

SOLID BOOK 2 OPENER AT KEENELAND



Session-topping Pollara (Ire) in the ring | Keeneland

by Jessica Martini, Brian DiDonato & Christie DeBernardis
LEXINGTON, KY - The Keeneland November Breeding Stock Sale's two-session Book 2 opened Tuesday in Lexington with solid trade and a varied bench of domestic and international buyers. Bloodstock agent Arthur Hoyeau made the day's highest bid, going to \$975,000 to acquire the group-winning mare **Pollara (Ire)** (Camelot {GB}) from the Claiborne Farm consignment. The 5-year-old mare was one of five to sell for \$500,000 or more during Tuesday's session. Six reached that level at last year's first Book 2 session.

In all, 197 head sold Tuesday for \$27,690,000. The session average of \$140,558 dipped 10% from last year's figure and the median fell 20% to \$100,000. With 84 horses reported not sold, the buy-back rate was 30%. It was 24% a year ago when 227 horses grossed \$35,443,000.

"It's the same old story," said Claiborne's Walker Hancock. "The good ones bring a lot of money, the middle is spotty and there is no one really there for the lower end. Hopefully if these people keep getting outbid, it will trickle down to the middle and lower market. The foal market seems healthy, at least for us."

Bloodstock agent Lincoln Collins, who signed for the fourth-highest offering Tuesday, said of the market, "It's been tough enough. We got blown out on a couple yesterday."

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TIZ THE LAW TO RETURN IN PEGASUS, PERHAPS WITH A NEW JOCKEY

by Bill Finley

A rarity in the modern era for a top-class 3-year-old, **Tiz the Law** (Constitution) will race again next year and is being pointed for the G1 Pegasus World Cup Jan. 23 at Gulfstream Park. But who will be aboard him that day? It appears the answer is not Manny Franco.

After trainer Barclay Tagg criticized Franco's ride in the G1 Breeders' Cup Classic, Jack Knowlton, the managing partner of Sackatoga Stable, echoed those sentiments Tuesday. When asked if there would be a jockey change, Knowlton said it is under consideration.

Franco has become a top jockey on the New York circuit and has ridden Tiz the Law in all but his first start. But he is short on experience when it comes to major races. **Cont. p14**

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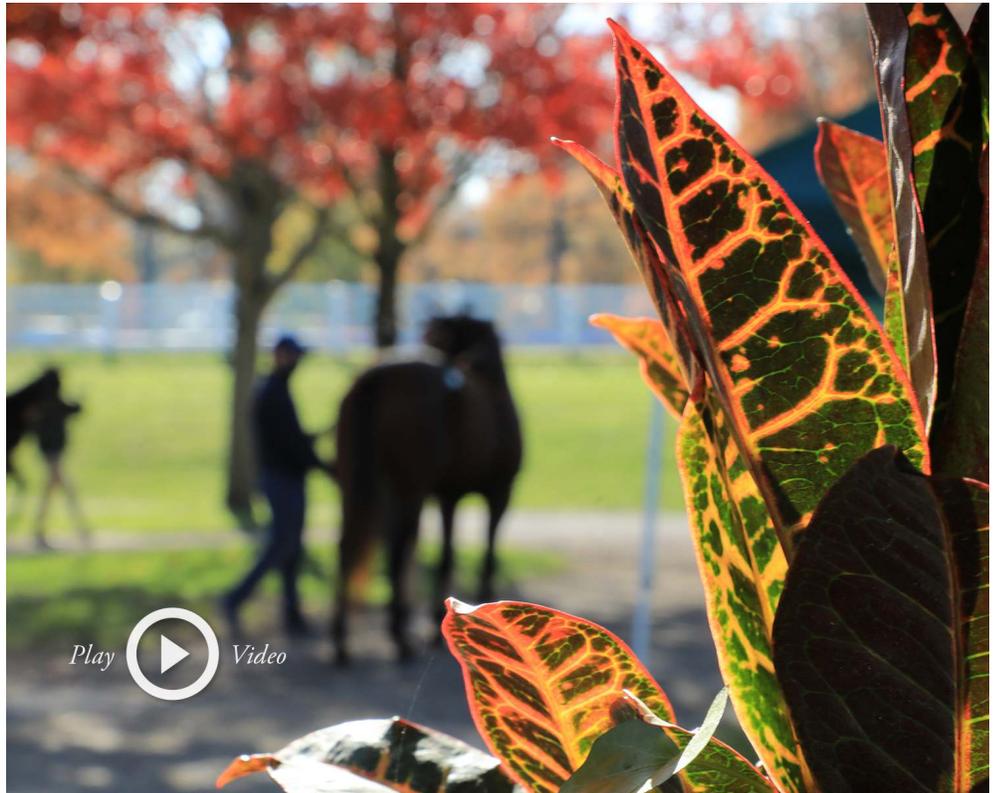
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Keeneland November Book 1 was headlined by eight seven-figure fillies and mares, including the top two lots—Concrete Rose and Indian Miss, for a combined figure of just short of \$4 million. Katie Ritz talks to the top buyers and sellers. [Click here](#) or on the photo above to watch. | Keeneland

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Solid Opener to KEENOV Book 2 cont. from p1

“We bought one at Fasig-Tipton, so it’s a better market than any of us thought it would be,” Collins continued. “I think it will probably get tougher from here on out. But the horse business is alive and well.”

The Spanish-based Yeguada Centurian was the session’s leading buyer, with 17 head purchased for \$3,127,000, while trainer Phil Schoenthal, buying for Matt Dorman’s Maryland-based Determined Stud, was the second leading buyer with six purchased for \$2.2 million.

“This is where the world comes to buy,” said Keeneland’s Director of Sales Operations Geoffrey Russell. “If you look at the leaders at the end of the day, you had European, American, and Japanese buyers, there was a great mix of people today. We hope that continues on.”

The 2020 November catalogue is a slimmed down version of its 2019 counterpart. There were 413 horses catalogued in last year’s Book 2 opener, compared to 374 this year. The decrease in numbers is likely related to the number of market uncertainties heading into the November sale, according to Russell.

“At the yearling market, you are selling your crop, so you really have to show up,” Russell said. “In November, you’re selling the factory or the foal. They don’t have to sell the factory this year,

they can wait and see if the market will be better next year and they can keep the foal for a yearling sale. Those business decisions are being made.”

For the second day in a row, a weanling from the first crop of Justify was the top-priced foal, with Coolmore’s M.V. Magnier going to \$475,000 to take home a colt by the Triple Crown winner from the Nursery Place consignment. Justify had the \$600,000 co-highest weanling of Monday’s first session of the auction.

The November auction picked up its ninth seven-figure sale when **Con Te Partiro** (Scat Daddy), originally an RNA Monday, sold post-sale for \$1.6 million.

Internet bidders continued to be active Tuesday, making 92 bids and 12 purchases for gross sales over \$2.5 million.

The Keeneland November sale resumes Wednesday at 10 a.m. and continues through Nov. 18.

Con Te Partiro to Qatar Racing

While she was bought back for \$1.9 million during Monday’s first session of the Keeneland November sale, multiple Group 1 winner **Con Te Partiro** (Scat Daddy) (hip 217) was sold post-sale for \$1.6 million to David Redvers on behalf of Sheikh Fahad’s Qatar Racing. The 6-year-old broodmare prospect was consigned by Bedouin Bloodstock on behalf of SF Bloodstock.

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“We watched her through the ring yesterday, but we didn’t actually bid,” Redvers said. “We thought she was too expensive at \$2 million. We thought she was worth a bit less, so we waited. When I saw she hadn’t sold, I spoke to [SF Bloodstock]’s Tom [Ryan] and Sheikh Fahad, who I’ve bought her for, and we’ve done a deal at I think the right money.

Con Te Partiro won this year’s G1 Coolmore Legacy S. and G1 Coolmore Classic in Australia. She was also a stakes winner in England at Royal Ascot and in the United States. Out of Temple Street (Street Cry {Ire}), she is a half-sister to multiple graded-placed Donworth (Tiznow).



Con Te Partiro | Keeneland

“She is an immensely talented and fast filly who has proven her versatility and soundness around the world,” Redvers said. “She is going to be a very good addition to the Qatar Bloodstock broodmare band. She will come to Tweenhills and I think we will probably cover her with Frankel (GB) and I hope we can breed a proper horse for Europe.”

SF Bloodstock purchased Con Te Partiro for \$575,000 at the 2018 Fasig-Tipton November sale and she won three group races in Australia in the operation’s colors.

“She is a mare who brought us great joy,” said Ryan. “We really enjoyed racing her. Everyone who has touched this mare has really had great success with her and we wish Sheikh Fahad all the success with her in the future. She is a superstar mare, a superstar physical with great pedigree, great family. The price was very fair.”

Of Con Te Partiro’s initial RNA status, Ryan said, “We were surprised, but that happens sometimes. Sometimes the stars just don’t align the way you’d like them to. I’m glad that we have a long-standing relationship with David Redvers and his team and we were able to come to a place where we both felt like it was a fair trade.” @JessMartiniTDN

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Pollara Proves Popular

As a well-pedigreed daughter of Camelot (GB) in foal to War Front, **Pollara (Ire)** ([hip 391](#)) had plenty of international appeal and that served her well Tuesday at Keeneland, where she summoned \$975,000 from a partnership headed by France’s Ecurie des Monceaux after a spirited round of bidding.



Henri Bozo | Keeneland

“She is going to go back to Monceaux and we are going to breed from her,” Ecurie de Monceaux’s Henri Bozo said. “She is a very exciting mare with a great family and is in foal to a very proven stallion. We try to produce Classic winners and she suits that program.”

As for the near seven-figure price tag, Bozo said, “She was standing out in Book 2. I don’t think whether she is in Book 1 or 2 changes much. Quality gets paid for. We were beaten four times yesterday, so it has been tough to buy. It is a very strong market which is good news.”

Out of the Storm Cat mare Brooklyn’s Storm, Group winner Pollara is a half-sister to MSW & GSP Stormina (Gulch), who is the dam of MG1SW Silasol (Monsun).

“She is such a nice mare, a group winner in France and in foal to the right horse,” said Walker Hancock, whose family’s Claiborne Farm consigned the mare. “I was just looking through the family and every single mare in the family is in foal to a world-leading sire. There will be tons of upside with the family. When you have a page like this, a race record like that and are in foal to the right sire, the sky’s the limit. Congratulations to them. I wish them the best.” --@CDeBernardisTDN

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Dorman Remains ‘Determined’ in Book 2

Maryland-based Matt Dorman of upstart operation Determined Stud made a splash at Fasig-Tipton Sunday that continued during Monday’s Book 1 session of the Keeneland November sale, and he and trainer and advisor Phil Schoenthal were back at it Tuesday shopping the top end of Book 2.

Their priciest buy was \$800,000 **Style and Grace** (Curlin), who was consigned by Lane’s End as **hip 465** and offered in foal to Lane’s End’s promising young resident City of Light.

Style and Grace was a \$270,000 KEESEP yearling by Lane’s End-affiliated Woodford Racing and Team D. She was two-for-nine on the track, scoring in an Aqueduct maiden special weight and Ellis allowance. The half-sister to GI Breeders’ Cup Dirt Mile winner Furthest Land (Smart Strike) RNA’d for \$190,000 here 12 months ago, but has seen her pedigree light up in the interim. Three-year-old half-sister Luck Money, by another son of Smart Strike in Lookin At Lucky, annexed Belmont’s Zagora S. Oct. 31 after having already finished third in the Dueling Grounds Oaks in September. A sophomore filly out of Style and Grace’s half-sister Embroidery (More Than Ready) broke through under the Twin Spires on Sunday.

“It’s a great page, great history, and a fairly young horse so there is a lot of future there,” said Dorman from the back ring while waiting to bid on another one. “To me, it seemed like a no-brainer.”



Style and Grace | Coady

Dorman confirmed that the fact Style and Grace was in foal to City of Light added to the appeal, and was pleased to be finding a softer market in Book 2: “We’ve been trying to buy some [mares in foal to City of Lights. We’re pretty happy the market dropped off today from my side of it but I think it’s been fair. There are a couple of active folks going after quality horses, so I think the market works.”

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Team Determined had purchased SW/MGSP **Involuntary** (City Zip) (hip 307, Hidden Brook, i/f to Bernardini) for \$70,000 earlier in the day, and was just getting started when they bought Style and Grace. They then added \$335,000 **Tenacious Jewel** (Medaglia d'Oro), a daughter of MGSW Bizzy Caroline (Afleet Alex) who is in turn half to superstar Lady Eli (Divine Park) (hip 483, Runnymede Farm, i/f to Into Mischief); and stakes-placed **Vevina** (More Than Ready) for \$600,000 (hip 503, Kingswood Farm, i/f to Uncle Mo).



Vevina | Keeneland

Vevina is half to the winning 3-year-old and \$500,000 KEESEP buy Friar's Road (Quality Road), who was last seen just missing in a Keeneland allowance Oct. 15. She was purchased for \$140,000 at the beginning of the year at Keeneland January. Vevina's second dam is GSP Primetimevalentine (Affirmed), in turn the dam of MGSP All for Thee (Elusive Quality) and most recently September's GIII Tokyo City Cup S. winner Cupid's Claws (Kitten's Joy).

"[Uncle Mo] is what we consider to be a Classic sire and a great bloodline, so that's what you want when you're starting out a broodmare band," Dorman said. "We're just buying quality. We have some stallion shares so we have some stallions in mind [to breed back to]. The farm is in Boyds, Maryland. We are really looking for quality so I think the band will be around the 15-horse mark and then we will go from there." **Cont. p8**

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Determined Stud finished the day off with \$300,000 **Ygritte** (Tapit) (**hip 517**, Lane's End, i/f to Candy Ride {Arg}), a daughter of Canadian champion Irish Mission (Giant's Causeway); and \$95,000 **Drinking Dixie** (Quality Road) (**hip 602**, Kingswood Farm, i/f to Kantharos).

Dorman, co-founder of Credible Behavioral Health Software, has been racing for about 10 years as D Hatman Thoroughbreds. He purchased a farm earlier this year and has been working since then to build up his broodmare band.

Dorman and Schoenthal were also active during yearling sales season--they bought five fillies for \$870,000 at the Fasig-Tipton Selected Yearlings Showcase, and another six at Keeneland September for \$1,195,000.

In addition to mares, they've purchased three weanling fillies at KEENOV: **hip 86**, by Tapit from Hidden Brook; **hip 210**, by American Pharoah from James Keogh's Grovendale; and **hip 215**, by Hard Spun and offered by Valkyre Stud.

"We got a good group in September, so we look at these as possible pinhooks, but most likely runners," Dorman said of his foal purchases. "If one of them jumps up and we get some interest then we may pinhook, but we're looking at long term and we don't need to generate revenue in the short term."

--@BDiDonatoTDN

Buyers Continue to See the 'Light'

Mares in foal to four-time Grade I winner City of Light proved extremely popular last fall, following his smashing win in the lucrative GI Pegasus World Cup Invitational S. and first year standing at Lane's End. He was second to only Triple Crown winner Justify among covering freshman sires by average last year (\$223,275), and his first foals have been similarly well received. A \$600,000 City of Light colt was the priciest foal Sunday at Fasig-Tipton, and both his foals and mares bred to him have proved popular at Keeneland. **Cont. p9**



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City of Light has had 11 in-foal mares at KEENOV gross \$2,860,000 at an average of \$260,000, putting him fourth on the covering sires list by average with two or more sold behind only established stallions War Front, Uncle Mo and Constitution.

--@BDiDonatoTDN

Hot Cash for Woodford

Graded stakes-placed **Hot Cash** (Ghostzapper) (hip 293) will be joining the broodmare band at Woodford Farm after bloodstock agent Lincoln Collins went to \$575,000 to acquire the 5-year-old mare from the Hidden Brook consignment early in Tuesday’s second session of the Keeneland November sale.

“She is by Ghostzapper, she’s graded stakes-placed and she’s in foal to Curlin,” Collins said of the mare’s qualities. “And she’s very good looking. She’s just a nice mare, we liked her and she’ll be a good addition to the broodmare band for Woodford.”

Bred by Frank Stronach’s Adena Springs and campaigned by his Stronach Stables, Hot Cash was third in the 2018 Woodbine Oaks and second in last year’s GIII Trillium S. She is a daughter of Stronach homebred Collect the Cash (Dynaformer), winner of the 2000 GI Queen Elizabeth II Challenge Cup S., and she is a full-sister to Grade I winner Stately Victor.

Of the mare’s final price, Collins said, “We knew she was going to be expensive. You never know quite what that means, but we are happy to have her.”

Also through the Hidden Brook consignment, Adena Springs sold Queen’s Plate winner **Holy Helena** (Ghostzapper) (hip 28) for \$1.5 million during Monday’s first session of the November Sale. Among the operation’s Tuesday results were **Devine Aida** (Unbridled’s Song) (hip 596), who sold for \$400,000 to Fairview LLC; **Promise Me Silver** (Silver City) (hip 397), who sold for \$325,000 to Chester and Mary Broman; and **Sweet Sting** (Awesome Again) (hip 474), who sold for \$310,000 to Pam and Marty Wygod. The Wygods also bought Sweet Sting’s weanling filly by Empire Maker (hip 475) for \$230,000.

“It is just a major reduction, getting the numbers way down,” Hidden Brook partner Dan Hall said of the Adena Springs offerings. “It makes sense right now. We have close to 90, between mares and weanlings, all in this sale. There has been a lot of interest at the barn at all levels.” @JessMartiniTDN



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West Point Thoroughbreds' Terry Finley and bloodstock agent David Ingordo are a familiar duo at yearling and 2-year-old sales, but, with Finley's group focusing on racing not breeding, it was unusual to see the pair signing a ticket on a broodmare Tuesday. Finley and Ingordo went to \$560,000 to acquire **Dothraki Sea** (Union Rags), who was purchased on behalf of a new partnership buying as "Band of Brothers, LLC." Consigned by Claiborne Farm, **Hip 600** is in foal to red-hot sire Constitution.

"It is a group from Dallas that wanted to get into the broodmare business and they reached out to me," Finley explained. "They wanted top-end mares and I thought she was beautiful."

Finley continued, "We tried a couple at the beginning of the sale and didn't get lucky. We will look at a few more. Everybody is game and wants good horses."



Dothraki Sea | Keeneland

SF Bloodstock purchased Dothraki Sea's unraced dam Mini Chat (Deputy Minister) with this mare in utero for \$340,000 at the 2014 Keeneland November Sale. A daughter of champion Phone Chatter, Mini Chat had already produced Grade I-winning sire Dixie Chatter (Dixie Union) and GSW Rumor (Indian Charlie).

The SF team retained Dothraki Sea to race and she captured two of eight starts for trainer Tom Proctor before retiring to the breeding shed. The bay had her first foal this year, a colt by Curlin.

"She is by Union Rags and she is all class," said Ingordo. "It is a pedigree I know and respect. Constitution is an up-and-coming stallion and the mare

also has a Curlin, so two proven sires it looks like. She is just the whole package." --@CDeBernardisTDN

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Coolmore Supports Justify

The Coolmore contingent was out in full force Tuesday at Keeneland, and struck early in the session to land a colt from the first crop of Coolmore Ashford resident Justify for \$475,000. Consigned by John Mayer's Nursery Place as **hip 298**, the Jan. 27 foal was bred by Nursery Place, Manfuso and Wilhite.

"He's a beautiful-looking horse, and Justify is making very good foals," said Coolmore's David Wachman. "We're just excited to be able to buy a very nice horse by him. Across the board, they're very good, and he's a very smart horse, that horse. We're happy to have him."



David Wachman | Keeneland

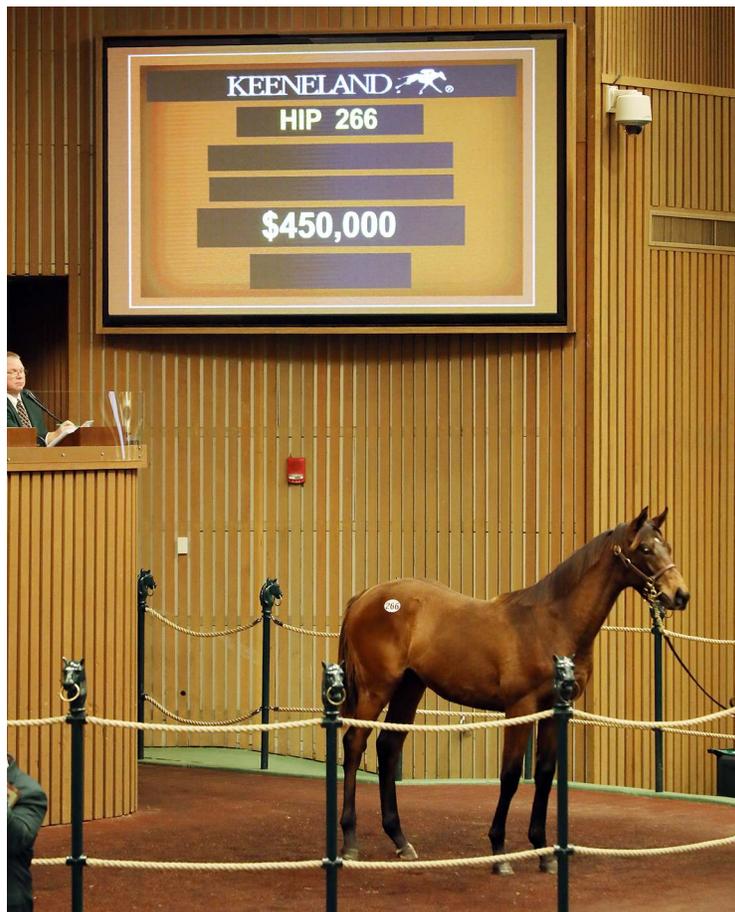
Nursery Place acquired hip 298's dam Inchargeofme (GB) (High Chaparral {Ire}) for \$80,000 as an unraced 2-year-old at the 2015 Keeneland January sale. She was turned over to Charlie LoPresti and, racing in the names of Mayer and Robert Manfuso, racked up three wins from 13 starts, capped by a third-place run in the 2018 Gill Mint Julep H. in 2018. She was bought back for \$235,000 later that year at Fasig-Tipton November. Hip 298 is her first foal. She was bred back to Blame.

Demand for foals by the 2018 Triple Crown winner has, unsurprisingly, been strong thus far. His sellers at Fasig-Tipton November included a \$400,000 filly, and Donato Lanni bought a \$600,000 colt Monday at Keeneland. Two seven-figure mares sold in foal to Justify at Fasig, including \$4.2-million MGISW Bast (Uncle Mo). --@BDiDonatoTDN

Best Back in Action Early for Mastery Colt

Larry Best bought the top two lots during Monday's Book 1, a pair of seven-figure mares, and was back in action early during Tuesday's Book 2 opener, going to \$450,000 for a weanling colt from the second crop of Mastery (**hip 266**).

"It was driven mostly by the physical of the horse and then, of course, Mastery," said Best. "I have a Mastery I bought last year and I think he is going to hit as a sire. Largely I'd say it was driven by the physical of the horse. I noticed in the ring here when I was bidding that a lot of smart money was on him. That always makes me feel more comfortable when I see people that know horses on the same horse."



Hip 266 in the ring | Keeneland

As for the price, the OXO Equine principal said, "They have enough quality buyers here that want to play at the top, so you're talking \$350,000 to \$600,000 for the quality weanlings. So, I wasn't really that surprised."

The price exceeded expectations for breeders Lee McMillin and Eric Buckley.

"It doesn't happen very often, but when it does, it's sweet, especially for a homebred horse," said Buckley, whose family operates Threave Main Stud, which consigned the colt. "We both have small, family farms. This horse just ticked all the boxes for a lot of people. He got a good home, which is the main thing."

Out of Go Go Dana (Malibu Moon), who is back in foal to champion Mitole, hip 266 hails from the family of top stallion Distorted Humor.



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His sire Mastery was undefeated in his brief career, winning four consecutive races, topped by the GI Los Alamitos Cash Call Futurity S. He retired to Claiborne after suffering a career-ending injury after crossing the wire first in the 2017 GII San Felipe S.

“He was a very good racehorse, obviously,” said Buckley. “He stands at the right stud farm. We have been doing business over there for 50 years, my family has. I will be breed to him again. I’ll tell you that.” --@CDeBernardisTDN

Constitution Colt a Welcome Score

Bill Harrigan, Mike Pietrangelo and Mark McEntee purchased the mare Welcome Speech (Henrythenavigator), in foal to Constitution, for \$52,000 at last year’s Keeneland November sale. The mare’s weanling colt by Constitution (**hip 509**) rewarded the partners Tuesday at Keeneland when selling for \$300,000 to the Enfuego Stables pinhooking partnership. The bay was consigned by Lane’s End.

“She’s a Henrythenavigator mare and it’s a great pedigree,” McEntee said of the mare’s appeal last year. “We loved the fact that she was in foal to Constitution. He’s obviously a top stallion --he’s \$85,000 for next year. She looked like she had the body and the build to throw a really nice foal. And Bill has a very good eye--it’s all up to Bill.”

Of impressions of the mare’s weanling, McEntee said, “He’s sort of a raw horse. He has all of the angles and a beautiful, long, relaxed walk. He’s been a standout at the farm. All credit to Allaire Ryan and Callan Strouss from Lane’s End. They came out to look at the horse and really liked him. They put him in Book 2 and put him in the right place. They were high on the horse and he sold like it.”

As for Welcome Speech, who is out of a full-sister to Grade I winner Winchester, McEntee said “We are going to look at stallions starting tomorrow and try to find a nice stallion for her for next year on an early cover.” @JessMartiniTDN

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KEENELAND NOVEMBER - TUESDAY

WEANLINGS

HIP	SEX	SIRE	DAM	PRICE (\$)
300	filly	Not This Time	Indian Wish	80,000

B-John R. Penn (Ky)

Consigned by Penn Sales

Purchased by Louisiana Leasing LLC

This filly, whose sire has gotten off to a hot start with first 2-year-olds this term, was a \$22,000 in utero purchase 12 months ago. Her full-brother brought \$240,000 at OBS April.

324	colt	Violence	L. A. Devine	92,000
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B-Theta Holding 1 (Ky)

Consigned by Vinery Sales, Agent LVI

Purchased by Krista J. Jamgotchian

Dam L. A. Devine (Pulpit) was carrying this colt when she sold for \$25,000 last November. Violence has done well in the interim, siring a trio of Grade I-winning males in 2020.

The same Theta Holding 1 enjoyed another solid sale of an in-utero-acquired weanling a bit later when **hip 406** went to Bear Bloodstock for \$150,000. The son of fast-starting Nyquist is out of Queen Bernardina, a daughter of red-hot broodmare sire Bernardini who cost \$90,000 last November.

509	colt	Constitution	Welcome Speech	300,000
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B-William Harrigan, Mike Pietrangelo & Mark McEntee (Ky)

Consigned by Lane’s End, agent

Purchased by Enfuego Stables

522	colt	Nyquist	Afleeting Lisa	360,000
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B-Kim & Rodney Nardelli & William Werner (Ky)

Consigned by Nardelli Sales, Agent I

Purchased by Blue Sky Stables

Afleeting Lisa, a half-sister to future Hall of Famer Wise Dan, was carrying this colt when she sold for \$110,000 here in January. While her then short yearling colt only brought \$2,000 that February, freshman sire Nyquist had done more than enough with his first runners to add to this colt’s appeal for his dam’s new owners.

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598 colt Gun Runner Divine Escapade 300,000

B-Gun Runner Syndicate & Sun Valley Farm (Ky)

Consigned by James B. Keogh (Grovendale), Agent XXVIII

Purchased by OXO Equine LLC

Dam Divine Escapade (A.P. Indy)--a daughter of GISW Madcap Escapade (Hennessy) and half to My Sueno (Pulpit)--was purchased for \$52,000 at KEENOV '18 by Barry and Jan Butzer's Sun Valley Farm. The resulting filly sold for \$55,000 12 months later. This colt--bred on an apparent foal share--garnered a positive update when his 5-year-old half-brother King of the Court (Speightstown) became a stakes winner at Canterbury in September.

BROODMARES

HIP	NAME	STATUS	PRICE (\$)
442	Soluna	i/f Constitution	260,000

(4, Tiznow--Truly Blessed, by French Deputy)

Consigned by Four Star Sales, agent

Purchased by Rag's Bloodstock

This \$250,000 yearling and Prairie Meadows maiden special weight winner was scooped up for just \$25,000 last November by Hidden Springs Farm. She was bred to Constitution on a \$40,000 cover in what was a sharp mating decision. The Constitution--Tiznow cross is already responsible for this year's GI Curlin Florida Derby, GI Belmont S. and GI Runhappy Travers S. hero Tiz the Law, as well as Sunday's good-looking debut winner at Aqueduct Never Surprised.

503	Vevina	i/f Uncle Mo	600,000
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(5, More Than Ready--My Sugar Bear, by Giant's Causeway)

Consigned by Kingswood Farm, Agent III

Purchased by Phil Schoenthal, Agent for Determined Stud

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566	Charge Back	i/f City of Light	330,000
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(5, Take Charge Indy--Jackpot Joanie, by Giant's Causeway)

Consigned by James B. Keogh (Grovendale), Agent VI

Purchased by Corser Thoroughbreds

Placed in the 2018 Sunland Park Oaks, Charge Back became the latest profitable resale for the ever-shrewd James Keogh. She was acquired for \$82,000 at KEENOV '18, and was another who rode the momentum of buzzed-about young stallion City of Light.

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KEENELAND NOVEMBER – BOOK TWO

TUESDAY'S TOP MARES

<u>HIP</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>STATUS</u>	<u>PRICE (\$)</u>
391	Pollara (Ire)	i/f War Front	975,000
	<i>(m, 5, Camelot--Brooklyn's Storm, by Storm Cat)</i>		
	<i>Consignor: Claiborne Farm, agent</i>		
	<i>Purchaser: Arthur Hoyeau, agent</i>		
465	Style and Grace	i/f City of Light	800,000
	<i>(m, 4, Curlin--Flagrant, by Rahy)</i>		
	<i>Consignor: Lane's End, agent</i>		
	<i>Purchaser: Phil Schoenthal, agent for Determined Stud</i>		
503	Vevina	i/f Uncle Mo	600,000
	<i>(m, 5, More Than Ready--My Sugar Bear, by Giant's Causeway)</i>		
	<i>Consignor: Kingswood Farm, Agent III</i>		
	<i>Purchaser: Phil Schoenthal, agent for Determined Stud</i>		
293	Hot Cash	i/f Curlin	575,000
	<i>(m, 5, Ghostzapper--Collect the Cash, by Dynaformer)</i>		
	<i>Consignor: Hidden Brook, Agent XXXI</i>		
	<i>Purchaser: Woodford Thoroughbreds LLC</i>		
600	Dothraki Sea	i/f Constitution	560,000
	<i>(m, 5, Union Rags--Mini Chat, by Deputy Minister)</i>		
	<i>Consignor: Claiborne Farm, agent</i>		
	<i>Purchaser: Band of Brothers, LLC</i>		
440	Slieve Mish	i/f City of Light	475,000
	<i>(m, 4, Bernardini--Beckles Road, by Smart Strike)</i>		
	<i>Consignor: Winter Quarter Farm, Agent I</i>		
	<i>Purchaser: Hartmut Malluche/Silesia Farm</i>		
447	Spooky Woods	i/f Speightstown	400,000
	<i>(m, 6, Ghostzapper--Winter Forest, by Forestry)</i>		
	<i>Consignor: Lane's End, agent</i>		
	<i>Purchaser: Yeguada Centurion</i>		
596	Devine Aida	i/f Ghostzapper	400,000
	<i>(m, 8, Unbridled's Song--Passion, by Came Home)</i>		
	<i>Consignor: Hidden Brook, Agent XXXI</i>		
	<i>Purchaser: Farview LLC</i>		

TUESDAY'S TOP WEANLINGS

<u>HIP</u>	<u>SEX</u>	<u>SIRE DAM</u>	<u>PRICE (\$)</u>
298	colt	Justify--Inchargeofme (GB)	475,000
		<i>Breeder: Nursery Place, Manfuso & Wilhite (KY)</i>	
		<i>Consignor: Nursery Place, agent</i>	
		<i>Purchaser: MV Magnier</i>	

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- 266 colt *Mastery*--Go Go Dana** **450,000**
Breeder: Lee McMillin & Eric Buckley (KY)
Consignor: Threave Main Stud LLC, agent
Purchaser: OXO Equine LLC

- 522 colt *Nyquist*--Afleeting Lisa** **360,000**
(\$110,000 i/u '20 KEEJAN)
Breeder: Kim & Rodney Nardelli & William Werner (KY)
Consignor: Nardelli Sales, Agent I
Purchaser: Blue Sky Stables

- 559 colt *Candy Ride (Arg)*--Calistoga** **350,000**
Breeder: Donald R. Dizney & W. S. Farish (KY)
Consignor: Lane's End, agent
Purchaser: Wallace Avenue Bloodstock

Tiz the Law to Return in Pegasus cont. from p1

Tagg was disappointed that Franco wasn't immediately able to get Tiz the Law off the rail in the Classic and that he didn't go after Authentic (Into Mischief) more aggressively in the early part of the race. After breaking sharply, Tiz the Law settled into fifth before finishing sixth, the first time in his career he has finished out of the money, Tiz the Law was beaten 5 1/2 lengths.

"I don't think any of us were pleased with his ride," Knowlton said. "I was in the paddock when Barclay talked to Manny and gave him his instructions, how he wanted to see him ride him and where he wanted him to put the horse in the race. Unfortunately, that did not happen."

Will Franco lose the mount?

"I think that's certainly on the table," Knowlton said. "We're not just looking at the Classic but looking at next year, looking at the potential of where we may run. There are places like Del Mar and Oaklawn and those are places where Manny's never raced or certainly not ridden at to a high degree at all. That's a factor as you look ahead. We know we've got one more year and we have a pretty good idea of where we are going to run. We had a great year with him, but you have to look forward and try to figure out what's best for the horse going forward. The discussion of who is going to ride is one that Barclay, (assistant trainer) Robin (Smullen) and I have already begun."



Tiz the Law | Sarah Andrew

Knowlton said that Tiz the Law does not like to run inside of horses.

"We had a hell of a streak and then we got the two post in the Classic and a lot of people said, 'Uh oh, this is trouble', because he wants to be outside of horses," Knowlton said.

"Unfortunately, it played out that way. Did it have to play out as badly as it did? I don't think so. I don't really think with the best of trips we were going to beat Authentic. He got a lot better."

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SESSION TOTALS	2020	2019
• Catalogued	374	413
• No. Offered	281	300
• No. Sold	197	227
• RNAs	84	73
• % RNAs	29.89%	24.3%
• No. \$500K+	5	6
• High Price	\$975,000	\$650,000
• Gross	\$27,690,000	\$35,443,000
• Average (% change)	\$140,558 (-6.3%)	\$150,030
• Median (% change)	\$100,000 (-20%)	\$125,000

CUMULATIVE	2020	2019
• Catalogued	626	696
• No. Offered	458	516
• No. Sold	331	381
• RNAs	127	135
• % RNAs	27.73%	26.16%
• No. \$500K+	35	50
• High Price	\$1,950,000	\$3,200,000
• Gross	\$80,257,000	\$103,590,000
• Average (% change)	\$242,468 (-10.8%)	\$271,890
• Median (% change)	\$140,000 (-26.3%)	\$190,000

*Cumulative results for 2020 include post-sale transactions.

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In June, Knowlton finalized an agreement with Coolmore America to stand Tiz the Law at stud. It stipulated that Sackatoga would make all racing decisions before he was retired and that it had the option of racing him as 4-year-old.

"When we had discussions with outfits that were interested in pursuing 'Tiz' as a stallion I drew two lines in the sand," Knowlton said. "One was no racing rights were for sale and, secondly, he had to be able to run through his 4-year-old year, as long as he was healthy and sound and running at a high level."

Knowlton said that giving his partners another chance to cheer on Tiz the Law as a 4-year-old was among the reasons he is bringing the horse back.

"For 33 out of 35 partners this is the horse of a lifetime," he said. "Lew Titterton and I had the experience of Funny Cide winning the Derby, the Preakness and almost winning the Triple Crown, doing things on a big stage and having a great horse. Thirty-three other people have never had this opportunity and, in all likelihood, never will again. I think it's great for the sport to bring him back. It is unfortunate that so many of the good 3-year-olds don't get a chance to run as 4-year-olds and then are forgotten. Because Funny Cide was a gelding, we had the wonderful opportunity as Sackatoga owners to enjoy the horse basically for six years, from his 2-year-old to 7-year-old year. We are trying to do something that is good for the game and something I wanted to make happen."

Knowlton said the Pegasus at Gulfstream will be next and that Tiz the Law will not have a prep for that race. He said other races on Tiz the Law's tentative schedule are the 2021 Breeders' Cup Classic, the GI Whitney S. and the GI Oaklawn H. He said there is an outside shot he will run in the G1 Dubai World Cup.

The \$20-million Saudi Cup, he said, is not under consideration.

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MAXIMUM SECURITY TO STAND FOR \$20,000

Eclipse Champion **Maximum Security** (New Year's Day--Lil Indy, by Anasheed) has been retired from racing and will stand at Coolmore's Ashford Stud in Central Kentucky for the 2021 breeding season. His fee will be \$20,000.

"Maximum Security was an exceptional racehorse and I have no doubt that he will prove very popular with breeders once they see him," said Ashford's Director of Sales Charlie O'Connor. "He's an extremely impressive-looking individual."

Named champion 3-year-old colt in 2019, Maximum Security retires with an official record of four Grade I scores, including the Florida Derby, Haskell Invitational S., Cigar Mile H., and Pacific Classic S. He was last seen finishing fifth behind stablemate Authentic (Into Mischief) in Saturday's GI Breeders'

Cup Classic, the only time in his career he had crossed the wire worse than second. As has been well documented, Maximum Security was disqualified to 17th for interference after crossing the finish line first while undefeated in the 2019 GI Kentucky Derby. In addition, \$10 million in prize money from his win in the Feb. 29 Saudi Cup is being withheld pending the outcome of charges against his then-trainer, Jason Servis, who was indicted for using performance-enhancing drugs. Maximum Security was moved to the barn of Hall of Fame trainer Bob Baffert after the Saudi trip to register wins in the Pacific Classic and GI San Diego H.



Maximum Security | Benoit

Bred and raced by Gary and Mary West, Maximum Security retires with a record of 14-10-2-0 and earnings of \$12,431,900 (including the Saudi Cup). It was announced at the beginning of 2020 that Coolmore had purchased half-interest in both his racing and breeding rights. He is available for inspection by breeders at Ashford.

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JOCKEYS' GUILD BEGINS LEGAL ACTION PERTAINING TO NEW JERSEY CROP USE

In light of the New Jersey Racing Commission (NJRC)'s decision and applicable new regulation to eliminate the use of the riding crop but for safety purposes in Thoroughbred racing, the Jockeys' Guild has retained the services of Rivkin Radler LLP in Hackensack, N.J., to take legal action. A notice of appeal of the Commission's new regulation was filed Nov. 5, 2020, in the Superior Court of New Jersey, Appellate Division.

As the organization representing jockeys throughout the U.S., the safety of both equine and human athletes are paramount and of the utmost importance to the Jockeys' Guild.

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According to the organization, the Jockeys' Guild and its members are adamantly opposed to any animal abuse, and any person who does so should be fully punished for such occurrences. However, the jockeys must be afforded the discretion to use the riding crop in a responsible manner to safely control the horse and do what is in the best interest of the integrity of the sport.



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A Steward will determine when a jockey has violated the new rule and the extent of the fine or sanction, which the Jockeys' Guild believes is unfair and subject to enhanced--not reduced--safety concerns.

"We strongly believe the rule adopted by the New Jersey Racing Commission will have serious consequences and could result in even greater risks and dangers for both the horses and jockeys," said Guild Co-Chairman, John Velazquez. "There are many instances when we need to be able to use the riding crop to prevent a dangerous situation from occurring that is not able to be seen or known by those who are not on the horse's back. While purported to focus on the welfare of the horse, by not considering these instances, the new rule actually disregards the safety of the jockey and the horse.

"The Guild is extremely disappointed by the actions taken by the NJRC. The Guild believes its comments and concerns were not considered and that the NJRC insisted on rushing to adopt a rule that the Guild strongly believes is not only unsafe for the horse and jockey, but also a dangerous precedent and inconsistent with any other jurisdiction in the U.S.

"We believe the Commission failed to have any meaningful dialogue or recognize any input from us as the jockeys who are risking our lives," said Guild board member and long-time New Jersey jockey Joe Bravo. "We feel that the Commission completely ignored our pleas for compromise, which is disrespectful and disheartening."

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TRF ELECTS THREE NEW BOARD MEMBERS

The Thoroughbred Retirement Foundation has announced the election of Anita Motion, John B. Cannie, Esq., and Sarah Stein to the organization's Board of Directors. The TRF Board provides leadership for carrying out the Foundation's mission to save Thoroughbred horses no longer able to compete on the racetrack from possible neglect, abuse, and slaughter.

"On behalf of the TRF Board of Directors, I warmly welcome Anita, John and Sarah" shared Patrick H. Mackay, Chairman of the Board. "Each of them is a valuable addition to the TRF's leadership. We appreciate the diversity and perspective they each bring to the organization. Their experience and backgrounds will most certainly strengthen our Board."

Anita Motion was born in Colchester, England. After a career as an exercise rider in England and France where she specialized in the early training of young Thoroughbreds, she emigrated to the U.S. with her future husband Graham. Her riding career ended after a back injury, so she now concentrates on the business aspect of Herringswell Stables.

"I am thrilled to join the board of an organization that is very close to my heart and looking forward to becoming more involved," said Motion. "I am very impressed with the direction the TRF has gone in the last few years and I am proud to add my name to the foundation that takes a lead role in Thoroughbred retirement and lifelong care."



Anita Motion

Sarah Stein resides in Baltimore, Md. and is an accomplished horsewoman. She grew up riding and showing horses and has long been involved with training and riding steeplechase horses and foxhunters. She managed Green Spring Valley Hunt Club Stables from 2000-2009 and earned a degree in Drug and Alcohol Counseling in 2014. She was the Program Manager for the TRF Second Chances Program in Sykesville, Md. from 2016-2020. **Cont. p17**

“I am honored to be a part of an organization that not only serves horses, but also serves people,” Stein said. “I have seen the profound impact the horses have had on the participants of the Second Chances Programs. I look forward to being a part of expanding the ways in which TRF can reach and change more people’s lives.”

John B. Cannie, Esq. is an attorney with the Law Office of Snyder, Kiley, Toohey, Corbett & Cox, LLP in Saratoga Springs, N.Y. He and his wife Brooke reside in Saratoga, are both passionate about horses and have spent many years around the Thoroughbred industry. Her family has been involved in Thoroughbred racing for generations; her father is Billy Badgett and her stepfather is Mark Hennig. John earned his law degree at the University of Kentucky College of Law.

“Horses and horse racing have been a lifelong source of joy for me and my family,” Cannie said. “Joining the TRF Board enables me to return some of that joy to the equine athletes who have worked so hard to support this industry and deserve a long, safe and happy retirement from the racetrack.”

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DORRIAN AND CRADY HONORED WITH RTCA WHITE HORSE AWARDS



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The Race Track Chaplaincy of America (RTCA) has named this year’s White Horse Award winners, which honor heroism on behalf of human or horse. Honored this year are **Victoria Don Dorrian**, winner of the White Horse Award, and **Erin Crady**, winner of the Community Service Award.

Dorrian earned her moment of heroism in September, 2019, when a loose horse at Prairie Meadows escaped from the track and ended up on interstate 80, running toward oncoming traffic. Dorrian threw herself into harm’s way and eventually captured the horse. [Click to see more on her story.](#)

“[Dorrian] showed poise and dedication like all true horsemen in such a situation by being calm and ready to act, even in a dangerous situation,” said Jon Moss, Iowa HBPA’s executive director. “The Iowa HBPA who nominated her for the award are immensely proud of her actions and how it demonstrated that horsemen are dedicated to not only their own, but to everyone’s horses at the track.”

Crady, executive director of the Thoroughbred Charities of America (TCA), won the Community Service Award for her continued support of racetrack chaplaincies.

“TCA helps so many non-profit organizations in the Thoroughbred industry to improve the lives of horses and those who take care of them,” said RTCA Executive Director Dan Waits. “[Crady] has always been an advocate of the Chaplaincy and partners with our national office and several local chaplaincies to get backstretch and farm employees the help they need.”

Due to the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic, the traditional White Horse Awards ceremony will not be held. This is the 18th year RTCA has honored winners with these awards.

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GRANTS PASS DOWNS LAUNCHING GAMING, ENTERTAINMENT VENUE NEXT TO TRACK

The Flying Lark, a gaming, entertainment and dining venue is coming to Grants Pass Downs in fall 2021, the track announced Tuesday. Founded by entrepreneur and Grants Pass native Travis Boersma as part of a larger effort to revitalize the horse racing industry in Oregon, The Flying Lark will be located next to Grants Pass Downs at the southwest corner of the Josephine County Fairgrounds. The Flying Lark will boast a full-service family restaurant, a grab-and-go restaurant, a sports bar, a gaming bar, a state-of-the-art gaming floor, banquet facilities and art pieces by regional artists.

The establishment is named after local racing icon Don Jackson’s legendary Oregon Thoroughbred who led the nation in wins for two years in the 1980s.

“We’re really looking forward to the impact The Flying Lark will make both economically and culturally to our local community and the state of Oregon,” said Boersma, CEO and founder of Grants Pass Downs and The Flying Lark.

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ROSTER AND STUD FEES SET FOR OCALA STUD



Girvin | Sarah Andrew

Ocala Stud has set 2021 stud fees for its roster of 16 stallions for the upcoming breeding season, led by **Girvin** (Tale of Ekati), whose fee will be \$6,000 S&N for his third year at stud. Ocala Stud will welcome new stallions in Grade I-winning millionaires **Win Win Win** (Hat Trick {Jpn}) and **Seeking the Soul** (Perfect Soul {Ire}), who will both stand for \$5,000 S&N, and also new is the stakes-winning **Dak Attack** (Ghostzapper), whose fee will be \$2,500 S&N.

Girvin saw his first foals arrive in 2020. He has covered 273 mares in his first two books--he was Florida's most popular stallion of 2019, breeding 149 mares that season and he was bred to 124 mares in 2020.

Like Girvin, **Awesome Slew** (Awesome Again) welcomed first foals in 2020. He will stand for \$4,000 S&N.

Adios Charlie (Indian Charlie), a perennial leading sire in Florida, will stand for \$4,000 S&N. The Sunshine State's No. 1 sire in 2019, Adios Charlie is a top five sire again in 2020.

Also standing for \$4,000 S&N are **Jess's Dream** (Curlin), who has first-crop 2-year-olds in 2020; GISW **Noble Bird** (Birdstone), who will be represented by first 2-year-olds in the coming year; and **The Big Beast** (Yes It's True), Florida's second-ranked first-crop sire of 2019.

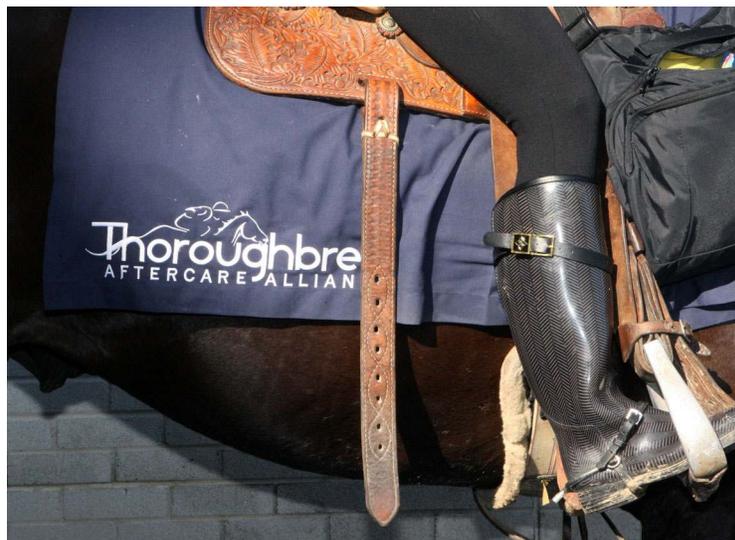
Ocala Stud's roster also includes: **Ami's Flatter** (\$2,500); **Awesome of Course** (\$2,000); **Battalion Runner** (\$1,500); **Brooks n Down** (\$1,500); **Fort Loudon** (\$1,500); **Greenpointcrusader** (\$3,500); and **In Summation** (\$2,500).

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TAA ACCREDITS 34 AFTERCARE ORGANIZATIONS

Officials at the Thoroughbred Aftercare Alliance (TAA) announced Tuesday that 34 Thoroughbred aftercare organizations have been awarded accreditation, including 26

previously accredited organizations and eight that received accreditation for the first time. TAA-accredited organizations undergo a thorough application and inspection process prior to accreditation. Once accredited, they are eligible to receive financial grants to support Thoroughbreds in their care. The TAA has awarded \$17.2 million in grants to accredited organizations since 2012.



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"We congratulate the aftercare organizations that earned TAA accreditation this year, including the new organizations joining the TAA roster," TAA President John Phillips said. "We are proud to have a total of 81 accredited organizations across North America representing the gold standard in Thoroughbred aftercare. As our list of organizations receiving TAA funding increases, we ask industry participants to continue to support the TAA as we in turn fund these amazing accredited aftercare organizations and their 170 facilities."

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1	Nyquist (2013) by Uncle Mo	1	2	1	2	1	2	30	12	1,235,500	1,828,643
										Vequist	
2	Laoban (2013) by Uncle Mo	2	4	1	3	1	2	25	6	365,000	969,814
										Simply Ravishing	
3	Not This Time (2014) by Giant's Causeway	1	3	1	2	1	1	39	13	363,000	847,040
										Princess Noor	
4	Upstart (2012) by Flatter	--	2	--	1	--	1	36	14	159,600	641,039
										Reinvestment Risk	
5	Frosted (2012) by Tapit	--	3	--	2	--	1	31	9	90,144	513,005
										Travel Column	
6	Outwork (2013) by Uncle Mo	1	1	--	--	--	--	33	10	89,940	480,549
										Samborella	
7	Brody's Cause (2013) by Giant's Causeway	2	3	1	2	--	--	18	4	165,520	363,348
										Sittin On Go	
8	Speightster (2012) by Speightstown	1	2	--	--	--	--	36	8	60,299	358,854
										Fabricate	
9	Exaggerator (2013) by Curlin	--	1	--	--	--	--	40	7	57,000	327,227
										Color of Dawn	
10	Air Force Blue (2013) by War Front	--	--	--	--	--	--	17	7	72,650	309,546
										Guana Cay	
11	Jess's Dream (2012) by Curlin	--	1	--	--	--	--	18	4	135,400	264,916
										Restofthestory	
12	Mosler (2011) by War Front	1	1	--	--	--	--	16	5	84,090	252,335
										Miss Nondescript	
13	Cinco Charlie (2012) by Indian Charlie	1	2	--	--	--	--	22	9	59,712	239,053
										Huntsinger	
14	Uncle Lino (2013) by Uncle Mo	--	--	--	--	--	--	12	5	85,625	238,313
										Singlino	
15	Hit It a Bomb (2013) by War Front	1	2	1	2	--	1	10	2	150,000	234,256
										Weston	

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9th-CD, \$85K, Msw, 3yo/up, 6f, 5:06 p.m. ET

Blue-blooded **CENTRIFUGE (Tapit)**, a \$700,000 KEESEP yearling purchase, makes his belated debut for Rodolphe Brisset. The half-brother to dual Grade I-winning and sophomore sire Honor Code (A.P. Indy) is out of SW Serena's Cat (Storm Cat), a daughter of multiple-stakes winning Serena's Tune (Mr. Prospector) and a granddaughter of 1995 Champion 3-year-old Filly and Hall of Famer Serena's Song (Rahy). Serena's Cat, a \$1.4-million KEENOV purchase in 2003, is also responsible for Noble Tune (Unbridled's Song), a two-time graded winner and runner-up in the 2012 GI Breeders's Cup Juvenile Turf. **TJCIS PPs**

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IN ORDER OF PURSE:

3rd-Indiana Grand, \$32,500, Alw, 11-10, (NW2L), 2yo, f, 7 1/2ft, 1:33.15, fm, 1 3/4 lengths.

XTREMA (f, 2, Exaggerator--Gold N Eskimo, by Seeking the Gold), looking to become her sire's (by Curlin) 13th winner, lingered in seventh early through moderate opening fractions. Three wide rounding the home turn, she improved her position through the lane and edged into the clear late, scoring by 1 3/4 lengths over Pharoah's Gold (American Pharoah). The juvenile is out of multiple graded stakes winner Gold N Eskimo who is also responsible for a yearling filly by Hard Spun. Sales history: \$55,000 Ylg '19 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 5-2-0-0, \$55,338.

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O-Big Chief Racing, LLC, Rocker O Ranch, LLC & J. Keith Desormeaux; B-K. C. Garrett Farm (KY); T-J. Keith Desormeaux.

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IN ORDER OF PURSE:

1st-Parx Racing, \$40,250, Msw, 11-10, 2yo, f, 1m 70y, 1:45.81, ft, 2 1/4 lengths.

PEYTON ELIZABETH (f, 2, Flatter--Aurora Prospect, by Arch) finished third in her career debut going seven panels over this track in September and improved one position in her latest stretching past a mile Oct. 5. A half-step slow at the break, the John Servis trainee settled off the outside hip of leader Bravo Peyton (Congrats) through initial fractions of :24.31 and :48.28. Up to engage the leader turning for home, the 6-5 chalk gained a narrow advantage in the stretch and drew clear late to defeat her rival by 2 1/4 lengths. The winner's dam, Aurora Prospect, produced a filly by Mineshaft in 2019 followed by a Cross Traffic colt this term. Sales history: \$155,000 Ylg '19 FTKJUL. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-1, \$36,400. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

O-Cash is King LLC, D. J. Stable LLC & LC Racing LLC; B-Heather M Takahashi (KY); T-John C. Servis.

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4th-Indiana Grand, \$33,000, (S), Msw, 11-10, 2yo, 6f, 1:13.36, ft, 5 3/4 lengths.

COMPASS POINT (g, 2, Liam's Map--Jazz Jam {GB} {SW-Eng}, by Pivotal {GB}), fourth sprinting 5 1/2 panels in the slop here Oct. 28, was installed the 2-5 choice this time. Quickly away, the gelding stalked pacesetter Vice Cop (Skylord) through a quarter in :23.43. At the throatlatch of Blazen Justice (Wicked Strong) as



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Vice Cop continued to show the way at the quarter pole, Compass Point was fanned out five wide on the turn, dispensed with his nearest rival and blew past the tiring leader late to score by a widening 5 3/4 lengthths over Blazen Justice, who nailed Vice Cop in the final strides. The winner is a half to Elegancia (Mr Speaker), SW-PR, \$100,195. Sales history: \$15,000 Ylg '19 FTKOCT. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$21,450. **Click for the Equibase.com.**

O-Marion F. Gorham; B-Chris S Hancock (IN); T-Robert M. Gorham.

9th-Indiana Grand, \$31,000, Msw, 11-10, 2yo, f, 6f, 1:10.87, ft, 1/2 length.

GULF COAST (f, 2, Union Rags--Sweet Success {GSP, \$125,260}, by Candy Ride {Arg}), debuting for Rodolphe Brisset, was a three-wide fifth as 1-2 choice Smarmy (Liam's Map), a \$700,000 OBSAPR juvenile purchase, was prompted by Trumpet Lilly (Carpe Diem) through an opening quarter in :22.12. With the top two battling for supremacy around the home turn and down the lane, Gulf Coast began to make headway, and while Smarmy appeared to be the winner in the final sixteenth, it was Gulf Coast who inhaled her rival late to best the favorite by a length. Trumpet Lilly held third. GSP dam Sweet Success is responsible for a yeraling filly by Honor Code and was barren in 2020. She was bred back to City of Light. Sales history: \$240,000 Ylg '19 KEESEP; \$300,000 2yo '20 OBSMAR. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$18,600. **Click for the Equibase.com chart.**

O-WinStar Stablemates Racing LLC; B-G. Watts Humphrey Jr. & W. S. Farish (KY); T-Rodolphe Brisset.

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FIRST-CROP STARTERS TO WATCH: WEDNESDAY, NOV. 11

Bernster (Storm Cat), Gallegos Del Norte Ranch, private
7 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners
5-Zia, \$50K New Mexico Classic Cup Lassie Championship S., 6f,
RAGTIME RYTHM, 10-1

Dowsing (Jpn) (Deep Impact {Jpn}), Holden Farm, \$25,000
15 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners
2-Indiana Grand, Msw 1m, BOOK OF ROMEO, 30-1

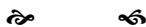
Majestic Harbor (Rockport Harbor), Harris Farms, \$2,500
15 foals of racing age/4 winners/0 black-type winners
2-Indiana Grand, Msw 1m, ALIAS REX, 20-1

Marking (Bernardini), A & A Ranch, \$3,500
30 foals of racing age/3 winners/1 black-type winner
5-Zia, \$50K New Mexico Classic Cup Lassie Championship S., 6f,
SASSY GAL, 3-1

Tourist (Tiznow), WinStar Farm, \$7,500
97 foals of racing age/8 winners/0 black-type winners
6-Mahoning Valley, Msw 6f, BRILLIANT JOURNEY, 8-1

SECOND-CROP STARTERS TO WATCH: WEDNESDAY, NOV. 11

Fast Anna (Medaglia d'Oro), Three Chimneys Farm, \$10,000
142 foals of racing age/39 winners/4 black-type winners
9-Churchill Downs, Msw 6f, SCOFFLAW, 50-1
\$7,000 FTK OCT yrl



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IN MAINLAND CHINA:

Qian Cheng Si Jin, f, 2, **Brody's Cause**--Silver Bean, by Silver Deputy. Wuhan, 11-07, 1200m (A\$10,395), 1:16.84. O-An Zhiqiang. B-C. Kidder & N. Cole (KY). **VIDEO**. *\$43,000 Ylg '18 KEEJAN; \$40,000 Ylg '19 KEESEP.

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CLASICO DIA DEL VETERANO S., \$46,300, Camarero, 11-8, (S),
4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:48.59, sy.

1--**REGALADA**, 121, m, 5, by **Hockenheim--Transformadora**, by **Van Nistelrooy**. O-L.A.R. Stable, Corp.; B-Luis Archilla (PR);
T-Eric A. Betancourt; J-Juan C. Diaz. \$26,854. Lifetime Record:
Ch. 3yo Filly-PR, 17-12-2-1, \$251,967.

2--**Wonderful Lady**, 117, f, 4, Window Boy--Fiesta Napkin, by
Wild Event. O-RMV Stable PR; B-Hacienda Los Nietos, Inc (PR);
T-Rene Serrano. \$9,260.

3--**Fiesta de Reyes**, 116, m, 7, Elusive Chris--Fiesta Napkin, by
Wild Event. O-Agrinzoni Racing; B-Hacienda Los Nietos, Inc.
(PR); T-Luis A. Ramirez. \$4,630.

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999	Collected	Final Redemption	2024	Unified	Sotique
1041	Unified	Jill's Firebird	2045	Mohaymen	Teryns Song
1059	Union Rags	Lady Mariah	2083	Collected	Will Ye Go Lassie
1104	Collected	Miss Spinks	2120	Unified	Black Escort
1129	Collected	One in a Romp	2140	Unified	Celestial Smile
1138	Noble Mission (GB)	Pick and Choose	2161	Honor Code	Copper Beauty
1140	Honor Code	Platinum Bride	2164	Unified	Coratina
1146	Honor Code	Princess Kennedy	2189	Mr Speaker	Dixie Dear
1221	Mr Speaker	Sweetness 'n Sugar	2206	Karakontie (JPN)	Fashion's Crossing
1278	Collected	Androeah	2211	Mohaymen	Figureta (ARG)
1325	Collected	Built in a Day	2360	Collected	Port Charlotte
1337	Honor Code	Champagne Gal	2440	Karakontie (JPN)	Starlight Tiara
1343	Honor Code	Cloak of Secrecy	2493	Collected	Usrah
1345	Union Rags	Come Follow Me	2583	Karakontie (JPN)	Court Appeal
1346	Honor Code	Complicated	2625	Mohaymen	Funshineinmypocket
1357	Union Rags	Dame Marie	2870	Karakontie (JPN)	Trustee
1408	Noble Mission (GB)	Gianna Schicchi	2943	Noble Mission (GB)	Carolina South
1470	Collected	Leisure	2959	Mr Speaker	Communique
1543	Collected	Paluxy Princess	3173	Karakontie (JPN)	Surf
1620	Collected	Sweet Tooth Haven	3236	Karakontie (JPN)	Bristol's Brooke
1670	Collected	Acapella	3444	Mohaymen	Haamaat (IRE)
1770	Collected	Dream of Bertie	3475	Tamarkuz	Kanotwait
1816	Collected	Good News Today	3581	Unified	Sassy Redhead
1888	Unified	Maren's Melody	3637	Noble Mission (GB)	Volatility Index
1895	Unified	Minewander			
1922	Unified	Nawlins Kitty			
1923	Collected	Need an Ange			
1995	Karakontie (JPN)	Salute the Warrior			
2003	Unified	Seeking Luck			

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ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

9th-Parx Racing, \$41,000, 11-10, (NW1X), 3yo/up, f/m, 1m 70y, 1:43.15, ft, 3 1/4 lengths.

SLINGIN SAMMY B (f, 4, Cross Traffic--Flashy Gray {MGSP, \$196,100}, by Flashy Bull) Lifetime Record: 26-7-6-1, \$117,502. O-John Fanelli; B-Spendthrift Farm LLC (KY); T-Joseph Taylor. *\$20,000 Ylg '17 KEESEP.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Hard Luck Justice, g, 2, Harry's Holiday--Grace of Gold, by Cactus Ridge. Indiana Grand, 11-10, (S), 6f, 1:11.83. B-Justice Farm, Greg Justice (IN). *Fourth winner for freshman sire (by Harlan's Holiday).

Speedy Wildcat, f, 2, Marking--Wildcat Diva, by Forest Wildcat. Zia, 11-10, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:03.99. B-J. Kirk & Judy Robison (NM). *1/2 to Wheredoesthecashgo (Southwestern Heat), SW, \$220,855; Diabolical King (Diabolical), SW, \$157,243; and Liberty Lover (Diabolical), MSW, \$356,917. **Fourth winner for freshman sire (by Bernardini).

Meltdown, g, 3, Bob's Star--Antagoniz'em, by Bertrando. Indiana Grand, 11-10, (S), 6f, 1:12.65. B-South River Ranch(IN).

Salted Revenge, m, 5, Domestic Dispute--With a Little Salt, by Dixie Road. Indiana Grand, 11-9, (S), 6f, 1:14.51. B-Merrill Roberts (IN). *\$7,500 RNA Ylg '16 FTKOCT.



BOB'S STAR, Meltdown, g, 3, o/o Antagoniz'em, by Bertrando. MSW, 11-10, Indiana Grand



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CROSS TRAFFIC, Slingin Sammy B, f, 4, o/o Flashy Gray, by Flashy Bull. ALW, 11-10, Parx Racing

DOMESTIC DISPUTE, Salted Revenge, m, 5, o/o With a Little Salt, by Dixie Road. MSW, 11-9, Indiana Grand

EXAGGERATOR, Xtrema, f, 2, o/o Gold N Eskimo, by Seeking the Gold. ALW, 11-10, Indiana Grand

FLATTER, Peyton Elizabeth, f, 2, o/o Aurora Prospect, by Arch. MSW, 11-10, Parx Racing

HARRY'S HOLIDAY, Hard Luck Justice, g, 2, o/o Grace of Gold, by Cactus Ridge. MSW, 11-10, Indiana Grand

HOCKENHEIM, Regalada, m, 5, o/o Transformadora, by Van Nistelrooy. GII Clasico Dia del Veterano S., 11-8, Camarero

LIAM'S MAP, Compass Point, g, 2, o/o Jazz Jam (GB), by Pivotal (GB). MSW, 11-10, Indiana Grand

MARKING, Speedy Wildcat, f, 2, o/o Wildcat Diva, by Forest Wildcat. MSW, 11-10, Zia

UNION RAGS, Gulf Coast, f, 2, o/o Sweet Success, by Candy Ride (Arg). MSW, 11-10, Indiana Grand

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Lope de Vega (Ire) (Shamardal), who has enjoyed a stellar year with his progeny on the track, has seen his fee increased to €125,000 from €100,000 at Ballylinch Stud in Ireland. In 2020, the sire of 77 black-type winners total, has enjoyed four Group 1 winners, including juveniles Lucky Vega (Ire) in the G1 Phoenix S. and Aunt Pearl (Ire) in the G1 Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies Turf. Previous Grade I winner Newspaperofrecord (Ire) scored in the G1 Just a Game S. Stateside and Gytrash (Aus) saluted in the G1 Lightning S. Down Under. Overall, there have been 18 black-type winners by the Ballylinch resident in 2020, 12 at the group or graded level.

Freshman sire **New Bay (GB)** (Dubawi {Ire})'s fee has been set at €20,000. The 8-year-old is already on the black-type board with group winners New Mandate (Ire) and Saffron Beach (Ire), while two other first-crop juveniles have placed at listed level.

Arc hero **Waldgeist (GB)** (Galileo {Ire})'s first foals will soon be at the breeding stock sales. He covered 117 mares in his first season with 63 stakes performers or producers in the book and will stand for €17,500.

G1 Prix du Jockey Club hero Mishriff (Ire) was the star performer for **Make Believe (GB)** (Makfi {GB}), whose eldest foals are sophomores. Mishriff was supported by Group 3 winners Rose of Kildare (Ire) and Believe in Love (Ire), as well as a brace of additional group-placed 3-year-olds. **Cont. p2**

JUDDMONTE REVEALS 2021 FEES

The five-strong Juddmonte 2021 stallion roster, led by **Frankel (GB)** (Galileo {Ire})—the youngest stallion to sire 40 group winners in history, was announced on Tuesday. The Juddmonte wunderkind is siring 11% group winners to runners and 15% black-type winners to runners, and he will stand for an unchanged fee of £175,000 in 2021. At the sales, his highest-priced filly brought 2 million gns, while he also had a colt knocked down for 1.1 million gns during the recent Tattersalls October Yearling Sale Book 1.

Although his oldest foals are only four, **Kingman (GB)** (Invincible Spirit {Ire}) has already sired two Classic winners, striking with Fearless King (GB) in the G2 German 2000 Guineas this season, one of 14 black-type winners this term. He was also represented by Group 1 milers Persian King (Ire) and Palace Pier (GB). The 9-year-old sired a trio of seven-figure yearlings, with a 2.7 million gns colt, a 1.45 million gns filly and a €1.1 million colt. His stud fee of £150,000, like Frankel's, is unchanged. **Cont. p2**

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EUROPEAN NEWS

Ballylinch Cont. from p1

His fee is €15,000.

Rounding out the roster is first-season sire and MG1SW

Fascinating Rock (Ire) (Fastnet Rock {Aus}) at €5,000. From just 16 runners so far in 2020, he has sired three winners and it is notable he did his best running as an 4- and 5-year-old.

“We are thrilled with the results of our stallions this year, and very grateful to the breeders who made these achievements possible,” said Ballylinch’s John O’Connor. “We feel we have priced our stallions fairly to give breeders every opportunity to continue our shared successes into the future. Lope de Vega’s rise to the very top of the stallion ranks continues. This year’s crop of 2-year-olds included his 11th and 12th Group 1 winners.”

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Juddmonte 2021 Roster Cont. from p1

Group 1 winner **Expert Eye (GB)** (Acclamation {GB}), whose oldest progeny will soon go under the hammer at the foal sales is priced at £12,500. The G2 Vintage S. victor has 22 set to be offered at Tattersalls and another 10 at Goffs.

Roster veteran **Oasis Dream (GB)** (Green Desert) reached several important milestones in 2020, siring his 200th black-type performer in the juvenile colt Erasmo (GB), while his fillies have produced over 100 black-type performers including G1 Irish 2000 Guineas winner Siskin (First Defence), G1 Melbourne Cup winner Twilight Payment (Ire) (Teofilo {Ire}) G1 Cox Plate winner Sir Dragonet (Ire) (Camelot {GB}) and Group 1 winner Tawkeel (GB) (Teofilo {Ire}). Oasis Dream will stand for £20,000 and boasts 10% black-type winners to runners.

Consistent sire **Bated Breath (GB)** (Dansili {GB}) has accumulated 18 black-type performers and four group winners in 2020, included French group winners Cairn Gorm (GB) and Makaloun (Fr) with the latter also Group 1 placed. He will stand for £12,500.

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Frankel (GB), who achieved a significant landmark in 2020 when he became the fastest stallion to sire 40 Group winners, will stand for £175,000 in 2021. | Bronwen Healy/Juddmonte



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IN TDN AUS/NZ TODAY

MIKKI ISLE COLT TOPS MAGICS

A colt by Mikki Isle (Jpn) topped the Magic Millions 2-Year-Olds in Training Sale at A\$500,000. [Click or tap here to go straight to TDN Aus/NZ.](#)

SEA THE MOON LEADS LANWADES 2021 ROSTER

Sea The Moon (Ger) (Sea The Stars {Ire}) anchors the Lanwades Stud roster in 2021. He is the sire of G1 Coronation S. heroine Alpine Star (Ire) this term, as well as MGSW Wonderful Moon (Ger) and GSW and Group 1 bridesmaid Quest the Moon (Ger) off a £15,000 fee. Despite the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic, the sire of 11 black-type winners to date will cover mares at £22,500 in 2021.

French Classic hero **Study of Man (Ire)** (Deep Impact {Jpn}) is expecting his first foals in 2021, and is priced at £12,500. Veteran sire **Sir Percy (GB)** (Mark of Esteem {Ire})'s fee is £7,000, while first-season sire **Bobby's Kitten (Kitten's Joy)**, who celebrated 10 winners and G2 Beresford S. second Monaasib (GB) so far this season, will stand for the same amount.

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Sea The Moon | Lanwades Stud

WAY TO PARIS 'A REAL COUP FOR IRISH BREEDERS'

by Chris McGrath

The evergreen **Way To Paris (GB)** (Champs Elysees {GB}–Grey Way, by Cozzene), who has proved better than ever this year, is finally to relinquish the service of his venerable owner Paolo Ferrario on the racetrack for a fresh start at Coolagown Stud in 2021.

The popular grey, who has one last assignment in the G1 Japan Cup later this month, made a deserved Group 1 breakthrough this summer in the Grand Prix de Saint-Cloud, having failed by just a head to run down subsequent Arc winner Sottsass (Fr) (Siyouni {Fr}) in the G1 Prix Ganay on his previous start.

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Way to Paris Cont.

But he had already extended an unbroken seam of high-class form through five seasons and, backed up by one of the most aristocratic families in the American Stud Book, will go to market as a highly eligible heir to his much-lamented sire.

The deal to stand Way To Paris in Co. Cork was brokered by Richard Venn, who extended his thanks to Ferrario's manager Paolo Picchi "for making the dream a reality."

The agent added, "Way To Paris had been on my radar for some time. As you can imagine, we had to fight off determined interest from several French studs. So to start off his stud career in Ireland is a real coup for Irish breeders. As his race record shows, he is a sound, consistent and talented individual at the highest level. In addition, he is an exceptional looker and has an excellent pedigree—he could be very interesting for Flat mares as well."

Way To Paris will be launched at €3,500, live foal, with a 50% concession for fillies. "His introductory fee really reflects what is currently going on in the world," Venn said. "And the ramifications it is having on our industry."

Way To Paris, bred by the Vittadini family of Grundy fame, is certainly eligible to prove influential in both codes. His sire, of course, belonged to one of the most remarkable group of siblings in the history of the breed; and his third dam is a full sister to champion Numbered Account. This is the Ogden Phipps family that has also produced Kentucky Derby winner Super Saver (Maria's Mon) and important earlier stallions in Woodman and Private Account. His first four dams, moreover, are by Cozzene, Nureyev, Buckpasser and Swaps, so really his genes are inlaid with Classic quality.

His own mother was herself a Group 2 winner in Italy, where she was anointed champion 3-year-old filly, and had already produced a dual Group 1 winner in Distant Way (Distant View). Significantly, while that horse registered his elite wins over 10 furlongs at the ages of five and six, he was already posting high-class form at three when a strong-finishing fourth of 15 in the G1 Derby Italiano. So the template was there for his half-brother.

Carrying the yellow and light blue silks long esteemed in his homeland, through Scuderia Fert, Way To Paris has banked over

£560,000 in prizemoney. In the hands of trainer Andrea Marcialis, and previously his father Antonio, Way To Paris has maintained his soundness and zest in beating 13 individual Group 1 winners while himself winning or placing 15 times at group level; and 21 times from 36 starts overall.

Perhaps his most flamboyant performance came in May, when he stormed home by 4 1/2 lengths in the G2 Grand Prix de Chantilly.

Pierre-Charles Boudot, who rode him that day and most of this season, said, "Way To Paris a strong horse who stays well and has a great turn of foot. He is a beautiful individual, a handsome grey with a lovely coat and a powerful physique. He is a determined horse who

handles all types of going. His strength is in his acceleration in a finish."

Champs Elysees, who sired elite winners on the Flat in Billesdon Brook (GB) and Trip To Paris (Ire), died in 2018 after his transfer to Castlehyde Stud had been avidly subscribed. Little wonder if Coolagown Stud manager David Stack is so enthused about his new recruit.

"I'm very grateful to Mr. Ferrario and Mr. Picchi for entrusting Way To Paris to Coolagown," he said. "When you speak to breeders they are looking for tough, honest, sound consistent horses and Way to Paris epitomised all these traits. If his offspring get a hint of his class and durability, then he will be a top-class sire.

"He's also a gorgeous-looking horse who stands 16.1 hands and has a wonderful temperament. I can't wait to show him off to breeders."



G1SW Way To Paris will stand at Coolagown Stud | Scoop Dyga

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CHARM SPIRIT ON THE MOVE TO FRANCE

MG1SW **Charm Spirit (Ire)** (Invincible Spirit {Ire}) will stand at Haras du Logis Saint-Germain in France next year, *Jour de Galop* reported on Tuesday. Previously a resident of Tweenhills Farm and Stud, his fee will be €7,000. Also a shuttle stallion to Windsor Park Stud in New Zealand, the 9-year-old has sired nine black-type winners, seven at the group level worldwide. He joins **French Fifteen (Fr)** (Turtle Bowl {Ire}) at the French nursery, who will command €5,000.

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14 ADDITIONAL FIXTURES ADDED TO UK CALENDAR

There will be 14 additional fixtures added to the UK racing calendar following approval by the Board of the British Horseracing Authority. The proposal was submitted by the Racecourse Association (RCA) which has the full support of the Horsemen's Group (HG). The fixtures have been added to shore up racecourse finances, as well as generate a positive return for the Horserace Betting Levy Board (HBLB). The 14 fixtures are as follows:

Flat Fixtures:

- 15/11/20 Southwell – Afternoon
- 22/11/20 Wolverhampton – Afternoon
- 23/11/20 Chelmsford City – Floodlit
- 24/11/20 Lingfield Park – Afternoon
- 30/11/20 Kempton Park – Afternoon
- 01/12/20 Newcastle – Afternoon
- 06/12/20 Southwell – Afternoon
- 07/12/20 Chelmsford City – Afternoon
- 08/12/20 Wolverhampton – Afternoon
- 13/12/20 Lingfield Park – Afternoon
- 14/12/20 Kempton Park – Floodlit
- 15/12/20 Newcastle – Afternoon

Jump Fixtures:

- 29/11/20 Ffos Las
- 20/12/20 Bangor-on-Dee

“These additional fixtures will give some relief in the most challenging of times to the racecourses that are staging them and to the horsemen who have additional opportunities to race,” said RCA Chief Executive David Armstron. “This is an excellent example of the industry working together for the common good and we are grateful to the Levy Board for its support.”

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TWO MORE WILD CARDS FOR ARQANA AUTUMN SALE

Debut winner **Hashtag Pretender (Fr)** (Great Pretender {Ire}) (lot 462) has been added to the Arqana Autumn Sale. The 3-year-old jumper is joined by G2 Prix Chaudenay third **Iskanderhon** (Exchange Rate) as lot 420. The latter finished second in the Listed Prix du Grand Camp on Nov. 9. The Arqana Autumn Sale is slated for Nov. 16-18, with the National Hunt Breeding Stock Sale tacked on at the end, Nov. 19.

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ON TRACK, OFF COURSE PODCAST DEBUTS

On Track, Off Course, a new weekly podcast series from Racing Welfare, features many big names from the racing industry, including Racing Broadcaster of the Year Lydia Hislop. Hislop speaks about the impact the recent death of her mother, Margaret, has had on her personal and professional life. Other speakers include George Baker, Francesca Cumani, and Ralph Beckett. The podcast will cover everything from grief and loneliness to addiction and social media. The first episode is available at www.soundcloud.com/ontrackoffcourse. The podcast can also be accessed on Spotify, Acast or on the Racing Welfare website at www.racingwelfare.co.uk/podcast.

“Grief, with its isolating and debilitating consequences, was the subject I discussed following the death of my mother earlier this year,” said Hislop. “However, it's a feeling we all experience at some point in our lives and this conversation is perhaps more urgent than ever in the year of the COVID-19 pandemic. I urge you to tune in weekly for this timely and courageous initiative. You never know when what's said will be of help to you or to someone whom you love.”

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FIRST-SEASON SIRE WITH RUNNERS

Wednesday, Nov. 11, 2020:

UNITED KINGDOM

Adaay (Ire) (Kodiac {GB}), Whitsbury Manor Stud
95 foals of racing age/21 winners/0 black-type winners
16:35-KEMPTON PARK, 7f, RAINBOW SIGN (GB)

Awtaad (Ire) (Cape Cross {Ire}), Derrinstown Stud
94 foals of racing age/10 winners/1 black-type winner
16:00-KEMPTON PARK, 7f, ALABAMA BOY (Ire)
Goffs November Foals Sale 2018; €35,000 Tattersalls Ireland September Yearlings 2019
18:05-KEMPTON PARK, 8f, GEMINGA (GB)

Belardo (Ire) (Lope de Vega {Ire}), Kildangan Stud
93 foals of racing age/11 winners/3 black-type winners
16:35-KEMPTON PARK, 7f, CORBULO (Ire)
€52,000 Goffs February Mixed Sale 2019; 32,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale 2019 - Book 2

Bobby's Kitten (Kitten's Joy), Lanwades Stud
78 foals of racing age/10 winners/0 black-type winners
16:35-KEMPTON PARK, 7f, BOBBY KENNEDY (GB)
£7,000 Goffs UK Premier & Silver Yearling Sale 2019

Estidhkaar (Ire) (Dark Angel {Ire}), Tara Stud
106 foals of racing age/9 winners/1 black-type winner
19:05-KEMPTON PARK, 6f, RANIA (Ire)
4,000gns Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2018; 3,500gns
Tattersalls October Yearling Sale 2019 - Book 3

Mehmas (Ire) (Acclamation {GB}), Tally-Ho Stud
146 foals of racing age/44 winners/4 black-type winners
16:35-KEMPTON PARK, 7f, MILLION REASONS (Ire)
€28,000 Tattersalls Ireland September Yearlings 2019

Pride Of Dubai (Aus) (Street Cry {Ire}), Coolmore Stud
122 foals of racing age/10 winners/5 black-type winners
18:05-KEMPTON PARK, 8f, MILLE MIGLIA (GB)

Shalaa (Ire) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}), Haras de Bouquetot
118 foals of racing age/16 winners/0 black-type winners
16:35-KEMPTON PARK, 7f, LA FORZA (GB)
25,000gns Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2018; 45,000gns
Tattersalls October Yearling Sale 2019 - Book 3

Vadamos (Fr) (Monsun {Ger}), Tally-Ho Stud
127 foals of racing age/8 winners/0 black-type winners
16:00-KEMPTON PARK, 7f, BIG BOY BOBBY (Ire)
€35,000 Goffs November Foals Sale 2018; €60,000 Tattersalls
Ireland September Yearlings 2019

FRANCE

Belardo (Ire) (Lope de Vega {Ire}), Kildangan Stud
93 foals of racing age/11 winners/3 black-type winners
2-TOULOUSE, 42K CRITERIUM DU LANGUEDOC - PRIX BERNARD
DE MARMIESSE1600m, BELLOCCIO (Fr)
€62,000 Arqana Deauville October Yearlings 2019
4-NIMES, 1900m, PAOLA STAR (Fr)
€9,000 Arqana Deauville October Yearlings 2019

Buratino (Ire) (Exceed And Excel {Aus}), Kildangan Stud
88 foals of racing age/11 winners/0 black-type winners
4-NIMES, 1900m, KARABAS BARABAS (Ire)
1,200gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale 2019 - Book 4

Dariyan (Fr) (Shamardal), Haras de Bonneval
69 foals of racing age/6 winners/0 black-type winners
4-NIMES, 1900m, FLORIYANE (Fr)
1-TOULOUSE, 1600m, LANDARYNA (Fr)
€10,000 Arqana Deauville October Yearlings 2019
1-MACHECOUL, 1600m, RUE JONAS (Fr)
€4,000 Arqana Deauville October Yearlings 2019; €8,500
Osarus 2yo Breeze-Up Sale, La Teste 2020

Goken (Fr) (Kendargent {Fr}), Haras de Colleville
61 foals of racing age/13 winners/2 black-type winners
2-TOULOUSE, 42K CRITERIUM DU LANGUEDOC - PRIX BERNARD
DE MARMIESSE1600m, TORTOLA (Fr)

€20,000 RNA Arqana Deauville v2 Yearling Sale 2019

Martinborough (Jpn) (Deep Impact {Jpn}), Haras de Grandcamp
49 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners
1-STRASBOURG, 2000m, MR RIEM (Fr)
€2,500 Arqana Deauville Autumn Mixed Sale 2019
1-SAINT-BRIEUC, 1700m, WISE MAN (Fr)

Morandi (Fr) (Holy Roman Emperor {Ire}), Haras du Mont
Goubert
60 foals of racing age/3 winners/0 black-type winners
1-SAINT-BRIEUC, 1700m, MILTON (Fr)

Shalaa (Ire) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}), Haras de Bouquetot
118 foals of racing age/16 winners/0 black-type winners
1-MACHECOUL, 1600m, ODEMIS (Fr)

Vadamos (Fr) (Monsun {Ger}), Tally-Ho Stud
127 foals of racing age/8 winners/0 black-type winners
1-STRASBOURG, 2000m, SHIRAZ (Fr)
€7,000 Arqana Summer Mixed Sale 2020

Vif Monsieur (Ger) (Doyen {Ire}), Haras de Longechaux
8 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners
1-STRASBOURG, 2000m, IVISHAK RIVER (Fr)

IRELAND

Air Force Blue (War Front), Ashford Stud
107 foals of racing age/12 winners/0 black-type winners
5-DUNDALK, 7f, MY BOY CHARLES
\$280,000 Fasig-Tipton New York Saratoga Select Yearling Sale
2019

Belardo (Ire) (Lope de Vega {Ire}), Kildangan Stud
93 foals of racing age/11 winners/3 black-type winners
3-DUNDALK, 8f, PROJECT TWO (Ire)
€42,000 Goffs November Foals Sale 2018; €40,000 Goffs Orby
Yearling Sale 2019

Bobby's Kitten (Kitten's Joy), Lanwades Stud
78 foals of racing age/10 winners/0 black-type winners
7-DUNDALK, 8f, ALICE KITTY (Ire)
€36,000 Goffs Sportsman's Yearling Sale 2019
3-DUNDALK, 8f, BLACK CAT BOBBY (GB)
20,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale 2019 - Book 3;
40,000gns RNA Tattersalls Ireland Goresbridge Breeze Up 2020

Buratino (Ire) (Exceed And Excel {Aus}), Kildangan Stud
88 foals of racing age/11 winners/0 black-type winners
7-DUNDALK, 8f, ALEKSEY TOLSTOY (Ire)
€25,000 RNA Tattersalls Ireland September Yearlings 2019;
32,000gns Tattersalls Guineas Breeze-Up Sale 2020
5-DUNDALK, 7f, SUMMER AMBITION (Ire)
€33,000 Goffs November Foals Sale 2018; €42,000 Goffs Orby
Yearling Sale 2019

5-DUNDALK, 7f, VIRTUAL HUG (Ire)
 €12,500 Goffs November Foals Sale 2018; €5,500 Tattersalls
 Ireland September Yearlings 2019

Mehmas (Ire) (Acclamation {GB}), Tally-Ho Stud
 146 foals of racing age/44 winners/4 black-type winners
 5-DUNDALK, 7f, DHA LEATH (Ire)
 1,500gns RNA Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2018
 5-DUNDALK, 7f, GOING GLOBAL (Ire)
 €15,500 Goffs Sportsman's Yearling Sale 2019

New Bay (GB) (Dubawi {Ire}), Ballylinch Stud
 77 foals of racing age/11 winners/2 black-type winners
 3-DUNDALK, 8f, OFFIAH (Ire)
 €50,000 Tattersalls Ireland September Yearlings 2019

Pride Of Dubai (Aus) (Street Cry {Ire}), Coolmore Stud
 122 foals of racing age/10 winners/5 black-type winners
 3-DUNDALK, 8f, AUNTY CEILY (Ire)
 €18,000 Goffs Sportsman's Yearling Sale 2019

Protectionist (Ger) (Monsun {Ger}), Gestut Rottgen
 36 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners
 3-DUNDALK, 8f, DUNMAIN POWER (Ire)

Twilight Son (GB) (Kyllachy {GB}), Cheveley Park Stud
 122 foals of racing age/17 winners/1 black-type winner
 3-DUNDALK, 8f, MS FRIZZLE (Ire)
 €1,750 Goffs February Mixed Sale 2019; €8,000 RNA Goffs
 Autumn Yearling Sale 2019



Goken has a runner in France on Wednesday | Haras de Colleville

OBSERVATIONS

on the European racing scene

HALF-SISTER TO MIDDAY DEBUTS AT KEMPTON

5.35 Kempton, Nov, £6,300, 2yo, f, 8f (AWT)

Khalid Abdullah's **MAYTAL (GB)** (**Sea the Stars {Ire}**) is kin to four black-type performers, headed by MG1SW distaffer Midday (GB) (Oasis Dream {GB}), and faces one dozen rivals in this debut for the Sir Michael Stoute yard. They include George Bolton and Will Farish's 850,000gns Tattersalls October Book 1 yearling **Positano (GB)** (**War Front**), who is a Roger Varian-trained half-sister to G1 Epsom Oaks heroine Qualify (Ire) (Fastnet Rock {Aus}).

6.35 Kempton, Nov, £6,300, 2yo, f, 8f (AWT)

The Queen's **COMPANIONSHIP (GB)** (**Galileo {Ire}**), one of 12 declarations for this second division of a split novices' heat, is an unraced daughter of G1 Galaxy H. heroine Sweet Idea (Aus) (Snitzel {Aus}) and opens up for William Haggas. Opposition features Lordship Stud's homebred debutante **Loving Dream (GB)** (**Gleneagles {Ire}**), who is a John Gosden-trained half-sister to GI American Oaks placegetter Amandine (GB) (Shamardal) out of G1 Moyglare Stud S. third Kissable (Ire) (Danehill Dancer {Ire}).

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BRITAIN

Tuesday's Results:

4th-Newcastle, £6,300, Nov, 11-10, 2yo, 8f 5y (AWT), 1:38.81, st.

MITHRAS (GB) (c, 2, **Dubawi {Ire}**--**Irish Rookie {Ire}** {**SW & G1SP-Eng, G1SP-Fr & GSP-Ire, \$289,733**}, by **Azamour {Ire}**), who was just off the board in starts at Sandown Aug. 23 and Newbury Sept. 19, raced in a prominent fourth from flagfall here. Nudged along to gain a slender advantage with 2 1/2 furlongs remaining, the 5-4 favourite was tackled by Movin Time (GB) (Fastnet Rock {Aus}) soon after and kept on well under a final-furlong drive to outpoint that rival by a length. He is the lone foal produced by stakes-winning G1 Poule d'Essai des Pouliches runner-up Irish Rookie (Ire) (Azamour {Ire}) and hails from the family of MG1SW sire Zafonic (Gone West) and MG1SP sire Zamindar (Gone West).

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★ TDN RISING STAR ★

Threat (Ire) (Footstepsinthesand {GB})

Owner: Cheveley Park Stud
 Breeder: La Lumiere Partnership (Ire)
 Trainer: Richard Hannon

4th-Newcastle Cont.

The February-foaled bay's dam is out of a half-sister to Listed Prix de Courcelles second Well Dressed (GB) (Sadler's Wells) and the stakes-placed dam of MGSW G1 Gran Premio di Milano third Exhibit One (Silver Hawk). Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$6,095.

Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.

O/B-Haras de Saint Pair (GB); T-John Gosden.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Holy Endeavour (Ire), f, 2, **Holy Roman Emperor (Ire)**--Incoming Call, by Red Ransom. Newcastle, 11-10, 7f 14y (AWT), 1:26.37. B-Macha Bloodstock & Ptn (IRE). *50,000gns Ylg '19 TATOCT. **1/2 to Missed Call (Ire) (Authorized {Ire}), SW & GSP-Eng, \$124,815.

FRANCE

Wednesday, Toulouse, post time: 2.35 p.m.

CRITERIUM DU LANGUEDOC - PRIX BERNARD DE MARMIESE-

Listed, €42,000, 2yo, 8fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	5	Belloccio (Fr)	Belardo (Ire)	Peslier	Menuisier	126
2	9	Jasmin Dore (Fr)	Holy Roman Emperor (Ire)	Boudot	Guillemin	126
3	7	Kergrist (Fr)	Milanaise (Fr)	Grosjean	de Montzey	126
4	3	Rocket Song (Fr)	Dream Ahead	Gavilan	Guillemin	126
5	4	Euphoria (Fr)	Sepoy (Aus)	Seguy	Rohaut	122
6	1	Tortola (Fr)	Goken (Fr)	Bachelot	Gadbin	122
7	6	Cirona (GB)	Maxios (GB)	Auge	Ferland	122
8	2	Marianasand (Fr)	Footstepsinthesand (GB)	Orani	Reynier	122
9	8	Ursuly (Ire)	Olympic Glory (Ire)	Guyon	Reynier	122

Tuesday's Results:

PRIX YACOWLEF-Listed, €42,000, Chantilly, 11-10, 2yo, 5 1/2fT, 1:09.73, hy.

1--SUESA (IRE), 121, f, 2, by Night of Thunder (Ire)

1st Dam: Sally Is The Boss (Ire), by Orpen

2nd Dam: White Satin (Ire), by Fairy King

3rd Dam: Canton Lightning (Ire), by Rheingold (GB)

1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN. (€17,000 Wlg '18 GOFNOV). O-Mme Georgina Cabrero; B-Thomastown Farm Ltd (IRE); T-Carlos Laffon-Parias; J-Olivier Peslier. €21,000. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, €32,000.

2--Total Knockout (Fr), 125, c, 2, Exosphere (Aus)--Bahama Mama (Ire), by Invincible Spirit (Ire). (€20,000 Ylg '19 ARAUG). O-Jonathan Temam; B-SCA Elevage de Tourgeville, Mme Hilary Erculiani & Mme Pierre Lepeudry (FR); T-Frederic Rossi. €8,400.

3--Night Hunting (Fr), 121, f, 2, Amarillo (Ire)--Italica (Fr, by Slickly (Fr). O-Its All About The Girls Racing, Mme Meta Cantillon & Nicolas Clement; B-Didier Bouquill & Andre

Ladeveze (FR); T-Nicolas Clement. €6,300.

Margins: 2, 2, 3/4. Odds: 9.00, 12.00, 11.00.

Also Ran: Dense Star (Ire), Ideal Beauty (Ire), Big Freeze (Fr), Scarface (Fr), La Discoteca (Ire), Treena (Fr), Ariebeau (Ger), Flamix (Fr).

Suesa secured an Oct. 13 debut triumph going six furlongs in a heavy-ground newcomers' heat at this venue in her only prior start and remained on an upward curve with an impressive score in this stakes bow. Breaking well from the outside gate to race third in the far side group, she pounced for the lead at the furlong marker and was ridden clear to assert for a career high.

Suesa is the fourth of six foals, one of two scorers and the leading performer produced by an unraced half-sister to Listed Radley S. third Sheboygan (Ire) (Grand Lodge) out of Listed Tyros S. third White Satin (Ire) (Fairy King). From a family featuring MG1SW siblings Barathea (Ire) (Sadler's Wells) and Gossamer (GB) (Sadler's Wells), the April-foaled bay is a half-sister to Spanish champion 2-year-old colt Valle Inclan (Ire) (Elusive Pimpernel), a yearling filly by Estidhkaar (Ire) and a weanling colt by The Last Lion (Ire). **Click for the Racing Post result. Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**



Suesa | Scoop Dyga

2nd-Chantilly, €22,000, Mdn, 11-10, 2yo, c/g, 8f (AWT), 1:38.30, st.

MEDIA STREAM (GB) (c, 2, Frankel {GB})--Very Good News, by Empire Maker broke on terms from the outside stall and chased the leaders in fifth after the initial exchanges of this first go. Making headway under pressure in the straight, the 41-10 chance was ridden into contention approaching the final furlong and swooped late to deny Ethnic Type (Ire) (Fast Company {Ire}) by an ultimately snug half-length. The fifth of seven foals, he becomes the second scorer for his unraced dam and is a full-brother to G1 Irish St Leger runner-up Weekender (GB) and a yearling colt. **Cont. p9**

2nd-Chantilly Cont.

Also half to weanling filly by Kingman (GB), the April-foaled homebred is a grandson of storied matriarch Hasili (Ire) (Kahyasi {Ire}). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, €11,000. **Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

1ST-TIME STARTER. O-Khalid Abdullah; B-Juddmonte Farms (GB); T-Andre Fabre.

7th-Chantilly, €22,000, Mdn, 11-10, 2yo, f, 8f (AWT), 1:38.78, st. CAFE FLEUR (FR) (f, 2, Myboycharlie {Ire}--Flores Del Lago {Ire}, by Encosta de Lago {Aus}), who ran ninth going one mile on the Saint-Cloud turf in her Sept. 19 unveiling last time, held a rail position in fourth after breaking from the inside gate. Angled out for a clear passage passing the two pole, the 93-10 chance was stoked up with 300 metres remaining and kept on strongly for continued rousting in the latter stages to deny Sentimental Mambo (GB) (Deep Impact {Jpn}) by a half-length nearing the line. She becomes the fourth winner from as many foals out of a winning half-sister to MGSW GI Woodbine Mile runner-up Ferneley (Ire) (Ishiguru). Descendants of her third dam Tochar Ban (Assert {Ire}) include G1 Irish 1000 Guineas and GI E. P. Taylor S. heroine Just The Judge (Ire) (Lawman {Fr}) and GSW G1 Epsom Oaks and G1 Coronation Cup placegetter High Heeled (Ire) (High Chaparral {Ire}). Sales history: €50,000 Ylg '19 AROCT. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, €11,000. **Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

O-White Birch Farm; B-Erich Schmid (FR); T-Jean-Claude Rouget.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Entei (Ire), c, 2, Motivator (GB)--Upbeat Mood (MSP-US, \$144,016), by Mizzen Mast. Chantilly, 11-10, 6ft, 1:18.52. B-Ecurie Jean-Louis Bouchard (IRE).



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MIKKI ISLE COLT TOPS MAGICIS



Barry Bowditch | *Magic Millions*

by *Georgie Dennis*

The full effects of not having international buyers on site were felt at the Gold Coast complex with numbers down across the board, but those involved remained upbeat in exceptional circumstances caused by the COVID-19 pandemic.

At A Glance:

- Mikki Isle (Jpn) colt tops proceedings after being purchased by George Moore for \$500,000.
- Four horses cracked the \$200,000 mark, compared to 13 at the 2019 sale, with 121 of a possible 176 lots sold.
- The clearance rate of 68.75% was down on the overall clearance rate at the sale last year of 74.71%.
- The compressed format of two days down to one finished with an average of \$54,174 which was down from the \$62,685 average of last year's sale.
- The median of \$34,000 was down on the median of \$45,000 across all lots last year.
- O'Gorman Racing Stables the top vendor with eight lots sold for \$975,000.
- Despite not being able to attend in person, Hong Kong buyers account for the biggest spend outlaying \$1,896,000 on 16 lots.
- The overall gross of the day was \$6,555,000.

Bowditch Pleased Despite Decline in Numbers

While the first Southern Hemisphere breeze-up sale of the year held up remarkably, the affects of not have international buyers on the ground were felt much more at the Magic Millions 2YOs In Training Sale on Tuesday.

Numbers were down across the board, only four horses surpassed \$200,000, the average, median and clearance rates all lower compared to the 2019 sale and many vendors were forced to lower reserve prices, but Magic Millions Managing Director Barry Bowditch was pleased with the overall outcome given the circumstances.

"Overall, we were really pleased with how it ended up," Bowditch said. "We have got to applaud the vendors who have come here to meet the market and we have a core of vendors that do this year in and year out and again they bring a great product to the sale, whether they were making money or not."

The sale was topped by Melanie O'Gorman's Mikki Isle colt who was bought by George Moore Bloodstock for \$500,000 and Bowditch said he was thrilled with that result.

"It was a great result for Mel O'Gorman to see that colt make that much money so late in the day--he was an outstanding colt and I'm thrilled for Mel and her team," he said. "I think the sale to get a clearance rate of just under 70%, given the circumstances, with no internationals in attendance and no Victorians, no Sydney it makes things very difficult. But we have to applaud the ones did participate in those areas.

"If you look at Hong Kong there was reasonable participation from there and Sydney and Victoria also got behind it. The domestic market was probably as good as it's been at this sale. We had a lot of new faces here and hopefully they are happy with what they've bought and it gets them open-minded for this sale going forward.

"The vendors clearly understood the reality of the market and they did what they needed to do to sell their horses and they met the market and they created confidence for people to get in and bid.

"I think it was a genuine sale, but there is no point in sugar-coating the results, we are down on last year but under the circumstances the results are more than adequate."

Mikki Isle Colt Tops the Day

A colt by former Arrowfield Japanese shuttler Mikki Isle has topped a tough Magic Millions 2YOs In Training Sale for vendors after being purchased by Gary Moore Racing for \$500,000.

Catalogued as Lot 181, the colt was sold by O’Gorman Racing who bought him for \$82,500 at the Magic Millions Gold Coast Yearling Sale from the draft of Arrowfield Stud and he posted the quickest breeze-up time of the sale in :10.26s.

Thrilled with the purchase, Moore said he bought the colt on behalf of a Hong Kong client but he is likely to remain in Australia for now.

“It’s very exciting,” Moore said. “I did the homework. I had a very good client and at the present moment he is staying in Australia for one of my owners in Hong Kong.

“He wanted something out of this sale and I just went through all the horses and I could see that the stallion was doing very well in Japan and when you watched him go away from you in the breeze, his action was perfect.

“I watched him numerous times and I particularly watch them when they go past the winning post and he really lengthened. I’ve bought some really nice horses out of this sale. He was just a great type and had a lot of presence. I didn’t think we’d have to go that far but my client wanted to buy him.

“From what I gather, he has a half-brother (Geelong Classic placegetter Azaly) who is one of the favourites for the (Australian) Derby next year who is trained out of Victoria (by Lindsay Park).

“These horses are hard to find, so it is pretty exciting to get him and, don’t forget, he’s come off one of the best nurseries in the land in Arrowfield, so he has been on good pasture and he’s been consigned by Mel O’Gorman who is one of the best in the business, so you couldn’t ask for any more.”

Melanie O’Gorman, who sold all eight of her 2-year-olds offered, was pleased with the sale in the tough market and said she was confident he would attract plenty of attention from Hong Kong buyers.

“I feel given his breeze-up and on type I thought he would be very attractive to the Hong Kong market and his pedigree suggests, that not only is he fast, which we saw in the breeze-up, but he could possibly develop into a Derby style horse especially given that the half-brother (Azaly) was heading towards the VRC Derby and he has been stakes-placed over the Derby distance,” O’Gorman said.

“I feel like he is a serious racehorse and from day one I thought he was a standout colt in my draft.”

O’Gorman is no stranger to the Japanese racing industry and thus had confidence in selling a colt by a relatively unknown Japanese sire in Mikki Isle.

“He is an exciting stallion on the scene and having worked and ridden in Japan myself many years ago I always felt they would develop strong, tough bloodlines and it is great to see it continue on,” she said.

While the sale picked up later in the session, many vendors were left disappointed with their results.

O’Gorman said that it has been a tough year to sell horses but people are still there to buy quality stock.

“People have been very realistic with their reserves and given the circumstances, people are selling and you have to meet the market, but it is just one of those exceptional years,” she said.

“I think that if you have the right article and the right horse the money is there for it.

The Hong Kong-bound colt is the third foal out of unraced

Redoute’s Choice mare In The Clear, who herself is a daughter of G1 New Zealand 2000 Guineas winner Clean Sweep (NZ) (End Sweep {USA}). Her second foal is the Tom Dabernig and Ben Hayes-trained Azaly (Dundeel {NZ}), who was second in this year’s Listed Geelong Classic, while she also has a foal by Dundeel (NZ) and was served by Castelvechio in September.



Melanie O’Gorman with the Mikki Isle colt | *Magic Millions*

Darby Makes Presence Felt

Darby Racing and William Johnson were active throughout the sale, purchasing three juveniles for a total of \$470,000 including a colt by champion sire Exceed And Excel for \$250,000. Catalogued as Lot 165, the Nolen Racing-singed colt was purchased for \$130,000 at the Magic Millions Gold Coast Yearling Sale and is the third foal out of unraced mare Guapa (USA) (Rock Hard Ten {USA}), making him a half-brother to G3 Ethereal S. winner Chica Fuerte (Hinchinbrook).

Scott Darby of Darby Racing said he was thrilled to secure such a quality colt for just \$250,000.

“We are absolutely rapt to get that colt for that price,” he said. “He is just a beautifully made horse and there were a lot of hype around him physically. He is really balanced in his breeze-up and a pedigree that could see him stand at stud if he were to win the right races.



Lot 165, a colt by Exceed And Excel out of Guapa | *Magic Millions*

“I really thought \$250,000 given for him was really good buying. It was really interesting because the Mikki Isle made \$500,000 and we had them sort of as our top two lots and we got him at \$250,000 and when that went on to make half a million—we were rapt with that.

“He is going to head into training with Michael and Richard Freedman. We have linked back up with Michael since he’s come back from Singapore and he is going to go there and we are looking forward to strengthening the partnership there.

“He looks like a forward type with good balance and is very professional. We couldn’t get up there this time, but he had some huge thumbs up from people on the ground, so I can’t wait for him to come down and get stuck into syndicating him.”

Darby Racing also secured Lot 100, a colt by hot Newgate stallion Deep Field, and Darby was delighted to secure the Network Bloodstock-offered colt for \$120,000, who is out of a half-sister to stakes winner Mrs Kipling (Exceed And Excel) and is related Hong Kong Horse of the Year Fairy King Prawn (Danehill {USA}).

“He has a really top-notch pedigree and is by a great stallion that’s really rising through the ranks,” Darby said. “But we thought the horse had plenty of upside.

“He’s quite a scopey, late foal that we thought would improve out of sight. He did his breeze-up very, very well and ran a decent time.

“The \$120,000, he’s a really good buy considering the temperature of the Deep Field stock so we’re rapt to get a horse like him.”

The syndicator’s first purchase of the day was Lot 72, a colt by Kuroshio who breezed up in 10.72s and was an impressive Mornington jump-out winner in October.

“We loved his breeze-up and his jump-out win as well,” Darby said. “So he’s gone and taken that good action and good balance into the trial and he did really well there. He’s a nice style of

horse and again, he’s a horse with plenty of scope and will continue to improve.

Darby Racing are known players in the breeze-up market and of this year’s Magic Millions 2YOs In Training Sale, Darby said: “It’s strong on the right horses but there’s a lot of holes in there. The world is upside down at the moment. We’re very busy, we’ve had the biggest year we’ve ever had so it certainly hasn’t affected us. We’re actually looking for stock but there’s some good buying if you can find the right horses.”



IN MAINLAND CHINA:

Foo An Songs (Aus), g, 5, **Foxwedge (Aus)**--Golden Sparkle (NZ), by Gold Brose (Aus). Wuhan, 11-07, 1000m (A\$10,395), 1:01.38. O-Fu Yongbin. B-Watson Bloodstock Ltd (NSW).

VIDEO. *A\$65,000 2yo ‘17 NZBNOV. **½ to Mosse (NZ) (O’Reilly {NZ}), GSW-NZ.

Xing Xiang (Aus), m, 5, **Zoffany (Ire)**--Film Star (Aus), by Pivotal (GB). Wuhan, 11-07, 1200m (A\$10,395), 1:14.32. O-Zhou Xiaoqiang. B-Goodwood Farm (NSW). **VIDEO**.

Yong Bu Qu Fu (Aus), h, 6, **I Am Invincible (Aus)**--In A Whisper (Aus), by Real Quiet. Wuhan, 11-07, 1800m (A\$10,395), 1:57.49. O-Hou Xingjian. B-Summerhill Thoroughbreds (Act).

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