



FLAY'S RECIPE FOR TURF SUCCESS

by Chris McGrath



Bobby Flay | Horsephotos

"You know, some of the people I go up against in the auction ring, they own countries," says Bobby Flay with a chuckle. "And I work at a stove."

It's an instructive remark. For one thing, it indicates the humor and modesty that redeem the restaurateur and television chef from the kind of airs that might burden others, accustomed to turning heads in Main Street, on entering this arcane hinterland of ours. Flay so reliably checks the fame and glamor at the barn door, indeed, that you suspect he actually relishes the way Thoroughbreds operate as such indiscriminating vehicles of humility. But the most important thing about this wry observation is that it's perfectly true. And what has truly assimilated Flay, in the esteem of lifelong horsemen, is a program that brilliantly reconciles its boutique scale with competition at a level where others, as he vividly implies, are wholly immune to the bottom line.

That has required Flay to discover strengths very different from those that made his name. But that process has also allowed horsemen to embrace him, not as some interloper from a mystifying, glitzy world, but as one of their own.

"The difference for me, in the horse business, is that in the rest of my life I'm impulsive, don't like waiting around very long," he concedes. "But somehow the horses have taught me patience."

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SECOND CHANCES: 'TEAM FLIGHTLINE' WELL-REPRESENTED ON PACIFIC CLASSIC UNDERCARD by Steve Sherack

In this continuing series, TDN's Senior Editor Steve Sherack catches up with the connections of promising maidens to keep on your radar. Before the brilliant Flightline (**Tapit**) puts his unbeaten record on the line in Saturday's GI TVG Pacific Classic, Hronis Racing, West Point Thoroughbreds and Woodford Racing and trainer John Sadler will also send out the well-bred **Hawker** (c, 2, **Justify**--Flaming Heart, by Touch Gold) for his second career start on the undercard. Given a 6-1 chance going five furlongs on debut at Del Mar Aug. 6, the chestnut jumped well from his outside draw, but was quickly outfooted and began to climb as six of them threw down for early control. Under a busy ride in seventh through an opening quarter in :22.16, Hawker started to figure it out entering the far turn and launched an eye-catching four/five-wide move around the bend. **Cont. p3**

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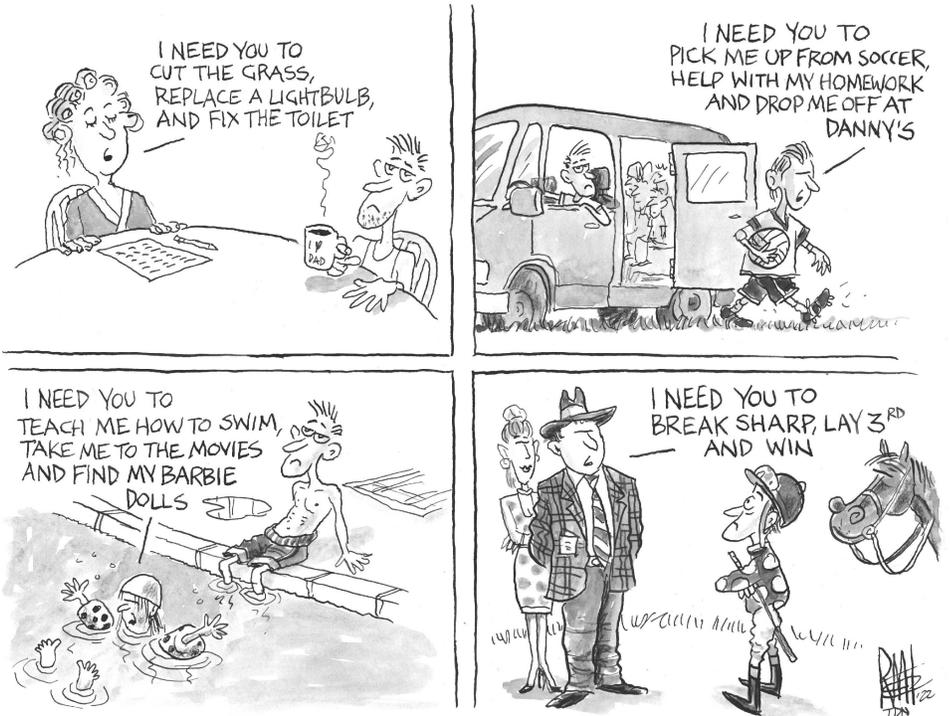
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Looking like a winner as they straightened despite his early struggles and wide journey, he had his sights set on the drifting Mister Iceman (Girvin) in the stretch and just fell a neck short of the game pacesetter while coming home in a field-best :12.01. It was another 1 1/4 lengths back to runaway next-out maiden winner Carmel Road (**Quality Road**), who was forced to check late while a troubled third. Hawker, given a respectable 76 Beyer Speed Figure for the effort, has posted three workouts since, most recently covering five furlongs in 1:00.40 (20/97) at Del Mar Aug. 28. He drew widest of all in post 10 in an absolutely loaded contest going 6 1/2 furlongs this weekend. Flavien Prat has the mount.

“You're up against it with a horse like this going five-eighths,

there's no doubt,” West Point's Terry Finley said of Hawker's debut run. “I thought he was gonna pull up after a quarter of a mile, he was climbing that badly. But then you could see him level out as they went into the far turn. Really neat horse. I



Hawker brought \$675k as a KEESep yearling | Taylor Made/Kelcey Loges

know Sadler is *very* excited to see him come back and make his second start.”

Finley continued, “This will put him in a spot where we'll be able to take another step forward. He's been really good coming out of his first race. He's definitely a horse that we're thinking of--he's gonna make a name for himself.”

Bred in Kentucky by WinStar Farm, Hawker brought \$675,000 as a yearling out of the Taylor Made Sales Agency consignment at last year's Keeneland September sale. Triple Crown

winner **Justify**, currently sitting atop the **freshman sire standings**, is already represented by 11 winners, led by three graded winners.

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**Justify
at Ashford Stud**



Her winning first foal Mythical Bride (Street Cry) went on to produce GI Breeders' Cup Classic winner and champion older male Vino Rosso (**Curlin**). Flaming Heart is also responsible for three-time graded winner and narrow GI Belmont S. runner-up Commissioner (A.P. Indy), graded winner and narrow GI Breeders' Cup Sprint runner-up Laugh Track (Distorted Humor) and graded placed Intrepid Heart (**Tapit**).

"It's a solid pedigree," Finley said. "Touch Gold as a broodmare sire has been a little bit underrated and Hawker's first dam has a lot of quality to her in her progeny. The Justifys are running to the hype overall. I've been very impressed with them--we have four of them. I think he's as good as any from the younger stallions in their first and second-crop year."

The 'Second Chances' honor roll is headed by two-time Breeders' Cup winner **Golden Pal** (**Uncle Mo**), GI **Runhappy Santa Anita Derby** winner and Lane's End stallion **Honor A. P.** (**Honor Code**) and MGISW and '**TDN Rising Star**' **Paradise Woods** (**Union Rags**).

This term's GI Carter H. winner **Speaker's Corner** (**Street Sense**), GI Forego S. winner **Cody's Wish** (**Curlin**), GI Preakness S. third-place finisher **Creative Minister** (**Creative Cause**), **Curlin S.** winner and '**TDN Rising Star**' **Artorius** (**Arrogate**) and streaking Cinema S. winner **War At Sea** (**War Front**) have also been featured in the series.

Other standouts include: GSW **Moonlight d'Oro** (**Medaglia d'Oro**), GSW & MGISP **Spielberg** (**Union Rags**), GSW **Backyard Heaven** (**Tizway**), MSW and '**TDN Rising Star**' **Gidu** (**Ire**) (**Frankel** {GB}); and GISP **A Mo Reay** (**Uncle Mo**).

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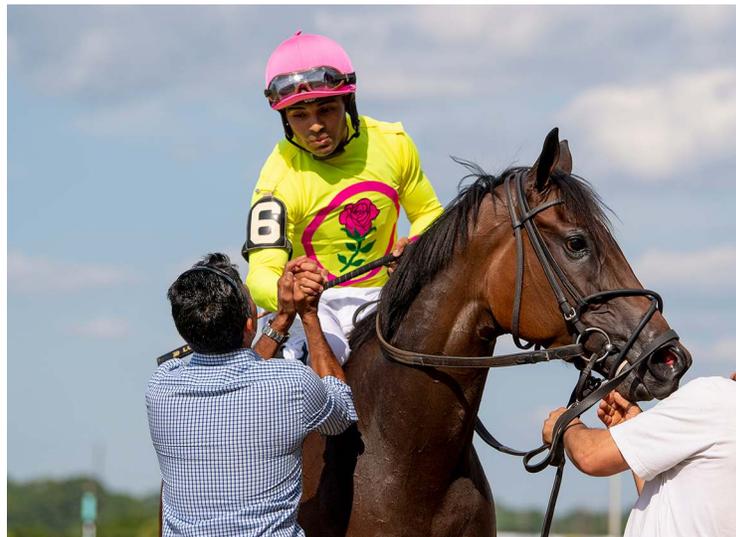
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SOPHOMORE FILLIES STAR ON FINAL FRIDAY CARD AT SARATOGA



Rudy Rodriguez & Luis Saez with Hot Peppers | Sarah Andrew

Sophomore filly sprinters get their time to shine on the final Friday of the Saratoga meet in the GII Prioress S. **Hot Peppers** (Khozan) seeks redemption after being run down late and forced to settle for second last out in the Aug. 6 GI Test S. at this venue. She captured her first two starts for the Rudy Rodriguez barn in the June 12 Jersey Girl S. and July 9 GIII Victory Ride S.

"She's doing everything we ask her. We're just lucky they picked us and give us the opportunity," said Rodriguez. "We just have to keep her happy and she's a runner. I think the trainer before [Ronald Spatz] did a very good job."

Wicked Halo (**Gun Runner**) looks to add yet another accomplishment to her sensational sire's constantly improving resume. Winner of the GII Adirondack S. at this venue last year, the gray enters off back-to-back stakes triumphs at Churchill Downs. A pair of native New Yorkers are also worth a look here in Test fourth-place finisher and Bouwerie S. winner **Sterling Silver** (**Cupid**) and track-and-trip, NY-bred union Avenue H. winner **Bank On Anna** (Central Banker). Also worth a look is **Smash Ticket** (**Midnight Lute**), who wired an optional claimer going six panels at the Spa July 20, good for an 89 Beyer Speedy Figure, and ran a field best Beyer of 92 in her previous start at Lone Star.

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Sure, there are aspects of his professional career that dovetail with the things that draw us all to the racetrack, to horses, jockeys and trainers: the competitive flair that turns rehearsal into performance, routine into theater. By instead concentrating his investment in breeding, however, Flay has deliberately opted for the long game. While his program never comprises more than a dozen mares, each a highwire dash ahead of sheikhs and plutocrats, time and again he has been able to keep things sustainable at the yearling sales. Only last month, indeed, a \$2-million daughter of **Curlin** sold as the top filly at Saratoga; and five others of his current crop have made Book I of the imminent September Sale.

So while the adrenaline will doubtless flow at Keeneland, overall his horses offer a completely different satisfaction. It's like the slow, low oven that achieves tenderness and succulence, as opposed to the instant flash-and-sizzle sought by those hunting a Kentucky Derby colt.

"Those guys are playing the lottery," he says. "I'm trying to keep my intrinsic value from day one. Now, I do know that if I pay \$1 million for a well-pedigreed filly, and she doesn't run, her value--depending on her pedigree and physique--might be somewhere between a third to a half. But it's not zero, which you'd get with a colt with the exact same pedigree if he can't run."

Having embarked on a road tapering to a far horizon, Flay has learned to moderate his stride. "Because in the horse business you have no choice," he says. "This has been a 15-year plan. I bought my first good piece of bloodstock in 2007: a stakes-placed 2-year-old, hailing from the Best in Show line. She RNA'd for \$1.4 million, and I ended up buying her for \$1.2 million--easily the most money I'd ever spent, on anything. And I remember the consignor saying, 'Just think of this like you're buying a building.' And he was right. It's a long process. But what I always say is that good blood is going to show up.

You don't know exactly when. But if you're patient, at some point it's going to show."

Sure enough, this first big investment produced a filly named America from the final crop of A.P. Indy. Herself a graded stakes winner (and twice Grade I-placed), America in turn produced a first foal by **Curlin** that made \$1.5 million as a yearling. And his endeavors, as First Captain, contributed to the even bigger sum

banked by his younger sister at Saratoga the other day.

It was a similar, slow-burn story with a Galileo (Ire) filly acquired for 1,250,000gns at Tattersalls in 2014. Her dam had already produced Derby winner Pour Moi (Ire) (Montjeu {Ire}), and Flay named her White Hot (Ire).

"I don't know what it would be on today's exchange rate, but at the time she cost the equivalent of \$2.1 million," Flay recalls.

"She was the most expensive yearling filly of the hemisphere [from that crop]. But she didn't



Flay homebred Pizza Bianca won the 2021 Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies Turf | Breeders' Cup/Eclipse Sportswire

have the heart to run. I remember John Gosden calling and saying, 'Look, I can run this filly, but I just want you to understand that she's never going to show on the racetrack what's on her page. If she were mine, I would just move on and think about breeding her.' So I did."

He sent White Hot to Fastnet Rock (Aus) and retained the resulting filly, Pizza Bianca, to win the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies Turf last year.

"That's a story where people could say, 'You got lucky,'" Flay says. "And yes, absolutely, I guess there was some luck involved. But at the same time, it was a plan. There were a lot of lean years, holding onto this very expensive piece of bloodstock. But she's beautiful, she's by Galileo, she has that incredible female family. And I just relied on that belief, that at some point the blood's going to come through."

White Hot's colt by **Uncle Mo** goes under the hammer at Keeneland as **Hip 115**. That's a mating characteristic of this program, and too few others.

Flay has done his homework and knows how priceless to the breed, historically, has been cross-pollination between the European and American gene pools. After years of short-sighted retrenchment, on both sides of the water, it's heartening to find such a smart investor mingling lines that most commercial breeders would keep dogmatically apart, as exclusively dirt or turf.

Two of his Book I fillies, for instance, share Butterfly Cove (Storm Cat) as third dam. She was not only a half-sister to Aidan O'Brien's champion juvenile Fasliyev (Nureyev), but also delivered a Coolmore linchpin in Grade I winner and producer Misty For Me (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}). Flay bought Misty For Me's daughter Cover Song (Fastnet Rock {Aus}) for \$1.6 million as an auction wild card after she had won the GIII Autumn Miss S. for Spendthrift. He remembers seeing B. Wayne Hughes on his way out of the pavilion and asking: "Why did you sell this filly?" Hughes gave a long pause, looked at Flay and shrugged, saying: "I have no idea." Now Cover Song's third foal, by **Quality Road**, heads to Keeneland (**Hip 191**) with her first, Contemporary Art (Dubawi {Ire}), meanwhile targeting the same Santa Anita graded stakes once won by their dam.

Another long play has been Amagansett, an \$875,000 yearling by **Tapit** out of Misty For Me's stakes-winning sister Twirl (Ire). She never made the track, but again Flay is banking on residual

value telling in her first foal, a filly by **Uncle Mo (Hip 131)**.

"This mare was another example of what I was talking about," Flay remarks. "I paid a lot of money for her as a yearling, but she had an ankle problem and obviously as things stand she's an expensive project. But she's got a lot of quality and class, and we'll see what happens: this is her first foal to the ring and she's very, very nice."

So while the other Book I pair are both bred on the same commercially live cross as **Tiz the Law**, as respectively a colt (**Hip 320**) and filly (**Hip 88**) by **Constitution** out of a Tiznow mare, the fact is that Flay is presenting three beautiful yearlings in the sale's premier book on a bolder formula: each by an elite Kentucky stallion, out of a mare from an aristocratic European family.

"I'm not going to say I'm the only one doing it, because I'm definitely not," Flay says. "But it does seem to be rare to bring over European blood and tie it to American sires, or vice versa. Yet this kind of thing was done for decades by some of the world's best breeders, people like Coolmore and Juddmonte, or Bull Hancock before them. We get so conditioned to say that this horse, with this pedigree, will only run on grass; and that horse, only on dirt. Yet we've been proved wrong so often, I just want to keep an open mind."

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Among the recent successful September Sale graduates bred by Bobby Flay is graded stakes winner Spice Is Nice.



Here's to the successes of the breeders of recent stakes-winning Keeneland September graduates.

Adena Springs
Moir, Queen's Plate S.

Ashview Farm & Colts Neck Stables
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Malathaat, Personal Ensign S. (G1)

Rose Hill Farm
Monsieur Coco, Proud Man S.

Rosilyn Polan
Wit, Better Talk Now S.

Westwind Farms
Epicenter, Travers S. (G1)

"I do wonder how people feel, when they see pedigrees like these. Are they turned off? Are they excited? Probably it'll be a bit of both. But the bottom line is that I know that it works."

Flay acknowledges the argument that equivalent regeneration is no less urgent in Europe. When Australian friends congratulated him on an inspired mating between White Hot and Fastnet Rock, he demurred: Europe's top stallions were so genetically clustered, in the same neighborhood as the mare, he had felt as though he hadn't a great deal of choice. But he's palpably animated by the idea of reviving the speed-carrying impact of Northern Dancer and his sons on European turf. Someone, I suggest, needs to try once again to win an Epsom Classic with a horse by a perceived dirt stallion. "I'd like to be that person!" he exclaims.



Flay's long-term strategy is seeing dividends
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That's an ambition a world apart from the New York kid who cut high school to bet at the track, or indeed the guy who made his first piecemeal investments in horseflesh like "throwing darts at a board". And Flay gives huge credit, for that transformation, to the seasoned counsellors who have helped him navigate his Turf adventure.

The first to illuminate the mysteries of pedigree was his old friend Barry Weisbord, founder of TDN, who channelled Flay's raw enthusiasm into a proper strategy. Then there was James Delahooke, proven as one of the great judges after helping to assemble Juddmonte's foundation mares. It had been too long since the English agent had been deployed by someone equipped to make the most of his exceptional eye, and Flay's subsequent record only confirms what others had meanwhile been missing.

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"I've loved working with James for the last 15 years," Flay says. "You know, he's 'out of the movie' as The Bloodstock Agent because he looks the part, he sounds the part, and he knows the part. I've learned so much just talking to him, every single sale we go to, every dinner that we have together. And James has a very simple project, which is: 'Find me the best-looking physicals among all the fillies in the sale. Don't worry about the pedigrees, we can put those together later. Find me a beautiful horse that's going to make a broodmare one day.'"

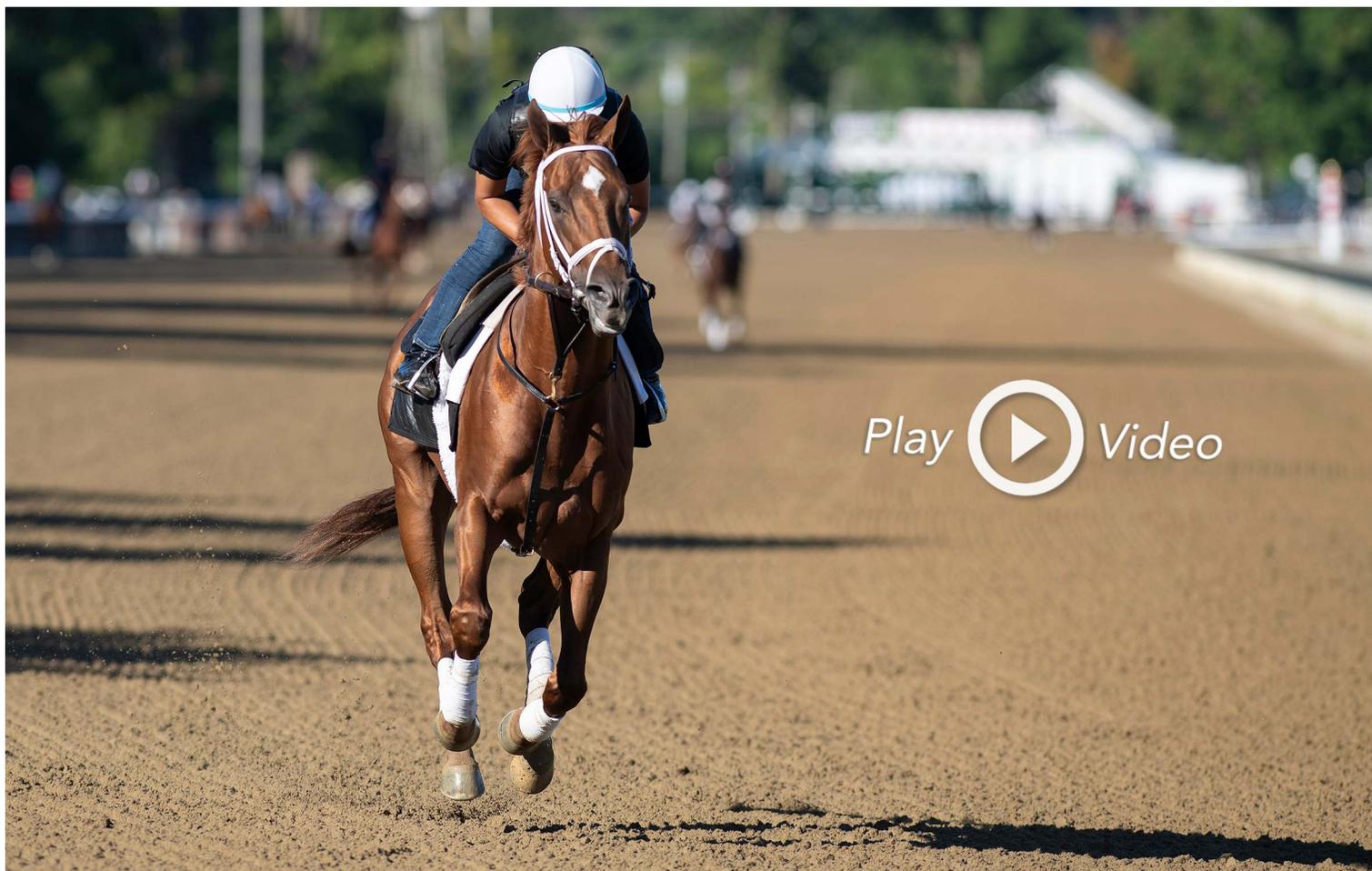
But there has also been a third vital dimension: entrusting the care of his mares and foals to a horseman of genius in Arthur Hancock. "One of the best things I have ever done is employ Stone Farm," Flay says. "They're a lovely family, first and foremost, and it has been such a pleasure getting to know them. But I remember when James told me to go take a look at their land. That's not something you hear a lot of people say in the commercial horse world, but he believes in a correlation between success and the amount of land each horse is given. So I took a drive out to Paris, Ky., got to the top of this hill and

saw their property. And I was like, 'I'm home. This is where I want my horses to live.' So that's the whole formula, right there. It's not overcomplicated. One person that takes care of the physicals, another that takes care of the pedigrees. And of course they live in Shangri-La."

But Flay does all the matings himself, seeking the same kind of elusive balance as any other breeder--and inviting, in the process, an obvious analogy: don't throw too much chili into the pan, but don't let things get too bland, either. In keeping with his far-sighted dissent on surfaces, he also resists the standard commercial refuge in unproven sires. Apart from anything else, of course, matings have to be commensurate with the value of the mare, which in this program tends to be high.

"I've seen plenty of mares with world-class pedigrees get ruined by sire decisions that are just guesses," Flay observes. "So I don't use unproven sires. I would rather pay more for the sire later."

As we've already seen, he's confident that **Constitution** has made the grade, and expects better again as his upgraded books kick in.



In this edition of the **Weekend Preview presented by Three Chimneys**, the crew unpacks a stellar weekend of racing headlined by the GI TVG Pacific Classic, where Flightline will attempt to stretch his perfect record to 5 for 5, and on the East Coast, Grade I action continues through Labor Day during closing weekend at Saratoga. GI Jockey Club Gold Cup entrant Dynamic One is pictured above galloping at Saratoga on Thursday morning. | Sarah Andrew photo

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(One of his **Constitution** yearlings in this sale is out of a mare purchased, uncharacteristically, at 13 and already responsible for Grade I winner Come Dancing {Malibu Moon}--and that was precisely because she was carrying this foal by the breakout WinStar sire.) And Flay also loves the injection of speed that qualifies **Not This Time** to fill an impending void, with Classic sires like **Curlin**, **Tapit** and **Medaglia d'Oro** entering the evening of their careers. (Sure enough, White Hot has a weanling colt by **Not This Time**.)

All the while, however, his aspirations must be tempered by the reality with which we started: that some of these other guys have reserves as deep as their oil wells.

"Their ammunition and mine is very different," Flay reflects. "I have to save my powder. I have to be very strategic. There are many sales, including premium sales, where I can't identify a single thing I want to buy--because the pedigree just isn't good enough. That doesn't mean a filly won't come out of that sale and win the Kentucky Oaks. But if a horse can't run, gets hurt, whatever, I need something to lean on."

By the same token, he would rather double down on a pedigree than undersell.

"That's maybe my more impulsive side," he says. "But like last year, literally a week before the Keeneland sale, Cover Song's **Quality Road** colt got an abscess in his foot. I said, 'Okay, we'll race him.' If I have seven foals this year, I know there's a good chance seven aren't going to make the auction ring. That's okay with me. And if nobody wants to pay me what I think a horse is worth, I'm okay taking it back home. Because not only do I know the horse is going to be taken care of, which is incredibly important to me, but it will also be given every opportunity to succeed. So we're all working toward bettering these pages, and strengthening my roster."

Having built something so impressive through the first 15 years, Flay can now start to consolidate for the next 15. Among his small band of mares, he has "pillars" that look eligible to start a dynasty: the likes of America, Cover Song, White Hot and Dame Dorothy (Bernardini), a \$390,000 yearling who won a Grade I and whose first foal by **Curlin**, Spice Is Nice, brought seven figures when taking her own turn at the September Sale, before becoming a graded stakes winner last year.

"I mean, these are mares that are already producing beautiful progeny," Flay reasons. "They're selling at the sales, they're running on the racetrack. So I would love just to continue growing these families. My daughter is 26, she's interested, and I say to her: 'I don't want you to make this your life, but I do need you to keep up with what's going on--because at some point you're going to have to know what to do with a lot of valuable bloodstock.' I want to grow my horses' family trees so that my own family tree can enjoy it, too, decades later."



Flay greets Pizza Bianca and rider Jose Ortiz on the way back to the winner's circle | Horsephotos

Rather closer to hand, meanwhile, is a momentous staging post in the annual cycle.

"We wouldn't have put any of these in Book I unless we thought them really 'primo'," Flay emphasizes. "We feel like we've had some really good luck, from a physical standpoint. I love Saratoga so we took America's filly up there and she was an absolute queen. But just from an international standpoint, we like going to Keeneland with pedigrees like these."

And he could offer no higher praise than this: if he didn't own the fillies already, they would be the ones he'd be looking at. When Delahooke gives him a shortlist, he always asks: "Is there anything better than what I have in the sale?" Because if the answer is no, it can be hard to let them go. "But that's the whole thing," Flay reasons. "I've been able to put together this very small, boutique broodmare band, and it's all very good stuff, the top of the pedigree chain. And when I put something in the ring, there are people out there with the same feeling that I have."



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"People that when they turn the page and see these pedigrees, and then see what these horses look like, will raise their hand with fervor. Because they know how hard it is, to get into these families, and here they have an opportunity to get it ready-made."

It's a long time now since Flay was fired up with a new passion, watching old races and poring over pedigrees deep into the night.

"And I still have a lot to learn," he stresses. "It's like the wine business: you can know a lot but you can never know it all. I know it's not a perfect science. Sometimes these families get hot, sometimes they lose a little steam. But that's what's so wonderful, everything continues to evolve. If you want to play at the highest level, you really have to pay close attention. But I absolutely love it. It's become a very important part of my life, and I love it dearly."

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EYEING A CHAMPIONSHIP WITH WAR LIKE GODDESS *By Mike Kane*

SARATOGA SPRINGS, NY--With a sterling race record that befits her very distinctive name all wrapped in an engaging story, **War Like Goddess** (English Channel) is an impossible-to-ignore race mare bidding for a championship. Though her late sire was a champion on the track and a top turf stallion for many years, the first foal out of Misty North (North Light {Ire}) brought a mere \$1,200 at auction as a weanling and did not draw a single bid at the 2018 Keeneland September yearling sale. At the June 2019 OBS sale, bloodstock agent Donato Lanni purchased the 2-year-old for \$30,000 for longtime client George Krikorian.

"I bought her with that name and I told Donato 'I don't like that name,'" Krikorian said. I didn't see the horse then because he was in Florida and I was out here in California when he called me about the horse. I didn't get to see her for maybe four months or five months later. When I saw her, I looked at her and I said, 'Hey, we don't need to change her name. She's beautiful. She is a War Like Goddess.'" Some 38 months after Lanni identified her as a budget-priced project, War Like Goddess is certain to be the race favorite for the seventh-consecutive time when the 5-year-old goes to the post Saturday in the \$600,000 GII Flower Bowl S. on the inner turf course.



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War Like Goddess winning the Glens Falls | Sarah Andrew

Unbeaten in her three starts at Saratoga Race Course, War Like Goddess has won eight of 10 lifetime starts and earned over \$1.2 million in the care of Hall of Fame trainer Bill Mott. She took the 2021 Flower Bowl by 2 1/4 lengths when it was run at Saratoga for the first time at the new distance of 1 3/8 miles. Long a Grade I, it was dropped to a Grade II this year.

After War Like Goddess won the Gil Glens Falls S. by 1 1/4 lengths at 2-5 Aug. 6, Mott said he was considering running her against males in the Sword Dancer on Aug. 26 to give her another shot at a Grade I win and keep her at 1 1/2 miles. He opted for the Flower Bowl, where she drew post four in the field of seven.

In the Glens Falls, she won by a narrower margin than in 2021, but Mott said it was just the result of a patient ride by Joel Rosario.

"This year, she was sitting there and he rode her from about here to that wash rack," Mott said, pointing to a spot fewer than 40 yards away. "It looked like to me that she was sitting, sitting, sitting and he got her going, he scrubbed on her a little bit."

The final words of chart notes describing the Glens Falls win were "as rider pleased."

"He took her back in his hands, it looked like," Mott said, "as he was approaching the wire."

Lanni recommended that Kirkorian ask the ever-patient Mott to train the filly. Mott agreed and said he doesn't recall there being any expectations about her when she joined his stable.

"You just kind of wait and see," Mott said. "You just train them and do the best you can. We had to give her a fair amount of time. She didn't run until September of her 3-year-old year. It took that long to kind of get her ready. She had baby stuff, shins, stuff like that."

In that first start at Churchill Down, War Like Goddess rolled into contention from far back and won the nine-furlong by three-quarters of a length. Mott said it is an obvious strength that has her batting .800 in her career. "She can run," he said. "She's got a very good turn a foot. That's what it takes. She's quick."

Krikorian, the president and CEO of Krikorian Premiere Theatres, has a lifetime of experience with Thoroughbreds. His father, George Krikorian Sr., was a trainer on the New England circuit and he was raised near Rockingham Park in New Hampshire. As his entertainment venue businesses grew he became an owner and then a breeder. Equibase stats show him with 290 victories--24 in graded stakes --from 1,729 starts in his name since 2000. With the \$323,500 she has earned this year, War Like Goddess has leaped over Grade I winners Starrer (Dynaformer) and Hollywood Story (Wild Rush) to the top spot on the Krikorian career stable list. Her ability to unleash a late run has made her Kirkorian's third millionaire and fifth Grade I winner. "It's amazing when she just puts it on, how fast she accelerates," he said. "It's just amazing to watch her do that. She's very competitive, as you can see. She does not want to lose a race. She'll fight hard."

The first horse Lanni recommended that Krikorian buy was Starrer, who was picked up for \$35,000 at the 1999 Fasig Tipton Fall Sale. In 2002, they bought Hollywood Story for \$130,000. Krikorian said that when Lanni--now a well-known advisor--calls he listens.

"We have a bloodstock agent in Donato Lanni who has an eye for a horse that most people don't have, most of the bloodstock agents don't have, for sure," Krikorian said. "We've known each other and been friends and have done business for years now. And when he tells me he sees something that he likes. I'm really happy to hear that because he's usually right, for sure."



Donato Lanni, Joel Rosario and Bill Mott | Sarah Andrew



Sarah Andrew

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War Like Goddess won her first-level allowance in late October in her second start and launched her 4-year-old year with a fifth in the 1 3/16ths miles the GIII Very One S. at Gulfstream Park on Feb. 21. She rebounded from that setback and rang up four graded-stakes wins before finishing third by a half-length as the favorite in the GI Breeders' Cup Filly and Mare Turf. Mott thought that over all she ran well in the Breeders' Cup.

"She did it maybe a tick wide and maybe a tick early," he said.

This year with Rosario replacing Julien Leparoux, she returned to the races in April with a second victory in the GIII Bewitched at Keeneland. A minor physical issue kept her out of the GI New York in June and the River Memories S. on July 10 at Belmont Park did not fill. She handled the field of seven in the Glens Falls off a three-month layoff and heads into the fall in the Flower Bowl toward the 12-furlong GI Breeders' Cup Turf against males.

Mott said he is inclined to run in the Turf because the GI Breeders' Cup Filly and Mare Turf will be contested at 1 3/16 miles instead of the 1 3/8 miles due to the configuration of Keeneland turf course. He believes she at her best at 12 furlongs, where she is 4-for-4, and that he is not concerned about her having a bit of a lighter schedule this summer.

"Maybe it'll help," he said. "She's not a great big, stout filly. Although she can run, I don't think she's one you want to be leading over there every three weeks. Of course, the way the races are, we wouldn't be able to do that anyway. We would have had one more race in her, I guess. And maybe they did us a favor. Sometimes those things work out. Maybe the fact that we didn't have a race down at Belmont, maybe that's to her advantage later in the year. We always use the term 'they happen for a reason...,' you know."

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THE FUTURE OF TVG/FANDUEL TV: Q & A WITH ANDREW MOORE *by Bill Finley*

Some 23 years after it debuted, the TVG network underwent a major shift Thursday, its first day not as TVG but as FanDuel TV. There's a new name and a new direction. Between midnight and noon each day, racing coverage will not exist. Instead, the network will feature a number of shows that focus on sports wagering during those hours. While that may not be well received by TVG's loyal viewers, FanDuel executives insist that racing coverage is not going anywhere. Better yet, they believe they can introduce sports bettors to horse racing and increase racing's popularity and the amount bet on the game. What does it all mean? The TDN sat down with Andrew Moore, Vice President of Racing for the FanDuel group, to get his take on a new era when it comes to FanDuel's relationship with racing.

TDN: As I am sure you know, many racing fans are nervous about the rebranding of TVG and the switch over to programming focusing on sports betting, worried that this is the beginning of the end when it comes to TVG-FanDuel covering racing. Tell us why they need not worry?

AM: This a network people care about deeply and have felt that way for 20 odd years. The talent feels like friends and family to a lot of our regular viewers. They also have very tight bonds to different tracks that we show. It's very emotive. That people are concerned is a testament to what a great thing TVG has been and how much some people love it. From our perspective, we've got to make sure that we keep moving, we keep building and we attract a new audience while at the same time continue to grow and build this great thing that we've spent 23 years investing in.

From a horse racing perspective, we're going to do be doing more. We've got a number of positive things happening when it comes to the content. We will be walking the walk and showing that we are committed to horse racing content. Talk can be cheap but content, deals and commitments will be a matter of walking the walk.

We built something incredible, so why would we change? I know people are saying you're going to sack some of your talent. It's more a matter of we're going to need to hire more people because there will be more races to cover. Yes, there will be some things on in the morning that aren't horse racing that people are not necessarily going to love. But what's been on during that time before has been international horse racing of low quality.

I feel like if we really care about this network, we need to invest in it and this is the most sensible way to invest in it. Leverage the FanDuel brand. We would be doing the network a disservice if we don't lean into this and take advantage of those opportunities.

TDN: During the hours when racing is being shown, will some of that time also be devoted to sports betting? Perhaps, say, with 12 minutes to post at Del Mar, might someone come on and talk about the over-under in the Cubs game? And will there be any opportunities for the talking heads who do the sports betting programs to talk about horse racing?

AM: We will try different things. We will try to do it in a way that fits with the programming in a sense that it doesn't feel jarring. We would avoid a situation where the horses are going down to the start and we switch to a talking head telling you that Mookie Betts is plus 350 to hit a home run tonight and you can make that bet right now with the FanDuel sports book...now let's go back to Matt Carothers and hear what he has to say about this horse's stride.

They are two different subjects and it will never be perfectly seamless. But, we have to do it in a way that is not jarring and is considerate of the current viewer. We will try things. I'd be very surprised if we didn't. Frankly, when there's not a lot going on, if you do it well and have the right people on the air, who's to say that it wouldn't fit? If you're covering Del Mar and talking about the Padres, who are five miles away, that sort of thing would probably work.

It can work both ways. Who's to say we wouldn't have Kay Adams talking about the Derby? What excites me opportunity-wise is how we can feed these things into each other and how they can elevate each other. At the start, we will do things that don't work. That's the nature of taking risks. My job is to grow horse racing. It would be very easy to sit back with our ADW business and say we've got to this position of being No. 1 and, so, we can sit back. That's not the way it works. What is way more exciting is to work on how we can keep bringing in new fans.

TDN: When announcing the renaming of TVG the company also let it be known that it is very close to being able to start taking bets on racing through its traditional sports betting platforms. To have people be able to bet on sports and racing from the same wallet is something racing has longed for for years. Tell us more about the process and what this could mean for horse racing.

AM: We have this massive FanDuel brand which is growing exponentially with sports betting and we are the market leader in that space. We are also the market leader in the horse racing space. They are two separate worlds but there are a lot of ways that they can complement each other, including how we can expose a lot of young fans to horse racing. We felt, in regards to wagering, the best strategy was to put racing into the sports books as a part of ADW wagering and doing so with pari-mutuel wagering rather than fixed odds.

This really started in 2019 when we were working on the FanDuel stand-alone racing app. We leveraged the FanDuel brand, released an app to the market and we learned about customers' habits. What they liked, what they didn't like, all the while trying to attract a new audience. That was launched in 2020. We had a lot of pick up especially during Covid when most of the other sports were shut down.

But it wasn't in the same account wallet and the reason why it wasn't on the same account wallet was because it was really hard technically to do. Sports betting engines and tote engines are different. Tote wallets and sports wallets are different. There has been a lot of technological work that has been done over the past two years to integrate racing and the sport book so that when you log onto the sports book you will be able to bet on horse racing with the same funds you've been using to bet on sports. That was a huge challenge.

We are hoping that we will have this up and running in some states by the first week of October and have more states come on line by the Breeders' Cup. With the Breeders' Cup being such a good wagering product, we'd very much like expose it to our sports betting customers.

TDN: You said the sports book will be taking pari-mutuel bets. That goes against a sentiment in the industry that there has to be a conversion to fixed odds in order for the marriage of sports betting and racing to work. Your thoughts on this?

AM: Fixed odds is an interesting customer proposition but there are regulatory issues and the matter of getting it going in enough states so that it can make an impact. The industry is built on pari-mutuel wagering, as it is in places like Hong Kong and France. There's nothing wrong with that. We've learned a lot through (Betfair), when we tried it in New Jersey and it failed. One of reasons it failed was we didn't have the content and also we could never really stretch beyond New Jersey. Coming back full circle, we are saying, ok, let's put the tote into the sports book because that way we can have all the content and we can also scale out to numerous states because we are already in 33 states with TVG.

I think taking pari-mutuel bets on the sports book has a very good chance of working. Do I think there is a world where pari-mutuel and fixed odds can live together? Absolutely. This is the first step and right now it doesn't involve fixed odds because if we went in that direction we'd be very limited in what we can do with it. Fixed odds is not our focus because it doesn't provide the same opportunities that we will have with pari-mutuel betting. So what we will be doing is giving pari-mutuel every chance of succeeding.

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TDN: If FanDuel is successful with its racing product it stands to reason that your competitors will follow. Perhaps, in five or six years, betting on racing will be widely available in the sports betting universe. What sort of opportunity would that be for racing?

AM: We are always trying to grow our audience over time and we will be the first sports book that offers racing. I am very excited about that. We see it as a unique advantage. We are going to be introducing an exciting sport to people that they can watch, make bets on and make bets where there is the chance of a massive payout. Racing has a lot going for it.

When you're talking about the number of people betting on sports you're talking millions. This year, we had more customers on the FanDuel sports book for the Super Bowl than we had in the complete history of TVG. You do not need to grab a huge share of that market to really grow horse racing pools. Eighty percent of wagering on sports is on football, baseball, basketball, hockey, which includes college sports. So 20 percent of the pie left and it includes a lot of sports and racing has an huge advantage over them. If you're not a horse racing person per se, but if you live in New York, you're aware of Belmont, Aqueduct, Saratoga. Everyone knows about the Kentucky Derby. Racing has a very good product that features things other sports don't necessarily have. We have to lean into that edge and capitalize on it.

TDN: So how does the sport capitalize in it? What are some of the ways racing can better position itself to make itself attractive to the sports bettor?

AM: That's the most intriguing part of that, when will customers drift over to racing and how do we execute on that? We will be watching our customer behavior very closely and there's a business fit and there's a customer fit. Suppose we discover that the customers are going to racing at a certain time of the day. This is a complete hypothetical, but let's say we find that for the Thursday night football game we get a lot of horse racing pick up at a certain time, maybe before the game starts. If that's a time when people are actually discovering racing and interacting with racing, we'd love to see the tracks react by offering their best products. Even though it would be Thursday and in the evening hours, how about a major track running and running some big stakes races? It will be a fun exercise to figure out how the customers interact, what customers like and don't like and what we need to give them more of and when.

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ENTRIES OPEN FOR KEENELAND HORSES OF RACING AGE SALE

Entries are now open for the Keeneland November Horses of Racing Age Sale, which will be held Nov. 17, the day after the conclusion of the company's November Breeding Stock Sale. The single-session auction will start at 12 p.m. ET to enable trainers and racing entities to complete their morning activities before the sale.

"The success of the Horses of Racing Age portion of the 2021 November Sale coupled with the energy surrounding our April Horses of Racing Age Sale, which was held on the final day of the Spring Meet, confirmed our desire to offer a stand-alone auction for this segment of the market this year," Keeneland President and CEO Shannon Arvin said. "The strength of the Kentucky racing circuit and elevated purses nationally continue to fuel enthusiasm for owning racehorses. The November Horses of Racing Age Sale offers a great opportunity for horsemen to enhance their racing stables while transitioning to winter racing."

The entry deadline for the print catalogue will be Sept. 30, but supplements will be taken until sale date. Horses will be presented for sale at Keeneland, but may be offered from off-site locations upon request.

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NEW FIRST-TURN SPA SEATING, BELMONT INFIELD HORSE TUNNEL PROPOSED

by T.D. Thornton

A first-turn seating expansion at Saratoga Race Course and the addition of a 400-foot long infield horse tunnel at Belmont Park were among the improvement projects floated by New York Racing Association (NYRA) executives on Thursday.

Three new backstretch dormitories at Saratoga are also on NYRA's to-do list, according to a preview of possible 2023 projects discussed at the Sep. 1 Franchise Oversight Board (FOB) meeting.

The FOB represents the interests of NYRA's state-owned properties, and that board still must formally approve the projects if and when NYRA submits a capital expense plan that includes them, most likely when the FOB meets again in early 2023.

The first-turn expansion at Saratoga was billed by NYRA as a natural extension of this year's build-out of the one-mile Wilson Chute near where the home stretch merges with the first turn.

The new amenities on the first turn will likely look similar to the existing Spa Verandas at the other end of the home straight, although NYRA has not formally begun designing them.



Adam Coglianese

The Tailgate at the Turn drive-up picnic section that is there right now might have to go to make way for more permanent structures.

"Get rid of the tents, get rid of that restroom trailer that's over there, and work with [the Saratoga Springs Preservation Foundation] on what we can build over there [to] take out the temporary facilities and build something that will work," is how Glen Kozak, NYRA's senior vice president of operations and capital projects, described the vision.

"And I think the same concept of what works up at the Spa Verandas can work over there," Kozak added. "We're looking at multiple things over there to come back to [the FOB] for the capital plan for 2023, but it could be something even with a second floor, similar to what we had out there for the Outback Suites, where you have a deck to be able to view the track..We could make that area really nice."

Downstate, the Belmont project is predicated on NYRA's desire to add a synthetic racing surface, an idea that is not etched in stone but has been under discussion for the better part of the 21st Century and appears edging closer to reality.

"For 2023, we'll look at if we are going to install a synthetic track, to be able to be prepared for it," Kozak said, noting the now-common delays for big-ticket projects that have become the norm in the construction industry.

"So even just some of the bidding that would have to take place, even without the [formal] approval of [a synthetic track], just to be able to be keyed up for the time frame," Kozak explained.

"With bringing in product from England, with the wax and the fibers, it's such a long lead time, and some of the other components for that project as well [including] the safety rail," Kozak said.

Belmont is already undergoing an initial phase in its multi-year

redevelopment. The ongoing construction of vehicular and pedestrian tunnels to provide access underneath all three existing racing surfaces to the 45-acre Belmont infield have necessitated that the traditional 2022 Belmont fall meet be held at Aqueduct Racetrack.

"The other redevelopment is already taking place this year," Kozak said. "But we'd also look at a horse tunnel to gain access to that synthetic track."

The horse tunnel didn't come up back in January when the **FOB greenlighted** the start of NYRA's infield project. The 400-foot length of the proposed horse tunnel was not discussed during Thursday's FOB meeting, but an internet search reveals that the project's specifics have already been listed on several online construction bidding sites.

Kozak also said it's NYRA's desire to get going on a multi-year-plan to get build three new 68-room backstretch worker dorms at Saratoga, two on the Oklahoma training track side of the property and one on main track side across Union Avenue.

Kozak said the first will be located adjacent to soccer field by backstretch recreation center. The other Oklahoma-side dorm is envisioned for "over near where Nick Zito's barn is." The main-track dorm is proposed for the portion of the property "near barn No. 8, adjacent to Greentree."

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TWO GERRY DILGER SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS GRADUATE FROM THE IRISH NATIONAL STUD COURSE *Edited Release*

The Gerry Dilger Equine Scholarship Foundation was set up two years ago by family and close friends in memory of Gerry Dilger. Gerry was a very successful breeder and pinhooker of many top horses, including consecutive GI Kentucky Derby winners **Nyquist (Uncle Mo)** and **Always Dreaming (Bodemeister)**. More than his equine triumphs, Gerry was a mentor to so many young people through his Dromoland Farm, where he nurtured and assisted them as they commenced their careers in the bloodstock business. In recognition of this, the Foundation was established to grant scholarships to deserving young people with some great help from the Irish National Stud, Kentucky Equine Management Internship (KEMI), Springhouse Farm, Lane's End Farm, University of Limerick, University College Dublin, and the University of Kentucky.

Several scholarships have been awarded to assist in tuition, flights, and visas. Two recipients, **Gemma Blumenshine** and **Roisin Whelan**, enjoyed scholarships at the Irish National Stud in 2022 and penned blogs (shown below) detailing their experiences at the famous Kildare nursery.



Roisin Whelan and Gemma Blumenshine on graduation day
Courtesy Gerry Dilger Equine Scholarship Foundation

"My family and I are very proud of the accomplishments of all the scholarship recipients, including Gemma and Roisin," said Erin Dilger, Gerry's wife. "We would like to express our heartfelt thanks for all the donations and support we have received from so many individuals and farms worldwide. There will be several new scholarships awarded for 2023 and we are also pleased to announce that the inaugural Gerry Dilger Equine Scholarship Foundation Golf Tournament and Auction will be held at Houston Oaks [near Paris, Ky.] on Oct. 10."

Roisin Whelan's Blog

As the end of June approaches, it is time to reflect on the last six months and my experience of the Irish National Stud Course. I was filled with excitement and delight when it was announced that I had been accepted onto this prestigious course and was honored to have been awarded a scholarship from the Gerry Dilger Equine Scholarship Foundation.

The hands-on aspect of the course comprehensively covered the day-to-day workings of a stud farm, from foaling, to mares and foals, to stallions, we did it all!

One of the highlights of this had to be getting up close and personal with Invincible Spirit (Ire) (Green Desert), who at 25-years-old, still displays the energy and athleticism befitting a stallion of his reputation. I also greatly enjoyed my time spent on night-foaling duty, during which I assisted in bringing 14 foals into the world; surely there must be a champion or two amongst them!

We were provided with lots of educational and interesting lectures, most noteworthy were those of Cathal Beale, CEO of the stud, whose progressive views on the subject of equine business were refreshing and engaging to all the students. With all our assignments handed in and exams complete, it is difficult

not to feel bittersweet about the whole experience. We won't miss the homework, but we will miss the people.

In January, all 30 of us were thrown into the deep end when introduced to fellow students with whom we would work, study, eat, sleep, and live with for the duration of the course. The fun we had and the memories made will last us all a lifetime. I am fortunate to have been part of such a fantastic, varied bunch of young people, within which I have made friends for life and can't wait to watch as we all grow and forge careers for ourselves within the industry.

I was extremely lucky to have had Gemma Blumenshine, fellow Dilger Scholarship recipient, as a roommate, as her infectious personality brought me great entertainment over our time together.

Once again, I would like to say a massive thank you to the Gerry Dilger Equine Scholarship Foundation and to the Dilger family for supporting me on this journey. I am massively excited to continue my career and the next step is Springhouse Farm in Kentucky to get a taste of life in America. Onwards and Upwards! '

Gemma Blumenshine's Blog

In the fall of 2021, I was lucky enough to be the recipient of the Gerry Dilger Equine Foundation Scholarship in partnership with KEMI. The scholarship was to send one KEMI intern to participate in the Irish National Stud breeding management program for six months in Kildare, Ireland. It is an honor to be chosen to attend this prestigious program which is now also certified by IT Carlow so the interns also gain university accreditation. In the last six months, I have traveled, visited other farms, seen multiple race tracks, attended daily classes, and worked alongside my 29 fellow interns. The work we have done on the farm has varied throughout the breeding season. I have been able to work with the stallions in the breeding shed, help mares give birth to their new foals on night shifts, and care for growing foals. I have absolutely expanded my skill set and learned so much more about the Thoroughbred industry. The best part for me has been learning about the industry on the European side and learning different ways to do things and especially learning from my peers and their individual experiences.

My view and experience of this industry have been very broadened through the six months on this course and I am so glad I got this opportunity. Throughout this season we foaled 319 mares which is the highest number the Irish National Stud has foaled to date and we learned so much through caring for that high volume. As the season comes to a close, we are going on more field trips to other farms and racing yards as well as taking our final exams and submitting final projects. Our exams

span over the many topics we have covered in classes these last few months and are the marker of our time here coming to an end. It has been so rewarding to care for the pregnant mares and help them give birth to watching their foals grow up and become independent. You build such connections with each of the horses as you rotate through each of the yards on the farm and get to work with every single horse. I would not have gotten to participate in any of this if it were not for the Gerry Dilger Equine Scholarship Foundation and I am forever grateful for one of the best experiences of my life.

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AVERAGE UP BY 28% AT CTHS ONTARIO YEARLING SALE



This colt by **Cairo Prince** topped the Canadian Premier Yearling Sale
Courtesy CTHS Ontario

A yearling colt by **Cairo Prince** topped the Canadian Thoroughbred Horse Society (CTHS) Ontario Yearling Sale, also known as the Canadian Premier Yearling Sale, and helped spur a steep rise of the average, which was up by 28% over the 2021 edition. Held Wednesday night at the Woodbine Sales Pavilion, the CTHS sale registered gross sales of \$3,837,700 (up 22%), a median of \$19,500 (up 95%), and an average of \$25,585.

The topper, a **Cairo Prince** colt out of Hopping Not Hoping (Silent Name {Jpn}), hammered for \$115,000 to Dr. Robert McMartin, agent. Consigned by Woodlands Farm, he was bred in Ontario by Murray Smith.

“Our sales week got off to a great start with our race day at Woodbine on Sunday featuring the four sales stakes for previous sales grads,” said Peter Berringer, CTHS Ontario's president and sales chair. “Ontario Racing’s promotion of the Sales Credit Program in 2022 has undoubtedly increased interest from our owner/buyer base. We’ve also enjoyed welcoming many returning customers, who we last saw pre-Covid, as well as a diverse new international buyer base. We thank the breeders/owners who have supported the sale, as more than ever it pays to breed, buy, and race in Ontario.”

Click for a full accounting of the [sale's results](#).

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CANTER FOR A CAUSE RETURNS TO PIMLICO

Pimlico Race Course will host Canter for a Cause Sunday, Oct. 30, giving the public an opportunity to walk, trot, canter, or gallop their own horse or pony. Sponsored by the Maryland Jockey Club, Canter for a Cause is scheduled to run from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Registration is \$60 per trip, with proceeds going to benefit the Thoroughbred Aftercare Alliance (TAA). Registration closes Monday, Oct. 24 at 5 p.m. Entries will be taken in four groups--Seabiscuit (walk, trot, canter, and gallop), Secretariat (walk, trot, and slow canter), War Admiral (walk and trot) and Ben’s Cat (lead line).

Each registrant will be assigned a ride time, requests to ride with friends should be made in advance. Participants will also have their picture taken by the official track photographer in the winner’s circle.

All horses must have proof of a negative Coggins test within 12 months. All riders must sign a waiver and wear approved helmets, and riders under 14 must be accompanied by an adult. No colts, stallions, or ridglings are allowed.

For full rules and event description visit

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

PRIORRESS S.-GII, \$250,000, 3yo, f, 6f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Wicked Halo	Gun Runner	Winchell Thoroughbreds LLC	Asmussen	Gaffalione	122
2	Hot Peppers	Khozan	Michael Dubb and Michael J. Caruso	Rodriguez	Saez	122
3	Lady Scarlet 🌸	Union Rags	Paradise Farms Corp. and Staudacher, David	Maker	Ortiz	122
4	Mischievous Diane 🌸	Practical Joke	Perrine Time Thoroughbreds	Handal	Franco	118
5	Bank On Anna	Central Banker	WellSpring Stables	Serpe	Lezcano	120
6	Angitude 🌸	Violence	Joseph F. Novogratz	Cox	Rosario	118
7	Sterling Silver	Cupid	Mark T. Anderson	Albertrani	McCarthy	120
8	Half Is Enough 🌸	Frosted	Ironhorse Racing Stable LLC	Trombetta	Prat	120
9	Smash Ticket	Midnight Lute	King, Brad, Kirby, Stan & Suzanne & Coleman, B	Atras	Carmouche	120
10	Union Lake	Speightster	Steven Schoenfeld	Terranova, II	Velazquez	118

Breeders: 1-Winchell Thoroughbreds LLC, 2-Brent Fernung & Crystal Fernung, 3-Popatop, LLC, 4-Wynnstay LLC & Mark Toothaker, 5-Lou Corrente, 6-Gainesway Thoroughbreds Ltd., 7-Mallory Mort & Karen Mort, 8-Rigney Racing LLC, K2, 9-Brad King, 10-Richard Bosshard Jr.

Saturday, Saratoga #11, post time: 5:45 p.m. EDT

JOCKEY CLUB GOLD CUP S.-GI, \$1,000,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/4m



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PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Tax	Arch	R. A. Hill Stable and Gargan, Danny	Gargan	Carmouche	126
2	Olympiad 🌸	Speightstown	Grandview Equine, Cheyenne Stable, LLC and LNJ Foxwoods	Mott	Alvarado	126
3	Untreated 🌸	Nyquist	Team Valor International, LLC	Pletcher	Ortiz	126
4	Chess Chief	Into Mischief	Estate of James J. Coleman, Jr.	Stewart	Franco	126
5	Americanrevolution	Constitution	CHC Inc. and WinStar Farm LLC	Pletcher	Rosario	126
6	First Captain	Curlin	West Point Thoroughbreds, Siena Farm LLC, Flay, Bobby and Woodford Racing, LLC	McGaughey III	Saez	126
7	Keepmeinmind	Laoban	Cypress Creek Equine, Bennewith, Arnold and Spendthrift Farm LLC	Pletcher	Castellano	126
8	Dynamic One	Union Rags	Repole Stable, Phipps Stable and St. Elias Stable	Pletcher	Ortiz, Jr.	126

Breeders: 1-Claiborne Farm & Adele B. Dilschneider, 2-Emory A. Hamilton, 3-Ashview Farm & Old Oak Farm, 4-Morgan's Ford Farm, 5-Fred W. Hertrich III & John D. Fielding, 6-B. Flay Thoroughbreds, 7-Southern Equine Stables, LLC, 8-Phipps Stable

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TVG PACIFIC CLASSIC S.-GI, \$1,000,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/4m



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PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Extra Hope	Shanghai Bobby	Jay Em Ess Stable	Mandella	Baze	124
2	Country Grammer 🦟	Tonalist	Commonwealth Thoroughbreds, LLC, Winstar Farm LLC and Zedan Racing Stables			
3	Royal Ship (Brz)	Midshipman	Fox Hill Farms, Inc. and Siena Farm LLC	Mandella	Smith	124
4	Express Train 🦟	Union Rags	C R K Stable LLC	Shirreffs	Espinoza	124
5	Flightline	Tapit	Hronis Racing LLC, Siena Farm LLC, Summer Wind Equine LLC, West Point Thoroughbreds and Woodford Racing, LLC	Sadler	Prat	124
6	Stilleto Boy	Shackleford	Steve Moger	Moger, Jr.	Hernandez	124

Breeders: 1-Samantha Siegel, 2-Scott Pierce & Debbie Pierce, 3-Haras Belmont, 4-Dixiana Farms LLC, 5-Summer Wind Equine, 6-John Kerber & Iveta Kerber

Saturday, Saratoga #10, post time: 5:09 p.m. EDT
FLOWER BOWL S.-GII, \$600,000, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 3/8mT



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PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Capital Structure (GB)	Lope de Vega (Ire)	Klaravich Stables, Inc.	Brown	Ortiz	118
2	Flanigan's Cove	Kitten's Joy	Emory A. Hamilton	McGaughey III	Castellano	118
3	Virginia Joy (Ger)	Soldier Hollow (GB)	Peter M. Brant	Brown	Ortiz, Jr.	122
4	War Like Goddess 🦟	English Channel	George Krikorian	Mott	Rosario	122
5	Coastana	Kitten's Joy	Belladonna Racing, LLC	DeVaux	Lezcano	118
6	Temple City Terror 🦟	Temple City	Pocket Aces Racing LLC	Walsh	Saez	118
7	Marvelous Maude	Slumber (GB)	Dubb, Michael, The Elkstone Group, LLC and Caruso, Michael J.	Brown	Franco	118

Breeders: 1-Fortescue Bloodstock, 2-Emory A. Hamilton, 3-Gestut Auenquelle, 4-Calumet Farm, 5-Kenneth L. Ramsey & Sarah K. Ramsey, 6-Upson Downs Farm, 7-Beechwood Bruckner LLC

Saturday, Del Mar #7, post time: 7:00 p.m. EDT
DEL MAR MILE S.-GII, \$300,000, 3yo/up, 1mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Air Force Red	Air Force Blue	Eclipse Thoroughbred Partners and Golightly, Holly	Powell	Velazquez	122
2	Tarantino 🦟	Pioneerof the Nile	Steve Moger	Moger, Jr.	Smith	122
3	Irideo (Arg)	Easing Along	Pozo de Luna, Inc.	Polanco	Berrios	122
4	None Above the Law	Karakontie (Jpn)	Downstream Racing, LLC	Miller	Bravo	122
5	Hong Kong Harry (Ire)	Es Que Love (Ire)	Anastasi, Scott, Ukegawa, Jimmy & Valazza, Tony	D'Amato	Prat	122
6	Goliad	War Front	Bass II, Perry R. and Bass, Ramona S.	Mandella	Hernandez	122
7	Cathkin Peak (Ire)	Alhebayeb (Ire)	CYBT, Sterling Stables, LLC and Nentwig, Michael	D'Amato	Rispoli	122
8	Figureti (Chi)	Constitution	Matriarca	Sanchez	Cedillo	124
9	Tripoli 🦟	Kitten's Joy	Hronis Racing LLC	Sadler	Pereira	124
10	Astronaut	Quality Road	John M. B. O'Connor	Shirreffs	Espinoza	122

Breeders: 1-Stephen B. Weissman Living Trust, 2-Fred W. Hertrich III & John D. Fielding, 3-Pozo de Luna, 4-J. Kirk Robison & Judy Robison, 5-Amarath Business Management, 6-Ramona S. Bass, LLC, 7-G. Kinch, 8-Haras Matriarca, 9-Blue Devil Racing Stable, LLC, 10-Anastasia Astrid Christiansen-Croy

Saturday, Del Mar #9, post time: 8:00 p.m. EDT

CAESARS SPORTSBOOK DEL MAR DERBY-GII, \$300,000, 3yo, 1 1/8mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Cabo Spirit 🐾	Pioneerof the Nile	Kretz Racing LLC	Ppaprdomu	Bravo	122
2	Slow Down Andy	Nyquist	Reddam Racing LLC	O'Neill	Gutierrez	122
3	War At Sea	War Front	Doubledown Stables, Inc.	Ellis	Smith	122
4	Spycatcher	Noble Mission (GB)	Muir Hut Stables, LLC	Glatt	Curatolo	122
5	Dandy Warhol (Ire)	Dandy Man (Ire)	Red Baron's Barn, LLC, Rancho Temescal, LLC and Shanderella Stables	Glatt	Prat	122
6	St Anthony	Noble Mission (GB)	Alice Bamford	Drysdale	Berrios	122
7	Mackinnon	American Pharoah	ERJ Racing, LLC, Madaket Stables LLC and Kenney, Dave	O'Neill	Hernandez	122
8	Barsabas 🐾	Tale of the Cat	Drakos, Christopher and Hanson, Ryan	Hanson	Herrera	122
9	Balnikhov (Ire)	Adaay (Ire)	Little Red Feather Racing, Madaket Stables LLC and Old Bones Racing Stable, LLC	D'Amato	Rispoli	122

Breeders: 1-WinStar Farm, LLC, 2-Reddam Racing, LLC, 3-Lewis Thoroughbred Breeding, 4-St. Elias Stables, LLC, 5-M. Foley, 6-Alice C. Bamford, 7-International Equities Holding, Inc., 8-Charles Fipke, 9-T. de La Heronniere & Gestut Zur Kuste AG

Saturday, Del Mar #11, post time: 9:00 p.m. EDT

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ASSOCIATION-GII, \$300,000, 3yo/up, 1 3/8mT



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PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Dacey Mo Chara (GB)	Adaay (Ire)	Red Baron's Barn LLC and Rancho Temescal LLC	Powell	Velazquez	119
2	Gold Phoenix (Ire)	Belardo (Ire)	Little Red Feather Racing, Sterling Stables, LLC and Naify, Marsha	D'Amato	Prat	118
3	Gregdar 🐾	Graydar	Rio Del Sol Stables, LLC	D'Amato	Rispoli	119
4	Red King	English Channel	Belmonte, Philip and Jacobsen, Gordon	D'Amato	Berrios	118
5	Tango Tango Tango 🐾	Tourist	Calumet Farm	Sisterson	Cannon	119
6	Tizamagian	Tiznow	MyRacehorse and Spendthrift Farm LLC	Mandella	Smith	123
7	Order and Law 🐾	Violence	D. Bernsen, LLC, L Buckendorf, J. Lambert L. Rodriguez, P. Schneider, Peter Stotland, M White	Hess, Jr.	Maldonado	117
8	Tesoro 🐾	Anchor Down	Glen Road Racing, LLC, Highland Yard LLC and Raygoza, Ben	Jauregui	Bravo	117
9	Master Piece (Chi)	Mastercraftsman (Ire)	Diaz-Valdes, Fernando, Baalbek Corp. and Don Alberto Stable	McCarthy	Cedillo	123
10	Masteroffoxhounds	War Front	Rockingham Ranch	D'Amato	Hernandez	120
11	Heywoods Beach 🐾	Speightstown	Hronis Racing LLC	Sadler	Vazquez	121

Breeders: 1-Workshop Manor Stud, 2-Mighty Universe Ltd, 3-Stephen J. McDonald, 4-Calumet Farm, 5-Frederick Wieting, 6-Woodford Thoroughbreds, 7-Dell Ridge Farm, LLC, 8-Gainesway Thoroughbreds LTD., 9-Haras Don Alberto, 10-Orpendale/Chelston/Wynatt, 11-SF Bloodstock LLC

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Saturday, Kentucky Downs #10, post time: 6:31 p.m. EDT**WINSTAR MINT MILLION S.-GIII, \$1,000,000, 3yo/up, 1mT**

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Tut's Revenge	Eskendereya	Claim To Fame Stable	Stuart	Cheminaud	122
2	Cavalry Charge	Honor Code	West Point Tbreeds, Sandbrook, W & Masiello, R	Stewart	Cohen	126
3	Pixelate	City Zip	Godolphin, LLC	Stidham	Geroux	122
4	Gray's Fable	Gio Ponti	Goldfine, Steve, Provost, Kari and Zlonis, Jeff	Lynch	Michel	126
5	Betwithbothhands	Uncle Mo	Hernandez Racing Stable, LLC	Hernandez	Beschizza	122
6	Mr Dumas 🦄	Majesticperfection	WSS Racing LLC and Hooties Racing LLC	Ortiz	Gutierrez	126
7	Kentucky Ghost	Ghostzapper	BBN Racing, LLC	Oliver	Bejarano	126
8	Injunction	Skipshot	J & J Stables, LLC and Vaccarezza, Nicholas	Vaccarezza	Corrales	122
9	Atone	Into Mischief	Jordan V. Wycoff	Maker	Gaffalione	122

Breeders: 1-Lane Thoroughbreds LLC, 2-Glencrest Farm LLC, 3-Godolphin, 4-Jeff Zlonis, 5-Kenneth L. & Sarah K. Ramsey, 6-Ramspring Farm, 7-Blue Devil Racing Stable, LLC, 8-Mikhail Yanakov, 9-Godolphin

Saturday, Saratoga #4, post time: 1:43 p.m. EDT**SARANAC S.-GIII, \$200,000, 3yo, 1 1/16mT**

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Celestial City	Uncle Mo	Stuart S. Janney, III	McGaughey III	Castellano	118
2	Piqua 🦄	Speightstown	Eclipse Thoroughbred Partners & Frassetto, Albert	Motion	Alvarado	118
3	Annapolis	War Front	Bass Racing, LLC	Pletcher	Ortiz, Jr.	122
4	Ethereal Road 🦄	Quality Road	Gilbert, Julie and Sones, Aaron	Lukas	Saez	118
5	Fuerteventura 🦄	Summer Front	LaPenta, Robert V. and Jones, Brereton C.	Thomas	Franco	122

Breeders: 1-Stuart S. Janney, III LLC, 2-WinStar Farm, LLC, 3-Bass Stables, LLC, 4-Paul Pompa Jr., 5-Brereton C. Jones

Sunday, Saratoga #11, post time: 6:11 p.m. EDT**SPINAWAY S.-GI, \$300,000, 2yo, f, 7f**

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Kaling 🦄	Practical Joke	Eclipse Thoroughbred Partners	Pletcher	Prat	120
2	Miss Georgie	Girvin	Eiserman, Michael, Silver, Earl & K Fishbein	Gaudet	Carrasco	120
3	Apple Picker	Connect	Michael Dubb	Rodriguez	Davis	120
4	Naughty Gal 🦄	Into Mischief	Holy Cow Stable, LLC	Lukas	Ortiz	122
5	Just Cindy 🦄	Justify	Clarkland Farm	Kenneally	Saez	122
6	Leave No Trace	Outwork	WellSpring Stables	Serpe	Lezcano	120
7	Sabra Tuff	Cross Traffic	Valene Farms LLC	Stewart	Franco	120
8	Aunt Shirley	Justify	WinStar Farm LLC	Brisset	Ortiz, Jr.	120
9	Wonder Wheel 🦄	Into Mischief	D. J. Stable LLC	Casse	Velazquez	122
10	American Rockette	American Pharoah	Frank Fletcher Racing Operations, Inc.	Mott	Alvarado	120

Breeders: 1-John R. Penn & Frank Penn, 2-Gary Mesnick & Norman Dellheim, 3-Michael Dubb, 4-Loren Nichols, 5-Clarkland Farm LLC, 6-Red Cloak Farm, LLC, 7-Tom Curtis & Wayne Simpson, 8-WinStar Farm, LLC, 9-Three Chimneys Farm, LLC & ClearskyFarms, 10-Frank Fletcher

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Sunday, Kentucky Downs #10, post time: 6:31 p.m. EDT**BIG ASS FANS DUELING GROUNDS DERBY-GIII, \$750,000, 3yo, 1 5/16mT**

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Grand Sonata 🦋	Medaglia d'Oro	Whisper Hill Farm, LLC	Pletcher	Gaffalione	124
2	Tallahatchiebridge	Will Take Charge	Kenneth L. and Sarah K. Ramsey Stable	Joseph, Jr.	Zayas	118
3	Always Above 🦋	Honor Code	Circle 8	Nihei	Talamo	118
4	Kitodan 🦋	Point of Entry	Foster Family Racing, Miller, Douglas E. and Wargel, William J.	Foster	Corrales	124
5	Mount Rundle 🦋	Jack Milton	Circle 8	Nihei	Bejarano	118
6	Double Clutch	Optimizer	Calumet Farm	Arnold, II	Geroux	118
7	Running Bee	English Channel	Calumet Farm	Brown	Cheminaud	118
8	Red Run	Gun Runner	Winchell Thoroughbreds LLC	Asmussen	Hernandez, Jr.	122
9	Dripping Gold 🦋	Lemon Drop Kid	West Point Thoroughbreds, Ballantyne, John A. and Titledown Racing Stables	McGaughey III	Leparoux	118
10	Speaking Scout 🦋	Mr Speaker	Eclipse Thoroughbred Partners	Motion	Graham	118
11	Russian Tank 🦋	Tourist	Glockenburg LLC	Dorochenko	Vega	118
12	Ready to Purform	Kitten's Joy	Donegal Racing	Cox	Rosario	124
Also Eligible						
13	Western River 🦋	Tapit	September Farm, LLC, Union Park Thoroughbreds, Black Fern LLC, Motley, Michael, Motley, Tammy and Storyteller Racing	Brisset	Santana, Jr.	118
14	Camp David 🦋	Pioneerof the Nile	Three Diamonds Farm	Maker	Gutierrez	118

Breeders: 1-Whisper Hill Farm, LLC, 2-Kenneth L. Ramsey & Sarah K. Ramsey, 3-Gainesway Thoroughbreds LTD, 4-Flaxman Holdings Limited, 5-Pope McLean, Marc McLean, Pope McLean Jr. & Taproot Bloodstock, LLC, 6-Calumet Farm, 7-English Channel Co-Owners & Gordon Gilliam, 8-Winchell Thoroughbreds LLC, 9-Alexander-Groves Thoroughbreds, 10-Mike Abraham, 11-WinStar Farm, LLC, 12-Bonne Chance Farm, LLC, 13-Mt. Brilliant Broodmares I, LLC & Tapit Syndicate, 14-Paul Tackett Revocable Trust, Phil Tackett & Pioneerof the Nile Syndicate

Sunday, Del Mar #9, post time: 8:00 p.m. EDT**GREEN FLASH H.-GIII, \$150,000, 3yo/up, 5FT**
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PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Dubai Key (Arg)	Key Deputy	Granadilla	Sanchez	Berrios	120
2	Yes He Can	Can the Man	Little Red Feather Racing, Veranda Stables, J Owen John Vanderslice	D'Amato	Frey	118
3	Super Ocho (Chi)	Dubai Sky	Agricola Matriarca	Sanchez	Ayuso	118
4	Lane Way	Into Mischief	MyRacehorse	Mandella	Smith	118
5	Nero 🦋	Pioneerof the Nile	Thor-Bred Stables, LLC	Drysdale	Curatolo	118
6	Chasin Munny	Munnings	Hailey, James and Philip J. Wood	Glatt	Cedillo	119
7	Barristan The Bold (GB)	Excelebration (Ire)	David A. Bernsen LLC & Rockingham Ranch	Papaprodromou	Bravo	118
8	Coulthard (Ire)	Coulsty (Ire)	Manoogian, Jay and Manoogian, Julie	D'Amato	Vazquez	119
9	Lieutenant Dan	Grazen	Nicholas B. Alexander	Miyadi	Hernandez	125
10	Whatmakessammyrun	We Miss Artie	Sterling Racing LLC	Glatt	Rispoli	120
11	Maven	American Pharoah	Ryan Hanson, J Kayajanian & T Mouradick	Hanson	Maldonado	117

Breeders: 1-Firmamento, 2-Allied Racing Stable, LLC, 3-Haras Matriarca, 4-GWTW Horses LLC, 5-Thor-Bred Stables, LLC, 6-Sycamore Hall Thoroughbreds, LLC, 7-Chasmore Farm, 8-J. Waldron & J. Barton, 9-Nick Alexander, 10-Kenneth L. Ramsey & Sarah K. Ramsey, 11-Wesley Ward

Sunday, Del Mar #5, post time: 6:00 p.m. EDT

TORREY PINES S.-GIII, \$125,000, 3yo, f, 1m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Desert Dawn	Cupid	H and E Ranch, Inc.	D'Amato	Rispoli	124
2	Kirstenbosch	Midnight Lute	Keith Abrahams	Sadler	Baze	120
3	Midnight Memories	Mastery	Pegram, Michael E., Watson, Karl and Weitman, Paul	Baffert	Vazquez	120
4	Malibu Marie K	Malibu Moon	Paula S. Capestro	Capestro	Valdivia, Jr.	120
5	Under the Stars	Pioneerof the Nile	Mrs. John Magnier, Michael B.Tabor & D. Smith	Baffert	Hernandez	124
6	Cinnamon Cat K	Pioneerof the Nile	Bobby Flay	McCarthy	Cedillo	120
7	Grace Adler	Curlin	Willow Grace Farm and Petersen, Michael Lund	Baffert	Smith	120

Breeders: 1-H & E Ranch, 2-Keith Abrahams, 3-Michael E. Pegram, Paul Weitman & KarlWatson, 4-Spendthrift Farm, LLC, 5-Eaton, 6-International Equities Holding, Inc., 7-Blue Heaven Farm

Tuesday, Colonial Downs #10, post time: 6:14 p.m. EDT

NEW KENT COUNTY VIRGINIA DERBY-GIII, \$300,000, 3yo, 1 1/8mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Royal Patronage (Fr)	Wootton Bassett (GB)	Highclere Thoroughbred Racing, LLC	Motion	Rosario	123
2	Wow Whata Summer 🌿	Summer Front	Jeremy Brooks	Lawrence, II	Conner	123
3	Vance Scholars	Holy Boss	Steven T. Newby	Capuano	Ruiz	118
4	California Frolic 🌿	California Chrome	Julian J. De Mora Jr.	De La Cerda	Perez	120
5	Catnip	Kitten's Joy	Moore, Susan and John	Stidham	Toledo	118
6	Marwad (GB)	Intello (Ger)	Rachid Racing Inc.	Moubarak	Vasquez	118
7	Unanimous Consent (GB)	Almanzor (Fr)	Klaravich Stables, Inc.	Brown	Franco	120
8	Camp David 🌿	Pioneerof the Nile	Three Diamonds Farm	Maker	Karamanos	118
9	Limited Liability	Kitten's Joy	Stuart S. Janney, III	McGaughey III	Ortiz	120
10	Capensis 🌿	Tapit	Eclipse Thoroughbred Partners, Robert LaPenta	Pletcher	Ortiz, Jr.	118
			Gainesway Stable, Winchell Thoroughbreds LLC & Stonestreet Stables LLC			
11	Grand David 🌿	Tapiture	Granpollo Stable	Barboza, Jr.	Gonzalez	120

Breeders: 1-Emma Capon Bloodstock, 2-Jeremy Brooks, 3-Anchor & Hope Farm Inc., 4-Steven Friedfertig & Taylor Made SalesAgency, 5-John Moore & Susan Moore, 6-Shadwell Estate Company Limited, 7-Plantation Stud, 8-Paul Tackett Revocable Trust, PhilTackett & Pioneerof the Nile Syndicate, 9-Stuart S. Janney, III LLC, 10-Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC, 11-Cowboy Stables, LLC



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1	Sharp Azteca (2013) by <i>Freud</i> Crops: 1	2	3	--	--	--	--	45	18	246,294	832,902
										Tyler's Tribe	
2	Cross Traffic (2009) by <i>Unbridled's Song</i> Crops: 5	1	4	--	1	--	--	42	16	158,400	749,775
										Maple Leaf Mel	
3	Bolt d'Oro (2015) by <i>Medaglia d'Oro</i> Crops: 1	2	6	1	2	--	--	45	12	140,000	937,600
										Boppy O	
4	Justify (2015) by <i>Scat Daddy</i> Crops: 1	4	5	3	3	--	--	31	11	165,710	972,862
										Just Cindy	
5	Girvin (2014) by <i>Tale of Ekati</i> Crops: 1	2	2	1	1	--	--	21	11	145,560	677,580
										Damon's Mound	
6	Army Mule (2014) by <i>Friesan Fire</i> Crops: 1	--	1	--	--	--	--	31	11	90,000	651,648
										Danse Macabre	
7	Mendelssohn (2015) by <i>Scat Daddy</i> Crops: 1	--	1	--	--	--	--	38	12	72,400	574,114
										Miracle	
8	Good Magic (2015) by <i>Curlin</i> Crops: 1	1	2	1	1	--	--	31	10	205,200	723,533
										Vegas Magic	
9	Fast Company (Ire) (2005) by <i>Danehill Dancer (Ire)</i> Crops: 9	--	--	--	--	--	--	37	10	28,077	152,846
										Belouni (FR)	
10	Practical Joke (2014) by <i>Into Mischief</i> Crops: 2	--	1	--	--	--	--	29	9	70,350	603,058
										Chocolate Gelato	
11	Into Mischief (2005) by <i>Harlan's Holiday</i> Crops: 11	2	3	1	1	--	--	42	8	175,600	882,787
										Wonder Wheel	
12	Nyquist (2013) by <i>Uncle Mo</i> Crops: 3	1	1	--	--	--	--	30	8	112,760	551,861
										Absolutely Zero	
13	Oscar Performance (2014) by <i>Kitten's Joy</i> Crops: 1	--	1	--	1	--	--	24	8	84,230	392,355
										Andthewinneris	
14	Outwork (2013) by <i>Uncle Mo</i> Crops: 3	--	1	--	--	--	--	21	8	59,695	321,816
										Ninetyfour Expos	
15	More Than Ready (1997) by <i>Southern Halo</i> Crops: 19	--	1	--	--	--	--	28	7	67,500	489,653
										Redefined	

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FANDUEL TAPIT S., \$394,000, Kentucky Downs, 9-1, (C), 3yo/up, 1m 70yT, 1:38.10, fm.

1--**LAW PROFESSOR**, 122, g, 4, **Constitution--Haunted Heroine (MSW, \$267,150)**, by **Ghostzapper**. O-Twin Creeks Racing Stables, LLC; B-Twin Creeks Farm (KY); T-Rob Atras; J-Julien R. Leparoux. \$237,800. Lifetime Record: GSW, 11-4-1-1, \$516,440.

2--**Spanish Kingdom**, 122, g, 5, Animal Kingdom--Mis Vizcaya, by Successful Appeal. (\$120,000 Wlg '17 KEENOV; \$16,000 Ylg '18 FTKOCT). **1ST BLACK TYPE**. O-Sanders, Wayne and Hirsch, Larry; B-Burden Creek LLC, Springland Farm & Godolphin (KY); T-Joe Sharp. \$78,000.

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3--**Shadow Sphinx**, 126, g, 7, Pioneerof the Nile--Manx Cat, by Forest Wildcat. **1ST BLACK TYPE**. O-Gary Barber; B-Grade 1 Bloodstock & Halcyon Farm & Equine Equity Partners, LLC (KY); T-Peter Miller. \$39,000.

Margins: HF, 3/4, 1HF. Odds: 9.55, 15.51, 34.31.

Also Ran: Floriform, In Love (Brz), Ramsey Solution, Souper Dormy, Skyro, New Year Surprise, Megacity, Peace Achieved. Scratched: Atone, Bakers Bay, Like the King, Newsworthy.



Law Professor | Coady

Law Professor returned to winning ways with a victory in the FanDuel Tapit S. on Kentucky Downs opening day. Previously trained by California-based Michael McCarthy, he was making his first start for Rob Atras here. Contesting the early pace



Law Professor | Coady

through a swift :22.23 opening quarter, the bay was shuffled back to be mid-pack between horses after half in :44.91. Breaking through on the fence in early stretch, Law Professor extended clear and held Spanish Kingdom at bay to score.

"I've always been kind of enthralled with that place," Atras said. "Watching races, they're kind of wild to watch. Turning for home, I wasn't sure if we had enough horse because the fractions looked really fast to me. But Julien [Leparoux] was really smart and backed off the pace a little bit. He tucked him in and then he went down the rail and then the angle changed. I thought we had a shot, but I couldn't quite tell because the angle was really tough for me to read. All of a sudden as the camera angle kind of went more to the traditional pan shot, they were still there. Julien was going left-handed and riding him and he was still there. It was incredible. I couldn't believe it. I never expected to win first time at that track."

Capturing an off-the-turf renewal of the GII Santa Anita Mathis Mile in December, Law Professor checked in second behind next-out GI Santa Anita H. winner Express Train (**Union Rags**) in the GII San Pasqual S. Feb. 5. He could only manage fifth back on grass for the GI Frank Kilroe Mile Mar. 5 and was a non-factor ninth in the GIII Oaklawn Mile Apr. 2.

The winner's dam Haunted Heroine is also responsible for an unraced 3-year-old filly by **Frosted** named Frostine, an unraced juvenile gelding named Huntington (**Uncle Mo**) and a yearling full-sister to Law Professor. Andrew Warren secured Haunted Heroine for \$420,000 at this year's KEEJAN sale in foal to **City of Light**. The half-sister to GISW Celestine (Scat Daddy) ended up barren and was bred back to that Lane's End sire. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

P. G. JOHNSON S., \$150,000, Saratoga, 9-1, 2yo, f, 1 1/16mT, 1:45.67, gd.

1--**BE YOUR BEST (IRE)**, 122, f, 2, by **Muhaarar (GB)**

1st Dam: Kamakura, by **Medaglia d'Oro**

2nd Dam: Kotuku (GB), by A.P. Indy

3rd Dam: Flagbird, by Nureyev

1ST BLACK TYPE WIN. 'TDN Rising Star'. O-Michael J. Ryan; B-St. Croix Bloodstock (IRE); T-Horacio De Paz; J-Jose L. Ortiz. \$82,500. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$140,250.

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2--**Whichwaze**, 120, f, 2, Cross Traffic--Deherewego, by Dehere. (\$4,500 Wlg '20 KEENOV; \$15,000 Ylg '21 OBSOCT).

1ST BLACK TYPE. O-Tina Casse; B-Old Chapel Farm LLC (VA); T-Mark E. Casse. \$30,000.

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3--**Recognize**, 122, f, 2, Bolt d'Oro--Avendesora, by Majesticperfection. (\$270,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP; \$190,000 RNA 2yo '22 OBSAPR). **1ST BLACK TYPE.** O-Sequel Racing & Cypress Creek Equine; B-Sequel Stallions NY & Lakland Farms (NY); T-William I. Mott. \$18,000.

Margins: 3 3/4, HF, NO. Odds: 1.35, 19.20, 10.90.
Also Ran: Idea Generation (Ire), Pachuca, Damaso, Lady Jasmine, Indian Spideroo. Scratched: **Leave No Trace.**



Be Your Best | Sarah Andrew

Be Your Best made the most of a picture-perfect trip when debuted over this same track and distance July 31, sitting off the pace and powering home late to score by 3 1/4 lengths en route to a 'TDN Rising Star' nod. Bumped up to stakes company in just her second start, the favorite sat closer to the frontrunners this time, racing wide into the first turn in pursuit from third. Settled into stride against the hedge up the backstretch, she saved ground around the far turn before angling out two wide to challenge Recognize for the front. As room there closed, she

tipped back to the rail in mid-stretch and rallied through a tight spot inside to take command with a furlong to run. Whichwaze was closing behind, but Be Your Best was already well clear for a decisive win.

"The filly was so easy to ride," said winning jockey Jose Ortiz. "She did whatever I asked her to do. She relaxed well and had a beautiful turn of foot turning for home. The rail opened up and she gave it to me. I feel like she didn't give me 100 percent – she was playing with her ears passing the wire. She's happy and Horacio [De Paz] has done an amazing job with her."

Out of a full-sister to GSP Bay of Plenty (**Medaglia d'Oro**) and a half-sister to GISP Fortify (Distorted Humor), Be Your Best hails from the extended family of MG1SW Flagbird (Nureyev) as well as GISW & GI Longines Kentucky Oaks runner-up Little Belle (A.P. Indy). She is her dam's last reported foal. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

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DOVER S., (NB) \$50,150, Delaware, 9-1, (S), 2yo, 5 1/2f, 1:04.90, ft.

1--**BANDITS HEART, 114, c, 2, Mosler--Onearmedbandit (SW, \$304,878), by No Armistice.** O/B-No Guts No Glory Farm (MD); T-John J. Robb; J-Angel Cruz. \$30,000. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$31,000. *1/2 to Anna's Bandit (Great Notion), MSW & GSP, \$806,655.

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2--**Riccio**, 119, c, 2, Cross Traffic--Richetta, by Polish Numbers. (\$15,000 Ylg '21 EASOCT). O-Sheffield Stable LLC; B-Glenangus Farm LLC (MD); T-John J. Robb. \$10,000.

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3--**Mean Tweets**, 118, g, 2, **American Freedom--Proud Commander**, by Proud Citizen. (\$6,500 Ylg '21 KEESEP). O-Lewis E. Mathews, Jr.; B-Brereton C. Jones (KY); T-Chelsey E. Moysey. \$5,500.

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Margins: 2, HD, 2HF. Odds: 4.60, 0.50, 24.30.
Despite having the talent to debut against state-bred stakes company at Colonial Downs Aug. 9, Bandits Heart never made a bid, finishing sixth nearly 8 1/2 lengths back from the winner in the Hickory S. The 9-2 third choice, down from a 12-1 morning line, he showed much more speed in his second start, going out to set the tempo early while saving ground against the rail. Challenged only briefly by heavy 1-2 chalk Riccio and 24-1 longshot Mean Tweets around the turn, Bandit's Heart had plenty in reserve to find another gear past the quarter pole and draw off through the wire for the score.

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Dover S. cont.

Onearmedbandit has since produced back-to-back foals by Golden Lad—a yearling colt named Banditsgoldenchild and a weanling filly. She was bred to both **Mosler** and **Editorial** for the 2023 season. **Click for the [Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#), sponsored by [TVG](#).**

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8th-Kentucky Downs, \$167,000, Alw, 9-1, (NW1X), 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2fT, 1:15.49, fm, head.

STORM KISS (f, 3, [Quality Road](#)--[Kiss N Scat {SW}](#), by [Scat Daddy](#)) took two tries to break her maiden, doing so on the all-weather surface at Tampa Jan. 14 before going to the bench, returning to be fourth against optional claimer company on the dirt at Keeneland Apr. 22. Tried on the turf at one mile last time out at Saratoga Aug. 12, Storm Kiss faded to eighth after being close to the pace early. Cut back to 6 1/2 furlongs Thursday, the 10-1 shot again sat just behind the speed, pressing outside of the leading pair. Tipped in to the rail around the turn to engage pacesetter Shannon ([Nyquist](#)), she dug in determinedly down the lane and just prevailed late, getting the win by a head. The winner's only younger sibling is a weanling filly by [Munnings](#). Lifetime Record: 5-2-1-0, \$151,826. **Click for the [Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#), sponsored by [TVG](#).**

O/B-Douglas Scharbauer (KY); T-Wesley A. Ward.

 **Hidden Brook Foaled & Raised** 



Storm Kiss | Coady Photography



IN ORDER OF PURSE:

10th-Kentucky Downs, \$157,000, Msw, 9-1, 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:35.12, fm, head.

AXTHELM (c, 3, [Into Mischief](#)--[Preemptive Attack](#), by [Smart Strike](#)) ran second on debut, checking in 4 1/2 lengths behind the winner over Gulfstream's synthetic surface July 17. Given a 7-1 chance Thursday, Axthelm stalked pacesetter and favorite Growth Capital ([War Front](#)) from third down the back straightaway. A length off that leader around the far turn, he swung to the outside, challenged into the final furlong and dueled to the line, just nailing the leader in the final strides to score by a head. A half-brother to a pair of graded stakes winners in Sky Treasure ([Sky Mesa](#)), GSW-Can, SW-USA,, \$492,426 and Surgical Strike (Red Giant), GSW, \$428,049, Axthelm's second dam, Bold Ruritana (Bold Ruckus), was champion grass mare and champion older mare in Canada. He is his dam's last reported foal. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$99,030.

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4th-Kentucky Downs, \$156,800, Msw, 9-1, 2yo, 1mT, 1:37.03, fm, nose.

MENDEL'S SECRET (c, 2, [Mendelssohn](#)--[Donnie's Secret](#), by [Tiger Ridge](#)), given just a 7-1 chance on debut, broke on top and set a comfortable early tempo just ahead of favored Margaret Burbidge ([Twirling Candy](#)). As his lead began to dwindle closer to home, Mendel's Secret fought back against Decanted (Kitten's Joy), who had been stalking him from second throughout the later stages of the race. Under an all-out ride to the line, Mendel's Secret prevailed in a head bob, taking the win by a nose to become the 12th winner for his freshman sire (by Scat Daddy). A half-brother to So Conflated (Eskendereya), SW, \$139,551, Mendel's Secret is out of a full-sister to MGSW [Leah's Secret](#). He has a yearling half-sister by [Practical Joke](#) and a weanling half-brother by Mitole still to race. Sales history: \$60,000 2yo '22 EASMAY. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$90,000.

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Mendel's Secret (inside) holds off Decanted | Coady

1st-Kentucky Downs, \$156,000, Msw, 9-1, 2yo, f, 6 1/2ft, 1:16.89, fm, 4 1/2 lengths.

CARNABY STREET (f, 2, American Pharoah--Sloane Square {GSP}, by Giant's Causeway), favored at 7-5 for this career bow in the opening event of the meet, settled patiently and stalked from good position in third behind the leading pair of Master Som (**Mastery**) and Fabulosity (Exaggerator). With a ton of run but little room, she waited for a break to open between rivals down the stretch, split them in the final furlong and easily cleared late to score by 4 1/2 lengths. Miss Peabody (Anchor Down), a 42-1 shot, surged late to fill out the exacta. Sloane Square produced back-to-back foals by **Munnings**--a colt in 2021 and a filly in 2022--and was bred back to the Coolmore stallion for 2023. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$90,000. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.** O-Michael B. Tabor; B-Chelston (KY); T-Wesley A. Ward.

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6th-Saratoga, \$105,000, Msw, 9-1, 2yo, 5 1/2ft, 1:05.45, gd, 1/2 length.

INFLATION NATION (IRE) (c, 2, Speightstown--Urban Ball {Ire}, by Galileo {Ire}) was acquired at TATOCT for 58,000gns and was sent through the ring at OBS April, bringing \$100,000 after a :10 flat breeze. He missed by a head in his course-and-distance debut July 22 and was hammered down to 4-5 to get the job done this time. Tracking from second through the initial strides, the bay was passed to his inside and settled in a close-up third off the fence through a :22.20 opening quarter. Edging up on the pacesetter's outside at the top of the lane, Inflation Nation was joined to his inside by Mo Saturdays (**Mo Town**) as the early leader folded his tent, but he had the jump on that foe and forged clear for a half-length score. The winner is the final foal out of Urban Ball, who is a half-sister to champion Perfect Soul (Ire) (Sadler's Wells). Sales history: 58,000gns Ylg '21 TATOCT; \$100,000 2yo '22 OBSAPR. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$78,750. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.** O-Louis Lazzinnaro LLC and Dubb, Michael; B-Yeguada Centurion S.L. (Ire); T-Christophe Clement.

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Inflation Nation | Sarah Andrew

9th-Saratoga, \$105,000, Msw, 9-1, 2yo, f, 5 1/2ft, 1:05.25, gd, 1/2 length.

GEORGEES SPIRIT (f, 2, Mor Spirit--March On, by War Front) faded to sixth in her off-the-turf unveiling at this venue July 21 and was given a 6-1 chance while getting on her intended surface. Racing in mid-pack off a :22.16 opening quarter, the bay was two-wide behind horses turning for home and still had work to do as the half went in :46.63. The top two sprung clear in mid-stretch, but Georgees Spirit was just hitting her best stride and surged past late for a half-length score, becoming his freshman sire (by Eskendereya)'s sixth winner. **Cont. p5**

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Sweetlou'sgotaces (**Constitution**) completed the exacta. March On had a full-brother to the winner in 2021 and a Believe in Royalty colt in 2022. Sales history: \$16,000 Wlg '20 KEENOV; \$22,000 Ylg '21 OBSWIN; \$80,000 Ylg '21 OBSOCT. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$58,538. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

O-Abreu, Jorge R., Photos, Robert and Sportsmen Stable; B-Mike Pietrangelo (KY); T-Jorge R. Abreu.

Colin Brennan Bloodstock Graduate
 THINK INDIAN CREEK

3rd-Saratoga, \$83,000, Msw, 9-1, 2yo, f, 5 1/2ft, 1:05.96, gd, 2 lengths.

NUMERO SEIS (f, 2, Frosted--Tenacious Tina, by Benchmark) checked in third in her first start at Churchill June 19, but found herself the victim of a hot pace duel second time out at Saratoga in an auction restricted maiden special July 20, fading to finish seventh. Switched to the grass Thursday, the 5-1 shot wasted no time getting away from the gate, assuming command from the opening strides. Kept off the rail in the two path, she led with minimal pressure into the far turn, responded with a run when asked past the quarter pole and extended her lead late to prevail by two lengths over Run for Cover (Get Stormy). Already a half-sister to a pair of graded stakes performers in Tiny Tina (Paddy O'Prado), MGSP, \$214,056 and Flatter Up (Flatter), GSP, \$137,557, Numero Seis is out of a half-sister to GISW & sire **Midnight Storm** (Pioneerof the Nile). Her dam produced a yearling colt by **Hard Spun** and a weanling colt by **War of Will**. She was bred back to Yaupon for the 2023 season. Sales history: \$50,000 Ylg '21 KEEJAN. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-1, \$58,273. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

O-Highlander Training Center; B-Alex Venneri Racing, LLC (KY); T-Joe Sharp.

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In this continuing series, Alan Carasso takes a look ahead at US-bred and/or conceived runners entered for the upcoming weekend at the tracks on the Japan Racing Association circuit, with a focus on pedigree and/or performance in the sales ring. Here are the horses of interest for this weekend running at Kokura, Niigata and Sapporo Racecourses:

Saturday, September 3, 2022

5th-SAP, ¥13,400,000 (\$96k), Newcomers, 2yo, 1500mT

EMETH AMOUR (f, 2, Union Rags--Trensa, by Giant's Causeway), a \$220,000 Keeneland September graduate, is a full-sister to GISW juvenile and current Spendthrift stallion Free Drop Billy; a half to dual Group 1 winner, champion and Japanese first-crop sire Hawkbill (Kitten's Joy); and to the dam of GSW/GISP 'TDN Rising Star' Emmanuel (**More Than Ready**). The Jan. 27 foal looks to become the sixth winner from seven foals for the Michael Matz-trained Grade III-placed turf distaffer Trensa, a daughter of GI Ballerina S. winner Serape (Fappiano), whose other produce include treble Grade III winner Batique (Storm Cat). The **American Pharoah** yearling half-sister to Emeth Amour is cataloged as **hip 96** to Keeneland September. B-Helen K Groves Revocable Trust (KY)

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5th-KOK, ¥13,400,000 (\$96k), Newcomers, 2yo, 1200mT
FROM DUSK (c, 2, Bolt d'Oro--Foolish Cause, by Giant's Causeway) fetched \$200,000 at last year's KEESEP sale, but lit up the tote at OBS March to the tune of \$900,000 after breezing an eighth of a mile in :9 4/5. A half-brother to juvenile stakes winner Foolish Humor (Distorted Humor), the dark bay is out of a half-sister to the late Get Stormy (Stormy Atlantic), a three time Grade I winner on the turf. *B-Springhouse Farm (KY)*



The \$900,000 paid by Hideyuki Mori for Top Line Sales-consignee From Dusk was the fifth highest at OBSMAR | *Judit Seipert*

Sunday, September 4, 2022

6th-NII, ¥13,400,000 (\$96k), Newcomers, 2yo, 1400mT
NITRO JOURNEY (c, 2, Speightstown--Twice the Lady, by Quiet American) was scooped up for \$340,000 at last year's KEESEP sale about three months before half-brother Doppelganger (Into Mischieff) earned 'TDN Rising Star' honors on Los Alamitos debut. The latter would go on to hit the board in this year's GII San Felipe S. and GIII Affirmed S. The colt's SW/MGSP dam was purchased for \$350,000 by WinStar at the 2013 Fasig-Tipton November Sale and she has since amassed a perfect produce record from three previous foals to the races. *B-WinStar Farm LLC (KY)*

11th-KOK, Kokura Nisai S.-G3, ¥58.6k (\$418k), 2yo, 1200mT
PROTOPOROS (JPN) (c, 2, War Front--Cavale Doree {Fr}, by Sunday Break {Jpn}) is the first foal from his French Group 3-winning dam, also third in the 2016 GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies Turf, and who was purchased by Katsumi Yoshida for the equivalent of \$883,272 at the 2019 Tattersalls December Mares Sale. The bay debuted in the Carrot Farm green-and-white hoops going this distance at Chukyo June 16 and made light work of that group, graduating by 3 1/2 lengths as a 2-5 shot should (video, SC 1). Yuichi Fukunaga is back in the irons this weekend. *B-Northern Racing*



FIRST-CROP STARTERS TO WATCH: FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 2
 2022 Stud Fees Listed

Accelerate (Lookin At Lucky), Lane's End Farm, \$15,000
 124 foals of racing age/3 winners/0 black-type winners
 4-Delaware, 2:00 p.m. EDT, Aoc 6f, Musicmansandy, 6-1
 \$160,000 KEE SEP yrl; \$175,000 OBS APR 2yo
 1-Saratoga, 1:05 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, My Sweet Summer, 7-2
 \$75,000 KEE NOV wnl

Aldrin (Malibu Moon), O'Sullivan Farms, \$2,000
 28 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners
 5-Charles Town, 9:02 p.m. EDT, Msw 4 1/2f, Livana, 7-2

Always Dreaming (Bodemeister), WinStar Farm, \$12,500
 127 foals of racing age/3 winners/0 black-type winners
 3-Charles Town, 8:02 p.m. EDT, Msw 4 1/2f, Amelia's Dream, 3-1
 6-Saratoga, 3:55 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Dreaming of Carli, 15-1

Army Mule (Friesan Fire), Hill 'n' Dale at Xalapa, \$7,500
 103 foals of racing age/11 winners/0 black-type winners
 4-Delaware, 2:00 p.m. EDT, Aoc 6f, Wild Army Brat, 8-1
 \$120,000 KEE SEP yrl; \$47,000 OBS APR 2yo

Awesome Slew (Awesome Again), Ocala Stud, \$4,000
 36 foals of racing age/6 winners/1 black-type winner
 6-Gulfstream, 3:07 p.m. EDT, Msw 7f, Awesome Marina, 20-1
 \$30,000 OBS MAR 2yo

Bolt d'Oro (Medaglia d'Oro), Spendthrift Farm, \$20,000
 167 foals of racing age/12 winners/2 black-type winners
 2-Delaware, 1:00 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, I Gotta Bolt, 6-1
 \$25,000 KEE JAN wnl

Buccheri (Kantharos), Pleasant Acres Stallions, \$5,000
 68 foals of racing age/4 winners/0 black-type winners
 6-Gulfstream, 3:07 p.m. EDT, Msw 7f, Major Pryce, 4-1
 \$18,000 OBS WIN wnl; \$27,000 OBS MAR 2yo

Cloud Computing (Maclean's Music), Spendthrift Farm, \$5,000
 114 foals of racing age/5 winners/0 black-type winners
 6-Saratoga, 3:55 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Crimson Princess, 10-1
 \$50,000 SAR AUG yrl; \$70,000 EAS MAY 2yo

Collected (City Zip), Airdrie Stud, \$15,000

119 foals of racing age/3 winners/0 black-type winners
 1-Emerald Downs, 10:05 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, Forever Amber, 5-1
 \$19,000 RNA KEE NOV wnl; \$20,000 WAS SEP yrl

Destin (Giant's Causeway), Sequel New York

46 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners
 1-Saratoga, 1:05 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Maggie T, 8-1
 \$8,000 RNA SAR AUG yrl
 5-Charles Town, 9:02 p.m. EDT, Msw 4 1/2f, Owe You One, 12-1
 \$5,000 EAS OCT yrl

Girvin (Tale of Ekati), Ocala Stud, \$6,000

104 foals of racing age/11 winners/2 black-type winners
 6-Gulfstream, 3:07 p.m. EDT, Msw 7f, Atomically, 7-5

Good Samaritan (Harlan's Holiday), WinStar Farm, \$7,500

111 foals of racing age/5 winners/0 black-type winners
 7-Prairie Meadows, 9:34 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, Good N Lucky, 4-1
 7-Prairie Meadows, 9:34 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, Good Time Girl, 3-1

Irish War Cry (Curlin), Northview Stallion Station, \$6,500

54 foals of racing age/2 winners/0 black-type winners
 4-Delaware, 2:00 p.m. EDT, Aoc 6f, Princess Chessie, 8-1

McCraken (Ghostzapper), Airdrie Stud, \$5,000

39 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners
 3-Timonium, 1:43 p.m. EDT, Msw 4f, Lady Serenity, 5-2
 \$5,000 EAS OCT yrl; \$25,000 EAS MAY 2yo

Monster Mash (Ghostzapper), Bybee Road Farm

4 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners
 3-Charles Town, 8:02 p.m. EDT, Msw 4 1/2f, Awesome Moon, 4-1

Mor Spirit (Eskendereya), Spendthrift Farm, \$5,000

109 foals of racing age/6 winners/0 black-type winners
 6-Prairie Meadows, 9:08 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, Kamea, 12-1
 2-Remington, 8:35 p.m. EDT, Msw 1m, Mor Lana Spirit, 9-2
 \$25,000 FTK OCT yrl

Ransom the Moon (Malibu Moon), Calumet Farm, \$7,500

73 foals of racing age/3 winners/0 black-type winners
 7-Prairie Meadows, 9:34 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, S C Skylars Empire, 10-1

Sharp Azteca (Freud), Three Chimneys Farm, \$5,000

130 foals of racing age/18 winners/2 black-type winners
 4-Delaware, 2:00 p.m. EDT, Aoc 6f, Cuz Ur Pretty, 4-1
 \$20,000 KEE JAN wnl; \$6,000 OBS APR 2yo
 1-Saratoga, 1:05 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Nice 'n Spicy, 6-1
 \$20,000 EAS OCT yrl; \$75,000 EAS MAY 2yo

West Coast (Flatter), Lane's End Farm, \$15,000

124 foals of racing age/4 winners/0 black-type winners
 2-Delaware, 1:00 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Jersey Coast, 10-1
 \$70,000 RNA KEE NOV wnl; \$30,000 KEE SEP yrl; \$20,000 EAS MAY 2yo
 6-Saratoga, 3:55 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Jsk Bucephalus, 12-1
 \$62,000 SAR AUG yrl; \$40,000 EAS MAY 2yo

SECOND-CROP STARTERS TO WATCH: FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 2*2022 Stud Fees Listed***Alliance** (Harlan's Holiday), Bonita Farm, \$4,000

17 foals of racing age/2 winners/0 black-type winners
 6-Penn National, 8:16 p.m. EDT, Msw 5f, Allay, 4-1
 6-Penn National, 8:16 p.m. EDT, Msw 5f, Savor, 2-1

Blofeld (Quality Road), Murmur Farm, \$4,000

50 foals of racing age/20 winners/0 black-type winners
 5-Charles Town, 9:02 p.m. EDT, Msw 4 1/2f, Strong Willed, 9-2

Cupid (Tapit), Coolmore Ashford, \$5,000

174 foals of racing age/61 winners/4 black-type winners
 9-Saratoga, 5:39 p.m. EDT, \$250K GII Prioress S., 6f, Sterling Silver, 20-1
 \$13,000 FTK SEL yrl

Holy Boss (Street Boss), Anchor & Hope Farm, \$2,500

71 foals of racing age/17 winners/1 black-type winner
 3-Timonium, 1:43 p.m. EDT, Msw 4f, Bosserati, 3-1

Madefromlucky (Lookin At Lucky), Northview Stallion Station, \$4,000

71 foals of racing age/9 winners/1 black-type winner
 3-Charles Town, 8:02 p.m. EDT, Msw 4 1/2f, Lucky Blonde, 6-1

Noble Bird (Birdstone), Ocala Stud, \$4,000

74 foals of racing age/20 winners/2 black-type winners
 6-Gulfstream, 3:07 p.m. EDT, Msw 7f, Rebate, 20-1
 \$9,500 RNA OBS WIN wnl

Practical Joke (Into Mischief), Coolmore Ashford, \$35,000

269 foals of racing age/67 winners/6 black-type winners
 1-Saratoga, 1:05 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Mim, 6-1

\$90,000 SAR AUG yrl

9-Saratoga, 5:39 p.m. EDT, \$250K Gil Prioress S., 6f, Mischievous Diane, 12-1

\$67,000 KEE JAN wnl



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5th-Kentucky Downs, \$186,000, 9-1, 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2ft, 1:16.29, fm, 3/4 length.

THUNDERING CREED (f, 4, Jimmy Creed--Thundering Gale, by Thunderello) Lifetime Record: SP, 14-4-3-2, \$354,065. O-Blackout Racing Stables; B-C. Kidder & N. Cole (KY); T-Michael A. Tomlinson. *\$14,000 Ylg '19 KEEJAN.

3rd-Kentucky Downs, \$172,000, (NW2X)/Opt. Clm (\$62,500), 9-1, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 5/16mT, 2:10.67, fm, head.

VIBURNUM (f, 4, Include--Quite a Rapper, by Dixieland Band) Lifetime Record: 18-3-6-2, \$315,206. O/B-Dede McGehee (KY); T-Kelsey Danner. *1/2 to Quite Acceptable (Acceptable), SW, \$104,658.

7th-Kentucky Downs, \$130,870, 9-1, (NW1TYX), 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:33.58, fm, 1 1/4 lengths.

MAX K. O. (h, 6, J P's Gusto--Funky Fraulein, by Sligo Bay {Ire}) Lifetime Record: 38-10-6-2, \$438,313. O-Ten Twenty Racing; B-Span Investments (FL); T-Saffie A. Joseph, Jr. *\$3,700 RNA Ylg '17 OBSOCT; \$13,000 2yo '18 OBSOPN.

4th-Saratoga, \$125,000, 9-1, 3yo/up, 1 1/8mT, 1:51.97, gd, 3 1/2 lengths.

BYE BYE MELVIN (g, 5, Uncle Mo--Karlovy Vary {GISW, \$448,596}, by Dynaformer) Lifetime Record: GSW, 16-4-3-2, \$247,465. O/B-Alex G. Campbell, Jr. Thoroughbreds, LLC (KY); T-H. Graham Motion. *1/2 to Mean Mary (Scat Daddy), MGSW & MGISP, \$1,086,270.

5th-Saratoga, \$120,000, (NW2\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$62,500), 9-1, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8m, 1:49.94, ft, 2 3/4 lengths.

W W FITZY (m, 6, Well Positioned--Stormy Fitz, by Stormy Atlantic) Lifetime Record: 33-12-5-5, \$489,792. O-Flying P Stable; B-William P. Stiritz (IL); T-Robertino Diodoro.

2nd-Del Mar, \$82,500, (S), (NW1\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$20,000), 9-1, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:38.79, ft, 1 length.

WARRIOR'S MOON (m, 5, Jeranimo--Casual Observer, by Half Ours) Lifetime Record: 26-3-1-8, \$188,420. O-Hunsburger, Joel B. and Jacobsen, Wade; B-Wade Jacobsen (CA); T-Jerry Hollendorfer.

7th-Delaware, \$44,750, 9-1, (NW1X), 3yo/up, f/m, 1m 70yT, 1:41.67, fm, 1 1/4 lengths.

RIVETING SPIRIT (m, 5, Csaba--Queen Drama {SW, \$127,225}, by Burning Roma) Lifetime Record: 17-5-2-2, \$117,940. O-Norman L. Rader; B-Harold L. Queen (FL); T-Andrew L. Simoff. *1/2 to Noble Drama (Gone Astray), MSW, \$747,487.

8th-Thistledown, \$41,200, 9-1, (NW2X), 3yo/up, 5 1/2f, 1:03.86, ft, 5 1/2 lengths.

OL' L B (g, 8, Alcindor--Coqui, by Fusaichi Pegasus) Lifetime Record: 47-12-11-3, \$276,418. O-Team Memories; B-Larry Byer (OH); T-Valerie K. Shanyfelt. *1/2 to Dirt Monster (Line of David), MSW, \$289,088.

6th-Horseshoe Indianapolis, \$41,000, (S), 9-1, (NW2L), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11.51, ft, 1 1/2 lengths.

STARLET EXPRESS (f, 4, Unbridled Express--Miss Carmelite, by Mutakddim) Lifetime Record: 18-2-3-2, \$94,865. O/B-L.T.B. Inc & Hillerich Racing, Inc. (IN); T-George Leonard, III. *Full to Ace of Aces, MSW, \$264,685; Express Model, SW, \$133,202; Unbridled Class, MSW, \$481,229; Express Run, SW, \$343,640.

8th-Horseshoe Indianapolis, \$40,000, (S), 9-1, (NW3LX), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10.78, ft, 1 length.

TRAFALGAR SHORE (f, 3, Lord Nelson--Double Harbor, by Rockport Harbor) Lifetime Record: 9-3-2-1, \$93,440. O-Crown's Way Racing LLC, South Side Stables LLC and Silva, Carlos H.; B-Deann & Greg Baer DVM (IN); T-Carlos H. Silva. *\$30,000 Wlg '19 KEENOV. **1/2 to Sky Writer (Sky Mesa), SW, \$213,566.



5th-Canterbury, \$36,700, 8-31, 3yo/up, 1m 70yT, 1:38.50, fm, 1 1/2 lengths.

THAT'S NOT FUNNY (g, 3, Distorted Humor--Alluring Squall, by Bernardini) Lifetime Record: 7-3-1-1, \$79,320. O/B-Lothenbach Stables Inc (MN); T-Joel Berndt.

7th-Albuquerque, \$34,500, (S), 8-31, (NW2L), 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:05.28, ft, 1 3/4 lengths.

AWESOME WALKER (m, 5, Delhomme--Social Event, by Event of the Year) Lifetime Record: 8-2-1-2, \$48,420. O-Richard Hall & John B. Gilding; B-Richardson Brothers (NM); T-Greg Green.

8th-Albuquerque, \$30,000, 8-31, (NW2L), 3yo/up, 5 1/2f, 1:04.84, ft, 5 1/4 lengths.

RUNNINGINTHERAIN (g, 3, Diabolical--Bring On the Rain, by Storm of Goshen) Lifetime Record: 7-2-2-0, \$48,208. O-George William Childs; B-S. F. Henderson (OK); T-Gary W. Cross.

2nd-Belterra, \$27,200, (S), 9-1, (NW3L), 3yo/up, 1m, 1:39.46, ft, 1 3/4 lengths.

WORTHY OPPONENT (g, 3, Even the Score--Dehere and Now, by Dehere) Lifetime Record: 9-3-0-1, \$44,821. O-Richard Barnes; B-Elkhorn Oaks Inc. (OH); T-Arizona Miller.

7th-Mountaineer Casino & Resort, \$22,610, 8-31, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10.56, ft, head.

ANANROAD (g, 5, Quality Road--Ananda, by Scat Daddy) Lifetime Record: SP, 23-7-2-2, \$129,062. O-Jamen Davidovich; B-Jeff Treadway (KY); T-Andrew Davidovich. *\$400,000 Ylg '18 FTSAUG; \$23,000 4yo '21 FTKFEB.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Brownie, f, 2, **Awesome Slew**--Winnercoastto coast, by Super Saver. Thistledown, 9-1, (S), 6f, 1:14.22. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, \$27,798. B-Craig & Lindy Powell (OH). *\$15,000 Ylg '21 OTBOMX.

Juradical, f, 2, **General a Rod**--Hold Me Sue, by Hold Me Back. Horseshoe Indianapolis, 8-31, (S), 5f, :59.56. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, \$32,600. B-Dawn Martin (IN). *\$9,500 Ylg '21 INDMIX.

Yolanda Who, f, 2, **Khozan**--Wishful Melody, by Songandaprayer. Albuquerque, 8-31, 5 1/2f, 1:06.81. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$19,602. B-Sam E. & Sammy L. Stevens (NM). *1/2 to The Distractor (Exclusive Quality), SP, \$159,750.

**1ST-TIME STARTER.

Diamond Missy, f, 2, **Westover Wildcat**--Vumbura, by In Excess (Ire). Canterbury, 8-31, (S), 6f, 1:16.31. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$21,000. B-Regina Maier (MN). *1ST-TIME STARTER.

Princdreamcess, f, 3, **Jess's Dream**--Riviera Blue, by **Mineshaft**. Canterbury, 9-1, 6 1/2f, 1:16.72. Lifetime Record: 6-1-2-0, \$32,754. B-Cherie M Abner & Michael A Bossio (FL). *\$7,000 RNA Ylg '20 OBSWIN; \$82,000 2yo '21 OBSOPN.

Colin Brennan Bloodstock Graduate

No Ice Cream, g, 3, **Midnight Lute**--Cotton Ball, by High Cotton. Del Mar, 9-1, (C), 1m, 1:39.61. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, \$28,120. B-Mike Puype & Slugo Racing (KY).

Back to Work, g, 4, **Distorted Humor**--Always Right, by Arch. Albuquerque, 8-31, 6f, 1:12.71. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$16,990. B-Dixiana Farms LLC & Distorted Humor Syndicate (KY). *\$180,000 Ylg '19 KEESEP.

Laughing Legacy, g, 4, **Distorted Humor**--Legacy (SW & GSP, \$238,885), by Sightseeing. Del Mar, 9-1, (C), 6f, 1:11.63. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$25,700. B-Lawrence M. Opas MD, Frank Sinatra, John Jain & WinStar Farm, LLC (KY). *\$55,000 Wlg '18 KEENOV; \$65,000 Ylg '19 KEESEP.



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March Magic, g, 4, **Lightnin N Thunder**--Capraia, by War Chant. Thistledown, 9-1, (S), 1m, 1:43.48. Lifetime Record: 23-1-4-5, \$64,334. B-Blue Diamond Horseshoe LLC & Ben Mears (OH).

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Alcindor, Ol' L B, g, 8, o/o Coqui, by Fusaichi Pegasus. ALW, 9-1, Thistledown

American Pharoah, Carnaby Street, f, 2, o/o Sloane Square, by Giant's Causeway. MSW, 9-1, Kentucky Downs

Awesome Slew, Brownie, f, 2, o/o Winnercoastto coast, by Super Saver. MSW, 9-1, Thistledown

Constitution, Law Professor, g, 4, o/o Haunted Heroine, by **Ghostzapper**. FanDuel Tapit S., 9-1, Kentucky Downs

Csaba, Riveting Spirit, m, 5, o/o Queen Drama, by Burning Roma. ALW, 9-1, Delaware

Delhomme, Awesome Walker, m, 5, o/o Social Event, by Event of the Year. ALW, 8-31, Albuquerque

Diabolical, Runningintherain, g, 3, o/o Bring On the Rain, by Storm of Goshen. ALW, 8-31, Albuquerque

Distorted Humor, Back to Work, g, 4, o/o Always Right, by Arch. MSW, 8-31, Albuquerque

Distorted Humor, Laughing Legacy, g, 4, o/o Legacy, by Sightseeing. MCL, 9-1, Del Mar

Distorted Humor, That's Not Funny, g, 3, o/o Alluring Squall, by Bernardini. AOC, 8-31, Canterbury

Even the Score, Worthy Opponent, g, 3, o/o Dehere and Now, by Dehere. ALW, 9-1, Belterra

Frosted, Numero Seis, f, 2, o/o Tenacious Tina, by Benchmark.

MSW, 9-1, Saratoga

General a Rod, Juradicial, f, 2, o/o Hold Me Sue, by Hold Me Back. MSW, 8-31, Horseshoe Indianapolis

Include, Viburnum, f, 4, o/o Quite a Rapper, by Dixieland Band. AOC, 9-1, Kentucky Downs

Into Mischief, Axthelm, c, 3, o/o Preemptive Attack, by Smart Strike. MSW, 9-1, Kentucky Downs

J P's Gusto, Max K. O., h, 6, o/o Funky Fraulein, by Sligo Bay (Ire). ALW, 9-1, Kentucky Downs

Jeranimo, Warrior's Moon, m, 5, o/o Casual Observer, by Half Ours. AOC, 9-1, Del Mar

Jess's Dream, Princedreamcess, f, 3, o/o Riviera Blue, by

Mineshaft. MSW, 9-1, Canterbury

Jimmy Creed, Thundering Creed, f, 4, o/o Thundering Gale, by Thunderello. AOC, 9-1, Kentucky Downs

Khozan, Yolanda Who, f, 2, o/o Wishful Melody, by Songandaprayer. MSW, 8-31, Albuquerque

Lightnin N Thunder, March Magic, g, 4, o/o Capraia, by War Chant. MSW, 9-1, Thistledown

Lord Nelson, Trafalgar Shore, f, 3, o/o Double Harbor, by Rockport Harbor. ALW, 9-1, Horseshoe Indianapolis

Mendelssohn, Mendel's Secret, c, 2, o/o Donnie's Secret, by Tiger Ridge. MSW, 9-1, Kentucky Downs

Midnight Lute, No Ice Cream, g, 3, o/o Cotton Ball, by High Cotton. MCL, 9-1, Del Mar

Mor Spirit, Georgees Spirit, f, 2, o/o March On, by **War Front**. MSW, 9-1, Saratoga

Mosler, Bandits Heart, c, 2, o/o Onearmedbandit, by No Armistice. Dover S., 9-1, Delaware

Muhaarar (GB), Be Your Best (Ire), f, 2, o/o Kamakura, by

Medaglia d'Oro. P. G. Johnson S., 9-1, Saratoga

Quality Road, Ananroad, g, 5, o/o Ananda, by Scat Daddy. AOC, 8-31, Mountaineer

Quality Road, Storm Kiss, f, 3, o/o Kiss N Scat, by Scat Daddy. ALW, 9-1, Kentucky Downs

Speightstown, Inflation Nation (Ire), c, 2, o/o Urban Ball (Ire), by Galileo (Ire). MSW, 9-1, Saratoga

Unbridled Express, Starlet Express, f, 4, o/o Miss Carmelite, by Mutakddim. ALW, 9-1, Horseshoe Indianapolis

Uncle Mo, Bye Bye Melvin, g, 5, o/o Karlov Vary, by Dynaformer. AOC, 9-1, Saratoga

Well Positioned, W W Fitzzy, m, 6, o/o Stormy Fitz, by Stormy Atlantic. AOC, 9-1, Saratoga

Westover Wildcat, Diamond Missy, f, 2, o/o Vumbura, by In Excess (Ire). MSW, 8-31, Canterbury

Wicked Strong, Wicked Genius, c, 3, o/o Palace Pier, by Out of Place. STR, 9-1, Kentucky Downs

Windsor Castle, Crafty Windsor Cat, f, 3, o/o Sheza Crafty Cat, by Fiber Sonde. MSW, 9-1, Charles Town

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By Emma Berry

BADEN-BADEN, Germany--In a special year for German racing as the country celebrates the sport's 200th anniversary, what better way to bring the curtain down on Baden-Baden's Grosse Woche than by having dual German Horse of the Year Torquator Tasso (Ger) return to defend his crown in Sunday's G1 Grosser Preis von Baden? Before that, however, there is the not insignificant matter of around 200 of the country's best yearlings coming under the hammer on Friday in a catalogue that a number of potential buyers around the BBAG sales ground on Thursday were labelling as the strongest ever.

They certainly would not be disabused of that notion by BBAG's managing director Klaus Eulenberger, who could barely walk 20 yards on Thursday without greeting someone or being greeted. Between frequent phone calls he had a few moments in his busy day to assess the scene ahead of his company's biggest day of the year.

"All the usual, local faces are here but there are also many new faces, and international faces, and we are really happy about that, and with the catalogue," he said. "And it is great for the racecourse that we will have Torquator Tasso here for what will probably be the last time [in Germany] on Sunday." [Cont. p3](#)

'YOU CAN'T AFFORD TO BE RISK AVERSE IN THIS GAME AND I'M NOT THAT'

By Brian Sheerin

Andrew Black is renowned in the gambling industry, being co-founder of Betfair, one of the biggest exchanges in the world.

However, there is much more to the 59-year-old than being the man who revolutionised betting; he is also hugely passionate about breeding and playing cards.

Black got to the semi-finals of the world Bridge Championships last week and his breeding endeavors at Chasemore Farm continue to go from strength to strength.

He will bid for Group 1 glory at Haydock on Saturday when homebred Brad The Brief (GB) (Dutch Art {GB}) runs in the Sprint Cup while Noble Style (GB) (Kingman {GB}), sold by Chasemore at Book 1 to Godolphin for 525,000gns last year, is well on his way to becoming a top-notch colt after landing the G2 Gimcrack S. this season. [Cont. p7](#)

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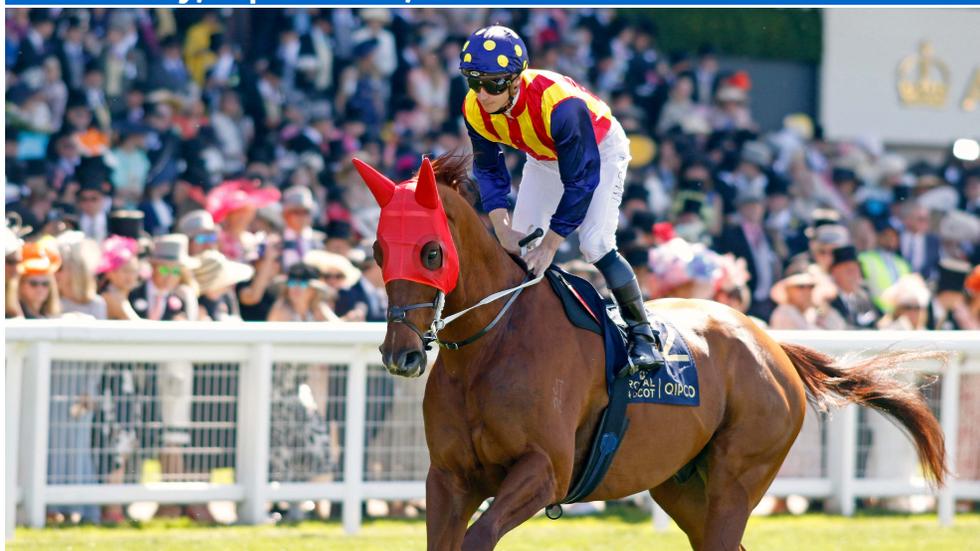
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Nature Strip (Nicconi), pictured at Royal Ascot, trialed impressively at Canterbury Park on Thursday. He will resume in the G2 The Shorts (1100 metres) on Saturday, September 17th. [Click here to watch race](#) | racingfotos.com

LADY HOLLYWOOD TAKES D'ARENBERG

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Lady Hollywood (GB) (Havana Grey {GB}) gave her sire his first group winner with a 1 1/4-length victory in the G3 Prix d'Arenberg on Thursday.

HAYDOCK'S SPRINT CUP ATTRACTS 17

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There is a 17-strong field lined up for the G1 Betfair Sprint Cup S. at Haydock on Saturday.

ALCOHOL FREE TO BE OFFERED AT TATTERSALLS

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Four-time Group 1 winner Alcohol Free (Ire) (No Nay Never) will be offered during the Sceptre Session of the Tattersalls December Mares Sale on Nov. 29.

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BBAG Preview Cont. from p1

While that catalogue is liberally sprinkled with some of the best female families in Germany, there is a broad international range to the stallions represented. Over the last three years, the sale has been topped twice by a **Sea The Stars (Ire)** yearling at the record price of €820,000, while last year the top lot was by Britain and Ireland's champion sire **Frankel (GB)**.

Eulenberger continued, "Over the last few years we have been happy to see two or three yearlings by **Sea The Stars**, but now we have seven in the sale and two nice Frankels, Wootton Bassetts, a **Kingman**, a lovely Dubawi filly, four colts from the second-last crop of Adlerflug, lots of nice Soldier Hollows and a really nice Le Havre filly."

That shopping list of some of Europe's elite sires has no doubt been a source of encouragement for some of the first-time visitors to Baden-Baden this week, which include Jason Litt, Ahmad Al Shaikh, Paul Nolan, Tom Clover, and Billy Jackson-Stops.

Mick Donohoe of BBA Ireland is not a newcomer to the sale but is in Baden-Baden for the first time in eight years. He said, "The catalogue is really good and now I have had a chance to look at the horses there are some really nice yearlings here. Klaus and his team have done a terrific job and it's a very easy sale to work."

International consignor Philipp Stauffenberg has brought a select draft of four yearlings to BBAG which includes a trio that represents a departure for established breeders Gestut Honyhof, the owners of the 2002 German Oaks winner Salve Regina (Ger) (Monsun {Ger}), a full-sister to the German Derby winners Samum (Ger) and Schiaparelli (Ger). The late mare's purchase as a yearling not only led to Classic success on the track but has helped the farm to establish a significant dynasty. Two of Salve Regina's daughters, Salve Aurora (Ger) (King's Best) and Salve Haya (Ire) (Peintre Celebre), appear as the dams of two yearlings on offer on Friday.

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—BBA Ireland's Mick Donohoe on the BBAG format

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Salve Aurora's strapping son of Lope De Vega (Ire) is in the book as **lot 158** and is a half-brother to two listed winners as well as a Group 3-placed winning 2-year-old, while Salve Haya's daughter (**lot 61**) is the only yearling by the late Le Havre (Ire) in the catalogue and is a half-sister to G3 Derby Trial winner Sea Of Sands (Ger) (**Sea The Stars {Ire}**).

Gestut Honyhof manager Simon Minch explained, "This is the first time we've ever sent horses to the sales. It's all part of the process, the owners aren't getting any younger, and this should put us on a solid foundation for the future. We're known as breeders, but we're not known as sellers, so it takes time to get established in the market and we're very pleased to offer three very decent yearlings to start it off."

Espousing the eventual broodmare appeal of the Le Havre filly, he added, "I think nowadays we are maybe running into a little bit of problem with inbreeding and it is important to offer something that might be a bit of an outcross for breeders. She's a half-sister to a Group 3 winner and the dam has a lovely filly foal by **Sottsass** this year. It's a family of producers and it's a female line that rarely comes on the market.

"Salve Haya and Salve Aurora are both daughters of the Group 1 winner Salve Regina. She only had eight foals and they were all fillies. We have the full-sister to the Le Havre filly [Salve Le Meer] and she has been retained and was a winner this year at three." **Cont. p4**

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Prix des Naiades - 1600m

Via Luce (2yo) 
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- 1200m

Wonderfull Lady (2yo)
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l'Armateur - 1600m

Circle of Fire (2yo) 
Salisbury Novice Stakes - 1600m

Castle Way (2yo) 
Haydock Novice Stakes - 1600m

Japan

International double for Almanzor

Almanzor (Fr), who shuttles to Cambridge Stud from Haras d'Etreham, achieved a remarkable multi-national double on Saturday, August 20, with winners minutes apart in Japan and in Australia.

Over a rain-affected course at Niigata, the well-related first-starter **Via Luce** (Ire) defied an awkward draw in gate 15 of 17 to validate \$1.90 (9-10) favouritism and become the first Japanese winner for her sire. Beaten 6

asked by jockey Yasunari Iwata, the bay filly trailed the leader while under a ride on the turn and followed the leader to win. **Toshi Onikubo** (鬼塚峻大) @toshionikubo · 20 août
Via Luce 🇮🇪 (Almanzor) 🇫🇷 @Haras_d_Etreham @CambridgeStud - Via Firenze 🇮🇹, Dansili 🇯🇵 (2020) wins her debut over 6F. Katsumi Yoshida's homebred filly is out of a half sister to MG1W, Admire Mars @ArrowfieldStud. The 1st winner for Almanzor in Japan.

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BLOODSTOCK LATEST EXCITING MAIDENS

Kelina and Rajapour leave connections dreaming after debut wins in Deauville

AROUND MIDNIGHT

2yo filly by **Almanzor**
ex **Artifix (Lawman)**
Bred by **Mrs Camille Vitse and Ecurie Taos**
Bought by **vendor**
for €35,000 at the Osarus September Yearling Sale

Runner-up on her debut at La Teste de Buch on 16th June. **Almanzor** filly **Around Midnight** tracked the leader whilst travelling easily throughout the early stage. Clairefontaine last Sunday. She was shaken up to take approaching the 200m pole, where she stayed on position to win by four lengths in the style of a promising filly.

She is a half-sister to dual winner Blue Falcon (Galvano) and they are the first two foals out of the maiden Artifix (Lawman).

Jean-Claude Rouget :

« Lassaut is out of the ordinary and I have Classic hopes again with Almanzor's second crop. Rajapour is definitely one of them. » D'ETREHAM



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BBAG Preview Cont.

Completing the trio is a colt from the first crop of **Ten Sovereigns (Ire)** (lot 209) and again the sole representative of his sire in the sale.

Minch said of the dark-brown colt out of the dual winner and listed-placed Westfalica (Ger) (Areion {Ger}), "The family is a bit of a pet project of mine. It's the family of Jet Ski Lady but it had gone a bit quiet. I've put things like One Cool Cat and Areion, going back to the Vaguely Noble speedy side of things, and it has paid off. The second dam only ever had three foals and two of them were black type, so it is a fun family to play around with."

Of Gestut Honyhof's association with Stauffenberg Bloodstock, he added, "I've known Philipp for many years and if you want to get the best you have to work with the best. That's why we are working with

Philipp and we are very lucky to have him involved with our operation going forward."

Undoubtedly plenty of focus will fall on the first foal Gestut Brummerhof's German Oaks winner Diamanta (Ger) (Maxios {GB}), who also happens to be the only Dubawi (Ire) yearling catalogued this year in Germany (lot 178). The dark-brown filly certainly didn't fluff her lines as she paraded serenely for plenty of interested parties on Friday and her breeders Gregor and Julia Baum, who proudly boast the tagline 'The Home of Danedream' on their sales branding, are no strangers to success at BBAG. Brummerhof broke the record yearling price when topping the sale in 2019 with a daughter of **Sea The Stars** sold to Godolphin. Can they do it again on Friday? Time will tell, but it appears that they could well have strong competition.



Johnny Collins of Brown Island Stables on the hunt for next year's breeders | Emma Berry

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"The next big thing"

Julian Muscat, RACING POST, 23/8/22

2022 LEADING SIRES OF 2YOS IN EUROPE (by number of individual Group winners)

RK	STALLION	SIRE	GWs	TOTAL €
1	NO NAY NEVER	Scat Daddy	5	1,245,391
2	Showcasing	Oasis Dream	3	611,634
3	SIoux NATION*	Scat Daddy	2	691,892

*denotes first season sire

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2022 LEADING SIRES OF 2YOS IN NORTH AMERICA (by total prizemoney)

RK	STALLION	SIRE	SWs	GSWs	TOTAL \$
1	JUSTIFY*	Scat Daddy	4	3	948,554
2	Into Mischief	Harlan's Holiday	2	1	842,260

*denotes first season sire

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Gestut Lunzen Cont.

Best Solution is an intriguing addition to the stallion ranks and is something of an outlier as a son of Kodiak with all his big-race wins coming at a mile and a half, though he was up and running as early as the July of his juvenile season and later that year won the G3 Autumn S. Indeed, the sire's only other Group 1 winner beyond a mile is Best Solution's full-brother El Bodegon (Ire), who landed the 10-furlong Criterium de Saint-Cloud in heavy ground last season to give James Ferguson his first success at the top level.

One doesn't have to look too deep into the pedigree of the brothers to see the source of their staying power. Their Juddmonte-bred granddam Kushnarenkovo (GB) (Sadler's Wells) was herself a winner at a mile and a half and is a full-sister to the St Leger winner Brian Boru (Ire) and a three-parts sister to G2 Hardwicke S. winner and National Hunt sire Sea Moon (GB) (Beat Hollow {GB}). Their dam Eva Luna (Alleged) won the G2 Park Hill S. over 1m6f two months after breaking her maiden and then winning the Listed Galtres S.--a feat that another Juddmonte filly, this year's Galtres winner Haskoy (GB) (Golden Horn {GB}), looks set to attempt to emulate.



Best Solution and Pat Cosgrave after winning the 2018 Caulfield Cup
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Schenke and Witt have seen plenty of Best Solution's stock at their own farm and on Thursday were busy perusing his offspring at BBAG, where Sea The Moon's breeders Gestut Gorlsdorf will offer a filly by him, **lot 204**, the first foal out of one of Sea The Moon's daughters, Tabby (Ger), from the family of smart group-winning juvenile fillies Wannabe Grand (Ire) and Cairns (UAE).

"They look quite early types from what we have seen," says Witt. "It will be interesting to see what they can do as 2-year-olds. I'm sure some of them will be early developers."

Schenke adds, "For his first two seasons he was the busiest stallion in Germany and this year he covered 45 mares which for a third season in Germany is not too bad.

"We've seen a lot of his foals at the farm because quite a lot of the mares he covered last year came back when the breeders were happy with the

foals."

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LADY HOLLYWOOD wins the **Gr.3 Prix d'Arenberg** at Longchamp and **Tagline** is a fast-finishing third in the **Gr.3 Dick Poole Fillies' Stakes** at Salisbury.

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CONVERSATIONS | *Andrew Black*

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From breeding potential superstars like Noble Style to discussing his plans for Chasmore and revealing a recent near-death health scare he suffered last Christmas, Black makes for a fascinating interviewee.

Brian Sheerin: It has been a brilliant year for Chasmore Farm and it could get even better with Brad The Brief in the Sprint Cup on Saturday. You must be looking forward to it?

Andrew Black: I am, assuming we run. It's well known at this stage, he likes a cut in the ground, and I think there's rain forecast for Friday night or Saturday morning at Haydock. He wants it soft, good-to-soft would be okay, but as he's got older, the need for soft or heavy ground has reduced a little because his knees are better now than they've ever been before. In his early days, he suffered from immaturity issues and, as time has gone on, that situation has improved. If the going was good, I would expect him to find



Andrew Black (right): after Arthur Kitt won the Chesham S. at Royal Ascot | *Racingfotos.com*

things a little hot, but if it's on the soft side, I'd expect him to be in the mix.

BS: He's two-for-two this season, including at Group 2 level. It's interesting that he was in the horses-in-training sale last season. Was that ever a realistic destination for him?

AB: I don't think so. It's interesting that Hugo [Palmer] seems to have done better with him than Tom [Dascombe] did. We have paid a good bit of attention to his knees and it seems to be working. Tom didn't want to campaign him at a high level and was always insisting to us that he was a 90-rated handicapper at

best and we should aim quite low with him. Hugo has sorted out an issue with his knees this year and he seems to have progressed. He's definitely moved on this year and to see numbers like 120 beside his name, that's pretty exciting. I think he can do more--when conditions come up right, I think he could pull off a Group 1 win.

BS: Has anything been changed in his training routine to bring about the improvement?

AB: The only thing that has been changed is that, when he came back to Chasmore Farm, we observed that his knees might benefit from being medicated. He's had two separate courses of medication and that's possibly what made the difference as he's moving very well now--he'd always been a bit scratchy. He's a very good-looking horse and is everything that you'd want a sprinter to look like. That little bit more freedom of movement appears to have made the difference. [Cont. p8](#)

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Conversations Cont.

BS: You have been quoted as saying, "for me, seeing an animal you bred winning a big race is as good as it gets." Things have been going pretty well of late, not just with horses running in your own colours, but with Noble Style as well.

AB: This year has been amazing for us. You could consider it a breakthrough year. Not only have we had a lot of success on the track, but a lot of the yearlings that we have going to the yearling sale this year are a lot more interesting; we have some good stuff coming through. Noble Style obviously tops the list. He's quite a fiery character and, as he grows up, I think he's going to improve more. He looks like much more than just a 2-year-old to me. His mother [Eartha Kitt (GB) (Pivotal {GB})] didn't do it until she was three. She could have been even better at four but we retired her early as we lost her mother. She won a listed race on her final start at three but, if we kept her in training as a 4-year-old, we'd have got a lot more out of her. I'm certain of that. I was actually out-voted on that at the time, I wanted to keep her in training but we have got Noble Style out of it so I can't complain. I think he's really special. He could be a proper Group 1 horse. I don't even want to say that out loud and I am touching wood as I say it.

BS: What's pretty cool about Noble Style is that the family extends all the way back to Baldovina (GB) (Tale Of The Cat), one of the first horses you've owned. It's a family that you have nurtured.

AB: That's what's really amazing for us. What interested me about Baldovina when I claimed her was, not the black-type on the page, but the fact that there were not many animals in the pedigree full stop. The black-type as a percentage to animals on the page was interesting. Her dam, Baldwina (Fr) (Pistol Bleu {Ire}), was a Group 3 winner, so it was only really Baldovina who

had failed.

After I claimed Baldovina, her dam went to Japan and produced Jeweler (Jpn) (Victoire Pisa {Jpn}), who won the Japanese 1000 Guineas, among others. Baldovina amazingly had become a half-sister to a Classic winner after I claimed her for just £17,000. She was one of the first horses I ever bought, so that was a bit of a turn up for the books. We did so well from selling horses out of her that we got her money back many times over.

There's always a lot of interest from Japan whenever we go to sell anything from the family. It's an emerging family. We have a lovely Camelot (GB) filly foal, who is a half-sister to Noble Style, and we also have a Frankel (GB) half-sister to him as well. She is now a 3-year-old but unfortunately she could never race but she's a beautiful filly and I think she will produce something for us.

BS: If we didn't know you and know your backstory, we could say that Baldovina was beginner's luck.

AB: In the case of Baldovina, it was beginner's luck, but she should never have been in that claimer in the first place. She was a daughter of a French Group 3 winner who only had the one foal in the UK before she went off to Japan. Not only that, she finished

second in her first two maidens before her form fell off the face of a cliff, which happens.

She was by Tale Of The Cat, who I felt was an interesting stallion, given it is that Storm Cat line. You don't see many pedigrees as interesting as that in claimers, certainly not fillies anyway, and I think they made a mistake putting her in there. Maybe they didn't appreciate what they had and I was very happy to claim her and take my chance.

I thought I made a mistake for a while, and even put her in the sale and bought her back, as I did with Ceiling Kitty as well, but I think that's because I was under a bit of pressure from other people at the time.



Noble Style | *Racingfotos.com*

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—Andrew Black on Baldovina

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BS: You've obviously got good business instincts but it's interesting that you also trusted your gut in racing and breeding despite the fact you had advisers trying to steer you in another direction.

AB: I would always respect the advice of others. But, at the same time, if you don't learn any lessons and chance your arm every now and again, what is the point? You've got to go out there and do a few crazy things. If you are afraid of making a fool of yourself, you won't achieve much in this game. I never liked looking stupid. Nobody likes to look stupid. But I won't let that stand in my way and, in cases like this, I didn't. I mean, I claimed Beacon Lady (GB) (Haafhd {GB}) after she came last, and she went on to win eight races for us.

You can look pretty stupid when you claim a horse after it finishes last but, again, that one worked out. You've got to be

prepared to lose money and to get things wrong from time to time. I don't think you can afford to be risk averse in this game and I'm not that. In fact, I'm probably a bit too far the other way. I'm always happy to chance my arm.

BS: I know that you said before that you'd like the broodmare band at Chasemore Farm to be around the 25 mark. I also see that you bought Chachamaidee (Ire) for 200,000gns at the Tattersalls July Sale just gone. What is the philosophy going forward?

AB: If anything, I'm increasing my numbers at the moment. My business life is going very well. Outside of horse racing, I am involved in two industries; one is oil and the other is vaccines. Both of those have had a very good run in the past few years. In years to come, I could have more money to spend, so things have panned out well for me.

I think I will probably be spending more at the sales and the plan is to steadily upgrade over time. It was always my plan to upgrade anyway. The idea was, after buying the farm, that I needed to go out there and buy a certain number of broodmares. I needed to stock up, get my processes going and get good people working on the stud. The idea of starting with four or five horses and then building my way up to 30 didn't make much sense. I needed to get up to 30 quite quickly and then upgrade them over time. So that was the plan. That has been playing out and, whether we get good mares like Chachamaidee by going out and buying them or if we breed them ourselves, it doesn't matter to me how we get them.

We've got a fantastic team here at Chasemore Farm and we've got a couple of really good clients here as well. [Cont. p10](#)



Chachamaidee, offered in foal to Mohaather (GB), was acquired by Black this summer | Tattersalls



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AB: We like having the boarders here as it keeps us sensible and it's good to have customers. We're seeing a bit of success, which helps us to believe in ourselves a little bit more.

BS: There's also been a change to your approach to racing. You revealed that you were in the process of selling your share in Manor House Stables around the time that Hugo Palmer was announced as Tom Dascombe's replacement there.

AB: Yes, that's correct. By the time Tom left Manor House, I had decided to leave anyway. The reason why I left is not because I had any problems with Manor House, as I am very happy with what's going on there, but it's just a long way away. We decided to be a bit more supportive of Epsom. The problem with Epsom historically is that the facilities were a little bit weak. That's being resolved and Epsom is becoming a better training centre. Money has been spent on the gallops and there is the potential for more to be spent. It feels like Epsom is on the up and we want to support the training centre, which is right beside where we are.

The idea of getting out of your bed at seven o'clock in the morning and going to the gallops at Epsom as opposed to getting out of bed at four o'clock to travel to Manor House also appeals

as I am getting old and don't have as much energy as I used to have. The four-hour trip to Manor House is not as attractive as it once was. There's a lot of good people in Epsom as well so I think we'll be a little more involved there.

I am always going to send one or two horses to Manor House, just because I want to keep that relationship with Michael [Owen], who's a great mate. We've had a lot of fun together and Hugo is training very well from there now so there's no reason not to send horses there. I just won't be sending the numbers that I used to. We'll have horses around in different places and will have some in Newmarket as well.

BS: But I gather your main interest lies in breeding rather than racing?

AB: Yes, I think so. I have got as much pleasure watching Noble Style winning for Godolphin as if he were mine. I realised that I get an awful amount of pleasure out of watching horses we've bred come out and win. They don't have to run in my colours. The breeding side of things is what has always really interested me. I never interfered too much on the training side of things and always left that up to the trainer to make the decisions.

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"I absolutely loved Camelot," said Black. "I thought he was a fantastic physical specimen." | Coolmore

Conversations Cont.

AB: Also, I'm not somebody who particularly likes the limelight in any case. It's not what I am about so, for me, breeding is more interesting.

BS: And what else excites you on the farm at present?

AB: We have a pretty good draft for Book 1 and Book 2 at Tattersalls this year. It will be interesting to see how that goes. We've got a very nice **Siyouni (Fr)** foal out of a Red Clubs (Ire) mare. He's really quite powerful. We have a **Kingman** half-brother to Uncle Bryn (GB) (**Sea The Stars (Ire)**) and he looks pretty interesting. All four of my Book 2 animals are interesting and the pedigrees have improved just this year. We have a sister to Lezoo (GB) [Brogan], for example, by Pivotal (GB), and she is a potentially interesting producer. We have a full-brother to Breege (GB)

(**Starspangledbanner (Aus)**) who is good-looking and there's a number from the Ceiling Kitty (GB) family as well. But, if I had to pick one as being the most exciting on the farm, I'd say it's the **Camelot (GB)** out of Eartha Kitt (GB). That's a foal and will never be sold. She could be very nice.

BS: You've always had a soft spot for Camelot.

AB: I have and that's just me as a punter. You see certain horses on the racecourse and grow an affection towards them. I absolutely loved **Camelot**. I thought he was a fantastic physical specimen and always wanted to produce a nice horse by him so I have favoured him over a lot of stallions, in truth. **Camelot** and **Kingman**, I have spent a lot of money on those two stallions.

BS: Of course, you were a professional punter at one stage in your life. Has the breeding replaced the punting or do you still bet?

AB: I still bet. I've had a bad year betting for whatever reason. I've had some good years but this year has been terrible and I don't know why. I just can't seem to get moving. Can't get going. Every time I think I'm on a run it just peters out. I've lost loads of

money gambling this year, it's just been one-way traffic, but I don't bet like I used to. I still bet in reasonable sizes when I bet but I rarely spend a day betting. I probably place four or five bets a week whereas, in the old days, I'd have been betting heavily every day. I think I'm getting old. I find it a little bit boring and can't follow the form like I used to. The time I would have spent studying the form, I now spend studying the matings and looking through pedigrees. The breeding study has replaced the betting study.

BS: That's twice now that you're after saying that you are getting old.

AB: Well, I had a heart attack last year. It was actually quite a severe heart attack and it happened on Boxing Day. Maybe that's why I feel old. It was a good thing in many respects as I

have lost five stone since then and I am doing a bit more exercise now. It has been a good year for me apart from that. I got to the semi-final of the World Bridge Championships last week and knocked out the World Champion in the quarter-finals. That was amazing for me. I take Bridge pretty seriously and play on a team. It's a big thing in my life and I came so close to winning the semi-final. Mentally, I'm in a pretty good place and that showed me that, if I



Kingman is another stallion utilised by Black | *Bronwen Healy*

can still compete at the highest level playing Bridge, my brain is still okay. I think I'm in a good place.

The heart attack has been a good thing for me. I'm on God knows how many pills now to keep things steady but they're working for me and my blood pressure is low and I'm very calm. I try to stay in that calm place and I spend a lot of time thinking, which is what I most enjoy. Listen, I see myself as getting old but I am perfectly happy with that. I am 59 years of age and the heart attack scared the shit out of me. It was pretty scary to contemplate one's own death so, having failed to lose any weight for a long time, it became a lot easier to make the effort. I got some positive impetus out of that and I just have to build on that now.

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LADY HOLLYWOOD IN COMMAND AT PARISLONGCHAMP

by Tom Frary

Amo Racing And Omnihorse Racing's **Lady Hollywood (GB)** (Havana Grey {GB}) had failed to see out the six furlongs of York's G2 Lowther S. when down the field last time Aug. 18, but back over five she was able to dominate ParisLongchamp's G3 Prix d'Arenberg on Thursday. Racing close to the early pace under Mickael Barzalona, the 4-1 shot was committed passing the two-furlong pole and led soon after en route to a 1 1/4-length verdict over **Vicious Harry (Fr)** (Harry Angel {Ire}).

"She's a very fast filly," trainer Alice Haynes said after greeting her first group winner. "She didn't quite stay the six furlongs last time and we'll probably end up at the Breeders' Cup [Turf Sprint]. She's had a lot of racing, so we'll give her a little break now."

This was the second black-type win for the chestnut, who had beaten the leading Irish sprint fillies Mauiewowie (GB) (Night Of Thunder {Ire}) and Treasure Trove (Ire) (**Siyouni {Fr}**) in the Listed Marwell S. at Naas July 20 having won at Lingfield June 25 and at Beverley July 12. She also provides Whitsbury Manor Stud's first-season sire sensation with a breakthrough first group win as he continues to pour it on in the race for the bragging rights among the newblood sires.



Lady Hollywood and her team after taking the Prix d'Arenberg
Scoop Dyga

Pedigree Notes

The winner is the last known foal out of a relative of Momalorka (GB) (Dutch Art {GB}), who was the Filly Triple Crown winner in Qatar and finished third in the G3 Firth of Clyde S. The family also features the G1 Queen Elizabeth II S.-winning sire Where Or When (Ire) (Danehill Dancer {Ire}).

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FIRST GROUP WINNER FOR SIRE

Thursday, ParisLongchamp, France

PRIX D'ARENBERG-G3, €80,000, ParisLongchamp, 9-1, 2yo, 5fT, :55.81, g/s.

1--**LADY HOLLYWOOD (GB)**, 122, f, 2, by Havana Grey (GB)

1st Dam: Dubai Legend (GB), by Cadeaux Genereux (GB)

2nd Dam: Royal Future (Ire), by Royal Academy

3rd Dam: Future Past, by Super Concorde

1ST GROUP WIN. (11,000gns RNA Wlg '20 TATFOA; €25,000 Ylg '21 GOFSP; 58,000gns RNA 2yo '22 TATBRE). O-Amo Racing & Omnihorse Racing; B-D & S L Tanker Transport Ltd (GB); T-Alice Haynes; J-Mickael Barzalona. €40,000. Lifetime Record: SW-Ire, 7-4-1-0, €80,336. **Werk Nick Rating: B+.** [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

2--**Vicious Harry (Fr)**, 126, c, 2, Harry Angel (Ire)--Umneeyatee (Aus), by Encosta de Lago (Aus). (€28,000 Ylg '21 ARQOCT). O-Cuadra Mediterraneo; B-Medya SARL & Tarik Tekce (FR); T-Mauricio Delcher Sanchez. €16,000.

3--**Kerindia (Ire)**, 122, f, 2, Cotai Glory (GB)--Coursing (GB), by Kyllachy (GB). (£24,000 Ylg '21 TATIRY; 65,000gns 2yo '22 TATBRE). O-Peter Trainor; B-Rossenarra Stud (IRE); T-Michael Bell. €12,000.

Margins: 1 1/4, 3/4, HD. Odds: 3.90, 6.10, 4.70.

Also Ran: Exxtra (Fr), Optimal (Ire), Sivana (Fr), Rocket Rodney (GB), Ocean Vision (Ire), Goeva (Fr), Kokachin (Ire). [Click for the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.](#) [Video, sponsored by TVG.](#)

JUDDMONTE'S JULIET SIERRA ON TOP AT SALISBURY

by Sean Cronin

Juddmonte's 2-year-old filly **Juliet Sierra (GB)** (**Bated Breath {GB}**)--Kilo Alpha {GB}, by King's Best) bettered a July 22 debut second going six furlongs at Newmarket with a breakthrough score over much the same trip at Nottingham last month and continued her rapid rise with a career high on stakes bow in Thursday's G3 Ire-Incentive It Pays To Buy Irish Dick Poole Fillies' S. at Salisbury. Finding a smooth rhythm behind the leaders in fifth after an alert getaway, the 9-2 favourite tanked forward to launch her challenge passing the quarter-mile marker and was ridden out in the closing stages to assert superiority by a neck from **All The Time (Ire)** (Kodiac {GB}).

"She's a beautiful filly by our own stallion **Bated Breath** and it was a lovely performance," said Juddmonte's racing manager Barry Mahon. "She's always been well regarded by Ralph [Beckett] and Rob [Hornby] and she delivered today. Ralph and myself were confident she'd get seven [furlongs] after the last day and Ralph said let's keep her over six for now, but I thought today it looked like she'd sharpened up a bit." [Cont. p13](#)

G3 Dick Poole Fillies' S. Cont.

He added, "She's in the [seven-furlong G2] Rockfel and the [six-furlong G1] Cheveley Park. They are three weeks away and I suppose it's a big jump from a Group 3 to a Group 1, but we are getting into that time of year where options are getting tight. Ralph is in Baden-Baden at the sales so we haven't had the discussion yet, but they are good discussions to have. She's a beautiful filly, she looks good and when they win a Group 3 they are heading in the right direction."

Pedigree Notes

Juliet Sierra is the eighth of 10 foals and one of six scorers out of Listed Prix de Bagatelle victrix Kilo Alpha (GB) (King's Best), herself a full-sister to multiple stakes-winning G1 Prix d'Ispahan third Runaway (GB). The February-foaled homebred bay is a half-sister to GI Jenny Wiley S. heroine Juliet Foxtrot (GB) (Dansili {GB}), G3 Prix Thomas Bryon runner-up Alpha Bravo (GB) (Oasis Dream {GB}), the dual stakes-placed Bravo Sierra (GB) (Siyouni {Fr}), a yearling filly by Kingman (GB) and a weanling colt by Expert Eye (GB). Her second dam Anasazi (Ire) (Sadler's Wells) is a half-sister to the Classic-winning duo Dancing Brave (Lyphard) and Jolypha (Lyphard).

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Thursday, Salisbury, Britain

IRE-INCENTIVE IT PAYS TO BUY IRISH DICK POOLE FILLIES' S.-G3, £45,000, Salisbury, 9-1, 2yo, f, 6fT, 1:12.93, g/f.

1--**JULIET SIERRA (GB)**, 128, f, 2, by **Bated Breath (GB)**

1st Dam: Kilo Alpha (GB) (SW-Fr), by King's Best

2nd Dam: Anasazi (Ire), by Sadler's Wells

3rd Dam: Navajo Princess, by Drone

1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN; 1ST GROUP WIN. O-Juddmonte; B-Juddmonte Farms Ltd (GB); T-Ralph Beckett; J-Rob Hornby. £25,520. Lifetime Record: 3-2-1-0, \$38,653. *1/2 to Juliet Foxtrot (GB) (Dansili {GB}), GISW-US, \$745,931; Alpha Bravo (GB) (Oasis Dream {GB}), GSP-Fr; and Bravo Sierra (GB) (Siyouni {FR}), SP-Eng & Fr. **Werk Nick Rating: A+++.** *Triple Plus*. **Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree. Click for the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.**

2--**All The Time (Ire)**, 128, f, 2, Kodiak (GB)--Mistime (Ire), by Acclamation (GB). **1ST BLACK TYPE; 1ST GROUP BLACK TYPE.** (€52,000 Ylg '21 GOAUTY; £58,000 2yo '22 GOFTY). O-The Royal Ascot Racing Club; B-Rory O'Brien (IRE); T-Simon & Ed Crisford. £9,675.

3--**Tagline (GB)**, 128, f, 2, Havana Grey (GB)--Terse (GB), by Dansili (GB). **1ST GROUP BLACK TYPE.** (14,000gns RNA Ylg '21 TATOCT). O-Mainline Racing; B-Whitsbury Manor Stud (GB); T-Rod Millman. £4,842.

Margins: NK, 3/4. Odds: 4.50, 8.00, 8.50.

Also Ran: Immortal Beauty (Ire), Maria Branwell (Ire), Funny Money Honey (Ire), Ivory Madonna (Ire), Miami Girl (Ire), Poetic Union (GB), Song Of Success (GB), Ange De L'amour (GB), So Sleepy (GB). **VIDEO.**

MASTER GATSBY STEALS THE SHOW

by Tom Frary

Under the radar ahead of Thursday's G3 Prix de Lutece, re-named in honour of the former Jas Hennessy & Co director G erald de Geoffre, the Fabrice Chappet-trained **Master Gatsby (Fr)** (The Grey Gatsby {Ire}) emerged with solid credentials as a new stayer on the block. Tackling ParisLongchamp's 15-furlong trip for the first time, the 9-1 shot was held up in a detached last early by Ioritz Mendizabal with the pace honest up front. Working his way to the front with 100 metres remaining, the chestnut asserted to score by 3/4 of a length from another trying a stamina test for the first time in **Fasol (GB)** (Galileo {Ire}).

Having found things happening too quickly when fourth in the 10 1/2-furlong G3 Prix Noailles here Apr. 17 and in the 12-furlong G3 Prix du Lys at Chantilly June 19, Master Gatsby had beaten this race's 17-10 favourite **Galashiels (Ire)** (Australia {GB}) in a 13-furlong conditions event at Fontainebleau May 11 but had come off third best behind that rival in the Listed Grand Prix de Clairefontaine over a mile and a half at the end of July.

"I was confident the longer trip would suit him and that is exactly what happened," Chappet said. "The strong pace also helped, as he is a horse who has a lovely temperament and relaxes very nicely in a race. He is able to quicken strongly, which is definitely a trump card with young stayers. We have him entered in the G2 Prix de Chaudenay on the Saturday of the Arc weekend and this is where he will go next." **Cont. p14**



Master Gatsby | Scoop Dyga

Pedigree Notes

Master Gatsby is the last known foal out of the G3 Prix des Reservoirs winner Moonee Valley (Fr) (Aqlaam {GB}), who hails from the family of the stakes winner and graded-stakes-placed Dreams Come True (Fr) (Zafonic), the dual Group 2-winning sire Titus Livius (Fr) (Machiavellian) and G2 German 1000 Guineas scorer Briseida (GB) (Pivotal {GB}).

Thursday, ParisLongchamp, France

PRIX GERALD DE GEOFFRE (PRIX DE LUTECE)-G3, €80,000, ParisLongchamp, 9-1, 3yo, 15ft, 3:13.95, g/s.

1--**MASTER GATSBY (FR)**, 126, c, 3, by **The Grey Gatsby (Ire)**

1st Dam: **Moonee Valley (Fr)** (GSW-Fr), by **Aqlaam (GB)**

2nd Dam: **Moon Romance (Fr)**, by **Nayef**

3rd Dam: **Moonlight Dreams (Ire)**, by **Caerleon**

1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN; 1ST GROUP WIN. (€20,000 RNA Ylg '20 ARQSEP). O-Antoinette Tamagni, Aleksandra Pusnik, Annemarie Van Gils, Antonia Riegel, Daniela Spuhler & Katherina Dobers; B-Haras de Saint Julien (FR); T-Fabrice Chappet; J-Iloritz Mendizabal. €40,000. Lifetime Record: 9-3-1-1, €98,200. **Werk Nick Rating: C+**. [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#) [Click for the](#)

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2--**Fasol (GB)**, 126, c, 3, Galileo (Ire)--Silasol (Ire), by Monsun (Ger). **1ST BLACK-TYPE; 1ST GROUP BLACK-TYPE.**

O/B-Wertheimer et Frere (GB); T-Christophe Ferland. €16,000.

3--**Virtual Rock (Ire)**, 128, g, 3, Fascinating Rock (Ire)--Himiko (Ire), by Aussie Rules. O/B-Takaya Kimura; T-Satoshi Kobayashi. €12,000.

Margins: 3/4, 1HF, SHD. Odds: 9.30, 3.90, 4.00.

Also Ran: Galashiels (Ire), Marianachic (Ire), Wakaburn (Fr).

Video, sponsored by TVG.

ZOFFANY COLT STORMS TO RISING STARDOM

by Sean Cronin

KHK Racing's once-raced 2-year-old colt **Sakheer (Ire)** (Zoffany {Ire}--Shortmile Lady {Ire}, by Arcano {Ire}), who shaped with a deal of promise when posting a debut second going six furlongs at Windsor last month, was a class above his rivals in Thursday's Auction Finance EBF Novice S. over the same trip at Haydock and attained '**TDN Rising Star**' status with a mightily impressive display of raw power. [Cont. p15](#)



Sakheer, the €550,000 Arqana Breeze-Up sale topper, trotted up to win by six lengths at Salisbury. | [Racingfotos.com](#)

Sakheer Cont.

Swiftly into stride for an early advantage, the 1-2 favourite was untroubled from halfway and extended clear in hand to easily rout **Acai (Ire)** (Kodi Bear {Ire}) by six lengths. The Roger Varian trainee is engaged in Newbury's Sept. 17 G2 Mill Reef S. and the G1 Middle Park S. at Newmarket one week later.

"He ran a great race first time out, he picked up and finished well clear of the third," commented winning rider David Egan. "We wanted him to have a nice debut, he learnt a lot and came from behind. I expected him to take a step forward and, from halfway, I knew he was a class above the rest. It's been a great job by everyone at home to get him here and to get his win. To do it like that was impressive and the feel he gave me was even more impressive. I don't think I've had an easier race, in any sort of race, since I've been riding. He has a big price tag, he's got some big entries coming up and there is a lot more in the tank. Horses like this make our jobs easier, he's a classy individual and very exciting."

Sakheer, who was the highest-priced lot when knocked down for €550,000 at this year's Arqana Breeze-Up sale, is the fifth of seven foals and third scorer out of a half-sister to G3 Prix de Meautry winner Indian Maiden (Ire) (Indian Ridge {Ire}), herself the dam of G3 World Trophy victrix Maid In India (Ire) (**Bated Breath (GB)**) and the dual stakes-winning G3 Prix de Ris-Orangis runner-up Love Spirit (GB) (Elusive City). The February-foaled bay is a half-brother to multiple Group-winning GI Beverly D. S. third Lemista (Ire) (Raven's Pass), a yearling colt by Exceed And Excel (Aus) and a weanling filly by **Sea The Stars (Ire)**.

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3rd-Haydock, £10,000, Nov, 9-1, 2yo, c/g, 6fT, 1:11.20, g/f.
SAKHEER (IRE), c, 2, by Zoffany (Ire)

1st Dam: Shortmile Lady (Ire), by Arcano (Ire)

2nd Dam: Jinsiyah, by Housebuster

3rd Dam: Minifah, by Nureyev

Sales history: 80,000gns Wlg '20 TATFOA; \$65,000 RNA Ylg '21 KEESep; €550,000 2yo '22 ARQMAY. **Click for the free**

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O-KHK Racing Ltd; B-Drumlin Bloodstock (IRE); T-Roger Varian.
Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$9,337. *1/2 to Lemista (Ire) (Raven's Pass), MGSW-Ire, GSW & GISP-US, \$386,350.



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WOOTTON BASSETT'S PADISHAKH A NEW RISING STAR

by Tom Frary

Jean-Claude Rouget unveiled another **TDN Rising Star** at ParisLongchamp on Thursday as Nurlan Bizakov's **Padishakh (Fr)** (**Wootton Bassett (GB)**--Penny Lane {Ger}, by Lord Of England {Ger}) scored with abundant promise in the Prix de Fontenoy over a mile for colts and gelding beginners. Anchored in fifth early by Cristian Demuro, the 100-30 second favourite tended to over-race but when asked to stretch two out found a :10.94 penultimate split to reach the Wertheimers' **Speechman (Kingman (GB))** on the front end. Stretching away from the furlong pole, the bay hit the line strong with 2 1/2 lengths to spare over the eye-catching Juddmonte homebred **Halfway Line (GB)** (Zoffany {Ire}), with Speechman a further 1 1/4 lengths behind in third.

The winner, who cost €130,000 at the Arqana Deauville August Sale, is the third TDN Rising Star for his sire and hails from a strong German family. He is the second and currently last known foal out of Penny Lane, who was successful in the Listed Prix des Sablonnets and finished third in the G3 Prix Cleopatre. Her first foal, the 3-year-old filly Snap Ambush (Fr) by **Wootton Bassett's** son Almanzor (Fr) who was a €250,000 Arqana Deauville Select Sale graduate, tragically broke down when looking in control of a Chelmsford handicap last month and had to be euthanised.

The listed-placed second dam Peace Time (Ger) (Surumu {Ger}) proved prolific at producing black-type performers, with five to boast of including Penny Lane. They are Lord Of England's G1 Preis der Diana heroine Palmas (Ger), the dual Group 3 winner Peace Royale (Ger) (Sholokhov {Ire}), the G3 Fahrhofer Stutenpreis scorer Peaceful Love (Ger) (Dashing Blade {GB}) and the G2 Park Hill S. runner-up Phiz (Ger) (Galileo {Ire}). Peace Royale went on to produce the black-type winners Peace In Motion (Hat Trick {Jpn}) and Peace Society (Iffraaj {GB}), while Peaceful Love threw the G3 Prix la Force scorer Pao Alto (Fr) (Intello {Ger}) and Phiz the G2 Dubai Gold Cup-placed Al Madhar (Fr) (**Siyouni (Fr)**). Another of her daughters Peace of Glory (Ger) also by Sholokhov was responsible for Peaches (Ger), a further Lord Of England who captured the Listed Winterkonigin Trial, and the G3 Zukunftsrennen third Peace Of Paris (Ger) (Helmet {Aus}).

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RACE PREVIEWS

SPRINT CUP ATTRACTS 17

by Tom Frary

There is no concern with small field sizes in an ultra-competitive edition of Haydock's G1 Betfair Sprint Cup on Saturday, with a maximum line-up of 17 sprinters heading to post after the draw was made on Thursday. In the past 10 runnings, only Dream Of Dreams (Ire) (Dream Ahead) and G Force (Ire) (Tamayuz {GB}) were drawn in double figures, so connections of the leading fancies **Minzaal (Ire)** (Mehmas {Ire}), **Naval Crown (GB)** (Dubawi {Ire}), **Kinross (GB)** (Kingman {GB}) and **Art Power (Ire)** (Dark Angel {Ire}) would have been buoyed by seeing their runners handed low numbers for the six-furlong straight clash.

Legend Heads Strong Palmer Challenge

Sunday's G3 Goldene Peitsche winner **Dubawi Legend (Ire)** (Dubawi {Ire}) has been given the go-ahead to appear and will be one of the pace angles breaking from stall four along with the forward-going Art Power and Naval Crown. **Cont. p17**

3rd-ParisLongchamp, €27,000, Debutantes, 9-1, 2yo, c/g, 8fT, 1:40.37, g/s.

PADISHAKH (FR), c, 2, by Wootton Bassett (GB)

1st Dam: Penny Lane (Ger), by Lord Of England (Ger)

2nd Dam: Peace Time (Ger), by Surumu (Ger)

3rd Dam: Princess of Spain (GB), by King Of Spain (GB)

Sales history: €130,000 Ylg '21 ARQAUG. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, €13,500. **Click for the free EquineLine.com catalogue-style pedigree. Video, sponsored by TVG.**

O-Nurlan Bizakov; B-Haras d'Etream, Riviera Equine SARL & Ecurie de Montlahuc (FR); T-Jean-Claude Rouget.



DID YOU KNOW?

Calyx (GB)
(Kingman {GB})
was tabbed as a
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Padishakh is the third 'TDN Rising Star' for his Coolmore sire | Scoop Dyga



Naval Crown winning at Royal Ascot | Megan Ridgwell

Weekend Draw Stories Cont.

Dr. Ali Ridha's '**TDN Rising Star**' is one of a trio from Hugo Palmer's Manor House Stables alongside Chasemore Farm's G2 Greenlands S. winner **Brad The Brief (GB)** (Dutch Art {GB}) and the G1 Commonwealth Cup runner-up **Flaming Rib (Ire)** (Ribchester {Ire}). "It will be very special when we get a first Group 1 from Manor House, after a Group 2 winner and a Group 1 second, and I'm really looking forward to running all three of them," the trainer told *QIPCO British Champions Series*. "If it rains I suspect that Brad The Brief has the best chance, but the other two are entries in a stallion-making race, so any one of the three would be wonderful."

Explaining the absence of Brad The Brief since his career-best in the Greenlands and the Curragh May 21, Palmer added, "It was very quick ground when we were considering the Maurice De Gheest and then he was a non-runner after being declared for the City Of York. He doesn't need it soft--there was no real cut in it at The Curragh--but he doesn't want fast ground, and having waited so long I wouldn't want to go and jar him up out of frustration. Dubai Legend is amazing. He was very happy and fresh when we gave him a quiet canter on Wednesday morning and although it's a big leap from a German Group 3 we are keen to give it a go."

Ryan Team Wait On The Weather

Last year's Sprint Cup winner **Emaraaty Ana (GB)** (Shamardal) is in stall 13, but has the front-running G2 King George S. scorer **Khaadem (Ire)** (Dark Angel {Ire}) alongside in 12 in what should prove a fascinating encounter. Of more concern than the draw is the effect of the forecast rain, with jockey Andrea Atzeni hoping that it avoids Haydock so as not to diminish the prospect of the first dual winner since 1967. "He likes a strong pace to run at, which he should get once again, but the major key to him is the ground," he told *QIPCO British Champions Series*. "We got lucky

last year as it was very fast, which is just how he likes it, so ideally we don't want too much rain. I did say to Kevin earlier this year that I thought he might come good in the autumn again, and he's going to Haydock with a very similar profile to last year."

Tasso Set For Clash

The final field for Sunday's G1 152nd Wettstar Grosser Preis von Baden was also established on Thursday, with Gestut Auenquelle's Arc hero **Torquator Tasso (Ger)** (Adlerflug {Ger}) in line for his title defence as he limbers up for his return to ParisLongchamp in four weeks' time. Gestut Park Wiedingen's G1 Deutsches Derby and G1 Grosser Dallmayr-Preis winner **Sammarco (Ire)** (Camelot {GB}) receives seven pounds weight-for-age from the Frankie Dettori-ridden 5-year-old, with Rene Piechulek forced to miss out to honour his retainer on last year's G1 Grosser Preis Von Bayern runner-up **Mendocino (Ger)** (Adlerflug {Ger}) as five head to post. In a twist, Piechulek had also partnered Sammarco to success in the Grosser Dallmayr-Preis with Bauyrzhan Murzabayev out of action, but that rider is back on board the 3-year-old this time.

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ALCOHOL FREE TO BE OFFERED AT TATTERSALLS DECEMBER MARES SALE

Outstanding four-time Group 1 winner **Alcohol Free (Ire)** (No Nay Never--Plying, by **Hard Spun**) will be offered at the Tattersalls December Mares Sale which takes place from Nov. 28 to Dec. 1. Selected for the new Sceptre Session on Tuesday, Nov. 29, the Churchtown House Stud-bred promises to be amongst the highlights of the 2022 global bloodstock sales calendar.

Owned by Jeff Smith, the €40,000 Goffs November Foal Sale graduate won the G1 Cheveley Park S. as a juvenile, the G1 Sussex S. and G1 Coronation S. at three before showing a deadly turn of foot to win this year's G1 July Cup at Newmarket. During her career, she has also placed in last year's G1 Falmouth S. and the 2022 G1 Sussex S.

Tattersalls Chairman Edmond Mahony said of the half-sister to stakes winner Alexander James (Ire) (**Camelot {GB}**), "It is an

honour to be asked to offer Alcohol Free for sale at the Tattersalls December Sale on behalf of Jeff Smith.

"Jeff has been the most wonderful supporter of British racing and breeding for so many years and Alcohol Free is yet another outstanding performer to carry his famous colours following in the illustrious footsteps of some great champions, including Arabian Queen (Ire), Chief Singer (GB), Lochsong (GB) and Persian Punch (Ire).

"Four-time Group 1-winning race fillies rarely appear at public auction and she is a rare jewel to grace our inaugural Sceptre Sessions at the Tattersalls December Sale."

The filly's extended family features G3 Solario S. hero Raise A Grand (Ire) (Grand Lodge).

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SEALIWAY WILL SKIP IRISH CHAMPIONS WEEKEND IN FAVOUR OF FRENCH START

Dual Group 1 winner **Sealiway (Fr)** (Galiway {GB}) will miss the G1 Royal Bahrain Irish Champion S. on Longines Irish Champions Weekend and instead contest the G3 La Coupe de Maisons-Laffitte at ParisLongchamp on Sept. 4, trainer Francis-Henri Graffard revealed on Thursday. [Cont. p19](#)



Four-time Group 1 winner Alcohol Free will be offered during the exclusive Sceptre Session of the Tattersalls December Mares Sale on Nov. 29. | Getty Images

Sealiway Cont.

A winner of the G1 Champion S. when trained by Cedric Rossi, the chestnut has yet to find the winner's circle this term in four starts, but after an unplaced run in the G1 Saudi Cup over the winter, ran second in the G2 Prix d'Harcourt in April and dropped to third in the G1 Prix Ganay a month later. He was most recently fifth for owners Le Haras de la Gousserie & Guy Pariente in the G1 Prix d'Ispahan at the end of May. His long-term goals include the Oct. 2 G1 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe and an Oct. 15 Champion S. defence.

"He's not going to Ireland, he's running on Sunday in a Group 3 over 10 furlongs," said Graffard. "He is in very good form and it will be a good starting point for an autumn campaign of the Arc and Ascot."

A multiple Group 1 winner who is lining up in the Irish Champion S. is the globetrotting **Mishriff (Ire)** (Make Believe {GB}). Last of 14 in the Saudi Cup, the John and Thady Gosden trainee has since run second in the G1 Coral Eclipse S. to **Vadani (Fr)** (**Churchill (Ire)**) in July, third in the G1 King George VI And Queen Elizabeth QIPCO S. later that month, and was second last out in the Aug. 17 G1 Juddmonte International S.

Prince Faisal's racing manager Ted Voute confirmed the decision to run the 5-year-old on Thursday and said, "That's the plan."

Mishriff will face Vadani, among others.

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Trainer Paddy Twomey is pictured with Group 1 winner **La Petite Coco (Ire)** (**Ruler Of The World (Ire)**), who is a potential starter in the G1 Royal Bahrain Irish Champion S. at Leopardstown on Sept. 10, the first day of Longines Irish Champions Weekend.

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'JACKPOT' TOPS AUCTAV'S NH SALE

Jackpot De Choisel (Fr) (**Great Pretender (Ire)**) (**lot 83c**) topped the Auctav National Hunt Sale when selling for €200,000 to CAVA Associates at Haras des Rouges Terres on Wednesday. The 3-year-old gelding, consigned by Haras de Fresneaux, was a debut bumper winner at Royal-la-Palmyre and will continue his career in Ireland.

Second on the leaderboard was the yearling **Olympic Story (Fr)** (**Masked Marvel (GB)**) (**lot 1**), offered by Haras de Clairefontaine. She hammered for €95,000 to NBB Racing, who also bought an additional four lots for a total aggregate of €272,000.

At the end of trade, 61 lots sold for a gross of €1,433,300. The average was €23,100.

Arnaud Angeliaume, General Director Auctav, said, "It was a real first. The actors of the National Hunt market needed to find out what we were capable of. The results are very correct. There is still work to do to make this sale a must, but we are optimistic. See you in August 2023."

Louis Baudron, President of Auctav, added, "It is a positive result because we have had many satisfied customers but also a mixed one on certain points."

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FIRST-SEASON SIRES WITH RUNNERS

Friday, Sept. 2, 2022:

UNITED KINGDOM

Cracksman (GB) (**Frankel (GB)**), Dalham Hall Stud
123 foals of racing age/10 winners/1 black-type winner

16:13-HAYDOCK PARK, 8f, 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/11 winners/0 black-type winners

14:00-ASCOT, 6f, Expert Agent (GB)
45,000gns RNA Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2020; £90,000
Goffs UK Premier & Silver Yearlings 2021

14:00-ASCOT, 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/12 winners/0 black-type winners

13:40-NEWCASTLE, 6f, Derwent Boy (GB)

14:00-ASCOT, 6f, Revenite (GB)
50,000gns Tattersalls December Yearling Sale

Havana Grey (GB) (Havana Gold {Ire}), Whitsbury Manor Stud
115 foals of racing age/31 winners/3 black-type winners

13:40-NEWCASTLE, 6f, Havana Rum (Ire)
€19,000 Goffs November Foal Sale 2020; €65,000 Goffs Sportman's Yearling Sale 2021

17:50-KEMPTON PARK, 7f, Mintana (GB)
£6,000 Goffs UK Premier & Silver Yearlings 2021

Hawkbill (Kitten's Joy), Darley Japan
24 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners

18:20-KEMPTON PARK, 7f, Red Rosetta (GB)

Justify (Scat Daddy), Coolmore Ashford
175 foals of racing age/11 winners/4 black-type winners

15:10-ASCOT, 8f, Red Riding Hood (Ire)

Kessaar (Ire) (Kodiac {GB}), Tally-Ho Stud
77 foals of racing age/15 winners/0 black-type winners

14:15-NEWCASTLE, 8f, Monty Man (Ire)
€32,000 Goffs November Foal Sale 2020; £47,000 Tattersalls Ireland September Yearling 2021

13:40-NEWCASTLE, 6f, Shine's Ambition (Ire)
€9,000 RNA Goffs November Foal Sale 2020; €10,000 Tattersalls Ireland Goresbridge Breeze Up 2022

Massaat (Ire) (Teofilo {Ire}), Mickley Stud
70 foals of racing age/5 winners/0 black-type winners

15:10-ASCOT, 8f, Dee See Are (GB)
16,000gns Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2020; £45,000 Goffs UK Premier & Silver Yearlings 2021

Roaring Lion (Kitten's Joy), Tweenhills Stud
104 foals of racing age/5 winners/0 black-type winners

14:35-ASCOT, 7f, Lion Tamer (GB)

14:15-NEWCASTLE, 8f, Swift Lioness (Ire)
€50,000 Goffs November Foal Sale 2020; €30,000 Goffs Orby Yearling Sale 2021

Sioux Nation (Scat Daddy), Coolmore Stud
165 foals of racing age/28 winners/2 black-type winners

18:20-KEMPTON PARK, 7f, Indian Renegade (Ire)
£70,000 Goffs UK Premier & Silver Yearlings 2021

13:40-NEWCASTLE, 6f, Tribal Hunter (Ire)
€20,000 Goffs November Foal Sale 2020; 45,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 3) 2021; 50,000gns RNA Tattersalls Craven Breeze Up Sale 2022; €30,000 Tattersalls Ireland Goresbridge Breeze Up 2022

Tasleet (GB) (Showcasing {GB}), Nunnery Stud
69 foals of racing age/9 winners/1 black-type winner

17:50-KEMPTON PARK, 7f, Magnificent Millie (GB)
11,000gns Tattersalls Somerville Yearling Sale 2021

Zoustar (Aus) (Northern Meteor {Aus}), Tweenhills Stud
107 foals of racing age/8 winners/1 black-type winner

17:50-KEMPTON PARK, 7f, Arlecchino's Star (GB)
27,000gns Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2020; 15,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 3) 2021

14:35-ASCOT, 7f, Saxon King (GB)
40,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2021

14:28-HAYDOCK PARK, 6f, Zouky (GB)

FRANCE

Kessaar (Ire) (Kodiac {GB}), Tally-Ho Stud
77 foals of racing age/15 winners/0 black-type winners

1-LA TESTE BUCH, 1100m, Bolt of Thunder (Ire)
52,000gns Tattersalls Somerville Yearling Sale 2021; 14,000gns Tattersalls July Sale 2022

IRELAND

Expert Eye (GB) (Acclamation {GB}), Banstead Manor Stud
97 foals of racing age/11 winners/0 black-type winners

4-DOWN ROYAL, 7f, Mile End (GB)

Havana Grey (GB) (Havana Gold {Ire}), Whitsbury Manor Stud
115 foals of racing age/31 winners/3 black-type winners

4-DOWN ROYAL, 7f, Distillate (GB)

4,000gns Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2020; €4,000 RNA
Goffs February Sale 2022

4-DOWN ROYAL, 7f, Reigles (GB)

4,000gns Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2020; €4,000 RNA
Goffs February Sale 2022

James Garfield (Ire) (Exceed And Excel {Aus}), Rathbarry Stud
46 foals of racing age/4 winners/1 black-type winner

4-DOWN ROYAL, 7f, Madakasham Jam (Ire)

€19,000 Goffs Sportman's Yearling Sale 2021

Sioux Nation (Scat Daddy), Coolmore Stud

165 foals of racing age/28 winners/2 black-type winners

1-DOWN ROYAL, 5f, Ocean Jewel (Ire)

€230,000 Goffs Orby Yearling Sale 2021

Unfortunately (Ire) (Society Rock {Ire}), Springfield House Stud

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

4-DOWN ROYAL, 7f, Miss Langmore (Ire)

€3,000 Goffs November Foal Sale 2020; €6,000 Goffs Autumn
Yearling Sale 2020



Havana Grey sired his first group winner with Lady Hollywood on
Thursday | Whitsbury Manor Stud

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BALLYDOYLE DEBUTANTES INTRIGUE ON ASCOT CARD

2.35 Ascot, Mdn, £20,000, 2yo, 7fT

PADDINGTON (GB) (Siyouni {Fr}) is a rare British debut runner for Ballydoyle on a day when there are no pattern races, with the stable opting to bring two members of its powerful juvenile squad to the Berkshire venue. The joint-second highest-priced lot at the Arqana Deauville October Yearling Sale, the April-foaled bay who holds a G1 Dewhurst S. entry is out of the Listed Prix Belle de Nuit winner Modern Eagle (Ger) (Montjeu {Ire}) from the family of their 2009 Dewhurst runner-up Fencing Master (GB) (Oratorio {Ire}). He meets Godolphin's Charlie Appleby-trained **City Of Kings (GB) (Kingman {GB})**, a 350,000gns Book 1 graduate whose dam is the G2 Lancashire Oaks winner Horseplay (GB) (Cape Cross {Ire}) and who caught the eye when fifth at Sandown last month after blowing the start; and James Wigan's newcomer **Burnish (GB) (Kingman {GB})**, a William Haggas-trained half-brother to the talented Karar (GB) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}) and Lights On (GB) (Siyouni {Fr}).

2.35 Ascot, Novice, £15,000, 2yo, f, 7f 213yT

RED RIDING HOOD (IRE) (Justify) is the other representative from Rosegreen on the card and a significant one as the third foal out of the G1 Prix Marcel Boussac heroine and 1000 Guineas runner-up Ballydoyle (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}). A half-sister to the Listed Ingabelle S. scorer Monday (Fastnet Rock {Aus}), the March-foaled chestnut is also connected to the multiple Group 1 winner Misty For Me (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) and her top-level scorers **U S Navy Flag** and Roly Poly.

HOW THEY FARED

14.50 Salisbury, Mdn, £24,000, 2yo, f, 6f 213yT

James Wigan's **Doom (GB) (Dubawi {Ire})**, a William Haggas-trained daughter of GI Breeders' Cup Filly & Mare Turf and GI Beverly D. S. heroine Dank (GB) (Dansili {GB}), was scratched.

3.10 Haydock, Novice, £10,000, 2yo, c/g, 7f 212yT

Castle Way (GB) (Almanzor {Fr}), the half-brother to Palace Pier (GB) (Kingman {GB}), looks more of a stayer than his illustrious half-sibling and while he took time to warm up here was firmly on top at the line to give Charlie Appleby more welcome pack-shuffling problems ahead.

5.37 ParisLongchamp, Debutantes, €27,000, 2yo, f, 8fT
Chasing The Sun (GB) (Galileo {Ire}), the €600,000 Arqana Deauville August Yearling Sale graduate and half-sister to the G3 Prix de Lieurey winner and G1 Poule d'Essai des Pouliches and G1 Prix du Moulin de Longchamp-placed Wind Chimes (GB) (Mastercraftsman {Ire}), was never involved and finished eighth with the slow pace not a help.

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BRITAIN

Thursday's Results:

4th-Haydock, £10,000, Novice, 9-1, 2yo, c/g, 7f 212yT, 1:40.60, g/f.

CASTLE WAY (GB) (c, 2, Almanzor {Fr}--Beach Frolic {GB}, by Nayef), a half-brother to the G1 Queen Anne S., G1 Lockinge S., G1 St James's Palace S. and dual G1 Prix Jacques le Marois hero Palace Pier (GB) (**Kingman {GB}**), MG1SW-Fr, MG1SW-Eng, \$2,408,980, had shaped with promise on debut when second in the Aug. 12 Newmarket mile maiden renowned for its past winners Motivator (GB), **Frankel (GB)**, Roaring Lion and Coroebus (Ire) (Dubawi {Ire}) and started at 4-9 as a result. Always travelling smoothly behind the leaders, the chestnut needed cajoling to build a head of steam in the straight and after mastering King Me (GB) (**Kingman {GB}**) a furlong from home asserted for a comfortable two-length success. "He's done that really nicely, he's really progressed from his first run at Newmarket and I loved the way he did that today," William Buick said. "He's a nice big horse and he looks a nice prospect for next year. I'm not sure what the plan will be going forwards, but you look at him and you think he'll be a lovely horse to go to war with next year. I think he feels above average, he's a horse that's going the right way." The unraced dam, whose yearling colt is by Blue Point (Ire) and whose foal is a full-sister to Palace Pier, is a half to the Group 2 winners Bonfire (GB) (Manduro {Ger}) and Joviality (GB) (Cape Cross {Ire}) from the family of the classy Karen's Caper (War Chant) and Miss Satamixa (Fr) (Linamix {Fr}). Sales history: 425,000gns Ylg '21 TATOCT. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$8,750. O-Godolphin; B-Highclere Stud and Floors Farming (GB); T-Charlie Appleby.

2nd-Salisbury, £9,500, Nov, 9-1, 2yo, 8fT, 1:42.40, g/f.
CIRCLE OF FIRE (GB) (c, 2, Almanzor {Fr}--Fiery Sunset {GB}, by Galileo {Ire}), who registered an Aug. 7 debut third going seven furlongs at Leicester last time, was positioned in a handy third after the opening exchanges of this one. Coming under pressure when angled into the clear with three furlongs remaining, the

7-4 pick swooped for control soon after passing the two pole and was ridden clear in the closing stages to assert by 3 1/4 lengths from Tabaretta (Fr) (Dubawi {Ire}). Circle Of Fire is the fourth of six foals and third scorer produced by a winning half-sister to the stakes-winning Upcountry (GB) (**Oasis Dream {GB}**). The January-foaled homebred, who hails from a family featuring multiple Group 1-winning sire Xaar (GB) (Zafonic), is a half-brother to this year's GIII San Francisco Mile victor Evening Sun (GB) (Muhaarar {GB}), a yearling colt by Fastnet Rock (Aus) and a weanling filly by Time Test (GB). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$7,339.

O/B-The Queen (GB); T-Sir Michael Stoute.

3rd-Salisbury, £24,000, Mdn, 9-1, 2yo, f, 6f 213yT, 1:26.85, g/f.
EXIMIOUS (IRE) (f, 2, Exceed And Excel {Aus}--Estiqama, by Nayef), an Aug. 5 debut second going six furlongs at Newmarket in her only prior start, was held up at the tail of the main bunch through the early fractions here. Making smooth headway into contention approaching the quarter-mile marker, the 2-1 chalk was shaken up to hit the front with 1 1/2 furlongs remaining and kept on strongly thereafter to account for Peony (GB) (**Churchill {Ire}**) by 2 1/2 lengths. Eximious, kin to a weanling filly by Royal Lytham (Fr), is the fourth of five foals and second scorer out of a multiple-winning half to Listed Rosemary S. victrix Etaab (Street Cry {Ire}). The March-foaled bay's stakes-winning second dam Ethaara (GB) (Green Desert) is kin to four black-type performers headed by the stakes-winning duo Mudaaraah (GB) (Cape Cross {Ire}) and Sudoor (GB) (Fantastic Light). Descendants of the latter include G1 Jebel Hatta hero Alfareeq (Ire) (Dark Angel {Ire}) and G3 Prix Noailles victor Raseed (GB) (Dubawi {Ire}). Sales history: €38,000 Wlg '20 GOFNOV; 100,000gns Ylg '21 TATOCT. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$16,842. O-Highclere Thoroughbred Racing (Marie Curie); B-Irish Emerald Stud (IRE); T-Roger Varian.

HANDICAP RESULTS:

1st-Royal Windsor, £50,000, 9-1, 3yo/up, 5f 21yT, :59.34, gd.
VINTAGE CLARETS (GB) (g, 3, Ardad {Ire}--Enchanted Princess {GB}, by Royal Applause {GB}) Lifetime Record: GSP-Eng, 13-3-0-1, \$68,883. O-Mr A Tattersall & Partner; B-M E Broughton (GB); T-Richard Fahey. *£20,000 Ylg '20 GOFFUK. **1/2 to Morache Music (GB) (Sleeping Indian {GB}), GSP-Fr, \$180,668.

3rd-Royal Windsor, £50,000, 9-1, 3yo/up, 6f 12yT, 1:12.20, gd.
LIR SPECIALE (IRE) (c, 3, Prince of Lir {Ire}--Ma Bella Paola {Fr}, by Naaqoos {GB}) Lifetime Record: 5-2-1-1, \$40,670. O-Opulence Thoroughbreds; B-Mattock Stud (IRE); T-Roger Varian. *£14,000 Ylg '20 GOFSP; £65,000 2yo '21 GOFTY.

4th-Royal Windsor, £50,000, 9-1, 3yo, 8f 31yT, 1:41.25, gd. CROUPIER (IRE) (g, 3, Invincible Spirit {Ire}--Aaraamm, by Street Cry {Ire}) Lifetime Record: 7-2-1-1, \$45,458. O-Mr Edward J Ware; B-Mabaki Investments (IRE); T-Simon & Ed Crisford. *100,000gns Ylg '20 TATOCT; 68,000gns RNA 2yo '21 TATAHI.

5th-Royal Windsor, £50,000, 9-1, 4yo/up, 8f 31yT, 1:42.33, gd. THAT'S JUST DANDY (IRE) (g, 4, Dandy Man {Ire}--Union City Blues {Ire}, by Encosta de Lago {Aus}) Lifetime Record: 10-2-2-3, \$55,444. O-Blessingndisguise Partnership; B-Tom McDonald (IRE); T-Jessica Harrington. *€25,000 Wlg '18 GOFNOV; €37,000 Ylg '19 TIRSEP; 50,000gns HRA '21 TATAHI.

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6th-Royal Windsor, £50,000, 9-1, 3yo/up, 10fT, 2:04.95, gd. SANITISER (GB) (g, 3, The Gurkha {Ire}--Spicy Dal {GB} {SP-Eng}, by Dalakhani {Ire}) Lifetime Record: 11-4-2-0, \$65,193. O-Ben & Sir Martyn Arbib; B-Arbib Bloodstock Partnership (GB); T-Paul & Oliver Cole.

7th-Royal Windsor, £50,000, 9-1, 3yo/up, 11f 99yT, 2:26.52, gd. WOOTTON'SUN (FR) (c, 3, Wootton Bassett {GB}--Sous Le Soleil, by Tizway) Lifetime Record: 11-2-1-2, \$49,783. O-Mr Steve Bradley; B-Herve-Charles Viallon (FR); T-Richard Fahey. *€75,000 Wlg '19 ARQDE; 100,000gns Ylg '20 TATOCT; €80,000 Ylg '22 ARAUG.

CONDITIONS RESULT:

6th-Haydock, £18,999, 9-1, 3yo/up, 6f 212yT, 1:24.47, g/f. SALEYMM (IRE) (g, 4, Dubawi {Ire}--Talmada {SW & GSP-Eng, GISP-Can, \$197,094}, by Cape Cross {Ire}) Lifetime Record: 12-4-2-0, \$93,028. O-Sheikh Ahmed Al Maktoum; B-Godolphin (IRE); T-Simon & Ed Crisford.

IRELAND

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Silent Prayer (GB), f, 3, Muhaarar (GB)--Rose Bonheur (GB) (MSW & GSP-Ire, GSP-Eng, \$150,430), by Danehill Dancer (Ire). Clonmel, 9-1, 9f 136yT, 2:06.03. Lifetime Record: 5-1-0-1, \$9,035. B-B V Sangster (GB). *80,000gns Ylg '20 TATOCT. **1/2 to Nayef Road (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}), MGSW & MG1SP-Eng, \$633,454.

Roman Bull (Ire), g, 4, Teofilo (Ire)--Media Room, by Street Cry (Ire). Clonmel, 9-1, 9f 136yT, 2:04.03. Lifetime Record: 7-1-2-0, \$12,302. B-Mr W J Kennedy (IRE).

FRANCE

Thursday's Results:

PRIX DE LIANCOURT-Listed, €55,000, ParisLongchamp, 9-1, 3yo, f, 10 1/2fT, 2:11.53, g/s.

1--MANISHA (IRE), 123, f, 3, by Lope De Vega (Ire)

1st Dam: Mahati (Fr), by Montjeu (Ire)

2nd Dam: Minaccia (Ger), by Platini (Ger)

3rd Dam: Maji (GB), by Shareef Dancer

1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN. O-Mme Elisabeth Fabre; B-Ecurie Peregrine SAS (IRE); T-Andre Fabre; J-Mickael Barzalona. €27,500. Lifetime Record: GSP-Fr, 7-2-2-0, €62,400.

2--Know Thyself (Ire), 123, f, 3, Galileo (Ire)--Fix (NZ), by Iffraaj (GB). O-Craig Bernick; B-Coolmore Stud (IRE); T-Francis-Henri Graffard. €11,000.

3--Ondulee (Ire), 125, f, 3, Adlerflug (Ger)--Wanderina (Ire), by Manduro (Ger). O/B-Wertheimer & Frere (IRE); T-Christophe Ferland. €8,250.

Margins: SNK, 2HF, HD. Odds: 3.50, 2.00, 3.40.

Also Ran: Mythicara (Ire), Blue Dazzled (Fr), Dannsa Flora (Fr), Peshmerga (Ger).

Manisha finished second in June's G3 Prix de Royaumont at Chantilly before slipping to sixth in Deauville's Aug. 2 G3 Prix de Psyche and bounced back in game fashion to secure a career high in this third black-type start. Quickly into stride from the outside stall to race in a prominent second through halfway, she inched ahead passing the two pole and was ridden out inside the final furlong to hold the late thrust of Know Thyself by a short neck.

Manisha, half-sister to a weanling filly by **Sottsass (Fr)**, is the first of two foals produced by a multiple-winning daughter of the dual German stakes scorer Minaccia (Ger) (Platini {Ger}).

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Manisha | Scoop Dyga

Listed Prix de Liancourt Cont.

Minaccia is the dam of five black-type performers headed by dual group-winning G1 Prix Royal-Oak runner-up Macleya (Ger) (Winged Love {Ire}) and G3 Prix de Barbeville winner Montclair (Ire) (Montjeu {Ire}). Minaccia's dynasty also features last year's GI United Nations S. and recent GI Manhattan S. hero Tribhuvan (Fr) (Toronado {Ire}) and last term's G1 Prix Ganay victor Mare Australis (Ire) (**Australia {GB}**). **Video, sponsored by TVG.**

4th-ParisLongchamp, €27,000, Debutantes, 9-1, 2yo, f, 8fT, 1:43.11, g/s.

THIOSSANE (FR) (f, 2, Le Havre {Ire}--Qatari Perfection {GB}, by Dubawi {Ire}), sent off at 11-2, quickly established a lead shadowed by Carvana (GB) (**Siyouni {Fr}**). Benefitting from moderate fractions, the chestnut shook off that rival midway up the straight and had 3/4 of a length to spare over her at the line. The dam, whose yearling colt by Cracksman (GB) sold for €185,000 to JS Bloodstock Consultancy at the recent Arqana Deauville August Yearling Sale, is a half to Bran (Fr) (Muhaarar {GB}) who captured the GIII Daytona S. and was placed in the GII Twin Spires Turf Sprint S. and GII Joe Hernandez S. Descended from the magnificent Niarchos producer Coup De Folie (Halo), she is related to the likes of Machiavellian, Coup De Genie (Mr. Prospector) and two recent listed winners with bright futures in Grande Dame (GB) (Lope De Vega {Ire}) and Eydon (Ire) (Olden Times {GB}). Sales history: €20,000 Ylg '21 ARQAUG. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, €13,500. **Video, sponsored by TVG.** O-Moussa Mbacke; B-Ecurie Haras du Cadran & Alain Jathiere (FR); T-Andre Fabre.

CONDITIONS RESULTS:

3rd-Le Croise Laroche, €16,000, Cond, 9-1, 4yo/up, 9fT, 1:51.70, gd.
AIGUIERE D'ARGENT (FR) (g, 5, Excelebration {Ire}--Plaisanciere {Fr} {SP-Fr}, by Astronomer Royal) Lifetime Record: 32-3-5-5, €91,640. O-Galopp-Club Rhein-Main; B-Gerard L Ferron (FR); T-Marian Falk Weissmeier. *€50,000 Ylg '18 ARQOCT.

4th-Le Croise Laroche, €15,000, Cond, 9-1, 4yo/up, 9fT, 1:50.60, gd.
WISHUPONASTAR (GB) (h, 5, Mukhadram {GB}--White And Red {Ire}, by Orpen) Lifetime Record: 13-3-4-1, €73,775. O-Byerley Stables; B-Thurso Ltd (FR); T-Hans Blume. *11,000gns Wlg '17 TATFOA; €40,000 RNA Ylg '18 BBAGS. **1/2 to Vintager (GB) (Mastercraftsman {Ire}), GSW-Fr & Ger, SP-Eng, \$205,181.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Parure Des Sables (Ire), f, 3, Kodiak (GB)--Tereschenko, by Giant's Causeway. Le Croise Laroche, 9-1, 12 1/2fT, 2:38.60. B-Al Asayl France (IRE).

Suyian (GB), f, 3, Siyouni (Fr)--Deliberate (GB), by King's Best. Le Croise Laroche, 9-1, 9fT, 1:57.70. B-Juddmonte Farms (East) Ltd (GB). *1/2 to Headman (GB) (**Kingman {GB}**), MGSW-Fr, \$430,789; Projected (GB) (Showcasing {GB}), GSW-US & MSP-Fr, \$758,300; and Delivery (GB) (Rail Link {GB}), GSP-Fr.

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IN SAUDI ARABIA:

Wahbat Alrahman (Ire), f, 2, **Sioux Nation**--Paradise Way (GB), by Elusive Quality. Ta'if, 9-1, Cond., 1400m. B-Boocock Trading Ltd. *Won by 4 3/4 lengths to run her record to two wins from as many starts. **11,000gns RNA Wlg '20 TATDEF; 17,000gns Ylg '21 KEESEP. **VIDEO (SC 8)**

ASIA

Sunday, Seoul, South Korea, post time: 4.35 p.m.

KOREA CUP-G3, ₩1,000,000,000 (\$726,524), 3yo/up, 1800m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	Kings Shield 🌿	Scat Daddy	Chadwick	Lor	126
2	Intellogent (Ire)	Intello (Ger)	Egan	Chple-Hym	126
3	Determination (Kor)	Colors Flying	Lee	Seo	126
4	Sekifu (Jpn)	Henny Hughes	Fujioka	K Take	121
5	Haengbok Wangja	Daredevil	Kim	Park Y G	126
6	Winner's Man (Kor)	Musket Man	Seo	Choi	126
7	Success Macho (Kor)	Macho Uno	You	Min	126
8	Moonhak Chief 🌿	Pioneerof the Nile	Danielson	Jung	126
9	Crazy Conti	Constitution	Chae	Gu	126
10	Raon the Fighter (Kor)	Bayern	Moon	Park J K	126
11	Simjangui Godong (Kor)	Jigeum I Sungan (Kor)	Victoire	Shim	126
12	Dolkong	Afleet Alex	Lee D H	Bae	126
13	King of the Match 🌿	Cairo Prince	Jung	Kim	126

Sunday, Seoul, South Korea, post time: 3.35 p.m.

KOREA SPRINT-G3, ₩1,000,000,000 (\$736,524), 3yo/up, 1800m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	Global Captain	Munnings	Jang	Jung	126
2	Spring Back 🌿	Gemologist	Lim	An	126
3	Celavi (Aus)	Fighting Sun (Aus)	Beuzelin	Clements	126
4	Raon First (Kor)	Musket Man	Park T J	Park J K	126
5	East Jet (Kor)	Strike Again	Breaux	Seo	126
6	Black Musk	Flat Out	Yoo	Kim D K	126
7	Morphis	Stephen Got Even	Victoire	Lee	126
8	Computer Patch (Aus)	Exceed & Excel (Aus)	Chadwick	Ting	126
9	Raptus (Jpn)	Deep Brillante (Jpn)	Miyuki	Matsunaga	126
10	Daehan Jilju (Kor)	Congrats	Kim Y G	Kim D C	126
11	Annaf (Ire)	Muhaarar (GB)	Egan	M Appleby	123
12	Eoma Eoma 🌿	Algorithms	Moon	Song	126

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Saturday, Haydock, Britain, post time: 15:30, TVG

BETFAIR SPRINT CUP S-G1, £350,000, 3yo/up, 6f 0y

SC	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Art Power (Ire)	Dark Angel (Ire)	King Power Racing Co Ltd	Tim Easterby	David Allan	131
2	Brad The Brief (GB)	Dutch Art (GB)	Chasemore Farm	Hugo Palmer	Cieren Fallon	131
3	Emaraaty Ana (GB)	Shamardal	Sheikh Mohammed Obaid Al Maktoum	Kevin Ryan	Andrea Atzeni	131
4	Great Ambassador (GB)	Exceed And Excel (Aus)	Ebury Racing 6	Ed Walker	Pat Cosgrave	131
5	Khaadem (Ire)	Dark Angel (Ire)	Mrs Fitri Hay	Charles Hills	Kieran Shoemark	131
6	Kinross (GB)	Kingman (GB)	Mr Marc Chan	Ralph Beckett	Frankie Dettori	131
7	Minzaal (Ire)	Mehmas (Ire)	Shadwell Estate Company Ltd	Owen Burrows	Jim Crowley	131
8	Naval Crown (GB)	Dubawi (Ire)	Godolphin	Charlie Appleby	William Buick	131
9	Rohaam (Ire)	Mayson (GB)	Chris Kiely Racing Ltd & Mr J Tomkins	David Evans	Hollie Doyle	131
10	Castle Star (Ire)	Starspangledbanner (Aus)	C. Bernick/Haras d'Etreham/Antony Beck	J. A. Stack	R. P. Whelan	129
11	Dubawi Legend (Ire)	Dubawi (Ire)	Dr Ali Ridha	Hugo Palmer	Ross Coakley	129
12	Flaming Rib (Ire)	Ribchester (Ire)	Dale Dolan Dooley Owen	Hugo Palmer	Ben Curtis	129
13	Go Bears Go (Ire)	Kodi Bear (Ire)	Amo Racing and Omnihorse Racing	David Loughnane	Sean Levey	129
14	Harry Three (GB)	Adaay (Ire)	Clive Cox Racing Ltd	Clive Cox	Adam Kirby	129
15	Chil Chil (GB)	Exceed And Excel (Aus)	King Power Racing Co Ltd	Andrew Balding	Hayley Turner	128
16	Umm Kulthum (Ire)	Kodiac (GB)	Mr Saeed Bin Mohammed Al Qassimi	Richard Fahey	Barry McHugh	128
17	Hala Hala Athmani (GB)	Dabirsim (Fr)	Mr Jaber Abdullah	Kevin Ryan	Paul Mulrennan	126

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Sunday, Baden-Baden, Germany, post time: 16:00

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SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	2	Alter Adler (Ger)	Adlerflug (Ger)	Hickst	de Vries	132
2	1	Mendocino (Ger)	Adlerflug (Ger)	Steinberg	Piechulek	132
3	3	Torquator Tasso (Ger)	Adlerflug (Ger)	Weiss	Dettori	132
4	5	Ardakan (GB)	Reliable Man (GB)	Klug	Starke	125
5	4	Sammarco (Ire)	Camelot (GB)	Schiergen	Murzabayev	125

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Friday, La Teste de Buch, France, post time: 14:15, TVG

PRIX MILLKOM - PRIX DE L'ORDRE INTERNATIONAL DES ANYSETIERS-Listed, €55,000, 3yo, 8FT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	4	Making Moovies (Ire)	Dabirsim (Fr)	Guillemin	Gavilan	128
2	2	Yoozuna (Ire)	Kizuna (Jpn)	Ferland	Guyon	128
3	3	Khamma (Fr)	Al Wukair (Ire)	E Monfort	Bachelot	125
4	1	Sweetheart (Fr)	Al Wukair (Ire)	Chappet	Mendizabal	125

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