



MAJOR BOOST TO 'FARR'-SIGHTED PROGRAM



Major General (white bridle, inside) gets up in the Iroquois | Coady

by Chris McGrath

It is still relatively early days in his Turf adventure. But no matter how much Paul Farr can build on what is fast becoming a pretty serious commitment, he may never experience a more succinct sample of its ups and downs--and how bewilderingly entwined those tend to be--than his debut involvement in a graded stakes.

That came just a few days ago, in the GIII Iroquois S. at Churchill: the first chance to bank starting points for a certain race staged on the same track next May. Time to start dreaming. Unfortunately Magnolia Midnight (**Midnight Storm**), a Colonial Downs maiden winner owned in partnership by his Titledown Racing Stables, dropped right out to finish last behind Major General (**Constitution**). On the other hand, the exciting winner happens to be the first foal out of an unraced daughter of **Uncle Mo**, No Mo Lemons, Farr had acquired from the estate of the late Gerry Dilger for just \$70,000 at Keeneland last November.

That could obviously prove a pretty sensational bargain, if Major General can continue along the Derby trail the way he has started. No Mo Lemons, after all, is still only six and Farr has already sounded out WinStar about sending her back to **Constitution** next spring, to breed a sibling to Major General. But the spectrum of horseracing fortunes extends far wider even than the gulf dividing the two Iroquois runners in which Farr had some kind of stake. **Cont. p8**

MENDELSSOHN ON TOP IN COMPETITIVE MIDLANTIC OPENER by Jessica Martini

TIMONIUM, MD - Buyers had every right to expect competitive bidding during Monday's first session of the Fasig-Tipton Midlantic Fall Yearlings Sale--with normal Maryland shoppers joined by bidders shut out at previous sales--and the arena did not disappoint.

By the close of business Monday, 149 yearlings grossed \$4,577,300. The average was \$30,720 and the median was \$20,000.

During the sale's first session in 2020, 122 yearlings sold for a total of \$2,983,600. The session average was \$24,456, the median was \$15,000, and the buy-back rate was 24.7%.

"It was a great opening session," Fasig-Tipton president Boyd Browning said Monday evening. "The gross is up 53%, the average is up 26%, median is up 33%, and the RNA rate is a very low 16.2% today." **Cont. p3**

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Let's Talk: Managing Relationships in Racing. In this edition of the TDN's new podcast series *Let's Talk*, Christina Bossinakis and TVG's Gabby Gaudet sat down with trainer Dale Romans and his life partner Tammy Fox. The entertaining couple is known for their off-the-cuff conversation and they did not disappoint as the duo discussed relationships, family and some of their most hilarious and memorable moments together.

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Fasig-Tipton Midlantic Yearlings cont.

While the 2020 auction was held during the uncertainty of the pre-vaccination pandemic, its figures remained fairly steady with the 2019 opening session when 102 yearlings sold for \$2,680,000, an average of \$26,275 and a median of \$15,000.

“[Monday's results] are really more impressive when you consider this was one of the sales that, when you compare 2020 to 2019, it really didn't have a COVID drop,” Browning said. “So '20 and '19 were very similiar in terms of statistical results for this sale. Some other sales have had a little bit of an anti-COVID bump throughout the United States this year in 2021 compared to 2020. Well, this is a pretty genuine increase in terms of statistical performance. Results in '19 and '20 were basically flat, so this increase in 2021 is even more impressive than it has been for some of the other sales.”

Eight yearlings sold for six figures Monday, up from just two a year ago.



Fasig-Tipton/Eclipse Sportswire

A colt by **Mendelssohn (hip 189)** brought the day's top price when selling for \$230,000 to Oracle Bloodstock. Also topping the \$200,000 mark was a colt by **Union Rags (hip 113)** who sold for \$220,000 to trainer Mac Robertson. Both were consigned by locally based sellers, with Dreamtime Stables offering hip 189 and consignor/breeder Dark Hollow offering hip 113.

“One of the nice things we saw today was the support of the local breeders,” Browning said. “It was nice to see the sale topped by Dreamtime, which is Mike Palmer and his wife and their longtime association with Candyland Farm's Herb and Ellen Moelis, who have been long-time supporters of this sale and this region. And the second highest-priced horse was from David Hayden and his Dark Hollow Farm. They were both really legitimate pedigrees with **Mendelssohn** and **Union Rags**. It is really rewarding to see regional breeders who have quality product support this marketplace, which helps lure more buyers and more successful buyers to the sale this year and in future years as well.” **Cont. p4**



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The day's top-priced filly was also a daughter of **Mendelssohn** with Donato Lanni bidding \$160,000 to acquire **hip 159**.

Cary Frommer, traditionally an active buyer at the Midlantic Fall sale, signed for three yearlings Monday, including a **Twirling Candy** colt (**hip 78**) for \$115,000. But Frommer agreed it was tough sledding.

"I feel like I am paying more than I thought I would have to," she said. "For a nice horse, it's still very strong and I've been outbid on a bunch of very nice horses. I think the market is fair, but it's just that it's a trickle down effect from the other sale. People haven't been able to buy what they wanted. So it's strong here."

Pinhookers, some of whom are not traditional bidders at the auction, were a dominant presence at the sale Monday.

"I knew they were coming," Frommer said of the pinhooking buying bench. "I knew everybody was having trouble at the previous sale. So I knew they would be here and I was not happy about it."

One of those pinhookers making an unusual appearance in Timonium was Susan Montayne, who purchased a filly by Tiznow (**hip 76**) for \$150,000.

"We've never actually done this sale before," Montayne, who is a regular presence as a consignor at the Midlantic May 2-Year-Olds in Training Sale, said. "I have never come up here to buy horses. We usually focus on the Kentucky sales and sales at home in Ocala, but here we are. It was very hard to buy at Keeneland. Luckily, we have clients that send us horses to go to the races, but with the pinhook side, it was a little tough."

The Midlantic sale continues Tuesday with bidding at the Maryland State Fairgrounds beginning at 10 a.m.

Mendelssohn Colt to Handal

Conor Foley of Oracle Bloodstock struck late in Monday's first day of the Midlantic Fall Yearling Sale to secure a colt by **Mendelssohn** (**hip 189**) for a session-topping \$230,000 on behalf of a partnership.

"He's going to go to [trainer] Ray Handal," Foley said. "I bought him for a group of people."

Of the yearling, Foley said, "He just looks a lot like **Mendelssohn**. He just looked like an athlete that should run next year; what surface he can run on, I don't know. I think horses like him were few and far between here and he really stood out."

The colt was bred by Classic Thoroughbred XXIX and was consigned by Dreamtime Stables. He is out of Tasha's Moon (Malibu Moon) and is a half-brother to stakes-placed Juror Number Four (Into Mischief) and from the family of multiple graded winner Tasha's Miracle. **Cont. p5**

Munnings Colt Best of Strong Bunch in Champagne TDN THOROUGHBRED DAILY NEWS

Arriving at the Champagne off a sharp 8¾-length triumph going six furlongs on Aug. 28 at Saratoga, rising star **JACK CHRISTOPHER** passed the Grade 1 test with flying colors, earning a 93 Beyer with a 2¾-length win.



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Hip 189 was one of two yearlings from the first crop of Grade I winner **Mendelssohn** to bring six figures Monday in Timonium. Earlier in the session, bloodstock agent Donato Lanni, bidding on behalf of Caroline and Greg Bentley, acquired the day's top-priced filly when going to \$160,000 for a daughter of the Coolmore stallion (**hip 159**).



Oracle Bloodstock's Conor Foley signs for hip 189
Fasig-Tipton/Eclipse Sportswire

Union Rags Colt to Novogratz

Trainer Mac Robertson, bidding on behalf of owner Joe Novogratz, purchased a colt by **Union Rags** for \$220,000 Monday in Timonium. The bay colt was bred and consigned by Dark Hollow Farm and is out of Safe Journey (**Flatter**), who is also the dam of multiple stakes winners O Dionysus (Bodemeister) and Joy (Pure Prize). The yearling's second dam is Safe at the Plate (Double Zeus), a half-sister to champion sprinter Safely Kept.

"Safe Journey is an awful good mare for this sale," Robertson said after signing the ticket on **hip 113**. "She has four or five really good horses that can win where we want to go. And I thought, for a **Union Rags**, he has enough length to be a really good horse."

Several times a leading owner at Canterbury Park, Novogratz was a linebacker for the Pitt Panthers and was drafted by the Pittsburgh Steelers before being traded to the Minnesota Vikings. He is the founder of IDI Distributors Inc., an insulation distribution company.

Robertson trained the multiple stakes winner Amy's Challenge (Artie Schiller) for Novogratz. The mare, second in the GI Madison S. and third in the GI Humana Distaff S. in 2019, was purchased for \$20,000 at the Fasig Midlantic Yearling sale in 2016. **Cont. p6**

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“I thought he'd bring between \$200,000 and \$250,000 when he vetted well and scoped well,” Robertson said of the yearling's final price. “Until you get your guy to vet him, you don't really know.”

Also on behalf of Novogratz Monday, Robertson purchased a filly by Malibu Moon (hip 158) for \$95,000.

The competitive market was no surprise to Robertson.

“It's really strong,” he said with a rueful smile. “But I'm not surprised. I was at Keeneland—I've never seen an 80% clearance rate in my life. There are people who didn't get what they wanted at Keeneland, so of course they came here.

Tiznow Filly Likely for 2-Year-Old Sales

A filly by Tiznow (hip 76) is likely destined for a return to the sales ring next spring after selling for \$150,000 to the bid of Ocala horsewoman Susan Montanye.

“She looks like a classy, two-turn filly,” Montanye, who signed for the pinhooking partnership in the name of her SBM Training and Sales, said of the yearling's appeal. “She is a little bit of a later foal, but she had all the right angles and parts. She vetted great for me. I watched her and I loved her walk, big overreach on her. What's not to like about her?”

Of the filly's final price, Montanye said, “Listen, if you want them right now, it looks like you're going to have to pay for them. She's a Tiznow filly and she's got some pedigree, so \$150,000, I feel comfortable with that.”

The yearling was consigned by **Sabrina Moore's GreenMount Farm** and was bred by Moore in partnership with Tiznow Syndicate. She is out of Pinkprint (Not For Love), a half-sister to GI Breeders' Cup Dirt Mile winner and likely GI Breeders' Cup Classic favorite Knicks Go (Paynter).



Hip 76 | Fasig-Tipton/Eclipse Sportswire

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Filly Adds Up for Newtownanner

Ron Blake liked a filly by Cloud Computing when he purchased her as a short yearling for \$40,000 at the Keeneland January sale earlier this year and he still liked the bay yearling (hip 11) when he sent her through the sales ring in Timonium Monday. He advised his clients, Samantha and Maurice Regan's Newtown Anner Stud, to purchase the bay for \$145,000.

"We always loved her," Blake said. "We bought her as a weanling and from the day we bought her I thought she was gorgeous. She's grown into a very pretty filly. She is a late foal and I think when you take that into account, you can see what she could become. She's by a first-year stallion and she was a late foal so she looked maybe a little small to some people. But because she is a May 20 foal, we thought she'd be a real beautiful filly. We advised our client to buy her."

The yearling is out of Martini and is a three-quarter sister to stakes winner Dirty (Maclean's Music).

"I just think she has so much quality," Blake said. "We think she'll be a good racehorse. She'll go back to the farm and be able to grow up a little bit. We will give her some time off before we break her and then go forward with her and see what she can do."



Hip 11 | Fasig-Tipton/Eclipse Sportswire

SESSION TOPPERS

**FASIG-TIPTON MIDLANTIC SALE
MONDAY'S TOP LOTS**

HIP	SEX	SIRE DAM	PRICE (\$)
189	colt	Mendelssohn--Tasha's Moon	230,000
<i>Breeder: Classic Thoroughbred XXIX (Ky)</i>			
<i>Consignor: Dreamtime Stables, Agent VIII</i>			
<i>Purchaser: Oracle Bloodstock</i>			
113	colt	Union Rags--Safe Journey	220,000
<i>Breeder: Dark Hollow Farm (Md)</i>			
<i>Consignor: Dark Hollow, agent</i>			
<i>Purchaser: Mac Robertson, agent for Novogratz Racing Stables</i>			
159	filly	Mendelssohn--Split It	160,000
<i>Breeder: Sycamore Hall Thoroughbreds (Md)</i>			
<i>Consignor: Northview Stallion Station (David Wade), agent</i>			
<i>Purchaser: Donato Lanni, Agent for Caroline & Greg Bentley</i>			
076	filly	Tiznow--Pinkprint	150,000
<i>Breeder: GreenMount Farm & Tiznow Syndicate (Md)</i>			
<i>Consignor: GreenMount Farm, agent</i>			
<i>Purchaser: SBM</i>			

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011	filly	Cloud Computing--Martini (\$40,000 yrl '21 KEEJAN)	145,000
<i>Breeder: Barak Farm (Md)</i>			
<i>Consignor: Blake-Albina Thoroughbred Services LLC, Agent I</i>			
<i>Purchaser: Newtownanner Stud</i>			
147	filly	Cross Traffic--Slow and Steady	120,000
<i>Breeder: ZWP Stable & Non Stop Stable (Md)</i>			
<i>Consignor: Dreamtime Stables, Agent VII</i>			
<i>Purchaser: Bill Reightler, Agent for Greg Tatum</i>			
078	colt	Twirling Candy--Plum	115,000
<i>Breeder: Dark Hollow Farm (Md)</i>			
<i>Consignor: Dark Hollow, agent</i>			
<i>Purchaser: Cary Frommer</i>			
090	filly	Tonalist--Quant	110,000
<i>Breeder: R S Evans (Md)</i>			
<i>Consignor: Indian Creek, agent</i>			
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• No. Sold	149	122
• RNAs	29	40
• % RNAs	16.3%	24.7%
• High Price	\$230,000	\$160,000
• No. Over \$100k	8	2
• Gross	\$4,577,300	\$2,983,600
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Hip	Sex	Sire	Dam	Price (\$)
021	colt	Cairo Prince	Meteoric Matron	40,000

Consigned by Turning Point Bloodstock

Purchased by Thomas Swales/Tee-N-Jay Farm

Stonegate Stables, also a co-breeder of the yearling, purchased this colt for \$5,000 just last month at the Fasig-Tipton New York-bred Yearling sale.

139	colt	Hoppertunity	Silvikova	52,000
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Consigned by Northview Stallion Station (David Wade), agent

Purchased by Thorostock, LLC

Silvio Martin purchased this colt from the first crop of Hoppertunity for \$3,200 last December in Timonium.

144	filly	Cross Traffic	Skinner Box	90,000
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Consigned by Stuart Morris, Agent I

Purchased by Thorostock LLC

TA Bloodstock purchased this filly for \$5,000 as a weanling at last year's Keeneland November sale.

'Farr'-Sighted cont. from p1

For back in the spring No Mo Lemons had already promised an early dividend on her purchase, when delivering the foal she was carrying at the sale. Dilger could scarcely have chosen a more fashionable young stallion for her first cover.



No Mo Lemons with her 2021 Practical Joke filly | Courtesy Paul Farr

"So she produced this beautiful Practical Joke filly," Farr relates. "I mean, just gorgeous. And, in fact, one of the main reasons I bought her had been the difficulty I'd had, along with some of the syndicates I was in, trying to bid on Practical Joke yearlings the prior September and October. They kept going for crazy prices, or what I thought crazy at the time. Of course, his progeny have meanwhile been performing on the track as well. But when I kept being outbid, I thought, 'Screw this, I'm going to go a little farther back in the timeline and buy a mare in foal to him instead.' And I liked this one's whole page and, of course, everything that Gerry Dilger had done over the past many, many years."

Sure enough, the Practical Joke filly was an immediate standout among the 10 foals delivered by the Titledown mares with Sally Lockhart at Ballyrankin Stud. But then disaster struck.

"With that new rotavirus strain that popped in the Lexington area, at the beginning of the year, we had both the mare and her filly in quarantine for three weeks at Rood and Riddle," Farr says. "And actually, we had just about got the foal over the parasitic infection--only for her then to spike an infection in her knee. We did everything we could. We tried several different cocktails of antibiotics. But when they're so young, they can't really do that aggressive a treatment. And finally the recommendation came from the vet that there was nothing more we could do, and we had to make the very hard decision that she shouldn't suffer anymore."

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PINHOOK GUIDE

Fasig-Tipton Midlantic Fall Yearlings Tuesday, Oct. 5

<u>Hip</u>	<u>Sex</u>	<u>Pedigree</u>	<u>Price</u>	<u>Prev Sale</u>	<u>Buyer/Agent</u>	<u>Current Consignor</u>
216	F	Blofeld-Two Eyes	\$1,000	FTI DEC MIX 20	Deb Ferguson & Cary Frommer	Deb Ferguson
231	C	Sharp Azteca -Walkinforkisses	\$35,000	OBS WNT MIX 2021	Jackman Bottom Trading Co.	Stuart Morris
233	C	Daredevil -War Flower	\$23,000	KEENOV BRDG 2020	TA Bloodstock	Stuart Morris
262	F	Central Banker-Angels Trace	\$19,000	KEEJAN ALL AGES 2021	David Rodawalt	Stuart Morris
277	F	Tapwrit -As Rulers Go	\$22,000	FTK SUM YRLG 2021	Cary Frommer	Deb Ferguson
281	F	Midnight Storm -Awesome Song	\$7,000	KEENOV BRDG 2020	Oak Point Farm	Sally Thomas
308	F	Bal a Bali (Brz)-Buccella	\$1,700	KEEJAN ALL AGES 2021	Sugarland	Sugarland
311	C	Bal a Bali (Brz)-Buttermilk	\$1,700	KEEJAN ALL AGES 2021	Sugarland	Sugarland
326	F	Gormley-Cindy S.	\$8,000	FTI DEC MIX 20	David Wade	Northview Stallion Station
329	F	Frank Conversation -Clearly Perfect	\$1,500	FTI DEC MIX 20	Sugarland	Sugarland
330	F	Blofeld-Clever Me	\$9,000	FTI DEC MIX 20	THT Bloodstock	Dreamtime Stables
336	C	Mor Spirit-Corinnaise	\$37,000	FTI DEC MIX 20	DR Investments	Blake-Albina T'breds
339	C	Speightster -Crema d'Oro	\$3,500	FTK WNT MIX 2021	Djuric Sporthorses	Vinery Sales
341	C	Union Jackson -Cute Cognac	\$25,000	FTK WNT MIX 2021	Scott Mallory	Scott Mallory
352	F	Shakin It Up-Devil's Backbone	\$4,700	FTK WNT MIX 2021	Timothy Hackerman	Bill Reightler
361	F	V. E. Day-Dove Season	\$4,500	OBS WNT MIX 2021	Blue River Bloodstock	Stuart Morris
372	F	Kantharos -Educating	\$15,000	FTK WNT MIX 2021	Marshall W. Silverman	Marshall W. Silverman
397	C	Speightster -Fortune Kitty	\$29,000	KEEJAN ALL AGES 2021	Patrice Miller/EQB	Vinery Sales
399	F	Mor Spirit-Francesca	\$10,000	KEEJAN ALL AGES 2021	Forever Spring Farm	Vinery Sales
406	F	Jimmy Creed-Galveston Bay	\$4,000	KEEJAN ALL AGES 2021	Blanfords Tree Service	Northview Stallion Station
415	C	Mendelssohn -Grace Is Gone	\$100,000	KEENOV BRDG 2020	Sycamore Hall T'breds/David Wade	Northview Stallion Station
423	F	Hoppertunity-Hard On the Heart	\$16,000	KEENOV BRDG 2020	Tollgate Farm/Machmer Hall	Vinery Sales
429	C	Freedom Child-Helen Louise	\$16,000	FTI DEC MIX 20	Wazuzu Racing	Inspire Thoroughbreds
442	F	Cloud Computing-Imagine a Star	\$20,000	KEEJAN ALL AGES 2021	5 O'Clock Somewhere	Vinery Sales
447	F	Speightster -In Bella's Honor	\$5,000	FTI DEC MIX 20	Chelsea Lowman	Greenmount Farm
448	F	Great Notion- Include a Check	\$13,000	FTI DEC MIX 20	Cary Frommer	Deb Ferguson
457	F	Empire Maker-Jade Princess	\$25,000	KEEJAN ALL AGES 2021	Blanfords Tree Service	Northview Stallion Station



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'Farr'-Sighted cont.

Farr remembers, with bitter affection, kissing the little filly on the head in those last days; and subsequently visiting No Mo Lemons at Ballyrankin, which is just a mile up the road from the clinic. During the miserable period of confinement, the mare had exuded maternal dismay; a distraught, helpless sense that her foal, gated off within their cramped quarantine stall, was not in a good place. It was gratifying now to sense an almost palpable relief in the mare, that the shared ordeal was over.

And if Farr couldn't have been given a more painful reminder of the perils that may always lurk among Thoroughbreds, even after you have shown the most astute judgement, then it's not as though he needed any schooling in the merits of spreading risk. In his business life, that had long been his governing instinct.



Paul and Kym Farr just before the Iroquois | Courtesy Paul Farr

It was actually in leading former employer PPL Corp's acquisition of two major Kentucky utilities, around a decade ago, that Farr was first introduced to the lifeblood of the Bluegrass. Several members of the management teams at those utilities were in syndicates together, claiming horses, and Farr saw the fun they were having. After a stint at the reins of a spin-off

merchant power generation business, a buyout put Farr in a position to develop his nascent interest.

"I was in a business very much oriented to risk management," Farr explains. "So I felt pretty comfortable with the concept of spreading your risk with different trainers, different partnership groups, much as you do different assets in different locations. So while I'm still getting my legs under, I'm okay with managing exposure and nothing about the business scared me in any way."

Inevitably, even so, seeking the right fit was a process of trial and error. There were attempts to cut corners. Farr soon discovered, for instance, that measuring the thickness of the cardiac wall was no substitute for the kind of heart that's needed in the heat of racetrack battle. So while auspicious physical attributes could and should be factored into decision-making, he soon realized that the all-important competitive desire would only begin to be disclosed many months after a yearling leaves the ring.

In the end, Farr and his wife Kym evolved a strategy of building partnership at different levels. On the one hand, for instance, he is involved with some buddies at Rainbow's End Racing claiming horses in New York; at the other end of the scale, equally, he's also contributing to the new Colts' Group put together by Brad Cox, Bradley Weisbord and Liz Crow. Having enjoyed his first experiences partnering with West Point Thoroughbreds, meanwhile, he has also made a couple of fresh commitments with that team; and then there's a little extra shopping with his pal Staton Flurry of Hot Springs, whose Flurry Racing Stables has a stake in Shedaresthedevil (**Daredevil**). Farr has also partnered with Sol Kumin (Madaket Stables) on a number of horses in the past two years.

"I learnt my lesson several years ago trying to do things more on the 100 percent," Farr reflects. "Through all these different avenues I get to share the experience of a lot of really smart people--whether that's Clay Scherer, who helps Staton and me, or the whole infrastructure at West Point, or Liz Crow, or Tom Morley who does the training for Rainbow's End in New York.



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"Brad Cox probably trains more horses that I have an interest in than any other trainer, but then think about all those guys on the West Point team: they have John Sadler out in California, there's George Weaver, there's Shug McGaughey, there's Christophe Clement, Dale Romans, Steve Asmussen, Dallas Stewart, so many relationships. I was listening to a podcast they put out to the ownership group the other day, with Dallas Stewart, and Terry Finley was mentioning how they go back 30 years together. So doing things this way lets you tap into deep relationships, and aligns you with people with deep knowledge, people that are world-class."

And that's also the level he sees in the counsel and empathy of Lockhart, now truly like family to him. In principle, he intends to keep Titletown's breeding and racing operations separate. No doubt some occasional flexibilities will be required, but it's the commercial possibilities that are exciting about the emergence of Major General. For his dam's first Titletown cover, Farr and Lockhart settled on **Kantharos**, seeking a slightly more streamlined animal after her first three foals--including the **Always Dreaming** weanling sold alongside her last November, to Steven W. Young for \$95,000--all came up a pretty generous size.



Dripping Gold's Saratoga debut | Sarah Andrew

Not that this windfall for No More Lemons is the only excitement for a program gathering momentum all the time. At the same auction where he found her, Farr gave \$240,000 for Swiss Skydiver's half-sister Is It Gold (Indygo Shiner), and the **Nyquist** colt she was carrying is evidently a knockout. Within 24 hours of Farr's first involvement in a graded stakes, moreover, Dripping Gold (Lemon Drop Kid) was fast-tracked to Grade I company in the Summer S. after a debut success at Saratoga for a partnership also including West Point Thoroughbreds and John A. Ballantyne. Shug McGaughey confessed himself rather disappointed with fifth place at Woodbine, and believes there remains better to come. But already the next cycle promises

ever more action: the Weisbord-Crow group alone gives him a piece of the action in a couple of dozen elite Saratoga and Keeneland graduates. And Farr is also involved, meanwhile, in a Tony and Kim Dutrow group now prospecting the big yearling sales in Europe.

Titletown is named for Farr's hometown and his beloved Green Bay Packers and their 13 championships, and there's no mistaking the sense of purpose that could someday bring him to the equivalent of Super Bowl territory with Thoroughbreds, too.



Titletown's Green Bay Packers-inspired silks | Courtesy Paul Farr

"To have 2-year-olds running in a Grade III and a Grade I, a day apart, was very exciting and I hope that as young horses both will improve for their experience," Farr says. "And obviously it was fantastic to see Major General do his job for his dam, and get the 'Win-and-You're-In' for the Breeders' Cup. Hopefully he can go on and do fantastic things.

"Okay, with the **Practical Joke** foal, Lady Luck put her thumb on the scale a little bit the other way. But that's part of this game, with its amazing ups and downs. I have tended to be somewhat lucky in business, and in life. I've got a great family, five kids, and done great things with my companies. At the level we're talking about, you do need the resources to compete. And when I put a dollar to work, I don't necessarily expect to get that dollar back. I'm very fortunate that I don't need to--though it would be nice, right, to have this stuff work.

"But for me, everything in life comes down to the people part. I just really have to enjoy who I'm involved with. With the New York group, those are smaller dollar amounts. But, same thing: wonderful people. Anybody can put money to work. But horses have tragic things happen, horses have amazing things happen. Irrespective of the size of the check, it's about being with fantastic people that you enjoy spending time with, and going on that roller coaster ride together."

RICE SPARS WITH NYRA OVER WHETHER SHE IS A 'THREAT' *By T.D. Thornton*



Sarah Andrew photo

Linda Rice took a legal swat at both the New York Racing Association (NYRA) and the New York State Gaming Commission (NYSGC) with a court reply underscoring that her participation as a trainer (currently permitted because of a temporary injunction) poses no threat to anyone. This latest legal filing comes as Rice continues to try and get a three-year license revocation and \$50,000 fine for "improper and corrupt conduct" overturned via the state's judicial system.

The Sept. 29 memorandum of law filed by Rice's legal team in Schenectady County Supreme Court directly addressed a friend-of-the-court brief filed by NYRA Sept. 9 that had sided with defendant NYSGC by arguing that Rice's presence as an admitted seeker and user of allegedly restricted race-entry info undermines the integrity of the sport.

"Ms. Rice is currently racing her horses in good standing at NYRA and other tracks, and she has been doing so for the entire six-year period following the end of her purported misconduct in March 2015," the trainer's legal team wrote in the reply. "There is simply no reason why she cannot, or should not, continue to do so while this case is heard and determined. Ms. Rice is demonstrably not a threat to racing, and all concerned--the commission, NYRA, and the public--would be completely and entirely unaffected by a stay/preliminary injunction."

NYRA had argued otherwise back on Sept. 9: "Put simply, the need to protect NYRA's patrons and the wagering public from the significant risk [Rice] poses to the fairness and integrity of Thoroughbred racing in New York State far outweighs any alleged hardships to [Rice's] business resulting from the suspension of her license," the friend-of-the-court brief stated.

Rice's filing replied that, "Simply put, the status quo is, and has been for many years, inoffensive to the Commission, NYRA, and

the public, so there is no valid reason or basis to deny Ms. Rice's application for a stay until the conclusion of these proceedings."

Rice's filing stated that, "Like the Commission, NYRA does not dispute that, in the absence of injunctive relief barring enforcement of the Commission's Order pending the outcome of this matter, Ms. Rice will suffer irreparable harm: that is, the loss of her only source of income, the destruction of her business and reputation, and the laying-off of the 55 individuals who depend on her and her stable for employment, many of whom are supporting families."

Rice's filing continued: "Nor does NYRA make any serious attempt to demonstrate how Ms. Rice is unlikely to succeed on the merits of her claims. Although NYRA asserts Ms. Rice cannot satisfy her burden of demonstrating likelihood of success on the merits, it does not explain why."

On May 17, 2021, culminating an investigation that had stretched over five years, NYSGC members voted 5-0 to agree with a hearing officer that Rice's years-long pattern of seeking and obtaining pre-entry information from NYRA racing office workers was "intentional, serious and extensive [and] inconsistent with and detrimental to the best interests of horse racing."

Rice had testified that she did nothing wrong by using inside sources to gain a competitive advantage over other trainers. When the penalty got handed down, Rice contended that it was "unduly harsh."

The ban went into effect June 7. Two days later, Rice's legal team secured a temporary injunction from the court that has allowed her to resume training while the legal process plays out.

The NYSGC on July 2 asked the court to deny Rice's motion for a preliminary injunction "because Ms. Rice has not shown a likelihood of success on the merits or that the equities weigh in favor of preliminary injunctive relief."

Rice's Sept. 29 filing addressed both of those points.

"As to the merits of Ms. Rice's claims, the Commission's finding that the race information at issue in this case was 'confidential' and unavailable to trainers is not supported by substantial evidence and must be vacated. The finding is premised on nothing more than self-serving, conclusory pronouncements of a supposed 'universal rule' under which the names and past performance information of horses entered in overnight races constitute 'confidential information'...

"Regarding the equities in this case, NYRA's amicus brief argues that Ms. Rice's application should be denied because the 'available evidence indicates that continuation of the status quo may itself pose a significant risk to the public.' This argument completely ignores the record proof, as well as the plain fact that there has never been any suggestion--by the Commission or NYRA--that Ms. Rice has engaged in any misconduct since March of 2015." **Cont. p12**



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Rice's filing continued: "as previously discussed in Ms. Rice's prior submissions, it is undisputed that the wagering public was totally unaffected by Ms. Rice's receipt of the racing information at issue in this case..."

"Lastly, because the Commission's three-year revocation of Ms. Rice's license is so disproportionate to the purported offense, it is shocking to one's sense of fairness, constitutes an abuse of discretion on the part of the Commission as a matter of law, and must be vacated on that basis as well..."

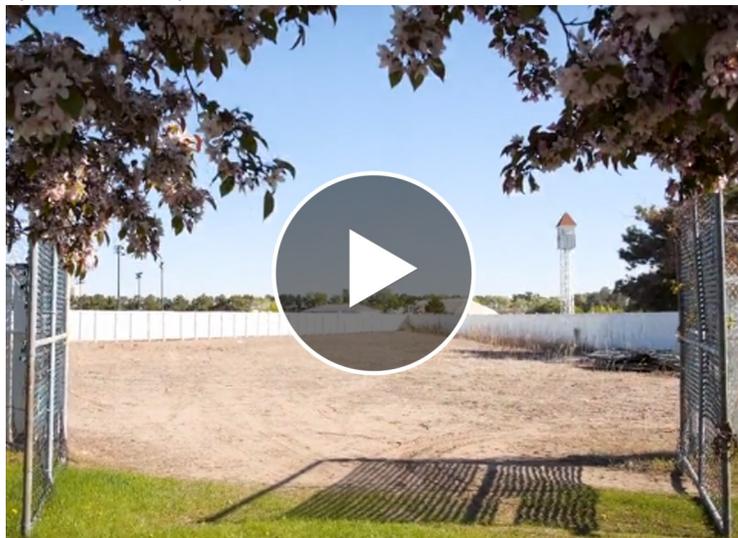
"No interested party--neither the Commission, NYRA, nor the public--will suffer any diminution in the integrity of racing, any appearance of impropriety, or any other undue hardship or burden if the preliminary injunction is issued," Rice's filing summed up.

"The Commission simply would be compelled to maintain the status quo, which is, and has been for many years, inoffensive to the best interests of the sport and those who regulate it, participate in it, and enjoy it," the filing stated.

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ABIJAH'S ON THE BACKSIDE CHANGING LIVES AT CANTERBURY PARK

by Katie Petrunyak



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While racing seems to be scrambling for any piece of positive public perception it comes across, Sally Jane Mixon has a vision. She wants to save the lives of people across the country, and she wants to do it by bringing them to the backsides of racetracks to work with retired racehorses.

"Mental health is a huge crisis right now everywhere you go," Mixon said. "The hope is to bring people who maybe have a bad taste in their mouth for racing and they'll come and work with off-track Thoroughbreds and their lives will be changed--at a racetrack, with horses that have raced."

This summer, Mixon's vision came to life with the launch of **Abijah's on the Backside**-- a therapy and wellness center nestled on a quiet piece of the backside at Canterbury Park. There, a pair of retired racehorses reside and engage with people struggling with anything from PTSD and anxiety to depression and suicidal ideation through Equine-Assisted Psychotherapy. Through this form of therapy, individuals have the opportunity to step into an experience and 'see' their behaviors and how those behaviors impact themselves and others around them.

Abijah's on the Backside began holding sessions in June. Initially, it was reserved for members of Canterbury's backside community, but it has just recently opened to the broader public in Shakopee, Minnesota. Mixon, who works alongside Abijah's Vice President of Development Dani Palmer, said their long-term goal is to open Abijah's on the Backside locations at tracks across the country.

"There could be hundreds of people a week eventually coming in for sessions at a racetrack," she said. "It's a really unique way for racetracks to gain amazing public awareness in a positive light and for people to see that horses nobody knows that name of that can't race anymore are just as valuable as a Triple Crown winner because they're now saving lives."

Mixon's vision for this unfolding project has developed slowly over her lifetime.

She remembers first taking an interest in racing as a child watching Winning Colors win the Kentucky Derby in 1988. While in high school, Mixon started struggling with an eating disorder. By the time she was in college, it got to the point where she was forced to drop out and go to an in-patient program.

"That's where God really got a hold on my heart," she said. "Horses have always pulled me out of stuff and reminded me of my faith. That's where the name Abijah's Hope came from. Abijah was the first horse I ever owned and it's Hebrew for 'The Lord is my Father.'"

By working through her own struggles, Mixon developed a passion for helping others going through similar challenges. She eventually earned her Masters in Professional Counseling and started working with incarcerated youth.

When she and her husband moved to Atoka, Oklahoma, she met Jeff Lukas, the son of Hall of Fame trainer D. Wayne Lukas. Mixon and Lukas bonded as he regaled her with stories of her childhood heroine Winning Colors, as well as the many other Lukas stable stars.



Sally Jane Mixon | photo courtesy Abijah's on the Backside

"Jeff became a really close friend of mine," Mixon recalled. "We would spend time in his living room talking about how horses were so important to him and his life. Through that and through having my own experience with mental health and knowing how horses, especially Thoroughbreds, can work their magic, I started the vision for Abijah's Hope."

Mixon later moved to Minnesota and got connected with Acres for Life, an organization in the state that has provided equine-assisted psychotherapy for over 20 years. She eventually took on the role of their Chief Development Officer, but knew if she wanted her vision for Abijah's on the Backside to come to fulfillment, she would need to get connected at Canterbury Park.

"I asked [former jockey] Mark Irving if he could let me in on the backside because I wanted to tell people about my vision for Abijah's. I started walking around telling people about it and was told I needed to meet [trainer] Bernell Rhone and his right-hand guy Martin Escobar. They asked me if I could ride, so I started ponying and they taught me how to gallop."

Mixon has been an exercise rider at Canterbury for three years now, planting seeds throughout Canterbury's racetrack community on the launch of Abijah's on the Backside along the way.

Her next step was to get funding. She met Joe Scurto, Executive Director of the Minnesota Racehorse Engagement Project, and told him about her vision. To Scurto, the program sounded like a win-win for them both.

"I'm constantly looking for opportunities to find second careers for racehorses," Scurto said. "It's easy to find homes for that 3-year-old coming right off the track, but it's harder for the 10-year-old that maybe has a bad ankle. I started talking with Sally and it was a perfect opportunity to ask her if we could use Thoroughbreds exclusively for her program."

Mixon and Scurto shared their idea with Canterbury Park, the Minnesota Racing Commission and the Minnesota HBPA.

"Everybody came together and stepped up," Scurto shared. "It was really collaborative. It's hard to get people to sign checks, but everyone thought this would be terrific for the stable workers."

Mixon said they had always planned to keep the program initially exclusive for the track's backside workers.

"There's not a whole lot of support for them," she said. "With having a program like this literally at the backside of the racetrack, it's home for them. It's an awesome sport, but there's a lot of pressure. You think about an exercise rider that has a tough fall. It's traumatizing, but you have to get back on to get paid. So there's anxiety, there's PTSD, there's all these things that we can help and support them with so they can be a better exercise rider, a better groom, a better jockey. Whatever it is, they can be more successful which helps the entire industry become healthier."

Mixon has been asked the obvious question hundreds of times. For people who work with horses every day, how is this equine-centric program going to help their mental health?



Mixon said that in the model used at Abijah's on the Backside, stories matter | photo courtesy Abijah's on the Backside

She got her answer from a backside worker who opened up to her team after his first session this summer.

"He told us, 'This has been my work for 21 years. Now these horses that have supported me monetarily and helped me give back to my family are going to be a part of my healing.' In that moment with this individual, it was a different perspective because horses have shown up for these people their entire lives but in a different way. Now they're going to be part of their healing as well."

Abijah cont.

During each session, clients will undergo an assessment before stepping into the paddock to work with the horses alongside an equine specialist and mental health professional. All activities take place on the ground and no prior experience with horses is required.

“We believe that in the model we use, stories matter,” Mixon explained. “We start getting to know their story and the characters in their story and then the horses become that. It might be addiction. There might be a horse that continues to move into the client. They’re big, they can’t push them away and finally there’s this click and they realize, ‘this is my addiction.’”

One of the most fascinating aspects of this type of therapy, according to Mixon, is that the horses respond differently for different people.

“They’re picking up things inside the person and it’s like they play it out in front of us. I’ve had someone struggling with major depression and suicidal ideation. When they step into the space, all the horses lay down and the person actually sees their story unfold outside of themselves. So now their depression isn’t in them and we can talk about what’s out in front of us. It’s so powerful.”

Canterbury’s Abijah’s on the Backside is located on a quiet portion of the backside behind the chapel. Sessions begin every morning after training has concluded.



A busy day on the front side of Canterbury Park | Coady

“Canterbury has been amazing,” Mixon shared. “They’ve made sure it’s private, it’s HIPAA compliant and it’s not like a shaming thing to go back there, it’s a positive thing. They’ve been amazing in marketing it and spreading the word across the backside.”

The first horse to join Abijah’s program, a mare named Dangerous Wave (Graydar), raced exclusively at Canterbury Park in her seven career starts. As a juvenile in 2018, she won the Northern Lights Debutante S. and retired the following year. Mixon worked with the Bernell Rhone trainee during her time on the racetrack and knew she would be perfect for the program.

“She’s sassy and she tells you what she wants when she wants it,” Mixon said with a laugh. “Some people who knew her as a racehorse have asked, ‘Really? She’s going to do therapy sessions?’ But she’s been phenomenal. She was one of the toughest horses to gallop but you get her in these sessions and she’s a puppy.”

An important aspect of getting Abijah’s on the Backside up on its feet has been Mixon’s connection with the backside community through working alongside potential clients every morning.

“I’m not their therapist; I’m their friend,” she explained. “I ride with them in the morning so I can be that bridge and help them get connected with my team.”

Another important key, Scurto added, has been the support of Canterbury’s racing stewards, who have directed workers facing potential license removal or fines to Abijah’s.

“I was always aware of the substance abuse issues that exist in the stable areas and our stewards here have been very helpful because they would rather send individuals to be evaluated rather than just taking away their license to work,” Scurto said. “To me, that helps keep people in our stable area which we so desperately need and it provides support.”

While Canterbury has conducted substance abuse support programs annually, Abijah’s on the Backside is unique in that it will provide year-round opportunity for workers to receive help even when live racing is not running at Canterbury.

While the program is only a few months underway, Scurto has already heard glowing reviews as word spreads around Canterbury and the city of Shakopee.

“I was concerned that people might not step forward because of the taboo of getting help,” Scurto admitted. “But what I’m hearing is that people are really stepping up. There’s no doubt a need, but it’s going to be a culture change in the stable areas. Having it right here and accessible is going to be a big step up.”

Now that Canterbury’s race meet has concluded, many of the workers who have been undergoing sessions throughout the summer are following the horses on to the next track. Mixon’s goal is that in the future, wherever they go next will also have an Abijah’s on the Backside where they can continue their sessions.

Abijah cont.

“The hope is that there will be Abijah’s on the Backsides at different tracks across the country,” she said. “So if someone starts sessions and then they’re heading to Tampa, for example, I can call up my team there and they can pick up their treatment so that everywhere they go they feel like they have a home, a place to land, at Abijah’s.”



Mixon's goal is to have Abijah's on the Backside locations at racetracks across the country | *photo courtesy Abijah's on the Backside*

Eventually, the plan is for each location to open to the public to help people overcome personal challenges while simultaneously undergoing a life-changing experience through working with Thoroughbreds at a racetrack.

“When racing has done well, it’s the best thing in the world,” Mixon said. “Everyone has a shot, and that’s a rare opportunity. A lot of the people I’ve worked with feel like underdogs--like veterans or backside workers. There’s this parallel between these people and retiring Thoroughbreds that we don’t know what to do with.”

“With this model, these off-track Thoroughbreds become characters in people’s story. I’ve been doing hundreds of sessions and have watched miracles happen. If off-track Thoroughbreds can do this work, why not bring it to the racetracks where they have the barns and they have the set up? How could you hate racing if you can look at what these tracks will be doing?”

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GRAYSON-JOCKEY CLUB TO ESTABLISH 'A. GARY LAVIN CHAIR'



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The Grayson-Jockey Club Research Foundation, the nation’s leading source of private funding for equine medical research, has created an endowment to support the “A. Gary Lavin Chair.” The full-time position, created in recognition of the late Dr. Gary Lavin’s contributions to the foundation and to equine health, will include research advisory committee (RAC) member recruitment, orientation, and management; management of grant applications, reviews, deadlines, and conflict eliminations; fundraising; and publicity.

“Dr. Lavin made innumerable contributions to Grayson over the last 40 years, including time spent as a valued member of both our board of directors and research advisory committee,” said Grayson’s chair Dell Hancock. “He was instrumental in the reorganization of our research approval process, which resulted in the development of the research advisory committee we use today. Dr. Lavin believed that the veterinary community should be involved in Grayson’s work, and we are proud to honor him with this position, which will facilitate a veterinary relationship with the foundation that he believed was so important.”

Oaklawn Park will be supporting this new role with a lead gift of \$250,000.

“For three generations, the Cella-Lavin families have been working together in the best interest of the Thoroughbred,” said Oaklawn’s president Louis Cella. “We all have such great memories of Doc. It is a great honor to kick off this campaign to create the A. Gary Lavin Chair.”

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“My father was a lifelong advocate of equine health and longtime supporter of Grayson, and my family is proud to see his legacy continue through this new position,” said Kevin Lavin, vice chairman of Grayson. “We are appreciative of the support that it has already received and thankful to the Cella family for their initiative in the fundraising effort.”

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Cairo Prince (Pioneer of the Nile) <i>(Cairo Memories--Surfer Girl S.)</i>	17	5
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Mizzen Mast (Cozzene) <i>(Zero Tolerance--Unzip Me S.)</i>	62	24
More Than Ready (Southern Halo) <i>(Consumer Spending--Selima S.)</i>	120	47
Munnings (Speightstown) <i>(Jack Christopher--GI Champagne S.)</i>	52	21 (4)

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Nyquist (Uncle Mo) <i>(Curly Girl--Lady Finger S.)</i>	4	2
Quality Road (Elusive Quality) <i>(Corniche--GI American Pharoah S.)</i>	50	28 (12)

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War Front (Danzig) <i>(Annapolis--GII Pilgrim S.)</i>	100	56
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JOCKEY CLUB ANNOUNCES T.I.P. NON-COMPETITION AWARD WINNERS

The Jockey Club Thoroughbred Incentive Program (T.I.P.) has revealed the recipients of its two non-competition awards, the T.I.P. Thoroughbred of the Year Award and the T.I.P. Young Rider of the Year Award, for 2021. The Thoroughbred of the Year Award recognizes a Thoroughbred that has excelled in a non-competitive career, such as equine-assisted therapy or police work, and includes a \$5,000 grant to the non-profit organization associated with the horse or, if no organization is associated with the horse, to a horse-related charity chosen by The Jockey Club.

This year's winner is Fahey, registered with The Jockey Club as Rock the Mountain, a 26-year-old gelding who assists with riding lessons and therapeutic programs at New Beginnings Therapeutic Riding Foundation in Palos Hills, Illinois. He raced 35 times, winning two races and earning \$23,077. **Cont. p17**

Before joining New Beginnings, Fahey was a member of the Chicago Police Department Mounted Patrol Unit. He was named after William Fahey, a Chicago police officer killed in the line of duty.

“Fahey is a trusted horse for our riders, as he has a kind temperament and calm demeanor,” said Mary Hensley of New Beginnings. “He has an affinity for those with anxiety and post-traumatic stress disorder. Thus, he is well-suited to participate in the New Beginnings ‘One Good Day’ clinics that are offered to veterans and first responders as well. In this new day of COVID-19, he is also a respite and a friend to those who are in need of a confidant.”



Fahey | Chicago Police Department

The young rider award, which recognizes riders 18 or younger who own or lease a Thoroughbred for use in 4-H, Pony Club, or other activities, has been awarded to Victoria Klapper, Dafna Heule, and Kaylynn Berry. Klapper, 17, owns three off-the-track Thoroughbreds and has competed in jumpers. She plans to use her award funds to help pay for college. Heule, 18, leases Ahh Ahh Chew, also known as Chewie, and they compete in eventing. Heule would like to put her award funds toward training a new off-the-track Thoroughbred once her lease with Chewie ends. Berry, 15, owns New Blane, also known as Unsolved Mystery (barn name: Myst), and they compete in jumpers. Berry is a T.I.P. Youth Ambassador. Berry would like to use her award toward competing in rated shows and college tuition.

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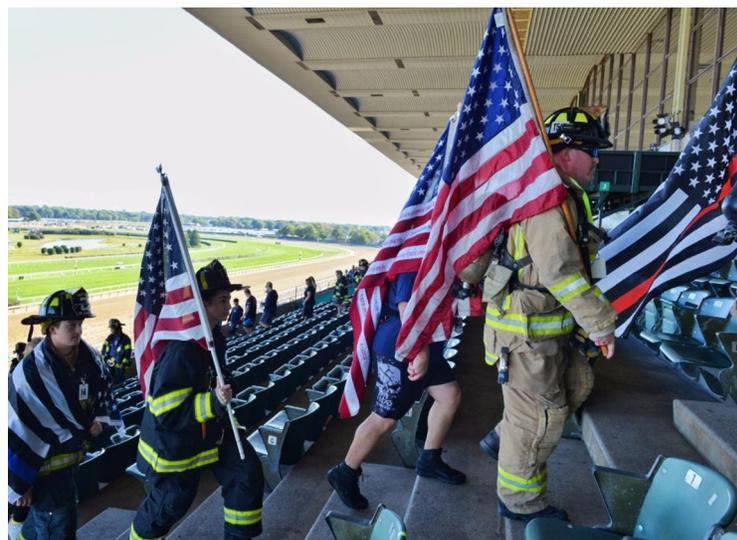
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ANNUAL BELMONT STAIR CLIMB TRIBUTE TO 9/11 FIREFIGHTERS SET TO RETURN OCT. 17

After a year lost to the COVID-19 pandemic, the FDNY Stair Climb returns to Belmont Park on Sunday, October 17. This year’s seventh annual event is part of the nationwide 9/11 stair climb program that pays tribute to the FDNY firefighters who died more than 20 years ago on 9/11. The climb benefits the National Fallen Firefighters Foundation (NFFF), which supports the families of fallen firefighters and the FDNY Counseling Service Unit.

“Twenty years later, I still remember what trauma looked like etched on the faces of firefighters at the World Trade Center site when a team from the National Fallen Firefighters Foundation and I arrived on scene September 12, 2001,” said Chief Ron Siarnicki, who is the NFFF executive director. “It’s not something you can ever forget.”



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The nation’s inaugural FDNY stair climb to benefit the National Fallen Firefighters Foundation took place on September 11, 2005 when Colorado firefighters climbed 110 flights of stairs in Denver--each step commemorating the 110 stories of the World Trade Centers. The concept caught on around the country and became an annual event and in 2017, it moved to Belmont Park.

There are several ways to participate. You can register as an individual climber, team captain or team member [here](#) and can also can donate to a climber, a team or a team member. Gates and on-site registration will begin at 8:30 a.m. Oct. 17 at Belmont. The opening ceremony will be at 9:30 a.m., with the climb set from 10 a.m. to Noon. Participants are invited to a post-climb reception with food and entertainment and the day’s racing card. Five races will be named in honor FDNY fallen heroes.

Belmont Stair Climb cont.

The fees are \$50 for a climber (13 & up), which includes a t-shirt, badge & after party; \$35 for a virtual climber (includes a t-shirt and virtual-climb toolkit); \$35 for a virtual runner/walker, biker and gym stair climber (includes a t-shirt and virtual-climb toolkit); \$50 for a climb supporter; and \$20 for Kids, 4-12 (includes the after P=party, which is free for Children 3 & under.

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More Than Ready (Southern Halo)	7
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Tapit (Pulpit)	6
Unbridled's Song (Unbridled)	6
City Zip (Carson City)	5
Danzig (Northern Dancer)	5
Galileo (Ire) (Sadler's Wells)	5
Into Mischief (Harlan's Holiday)	5
Smart Strike (Mr. Prospector)	5
Storm Cat (Storm Bird)	5
Awesome Again (Deputy Minister)	4
Gone West (Mr. Prospector)	4
Kitten's Joy (El Prado {Ire})	4
Medaglia d'Oro (El Prado {Ire})	4
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PRESQUE ISLE DEBUTANTE S., \$75,400, Presque Isle Downs, 10-4, 2yo, f, 6 1/2f (AWT), 1:16.31, ft.

1--**HOWDYOUNMAKEURMONEY, 117, f, 2, by Freud**

1st Dam: Exclusively Yours, by Elusive Quality

2nd Dam: Holy Miss, by Holy Bull

3rd Dam: Last Blood, by Valid Appeal

1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN. (\$15,000 Wlg '19 FTNMIX; \$19,000 Ylg '20 OBSWIN; \$27,000 RNA Ylg '20 OBSOCT; \$105,000 2yo '21 OBSAPR). O-Commonwealth New Era Racing; B-Davie Bloodstock, LLC & Peter Colon (NY); T-Michael J. Trombetta; J-Antonio A. Gallardo. \$45,000. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, \$96,850.



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2--**Battle Charge, 117, f, 2, Will Take Charge**--Deja Blu, by

Seeking the Gold. O-Blazing Meadows Farm, LLC & Siena Farm LLC; B-Siena Farms LLC (KY); T-Timothy E. Hamm. \$15,000.

3--**Runaway Breeze, 117, f, 2, Cajun Breeze**--Run Macy Run, by West Acre. O-Rice Racing; B-Stonehedge LLC (FL); T-Kevin Rice. \$7,500.

Margins: HD, 3 1/4, 1HF. Odds: 1.80, 8.20, 69.20.

Also Ran: Donya Know It, Isthatyourharley, She's Pure Silver, True Blue Pearl, Southern Sky, Royal Engagement, Candlelight Hours.

Howdyoumakeurmoney almost blew it with some erratic strides in deep stretch, but just held on at the wire to capture the Presque Isle Debutante S. Monday at the Erie oval.

Bought for \$105,000 at OBS April, the bay dueled early before fading to finish fourth on debut over the Saratoga dirt Aug. 13 and graduated when switching to turf there Sept. 3. Made a very narrow favorite in this synthetic-track bow, she showed good speed from the rail, but was taken back by Antonio Gallardo to stalk a longshot leader from the second flight alongside main market rival Royal Engagement (**Palace Malice**) through a :22.51 quarter. Creeping up on the sputtering pacesetter at the top of the lane, she took command just inside the three-sixteenths pole and inched clear. Starting to bear out as soon as Battle Charge came calling to her outside in deep stretch, she found the line in time to just edge out that rival for the money.

The winner has a yearling **Camelot** Kitten half-brother named Sir Lance and a weanling half-sister by **Tapiture**. Her dam was bred to Win Win Win this term. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

8th-Parx Racing, \$48,500, Alw, 10-4, 3yo/up, 7f, 1:24.22, ft, 5 3/4 lengths.

MY BOY TATE (g, 7, Boys At Tosconova--Backslash, by Sharp

Humor), easily the most successful progeny for his sire as a five-time stakes winner who has placed in seven additional black-type events, scored back-to-back victories in the New York-bred Hollie Hughes S. and Haynesfield S. earlier this year at Aqueduct before running fourth in a local allowance May 5. Runner-up in both the John Morrissey H. and **Tale of the Cat S.** this summer at Saratoga, the gelding was sent off as the 9-10 chalk here and traveled second-last as a three-way speed duel percolated through a :22.57 quarter. Quickly advancing on his own power nearing the turn, he charged to the lead four wide five-sixteenths from home and burst away into the lane en route to an easy 5 3/4-length score. Absentee (Fed Biz) rallied from last to earn the place. The winner has a yearling **Frosted** half-sister named Snowy Evening and a weanling half-sister by **Congrats**. His juvenile half-sister Velvet Sister (**Bernardini**), a \$500,000 Fasig-Tipton Gulfstream purchase by Stonestreet Stables, has finished second in a pair of New York-bred stakes thus far. Lifetime Record: MSW, 27-10-7-2, \$657,788. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

O-Little Red Feather Racing & Michelle Nevin; B/T-Michelle Nevin (NY).



4th-Delaware, \$38,375, Msw, 10-4, 2yo, f, 1 1/16mT, 1:44.52, fm, 3/4 length.

TRIPLE TIARA (f, 2, Candy Ride {Arg}--Minnehaha, by Scat Daddy) was hammered down to 7-5 debuting over 5 1/2 furlongs on the local dirt Sept. 6, but lagged well back early before figuring things out in the lane and closing to get up for third. A much juicier price at 67-10 stretching out and switching to turf here, the homebred was much more involved early this time and found a great spot tracking from the rail in the third flight behind splits of :23.72 and :48.31.

Awaiting room with ears pricked as six furlongs went up in 1:13.24, the dark bay ran to daylight in the three path turning for home and wore down 3-5 chalk Bali Belle (Bal a Bali {Brz}) in the final sixteenth to prevail by three-quarters of a length. The winner's dam, a half-sister to MGSW Engage (Into Mischief), was bred to Omaha Beach this spring. Her third dam is three-time turf GSW Clearly a Queen (Lucky North). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$26,980. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

O/B-John & Susan Moore (KY); T-Michael Stidham.

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Airoforce (Colonel John), Equistar Training and Breeding Center, \$2,500
 9 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners
 9-Indiana Grand, 6:33 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Mydadsbetrthanyurs, 15-1
 \$2,000 KEE SEP yrl

American Freedom (Pulpit), Airdrie Stud, \$6,000
 125 foals of racing age/10 winners/0 black-type winners
 4-Indiana Grand, 3:58 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, Another Flat Drunk, 30-1
 \$45,000 RNA KEE SEP yrl

Astern (Aus) (Medaglia d'Oro), Darley, \$7,500
 85 foals of racing age/7 winners/1 black-type winner

5-Presque Isle Downs, 6:25 p.m. EDT, Msw 1m, C J 's Cat Five, 15-1
 \$3,700 FTK OCT yrl

Classic Empire (Pioneerof the Nile), Coolmore Ashford, \$17,500
 116 foals of racing age/11 winners/2 black-type winners
 4-Indiana Grand, 3:58 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, Sassy Sagey, 4-1
 \$45,000 FTK SEL yrl

Connect (Curlin), Lane's End Farm, \$15,000
 119 foals of racing age/14 winners/1 black-type winner
 1-Penn National, 6:00 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Bench Press, 12-1
 \$19,000 RNA FTK OCT yrl
 6-Finger Lakes, 3:35 p.m. EDT, Msw 1m, Curteis, 6-1
 \$12,000 KEE JAN wnl; \$13,000 OBS OCT yrl; \$8,000 EAS MAY 2yo
 5-Presque Isle Downs, 6:25 p.m. EDT, Msw 1m, Mirth 'n Merriment, 5-2
 \$14,000 RNA FTK OCT yrl; \$32,000 RNA OBS MAR 2yo

Divining Rod (Tapit), Country Life Farm, \$5,000
 68 foals of racing age/7 winners/0 black-type winners
 5-Presque Isle Downs, 6:25 p.m. EDT, Msw 1m, Hidden Springs, 7-2

Gun Runner (Candy Ride {Arg}), Three Chimneys Farm, \$50,000
 127 foals of racing age/13 winners/5 black-type winners
 4-Indiana Grand, 3:58 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, Optionality, 5-1

Keen Ice (Curlin), Calumet Farm, \$12,500
 137 foals of racing age/13 winners/0 black-type winners
 6-Parx Racing, 3:10 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, Amethyst, 4-1
 \$19,000 RNA KEE SEP yrl; \$85,000 EAS MAY 2yo

Klimt (Quality Road), Darby Dan Farm, \$10,000
 153 foals of racing age/14 winners/0 black-type winners
 4-Indiana Grand, 3:58 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, Avendore, 3-1

Royal Artillery (War Front), Indiana Stallion Station, \$1,500
 5 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners
 1-Penn National, 6:00 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Gandi, 15-1

SECOND-CROP STARTERS TO WATCH: TUESDAY, OCTOBER 5

2021 Stud Fees Listed

Ironicus (Distorted Humor), Claiborne Farm, \$5,000
 57 foals of racing age/7 winners/1 black-type winner
 6-Parx Racing, 3:10 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, A Case of You, 5-1
 \$20,000 EAS MAY 2yo

Outwork (Uncle Mo), WinStar Farm, \$15,000
 211 foals of racing age/45 winners/5 black-type winners
 5-Presque Isle Downs, 6:25 p.m. EDT, Msw 1m, Irresistible Lady, 8-1

Uncle Lino (Uncle Mo), Northview Stallion Station, \$4,000
 135 foals of racing age/28 winners/0 black-type winners
 6-Parx Racing, 3:10 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, Burano, 3-1



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Voix d'Ange, f, 3, **Curlin**--Love and Pride (MGISW, \$985,760), by A.P. Indy. Chukyo, 10-2, Allowance (\$129k), 1800m, 1:52.9. Lifetime Record: 11-2-4-0, \$195,586. O-Koji Maeda; B-Three Chimneys Farm LLC (KY); T-Kazuya Nakatake. *1/2 to Princesshina Julia (Pioneerof the Nile), SW, \$111,053. **\$675,000 Ylg '19 KEESEP.

IN SOUTH KOREA:

Heungrok Daebu, g, 3, **Algorithms**--Vivid Storm, by Super Saver. Seoul, 10-2, Hcp. (C4), 1700m. B-Sun Valley Farm (KY). *\$25,000 Ylg '19 KEEJAN; \$36,000 Ylg '19 KEESEP. **VIDEO**

Thunder Time, g, 3, **Anchor Down**--Dust It, by **Distorted Humor**. Seoul, 10-3, Hcp. (C4), 1200m. B-Gainesway Thoroughbreds Ltd (KY). *\$37,000 Ylg '19 FTKFEB; \$40,000 Ylg '19 FTKOCT. **VIDEO**

Geuma Psychic, g, 3, **Shanghai Bobby**--Holly Days, by Langfuhr. Busan, 10-3, Hcp. (C4), 1200m. B-Montese LLC (KY). *\$20,000 Wlg '18 KEENOV. **VIDEO**

Cheongdam Dokki, g, 7, **To Honor and Serve**--Elusive Gold, by Strike the Gold. Seoul, 10-3, Hcp. (C1), 1800m. B-Blue Heaven LLC (KY). Ch. 3yo Colt, Ch. Stayer & SW-Kor. **1/2 to Gouldings Green (Charismatic), MGSW, \$682,493; Baby Bird (Cape Town), GSP, \$222,804; and Filare l'Oro (**Hard Spun**), SW & GSP, \$185,100. ***\$20,000 Ylg '15 KEESEP. **VIDEO**

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IN RUSSIA:

Jacklene, f, 2, **Cupid**--Coteau Jozi, by Johannesburg. Pavlovskiy Hippodrome, 10-2, 1400m. B-Dynamite Racing Inc (KY). *10th winner for freshman sire (by **Tapit**). **\$40,000 Wlg '19 KEENOV.



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STAKES RESULTS:

ARCTIC QUEEN S., \$50,000, Finger Lakes, 10-4, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11.64, sy.

1--**MISS JIMMY, 124, m, 5, Colonel John--Smart Eyes, by Midas Eyes. 1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN.** (\$6,000 RNA Ylg '17 EASOCT). O-Ann McDonough & Laurel A. Least; B-Laurel Least & Gabriel McDonough (NY); T-Bruce D. Anderson; J-Oscar Gomez. \$30,000. Lifetime Record: 22-10-9-1, \$312,855.

2--**Hannah Dances**, 122, f, 4, Shakin It Up--Comfort Level, by **Mizzen Mast**. O/B-TLC Thoroughbreds LLC (NY); T-M. Anthony Ferraro. \$10,000.

3--**Letmetakethiscall**, 124, m, 6, **Take Charge Indy**--Spring Elusion, by Elusive Quality. (\$75,000 Ylg '16 SARAUG; \$65,000 2yo '17 OBSOPN). O-Mathew Levy & Kenneth Greenvald; B-Danzel Brendemuehl & Sandra Lombardo (NY); T-James W. Ferraro. \$5,000.

Margins: 3 3/4, 12HF, 3HF. Odds: 0.45, 9.60, 1.55.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

7th-Parx Racing, \$47,250, (NW2X)/Opt. Clm (\$35,000), 10-4, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11.56, ft, 1 1/2 lengths.

SHEALITTLE EDGY (f, 4, Competitive Edge--Belvedera, by Awesome Again) Lifetime Record: 14-5-2-2, \$136,757. O-Gumpster Stable LLC; B-Calloway Stables, LLC (KY); T-Scott A. Lake. *\$30,000 Wlg '17 KEENOV; \$40,000 Ylg '18 FTKOCT; \$95,000 RNA 2yo '19 EASMAY. **1/2 to Plus Que Parfait (Point of Entry), GSW-UAE, MGSP-USA, \$1,827,091.

SBM Training Graduate (Susan Montanye)

7th-Delaware, \$42,375, 10-4, (NW1X), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10.63, ft, 1/2 length.

SAY MOI (f, 4, Union Rags--Sweet Nanette {MSW & GSP, \$392,845}, by You and I) Lifetime Record: 12-2-2-1, \$117,772. O-Bach Stables LLC; B-Tony Holmes & Tim Thornton (KY); T-William I. Mott. *\$300,000 Ylg '18 KEESEP. **1/2 to Sherriff Cogburn (Vindication), SW & MGSP, \$203,071.

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8th-Zia, \$39,000, (S), 10-4, (NW2L), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11.97, ft, neck.

SPEEDY WILDCAT (f, 3, Marking--Wildcat Diva, by Forest Wildcat) Lifetime Record: 7-2-1-2, \$44,755. O/B-J. Kirk Robison & Judy Robison (NM); T-Joel H. Marr. *1/2 to Wheredoesthecashgo (Southwestern Heat), SW, \$274,787; Diabolical King (Diabolical), SW, \$162,523; and Liberty Lover (Diabolical), MSW, \$356,917.

9th-Zia, \$39,000, (S), 10-4, (NW2L), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:11.28, ft, neck.

CHUCKIES CHANCE (g, 3, Attila's Storm--Limeade, by Summer Bird) Lifetime Record: 7-2-0-0, \$36,268. O-Sherri Galvez; B-Chuck Dunleavy & Shawn Davis (NM); T-Sherry Armstrong.

7th-Indiana Grand, \$37,440, (NW1X)/Opt. Clm (\$18,000), 10-4, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m 70y (off turf), 1:42.98, ft, 2 3/4 lengths.

LADY MCKENZIE (f, 4, Cross Traffic--Extraordinary Lady, by Charismatic) Lifetime Record: 30-5-4-4, \$141,896. O-Southwest Racing Stables & Steve H. Lewis; B-Equus Farm (KY); T-Genaro Garcia. *\$47,000 Ylg '18 FTKJUL.

5th-Thistledown, \$28,500, 10-4, (NW4L), 3yo/up, 1m, 1:38.44, ft, 3/4 length.

HOOKED A GOODWIN (g, 3, Morning Line--Tinca's Sky, by Sky Mesa) Lifetime Record: 17-4-1-2, \$80,320. O-Jack L. Boggs; B-Farm III Enterprises (FL); T-Kim A. Puhl. *\$3,500 2yo '20 OBSMAR; \$8,000 2yo '20 OBSOPN.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Bye Bye Jill, f, 2, Malibu Moon--Zelda Rose, by Niagara Causeway. Zia, 10-4, 5 1/2f, 1:05.88. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$18,700. B-La Bahia Stud Inc (KY). *\$60,000 Ylg '20 KEESOP.

Another Winner Bred by **BUCK POND FARM**

Cactus Flower, f, 2, Run Away and Hide--Cactus Joe (MSW, \$310,673), by Cactus Ridge. Indiana Grand, 10-4, (S), 5f, :59.39. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$26,360. B-Mr. & Mrs. Randal Daniel Matthews & Mr. & Mrs. Charles Michael Farr (IN).

Unbridled Victory, f, 2, Unbridled Express--Jenny Vignette, by Greatness. Indiana Grand, 10-4, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:06.38. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$26,950. B-L.T.B. Inc, Ed Wright Cattle Company & Miles Childers (IN). *Full to Super Jen, SW, \$104,913.

Dazzling Mist, f, 3, Astrology--Midnight Angelus, by Midnight Lute. Thistledown, 10-4, 5f, :59.42. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$16,650. B-Destiny Oaks of Ocala (FL). *\$5,000 RNA Ylg '19 OBSOCT; \$21,000 2yo '20 OBSOPN.

Bode O, g, 3, Bodemeister--Oblalah, by Tiz Wonderful. Parx Racing, 10-4, 7f, 1:26.93. Lifetime Record: 8-1-2-1, \$65,915. B-Fred W. Hertrich III & John D. Fielding (KY). *\$11,000 Ylg '19 KEESOP; \$15,000 2yo '20 OBSMAR.

What's My Category, g, 3, Competitive Edge--Hedy Hopper, by Victory Gallop. Finger Lakes, 10-4, 1m 70y, 1:45.98. Lifetime Record: 18-1-10-2, \$112,225. B-Cheryl Prudhomme, Dr. Michael T Gallivan & Sue Dayton (NY). *\$14,000 RNA Wlg '18 FTNMIX; \$70,000 Ylg '19 FTKOCT; \$35,000 RNA 2yo '20 OBSAPR.



Patti D, f, 3, Constitution--Angelita (SP), by Harlan's Holiday. Presque Isle Downs, 10-4, 6f (AWT), 1:09.97. Lifetime Record: 10-1-1-5, \$44,785. B-KMA Ranch (KY). *\$45,000 Ylg '19 FTKOCT; \$67,000 2yo '20 OBSAPR.

Doc Advantage, g, 3, Girolamo--A B Advantage, by Posse. Finger Lakes, 10-4, 5 1/2f, 1:06.09. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$25,680. B-Paul Barrow (NY).

Perfect Smokey Eye, f, 3, Storm's Eye--Perfect List, by Peaks and Valleys. Indiana Grand, 10-4, (S), 6f, 1:12.61. Lifetime Record: 13-1-1-0, \$38,770. B-Triple D Partners LLC (IN). *\$700 Ylg '19 INDMIX.

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Attila's Storm, Chuckies Chance, g, 3, o/o Limeade, by Summer Bird. ALW, 10-4, Zia

Bodemeister, Bode O, g, 3, o/o Oblalah, by Tiz Wonderful. MSW, 10-4, Parx Racing

Boys At Tosconova, My Boy Tate, g, 7, o/o Backslash, by Sharp Humor. ALW, 10-4, Parx Racing

Candy Ride (Arg), Triple Tiara, f, 2, o/o Minnehaha, by Scat Daddy. MSW, 10-4, Delaware

Colonel John, Miss Jimmy, m, 5, o/o Smart Eyes, by Midas Eyes. Arctic Queen S., 10-4, Finger Lakes

Competitive Edge, Shesalittle Edgy, f, 4, o/o Belvedera, by Awesome Again. AOC, 10-4, Parx Racing

Competitive Edge, What's My Category, g, 3, o/o Hedy Hopper, by Victory Gallop. MSW, 10-4, Finger Lakes

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Girolamo, Doc Advantage, g, 3, o/o A B Advantage, by Posse. MSW, 10-4, Finger Lakes

Malibu Moon, Bye Bye Jill, f, 2, o/o Zelda Rose, by Niagara Causeway. MSW, 10-4, Zia

Marking, Speedy Wildcat, f, 3, o/o Wildcat Diva, by Forest Wildcat. ALW, 10-4, Zia

Morning Line, Hooked a Goodwin, g, 3, o/o Tinca's Sky, by **Sky Mesa**. ALW, 10-4, Thistledown

Run Away and Hide, Cactus Flower, f, 2, o/o Cactus Joe, by Cactus Ridge. MSW, 10-4, Indiana Grand

Storm's Eye, Perfect Smokey Eye, f, 3, o/o Perfect List, by Peaks and Valleys. MSW, 10-4, Indiana Grand

Unbridled Express, Unbridled Victory, f, 2, o/o Jenny Vignette, by Greatness. MSW, 10-4, Indiana Grand

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NEW ERA FOR OLD MILL AT TATTERSALLS



Old Mill Stud's **Justify** filly, who goes through the ring on Thursday | *Tattersalls*

By Kelsey Riley

NEWMARKET, UK—Following on from a year in which many visitors were barred from attending the **Tattersalls October Yearling Sale**, an international crowd at Park Paddocks on Monday was a welcome sight as inspections continued less than 24 hours removed from the start of the firm's flagship Book 1.

The shoppers, of course, aren't the only international element to the sale; as befits any bloodstock auction of such stature, global themes abound in the pages of the 502 yearlings catalogued for Book 1, which runs from Tuesday through Thursday. There are five yearlings catalogued by **Justify**, who had no fewer than 19 sell for north of \$500,000 at Keeneland November. Should he follow in the footsteps of his sire Scat Daddy—and indeed his fellow Triple Crown winner **American Pharoah** at Ashford Stud—**Justify** could yet prove an effective crossover sire.

Rob Speers is certainly of the opinion that Old Mill Stud's **Justify** filly out of the Group 3-placed **Butterscotch** (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) (lot 432) is made for the grass. The chestnut filly with the white blaze set to sell on the final day of the sale is one of two that breeder Ibrahim Araci brings to Book 1, and his Old Mill Stud rides the momentum of a productive Book 1 last year when selling under its own name for the first time. **Cont. p2**

EMMA BALDING'S LOVE OF FORAGING FOR YEARLINGS

By Emma Berry

There is much to admire about the team at Kingsclere, especially during a season when Andrew Balding has been in or near the top spot of the trainers' table throughout. But one particularly admirable facet to the Balding stable is in its sourcing of young stock at the yearling sales.

Key to that process are the trainer's mother, Emma Balding, and Kingsclere's racing manager, Tessa Hetherington. The duo can regularly be spotted forming an advance party on the sales grounds, sifting through the catalogue to ensure that they are left only with the most promising raw ingredients. Last year's efforts have been rewarded with two highly successful juveniles in particular, in the G2 Coventry S. winner **Berkshire Shadow** (Ire) (Dark Angel {Ire}) and the listed winner and Group 2 runner-up **Masekela** (Ire) (El Kabeir). **Cont. p7**

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The stud brought four homebred yearlings last year, with the top seller being a Galileo (Ire) half-sister to eventual G1 Diamond Jubilee S. winner Dream Of Dreams (Ire) bought by Mike Ryan for 1.4-million gns. Araci also sold a pair of Kingman colts for 500,000gns and 300,000gns.

This year, in addition to the Justify filly, Old Mill offers a Lope De Vega (Ire) filly on Tuesday as lot 53. Both were being carried by their dams when Araci purchased them at Tattersalls December in 2019: the Justify filly's dam, Butterscotch, was bought by Speers on Araci's behalf for 700,000gns. Campaigned by the Coolmore partners, Butterscotch broke her maiden going six furlongs at Naas at two before finishing runner-up to eventual Group 1 winner Clemmie (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) in the G3 Grangecon Stud S. Butterscotch is out of the six furlong G3 Ballyogan S. winner Lessons In Humility (Ire) (Mujadil), also the dam of black-type winners Tiger Moth (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) and Coach House (Ire) (Oasis Dream {GB}).

The Lope De Vega filly is out of the multiple French listed placed Guerriere (Ire) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}), a full-sister to G3 Prix d'Aumale winner Soustraction (Ire) (Lope De Vega {Ire}) from the Wertheimer family of G1 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe victress Solemia (Ire). Guerriere cost Araci 825,000gns at Tattersalls.

"I'm delighted to have two filly first foals out of two mares that we paid plenty of money for in the December Sales," said Speers. "Butterscotch is a stakes-placed Galileo filly, and she got her stakes form as a 2-year-old over six and seven furlongs and she's out of a daughter of Mujadil called Lessons In Humility who was a six-furlong Group 1-class sprinter.

"The Justify filly has been a star since she was born. She was

used for advertising pictures, and she's been forward and found everything very natural her whole life. She's come up here and looks the part. She's got a big white face and she's chestnut so she looks very much like her daddy. Butterscotch has a wonderful Kingman colt foal and is back in foal to Kingman. I'm very high on her and her future."

"Scat Daddy and plenty of that line have had success on turf, and she's out of a Galileo mare," Speers added. "She looks 100% a turf filly to me. She moves like a turf filly, she has a European hind leg and she floats."

Of the Lope De Vega filly, Speers said, "She is from a wonderful Wertheimer family and she's a three-parts sister to a Group 1 horse [Soustraction]. She's been very natural and very straightforward all the way along. She's incredibly athletic. I've loved her attitude all along and particularly since she's come up to the sales; she's just pricked her ears, got on and done every show. She has global appeal and is a wonderful filly. I'd be very optimistic that she'll get the mare, Guerriere, off to a wonderful start. We adore the mare; she has a lovely Blue Point colt foal and is back in foal to Lope De Vega on the back of this filly. I'm very excited about her future."

Turkish businessman Araci has been racing horses in the UK for around a decade, and has been involved with Thoroughbreds his native country, where he owns a large stud farm and stands four stallions, for much longer. [Cont. p3](#)

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His top colourbearers have included the G3 Solario S. and G3 Craven S. winner Native Khan (Fr) (Azamour {Ire}), who was third behind Frankel in the G1 2000 Guineas; Aktabantay (GB) (Oasis Dream {GB}), another winner of the Solario; Crimean Tatar (Tur) (Sea The Stars {Ire}), winner of the Listed Wild Flower S. and Group 3-winning sprinter Koropick (Ire) (Kodiac {GB}). Araci's daughter, Pinar, was responsible for his introduction to racing and is heavily involved in the operation. In 2018, Araci purchased the 100-acre Old Mill Stud formerly owned by David Shekells just outside Newmarket in Chippenham. Speers said Araci plans to continue to invest in high-end breeding stock while both racing and selling the progeny.

"Pinar and Mr. Araci are keen to trade horses, buy and sell, and grow the farm and in time become a bigger player in the industry," he explained. "We have nine horses in training at the moment. Horses in training will always be a part of what we do; there is a big redevelopment still going on at the farm and we've put a lot of money into purchasing mares, so trading horses is definitely something we want to continue to do. I think in time Mr. Araci would like to go down the owner/breeder route, but nothing is fixed in stone and while we are coming to the sales, we're going to bring our best."

Oneliner No One Hit Wonder

Oneliner Stables made its Book 1 debut in 2019 one to remember, selling a Sea The Stars (Ire) colt it had purchased for 330,000gns the prior December to Godolphin for 725,000gns. Oneliner, the moniker of Gerard Lowry and his family, has continued to invest in high-end foals to pinhook. After selling three last year for a cumulative 665,000gns, Oneliner brings four colts to the sale this year to pinhook. [Cont. p4](#)



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First up on day one is **lot 105**, another son of Sea The Stars, this one out of La Mortola (GB) (Dubawi {Ire}), a half-sister to Group 1 winners Jakkalberry (Ire) (Storming Home {GB}), Crackerjack King (Ire) (Shamardal) and Awelmarduk (Ire) (Almutawakel {GB}). The mare's first foal, a **Frankel (GB)** colt named Fabrizio (GB), was bought by Godolphin for 300,000gns at this sale, while Oneliner paid 170,000gns for the Sea The Stars in December.

"We believe the cross has worked amazingly well and you can see both sides in the yearling," Lowry said. "There are three Group 1 winners under the second dam and the mother's first foal, a **Frankel** colt, was placed twice last year and unfortunately met with a setback in training with Charlie Appleby and hasn't run since."

"He's the type of animal we like to produce," Lowry added of the Sea The Stars. "He's a good and fluid-moving horse with a lot of power and substance about him."

Also going through the ring on Tuesday is **lot 130**, a full-brother to G1 Irish 2000 Guineas winner Phoenix Of Spain (Ire) (Lope De Vega {Ire}) secured for 300,000gns in December.

"He's an exciting animal to have," Lowry said. "That cross has worked very well because obviously he's a full-brother to a Classic winner, but the mare has produced three black-type horses by lesser stallions and they've been very highly rated. He's a lovely horse, typical of Lope De Vega in a lot of ways and he's going down very well."

Looking to get Wednesday off to a bright start for Oneliner will be **lot 181**, a **Frankel (GB)** half-brother to the Group 3-winning

and Group 1-placed Lily's Angel (Ire) (Dark Angel {Ire}) that the Lowrys secured for 360,000gns. Lowry wasn't hiding his admiration for the colt, saying, "He's just special. He's gorgeous. He has it all: looks, substance, movement and pedigree, being a half-brother to a filly that was placed in the G1 Matron S. Their other sister was fourth in the French Guineas, so the mare has produced two Group 1 horses, one rated 109 and one 110."

Looking to end things on a high note on Thursday will be **lot 484**, a **Camelot (GB)** colt purchased for 140,000gns. The family

was handed a Group 1 update in April when Juliet Foxtrot won the GI Jenny Wiley S. at Keeneland.

"It is the Dancing Brave champions' pedigree; a great Juddmonte page," Lowry said. "But we think the **Camelot/Oasis Dream** cross is incredible when you consider Sir Dragonet, the winner of the Cox Plate last year, was bred on the same cross."

Gerard's father Jimmy Lowry, who was busy showing the Oneliner colts at Park Paddocks on Monday, has some 45 years experience with horses, most of his involvement coming on the National Hunt side before a

health scare for the elder Lowry led to his family switching gears and focusing on a few top-end flat horses just a few years ago.

"Dad was 60 years of age and he had come into bad health; he got a condition called Lupus and had to pull back on his workload, so we went for lesser numbers and better quality," Lowry explained. "We had confidence in our own ability; we've been involved in the National Hunt side of the game, buying and pinhooking, and we felt it was the time to make the step up. My father wasn't getting any younger and he likes to be very hands-on with his animals." **Cont. p5**



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Lowry added, “He’s the horseman with 45 years experience in the industry; I’m just in the lucky position that I’m passionate about pedigrees and sales. I didn’t work in the industry, I came into it from outside and made my money elsewhere. We sold a Grade 1 winner over jumps and that gave us confidence. We’ve built up a lot of relationships with agents across Europe. A lot of them cross over [from National Hunt to flat], and it’s the same type of athlete and same type of animal; it’s all about movement and the athlete.

“The business model is to try to have a couple horses for Book 1 every year and for the other good sales, like Arqana and Goffs Orby, but as it fell this year we have them here in Book 1. We’ve been very lucky here.”

“The plan is to sell black-type horses and the dream would be to sell a Group 1 winner and hopefully a Classic winner, but they’re so hard to come by,” Lowry added. “There’s such a global market for stallions, we’re hoping to produce a future stallion.”

Beach Of An Update

When the Book 1 catalogue was released in early August, it was able to boast the siblings to 47 Group 1 and Classic winners. A few more have since been added to those ranks, with the latest update being for **lot 15**, Ballylinch Stud’s half-sister to

Saffron Beach (Ire) (New Bay {GB}), who continued her progression with a victory in Saturday’s G1 Sun Chariot S.

Like lot 15, who is by **Australia (GB)**, Saffron Beach was bred by China Horse Club and raised at Ballylinch’s sister farm Castlemartin Stud.

“Saffron Beach is obviously a very high-class filly,” said Ballylinch Managing Director John O’Connor. “She deserved to win a Group 1 and could win a few more. She’s a very progressive, high-quality filly.

“Her sister by Australia is a very attractive filly, very athletic. In some ways she is a little bit similar to Saffron Beach. She’s a great walker and she’s been very popular. I’d expect her to go really well.”

Ballylinch won’t have long to take in the result of Saffron Beach’s sister before it sends the brother to another Group 1 winner, a Lope De Vega (Ire) half-brother to G1 Irish 1000 Guineas winner Just The Judge (Ire) (Lawman {Fr}), through the ring as **lot 16**. The dam Faraday Light (Ire) (Rainbow Quest) has also produced the stakes-placed Obliterator (Ire) (Oratorio {Ire}), and her current 2-year-old Allayaali (Ire) (Dark Angel {Ire}) sold to Shadwell for €575,000 at Goffs November in 2019.

“He’s a big, powerful colt,” O’Connor said of lot 16. “He’s athletic with a big, big walk on him. He’s a high-class colt.”

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Ballylinch will look to end Tuesday’s trade on another high with another beautifully bred son of its star resident Lope De Vega, lot 142, a full-brother to Aunt Pearl (Ire) who Ballylinch sold here for 280,000gns to agents Liz Crow and Brad Weisbord before she went on to win the GI Breeders’ Cup Juvenile Fillies’ Turf at Keeneland in 2020. The dam, Matauri Pearl (Ire) (Hurricane Run {Ire}), had a Sea The Stars (Ire) filly sell for €450,000 at Arqana’s October Yearling Sale last year.

“He’s an exciting colt,” O’Connor said. “He’s a really attractive horse. Like Matauri Pearl, he’s a medium-sized horse as opposed to a real big one, but he has a lot of power and strength to him. He’s a very athletic horse, a great mover.”

O’Connor said the strong start to the sales season has been welcome after the volatility of the pandemic.



Ballylinch Stud’s Australia half-sister to Saffron Beach | Tattersalls

“It’s great to see,” he said. “I think the American interest in European horses is pretty substantial at the moment. There were plenty of Americans both last week at Goffs and here this week, and I think it makes sense because they’re having a lot of success on the turf over there, and it’s been reflected in increased interest. As a farm we’ve been very lucky with the horses that have gone to America from the farm; we’ve had three Breeders’ Cup winners so we’re pretty happy that when they go there they have a chance of doing well.”

Ballylinch offers 12 across the three days of Book 1.

“Honestly, I think we have a really even, high-quality draft this year,” O’Connor said. “It’s probably the best draft we’ve ever brought to Tattersalls.”

Book 1 of the Tattersalls October Yearling Sale begins at 11 a.m. on Tuesday, with many, many star-quality yearlings with internationally-appealing pedigrees by all of Europe’s leading sires, and some from further afield, set to be offered.

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Emma Balding Cont. from p1

"What we have tended to do over the last couple of years is that Tess and I try and get two days ahead of the game, and she starts one end, I start the other and, time allowing, we look at each other's short lists, and leave on or off," says Balding, whose success as a breeder and contribution to the bloodstock industry was recently recognised with the highest TBA award, the

Andrew Devonshire Bronze.

She continues, "Now, she and I have completely different eyes and Tess has spotted some really good horses. She just likes a different type, and she's done a lot more around the showing world, so there are things that she notices which I just don't notice. And equally, there are some things that I notice that she doesn't.

"We both have this fault that if we're blown away by something, we don't actually notice the faults. But then Andrew looks at our longer short lists and makes the short list, and he's far more looking at the page. We try to do it not looking at the page too much, but looking at the individual."

While Kingsclere is well populated with smart homebreds from large owner/breeders and some expensive purchases from elsewhere, it is notable that those yearlings selected by Balding and Hetherington are invariably relatively inexpensive purchases, even if they have emanated from the more select sales. The aforementioned Berkshire Shadow and Masekela cost a total of 70,000gns, from Tattersalls October Books 1 and 2 respectively. In previous *TDN* interviews, those horses' owners, Paul Spickett and Mick and Janice Mariscotti, have been fulsome in their praise for the part Emma Balding plays in finding their runners.

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"I had a very good mentor, which was Andrew's mum, who told me in no uncertain terms not to spend too much money," said Spickett at Royal Ascot after accepting the trophy for Berkshire Shadow's victory. The Balding team also bought Spickett's St Leger runner-up and listed winner Berkshire Rocco (Fr) (Sir Percy {GB}) for €50,000 from the Goffs Orby Sale.

The Mariscottis are enthusiastic participants at the sales alongside the Baldings, with recent purchases including the G2 Queen's Vase winner Dashing Willoughby (GB) (Nathaniel {Ire}) and G1 Caulfield Cup hopeful Le Don De Vie (GB) (Leroidesanimaux {Brz}), bought respectively for 70,000gns and 50,000gns. Both have subsequently been either sold or part-sold at a healthy profit to Australian connections, which Balding attests can be a huge advantage in the purchase of staying-bred yearlings.



Emma and Andrew Balding at the sales | Tattersalls

"There's also the secondhand value as jumpers. You've got it both ways really," she says.

Balding has plenty of praise for the work of others at the sales, pointing to the thorough job done by the team behind Peter and Ross Doyle, which includes Anna Doyle and Carol Tinkler. She also singles out Eve Johnson Houghton as being a particularly good judge of a horse.

She herself has no plans to take it easy when it comes to pounding the tiring sales beat, which she has enjoyed for decades, first alongside her husband Ian and later assisting her son.

"We were very lucky in the early days because Ian trained mostly homebreds and didn't have to buy many horses," she says. "But those he did, the owners very much wanted him to buy them. And fine, if you're used to using an agent, and Andrew is much, much better with agents than Ian was." **Cont. p9**

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Emma Balding Cont.

She says, "But people in the old days, they just said, 'This is the budget. I'd like to know what your short list is, but just go and do it'. And they never turned up at the sale. So you weren't having to try and explain to them why you liked something."

Balding continues, "Mick and Janice are great and they do more work on the catalogue probably, but both they and Paul allow you to put horses up to them and for you to justify why you've put them up rather than the other way around. And of course, that makes it so much easier. They don't mind first-season sires, they don't mind you buying horses that have got staying pedigrees. So it enables you to get the better bargains."

That lack of constraint is a freedom which some agents do not

have, as Balding acknowledges.

"I think it is difficult for agents," she says. "I'm hopeless in that I cannot look through the catalogue and turn down pages. Tess has been extremely instrumental in the last six or seven years but the only way I feel I'm doing reasonable work on the catalogue is to try and look at as many horses as I can. And they don't have to be big consignors, I don't mind first foals, I don't mind late foals. I don't mind so many different things, but I just cannot do that bit of turning down pages."

Even with an open mind and book, Balding has certain likes and dislikes, and is quick to stress the importance of temperament.

"Personally, I'm not a heavy shoulder person, and heavy shoulder, back of the knee is an absolute no-no for me," she explains. **Cont. p10**



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She adds, "But the thing that taught me the biggest lesson of the lot was going out to the Hong Kong international day many years ago now, and seeing all those Group 1 horses walking around in the morning, going out and doing whatever work they were doing, and seeing how few were perfect.

"And if you like something, forgive the fault. Mark Johnson's a great one for knowing what faults to forgive with his veterinary cap on. And you sort of know what can be trained on your own gallops. But it isn't an exact science, and anybody who pretends it is, is living on a different planet to me. There is so much luck involved."

She adds, "If they aren't too

doped, you can tell quite a bit about temperament, and you can tell their attitude when they are coming in and out of their box

and doing all the boring bits. You can still just tell what their mind is like. When you're rattling around, you're sort of always looking out the corner of your eye when you're moving onto the next one, to just see how the one you've just seen is going back in the box. And temperaments can come right but if they're upset by the sale, they're going to be upset the first time they go to the races, aren't they?"

As Balding speaks to *TDN* she has just completed the Tattersalls Ireland September Sale in Newmarket, at which the team from Kingsclere signed for 10 yearlings, and is preparing for a busy couple of weeks back in the town for the Tattersalls October Sale. **Cont. p11**



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"I absolutely love it," she says. "I don't mind going home before the actual sale starts, but the foraging I love, and just seeing the horses and the people. Some of them meet the horses at the sales, but quite a few of them have been with them for months and it is quite fun talking to them. I hate selling horses myself, absolutely hate it. So I really admire the personalities involved that don't mind doing it."

And she has a valid reason for continuing her trawling of the sales grounds in that it is vital in informing her decisions when it comes to the mating plans for her mares at Kingsclere Stud.

She notes, "I said to Andrew a few years ago, 'Please, please don't stop me looking, because it's the only way I can decide what stallions I'm going to use next year.' I think if you see the type they're producing you have a

little bit of an idea of what shape you want to go for, as well as temperaments, and the new stallions, and the third-season stallions, which are probably the ones I can afford as they have come down in price a bit. You're getting a bit of an idea of whether they're maintaining their stock or whether you do want to risk using them when they haven't quite hit the jackpot yet."

Balding has certainly done her homework well. She rarely uses expensive or obviously fashionable stallions, and in Ka Ying Star (GB) and Ranch Hand (GB) she has bred the top-rated runners by Cityscape (GB) and Dunaden (Fr), respectively. More notably and certainly satisfyingly, Kingsclere Stud has also bred the best runners by two former stars of the Kingsclere stable in the Group 1 winners Side Glance (GB) (Passing Glance {GB}) and Elm Park (GB) (Phoenix Reach {Ire}).

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Side Glance's sire was also a Group 2-winning Balding homebred whose first two dams and their sires Robellino and Mill Reef were also trained at Kingsclere.

Despite such success, and her service to breeding and racing as a trustee of the TBA and founder member of the Retraining of Racehorses charity, Balding still expresses some surprise at her recent prestigious award.

She says, "When I look at all the names on the bronze, I mean, those people have contributed so much to the industry. Kirsten [Raising] and going back to Nat Frieze, some amazing people. So I was unbelievably flattered."

Few in the business will disagree with the decision to bestow such an honour on Emma Balding, whose tireless work behind the scenes at home and on the sales beat continues to be a fundamental part of the success of the Kingsclere operation.

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NEW FACE, SAME PHILOSOPHIES FOR TOP TATTS VENDOR *By Kelsey Riley*

Newsells Park Stud has become one of the most steadfast sights of the Tattersalls October Yearling Sale—being, as it has, leading vendor at Book 1 for the past three years, and five of the

past eight years--and while many of the familiar faces behind the stud remain the same, it has in fact undergone some significant changes this year, with entrepreneur Graham Smith-Bernal having purchased Newsells Park in June from the Jacobs family.

Not that Newsells Park is new at all to Smith-Bernal—he had been a client of the stud for a handful of years, boarding his small broodmare band there before the opportunity came along to expand his bloodstock interests in a major way.

“Fortunately, Graham had enjoyed being an owner at Newsells because he decided to buy the stud when the opportunity came along,” said Newsells General Manager Julian Dollar. “That was very fortunate. He’s a very nice guy, he’s incredibly enthusiastic and passionate about it, which is so important.”

Newsells Park has a storied history that dates back to 1086, and the Newsells that we know today was incorporated by Klaus Jacobs in 2000. Jacobs’s German influence is still very much prevalent in the bloodstock that emanates from the stud today, and Dollar noted that Smith-Bernal and his wife, Marcela, have become fully immersed in the experience.

“Graham and Marcela have become enchanted with Newsells Park--the grounds, the paddocks and the land--and they’re spending a lot of time here, which is wonderful,” he said.

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“They really enjoy that additional benefit of the place; not just the horses and the fact that it’s a business, but they’re enjoying that it’s a beautiful place to live. They’ve really embraced the stud and everything about it,” Dollar added.

Smith-Bernal stressed in a *TDN interview* in June that he is not looking to reinvent the highly successful wheel when it comes to Newsells Park, but that he is keen to explore branching out into other areas, in particular breeding and racing partnerships.

“I know he is interested in partnerships and I think he has a lot of friends and acquaintances that have been investors with him along the way in his businesses, and they’re keen to support and they’re interested in racing and breeding,” Dollar said. “A lot of them have been to see Newsells and really enjoyed that. I think there is a possibility that will happen, but there is no firm deadline. It might happen this year, it might wait until next year.

“While Graham continues to get his feet under the desk and understand the place, things remain pretty much as before. He’ll gently tweak things as he goes along based on what he enjoys and what he’d like to see the stud do. He loves his racing and he’ll be around to enjoy his racing so there is maybe the possibility that we’ll be able to retain a couple more fillies than we have in the past. I think we all see partnerships as something quite important to the future, so I could see that happening and he’s enthusiastic to welcome friends, acquaintances and business investors into that.”

The first order of business, however, will be the Tattersalls October yearling sales, and for Book 1 alone Newsells Park brings 29 yearlings, 19 of which are siblings to stakes horses and 19 of which are out of stakes mares.

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The average **Golden Horn** is rated 87 by **Timeform** – that’s even higher than Galileo, Shamardal, Camelot, Montjeu, Teofilo, Oasis Dream and No Nay Never at the same stage of their careers.



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At the sales now...

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Newsells Park Cont.

Newsells’s commercial star during the past decade—a reputation that has been upheld by her progeny on the racecourse—has certainly been Shastye (Ire) (Danehill), the dam of Group 1 winners Japan (GB) (Galileo {Ire}) (1.3-million gns) and Mogul (GB) (Galileo {Ire}) (3.4-million gns), G2 Middleton S. winner and triple Oaks runner-up Secret Gesture (GB) (Galileo {Ire}), G3 International S. winner Sir Isaac Newton (GB) (Galileo {Ire}) (3.6-million gns) and listed winner Maurus (GB) (Medicean {GB}). Shastye’s current 2-year-old filly by Galileo (Ire), now named Skylark (GB), cost MV Magnier 3.4-million gns at Book 1 last year, and while the mare doesn’t have a yearling or foal of 2021, two of her daughters feature with yearlings in the Newsells consignment.

Dollar noted that 20-year-old Shastye was scanned in foal to Dubawi early in the season, and she has an important scan in the coming weeks.

“We have three daughters of Shastye, which is wonderful,” Dollar said. “Shastye is going to be checked next week; last year we scanned 95 mares on the stud for the Oct. 1 checks and 94 of them were in foal, so it was a bit sad that the one that wasn’t in foal was probably the most important mare that we have on the stud, Shastye. But she is, we hope, back in foal to Dubawi and I hope that we might get one, if not two, more babies out of her. She looks fantastic, she is getting on these days but she doesn’t look like an old mare—she looks 15, 16 tops. She looks great and I’m hopeful we could get one or two more.”

Lot 260 is a Lope De Vega (Ire) filly and the first foal out of Shastye’s daughter Secret Gaze, who cost Qatar Bloodstock 1.35-million gns at Book 1 in 2016. Secret Gaze didn’t make it to the racetrack, and her first foal is bred by Qatar Bloodstock in partnership with Newsells Park. [Cont. p15](#)



Lot 260, a Lope De Vega filly out of Secret Gaze | Tattersalls



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Tattersalls October Yearling Sale, Book 1

Colts

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221 Shamardal - Quariana [Lomitas] · 13.04.2020

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“Secret Gaze probably reminds me the most of Shastye,” Dollar said. “She had some problems in training as a 2-year-old and never really overcame those. This is her first foal, and there’s lots of mum and plenty of dad in her. People that have seen her on the farm seem to like her, and I like her; she has a good step to her and an honest way about her. She just wants to please and she’s been a delight to do anything with. But that’s the whole family.”

Following Secret Gaze’s filly through the ring as **lot 261** is a **Kingman (GB)** filly who is the third foal out of Secret Sense, a winning daughter of Shastye.

“Secret Sense is a proper, big Shamardal mare and this girl is rather magnificent,” Dollar said. “She has a great way about her, a great step to her and a great character.”

There will be few individuals at Park Paddocks on Thursday morning around 11 a.m. under as much pressure as Dollar will

be, as Newsells sends the first three lots of the day through the ring, and four of the first 10.

“It’s going to be a bit of a nightmare,” Dollar admitted, but, as far as nightmares go, even he would admit it is more of a

daydream considering the quality of those four yearlings. First up is **lot 336**, a Dubawi (Ire) half-sister to the 2019 G1 Prix de l’Arc de Triomphe winner and four-time Group 1 scorer Waldgeist (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) as well as the group winners Waldlied (GB) (New Approach {Ire}) and Waldkonig (GB) (**Kingman {GB}**) out of the G3 Prix Penelope scorer Waldlerche (GB) Monsun {Ger}). Waldlied’s first foal, a colt by **Kingman (GB)**, is next up as **lot 337**, while **lot 338** is a Sea The Stars (Ire) colt out of the German



Lot 336, the Dubawi filly out of Waldlerche | Tattersalls

listed winner Waldnah (GB) (New Approach {Ire}), who is a half-sister to Waldlerche. **Lot 346** is John and Tanya Gunther’s full-brother to G1 St James’s Palace S. winner and young Newsells sire Without Parole (GB) (**Frankel {GB}**). **Cont. p16**

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The three 'W' family yearlings are extra special to Newsells as they descend from Waldmark (Ger) (Mark Of Esteem {Ire}), who was bought as a foal by Klaus Jacobs and was the first horse he purchased for Newsells after buying the stud in 2000.

"It's nice for us now to have developed a couple generations of that family," Dollar said. "We haven't always had the opportunity to do that because we've been so commercial."

Newsells raced Waldlerche, the fifth foal out of the Classic-producing Waldmark, in partnership with Deitrich von Boetticher's Gestut Ammerland, and they too teamed up with Waldgeist, who was her first foal, and are co-breeders of the mare's Dubawi filly.

"What I think is so interesting about this mare is that every foal she produces has a bit of her and a bit of the stallion," Dollar said. "This filly is absolutely no exception. She's probably one of the stronger fillies that this mare has produced. She's very much Dubawi-- very strong, powerfully built, a very tidy model--and yet you have mum's colour, head, and a lot of mum's characteristics.

"She does have a very good mind; we know Waldlerche throws horses with very good temperaments, otherwise they wouldn't be good racehorses, and Dubawi is extraordinary for the temperament he passes on. We own her in partnership, but we felt we had to disperse the partnership; Dietrich wasn't particularly keen to race her because he might be cutting back a bit. We'll be there to support her; we're not going to let a filly like that just go, but she might be too valuable for us to race, unfortunately."

Waldlied is the second foal out of Waldlerche, and though her record reads well as the winner of the G2 Prix de Malleret in only four starts, Dollar said there is more than what meets the eye.



Lot 338, a Sea The Stars colt out Waldnah | Tattersalls

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"She won the Prix de Malleret but if you watch it she won it in a canter," Dollar said. "The jockey didn't move and she won by four or five lengths. I know Andre Fabre thought the world of her and he thought she was a filly we'd supplement to the Arc that year. We didn't because sadly she did a tendon and never came back from that."

Dollar admitted Waldlied's **Kingman** colt, likewise bred in partnership with Ammerland, will not be on the lists for those shopping for a Royal Ascot 2-year-old.

"This guy is a big, strong horse; he's magnificent," Dollar said. "I think he has some x-factor about him. He's not going to be winning a Royal Ascot 2-year-old race, that's for sure, but hopefully his future is more exciting than that as a 3-year-old.

"If you think about who is the best or the second-best son of **Kingman**, you'd have to say it's Persian King. We have Persian King's dam here and I know what Persian King looked like, and they're not dissimilar. He wouldn't be beautiful, but he's a rather fine, handsome horse and he has a great athletic step on him. To be fair, if I showed you the mare you'd understand the yearling a bit better. She's about 17 hands, she's very long and in deference to her--she is the most lovely person so I couldn't be rude about her-- but she doesn't have the prettiest noggin, as they'd say in America. She's the most lovely character you could ever deal with, but she's not pretty." **Cont. p17**

Newsells Park Cont.

Lot 338, the Sea The Stars colt out of Waldnah, has had a few important updates since the catalogue was printed; the mare's first two foals, both sons of Le Havre (Ire), have won, with the 2-year-old Wanees (GB) an exciting prospect for Shadwell, which bought him for 325,000gns at Tattersalls last year. Wanees broke his maiden at Ascot on Sept. 4 and followed up in a Salisbury novice race last Thursday.

"The Waldnah/Sea The Stars is a lovely horse," Dollar said. "They think quite a bit of the 2-year-old, Wanees, who is with Charlie Hills. We are very passionate about that family. We wanted to get a Le Havre filly out of the mare, we tried twice but we didn't get lucky. Sea The Stars is a mating we really wanted to try, too."

Dollar and the Newsells team won't have much time to digest the results of the 'W' yearlings before another of their big-ticket offerings enters the ring, the full-brother to Without Parole, who is the ninth foal out of the Gunthers' Without You Babe (Lemon Drop Kid), who has also produced the GI Breeders' Cup Dirt Mile winner and young sire Tamarkuz (**Speightstown**) as well as the American listed winner and Grade III-placed She's Got You (GB) (**Kingman {GB}**). Without You Babe's most recent progeny to see a sales ring was her 2018 Dubawi colt, who was bought by Kevin Ryan on behalf of Sheikh Mohammed Obaid for 1-million gns at this sale.

"He's just a beast," Dollar said of Without Parole's full-brother. "He's not as beautiful as Without Parole—Without Parole is just such a lovely looking horse. But he's magnificent. He's incredibly strong. He looks very much like an American turf horse. I'd be amazed if the guys coming over from the States didn't zoom in on him."



Without Parole's full-brother | Tattersalls



Lot 365, a Galileo filly out of Aljazzi | Tattersalls

Without Parole won the St James's Palace S. while unbeaten in 2018. He joined Chad Brown in the States as a 4-year-old and while he didn't manage to pick up another win, he did place in the GI Breeders' Cup Mile at four and the GI Shoemaker Mile and GI Shadwell Turf Mile at five despite meeting trouble in running on numerous occasions. He stood his first season at Newsells Park this year, covering just shy of 100 mares for £10,000 apiece.

"He's been well received, not really surprisingly," Dollar said. "He's a Group 1-winning miler by **Frankel**, who looks like he might be the horse to succeed Galileo, if any horse ever could really succeed Galileo."

Fifteen yearlings by Galileo grace Book 1, and Newsells Park offers a filly by the late, great champion sire (**lot 365**) who is the first foal out of the G2 Duke Of Cambridge and G3 Atalanta S. scorer Aljazzi (GB) (Shamardal), who Newsells bought for 1-million gns from the Tattersalls Autumn Horses-in-Training Sale of 2018.

"The Galileo filly is an absolute belter, she's just lovely," Dollar said. "She's beautifully balanced, walks beautifully and looks a real racehorse."

Dollar also nominated a Dubawi filly who is the first foal out of German Group 3 winner Peace In Motion (Hat Trick {Jpn}) as being "very special." **Cont. p18**



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Newsells Park Cont.

Newsells offers five fillies on behalf of Al Shahania Stud, including a Dubawi filly out of G2 Diana Trial winner Longina (Ger) (Monsun {Ger}) ([lot 127](#)), and a Siyouni (Fr) colt for that breeder out of G1 Cheveley Park S. winner and stakes producer Vorda (Fr) (Orpen) ([lot 333](#)).

“They’re exceptionally nice horses, a very strong, level bunch with a few extra special ones,” said Dollar of the draft. Referring to Newsells’s sale-topping filly out of Shastye last year, he added modestly, “I don’t have a 3.4-million guineas filly, but we have some lovely horses. I just hope they all go there in one piece and that there are enough people there that like them and want to buy them and that our clients are happy with the prices they make. It’s a nerve-wracking time and I’m always a bit anxious about these things, but I’m hopeful.”

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MAKER OF KINGS TAKES FLIGHT IN THE CONCORDE

Already established in this territory having won the G3 Amethyst S. at Leopardstown May 9, Newtown Anner Stud Farm’s **Maker of Kings (Ire)** (Zoffany {Ire}) defied a penalty in style in Monday’s G3 Coolmore **U S Navy Flag Concorde S.** at Tipperary.

Tracking the leader **Carrytheone (GB)** (Lope de Vega {Ire}) throughout the early stages, the 5-2 favourite was committed by Colin Keane with 1 1/2 furlongs remaining and powered clear for a 5 1/2-length success from that rival.

“He is very effective on that ground and has been a superstar for us all season,” Shane Lyons said. “This is his ground and as Colin says, he is probably better than a Group 3 horse on this ground. First and foremost, we’ll be speaking to his owner and making a plan but it’ll all be about next year because this lad is only improving with age.”



Maker of Kings | [Racingfotos.com](#)

Pedigree Notes

Maker of Kings, who was also a short-head second to Japan (GB) (Galileo {Ire}) in the nine-furlong G3 Meld S. at Leopardstown July 15 and fifth in the G2 Solonaway S. over a mile at that track on Irish Champions Day Sept. 11, is the first of two foals out of Desire Moi (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) who is a full-sister to the G1 Coronation S., G1 Yorkshire Oaks and G1 Matron S. heroine Lush Lashes (GB). Also a full-sibling of the listed scorer Claudio Monteverdi (Ire), her half-sister American Girl (Ire) (High Chaparral {Ire}) is the dam of the Listed Al Bastakiya winner and G3 UAE 2000 Guineas runner-up Emblem Storm ([English Channel](#)). She is also related to the G1 Deutsches Derby hero Buzzword (GB) (Pivotal {GB}) and the G1 Prix de l’Arc de Triomphe-winning sire Saumarez (GB) (Rainbow Quest).

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3rd Dam: Hilaris (GB), by **Arazi**

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2--**Carrytheone (GB)**, 133, g, 4, Lope de Vega (Ire)--Song of Passion (Ire), by Orpen. (50,000gns Ylg ‘18 TAOCT). O-Any Excuse For A Holiday Syndicate; B-Pevens Racing (GB); T-Johnny Murtagh. €11,000.

3--**Loughifuwant (Ire)**, 133, g, 6, Roderic O’Connor (Ire)--Red Fanfare (GB), by First Trump (GB). (€13,000 RNA Ylg ‘16 TIRSEP). O-Mrs E Keane & Mrs F Cumiskey; B-Gerry Cumiskey (IRE); T-Gerard Keane. €5,500.

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Also Ran: Casanova (GB), Emphatic Answer (Ire), Rocket Science (Ire), Loch Lein (Ire), Lunar Space (Ire), Forest of Dreams (Ire), Star In The Making (GB), Pretreville (Fr). Scratched: A Ma Chere (Ire), Snapraeterea (Ire). [Click for the Racing Post result or the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.](#)



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BREEDERS' CUP STILL UNDER CONSIDERATION FOR TARNAWA

Last year's GI Breeders' Cup Turf heroine **Tarnawa (Ire)** (Shamardal) has exited Sunday's G1 Qatar Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe in good order after running second to Torquator Tasso (Ger) (Adlerflug {Ger}), and her connections are still considering at run at the Breeders' Cup at Del Mar in November. The Dermot Weld trainee opened her campaign with a 6 1/2-length win in the G3 Ballyroan S. at Leopardstown on Aug. 5 and was second to St Mark's Basilica (Fr) (Siyouni {Fr}) in the G1 Irish Champion S. there on Sept. 11.

"Tarnawa is tired, but you'd have to be so proud of the effort she has put in," said Dermot Weld's son and assistant Kris of His Highness The Aga Khan's homebred. "She was in the form of her life, we knew that, and she represented us so well.

"Torquator Tasso's form was very good and was there for all to see. He wasn't running just because it was the Arc, and it was a very good renewal of the race. We'll see how she comes out of the race, and the Breeders' Cup is a distinct possibility, having won it last year. We'll take it one day at a time, and there is no talk about next year yet."

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PEARLS GALORE EYEING BREEDERS' CUP BID



Pearls Galore | Scoop Dyga

Pearls Galore (Fr) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}), beaten less than 2 1/2 lengths combined when second in the Sept. 11 G1 Matron S. and Oct. 3 G1 Prix de la Foret, is a potential candidate for Del Mar's

Breeders' Cup meeting in November. A dual Group 3 winner earlier this year in the G3 Brownstown S. at Fairyhouse on July 11 and the Aug. 26 G3 Fairy Bridge S. at Tipperary, the 4-year-old is a Haras de Saint Pair homebred.

"We were very happy with her. She ran a great race on ground that wasn't ideal for her," said trainer Paddy Twomey. "Take nothing away from the winner, who was very impressive on the day, but she ran a great race. She's a tough filly, and we're pleased with her."

"We'll see how she is in the next week to 10 days. America is a live option for her at the minute. She'll like fast ground and a tight track with a bend there. We'll have a look at the options but we certainly wouldn't rule the Breeders' Cup out."

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STRAIGHT ANSWER SUPPLEMENTED TO DEWHURST



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Undefeated Juddmonte homebred **Straight Answer (GB)** (Kodiac {GB}) has been supplemented to the Oct. 9 Darley Dewhurst S. at Newmarket. His addition brings the potential field to 12, after winning at The Curragh when unveiled on Aug. 21 and the Listed Ballyhane Blenheim S. at Fairyhouse on Sept. 20. The Ger Lyons-trained colt will possibly face G1 Goffs Vincent O'Brien National S. hero **Native Trail (GB)** (**Oasis Dream {GB}**) for the Charlie Appleby/Godolphin axis, and Sunday's G1 Qatar Prix Jean-Luc Lagardere one-two **Angel Bleu (Fr)** (Dark Angel {Ire}) and **Noble Truth (Fr)** (**Kingman {GB}**) among others.

Juddmonte Racing Manager Barry Mahon said, "He's a big, scopey horse and took a bit of time to come to hand, but he's two from two and won nicely on his last start.

"While this is a very big ask, we just thought it was worth a go as it will further his education for next year to put him in Group 1 company." **Cont. p20**

Straight Answer Cont.

He added, "Part of the reason we supplemented was the weather forecast, it looks set fair and he's a horse that wants good ground. That would be our preference, so hopefully we don't get any nasty surprises with the weather.

"This is a big step from a listed at Fairyhouse to a Group 1 and it's his first try over seven furlongs, so there's a lot of variables, but we are excited to see if he can step up to that level."

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FIRST-SEASON SIRE WITH RUNNERS

Tuesday, Oct. 5, 2021:

UNITED KINGDOM

Aclaim (Ire) (Acclamation {GB}), The National Stud

115 foals of racing age/16 winners/0 black-type winners

13:30-BRIGHTON, 7f, Mystery Monarch (GB)

11,000gns Tattersalls December Yearling Sale 2020

18:00-KEMPTON PARK, 7f, Smooth Talking (GB)

€9,000 RNA Goffs UK Premier Yearling Sale 2020

Almanzor (Fr) (Wootton Bassett {GB}), Haras d'Etream

106 foals of racing age/5 winners/0 black-type winners

17:30-KEMPTON PARK, 7f, At The Double (Fr)

€92,000 Arqana December Breeding Stock Sale 2019 - English

Version; 85,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 1)

2020

Ardad (Ire) (Kodiac {GB}), Overbury Stud

91 foals of racing age/18 winners/2 black-type winners

13:00-BRIGHTON, 7f, Ardita (GB)

£1,500 Goffs UK Autumn Sale 2020

18:00-KEMPTON PARK, 7f, Argirl (GB)

7,500gns RNA Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2019

13:00-BRIGHTON, 7f, Sport Mode (GB)

7,000gns Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2019; £13,000 Goffs

Sportsman's Yearling Sale 2020

Churchill (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}), Coolmore Stud

146 foals of racing age/19 winners/3 black-type winners

18:00-KEMPTON PARK, 7f, Copperknob (Ire)

€48,720 Arqana Deauville 2yo Breeze Up 2021

18:00-KEMPTON PARK, 7f, Pneumatic (GB)

19:30-KEMPTON PARK, 8f, Victory (Ire)

57,000gns Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2019; 45,000gns RNA

Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 1) 2020

Decorated Knight (GB) (Galileo {Ire}), Irish National Stud

46 foals of racing age/5 winners/0 black-type winners

19:30-KEMPTON PARK, 8f, Knight Rider (Ire)

€66,000 Goffs November Foals Sale 2019; 35,000gns Tattersalls

October Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2020; £23,100 Tattersalls July

Sale 2021

Divine Prophet (Aus) (Choisir {Aus}), Tara Stud

29 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners

19:30-KEMPTON PARK, 8f, Cabrakan (Ire)

€22,000 Goffs November Foals Sale 2019; £20,000 RNA Goffs

UK Premier Yearling Sale 2020; £48,000 Goffs UK 2yo Breeze Up

Sale 2021

Galileo Gold (GB) (Paco Boy {Ire}), Tally-Ho Stud

109 foals of racing age/16 winners/3 black-type winners

18:00-KEMPTON PARK, 7f, Marsh Benham (Ire)

€24,000 Goffs November Foals Sale 2019; £25,000 Goffs UK

Premier Yearling Sale 2020

17:30-KEMPTON PARK, 7f, Night Glass (Ire)

£45,000 Tattersalls Ireland September Yearling 2020

19:30-KEMPTON PARK, 8f, Uncs (Ire)

£25,000 Tattersalls Ireland September Yearling 2020

Highland Reel (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}), Coolmore Stud

136 foals of racing age/8 winners/0 black-type winners

19:30-KEMPTON PARK, 8f, Reelemine (GB)

18,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2020

Mondialiste (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}), Haras d'Annebault

47 foals of racing age/3 winners/0 black-type winners

18:00-KEMPTON PARK, 7f, Trans Montana (GB)

Postponed (Ire) (Dubawi {Ire}), Dalham Hall Stud

78 foals of racing age/2 winners/0 black-type winners

15:15-BRIGHTON, 8f, Desert Miracle (GB)

12,000gns RNA Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 3) 2020;

£15,000 Goffs UK 2yo Breeze Up Sale 2021; £11,550 Tattersalls

August Horses-in-Training Sale 2021

17:30-KEMPTON PARK, 7f, Night of Luxury (GB)

Profitable (Ire) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}), Kildangan Stud

130 foals of racing age/24 winners/2 black-type winners

13:00-BRIGHTON, 7f, Hen Harrier (Ire)

£15,000 Tattersalls Ireland September Yearling 2020

Ulysses (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}), Cheveley Park Stud

87 foals of racing age/10 winners/0 black-type winners

13:37-LEICESTER, 8.25f, Argonaut (GB)

18:00-KEMPTON PARK, 7f, Odisseo (GB)

30,000gns Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2019; 26,000gns

Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2020

Zelzal (Fr) (Sea The Stars {Ire}), Haras de Bouquetot

57 foals of racing age/6 winners/0 black-type winners

19:30-KEMPTON PARK, 8f, Shabbab (Fr)

€23,000 Arqana Deauville October Yearlings 2020



Zarak, who sired his first Group 1 horse with Times Square (Fr)'s second in the G1 Prix Marcel Boussac on Sunday, has a runner at Chantilly on Tuesday. | *The Aga Khan Studs*

FRANCE

Almanzor (Fr) (Wootton Bassett {GB}), Haras d'Etremham
106 foals of racing age/5 winners/0 black-type winners
3-CHANTILLY, 1800m, Athabaskan (Fr)

Al Wukair (Ire) (Dream Ahead), Haras de Bouquetot
74 foals of racing age/8 winners/0 black-type winners
2-NANTES, 1400m, Jiskaya (Fr)
4-CHANTILLY, 1200m, Yellow Curry (Fr)
€11,000 Arqana Deauville October Yearlings 2020

Birchwood (Ire) (Dark Angel {Ire}), Haras de la Huderie
59 foals of racing age/6 winners/0 black-type winners
4-CHANTILLY, 1200m, Jazzy Wood (Fr)
€4,500 Arqana December Breeding Stock Sale 2019 - English Version
4-CHANTILLY, 1200m, Loliwood (Fr)

Caravaggio (Scat Daddy), Coolmore Ashford
155 foals of racing age/20 winners/4 black-type winners
2-NANTES, 1400m, Spanish Cara (Fr)
€30,000 Arqana Deauville October Yearlings 2020

Cotai Glory (GB) (Exceed And Excel {Aus}), Tally-Ho Stud
126 foals of racing age/31 winners/1 black-type winner
4-CHANTILLY, 1200m, Dream Queen (Ire)

Ivanhowe (Ger) (Soldier Hollow {GB}), Haras de Cercy
26 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners
2-NANTES, 1400m, Menthanowe (Fr)

Profitable (Ire) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}), Kildangan Stud
130 foals of racing age/24 winners/2 black-type winners
4-CHANTILLY, 1200m, Invincible Dani (Ire)

£3,000 RNA Goffs Sportsman's Yearling Sale 2020; €30,000 RNA Arqana Deauville Summer Mixed Sale 2021

Recorder (GB) (Galileo {Ire}), Haras de Montfort & Preaux
110 foals of racing age/5 winners/0 black-type winners
2-NANTES, 1400m, Everqueen (Fr)
1-NANTES, 1400m, Maquignon (Fr)
€1,500 RNA Arqana Deauville Autumn Flat Yearling Sale 2020

Zarak (Fr) (Dubawi {Ire}), Haras de Bonneval
84 foals of racing age/5 winners/0 black-type winners
3-CHANTILLY, 1800m, Haya Zark (Fr)

OBSERVATIONS

on the European racing scene

GODOLPHIN NEWBLOODS INTRIGUE ON TUESDAY

1.37 Leicester, Novice, £10,000, 2yo, 8f 53yT

PERSEUS WAY (IRE) (Sea the Stars {Ire}) is one of two notable Godolphin newcomers on the day, being out of a half-sister to this year's G1 2000 Guineas runner-up Master of the Seas (Ire) (Dubawi {Ire}) and to the smart Latharnach (Iffraaj {GB}) and Falls of Lora (Ire) (Street Cry {Ire}). Charlie Appleby has charge of the March-foaled chestnut, who encounters The Eclipse Partnership's fellow newcomer **Elena's Gift (GB)** (Frankel {GB}), a Ralph Beckett-trained half-sister to the G1 Prix Morny and G1 Middle Park S. hero Reckless Abandon (GB) (Exchange Rate), the smart Best Approach (GB) (New Approach {Ire}) and this year's G3 Prix Paul de Moussac winner Erasmo (GB) (Oasis Dream {GB}).

5.30 Kempton, Mdn, £6,800, 2yo, 7f (AWT)

SENSE OF POWER (IRE) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}) is the second debutante from Godolphin's Charlie Appleby stable to fire the imagination on the afternoon, being a €330,000 Goffs November Foal graduate whose dam is a half to the GIII Appleton S. winner and promoted GI Gulfstream Park Turf H. second All Included (Include) and the GII Honeymoon Handicap S. scorer Sarach (Arch). He encounters Shadwell's debut fifth **Laasudood (War Front)**, a Sir Michael Stoute-trained son of the GI Breeders' Cup Filly & Mare Turf and GI Flower Bowl Invitational heroine Lahudood (GB) (Singspiel {Ire}) whose half-sister Aghareed (Kingmambo) has produced the Sea the Stars (Ire) duo of Baaeed (GB) and Hukum (Ire).

BRITAIN

Monday's Results:

1st-Pontefract, £10,100, Nov, 10-4, 2yo, 10f 5yT, 2:16.37, sf.
DILLIAN (IRE) (c, 2, Camelot {GB}--Debdebdeb {GB}, by Teofilo {Ire}), who ran fourth to subsequent G2 Royal Lodge S. runner-up Coroebus (Ire) (Dubawi {Ire}) in his Aug. 13 debut over one mile at Newmarket last time, shadowed the pace in second for the most part here. Sent ahead on the home turn, the 4-6 favourite kicked clear approaching the final furlong and extended his advantage under minimal urging in the closing stages to stop the clock with a geared-down 4 1/4-length buffer back to Auntie Margaret (Fr) (Kendargent {Fr}). Dillian is the first of three foals produced by a multiple-winning half-sister to the dams of Listed Criterium de l'Ouest victor Paint Island (Ire) (Zoffany {Ire}) and G2 Richmond S. runner-up The Paddyman (Ire) (Giant's Causeway). The March-foaled bay, who hails from the family of MG1SW sire Pentire (GB) (Be My Guest) and G1SW sire Konigstiger (Ger) (Tiger Hill {Ire}), is kin to a yearling filly by Mastercraftsman (Ire) and a weanling colt by Walk in the Park (Ire). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$8,280.
 O/B-Dermot Hanafin (IRE); T-Michael Bell.

3rd-Lingfield, £7,000, Nov, 10-4, 2yo, 8f 1y (AWT), 1:37.09, st.
NATIONS PRIDE (IRE) (c, 2, Teofilo {Ire}--Important Time {Ire} {SW-Ger}, by Oasis Dream {GB}), who posted a 2 1/2-length debut second going a shade over seven furlongs in a Sept. 15 Great Yarmouth maiden last time, was within striking distance of the leaders in fourth through the early fractions of this all-weather bow. Sent forward to join the leaders four-wide off the home turn, the 1-3 lock quickened smartly to seize control passing the furlong marker and surged clear in the latter stages to easily outpoint Luis Fernando (Ire) (Australia {GB}) by 4 3/4 lengths. Nations Pride, half to a weanling filly by Dark Angel (Ire), is the third of four foals and second scorer from as many runners out of Listed Kolner Stutenpreis victrix Important Time (Ire) (Oasis Dream {GB}). The April-foaled bay shares his G1 Prix de l'Opera-winning second dam Satwa Queen (Fr) (Muhtathir {GB}), herself a half-sister to G1SW sire Spadoun (Fr) (Kaldoun {Fr}), with last term's G1 Phoenix S. hero and this term's G1 2000 Guineas and G1 St James's Palace S. placegetter Lucky Vega (Ire) (Lope de Vega {Ire}). Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$8,626.
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 O/B-Godolphin (IRE); T-Charlie Appleby.

6th-Lingfield, £6,800, Mdn, 10-4, 3yo/up, 6f 1y (AWT), 1:10.59, st.
TARHIB (IRE) (f, 3, Dark Angel {Ire}--Allez Alaia {Ire}, by Pivotal {GB}), not seen since finishing runner-up on debut over seven

furlongs at Newmarket last October, raced in fourth early. Picking up stylishly in pursuit of Shobiz (GB) (Showcasing {GB}) turning for home, the 4-5 favourite reeled in that rival with the minimum of effort passing the furlong pole and was comfortably in command at the line to beat him by 2 1/2 lengths. Not surprisingly causing a stir at the 2019 Book 1 when selling for 1.05million gns, the winner is out of an unraced full-sister to the G1 Irish 1000 Guineas, G1 Sun Chariot S. and G1 Nassau S. heroine Halfway to Heaven (Ire). She was handed the title of Broodmare of the Year in 2018 courtesy of the exploits of her Group 1-winning daughters of Galileo (Ire), Magical (Ire) and Rhododendron (Ire). Also related to the GI Rodeo Drive S. heroine Photo Call (Ire) by Coolmore's late great, the daughter of Cassandra Go (Ire) (Indian Ridge {Ire}) has a colt by Galileo selling during Thursday's session of Book 1. Sales history: 1,050,000gns Ylg '19 TATOCT. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$6,974.

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O-Shadwell Estate Company Ltd; B-T Stewart (IRE); T-William Haggas.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Tiempo Star (GB), c, 2, Time Test (GB)--Tanaasub (Ire), by Lope de Vega (Ire). Lingfield, 10-4, 8f 1y (AWT), 1:35.83. B-Dachel Stud (GB). *8th winner for freshman sire (by Dubawi {Ire}). **10,000gns Wlg '19 TATFOA; 11,000gns RNA Ylg '20 TAOCT; 42,000gns 2yo '21 TATGNS.

Seixas (Ire), f, 3, Footstepsinthesand (GB)--Miss Brazil (Ire), by Exceed and Excel (Aus). Wolverhampton, 10-4, 5f 21y (AWT), 1:00.94. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$4,760. B-Old Carhue Stud (IRE). *£50,000 2yo '20 TTIGOR. **Full to Elaire Noire (Ire), MSW & GSP-Ity.

Indefatigable (Ire), m, 8, Schiaparelli (Ger)--Spin the Wheel (Ire), by Kalanisi (Ire). Pontefract, 10-4, 12f 5yT, 2:47.66. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, £7,830. B-John O'Connor (IRE).

IRELAND

Monday's Results:

1st-Tipperary, €14,000, Mdn, 10-4, 2yo, 9fT, 2:07.63, sf/hy.
ENTHRALLMENT (IRE) (c, 2, Fastnet Rock {Aus}--Magen's Star {Ire}, by Galileo {Ire}), an Aug. 27 first-up fifth tackling one mile at The Curragh in his only prior outing, recovered from a sluggish getaway to occupy a slot along the rail in mid division. Scrubbed along rounding the home turn, the 7-2 chance appeared held in fifth approaching the eighth pole and found plenty under an all-out drive in the closing stages to deny Zoffman (Ire) (Zoffany {Ire}) by 3/4-of-a-length nearing the line.

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1st-Tipperary Cont.

“He is a lovely horse and, hopefully, he has the makings of a nice staying 3-year-old,” said Kris Weld. “He ran well in the Curragh first time out and has come here today and done that nicely. Chris [Hayes] has ridden him very, very well. The [Oct. 23 G3] Eyrefield S. [over nine furlongs at Leopardstown] will be a distinct possibility and we’ll see how he comes out of this.” Enthralment is the sixth of seven foals and fourth scorer from as many runners produced by a multiple-winning half to the dam of MG1SW G1 St Leger heroine Simple Verse (Ire) (Duke of Marmalade {Ire}), G2 Ribblesdale S. winner Even Song (Ire) (Mastercraftsman {Ire}) and G2 Superlative S. third Maxentius (Ire) (**Holy Roman Emperor {Ire}**). The March-foaled bay is full to a yearling colt and a half to Listed Bluebell S. and Listed Lenebane S. victrix Red Stars (Ire) (Manduro {Ger}). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$10,131. O-Newtown Anner Stud Farm Ltd; B-Maurice Regan (IRE); T-Dermot Weld.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Swift Flight (Fr), c, 3, **Fast Company (Ire)**--Justice Angel (Ire), by Dark Angel (Ire). Tipperary, 10-4, 5fT, 1:03.20. Lifetime Record: 8-1-1-2, \$14,911. B-Robert Ng (FR).

Ahandfulofsummers (Ire), f, 3, **Galileo (Ire)**--Scream Blue Murder (Ire) (GSW-Ire, SW-Eng, \$139,482), by Oratorio (Ire). Tipperary, 10-4, 9fT, 2:06.87. Lifetime Record: GSP-Ire, 9-1-2-2, \$32,692. B-Coolmore & Drakenstein Stud Pty Ltd (IRE). *1/2 to Too Soon To Panic (IRE) (**Gleneagles (IRE)**), SW & GSP-Ire.

FRANCE

Monday's Results:

PRIX PANACEE - FONDS EUROPEEN DE L'ELEVAGE-Listed, €52,000, Toulouse, 10-4, 3yo/up, f/m, 12fT, 2:29.80, vs.
1--RUMBLES OF THUNDER (IRE), 125, f, 3, Night of Thunder (Ire)--Blanche Neige (GB), by Halling. (€77,000 Wlg '18 GOFNOV; 425,000gns Ylg '19 TAOCT; 100,000gns RNA 2yo '20 TATJUN). O-Matthew Coleman; B-F Killen (IRE); T-Jerome Reynier; J-Eddy Hardouin. €26,000. Lifetime Record: SW-Ity, 5-3-0-0, €54,375.
2--Frankel's Magic (Fr), 127, f, 4, **Frankel (GB)**--Global Magic (Ger), by Lando (Ger). (1,150,000gns RNA Ylg '18 TAOCT). O/B-Rashit Shaykhtudinov (FR); T-Frederic Rossi. €10,400.
3--Agua (Fr), 127, m, 5, **Holy Roman Emperor (Ire)**--Andromeda Galaxy (Fr), by Peintre Celebre. (€160,000 Wlg '16 GOFNOV;

€200,000 RNA Ylg '17 ARQAUG). O-Serge Boucheron; B-Dayton Investments Limited (FR); T-Francois Rohaut. €7,800. Margins: 1, 2HF, 3/4. Odds: 13.50, 3.50, 23.00. Also Ran: Holly Golightly (Ire), Weetamoo (Ire), Savannah Spirit (GB), Omnia Munda Mundis (GB), Lingering Dream (GB), Forever Be (Ire), Quickstep Girl (Ire), Georgia (Fr). Scratched: Bellaciaocio (Fr).

Already successful at this level when capturing the Aug. 22 Listed Premio Merano over 11 furlongs, Rumbles of Thunder was in deeper here but had the right material to make the leap forward and continue her ascent as the autumn rolls on. Restrained in mid-division against the rail early, the chestnut made her advance late in the piece but once switched off the fence inside the final furlong had the class to overwhelm **Frankel's Magic** with 75 metres remaining.

The winner is the first foal out of the dam, whose 2-year-old filly Jersey Rose (Ire) (Profitable {Ire}) has proven a useful runner for the David O'Meara stable. She is a daughter of the G2 Prix de Malleret and G3 Prix de Royaumont-placed White Star (Ire) (Darshaan {GB}), whose progeny include the G3 Prix de la Grotte scorer and G1 Prix de Diane and G1 Prix Vermeille runner-up Musis Amica (Ire) (**Dawn Approach {Ire}**) and the G2 Prix Eugene Adam winner Harland (GB) (Halling). The third dam is the G1 Alabama S., G1 Kentucky Oaks and G1 Delaware Oaks heroine White Star Line (Northern Dancer) whose several high-class descendants include the G1 Moyglare Stud S. winner Preseli (Ire) (Caerleon) and the G1 Deutsches Derby hero Dai Jin (GB) (Peintre Celebre). Blanche Neige also has the yearling colt Sopran Alpeggio (Ire) (**Dawn Approach {Ire}**) and a 2021 full-brother to Rumbles of Thunder. **Click for the [Racing Post result](#). [Video](#), sponsored by TVG.**

4th-Fontainebleau, €23,000, Cond, 10-4, 3yo, 11fT, 2:21.65, vsf.

MAGIC HOUR (IRE) (f, 3, Galileo {Ire})--Aleagueoftheirown {Ire} {Hwt. Older Mare-Ire at 5-6.5f & SP-Ire}, by Danehill Dancer {Ire}, knocked down for €2.2-million at Goffs' 2019 Orby sale, had failed to score in five prior starts and went postward for this returning off an Aug. 6 sixth over 12 furlongs at Clairefontaine. Settled behind the leaders in fifth through halfway, the 12-5 favourite made smooth headway on a tight rein in the straight to launch her bid passing the two pole and stayed on resolutely under a final-furlong drive to prevail by a neck from Panthere (GB) (Sea the Stars {Ire}). Magic Hour is the latest of eight foals, all by Galileo (Ire), and becomes the sixth scorer produced by Listed Sweet Mimosa S. runner-up Aleagueoftheirown (Ire) (Danehill Dancer {Ire}), herself the leading performer out of a full-sister to G1 Coronation S. victrix Golden Opinion (Slew o' Gold). **Cont. p24**



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4th-Fontainebleau Cont.

The May-foaled bay is a full-sister to five black-type performers headed by G1 Falmouth S., G1 Matron S. and G1 Sun Chariot S. heroine Alice Springs (Ire). Sales history: €2,200,000 Ylg '19 GOFOR. Lifetime Record: 6-1-1-1, €25,320. **Video, sponsored by TVG.** O-Westerberg; B-Lynch-Bages Ltd & Longfield Stud (IRE); T-Andre Fabre.

CONDITIONS RESULTS:

1st-Fontainebleau, €31,000, Cond, 10-4, 3yo, 6fT, 1:09.46, vsf.

REINA MADRE (IRE) (f, 3, Kingman {GB}--Splashdown {GB} {SW-Eng}, by Falbrav {Ire}) Lifetime Record: Ch. 2yo Filly-Spa & GSW-Fr, 9-3-3-0, €91,600. O-Yeguada Centurion SLU; B-Paddy Burns (IRE); T-Mauricio Delcher Sanchez. *€350,000 Wlg '19 GOFNOV. **1/2 to Aktabantay (GB) (Oasis Dream {GB}), GSW-Eng, \$383,617.



IN JAPAN:

Blue Spirit (Ire), c, 3, Invincible Spirit (Ire)--Jasmine Blue (Ire) (SP-Eng), by Galileo (Ire). Chukyo, 10-2, Plate Race, 7fT. Lifetime Record: 5-3-0-0, \$318,288. O-Godolphin; B-Deerpark Stud & Irish National Stud (Ire); T-Mitsumasa Nakauchida. *200,000gns Wlg '18 TATNOV.

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Leading General Sires by YTD Earnings

for stallions standing in Europe through Sunday, Oct. 3

Earnings represent European figures, NH-born progeny, 50 or more foals, stud fees listed are 2021 fees.

Rank	Stallion	BTW	BTH	GSW	GSH	G1SW	G1SH	Starters	Wnrs	Highest Earner	Earnings
1	Frankel (GB) <i>(2008) by Galileo (Ire) FYR: 2014 Crops: 6 Stands: Banstead Manor Stud Eng Fee: £175,000 Hurricane Lane (Ire)</i>	23	45	11	31	5	8	207	106	1,916,068	6,857,270
2	Galileo (Ire) <i>(1998) by Sadler's Wells FYR: 2003 Crops: 17 Stands: Coolmore Stud EUR (Dead) Divinely (Ire)</i>	20	53	15	41	4	13	209	65	727,249	5,169,388
3	Sea the Stars (Ire) <i>(2006) by Cape Cross (Ire) FYR: 2011 Crops: 9 Stands: Gilltown Stud Ire Fee: €150,000 Mojo Star (Ire)</i>	21	36	14	28	2	7	197	99	429,752	4,430,971
4	Siyouni (Fr) <i>(2007) by Pivotal (GB) FYR: 2012 Crops: 8 Stands: Haras de Bonneval Fr Fee: €140,000 St Mark's Basilica (Fr)</i>	13	30	6	18	1	3	255	92	1,858,832	4,317,175
5	Dubawi (Ire) <i>(2002) by Dubai Millennium (GB) FYR: 2007 Crops: 13 Stands: Dalham Hall Stud Eng Fee: £250,000 Space Blues (Ire)</i>	31	50	20	33	3	8	205	104	301,655	4,087,377
6	Adlerflug (Ger) <i>(2004) by In the Wings (GB) FYR: 2011 Crops: 9 Stands: Gestut Schlenderhan EUR (Dead) Torquator Tasso (Ger)</i>	7	17	4	11	1	3	78	34	2,578,511	3,838,708
7	Dark Angel (Ire) <i>(2005) by Acclamation (GB) FYR: 2009 Crops: 11 Stands: Yeomanstown Stud Ire Fee: €60,000 Angel Bleu (Fr)</i>	19	35	11	19	3	7	337	134	304,131	3,702,906
8	Lope de Vega (Ire) <i>(2007) by Shamardal FYR: 2012 Crops: 8 Stands: Ballylinch Stud Ire Fee: €125,000 Duhail (Ire)</i>	15	36	8	23	--	5	265	108	185,828	3,347,175
9	Kingman (GB) <i>(2011) by Invincible Spirit (Ire) FYR: 2016 Crops: 4 Stands: Banstead Manor Stud Eng Fee: £150,000 Palace Pier (GB)</i>	17	26	12	19	3	5	175	71	949,642	2,825,064
10	Zoffany (Ire) <i>(2008) by Dansili (GB) FYR: 2013 Crops: 7 Stands: Coolmore Stud EUR (Dead) Mother Earth (Ire)</i>	12	21	8	16	1	2	283	98	626,761	2,769,355
11	Shamardal <i>(2002) by Giant's Causeway FYR: 2007 Crops: 14 Stands: Kildangan Stud EUR (Dead) Tarnawa (Ire)</i>	12	21	8	14	1	4	112	58	1,165,937	2,756,057
12	Wootton Bassett (GB) <i>(2008) by Iffraaj (GB) FYR: 2013 Crops: 7 Stands: Coolmore Stud Ire Fee: €100,000 Zellie (Fr)</i>	11	23	7	15	2	6	153	65	274,917	2,633,915
13	Australia (GB) <i>(2011) by Galileo (Ire) FYR: 2016 Crops: 4 Stands: Coolmore Stud Ire Fee: €25,000 Broome (Ire)</i>	10	21	8	14	2	6	152	57	446,677	2,537,682
14	Kodiac (GB) <i>(2001) by Danehill FYR: 2008 Crops: 12 Stands: Tally-Ho Stud Ire Fee: €65,000 Campanelle (Ire)</i>	11	24	5	15	1	1	364	136	198,485	2,472,997
15	Le Havre (Ire) <i>(2006) by Noverre FYR: 2011 Crops: 9 Stands: Haras de Montfort & Preaux Fr Fee: €40,000 Wonderful Tonight (Fr)</i>	9	16	3	12	--	1	179	80	282,306	2,441,425



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Tattersalls October Yearling Sale Book 1, Day 1

<u>Lot</u>	<u>Sex</u>	<u>Pedigree</u>	<u>Price</u>	<u>Prev Sale</u>	<u>Buyer/Agent</u>
5	c	Night of Thunder x Elis Eliz	75,000	TATDEC	Culworth Grounds Farm
12	f	Exceed And Excel x Estiqama	38,000	GOFNOV	KFK BS
19	c	Harry Angel x Fatanah	23,000	TATDEC	BBA Ireland
21	f	Lope de Vega x Federation	70,000	TATDEC	Deston BS
22	f	Zoustar x Felissa	50,000	TATDEC	Good Will BS
26	c	Kodiac x Fine If	110,000	TATDEC	Tally-Ho Stud
30	c	Showcasing x Flower Fashion	105,000	TATDEC	Margaret O'Toole
40	f	Starspangledbanner x Gadalka	30,000	GOFNOV	Stroud Coleman BS (P.S.)
44	c	Invincible Spirit x Gender Dance	120,000	GOFNOV	Lynn Lodge Stud
59	c	Lope de Vega x Hibiscus	220,000	TATDEC	Yeomanstown Stud
66	f	Invincible Spirit x Hypothetically	140,000	TATDEC	Atlas BS / WH BS
68	c	Churchill x Ihtifal	92,000	TATDEC	Yeomanstown Stud
69	f	Mastercraftsman x Il Palazzo	120,000	TATDEC	Peter & Ross Doyle BS
73	c	Exceed And Excel x Indigo Butterfly	100,000	GOFNOV	Camas Park Stud
80	c	Le Havre x Isanous	100,000	TATDEC	Yeomanstown Stud
85	f	Oasis Dream x Jedi Princess	70,000	TATDEC	Yeomanstown Stud
98	f	Ribchester x Key Light	17,000	TATDEC	Kilbride Equine
103	f	Night of Thunder x La Chapelle	52,000	TATDEC	Paula Flannery
105	c	Sea The Stars x La Mortola	170,000	TATDEC	Oneliner Stables
110	f	No Nay Never x Lady Ederle	260,000	GOFNOV	Stauffenberg BS
111	c	Zoffany x Lady Gorgeous	235,000	TATDEC	Joseph O'Brien
113	f	Expert Eye x Lady Livius	180,000	GOFNOV	Yeomanstown Stud
120	f	Nathaniel x Le Badie	28,000	TATDEC	JC BS
125	f	No Nay Never x Llew Law	47,500	TATDEC	Theta Holding 1
126	f	Dark Angel x Lolwah	130,000	TATDEC	Manister House Stud
129	c	Wootton Bassett x Love On My Mind	31,000	ARQDEC	Stroud Coleman BS
130	c	Lope de Vega x Lucky Clio	300,000	TATDEC	Oneliner Stables
167	c	Siyouni x Moonvoy	80,000	TATDEC	Vendor

*Information sourced from Weatherbys. **Price is in currency of sale sold at.



INTERNATIONAL INVESTMENT EXPECTED AT TATTS



Zoustar's first NH yearlings are selling this year | Widden Stud

by Bren O'Brien

International investment is set to play a major role in the Tattersalls October Yearling Sale beginning on Tuesday (local time) in Newmarket, which features a host of quality horses with Australasian connections.

Australian interest in the Tattersalls October Yearling Sale is set to be strong, with favourable conditions for buyers expected and several shuttle stallions with progeny represented, highlighted by the first Northern Hemisphere crop of Zoustar.

The outstanding young sire has seven yearlings set to go through the ring in Book 1, which runs from Tuesday until Thursday, a further 25 through Book 2 and another nine catalogued as part of Book 3.

David Redvers, owner and manager of Tweenhills, where Zoustar shuttles to from his Australian base at Widden, is expecting a strong response to the son of Northern Meteor's first yearling crop through the renowned Tattersalls October Sale.

"There is going to be an opportunity to buy Zoustar yearlings at half the price you would pay in Australia. That has to be a huge opportunity," Redvers said.

"You look at the fact his 75 yearlings at Magic Millions and Inglis this year averaged \$320,000 and he stands for three times his UK fee in Australia. Here it would be impossible to imagine his yearlings averaging that much."

The stallion's first Northern Hemisphere yearlings have averaged a healthy AU\$110,572 in England, Ireland and France so far in 2021, a strong return on his introductory service fee of £25,000 (AU\$46,000).

Among his highlight lots in Book 1 are two lots from Highclere Stud, Lot 10, a half-sister to G1 Commonwealth Cup winner Golden Horde (Ire) (Lethal Force {Ire}) and Lot 90, a colt out of multiple Group 3 winner and Group 1 placegetter Karen's Caper (USA) (War Chant {USA}).

Lot 160 is a colt consigned by Jamie Railton who is out of Group 3-winning and Group 1-placed mare Miss Work Of Art (GB) (Dutch Art {GB}), making him a half-brother to Listed winner Tapisserie (GB) (Le Havre {Ire}), while Lot 199, from Fittock Stud, is a filly of out of Permission (GB) (Authorized {Ire}), a listed winning half-sister to Tally Ho-Stud stallion Cotai Glory (GB).

Redvers said the interest in the Zoustar yearlings available is expected to be strong, especially from Australian buyers who could look to capitalise on the value available when compared to his Southern Hemisphere stock.

"I would be surprised if they weren't bidding on them. I've been talking to Antony Thompson at Widden and Anthony Mithen at Rosemont and others. There will be these extraordinary opportunities here and we should be rattling up a bit of interest," he said.



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Shuttle Stallions Well Represented

Beyond Zoustar, in terms of Australian-bred stallions, Darley's Exceed And Excel has five lots catalogued in Book 1 and a further 15 available later in the sale, while **Starspangledbanner**, who shuttles between Coolmore in Ireland and Rosemont Stud in Australia, has three in Book 1 and 26 available later in the sale.

Other stallions represented in Book 1 who are currently shuttling to Australia and New Zealand include Coolmore's **Churchill (Ire)**, who has 11 yearlings catalogued in the first three days, **Wootton Bassett (GB)** (three), **American Pharoah (USA)** (two), **Justify (USA)** (five) and **Saxon Warrior (Jpn)**, (seven).

Haunui Farm resident Ribchester (Ire) has three yearlings in Book 1, while Cambridge Stud's Almanzor (Fr) has four and Arrowfield's Shalaa (Ire) one.

There are also significant representations later in the Sale by the above sires as well as the likes of **Astern**, **Highland Reel (Ire)**, **Fastnet Rock**, Territories (Ire), **U S Navy Flag (USA)**, Brazen Beau, Harry Angel (Ire), Time Test (GB) and Vadamos (Fr).

Aussie-bred Mares Put Best Forward

Book 1 also features a trio of yearlings out of Australian-bred mares.

Lot 52 is an **Australia (GB)** filly offered by Baroda Stud out of Greater Good (**Fastnet Rock**). The dam was a \$400,000 Magic Millions Gold Coast Yearling Sale purchase from the Segenhoe Stud draft and she won a race at Newcastle for Kris Lees in the China Horse Club colours.

Lot 184 is a **Kingman (GB)** colt out of G3 Blue Diamond Prelude (Fillies) winner One Last Dance (Encosta De Lago), who was bred and is owned by Fairway Thoroughbreds. He is offered by Hazelwood Bloodstock who also sold his brother on John Camilleri's behalf at this Sale in 2019 and secured 1.8 million gns (AU\$3.35 million) to M. V. Magnier.



Lot 10 is a filly by Zoustar | De Burgh Productions

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Lot 430 is a colt by **Oasis Dream (GB)** consigned by Loughtown Stud, who is out of G2 Matriarch S., winner Brom Felinity (Encosta De Lago), who is a sister to G1 Australian Guineas winner De Lago Brom. She has already produced four winners including the Group 2 victor Walton Street (GB) (Cape Cross {Ire}).

Internationals Ready to Capitalise

Of course, potential Australasian buyers will cast their nets much wider than just the lots which have particularly local interest, and they will face plenty of competition, not just from the local British, Irish and European market but also from North America, the Middle East and Japan.

Redvers said the level of international investment will be crucial to maintaining a strong market throughout the Tattersalls October Sale, especially with uncertainty around the level of investment from previous powerhouse buyers, Shadwell.

"The whole sales season over here has been viewed with huge trepidation because of the sad loss of Sheikh Hamdan (bin Rashid Al Maktoum), and the changes that have followed with Shadwell," he said.

"The Maktoum family, on face value, didn't appear to spend anything on horses in Kentucky (recently), and Goffs and Tattersalls have relied largely on the Maktoum family as their leading buyers. We've all been very worried as to how it would work out."

Working against that, Redvers said, will be the confidence of buyers in the American and Australian markets. American investment played a major role in what was a positive Goffs Orby Sale in Ireland last week.

"What appears to have happened is that the American market is being driven by prizemoney in the same way that prizemoney drives the Australian market. We race for relative pittance here compared to those racing nations, and as a result, we're being seen a fantastic nursery for horses to export," he said.

"I thought Irish Thoroughbred Marketing did an extraordinary job of bringing American buyers into Goffs. Far from being weak, it was a tremendously strong market.

"We go into Tatts the next couple of weeks with a huge opportunity for Australian buyers, because it doesn't look like the Maktoum family will be busy as they have been. There have been more horses coming on the market and more reasonable reserves being put on them."

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Date	Race	Track
Oct. 9	G1 Neds Caulfield Guineas	Caulfield
	G3 Thoroughbred Club Maroona S.	Caulfield
	G2 Schillaci S.	Caulfield
	G1 Hyland Race Colours Toorak H.	Caulfield
	G1 The Neds Might & Power 2000m	Caulfield
	G2 Neds Herbert Power S. 2400m	Caulfield
	G3 SENET Northwood Plume S.	Caulfield
	G1 Moet & Chandon Spring Champion S.	Caulfield
	G2 Polytack Roman Consul S.	Randwick
	G2 Stan Fox S.	Randwick
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