



KIMARI RETURNS TO WINNING WAYS IN HONORABLE MISS



Kimari | Sarah Andrew

'TDN Rising Star' **Kimari** (Munnings) earned her first graded win of the season Wednesday when rallying to victory in Saratoga's GII Honorable Miss H.

The 3-1 third choice in a four-horse field, the bay broke a hair slow from the outside post, though not as slow as second choice **Frank's Rockette** (Into Mischief) in the one-hole. Kimari sat off the fence in third with Frank's Rockette off her inside flank as favored **Bella Sofia** (Awesome Patriot) and 8-1 outsider **Amadevil** (Dominus) knocked heads on the front end. Amadevil cruised clear of the chalk, clocking a first quarter in :22.72. Frank's Rockette got into gear, charging up the fence to take control from her longshot foe with Bella Sofia and Kimari ranging up together on the outside as they entered the far turn.

Frank's Rockette took command at the top of the stretch with Bella Sofia navigating her way to the fence for an inside attempt and Kimari still coming on the outside. Bella Sofia never turned on the after burners and posed the briefest of threats before backing up. Meanwhile, Kimari was just finding her best stride in the final sixteenth, forging clear of a determined Frank's Rockette to win by a half-length. Amadevil and was eased, vanned off and reported to have bled.

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ASMUSSEN SET FOR BIG SATURDAY AT THE SPA By Mike Kane

SARATOGA SPRINGS, NY - Two standouts. Two high-profile graded stakes. Two different scenarios Saturday for Hall of Fame trainer Steve Asmussen.

In the Grade I portion of his afternoon at Saratoga Race Course, Asmussen will saddle champion **Jackie's Warrior** (Maclean's Music), who just might go off as the shortest-priced favorite in the history of the \$350,000 GI Alfred G. Vanderbilt H., which has been run since 1985.

One race later, in the \$600,000 GII Jim Dandy S., Asmussen will send out **Epicenter** (Not This Time), runner-up as the favorite in the GI Kentucky Derby and GI Preakness S. The Jim Dandy is the local stepping stone to the meet's signature race, the GI **Runhappy** Travers S. Aug. 27. It is entirely possible that he will be the favorite in a field that includes Preakness winner **Early Voting** (Gun Runner) and GI Toyota Blue Grass S. winner **Zandon** (Upstart), both trained by Chad Brown. **Cont. p5**

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Parker Hendriks gives Freddy Flintshire a hug in the winner's circle after winning an allowance hurdle on Wednesday at Saratoga. | Sarah Andrew

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The Zayat family's proposed settlement of \$5 million only paid out \$30,000 to unsecured claimants.

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Brad Cox was this week's guest on the TDN Writers' Room, talking about his Haskell winner, Jim Dandy contestant and San Diego runner.



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"I thought the race set up for today, especially drawing the outside," trainer Wesley Ward said. "It gave Joel [Rosario] a nice easy run down the backside with no opposition as far as maneuvering to try to get there. He was already there when they opened the gates. That was a key. It just worked out great, and it's always great to stand in the winner's circle for a graded race at Saratoga. There's nothing like it."



Kimari denies Frank's Rockette | Sarah Andrew

As for what's next, the conditioner said, "Our ultimate goal would be the [GI] Breeders' Cup [Filly and Mare Sprint in November at Keeneland] because it's my home track and her home track. So we'll work backwards from there and get together with Coolmore and give them a few options."

"She ran good," Rosario said. "She's a nice horse and always tries hard. I'm glad we got the win today. It looked like there was going to be so much speed and she [Kimari] can be up closer, but we kind of were in a good spot and she did great and responded to everything I asked her to do. I thought for a second the leader might get away, but she kept fighting and got the job done."

Kimari captured the GI Madison S. at Keeneland last April and was subsequently sent to the sidelines. Resurfacing in the GI Breeders' Cup Turf Sprint at Del Mar seven months later, she checked in seventh behind stablemate Golden Pal (**Uncle Mo**) and went through the ring at Fasig-Tipton's November Sale two days later, summoning \$2.7 million from Coolmore's M. V. Magnier. Returned to Ward's care, Kimari made her seasonal bow in a main track event at Gulfstream Mar. 3, romping by 5 1/4 lengths. The bay was third when attempting to defend her title in this year's Madison Apr. 9 and was fifth last time in the GI Derby City Distaff S. at Churchill Downs May 7.

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2nd Dam: The White Lady, by Johannesburg

3rd Dam: Maha Al Iman, by Pulpit

(\$152,000 Ylg '18 FTKJUL; \$2,700,000 4yo '21 FTKNOV).

'**TDN Rising Star**' O-Westerberg Limited, Mrs. John Magnier, Jonathan Poulin, Derrick Smith & Michael B. Tabor; B-China Horse Club International Limited (KY); T-Wesley A. Ward; J-Joel Rosario. \$110,000. Lifetime Record: GISW-US & G1SP-Eng, 15-8-2-2, \$981,327. **Werk Nick Rating: A. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.**



2--**Frank's Rockette**, 121, m, 5, Into Mischief--Rocket

Twentyone, by Indian Charlie. '**TDN Rising Star**' O-Frank Fletcher Racing Operations, Inc.; B-Frank Fletcher (KY); T-William I. Mott. \$40,000.

3--**Bella Sofia**, 125, f, 4, Awesome Patriot--Love Contract, by Consolidator. (\$20,000 2yo '20 OBSOPN). O-Michael Imperio,

Medallion Racing, Sofia Soares, Vincent S. Scuderi & Parkland Thoroughbreds; B-Two Tone Farms (KY); T-Rudy R. Rodriguez. \$24,000.



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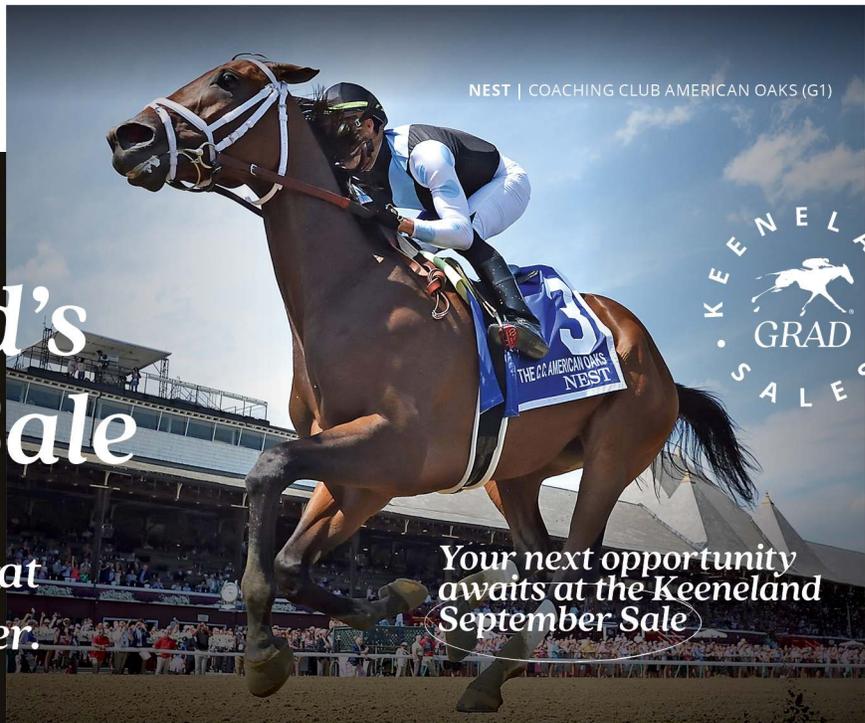
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Asmussen cont. from p1



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Asmussen picked up his first victory of the meet on Sunday when Clairiere (**Curlin**) solidified her hold on the top spot in the older female dirt division with an impressive score in the GII Shuvee S. over champion Malathaat (**Curlin**). This weekend at the Spa, the focus shifts to a pair of male horses, who could also end the season with Eclipse Awards.

A tribute to Jackie's Warrior's dominance in the sprint division is that just nine other horses were nominated for the six-furlong Vanderbilt and only five of those will face him Saturday. Further, the 4-year-old will carry a career-high 127 pounds, six more than **Ny Traffic** (Cross Traffic). The weight assignment is hardly a surprise since the speedy colt is perfect at Saratoga, unbeaten this year and has won six of his last seven starts.

"I don't think that you can talk about Jackie's Warrior running without pointing out how fortunate we are to have a champion colt back in training," Asmussen said. "Kirk and Judy Robison allowing us to run or enjoy him another year is very special."

The Robisons purchased the colt as a yearling for \$95,000 and he has won 11 of 15 career starts and earned over \$2.4 million. Joel Rosario will be up for the 15th-consecutive start.

"His three races this year have been very exciting, very dominating performances," Asmussen said. "And the Vanderbilt just being another opportunity to run him at Saratoga, where I think his best races have been. Both of his runs as a 2-year-old, the Saratoga Special and the Hopeful were brilliant.

"And last year, a great win in the Amsterdam with a rain delay. You're stuck in the paddock an extra 20-30 minutes and then the performance he put in that day. I cannot say enough about his duel with Life is Good in the Allen Jerkens. So when you talk about getting to continue to run that horse and even better yet an opportunity to run him at Saratoga it's very special and unique." **Cont. p6**

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Epicenter & Jackie's Warrior paddock schooling at Saratoga | Susie Raisher

Jackie's Warrior was prepared for the races by Asmussen's parents, Keith and Marilyn, at their Texas training center. The Robison's colt promptly built his reputation during morning training and in the afternoon with four-straight victories. In the first three, he was not the favorite.

"When he came from Laredo, he was a very attractive, fast

horse," Asmussen said. "Ran excellent first time out, but I do think the ascension happened at Saratoga. We had a very good 2-year-old that had won the Bashford Manor in Cazadero (**Street Sense**). We breezed him and Jackie's Warrior together. It was a far more experienced or accomplished Cazadero and Jackie off one race and it was like 'wow, you're better than good. You're special.' I think that every day since then that's who he's been."

Asmussen nodded in agreement at the comment that there can't be many horses that are four-for-four in graded stakes at the Spa.

"Winning one graded stake at Saratoga is a tall task," he said.

Epicenter did not make his 2-year-old debut until September at Churchill Downs, a few weeks after the end of the 2021 Saratoga season. He broke his maiden second time out in November and has never been worse than second in his six races since. With victories in the GII Risen Star and GII Louisiana Derby on his resume, he went off as the 4-1 favorite in the Kentucky Derby. The Winchell Thoroughbreds colt looked like a winner in the stretch after a duel with Zandon when long shot Rich Strike (Keen Ice) rolled on by to score a huge upset.

Asmussen took him to the Preakness, but he encountered some trouble early, was far back and ended up 1 1/4 lengths behind Early Voting.

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"Two hard races 14 days apart. He got a little freshening since then," Asmussen said. "We love what we've seen since we've been here at Saratoga, but it is his first run at Saratoga ever. It will be his first try up here against a very accomplished field, but with the eye on the prize, that is the Travers this summer."

Epicerter has breezed three times at Saratoga on the Oklahoma training track and Asmussen chose the Jim Dandy over the GI Haskell Invitational S. last weekend in order to give his colt a race over the main track.

Asmussen said that Epicerter is a popular runner, whose best performances may be ahead of him.

"Epicerter has a tremendously large rooting section, from people that I come in contact with, and in passing even, Epicerter has a large fan group," he said. "What I am hoping, and on the way to proving, is that he's the next **Gun Runner**. And it feels very similar, because he does have a groundswell of support as a 3-year-old, even though he has not been victorious in the major races yet."

Gun Runner had a very solid though not spectacular 3-year-old season, but became a superstar with \$15,998,500 in earnings by winning seven of his last eight starts. That run started with the GI Clark H. in late November 2017 and ended with a win in his finale, the 2019 GI Pegasus World Cup.

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PROPOSED \$5M ZAYAT SETTLEMENT GIVES ONLY \$30K TO 'UNSECURED' CLAIMANTS



Ahmed Zayat | Susie Raisher

by T. D. Thornton

The court-appointed trustee in the nearly two-year-old Zayat Stables involuntary bankruptcy case is proposing a settlement in which Ahmed Zayat and his family members would pay \$5 million to be allocated between MGG Investment Group and the trustee.

Of that amount, only \$30,000 is earmarked to eventually go to "unsecured creditors," some of whom are Thoroughbred industry participants owed money by Zayat Stables and are much further down the legal pecking order for otherwise getting repaid.

MGG will also get a disbursement from the funds in the bankruptcy trustee's account amounting to \$1,025,145.

In return, MGG--the lender that alleged Zayat and his family members obtained a \$24 million loan by fraud in 2016 then never repaid it--will issue a "waiver" giving up any further pursuit of the total \$27.1 million total amount it had been seeking as a secured creditor.

MGG has also agreed to return \$452,500 of the settlement money it gets from the "Zayat Parties" to the trustee, which will provide for the above-mentioned \$30,000 "carve-out" that gets set aside to pay unsecured creditors.

The trustee will then be permitted to use \$185,981 of that MGG payment to cover "administrative obligations" that the estate has incurred.

"[E]ntry into the Settlement Agreement serves the paramount interest of the creditors of the Debtor's estate," trustee Jeffrey Testa wrote in a July 26 series of documents filed in United States Bankruptcy Court (District of New Jersey). "Resolution of the claims by and between the Chapter 7 Trustee MGG and the Zayat Parties through the Settlement Agreement represents a successful outcome for the Debtor's creditors."

Not every creditor is going to agree with the trustee on that "successful outcome" statement.

Drew Mollica, the attorney for New York-based trainer Rudy Rodriguez, told *TDN* in a phone interview that his client has an unsecured claim of \$397,000, and the \$30,000 set aside for all unsecured claimants amounts only to a "drop in the bucket" for what Rodriguez is owed.

"Although I don't know all of the details and I'm going to reach out to the trustee, it seems the only carve-out for anybody but MGG is \$30,000, Mollica said. "And all of the other unsecured claimants are in the same boat." **Cont. p8**



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Zayat cont.

It's important to note that this involuntary bankruptcy petition involving Zayat Stables is different from the **Chapter 7 personal bankruptcy claim** that the allegedly impoverished breeder and owner of Triple Crown champ **American Pharoah** initiated Sept. 8, 2020, when he claimed to own just \$300 in cash and \$14.22 in two checking accounts.

Six days later, on Sept. 14, 2020, an involuntary bankruptcy petition led by Zayat's former financial advisor was initiated against Zayat's family racing business.

Involuntary bankruptcy proceedings are relatively uncommon in United States courts. They are designed to protect creditors, not debtors, and are often filed against companies (as opposed to individuals) as an attempt to get paid when it is believed that a firm is rapidly burning through assets and/or financial malfeasance is alleged.

The trustee could have elected to keep battling MGG to try and whittle down the sought-after \$27.1 million. But Testa explained in court documents that the proceedings had reached a point where resistance equated to a losing proposition for the estate.

"Litigation against MGG would involve sufficiently complex legal and factual issues, particularly regarding the substance of complex loan documents and the establishment of lender liability, which would require protracted hard-fought and arduous litigation and significant expert costs," Testa wrote.

"In addition, as a result of MGG's properly-perfected status and outstanding amounts owed to it, the Chapter 7 Trustee has no encumbered funds to fight such a taxing battle," Testa wrote.

"As to the Zayat Parties, litigation against them would be equally challenging, demanding, complex, and come at significant additional cost and delay," Testa wrote. "In addition, based on the litigious history of this proceeding, any judgment obtained would almost certainly be subject to an appeal.

"The Settlement Agreement avoids these obstacles in favor of a prompt and efficient resolution without the need to expend further estate resources," Testa wrote.

Other family members of Ahmed Zayat (identified in court documents as his wife, Joanne; four children, Justin, Ashley, Benjamin and Emma, plus a brother, Sheriff) are on the hook for contributing to the \$5-million settlement payment because, Testa wrote, "The Zayat Parties strenuously asserted that to their detriment they provided funds to Zayat Stables in an effort

to keep the entity operating [by contributing] approximately \$2.5 million more to Zayat Stables than the transfers they had received from Zayat Stables."

The proposed settlement agreement even includes a section related to who gets the trophies and other racing mementos that the trustee has been storing since their seizure from the under-receivership Zayat Stables offices.

"Zayat and several of the Zayat Parties objected to the removal of the Memorabilia based upon the position that the Memorabilia were not estate property," Testa wrote.

The trustee added that he now considers that property "abandoned," which likely means that Zayat can reclaim it.

"So it looks like he keeps the trophies, and the horsemen who earned the trophies get nothing," Mollica said.

The next step in the process is for the court to approve the settlement. If other parties file an objection by Aug. 16, then an Aug. 23 hearing will take place to hear the objection(s). If no one objects, the court will enter a notice of "no objection" and the settlement will be completed as proposed.

Asked if he would be objecting on behalf of Rodriguez, Mollica said, "I'll know more after I reach out to the trustee. I'll reserve my right."

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BRAD COX TALKS HASKELL, JIM DANDY, SAN DIEGO H. ON WRITERS' ROOM



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Fresh off his win in the GI Haskell S. with Cyberknife (**Gun Runner**), trainer Brad Cox joined the *TDN Writers' Room* presented by **Keeneland** Wednesday as the **Green Group Guest of the Week**. There was plenty to talk about as Cox's stable remains one of the hottest in the sport and he will send out GIII Ohio Derby winner Tawny Port (Pioneerof the Nile) in Saturday's GII Jim Dandy S. at Saratoga and 2021 GI Kentucky Derby winner Mandaloun (Into Mischief) in Saturday's GII San Diego H. at Del Mar.

Cox was understandably proud of the win by Cyberknife in the Haskell, who is the only 3-year-old dirt male in the country to have won two Grade I races this year. It was the trainer's second straight victory in the signature race of the Monmouth Park meet, but his first in which his horse crossed the wire first. In 2021, Mandaloun was placed first via disqualification after Hot Rod Charlie (Oxbow) was taken down because of interference.

"It was a big performance for Mandaloun last year," Cox said. "He was battling back and we were very proud of his effort. But, in the moment, it's it feels a little better to cross the wire first as opposed to having to wait for the stewards' decision, to say the least."

Cyberknife will go next in the GI **Runhappy** Travers S., where he could be joined by Tawny Port. But first, Tawny Port, will

have to tackle a tough assignment in the Jim Dandy.

"He's a good colt and I know he's improving physically," Cox said of Tawny Port. "He looks amazing. His color's good. Like I said, he's moving great. I think he likes Saratoga. I'm hoping that there's some sort of pace presence. Oftentimes, we don't get that in a short field. But I'm hoping that there's some pace and those horses can work on each other early. He's the type of horse who will definitely like the mile and an eighth and should like the Saratoga surface."

Mandaloun, coming off a fourth-place finish in the GII Stephen Foster S., has headed west to join a field in the San Diego that is topped by GI Dubai World Cup winner Country Grammer.

"Hopefully, this race can jump start what will be a great second half for him," Cox said.

Cox is coming off a sensational 2021 in which his stable earned \$31,715,312, won 30 graded stakes races and campaigned the Horse of the Year in **Knicks Go** (Paytner) and the 3-year-old male champion in **Essential Quality** (Tapit). But, by no means, was Cox ever prepared to rest on his laurels.

"Our horses performed extremely well last year," he said. "So that was something that we're hoping we can build off of and continue to move forward. You just want to be relevant and be competitive at the graded stakes level."

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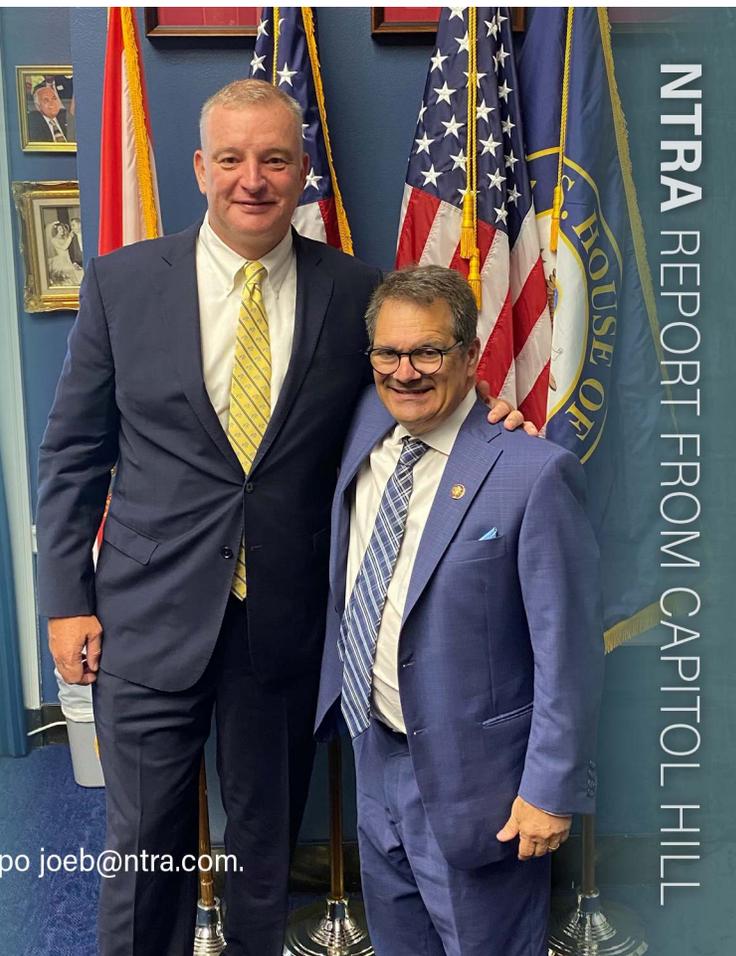
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- Ranking member for the Subcommittee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, which has jurisdiction over both the Federal Trade Commission (FTC) and all sports-related matters.
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Tom Rooney (L), Rep. Gus Bilirakis (R)



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Cox continued, "Hopefully, some of these horses are developing and we can be a factor in the Breeders' Cup. You just try to increase your numbers every year. I'm not certain we can eclipse the earnings mark that we had last year, but we're working every day in order to try to achieve that."

Elsewhere on the show, which is also sponsored by [Coolmore](#), [XBTV](#), [West Point Thoroughbreds](#), [The Pennsylvania Horse Breeders Association](#) and [Legacy Bloodstock](#), the writers took a look at the latest developments concerning the Horse Racing Integrity and Safety Authority, which lost a round in court this week, the future of TVG now that it is reportedly about to be renamed FanDuel TV and the robust business thus far at the Del Mar meet.

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DOES HISA INJUNCTION HINT AT EVENTUAL RULES REWRITE?

by T. D. Thornton

One day after a [preliminary injunction](#) handed down by a federal judge halted the Horseracing Integrity and Safety Act (HISA) Authority's rules from being implemented in the states of Louisiana and West Virginia, Thoroughbred industry participants and legal experts continued to sift through the order seeking clues for how the judge in the case might eventually rule on a national level as the civil suit continues its journey through the legal system.

Although the National Horsemen's Benevolent and Protective Association (NHBPA) isn't a party to the suit filed in United States District Court (Western District of Louisiana), its chief executive officer, Eric Hamelback, said in a prepared statement that Judge Terry Doughty "determined that the Plaintiffs established a likelihood of success on the merits for their claims" and that the July 26 ruling "shows the HISA regulations are not in the best interest of Thoroughbred racing's participants [and] will cause harm to the participants."

Frank Becker, a [noted Lexington-based equine lawyer](#) and former adjunct professor at the University of Kentucky College of Law, told TDN in a Wednesday phone interview that the NHBPA's take could be accurate.

"I think it's worth noting that this was a fairly drastic remedy—a preliminary injunction against the government from enforcing regulations," Becker said.

"I would comment that it is certainly significant because it reveals considerable HISA regulatory overreach," Becker continued. "If the ruling is upheld either by the later decisions of the court or on appeal, then HISA and the Federal Trade



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Commission (FTC) will have to revise several of their rules and effectively start over with the comment period."

The plaintiffs, led by the states of Louisiana and West Virginia, plus the Jockeys' Guild and various Louisiana-based "covered persons" under HISA rules, crafted their [June 29 lawsuit](#) against the HISA Authority, the FTC, and overseers of both entities slightly differently from two previously unsuccessful attempts by other plaintiffs to derail HISA based on constitutionality allegations alone. Instead, this most recent suit focused on the alleged illegality of the rules that were enacted July 1.

"The federal court is taking a stricter approach to examining regulators, and the ability for regulators to draft fairly broad regulations," explained Becker, who does not have a client on either side of this case. "It definitely indicates that federal courts are looking at regulations much more closer than they used to, and not giving the regulators then benefit of the doubt any more.

"Regulators have traditionally felt like they had a great deal of leeway in drafting regulations," Becker continued. "And this federal court obviously is not very kind to the leeway that HISA and the FTC took."

Part of the plaintiffs' argument is based on HISA and the FTC allegedly going beyond statutory authority in their rulemaking, especially in terms of whether public commentary was properly solicited and considered.

Becker said HISA and the FTC might eventually be ordered to start the rulemaking processes all over again in order to "write those regulations more narrowly."

And, as Becker noted, "they were already taken to task for short-circuiting the process. So they're going to have to go through the process all over again with regard to replacing regulations that were held invalid.

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HISA cont.

Becker was quick to clarify that even though the issuance of a preliminary injunction didn't actually invalidate all of the HISA rules across the board, it hinted at the type of overall judgment that Doughty might eventually order.

"The court technically ruled that there's a substantial likelihood that ultimately the court will rule them invalid," Becker said. "So as a practical matter, they held these regulations invalid. They made the analysis on the substantive basis, and they held that there's a high likelihood that they'll be ruled invalid."

If that ends up being the case, Becker said the halting of the rules in a final judgment would likely apply to every racing jurisdiction in the nation, and not just in Louisiana and West Virginia, like the preliminary injunction stipulates.

Becker also agreed with the NHBPA's stance that the court recognizes the potential for harm in HISA's rules.

"One interesting thing is that the plaintiffs succeeded in showing that if the regulations went into effect, that it would be economically harmful to them," Becker said. "The court didn't totally agree that it would be 'untold economic havoc,' like the plaintiffs wrote. But in effect, the court gave some credence to that."

When asked if the preliminary injunction would apply to other states if they subsequently joined the lawsuit as plaintiffs, Becker said he wasn't quite sure how to read between the lines of the geographical scope that Doughty wrote into his July 26 order.

"That's a really good question," Becker said. "If a state filed its own suit, this would be what's called 'persuasive authority.' So it wouldn't technically mandate the same result in a separate suit. But if a state joined this suit, then it could have that effect."

Or, Becker explained, the court could instead not allow other plaintiff states to reap the benefits of the injunction spearheaded by Louisiana and West Virginia.

"The court might say, 'You should have been here in the beginning,'" Becker said. "I don't know what the court would do, to be honest."

The Jockeys' Guild, in a statement of its own, argued on Wednesday that because the preliminary injunction order used language that specifically stated "The geographic scope of the injunction shall be limited to the states of Louisiana and West Virginia, and as to all Plaintiffs in this proceeding," that means the injunction "applies to all of the members of the Jockeys' Guild, regardless of the U.S. jurisdiction in which the jockey is riding."

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BAFFERT 2YO EUTHANIZED AFTER ACCIDENT AT LOS AL

Hall of Famer Bob Baffert, who **returned to training recently** after a 90-day suspension issued by the Kentucky Horse Racing Commission, had an unraced juvenile colt suffer an accident while leaving the track at Los Alamitos July 26. Named Rapacious (Into Mischief--Princess La Quinta, by **Quality Road**), the bay was euthanized. Bred by Aaron and Marie Jones LLC in Kentucky, Rapacious was sold for \$400,000 to SF Bloodstock, Starlight Racing, and Madaket Stable at the 2021 Keeneland September sale.

Los Alamitos issued a statement late Tuesday evening regarding the incident. The statement follows in full:

On Tuesday morning, Rapacious, an unraced 2-year-old, was humanely euthanized following an unfortunate post-training accident that occurred as he was on his way back to the stable area at Los Alamitos Race Course.

Rapacious had completed his morning exercise and was just about to exit the track when he reared, and then reared up high a second time. He lost his balance in the process and fell over on his back. Rapacious was immediately attended to by veterinarians on duty for morning training at Los Alamitos.

After further medical examination and observation, it was reported that Rapacious had been humanely euthanized because of a back injury. Exercise rider Enrique Garcia, who was aboard Rapacious, was uninjured.

Purchased at the 2021 Keeneland September sale by SF Bloodstock, Starlight Racing and Madaket Stable, the son of Into Mischief out of the **Quality Road** mare Princess La Quinta was trained by Bob Baffert.

The thoughts of Los Alamitos Race Course management and staff go out to everyone who cared for Rapacious. Los Alamitos remains committed to horse and rider safety and is conducting a full review of this incident.

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LEGAL APPEAL FILED AGAINST LEXINGTON'S SOCCER COMPLEX

In the **ongoing concern over approval for a soccer complex** in an agricultural-rural zone of Lexington's Fayette County, the Fayette Alliance, Greg Goodman, Don Robinson, and Lisa Lourie have appealed the Board of Adjustment's approval of a conditional use proposal by Anderson Communities in conjunction with and on behalf of Lexington Sporting Club to develop commercial soccer facilities on land that was once Ashwood Training Center on Russell Cave Road. **Cont. p12**

Soccer complex cont.



Kentucky is known for its iconic farm land | Sarah Andrew

Fayette Alliance, a non-profit of citizens dedicated to achieving equitable, sustainable growth in Lexington-Fayette County through land-use advocacy, education, and research, has also filed an Open Records Request to uncover additional information regarding the process by which recommendations for approval were made and ultimately adopted.

“This proposal threatens Lexington’s signature agricultural and equine industries by reversing course on the historic land-use precedent that protects the land they depend on from inappropriate urban development--something our community has honored for decades,” said Fayette Alliance Executive Director Brittany Roethemeier. “Not only did the Board of Adjustment dismiss the earnest testimony of dozens of concerned citizens and hundreds of letters written in opposition, but they also ignored all of the most protective of the Planning Staff’s 19 recommended conditions of approval that were designed to mitigate the adverse consequences generated by the soccer complex. Fayette Alliance questions the legal basis for the approval of this proposal, and we look forward to making our case against it in court on behalf of the entire Lexington-Fayette community.”

Anderson Communities did not present any studies or traffic management plans at the hearing. According to the Fayette Alliance, Anderson Communities also did not engage with the Division of Traffic Engineering beforehand. In addition, according to the Fayette Alliance, the Board of Adjustment also disregarded a local law requiring them to review “potential impacts to any identified environmentally sensitive area,” such as the millions of gallons of polluted stormwater that the development would potentially generate and feed into nearby Cane Run Creek. According to the Fayette Alliance, the conditional use request was approved without requiring the

applicant to address the concerns raised during an environmental expert’s testimony.

“The purpose of the [agricultural-rural] zone is to preserve the rural character and nationally significant soils that are synonymous with the Lexington we know and love. We are therefore disturbed by the approval of this disruptive proposal, especially given the substantial amount of unrebutted testimony about safety concerns over existing roadway capacity and adverse environmental impacts,” Bruce Simpson of Rose Grasch Camenisch Mains PLLC said. “The entire process has lacked transparency and buy-in from the community.”

On Thursday, the Planning Commission will consider two zoning ordinance text amendments (ZOTAs) that would permit lights, concessions, and retail sales at the site as well as a 10,000-person stadium, thousands of surface parking spaces, and commercial use in the nearby Economic Development zone. Approval of these ZOTAs would potentially bring unintended consequences to the Bluegrass farmland that has supported the community’s sustainable and responsible growth since it came under protection in 1958.

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FROM THE TIF: NEW YORK WAGERING RULES IGNORED IN SARATOGA PICK 5 FIASCO

by the Thoroughbred Idea Foundation



Sarah Andrew

The rule seems clear.

What is also clear is that the rule, as written, was ignored on Thursday, July 21 at Saratoga, though by which party is unknown at present.

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TIF cont.

“On behalf of aggrieved horseplayers who were impacted by the decision last Thursday, and all future players of multi-race bets in New York, we felt it necessary to seek clarification from the New York State Gaming Commission about the rules, why a seemingly arbitrary decision was made in the sequence and what customer expectations should be going forward in similar cases,” said TIF Executive Director Patrick Cummings.

Contacted on Monday morning, the Commission has yet to reply.

“Customers expect operators and regulators will follow the wagering rules as written,” said professional horseplayer and author Mike Maloney. “Horseplayers’ confidence is paramount and there is little doubt that some of that was lost as a result of this incident.”

Horseplayer Eric Bialek, a final table participant in the 2020 National Horseplayers’ Championship, was incredulous after the announcement.

“It defies every expectation of horseplayers for a race that was run a half hour earlier to subsequently be declared an all-win,” Bialek said. “Without a proper explanation from either the state or NYRA, speculation is all we have and that’s incredibly insufficient.”

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LETTER TO THE EDITOR

F-T SARATOGA SALE TO FEATURE 17 YEARLINGS FROM PHIPPS FEMALE FAMILIES

By B. Jason Brooks

The Fasig-Tipton Saratoga Selected Yearling Sale is less than two weeks away and potential buyers are marking up their sales catalogs while researching the accomplished families of those being offered.

At the 2019 Saratoga Sale, four yearlings tracing back to Phipps foundation mare Blitey sold for a collective \$4.05 million, one of them being an undefeated **Tapit** colt named **Flightline** who has become a multiple Grade I superstar.

Thoroughbred Daily News columnist and pedigree expert Sid Fernando recently noted in [story](#) that the Phipps female “families have given past and present breeders a deep foundation on which to build upon and create their own top-class horse.” A look at recent Grade I winners confirms that this is true at the highest levels.

Last year, an impressive 12 Grade I races were won by 10 different horses from families with Phipps female lines, including

Aloha West (Hard Spun), Corniche (Quality Road), Essential Quality (Tapit), Flagstaff (Speightstown), Flightline, Golden Pal (Uncle Mo), Maxfield (Street Sense), Bella Sofia (Awesome Patriot), Queen Goddess (Empire Maker) and Got Stormy (Get Stormy), multiple of which are Saratoga Sale graduates.

Through the first seven months of this year, four Grade Is have been won by horses from families with Phipps female lines. The Grade I winners this year include Flightline, adding his second Grade I in his first start as a 4-year-old, as well as **Shirl’s Speight (Speightstown), There Goes Harvard (Will Take Charge)** and **Matareya (Pioneer of the Nile)**.

That’s an impressive dozen different winners from families with Phipps female lines winning 16 different Grade I races. An exclamation mark added when considering all graded stakes, with 23 of them being won this year by horses from families with Phipps female lines. This level of current success demonstrates the “deep foundation” that Fernando referred to and makes these influential families attractive to breeders and buyers.

A deep dive into the families of the 214 yearlings to be offered at the boutique Saratoga Sale finds that 17, or 8%, are out of top-class mares from families with Phipps female lines, including descendents of Personal Ensign, Blitey, Lady Be Good, Get Lucky, Ten Cents A Dance, and La Troienne mares Belle Histoire and Big Hurry, among others.

On top of their first-rate female families, these blue-blooded yearlings are sired by elite stallions, including **Tapit** (hips 4 and 179), **Curlin** (hip 15), Into Mischief (hips 74, 75, 102, 131, 164), **Uncle Mo** (hips 98, 160, 210), **War Front** (hip 69), Arrogate (hip 79), **Catalina Cruiser** (hip 39), **Kantharos** (hip 211), **Oscar Performance** (hip 182), and **Union Rags** (hip 73). Also of note is that Hip 179 is a filly that shares the same sire (**Tapit**) and Phipps female family (Blitey) as Flightline.

The 2022 Saratoga Sale will provide buyers another chance to purchase yearlings with top-class pedigrees from influential Phipps families which are currently excelling in graded and Grade I races. Like Flightline, some of the yearlings making their way through the sales ring of the Humphrey S. Finney Sales Pavilion in August will become the Thoroughbred stars of tomorrow on the track and subsequently carry on the Phipps legacy in the breeding shed.

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Trainer Brad Cox Talks About
Cybernife's Haskell Victory





by Andrea Branchini



Jilted Bride winning the Iowa Distaff S. | Coady

Is the naming of fillies better suited to witty wordplay around the subject of love and attraction? It certainly seems so from the brilliant names of some recent US winning fillies and mares. Take, for instance, Indiana victress **Neck on the Nile** (**Cairo Prince**) and out of Kiss a Vet. The name is an original mix of levity, cleverness, alliteration and more.

Romantic mishaps are very much to the fore in the cases of Iowa winner **Jilted Bride** (**Wicked Strong**) out of Cry at My Wedding and Churchill scorer **Runaway Wife** (**Gun Runner**) out of Perfect Wife--names that are clearly at opposite ends of the feminine spectrum of matrimonial disasters. Washington State winning mare **Dontkissntell** (**Rosberg**), out of Low Key Affair, on the other hand, calls for elegant discretion and unsuspecting nonchalance. In any case, love will win the day, as the old song goes.

4th-Ellis, \$50,000, Msw, 7-8, 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:35.02, fm, 1 length.
NECK ON THE NILE (f, 3, Cairo Prince--Kiss a Vet, by War Front)
 O-Harvey A. Clarke Racing Stables, LLC; B-Estate Of Harvey A. Clarke (KY); T-Ben Colebrook.

IOWA DISTAFF S., \$100,000, Prairie Meadows, 7-8, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:44.47, ft.
JILTED BRIDE, 126, m, 5, Wicked Strong--Cry At My Wedding, by Street Cry (Ire). (\$37,000 RNA Wlg '17 KEENOV; \$32,000 RNA Ylg '18 OBSOCT; \$150,000 2yo '19 OBSMAR). 1ST BLACK-TYPE

WIN. O-Bradley Thoroughbreds, Cambron Equine, LLC, Zane & Brady Carruth; B-Bobby Jones Equine LLC (FL); T-Steven M. Asmussen; J-Stewart Elliott. \$60,000

5th-Churchill Downs, \$115,060, Msw, 5-28, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:44.68, ft, 5 lengths.
RUNAWAY WIFE (f, 3, Gun Runner--Perfect Wife {SW, \$107,699}, by Majesticperfection). O/B-Fern Circle Stables, LLC (KY); T-Kenneth G. McPeck.

WASHINGTON STATE LEGISLATORS S., \$50,000, Emerald Downs, 7-24, 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:15.65, ft.
DONTKISSNTELL, 121, m, 7, Rosberg--Low Key Affair, by Vying Victor. O-K D Thoroughbreds; B-Wendy Kruger (BC); T-Tom Wenzel; J-Jose Luis Zunino. \$27,800

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DELAWARE PARK NAMES JEROME DORO DIRECTOR OF RACING

With the retirement of Delaware Park's long-time Executive Director of Racing John Mooney **announced earlier this week**, Delaware Park has promoted Jerome "Jed" Doro to Director of Racing. He will assume most of Mooney's duties, effective Aug. 1.

"I am very pleased and excited to announce that Jed Doro has been promoted to Director of Racing," said Kevin DeLucia, Chief Financial Officer at Delaware Park. "We believe the continuity of the program built by [Mooney] is important to the future success of racing at Delaware Park and we believe there is no better person to accomplish that goal. [Doro] brings a level of knowledge and experience of not only racing but racing in the Mid-Atlantic region and Delaware Park that is indispensable."

Doro has served as the Racing Secretary at Delaware Park from 2014 through 2018, and again since 2021. He has also served in other capacities at Delaware, Oaklawn Park, the Maryland Jockey Club, Colonial Downs, and Timonium Racecourse.

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PDJF AWARENESS DAY AT SARATOGA JULY 30

The riders competing at Saratoga Race Course will participate in a host of activities Saturday, July 30 to raise awareness and funding for the Permanently Disabled Jockeys Fund (PDJF). Highlighting the day's events will be a special meet and greet and autograph session with riders from the Saratoga jockey colony, who will sign autographs on the Jockey Silks Room Porch from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Fans who make a donation to the PDJF will receive a commemorative poster.

This year, PDJF Day was selected to coincide with this week's National Disability Independence Day, which marks the 32nd anniversary of the passage of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), passed by the U.S. Congress and signed into law by President George H.W. Bush in 1990

"We thank the many jockeys from Saratoga and around the country for supporting this effort to heighten awareness of the Americans with Disabilities Act and assist in raising funds for the PDJF," said Terry Meyocks, President and Chief Executive Officer of The Jockeys' Guild and a member of the Board of Directors of the PDJF. "We also are immensely grateful to everyone who contributes financially to the PDJF."

In conjunction with PDJF Day, the Permanently Disabled Jockeys' Fund will be featured at the Community Outreach Booth Saturday. The PDJF provides financial assistance to former jockeys who have suffered catastrophic on-track injuries. Since its founding in 2006, the fund has disbursed nearly \$11 million dollars to permanently disabled jockeys.

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TEXAS SUMMER YEARLING SALE CATALOGUE RELEASED

Over 200 yearlings made the catalog for the 2022 Texas Summer Yearling Sale, presented by the Texas Thoroughbred Association and Lone Star Park. The sale will be held on Aug. 29 at the sales pavilion at Lone Star.

The catalog lists yearlings by Kentucky stallions such as **Justify**, **Good Magic**, **Sharp Azteca**, **Mendelssohn**, Bernardini, **Practical Joke**, Goldencents, **Kantharos**, Mitole, Vino Rosso and more. Texas stallions such as Too Much Bling, Bradester, My Golden Song and Competitive Edge are also represented.

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BING CROSBY S.-GI, \$400,000, 3yo/up, 6f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Desmond Doss	Grazen	Nicholas B. Alexander	Miyadi	Geroux	122
2	Shaaz	Uncle Mo	Michael Lund Petersen	Baffert	Hernandez	122
3	Bagboss	Speightstown	Chuck and Maribeth Sandford LLC	Walsh	Rispoli	122
4	Drain the Clock	Maclean's Music	Slam Dunk Racing, Madaket Stables LLC, Wonder Stables and Nentwig, Michael	Joseph, Jr.	Van Dyke	124
5	Principe Carlo	Coil	David A. Bensen, LLC, Mia Familia Racing Stable and Rockingham Ranch	Barocio	Espinoza	122
6	Howbeit	Secret Circle	It Pays to Dream Racing Stable, Inc., Saints or Sinners Haramoto, Danny, Kawahara, Sheldon and Yamamoto, Gregory	Glatt	Cedillo	122
7	Letsgetlucky	Munnings	Brown, Edward Rusty J., Klein, Alan P. and Leberherz, Philip	Koriner	Baze	122
8	Diamond Oops 🍀	Lookin At Lucky	Diamond 100 Racing Club, LLC, A Dunne, D P Racing LLC and Patrick L. Biancone Racing LLC	Biancone	Curatolo	122
9	American Theorem 🍀	American Pharoah	Kretz Racing LLC	Papaprodromou	Bravo	124
10	Get Her Number	Dialed In	Gary Barber	Miller	Vazquez	122

Breeders: 1-Nick Alexander, 2-William M. Backer Revocable Trust, 3-Maribeth Sandford, 4-Nick Cosato, 5-Richard Barton Enterprises, 6-University of Kentucky, 7-Premier Thoroughbreds LLC, 8-Kin Hui Racing Stables LLC, 9-Sierra Farm, 10-Philip Robertson & Brenda Robertson

Saturday, Saratoga #8, post time: 4:50 p.m. EDT, FOX, TJCIS PPs

ALFRED G. VANDERBILT H.-GI, \$350,000, 3yo/up, 6f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Kneedeepinsnow 🍀	Flat Out	J Sussman, Ten Strike Racing & Cory Moelis Racing LLC	Shirer	Santana, Jr.	117
2	Willy Boi	Uncaptured	Bill Cosgrove	Delgado	Sutherland	120
3	Ny Traffic	Cross Traffic	J Fanelli, Cash is King LLC, LC Racing LLC Braverman, Paul and Team Hanley	Joseph, Jr.	Ortiz, Jr.	121
4	Jackie's Warrior 🍀	Maclean's Music	Robison, J. Kirk and Robison, Judy	Asmussen	Rosario	127
5	Long Range Toddy	Take Charge Indy	Zenith Racing	Stewart	Saez	117
6	Doc Amster 🍀	Midshipman	Russell Staggs	Delgado	Castellano	116

Breeders: 1-BWB Bloodstock, LLC & WDS Bloodstock, 2-Ocala Stud & William J. Terrell, 3-Brian Culnan, 4-J & J Stables, 5-Willis Horton Racing LLC, 6-Robert V. LaPenta

Saturday, Saratoga #9, post time: 5:37 p.m. EDT, FOX, TJCIS PPs

JIM DANDY S.-GII, \$600,000, 3yo, 1 1/8m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Western River 🍀	Tapit	September Farm, LLC, Union Park Thoroughbreds, LLC Black Fern LLC, Motley, Michael, Motley, Tammy & Storyteller Racing	Brisset	Santana, Jr.	118
2	Epicenter 🍀	Not This Time	Winchell Thoroughbreds LLC	Asmussen	Rosario	122
3	Tawny Port 🍀	Pioneerof the Nile	Peachtree Stable	Cox	Ortiz, Jr.	120
4	Early Voting 🍀	Gun Runner	Klaravich Stables, Inc.	Brown	Ortiz	124
5	Zandon 🍀	Upstart	Jeff Drown	Brown	Prat	124

Breeders: 1-Mt. Brilliant Broodmares I, LLC & TapitSyndicate, 2-Westwind Farms, 3-WinStar Farm, LLC, 4-Three Chimneys Farm, LLC, 5-Brereton C. Jones

Saturday, Del Mar #10, post time: 9:30 p.m. EDT, TVG, TJCIS PPs

SAN DIEGO H.-GII, \$300,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	There Goes Harvard	Will Take Charge	Cannon Thoroughbreds, LLC	McCarthy	Herrera	121
2	Defunded 🦄	Dialed In	Pegram, Michael E., Watson, Karl and Weitman, Paul	Baffert	Cedillo	120
3	Mandaloun	Into Mischief	Juddmonte	Cox	Geroux	121
4	Stilleteo Boy	Shackleford	Steve Moger	Moger, Jr.	Hernandez	120
5	Senor Buscador	Mineshaft	Joe R. Peacock, Jr.	Fincher	Maldonado	116
6	Parnelli 🦄	Quality Road	C R K Stable LLC	Shirreffs	Espinoza	117
7	Tripoli 🦄	Kitten's Joy	Hronis Racing LLC	Sadler	Pereira	120
8	Country Grammer 🦄	Tonalist	Commonwealth Thoroughbreds, LLC, Winstar Farm LLC and Zedan Racing Stables, Inc.	Baffert	Velazquez	125
9	Royal Ship (Brz)	Midshipman	Fox Hill Farms, Inc. and Siena Farm LLC	Mandella	Smith	120

Breeders: 1-Cannon Thoroughbred LLC, 2-Athens Woods, LLC, 3-Juddmonte Farms Inc, 4-John Kerber & Iveta Kerber, 5-Joe R Peacock Sr. & Joe R Peacock Jr., 6-Gainesway Thoroughbreds Ltd., 7-Blue Devil Racing Stable, LLC, 8-Scott Pierce & Debbie Pierce, 9-Haras Belmont



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Rank	Stallion	BTW	BTH	GSW	GSH	G1SW	G1SH	Starters	Wnrs	Highest Earner	Earnings
1	Justify (2015) by Scat Daddy Crops: 1	2	3	2	2	--	--	13	5	165,710 Just Cindy	505,221
2	Uncle Mo (2008) by Indian Charlie Crops: 8	2	3	1	2	--	--	13	3	176,530 Gulfport	496,491
3	Bolt d'Oro (2015) by Medaglia d'Oro Crops: 1	--	2	--	--	--	--	30	8	104,160 Owen's Leap	495,679
4	Into Mischief (2005) by Harlan's Holiday Crops: 11	1	1	--	--	--	--	18	5	175,600 Wonder Wheel	433,106
5	Good Magic (2015) by Curlin Crops: 1	1	1	--	--	--	--	18	5	85,200 Vegas Magic	394,690
6	Sharp Azteca (2013) by Freud Crops: 1	1	1	--	--	--	--	30	13	106,554 Tyler's Tribe	386,072
7	Cross Traffic (2009) by Unbridled's Song Crops: 5	--	1	--	--	--	--	21	7	83,638 Riccio	311,470
8	Practical Joke (2014) by Into Mischief Crops: 2	--	1	--	--	--	--	18	4	57,750 Kaling	310,905
9	Army Mule (2014) by Friesan Fire Crops: 1	--	--	--	--	--	--	19	5	60,000 Danse Macabre	306,350
10	Girvin (2014) by Tale of Ekati Crops: 1	1	1	--	--	--	--	12	5	118,060 Devious Dame	306,020
11	Lord Nelson (2012) by Pulpit Crops: 2	--	--	--	--	--	--	18	7	69,460 Kiss Me On Oconee	302,852
12	Brethren (2008) by Distorted Humor Crops: 6	--	--	--	--	--	--	12	5	43,400 Jellybean	281,020
13	Stay Thirsty (2008) by Bernardini Crops: 7	--	--	--	--	--	--	27	4	41,150 Good N Thirsty	277,606
14	Kantharos (2008) by Lion Heart Crops: 9	--	1	--	--	--	--	20	3	51,600 Cigarette Boat	265,715
15	Cajun Breeze (2008) by Congrats Crops: 5	--	1	--	--	--	--	11	5	56,800 Cajun Hope	244,030

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IN ORDER OF PURSE:

5th-Saratoga, \$115,000, Alw, 7-27, (NW1\$X), 3yo/up, 1 1/2mT, 2:28.20, fm, 2 1/4 lengths.

MOONEY LOVE (IRE) (c, 4, Australia {GB}--Mooney Ridge {Ire}, by Indian Ridge {Ire}), third in last term's G2 Premio Jockey Club



Mooney Love | Sarah Andrew

- Sire Trofeo Pio Bruni in Italy, concluded his tenure for trainer Andreas Wohler with a win while carrying the Team Valor colors in Germany's RaceBets.de Jubiläumspreis in his lone previous attempt this term June 16. Making his U.S. debut Lasix-free for Bill Mott here, the 8-5 favorite raced in fifth for most of the way and was forced to steady and alter course nearing the five-sixteenths. He recovered nicely, however, and turned it on in the stretch to run down Jarreau (Pioneerof the Nile) by 2 1/4 lengths. Mooney Ridge has also produced a **Sea The Stars (Ire)** filly of 2020 and a **Sottsass (Fr)** filly of this year. Sales history: €32,000 Wlg '18 GOFNOV; €130,000 Ylg '19 SGASEP. Lifetime Record: SW-Ger & GSP-Ity, 12-4-1-3, \$141,155. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

O-Team Valor International, LLC; B-Allevamento Deni S R L (IRE); T-William I. Mott.

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3rd-Colonial Downs, \$69,500, Alw (NW1X)/Opt. Clm (\$25,000), 7-27, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:09.70, ft, 1 length.

RIDE THE PLAN (f, 4, Candy Ride {Arg}--Capital Plan {MGSW & GISP, \$305,800}, by Rock Hard Ten), a well-beaten second in a pair of attempts at Fair Grounds Feb. 18 and Mar. 19, broke through with a 10-length maiden win at Hawthorne June 3. The 4-5 favorite chased early from fourth here and came rolling down the center of the stretch to reel in game pacesetter Canadian Ginger (Flatter) by a length. Capital Plan has also produced a **Gun Runner** filly of 2020, a **Constitution** filly of 2021 and an **Astern (Aus)** filly of this year. Sales history: \$210,000 Ylg '19 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 4-2-2-0, \$86,800. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

O-Haras de la Pomme Kentucky, Inc.; B-Hunter Valley Farm (KY); T-Ignacio Correas, IV.

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10th-Parx Racing, \$53,928, Alw (C)/Opt. Clm (\$75,000), 7-27, 2yo, f, 4 1/2f, :53.19, ft, 2 1/4 lengths.

CONDESCENDING (f, 2, Exaggerator--Tiz Rude, by Tiznow), a debut winner going two furlongs here Apr. 25, stayed perfect with a 2 1/4-length, front-running score at odds of 3-1. Wild Army Brat (**Army Mule**) was second. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$70,560. **Click Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.** O-Main Line Racing Stable; B-Main Line Racing Stable & Joshtylane Farm (PA); T-John C. Servis.



IN ORDER OF PURSE:

10th-Saratoga, \$105,000, Msw, 7-27, 3/up, f/m, 6f, 1:13.10, ft, head.

BACKYARD MONEY (f, 3, Midshipman--Beccawhit, by Roman Ruler) made two starts at Churchill last November, finishing a debut third for a \$50,000 tag and a well-beaten fourth in a maiden special weight last time. Overlooked at 23-1 in her first try off the bench here, she broke alertly and found a good spot in second. Under a nice hold rounding the far turn, she shot through an opening along the rail in the stretch and outgamed firster Liquidity Provider (**Connect**) to win by a head. The winner's dam produced a filly by Cinco Charlie last year. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-1, \$69,550. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

O-Laurie & D. Wayne Lukas; B-Ashley N & Josh Hillyard (KY); T-D. Wayne Lukas.

6th-Saratoga, \$88,000, (S), Msw, 7-27, 2yo, f, 6f, 1:13.19, ft, 6 lengths.

MIRACLE (f, 2, Mendelssohn--Good Omen, by Smart Strike),



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a \$360,000 OBSMAR breezer (:10 1/5), became the third winner for her freshman sire (by Scat Daddy) with this daylight victory. Overlooked at 14-1 despite showing a pair of recent bullet workouts at WinStar Farm, she broke on top and forced the issue from second through an opening quarter in :22.78. The bay gained command leaving the quarter pole, drew clear in the stretch, and, despite switching back to her left lead late, had six lengths over favored firster Banterra (**Practical Joke**) at the wire. Good Omen produced a colt by **Audible** in 2021 and a filly by **Caravaggio** this year. Sales history: \$110,000 Wlg '20 FTKNOV; \$250,000 Ylg '21 SARAUG; \$360,000 2yo '22 OBSMAR. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$48,400. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

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3rd-Saratoga, \$88,000, (S), Msw, 7-27, 2yo, 5 1/2ft, 1:03.69, fm, 4 1/2 lengths.

NOBLE HUNTSMAN (c, 2, Noble Mission {GB}--My Cara Mia, by Colonel John), given a 7-1 chance to win at first asking, chased early from fifth, ranged up three deep at the top of the stretch and powered clear to win by 4 1/2 lengths over General Banker (Central Banker). Heavily favored Disarmed (**Maclean's Music**) lost all chance after checking hard entering the far turn and finished a troubled fourth. My Cara Mia, also owned and bred by Richard Greeley and trained by Mitch Friedman, won her 2-year-old debut sprinting on grass at 22-1 at Belmont Park in 2014. Progeny in the pipeline for the winner's dam include: a 2021 colt

by **The Factor** and a 2022 colt by Omaha Beach. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$48,400. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

O/B-Richard Greeley (NY); T-Mitchell E. Friedman.

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2022 Stud Fees Listed

Frank Conversation (Quality Road), Rockridge Stud, \$3,500
 40 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners
 2-Saratoga, 1:39 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2ft, Frankie C, 30-1

Good Samaritan (Harlan's Holiday), WinStar Farm, \$7,500
 111 foals of racing age/2 winners/0 black-type winners
 2-Saratoga, 1:39 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2ft, Bad Samaritan, 12-1
 \$30,000 SAR AUG yrl

Mendelssohn (Scat Daddy), Coolmore Ashford, \$35,000
 173 foals of racing age/3 winners/0 black-type winners
 2-Saratoga, 1:39 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2ft, Amanda's Folly, 15-1
 \$100,000 KEE NOV wnl; \$80,000 SAR AUG yrl

Mor Spirit (Eskendereya), Spendthrift Farm, \$5,000
 109 foals of racing age/3 winners/0 black-type winners
 3-Presque Isle Downs, 2:24 p.m. EDT, Msw 1m, Giant
 Awakening, 3-1
 \$50,000 OBS MAR 2yo

Mo Town (Uncle Mo), Coolmore Ashford, \$7,500
 102 foals of racing age/3 winners/0 black-type winners
 2-Saratoga, 1:39 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2fT, Fancypants Juliana,
 10-1
 \$70,000 KEE JAN wnl

National Flag (Speightstown), Blazing Meadows Farm, \$1,500
 18 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners
 2-Thistledown, 1:20 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, Go Girl, 6-1
 2-Thistledown, 1:20 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, Secrets Untold, 6-1

Rivers Run Deep (Ready's Image), Poplar Creek Horse Center,
 \$2,000
 10 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners
 2-Thistledown, 1:20 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, In Troubled Waters,
 8-1

SECOND-CROP STARTERS TO WATCH: THURSDAY, JULY 28
 2022 Stud Fees Listed

Arrogate (Unbridled's Song), Juddmonte Farms
 224 foals of racing age/33 winners/2 black-type winners
 7-Del Mar, 8:00 p.m. EDT, \$175K Fleet Treat S., 7f, Fun to
 Dream, 5-2

Bal a Bali (Brz) (Put It Back), Calumet Farm, \$5,000
 148 foals of racing age/37 winners/1 black-type winner
 7-Canterbury, 9:10 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Balimos, 10-1
 \$10,000 RNA MNS AUG yrl



Cupid (Tapit), Coolmore Ashford, \$5,000
 174 foals of racing age/52 winners/4 black-type winners
 1-Evangeline Downs, 6:30 p.m. EDT, Msw 5fT, Cupid's Joy, 8-1
 \$30,000 KEE SEP yrl

Gormley (Malibu Moon), Spendthrift Farm, \$7,500
 199 foals of racing age/52 winners/2 black-type winners
 1-Evangeline Downs, 6:30 p.m. EDT, Msw 5fT, Miss G G, 9-2

Kobe's Back (Flatter), Bonita Farm, \$3,000
 28 foals of racing age/6 winners/0 black-type winners
 5-Delaware, 2:30 p.m. EDT, Msw 1 1/16mT, Heybackatcha, 8-1

Madefromlucky (Lookin At Lucky), Northview Stallion Station,
 \$4,000
 71 foals of racing age/8 winners/1 black-type winner
 1-Penn National, 6:00 p.m. EDT, Msw 4 1/2f, Lookin Back Lucky,
 7-2

Shaman Ghost (Ghostzapper), Adena Springs North, \$7,500
 115 foals of racing age/28 winners/1 black-type winner
 7-Del Mar, 8:00 p.m. EDT, \$175K Fleet Treat S., 7f, Everlys Girl,
 30-1
 \$100,000 FTS ANA 2yo

Stanford (Malibu Moon), Tommy Town Thoroughbreds, \$5,000
 121 foals of racing age/31 winners/0 black-type winners
 7-Del Mar, 8:00 p.m. EDT, \$175K Fleet Treat S., 7f, Opening
 Buzz, 3-1
 \$34,000 RNA NCA AUG yrl



STAKES RESULTS:

COLONIAL CUP S., \$156,000, Colonial Downs, 7-27, 3yo/up,
 1 1/2mT, :00.00, fm.

1--**RED KNIGHT, 122, g, 8, Pure Prize--Isabel Away, by Skip
 Away.** O-Trinity Farm; B-Trinity Farm, LLC (NY); T-Michael J.
 Maker; J-Horacio Karamanos. \$90,000. Lifetime Record: GSW,
 28-9-8-1, \$893,258. *1/2 to Macagone (Artie Schiller), MSW,
 \$654,981.

2--**Another Mystery**, 126, h, 6, Temple City--Ioya Two, by Lord
 At War (Arg). O-T/B-Team Block (IL); T-Chris M. Block. \$30,000.

3--**Snap Decision**, 122, g, 8, **Hard Spun**--Salute, by Unbridled.
 O-Bruton Street-US; B-Phipps Stable (KY); T-Jack Fisher. \$16,500.
 Margins: 1HF, HD, 1 1/4. Odds: 4.80, 6.30, 10.90.

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MANITOBA OAKS, (NB) C\$50,500, Assiniboia Downs, 7-26, 3yo, f, 1m, 1:39.20, ft.

1--**BURROW DOWN, 122, f, 3, Connect--True Endeavor, by After Market.** O-Gerald Babchishin; B-Emily Wygod (KY); T-Murray Duncan; J-Stanley Chadee Jr. C\$30,600. Lifetime Record: 12-3-4-1, \$95,956.

2--**Kim's Texas Bling, 122, f, 3, Texas Bling--Imma Be a Wildcat, by D'wildcat.** O-Henry S. Witt, Jr.; B-Hall's Family Trust (TX); T-Jerry Gourneau. C\$10,200.

3--**Favorite, 119, f, 3, Mastery--Devoted, by Afleet Alex.** (\$12,000 2yo '21 OBSAPR). O-Steve Holborn & Shelley Brown; B-Peter E. Blum Thoroughbreds, LLC (KY); T-Shelley Brown. C\$5,100.

Margins: 8, 4 3/4, 3. Odds: 0.05, 21.95, 20.10.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

9th-Saratoga, \$125,000, (NW3\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$80,000), 7-27, 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:36.75, fm, 1 1/4 lengths.

MESSIDOR (IRE) (f, 4, Vadamos {Fr}--Pyrenean Queen {Ire}, by Zoffany {Ire}) Lifetime Record: SP-Ire, 16-5-1-5, \$259,562. O-Blue Devil Racing Stable (Holliday); B-Fairway Thoroughbreds (IRE); T-Christophe Clement. *€28,000 Ylg '19 GOFOR.



5th-Colonial Downs, \$83,000, (NW2X)/Opt. Clm (\$50,000), 7-27, 3yo/up, 5 1/2ft, 1:03.66, fm, head.

BLESSED ARION (g, 6, Kantharos--Asana, by Arch) Lifetime Record: 21-3-3-6, \$177,730. O-Amanda Colleen Rawlings; B-Kenneth L. & Sarah K. Ramsey (KY); T-Amanda Colleen Rawlings. *\$26,000 Ylg '17 FTKOCT; \$7,500 2yo '18 EASMAY.

7th-Colonial Downs, \$79,000, (NW2X)/Opt. Clm (\$50,000), 7-27, 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2ft, 1:03.11, fm, 3 1/2 lengths.

OEUVRE (f, 3, Shackleford--Love This Kitten, by Kitten's Joy) Lifetime Record: 10-5-3-1, \$192,956. O/B-Richard Perkins (IL); T-Chris M. Block.

2nd-Colonial Downs, \$78,000, (NW2\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$50,000), 7-27, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:41.43, ft, 2 1/4 lengths.

THE POSER (g, 5, Bandbox--Heavenly Moon {SP, \$196,540}, by Mojave Moon) Lifetime Record: SP, 29-4-5-6, \$245,583. O-Deborah S. Greene & Hamilton A. Smith; B-Fred A Greene Jr., Deborah Greene & Hamilton Smith (MD); T-Hamilton A. Smith. *1/2 to Luna Belle (Great Notion), MSW, \$381,570; Moon Virginia (Jump Start), MSP, \$391,356.

9th-Parx Racing, \$46,000, (NW1X)/Opt. Clm (\$16,000), 7-27, 3yo/up, 5f (off turf), :57.78, ft, 7 3/4 lengths.

NIMBLE BEAST (g, 5, The Big Beast--Cat Be Nimble, by Tale of the Cat) Lifetime Record: 39-6-5-9, \$147,910. O-Victoria Alih Stables; B-Beth Bayer (FL); T-Patrick Ashton. *\$15,000 Ylg '18

OBSWIN; \$25,000 Ylg '18 OBSOCT.

2nd-Delaware, \$44,100, (NW1X)/Opt. Clm (\$15,000), 7-27, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11.54, ft, 3 3/4 lengths.

A REAL JEWEL (f, 4, Nyquist--A Few Good Friends, by Quality Road) Lifetime Record: 19-3-4-5, \$146,333. O-Danny Brown, Charis Brenneman & Greg Compton; B-Courtlandt Farm (KY); T-Greg Compton.

7th-Presque Isle Downs, \$39,600, (S), (C)/Opt. Clm (\$25,000), 7-27, 3yo/up, 6f (AWT), 1:08.43, ft, 1 length.

RIO ABAJO (g, 5, Super Ninety Nine--Leawood, by Cape Canaveral) Lifetime Record: 30-11-5-3, \$216,817. O-Sajor Stable; B-Cynthia J. Darrah-Hipple (PA); T-Eduardo E. Rojas. *\$16,000 Ylg '18 EASOCT.

6th-Presque Isle Downs, \$37,526, 7-27, (NW1X), 3yo/up, f/m, 1m 70y (AWT), 1:40.14, ft, head.

CHRISTMAS DIAMOND (GB) (m, 5, Bated Breath {GB}--Velma Kelly {GB}, by Vettori {Ire}) Lifetime Record: 9-3-3-1, \$62,672. O-Colbart Stables, Rancho Temescal LLC, Red Baron's Barn LLC & Dick Colvin; B-Bolton Grange (GB); T-Teresa Connelly. *1,500gns RNA Wlg '17 TATFOA; £3,000 RNA Ylg '18 GOUKPR.

8th-Thistledown, \$31,400, 7-27, (C), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11.04, sy, head.

EVER WONDER (m, 7, Jersey Town--Wildcat Wonder, by Forest Wildcat) Lifetime Record: SW, 29-11-6-6, \$349,149. O-Mast Thoroughbreds LLC; B-Dawn R. Martin (IN); T-Robert M. Gorham. *\$5,000 Wlg '15 KEENOV. **1/2 to Strong Like Bull (Benny the Bull), SP, \$222,489.

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3rd-Thistledown, \$31,400, 7-27, (C), 3yo/up, 1m, 1:38.00, ft, 3 1/4 lengths.

IRISH UNITY (g, 4, Pioneerof the Nile--Justwhistledixie {MGSW & GISP, \$449,427}, by Dixie Union) Lifetime Record: SP, 12-4-2-2, \$166,950. O-Nestor R. Rivera; B-Clearsky Farms (KY); T-Nestor Rivera. *\$15,000 4yo '22 KEEAPR. **1/2 to Kingly (Tapit), GSW, \$289,165; Enforceable (Tapit), GSW & GISP, \$488,249; New Year's Day (Street Cry {Ire}), GISW, \$1,154,000; Mohaymen (Tapit), MGSW, \$998,417.



1st-Canterbury, \$31,000, (NW1X)/Opt. Clm (\$12,500), 7-27, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:38.41, ft, head.

BIGFOOT CITY (g, 5, City Zip--Forest Legend, by Forest Camp) Lifetime Record: 30-8-5-3, \$108,160. O-Johnny Taboada; B-G.

Watts Humphrey (KY); T-Jose Silva, Jr. *\$32,000 Ylg '18 KEESEP. **1/2 to High Connection (**Connect**), SW & GSP, \$149,000.

5th-Thistledown, \$29,700, 7-27, (NW3L), 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:39.28, ft, 3 1/2 lengths.

DUNVEGAN DOLL (f, 3, Liam's Map--Moon Philly {MSW, \$354,979}, by Malibu Moon) Lifetime Record: 10-3-1-1, \$89,787. O-Megan Fadlovich; B-Gainesway Thoroughbreds LTD & Bridlewood Farm, LLC (KY); T-Megan Fadlovich. *\$75,000 Wlg '19 KEENOV; \$60,000 Ylg '20 KEESEP. **1/2 to Addilyn (**Palace Malice**), SP, \$163,341.

4th-Finger Lakes, \$25,800, 7-27, (NW2L), 3yo/up, 1m 70y, 1:45.22, ft, 1/2 length.

BROTHER JEREMIAH (g, 4, Micromanage--Susie's a Cowgirl, by Cowtown Cat) Lifetime Record: 12-2-2-2, \$53,460. O/B-Glas-Tipp Stable LLC (NY); T-Jonathan B. Buckley.

6th-Finger Lakes, \$25,800, 7-27, (NW2L), 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:05.38, ft, 9 lengths.

SUE ELLEN MISHKIN (f, 3, Mohaymen--Robin of Halfmoon, by Uncle Mo) Lifetime Record: 5-2-0-0, \$66,698. O/B-Gold Square, LLC (NY); T-Jorge R. Abreu.



ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Our Gailynn B, f, 2, **Bullsbay**--Kitty City, by Salt Lake. Penn National, 7-27, (S), 4 1/2f, :53.66. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$16,260. B-Harry Hoglander (PA). *1ST-TIME STARTER.

Hudson's Turn, g, 3, **Astern (Aus)**--Carolina Honey, by **Curlin**. Louisiana Downs, 7-26, (S), 7 1/2ft, 1:33.38. Lifetime Record: 6-1-2-1, \$31,660. B-Danny Bockmon & Jody Huckabay (LA).

Cash Customer, g, 3, **Cinco Charlie**--Cactus Cocktail, by Cactus Ridge. Thistledown, 7-27, 6f, 1:12.28. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-1, \$18,744. B-Lynden Branch & Dr. James P. Morehead (KY). *\$1,000 Ylg '20 FTKFEB.

Amble, f, 3, **Lemon Drop Kid**--Skipping, by Stroll. Colonial Downs, 7-27, 5 1/2ft, 1:03.80. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$36,916. B-Stone Farm (KY). *1/2 to Plum Ali (**First Samurai**), GSW, \$740,042.



Ronstadt, g, 3, **More Than Ready**--Lophorina (GB), by King's Best. Colonial Downs, 7-27, (C), 1mT, 1:38.16. Lifetime Record: 5-1-1-1, \$34,400. B-Fred W. Hertrich III & John D. Fielding (KY). *\$90,000 RNA Ylg '20 KEESEP; \$50,000 2yo '21 OBSAPR. **Full to Lady Alexandra, SW-USA, GISP-Can, \$249,778.

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Classic Intention, g, 3, **Mr Speaker**--Rumari, by Dixie Union. Louisiana Downs, 7-26, 1mT, 1:38.62. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$12,600. B-T/C Stable, LLC (OH). *\$25,000 Ylg '20 KEESEP.

We Want Action, g, 3, **Union Jackson**--Wild Child, by Hook and Ladder. Fort Erie, 7-26, 5 1/2f, 1:06.05. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$6,725. B-Sequel Thoroughbreds LLC (NY). *\$3,000 3yo '22 OBSWIN. **1ST-TIME STARTER. ***Won by eight lengths.

Cape Cod Gem, g, 4, **Gemologist**--Cape Cod Carol (SP, \$346,505), by Rockport Harbor. Finger Lakes, 7-27, 5 1/2f, 1:05.94. Lifetime Record: 12-1-3-1, \$48,689. B-Patricia Generazio (NY).

Petawawa, g, 4, **Ghostzapper**--Five N Forty, by Distorted Humor. Fort Erie, 7-26, 7ft, 1:26.90. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$8,508. B-Chiefswood Stables Limited (ON). *Full to Ghostly Presence, SW-USA, MSW-Can, \$373,277.

Crowley's War, g, 4, **War Front**--Crowley's Law (GB) (SW-Can, GISP-USA, GSP-Eng, GSP-Tur, SP-Ger, \$298,757), by Dubawi (Ire). Presque Isle Downs, 7-27, 6f (AWT), 1:09.46. Lifetime Record: 6-1-1-0, \$30,680. B-Breeze Easy, LLC (KY).

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Astern (Aus), Hudson's Turn, g, 3, o/o Carolina Honey, by **Curlin**. MSW, 7-26, Louisiana Downs

Australia (GB), Mooney Love (Ire), c, 4, o/o Mooney Ridge (Ire), by Indian Ridge (Ire). ALW, 7-27, Saratoga

Bandbox, The Poser, g, 5, o/o Heavenly Moon, by Mojave Moon. AOC, 7-27, Colonial Downs

Bated Breath (GB), Christmas Diamond (GB), m, 5, o/o Velma Kelly (GB), by Vettori (Ire). ALW, 7-27, Presque Isle Downs

Bullsbay, Our Gailynn B, f, 2, o/o Kitty City, by Salt Lake. MSW, 7-27, Penn National

Candy Ride (Arg), Ride the Plan, f, 4, o/o Capital Plan, by Rock Hard Ten. AOC, 7-27, Colonial Downs

Cinco Charlie, Cash Customer, g, 3, o/o Cactus Cocktail, by Cactus Ridge. MSW, 7-27, Thistledown

City Zip, Bigfoot City, g, 5, o/o Forest Legend, by Forest Camp. AOC, 7-27, Canterbury

Connect, Burrow Down, f, 3, o/o True Endeavor, by After Market. Manitoba Oaks, 7-26, Assiniboia

Exaggerator, Condescending, f, 2, o/o Tiz Rude, by Tiznow. AOC, 7-27, Parx Racing



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- Ghostzapper**, Petawawa, g, 4, o/o Five N Forty, by Distorted Humor. MSW, 7-26, Fort Erie
- Jersey Town**, Ever Wonder, m, 7, o/o Wildcat Wonder, by Forest Wildcat. ALW, 7-27, Thistledown
- Kantharos**, Blessed Arion, g, 6, o/o Asana, by Arch. AOC, 7-27, Colonial Downs
- Lemon Drop Kid**, Amble, f, 3, o/o Skipping, by Stroll. MSW, 7-27, Colonial Downs
- Liam's Map**, Dunvegan Doll, f, 3, o/o Moon Philly, by Malibu Moon. ALW, 7-27, Thistledown
- Mendelssohn**, Miracle, f, 2, o/o Good Omen, by Smart Strike. MSW, 7-27, Saratoga
- Micromanage**, Brother Jeremiah, g, 4, o/o Susie's a Cowgirl, by Cowtown Cat. ALW, 7-27, Finger Lakes
- Midshipman**, Backyard Money, f, 3, o/o Beccawhit, by Roman Ruler. MSW, 7-27, Saratoga
- Mohaymen**, Sue Ellen Mishkin, f, 3, o/o Robin of Halfmoon, by Uncle Mo. ALW, 7-27, Finger Lakes
- More Than Ready**, Ronstadt, g, 3, o/o Lophorina (GB), by King's Best. MCL, 7-27, Colonial Downs
- Mr Speaker**, Classic Intention, g, 3, o/o Rumari, by Dixie Union. MSW, 7-26, Louisiana Downs
- Munnings**, Kimari, m, 5, o/o Cozze Up Lady, by Cozzene. GII Honorable Miss H., 7-27, Saratoga
- Noble Mission (GB)**, Noble Huntsman, c, 2, o/o My Cara Mia, by Colonel John. MSW, 7-27, Saratoga
- Nyquist**, A Real Jewel, f, 4, o/o A Few Good Friends, by Quality Road. AOC, 7-27, Delaware
- Pioneer of the Nile**, Irish Unity, g, 4, o/o Justwhistledixie, by Dixie Union. ALW, 7-27, Thistledown
- Pure Prize**, Red Knight, g, 8, o/o Isabel Away, by Skip Away. Colonial Cup S., 7-27, Colonial Downs

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- Super Ninety Nine**, Rio Abajo, g, 5, o/o Leawood, by Cape Canaveral. AOC, 7-27, Presque Isle Downs
- The Big Beast**, Nimble Beast, g, 5, o/o Cat Be Nimble, by Tale of the Cat. AOC, 7-27, Parx Racing
- Union Jackson**, We Want Action, g, 3, o/o Wild Child, by Hook and Ladder. MSW, 7-26, Fort Erie
- Vadamos (Fr)**, Messidor (Ire), f, 4, o/o Pyrenean Queen (Ire), by Zoffany (Ire). AOC, 7-27, Saratoga
- War Front**, Crowley's War, g, 4, o/o Crowley's Law (GB), by Dubawi (Ire). MSW, 7-27, Presque Isle Downs



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BAAEED CONTINUES MOMENTUM IN THE SUSSEX



Baaeed | Getty Images

by Tom Frary

It takes a real good one to make Goodwood's G1 Qatar Sussex S.--a "Win And You're In" for the GI Breeders' Cup Mile--look like a piece of strong work, but then all who assembled on the Downs on Wednesday have come to expect nothing less by now from Shadwell's stellar miler **Baaeed (GB)** (*Sea The Stars {Ire}*). Like the champions **Rock of Gibraltar (Ire)** and **Frankel (GB)**, who stopped off here as they devoured Group 1s, the peerless homebred is almost running his own virtual reality race against them by now. The best that has passed through the able hands of William Haggas, the 1-6 shot was able to garner another prize at these heights without a hint of stress as his adoring owner Sheikha Hissa Hamdan Al Maktoum glowed with pride.

Kept wide and out of any potential bother that can afflict even the most talented at this venue, Jim Crowley asked him to shut down the brave front-running **Bathrat Leon (Jpn)** (Kizuna {Jpn}) heading to the furlong pole and the result was settled in customary rapid fashion. That sprinter's pace he displayed so flagrantly at Royal Ascot took him to the line 1 3/4 lengths to the good over the 3-year-old **Modern Games (Ire)** (Dubawi {Ire}), despite his rider revealing that he had switched off in front. Last year's winner **Alcohol Free (Ire)** (*No Nay Never*) could not land a blow this time, 1 3/4 lengths away in third as she denied the Japanese raider what would have been a worthy placing by a short head. [Cont. p3](#)

GROUP OF "INDUSTRY HEAVYWEIGHTS" PROPOSE RADICAL CHANGES TO BHA

By Brian Sheerin

A group of "industry heavyweights" has made proposals to the BHA ahead of the governing body's upcoming strategy review in an effort to help combat the problems facing British racing.

Peter Savill, a former BHB chairman, revealed to the *Nick Luck Daily Podcast* on Wednesday that he had spoken to a number of key industry stakeholders after the group's plans for the restructuring of British racing were leaked to *The Times* newspaper.

"Over the last few months, I have met with a number of industry heavyweights to get their perspective on a number of issues facing British racing," Savill told the *Nick Luck Daily Podcast*. [Cont. p13](#)

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The Platinum Queen (Ire) (Cotai Glory {GB}) set a juvenile course record in the five-furlong EBF Alice Keppel Fillies' Conditions S. for 2-year-olds at Goodwood on Wednesday. Go to page 17 of TDN Europe for more. | PA Media

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After Baaeed (GB) (Sea The Stars {Ire}) won the G1 Qatar Sussex S., Emma Berry caught up with the colt's owner, Sheikh Hissa Hamdan Al Maktoum.

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No Nay Never's Trillium (GB) was a gutsy winner of the G3 Market Molecomb S. at Goodwood on Wednesday.

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G1 Qatar Sussex S. Cont. from p1

“That was some feeling, it really was,” Crowley said. “He came into the race between the three and the two unbelievably--he just cruises into it. The race went perfectly and if anything, he shut down when he hit the front so I gave him a couple of taps today. You can see from his demeanour after the race, it takes nothing out of him--he hardly blew. He’s a horse of a lifetime and it’s a testament to the breeding operation. For sure, he’s the best I’ve ridden--he’s something else.”

While the clock had already told us that Baaeed had star material before his emergence at the 2021 Qatar Goodwood Festival, the dynamic colt we now know really emerged here with a 6 1/2-length rout which acted as a springboard to his first assignment at this level in the Prix du Moulin. Comfortable in success in that ParisLongchamp feature, there was not enough in his performance to convince all that he could subdue Palace Pier (GB) (Kingman {GB}) in the Queen Elizabeth II S. but on Champions Day he had the sharper acceleration of the two. This is not a family that stands still and the winter months benefitted him so well that he was able to enjoy a procession in the Lockinge. While the Queen Anne was more of a test due to the ride given to the classy Real World (Ire) (Dark Angel {Ire}), it only

served to draw out his ability to perform radically-quick sectionals when most at this trip are tying up.

Anchored towards the back throughout the early stages of this contest which was shaped by the enterprise of Ryusei Sakai on the 66-1 shot Bathrat Leon, he matched strides with Alcohol Free until leaving her behind heading to the cutaway. While the filly was a touch snared in traffic towards the rail, Baaeed’s sheer athletic edge was already telling and as he went beyond recall it was left to Modern Games to give closest pursuit. The fact that the runner-up was able to get to within two lengths of the winner at the line makes the loss of Coroebus (Ire) (Dubawi {Ire}) the race’s only downside, but the way Baaeed operates puts the pondering of any other outcome into the realms of fantasy.

Now on five straight Group 1 wins alongside former turf giants Dubai Millennium (GB), Enable (GB), Giant’s Causeway and St Mark’s Basilica (Fr), it is on to number six at York as he goes up more than two furlongs for the Aug. 17 G1 Juddmonte International.

“I don’t see 10 furlongs being a problem for him,” his rider added. “He’s had an easy time and William can give him a lovely run-in to York now.”

Haggas, a proud Yorkshireman, holds the Ebor week in which the Juddmonte International is encased as close to his heart as any of the great British festivals. [Cont. p4](#)

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Lope De Vega	2011	200	32	17
No Nay Never	2015	202	31	15
Siyouni	2011	161	23	14
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G1 Qatar Sussex S. Cont.

He can now relish the lead-up to Baaeed’s next examination over an extended 10 furlongs which looks more straightforward after some notable defections over the past week or so.

“Today was a big day, but I’m really looking forward to stepping up to 10 furlongs, as I think he would enjoy it. We’ll go for the Champion S. or the QEII, depending on how he gets on at York. It’s a relief and we’ve got him for two more races after this, so let’s just enjoy him and make the most of him.”

Sheikha Hissa Hamdan Al Maktoum summed up the emotion of the moment. “For me, and for my family, he means the world,” she said. “He’s from the lineage that my father worked hard on and he’s a pleasure to have. He has a very calm exterior and loves his work, so that’s nice to see from a horse person’s perspective. I’m very excited to see him at York--he’s ready for a mile and a quarter.”

Charlie Appleby said of Modern Games, who was back at his optimum trip over which he won the G1 Poule d’Essai des Poulains, “He is like his father--he goes down on his sword. Everyone said to me you’ve got your substitute, but

he is no substitute--he has won a Breeders’ Cup Juvenile and a French Guineas. I would like to have a few more substitutes like that! He will either go to Canada or Keeneland and then you will see him in Kentucky for the GI Breeders’ Cup Mile.”

William Buick summed it up when adding, “It was a race for second and Modern Games came second, so we are delighted.”

Alcohol Free’s trainer Andrew Balding commented, “She has run a marvellous race. I thought Rob Hornby did a beautiful job of getting her to settle. She was checked at a crucial stage, but

she would not have got anywhere near the winner. However, despite losing some momentum, she has put her head down and stayed on right the way to the line. William Haggas couldn’t believe how much she had developed, as you sort of miss it when you see her every day. She has really developed into a fantastic-looking racemare and we are thrilled with her.”

“I am leaving future plans up to Jeff [Smith],” Balding added. “We have entered her in everything over six furlongs up to a mile at Group 1 level. The filly will tell us to a certain extent, but anything is possible. It could be France, the Matron S. or the Haydock Sprint Cup. She owes us nothing, but she is thriving at

the minute, but as soon as we think she has had enough, that will be that.”



Jim Crowley, Baaeed & Sheikha Hissa | *Racingfotos.com*

Pedigree Notes

Following the outcome of Saturday’s King George, it is with even greater disappointment that the sport has been denied the prospect of seeing Baaeed’s full-brother Hukum (Ire) back up his ready G1 Coronation Cup defeat of Pyledriver (GB) (Harbour Watch {Ire}). Also successful in the G2 Dubai City Of Gold and a trio of Group 3 races over 12

furlongs or more, it is a foregone conclusion on a pedigree basis that Baaeed will eat up the mile-and-a-quarter-plus of the Juddmonte International.

The dam Aghareed (Kingmambo) won over that trip in the Listed Prix de Liancourt and is a daughter of Lahudood (GB) (Singspiel {Ire}) who achieved champion grass mare status with wins in the GI Breeders’ Cup Filly and Mare Turf and GI Flower Bowl Invitational. **Cont. p5**

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 Unbeaten BAAEED takes his fifth top-level success with victory in the Gr.1 Sussex Stakes at Glorious Goodwood.



G1 Qatar Sussex S. Cont.

With reference to Height Of Fashion's trio of Nashwan, Nayef and Unfuwain, it is a surprise that the freakish Baaeed possesses what is effectively sprinting speed and that will be a rare weapon at York in three weeks' time. Aghareed also has the unraced 3-year-old filly Zaghaareed (GB) (Intello {Ger}), 2-year-old colt Naqeeb (Ire) (Nathaniel {Ire}) and a yearling colt by Night Of Thunder (Ire).

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QATAR SUSSEX S.-G1, £1,000,000, Goodwood, 7-27, 3yo/up, 8ft, 1:37.74, g/f.

1--**BAAEED (GB)**, 136, c, 4, by **Sea The Stars (Ire)**

1st Dam: Aghareed, by Kingmambo

2nd Dam: Lahudood (GB), by Singspiel (Ire)

3rd Dam: Rahayeb (GB), by Arazi

O/B-Shadwell Estate Company Ltd (GB); T-William Haggas; J-Jim Crowley. £567,100. Lifetime Record: 9-9-0-0, \$2,635,010.

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

2--**Modern Games (Ire)**, 128, c, 3, Dubawi (Ire)--Modern Ideals (GB), by New Approach (Ire). O/B-Godolphin (IRE); T-Charlie Appleby. £215,000.

3--**Alcohol Free (Ire)**, 133, f, 4, **No Nay Never**--Plying, by **Hard Spun.** (€40,000 Wlg '18 GOFNOV). O-J C Smith; B-Churchtown House Stud (IRE); T-Andrew Balding. £107,600.

Margins: 1 3/4, 1 3/4, SHD. Odds: 0.17, 12.00, 11.00.

Also Ran: Bathrat Leon (Jpn), Angel Bleu (Fr), Chindit (Ire), Order

Of Australia (Ire). [Click for the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.](#) **VIDEO.**

'HE'S PART OF MY LIFE NOW': SHEIKHA

HISSA PAYS TRIBUTE TO BAAEED *By Emma Berry*

GOODWOOD, UK--Wearing a brooch bearing the image of her late father pinned to her robe, Sheikha Hissa Hamdan Al Maktoum greeted the horse who has become, for her, so much more than just the best racehorse in the world.

As the unbeaten Baaeed (GB) ([Sea The Stars {Ire}](#)) returned triumphant for the ninth time, she said, "[He's in] every conversation, every conversation. He's part of my life now. My father bred him. It's a 40-year, even longer, process so it just feels very homey and it's nice to have a horse like him. I'm very lucky."

The sheikha, in company with friends and family and the longstanding Shadwell racing team of Angus Gold and Richard Hills, watched the 4-year-old colt claim his fifth consecutive Group 1 victory on the big screen in Goodwood's parade ring, with a cheer going up from her entourage as Baaeed eased down crossing the line. As a long odds-on favourite, the William Haggas-trained colt, poised and at ease in the preliminaries, made it seem so straightforward: the best horse in the race had the perfect run through before being pulled wide in the straight by Jim Crowley and cruising home to win.

It is a scene that must have been played out myriad times in the minds of those closest to him but nothing in racing can be taken for granted, and as Baaeed surged clear to win, the tension among the Shadwell camp seemed almost visibly to dissipate as hugs and handshakes were exchanged.

"I was absolutely nervous but it is always good to see him," admitted Sheikha Hissa. "We thought he was going to miss this race and go straight to York but we kept him here and it turned out well, but I will always be nervous."

Though the crowd has seemed a little thinner for the first two days at Goodwood, the tiered banks around the parade ring were packed both before and after the G1 Qatar Sussex S., those present rightly craning for a glimpse of the top-rated horse in the world. [Cont. p6](#)

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Sheikha Hissa On Baaeed Cont.

"It's very heartwarming to see that people love this horse. I feel like it's a win for everyone really," said his owner after Baaeed had duly obliged those who turned out to see him by conjuring up yet another victory.

It was his second at Glorious Goodwood following last year's win in the G3 Thoroughbred S., the last time he was seen in anything other than top-level company. His next appearance will be a foray into uncharted territory as he steps up to 10 furlongs for the G1 Juddmonte International S. at York.

"A mile and a quarter definitely," said Sheikh Hissa, confirming that Baaed will be asked to race beyond the mile that has conquered so easily time and again. "He's ready and I can't wait to see it."

She added, "It's lovely to see a horse who tries and has his ears pricked the whole time. We were discussing whether to run him

in the Sussex last year or not but I stated 'no', we didn't want to rush him. So he's back now and he's won the Sussex and I'm very happy."

Sheikha Hissa is all too aware of the legacy of her father's bloodstock empire, which over four decades was responsible for 19 European Classic winners from an initial winner in Britain in July 1980. One of the cornerstones of the operation's broodmare band from its earliest days was Height Of Fashion (Fr) (Bustino {GB}), whose high-achieving offspring include the Derby, 2000 Guineas, and King George winner Nashwan (Blushing Groom), and whose influence is felt still through her fifth-generation descendant Baaeed. That continuity of



Baaeed streaks home a handy winner in the Sussex | PA Media

bloodline could well provide a foundation of a different form for Sheikha Hissa's tenure at the helm of Shadwell with the eventual stallion career of Baaeed. [Cont. p7](#)



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Sheikha Hissa On Baaeed Cont.

It is an eventuality which has already been alluded to by William Haggas, and Angus Gold, Sheikh Hamdan's racing manager for 25 years who now performs that same role for his daughter, spoke of the importance of Baaeed to a new-look, slimmed-down Shadwell.

"From a breeding point of view he's such a valuable proposition now. We have a new, fledgling operation and for Sheikha Hissa and her family he is so important to that," Gold said. "If we are lucky we will have him for 16, 17, or more years, however long it is if everything goes well. And if he happened to be a successful stallion he is so important to our operation that we need him to be breeding rather than to keep racing, I would imagine, but that is not my decision obviously. We will see what the family decide."

He, too, is looking forward to Baaeed being tried over a new distance.

Gold said, "He's so relaxed in his style of racing that he will give himself every chance of getting it. Jim [Crowley] said just now that when he got towards the line and he heard the crowd cheering he just pricked his ears and almost pulled himself up. I don't see any reason why he can't go further, and I would be amazed if it's lack of stamina that beats him."

As Sheikha Hissa applauded her champion's departure from the winner's enclosure and the presentations were completed, Gold admitted to a sense of relief after Baaeed had again maintained his spotless record.

"For me, almost the most special thing is that it's a culmination of all Sheikh Hamdan's work in trying to breed an absolute champion," he added. "We were lucky in the early days with Nashwan and Dayjur and some really good horses, but this horse is a fifth-generation homebred from Height Of Fashion, whom



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he adored and got him going early on in the breeding world, so to have this horse 40 years on is really special. I'm so thrilled for Sheikha Hissa, and for her family. They had a hard time last year without him, and for this horse to suddenly appear, it's almost like he was sent."

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TRILLIUM TRIUMPHS IN THE MOLECOMB

by Sean Cronin

Rockcliffe Stud's 2-year-old filly **Trillium (GB)** (No Nay Never--Marsh Hawk {GB}, by Invincible Spirit {Ire}) was the lone distaffer in Wednesday's G3 Markel Molecomb S. at Goodwood and took full advantage of her gender allowance to deny Listed Dragon S. victor **Rocket Rodney (GB)** (Dandy Man {Ire}) in the five-furlong dash.

She had opened up with a June 17 debut second tackling six furlongs at the Sussex venue and was let go at a generous 7-1 coming back off a four-length tally, again over six, at Newbury earlier this month. Unfazed in seventh behind furious early fractions up front here, she weaved a passage into contention approaching the final furlong and quickened smartly in the closing stages to win by 1 1/4 lengths, in a new track record, with plenty in hand. [Cont. p8](#)

G3 Markel Molecomb S. Cont.

“Trillium has always been a lovely filly, I was amazed she did not win here first time and she probably did not know enough and was a bit keen,” said trainer Richard Hannon. “She won her maiden very nicely at Newbury, we have come back from six furlongs to five and she is starting to look like a very nice 2-year-old. She came in late and is a credit to Rockcliffe Stud. We will look at the [G1] Prix Morny and Ed Sackville mentioned the [G1] Breeders’ Cup Juvenile Turf Sprint. I did not put her in the [G2] Lowther as she was not showing this much speed then. She does not have to sprint and six furlongs won’t be a problem. She looks like a very tall, strong 2-year-old and I would love to think she is a filly for next year, but she is a group winner now and that would be a bonus.”

Ed Sackville, racing manager for Rockcliffe Stud, added, “It is absolutely fantastic. This is a homebred filly out of a mare called

Marsh Hawk, who was fourth in the [G1] Fillies’ Mile for us. We were offered a lot of money for Marsh Hawk and luckily turned it down. It has paid off as Trillium has just won the Molecomb in impressive style and we are delighted. Richard was keen to drop

her down to five furlongs as he feels that she just shows so much speed. We had her in the Alice Keppel [conditions race], but as we’re owner-breeders, the black type is more important, so it’s great. I’ll talk to Richard about future plans, but a race that interests me is the Breeders’ Cup Juvenile Turf Sprint, a Grade I million-dollar race. That would be exciting, we’ve got black type and can go anywhere now.”

Rocket Rodney’s trainer George Scott reflected, “We were beaten fair and square by a better horse on the day. Trillium was the fly in

the ointment really for me going into the race. She’s a well-bred filly from a good operation, who was impressive last time out, and she was always the one I was worried about.” **Cont. p9**



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G3 Markel Molecomb S. Cont.

He added, “We’ve beaten Eddie’s Boy by the same distance we’ve beaten him in the last two starts, so we’ve probably just run to our form and she has improved past us. We are working back from the Breeders’ Cup, we will probably give him a couple of easy weeks and then work towards the [G2] Flying Childers. Then he will run once more, depending on the ground, and we want to end up at Keeneland for the 2-year-old five-furlong race on the Friday. It’s a newish race and it will be perfect for him.”

Third-placed Walbank’s rider Rossa Ryan added, “I had to do the donkey work on my own side, but I was a step slower away so that didn’t help. He has run well and he’s a real, true five-furlong horse. He should win his black-type race and I would be disappointed if he doesn’t.”

Pedigree Notes

Trillium is the third foal and scorer produced by G3 Dick Poole Fillies’ S. runner-up Marsh Hawk (GB) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}), herself a half-sister to G2 Queen Mary S. third Hairy Rocket (GB) (Pivotal {GB}). Hairy Rocket, in turn, is the dam of G2 Futurity S. third The Acropolis (Ire) (Churchill {Ire}). Trillium’s stakes-placed second dam Asaawir (GB) (Royal Applause {GB}), herself out of the multiple stakes-placed Triple Joy (GB) (Most Welcome {GB}), is a half-sister to stakes-winning G3 Prix de la Nonette runner-up Trinity Joy (GB) (Vettori {Ire}). The April-foaled homebred bay, who hails from a family featuring G2 Dante S. victor and dual Group 1-placed sire Carlton House (Street Cry {Ire}), is a half-sister to Listed Desert Code S. runner-up Mohawk King (Ire) (Siyouni {Fr}), a yearling colt by Ifraaj (GB) who is entered in the Goffs UK Premier Yearling Sale as **lot 113**, and a weanling colt by **Wootton Bassett (GB)**.

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Wednesday, Goodwood, Britain

MARKEL MOLECOMB S.-G3, £75,000, Goodwood, 7-27, 2yo, 5fT, :56.68 (NTR), g/f.

1--**TRILLIUM (GB)**, 126, f, 2, by **No Nay Never**

1st Dam: Marsh Hawk (GB), by Invincible Spirit (Ire)

2nd Dam: Asaawir (GB), by Royal Applause (GB)

3rd Dam: Triple Joy (GB), by Most Welcome (GB)

1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN; 1ST GROUP WIN. O/B-Rockcliffe Stud (GB); T-Richard Hannon; J-Pat Dobbs. £42,533. Lifetime Record: 3-2-1-0, \$61,028. **Werk Nick Rating: A+.** [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

2--**Rocket Rodney (GB)**, 129, g, 2, Dandy Man (Ire)--Alushta (GB), by Royal Applause (GB). **1ST GROUP BLACK TYPE.** (18,000gns Wlg ‘20 TATFOA; 18,000gns RNA Ylg ‘21 TATOCT). O-Victorious Racing; B-R W Stapleton (GB); T-George Scott. £16,125.

3--**Walbank (Ire)**, 129, c, 2, Kodiak (GB)--No Lippy (Ire), by **Oasis Dream (GB)**. (525,000gns 2yo ‘22 TATBRE). O-Amo Racing & Omnihorse Racing; B-Tally-Ho Stud (IRE); T-David Loughnane. £8,070.

Margins: 1 1/4, HF, 1HF. Odds: 7.00, 1.00, 4.00.

Also Ran: Eddie’s Boy (GB), Thunder Moor (Ire), Looking For Lynda (Ire), Studio City (Ire), Dickieburd (GB). [Click for the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.](#) **VIDEO.**

OSCULA ALL HEART IN THE OAK TREE

by Sean Cronin

Making her fourth start of the month, Nick Bradley Racing’s battle-hardened bargain buy **Oscula (Ire)** (Galileo Gold {GB}--Bisous Y Besos {Ire}, by Big Bad Bob {Ire}) went postward for Wednesday’s G3 Whispering Angel Oak Tree S. at Goodwood coming back off a narrow defeat in Ascot’s July 23 G3 Valiant S. and pounced late to secure a second pattern-race success in the seven-furlong distaffers’ test.

Last year’s G3 Prix Six Perfections victrix and G1 Prix Marcel Boussac third snagged June’s Listed Eternal S. at Carlisle before hitting the board in the July 2 Listed Coral Distaff at Sandown and the July 9 Listed City Plate S. at Chester in her penultimate start. The 10-3 favourite was swiftly into stride and raced a shade keenly early before settling into a rhythm along the rail in third. Shuffled down to fifth in the home straight, she regained ground under pressure to go second entering the final furlong and kept on relentlessly in the dying embers to nail 66-1 outsider **Internationalangel (Ire)** (Dark Angel {Ire}) by a head on the line.



Oscula (far side) | PA Media

“Oscula is a real flagbearer for Nick Bradley, who is a big supporter of the yard, and she was a huge part of our team last year,” said trainer George Boughey after claiming a first Glorious Goodwood winner. [Cont. p10](#)

G3 Whispering Angel Oak Tree S. Cont.

He added, "I did have my doubts about whether she would come back this year and I'm not sure how many times she's run already this year, but she's a real star and just keeps trying. My girlfriend Laura rides her out, so it is a special success. She has run four times in July and I think she is peaking here. She is by Galileo Gold, who is dear to our hearts, and it means a lot. She is remarkable and puts her weight back on within 24 hours [of racing] and she is a real star. I have her entered in a Group 3 in France in a couple of weeks, but she would have a penalty now. The long-term aim is the [G1] Prix de la Foret, as she loves soft ground."

Runner-up Internationalangel's rider Adam Kirby commented, "I thought I had put it to bed, but I just bumped into one on the day. She is a very special filly for the owner [Laurence Holder] and for the yard. She has run with full credit. She had a long winter on the All-Weather, but she has had a break and is in very capable hands, so hopefully she keeps on improving."

Reflecting on the performance of Samahram, trainer Francis-Henri Graffard said, "I thought Samahram would have enough pace to use her good draw [in five], but she could not keep her position. When I saw where she was, I thought she needed a lot of luck in running. I knew she had the quality to quicken, but Frankie [Dettori] said he got stopped twice. You come here and want to win, she is a nice filly and that is the most important thing. I really like this place and really want to win a race here. We need luck and she will have her day."

Pedigree Notes

Oscula, kin to the unraced 2-year-old colt Apex (Ire) (Kessaar {Ire}) and a yearling colt by Prince Of Lir (Ire), is the second of four foals and lone performer out of a half-sister to Listed Silken Glider S. and Listed Rothesay S. placegetter Coeur d'Amour (Ire) (Zoffany {Ire}). Descendants of her multiple-winning third dam Refined (Ire) (Statoblest {Ire}) include G2 Mill Reef S. scorer and G1 Golden Jubilee S. second Galeota (Ire) (Mujadil), last term's G2 Mill Reef S. winner Wings Of War (Ire) (Dark Angel {Ire}), dual Group 3 scorer Brown Sugar (Ire) (Tamayuz {GB}), G3 Sirenia S. victor Burnt Sugar (Ire) (Lope De Vega {Ire}) and stakes-winning G3 Prix de Cabourg second Darkanna (Ire) (Dark Angel {Ire}).

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Wednesday, Goodwood, Britain

WHISPERING ANGEL OAK TREE S.-G3, £80,000, Goodwood, 7-27, 3yo/up, f, 7ft, 1:25.64, g/f.

1--**OSCULA (IRE)**, 124, f, 3, by Galileo Gold (GB)

1st Dam: Bisous Y Besos (Ire), by Big Bad Bob (Ire)

2nd Dam: Adoring (Ire), by One Cool Cat

3rd Dam: Refined (Ire), by Statoblest (Ire)

(4,000gns Ylg '20 TATOC). O-Nick Bradley Racing 20; B-Padraig Williams (IRE); T-George Boughey; J-William Buick. £45,368.

Lifetime Record: 17-5-3-6, \$338,598. **Werk Nick Rating: A.**

Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.

2--**Internationalangel (Ire)**, 131, m, 5, Dark Angel (Ire)--Wrong Answer (GB), by Verglas (Ire). **1ST GROUP BLACK TYPE.**

(110,000gns Ylg '18 TAOCT; £8,000 3yo '20 GOFSP; 19,000gns RNA HRA '21 TATHRA). O-Laurence Holder; B-J Hanly, A Stroud & Castlemartin Sky (IRE); T-Jane Chapple-Hyam. £17,200.

3--**Samahram (Fr)**, 124, f, 3, Sea The Moon (Ger)--Djumama (Ire), by Aussie Rules. (€160,000 Ylg '20 ARDEAY). O-Al Shaqab Racing; B-Stall Phillip I (FR); T-Francis-Henri Graffard. £8,608.

 Purchased by **Mandore Agency's Nicolas de Watrigant** 
Margins: HD, 1 1/4, 3/4. Odds: 3.33, 66.00, 5.50.

Also Ran: Hello You (Ire), Primo Bacio (Ire), Symphony Perfect (Ire), Bounce The Blues (Ire), Heredia (GB), Allayaali (Ire), Roman Mist (Ire), Soft Whisper (Ire), She Do (GB), Honey Sweet (Ire), Miss Carol Ann (Ire), Happy Craf (Arg). Scratched: Improvised (Ire), Benefit (GB). **Click for the free Equine.com catalogue-style pedigree. VIDEO.**

FLYING HONOURS JOINS THE RISING STAR

RANKS by Tom Frary

Charlie Appleby's juveniles are really starting to come to the fore and **Flying Honours (GB)** ([Sea The Stars {Ire}](#)) was the latest to shine brightly as he earned **TDN Rising Star** status with a 9 1/2-length success in Sandown's British Stallion Studs EBF Novice S. on Wednesday. Sent off the 2-5 favourite for the seven-furlong contest won 12 months ago by El Bodegon (Ire) (Kodiac {GB}), having finished fourth in the Newmarket July Festival maiden won by TDN Rising Star Epictetus (Ire) ([Kingman {GB}](#)), the son of the G3 Prix Fille de l'Air winner Powder Snow (Dubawi {Ire}) raced behind the leading duo early with James Doyle keen to educate him. Taking time to get to the Hannon runner **Starnberg (Ire)** (Clodovil {Ire}) once woken up three out, the Godolphin homebred was in command a furlong later and when shown the whip surged on to a 9 1/2-length success from that rival. There was another 1 1/2-length margin back to the Andrew Balding-trained **Grenham Bay (Ire)** (Dark Angel {Ire}) in third.

"His work was nice before Newmarket--he's worked with Highbank and the likes of him and it just shows that a first run can catch them out, as he was left on the wing there," Doyle said of the winner, who becomes the 16th '**TDN Rising Star**' for [Sea The Stars](#). "He's put that behind him today. I was confident he'd stay this stiff seven and he relished it and galloped through the line really well and showed quality there. He was very relaxed and slightly behind the bridle, but he's a chilled character."

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Flying Honours Cont.

The winner is the second foal out of the dam, who started out with Appleby before being transferred to Henri-Alex Pantall and winning the Toulouse feature and a listed contest in Germany. She is a half-sister to Sea Of Snow (Distorted Humor), who was precocious enough to be third in the Listed Woodcote S., and to the G2 Diana-Trial and G3 Grosser Preis der Mehl-Mulhens-Stiftung-placed Snow (Ger) by **Sea The Stars's** Sea The Moon (Ger). The third dam is Snow Bride (Blushing Groom {Fr}), the G3 Princess Royal S. and G3 Musidora S. winner who was awarded the Oaks in 1989 on the disqualification of Aliysa (GB) (Darshaan {GB}). Snow Bride produced Godolphin's ground-breaking Lammtarra (Nijinsky II), hero of the Derby, King George and Arc. Powder Snow's first foal is the 3-year-old full-sister to the winner Snow Tempest (Ire), who has won for Pantall over 14 1/2 furlongs, albeit at a low level, at Durtal last month. Her yearling filly is by **Siyouni (Fr)**, while she also has a colt foal by Invincible Spirit (Ire).

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3rd-Sandown, £9,900, Novice, 7-27, 2yo, 7fT, 1:30.61, g/f.

FLYING HONOURS (GB), c, 2, by **Sea The Stars (Ire)**

1st Dam: Powder Snow (GSW-Fr, SW-Ger), by Dubawi (Ire)

2nd Dam: Snow Ballerina (GB), by Sadler's Wells

3rd Dam: Snow Bride, by Blushing Groom (Fr)

Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$7,575. Click for the **free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree. VIDEO.**

O/B-Godolphin (GB); T-Charlie Appleby.

RACE PREVIEWS

NASHWA TAKES UP THE MANTLE

by Tom Frary

After the wins of Kyprios (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) and Baaeed (GB) (**Sea The Stars {Ire}**) on the first two days of the Qatar Goodwood Festival, it is up to **Nashwa (GB) (Frankel {GB})** to maintain the stranglehold of the favourites in the meeting's premier contests on Thursday. Looking a standout in the feature G1 Qatar Nassau S., Imad Al Sagar's G1 Prix de Diane heroine gets nine pounds from the older fillies and mares in a race which has been won by the Classic generation in seven of the last 10 editions. Third in the G1 Oaks, where stamina was probably the main issue, she is the apple of Thady Gosden's eye and he said, "She ran a very good race in the Oaks at Epsom, she just didn't

quite see out the mile and a half. She's a well-balanced filly with excellent tactical speed. She switches off well, we think she'll handle the track and she's very versatile technically as well."

The Dream Is Still Alive

If there is one among the older brigade who could defy the weight-for-age, it is the impressive May 29 G1 Prix d'Ispahan winner **Dreamloper (Ire)** (Lope De Vega {Ire}) who was undone by easy ground when subsequently sixth in the G1 Pretty Polly S. at the Curragh June 26. This has been Ed Walker's target for some time and all the boxes are ticked. "The ground was the problem at the Curragh last time and also she got a bit crowded, which made her a bit keen," he explained. "Keeness has always been a bit of a thing for her, but she's been quite good this year. On that ground, though, Kieran [Shoemark] said she was wheel-spinning. We can put a line through that. The win in the Prix d'Ispahan was great. It was really quick ground there--I walked the track and there's no way it was the good-to-soft that they were calling it--but she settled great that day. When she settles she has a deadly turn of foot and the faster the ground the better."



Nashwa | PA Media

The Long And Winding Road

Jon and Julia Aisbitt have had some smart fillies down the years who have come close to this standard, including Malabar (GB) (Raven's Pass) who won two group races here, and there is the prospect that the William Haggas-trained **Lilac Road (Ire)** (Mastercraftsman {Ire}) could be the best they have bred. Third on her sole visit to this track in the Listed Conqueror Fillies' S. last May, the homebred was only fifth behind Dreamloper and **Ville De Grace (GB)** (Le Havre {Ire}) in the nine-furlong G2 Dahlia S. at Newmarket a year later but bounced out of that race to win York's G2 Middleton Fillies' S. just 11 days later. **Cont. p12**

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From a stable which has lines to every top-class filly and mare in Europe, she has to be respected despite needing further progression to land a prize such as this. “The only reason she hasn’t run since is that there aren’t many races for fillies when they’ve won their Group 2,” her trainer explained. “There’s only really the Pretty Polly, in which we ran two others. Also it was soft ground, which she doesn’t want. She’s fresh and well and she’s in good shape. She’ll run a good race, but whether she’s quite up to that class we’ll find out.”

Royal Approval

Goodwood’s G2 Richmond S. was once one of the most important juvenile races in the calendar, but the recent record of the race which once boasted the likes of J. O. Tobin and Warning is distinctly hit-and-miss. Paul Cole was one of its biggest fans in his heyday in the 80s and 90s and it seems significant that the three-times-winning Whatcombe legend has targeted it with the Hayses’ exciting **Royal Scotsman (Ire)** (**Gleneagles {Ire}**). Off the mark by five lengths over this track and six-furlong trip May 20, he went on to finish third in the June 14 G2 Coventry S. and of those who were behind him in that novice the re-opposing **Bluelight Bay (Ire)** (**Exceed And Excel {Aus}**) has won at Windsor June 25, **Mischief Magic (Ire)** (**Exceed And Excel {Aus}**)

captured the competitive maiden here on Tuesday and **Show Respect (Ire)** (**Showcasing {GB}**) has been second in the G2 July S. Oliver Cole now shares the trainer’s licence and said, “The horse is in really good form and we decided to skip the July S. at Newmarket, because he’s a big horse and we wanted to give him a bit more time between races as he’s still growing. He ran in the Coventry on pretty quick ground and I don’t think the ground worries him. We didn’t have enough cover in the Coventry, so arguably there’s improvement there.”

More Lurkers?

Tuesday and Wednesday’s pattern races for the 2-year-olds here were won by unexposed types setting foot in that company for the first time and the Richmond has an intriguing pair in Raed El Youssef’s **Al Karrar (Ire)** (**Dark Angel {Ire}**) and Other hopefuls include Balding’s dual winner Chateau, Tom Clover’s

impressive Windsor scorer Al Karrar and Nick Bradley Racing and Elaine Burke’s **Marshman (GB)** (**Harry Angel {Ire}**). Successful on debut by 3 3/4 lengths in a Windsor maiden over this trip June 20, Shadwell’s Goffs Autumn cast-off Al Karrar has been kept fresh for this by Tom Clover and it is telling that the fifth home at Windsor, **Swift Asset (Ire)** (**Profitable {Ire}**), is the chosen representative of the Richard Hannon stable always keen to target this. Marshman warrants respect as Karl Burke’s representative and he gave all the right vibes on his winning debut at Ayr July 3. “His work at home has been excellent. He’s been working with Lethal Levi, Holloway Boy and Cold Case which are some of Karl’s fastest colts,” Bradley said. “When he won he was a little green, he made a mess of the start and was again green at the finish, but he’s probably my best chance of the week on the figures.”

How Ya Doin’?



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Not seen since his surprise second in the Derby, the £1.2-million colt **Hoo Ya Mal (GB)** (**Territories {Ire}**) reappears in the G3 John Pearce Racing Gordon S. under the auspices of George Boughey. Three times the price of last year’s Blue Riband runner-up Mojo Star (Ire) (**Sea The Stars {Ire}**) at 150-1 at Epsom June 4, Go Bloodstock’s representative looks to boost that form after it took a knock in the King George. “His work is good, he’s the highest-rated horse in the race and he goes

there with a good chance,” Boughey said. “He’s in the Leger and while he’s not in at York [in the Great Voltigeur], he could go to York—the plan is pretty fluid at the moment, what he does over here. I’d like to see him in the Leger and I think that’s very much the plan for Gai and Adrian [Bott].” Charlie Appleby has saddled four runners over the first two days of the festival and has had two winners, a second and a third with **New London (Ire)** (**Dubawi {Ire}**) the forecast favourite following his handicap win at Newmarket’s July Festival. Abdulla Al Mansoori’s **‘TDN Rising Star’ West Wind Blows (Ire)** (**Teofilo {Ire}**) was ninth in the Derby after starting off too fast and has since shown that he has come off that experience a better horse when winning Hamilton’s Listed Glasgow S. by 7 1/2 lengths 13 days ago.

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He added, "As a result of that, we have put together a letter to the BHA outlining principles that we think they should take forward into their upcoming strategy review which starts around August/September time.

"Those people are, as I say, heavyweights in the industry across all spectrums, so we are talking owners, breeders, trainers, racecourses and the betting industry. It was a very good cross-section of people who felt these principals were worth putting forward to the BHA. It is now up to them."

The key issues, according to Savill, concentrated mainly on field sizes, prize-money and what he has labelled as a drain of equine talent. Earlier this month it emerged that Juddmonte's Thesis (GB) (Kingman {GB}), successful in the Britannia S. at Royal Ascot for Harry and Roger Charlton, was the latest high-class horse to be sold out of Britain to continue his career overseas after a deal was brokered for him to be sold to Hong Kong.

Savill drew parallels between British racing and a football league continuously losing its best talent to foreign clubs with deeper pockets and predicted huge damage could be done to the core product in Britain if the rot is not halted soon whilst suggesting that increasing the amount of Sunday fixtures was an avenue worth pursuing.

"Although British prize-money has gone up, to the point where in 2022 it will be £170 million, which will be a record, the problem is, all other countries have gone up a lot faster than ours, particularly in America, where betting off-track has now been legalised.

"There is a general problem with prize-money but it has now been exacerbated because our horses are not racing for the prize-money that they are worth. We have two real problems, one is field sizes and the other is basically a horse drain, which is a loss of horses at the top end."

Savill added, "That has been caused by two things; first of all, we lost some major owners in the past few years from

Juddmonte, Cheveley Park, Shadwell and King Power. Between 2019 and 2021, those owners are owning 20% less runners and the situation is going to get considerably worse in 2022 with those particular owners.

"The bigger problem is that now, those horses rated in the 80 to 85 range are getting offers up to £200,000 and £250,000 to go off to America to run straight off the plane and win maidens for \$100,000. The reduction in the number of horses at the top end has been quite dramatic and when you look at the statistics the BHA put out on an equine drain review recently, every single statistic shows an accelerating departure of horses rated 85 and up.

"That's the problem that we are faced with; if all of our top footballers were leaving the Premier League and going off to Spain or Italy, the Premier League would have far less appeal to people and the media rights would be far less valuable. That's

the equivalent of what we've got-our top horses are disappearing faster than we can do anything about it and we have to do something about it."

Savill does not think his views are elitist. Moreover, he is of the opinion that by reducing races at the higher end of the spectrum and increasing races for moderate animals, a mutually beneficial environment can be created.

"You have to get your better field sizes at the top end because that's where the greater betting turnover goes. What that means is, we need to reduce the races

at the top end and put on more races at the bottom end. If you put on fewer races at the top end, automatically the prize-money will be divided between fewer races to start with. And at the bottom end, the people owning horses will have smaller field sizes and it will be good for them because they will have more races to run their horses in."

Asked if that, as a result, those horses at the bottom of the food chain would be running for miserly figures, Savill responded, "They certainly shouldn't be running for anything less than what they are running for now but they will be running for far more prize-money because there will be more races for them to actually go and win. It will be easier to win because, instead of running in races with field sizes of 15 and 16 and, rather than getting balloted out, they will be running with field sizes of around 10." **Cont. p14**



Thesis (pink hat): the Royal Ascot winner is part of the horse drain
Megan Ridgwell

Radical Changes Proposed For BHA Cont.

He continued, "We need to level up field sizes so we have the right field sizes for the right class of races. That means fewer races at the top and more races at the bottom."

It is commonplace in Ireland and France to run flagship races on Sundays whereas the majority of the big races run in Britain take place on a Saturday. However, Savill believes it is time to explore staging more of the bigger meetings on Sunday, despite the fact that the fixtures would enter into direct competition with Ireland and France.

He explained, "We think there should be more top-end racing televised on a Sunday rather than a bouncing castle day, which Sunday racing is becoming. All the evidence shows from the betting industry and the levy board that Sunday is the best and biggest opportunity for us to develop top-class racing, not just ordinary racing, but top-class racing. That's what happens in Ireland and France but for some reason it has never happened in England. Maybe we should run fewer fixtures on Sundays but they should be quality fixtures with quality horses and the evidence suggests that turnover would be far greater than it is at the moment, as long as it's on terrestrial television."

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CHAMPAGNE NEXT FOR UNDEFEATED ISAAC SHELBY



Isaac Shelby | PA Media

The Sept. 10 G2 Champagne S. is next for the unbeaten **Isaac Shelby (GB)** (Night Of Thunder {Ire}), according to trainer Brian Meehan. Owned by the Manton Thoroughbreds VII partnership led by Sam Sangster, the chestnut won at Newbury on debut, and followed up in the July 9 G2 Superlative S. If the colt continues to progress, a crack at the G1 2000 Guineas is on the horizon next spring.

"We put him in the Champagne S. at Doncaster and that is

probably likely to be his next spot," said Meehan. "He has taken the race well. He has had a little break and we couldn't be happier with him.

"He was impressive in the way he battled like that. He wasn't going to stop. There is lots to look forward to and we are looking forward to the autumn.

"The plan is to definitely train him as a Guineas horse going forward. He is a colt with huge potential. Physically, you'd think there would be massive improvement to come, but he has plenty of time before Doncaster."

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JULY COURSE WEIGHING ROOM AND HEAD-ON STAND TO BE REDEVELOPED

The weighing room and head-on stand at Newmarket's July Course will be redeveloped between 2022 and 2023, The Jockey Club announced on Wednesday. The internal layout and facilities of the weighing room will be upgraded as part of an ongoing industry-wide project. However, the traditional thatched roof overlooking the winner's enclosure will be retained. Both the head-on stand and trackside bar facilities will be upgraded and include a first-floor viewing terrace with stunning views of the racecourse. The head-on stand will receive a new roof and the project will also contain sustainability improvements for the July Course via solar panels and low-energy lighting.

Sophie Able, General Manager of Newmarket Racecourses, said, "The new complex will give racing professionals and participants the top-class facilities they need as well as enhancing the customer experience, all whilst maintaining the unique look and feel of The July Course. We are looking forward to work beginning in the autumn and finishing the project before racing returns in June 2023."

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An artist's rendering of the improvements | Roberts Limbrick

FIRST-SEASON SIRE WITH RUNNERS

Thursday, July 28, 2022:

FRANCE

Cloth of Stars (Ire) ([Sea The Stars {Ire}](#)), Haras du Logis
75 foals of racing age/2 winners/0 black-type winners
4-LION D'ANGERS, 1400m, Emerald Lake (Fr)
€25,000 Arqana Deauville August Yearling Sale 2021

Kessaar (Ire) (Kodiac {GB}), Tally-Ho Stud
77 foals of racing age/8 winners/0 black-type winners
4-LION D'ANGERS, 1400m, Molly Weasley (Ire)
3,000gns RNA Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2020; £9,000 RNA
Goffs UK Premier & Silver Yearlings 2021; £6,300 Tattersalls
Guineas Breeze Up & HIT Sale 2022

Recoletos (Fr) (Whipper), Haras du Quesnay
52 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners
4-LION D'ANGERS, 1400m, Harmattan (Fr)
€12,000 Arqana Deauville October Yearlings 2021

Sioux Nation (Scat Daddy), Coolmore Stud
164 foals of racing age/18 winners/0 black-type winners
4-LION D'ANGERS, 1400m, Ile Saint Louis (Ire)
€5,000 Arqana Deauville February Mixed Sale 2021
4-LION D'ANGERS, 1400m, Soul of The Nation (Ire)
€10,000 Arqana Deauville October Yearlings 2021

UNITED KINGDOM

Cracksman (GB) ([Frankel {GB}](#)), Dalham Hall Stud
122 foals of racing age/7 winners/1 black-type winner
17:20-GOODWOOD, 7f, Miss Dynamic (GB)
78,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2021

Expert Eye (GB) (Acclamation {GB}), Banstead Manor Stud
97 foals of racing age/9 winners/0 black-type winners
18:45-SALISBURY, 6f, Hello Deira (Ire)
£70,000 Goffs UK Premier & Silver Yearlings 2021; 35,000gns
Tattersalls Craven Breeze Up Sale 2022

Harry Angel (Ire) (Dark Angel {Ire}), Dalham Hall Stud
105 foals of racing age/7 winners/0 black-type winners
13:00-NOTTINGHAM, 5f, Ange de L'Amour (GB)
27,000gns Tattersalls Somerville Yearling Sale 2021
14:25-GOODWOOD, 150K GII THE RICHMOND STAKES (CLASS 1)
(Group 2)6f, Marshman (GB)

5,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 3) 2021;
£38,000 Goffs UK 2yo Breeze Up Sale 2022

Havana Grey (GB) (Havana Gold {Ire}), Whitsbury Manor Stud
115 foals of racing age/28 winners/1 black-type winner
17:20-GOODWOOD, 7f, Enola Grey (Ire)
10,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 3) 2021

James Garfield (Ire) (Exceed And Excel {Aus}), Rathbarr Stud
46 foals of racing age/3 winners/1 black-type winner
13:00-NOTTINGHAM, 5f, Jazzagal (Ire)
€12,000 Goffs Sportman's Yearling Sale 2021; £21,000 Goffs UK
2yo Breeze Up Sale 2022

Jungle Cat (Ire) (Iffraaj {GB}), Kildangan Stud
17 foals of racing age/2 winners/0 black-type winners
16:10-GOODWOOD, 7f, Miss Jungle Cat (GB)
60,000gns Tattersalls Somerville Yearling Sale 2021

Kessaar (Ire) (Kodiac {GB}), Tally-Ho Stud
77 foals of racing age/8 winners/0 black-type winners
14:25-GOODWOOD, 150K GII THE RICHMOND STAKES (CLASS 1)
(Group 2)6f, Shine's Ambition (Ire)
€9,000 RNA Goffs November Foal Sale 2020; €10,000
Tattersalls Ireland Goresbridge Breeze Up 2022

Lightning Spear (GB) (Pivotal {GB}), Tweenhills Stud
21 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners
19:00-EPSON DOWNS, 7f, Greased Lightning (GB)
26,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 3) 2021

Roaring Lion (Kitten's Joy), Tweenhills Stud
103 foals of racing age/2 winners/0 black-type winners
17:20-GOODWOOD, 7f, Run Simba (GB)
82,000gns Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2020

Saxon Warrior (Jpn) (Deep Impact {Jpn}), Coolmore Stud
115 foals of racing age/5 winners/0 black-type winners
19:00-EPSON DOWNS, 7f, Saxon Scene (Ire)
€29,000 RNA Goffs November Foal Sale 2020; 25,000gns
Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2021

Sioux Nation (Scat Daddy), Coolmore Stud
164 foals of racing age/18 winners/0 black-type winners
19:00-EPSON DOWNS, 7f, Indian Dream (Ire)
€15,500 Goffs November Foal Sale 2020; 40,000gns Tattersalls
October Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2021
17:20-GOODWOOD, 7f, Ninetynineproblems (Ire)
30,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 3) 2021

17:20-GOODWOOD, 7f, She's Hot (GB)
16,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 3) 2021

U S Navy Flag (War Front), Coolmore Stud
72 foals of racing age/4 winners/0 black-type winners
17:20-GOODWOOD, 7f, Chelsea Green (Ire)
80,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 1) 2021
19:15-SALISBURY, 6f, Yoo Bee See (Ire)

Washington DC (Ire) (Zoffany {Ire}), Bearstone Stud
47 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners
17:20-GOODWOOD, 7f, Statu of Liberty (GB)
£42,000 Goffs UK Premier & Silver Yearlings 2021

Zoustar (Aus) (Northern Meteor {Aus}), Tweenhills Stud
107 foals of racing age/4 winners/1 black-type winner
18:45-SALISBURY, 6f, Zu Run (GB)
100,000gns Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2020



Cracksman has a runner at Goodwood on Thursday | Amy Lanigan

OBSERVATIONS

on the European racing scene

DAUGHTER OF DYNAFORCE DEBUTS AT GOODWOOD

5.20 Goodwood, Mdn, £30,000, 2yo, f, 7fT
MISS DYNAMIC (GB) (Cracksman {GB}) cost a mere 78,000gns at the Tattersalls October Yearling Sale Book 2, but as a daughter of G1 Beverly D S. and G1 Flower Bowl Invitational heroine Dynaforce (Dynaformer) by one of the first-season sire sensations carries gravitas in the Jane Newett colours from the Charlie and Mark Johnston stable. She will have to be talented

to deal with the streetwise **Zarga (Fr) (Camelot {GB})**, Al Shaqab Racing's daughter of the G2 Windsor Forest S. winner Strawberrydaiquiri (GB) (Dansili {GB}) who made a big impression when third on debut at Kempton for the Sir Michael Stoute stable.

HOW THEY FARED

2.00 Redcar, Nov, £10,000, 2yo, 5f 217yT

Sheikh Mohammed Obaid Al Maktoum's 450,000gns Tattersalls October Book 1 acquisition **Chuzzlewit (GB)** (Showcasing {GB}), a full-brother to G1 Phoenix S., G1 Commonwealth Cup and G1 Prix Maurice de Gheest hero Advertise (GB), almost unshipped rider Andrea Atzeni after an awkward break and shaped with promise from off the pace to finish a never-nearer fifth.

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BRITAIN

Wednesday's Results:

1st-Goodwood, £50,000, Hcp, 7-27, 3yo, 11f 218yT, 2:36.54, g/f.

SECRET STATE (IRE) (c, 3, Dubawi {Ire}--Jacqueline Quest {Ire}, by Rock Of Gibraltar {Ire}), who annexed Royal Ascot's June 16 King George V H. last time, raced in a handy third after an alert exit here. Inching closer in the straight, the 11-4 favourite was shaken up to gain a narrow lead passing the quarter-mile marker and ran on strongly, despite a leftward drift, in the latter stages to prevail by 1 1/4 lengths from Maksud (GB) (Golden Horn {GB}). "That Royal Ascot race worked out well and, physically, he has done nothing but improve from the early summer to where we are today," said trainer Charlie Appleby. "I think the most logical step going forward will be to go to the [G2] Great Voltigeur. I know William [Buick] has mooted the [G1 St] Leger, but it's baby steps. From handicaps stepping up into Group company is a big thing. He's a horse that I was very confident in coming into day, on what he achieved at Ascot and on how the horse is physically doing at the moment. There's a long way to go [to the St Leger], but I think the Great Voltigeur will be a great race. It will be a great indicator and, hopefully, then we can have a nice healthy discussion after." Secret State is the seventh of 10 foals and one of six winners from as many runners produced by G1 1000 Guineas demotee and G1 Coronation S. third Jacqueline Quest (Ire) (Rock Of Gibraltar {Ire}). The April-foaled chestnut is a full-brother to dual stakes-winning G3 Oak Tree S. runner-up Onassis (Ire).

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Secret State and William Buick | PA Media

1st-Goodwood Cont.

He is also kin to GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Turf hero Line Of Duty (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}), Listed Brown Panther S. runner-up Hibiscus (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}), the unraced 2-year-old filly Jackie Oh (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}), a yearling filly by Galileo (Ire) and a weanling filly by **Wootton Bassett (GB)**. Sales history: 525,000gns Ylg '20 TATOCT. Lifetime Record: 5-4-1-0, \$117,883. O-Godolphin; B-C O P Hanbury (IRE); T-Charlie Appleby.

6th-Goodwood, £50,000, Cond, 7-27, 2yo, f, 5fT, :56.50 (NEW JUVENILE TRACK RECORD), g/f.

THE PLATINUM QUEEN (IRE) (f, 2, Cotai Glory {GB}--Thrilled {Ire}, by Kodiak {GB}), only 13th in the G2 Queen Mary S. at Royal Ascot June 15, had since readily dispatched the Listed Marygate Fillies' S. runner-up Yhsat (Ire) (Dandy Man {Ire}) by 3 3/4 lengths in a York novice over this trip July 8 and burst into the lead from the break as she had done there. Enjoying the rail advantage, the 5-6 favourite powered to the line to beat Union Court (GB) (Havana Grey {GB}) by four lengths and lower the short-lived juvenile track record set by the card's G3 Molecomb S. winner Trillium (GB) (**No Nay Never**). Jockey Oisin Orr blamed himself for the Queen Mary flop, the filly's sole blemish. "I think at Royal Ascot, I took her back out of the race and she never got involved from there," he said. "I think she likes to get on with things and go forward. It doesn't feel like she's going that fast--it feels like she is within her comfort zone." Tom Palin, representing Middleham Park Racing, added, "We had her in the Molecomb, but I wanted to give her another stepping-stone--we wanted to confirm everything we had seen and known. She is a very fast filly, we always knew that and a new 2-year-old track record confirms how quick she is. We will probably go for the [Listed] Roses S. [at York] and then maybe the [G1 Prix de L'] Abbaye. She clocked a fast time at the breeze-up when we

bought her. She was at the top end of our budget, but we were really taken by the manner in which she did it and her breeding is all speed. That is what we love to send to Richard, as he is a very good trainer of a speed horse." The dam, who raced in the Niarchos silks, also has 2021 and 2022 colts by Galileo Gold (GB). A daughter of the listed-placed Fuerta Ventura (Ire) (Desert Sun {GB}) and half to the listed-placed The Gold Cheongsam (Ire) (Red Clubs {Ire}), she is related to Sir Xaar (Ire) (Xaar {GB}) who took the Listed Ripon Champion Two-Year-Old Trophy and was runner-up in the G2 Mill Reef S. Sales history: 57,000gns 2yo '22 TATBRG. Lifetime Record: 4-3-0-0, \$46,186. O-Middleham Park Racing XV; B-Tally Ho Stud (IRE); T-R Fahey.

CONDITIONS RESULTS:

1st-Redcar, £10,000, Nov, 7-27, 2yo, 5f 217yT, 1:10.42, g/f.

LAKOTA BLUE (GB) (c, 2, Sioux Nation--Thiel {GB}, by Teofilo {Ire}) Lifetime Record: 5-2-1-0, \$14,910. O-Mr & Mrs I H Bendelow; B-B & B Equine Ltd (GB); T-Nigel Tinkler. *30,000gns Wlg '20 TATFOA; 42,000gns Ylg '21 TATOCT.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

The Big Board (Ire), f, 2, Profitable (Ire)--Singapore Lilly (Ire) (Champion 2-year-old Filly in Italy, SW-Eng, G1SP-Ity, \$140,783), by Mujadil. Leicester, 7-27, 6fT, 1:11.34. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-1, \$7,345. B-Oak Leaf Stud (IRE). *€22,000 Wlg '20 GOFNOV; €85,000 Ylg '21 GOFOR.

Shamekh (GB), g, 3, New Bay (GB)--Ever Love (Brz) (Champion 2-year-old and 3-year-old Filly in Brazil, MG1SW-Brz, \$116,471), by Nedawi (GB). Leicester, 7-27, 7fT, 1:25.43. Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-2, \$9,524. B-Ever Love Partnership (GB). *180,000gns Ylg '20 TATOCT. **1/2 to Torchlighter (Ire) (Shamardal), SP-UAE, \$164,066.

Next Chapter (Ire), f, 3, Shamardal--Samdaniya (GB), by Machiavellian. Redcar, 7-27, 7fT, 1:24.38. B-Rabbah Bloodstock Ltd (IRE).

FRANCE

Wednesday's Results:

7th-Vichy, €16,000, Mdn, 7-27, 3yo, 8fT, 1:42.69, sf.

LAILA (FR) (f, 3, Caravaggio--Loredana {Fr}, by Azamour {Ire}), a June 24 debut sixth tackling 10 furlongs at Saint-Cloud last time, raced on the front end throughout this comeback. Accompanied by Baileys Memoire (Fr) (Recorder {GB}) throughout, the 23-5 chance was nudged along when headed passing the quarter-mile marker and rallied gamely under continued urging inside the final furlong to deny that rival by a nose in a bobbing finish.

7th-Vichy Cont.

Laila is the fifth of six foals and fourth scorer produced by Listed Prix de Thiberville second Loredana (Fr) (Azamour {Ire}), herself kin to five black-type performers headed by G3 Prix de Psyche victrix Luna Kya (Fr) (Kendor {Fr}). The May-foaled homebred grey is a half-sister to Listed Premio Chivas Regal third Laldann (Fr) (Medicean {GB}) and a 2-year-old colt by Almanzor (Fr). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, €8,000. **Video, sponsored by TVG.**

O-H H The Aga Khan; B-H H The Aga Khan's Studs SC (FR); T-Francis-Henri Graffard.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNER:

Paideia (Fr), f, 3, Ruler Of The World (Ire)--Phenomenologie (GB), by **Dawn Approach (Ire)**. Saint-Malo, 7-27, 12 1/2ft, 2:47.78. B-G Deslandes (FR). *€10,000 RNA Ylg '20 ARQOCT.

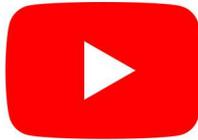
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Thursday, Goodwood, post time: 15:35, TVG

QATAR NASSAU S.-G1, £600,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 9f 197y

SC	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Aristia (Ire)	Starspangledbanner (Aus)	Mrs E. Roberts	Richard Hannon	Sean Levey	135
2	Dreamloper (Ire)	Lope De Vega (Ire)	Mr J. Fill	Ed Walker	Kieran Shoemark	135
3	Lilac Road (Ire)	Mastercraftsman (Ire)	Jon and Julia Aisbitt	William Haggas	Tom Marquand	135
4	Ville de Grace (GB)	Le Havre (Ire)	Mr Chris Humber and Hunscombe Stud Ltd	Sir Michael Stoute	Richard Kingscote	135
5	Concert Hall (Ire)	Dubawi (Ire)	D.Smith,Mrs J.Magnier,M.Tabor,Westerberg	Aidan O'Brien	Ryan Moore	126
6	Fonteyn (GB)	Farhh (GB)	Sheikh Mohammed Obaid Al Maktoum	Kevin Ryan	Andrea Atzeni	126
7	Nashwa (GB)	Frankel (GB)	Mr Imad Alsagar	John & Thady Gosden	Hollie Doyle	126
8	One For Bobby (Ire)	Frankel (GB)	Miss A. H. Marshall	J. P. Murtagh	Frankie Dettori	126
9	Rogue Millennium (Ire)	Dubawi (Ire)	The Rogues Gallery	Tom Clover	Jack Mitchell	126

Breeders: 1-Rathasker Stud, 2-Mrs Olivia Hoare, 3-Jon and Julia Aisbitt, 4-Hunscombe Stud & Chris Humber, 5-Was Syndicate, 6-Sheikh Mohammed Obaid Al Maktoum, 7-Blue Diamond Stud Farm (UK) Ltd, 8-F. Dunne, 9-Shadwell Estate Company Limited

Thursday, Goodwood, post time: 14:25, TVG

RICHMOND S.-G2, £150,000, 2yo, c/g, 6f 0y

SC	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Al Karrar (Ire)	Dark Angel (Ire)	Mr Raed El Youssef	Tom Clover	Jack Mitchell	128
2	Bluelight Bay (Ire)	Exceed And Excel (Aus)	JacobsConstructionHoldings & J E Harley	Eve Johnson Houghton	Charles Bishop	128
3	Chateau (Ire)	Havana Gold (Ire)	Isa Salman Al Khalifa	Andrew Balding	William Buick	128
4	Crispy Cat (GB)	Ardad (Ire)	Amo Racing Limited	M. D. O'Callaghan	Rossa Ryan	128
5	Legend of Xanadu (GB)	Sixties Icon (GB)	Box 41	Mick Channon	Tom Marquand	128
6	Marshman (GB)	Harry Angel (Ire)	Nick Bradley Racing 2 & Mrs E Burke	K. R. Burke	Clifford Lee	128
7	Royal Scotsman (GB)	Gleneagles (Ire)	Mrs Fitri Hay	Paul & Oliver Cole	Jim Crowley	128
8	Shine's Ambition (Ire)	Kessaar (Ire)	Gove & Shaw Racing 03 & Partner	Roger Fell	Daniel Tudhope	128
9	Swift Asset (Ire)	Profitable (Ire)	J Palmer-Brown, N. Woodcock and partner	Richard Hannon	Ryan Moore	128

Breeders: 1-Shadwell Estate Company Limited, 2-Ballinvana House Stud, 3-Select Bloodstock Ltd, 4-Saeed Nasser Al Romaiithi, 5-Stoneham Park Stud, 6-Highbank Stud LLP, 7-Rabbah Bloodstock Limited, 8-Mr Andrew Duncan, 9-J. & S. Quigley

Thursday, Goodwood, post time: 15:00, TVG

JOHN PEARCE RACING GORDON S.-G3, £200,000, 3yo, 11f 218y

SC	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Deauville Legend (Ire)	Sea The Stars (Ire)	Mr Boniface Ho Ka Kui	James Ferguson	Daniel Muscutt	132
2	Al Qareem (Ire)	Awtaad (Ire)	Nick Bradley Racing 33 + Burke	K. R. Burke	Clifford Lee	129
3	Cresta (Fr)	New Bay (GB)	Mr Mohammed Bin Hamad Khalifa Al Attiyah	Freddie & Martyn Meade	Jamie Spencer	129
4	Grand Alliance (Ire)	Churchill (Ire)	Mrs Susan Roy	Charlie Fellowes	Daniel Tudhope	129
5	Hoo Ya Mal (GB)	Territories (Ire)	GO Bloodstock & Partners	George Boughey	Ryan Moore	129
6	Jack Darcy (Ire)	Gleneagles (Ire)	Crypto Racing Club	Paul & Oliver Cole	Neil Callan	129
7	Masekela (Ire)	El Kabeir	Mick and Janice Mariscotti	Andrew Balding	Jason Watson	129
8	New London (Ire)	Dubawi (Ire)	Godolphin	Charlie Appleby	William Buick	129
9	Sussex	Dubawi (Ire)	Mr Mohammed Bin Hamad Khalifa Al Attiyah	Joseph Patrick O'Brien	Shane Crosse	129
10	West Wind Blows (Ire)	Teofilo (Ire)	Mr Abdulla Al Mansoori	Simon & Ed Crisford	James Doyle	129

Breeders: 1-G. B. Partnership, 2-Shadwell Estate Company Limited, 3-Townbraccan Enterprises LTD, 4-Mrs S. M. Roy, 5-Meon Valley Stud, 6-Bernard Cooke, 7-Coolawn Stud, 8-Godolphin, 9-Orpendale, Chelston & Wynatt, 10-Godolphin

Friday, Goodwood, post time: 15:35, TVG**KING GEORGE QATAR S.-G2, £300,000, 3yo/up, 5f 0y**

SC	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Lazuli (Ire)	Dubawi (Ire)	Godolphin	Charlie Appleby	William Buick	133
2	Acklam Express (Ire)	Mehmas (Ire)	MPS Racing and M B Spence	Nigel Tinkler	Rowan Scott	130
3	Clarendon House (GB)	Mehmas (Ire)	Middleham Park Racing VIII	Robert Cowell	Silvestre De Sousa	130
4	Equilateral (GB)	Equiano (Fr)	Mrs Fitri Hay	Charles Hills	Kieran Shoemark	130
5	Existent (GB)	Kingman (GB)	Mrs J. Morley	Stuart Williams	Marco Ghiani	130
6	Khaadem (Ire)	Dark Angel (Ire)	Mrs Fitri Hay	Charles Hills	Ryan Moore	130
7	Ponntos (Ire)	Power (GB)	Dr. Eva Nieslanikova	Miroslav Nieslanik	Frankie Dettori	130
8	Raasel (GB)	Showcasing (GB)	The Horse Watchers	Michael Appleby	James Doyle	130
9	Caturra (Ire)	Mehmas (Ire)	Mr Saeed Bin Mohammed Al Qassimi	Clive Cox	Tom Marquand	126
10	Mitbaahy (Ire)	Profitable (Ire)	Mr Hasan Mefareh Alajmi & Fawzi Nass	Roger Varian	David Egan	126
11	Vertiginous (Ire)	Oasis Dream (GB)	G P M Morland & Partners	Brian Meehan	Sean Levey	123

Breeders: 1-Godolphin, 2-Mr R. Ryan, 3-D. R. Tucker, 4-Juddmonte Farms Ltd, 5-Cheveley Park Stud Ltd, 6-Yeomanstown Stud, 7-Liam Butler & Churchtown House Stud, 8-Bearstone Stud, 9-Tally-Ho Stud, 10-N. Hartery, 11-Forenaghts Stud & Jim Bolger

Friday, Goodwood, post time: 16:10, TVG**L'ORMARINS QUEEN'S PLATE GLORIOUS S.-G3, £100,000, 4yo/up, 11f 218y**

SC	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Max Vega (Ire)	Lope De Vega (Ire)	The Pickford Hill Partnership	Ralph Beckett	Rob Hornby	132
2	Desert Encounter (Ire)	Halling	Mr Abdulla Al Mansoori	David Simcock	Jim Crowley	129
3	Fancy Man (Ire)	Pride Of Dubai (Aus)	Mr Michael Pescod	Richard Hannon	Sean Levey	129
4	Foxes Tales (Ire)	Zoffany (Ire)	King Power Racing Co Ltd	Andrew Balding	Jason Watson	129
5	Global Storm (Ire)	Night Of Thunder (Ire)	Godolphin	Charlie Appleby	James Doyle	129
6	John Leeper (Ire)	Frankel (GB)	Anamoine Ltd	Ed Dunlop	Tom Marquand	129
7	Kemari (GB)	Dubawi (Ire)	Godolphin	Charlie Appleby	Frankie Dettori	129
8	Rebel's Romance (Ire)	Dubawi (Ire)	Godolphin	Charlie Appleby	William Buick	129
9	Regal Reality (GB)	Intello (Ger)	Mr Peter Done	Sir Michael Stoute	Ryan Moore	129

Breeders: 1-Tullpark Ltd, 2-Tally-Ho Stud, 3-Longfield Stud, 4-Manister House Stud, 5-Grenane House Stud, 6-Anamoine Ltd, 7-Fittocks Stud, 8-Godolphin, 9-Cheveley Park Stud Ltd

Friday, Goodwood, post time: 14:25, TVG**BONHAMS THOROUGHBRED S.-G3, £100,000, 3yo, 8f 0y**

SC	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Bayside Boy (Ire)	New Bay (GB)	Teme Valley & Ballylinch Stud	Roger Varian	Ryan Moore	129
2	Berkshire Shadow (GB)	Dark Angel (Ire)	Berkshire Parts & Panels Ltd No1 Fanclub	Andrew Balding	Jason Watson	129
3	Checkandchallenge (GB)	Fast Company (Ire)	Mr A. Hetherton	William Knight	William Buick	129
4	Hotline Bling (Ire)	Cotai Glory (GB)	Valstad Stable	Raphael Freire	Manuel Martinez	129
5	Rocchigiani (GB)	Time Test (GB)	Stall Domstadt	P. Schiergen	Tom Marquand	129
6	Sonny Liston (Ire)	Lawman (Fr)	Chelsea Thoroughbreds - The Big Bear	Charles Hills	Kieran Shoemark	129
7	The Wizard Of Eye (Ire)	Galileo Gold (GB)	O Humphrey A Favell R Humphrey J S Moore	J. S. Moore	James Doyle	129

Breeders: 1-Ballylinch Stud, 2-Cheveley Park Stud Limited, 3-Meon Valley Stud, 4-Kangyu International Racing, 5-Dr T. Grewe, 6-Tally-Ho Stud, 7-M. Phelan

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