OH); T-Peter Eurton. \$24,000.

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It's been an up-and-down stretch of late for the Bob Baffert barn, but the classy '**TDN Rising Star**' McKinzie finished the week on a high note for the Hall of Famer. Making his first start since an 11th-place finish in the G1 Saudi Cup Feb. 29, and first over track and trip since he romped in the 2018 GI Malibu S., the bay settled in widest and last of a compact field as stablemate Ax Man (Misremembered) showed the way. Given his cue to inch closer into a :46.13 half, the heavy chalk wore down stubborn Fashionably Fast by midstretch and required only hands-and-heels encouragement from there to lengthen his advantage.

"The wonderful thing about McKinzie is he had me in the game early and I mean he was ready to pounce at all times," said pilot Mike Smith, who had ridden McKinzie in his first 13 starts. "He is not only extremely talented, he's a thinker too and I just love riding him... He will be a different horse, sometimes he'll be close to the lead, next time he may be way back, so you're

always trying to figure him out... He's one of those throwback champions. They could run five eighths of a mile or a mile and a quarter. He just seems to be able to do it all. It is just amazing some horses can do something like that."

A 5 1/2-length debut winner in his only other attempt at seven panels, McKinzie racked up Grade I scores at two, three and four after shipping East to take Saratoga's GI Whitney H. last August. He was second in both the local nine-furlong GI Awesome Again S. Sept. 28 and GI Breeders' Cup Classic Nov. 2 before running in the first renewal of the world's richest race.

"This was a perfect out for him," said Baffert "He had a cozy post and he showed his class. It was workmanlike and this'll really move him up for next time. Yes, this was a prep for the [July 4 GI Runhappy Met Mile at Belmont]... We're happy he's back after that fiasco [in Saudi Arabia]. He's been looking really good training and in all of his works. It's great to have him back."

Baffert took Saturday's GI Hollywood Gold Cup with **Improbable** (City Zip) on the same day it was revealed that his leading GI Kentucky Derby contender **Charlatan** (Speightstown) would be forced to miss at least the Belmont with an ankle injury--his other top 3-year-old **Nadal** (Blame) was retired last week.



McKinzie | Benoit Photo

Pedigree Notes:

McKinzie's dam, a dual Grade II winner and third in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies at two, was second in the GI Ashland S. in 2005 and sold to Summer Wind Farm for \$2.7 million in foal to Storm Cat at Keeneland November in 2006. She is a half-sister to SW & MGSP Mambo Train (Kingmambo) and to the separate dams of three other graded stakes winners.

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BELMONT SUNDAY MORNING ROUND-UP

A number of conditioners were checking on their charges and plotting their next starts Sunday morning at Belmont following a strong card Saturday that included four graded stakes.

- Last year's GI Runhappy Travers and GI Jockey Club Gold Cup hero **Code of Honor** (Noble Mission {GB}) made a successful seasonal debut in the GIII Westchester S. and has Hall of Fame trainer **Shug McGaughey** weighing either the GI Runhappy Metropolitan H. July 4 or waiting for the GI Whitney H. at Saratoga for the W.S. Farish homebred. "He seems to be fine," McGaughey said. "He looked good [Saturday] after the race and he looked good this morning. I'll look at the Met Mile and see what the stakes schedule at Saratoga looks like. He had a very good winter and the time off really seemed to help him."



Vekoma & Javier Castellano | Joe Labozzetta

- GI Runhappy Carter H. romper **Vekoma** (Candy Ride {Arg}) could also contest the prestigious Met Mile. "He owned them, and it wasn't an easy race," said co-owner Randy Hill of last year's GI Toyota Blue Grass winner. "We're thinking about the Met Mile but the ultimate goal is the Breeders' Cup. [Trainer] George [Weaver] has done such a great job with this horse and whatever he says is what we'll end up doing. I thought he was a stallion prospect after he won the race at Keeneland last year but [Saturday]'s race made him even more valuable."
- MGISW **Mind Control** (Stay Thirsty), sixth in the Carter, will wait for the GI Alfred H. Vanderbilt H. at Saratoga. "He didn't like the [sloppy] track," said trainer Greg Sacco. "He just didn't grab a hold of it and [rider John Velazquez] said he was spinning his wheels. He broke sharp and Johnny said he was going to track Vekoma, but when the running started, he just wouldn't pick up his feet."
- Four-time Eclipse Award-winning trainer Chad Brown had a

typically productive Saturday, making up the superfecta in the GIII Intercontinental S. led by '**TDN Rising Star**' **Newspaperofrecord (Ire)** (Lope de Vega {Ire}); the exacta in the GI Fort Marcy S. capped by **Instilled Regard** (Arch); and finished second in the Carter with **Network Effect** (Mark Valeski). Newspaperofrecord is likely for the June 27 GI Just a Game S.--where she could be joined by champion stablemate **Uni (GB)** (More Than Ready), while Instilled Regard could run back in the GI Manhattan S. July 4. **Rushing Fall** (More Than Ready), who annexed the GIII Beaugay S. on opening day Wednesday, will head to Keeneland for the GI Coolmore Jenny Wiley S. July 11.

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C R K Stable LLC's **Honor A. P.** (Honor Code) appeared no worse for wear Sunday morning after making the grade and stamping himself as a top GI Kentucky Derby contender with a decisive win in the GI Santa Anita Derby.

"He looks good this morning," trainer Shirreffs said. "It's always a surprise when they run like he ran, because no matter how they look in the mornings or how they're training, they have to perform in the afternoon.

"It was very gratifying to see him run that well... It was really exciting. Everybody at the barn is really joyful. He got 100 [Kentucky Derby qualifying] points for the win, so it puts us in a good position."

The Aug. 1 Shared Belief S. at Del Mar could be a logical next spot before heading to Louisville.

"It's certainly under consideration," Shirreffs said.

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If I could live the aftermath of the 2008 financial crisis all over again, I would certainly make different decisions. Anyone can make money in up markets, but it takes smart strategy and courage to capitalize on the down turns. I had neither. I was nervous. I played it conservatively. I removed risk wherever I perceived it. I wanted to be safe. That pretty much shut down my creative thinking. Opportunities abound in down markets, but I missed them all, especially the ones sitting right in front of me. This time, at an older and riper age, I am keeping my eyes open. I am not looking back, only forward.

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IN ORDER OF PURSE:

FIRST DEFENCE S., \$80,000, Belmont, 6-7, 4yo/up, 7fT, 1:21.39, fm.

1--**THERAPIST, 124, g, 5, Freud--Lady Renaissance, by Smart Strike.** (\$8,000 RNA Ylg '16 SARAUG). O-Oak Bluff Stables; B-Oak Bluff Stable, LLC & C. Clement (NY); T-Christophe Clement; J-Irad Ortiz, Jr. \$44,000. Lifetime Record: 17-8-0-4, \$534,345.

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2--**Majestic Dunhill, 120, g, 5, Majesticperfection--Candy Fortune, by Candy Ride (Arg).** (\$47,000 Ylg '16 KEESEP; \$100,000 2yo '17 OBSMAR). O-R. A. Hill Stable; B-Hargus & Sandra Sexton & Silver Fern Farm, LLC (KY); T-George Weaver. \$16,000.

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3--**Flavius, 120, h, 5, War Front--Starformer, by Dynaformer.** O/B-Juddmonte Farms Inc (KY); T-Chad C. Brown. \$9,600. Margins: HD, 3/4, NK. Odds: 8.30, 11.40, 3.40.

Also Ran: Seismic Wave, Hawkish, Vici, Sombeyay, Delaware (GB), Honor Up, Lonhtwist-(DH), Win Win Win-(DH), Skyler's Scramjet, Nicodemus. Scratched: Complexity, Jakarta, Stan the Man.

On a tragic day for the Christophe Clement stable, Oak Bluff Stables' Therapist did his part to lift their spirits with a game victory in the First Defence S. Sunday at Belmont.

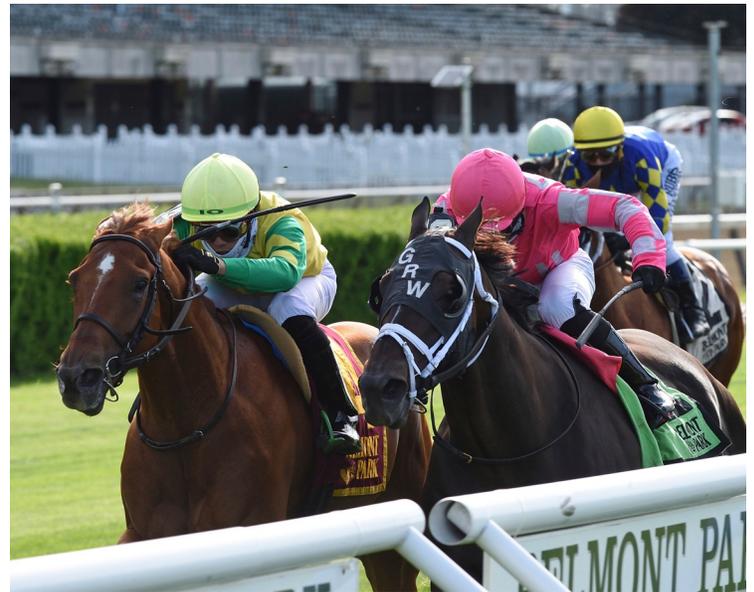
A dual stakes winner against open company as a 2-year-old in 2017, Therapist picked up three more black-type success at three and started his 4-year-old campaign with a score in the course-and-distance Elusive Quality S. last April. That was the last time he saw the winner's circle last year though, as he was third or fourth in his remaining five starts, most recently in a local optional claimer Oct. 25.

Off from the widest draw as the fifth choice in this 13-horse group, the chestnut stumbled a bit at the break and dropped back to travel in eighth behind splits of :22.42 and :45.52. Advancing five wide approaching the quarter pole, the gelding poked his head in front at the sixteenth pole and had to beat back a game inside challenge from Majestic Dunhill while drifting in a bit to prevail. Chad Brown import Flavius was a close third and had to steady on the wire. An inquiry was lodged into

the winner's herding in deep stretch, but the result was allowed to stand.

On the same day a fire **tragically killed 10 horses** on the way to joining the Christophe Clement barn, the Clement stable got some small solace with a pair of victories; Oak Bluff colorbearer Pandamom (Uncle Mo) broke her maiden earlier in the card for Clement.

"The horses have been running well and we won two races today for the same owner, Oak Bluff Stable," Clement said. "I thought Therapist ran a very game race. He really likes the seven-eighths. It was a bittersweet end to a difficult day after the accident this morning." **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**



Therapist (outside) edges Majestic Dunhill | Chelsea Durand



IN ORDER OF PURSE:

6th-Churchill Downs, \$80,260, Alw (NW2\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$62,500), 6-7, 3yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:16.15, ft.

NIFTY (c, 4, Ghostzapper--Gold Mover {MGSW & MGISP-USA, GSP-Can, \$1,523,010}, by Gold Fever) won back-to-back races last spring but went to the sidelines after a sixth-place effort at this oval last June. He returned with a runner-up effort going six furlongs at Oaklawn Mar. 14 and was third again at that track and trip last time out Apr. 10. **Cont. p2**

Last in the early going, the 5-2 shot was asked for more turning for home and surged into contention with a five-wide move into the stretch. He kicked into gear late and powered away to win by 3 1/4 lengths. Horse Doctor (Bodemeister) was second. Nifty was a \$425,000 KEESEP yearling. He is a half to Giant Mover (Giant's Causeway), SW, \$163,813; and to Maleeh (Indian Charlie), SW, \$158,500. With Nifty in utero, Gold Mover sold for \$300,000 at the 2015 Keeneland November sale. Sales History: \$425,000 Ylg '17 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 9-3-3-1, \$217,115.

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Nifty | Coady

7th-Churchill Downs, \$68,945, Alw, 6-7, (NW1X), 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2ft, 1:04.60, fm.

LEAD GUITAR (f, 4, Maclean's Music--Eleadora {SP}, by Finality), a maiden winner sprinting over the Saratoga lawn last August, had not been seen since missing by just a head when second in a 5 1/2-furlong turf allowance at Keeneland last October in her final outing for trainer George Weaver. The 4-5 favorite was away slowly and trailed the field early. She inched closer leaving the backstretch, was tipped out to the center of the track in upper stretch and strode powerfully to the lead to win by 2 1/2 lengths. Baby Karats (Gemologist) was second. Lead Guitar was a \$35,000 FTNMIX weanling and a \$200,000 SARAUG yearling. Eleadora produced a full-sister to the winner in 2019 and was bred back to Ransom the Moon. Sales History: \$35,000 Wlg '16 FTNMIX; \$200,000 Ylg '17 SARAUG. Lifetime Record: 5-2-2-1, \$112,832. Click for the [Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#),

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2nd-Belmont, \$66,000, Alw, 6-7, (NW1\$X), 3yo, 1mT, 1:35.81, fm.

DOMESTIC SPENDING (GB) (g, 3, Kingman {GB}--Urban Castle {SW-Eng}, by Street Cry {Ire}) closed late to win his debut as the even-money favorite going one mile over the Tampa Bay turf Feb. 12. The 3-2 favorite to go two-for-two, the bay gelding was off a half-step slowly and trailed the field through fractions of :23.83 and :48.63. Still well back at the top of the lane, he was tipped out to the center of the course and veered in greenly, but once straightened he closed like a shot to just nail Don Juan Kitten (Kitten's Joy) by a neck on the line. Domestic Spending was purchased for 300,000gns at Tattersalls October in 2018, a year after the same connections purchased GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies Turf winner Newspaperofrecord (Ire) (Lope de Vega {Ire}) at that same venue. Kingman's half-brother Sunray Major (GB) (Dubawi {Ire}) was tabbed a 'TDN Rising Star' earlier on the day at Newmarket. Sales History: 300,000gns Ylg '18 TATOCT. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$47,900. Click for the [Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#), sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.

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Domestic Spending | *Coglianesse*

3rd-Gulfstream, \$40,700, Alw (NW1\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$25,000), 6-7, 4yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:34.33, fm.

BELLE LAURA (f, 4, **Mucho Macho Man--**Belle Chaussee**, by **Giant's Causeway**)**, third behind future GISWs Concrete Rose (Twirling Candy) and Cambier Parc (Medaglia d'Oro) in the GII JPMorgan Chase Jessamine S. and GIII Herecomesthebride S., respectively, ran fourth in the GIII Regret S. last June at Churchill before finishing off the board in a Saratoga allowance and the Fifth Third Insurance Dueling Grounds Oaks when last seen Sept. 8. Switched from the Norm Casse barn to this outfit since then, the bay returned as a 31-2 longshot here and showed the way through splits of :23.66 and :47.17. Inching clear heading into the far turn, she had no anxious moments in the stretch and came home a convincing two-length victress. Fellow longshot Sensible Myth (Street Sense) won a photo for second. The winner has a juvenile Dialed In half-brother, a yearling half-sister by the same sire and a half-brother from the final crop of Empire Maker foaled earlier this season. Sales History: \$32,000 Ylg '17 FTKOCT. Lifetime Record: MGSP, 10-2-0-2, \$115,232. **Click for the [Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#), sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.** O-GU Racing Stable, LLC; B-Reeves Thoroughbred Racing (KY); T-Juan Carlos Avila.

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8th-Churchill Downs, \$80,616, Msw, 6-7, 3yo/up, 7f, 1:24.18, ft. TRIDENT HIT (c, 3, **Tiznow--**Dontgetinmyway**, by **Machiavellian**)**, a \$45,000 KEESEP yearling, was dismissed at 41-1 in this unveling. Unhurried early, he trailed the field as Dark Web (Warrior's Reward) and Inis Gluaire (Bernardini) battled through fractions of :22.51 and :45.62. Trident Hit made rapid progress on the turn, got briefly tangled in traffic in upper stretch, but got back on track and closed relentlessly to just get a nose in front of Dark Web on the line. Inis Gluaire was another 2 1/2 lengths back in third. Trident Hit is a half to Dorsett (Artie Schiller), SW, \$449,436; Sinai (Rockport Harbor), GSP, \$176,959; and to Miss Machiavelli (Artie Schiller), SW, \$131,863. The unraced Dontgetinmyway is a daughter of graded placed Ashtabula (Rahy) and a half to multiple graded stakes winner Even the Score (Unbridled's Song). Sales History: \$45,000 Ylg '18 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$45,064. **Click for the [Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#), sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.** O-Walsh Racing LLC; B-Penny McCarthy, Shane Doyle & Tiznow Syndicate (KY); T-Brendan P. Walsh.

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Trident Hit (outside) | *Coady*

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10th-Belmont, \$64,000, Msw, 6-7, 3yo/up, f/m, 6fT, 1:09.31, fm.
HENNI PENNY (f, 3, Twirling Candy--Radiant Cut, by Sharp Humor) was on the board in a pair of efforts over the Aqueduct turf last November, but was a well-beaten sixth over the main track there in her most recent outing Jan. 23. Settled in mid-pack early, the 9-1 shot darted to the inside for clear running room with a furlong to run and rallied strongly up the rail en route to a 1 1/2-length victory. Liza Jambalaya (Ghostzapper) was second. Radiant Cut produced a filly by Summer Front last year and a filly by Super Saver this spring. The mare, with Henni Penny in utero, sold to Robert Spiegel for \$50,000 at the 2016 Keeneland November sale. She is a half-sister to graded stakes winner and Grade I placed Mr Gruff (Mr. Greeley). Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-1, \$56,840. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

O/B-Robert Spiegel (KY); T-David G. Donk.

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4th-Belmont, \$53,000, (S), Msw, 6-7, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:43.87, fm.

PANDAMOM (f, 3, Uncle Mo--Akilina {MSW & GSP, \$316,460}, by Langfuhr) was a well-beaten third following a wide trip in her debut at this distance over the Aqueduct lawn Nov. 15. The 3-1 shot set a measured pace, opened a clear advantage in upper stretch and held on late to score by 3/4 lengths over Kilkea (Blame). Pandamom is a half-sister to Governor Malibu (Malibu Moon), SW & MGSP, \$665,700; and to Rieno Tesoro (Speightstown), MSW & G1SP-Jpn, \$1,372,995. Her half-brother Governor George (Malibu Moon) sold for \$130,000 at last year's Fasig-Tipton Saratoga New York-bred Yearlings Sale. Oak Bluff Stables homebred Akilina, winner of the 2009 Pago Hop S., is a half-sister to the dam of GI Florida Derby winner Audible (Into Mischief). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$36,590. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

O/B-Oak Bluff Stables (NY); T-Christophe Clement.

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STAKES RESULTS:

GOLDEN POPPY S., \$75,450, Golden Gate Fields, 6-7, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:43.39, fm.

1--**SLOANE GARDEN (GB)**, 125, f, 4, **Iffraaj (GB)**--Sloane Square

(GB), by Teofilo (Ire). 1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN. (31,000gns Wlg '16 TATFOA; 70,000gns Ylg '17 TAOCT; 25,000gns 3yo '19 TATAHI). O-Ronald L. Charles & Samuel Gordon; B-Jupiter Bloodstock Ltd (GB); T-Manuel Badilla; J-Kyle Frey. \$45,000. Lifetime Record: 9-3-2-3, \$91,857.

2--**Meal Ticket**, 125, m, 6, Malibu Moon--Rainbow's Song, by Unbridled's Song. (\$180,000 RNA 5yo '19 KEENOV). O-Peter Jeong & Keith F. Johnston; B-Glen Hill Farm (FL); T-Matthew Chew. \$15,000.

3--**Wicked Old Fashion**, 125, m, 6, Colonel John--Ilona, by Pirate's Bounty. O-Frank Aufdermaur & Wayne Swisher; B-Venneri Racing Inc. (KY); T-Victor M. Trujillo. \$9,000. Margins: 1 1/4, HF, 2HF. Odds: 3.60, 1.10, 7.20.

TREASURE COAST S., \$60,000, Gulfstream, 6-7, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8mT, 1:47.63, fm.

1--**LA AUSTRALIANA, 122, f, 4, Australia (GB)--Tree Chopper, by Woodman. 1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN.**(\$175,000 Ylg '17 KESEEP). O-Victoria's Ranch; B-Capital Bloodstock (KY); T-Juan Carlos Avila; J-Leonel Reyes. \$36,456. Lifetime Record: 14-3-0-3, \$107,686.

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2--**Olympic Games (Fr)**, 122, f, 4, Olympic Glory (Ire)--Super Anna (Fr), by Anabaa. (€77,000 Ylg '17 ARAV2). O-Martin S. Schwartz; B-Dream With Me Stable Inc (FR); T-Christophe Clement. \$11,760.

3--**Zarina**, 122, f, 4, Temple City--Point Judith, by Black Mambo. O/B-Robert C. Roffey (KY); T-Chad J. Stewart. \$5,880. Margins: NK, 1 1/4, 1. Odds: 14.10, 7.50, 7.40.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

8th-Woodbine, C\$93,630, 6-7, (NW1\$X), 3yo/up, 5f (AWT), :57.65, ft.

ALACRITOUS (g, 5, Nonios--Shes the Real Deal, by Songandaprayer) Lifetime Record: 23-4-4-2, \$158,978. O/B-Colebrook Farms (ON); T-Ashlee Brnjas.

7th-Woodbine, C\$90,306, (C)/Opt. Clm (\$44,687-\$46,549), 6-7, 3yo/up, f/m, 5f (AWT), :57.38, ft.

FOXXY BELLE (m, 5, Leonnatus Anteus--Tory's Humorgirl, by Sharp Humor) Lifetime Record: 17-7-3-1, \$271,002. O-Tommy Massis; B-Tony James (ON); T-Norman McKnight.

9th-Churchill Downs, \$84,322, (NW3\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$80,000), 6-7, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:42.10, ft.

ALKHAATAM (h, 5, Tapit--Firdaws {G1SP-Eng}, by Mr. Greeley) Lifetime Record: 15-4-0-2, \$238,478. O-Shadwell Stable; B-Shadwell Farm, LLC (KY); T-Daniel C. Peitz.

7th-Belmont, \$56,000, (S), 6-7, (NW1\$X), 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:42.48, fm.

GRADED ON A CURVE (g, 4, Noble Mission {GB}--Sarah's Pleasure, by Street Cry {Ire}) Lifetime Record: 7-2-2-2, \$110,940. O-Klaravich Stables, Inc.; B-Larry Goichman (NY); T-Chad C. Brown. *\$80,000 Ylg '17 SARAUG.

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11th-Santa Anita, \$53,000, (S), (NW1\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$20,000), 6-6, 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:18.96, ft.

SILK FROM HEAVEN (f, 4, Richard's Kid--Elegant in Silk, by Hard Spun) Lifetime Record: 11-2-2-1, \$105,711. O-Hector Palma & Dolores Riggio; B-DP Racing, LLC (CA); T-Hector O. Palma. *\$32,000 Ylg '17 BAROCT.

4th-Santa Anita, \$51,500, (S), (NW1\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$20,000), 6-7, 3yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:18.14, ft.

JAMMING EDDY (g, 4, Square Eddie--Walkingonadream, by Tapit) Lifetime Record: 17-2-2-4, \$132,262. O-Altamira Racing Stable, Gary Barber & Michael Wellman; B-Reddam Racing, LLC (CA); T-Peter Miller. *\$15,000 2yo '18 OBSMAR.

6th-Santa Anita, \$51,000, (NW1\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$40,000), 6-7, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:44.23, ft.

UNBROKEN STAR (g, 5, Broken Vow--Bachata {SW & GSP, \$163,925}, by Kingmambo) Lifetime Record: 8-3-1-0, \$82,511. O-Slugo Racing; B-Pin Oak Stud, LLC (KY); T-Mike Puype. *\$100,000 Ylg '16 KEESEP. **1/2 to Gold Medal Dancer (Medaglia d'Oro), GSW & MGISP, \$639,669.

11th-Golden Gate Fields, \$41,434, 6-6, (NW1\$X), 3yo/up, f/m, 5fT, :56.53, fm.

NARDINI (f, 4, Acclamation--Ismene {MSW, \$236,990}, by Tribal Rule) Lifetime Record: 5-2-0-2, \$59,966. O-Legacy Ranch, Inc.; B-Stephen Ferraro (CA); T-Andy Mathis. *\$160,000 Ylg '17 BAROCT. **1/2 to Ismelucky (Lucky Pulpit), SW, \$167,062.

5th-Golden Gate Fields, \$38,224, 6-7, (NW1\$X), 3yo/up, 5fT, :55.34, fm.

GIVE ME THE LUTE (g, 4, Boisterous--Steal the Lute, by Midnight Lute) Lifetime Record: 8-2-2-1, \$92,433. O-Rod & Wendy Hogan; B-Gary Barber (CA); T-Andy Mathis.

4th-Charles Town, \$29,000, 6-6, (NW3LX), 3yo/up, f/m, 7f, 1:27.05, ft.

AMELIA BEDELIA (f, 4, Fed Biz--French Sadie, by Successful Appeal) Lifetime Record: MSP, 14-7-2-4, \$152,380. O-David M. Raim; B-Schiano Racing Inc. (WV); T-Jeff C. Runco.

6th-Evangeline Downs, \$28,440, (C)/Opt. Clm (\$30,000), 6-6, 3yo/up, 5fT, :57.66, fm.

WIN LION WIN (g, 9, Lion Tamer--Twinwinwin, by Twining) Lifetime Record: SW, 52-11-9-9, \$422,382. O-Farm d'Allie Racing Stable; B-Rebecca Farm LLC (LA); T-Allison Ramsay-Banks. *\$40,000 Ylg '12 BSCYRL. **Full to Heavy On Themister, MSW, \$725,350.

8th-Evangeline Downs, \$26,000, (S), 6-6, (NW2L), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:12.08, ft.

QUIKFAST N AHURRY (f, 3, Closing Argument--Wynning Ride {SW & MGISP, \$345,108}, by Candy Ride {Arg}) Lifetime Record: SP, 4-2-2-0, \$65,600. O-Whispering Oaks Farm LLC; B-Carrol J. Castille (LA); T-Steven B. Flint. *1/2 to Sporting Chance (Tiznow), GISW, \$409,790.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Majestic Gigi, f, 3, Artie Schiller--La Pequena Gigi, by Sky Mesa. Santa Anita, 6-7, (C), 5 1/2fT, 1:03.45. B-George Yager (KY).

Lil Watty, f, 3, Data Link--Silvertonguediva, by Arch. Charles Town, 6-6, 7f, 1:29.47. B-Bradley W. Purcell (KY).

Colombian Gold, f, 3, Dialed In--Run a Round, by Broken Vow. Santa Anita, 6-7, (C), 1mT, 1:36.49. B-Joe B. Mulholland Jr., John P. & Karen Mulholland (KY). *\$55,000 RNA Ylg '18 KEESEP.

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Ennis the Menace, g, 3, Frac Daddy--Kamaina Rose, by Royal Academy. Woodbine, 6-7, (C), 5f (AWT), :57.57. B-Richard Moylan (ON). *C\$60,000 Ylg '18 CANSEP. **1/2 to Royal Blessing (Kitten's Joy), GSP, \$415,293. ***1ST-TIME STARTER.

Front Man, c, 3, Pioneer of the Nile--Arienza (GSP, \$113,418), by Giant's Causeway. Churchill Downs, 6-7, (C), 1 1/16mT, 1:43.71. B-Robert & Lawana Low (KY).

Jealous Boyfriend, g, 3, Uncaptured--Petunia Face, by Congrats. Gulfstream, 6-7, (S), 6 1/2f, 1:16.87. B-Dennis Edward Foster (FL). *\$35,000 Ylg '18 OBSWIN; \$67,000 2yo '19 OBSOPN. **1/2 to Derek Adrian (In Summation), Ch. 2-year-old Colt-PR, MSW-PR, \$121,526; and to Jalen Journey (With Distinction), GISP, \$196,800.

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Dancers for Token, g, 4, Big Brown--Token Bay, by Gold Token. Belmont, 6-7, (S), 1m, 1:36.85. B-Glas-Tipp Stable LLC (NY).

Mr. Diffley, g, 4, Itsmyluckyday--Silver Spring, by Langfuhr. Woodbine, 6-7, 6fT, 1:08.37. B-Gustav Schickedanz (ON).

Quiet Company, f, 4, Temple City--Clarendon Fancy, by Malibu Moon. Churchill Downs, 6-7, (C), 1mT, 1:37.30. B-Sagamore Farm (MD).

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ACCLAMATION, Nardini, f, 4, o/o Ismene, by Tribal Rule. ALW, 6-6, Golden Gate

ARTIE SCHILLER, Majestic Gigi, f, 3, o/o La Pequena Gigi, by Sky Mesa. MCL, 6-7, Santa Anita

AUSTRALIA (GB), La Australiana, f, 4, o/o Tree Chopper, by Woodman. Treasure Coast S., 6-7, Gulfstream

BIG BROWN, Dancers for Token, g, 4, o/o Token Bay, by Gold Token. MSW, 6-7, Belmont

BOISTEROUS, Give Me the Lute, g, 4, o/o Steal the Lute, by Midnight Lute. ALW, 6-7, Golden Gate

BROKEN VOW, Unbroken Star, g, 5, o/o Bachata, by Kingmambo. AOC, 6-7, Santa Anita

CLOSING ARGUMENT, Quikfast N Ahurry, f, 3, o/o Wynning Ride, by Candy Ride (Arg). ALW, 6-6, Evangeline

DATA LINK, Lil Watty, f, 3, o/o Silvertonguediva, by Arch. MSW, 6-6, Charles Town

DIALED IN, Colombian Gold, f, 3, o/o Run a Round, by Broken Vow. MCL, 6-7, Santa Anita

FED BIZ, Amelia Bedelia, f, 4, o/o French Sadie, by Successful Appeal. ALW, 6-6, Charles Town

FRAC DADDY, Ennis the Menace, g, 3, o/o Kamaina Rose, by Royal Academy. MOC, 6-7, Woodbine

FREUD, Therapist, g, 5, o/o Lady Renaissance, by Smart Strike. First Defence S., 6-7, Belmont

GHOSTZAPPER, Nifty, c, 4, o/o Gold Mover, by Gold Fever. AOC, 6-7, Churchill Downs

IFFRAAJ (GB), Sloane Garden (GB), f, 4, o/o Sloane Square (GB), by Teofilo (Ire). Golden Poppy S., 6-7, Golden Gate

ITSMYLUCKYDAY, Mr. Diffley, g, 4, o/o Silver Spring, by Langfuhr. MSW, 6-7, Woodbine

KINGMAN (GB), Domestic Spending (GB), g, 3, o/o Urban Castle, by Street Cry (Ire). ALW, 6-7, Belmont

LEONNATUS ANTEAS, Foxy Belle, m, 5, o/o Tory's Humorgirl, by Sharp Humor. AOC, 6-7, Woodbine

LION TAMER, Win Lion Win, g, 9, o/o Twinwinwin, by Twining. AOC, 6-6, Evangeline

MACLEAN'S MUSIC, Lead Guitar, f, 4, o/o Eleadora, by Finality. ALW, 6-7, Churchill Downs

MUCHO MACHO MAN, Belle Laura, f, 4, o/o Belle Chaussee, by Giant's Causeway. AOC, 6-7, Gulfstream

NOBLE MISSION (GB), Graded On a Curve, g, 4, o/o Sarah's Pleasure, by Street Cry (Ire). ALW, 6-7, Belmont

NONIOS, Alacritous, g, 5, o/o Shes the Real Deal, by Songandaprayer. ALW, 6-7, Woodbine

PIONEEROF THE NILE, Front Man, c, 3, o/o Arienza, by Giant's Causeway. MCL, 6-7, Churchill Downs

RICHARD'S KID, Silk From Heaven, f, 4, o/o Elegant in Silk, by Hard Spun. AOC, 6-6, Santa Anita

STREET SENSE, McKinzie, h, 5, o/o Runway Model, by Petionville. GII Triple Bend S., 6-7, Santa Anita

SQUARE EDDIE, Jamming Eddy, g, 4, o/o Walkingonadream, by Tapit. AOC, 6-7, Santa Anita

TAPIT, Alkhaatam, h, 5, o/o Firdaws, by Mr. Greeley. AOC, 6-7, Churchill Downs

TEMPLE CITY, Quiet Company, f, 4, o/o Clarendon Fancy, by Malibu Moon. MCL, 6-7, Churchill Downs

TIZNOW, Trident Hit, c, 3, o/o Dontgetinmyway, by Machiavellian. MSW, 6-7, Churchill Downs

TWIRLING CANDY, Henni Penny, f, 3, o/o Radiant Cut, by Sharp Humor. MSW, 6-7, Belmont

UNCAPTURED, Jealous Boyfriend, g, 3, o/o Petunia Face, by Congrats. MSW, 6-7, Gulfstream

UNCLE MO, Pandamom, f, 3, o/o Akilina, by Langfuhr. MSW, 6-7, Belmont



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It was another G1 QIPCO 1,000 Guineas, another win for Ballydoyle on Sunday as **Love (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}) categorically signalled her rise to class principal with a command performance on Newmarket's Rowley Mile. Always travelling strongly out wide for Ryan Moore, the G1 Moyglare Stud S. heroine who had been third in the G1 Fillies' Mile over this course and distance in October was sent to the front heading down into the "dip". Powering clear with the camber reversed uphill to the finish, the 4-1 joint-second favourite was emphatic there having opened up a 4 1/4-length margin over **Cloak of Spirits (Ire)** (Invincible Spirit {Ire}), who in turn held the free-running 11-4 market-leader **Quadrilateral (GB)** (Frankel {GB}) by a head.

Celebrating a sixth success in this Classic and a fourth in the last five back in his study in Co. Tipperary, Aidan O'Brien was already planning ahead to the winner's next step in four weeks' time. "She's a special filly and we always thought she would get much further than a mile," he said as bookmakers moved to ward off liabilities for the July 4 G1 Epsom Oaks. "She showed she got a mile last year and we always thought we'd start here and then maybe go on to the Oaks. Ryan gave her a beautiful ride, very uncomplicated, he got her in a lovely rhythm and I couldn't have been happier really. He had her well-balanced into the dip, she's very genuine and she had her head out and ran to the line." [Cont. p2](#)

SUNRAY MAJOR SHINES TO EARN RISING STAR TAG AT NEWMARKET

With a pedigree like his, Khalid Abdullah's **Sunray Major (GB)** (Dubawi {Ire}) already had enough in hand on his rivals assembled for division two of Newmarket's Betfair Exchange More Ways To Win EBF Stallions Novice S. on Sunday's 1000 Guineas undercard. Word spreads fast around these parts and it was certainly out for the John Gosden-trained half-brother to the amazing miler Kingman (GB) as he traded at 8-11 for the mile contest. Following the lead of his yard's already-established 'TDN Rising Star' King Leonidas (GB) by Kingman himself in the first division, the Juddmonte homebred was to add further heavy artillery to Clarehaven's remarkable stores with this impressive debut performance.

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G1 QIPCO 1000 Guineas Cont. from p1

Going through the staggered stages of juvenile education that O'Brien provides so well with an ever-pleasing aptitude, Love was able to build and build upon quiet beginnings and reach the top of the class while still relishing her duties. From a creeping debut fourth at Leopardstown in early June, the chestnut showed some aggression when second to 'TDN Rising Star' Windracer (Ire) (Showcasing {GB}) at The Curragh three weeks later and was back in Dublin with scholarly enthusiasm for two starts the next month. Breaking her maiden at the expense of the useful Soul Search (Ire) (Zoffany {Ire}), she was 8-1 and dismissed by Ryan Moore when tackling the G3 Silver Flash S. a fortnight later but thrived for the taskmaster Seamie Heffernan to issue a 3 1/4-length drubbing to her peers.

Fifth in the G2 Debutante S. when the ground was easy returning to The Curragh in August, she dealt with that setback with a learned professionalism by making no mistake on a livelier surface in the G1 Moyglare Stud S. also in Kildare in September. Giving her all again on her first overseas trip in the Fillies' Mile, she was 1 3/4 lengths off Quadrilateral there with no obvious excuse but the feeling was that the last word had not been spoken in that particular argument.



Ryan Moore & Love after winning the English 1000 Guineas

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Whereas Quadrilateral had been hard to rouse in that encounter, the Juddmonte homebred was hard on the steel from the break here and Jason Watson was at pains to restrain her in the slipstream of the leader Cloak of Spirits sandwiched between **Rose of Kildare (Ire)** (Make Believe {GB}) and **Final Song (Ire)** (Dark Angel {Ire}). After three furlongs, the unbeaten favourite was still pulling for her head while Ryan Moore was enjoying a hassle-free time on Love enjoying a perfect rhythm widest of all towards the centre. Passing two out, Godolphin's 100-1 outsider Final Song might have been narrowly in front but Love was coming hard as the closers were struggling in behind.

Using the downhill slope to generate momentum from the strong-staying Love, Moore was soon beyond recall and it was left to Cloak of Spirits to find a second wind and deny Quadrilateral, whose finishing effort was compromised by her early antics. "She's a very uncomplicated filly and we've always thought a lot of her," the winning rider commented. "She's a typical Galileo filly and she was in control of the race from a long way out. I'd say it's a possibility that she'd stay at Epsom and at the moment she looks the best 3-year-old filly around."

Richard Hannon was at the same time both deflated and buoyed as he pondered the much-improved but not entirely unexpected improvement shown by Cloak of Spirits in the runner's-up spot. **Cont. p3**



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“She did the donkey work and stuck at it. I’ve been second in a few Classics and it is horrible, but I’m delighted with the run,” he said. “She is a very elegant, pretty classy filly. I might not have given her a prep run as she didn’t look great a month ago, plus she won first time out last year so she doesn’t necessarily need it, but she will improve and there are definitely group races in her. Maybe the [June 20 G1] Coronation S. [at Royal Ascot] could be next, but I will speak to Sheikh Obaid and see what he says. I think being out in front suits her and I think Andrea [Atzeni] rode her perfectly.”

Roger Charlton was not too downcast as he reflected on the run of Quadrilateral, which was in contrast to her last visit here. “She stayed on well, but just got a little tired in the closing stages. She could have probably done with a little more cover, but these races are being run from the front and nothing is coming from behind so you have to be handy,” he explained. “I was happy enough with that. The track probably doesn’t play to her strengths. Jason [Watson] seemed happy enough with the run. I don’t know what we will do going forward. I will talk to Prince Khalid first. I’d imagine she would stay further, but we won’t be rushing her.”

Pedigree Notes

Remarkably, Love’s victory means that both European 1000 Guineas to have been staged this year have been won by daughters of very moderate racemares trained by Stuart Williams. Whereas the G1 Poule d’Essai des Pouliches heroine Dream and Do (Ire) (Siyouni {Fr}) was out of Venetias Dream (Ire) (Librettist), this new doyenne of Ballydoyle is the progeny of Pikaboo (GB) (Pivotal {GB}) who was just as unremarkable a runner for the Newmarket handler. Sold on five separate occasions and twice when her racing career was over, she ended up with the Venners for 50,000gns at the 2012 Tattersalls December Mares Sale just before her proverbial boat came in.

Months after her final visit to a public auction, Pikaboo’s George Margaron-trained daughter Lucky Kristale (GB) (Lucky Story) was capturing the G2 Lowther S. and G2 Cherry Hinton S. and Coolmore moved to acquire her. Giving the operation instant reward via the Group 3-winning Galileo fillies Flattering (Ire) and Peach Tree (Ire), Pikaboo has excelled herself with this latest gem. Despite her modest racing record, there was always a chance that she could do something in her second career being a half-sister to the seven-furlong specialist and dual G2 Park S.-winning sire Arabian Gleam (GB) by Pivotal’s son Kyllachy (GB).

Among Pikaboo’s other half-siblings are the listed-winning sprinter Kimberella (GB) who is also by Kyllachy, and Light Quest (Quest For Fame {GB}). **Cont. p4**

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The last-named in turn is the dam of the G3 Prix Fille de l’Air scorer and stakes producer Skia (Fr) (Motivator {GB}) and the Singapore Gold Cup winner Tropaios (GB) (Excellent Art {GB}). This is also the family of the G1 English and Irish 2000 Guineas-winning sire Don’t Forget Me (Ire) (Ahoonora {GB}).

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Sunday, Newmarket, Britain

QIPCO 1000 GUINEAS S.-G1, £250,000, Newmarket, 6-7, 3yo, f, 8ft, 1:35.80, gd.

1--**LOVE (IRE)**, 126, f, 3, by **Galileo (Ire)**

1st Dam: **Pikaboo (GB)**, by **Pivotal (GB)**

2nd Dam: **Gleam of Light (Ire)**, by **Danehill**

3rd Dam: **Gold Runner**, by **Runnett (GB)**

O-Michael Tabor, Derrick Smith & Susan Magnier; B-Coolmore (IRE); T-Aidan O’Brien; J-Ryan Moore. £141,775. Lifetime Record: G1SW-Ire, 8-4-1-1, \$566,289. *Full to Flattering (Ire), GSW-Ire, SP-Eng; and Peach Tree (Ire), GSW-Ire, \$142,207; and 1/2 to Lucky Kristale (GB) (Lucky Story), MGSW-Eng, \$288,793.

Werk Nick Rating: A+++ *Triple Plus*. [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

2--**Cloak of Spirits (Ire)**, 126, f, 3, **Invincible Spirit (Ire)**--Pivotique (GB), by **Pivotal (GB)**. O/B-Sheikh Mohammed Obaid Al Maktoum (IRE); T-Richard Hannon. £53,750.

3--**Quadrilateral (GB)**, 126, f, 3, **Frankel (GB)**--Nimble Thimble, by **Mizzen Mast**. O-Khalid Abdullah; B-Juddmonte Farms Ltd (GB); T-Roger Charlton. £26,900.

Margins: 4 1/4, HD, 1. Odds: 4.00, 12.00, 2.75.

Also Ran: Final Song (Ire), Romsey (GB), Under the Stars (Ire), Millisle (Ire), Summer Romance (Ire), Rose of Kildare (Ire), Shimmering (Ire), Graceful Magic (GB), Boomer (GB), Yes Always (Ire), Les Hogues (Ire), Raffle Prize (Ire). [Click for the Racing Post result or the free EquineLine.com catalogue-style pedigree.](#)
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MANUELA DE VEGA IN CHARGE OF THE PINNACLE

Not far off the top performers in 2019, Waverley Racing’s **Manuela de Vega (Ire)** (Lope de Vega {Ire}) came back with a vengeance when the subject of a masterclass from Rob Hornby to win Sunday’s G3 Betway Pinnacle S. at Haydock. Last seen finishing runner-up in the G1 Grosser Preis von Bayern at Munich in November, the 4-1 shot was sent into a clear lead and while her rivals waited for her to come back she was merely relishing her own version of social distancing up ahead. Too far clear of **Fanny Logan (Ire)** (Sea the Stars {Ire}) as that even-money favourite got going in the straight, she hit the line still strong with two lengths to spare, with the third **Vivionn (GB)** (Dubawi {Ire}) four lengths away. [Cont. p5](#)

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G3 Betway Pinnacle S. Cont.

“She’s done that really nicely and we knew she enjoyed an honest gallop on a nice galloping track like this,” Hornby said. “She stumbled coming out of the stalls, but I was able to get into the position I wanted and stretch the rest of the field. I had a sneaky look in the straight, as I couldn’t hear anything but she never had to over-exert and got into a good rhythm. I knew she stays very well on this kind of track and in these conditions and I really liked the way she galloped out after the line. Her ears were pricked and she galloped out right down the back.”



Manuela de Vega | *Racing Post*

Successful in the Listed Silver Tankard S. at Pontefract at two, Manuela de Vega was no match for Mehdaayih (GB) (Frankel {GB}) when second in the Listed Cheshire Oaks on her 3-year-old bow last May but was just over two lengths behind that rival’s stablemate Anapurna (GB) (Frankel {GB}) when fourth in the G1 Epsom Oaks later that month. Subsequently fifth in the G1 Irish Oaks at The Curragh in July and runner-up to Enbihaar (Ire) (Redoute’s Choice {Aus}) upped to 14 furlongs for Goodwood’s G2 Lillie Langtry S. in August, the bay stayed at that track and trip to be third in the G3 March S. Tailing off slightly when second in Chester’s Listed Stand Cup over an extended 12

furlongs in September, she rebounded in Munich and there was enough there to suggest she could offer some profit for the decision to remain in training.

Pedigree Notes

Manuela de Vega is a full-sister to the G2 Gran Criterium hero Hero Look (Ire) and the Listed Warwick S. and Listed Pontefract Castle S. winner Isabel de Urbina (Ire) and a half to the ill-fated Lincoln H. winner Auxerre (Ire) (Iffraaj {GB}). They are out of the dual listed-placed Roscoff (Ire) (Daylami {Ire}), whose own dam is the listed scorer and multiple group-placed sprinter Traou Mad (Ire) (Barathea {Ire}). She is one of four black-type winners out of the G3 Prix de Saint-Georges winner Pont-Aven (Ire) (Try My Best), including the top-class Sainte Marine (Ire) (Kenmare {Fr}) and the G2 Gimcrack S.-winning sire Josr Algahoud (Ire) (Darshaan {GB}). Roscoff also has a 2-year-old full-sister to Manuela de Vega to follow.

Sunday, Haydock, Britain

BETWAY PINNACLE S.-G3, £37,000, Haydock, 6-7, 4yo/up, f, 11f 140yT, 2:28.15, g/s.

1--**MANUELA DE VEGA (IRE)**, 126, f, 4, by Lope de Vega (Ire)

1st Dam: Roscoff (Ire) (MSP-Fr), by Daylami (Ire)

2nd Dam: Traou Mad (Ire), by Barathea (Ire)

3rd Dam: Pont-Aven (Ire), by Try My Best

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2--**Fanny Logan (Ire)**, 129, f, 4, Sea The Stars (Ire)--Linda Radlett (Ire), by Manduro (Ger). O-HH Sheikha Al Jalila Racing; B-Godolphin (IRE); T-John Gosden. £7,955.

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LORD NORTH PREVAILS IN THE BRIGADIER GERARD

Lightly-raced and still progressing, last year's Cambridgeshire H. winner **Lord North (Ire)** (Dubawi {Ire}) was on top at the end of an edition of the G3 Betway Brigadier Gerard S. staged at Haydock that proved fascinating despite four withdrawals. Signing off at three with a dominating performance in Newmarket's Listed James Seymour S. over this 10-furlong trip in November, Sheikh Zayed bin Mohammed Racing's imposing bay was always travelling strongly as the 11-8 favourite **Elarqam (GB)** (Frankel {GB}) cut out the running. Brushing that rival aside passing the two-furlong pole, the 3-1 second favourite was either tiring or idling late as Elarqam worked back to force a photo with a short-head the margin separating them.

"He's a strong-travelling horse who has always had a lot of ability, but as a young horse he was very aggressive and angry," jockey Rob Havlin explained. "He was getting the job done, but making it hard for himself and everyone around him and thankfully he's got out of that now and is starting to fulfil the potential we knew he had. He actually put the race to bed quite easily here and then blew up with me and was in the red at the end. He's a class horse--he showed that in the Cambridgeshire last year when he was like a knife through butter. He appreciated the rain that came last night and there is a lot to build on."

Impressing when beating a sole rival by 11 lengths in a two-runner Newcastle novice last April, Lord North was gelded after finishing last of eight in the Listed Heron S. at Sandown the

following month and returned in early September to be second in a mile handicap at Ascot. Landing a gamble later that month in Newmarket's prestigious nine-furlong Cambridgeshire, he was again runner-up back at Ascot in the Balmoral H. on Champions Day before taking the James Seymour in the manner of a genuine group horse. Free early in third on this return, he went by Elarqam with relative ease as **Sangarius (GB)** (Kingman {GB}) began to struggle in behind and may have been feeling the effects of that winning move late as the favourite and **Telecaster (GB)** (New Approach {Ire}) closed in.

John Gosden said of the winner, "We have got to look at the good mile-and-a-quarter races for him as he has now won a listed race and a Group 3. Do you go more sensible and for a Group 2 as taking on Ghaiyyath is going to be quite heartbreaking for some horses. We might enter him [at Royal Ascot] and have a look around the place, but there is no major plan yet. You are coming back awfully quick for Royal Ascot, so they have to take their races well. Everything is so concertinaed, so we will just see how he is. It is the same with all the ones I'm running, they all need their races and even he did. He likes to get his toe in, so that ground helped him."

Elarqam's trainer Mark Johnston was not too disappointed with the run of the 5-year-old. "It looked like he might drop back to third when he was headed, but he's then stayed on again. It looked like he needed his first run last year, so it's not the end of the world."

Pedigree Notes

Lord North's dam Najoum (Giant's Causeway) is a half to the GI Blue Grass S.-winning sire Bandini (Fusaichi Pegasus), as well as the G3 Sweet Solera S. winner Discourse (Street Cry {Ire}) who went on to produce two listed winners including Discursus (GB) to a mating with Dubawi. Lord North also shares his second dam Divine Dixie (Dixieland Band) with the GI Ashland S. winner Out For a Spin (Hard Spun), as well as the GI Santa Anita Oaks-winning third dam Hail Atlantis (Seattle Slew). **Cont. p7**

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Lord North (far side) takes the Brigadier Gerard S. | *Racing Post*

G3 Betway Brigadier Gerard S. Cont.

Hail Atlantis in turn produced the sire Stormy Atlantic from a mating with Giant's Causeway's sire Storm Cat. This is also the family of the G1 Summer S. winner Decorated Invader (Declaration of War), last year's G1 Prix Saint-Alary runner-up Olendon (Fr) (Le Havre {Ire}) and the G1 Observer Gold Cup hero and sire Apalachee (Round Table). Najoum also has an as-yet unnamed 3-year-old filly by Teofilo (Ire), a yearling colt by Postponed (Ire) and a filly foal by New Approach {Ire}.

Sunday, Haydock, Britain

BETWAY BRIGADIER GERARD S.-G3, £37,000, Haydock, 6-7, 4yo/up, 10f 42yT, 2:11.74, g/s.

1--**LORD NORTH (IRE)**, 126, g, 4, by **Dubawi (Ire)**

1st Dam: Najoum, by Giant's Causeway

2nd Dam: Divine Dixie, by Dixieland Band

3rd Dam: Hail Atlantis, by Seattle Slew

1ST GROUP WIN. O-HH Sheikh Zayed bin Mohammed Racing; B-Godolphin (IRE); T-John Gosden; J-Robert Havlin. £20,983. Lifetime Record: 8-5-2-0, \$257,625. **Werk Nick Rating: A+.**

Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.

2--**Elarqam (GB)**, 126, h, 5, **Frankel (GB)**--Attraction (GB), by Efisio (GB). (1,600,000gns Ylg '16 TATOCT). O-Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum; B-Floors Farming (GB); T-Mark Johnston. £7,955.

3--**Telecaster (GB)**, 126, c, 4, **New Approach (Ire)**--Shirocco Star (GB), by Shirocco (Ger). (180,000gns RNA Ylg '17 TATOCT). O-Castle Down Racing; B-Meon Valley Stud (GB); T-Hugh Morrison. £3,981.

Margins: NO, 1 1/4, 5HF. Odds: 3.00, 1.38, 10.00.

Also Ran: Sangarius (GB), King Ottokar (Fr). Scratched: Bangkok (Ire), Spotify (Fr), Walkinthesand (Ire). **Click for the Racing Post result or the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.**

Sunday, Milan, Italy

PREMIO AMBROSIANO-G3, €71,500, San Siro, 6-7, 4yo/up, 2000mT, 2:02.80, gd.

1--**BRASILIAN MAN (IRE)**, 123, c, 4, **Teofilo (Ire)**

1st Dam: Alta Fedelta (GB) (Hwt. Older Mare-Ity at 5-7f, GSW-Ity, \$157,658), by Oasis Dream (GB)

2nd Dam: Infiel (GB), by Luge (GB)

3rd Dam: Indocina (Ire), by Indian King

1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN. 1ST GROUP WIN. O-Scuderia Incolinx Romeo Diego; B-Incolinx di Romeo Diego (Ire); T-Nicolo Simondi; J-Gerald Mosse; €27,625. Lifetime Record: 8-4-2-1, €57,765. *1/2 to Aquila Solitaria (Ire) (Raven's Pass), SW & GSP-Ity; and Villabate (Ire) (Holy Roman Emperor {Ire}), MGSP-Ity. **Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.**

Werk Nick Rating: A+++. *Triple Plus*.

2--**Walderbe (Ger)**, 123, c, 4, Maxios (GB)--Waldfee (Ger), by Dai Jin (GB). (€17,000 Ylg '17 BBAOCT). O-Stall Dusseldorf Fighters; B-M N Ohlig (Ger); €12,155.

3--**Presley (Ity)**, 123, h, 7, Gladiatorus--Pasionaria (Ire), by Celtic Swing (GB). O-Quafin Spa; B-Allevamento Dei Lagnoi (Ity); €6,630.

Margins: SNK, 2 1/4, 2. Odds: 2.27, 8.52, 1.38.

Also Ran: Elisa Again (GB), Thunderman (Ity), Passion Return (Ire). **Click for the San Siro chart or the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree. San Siro video.**

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'TDN Rising Star' Sunray Major Cont. from p1

Spreading a plate and delaying the start, the March-foaled bay was also slowly away from the stalls but he was quickly into the swing and cruising as he tracked the front duo despite enjoying no cover.

Kept four horse-widths off the far rail by Frankie Dettori, he moved with grace to gain the advantage passing the two-furlong pole and readily asserted uphill for an impressive 3 3/4-length defeat of **Duel In the Sun (Ire)** (Sea the Stars {Ire}), with **Spectrum of Light (Ire)** (Golden Horn {GB}) a head away in third.

"He is a lovely colt and he has worked very nicely at home," Gosden said. "He has only done bridle work. He got above himself saddling and his shoe came off and we had to get him re-shod, then he decided he wanted to do this and that. He is a really charming, kind horse. We are hopeful he is a very classy colt." **Cont. p8**



Dalham Hall Stud resident Dubawi, the sire of Sunray Major | Darley

'TDN Rising Star' Sunray Major Cont.

Yet another significant feather in the cap of yet another stellar producer for the operation in the G1 Poule d'Essai des Pouliches heroine and G1 Coronation S. and GI Queen Elizabeth II Challenge Cup runner-up Zenda (GB) (Zamindar), Sunray Major becomes her sixth winner. Alongside the brilliant G1 Irish 2000 Guineas, G1 St James's Palace S., G1 Sussex S. and G1 Prix Jacques le Marois hero and new sire sensation Kingman (GB), Hwt. 3yo-Eur, Eng, Ire & Fr at 7-9 1/2f, G1SW-Fr, Ire & Eng, \$1,607,201, she is also responsible for the G3 Tercentenary S.-winning sire Remote (GB) (Dansili {GB}) and to the G3 Cumberland Lodge S. third First Eleven (GB) (Frankel {GB}), GSP-Eng, \$158,806.

Zenda's daughters include Rio Carnival (Storm Cat), who produced the GIII Sham S. runner-up Let's Meet in Rio (Flatter), Plesantry (GB) (Johannesburg) who threw last year's G2 Gimcrack S. third Repartee (Ire) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}) and the G2 Mehl-Mulhens-Rennen (German 2000 Guineas) runner-up Fajjaj (Ire) (Dawn Approach {Ire}), and Panzanella (GB) (Dansili {GB}) who is responsible for Friday's debut winner at this meeting Ricetta (GB) (Camelot {GB}).

Zenda is a half-sister to the outstanding European champion sprinter and established leading Banstead Manor sire Oasis Dream (GB), who needs no introduction as the hero of the G1 July Cup, G1 Nunthorpe S. and G1 Middle Park S. Her dam Bahamian (Ire) (Mill Reef) took the Listed Lingfield Oaks Trial and was placed in the G2 Park Hill S. and G2 Prix de Pomone before producing the G1 Irish Oaks heroine Wemyss Bight (GB) (Dancing Brave). She was in turn responsible for Beat Hollow (GB) (Sadler's Wells) who captured the G1 Grand Prix de Paris, GI Arlington Million, GI Woodford Reserve Turf Classic and GI Manhattan H. Zenda's 2-year-old colt Ferran Star (GB) is like First Eleven a son of Frankel.

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NEW
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8th-Newmarket, £6,400, Novice, 6-7, 3yo, 8ft, 1:38.86, gd.

SUNRAY MAJOR (GB), c, 3, by Dubawi (Ire)

1st Dam: Zenda (GB) (G1SW-Fr, G1SP-Eng, GISP-US, \$406,107), by Zamindar

2nd Dam: Hope (Ire), by Dancing Brave

3rd Dam: Bahamian (Ire), by Mill Reef

Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$5,245. O-Khaild Abdullah;

B-Juddmonte Farms Ltd (GB); T-John Gosden. **Click for the**

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PINATUBO WELL, WILL POINT TO ST JAMES'S PALACE

European champion **Pinatubo (Ire)** (Shamardal) is doing well following his third-place finish in the G1 QIPCO 2000 Guineas and will point to the G1 St James's Palace S. at Royal Ascot. Trainer Charlie Appleby reported the Godolphin runner to be none the worse following his effort on the Rowley Mile on Saturday. The Shamardal colt suffered the first reverse of his career in the wake of Kameko (Kitten's Joy) and Wichita (Ire) (No Nay Never). Prior to the Guineas, Pinatubo won each of his six juvenile outings and boasted a rating of 128.

Appleby told *Racing TV's* "Luck On Sunday" programme, "First signs are very good, he ate up last night and he's been out and had a walk this morning. He lost three kilos for the race there, so we're very pleased with him.

"You wouldn't want to be losing too much more than that. I felt confident going in there his fitness levels were where they needed to be to compete and he showed that in the race, so I'm pleased. He's come out of the race well, he's eaten up and we can hopefully head on to Ascot, that's the main thing.

"He ticked every box, even throughout the race I was happy. At home he wouldn't get you excited in the mornings so I was pleased he was up there travelling and showing all his usual enthusiasm.

"Much as I feel we saw the mile out, I think we were outstayed by two horses over that trip on the day. It's an unprecedented year this year in where we are and trying to make a bit of ground up, but he gives himself every opportunity to back up quickly because he conserves energy from one race to the next."

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FIRST-SEASON SIRES WITH RUNNERS

Monday, June 8, 2020:

UNITED KINGDOM

Bobby's Kitten (Kitten's Joy), Lanwades Stud
77 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners
12:00-CHELMSFORD CITY, 6f, KATIE'S KITTEN (GB)
£10,000 Tattersalls Ireland Ascot Yearling Sale 2019

Coulsty (Ire) (Kodiac {GB}), Rathasker Stud
44 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners
12:00-CHELMSFORD CITY, 6f, COUL QUEEN (Ire)
€4,000 Goffs Sportsman's Yearling Sale 2019

Markaz (Ire) (Dark Angel {Ire}), Derrinstown Stud
78 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners
16:15-LINGFIELD PARK, 5f, RIGHT PROUD (Ire)
€5,000 Tattersalls Ireland September Yearlings 2019

Mehmas (Ire) (Acclamation {GB}), Tally-Ho Stud
146 foals of racing age/2 winners/0 black-type winners
16:15-LINGFIELD PARK, 5f, AUSSIE STORMER (Ire)
£50,000 Goffs UK Premier & Silver Yearling Sale 2019

Twilight Son (GB) (Kyllachy {GB}), Cheveley Park Stud
122 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners
12:15-HAYDOCK PARK, 6f, TWIGGYBARK CREEK (GB)
£8,000 Goffs UK Premier & Silver Yearling Sale 2019



Markaz is looking for his first winner at Lingfield on Monday
Derrinstown Stud

FRANCE

Marcel (Ire) (Lawman {Fr}), Anngrove Stud
20 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners
2-DIEPPE, 1100m, MARCELLA MIA (GB)
10,000gns Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2018; £2,000 Goffs UK
December Sale 2019

Martinborough (Jpn) (Deep Impact {Jpn}), Haras de Grandcamp
49 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners
1-DIEPPE, 1100m,

Shalaa (Ire) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}), Haras de Bouquetot
118 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners
2-DIEPPE, 1100m, TSELENA (Fr)

Territories (Ire) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}), Dalham Hall Stud
113 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners
2-DIEPPE, 1100m, TREAUVILLE (Fr)
€40,000 Arqana Deauville v2 Yearling Sale 2019

OBSERVATIONS

on the European racing scene

BALLYDOYLE JUVENILES BACK IN ACTION AT NAAS

12.15 Haydock, Novice, £6,400, 2yo, 6fT

MESHAKEL (IRE) (**Shamardal**) is another off the Mark Johnston production line which has been working highly efficiently since Monday, with Salem Rashid bin Ghadayer's March-foaled chestnut another Royal Ascot aspirant having cost 500,000gns at the Tattersalls October Book 1 Sale. The first foal out of the smart listed-winning and group-placed half to the multiple grade I-placed Three Degrees (Ire) (Singspiel {Ire}), he meets Godolphin's fellow newcomer **Fast Start (GB)** (**Dubawi {Ire}**), a Saeed bin Suroor-trained son of the G1 Fillies' Mile winner Certify (Elusive Quality).

2.30 Chelmsford, Novice, £6,400, 3yo, f, 8fT

MARIA ROSA (War Front) renews rivalry with **Fooraat (Ire)** (**Dubawi {Ire}**) who beat her by a neck on their Newcastle debut in October, but this time the \$1.75-million Keeneland September Sale topper has seven pounds in hand. Godolphin's half-sister to the 2016 Kentucky Derby hero Nyquist (Uncle Mo), who hails from John Gosden's academy, will be a warm order to reverse form with Sheikh Ahmed bin Rashid Al Maktoum's Fooraat who is a Roger Varian-trained full-sister to the high-class Benbatl (GB) out of the G1 Prix de l'Opera and G1 Flower Bowl heroine Nahrain (GB) (Selkirk).

2.55 Naas, Mdn, €15,500, 2yo, f, 5fT

MORE BEAUTIFUL (War Front) is Ballydoyle's first post-lockdown 2-year-old runner and she is some draw as a half-sister to the G1 2000 Guineas hero Saxon Warrior (Jpn) (Deep Impact {Jpn}) out of Maybe (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}). **Cont. p10**

Observations Cont.

In opposition is the 300,000gns Tattersalls December Foal Sale graduate **Roses Blue (Ire) (Kodiac {GB})** who represents an intriguing new link-up between Moyglare Stud Farm and Jessie Harrington.

3.30 Naas, Mdn, €15,500, 2yo, c/g, 6fT

LIPIZZANER (Uncle Mo) was Aidan O'Brien's first 2-year-old runner of the new season pre-lockdown at Naas in March and produced a highly encouraging effort to be second. A son of the G1 Schweppes Thousand Guineas heroine Irish Lights (Aus) (Fastnet Rock {Aus}), the \$650,000 Keeneland September graduate is therefore a half-brother to the G2 Silver Shadow S. winner and G1 Golden Rose S. runner-up Omei Sword (Aus) (High Chaparral {Ire}). He is joined by three fellow Ballydoyle representatives making their debut including **Battleground (War Front)**, the first foal out of the mighty Found (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}), and **Baton Rouge (Ire) (Galileo {Ire})** who is a full-brother to Magician (Ire).

6.35 Naas, Mdn, €14,000, 3yo, c/g, 8fT

THE RAIN KING (IRE) (No Nay Never) represents the new Donnacha O'Brien set-up and is a fascinating newcomer as a 250,000gns Tattersalls October Book 1 graduate whose dam is a full-sister to Sadler's Wells' Group 1 heroines Sequoyah (Ire) and Listen (Ire). Sporting the Michael Tabor silks, the February-foaled bay encounters 17 rivals including the unraced **Numen (Ire) (Galileo {Ire})**, Ballydoyle's son of Divine Proportions (Kingmambo) who races in the same Niarchos colours of that brilliant performer.

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Sunday's Results:

FIRST STAKES WINNER FOR SIRE

BETFAIR EBF PRETTY POLLY FILLIES' S.-Listed, £30,500, Newmarket, 6-7, 3yo, f, 10fT, 2:01.87, gd.

1--**RUN WILD (GER), 126, f, 3, by Amaron (GB)**

1st Dam: Rondinay (Fr), by Cadeaux Genereux (GB)

2nd Dam: Topline (Ger), by Acatenango (Ger)

3rd Dam: Thekla (Ger), by Prince Ippi (Ger)

1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN. (€160,000 Ylg '18 BBAGS). O-Tweenhills Fillies & Meridian International; B-Ralf Kredel (GER); T-John Gosden; J-Oisín Murphy. £17,297. Lifetime Record: GSP-Fr, 7-2-1-2, \$55,008. *1/2 to Rock My Love (Ger) (Holy Roman Emperor {Ire}), Hwt. 2yo Filly-Ger, GSW-Ger & GSP-Fr, \$134,942; Rock My Soul (Ire) (Clodovil {Ire}), MSW-Ger & GSP-Fr, \$144,166; Rock My Heart (Ger) (Sholokhov {Ire}), SW-Ger; and Rapido (Ger) (Rock of Gibraltar {Ire}), GSP-Ger.

2--**Queen Daenerys (Ire), 126, f, 3, Frankel (GB)**--Song to Remember, by Storm Cat. (\$500,000 Ylg '18 KEESEP). O-HH Sheikh Nasser bin Hamad Al Khalifa; B-Coolmore (IRE); T-Roger Varian. £6,558.

Sequel Bloodstock graduate

3--**Trefoil (GB), 126, f, 3, Teofilo (Ire)**--Prairie Flower (Ire), by Zieten. O/B-Julian Richmond-Watson (GB); T-Ralph Beckett. £3,282.

Margins: 3 3/4, HD, 8. Odds: 5.50, 7.00, 4.50.

Also Ran: Snow Shower (GB), Alpen Rose (Ire), Moonlight In Paris (Ire), Tiempo Vuela (GB), Endless Echoes (Ire). Scratched: Bharani Star (Ger).

John Gosden's middle-distance Classic prospects are seemingly in endless supply and a change of tactics saw Run Wild emerge as a live member of that particular team as she dominated this competitive affair. Off the mark on her third start by six lengths over a mile at Kempton in August, the chestnut was less than two lengths behind Powerful Breeze (GB) (Iffraaj {GB}) when fourth in the G2 May Hill S. at Doncaster in September before running second to Pocket Square (GB) (Night of Thunder {Ire}) in Deauville's G3 Prix des Reservoirs in October and third in the Listed Montrose Fillies' S. here in November.

Kept wide from the rest by Oisín Murphy throughout the early stages, she soon held the overall lead allowed to bowl at her own tempo and by the time she had crossed to the far rail the result was beyond doubt. Unrelenting late, she had pulled a field of well-regarded Oaks prospects outside of their comfort zones with Queen Daenerys and Trefoil giving the most meaningful pursuit. [Cont. p11](#)

Listed Betfair EBF Pretty Polly S. Cont.

“It was the plan to relax here wherever that was to be and she pricked her ears after two strides so I left her there and let her go forward,” Murphy said. “She was fit and covers loads of ground—I had them beaten before I got to the dip. I wouldn’t think 12 furlongs will suit her and she’s massive, so Epsom might not play to her strengths. She is so big I would imagine she’ll still be progressing when others have reached their level later on.”

Gosden was in accord with Murphy in ruling out a tilt at the Oaks. “She is not the sort of filly you want to take back and fiddle about with. She just loves to use her stride, which she did to good effect,” he said. “I would say that is it trip-wise and I wouldn’t go any further than a mile and a quarter. She has got plenty of experience and put it to good use.”

Queen Daenerys’s trainer Roger Varian is looking at the July 4 Epsom Classic, however. “They went a good pace and I like the way she stayed on at the end,” he commented. “She looks like she is crying out for further, so I wouldn’t rule out the Oaks but I need to speak to the owner first. I just think it is a very good start to the season and we will keep all the options open to her.”



Run Wild | Getty Images

Run Wild becomes the fourth black-type winner for the prolific producer Rondinay (Fr) (Cadeaux Genereux {GB}), with the pick of her previous being the G3 Preis der Winterkonigin heroine Rock My Love (Ger) (Holy Roman Emperor {Ire}) and the four-times listed-winning and G3 Prix Allez France-placed Rock My Soul (Ire) (Clodovil {Ire}). The latter is also the dam of the four-times Group 3 scorer Young Rascal (Fr) (Intello {Ger}). The dam is a half to the G3 Hamburger Stutenpreis winner Touch My Soul (Fr) (Tiger Hill {Ire}) from the family of the G1 Bayerisches Zuchtrennen and G2 German 2000 Guineas-winning sire Turfkonig (Ger) (Anfield {Ire}), the G2 German 1000 Guineas heroine and G1 Prix de Diane third Tryphosa (Ire) (Be My Guest), the G1 Premio Lydia Tesio scorer Turfroze (Ger) (Big Shuffle) and

the G1 Preis der Diana heroine Turfdonna (Ger) (Doyen {Ire}). Rondinay’s as-yet unnamed 2-year-old filly is by Jukebox Jury (Ire), while she also has a yearling filly by Intello (Ger). **Click for the [Racing Post result](#).**

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BETWAY EBF CECIL FRAIL FILLIES’ S.-Listed, £30,500, Haydock, 6-7, 3yo/up, f/m, 6fT, 1:13.15, g/s.

1--**LIBERTY BEACH (GB), 121, f, 3, Cable Bay (Ire)--Flirtinaskirt (GB), by Avonbridge (GB)**. (£16,000 RNA Ylg ‘18 TASAYG).

O/B-Philip Wilkins (GB); T-John Quinn; J-Jason Hart. £17,297. Lifetime Record: GSW-Eng, 7-5-1-0, \$201,834.

2--**Queen Jo Jo (GB), 129, f, 4, Gregorian (Ire)--River Song, by Siphon (Brz)**. (£11,000 Ylg ‘17 GOUKPR; 68,000gns 2yo ‘18 TATBRE). O-Roger Peel & Clipper Logistics; B-Bearstone Stud Ltd (GB); T-Kevin Ryan. £6,558.

3--**Maid In India (Ire), 134, m, 6, Bated Breath (GB)--Indian Maiden (Ire), by Indian Ridge (Ire)**. O/B-Con Harrington (IRE); T-Eric Alston. £3,282.

Margins: 3/4, HD, NK. Odds: 2.25, 25.00, 7.00.

Also Ran: Stormy Girl (Ire), Miss Celestial (Ire), Last Empire (GB), Archer’s Dream (Ire), Good Vibes (GB), Royal Intervention (Ire), Belated Breath (GB), Nina Bailarina (GB), Betsey Trotter (Ire), Yolo Again (Ire). Scratched: Rock On Baileys (GB), Shimmering Dawn (Ire).

Professional from the outset, Liberty Beach was successful in a novice contest on debut at Redcar in late May before beating the future dual Group 3 scorer Rose of Kildare (Ire) (Make Believe {GB}) with authority in Beverley’s Hilary Needler Trophy Conditions S. less than a fortnight later. By the time she got to Royal Ascot, she was having a third run in quick succession and was unlucky to be 2 1/4-lengths fourth behind Raffle Prize (Ire) (Slade Power {Ire}) in the G2 Queen Mary S. racing away from the seemingly-favoured stand’s rail. Undeterred, she was out again soon after to score by 3 1/4 lengths in the Listed Dragon S. at Sandown before taking Goodwood’s five-furlong G3 Molecomb S. at the end of July. Upped to this trip for the first time in York’s G2 Lowther S. in August, the bay ran 3/4 of a length second to Living In the Past (Ire) (Bungle Inthejungle {GB}) and was notably fresh and keen on this first start back.

Overcoming that over-exuberance to assert once Jason Hart had given her the command approaching the furlong pole, Liberty Beach was picking up where she had left off. “She was entitled to do that. She probably travelled with a little bit too much zest, she dragged me into the race earlier than I wanted but she put the race to bed nicely,” her rider said. “Now she’s won over six at least it opens up a bit of an option as she proved she stays, but as you’ve seen she’s got plenty of boot.” **Cont. p12**

Jason Hart & Liberty Beach | *Racing Post*

Listed Betway EBF Cecil Frail Fillies' S. Cont.

John Quinn is considering Royal Ascot and added, "She did well to get home considering she was a little bit free. She's been second in a Lowther and she has won this on her first run back, but I'm just wondering whether five furlongs may be her trip. If she's okay the two obvious races at Royal Ascot are the [June 16 G1] King's Stand and the [June 19 G1] Commonwealth Cup, but if they come too quick it's a long year and there will be other races for her."

Liberty Beach, who rates as the leading performer from her sire's impressive first crop, is out of a half to three black-type performers in the G3 Dick Poole Fillies S. winner La Rioja (GB) (Hellvelyn {GB}), the Listed St Hughs S. third Lilbourne Lass (GB) (Pastoral Pursuits {GB}) and the G3 Princess Margaret S. runner-up Pastoral Girl (GB) (Pastoral Pursuits {GB}). Descendants of the GIII Golden Rod S.-winning fourth dam Gold Sunrise (Forty Niner) include Eastern Aria (UAE) (Halling), who captured the G2 Park Hill S. and G3 Lillie Langtry Fillies' S. The dam's 2-year-old filly Virginia Plane (GB) (Mehmas {Ire}) was fifth at Newcastle this week. [Click for the Racing Post result.](#)

BETWAY SPRING TROPHY S.-Listed, £25,500, Haydock, 6-7, 3yo/up, 6f 212yT, 1:28.57, g/s.

1--**SPACE BLUES (IRE)**, 134, c, 4, **Dubawi (Ire)**--Miss Lucifer (Fr) (GSW-Eng, \$193,403), by Noverre. 'TDN Rising Star'. O/B-Godolphin (IRE); T-Charlie Appleby; J-James Doyle. £14,461. Lifetime Record: MG1SP-Fr & GSP-Eng, 10-4-3-1, \$253,281. *1/2 to Shuruq (Elusive Quality), Hwt. Older

Mare-UAE at 7-9.5f, MGSW-UAE, GSW-Tur & GSP-Eng, \$658,709.

2--**Safe Voyage (Ire)**, 134, g, 7, Fast Company (Ire)--Shishangaan (Ire), by Mujadil. (£52,000 Ylg '14 DNPRM). O-Ross Harmon; B-Adolf Schneider (IRE); T-John Quinn. £5,483.

3--**Happy Power (Ire)**, 134, c, 4, Dark Angel (Ire)--Tamarisk (Ger), by Selkirk. (625,000gns Ylg '17 TATOCT). O-King Power Racing Company Ltd; B-Yeomanstown Stud (IRE); T-Andrew Balding. £2,744.

Margins: NK, 1 1/4, NK. Odds: 2.50, 3.33, 3.50.

Also Ran: Snazzy Jazzy (Ire), Yafta (GB), D'bai (Ire), Urban Icon (GB), Cardsharp (GB), Kynren (Ire), Fox Champion (Ire).

Scratched: Mubtasim (Ire), Lord of the Lodge (Ire).

TDN Rising Star Space Blues proved himself a high-class performer at or around this trip last term, winning Epsom's Listed Surrey S. on Oaks day before finishing runner-up in Royal Ascot's G3 Jersey S. and the G1 Prix Jean Prat at Deauville. A length third in the 6 1/2-furlong G1 Prix Maurice de Gheest back at that Normandy venue in August, the bay had disappointed when seventh in the six-furlong G3 Nad Al Sheba Turf Sprint at Meydan when last seen Mar. 7.

Held up towards the back early by James Doyle, the homebred made smooth progress to challenge last year's winner Safe Voyage approaching the final furlong and after mastering him stayed on strongly to the line.

"He had the form in the book and has been placed in group ones," his rider said. "Things didn't go to plan in Dubai, dropping down to six furlongs. It looks like seven is his trip, he enjoyed that and it set up nicely for him, hopefully he can go on now. Ascot is a stiff six and he does have form there, so the June 20 G1] Diamond Jubilee might be interesting."

The first foal out of the G2 Challenge S. winner Miss Lucifer (Fr) (Noverre) was the G2 Al Maktoum Challenge Round 1 scorer Shuruq (Elusive Quality), who in turn produced the Tepin S. winner and GII Fair Grounds Oaks third Antoinette (Hard Spun). The third dam High Spirited (Ire) (Shirley Heights {GB}) is a full-sister to the G1 Premio Roma heroine High Hawk (Ire) who threw the triple Group 1 hero and leading sire In the Wings (GB) (Sadler's Wells). High Spirited is also the dam of the G2 King Edward VII S. scorer Amfortas (Ire) (Caerleon) and the G3 Prix de Royaumont winner Legend Maker (Ire) (Sadler's Wells) whose own progeny list is headed by the G1 1000 Guineas heroine Virginia Waters (Kingmambo). Also connected to the promoted G1 Matron S. winner Chachamaidee (Ire) (Footstepsinthesand {GB}), herself the dam of last year's G3 Pinnacle S. scorer Klassique (GB) (Gaileo {Ire}), Miss Lucifer also has a 2-year-old filly by Night of Thunder (Ire) named Beautiful Future (Ire). [Click for the Racing Post result.](#)

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BETFAIR EXCHANGE BUCKHOUNDS S.-Listed, £25,500,
Newmarket, 6-7, 4yo/up, 12fT, 2:29.58, gd.

1--**DASHING WILLOUGHBY (GB), 126, g, 4, Nathaniel (Ire)--Miss Dashwood (GB), by Dylan Thomas (Ire).** (70,000gns Ylg '17 TATOCT). O-Mick & Janice Mariscotti; B-Meon Valley Stud (GB); T-Andrew Balding; J-Oisín Murphy. £14,461. Lifetime Record: GSW-Eng, 11-3-2-1, \$232,302.

2--**Secret Advisor (Fr), 131, g, 6, Dubawi (Ire)--Sub Rose (Ire), by Galileo (Ire).** O-Godolphin; B-Haras de Saint Pair (FR); T-Charlie Appleby. £5,483.

3--**First In Line (GB), 126, c, 4, New Approach (Ire)--Hidden Hope (GB), by Daylami (Ire).** O-A E Oppenheimer; B-Hascombe & Valiant Studs (GB); T-John Gosden. £2,744.

Margins: 1, 1 3/4, HF. Odds: 8.50, 10.00, 4.00.

Also Ran: Trueshan (Fr), Communique (Ire), Faylaq (GB), Floating Artist (GB), Kelly's Dino (Fr), Raakib Alhawa (Ire), Ghostwatch (Ire).

Successful in Royal Ascot's G2 Queen's Vase over 14 furlongs last June, Dashing Willoughby was fourth taking on his elders in the G2 Princess of Wales's S. back to this trip at the July meeting and fifth in the G2 Goodwood Cup tackling two miles. After a break the bay ran seventh in the G1 St Leger at Doncaster and a disappointing ninth in ParisLongchamp's G2 Prix Chaudenay on Arc weekend, leading to a gelding operation which may have made a beneficial difference if this spirited display is a guide. Setting a stern tempo throughout, he refused to buckle despite pressure late on and was out of reach as Secret Advisor found his stride.

"He's been pleasing us at home, but we were not sure how fit he was," Oisín Murphy said. "The horses are in super form and that was a high-class listed race over a trip too short for him. It was a truly-run race and we were all slowing down past the

bushes. Nathaniels tend to improve with age and I don't think I could have recorded this type of success on him at this stage last year, so this opens up the horizon."

Dashing Willoughby is the second foal out of Miss Dashwood (GB) (Dylan Thomas {Ire}), a daughter of Dash To the Front (GB) (Diktat {GB}) who landed the Listed Warwickshire Oaks before producing the G1 Prix de l'Opera and G1 Prix Jean Romanet heroine Speedy Boarding (GB) (Shamardal). Dash To the Front is kin to the Listed Hoppings S. winner and G1 Yorkshire Oaks runner-up Dash To the Top (GB) (Montjeu {Ire}), who is in turn the dam of last year's G1 Epsom Oaks and G1 Prix de Royallieu heroine Anapurna (GB) (Frankel {GB}). The dam has an as-yet unnamed 2-year-old filly by Lope de Vega (Ire) and a yearling colt by Mukhadram (GB). [Click for the **Racing Post** result.](#)

7th-Newmarket, £6,400, Novice, 6-7, 3yo, 8fT, 1:38.03,
gd.

KING LEONIDAS (GB) (c, 3, Kingman {GB}--Reem {Aus} {SW & MGSP-UAE, \$354,291}, by Galileo {Ire}), who earned TDN **Rising Star** status when successful over seven furlongs on debut here in October, was exposed with no cover leading a small group towards the centre of the track throughout the early stages. In front overall passing the three-furlong pole, the 6-4 second favourite was always in command and hit the line with an impressive 2 1/4-length margin to spare over Eastern World (Ire) (Dubawi {Ire}), Godolphin's half-brother to Thunder Snow (Ire) (Helmet {Aus}) who was getting seven pounds from the winner.

Trainer John Gosden said, "It was a good run and we would be very happy with that. I've not done an awful lot of work with him and he is just getting himself there. I was pleasantly surprised and happy, as I thought it would be tough to give away seven pounds, it is not easy. I really liked the way he did it and the jockey was very happy with him."

The dam Reem was placed twice in the G2 Balanchine and once in the G2 Cape Verdi, having also won the Listed Al Bastakiya. She hails from the family of the dual Classic-winning European champion Rodrigo de Triano and fellow sire Modigliani. Her 2-year-old filly by Pride of Dubai (Aus) is named Queen Reem (GB), while she has just produced a foal full-brother to King Leonidas. Sales history: 750,000gns Ylg '18 TAOCT. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$11,907. O-Sheikh Hamdan bin Mohammed Al Maktoum; B-Essafinaat UK Ltd (GB); T-John Gosden.

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FIRST WINNER FOR FIRST-SEASON SIRE

6th-Haydock, £6,400, Nov, 6-7, 2yo, f, 6ft, 1:15.03, g/s. **GOLDEN MELODY (IRE) (f, 2, Belardo {Ire}--Chanter {GB}), by Lomitas {GB})** was well away to stalk the leaders in a handy fourth through halfway in this first go. Shaken up when angled into an open lane passing the quarter-mile marker, the 4-1 chance seized control approaching the final furlong and kept on strongly under mild coaxing in the closing stages to outpoint Star of Emaraty (Ire) (Pride of Dubai {Aus}) by an ultimately comfortable 2 1/4 lengths, becoming the first winner for her Kildangan Stud-based freshman sire (by Lope de Vega {Ire}). "I didn't know much about her beforehand, but I was told she was professional," revealed winning rider James Doyle. "There were all sorts of shapes and sizes at the start, but you couldn't fault the way she did it. The fact she's come out and won suggests [trainer] William [Haggas] thinks she could be capable of going to [Royal] Ascot." Golden Melody is also the sixth winner out of an unraced half-sister to G1SW sire Belmez (El Gran Senor), stakes-winning sire Dowland (Sovereign Dancer) and the granddam of G1 Shuka Sho heroine Red Desire (Jpn) (Manhattan Cafe {Jpn}). The March-foaled chestnut is full to a yearling filly and shares her second dam Grace Note (Fr) (Top Ville {Ire}), who ran second in the G3 Lingfield Oaks Trial, with GI Arlington Million hero Debussy (Ire) (Diesis {GB}) and G3 Princess

Elizabeth S. victress Laugh Aloud (GB) (Dubawi {Ire}). Sales history: €14,000 Wlg '18 GOFNOV; 52,000gns Ylg '19 TATOCT. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$5,245. 1ST-TIME STARTER. O-Ian & Christine Beard & Family; B-Ennistown Stud (IRE); T-William Haggas.

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4th-Lingfield, £5,400, Nov, 6-7, 3yo, 10f (AWT), 2:07.73, st/sl. **YES MY BOY (IRE) (c, 3, Footstepsinthesand {GB}--Amazing Krisken, by Kris S.),** who broke through going a shade over one mile here in her February 11 debut last time, broke well from the outside gate and led into the first turn in this one. Clear of his rivals for the most part, the 9-2 chance came under pressure with three furlongs remaining and kept on well under a drive inside the final eighth to hold the late surge of Chichester (GB) (Dansili {GB}) by a neck. "He possibly could get a mile-and-a-half in time as he's a big, galloping horse," said jockey Adam McNamara. "We had him in the [G3] Classic Trial at Kempton on Wednesday, but he still had a little abscess so we had to take him out. It's exciting because we don't really know how good he is yet." One of five scorers produced by a winning daughter of MG1SP G2 Child S. victress Magic Gleam (Danzig), the bay is a half-brother to GSW Sub Rose (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) and SW Astonishing (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}). **Cont. p15**



Golden Melody became the first winner for Belardo at Haydock on Sunday. | *Racing Post*

4th-Lingfield Cont.

Sub Rose is the dam of G2 Prix du Conseil de Paris scorer Subway Dancer (Ire) (Shamardal) and G2 Queens Vase third Secret Advisor (Fr) (Dubawi {Ire}) whereas Astonishing is the dam of last term's G2 Beresford S. third Gold Maze (GB) (Golden Horn {GB}). Yes My Boy is also a full-brother to the 2-year-old filly Shore Break (Ire). Sales history: €55,000 Wlg '17 GOFNOV; 70,000gns RNA Ylg '18 TAOCT. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$8,853.

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O-Arjun Waney; B-Churchtown House Stud (IRE); T-A Watson.

FIRST WINNER FOR FIRST-SEASON SIRE

1st-Lingfield, £6,400, Mdn, 6-7, 2yo, f, 5f 6y (AWT), :59.31, st/sl. SANDS OF TIME (GB) (f, 2, Bobby's Kitten--Starlit Sands {GB} {GSW-Fr, GSP-Eng & Ger, \$128,929}, by Oasis Dream {GB}) was sharpest from the stalls and seized immediate control of this debut. Holding sway throughout, the 10-3 chance was shaken up off the home turn and powered clear in the short straight to easily account for Spark Fury (GB) (Kodiac {GB}) by an impressive five lengths, becoming the first winner for her Lanwades Stud-based freshman sire (by Kitten's Joy).



Bobby's Kitten sired his first winner at Lingfield. | Lanwades Stud

"She was sharp out of the gate and handled the track well," said winning rider Connor Beasley after registering his first winner of the campaign. "She came round the bends lovely, quickened nicely up the straight and she was very professional. It's great to get a first winner on the board for the season, so long may it continue." Half-sister to a yearling filly by Dark Angel (Ire), the March-foaled homebred bay is the sixth of seven foals and fourth winner out of G3 Prix d'Arenberg victress Starlit Sands (GB) (Oasis Dream {GB}), who in turn is out of a GSP half-sister to G1SW sire Petoski (GB) (Niniski). Starlit Sands is herself kin to MSW Scandinavian champion Sea Dane (GB) (Danehill) and to the dam of four black-type winners headed by G1 Oaks d'Italia third Souvenance (GB) (Hernando {Fr}) and G3 Prix des Reservoirs victress Songerie (GB) (Hernando {Fr}). Lifetime

Record: 1-1-0-0, \$5,245. **Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**
1ST-TIME STARTER. O/B-Kirsten Rausing (GB); T-Mark Johnston.

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1st-Newmarket, £6,400, Mdn, 6-7, 2yo, 6fT, 1:12.68, gd. MODERN NEWS (GB) (c, 2, Shamardal--Modern Ideals {GB}, by New Approach {Ire}) was well away to track the leaders in fifth after the initial strides of this debut. Inching into third at halfway, the 4-1 chance was ridden along passing the two pole and kept on strongly under mainly whipless rousting in the latter stages to prevail by a neck from 3.6-million guineas Tattersalls October Yearling Sale Book 1-topping stablemate Noble Dynasty (GB) (Dubawi {Ire}). "I'm really pleased with Modern News and a step up in trip will see further improvement," said Charlie Appleby. "Something like the [Listed] Chesham [at Royal Ascot] will hopefully fall into his category and he qualifies being by Shamardal." Reflecting on the performance of the runner-up, the trainer added, "I was delighted with Noble Dynasty. You could see there he was raw and rolling around, but once the penny dropped he put in some nice late headway. He is not an Ascot horse and we will not push him too much at this stage. We will step him up to seven [furlongs] for a maiden and then look at some nice summer targets." Half-brother to a yearling colt by Dubawi (Ire), the homebred chestnut is the third of four foals and lone winner out of a half-sister to G1 Prix Jean-Luc Lagardere hero Ultra (Ire) (Manduro {Ger}). His dam is also kin to G3 Prix Minerve victress Synopsis (Ire) (In the Wings {GB}) and the MSP Epic Similie (GB) (Lomitas {GB}), who in turn produced G2 July S. and G3 Sirenia S. runner-up Figure of Speech (Ire) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$5,245. 1ST-TIME STARTER. O/B-Godolphin (GB); T-Charlie Appleby.

2nd-Lingfield, £5,400, Mdn, 6-7, 3yo, 12f (AWT), 2:33.11, st/sl. SUMMER HOUSE (GB) (f, 3, Lope de Vega {Ire}--Soon {Ire} {SW & MGSP-Ire, \$100,853}, by Galileo {Ire}) was shuffled down the order from an early midfield position and raced in rear going onto the backstraight in this belated unveiling. Bustled along with a half-mile remaining, the 11-2 chance turned for home in sixth and stayed on relentlessly under a final-furlong drive to chin Duck and Vanish (GB) (Lope de Vega {Ire}) by a head on the line. She becomes the second winner for SW & G3 Gallinule S. and G3 Noblesse S. placegetter Soon (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}), herself kin to G1 Epsom Derby and G1 Criterium International placegetter Walk in the Park (Ire) (Montjeu {Ire}) out of G1 Irish 1000 Guineas heroine Classic Park (Ire) (Robellino). The homebred chestnut is a half-sister to the hitherto unraced 2018 filly Nassima (GB) (Fastnet Rock {Aus}) and a yearling colt by Dubawi (Ire). Sales history: 220,000gns Ylg '18 TAOCT. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$4,425. **Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**
1ST-TIME STARTER. O-Godolphin; B-Saleh Al Homaizi & Imad Al Sagar (GB); T-Saeed bin Suroor.

IRELAND

Monday, Naas, post time: 5.05 p.m.

KUROSHIO AT COMPAS COMMITTED S.-Listed, €37,500, 3yo, 5 1/2ft

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	1	Alligator Alley (GB)	Kingman (GB)	McDonogh	JO'Brien	131
2	4	Elzaamone (Ire)	Elzaam (Aus)	Coen	N Egan	131
3	9	Fan Club Rules (Ire)	Gutaifan (Ire)	Cleary	Comer	131
4	6	On Tick (Ire)	Epaulette (Aus)	Gallagher	Brown	131
5	7	Pistoletto	War Front	Heffernan	AO'Brien	131
6	2	Real Appeal (Ger)	Sidestep (Aus)	Manning	Bolger	131
7	15	Southern Hills (Ire)	Gleneagles (Ire)	Lordan	AO'Brien	131
8	13	Summer Sands (GB)	Coach House (Ire)	Crosse	JO'Brien	131
9	11	The Peckhampouncer (Ire)	Cappella S'viro (GB)	Colgan	Broad	131
10	3	Wheels On Fire (Fr)	Sidestep (Aus)	Orr	Fogarty	131
11	16	Wonder Fullbright (Ire)	Fulbright (GB)	Roche	N Egan	131
12	12	Zarzyni (Ire)	Siyouni (Fr)	Whelan	Halford	131
13	17	American Lady (Ire)	Strspgldbinner (Aus)	Halpin	Stack	126
14	8	Celtic Beauty (Ire)	No Nay Never	McCullagh	Condon	126
15	10	Flaming Princess (Ire)	Hot Streak (Ire)	W Lee	McCreery	126
16	5	Nurse Barbara (Ire)	Kodiac (GB)	Keane	Lyons	126
17	14	Punita Arora (Ire)	Seppy (Aus)	Foley	Harrington	126

FRANCE

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Le President (Fr), c, 3, Acclamation (GB)--Absolutely True (GB), by Westerner (GB). Aix-les-Bains, 6-7, 10ft, 2:02.80. B-Jean-Claude Seroul (FR). *1/2 to Absolute City (Fr) (Elusive City), SW & GSP-Fr, \$143,930; and Allons Y (Fr) (Soldier of Fortune {Ire}), SW-Fr.

Plaza de Vega (GB), f, 3, Lope de Vega (Ire)--Plaza Mayor (Fr) (SP-Fr), by Kyllachy (GB). Agen-Le Passage, 6-7, 6ft, 1:09.16. B-Jean-Claude Seroul (GB).

Nuuk (Ire), c, 4, Kendargent (Fr)--Mountain Rose (Ger), by Tiger Hill (Ire). Aix-les-Bains, 6-7, 9ft, 1:55.70. B-Jean-Claude Seroul (IRE).

GERMANY

Sunday's Results:

PFERDEWETTEN.DE - POOL & THE GANG CUP-Listed, €12,500, Hannover, 6-7, 3yo/up, f/m, 7ft, 1:26.34, g/s.

1--**GO ROSE (GER), 128, m, 5, Soldier Hollow (GB)--Gondola (Fr), by Lando (Ger). 1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN.** O-Team Valor;

B-Gestut Auenquelle (GER); T-Andreas Wohler; J-Bauyrzhan Murzabayev. €7,000. Lifetime Record: GSP-Ger, 7-2-1-1, €36,526.

2--**Song of Life (GB), 128, m, 6, Poet's Voice (GB)---Sign of Life (GB),** by Haafhd (GB). (€32,000 RNA Ylg '15 AROCT). O-Guido Werner Hermann Schmitt; B-Genesis Green Stud (GB); T-Jean-Pierre Carvalho. €3,250.

3--**Belle Anglaise (GB), 118, f, 3, Cable Bay (Ire)--Belle Allemande,** by Royal Academy. (10,000gns Wlg '17 TATFOA). O-Graf & Gräfin von Stauffenberg; B-Howard Barton Stud (GB); T-Hans-Jurgen Groschel. €1,500.

Margins: 3/4, SHD, 1 1/4. Odds: 5.30, 7.20, 14.50.

Also Ran: K Club (Ire), Caesara (GB), Open Sea (GB), Cabarita (Ger), Sharoka (Ire), Lips Eagle (Ger), Contessa (Ger), Sound Machine (Ger), Let Me Know (Ger), Frosted Lass (GB).

RACEBETS PODCAST-RENNEN-Listed, €12,500, Hannover, 6-7, 4yo/up, f/m, 9 1/2ft, 2:01.15, g/s.

1--**SANORA (GER), 126, m, 5, Soldier Hollow (GB)--Still Standing (Fr), by Martillo (Ger). 1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN.** O-Stall Chronos; B-Sandra Lony & Gerhard Moser (GER); T-Andreas Wohler; J-Bauyrzhan Murzabayev. €7,000. Lifetime Record: 14-8-2-0, €50,013.

2--**Akribie (Ger), 126, f, 4, Reliable Man (GB)--Aussicht (Ger),** by Haafhd (GB). O/B-Gestut Rottgen (GER); T-Markus Klug. €3,250.

3--**Freedom Rising (Ger), 126, f, 4, Reliable Man (GB)--Focal (GB),** by Pivotal (GB). (€10,000 Ylg '17 BBAGO). O/B-Edergole Thoroughbred Ltd (GER); T-Yasmin Almenrader. €1,500.

Margins: HD, 1 1/4, SHD. Odds: 1.30, 3.60, 7.40.

Also Ran: Stex (Ire), Perfect Pitch (Ger), Akua'rella (Ger), Magical Forest (Ire), Arktis (Ger).

6th-Hannover, €3,000, Cond, 6-7, 3yo, 11ft, 2:22.39, g/s.

SLOGAN (GER) (c, 3, Adlerflug {Ger}--Starla Dancer {Ger}, by Danehill Dancer {Ire}), a last-out third going 9 1/4 furlongs at Cologne, was sent forward from an early position in rear to lead going by the judge first time in this sophomore return. Holding sway thereafter, the 2-1 second choice was shaken up off the home turn and powered ever clear under mild urging in the straight to easily outclass Brian Boru (Ger) Masterstroke by an impressive 5 1/2 lengths. Half-brother to a 2-year-old filly by Soldier Hollow (GB) from the family of G1SW sire Scalo (GB) (Lando {Ger}), the homebred bay is the sixth of seven foals and fourth scorer produced by a winning daughter of Listed Bremer Stuten-Meile third Starla (Ger) (Lando {Ger}). Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-1, €2,400.

O-Gestut Ittlingen; B-Gestut Hof Ittlingen (GER); T-Markus Klug.

1st-Hannover, €3,000, Mdn, 6-7, 3yo, f, 9 1/2fT, 2:04.05, g/s. MEGAN (GER) (f, 3, Lord of England {Ger}--Mrs Summersby {Ire}, by King's Best), who was a May 10 debut fourth going 10 furlongs at Hoppegarten last time, broke well before settling in fourth for most of this one. Taking closer order with a quarter-mile remaining, the 23-10 second favourite was ridden into third entering the final eighth and kept on well under continued urging to deny Queen's Crown (GB) (Helmet {Aus}) by a half length in the dying strides. Full-sister to a yearling colt, she becomes the third scorer produce by a winning half-sister to MGSP dual stakes winners Spark Plug (Ire) (Dylan Thomas {Ire}) and Pearl of Africa (Ire) (Jeremy) and Listed Silbernes Band des Rheinlandes victress Slight Advantage (Ire) (Peintre Celebre). Her second dam is G1 Triple Tiara 1600 heroine Kournikova (SAF) (Sportsworld) and the February-foaled chestnut hails from a family featuring G1 Natal Flying Championship-winning sire Rotterdam (SAF) (Jan Ekels {GB}). Sales history: €12,000 Ylg '18 BBAGS. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, €1,800. O-Gestut Haus Ittlingen; B-Gestut Etzean (GER); T-Dominik Moser.

3rd-Hannover, €3,000, Mdn, 6-7, 3yo, 8fT, 1:42.97, g/s. DORAZIO (GER) (g, 3, Holy Roman Emperor {Ire}--Diamond Dove {Ger} {Hwt. 2yo Filly-Ger, GSW & G1SP-Ger, \$256,145}, by Dr Fong), who ran second in his May 17 debut over 9 1/4 furlongs at Cologne last time, was steadied off the pace in seventh through halfway here. Improving into fourth on the home turn, the 3-5 favourite was angled wide in early straight and kept on strongly under mild urging once swooping for control with 150 metres remaining to comfortably prevail by 2 1/4 lengths from Luella (Ger) (Areion {Ger}). Half to a 2-year-old colt by Gleneagles (Ire), he is the second foal and first winner produced by G3 Preis der Winterkonigin victress and G1 Preis der Diana (German Oaks) and G2 German 1000 Guineas placegetter Diamond Dove (Ger) (Dr Fong). His second dam Dyveke (Ger) (Lando {Ger}) is a full-sister to G1 Deutschland-Preis hero Donaldson (Ger). Sales history: €95,000 Ylg '18 BBAGS. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, €2,100. O-Stall Grafenberg; B-Gestut Wiesengrund (GER); T-Waldemar Hickst.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Mrs Applebee (Ger), f, 3, Soldier Hollow (GB)--Menha (GB), by Dubawi (Ire). Hannover, 6-7, 8fT, 1:40.63. B-Hermann Schroer-Dreesmann (GER). *€15,000 Ylg '18 BBAGO.

ITALY

Sunday's Results:

PREMIO CERTOSA -Listed, €42,900, San Siro, 6-7, 3yo/up, 1000mT, :57.80, gd.

1--THE CONQUEROR (IRE), 131, h, 5, Excelebration (Ire)
1st Dam: March Madness (GB) (MSP-Ity, \$148,983),
by Noverre

2nd Dam: Spinning Reel (GB), by Spinning World

3rd Dam: Glenross (Ire), by Warning (GB)

O-Scuderia New Age SRL; B-Razza Del Velino (Ire); T-A Botti; J-Fabio Branca; €16,575. Lifetime Record: GSP-Ity, 19-11-2-2, €141,775. *1/2 to Candy Store (Ire) (Lope de Vega {Ire}), GSW-Ity, SP-US, \$237,200.

2--Buonasera (Ire), 124, m, 5, Zebedee (GB)--Rosina Bella (Ire),
by Oratorio (Ire). O-Scuderia Cavalli da Corsa Pierluigi Giannotti; B-Pierluigi Giannotti (Ire); €7,293.

3--Trust You (GB), 128, g, 8, Kheyleyf--Evening Guest (Fr), by Be My Guest. (1,000gns Wlg '12 TATNOV; €13,000 Ylg '13 TADNOV). O-Michele Rizzo; B-Mrs A. R. Ruggles (GB); €3,978.

Margins: 4, HF, 2. Odds: 0.64, 3.91, 6.47.

Also Ran: Ipompieridiviggiu (Ity), Travelling Well (Ire), Pensierieparole (GB), Queens Blade (GB). **Click for the San Siro chart or San Siro video.**

PREMIO BEREGUARDO -Listed, €42,900, San Siro, 6-7, 4yo/up, 1600mT, 1:37, gd.

1--OUT OF TIME (ITY), 131, c, 4, Sakhee's Secret (GB)
1st Dam: Calma Apparente (GB), by Rainbow Quest
2nd Dam: Hyde Hall (GB), by I Will Follow
3rd Dam: Catawba (GB), by Mill Reef

O-Scuderia Del Giglio Sardo SRL; B-Razzia del Velino SRL (Ity); T-A Botti; J-Dario Vargiu; €16,575. Lifetime Record: Hwt. 3yo-Ity at 7-9 1/2f, MGSW-Ity, 12-7-3-1, €332,229. *1/2 to Fujico (Ity) (Mujahid), MSP-Ity, \$109,143; and Act of War (Ity) (Mujahid), GSW-Ity, \$121,891.

2--Villabate (Ire), 123, g, 5, Holy Roman Emperor (Ire)--Alta Fedelta (GB), by Oasis Dream (GB). O-Domenico Pellitteri; B-Incolinx di Romeo Diego (Ire); €7,293.

3--Beautiful Vintage (Ire), 123, h, 5, Zebedee (GB)--High Vintage (Ire), by High Chaparral (Ire). (€7,500 RNA Wlg '15 GOFNOV; €43,000 Ylg '16 TATSEP). O-Effevi SRL; B-Colman O'Flynn, Jr. (Ire); €3,978.

Margins: NK, 2HF, 1. Odds: 0.21, 4.08, 5.64.

Also Ran: Dersu Uzala (Ire). **Click for the San Siro chart or San Siro video.**

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PREMIO PAOLO MEZZANOTTE -Listed, €42,900, San Siro, 6-7, 4yo/up, f/m, 2200, 2:17.60, gd.

1–**LIGHT MY FIRE (IRE)**, 121, f, **Camelot (GB)**

1st Dam: **Dixie Dance (Ire)**, by **Orpen**

2nd Dam: **Dance Treat**, by **Nureyev**

3rd Dam: **Office Wife**, by **Secretariat**

1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN. (€65,000 Ylg '16 ARAAUG; €32,000 RNA HRA '19 ARQDEC). O-Munich Syndicate; B-Ecurie Haras du Cadran & Dominique Ades (Fr); T-Karoly Kerekes; J-Luca Maniezzi; €16,575. Lifetime Record: 21-5-3-6, €79,020.

2–**Cima Fire (Fr)**, 121, f, 4, Holy Roman Emperor (Ire)–Gaudiana (Ger), by Monsun (Ger). (€25,000 Ylg '17 SGASEP). O-Scuderial Cocktail SRL; B-Societa Agricola la Tesa (Fr); €7,293.

3–**Agnes (Fr)**, 121, f, Planteur (Ire)–Agenda (Ire), by Sadler's Wells. (€135,000 HRA '20 ARQFEB). O-Luigi Pietro Roveda; B-Patrick Barbe (Fr); €3,978.

Margins: 3HF, 1HF, 2. Odds: 7.70, 2.71, 3.57.

Also Ran: Santa Rita (Ity), Lapulced'acqua (Ire), Sweet Soul Music (Ger), Alienor (Fr). [Click for the San Siro chart](#) or [San Siro video](#).

Friday's Result:

FIRST WINNER FOR FIRST-SEASON SIRE

2nd-Agnano, €12,100, Debutante, 6-5, 2yo, 1000m, my. **SPEED WHAY (IRE) (c, 2, Strath Burn {GB}–Go Maggie Go {Ire}, by Kheleyf)**, an 8-5 second favourite with fellow Scuderia SSIM SRL runner Claptrap (Ire) (Dandy Man {Ire}), became the first starter and first winner for his first-season sire (by Equiano {Fr}) when saluting by a half-length on debut over his stablemate at Napoli on Friday. The winner is a half-brother to Terre Brune (GB) (Dutch Art {GB}), who won the Listed Premio Divino Amore-Trofeo; and a yearling filly by Camelot (GB).



Strath Burn (above) celebrated his first winner with his first starter, Speed Whay in Italy on Sunday. | *Racing Post*

His winning second dam produced GSPs Canwinn (Ire) (Refuse to Bend {Ire}) and Sailing Shoes (Ire) (Lahib), and was herself a half-sister to French listed winner North Haneena (Ire) (Far North). G3 Hackwood S. hero Strath Burn, who ran second in the G1 Betfred Sprint Cup, was based at Bridge House Stud in Ireland from 2017-2019. Now standing under the Compas Stallions banner at Clongiffen Stud, he stood for €5,500 in 2017 when Speed Whay was conceived. Sales history: €5,500 RNA Ylg '19 GOFFEB; €7,500 Ylg '19 GOFOCT. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, €5,500.

O-Scuderia SSIM SRL. B-Miss Aoife Lyons (Ire). T-Fabio Marchi'.

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GRAN ALEGRIA SPRINGS YASUDA KINEN SURPRISE, ALMOND EYE SECOND

By Heather Anderson

Sunday Racing's **Gran Alegria (Jpn)** (Deep Impact {Jpn}) booked her ticket to the Breeders' Cup while defeating nine other Group 1 winners in the G1 Yasuda Kinen at Tokyo Racecourse on Sunday. The 1600-metre feature is a "Win and You're In" for the G1 Breeders' Cup Mile at Keeneland in November. It was 2 1/2 lengths back to 2018 Japanese Horse of the Year and 1-5 favourite **Almond Eye (Jpn)** (Lord Kanaloa {Jpn}), who was slowly away. 2019 victor **Indy Champ (Jpn)** (Stay Gold {Jpn}) was third.

Made an 11-1 proposition, Gran Alegria raced solidly in midfield for much of the backstretch with plenty of room both fore and aft in the 14-horse field. Swung out to the center of the course on the far turn, the bay slipped back towards the fence and into the four path as she tackled pacesetter **Danon Smash (Jpn)** (Lord Kanaloa {Jpn}) at the quarter-mile pole. Almond Eye was coming with her customary turn of foot, but she had several more lengths to make up on the new leader, and by the time she truly got going, the line had come and gone. She just pipped fellow Silk Racing colourbearer Indy Champ by a half-length for second. He was a neck to the good of the late-closing 2019 G1 Victoria Mile victress **Normcore (Jpn)** (Harbinger {GB}). "First of all, I must thank everyone at the stables who tuned her up so well," said jockey Kenichi Ikezoe. "I was focused on keeping her in good rhythm and in a good position which all worked out beautifully. She just gave her best with such a tenacious run down the stretch—I was afraid up to the line that we were going to be caught, especially by Almond Eye."

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Gran Alegria crosses the line with ears pricked | JRA

G1 Yasuda Kinen Cont.

He added, “I hurt myself when a chunk of grass hit my eye at the third corner, but it doesn’t hurt at all now.”

“We had a poor break but I think we recovered well and made a smooth and strong bid turning for home with Gran Alegria in aim,” said Almond Eye’s jockey Christophe Lemaire. “She showed her good turn of foot but she could have done better. The winner was just so strong, it wasn’t our day.”

A winner of her first two starts, including the G3 Saudi Arabia Royal Cup over track and trip in October of 2018, Gran Alegria finished her juvenile season with a third in the G1 Asahi Hai Futurity S. at Hanshin that December. Back on top in the G1 Oka Sho (Japanese 1000 Guineas) last April, she was only fifth in the G1 NHK Mile Cup locally that May. Not seen again until a winning effort in the G2 Hanshin Cup on Dec. 21, the 2019 Japanese Champion 3-Year-Old Filly warmed up for this with a third (placed second) in soft going in the 1200-metre G1 Takamatsunomiya Kinen at Chukyo on Mar. 29.

Pedigree Notes

One of 46 Group 1 winners for the late **Deep Impact**, Gran Alegria is also among his 127 group winners and 158 black-type winners overall. The 4-year-old joins young sires Real Impact (Jpn) and Satono Aladdin (Jpn) as Yasuda Kinen scorers for the former Shadai Stallion Station resident.

Barren in 2015, Listed Breeders’ Cup Juvenile Fillies Turf heroine Tapitsfly, who went on to capture the GI Longines Just a Game S. and GI First Lady S. as a 5-year-old before selling to Katsumi Yoshida for \$1.85 million at the Fasig-Tipton November Sale in 2012, produced the Yasuda Kinen winner in 2016. She had the winning full-brother Blutgang (Jpn) (Deep Impact {Jpn}) in 2017 and was not bred back.

Tapitsfly is a full-sister to the SP Flying Tipat (Tapit), while her second dam, the winning Fortunate Prospect mare Morning

Dove was a half-sister to SW & GSP Moonshine Hall (Spinning World) and MSW & GI Del Mar Invitational Oaks runner-up Malli Star (Baldski). The latter also found success as a broodmare in the Land of the Rising Sun, as she foaled the Japanese SW & G1SP Bella Rheia (Jpn) (Narita Top Road {Jpn}), who ran second in the Japanese Oaks, as well as the SP Mallos (Jpn) to the cover of Sunday Silence.

Gainesway Farm’s Tapit has 36 black-type winners as a broodmare sire so far, with Gran Alegria one of two Group 1 winners alongside G1 South Australian Derby heroine Qafila (Aus) (Not a Single Doubt {Jpn}).

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Sunday, Tokyo, Japan

YASUDA KINEN-G1, ¥252,380,000

(US\$2,302,386/£1,817,673/€2,039,306), 6-7, 3yo/up, 1600mT, 1:31.60, gd.

1--**GRAN ALEGRIA (JPN)**, 123, f, 4, **Deep Impact (Jpn)**

1st Dam: Tapitsfly, by Tapit

2nd Dam: Flying Marlin, by Marlin

3rd Dam: Morning Dove, by Fortunate Prospect

O-Sunday Racing; B-Northern Farm (Jpn); T-Kazuo Fujisawa; J-Kenichi Ikezoe. ¥133,066,000. Lifetime Record: Ch. 3yo Filly-Jpn, 8-5-1-1. **Werk Nick Rating: A+++**. ***Triple Plus***. **Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.**

2--**Almond Eye (Jpn)**, 123, m, 5, Lord Kanaloa (Jpn)--Fusaichi Pandora(Jpn), by Sunday Silence. O-Silk Racing; B-Northern Farm (Jpn); ¥52,876,000.

3--**Indy Champ (Jpn)**, 128, h, 5, Stay Gold (Jpn)--Will Power (Jpn), by King Kamehameha (Jpn). O-Silk Racing; B-Northern Farm (Jpn); ¥33,438,000.

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Margins: 2HF, HF, NK. Odds: 11.00, 0.30, 6.00.

Also Ran: Normcore (Jpn), Keiai Nautique (Jpn), Admire Mars (Jpn), Danon Kingly (Jpn), Danon Smash (Jpn), Persian Knight (Jpn), Vin de Garde (Jpn), Mr Melody, Seiun Kosei (Jpn), Danon Premium (Jpn), Kluger (Jpn).

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CAMBRIDGE STUD APPOINTS DEVICICH TO KEY ROLE



Marc Devcich | Cambridge Stud

By Paul Vettise

Marc Devcich has realised a long-held ambition to work at Cambridge Stud, but never imagined it would be in the role as general manager of the showpiece New Zealand nursery.

Devcich has been appointed to the key position at Cambridge Stud and a role vacated by the resignation in March of Marcus Corban, who left after a near four decade-long association to pursue other opportunities.

For Devcich, it is a dream come true and one he has aspired to since his school days when he first became involved in the Thoroughbred industry and a career path that he has followed ever since.

“I didn’t think I’d ever get to this stage of my life where I’d be managing a farm like Cambridge Stud. I remember when I first got into the industry and I always wanted to work at Cambridge Stud, but for one reason or another never got there,” Devcich said. “It’s funny how things can turn out. It’s exciting and a real privilege to be General Manager at Cambridge Stud. It’s an iconic farm and obviously a world-renowned nursery, I’m really looking forward to it.”

Devcich will take up his new role at the Brendan and Jo Lindsay-owned operation on June 15.

Chief Executive Henry Plumtre said Devcich was a great fit for Cambridge Stud.

“I have known Marc and Sarah for 25 years and they are a quality couple. Marc is exactly the right person for Cambridge Stud. “He has a great reputation and the experience we need. He has run a successful business himself and understands the fundamentals of running a stud farm properly.”

A Great Fit

Devcich, 47, said he was very much looking forward to his new role.

“Obviously, it’s a bit daunting going into a different position, but it has come at the right time of my life,” he said. “I have experienced a lot and seen a lot. I’ve met some wonderful people and I’ve been fortunate to have worked under some great horsemen and had a number of great mentors.

“It’s moulded and prepared me well for this and it’s exciting. It’s a great industry, I love horses and all the great people involved.”

Devcich and his wife Sarah own and operate nearby Henley Park, a successful and respected agistment and sale preparation operation and there will be no change in the quality of service provided there.

“Sarah will run it and it will be business as usual. Nothing will change with the business model at Henley, apart from me not being there and I’ll be dedicated to the Cambridge Stud brand,” he said. “Sarah is more than capable--I’ve only been her assistant for 10 years.”

His Cambridge Stud brief is a wide-ranging one and he’s ready to take up the challenge.

“I will oversee the farm, the day-to-day operation, organising staff and employment and keeping an eye on everything, including the farm at Karaka,” Devcich said.

He grew up on a dairy farm, but his early life was touched by a family connection to the Thoroughbred industry.

“Both my grandfathers raced horses with a little bit of success and I picked up on racing through that. I used to work in the school holidays for Highview Stud and I wanted to be involved with horses from then,” Devcich said. “When I finished high school I was given an opportunity to work at Highview full-time by Brent Gillovic, which involved everything to do with the stud side of things--breeding and yearling preps and horse husbandry.

“He also gave me an opportunity in the breeding shed to handle the stallions. It gave me a lot of experience at a young age and I loved it.

“Thankfully, it all worked out well for me and Brent was kind enough to organise a job for me at Segenhoe in the off-season. Duncan Grimley was running the operation then and I did a yearling prep there.”

Return to Australia

Devcich had no sooner returned home before Australia came calling again in the early 1990s.

“I got offered a job by Widden Stud so I went over and stayed there for four years. That’s when they had Marscay, Bletchingly and Vain,” he said. “It was an invaluable experience and a great grounding for me. “There was always plenty to do and I was fortunate to do a horse management course when I was there. I was busy and so involved with the horses and if I wasn’t working I would be at the races.

“There were some great horses raised there, the dam of Schillaci was there and Widden sold horses like March Hare and Sydney’s Dream, the dam of Charge Forward. “They were great times and working with the sort of bloodstock Widden had and the calibre of horsemen was really enjoyable and I learned so much.

“Steve Irwin, who is in charge of the yearlings at Arrowfield was there and so was Tas Riley, who has his own farm now at Mornington, Dave Collison ran the Darley arm in Victoria and I worked with internationals like the successful bloodstock agent Dermot Farrington.”

American Experience

Devcich returned to a stint managing the yearling operation at Highview before he again headed offshore.

“I went to America for six months to Dixiana Farm, a boutique operation in Kentucky, and did a breeding season there. They had Mr. Greeley and I really enjoyed that and got to go to the Saratoga Sales and Fasig-Tipton and the Kentucky Derby,” he said. “I foaled down an English Derby winner called Benny The Dip while I was at Dixiana and that was quite a highlight.

“It was another great experience and I picked up a lot of knowledge along the way.”

Devcich returned home for another stint at Highview and met his future wife Sarah, who was then working at Curraghmore Stud.

“A friend of mine had mentioned to the Schick family about a young couple who might be worth employing to manage Mapperley Stud, a 450-acre property, and we were fortunate enough to get the job and did that for eight years,” he said. “It was a big farm and up to 350 horses and we managed them and the yearlings and broodmares and sold under the Mapperley banner.

“We had some great horses come off there, four or five Group 1 winners and 20-odd stakes winners. It was a wonderful part of our career.”

The couple then moved to manage Windsor Park’s Halidon Hill, a 300-acre property utilised for spelling racehorses, wintering in-foal mares, growing out yearlings and for broodmares and foals over the later months of the breeding season.

“We did that for about three or four years before the yearling manager’s job at Windsor Park came up and I did that for six years,” Devcich said.

In 2008, they purchased a 30-acre property then known as Ashwell Farm to establish Henley Park with the subsequent addition of another 30 acres.

“It’s been a good business venture for us and we’ve raised horses such as Dundee and Bonneval and we bred Norzita and sold her through Windsor Park,” Devcich said. “We sold Midnight Oil under Henley and she won an Oaks and Hong Kong champion miler Beauty Flash.”

And so now on to Cambridge Stud for Devcich, who is appreciative of the opportunity afforded to him by the Lindsays and Plumpre.

“I’m delighted and looking forward to working with such a dedicated and passionate team of people,” he said.



Marc & Sarah Devcich | Inglis

**IN HONG KONG:**

Leap of Faith, g, 3, **Sebring**--Steps In Time (G1SW-Aus, \$1,088,650), by Danehill Dancer (Ire). Sha Tin, 6-7, Hcp. (\$179k), 1600m, 1:35.70. B-Mr N Hoar, James Jackson, Neil Hoar, Woodcock Bloodstock Services Pty Ltd (NSW). *\$270,000 Ylg '18 INGEAS. **VIDEO**

Mighty Valor, g, 3, **Snitzel**--Ain'Tnofallenstar (MSW-Aus, \$172,030), by Starcraft (NZ). Sha Tin, 6-7, Hcp. (\$179k), 1200m, 1:09.51. B-Glentree Pastoral Pty Ltd (Vic). *\$325,000 Ylg '18 INGMAR. **VIDEO**

Perfect Match, g, 4, **Not A Single Doubt**--Modave (NZ), by Montjeu (Ire). Sha Tin, 6-7, Hcp. (\$389k), 1400m, 1:22.29. B-Arrowfield Group Pty Ltd, Jungle Pocket Pty Ltd (NSW). *1/2 to Schiffer (Snitzel), SP-Aus, \$379,000; and Eric the Eel (Olympic Glory (Ire)), G1SP-Aus, \$245,300. **\$130,000 Ylg '17 INGFEF. **VIDEO**

**IN HONG KONG:**

Hello Daddy, g, 4, **Keeper (Aus)**--Chihenne, by Castledale (Ire). Sha Tin, 6-7, Hcp. (\$288k), 1600m, 1:35.63. B-C M Gray & Ms C Wilkinson. *Formerly Sponge Bob. **GSW-NZ. **VIDEO**

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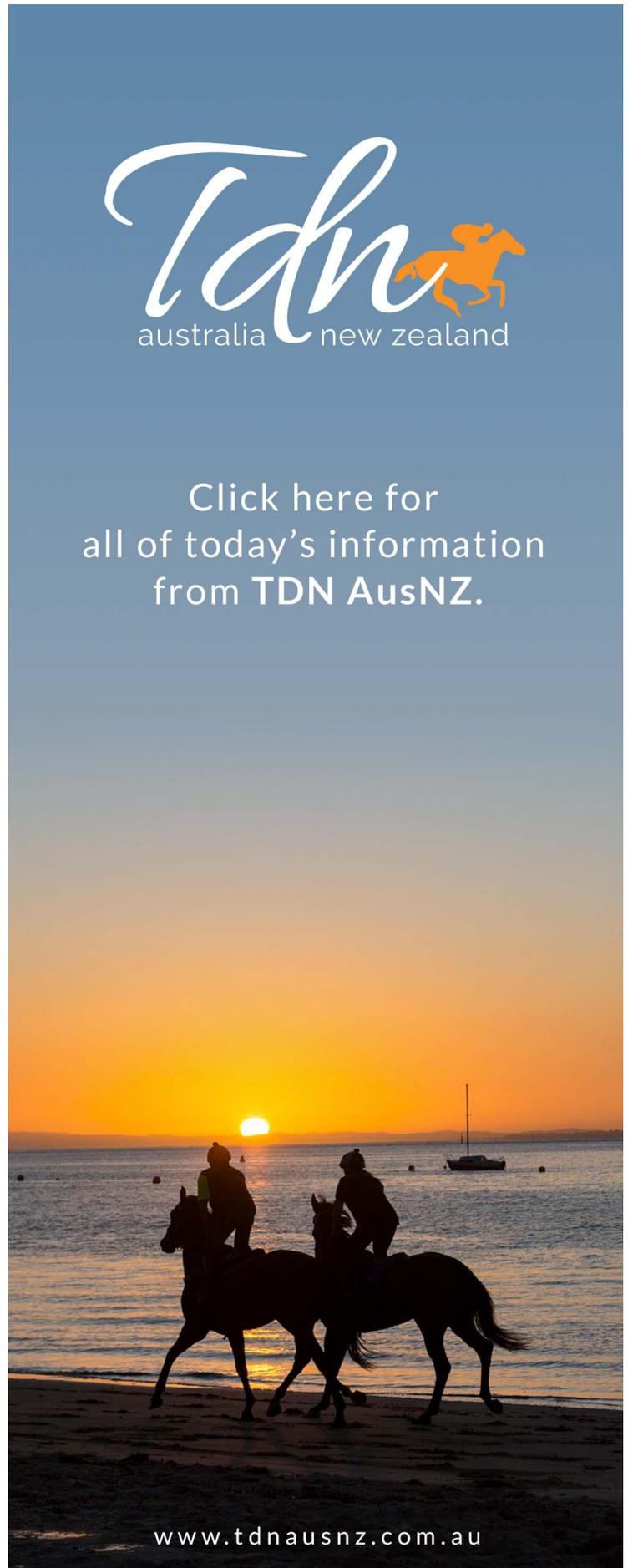
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