

JACKIE'S WARRIOR 'RAINS' SUPREME IN AMSTERDAM



Jackie's Warrior | Sarah Andrew

Leading 3-year-old sprinter **Jackie's Warrior** (**Maclean's Music**) re-established his divisional supremacy following a tough-luck short-odds defeat last out with a comprehensive rout in the GII Amsterdam S. Sunday at Saratoga, producing a dazzling display of speed over a track pelted by enough rain to cause a half-hour delay to the start of the race.

Starting his career with four open-lengths scores, including Grade I successes in the local **Runhappy** Hopeful S. and Champagne S. at Belmont, the \$95,000 Keeneland September buy suffered his first setback when fading to fourth after moving into a fast pace in the GI TVG Breeders' Cup Juvenile. Taken off the GI Kentucky Derby trail following a disappointing third in the GIII Southwest S. in his seasonal debut Feb. 27 at Oaklawn, the bay gamely held on to capture the GIII Pat Day Mile S. despite being pushed through sizzling fractions of :21.75 and :43.68. Again setting a scorching tempo in addition to navigating a troubled start last out in the GI Woody Stephens S., he was just worn down late by re-opposing Drain the Clock in a neck defeat.

Maintaining the confidence of the bettors as an overwhelming chalk against five rivals here, Jackie's Warrior engaged in a ding-dong battle with **Drain the Clock** (**Maclean's Music**) through an enervating :21.46 quarter. Starting to do better than that rival inside the half-mile marker, he swiftly drew clear past an eye-popping :43.85 half and entered the stretch in total control while kept off the rail. **Cont. p3**

SHEDARESTHEDEVIL DISTAFF-BOUND WITH CONVINCING HIRSCH TRIUMPH

Shedaresthedevil (**Daredevil**) sat off a quick early pace, pounced at the five-sixteenths pole and edged clear in the lane to capture the GI Clement L. Hirsch S. Sunday at Del Mar, punching her ticket to the GI Longines Breeders' Cup Distaff in the "Win and You're In" qualifier with her third Grade I victory.

Bought into by Qatar Racing out of a debut victory for Norm Casse in June of 2019 and transferred to Simon Callaghan, the bay went winless in three subsequent starts as a juvenile, but still hammered for \$280,000 at Keeneland November that fall with Sheikh Fahad's outfit keeping an interest.

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The morning after Saturday's victory in the GI Alfred G. Vanderbilt H., trainer Jack Sistonson visits with Lexitonian at Saratoga. | Sarah Andrew

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In the second part of this extensive two-part series, Dan Ross examines how the Horseracing Integrity and Safety Act is likely to be implemented, including any potential pitfalls.

PRAT GETS SEVEN DAYS FOR HASKELL RIDE

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As a result of his ride aboard Hot Rod Charlie (Oxbow) in the eventful stretch run of the GI TVG.com Haskell S., California's perennial leading rider Flavien Prat has been suspended for seven days. Bill Finley has more.

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Jackie's Warrior 'Rains' Supreme in Amsterdam cont. from p1

The only question from there was how far, and Jackie's Warrior finished with authority while wrapped up for the final sixteenth by Joel Rosario. Drain the Clock held second, giving **Maclean's Music** the exacta.



Steve Asmussen | Sarah Andrew

"He's a very special horse," said winning trainer Steve Asmussen, who moved within three wins of Dale Baird's record of 9,445 victories. "I think that he's shown that on many occasions. He gets the respect I think he deserves and it's extremely fun to watch him run. He won on an off track today, which is the first time, and to get that variable out of the way knowing that weather doesn't care how important we think something is, that he'll be able to handle that going forward. With his performance today on top of what he did in the Pat Day Mile, he'll have a lot to say in the one-turn division the rest of the year. I wouldn't be scared to run him against anybody anywhere going one turn and how do I measure that? We've had some good ones, and he's one of them."

"He broke really well today; better than last time," added Rosario. "He's fast and then he just kept going. That's what he likes to do. He just got out of there and does it so easy. He's

amazing. He's so fast. It doesn't even feel like he's going that fast."

Pedigree Notes:

One of 24 stakes winners, six graded stakes winners and four Grade I scorers for **Maclean's Music**, Jackie's Warrior has a juvenile **Candy Ride (Arg)** half-sister named Lenni Girl and a yearling half-brother by **American Pharoah**. His dam was bred to Into Mischief for 2022.

Sunday, Saratoga

AMSTERDAM S.-GII, \$200,000, Saratoga, 8-1, 3yo, 6 1/2f, 1:15.46, sy.

1--**JACKIE'S WARRIOR**, 124, c, 3, by **Maclean's Music**

1st Dam: Unicorn Girl, by A. P. Five Hundred

2nd Dam: Horah for Bailey, by Doneraile Court

3rd Dam: Horah for the Lady, by Rahy

(\$95,000 Ylg '19 KESEEP). O-J. Kirk & Judy Robison; B-J & J Stables (KY); T-Sтивен M. Asmussen; J-Joel Rosario.

\$110,000. Lifetime Record: MGISW, 9-6-1-1, \$1,058,964.

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2--**Drain the Clock**, 124, c, 3, **Maclean's Music**--Manki, by Arch. O-Slam Dunk Racing, Madaket Stables LLC, Wonder Stables & Michael Nentwig; B-Nick Cosato (KY); T-Saffie A. Joseph, Jr. \$40,000.

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3--**Crowded Trade**, 118, c, 3, **More Than Ready**--Maude S, by Jump Start. (\$185,000 Wlg '18 KEENOV). O-Klaravich Stables, Inc.; B-Forging Oaks LLC (KY); T-Chad C. Brown. \$24,000.

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Shedaresthedevil Punches Distaff Ticket cont. from p1

Returning for Brad Cox the following season, she captured the GIII Honeybee S. and GIII Indiana Oaks before famously upsetting future champions Gamine (Into Mischief) and Swiss Skydiver (**Daredevil**) in the GI Longines Kentucky Oaks last September.

A beaten favorite when third in the GI Juddmonte Spinster S. to conclude her sophomore campaign, she returned to the races with tallies in the GIII Azeri S. and GI La Troienne S. before running third in the GI Ogden Phipps S. most recently June 5 at Belmont.

Made the narrow favorite against four rivals in this first California try since her days in the Callaghan barn, Shedaresthedevil was away well from her outside stall and a bit keen early, but soon settled under Florent Geroux to allow **Venetian Harbor (Munnings)** to skip clear through a quick :23.30 quarter. Longshot **Paige Anne (Take Charge Indy)** did a bit of her

dirty work as she moved up inside to pressure the pacesetter through a :47.11 half. That rival soon dropped away, however, leaving the mantle to the favorite and she obliged, drawing alongside Venetian Harbor as three-quarters went up in 1:11.77. Taking over within a handful of strides after that, she briefly had to spar with the frontrunner, but took charge while shifting in at the eighth pole and didn't face an anxious moment from there, hitting the wire 2 1/2 lengths to the good. Venetian Harbor held for the place. **Cont. p5**



Shedaresthedevil | Benoit

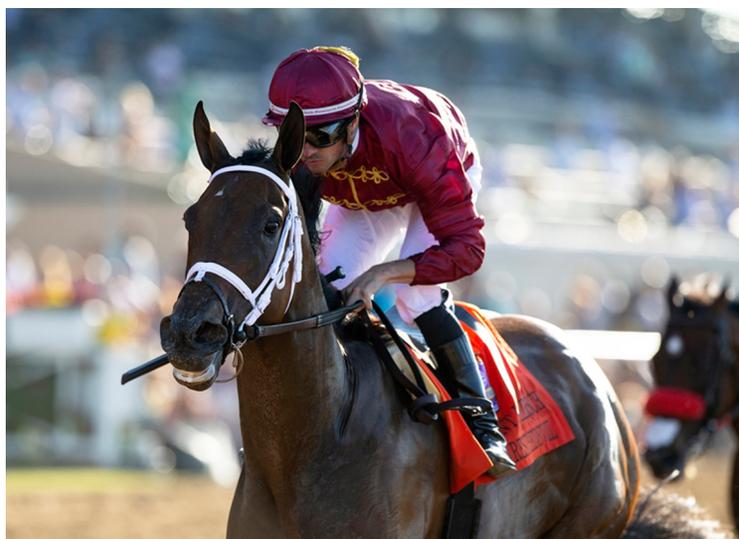
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Paige Anne completed the trifecta, while second choice **As Time Goes By (American Pharoah)** finished a non-factor fourth. "I'm very pleased," said Geroux. "The idea was to get her to break alertly, then get a good spot. That's exactly what happened. She ran her race today and she's very good when she does. I'd have to say she's up there with the best mares I've ever ridden. This is her third Grade I win, and the fact that she showed she can run well on the track where the Breeders' Cup will be held, that's a good thing, too."



Shedaresthedevil | Benoit

Pedigree Notes:

One of six stakes winners and two graded winners for repatriated **Daredevil**--the other being fellow multiple Grade I winner Swiss Skydiver--Shedaresthedevil is easily the most accomplished of four foals to race out of Starship Warspeed. Her unraced second dam is half to Crafty C. T. (Crafty Prospector), a Grade II winner who also placed in six Grade I events. Herself only a \$39,000 2-year-old purchase, all six of Starship Warspeed's foals to sell at auction went for six figures, including an unraced 3-year-old **Outwork** filly named Jemison who sold for \$150,000 at Fasig-Tipton July and a juvenile **Speightster** filly named Blackheartedgypsy, who hammered to Shedaresthedevil's co-owner Flurry Racing Stables for \$350,000 at Keeneland September in the wake of her Oaks success. She also has a yearling **Exaggerator** filly and dropped a colt by **Uncle Mo** Mar. 26 before being bred back to that superstar sire.

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1--**SHEDARESTHEDEVIL**, 125, f, 4, by **Daredevil**

1st Dam: **Starship Warpspeed**, by **Congrats**

2nd Dam: **Andria's Forest**, by **Forestry**

3rd Dam: **Andriana B.**, by **Far North**

(\$100,000 Wlg '17 KEENOV; \$20,000 RNA Ylg '18 KEESEP; \$280,000 2yo '19 KEENOV). O-Flurry Racing Stables LLC, Qatar Racing Limited & Big Aut Farms; B-WinStar Farm, LLC (KY); T-Brad H. Cox; J-Florent Geroux. \$180,000. Lifetime Record: 15-8-2-4, \$2,047,318. *1/2 to **Mojovation (Quality Road)**, GSP, \$201,088. **Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.**

Werk Nick Rating: **B.**

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2--**Venetian Harbor**, 121, f, 4, by **Munnings**--Sounds of the City (MSP, \$293,399), by Street Cry (Ire). (\$110,000 Ylg '18 KEESEP; \$205,000 RNA 2yo '19 OBSAPR). O-Ciaglia Racing LLC, Highland Yard LLC, River Oak Farm & Domenic Savides; B-Colts Neck Stables LLC (KY); T-Richard Baltas. \$60,000.

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3--**Paige Anne**, 121, f, 4, by **Take Charge Indy**--Forbidden Brew, by Milwaukee Brew. (\$120,000 Ylg '18 KEESEP). O-Elie & Lori R. Feghali, Kimberly Mathiesen & Mathiesen Racing, LLC; B-Richard Peardon (KY); T-Simon Callaghan. \$36,000.

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Also Ran: As Time Goes By, Cover Version. Scratched:

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Essential Quality winning the Jim Dandy | Sarah Andrew

The Week in Review by T.D. Thornton

For the past two racing seasons, we've seen two top-rated United States 2-year-olds in each year maintain impeccable form for a period of about 12 months, straight through to a deep point in their sophomore campaigns. That's a fairly remarkable occurrence in this day and age.

Tiz the Law (Constitution) broke his maiden at Saratoga on Aug. 8, 2019, then prevailed in the GI **Runhappy** Travers S. exactly one year later. The compact bay who raced with a relentless swagger lost only once in seven starts during that time frame, racking up other tour-de-force Grade I victories in the Champagne S., Florida Derby, and Belmont S. during a campaign whose Triple Crown scheduling was convoluted by the pandemic.

Outside of missing a few days of training in early March because of a heel bruise, Tiz sailed all the way through to the Sept. 5, 2020, GI Kentucky Derby before getting outpunched in a stretch fight and finishing second. He subsequently was a no-factor sixth in the GI Breeders' Cup Classic, which ended up being his final race prior to an unexpected retirement Dec. 30 because of bone bruising.

The charismatic colt's final two subpar races don't at all encapsulate the flair and panache with which he helped carry the sport through a difficult year.

The career arc of **'TDN Rising Star' Essential Quality (Tapit)** neatly overlaps with Tiz's meteoric rise and gradual, two-race descent. This assertive, athletic gray broke his maiden on the 2020 Derby Day undercard at Churchill Downs--just hours before Tiz tasted defeat as the odds-on Derby favorite.

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Then Essential Quality tore off back-to-back Grade I autumn wins, including a victory in the Breeders' Cup Juvenile that earned him 2-year-old Eclipse Award championship honors.

Essential Quality, pretty much like Tiz, managed to avoid nagging setbacks during the transition from two to three. He scored smartly in both of his 2021 spring stakes preps before heading undefeated to the Derby, also as the fave.

Despite minor jostling at the break and a wide go into the first turn, he eventually settled into an in-the-clear, stalking stride that was reminiscent of Tiz's own no-excuse clean trip in the Derby. Essential Quality responded gamely when set down and very willingly dug in for a stretch fight. But, like **Tiz the Law**, he couldn't close the gap despite trying hard, and finished fourth.

Five weeks later, Essential Quality rebounded with a high-torque win in the Belmont S., launching a bold bid half a mile out and sustaining pressure through deep stretch before finally kicking clear a sixteenth from the wire.

The colt he beat, **Hot Rod Charlie** (Oxbow), came back to cross the finish wire first in the July 17 GI TVG.com Haskell S. but was DQ'd from the win for interference. Those two colts are clearly at the top of the sophomore pecking order heading into the back half of the season.

Essential Quality hasn't quite hit the one-year mark of sustained excellence the way **Tiz the Law** did. But he's close on the calendar (331 days) and his seven wins from eight starts resonate not only from a statistical sense, but because of the "how he did it" authority of those victories.

Saturday's GI Jim Dandy S. score at Saratoga by Essential Quality might have been a closer shave than his connections (and the betting public) cared to sweat out at 2-5 odds.

But I'm willing to shrug off that half-length narrow escape over the pesky 9-1 Keepmeinmind (Laoban) based on three factors:

1) Essential Quality wasn't fully cranked, training-wise, for a prep race designed to have him tight for the Aug. 28 Travers.

2) Keepmeinmind's brief seizing of the lead a sixteenth out was more attributable to a momentary focus lapse by the champ, which was evident when Essential Quality instantly flashed back into attack mode to polish off Keepmeinmind.

3) Essential Quality gave up copious real estate while wide around both turns, traveling 6,060 feet over nine furlongs according to Trakus, versus Keepmeinmind's mostly rail-running 6,022 (a difference of 38 feet over the course of the race).

The Jim Dandy victory was the second straight homebred score (and third win overall as an owner) for Godolphin, which won last year with Mystic Guide (**Ghostzapper**) and in 2012 with Alpha (**Bernardini**).

The last time a Jim Dandy winner won the Travers was when Alpha finished in a dead-heat for first with Golden Ticket.

First 'Vandy', then Dandy

The Jim Dandy was the second straight graded dirt stakes on Saturday's Saratoga card in which the winner lost the lead in deep stretch then roared back to snatch victory from the proverbial jaws of defeat.

Except **Lexitonian** (**Speightstown**)'s win in the GI Alfred G. Vanderbilt H. was way at the other end of the pari-mutuel spectrum. The five-year-old Calumet Farm color bearer was 34-1, the longest shot in the field of nine.

Lexitonian was hell-bent for the lead in the six-furlong sprint but appeared pressure-cooked by the quarter pole.



Lexitonian battles back to win the Vanderbilt | Sarah Andrew

Yet the pursuers who looked certain to swallow him up couldn't seal the deal, and Lexitonian clawed back a half-length win for his first trip to the winner's circle in 14 months.

The win also was the first leg of a dirt-stakes double at Saratoga for homebreds.

In an era in which we lament that horses don't race as frequently or robustly as they once did at the top end of the sport, Calumet homebreds seem to dance every dance, and have accounted for some pricey graded stakes upsets over the last decade.

Prime examples are Oxbow's 15-1 GI Preakness S. win in 2013, Bravazo's 21-1 GI Risen Star S. score in 2018, and Everfast's 29-1 near-miss second in the 2019 Preakness. And just three months ago, we witnessed Bourbonic (**Bernardini**)'s 72-1 last-to-first thriller in the GI Wood Memorial S.

"I have to give Lexitonian a ton of credit," trainer Jack Siston said. "He ran in the [GI] Met Mile and he was eased. You'd think a horse that was eased and thrown in some clunkers, you'd sit back and think let's drop him down a grade and give him a confidence builder. But I've run him in every Grade I and been hard on him and this is how he responds today. I have to give credit to Lexitonian." **Cont. p8**

So which Grade I sprint was best?

Dr. Schivel (*Violence*) powered home first in a multi-horse photo to win the GI Bing Crosby S. at Del Mar later on Saturday, running his record to 3-for-3 at Del Mar in advance of a presumptive start in the GI Breeders' Cup Sprint that will be run over that same surface Nov. 6.

The \$6.80 win by a neck marked the second straight year that the trainer/jockey tandem of Mark Glatt and Flavien Prat won the Bing Crosby. The colt was one of only two 3-year-olds entered against older rivals.

A fondness for the seaside oval must run in Dr. Schivel's family. His dam, Lil Nugget, was 2-for-2 at Del Mar, with both wins coming during the 2007 campaign against claiming company. The modest offspring she produced via her first seven foalings (three career maidens and four lower-level claiming winners) didn't suggest a multiple Grade I-winning colt like Dr. Schivel was in the pipeline.

Dr. Schivel ran a 90 Beyer Speed Figure, and the two horses hot on his heels at the wire, Eight Rings (*Empire Maker*) and the favored C Z Rocket (*City Zip*), both delivered emphatic second- and third-place performances that were otherwise good enough to win.



Dr. Schivel prevails in the Bing Crosby | *Benoit*

Back East at the Spa, *Lexitonian* earned a 102 Beyer (Coincidentally, *Lexitonian* was second, beaten only a nose in the 2020 version of the Bing Crosby).

The sense from this vantage point is that Dr. Schivel's race featured stronger competition but the weaker speed figure.

Lexitonian's triple-digit Beyer trumps that performance numbers-wise, but the heavy-hitting competition in his race for the most part failed to fire.

Ordinarily I'd rate those two performances more or less as equal based on the above-outlined reasoning.

But because the Breeders' Cup is at Del Mar this year, the longer-term track-familiarity edge goes to the horses who'll be running back out of the Bing Crosby.

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WHAT WILL HISA LOOK LIKE?

We recently ran [part one of our story](#) on the challenges facing HISA. Today, we deal with lawsuits, adjudication, and more.

by Dan Ross



Coady

This time next year, the machinery of horse racing in the U.S. may be almost a month into a radical system overhaul.

But with scant few calendar pages between now and then, what do we know about how the cogs, wheels, and pulleys of the Horseracing Integrity and Safety Act (HISA) will work together?

To find out, the *TDN* reached out to Charles Scheeler, chair of the HISA board of directors, interim executive director Hank Zeitlin, as well as several individuals listed on HISA's two standing committees. All explained that they were unable to comment publicly at present.

U.S. Anti-Doping Agency (USADA) chief executive officer Travis Tygart was also unable to speak in person within time of the story going to print, but the agency provided answers via email.

Figures familiar with the drafting process stress the changing nature of the blueprints--cold comfort to certain state regulators and other stakeholders concerned that with so many details to thrash out, few specifics have yet been made public, especially when crucial deadlines loom large, as we detailed several days ago in part one.

In part two, we try to parse through other key aspects of the program, beginning with arguably the most salient, given recent high-profile cases in the U.S.--that of enforcement. **Cont. p9**

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G1 SWEEP

KENTUCKY-BREDS swept Saturday's Grade 1 races with **LEXITONIAN** proving a determined winner of the \$350,000 **Alfred G. Vanderbilt (G1)** at Saratoga, and **DR. SCHIVEL** prevailing in Del Mar's \$300,000 **Bing Crosby S. (G1)**, a "Win and You're In" for the Breeders' Cup Sprint (G1).

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Alfred G. Vanderbilt (G1)

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Lawsuits

All of these points could be moot, however, if either of the two federal lawsuits seeking to strike the law down on constitutional grounds are successful.

In March, the National Horsemen's Benevolent and Protective Association (National HBPA)--along with a variety of state affiliates--**filed federal suit** against the Federal Trade Commission (FTC), arguing that it affords powers to private individuals and a private organization in an area strictly limited to a government entity.

The following month, it was announced that a **second lawsuit**--spearheaded by the Oklahoma Attorney General in conjunction with that state's racing commission--was similarly focused on the constitutionality of the law, focusing in on the 10th amendment.

Judicial rulings are essentially pending in both cases.

According to Frank Becker, a noted equine lawyer and former adjunct professor at the University of Kentucky College of Law, the "Oklahoma" case has a "significant chance" of prevailing.

"But what happens at the district court level will not be the final word--it's really going to be up to the court of appeals," Becker says, speculating that either case could eventually be taken up by the Supreme Court.

If the district courts render rulings against the defendants, what might that mean for HISA's implementation on July 1 next year?



Sarah Andrew

"While this case is pending, there will be this battle over whether the law will be enforceable in the interim," says Becker, itemizing a chessboard set of scenarios made complicated by the possibility of inconsistent rulings by different courts in two different circuits.

One is that an injunction goes into immediate effect, in which case, the law would be put on the back burner until an appeals

court meters out judgment--if, as would be likely, the government appeals the district court's decision.

Another is that a district court judge renders a stay on the injunction pending appeal. In this scenario, the appeal is "unlikely" to occur before the July 1 deadline, Becker says, meaning the law would theoretically go into effect.

Nevertheless, nothing is etched in stone.

Becker pointed to a potential precedent-setting scenario in a current case involving the cruise ship industry and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) in which the judge granted a stay on an injunction, only to subsequently withdraw it. And so, "anything could happen," says Becker.

If the case reaches the hallowed halls of the U.S. Supreme Court, a final decision "could take years," says Becker.

"But again, you've got the issue of, if there's an injunction in place when it goes to the Supreme Court, the Supreme Court would [likely] be asked to lift the injunction pending a decision," says Becker. And how it might decide, he adds, "is very hard to predict."

For the purposes of the story, however, we'll take the view the law will already be functioning a year from today.



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Adjudication Process

HISA's enforcement agency serves several vital purposes, from establishing a deterrence program to implementing "anti-doping education, research, testing, compliance and adjudication," among other duties.

But first, who will the Horseracing Integrity and Safety Authority--the broad non-profit umbrella established by HISA and commonly referred to as just the "Authority"--contract with to serve this purpose?

The Authority is largely expected to enter into an agreement with USADA, but the contract hasn't yet been formally inked.

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Indeed, according to USADA spokesperson Adam Woullard, the agency is working through the details with the Authority, "in anticipation of signing" a contract.

If, for some reason, USADA is not the contracted enforcement agency, the law instructs the Authority to enter into an agreement "with an entity that is nationally recognized as being a medication regulation agency equal in qualification" to USADA--conceivably individual state commissions.

In terms of the enforcement agency's broad remit, the processing of violations sits high on the priority list.

But which specific set of personnel will be responsible for adjudicating the first drug-related violations that arrive after July 1 next year--those belonging to the existing regulatory infrastructures within individual states or those belonging to USADA, or the contracted enforcement agency?

Specifics remain unclear. According to Woullard, USADA would "independently handle" the "investigation and results management" arm of the program.

"Independence is the cornerstone of any effective and fair anti-doping program," he wrote. "Complementing this, education is paramount in creating a cohesive program and we look forward to working with those within the industry to help them understand and comply with the rules."

Asked what the adjudication process might look like on a practical, everyday basis, Woullard replied that "the exact nature of how this will look is a work in progress."

It appears, according to several individuals familiar with the process, that a tiered approach could be taken to the adjudication of medication violations, with the severity of the infraction governing which set of personnel--either the state's or USADA's--will handle the hearing.

"Extra importance could be attached to certain races and horses," says Bill Lear, The Jockey Club (TJC) vice chairman and someone instrumental in getting the legislation passed.



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Appeals

Once a violation has been adjudicated, a notice of the sanction will be filed with the FTC. The sanctioned party then has 30 days to petition for a review of the decision, which will be handled by an administrative law judge within the FTC. That judge then has 60 days to issue a ruling.

A number of stakeholders contacted for the story questioned whether the FTC has the necessary human capacity and experience to handle its expanded obligations under HISA.

"How quickly do rules and hearings move through the federal pipeline?" says Bennett Liebman, government lawyer in residence for the Albany Law School's Government Law Center.

Liebman has **previously written** of the FTC that it has "much bigger business to pursue than just racing," and that it "enforces many more laws of greater consequence to the American economy than horse racing regulation."

The FTC failed to provide a response to questions about the steps the agency has taken to prepare for HISA's implementation.

But according to Lear, the FTC has been "very engaged" with defending the two federal lawsuits challenging the constitutionality of the law.

Safety Committee

In tandem with the Anti-Doping and Medication Control Standing Committee, the Racetrack Safety Standing Committee will be responsible for establishing a uniform set of rules governing things like training and racing safety protocols that are regionally specific, crop use, racetrack surface quality standards, and a racetrack accreditation program.

What could those safety standards look like?

The safety committee is required to consider as a blueprint existing programs like the National Thoroughbred Racing Association (NTRA)'s Safety and Integrity Alliance Code of Standards, along with other comparable international programs.

"You won't see much of a sea change in most of racing," says Alex Waldrop, president and CEO of the NTRA, pointing to tracks and jurisdictions like those in Kentucky, California, New York, and across the Mid-Atlantic region, which have in recent years implemented their own significant plans to reduce equine fatalities.

"But there are multiple states where that has not been the case," says Waldrop.

Nevertheless, the safety measures even among the more proactive tracks and jurisdictions can vary quite significantly, and there's apprehension among respective stakeholders that the Authority's uniform safety standards won't have the same bite.

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"We're pretty proud of the work we've been doing here, and we don't want to see that rolled back in any way," says Scott Chaney, executive director of the California Horse Racing Board (CHRB), pointing to the immense political headwinds the state industry has had to withstand in recent years.



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Unlike the baseline medication standards, however, the law appears to provide a certain amount of individual wriggle room in the implementation of safety and welfare protocols.

According to Lear, individual tracks--but not individual states--will have the leverage to implement stricter safety standards than that outlined by the Authority.

"That said, I think HISA is going to make every effort to work with the states to create a good working relationship, and one that doesn't back up on any safety standards," Lear says.

State racing commissions aren't expected to be rendered redundant under the new law--indeed, the Authority will likely contract state racing commissions to enforce components of the racetrack safety program.

But whether individual tracks decide to tighten their own safety standards and protocols or not, those in charge of nailing down the specifics of the safety program have the sizeable problem of wrestling with this central question, says Liebman: Which entity, the individual state commission or the federal Authority, has exactly what responsibility?

"Do racing commissions still have the power to punish riders for improper whip use?" he says. "Who will have the power to scratch a horse for medical or welfare reasons?"

Funding Concerns

Some of the touted benefits of the new law concern improvement in racing's overall intelligence infrastructure, including greater out-of-competition testing and a more comprehensive investigatory network.

HISA also calls for the implementation of a centralized database for a variety of potential key information points, including injury and fatality data, pre- and post-training and race inspections, and inclusion on a veterinarian's list.



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"We'll be able to better follow these horses wherever they are on a daily basis--we'll know what they look like a week ago, a month ago, a year ago," says Waldrop.

But undergirding the successful implementation of any of these measures is the issue of funding--what almost everyone contacted for this story described as something of an elephant in the room.

The language of the law outlines two broad scenarios--that individual racing commissions establish a mechanism to remit fees to the Authority, or else the racing commissions permit the Authority to assess the fees for them.

How will the fees be calculated?

If a state elects to collect and remit the fees itself, it may consider "foal registration fees, sales contributions, starter fees, track fees, and other fees on covered persons," wrote Sarah Reeves, attorney with the firm Stoll Keenon Ogden and someone who has worked extensively on building the legal architecture of the law, in an email.

If a state chooses to delegate this task, then the Authority would calculate, "on a monthly basis," the applicable fee per racing start multiplied by the number of racing starts in the state in the preceding month, wrote Reeves.

She wrote that in the latter event, it is too early to say exactly how the Authority would decide to collect the fees, "whether on a per-start fee basis or otherwise."

Reeves noted, however, that the law precludes a double tax. "If a state chooses not to collect fees to cover the costs of the Authority in that state, the statute precludes the state from charging members of the Thoroughbred industry any fees or taxes related to anti-doping and medication control or racetrack safety," she wrote.

As it stands, no specific budget proposals have been publicly aired. And until more specifics are made available, states are largely hamstrung as to which fee remittance route to take, multiple stakeholders told the *TDN*.

What's more, like a Sword of Damocles, numerous states around the county are already embroiled in budget negotiations for the next fiscal year or two--like in Wyoming, currently in the process of thrashing out their 2022-23 biennial budget, says Charles Moore, the Wyoming Gaming Commission's executive director.

"Here we are going into a budget session and we don't know what to expect--will there be a cost, and if so, what will it be? What is the net effect?" Moore says.

The longer budget details take to concretize, the more likely are individual states to punt broader everyday responsibilities over to USADA, certain stakeholders warn.

In that scenario, does USADA have enough personnel to manage a larger-than-anticipated workload?

In answer, Woullard pointed to a recent hire in Dr. Tessa Muir, newly minted director of their Equine Testing Program.

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existing staff for the huge responsibility ahead of us," Woullard wrote, adding that while USADA will hire additional personnel, including those with equine-specific expertise, "There is significant overlap in several areas of equine and human anti-doping, particularly in relation to doping practices, test planning and risk analysis."

Lear, however, argues that "HISA is working hard to zero in on costs," and adds that, while "the principal driver of added costs is in out-of-competition testing," federal consolidation and centralization will bring about efficiencies through economies of scale.

What's Next

In the meantime, some much sought-after details about the Authority could soon be available for public consumption.

On Aug. 15 at The Jockey Club's next annual Round Table Conference, Scheeler is expected to give his first public presentations on developments thus far.

According to USADA spokesperson Woullard, Tygart and Muir have also been invited to appear at the round table event.

If there's an overarching sentiment among industry stakeholders wondering how HISA will fit into their everyday operations, it's centered around caution and circumspection.

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"From my own perspective, they ought to be as practical as possible getting started," says Alan Foreman, chairman and CEO of the Thoroughbred Horsemen's Association (THA). "They're going to have to build confidence in the whole process as it's such a dramatic change."

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PRAT SUSPENDED SEVEN DAYS FOR HASKELL RIDE

by Bill Finley

The Monmouth Park stewards have handed jockey Flavien Prat a seven-day suspension for his ride aboard **Hot Rod Charlie** (Oxbow) in the July 17 GI TVG.com Haskell S. The ruling was issued Sunday, three days after the stewards granted Prat a hearing.

The suspension runs from Sept. 7 through Sept. 13. The timing may not be a coincidence, as the suspension starts the day after the Del Mar meet closes. California racing then shift to Los Alamitos, where Prat doesn't normally ride on a regular basis. It will, however, keep Prat from riding the full meet at Kentucky Downs, which runs from Sept. 5 through 12.

The New Jersey Racing Commission prohibits its stewards from speaking to the press.

Via text, Prat said he will not appeal.

"Not much to comment. I will take the days and move on," he texted.

The Haskell will go down as one of the more controversial races run this year. Prat positioned Hot Rod Charlie outside of **Midnight Bourbon** (Tiznow) and **Mandaloun** (Into Mischief) in deep stretch. Hot Rod Charlie appeared to come over two or three paths in the stretch and impede Midnight Bourbon, who fell. Neither Midnight Bourbon nor his jockey, Paco Lopez, was seriously injured.

Hot Rod Charlie, who crossed the wire a nose in front of Mandaloun, was disqualified and place last. Mandaloun, who may yet be declared the official winner of this year's GI Kentucky Derby, was awarded the Haskell victory.

The spill gave critics of the New Jersey Racing Commission's whip ban plenty of ammunition as those opposed to the rule argued that had Prat used his whip, the spill would not have happened.

In the official ruling, the stewards stated that "...Prat failed to make a reasonable effort to keep his horse from drifting in past the 1/8th pole, allowing his horse to cross in front of #6 Midnight Bourbon, which resulted in Midnight Bourbon clipping heels with Hot Rod Charlie, causing Midnight Bourbon to stumble badly, unseating his rider."

The ruling cited racing regulations under the category of "crossing and weaving." It reads: "When clear, a horse may be

taken to any part of the course but no horse shall cross over or weave in front of other horses in such a way to impede them or constitute or cause interference or intimidation."

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MCPEEK CONTESTS DECISION TO DENY HIS ENTRIES

by Bill Finley

When his barn at Saratoga was placed under quarantine due to an outbreak of Equine Herpesvirus, trainer Ken McPeek assumed his horses would be allowed to race starting Aug. 1, the day the quarantine was due to be lifted. Instead, none of his entries for the Aug. 1, 4 and 5 cards were accepted because, McPeek was told, the horses were still under quarantine at the time entries were taken.

While it is too late to get his horses entered into the upcoming cards in question, McPeek, through his attorney Drew Mollica, has appealed and demanded a hearing over the matter, which Mollica charges, has caused his client "irreparable harm caused by the arbitrary and capricious denial of the ability to enter eligible horses trained by McPeek in races at Saratoga Racecourse ..."

"Understanding that it is too late for these horses to run in these races, there are two very good reasons for doing what we are doing," Mollica said. "First, McPeek feels aggrieved by the lack of respect shown for him and his owners and for fellow horsemen confronted with this situation. His position is that this just can't be. Secondly, we seek equitable relief, whatever that may be. We are seeking some relief. McPeek and his owners followed every protocol, did everything they were asked. They were committed to racing and trained for these races and had no opportunity to run. At some point, McPeek would like someone to be held accountable."

Mollica listed seven horses McPeek had intended to run over the three days in question. He has not started a horse in Saratoga since July 15, the opening day of the meet.

Mollica said that McPeek and his owners were put on public notice by the commission that the horses affected by the quarantine would be released from quarantine and permitted to race starting Sunday, Aug. 1. Instead, the entries were denied. That led to Mollica reaching out to the stewards on July 30, some 3 1/2 hours before the Aug. 3 card was drawn, in hopes that a hearing could be held and the McPeek horses could begin running as soon Aug. 4. He said he sent emails and placed phone calls to Gaming Commission steward Braulio Baeza Jr. and to the commission itself, none of which were returned.

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“All New York horsemen need to know what the rules are,” Mollica said. “As I wrote in my letter, when the Gaming Commission created this protocol they were well aware that entries for Aug. 1 and beyond took place prior to Aug. 1. It’s understood that if you are going to enter the population Aug. 1, entries for August and beyond took place prior to Aug. 1. To come up with an explanation that McPeek’s horses were ineligible to run is completely illogical.”

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Sunday, Woodbine

ROYAL NORTH S.-GII, C\$196,000, Woodbine, 8-1, 4yo/up, f/m, 6fT, 1:09.15, fm.

1--**AMALFI COAST, 120, m, 5, by Tapizar**

1st Dam: Include Katherine, by Include

2nd Dam: Katherine of Ascot, by Ascot Knight

3rd Dam: Avens, by Briartic

O-Terra Racing Stable; B-Terra Farms Ltd (ON); T-Kevin Attard; J-Justin Stein. C\$126,000. Lifetime Record: 16-6-2-3, \$480,367. *1/2 to Afleet Katherine (**Afleet Alex**), MSP, \$226,488; 1/2 to Why Katherine (Whywhywhy), MGSP-Can, GSP-USA, \$281,829; 1/2 to Chris' Brew (Milwaukee Brew), MSP, \$233,391. **Werk Nick Rating: A+++**. [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

 **REGISTERED ONTARIO-BRED** 

2--**Jeanie B (GB)**, 118, f, 4, **Bated Breath (GB)**--Effie B (GB), by Sixties Icon (GB). O-CJ Thoroughbreds; B-E & R Bastian (GB); T-Mark E. Casse. C\$35,000.

3--**Change of Control**, 122, m, 5, Fed Biz--America's Blossom, by Quiet American. (\$27,000 Wlg '16 KEENOV; \$95,000 Ylg '17 OBSOCT). O-Perry Harrison; B-John O'Meara (KY); T-Michelle Lovell. C\$17,500.

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Margins: NO, HF, 1HF. Odds: 3.80, 5.05, 1.00.

Also Ran: Lady Grace, Fairywren, Sister Peacock, Lead Guitar, Jeannie's Beepbeep.

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Amalfi Coast, a winner just once in his previous seven starts following a three-stakes winning streak, got back on the board in graded company with a score in the GII Royal North S. Sunday at Woodbine.

A fourth-out graduate two summers ago, the chestnut took the Ontario-bred Ontario Damsel S. two starts later, then annexed the restricted Carotene S. and GII Bessarabian S. before heading to the bench for the next six-plus months. Winless in

her next four tries, she returned to form with a 4 1/2-length romp in the Sweet Briar Too S. here last November before running fourth defending her Bessarabian title in her 4-year-old finale.

Third in the GIII Whimsical S. upon return last out June 19, Amalfi Coast was knocked down to distant second favoritism off an 8-1 morning-line quote here and broke in stride from her rail draw. Traveling in fifth behind a :22.78 quarter, she raced a bit hesitantly in early stretch behind rivals before diving to the rail outside the furlong grounds. Surging in the closing strides, she just overtook Jeanie B on the wire to score. Heavy favorite Change of Control was third.

“She’s push-button to ride; very professional horse,” said winning rider Justin Stein. “She knows what she’s doing. I’ve watched her run and got to be fortunate enough to ride her and steer her around a few times. When I pulled the trigger, she gives me everything she’s got. She came over ready and is a pleasure to be around. She’s a really nice horse.”

“It’s a funny game,” added winning trainer Kevin Attard. “She’s a special horse. Last year she ran into some issues--some bad luck and a little throat issue early on. I kind of mismanaged her maybe a little bit, so this year we came in with a different game plan. She’s really appreciated that and she’s showing the horse that she’s capable of being.”

Pedigree Notes:

One of 13 stakes winners and six graded stakes winners for Tapizar, who was **euthanized last December** at the age of 12, Amalfi Coast is one of four black-type runners and the lone stakes winner out of her dam, picked up for just \$5,000 at Keeneland January in 2019. Out of Canadian SW Katherine of Ascot, she is responsible for a yearling colt by **Midnight Lute**.



Amalfi Coast (inside) gets up | Michael Burns

Sunday, Woodbine

VIGIL S.-GIII, C\$159,300, Woodbine, 8-1, 3yo/up, 6f (AWT), 1:09.52, ft.

1--**SOUPER STONEHENGE**, 122, g, 5, by **Speightstown**

1st Dam: **Onepointhreekarats** (MSW, \$260,299), by **Medaglia d'Oro**

2nd Dam: **Beaties for Real**, by **Unreal Zeal**

3rd Dam: **Beaty Sark**, by **Deputy Minister**

O-Live Oak Plantation; B-Live Oak Stud (FL); T-Mark E. Casse; J-Patrick Husbands. C\$90,000. Lifetime Record: 16-5-4-1, \$343,705. *1/2 to Tap It to Win (**Tapit**), SW & GISP, \$341,560.

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

2--**Pink Lloyd**, 126, g, 9, Old Forester--Gladiator Queen, by Great Gladiator. (C\$30,000 Ylg '13 CANSEP). O-Entourage Stable; B-John Carey (ON); T-Robert P. Tiller. C\$36,000.

 **REGISTERED ONTARIO-BRED** 

3--**Not So Quiet**, 124, g, 6, Silent Name (Jpn)--Mona Moon, by Perigee Moon. O-Heste Sport, Inc. B-Heste Sport, Inc. - TB Racing Division (ON); T-Mark E. Casse. C\$19,800.

 **REGISTERED ONTARIO-BRED** 

Margins: 3/4, 3/4, HD. Odds: 0.35, 3.00, 11.30.

Also Ran: Cash Dividend, Embolden, Green Light Go.

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One race after upsetting Woodbine terror Pink Lloyd, Souper Stonehenge knocked off the local legend once more, this time as a heavy favorite, in Sunday's GIII Vigil S. at Woodbine.

Runner-up in the GII Kennedy Road S. making his stakes debut here last fall, the homebred added black-type placings in the Pelican S. and GI Carter H. before finishing a disappointing fifth in a Belmont allowance/optional claimer Apr. 24. Bouncing back with a strong four-length success, his first stakes score, in the aforementioned GIII Jacques Cartier S. last out, Souper Stonehenge got all the attention from bettors to repeat that feat and quickly established command under his own power. Clicking off a well-controlled :22.96 quarter, the chestnut faced more pressure from Not So Quiet as the half went up in :45.73. Shaking away from that rival just inside the three-sixteenths pole, he jumped back to his left lead late, but had enough to hold off the oncoming Pink Lloyd to prevail. Pink Lloyd had won the previous four renewals of the Vigil.

Pedigree Notes:

One of 124 stakes winners and 61 graded stakes winners for WinStar sensation **Speightstown**, Souper Stonehenge is the second black-type winner from as many foals to race out of her dam, a \$1.3-million Keeneland September yearling purchase in 2009 who herself is one of four black-type winners out of five

foals to race from her dam. Onepointhreekarats is responsible for a 2-year-old **Tapit** colt named Tapthespeedofsound.



Souper Stonehenge holds off Pink Lloyd | Michael Burns

Sunday, Woodbine

WOODBINE OAKS PRESENTED BY BUDWEISER, C\$500,800, Woodbine, 8-1, (C), 3yo, f, 1 1/8m (AWT), 1:50.31, ft.

1--**MUNNYFOR RO**, 121, f, 3, by **Munnings**

1st Dam: **Repartee**, by **Distorted Humor**

2nd Dam: **Dubai Dancer**, by **A.P. Indy**

3rd Dam: **Dubai Belle**, by **Mr. Prospector**

1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN. (\$65,000 Ylg '19 KEESEP). O-Raroma Stable; B-Daybar, LTD. (ON); T-Kevin Attard; J-Justin Stein. C\$300,000. Lifetime Record: GSP, 9-2-2-2, \$320,985.

 **WOODS EDGE FARM GRADUATE** 
 **REGISTERED ONTARIO-BRED** 

2--**Emmeline**, 121, f, 3, **Violence**--Babcock, by **Uncle Mo**.

(\$16,000 Ylg '19 KEESEP). O-RCC Racing Stable Ltd. & Realm Racing Stables; B-William D. Graham (ON); T-John Mattine. C\$100,000.

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3--**Il Malocchio**, 121, f, 3, Souper Speedy--Egbert Bay, by Sligo Bay (Ire). O/B-Franco S. Meli (ON); T-Martin Drexler. C\$50,000.

Margins: 1 1/4, NO, 4 3/4. Odds: 3.35, 8.15, 13.00.

Also Ran: Youens, **Curlin's Catch**, Miss Marie, Erasmo's Girl, Lorena, Jilli Marie, Lady Moonshine.

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Munnyfor Ro completed a quick-fire stakes double for her outstanding sire, overcoming a tough trip from a double digit gate to take out Sunday's C\$500,000 Woodbine Oaks in Toronto.

Settled behind midfield through the opening furlongs, the \$65,000 Keeneland September yearling purchase traveled four and five off the inside down the backstretch and began working into it entering the final half-mile. **Cont. p16**

Four deep for the run around the second turn, she sustained a long run despite the ground loss, hit the front in upper stretch and stayed on nicely to defeat Emmeline. Il Malocchio was third.

Minutes earlier, **Munnings's** Miss Alacrity stormed to victory in the Colleen S. at Monmouth Park.

Munnyfor Ro broke her maiden in career start number five over the Keeneland turf course while under the care of Brian Lynch ahead of a third to Gam's Mission (Noble Mission {GB}) in a first-level Churchill allowance May 8. Sixth to that foe in the GIII Regret S., Munnyfor Ro was a latest runner-up in the GIII Selene S. over this Tapeta track July 10.

"We were expecting a good performance out of her," said winning trainer Kevin Attard. "She came up here this season in good shape from [trainer] Brian Lynch--had a great campaign over the winter time. She ran a fabulous race in the Selene. I thought she'd move off that race forwardly enough to kind of be really competitive here today. Had a good interim breeze and put it all together."

"It's just a wonderful story and today's my mom's 80th birthday," shared winning owner Rajendra Maharajh. "Everybody is here with us, so it's a family day and a lovely day."

Munnyfor Ro could take on the boys in the Aug. 22 Queen's Plate over a mile and a quarter, according to Attard, but would need to be supplemented to that first leg of the Canadian Triple Crown.

The winner's stakes-winning second dam is a full-sister to GI Ashland S. winner Little Belle, who has since gone on to produce Grade I-winning turf distaffer Dickinson (**Medaglia d'Oro**). Repartee is the dam of the 2-year-old filly Retort (**Liam's Map**) and a yearling filly by **Unified**.

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Munnyfor Ro | Michael Burns



DA SILVA NAMED 2021 AVELINO GOMEZ MEMORIAL AWARD WINNER

Eurico Rosa da Silva, one of Canadian Thoroughbred racing's most accomplished riders and popular personalities, has been named the 2021 recipient of the Avelino Gomez Memorial Award. The Gomez Award is given to the person, Canadian-born, Canadian-raised or regular rider in the country for more than five years, who has made significant contributions to the sport. It is named in memory of one of the sport's most heralded and loved performers. The Cuban-born Gomez died of complications after a three-horse accident in the 1980 Canadian Oaks.

"What a nice surprise. Jessica Buckley [Woodbine Entertainment SVP, Standardbred & Thoroughbred Racing] called and told me," da Silva said. "I was so happy. I didn't expect this, but I feel very lucky. This is a great award. I am so thrilled. I feel like I know Avelino. I have heard so many stories about him. I've heard how great he was as a rider and how the fans loved him. So, to win this award that is named after one of the best riders, it is amazing."

Born in Sao Paulo, Brazil, da Silva launched his career in his homeland before moving to Macau. He recorded his first Woodbine victory on May 20, 2004, first topped the track's jockey standings in 2010 and won the riding title from 2015-2019. In 2018, he set the record for most wins in a single meet at Woodbine with 237 victories. A seven-time Sovereign Award winner as Canada's Outstanding Jockey, he also has victories in all three legs of the Canadian Triple Crown and racked up 2,286 total victories in his career.

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Baird: 9,445

Asmussen: 9,442

Sunday's results: Led by Jackie's Warrior (Maclean's Music), who was spectacular in winning the GII Amsterdam S. at Saratoga, Asmussen picked up two wins on the day and trails Dale Baird by just three victories. His other winner was Elusive Target (**Gun Runner**), a first-time starter who won a maiden special weight race at Ellis Park. Asmussen was 1-for-3 at Saratoga, 1-for-5 at Ellis and 0-for-2 at Monmouth.

Monday's entries: With divisions at so many tracks, Asmussen almost never gets a day off. On Monday, he will send out three horses, one each at Louisiana Downs, Colonial Downs and Indiana Grand.

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Friday, Del Mar #7, post time: 10:00 p.m. EDT

SORRENTO S.-GII, \$200,000, 2yo, f, 6f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	ML
1	She's So Shiny	Capo Bastone	Marc Ricker	O'Neill	Gonzalez	118
2	Smash Ticket	Midnight Lute	King, Brad, Kirby, Stan and Kirby, Suzanne	Fincher	Rispoli	120
3	Eda K	Munnings	Baoma Corporation	Baffert	Cedillo	120
4	Shesgotattitude	Tiznow	Donworth, Ken and Ennis, John	Ennis	McCarthy	120
5	Loveherheart	Klimt	Alydom Racing, LLC, Barragan, Rudy, Lerner, Ross, E., Russell, Craig and Russell, Ellie	Lerner	Van Dyke	120
6	It's Simple	Nyquist	Reddam Racing LLC	O'Neill	Gutierrez	120
7	Sax	Jimmy Creed	Agave Racing Stable and Schera, Matthew	D'Amato	Bravo	118
8	First Promise	First Samurai	Binder and Associates LLC, Anderson, Regan and Pearson, Molly J.	Pearson	Pyfer	118
9	Elm Drive	Mohaymen	Little Red Feather Racing	D'Amato	Hernandez	118
10	Roses for Suzzett	Stay Thirsty	Tricar Stables, Inc.	Gonzalez	Ellingwood	118
11	At the Spa	Outwork	Beckerle, Tom, Carrillo, Saul and Lovingier, Terry C.	Periban	Baze	123

Breeders: 1-Davaadorj Pureuvragchaa, 2-Brad King, 3-Nathan McCauley, 4-Des Ryan, Ken Donworth & Tony Dardis, 5-Lee McMillin & Anita Cauley, 6-Reddam Racing, LLC, 7-Linda Griggs, 8-E. H. Beau Lane III, 9-Kenneth D'Oyen, 10-Terry C. Lovingier, 11-Terry C. Lovingier

Friday, Saratoga #7, post time: 4:29 p.m. EDT

NATIONAL MUSEUM OF RACING HALL OF FAME S.-GII, \$200,000, 3yo, 1mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	ML
1	Annex K	Constitution	LNJ Foxwoods and Eclipse Thoroughbred Partners	Mott	Alvarado	122
2	Public Sector (GB)	Kingman (GB)	Klaravich Stables, Inc.	Brown	Prat	118
3	Ranger Fox	Nyquist	Eric Fein	Terranova II	Rosario	118
4	Easy Time	Not This Time	Breeze Easy, LLC	Casse	Gaffalione	118
5	In Effect	Dialed In	Calumet Farm	Sisterson	Lezcano	118
6	Original	Quality Road	Eric Fein	Terranova II	Saez	122
7	Next	Not This Time	Silverton Hill LLC	Ward	Velazquez	122
8	Wolfie's Dynaghost	Ghostzapper	Woodslane Farm	Albertrani	Ortiz, Jr.	118

Breeders: 1-William Harrigan & Mike Pietrangelo, 2-The Kathryn Stud, 3-Kinsman Farm, 4-Woods Edge Farm, LLC, 5-Calumet Farm, 6-Peter E. Blum Thoroughbreds, LLC, 7-Silverton Hill, LLC, 8-Woodslane Farm



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Friday, Saratoga #9, post time: 5:39 p.m. EDT

TROY S. PRESENTED BY HORSE RACING IRELAND-GIII, \$200,000, 4yo/up, 5 1/2fT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	ML
1	Fast Boat	City Zip	Brad Grady	Sharp	Gaffalione	124
2	Chewing Gum	Candy Ride (Arg)	Wachtel Stable, Pantofel Stable and Zaro, Jerold L.	Mott	Ortiz	118
3	Classy John	Songandaprayer	Valene Farms LLC	Stewart	Velazquez	122
4	Backtohisroots 🌿	Mark Valeski	Gatsas Stables	Terranova II	Franco	118
5	Front Run the Fed 🌿	Fed Biz	George A. Sharp	Caramori	Santana, Jr.	118
6	Gear Jockey	Twirling Candy	Calumet Farm	Arnold, II	Lezcano	120
7	Imprimis	Broken Vow	Breeze Easy, LLC	Orseno	Ortiz, Jr.	124
8	Carotari	Artie Schiller	William A. Branch	Lynch	Castellano	122
9	Chateau	Flat Out	Michael Dubb	Atras	Davis	124
10	Lazuli (Ire)	Dubawi (Ire)	Godolphin, LLC	Appleby	Saez	122
11	Bound for Nowhere 🌿	The Factor	Wesley A. Ward	Ward	Rosario	124
12	Casa Creed 🌿	Jimmy Creed	LRE Racing LLC and JEH Racing Stable LLC	Mott	Alvarado	124

Breeders: 1-R. S. Evans, 2-Wertheimer et Frere, 3-Tom Curtis & Wayne Simpson, 4-Brereton C. Jones, 5-Colts Neck Stables, 6-Calumet Farm, 7-Craig L. Wheeler, 8-Tom Evans & Pam Clark, 9-Preston Stables LLC, 10-Godolphin, 11-Wayne Lyster, Gray Lyster & Bryan Lyster, 12-Silver Springs Stud, LLC

SEPTEMBER SALE GRADS SHINE AT DEL MAR

Among September Sale graduates who had some of their best performances “where the turf meets the surf” over the years have been champions Accelerate, Beholder, Nyquist, Unique Bella and Zenyatta, as well as grade 1 winners Cistrion, Collusion Illusion, Game on Dude and Lord Nelson.

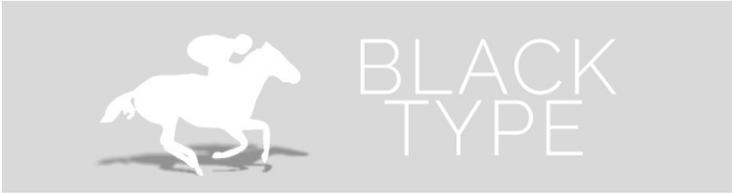
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IN ORDER OF PURSE:

PLATE TRIAL S., C\$150,000, Woodbine, 8-1, (S), 3yo, 1 1/8m (AWT), 1:52.84, ft.

1--**AVOMAN**, 126, g, 3, by Old Forester

1st Dam: Cosa Rara, by Tethra

2nd Dam: Trail On Ice, by Magesterial

3rd Dam: She Skates, by Overskate

(C\$60,000 Ylg '19 CANSEP). O-D-Mac Racing Stable Inc & La Huerta Inc; B-Joey Gee Thoroughbreds (ON); T-Donald C MacRae; J-Antonio A Gallardo. C\$94,500. Lifetime Record: 5-2-0-2, \$137,314. *1/2 to Cawaja Beach (Where's the Ring), MSW, \$274,430; Who's Big Daddy (Where's the Ring), SW-Can, SP-US, \$263,756; and Professor's Ride (Silent Name {Jpn}), SW, \$204,062.

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2--**H C Holiday**, 126, c, 3, Ami's Holiday--Henry's Collection, by Henrythenavigator. (C\$35,000 RNA Ylg '19 CANSEP). O-Ivan Dalos; B-Tall Oaks Farm (ON); T-Kevin Attard. C\$30,000.

3--**Derzkii**, 126, g, 3, Frac Daddy--Lady Sarah, by Whywhywhy. (C\$2,700 RNA Wlg '18 CANNOV; C\$19,000 RNA Ylg '19 CANSEP). O-Fieldstone Farms Inc & Jecara Farms Corp; B-Megan Allan & Lesley Kraus (ON); T-Carlos Grant. C\$16,500.

Margins: 3/4, 1 1/4, NO. Odds: 1.55, 1.55, 3.55.

Also Ran: Truffle King.



Avoman | Michael Burns

Plate Trial S. cont.

Avoman broke his maiden in the Bull Page S. over the local Tapeta last September ahead of a fifth in the Nov. 20 Frost King S. He gave a good account of himself in his latest, a close third with blinkers added in an open two-turn allowance and was the second choice by \$39 to H C Holiday. Snagged back to sit last of this quartet racing in the one-out and one-back spot into the first turn, Avoman switched off nicely while in the clear down the backstretch. Asked for a bit of speed about three furlongs out, Avoman ranged up to make a line of three, took over when Truffle King (Giant Gizmo) came in and interfered with Derzkii inside the eighth pole and kept on for the victory. Truffle King crossed the line second, but was demoted to last.

"The [Aug. 22] Queen's Plate is the game plan," said trainer Don MacRae, who co-owns the dark bay with La Huerta Inc. (father-and-son team Jim and Graeme Bruce). "I had to stall Jim for a while--he was ordering 40 tickets and a bus. I said, 'Let's just get through today.' That's what we're in it for, that's what we dream of--to walk into the infield and have these big days, and maybe dream of the Plate." [Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.](#)

COLLEEN S., \$102,000, Monmouth, 8-1, 2yo, f, 5FT, :57.23, fm.

1--**MISS ALACRITY**, 117, f, 2, by **Munnings**

1st Dam: Just Jenda (MGSW, \$750,680), by Meniffee

2nd Dam: Liberty School, by Pine Bluff

3rd Dam: Fulbright Scholar, by Cox's Ridge

1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN. (\$150,000 Wlg '19 KEENOV; \$180,000 RNA Ylg '20 FTKSEL). O-CJ Thoroughbreds; B-Milfer Farm Inc. (NY); T-Wesley A. Ward; J-Paco Lopez. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$101,250. *1/2 to Jenda's Agenda (Proud Citizen), SW, \$173,475.

 **LEGACY Bloodstock SALES GRAD** 
 **IT'S IN THE WATER** 

2--**Sail By**, 117, f, 2, **Astern (Aus)**--Fly By, by Johar. O-Treadway Racing Stable; B-Jeff Treadway (KY); T-Leah Gyarmati. \$20,000.

 **Hidden Brook Foaled & Raised** 

3--**Tizplenty**, 117, f, 2, **Speightstown**--Plenty O'Toole, by Tiznow. (\$145,000 Wlg '19 FTKNOV). O-Corinne & L. William Heiligbrodt & Spendthrift Farm LLC; B-Spruce Lane Farm & **Speightstown** Syndicate (KY); T-Steven M. Asmussen. \$10,000.

 **CONGRATS TO THE CONNECTIONS - SPRUCE LANE FARM** 

 **Hidden Brook Foaled & Sold** 
SBM Training Graduate (Susan Montanye)

Margins: 2 3/4, 2 1/4, NK. Odds: 1.10, 6.20, 3.20.

Also Ran: Lady G, Kodama (Ire), Charged Temp, Townplace.

Scratched: Chi Town Lady. **Cont. p2**

Colleen S. cont.

A 10-length winner of her Belmont unveiling against state-breds as the 2-5 pick May 20, Miss Alacrity preserved her unbeaten record with a first stakes rosette in her first try on grass in the Colleen S. Sunday.

Once again the crowd’s pick but at slightly higher odds, the chestnut battled with two rivals to her inside through a snappy first quarter in :21.20. She stuck her neck in front with three furlongs remaining and galloped into the home straight with a clear lead. A touch green down the lane, Miss Alacrity won fairly easily, with Sail By making up some late ground to take place honors.



Miss Alacrity takes the Colleen | Equi-Photo

“This is really a special win for me because my mom [Pasquala] was here from Mexico to see me ride for the first time at Monmouth Park,” said winning jockey Paco Lopez. “So I was able to get pictures with her in the winner’s circle. This is a very nice filly. Wesley Ward had her ready. She was a little green but she is very talented. I can feel it.

“I was aggressive early because that’s how she likes to run but I did not have to make the lead. I stayed close to [Kodama] because I know that filly has a lot of speed and I wanted to make sure she didn’t get too far away. But this filly was too good. She can hook horses and still have plenty left. You can tell she’s a good one.”

A daughter of Oceanport specialist Just Jenda who won four stakes—two graded—at the New Jersey oval, Miss Alacrity is a half-sister to Laurel stakes winner Jenda’s Agenda (Proud Citizen), as well as a yearling filly by Destin. GII Molly Pitcher S. and GIII Monmouth Oaks heroine Just Jenda, who also scored in the GIII Honeybee S., was most recently bred to the late Laoban after missing to **Palace Malice** last term. Third dam Fulbright Scholar (Cox’s Ridge) was a half-sister to 1986 GI Blue Grass S. victor Bachelor Beau (Raised Socially). **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

Monday, Colonial Downs, post time: 2:41 p.m. ET

DA HOSS S., \$100,000, 3yo/up, 5 1/2fT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	ML
1	Uncle Roamie	Uncle Lino	Montalvo	Smith	20-1
2	Boldor	Munnings	Russell	Asmussen	7-2
3	Mai Ty One On	Put It Back	Sanchez	Cibelli	5-1
4	Holiday Stone	Harlan's Holiday	Lynch	Weaver	9-2
5	Just Might	Justin Phillip	C Hernandez	Lovell	9-5
6	Francatelli	City Zip	Marquez	Lynch	5-1
7	Love You Much	Not For Love	Karamanos	Allen III	12-1

Monday, Presque Isle Downs, post time: 6:25 p.m. ET

TOM RIDGE S., \$75,000, 3yo, 6f (AWT)

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	ML
1	Franz Josef	Mshawish	Ayala	Wisner	10-1
2	Nicky Two Shoes	Vancouver (Aus)	Baird	Cowans	5-2
3	Arzak	Not This Time	Gallardo	Trombetta	3-1
4	Smokin' Jay	Cairo Prince	Bowen	Danner	5-1
5	Surly Furious	Upstart	Pino	Wisner	9-2
6	Ahimelech	Flat Out	Rodriguez	Hamm	6-1
7	Del Griffith	Candy Ride (Arg)	Morales	Hamm	8-1
8	Timeless Bounty	Elusive Hour	Rivera	Jackson	12-1



IN ORDER OF PURSE:

6th-Saratoga, \$105,000, Alw (NW2\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$80,000), 8-1, 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:36.76, gd, 3 1/2 lengths.

MISS TEHERAN (IRE) (m, 5, Teofilo {Ire}--Sky Boat {Ire}, by Dansili {GB}) was reinvigorated 11 months ago stateside after taking two in a row at Deauville in 2018 for Jean-Claude Rouget, but not facing the starter since. She won at Gulfstream in February, notched a trio of seconds—including last out at Belmont June 27--and finished fourth in a pair of graded stakes. Closer to the back than the front on the rail Sunday while under a hold behind fractions of :24.86 and :48.36, Miss Teheran at 5-2 emerged from the fray with energy on the final turn and unleashed a substantial rally which quickly separated her from the field. Platinum **Paynter (Paynter)** was 3 1/2 lengths back in the runner-up spot. The winner's dam is out of GI Beverly D. and GI Diana S. winner Angara (GB) (Alzao) from the immediate family of French champion and longshot GI Breeders' Cup Classic winner Arcangues (Sagace {Fr}). Sales History: €26,000 Ylg '17 GOFOR. Lifetime Record: 12-4-3-1, \$179,372. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.** O-Doubledown Stables, Inc.; B-Mrs James Wigan (IRE); T-Chad C. Brown.



Miss Teheran | Sarah Andrew

7th-Saratoga, \$105,000, Alw (NW2\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$80,000), 8-1, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:09.77, gd, nose.

ALOHA WEST (c, 4, Hard Spun--Island Bound {GSW, \$277,790}, by Speightstown) emerged fourth last out in the Kelly's Landing Overnight S. at Churchill June 25. The winner and runner-up have since won black-type events at Ellis and Pimlico, and the third-place finisher ran in Saturday's GI Alfred G. Vanderbilt H., making the Kelly's Landing not a key race, but certainly a very good one. Aloha West trailed the Spa field early Sunday as the 9-5 chalk.



Aloha West (near) | Sarah Andrew

After a quarter in :22.56, he started moving up, was in third on the outside after a half in :46.04, and came powering wide down the lane to battle Night Time (Majesticperfection) to the wire in a game finish. Both dug in resolutely with Aloha West's nose just down for the photo. The dark bay is out of 2012 GIII Winning Colors S. winner and GII Honorable Miss H. runner-up Island Bound, who has a yearling filly by **Good Samaritan**, a filly born

this year by **Divining Rod**, and was bred back to Golden Lad. Sales History: \$160,000 Ylg '18 KESEEP. Lifetime Record: 6-3-1-0, \$160,568. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

O-Eclipse Thoroughbred Partners; B-Robert Manfuso & Katharine M. Voss (MD); T-Wayne M. Catalano.

1st-Del Mar, \$76,820, Alw (NW1\$X), Opt. Clm (\$40,000), 8-1, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10.40, ft, 3 1/4 lengths.

FOREST CARAWAY (f, 3, Bodemeister--Thin Disguise, by Yes It's True), a debut winner at this meet some 50 weeks ago, was runner-up to 'TDN Rising Star' Princess Noor (**Not This Time**) in the Sept. 6 GI Del Mar Debutante and went missing off a fourth in the Anoakia S. at Santa Anita Oct. 18. Off at 59-10 for this return to action with blinkers off and Lasix on for the first time, Forest Caraway was beaten for speed and last early, but picked up the bit and made inside progress at the three-eighths marker. Sticking to the fence, Juan Hernandez sent Forest Caraway through underneath Livingmybestlife (**The Big Beast**) with a furlong and a half to travel and ran out a 3 1/4-length winner. Forest Caraway is a half to Midnight Disguise (**Midnight Lute**), MSW, \$449,960; and Holiday Disguise (Harlan's Holiday), GSW, \$662,775. Thin Disguise, a half-sister to millionaire Naughty New Yorker (Quiet American) and to SW & MGSP Pupil (Unbridled), has a yearling colt by Into Mischief, a filly foal by **Ghostzapper** and was among the first book of mares bred to Authentic this season. Sales history: \$70,000 Wlg '18 KEENOV; \$27,000 RNA Ylg '19 KESEEP. Lifetime Record: GISP, 4-2-1-0, \$130,850. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

O-Phoenix Thoroughbred III; B-Spruce Lane, Stepwise, Ground Thunder, Robbins, Copper Beech, Lynn et al. (KY); T-Peter Miller.



9th-Del Mar, \$76,000, Alw (NW2\$X), Opt. Clm (\$62,500), 7-31, 3yo/up, 1 1/8mT, 1:49.53, fm, 1 3/4 lengths.

MEDIA BLITZ (c, 4, Medaglia d'Oro--Communique {MGSW & MGISP, \$594,841}, by Smart Strike) returned from a 370-day absence to miss by a neck in a 10-furlong turf allowance at Santa Anita Mar. 13 before taking a first-level test at Churchill over a mile and a half May 20. The well-bred bay was turning back off a disappointing fourth over the latter course and distance June 11 and was no better than 11-1 in this strong field. Away alertly from the two hole, the half-brother to Woodfield Springs (Raven's Pass), GSP, \$137,713, raced on the back of pacesetting Sash (GB) (**Oasis Dream {GB}**), who took some mild pressure from GISW Get Her Number (**Dialed In**) to his outside. Shuffled back a spot or two when Umberto Rispoli tried to shake things up on K P All Systems Go (**More Than Ready**) mid-race, Media Blitz remained glued to the inside, charged through to hit the

front where the chute meets the course proper about a sixteenth from home and went on to a 1 3/4-length victory. Communique, a full-sister to SW Final Count, is also the dam of the 2-year-old filly Cold Call (**Frosted**), the expatriated yearling filly Dee Mark (**Mr Speaker**) and a colt foal by **Honor Code**. She was most recently bred to **Union Rags**. Sales history: \$200,000 Ylg '18 KEESEP; \$310,000 2yo '19 OBSAPR. Lifetime Record: 8-3-3-0, \$177,399. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

O-Kaleem Shah Inc; B-G Watts Humphrey (KY); T-Simon Callaghan.



IN ORDER OF PURSE:

2nd-Woodbine, C\$106,848, Msw, 8-1, 2yo, 6fT, 1:10.08, fm, 3/4 length.

FIRST EMPIRE (c, 2, Classic Empire--Silsita {GSW, \$213,873}, by Macho Uno) showed speed in his five-furlong debut over the synth, but weakened in the final furlong to finish fifth. A 9-2 gamble while switching to the turf here, the Ontario-bred dueled heads apart outside of Pot Committed (**Bayern**), put that one away in upper stretch and kicked on gamely, holding off a late challenge from the debuting Silent Farewell (Silent Name {Jpn}) by three-parts of a length to become the seventh winner for his freshman sire (by Pioneer of the Nile). First-time starter Diamond City (Shackleford) loomed three wide into the lane and remained a threat into the final stages before his inexperience caught up with him. He completed a 1-3 for the Mark Casse barn. The first winner from his Grade III-winning dam, First Empire has a yearling half-brother by **West Coast** and a foal half-brother by **Uncle Mo**. Sales history: \$75,000 RNA Ylg '20 FTKSEL; \$60,000 Ylg '20 FTKOCT. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$52,026. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

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2nd-Saratoga, \$100,000, Msw, 8-1, 2yo, f, 1 1/16mT, 1:45.77, fm, head.

BLISSFUL (f, 2, Empire Maker--Belleski {MGSW, \$374,586}, by Polish Numbers) flashed some ability in her morning trials over the Keeneland main track last month, including a sharp half-mile gate move in :47 4/5 (3/62) in her penultimate move July 14. Off at an overlaid 32-5 off a 7-2 morning line, the attractive bay filly hopped slightly at the break and was clearly last to make the first turn before setting into a good rhythm at the tail for the in-form Luis Saez. Creeping into it down the backstretch while stalking favored Silvery Rill (**War Front** x Stays In Vegas) in her slipstream, Blissful appeared to idle some about three furlongs out, but jumped back into the bridle under an energetic ride approaching the quarter pole. Despite surrendering first run to Silvery Rill, Blissful found her best stride inside the final eighth of a mile and finished with a flourish to score by a narrow margin. A \$155,000 Fasig-Tipton October yearling, Blissful breezed an eighth of mile--a touch greenly--in :10 2/5 and was hammered down for \$350,000 at this year's OBS April Sale. A late April foal, Blissful is a full-sister to Keri Belle, GSW, \$323,140, who broke her maiden in her first try on turf at odds of nearly 10-1 at Aqueduct in 2014 before going on to land the Gill Megahertz S. at Santa Anita in 2016. Belleski, who also graduated in her first go on the grass prior to becoming a dual graded-stakes winning turf sprinter, is the dam of a yearling filly named Sparrow (Into Mischief). She was barren to **Klimt** for this season. Sales history: \$155,000 Ylg '20 FTKOCT; \$350,000 2yo '21 OBSAPR. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$55,000. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

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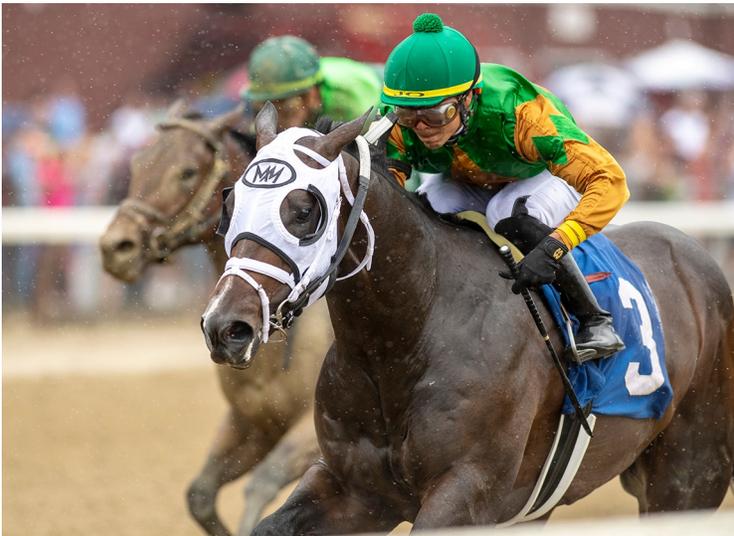
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5th-Saratoga, \$85,000, (S), Msw, 8-1, 2yo, 6f, 1:11.73, gd, 1 1/2 lengths.

ROTKNEE (c, 2, Runhappy--In Spite of Mama, by Speightstown), who ran second against fellow New York-breds in the mud at Belmont July 9, was bet down to even-money and did not disappoint. Hustled immediately up to lead by open lengths, the blinkered bay was on cruise control through splits of :21.89 and :45.02. However, those early exertions began to take their toll on the crowd's pick and the duo of Whittingham Park (**Midnight Lute**) and Tin Pan Alley (**Candy Ride {Arg}**) took aim at the leg weary chalk inside the final 100 yards. Rotknee had built up too much of a cushion and held on to win by 1 1/2 lengths. Tin Pan Alley bested Whittington Park by 3/4 of a length for second. The second foal of his three-time winning dam after the MSP Lookin for Trouble (Into Mischief), Rotknee is also a half-brother to a yearling colt by Bolt d'Oro and a weanling filly by **Audible**. A half-sister to MSW and GIII Matron S. third **A Freud of Mama (Freud)**, In Spite of Mama visited **War of Will** this spring. This is the extended family of GI Jockey Club Gold Cup hero Haynesfield (**Speightstown**). Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$61,750. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.** O/B-William J. Butler (NY); T-Michael J. Maker.



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6th-Del Mar, \$76,700, Msw, 8-1, 2yo, f, 1mT, 1:36.96, fm, 1 length.

INTO TOURING (f, 2, Tourist--Smokin Mischief, by Into Mischief), third on debut at Gulfstream June 20 going a sixteenth shorter, shipped across the country and took to the Del Mar lawn as the 9-5 choice. Breaking last, the bay bided her time patiently near the back, had moved up to sixth with two furlongs to go, tipped out five wide into the stretch, and dove inside late to secure a length win over La Deuxieme Etoile (**Nyquist**). Smokin Mischief sold at the 2019 Keeneland

November sale for \$8,500 to Jason Hall carrying a now-yearling full-sister to Into Touring. The mare produced a filly by **English Channel** this year and was bred back to **Karakontie (Jpn)**. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$46,500. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

O/B-Gary Barber (ON); T-Mark E. Casse.



3rd-Del Mar, \$71,500, Msw, 8-1, 2yo, 5f, :58.18, ft, 1/2 length. PINEHURST (c, 2, Twirling Candy--Giant Win, by Giant's Causeway), favored at 8-5 to graduate on debut, broke from the one post and was midpack for about a furlong before accelerating to seize command by the :22.56 first quarter mark from stablemate Enbarr (Brody's Cause). The two raced nearly in tandem, never more than a half-length apart and often eyeballing each other, as they separated themselves from the field. Pinehurst crossed the wire a half-length in front, with Enbarr having an 11 1/2-length advantage on the rest. The winner's dam has a yearling colt by **Cairo Prince** and produced a **Liam's Map** colt May 30. Bred back to **Twirling Candy**, she is from the immediate family of GISW Harmony Lodge (Hennessy) and MGSW & GISP Graeme Hall (Dehere). Sales History: \$180,000 Wlg '19 KEENOV; \$385,000 Ylg '20 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$42,000. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

O-SF Racing LLC, Starlight Racing, Madaket Stables LLC, Robert E. Masterson, Stonestreet Stables LLC, Jay A. Schoenfarber, Waves Edge Capital LLC, Catherine Donovan, Golconda Stable & Siena Farm LLC; B-Fred W. Hertrich III & John D. Fielding (KY); T-Bob Baffert.



2nd-Del Mar, \$71,000, Msw, 8-1, 2yo, 5fT, :57.94, fm, 3/4 length.

MAGNOLIA (f, 2, Frosted--Hardcore, by Hard Spun), one of two fillies in the field facing the boys, was the longest shot in the group of maidens at just shy of 14-1 for her career debut. She broke evenly, settled behind the leaders on the inside through a first quarter in :23.28, shifted to go around frontrunner Time to Party (**Kantharos**) on the turn, and collared him with authority to win by three-quarters of a length as she pricked her ears just before the wire. Magnolia's dam has been bred to **Complexity** for next term. Sales History: \$180,000 Ylg '20 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$42,000. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

O-LNJ Foxwoods; B-Ashview Farm & Gatewood Bell (KY);
T-Simon Callaghan.

Bred, Raised and Sold by **ASHVIEW FARM**
SBM (Susan Montanye) Graduate

7th-Monmouth, \$55,625, Msw, 8-1, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:38.19,
ft, 5 1/4 lengths.

BOLD TACTICS (f, 3, Union Rags--Omnitap, by Tapit) was never off the board in four route starts for the Wayne Catalano barn, including rolling a pair of threes beneath the Twin Spires May 22 and June 12. Favored at 4-5 Sunday, the Gary and Mary West silkbearer was slowly into stride and raced in fourth into the clubhouse turn. Asked to improve up the fence, the chestnut was willing with a half-mile remaining, switched off the inside to tackle the leader and those two entered the turn in lockstep. She shrugged off that challenge entering the lane and sailed home a 5 1/4-length winner. My Maggie Moo (**Bernardini**) rallied to take second. The winner is a half to Air Strike (**Street Sense**), GSW, \$338,810, as well as juvenile colt Home Brew (**Street Sense**). Omnitap, a half-sister to a pair of stakes winners, has a yearling colt by **Street Sense**. Lifetime Record: 5-1-1-3, \$82,400. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

O-Gary & Mary West; B-Gary & Mary West Stables Inc. (KY);
T-Kelly J. Breen.

7th-Ellis, \$50,870, Msw, 8-1, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:37.82, ft, 1 3/4
lengths.

STRONG SILENT (f, 3, Wicked Strong--Awe Hush, by Awesome Again) missed by only a head to take second when making her



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career bow going six furlongs at this venue July 3. Wheeled back in this spot and trying a route of ground for the first time, the 2-1 shot charged up into contention from the bell and perched

just behind the pacesetter. She moved up to eyeball favored Upandcomingstar (Into Mischief) on the far turn and inched past that foe with a quarter mile remaining. Street Missy (Istan) cut into her advantage throughout the stretch, but was 1 3/4 lengths adrift on the line. The winner is a half-sister to the unraced 2-year-old colt Can't Hush This (**Not This Time**), and a yearling filly by **Accelerate**. Her dam Awe Hush, herself a half-sister to MGSP Portal Creek (Shanghai Bobby), did not get in foal to Mitole in 2021, but she visited the court of **Maximum Security** this year. Sales history: \$80,000 Ylg '19 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$40,800. **Click for the Equibase.com chart.**

O-West Point Thoroughbreds; B-White Fox Farm (KY); T-Dale L. Romans.

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5th-Ellis, \$51,000, Msw, 8-1, 2yo, 7f, 1:25.20, ft, 3 3/4 lengths.

ELUSIVE TARGET (c, 2, Gun Runner--Ultimate Reward, by Unbridled's Song) gave his leading freshman sire (by **Candy Ride {Arg}**) his ninth winner from his first crop with a daylight score at Ellis Park. The 3-1 shot surged to the front on the inside and was hounded through early fractions of :23.42 and :46.96. He lost



Elusive Target | Coady

the lead on the turn, stepping back so significantly that the announcer called him done, then resurged with enough energy down the lane to carry him 3 3/4 lengths clear of favored Beach Holiday (Into Mischief). The bay had made one previous start over this track and trip July 11 but never cracked the top flight. Elusive Target, a Besilu homebred, has a yearling full-sister and a 2021 half-sister by **More Than Ready**. Dam Ultimate Reward, a half to MGSW & GISP Multiple Choice (Mt. Livermore), as well as to the dams of six stakes winners including GI Clark H. winner **Leofric (Candy Ride {Arg})**, was bred to **Caravaggio** for next term. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$30,954. **Click for the Equibase.com chart.**

O/B-Besilu Stables LLC (KY); T-Steven M. Asmussen.

H Hidden Brook Foaled & Raised H

7th-Pimlico, \$48,760, Msw, 8-1, 3, 4, /5yo, f/m, 1 1/16m (off turf), 1:49.17, my, 3 3/4 lengths.

DANCE WARRIOR (f, 3, Pioneer of the Nile--Only by the Night, by Tale of the Cat) took some play in her debut over the Gulfstream turf for Christophe Clement, but trailed throughout and was the 8-1 longest shot in a field of six for this rained-off affair. Beaten for speed and last heading around the first turn, the homebred got a few underhanded reminders with five furlongs to race and looked to be making hard work of it at the half-mile. Out of the frame with as little as five-sixteenths to run, Dance Warrior cut the corner while catching the eye and rallied down at the fence to post a widening 3 3/4-length victory. Everett Dobson purchased Dance Warrior's dam for \$350,000 at the 2015 Keeneland November sale a handful of months after her half-sister won the GI Acorn S. and GI CCA Oaks. Only By the Night is the dam of Beauxs Artes, a 2-year-old filly from the first crop of Dobson's **Mastery**, who worked a half-mile in :49.93 at Saratoga July 22. The mare is also represented by a yearling **American Pharoah** colt and a colt foal by **Twirling Candy**. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$28,000. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

O-Cheyenne Stable LLC; B-Candy Meadows LLC (KY); T-Jeremiah O'Dwyer.

CANDY MEADOWS BRED & RAISED

3rd-Gulfstream, \$47,000, Msw, 8-1, 2yo, 7 1/2ft, 1:31.22, fm, 5 1/2 lengths.

ON THIN ICE (c, 2, More Than Ready--Frozen Treat, by Dynaformer) capped a promising worktab with a strong half-mile work from the gate over this main track in :47 flat (7/77) July 24 and was the 2-1 chalk to get things going right off the bat. Showing good early speed from his low draw, the half-brother to Ketel Twist (Dixie Union), GSP, \$192,477, lobbed them along up front through easy fractions of :25.66 and :50.10. Upping the tempo on the turn, On Thin Ice kicked hard off the final corner, opened an unassailable advantage and had five lengths on fellow firster and chief market rival Eldon's Prince (**Cairo Prince**) at the wire. Bought back on a bid of \$140,000 at last year's Keeneland September sale, On Thin Ice is out of a half-sister to the solid turf galloper Buff (Pleasant Tap) and a full-sister to MGSW Masseur, the dam of English Group 3 winner Royal Artillery (**War Front**). He is the last listed produce for his dam. Sales history: \$140,000 RNA Ylg '20 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$27,000. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

O/B-D J Stable LLC; T-Mark E. Casse.

H Hidden Brook Florida Graduate H

6th-Ellis, \$35,400, Msw, 8-1, 2yo, f, 5 1/2ft, 1:03.96, fm, head. **MY DAWN (f, 2, Goldencents--Vibrant, by Vicar)**, a game third over this course and distance in her Independence Day debut, showed enough that day to justify 7-5 favoritism for another go. She delivered, sprinting out of the gate to vie for the lead. Dogged throughout to her inside by Ladybelucky (**Lookin At Lucky**), My Dawn got a pressured quarter in :22.83, an equally pressured half in :46.73, and finally put away Ladybelucky just in time for Thedevilyousay (**Daredevil**) and She's Gone (**Curlin**) to come flying on the outside for a calvary charge to the wire. The margin between the top six were a head, head, half-length, three-quarter length, and neck. The winner is a half to Vicar's in Trouble (Into Mischief), MGSW, \$1,228,292; and to Devine Mischief (Into Mischief), SW-Can, SW-USA, \$261,351. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$17,500. **Click for the Equibase.com chart.** O-Brad Grady; B-Brad Grady & Misty Grady (FL); T-Joe Sharp.



My Dawn (inside) | Coady

4th-Prairie Meadows, \$30,500, Msw, 7-31, 2yo, 5f, :59.33, ft, head.

TWO GUNS (g, 2, Cairo Prince--Factfull, by The Factor) went a bullet half-mile in :47 4/5 July 24 and was the 18-5 third choice to open his account at first asking. Ridden along to press the early pace, the bay was roused to the front in upper stretch, was clearly overtaken by favored second-timer Escrow Style (**Tapiture**), but battled back inside to claim a head success. The debuting Screwball (Empire Maker) bombed the start badly, but turned in a solid stretch rally to finish a close third. Two Guns is out of a half-sister to GI Whitney H. hero Bullsbay (Tiznow) and to GSW Our Khrysty (Newfoundland), whose \$700,000 FTKSEL daughter Grace Adler (**Curlin**) was a winner on Del Mar debut Saturday. Factfull is represented by a yearling **Mastery** filly and was bred to **Global Campaign** this year. Sales history: \$4,000 Ylg '20 KEESEP; \$20,000 2yo '21 OBSOPN. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0,

\$18,150. Click for the [Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#), sponsored by TVG.

O/T-Don Schnell; B-Pippa's Hurricane (KY).



8th-Arlington, \$30,000, Msw, 8-1, 2yo, f, 5fT, :58.57, fm, 3 1/4 lengths.
PLUS CHIC (f, 2, More Than Ready--Chic Dancer {GSW, \$308,336}, by Joyeux Danseur) provided her sire with his second first-time starter/winner and third winner overall with a commanding performance. The half-sister to Her Emmynency (Successful Appeal), GISW, \$560,595, was off a touch slowly, but quickly recovered to sit third entering the turn. Guided through an opening at the fence at the five-sixteenths, Plus Chic felt a right-handed crack on her hind quarters when popping off the fence in upper stretch, took over at midstretch and kicked home willingly to take it by 3 1/4 lengths. Dressed, off at 4-1, completed a **More Than Ready** exacta that returned a generous 17-1. The winner's dam carried the colors of Steve and Diana Holland's S D Brilie partnership to an 8-1 upset in the 2006 Gill Modesty H. over the Arlington turf course for trainer Christine Janks and is also responsible for the stakes-placed Perfect Star (Into Mischief). Plus Chic is the final foal from Chic Dancer. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$18,000. Click for the [Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#), sponsored by TVG.
 O/B-S D Brilie LP (KY); T-Michele Boyce.



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IN SINGAPORE:

Rocketship, f, 3, Into Mischief--Dulce Periculum, by El Corredor. Kranji, 8-1, Restricted Maiden (\$55k), 1200m (AWT), 1:11.43. B-Mulholland Springs LLC, Tom Grether Farms Inc et al (KY). *\$125,000 2yo '20 OBSJUN. **First winner (only starter) for sire in Singapore. [VIDEO](#)

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 2021 Stud Fees Listed

Bal a Bali (Brz) (Put It Back), Calumet Farm, \$5,000
 98 foals of racing age/2 winners/1 black-type winner
 1-Louisiana Downs, Msw 5fT, Creme de Bali, 7-2
 \$9,500 KEE SEP yrl

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Divining Rod (Tapit), Country Life Farm, \$5,000
68 foals of racing age/4 winners/0 black-type winners
8-Colonial Downs, \$100K Hickory Tree S., 5f, Local Motive, 6-1

El Deal (Munnings), Red River Farms, \$2,500
30 foals of racing age/3 winners/0 black-type winners
1-Louisiana Downs, Msw 5fT, Charco, 3-2
\$70,000 OBS WIN wnl

Gormley (Malibu Moon), Spendthrift Farm, \$5,000
119 foals of racing age/5 winners/0 black-type winners
1-Louisiana Downs, Msw 5fT, Classic Man, 6-1
\$3,000 KEE SEP yrl

Holy Boss (Street Boss), Anchor & Hope Farm, \$1,000
47 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners
8-Colonial Downs, \$100K Hickory Tree S., 5f, Night Boss, 8-1

SECOND-CROP STARTERS TO WATCH: MONDAY, AUGUST 2
2021 Stud Fees Listed

Big Blue Kitten (Kitten's Joy), Calumet Farm, \$5,000
75 foals of racing age/12 winners/1 black-type winner
1-Louisiana Downs, Msw 5fT, Costello's Kitten, 8-1
\$2,800 FTK FEB wnl; \$2,500 TTA YHR yrl

Juba (Tapit), Taylor Mountain Farm, \$1,500
45 foals of racing age/9 winners/1 black-type winner
7-Colonial Downs, \$100K Keswick S., 5f, Fancy Her Up, 8-1

Mshawish (Medaglia d'Oro), Taylor Made Farm, \$7,500
133 foals of racing age/30 winners/1 black-type winner
5-Presque Isle Downs, \$75K Tom Ridge S., 6f, Franz Josef, 10-1
\$47,000 RNA FTK JUL yrl; \$40,000 FTK OCT yrl

Not This Time (Giant's Causeway), Taylor Made Farm, \$40,000
205 foals of racing age/53 winners/9 black-type winners
5-Presque Isle Downs, \$75K Tom Ridge S., 6f, Arzak, 3-1
\$85,000 KEE SEP yrl; \$575,000 OBS APR 2yo

Outwork (Uncle Mo), WinStar Farm, \$15,000
211 foals of racing age/37 winners/4 black-type winners
7-Parx Racing, Msw 1m, Outworknforakiss, 3-1
\$36,000 FTK OCT yrl; \$10,000 EAS MAY 2yo

Speightster (Speightstown), WinStar Farm, \$10,000
228 foals of racing age/50 winners/2 black-type winners
7-Assiniboia Downs, \$100K Manitoba Derby, 1 1/8m, Etu Babou, 30-1
\$82,000 FTK OCT yrl

Uncle Lino (Uncle Mo), Northview Stallion Station, \$4,000
134 foals of racing age/21 winners/0 black-type winners
3-Colonial Downs, \$100K Da Hoss S., 5 1/2f, Uncle Roamie, 20-1

Upstart (Flatter), Airdrie Stud, \$10,000
167 foals of racing age/44 winners/3 black-type winners
5-Presque Isle Downs, \$75K Tom Ridge S., 6f, Surly Furious, 9-2
\$15,000 FTK OCT yrl

Vancouver (Aus) (Medaglia d'Oro), Coolmore Australia
146 foals of racing age/36 winners/2 black-type winners
5-Presque Isle Downs, \$75K Tom Ridge S., 6f, Nicky Two Shoes, 5-2



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STAKES RESULTS:

LAND OF ENCHANTMENT S., (NB) \$50,000, Ruidoso Downs, 7-31, (S), 3yo/up, 7 1/2f, 1:30.78, ft.

1--**ANCIENT LAND, 123, g, 4, Monterey Jazz--Rodinia, by Bluegrass Cat.** (\$18,000 Ylg '18 RUIAUG). O-Martin Riley, D Carroll, C Scott & J Howard; B-Patricia L Davis (NM); T-Casey T Lambert; J-Kelsi Purcell. \$30,000. Lifetime Record: SW, 16-6-1-1, \$221,066.

2--**Thunder Dome, 123, g, 7, Dome--Lauren Lynn, by Hadif.** O-W D Carson Sr, M H Carson & Leach Racing LLC; B-Frank Richardson & Mooring (NM); T-Dallas J Barton. \$10,000.

3--**Storm Bayou, 124, g, 5, Attila's Storm--Samba Queen, by Giant's Causeway.** (\$45,000 Ylg '17 RUIAUG). O-Kent V Kunz; B-R D Hubbard (NM); T-Jose R Gonzalez Jr. \$5,000. Margins: 6HF, 1, 6 1/4. Odds: 2.70, 1.80, 14.50.

LINCOLN S., (NB) \$50,000, Ruidoso Downs, 8-1, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:03.79, ft.

1--**FLIGHT SONG, 123, m, 5, Attila's Storm--Hang Glide (MSP, \$210,573), by Dome.** O-Pierre Jean Amestoy, Jr., Leslie A. Amestoy, & Roger K. Beasley; B-R. D. R D Hubbard (NM); T-James E. Lackey; J-Luis H. Rodriguez. \$30,000. Lifetime Record: 19-7-0-5, \$264,223. *Full to Another Brother, SW, \$248,183; Full to Reaper, MSW, \$376,070; Full to Thermal, MSW, \$458,332.

2--**Let It Roll**, 123, m, 5, Roll Hennessy Roll--Verily, by Mr. Greeley. O-B4 Farms, LLC; B-R. D. R D Hubbard (NM); T-Todd W. Fincher. \$10,000.

3--**Count Them Again**, 123, f, 4, Premeditation--Count Your Cards, by Royal Orleans. O-Lola L. Cuellar & Alexandria M. Cuellar; B-Jim Volk (NM); T-Ever Olguin. \$5,000.

Margins: 3/4, HF, 2. Odds: 9.90, 1.80, 1.10.

ROAD RUNNER S., (NB) \$50,000, Ruidoso Downs, 8-1, (S), 3yo, c/g, 5 1/2f, 1:03.55, ft.

1--**IZERIGHT, 121, g, 3, Right Rigger--Vowsmakemebush, by Desert God.** O/B-Gaylon McGee (NM); T-Bart G. Hone; J-Miguel A. Perez. \$30,000. Lifetime Record: 6-3-1-2, \$79,397.

2--**Awesome Storm**, 121, g, 3, Awesome Indian--Roxyana, by **Sky Mesa.** (\$15,000 Ylg '19 RUIAUG). O-Fincher Racing LLC & Norman W. Allen; B-Jay L & Paulette Taylor (NM); T-Todd W. Fincher. \$10,000.

3--**Cheese Tray**, 121, c, 3, Attila's Storm--Road to Reason, by Redattore (Brz). O/B-J. Kirk & Judy Robison (NM); T-Todd W. Fincher. \$5,000.

Margins: HD, NK, 1 1/4. Odds: 2.70, 1.20, 5.50.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

10th-Woodbine, C\$98,573, (C)/Opt. Clm (\$48,079-\$50,082), 8-1, 3yo/up, 5fT, :57.39, fm, 1/2 length.

FORESTER'S FORTUNE (g, 4, Old Forester--Nursery Song, by Beau Genius) Lifetime Record: 14-4-1-3, \$210,903. O-Claudia Evelyn Silvera & H. Archie Lee; B-John Carey (ON); T-L. Rodney Barrow. *C\$12,000 RNA Ylg '18 CANSEP. **1/2 to Souper Hot (Souper Speedy), SW, \$175,349.

4th-Woodbine, C\$76,712, 8-1, (NW1\$X), 3yo/up, 7fT, 1:21.96, fm, 3/4 length.

SIR SEAMUS (g, 5, Handsome Mike--Gold Diggin Dixie, by Dixie Union) Lifetime Record: 19-6-1-1, \$143,979. O-Network Stables; B-Helen & Joseph Barbazon (FL); T-Alexander F. McPherson. *\$13,000 2yo '18 OBSOPN.

11th-Del Mar, \$75,000, (S), Opt. Clm (\$20,000), 7-31, 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:33.86, fm, 2 3/4 lengths.

ONE FAST BRO (g, 4, Coil--Awesome Broad, by Mr. Broad Blade) Lifetime Record: 11-2-1-5, \$129,191. O/B-Ruis Racing LLC (CA); T-Shelbe Ruis. *1/2 to Awesome Return (Decarchy), MSW & GSP, \$480,998; and One Fast Broad (Decarchy), MSW, \$390,823.

7th-Del Mar, \$74,500, (S), Opt. Clm (\$20,000), 7-31, 3yo/up, f/m, 5fT, :57.96, fm, nose.

MISS CAROUSEL (f, 4, Square Eddie--Gypsy Friday, by In Excess {Ire}) Lifetime Record: 6-2-0-0, \$82,111. O/B-Reddam Racing LLC & Edward Freeman (CA); T-Edward R Freeman.

1st-Woodbine, C\$50,890, Opt. Clm (\$32,053), 8-1, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f (AWT), 1:11.52, ft, 1 1/4 lengths.

RED EQUINOX (f, 3, Signature Red--Majestic Red, by Rahy) Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-0, \$55,470. O-Norseman Racing Stable; B-Howard Walton (ON); T-Jamie Attard.

5th-Gulfstream, \$50,600, (NW1\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$75,000), 8-1, 3yo, 1mT, 1:34.96, fm, neck.

FULMINI (c, 3, Overdriven--Gina's Kitten, by Kitten's Joy) Lifetime Record: MSP, 13-4-3-2, \$193,913. O-Bell Racing, LLC; B-Gina D'Amato (FL); T-Carlos A. David.

5th-Pimlico, \$48,960, 8-1, (NW1X), 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m (off turf), 1:49.25, my, 5 lengths.

ONE LAST TRIAL (f, 4, Tonalist--Thisdandestaken {SP, \$258,910}, by Gators N Bears) Lifetime Record: 12-4-1-1, \$126,665. O-The Elkstone Group, LLC (Stuart Grant); B-The Elkstone Group LLC (MD); T-Kelly Rubley.



8th-Prairie Meadows, \$41,122, (S), 7-31, (NW1X), 3yo/up, 1m, 1:38.55, ft, 3 1/2 lengths.

SMART N INTUITIVE (g, 4, Notional--Smarty Mo, by Smarty Jones) Lifetime Record: 12-5-0-2, \$102,323. O-Charles D Nielsen; B-Jim Jorgenson (IA); T-Jon G Arnett.

6th-Golden Gate Fields, \$40,114, Opt. Clm (\$50,000), 7-31, 3yo, 1m (AWT), 1:38.38, ft, 3/4 length.

J T'S WATCH (c, 3, Bold Chieftain--Only a Moment, by Bertrando) Lifetime Record: 9-4-1-1, \$73,702. O-Williamson Racing LLC; B-Henry Williamson (CA); T-Reid France.

8th-Ellis, \$35,968, 8-1, (NW1X), 3yo/up, 5 1/2fT, 1:02.86, fm, head.

ON YOUR MARK (g, 4, Mark Valeski--Keep the Source, by Brother Derek) Lifetime Record: 13-3-4-1, \$84,044. O-Save Andriot, Steve Vanovich, & Brad Cain; B-Brereton C. Jones (KY); T-Gregory D. Foley. *\$25,000 Ylg '18 KEESEP.

4th-Canterbury, \$33,900, Opt. Clm (\$20,000), 8-1, 3yo/up, 1m 70yT, 1:39.27, fm, 5 1/4 lengths.

DRAMA CHORUS (g, 4, Big Drama--Missmollybygolly, by Scat Daddy) Lifetime Record: 15-3-4-1, \$83,812. O/B-Peter D Mattson (FL); T-Tim P Padilla.

9th-Prairie Meadows, \$32,500, 7-31, (NW3L), 3yo/up, 1m, 1:36.85, ft, 4 lengths.

LONG TERM THINKING (r, 5, Quality Road--Deceptive Glory, by Honour and Glory) Lifetime Record: 14-3-10-1, \$164,800. O-Heath Aaron Campbell; B-Gunpowder Farms LLC (KY); T-Timothy E Martin. *\$175,000 Ylg '17 FTKOCT.

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7th-Canterbury, \$31,000, Opt. Clm (\$12,500), 8-1, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:37.34, ft, 5 1/2 lengths.

BERRY GOOD (f, 3, Declaration of War--Fly Girl {SP, \$111,186}, by Jump Start) Lifetime Record: 6-2-3-1, \$76,100. O-Novogratz Racing Stables Inc.; B-Sycamore Hall Thoroughbreds, LLC (MD); T-McLean Robertson. *\$19,000 RNA Ylg '19 KEESEP; \$47,000 Ylg '19 EASOCT.

6th-Ruidoso Downs, \$29,700, 8-1, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:09.02, ft, 2 lengths.

CANOODLING (f, 3, Pioneerof the Nile--Miz Kella, by Harlan's Holiday) Lifetime Record: SP, 8-3-0-2, \$90,583. O-B4 Farms, LLC; B-Stonehaven Steadings (KY); T-Todd W. Fincher. *\$180,000 Ylg '19 KEESEP.

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8th-Evangeline Downs, \$28,000, (S), 7-31, (NW2L), 3yo/up, f/m, 1m (off turf), 1:41.36, my, 3 lengths.

EXPLOSIVELY HOT (m, 5, Bind--Queen Peso, by My Friend Max) Lifetime Record: 15-2-1-3, \$76,895. O-Dina Angelo; B-Foundation Racing Stables (LA); T-John Ney.

2nd-Mountaineer Casino & Resort, \$20,564, 8-1, (NW3LX), 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:35.10, fm, neck.

VOTING CONTROL (g, 6, Kitten's Joy--Manda Bay, by Empire Maker) Lifetime Record: 10-3-3-1, \$272,854. O-Debra E Kachel; B-Kenneth L & Sarah K Ramsey (KY); T-Richard J Hendriks. *\$85,000 Ylg '16 OBSAUG; \$27,000 HRA '20 KEEDIG.

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3rd-Mountaineer Casino & Resort, \$20,352, 8-1, (NW3LX), 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:35.49, fm, 2 3/4 lengths.

AFLEET MOMENT (h, 5, Uncle Mo--Teak Totem {SW, \$104,910}, by Northern Afleet) Lifetime Record: 15-3-1-2, \$42,659.

O/T-Anthony Stephen; B-SF Bloodstock LLC (KY). *\$250,000 Wlg '16 KEENOV; \$650,000 Ylg '17 FTSAUG; \$4,000 3yo '19 KEENOV. **1/2 to Streakin' Mohican (Songandaprayer), MSP-USA, SP-Can, \$380,423; 1/2 to **Adios Charlie** (Indian Charlie), GSW, \$251,090.

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Dear Mama Mia, f, 2, **Chitu**--R Crown Royalty, by Wildcat Heir. Gulfstream, 8-1, (S), 6f, 1:13.12. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$43,880. B-Clark Freeman (FL).

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Dr Pescado, c, 2, **Fullbridled**--Sweetly Peppered (MSP, \$221,400), by Peppered Cat. Golden Gate Fields, 8-1, 5 1/2f (AWT), 1:04.64. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$18,000. B-Juan Heredia (CA). *1ST-TIME STARTER. **Won by 7 1/4 lengths.

Lake Mills, g, 3, **El Medwar**--Wild About Rachel, by Wild Rush. Arlington, 8-1, (S), 6f (AWT), 1:12.33. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$18,000. B-Frank Kirby & Joe Kirby (IL). *1/2 to Wild Hope (Quaker Ridge), MSW, \$492,916.

Giant Waters, c, 3, **Giant Gizmo**--Green Waters, by Arch. Woodbine, 8-1, 1mT, 1:36.66. Lifetime Record: 7-1-2-3, \$119,907. B-Track West Racing Inc. (ON). *C\$25,000 RNA Ylg '19 CANSEP.

Mischief Mama, f, 3, **Lotsa Mischief**--Mame's Flame, by Heatseeker (Ire). Prairie Meadows, 7-31, 1m 70y, 1:45.13. Lifetime Record: 6-1-1-0, \$24,437. B-Dan McFarlane (AZ).

Bruce's Girl, f, 3, **More Than Ready**--Eclair de Lune (Ger) (GISW-USA, GSP-Fr, \$576,842), by Marchand de Sable. Canterbury, 8-1, 1mT, 1:36.52. Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-0, \$19,800. B-Hill 'N Dale Farm (IL).

Native Courage, g, 4, **Bourbon Courage**--I Got a Answer (SW, \$142,875), by Luftikus. Charles Town, 7-31, 6 1/2f, 1:21.20. Lifetime Record: 17-1-4-5, \$61,152. B-Ana Cristina Vena (MD).

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For Me Let It Be, g, 4, **Istan**--Souvenir Secret (SP), by Souvenir Copy. Prairie Meadows, 8-1, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:04.91. Lifetime Record: 9-1-3-1, \$59,286. B-Maria Pauly (IA).

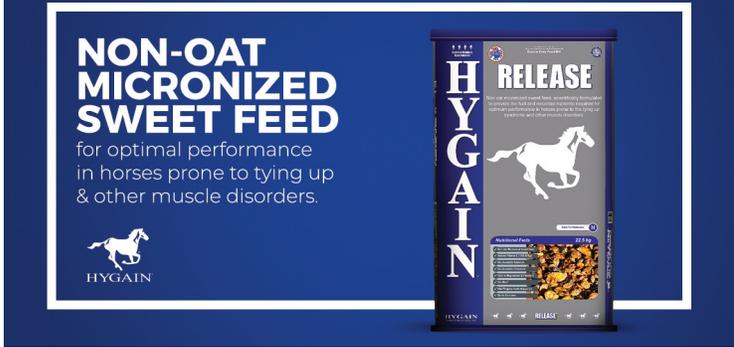
New Drama, m, 5, **Declaration of War**--Lady Zeva, by Pomeroy. Del Mar, 8-1, 5fT, :57.82. Lifetime Record: 8-1-1-2, \$60,200. B-Royal Oak Farm & Christiana Stables (KY). *\$57,000 RNA Wlg '16 KEENOV; \$95,000 Ylg '17 KEESEP.

Loaded Joe, g, 5, **Papa Clem**--Vintage Brees, by **Medaglia d'Oro**. Saratoga, 8-1, (C), 5 1/2fT, 1:04.07. Lifetime Record: 25-1-7-3, \$123,000. B-Legacy Ranch Inc (KY).

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Attila's Storm, Flight Song, m, 5, o/o Hang Glide, by Dome. Lincoln S., 8-1, Ruidoso Downs

Big Drama, Drama Chorus, g, 4, o/o Missmollybygolly, by Scat Daddy. AOC, 8-1, Canterbury

Bind, Explosively Hot, m, 5, o/o Queen Peso, by My Friend Max. ALW, 7-31, Evangeline

Bodemeister, Forest Caraway, f, 3, o/o Thin Disguise, by Yes It's True. AOC, 8-1, Del Mar

Bold Chieftain, J T's Watch, c, 3, o/o Only a Moment, by Bertrando. AOC, 7-31, Golden Gate

Bourbon Courage, Native Courage, g, 4, o/o I Got a Answer, by Luftikus. MSW, 7-31, Charles Town

Cairo Prince, Two Guns, g, 2, o/o Factfull, by **The Factor**. MSW, 7-31, Prairie Meadows

Chitu, Dear Mama Mia, f, 2, o/o R Crown Royalty, by Wildcat Heir. MSW, 8-1, Gulfstream

Classic Empire, First Empire, c, 2, o/o Silsita, by Macho Uno. MSW, 8-1, Woodbine

Coil, One Fast Bro, g, 4, o/o Awesome Broad, by Mr. Broad Blade. AOC, 7-31, Del Mar

Daredevil, Shedaresthedevil, f, 4, o/o Starship Warspeed, by **Congrats**. GI Clement L. Hirsch S., 8-1, Del Mar

Declaration of War, Berry Good, f, 3, o/o Fly Girl, by Jump Start. AOC, 8-1, Canterbury

Declaration of War, New Drama, m, 5, o/o Lady Zeva, by Pomeroy. MSW, 8-1, Del Mar

El Medwar, Lake Mills, g, 3, o/o Wild About Rachel, by Wild Rush. MSW, 8-1, Arlington

Empire Maker, Blissful, f, 2, o/o Belleski, by Polish Numbers. MSW, 8-1, Saratoga

Frosted, Magnolia, f, 2, o/o Hardcore, by **Hard Spun**. MSW, 8-1, Del Mar



Blissful (left) graduates at first asking Sunday at Saratoga | Sarah Andrew

Fullbridled, Dr Pescado, c, 2, o/o Sweetly Peppered, by Peppered Cat. MSW, 8-1, Golden Gate

Giant Gizmo, Giant Waters, c, 3, o/o Green Waters, by Arch. MSW, 8-1, Woodbine

Goldcents, My Dawn, f, 2, o/o Vibrant, by Vicar. MSW, 8-1, Ellis

Gun Runner, Elusive Target, c, 2, o/o Ultimate Reward, by Unbridled's Song. MSW, 8-1, Ellis

Handsome Mike, Sir Seamus, g, 5, o/o Gold Diggin Dixie, by Dixie Union. ALW, 8-1, Woodbine

Hard Spun, Aloha West, c, 4, o/o Island Bound, by **Speightstown**. AOC, 8-1, Saratoga

Istan, For Me Let It Be, g, 4, o/o Souvenir Secret, by Souvenir Copy. MSW, 8-1, Prairie Meadows

Kitten's Joy, Voting Control, g, 6, o/o Manda Bay, by Empire Maker. ALW, 8-1, Mountaineer

Lotsa Mischief, Mischief Mama, f, 3, o/o Mame's Flame, by Heatseeker (Ire). MSW, 7-31, Prairie Meadows

Maclean's Music, Jackie's Warrior, c, 3, o/o Unicorn Girl, by A. P. Five Hundred. GII Amsterdam S., 8-1, Saratoga

Mark Valeski, On Your Mark, g, 4, o/o Keep the Source, by Brother Derek. ALW, 8-1, Ellis

Medaglia d'Oro, Media Blitz, c, 4, o/o Communique, by Smart Strike. AOC, 7-31, Del Mar

Monterey Jazz, Ancient Land, g, 4, o/o Rodinia, by Bluegrass Cat. Land of Enchantment S., 7-31, Ruidoso Downs

More Than Ready, Bruce's Girl, f, 3, o/o Eclair de Lune (Ger), by Marchand de Sable. MSW, 8-1, Canterbury

More Than Ready, On Thin Ice, c, 2, o/o Frozen Treat, by Dynaformer. MSW, 8-1, Gulfstream

More Than Ready, Plus Chic, f, 2, o/o Chic Dancer, by Joyeux Danseur. MSW, 8-1, Arlington

Munnings, Miss Alacrity, f, 2, o/o Just Jenda, by Meniffee. Colleen S., 8-1, Monmouth

Munnings, Munnyfor Ro, f, 3, o/o Repartee, by **Distorted Humor**. Woodbine Oaks Presented by Budweiser, 8-1, Woodbine

Notional, Smart N Intuitive, g, 4, o/o Smarty Mo, by Smarty Jones. ALW, 7-31, Prairie Meadows

Old Forester, Avoman, g, 3, o/o Cosa Rara, by Tethra. Plate Trial S., 8-1, Woodbine

Old Forester, Forester's Fortune, g, 4, o/o Nursery Song, by Beau Genius. AOC, 8-1, Woodbine

Overdriven, Fulmini, c, 3, o/o Gina's Kitten, by **Kitten's Joy**. AOC, 8-1, Gulfstream

Papa Clem, Loaded Joe, g, 5, o/o Vintage Brees, by **Medaglia d'Oro**. MCL, 8-1, Saratoga

Pioneer of the Nile, Canoodling, f, 3, o/o Miz Kella, by Harlan's Holiday. ALW, 8-1, Ruidoso Downs

Pioneer of the Nile, Dance Warrior, f, 3, o/o Only by the Night, by **Tale of the Cat**. MSW, 8-1, Pimlico

Quality Road, Long Term Thinking, r, 5, o/o Deceptive Glory, by Honour and Glory. ALW, 7-31, Prairie Meadows

Right Rigger, Izeright, g, 3, o/o Vowsmakemeblush, by Desert God. Road Runner S., 8-1, Ruidoso Downs

Runhappy, Rotknee, c, 2, o/o In Spite of Mama, by **Speightstown**. MSW, 8-1, Saratoga

Signature Red, Red Equinox, f, 3, o/o Majestic Red, by Rahy. OCL, 8-1, Woodbine

Speightstown, Souper Stonehenge, g, 5, o/o Onepointhreekarats, by **Medaglia d'Oro**. GIII Vigil S., 8-1, Woodbine

Square Eddie, Miss Carousel, f, 4, o/o Gypsy Friday, by In Excess (Ire). AOC, 7-31, Del Mar

Tapizar, Amalfi Coast, m, 5, o/o **Include** Katherine, by **Include**. GII Royal North S., 8-1, Woodbine

Teofilo (Ire), Miss Teheran (Ire), m, 5, o/o Sky Boat (Ire), by Dansili (GB). AOC, 8-1, Saratoga

Tonalist, One Last Trial, f, 4, o/o Thisdanskeistaken, by Gators N Bears. ALW, 8-1, Pimlico

Tourist, Into Touring, f, 2, o/o Smokin Mischief, by Into Mischief. MSW, 8-1, Del Mar

Twirling Candy, Pinehurst, c, 2, o/o Giant Win, by Giant's Causeway. MSW, 8-1, Del Mar

Uncle Mo, Afleet Moment, h, 5, o/o Teak Totem, by Northern Afleet. ALW, 8-1, Mountaineer

Union Rags, Bold Tactics, f, 3, o/o Omnitap, by **Tapit**. MSW, 8-1, Monmouth

Wicked Strong, Strong Silent, f, 3, o/o Awe Hush, by Awesome Again. MSW, 8-1, Ellis

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ALCOHOL FREE HEADS BANNER YEAR FOR GAFFNEYS



Michael Gaffney, second right, with his brother Tom, left, and their families | Healy Racing

By Emma Berry

It would be perfectly natural to feel some regret for having sold a mare in the same year that she foaled a subsequent treble Group 1 winner. But you will hear nothing of the sort from Michael Gaffney of Churchtown House Stud, breeder of **Alcohol Free (Ire) (No Nay Never)**.

"We are absolutely thrilled with what she has done. We are very proud of her and very pleased for her owner Jeff Smith," says Gaffney. "It's a huge thing for us to have bred a filly like her—we are not a big farm."

With her defeat of 2000 Guineas and St James's Palace S. winner Poetic Flare (Ire) (**Dawn Approach {Ire}**) in last week's G1 Qatar Sussex S., the star of Andrew Balding's high-flying stable augmented a CV which already had an extremely classy look to it following her win in last year's G1 Cheveley Park S. and conquering of Snow Lantern (GB) (**Frankel {GB}**) in the G1 Coronation S. at Royal Ascot. Alcohol Free is a rare non-homebred to race in the famous colours of Littleton Stud, which is owned by one of the stalwarts of British Thoroughbred breeding in Jeff Smith, whose previous win in Goodwood's prestigious mile contest had come with Chief Singer (GB) (Ballad Rock {GB}) back in 1984. [Cont. p2](#)

PALMAS ROUTS GERMAN OAKS RIVALS BY DAYLIGHT

Gestut Etzean's unbeaten 3-year-old filly **Palmas (Ger)** (Lord of England {Ger}) posted a half-length success in her May 16 debut going one mile at Hannover and doubled her tally when upped to 10 1/2 furlongs for Dusseldorf's June 19 Listed Diana-Trial in her only other start. Sent postward as the 9-2 second favourite back over the same strip for Sunday's 163rd Henkel Preis der Diana - German Oaks, she simply outclassed her rivals to win by daylight for a career high.

The homebred bay maintained a rail berth through the early fractions and lobbed along in fourth until improving one spot at halfway. Shaken up to force an opening for her challenge passing the quarter-mile marker, Palmas was soon in command and lengthened clear in impressive fashion to hit the line six lengths ahead of G2 Derby Italiano fourth **Isfahani (Ger)** (Isfahani {Ger}). [Cont. p4](#)

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Banner Year For Gaffneys Cont. from p1

The Co Cork farm where she was born and raised is run by Gaffney with his wife Anne on a principally commercial footing. It is home to around 12 mares, with nine foals on the ground this year.

"In everything we have ever sold--foals, yearlings or mares--we have always wished the very best for the next person, because over the years every time we have sold a good horse to someone they have always come back and looked at our horses," says Gaffney. "For us it's about building up a rapport with people and hoping for repeat business. And when it's a family that you know and can talk about that has always worked very well for us."

Alcohol Free's family is just that and has come full circle. For though her dam Plying (**Hard Spun**) was bred by Rabbah Bloodstock and raced in Sheikh Mohammed's colours, her grandam, the listed-placed winner Nasaieb (Ire) (Fairy King), had in turn been bred by Churchtown House Stud.

"It was a family that we had before that was very good to us, and we bought back into it when we bought Plying," Gaffney explains. "We bred Nasaieb and we had her dam here, Atyaaf. So we lost the family, we tried to get back into it and that's how we ended up with Plying. I suppose we are a farm that loves families, and we try to build out from them knowing what works and what doesn't for them. With Plying, she just didn't work out for us and at some stage you just have to face up to that and that's what we did."

Plying had been bought from Darley by the Gaffneys in 2013 for €12,000 and she was sold five years later at the Goffs November Sale for €21,000, two days after her then-unnamed **No Nay Never** foal had caught the eye of Littleton Stud manager David Bowe, who bought her for €40,000.



Oisín Murphy celebrates after Alcohol Free's G1 Sussex S. victory at Goodwood | [Racingphotos.com](https://www.racingphotos.com)

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The mare's only other winner to date is Alexander James (Ire) (**Camelot {GB}**), who, Like Alcohol Free, demonstrated a love of soft ground when landing the Listed Prix le Fabuleux at Chantilly for Anne-Sophie Crombez.

Gaffney, whose brother Tom manages Coolmore's Castlehyde Stud, continues, "As well as foals and yearlings we sell the odd mare from time to time as you're always trying to replenish your stock. We have pivoted a little bit in the last number of years and kept a share in the offspring of some of our better mares and raced a few of them. That has worked out very well for us and this year seems to be one of those absolute purple years for us."

The purple patch has included the smart Fozzy Stack-trained **Castle Star (Ire)** (**Starspangledbanner {Aus}**), the winner of the G3 Marble Hill S. and runner-up in the G2 Railway S. who is likely to be seen next in the G1 Keeneland Phoenix S. on Sunday. The juvenile was bred and initially raced in a partnership by the farm before being sold privately to Craig Bernick and Antony Beck in June.

The stud's credentials have also been enhanced in America by **Higher Truth (Ire)** (**Galileo {Ire}**), a 500,000gns Book 1 yearling sold to Mike Ryan two years ago. **Cont. p3**



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Banner Year For Gaffneys Cont.

Recently third in the GI Belmont Oaks for Chad Brown, Higher Truth is a daughter of Churchtown House's G3 Ballycorus S. winner Wannabe Better (Ire) (Duke Of Marmalade {Ire}) whose first foal, Lady Wannabe (Ire) (Camelot {GB}), also trained by Stack, was retained to race in partnership with Clem and Barbara Murphy and won last season's G3 Darley S.

"We have another filly we bred called **Sure Break (Ire)** with Neil Drysdale in America and she is two from three, so we are having a glorious year," says Gaffney. "Three of our other horses are rated 90 or over, so I suppose it's like what they say about buses, but every farm needs a year like this every now and then. The absolute brilliant thing about horses is that you never know, and every now and then something comes along and surprises you."

The prowess of Alcohol Free, who is the highest-earning filly in Britain and Ireland this year, and behind only Derby and King George winner Adayar (Ire) (Frankel {GB}) overall, did perhaps not come as a total surprise to her breeder, however.

"She was an exceptionally good-looking filly, possibly didn't have the best action, and as you know going to the sales everybody wants this big-walking horse and she possibly didn't have that. But as an individual she was the eye-catcher in the field," Gaffney recalls.

"David Bowe saw her at the sales and fair dues to him, he could see what a beauty she was, and in David's favour was not having to resell her. For us, we're so proud of Alcohol Free because it just proves we've got back after a long time to breeding a Group 1 horse again. We had Wannabe Grand (Ire) on the farm a good number of years ago and that family has really flourished for us, and that's the most important thing."

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Banner Year For Gaffneys Cont.

He adds, "What has made it even more special with Alcohol Free is that Oisin Murphy used to live in Churchtown with his uncle Jim Culloty and we would have known him when he was really small, so it's a most fantastic tie-up. Everybody in Churchtown has been very proud of Oisin and we were very proud of what Jim did for an area like Churchtown when he was training here. I know they are Kerry men and we are here in Cork over the border, but we are very proud of them."

It is possible that the Gaffney family won't have too long to wait for their next Group 1 winner. Castle Star has various targets pencilled in, including the G1 Darley Prix Morny, and his dam Awohaam (Ire) (Iffraaj {GB}) is back in foal to his sire **Starspangledbanner** with a **U S Navy Flag** foal this year.

"The day she foaled the filly, Fozzy rang me and asked what she was going back to and he said for his money she should be going back to **Starspangledbanner**," Gaffney notes. "I thought to myself obviously something good happened on the gallops this morning. Usually when a trainer rings they are dream-ending conversations rather than dream-beginning conversations."

By May 3, Castle Star was a listed winner, and he has continued to improve on that in his next two starts.

"Hopefully he's going to the Phoenix S. next and Fozzy is very bullish about him. We will ride on his coat-tails as he keeps going forward," says Gaffney.

In a terrific season, the Gaffneys have plenty of coat-tails to grab as the dream remains very much alive.

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G1 Henkel Preis der Diana Cont. from p1

Last term's G3 Preis der Winterkonigin victrix **Noble Heidi (Fr)** (Intello {Ger}) was a length adrift in third.

"This is really overwhelming and I really do not know what to say," said Gestut Etzean owner Marc Sonnenburg. "We are just so thankful for her."



Palmas salutes by six lengths in the German Oaks | *Racingfotos.com*

Etzean manager Ralf Kredel added, "That was a really great performance considering it was only her third outing. She is her dam's last and best foal and this was the fourth Group 1 German Oaks victory for Gestut Etzean in the past 11 years."

Pedigree Notes

Palmas become the third Classic and Group 1 winner for her sire (by Dashing Blade {GB}), who is also the grandsire of this year's G1 Deutsches Derby hero Sisfahan (Ger) (Isfahan {Ger}). She is her dam's latest foal and one of four black-type winners for the stakes-placed Peace Time (Ger) (Surumu {Ger}). Siblings include her Listed Prix des Sablonnets-winning full-sister Penny Lane (Ger) and G3 Fahrhofer Stutenpreis victrix Peaceful Love (Ger) (Dashing Blade {GB}). Palmas is also kin to MGSW distaffer Peace Royale (Ger) (Sholokhov {Ire}) and to the multiple-winning dam of last year's Listed Winterkonigin Trial winner Peaches (Ger) (Lord of England {Ger}). Peaceful Love produced last term's G3 Prix La Force victor Pao Alto (Fr) (Intello {Ger}).

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NEW STAKES WINNER

Kingman

SIRE OF **Oriental Mystique**

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G1 Henkel-Preis der Diana Cont.

Peace Royale is the dam of GSW G2 German 1000 Guineas second Peace In Motion (Hat Trick {Jpn}) and two-time stakes scorer Peace Society (Iffraaj {GB}). Peace Time, who is the leading performer for the stakes-placed Princess of Spain (GB) (King of Spain {GB}), hails from the family of Scandinavian champion Dalby Jaguar (GB) (Sharp Edge {Ire}).

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Sunday, Dusseldorf, Germany

163RD HENKEL-PREIS DER DIANA (GERMAN OAKS)-G1,
€500,000, Dusseldorf, 8-1, 3yo, f, 11ft, 2:12.15, gd.

1--**PALMAS (GER), 128, f, 3, by Lord of England (Ger)**

1st Dam: Peace Time (Ger) (SP-Ger), by Surumu (Ger)

2nd Dam: Princess of Spain (GB), by King of Spain (GB)

3rd Dam: Pallomere (GB), by Blue Cashmere (GB)

1ST GROUP WIN; 1ST GROUP 1 WIN. O/B-Gestut Etzean (GER); T-Andreas Wohler; J-Eduardo Pedroza. €300,000. Lifetime Record: 3-3-0-0, €310,250. *Full to Penny Lane (Ger) (Lord of England {Ger}), SW & GSP-Fr; 1/2 to Peace Royale (Ger) (Sholokhov {Ire}), Hwt. Older Mare-Ger at 7-9.5f & MGSW-Ger, \$262,357; to Peaceful Love (Ger) (Dashing Blade {GB}), GSW-Ger; & to Phiz (Ger) ([Galileo {Ire}](#)), GSP-Eng. **Werk Nick Rating: A+.** [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

2--**Isfahani (Ger), 128, f, 3, Isfahan (Ger)**

1st Dam: Identity (Ger), by Manduro (Ger)

2nd Dam: Irisijana (Ger), by Diktat (GB)

3rd Dam: Iberi (Ger), by Rainbow Quest

(€36,000 Ylg '19 BBAGS). O-Darius Racing; B-Gestut Karlshof (GER); T-Henk Grewe. €100,000.

3--**Noble Heidi (Fr), 128, f, 3, Intello (Ger)**

1st Dam: Noble Pensee (Fr), by Orpen

2nd Dam: Turning Leaf (Ire), by Last Tycoon

3rd Dam: Tamacana (GB), by Windwurf (Ger)

(€70,000 Ylg '19 BBAGS). O-Manfred Anton Schmelzer; B-M Bridoux & EARL Haras de l'Hotellerie (FR); T-Henk Grewe. €50,000.

Margins: 6, 1, 3/4. Odds: 4.50, 5.30, 10.00.

Also Ran: Walkaway (Ger), Anoush (Ger), Alaskasonne (Fr), Salonlove (Ger), Normfliegerin (Ger), Amazing Grace (Ger), India (Ger), Reine d'Amour (Ger), Lady Laura (Fr), Andisheh (Ger), Mercedes (Ger), Wismar (Ger), Theodora (Ger). [Click for the Racing Post result or the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.](#)

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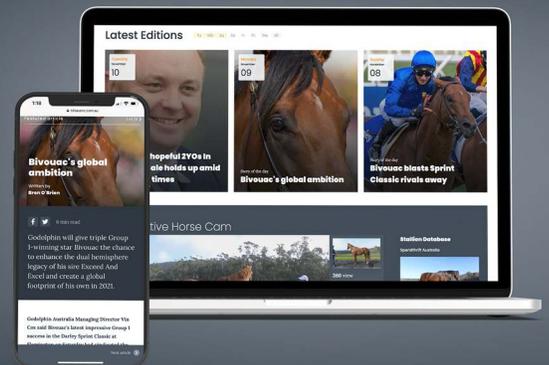
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LIBERTY LONDON MAINTAINS WINNING STREAK

Returning off wins in Dortmund's May 13 Listed Dortmunder Grand Prix Trial and June 27 G3 Grosser Preis der Wirtschaft, Gestut Ittlingen's 5-year-old distaffer **Liberty London (Ger)** (Maxios {GB}) continued her unbeaten 2021 campaign with G3 Fritz Henkel Stiftung-Rennen at Dusseldorf.

Positioned in a prominent second after a smart break, the 29-10 second choice was scrubbed along approaching the quarter-mile marker and was ridden out once claiming a narrow advantage passing the eighth pole to comfortably outpoint 11-10 favourite **Jin Jin (Ire)** (Canford Cliffs {Ire}) by 3/4-of-a-length for a fourth black-type triumph.

Pedigree Notes

Liberty London is the fifth of six foals and lone black-type scorer for the dual stakes-placed Ledicea (GB) (Medicean {GB}), herself kin to Listed Langer Hamburger victor and G3 St Leger Italiano third Lacateno (GB) (Green Tune). Her second dam Lacatena (Ger) (Acatenango {Ger}) is a full-sister to MG1SW G1 Deutsches Derby-winning sire Lando (Ger) and to the dam of G1 Gran Premio del Jockey Club heroine Lovelyn (Ger) (Tiger Hill {Ire}). Lacatena is also kin to G1 Deutsches Derby-winning sire Laroche (Ger) (Nebos {Ger}) and G2 Preis der Diana (German Oaks) placegetter La Donna (GB) (Shirley Heights {GB}), who in turn is the granddam of last year's G1 Deutsches Derby winner Laccario (Ger) (Scalo {GB}). La Donna's full-sister Laurencia (GB) produced GII Sky Classic victor Lauro (Ger) (Monsun {Ger}) and G3 Preis der Winterkonigin victrix Love Academy (Ger) (Medicean {GB}), herself the dam of MGSW G1 Preis der Diana (German Oaks) third Longina (Ger) (Monsun {Ger}).

Sunday, Dusseldorf, Germany

FRITZ HENKEL STIFTUNG-RENNEN-G3, €50,000, Dusseldorf, 8-1, 3yo/up, 8fT, 1:35.17, gd.

1--**LIBERTY LONDON (GER)**, 126, m, 5, Maxios (GB)

1st Dam: **Ledicea (GB) (MSP-Ger)**, by **Medicean (GB)**

2nd Dam: **Lacatena (Ger)**, by **Acatenango (Ger)**

3rd Dam: **Laurea (Ire)**, by **Sharpman (Ire)**

O-Gestut Ittlingen; B-Gestut Hof Ittlingen (GER); T-Waldemar Hickst; J-Eduardo Pedroza. €30,000. Lifetime Record: SW-Fr, 14-5-1-1, €97,592. **Werk Nick Rating: A++**. [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

2--**Jin Jin (Ire)**, 128, m, 5, Canford Cliffs (Ire)--Josphiel (Ire), by Okawango. (€4,000 Ylg '17 GFOFOT). O-Sabine Goldberg; B-Nanallac Stud (IRE); T-Andreas Suborics. €11,000.

3--**Flamingo Girl (Ger)**, 121, f, 4, Soldier Hollow (GB)--Flamingo Sky, by Silver Hawk. (€36,000 Ylg '18 BBAGS). O-Stefan Hahne;

B-Gestut Park Wiedingen (GER); T-Henk Grewe. €5,250.

Margins: 3/4, 3HF, HD. Odds: 2.90, 1.10, 13.10.

Also Ran: Marshmallow (Ger), Lancade (GB), French Conte (Fr), Padron (Ire). [Click for the Racing Post result or the free Equine.com catalogue-style pedigree.](#)

FIRST-SEASON SIRES WITH RUNNERS

Monday, Aug. 2, 2021:

UNITED KINGDOM

Aclaim (Ire) (Acclamation {GB}), The National Stud
115 foals of racing age/12 winners/0 black-type winners
13:57-RIPON, 6f, Pink Storm (GB)
35,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2020

Caravaggio (Scat Daddy), Ashford Stud
154 foals of racing age/13 winners/2 black-type winners
13:57-RIPON, 6f, Angels Tale (Ire)
20,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2020

Cotai Glory (GB) (Exceed And Excel {Aus}), Tally-Ho Stud
126 foals of racing age/22 winners/1 black-type winner
17:37-NEWCASTLE, 6f, Astral Beat (Ire)
37,000gns Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2019; 35,000gns
Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 3) 2020
13:00-KEMPTON PARK, 5f, Bask In Glory (Ire)
€22,000 Goffs November Foals Sale 2019; £35,000 Tattersalls
Ire Goresbridge Breeze Up (Newmarket) 2021
15:15-KEMPTON PARK, 6f, Cotai Hero (Ire)
£40,000 RNA Tattersalls Ireland September Yearling 2020

El Kabeir (Scat Daddy), Yeomanstown Stud
120 foals of racing age/6 winners/1 black-type winner
17:37-NEWCASTLE, 6f, Coylefourthreenone (Ire)
5,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2020

Galileo Gold (GB) (Paco Boy {Ire}), Tally-Ho Stud
109 foals of racing age/8 winners/2 black-type winners
17:37-NEWCASTLE, 6f, Battyeford Boy (Ire)
£27,000 Goffs UK Premier Yearling Sale 2020

Profitable (Ire) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}), Kildangan Stud
130 foals of racing age/13 winners/1 black-type winner
13:57-RIPON, 6f, Jersey Rose (Ire)
€58,000 Goffs November Foals Sale 2019; 45,000gns Tattersalls
October Yearling Sale (Book 1) 2020
14:40-KEMPTON PARK, 7f, Petal Power (Ire)
12,000gns Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2019; 15,000gns
Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 3) 2020
13:00-KEMPTON PARK, 5f, Reem Zabeel (Ire)

€32,000 Goffs November Foals Sale 2019; £42,000 Goffs UK Premier Yearling Sale 2020

FRANCE

Al Wukair (Ire) (Dream Ahead), Haras de Bouquetot
73 foals of racing age/4 winners/0 black-type winners
2-DIEPPE, 1100m, Noce d'Or (Fr)

Brametot (Ire) (Rajsaman {Fr}), Gestut Ebbesloh
34 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners
4-DIEPPE, 1400m, Gogogo (Fr)
€4,000 Arqana Deauville Autumn Flat Yearling Sale 2020

Churchill (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}), Coolmore Stud
146 foals of racing age/10 winners/1 black-type winner
2-DIEPPE, 1100m, I Gotta a Feeling (Fr)
€140,000 RNA Arqana Deauville September Yearling Sale 2020

Ectot (GB) (Hurricane Run {Ire}), Haras de Bouquetot
42 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners
4-DIEPPE, 1400m, Petit Amour (Fr)

Profitable (Ire) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}), Kildangan Stud
130 foals of racing age/13 winners/1 black-type winner
2-DIEPPE, 1100m, Call Me Seniorita (Ire)

Recorder (GB) (Galileo {Ire}), Haras de Montfort & Preaux
110 foals of racing age/4 winners/0 black-type winners
4-DIEPPE, 1400m, Dream Bahama (Fr)
€16,000 Arqana Deauville October Yearlings 2020

Zelzal (Fr) (Sea The Stars {Ire}), Haras de Bouquetot
57 foals of racing age/3 winners/0 black-type winners
2-DIEPPE, 1100m, De Velara (Fr)
€43,000 Arqana Deauville October Yearlings 2020

IRELAND

Cotai Glory (GB) (Exceed And Excel {Aus}), Tally-Ho Stud
126 foals of racing age/22 winners/1 black-type winner
8-NAAS, 6f, Gallow Hill (Ire)
8-NAAS, 6f, The Last Swallow (Ire)
€7,500 RNA Goffs November Foals Sale 2019; £11,000 RNA Goffs Sportsman's Yearling Sale 2020
1-NAAS, 8f, Madame Montgomery (Ire)
£4,500 RNA Tattersalls Ireland September Yearling 2020

Highland Reel (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}), Coolmore Stud
136 foals of racing age/2 winners/0 black-type winners
8-NAAS, 6f, Lechro (Ire)

National Defense (GB) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}), Irish National Stud
29 foals of racing age/3 winners/0 black-type winners
8-NAAS, 6f, Beerenberg (GB)
3-NAAS, 6f, Mount Fairweather (GB)

Profitable (Ire) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}), Kildangan Stud
130 foals of racing age/13 winners/1 black-type winner
3-NAAS, 6f, Bosh (Ire)
62,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2020
8-NAAS, 6f, Eriskay (Ire)
3-NAAS, 6f, Jarvis (Ire)
€37,000 Goffs November Foals Sale 2019
Time Test (GB) (Dubawi {Ire}), The National Stud
74 foals of racing age/4 winners/0 black-type winners
3-NAAS, 6f, Sunset Shiraz (Ire)
£100,000 Goffs Orby Yearling Sale 2020



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HALF TO ALMANZOR DEBUTS AT KEMPTON

1.15 Naas, Mdn, €15,500, 2yo, f, 8ft

THE ALGARVE (American Pharoah) is the 13th foal out of the G1 Irish 1000 Guineas and G1 Epsom Oaks heroine Imagine (Ire) (Sadler's Wells) and a full-sister to last year's G1 Criterium International winner Van Gogh and a half to the ill-fated and high-class Horatio Nelson (Ire) (Danehill). Diane Nagle, Coolmore and Westerberg's newcomer faces quality opposition in what will probably be a hot maiden also featuring Zhang Yuesheng's **Magical Lagoon (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}), a Jessie Harrington-trained half-sister to the G1 King George VI and Queen Elizabeth S., G1 Grosser Preis von Baden and G1 Grand Prix de Saint-Cloud hero and sire Novellist (Ire) (Monsun {Ger}).

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2.05 Kempton, Mdn, £10,000, 2yo, f, 8f (AWT)

NATASHA (GB) (Frankel {GB}) is one of two debutantes for her owner-breeder George Strawbridge, with the John and Thady Gosden combination in charge of this March-foaled half-sister to the G1 Prix du Jockey Club and G1 English and Irish Champion S.-winning sire Almanzor (Fr) (**Wootton Bassett {GB}**). Also carrying the famous white-and-green is **Speak (GB)** (Sea the Moon {Ger}), a May-foaled daughter of the G3 Prix Miesque winner Lixirova (Fr) (Slickly {Fr}) who hails from the Andrew Balding stable replete with talented juveniles this term.

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BRITAIN

Sunday's Results:

CHILDRENS AIR AMBULANCE QUEENSFERRY S.-Listed, £50,000, Chester, 8-1, 3yo/up, 6f 17yT, 1:13.90, g/s.

1--**JUDICIAL (IRE), 127, g, 9, Iffraaj (GB)--Marlinka (GB) (SW-Fr), by Marju (Ire).** O/B-Elite Racing Club (IRE); T-Julie Camacho; J-Callum Rodriguez. £28,355. Lifetime Record: MGSW-Eng, 44-17-3-2, \$416,449. *1/2 to Marsha (Ire) (Acclamation {GB}), Hwt. Older Mare-Eng at 5-7f, Hwt. Older Horse-Eur at 5-7f, Hwt. Older Mare-Eur at 5-7f, Hwt. 3yo-Fr at 5-7f, Hwt. Older Mare-Fr at 5-7f, Hwt. Older Horse-Eng at 5-7f, G1SW-Eng, G1SW-Fr, GSP-Ire, \$890,913.

2--**Dakota Gold (GB), 127, g, 7, Equiano (Fr)--Joyeaux (GB), by Mark of Esteem (Ire).** (26,000gns Ylg '15 TAOCT). O-Doug Graham, Ian Davison, Alan Drysdale 1; B-Redgate Bloodstock & Peter Bottowley Bloodstock (GB); T-Michael Dods. £10,750.

3--**Zoetic (GB), 118, f, 3, Kodiak (GB)--Zallerina (GB), by Zamindar.** (15,000gns RNA Wlg '18 TATFOA; £52,000 Ylg '19 GOFFPR). O-Glentree Pastoral Pty Ltd; B-Brendan Boyle Bloodstock Ltd (GB); T-James Ferguson. £5,380.

Margins: 2, 1 1/4, 1HF. Odds: 4.00, 0.73, 25.00.

Also Ran: Mighty Gurkha (Ire), Queen Kahlua (GB), Count d'Orsay (Ire), Black Friday (GB), Rosie Powers (Fr). Scratched: Ventura Diamond (Ire).

Judicial, who annexed this contest last year, went postward for this renewal returning off a June 15 conditions third at Beverley and posted a two-length verdict to go 2-for-3 in this specialists' dash. Shadowing the leading duo after breaking third, he came under pressure rounding the home turn and was ridden out once swooping for control approaching the final furlong to secure a sixth black-type success with something to spare.

"We'd been a little bit concerned by his first two runs [this year], he was a little bit underwhelming last time and we don't know why," admitted stable representative Steve Brown. "He's

trained really well over the last two weeks and he looked right back to himself last week. He's a horse that looks after himself but is just a little bit short of Group 1 and Group 2 level. The [Listed] Beverley Bullet comes next, which he has won in the past, and then the [Listed] Garrowby at York. He's a pretty easy horse to map and I think we'll just stick to the tried-and-trusted routes."

Judicial, one of two pattern-race winners out of Listed Prix des Reves victrix Marlinka (GB) (Marju {Ire}), is a half-brother to G1 Nunthorpe S. and G1 Prix de l'Abbaye heroine Marsha (Ire) (Acclamation {GB}) and the unraced 2-year-old colt Special Envoy (GB) (**Frankel {GB}**). Marlinka is herself the leading performer for Baralinka (Ire) (Barathea {Ire}), who in turn is kin to MG1SW champion distaffer Soviet Song (Ire) (Marju {Ire}). The latter's full-sister Sister Act (GB) produced G1 Prix Jean Romanet victrix Ribbons (GB) (Manduro {Ger}) while her half-sister Kazatzka (GB) (Groom Dancer) is the dam of G3 Pinnacle S. winner Miss Marjurie (Ire) (Marju {Ire}). [Click for the Racing Post result.](#) [Video, sponsored by TVG.](#)

2nd-Chester, £10,000, Nov, 8-1, 2yo, 7f 1yT, 1:27.70, g/s.
NUANCE (GB) (c, 2, Frankel {GB})--Intimation {GB} {GSW-Fr, SW & MGSP-Ire, SP-Eng, \$145,189}, by Dubawi {Ire}), who earned minor prizes in novice heats at Haydock in June and July, was sharply away from the inside stall and claimed an immediate lead in this third start. Holding sway throughout, the 5-4 chalk turned for home with a clear advantage and was driven out to hold the late surge of Prosperous Voyage (Ire) (Zoffany {Ire}) by a half-length. "He's a horse that should stay a little bit further and he's got the revs to go round Chester," said rider Tom Marquand. "William [Haggas] was pretty keen that the track would suit and everything would fall his way. It was a pretty straightforward mission there." Nuance is the first of three foals produced by G3 Prix de Flore victrix Intimation (GB) (Dubawi {Ire}), herself a half-sister to G1 Falmouth S. heroine Veracious (GB) (**Frankel {GB}**) and MGSW G1 Queen Anne S. runner-up Mutakayyef (GB) (Sea the Stars {Ire}). The January-foaled homebred bay is kin to a yearling colt by Ulysses (Ire) and a weanling filly by Golden Horn (GB). Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-1, \$9,537. [Video, sponsored by TVG.](#)

O/B-Cheveley Park Stud Ltd (GB); T-William Haggas.

CONDITIONS RESULT:

5th-Chester, £19,000, 8-1, 2yo, c/g, 6f 17yT, 1:15.75, g/s.
MOT AND THE MESSER (IRE) (c, 2, Cotai Glory {GB})--Sommorrell {Ire}, by Fast Company {Ire}) Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-0, \$18,298. O-Russell Jones; B-Mr R Patterson (IRE); T-Tom Dascombe. *€62,000 Wlg '19 GOFNOV; £48,000 Ylg '20 GOFOR. **1/2 to Inverleigh (Ire) (Excelebration {Ire}), SW & GSP-Ire.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Mitbaahy (Ire), c, 2, **Profitable (Ire)**--Wrood, by Invasor (Arg).

Thirsk, 8-1, 5fT, :59.07. B-N Hartery (IRE). *13th winner for freshman sire (by Invincible Spirit {Ire}). **£50,000 Ylg '20 GOFOR. ***1/2 to Going Global (Ire) (Mehmas {Ire}), MGSW-US, \$288,792.

King's Commander (Fr), c, 3, **Authorized (Ire)**--Millionaia (Ire) (G1SP-Fr, \$167,619), by Peintre Celebre. Thirsk, 8-1, 7f 218yT, 1:39.88. B-Dayton Investments Ltd (FR). *€60,000 Ylg '19 AROYRG. **Full to Mighty Blue (FR), SW & GSP-Ire, \$105,782; and half to Modern Eagle (Ger) (Montjeu {Ire}), SW-Fr.

IRELAND

Sunday's Results:

2nd-Galway, €18,000, Mdn, 8-1, 2yo, 7fT, 1:28.51, gd.

MALAYAN (IRE) (f, 2, The Gurkha {Ire})--Malayan Mist {Ire}, by Dansili {GB}), who ran sixth in her July 11 unveiling over six

furlongs at Fairyhouse last time, was well away to race in a share of third after the initial strides here. Rowed along approaching the home turn, the 15-2 chance was ridden to challenge at the furlong marker and kept on well under a late drive to deny Pride of Derry (GB) (Pride of Dubai {Aus}) by 3/4-of-a-length. "She came on for her first run and the step up in trip helped," said jockey Colin Keane. "Chris [Hayes] liked her the first day, he felt she was plenty green and would come on a good bit. She was good and game even though she didn't really know what she was doing. She's still rides plenty green so she'll improve a good bit yet and, in time, I'd imagine she will get an extra furlong if needs be. She has a bit of ability and could be a nice filly going forward." Half-sister to a yearling colt by **Camelot (GB)**, Malayan becomes the third scorer thrown by a dual-winning daughter of MGSP Listed Victor McCalmont S. victrix Misty Heights (GB) (Fasliyev), herself a half-sister to MG1SW distaffer Inara (SAf) (Trippi). Misty Heights is also the dam of Listed Spring Cup runner-up Greyfriarschorista (GB) (King's Best) and Listed Prix Miss Satamixa and Listed Prix de la Calonne second Silvery Mist (Fr) (Stormy River {Fr}). Sales history: €20,000 RNA Ylg '20 GOFOT. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$13,115.

O-Lady O'Reilly; B-Skymarc Farm (IRE); T-Dermot Weld.

HANDICAP RESULT:

4th-Galway, €100,000, 8-1, 3yo/up, 7fT, 1:26.40, gd.

CURRENT OPTION (IRE) (g, 5, Camelot {GB})--Coppertop {Ire}, by Exceed and Excel {Aus}) Lifetime Record: GSW-Ire, 21-6-6-2, \$367,009. O-Dooley Thoroughbreds & Bart O'Sullivan & Shamrock Thoroughbreds; B-Grange Con Holdings Ltd (IRE);

T-Adrian McGuinness. *62,000gns Ylg '17 TAOCT; 85,000gns HRA '19 TATJUL.

CONDITIONS RESULT:

6th-Galway, €14,500, 8-1, 4yo/up, 13f 186yT, 3:07.52, gd.

MICRO MANAGE (IRE) (g, 5, Rip Van Winkle {Ire})--Lillebonne {Fr}, by Danehill Dancer {Ire}) Lifetime Record: GSP-Ire, 8-3-1-2, \$42,520. O-Merriebelle Irish Farm Limited; B-J Connolly (IRE); T-Willie Mullins. *€17,000 RNA Wlg '16 GOFNOV; €20,000 Ylg '17 GOFSP. **1/2 to Magnanimous (Ire) (Mehmas {Ire}), SW-Ire, \$103,777.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNER:

Kirkland Lady (Ire), f, 3, **Camelot (GB)**--Itqaan, by Danzig.

Galway, 8-1, 11f 180yT, 2:35.79. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$11,573. B-Whisperview Trading Ltd (IRE).

FRANCE

Sunday's Results:

GRAND PRIX DE CLAIREFONTAINE - PRIX FERME SAINT-SIMEON-Listed, €55,000, Clairefontaine, 8-1, 3yo, 12fT, 2:29.70, sf.

1--**JOIE DE SOIR (IRE)**, 122, f, 3, by **Fastnet Rock (Aus)**

1st Dam: **Highest Ever (Ire)**, by **Galileo (Ire)**

2nd Dam: **Alpine Rose (Fr)**, by **Linamix (Fr)**

3rd Dam: **Fragrant Hill (GB)**, by **Shirley Heights (GB)**

1ST BLACK TYPE WIN. O-Susan Magnier, Michael Tabor & Derrick Smith; B-Coolmore Stud (IRE); T-Andre Fabre; J-Augustin Madamet. €27,500. Lifetime Record: 3-2-1-0, €45,220. *1/2 to Villa d'Amore (Ire) (**Mastercraftsman {Ire}**), GSP-Fr, & to Rose d'Etoile (Ire) (Zoffany {Ire}), SP-Fr.

2--**Timour (Fr)**, 126, c, 3, **Gleneagles (Ire)**--Rock My Soul (Ire), by Clodovil (Ire). O/T-Andre Fabre; B-Ecurie Peregrine SAS (FR). €11,000.

3--**Qaiser (Fr)**, 126, c, 3, Charm Spirit (Ire)--Holly Polly (Ger), by Dylan Thomas (Ire). (€40,000 Ylg '19 AROCT; €20,000 HRA '20 AROCT). O-H H Sheikh Abdulla bin Khalifa Al Thani; B-G Heald (FR); T-Antoine de Watrigant. €8,250.

Margins: 3, 1HF, 3/4. Odds: 11.30, 4.90, 11.00.

Also Ran: Pouvoir Royal (Ire), Luisa Casati (Ire), Smile Makers (Fr), Diamantis (Ger), Integrant (Fr), Shiyrvann (Fr).

Joie de Soir posted a Dec. 12 debut win tackling 9 1/2 furlongs at Deauville and came back this semester to run second, behind subsequent Listed Prix Madame Jean Couturie victrix La Parence (Fr) (Saonois {Fr}), upped to 10 furlongs in a July 2 conditions heat at Compiègne last time. **Cont. p10**



Joie de Soir is the 176th black-type winner for **Fastnet Rock** worldwide
Scoop Dyga

Listed Grand Prix de Clairefontaine Cont.

Stalking the leading duo in third for the most part, she challenged between rivals soon after turning for home and was ridden clear once seizing control with 350 metres remaining to defeat Timour by three lengths for a career high.

“She is a long-striding filly and I didn’t think she was blessed with a turn of foot so it was very pleasing the way she quickened once we got into the straight,” explained winning rider Augustin Madamet. “I had a great trip on the front end, she stays well and is still improving so that was a nice result.”

Joie de Soir is the first of six foals and becomes the first black-type winner produced by an unraced daughter of G1 Prix Jean Romanet heroine Alpine Rose (Fr) (Linamix {Fr}). The March-foaled bay is full to the hitherto unraced 2-year-old filly Love Conquers All (Ire). She is also a half-sister to G3 Prix Cleopatre runner-up Villa d’Amore (Ire) (**Mastercraftsman {Ire}**), a yearling filly by Dubawi (Ire) and a weanling colt by **Kingman (GB)**. Alpine Rose is a full-sister to four stakes winners headed by G1 Grand Prix de Saint-Cloud-winning sire Fragrant Mix (Ire) and G3 Prix d’Hedouville victor Fracassant (Ire). **Click for the Racing Post result. Video, sponsored by TVG.**

PRIX DU PAYS D’AUGE - PRIX ST DELIS-Listed, €52,000, Clairefontaine, 8-1, 4yo/up, 9ft, 1:49.40, sf.

1--**MAGNY COURS, 126, g, 6, Medaglia d’Oro--Indy Five Hundred (GISW-US, \$244,510), by A.P. Indy.** O/B-Godolphin (KY); T-Andre Fabre; J-Mickael Barzalona. €26,000. Lifetime Record: SW-Eng, G1SP-UAE & MGSP-Fr, 13-6-4-1, €1,135,463. *1/2 to Ecliptic (Kingmambo), GSP-Eng, & to Albert Park (**Street Sense**), SW-US.

2--**Raabihah, 126, f, 4, Sea the Stars (Ire)--Garmoosha, by Kingmambo.** O-Shadwell France; B-Shadwell Farm (KY); T-Jean-Claude Rouget. €10,400.

3--**Celestin (Fr), 126, g, 4, Dabirsim (Fr)--Celesteville (Ire), by**

Elusive City. (€10,000 Ylg ‘18 AROCT). O/B-Ecurie Normandie Pur Sang (FR); T-Fabrice Chappet. €7,800.

Margins: 3/4, 1 1/4, NK. Odds: 2.10, Evens, 28.00.

Also Ran: Eudaimonia (Fr), Charlesquint (Ire), Shinning Ocean (Fr), Aviateur (Fr).

Magny Cours, who annexed two black-type events last term, hit the board in Meydan’s Mar. 27 G1 Dubai World Cup and lined up here coming back off seconds in ParisLongchamp’s May 24 Listed Prix de Montretout and June 13 G3 La Coupe. Racing in a close-up third until tanking forward to lead with six furlongs remaining, he was shaken up when threatened on both flanks approaching the final furlong and kept on resolutely under a late drive to earn a third stakes rosette in game fashion.

“He is such a brave horse and never runs a bad race,” said winning rider Mickael Barzalona. “He was slightly keen early so I decided to go on and make the running. They put some pressure on us before turning for home, but I was expecting it and my horse was ready. He responded well and turned them down nicely.”

Magny Cours is one of eight scorers and the leading performer produced by GI Garden City Breeders’ Cup H. heroine Indy Five Hundred (A.P. Indy), herself a full-sister to MGSW distaffer Delta Princess and a half to G1 Gran Criterium-winning sire Biondetti (Bernadini). He is kin to the stakes-winning Albert Park (**Street Sense**), G2 Superlative S. runner-up Ecliptic (Kingmambo), the unraced 2-year-old filly Worry Free (**Cairo Prince**) and a yearling filly by **Hard Spun**. The homebred bay is also a half-brother to the unraced dam of Listed Betway Cleves S. victor Good Effort (Ire) (Shamardal). Delta Princess has three elite-level winners to her credit, viz MGISW three-time US champion Royal Delta (Empire Maker), GI Maker’s Mile hero Delta Prince (Street Cry {Ire}) and GI Queen Elizabeth II Challenge Cup S. victress Crown Queen (Smart Strike). **Cont. p11**



Magny Cours returns to the scales | *Scoop Dyga*

Listed Prix du Pays d'Auge Cont.

The homebred bay's third dam is MGISW US champion Proud Delta (Delta Judge). **Click for the [Racing Post result](#). [Video](#), sponsored by [TVG](#).**

PRIX LUTH ENCHANTEE-FDS EUROPEEN DE L'ELEVAGE-BILOE JOAILLERIE MONTE-CAR-Listed, €48,000, Clairefontaine, 8-1, 4yo/up, f/m, 12fT, 2:31.40, sf.

1--**ORIENTAL MYSTIQUE (GB)**, 126, f, 4, **Kingman (GB)**--**Madame Chiang (GB) (G1SW-Eng, \$741,088)**, by Archipenko. **1ST BLACK TYPE WIN.** O/B-Miss K Rausing (GB); T-David Simcock; J-Mickael Barzalona. €24,000. Lifetime Record: MGSP-Eng & GSP-Fr, 12-2-1-3, €76,568.

2--**Tres Valentine (Fr)**, 126, f, 4, **Fastnet Rock (Aus)**--Tres Ravi (Ger), by Monsun (Ger). O-Chevotel Racing; B-Chevotel de la Hauquerie (FR); T-Jean-Claude Rouget. €9,600.

3--**Sea Watch (Ire)**, 126, f, 4, Siyouni (Fr)--Zynah (Ire), by **Oasis Dream (GB)**. (€180,000 RNA Ylg '18 ARAUG). O/B-Salabi Racing, Haras des Adelis & Thierry de la Heronniere (IRE); T-Francis-Henri Graffard. €7,200.

Margins: HD, 2, 1HF. Odds: 2.10, 4.10, 36.00.

Also Ran: **Frankel's Magic (Fr)**, Jupyra (Fr), Tarantela (Fr), Beauty Stone (Ire), Best Win (Fr), Zillione Sun (Fr), Agnes (Fr).

Winless in nine outings since graduating at Kempton in 2019, Oriental Mystique hit the board in three black-type starts this term before running fourth in Newmarket's July 17 Listed Aphrodite Fillies' S. last time. She employed patient tactics after a mainly level break and settled at the tail of the field for the most part here. Following the crowd wide into the straight, the 21-10 pick weaved a passage to go fourth entering the final furlong and kept on for continued rousting underneath the stands' side fence to nail Tres Valentine (Fr) (**Fastnet Rock {Aus}**) on the line for a career high.

"I didn't have any concerns during the race nor when we all came to the stands side in the straight," revealed winning rider Mickael Barzalona. "She responded and quickened strongly when we found the gap and got there just in time. She was the legitimate favourite and she deserved to win at this level. It's only her second win, but it's the one that matters."

Oriental Mystique, half to a 2-year-old filly by Lope de Vega (Ire) and a yearling colt by **Galileo (Ire)**, is the first of four foals out of G1 British Champions Fillies & Mares victrix Madame Chiang (GB) (Archipenko), herself the leading performer produced by a winning daughter of GSW G1 Yorkshire Oaks runner-up Kiliniski (Ire) (Niniski).



Oriental Mystique (right) prevails and gives her sire, **Kingman**, his 38th black-type winner | Scoop Dyga

Listed Prix Luth Enchantee Cont.

Kiliniski is also the dam of the stakes-winning Kiswahili (GB) (Selkirk), whose daughter Kinetica (GB) (**Stormy Atlantic**) won the Listed Star S. and placed in the G3 Prix d'Aumale. Descendants of Kiliniski, who hails from the family of MG1SW sires Nureyev (Northern Dancer) and Sadler's Wells (Northern Dancer), also include G1 Prix de l'Opera heroine Villa Marina (GB) (Le Havre {Ire}). **Click for the [Racing Post result](#). [Video](#), sponsored by [TVG](#).**

2nd-La Teste de Buch, €27,000, Cond, 8-1, 2yo, 7fT, 1:30.06, hy.

MAKING MOOVIES (IRE) (c, 2, Dabirsim {Fr}--Grace Lady {Fr} {GSW-Fr, \$209,174}, by Muhtathir {GB}), successful by 4 1/2 lengths over this course and distance on debut June 19, was reined back to slot in behind the leading trio from his widest stall. Taken stand's side entering the straight, the 9-10 favourite was in front 1 1/2 furlongs from the finish and strolled clear to score by 3 1/2 lengths from Start In Front (Fr) (Hunter's Light {Ire}). The winner is currently the last known foal out of the G2 Prix Corrida scorer Grace Lady (Fr) (Muhtathir {GB}) alongside the G3 Prix Noailles runner-up and G2 Prix Greffulhe third Alhadab (Fr) (**Camelot {GB}**) and past TDN Rising Star Epic Hero (Fr) (Siyouni {Fr}) who was placed in the G3 Prix de Fontainebleau, G3 Strensall S. and G3 Darley S., MGSP-Eng, GSP-Fr, \$405,556. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, €22,500. **Video, sponsored by [TVG](#).**

O-Ecurie Pierre Pilarski & Jean-Philippe Dubois; B-Jean-Philippe Dubois (IRE); T-Didier Guillemain.

1st-Clairefontaine, €27,000, Mdn, 8-1, 2yo, c/g, 8fT, 1:40.80, g/s.

LIYANN (IRE) (c, 2, Le Havre {Ire}--Lidiyana {Fr}, by Motivator {GB}), was off the tempo in sixth for most of this first go. Making smooth headway in the straight, the 2-1 second choice was shaken up to launch his challenge passing the furlong marker and was ridden out in the closing stages to prevail by a short neck from Mister Saint Paul (Fr) (**Dariyan {Fr}**). Kin to Listed Prix Occitanie victrix Likala (Fr) (Exceed and Excel {Aus}), he is the latest of three foals and third scorer out of a winning half-sister to G2 Blamey S. victor Lidari (Fr) (Acclamation {GB}). Progeny of the February-foaled bay's dual stakes-winning second dam Laxlova (Fr) (Linamix {Fr}) also includes the stakes-winning duo Laristan (Fr) (Sinndar {Ire}) and Luannan (Ire) (Zamindar). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, €13,500. **Video, sponsored by [TVG](#).** 1ST-TIME STARTER. O-H H The Aga Khan; B-H H The Aga Khan's Studs SC (IRE); T-Jean-Claude Rouget.

2nd-Clairefontaine, €27,000, Mdn, 8-11, 2yo, f, 8fT, 1:40.70, g/s.

SILVER LINING (FR) (f, 2, Caravaggio--Full of Beauty {GB}, by Motivator {GB}), a June 24 debut runner-up tackling 6 1/2 furlongs at ParisLongchamp last time, was shuffled back to race in rear after an alert getaway here. Rowed along to close once into the home straight, the 9-10 chalk made continued headway to challenge five wide entering the final furlong and was ridden out to assert by a neck from La Gloire (GB) (**Churchill {Ire}**), becoming the 13th winner for her freshman sire (by Scat Daddy). She is the second foal and winner produced by a dual-winning half-sister to Listed Fairway S. victor Grey Britain (GB) (Arcano {Ire}). The February-foaled grey is a half-sister to MGSW G2 Gran Premio de Milano scorer Wally (Ire) (Siyouni {Fr}) and a yearling filly by Le Havre (Ire). Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, €18,900. **Video, sponsored by [TVG](#).**

O-Ecurie Philippe Segalot; B-Ecurie Haras du Cadran, Carlos Lerner, Yann Lerner & SAS I.E.I. (FR); T-Jean-Claude Rouget.



Silver Lining is the 13th first-crop winner for **Caravaggio** | *Scoop Dyga*

5th-La Teste de Buch, €18,000, Mdn, 8-1, 2yo, f, 8fT, 1:51.92, hy.

BAHASA (IRE) (f, 2, Siyouni {Fr}--Indonesienne {Ire} {G1SW-Fr, \$287,025}, by Muhtathir {GB}), seventh on debut over seven furlongs at Chantilly July 7, raced behind the leading quartet early. Receiving a hefty bump as she made her move in the straight, the even-money favourite lost little momentum and, after taking command with 150 metres remaining, readily asserted to beat Louna Chope (Fr) (Captain Chop {Fr}) by 1 3/4 lengths. Bahasa is the second runner and first winner for the G1 Prix Marcel Boussac-winning dam, who has yearling and foal fillies by Sea the Stars (Ire) and **Frankel (GB)** named Precious Sea (GB) and Eurasienne (Ire), respectively. **Cont. p13**

5th-La Teste de Buch Cont.

Her family includes the G1 Poule d'Essai des Pouliches heroine Matiara (Bering {GB}), the G2 Richmond S.-winning sire Pyrus (Mr. Prospector) and the G1 Australian Oaks heroine Unforgotten (Aus) (**Fastnet Rock {Aus}**). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, €9,000. **Video, sponsored by TVG.** O/B-Wertheimer et Frere (IRE); T-Christophe Ferland.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Kesariya (Fr), f, 2, **Exceed and Excel (Aus)**--Kerasona (Fr) (SW-Fr), by **Oasis Dream (GB)**. La Teste de Buch, 8-1, 6fT, 1:17.26. B-S.A. Aga Khan (FR).

Ayrton (Fr), c, 2, **Toronado (Ire)**--Sans Retenue (Fr), by Tamayuz (GB). La Teste de Buch, 8-1, 8fT, 1:48.15. B-Thousand Dreams & F Buzon (FR).

GERMANY

Sunday's Results:

1st-Dusseldorf, €6,000, Mdn, 8-1, 2yo, 7 1/2fT, 1:32.76, gd.

ARIOLO (GER) (c, 2, Reliable Man {GB}--Aussicht {Ger}, by Haafhd {GB}) was hustled along early to occupy a forward slot in third after the opening exchanges of this debut. Stoked up to go second off the home turn, the 17-5 chance gained an edge with 300 metres remaining and was ridden out to hold the late bid on Antero (Ire) (Manduro {Ger}) by 1 1/2 lengths. Ariolo is the latest of four foals and third scorer produced by a winning daughter of G3 Hamburger Stutenpreis victrix Anna Thea (Ire) (Turfkonig {Ger}). The March-foaled dark bay is a full-brother to G2 Diana-Trial winner Akribie (Ger). Descendants of Anna Thea also include MGSW G2 Oppenheim-Union-Rennen victor Aspectus (Ire) (Spectrum {Ire}), stakes-winning G1 Criterium de Saint-Cloud runner-up Willie The Whipper (GB) (Whipper) and G1 Preis der Diana (German Oaks) third Andrea (Ger) (Dashing Blade {GB}). Sales history: €95,000 RNA Ylg '20 BBAGS. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, €3,375.

1ST-TIME STARTER. O/B-Gestut Rottgen (GER); T-Markus Klug.

CONDITIONS RESULT:

7th-Dusseldorf, €52,000, 8-1, 3yo, 8fT, 1:37.19, gd.

JUANITO (GER) (c, 3, Zoffany {Ire}--Julissima {GB} {MSP-Ger}, by Beat Hollow {GB}) Lifetime Record: GSP-Ger, 8-3-1-0, €46,900. O/B-Gestut Brummerhof (GER); T-Dominik Moser. *€100,000 Ylg '19 BBAGS. **1/2 to Julio (Ger) (Exceed and Excel {Aus}), Hwt. 3yo-Ger at 5-7f, GSW-Ger, GSP-Fr, \$269,323.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Lovelle (Ger), f, 3, **Teofilo (Ire)**--Love More (Ire), by Monsun (Ger). Dusseldorf, 8-1, 10 1/2fT, 2:08.58. B-Gestut Hof Ittlingen (GER). *1ST-TIME STARTER. **€95,000 Ylg '19 BBAGS.

ITALY

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNER:

Verba Volant (Ire), f, 2, **Ribchester (Ire)**--Sabinillas (Ire), by Clodovil {Ire}. Tagliacozzo, 8-1, Cond. (€5.5k), 1000mT. O/T-Antonio Peraino. B-Northern Bloodstock Agency (Ire). *6th winner for her first-season sire (by Ifraaj {GB}). **18,000gns RNA Wlg '19 TATNOV; £3,000 RNA Ylg '20 TATSEP.

WORLDWIDE NEWS

Sunday, Hakodate, Japan

HOKKAIDO SHIMBUN HAI QUEEN S.-G3, ¥68,630,000, Hakodate, 8-1, 3yo/up, f, 1800mT, 1:47.80, fm.

1--**TERZETTO (JPN)**, 121, f, 4, **Deep Impact (Jpn)**

1st Dam: Raddolcendo (Jpn), by **Danehill Dancer (Ire)**

2nd Dam: Loves Only Me, by **Storm Cat**

3rd Dam: Monevassia, by **Mr. Prospector**

(¥50,000,000 Ylg '18 JRHAJUL). O-Silk Racing; B-Northern Farm (Jpn); T-Shoichiro Wada; J-Christophe Lemaire. ¥36,441,000. Lifetime Record: 8-6-0-1. **Werk Nick Rating: B Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.**

2--**Magic Castle (Jpn)**, 123, f, 4, **Deep Impact (Jpn)**--So Magic (Jpn), by Symboli Kris S. O-Shadai Race Horse; B-Shadai Farm (Jpn); ¥14,126,000.

3--**Satono Cecil (GB)**, 121, m, 5, **Frankel (GB)**--Dupe (GB), by Observatory. (200,000gns Ylg '1y TATOCT). O-Satomi Horse Company; B-Faisal Meshrf Alqahtani (GB); ¥9,063,000. Margins: NK, NK, NK. Odds: 4.00, 1.40, 18.20.

Also Ran: Fairy Polka (Jpn), Cravache d'Or (Jpn), Rosa Noir (Jpn), Ikat (Jpn), Win Mighty (Jpn), Shamrock Hill (Jpn), Shigeru Pink Dia (Jpn), Donna Attraente (Jpn), Maienfeld (Jpn).

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PRIX ROTHSCHILD-G1, €300,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 8fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	8	Sagamiyra (Fr)	Sea The Moon (Ger)	Delzangles	Soumillon	130
2	1	Queen of Love (Ire)	Kingman (GB)	Fabre	Barzalona	130
3	5	Axana (Ger)	Soldier Hollow (GB)	Wohler	Pedroza	130
4	7	Parent's Prayer (Ire)	Kingman (GB)	A Watson	J Doyle	130
5	2	Padovana (Fr)	Sea The Moon (Ger)	Graffard	Journiac	130
6	13	Speak of the Devil (Fr)	Wootton Bassett (GB)	F Rossi	Pasquier	130
7	4	No Speak Alexander (Ire)	Shalaa (Ire)	Harrington	Foley	123
8	3	Mother Earth (Ire)	Zoffany (Ire)	A O'Brien	R Moore	123
9	14	Novemba (Ger)	Gleneagles (Ire)	Schiergen	Murzabayev	123
10	11	Belle Image (Ire)	Kodi Bear (Ire)	Lavery	Mendizabal	123
11	10	Rougir (Fr)	Territories (Ire)	C Rossi	Guyon	123
12	6	Primo Bacio (Ire)	Awtaad (Ire)	Walker	Atzeni	123
13	9	Coeursamba (Fr)	The Wow Signal (Ire)	Rouget	Demuro	123
14	12	Tahlie (Fr)	Rio de la Plata	Bary	Peslier	123

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FIELD'S FAITH IN 'AUSTRALIAN PRODUCT'



Extreme Choice | Newgate Stud

by Bren O'Brien

The remarkable and record-breaking success of Newgate's quartet of first-season stallions in the just-completed 2020/21 racing season is a vindication of Newgate's faith in the Australian-bred stallion, according to Managing Director Henry Field.

Extreme Choice claimed honours as Champion First-Season Sire, holding out barnmate **Capitalist**, who was Australia's leading first-season sire by winners, by just over \$113,000, with **Flying Artie** completing a Newgate sweep of the top three positions.

All three stallions produced 2-year-old Group 1 winners in their first crops in what has proven the strongest freshman crop in a generation, if not ever, by whichever way you want to measure. The fourth Newgate stallion of that crop, **Winning Rupert**, finished third in terms of most winners produced, with 12.

Field and his team have backed exclusively Australian stallions from the beginning of the operation a decade ago and doubled down on that approach in the 2017 season when opting to stand four local stallions.

In a global industry, there was always some element of risk, but it has paid off handsomely in the past 12 months and Field told *TDN AusNZ* he was always confident in the ongoing success

of the Newgate approach.

"You only have to look at the Australian Sires' Table and again this season, every single stallion in the top 10 is a local stallion. Year on year, the local stallions dominate the sires' tables and we are very proud to have four young stallions that can step into those footsteps," he said.

"I'm really proud they are the local product. The strike rate of these Australian stallions going forward in their development is key, I believe, to what will be their future."

The Newgate locally focussed stallion strategy is one that has been closely scrutinised, especially in an era where shuttle stallions have played such a major role among the global powerhouses in the Australian market.

Local Heroes

Field said the number one priority for Newgate has always been to stand horses that produce the best results for breeders on the track and in the sales ring and the data had always suggested that those horses which proved themselves in the Australian racing environment were best-placed to make that impact.

"What gives us great confidence is that we see so many shuttle stallions that come to Australia and are a flash-in-the-pan, and they get a nice 2-year-old and you never see them again. What I love about our horses is that they are a proper Australian product and have had great support on the way through," Field said.

"Given that history tends to repeat, and the dominance that Australian horses have on the Sires' Table year after year, these are the profile of horses that develop into becoming our next generation of leading stallions.

"You only have to look at the results of the Sires' Table in the past decade and breeders will know that they should only breed to the Australian product unless there is an exceptional reason not to do so."

Field sees an important place for shuttle stallions within the Australian industry, especially when it comes to developing the thoroughbred breed, but said in terms of the pure metrics of sales results and getting winners, it's hard to argue against the primacy of the local product.

"I applaud those who bring the shuttle stallions because I think they are great for our gene pool, but the average mare owners, the smart ones, are waiting until they are proven to support them," he said.



Henry Field | Newgate Stud

"Every now and then you get an outlier, a Danehill or a Street Cry, that is a globally outstanding stallion, but our breeders have to consistently get results in the sales ring and on the racetrack and the odds are so much more stacked in their favour if they breed to the Australian product. So that's what we got behind.

"The breeders that supported the best Australian stallion prospects over the last decade would have done particularly well. This crop of first-season sires is no better example."

Records Tumble

Extreme Choice and Capitalist both broke the previous record mark for the highest progeny earnings by a first-season sire in Australia, and in the process were also the leading overall 2-year-old sires on prizemoney.

"What gives me that great confidence in the future is that they have not only broken a bunch of records in their first season at stud, they have also out-performed the leading stallions in the country when it comes to the 2-year-old Sires' Table," Field said.

"Given they are the Australian product, you would think it augurs well."

Extreme Choice's efforts are particularly notable having achieved what he has with a foal crop of just 48. Field said that while Extreme Choice's fertility has posed its challenges, there was never any doubt that the progeny he did produce would make an impact.

"He was a genuinely elite Australian two and 3-year old sprinter, and he is by Not A Single Doubt and he is throwing such lovely stock. For him to be able to do what he has done off tiny numbers is extraordinary," he said.

"I've kept telling myself from the get-go that it only took Northern Dancer 45 foals a year to be a breed-shaping sire. He looks to me to be something quite extraordinary."

Newgate opted to confine Extreme Choice exclusively to his

shareholders this year, listing his fee as 'private', with Field confirming he would serve around 80 mares in 2021.

"The only outside mare we have taken is the mother of Winx, Vegas Showgirl, so it's pretty much a closed shop," he said.

Capitalist Poised to Make a Massive Impact

Capitalist's commercial future looks particularly bright, with Newgate pushing his 2021 fee up to \$99,000 (inc GST) off his 21-first crop winners, 20 of them in Australia, including G1 Champagne S. winner Captivant.

"He has been leading first-season sire in Australia by winners, he has broken the Australian earnings record and he was very close to being the Champion First-Season Sire in New Zealand," Field said.

"There is no stallion in history that has had higher first-season progeny earnings. He looks very well-placed to be consistently up there on the stallion table for a long time."

Capitalist has served big books of mares of over 200 in each of his four seasons at Newgate and it will be a similar number in 2021, with his fee rise not dissuading anyone from supporting him.

"He's booked out as well. He's a very fertile horse," Field said. "I've got such a huge regard for his sire Written Tycoon and Capitalist is showing he gets horses with comparative ability. He also gets the most magnificent sharp sales horses. It's not surprising that he was booked out within a matter of weeks from when we announced the fee."

Breeders' enthusiasm for the other two Newgate stallions of that crop, Flying Artie and Winning Rupert, is also at its highest level, with both set to serve their biggest books yet in 2021.

"What excited our whole team is that Flying Artie's progeny look like they are horses that will only get better at three," Field said.



Capitalist will stand for \$99,000 including GST | Newgate Stud

"And we have Winning Rupert, who started off a low base and had a different profile because he was the horse that didn't win a Group 1 after he went amiss earlier in his career. But we always believed he had that talent and he has shot the lights out the last few months and is on such a positive trajectory."

Tough Act to Follow

Newgate's domination of the freshman ranks in 2020/21 is a difficult act to follow for Russian Revolution, whose first crop hits the track this season. He'll be judged on his own merits, but Field has high expectations.

"He's got to be a great chance. He's very fast, an Australian product, is by a champion sire and we have been getting terrific feedback on his stock," he said.

"He's got the most Golden Slipper entries of any first-season sire, with more than 60 horses. If you were framing a market on who is likely to be the leading first-season sire next year, he would have to be the favourite."



IN SINGAPORE:

Lady Sprintbok, f, 4, **Written Tycoon**--Swooning (Ire) (SP-Ger), by Raven's Pass (USA). Kranji, 8-1, Hcp. (C4), 1200m (AWT), 1:10.97. B-Woodside Park Stud Pty Ltd, Yarraman Park Stud, R Dufficy (Vic). *Formerly Rising Tycoon. **\$120,000 Ylg '19 MMGCYS. **VIDEO**

Kharisma, g, 5, **Mossman**--Command More, by **More Than Ready** (USA). Kranji, 8-1, Kranji S. 'A', 1200m (AWT), 1:10.22. B-Robrick Lodge Thoroughbreds Pty Ltd (NSW). *SP-Sin. **\$65,000 Ylg '18 INGFE. **VIDEO**

Songgong Hera, g, 5, **Spirit of Boom**--Tiyatro, by Encosta de Lago. Kranji, 8-1, Hcp. (C3), 1200m, 1:10.69. B-Eureka Cambooya Thoroughbreds Pty Ltd (Qld). *Formerly Warfare. **1/2 to Tiyatrolani (Captain Sonador), SW-Aus, \$280,875. ***\$500,000 Ylg '18 MMGCYS. **VIDEO**

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Date	Race	Track
Aug. 7	G3 Aurie's Star H.	Flemington
	G2 Missile S.	Rosehill
Aug. 14	G3 Vain S.	Caulfield
	G3 Quezette S.	Caulfield
	G2 P.B. Lawrence S.	Caulfield
	G3 Spring S.	Morphettville
Aug. 21	G3 Up and Coming S.	Randwick
	G1 Winx S.	Randwick
	G2 Silver Shadow S.	Randwick
	G3 Show County Quality	Randwick
Aug. 28	G3 Toy Show Quality	Randwick
	G3 H.D.F. McNeil S.	Caulfield
	G3 The Heath 1100 S.	Caulfield



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