TRAILBLAZER JESSICA PAQUETTE SET TO DEBUT AS PARX ANNOUNCER

by Bill Finley

Jessica Paquette never imagined that she would become the full-time announcer at a major racetrack. Neither did anyone else. The job, for as long as the sport has been around, has been a profession that largely excluded women. But when the field loads into the gate at Parx Racing for Tuesday’s first race, Paquette will be high atop the grandstand, nervous but excited, and ready to make history.

“The best thing we can all hope for in this sport is to leave the game a little bit better than it was when we found it,” she said. “I hope to set a good example and make the road easier for the generation coming behind us. If I can inspire one little girl who thinks this is possible for her and then comes and does it better than me then I’d be thrilled.”

Examples of females calling races are few and far between. Angela Hermann briefly held the job at Golden Gate Fields in 2016 after Michael Wrona left but was eventually replaced by Matt Dinerman. In the early ’60s, Ann Elliott served as the announcer at Jefferson Downs in New Orleans for about four years. Nearly 60 years after Elliott’s time at Jefferson, no other female had been hired as the full-time announcer at a U.S. track.

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REPORT: CHAD BROWN PLEADS GUILTY TO A LESSER CHARGE

According to Albany television station WNYT, trainer Chad Brown pled guilty in Saratoga Springs City Court to reduced charges Monday related to an alleged case of domestic violence that occurred during the Saratoga meet.

Originally arrested and charged with "obstruction of breathing," or choking a woman who came to his house on the evening of Aug. 17, Brown pled guilty to the lesser charge of harassment. He was accompanied by his lawyer, Matthew Chauvin.

According to the TV station, prosecutors said that there were "problems of proof," with the case. Brown will now be sentenced to one year of conditional discharge, ordered to pay a $370 fine, and will undergo an evaluation. The judge also issued an order of protection. Cont. p4

IN TDN EUROPE TODAY

SAXON WARRIOR FLAVOR OF THE DAY AT GOFFS

Brian Sheerin reports from the opening session of the Goffs November Foal Sale, where Saxon Warrior (Jpn)--bolstered by some positive results at the races on either side of the Atlantic--stole the headlines. Click or tap here to go straight to TDN Europe.

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**MAJOR GENERAL**

(shown below)

Winner of the **IROQUOIS S. (G3)** at 2

Runner-up in the **LEXINGTON S. (G3)** at 3
CURLIN - THE CLASSIC SIRE

CURLIN is the Leading Sire of Grade 1 Winners

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Malathaat, Cody’s Wish, Elite Power, Clairiere, Nest, Obligatory
KEENELAND NOVEMBER SETS NEW MARK

In its eighth day of selling, the Keeneland November Sale concluded with $205 million in gross receipts, surpassing last year’s 10-day sale total.

COMPLIANCE RESPONSIBILITY IN WEST VIRGINA

The West Virginia Racing Commission presses the Horseracing Integrity and Welfare Unit on the challenges faced in securing vets at the state’s two tracks before the Jan. 1 deadline.

MOUNTAINEER TO RUN SIX FEWER DATES

Mountaineer Park will run 124 days in 2023, a reduction from its 2022 schedule.

Dual Group 1 winner Saffron Beach (New Bay) has an entry for the Hong Kong International Races but before that she is due to sell at the Tattersalls December Mare Sale, Sceptre Sessions. Her trainer Jane Chapple-Hyam reflects on her impressive record. | Scoop Dyga

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50% BREEDER AWARDS
ELIGIBLE FOR 2YO
$1M PA-BRED STALLION SERIES
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Parx announcer Paquette, cont. from p1

Paquette got into this by accident. In 2014, she was working in the marketing and publicity departments at Suffolk Downs when regular announcer and TDN contributor T.D. Thornton couldn’t get to the track because he was delayed by, of all things, a tornado. She was called upon to fill in. Thornton eventually made it to the track and Paquette went back to her other duties, which included serving as the track’s simulcast host and paddock analyst.

She remained at Suffolk until 2019 when the track closed its doors for good. She felt lost.

“When Suffolk closed, it was a huge existential crisis for me,” Paquette said. “Working in racing isn’t just something I do, it is who I am. I didn’t know what the future was going to look like.”

Paquette didn’t mind traveling and would catch on as the simulcast analyst at Colonial Downs and Sam Houston. At Sam Houston last summer, management allowed her to call some of the Quarter-Horse races. She estimates that she has called 50 races total.

“When I called the Quarter Horses at Sam Houston this past summer I had such a good time,” she said. “By the third day I started to feel less like I was filling in and more like it was something I really wanted to do. I was open to trying to find an announcing position somewhere. When it turned out that Chris [Griffin] was moving on, my name came up and I said ‘Why not? Let’s talk.’”

She had the backing of Griffin, who has also been hired as the announcer at Monmouth Park.

“She knows what this means and it means a lot to many people,” Griffin said. “I’m looking forward to her getting into the booth and excited for her to make her debut Tuesday. We have a tremendous team at Parx and she will fit right in. It’s great to see. It’s time for some new voices in this sport. She is a professional through and through and can handle this. I’m very excited that she is getting this chance and like everyone else I am looking forward to it.”

Paquette said Griffin is among a group of male announcers who have taken her under their wing and encouraged her to seek an announcing job.

“Some of my closest friends in the industry are announcers,” she said. “Jason Beem is one of my best friends. Chris Griffin and I have become very close. They both were really encouraging. Of course, coming up through Suffolk Downs we have Larry Collmus and T.D. Thornton and they set the bar high. Frank Mirahmadi has been extremely encouraging and offered such helpful criticism since I got my feet wet with the Quarter Horses.”
Having had relatively little experience as an announcer, Paquette said she has been preparing by practicing calling races over television.

“It’s not the same when it’s not real because you don’t get that stomach-throbbing sense of brief terror as the gates are about to open,” she said. “That’s something you can’t recreate.”

Will that “sense of brief terror” go away on Tuesday?

“I hope it doesn’t because it’s all about the excitement and the adrenaline involved with being part of the sport we love,” she said. “My standard anxiety level is probably a 7 1/2 on a scale of 1 to 10. So I’m going to be excited and nervous. But that’s a good thing.”

She looks back to that final day at Suffolk Downs and says she watched the last race ever run at the East Boston track from the roof and was crying. Never did she imagine what was to come.

“I’ve been very fortunate that horses and horse racing have brought me to places I never thought possible in life,” Paquette said. “For me this at this point in my career, I’ve had lot of fun in the paddock, talking about handicapping and racing. But this, the announcing job, is an opportunity do something where I get to be the only one. It’s a real honor.”

Brown expressed gratitude that the incident would not go on his record, but said he found it unfortunate that the case had made its way into the media.

"While I’m satisfied to put this unfortunate incident behind me and pleased that as a result I will not have a criminal record, I regret details of my personal life being made public through the media," WNYT’s Mark Mulholland quotes Brown as saying. "For this, I apologize to my family, friends, clients, and coworkers. I can and will do better in the future. I greatly appreciate all who have supported me throughout this ordeal."

**KEENELAND NOVEMBER SETS NEW MARK**

The Keeneland November Sale ended its eighth session Monday with cumulative sales of $205 million, surpassing total sales of $203 million recorded for last year’s entire 10-day auction. On Monday, 260 head sold for $4,313,300, down from the corresponding session in 2021 when 260 generated $4,363,200. Average dipped slightly from $16,782 to $16,590. The median of $11,000 decreased 8.33% from last year’s $12,000.
ELiTE RESULTS in the last two weeks

**CARAVEL**
Won the Breeders' Cup Turf Sprint (GI) on 11/5
Purchased from Elite Sales Fasig November 2021 draft for $500,000 by Fergus Galvin

**NEWGRANGE**
Won an allowance at Santa Anita by 5 1/4 lengths earning a 97 Beyer on 11/6
Purchased from Elite Sales Fasig July 2022 draft for $325,000 by Rockingham Ranch

**HYBRID ECLIPSE**
Won the Thirty Eight Go Go S. on 11/12
Purchased from Elite Sales Fasig July 2022 draft for $107,000 by The Elkstone Group

**HOZIER**
Won the River City H. earning a 91 Beyer on 11/13
Purchased from Elite Sales Fasig July 2021 draft for $200,000 by Rodolphe Brisset

COME SEE OUR 2022 KEENELAND NOVEMBER DRAFT AT BARN 40.
SHOWING TOMORROW AFTERNOON. ELiTE SALES SELLING THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 17TH.
Late in Monday's session, a daughter of Mshawish led the way during the first day of Book. Offered as Hip 2975, Taylor Avenue was secured for $130,000 by CF Farms from the Taylor Made Sales Agency consignment. In foal to Speightstown, the stakes-placed filly is out of Aqualane Shores (Friends Lake), the dam of stakes winner Respect the Hustle (Colonel John). In her most recent trip to the sales ring, the 4-year-old sold for $10,000 at the Fasig-Tipton Kentucky sale in February.

The second-highest priced offering on the day was Hip 2717, a 3-year-old filly by Flatter who realized a $75,000 final bid from her breeder, Claiborne Farm. Consigned by Winter Quarter Farm, agent, Culdee is out of MSP Bend (Arch), dam of MGSW and track record holder Clearly Now (Horse Greeley) in addition to GSW Bendable (Horse Greeley). The filly was offered by Claiborne to the 2020 Keeneland September Sale, where she brought $180,000. Culdee's brother, by Curlin, sold for $575,000 at the September sale one year earlier.

Leading the youngsters during Monday's session was Hip 3030, a filly by freshman Bolt d'Oro, who was consigned by Elm Tree Farm. The grey is out of Winning Doe (Running Stag), a half-sister to champion grass runners World Approval (Northern Afleet) and Miesque's Approval (Miesque's Son) in addition to GSWs Revved Up (Sultry Song) and Za Approval (Ghostzapper).

The Mar. 27 foal is a half-sister to stakes winner and graded placed We Deer You (Hat Trick {Jpn}).

"He was a horse that identified himself as early on as his first work," said Brown.

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G1 Champagne Stakes on his second start

In just his second career start, the Chad Brown-trained Jack Christopher overcame a talented quintet of 2-year-olds and ran away with the Grade 1, $500,000 Champagne on an action-packed Saturday at Belmont Park, making his bid to be named the nation's top juvenile....
Heading the boys was Hip 2760, who brought $65,000 from Reeves Thoroughbred Racing. Consigned by Trackside Farm (Tom Evans), agent, the colt is by GI Belmont S. winner Tapwrit, represented by his first crop of juveniles in 2022. Out of unraced Fondness (Elusive Quality), the Mar. 4 foal is a half-brother to Discreetness (Discreet Cat). A half-sister to Group 1 scorer Bahamian Pirate (Housebuster) and GSW and MGISP Strong Hope (Grand Slam), Fondness hails from the family of multiple European champion El Gran Senor.

Cumulatively, 1,826 horses have sold for $205,696,600, up 7.96% from last year’s $190,531,700 for the comparable period when 1,950 horses sold. The average of $112,649 increased 15.29% from $97,709 in 2021, while the median of $50,000 remained unchanged from last year.

The November sale continues through Wednesday and is followed by a horses of racing age sale Thursday. Bidding begins daily at 10 a.m. Thursday’s auction begins at noon.

### Session Toppers

#### Keeneland November Sale

**Monday’s Top Broodmares**

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**G1 Woody Stephens Stakes by 10 lengths!**

“It’s hard to overshadow a Triple Crown race, but that’s exactly what happened Saturday at Belmont Park, where we saw a pair of performances from two special horses that are freakishly fast and talented. It’s rare when horses can live up to the hype, but Flightline (Tapit) and Jack Christopher (Munnings) didn’t meet expectations, they shattered them. These are superstars.”

Bill Finley, TDN, June 12th 2022

“This horse is an exceptional talent.... I’ve never had a dirt horse with this much pure brilliance.”

Chad Brown
**MONDAY’S TOP WEANLINGS**

**HIP 3030**
- **SEX**: filly
- **SIRE**: Bolt d’Or – Winning Doe
- **DAM**: Equestrian
- **PRICE ($)**: 85,000

- **Breeder**: Equine Farm Management, Inc. (Ky)
- **Consignor**: Elm Tree LLC (Mr. & Mrs. Jody Huckabay), Agent IV
- **Purchaser**: Summerfield Sales, Agent

**HIP 2760**
- **SEX**: colt
- **SIRE**: Tapwrit – Fondness
- **DAM**: X2R
- **PRICE ($)**: 65,000

- **Breeder**: Trackside Farm & Ten Lane Farm (Ky)
- **Consignor**: Trackside Farm (Tom Evans), Agent III
- **Purchaser**: Reeves Thoroughbred Racing

**HIP 2700**
- **SEX**: colt
- **SIRE**: Echo Town – Cave In
- **DAM**: X2R
- **PRICE ($)**: 60,000

- **Breeder**: Susan Young (Ky)
- **Consignor**: Nicky Drion Thoroughbreds, Agent VII
- **Purchaser**: Machmer Hall

**HIP 2847**
- **SEX**: colt
- **SIRE**: Practical Joke – Mony’s Little Girl
- **DAM**: X2R
- **PRICE ($)**: 60,000

- **Breeder**: Elizabeth B. Barr (Pa)
- **Consignor**: Ballysax Bloodstock, Agent XI
- **Purchaser**: Buena Madera

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**KEENELAND NOVEMBER SALE**

- **SESSION 2022**: 2021
- **Catalogued**: 401 398
- **No. Offered**: 318 318
- **No. Sold**: 260 260
- **RNAs**: 58 58
- **% RNAs**: 18.24% 18.24%
- **High Price**: $130,000 $75,000
- **Gross**: $4,313,300 $4,363,200
- **Average (% change)**: $16,590 (-1.14%) $16,782
- **Median (% change)**: $11,000 (-8.33%) $12,000

- **CUMULATIVE 2022**: 2021
- **Catalogued**: 3706 3063
- **No. Offered**: 2,374 2404
- **No. Sold**: 1826 1950
- **RNAs**: 548 454
- **% RNAs**: 23.1% 16.72%
- **Gross**: $205,696,600 $190,531,700
- **Average (% change)**: $112,649 (+15.9%) $97,709
- **Median (% change)**: $50,000 (n/c) $50,000

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**G1 H Allen Jerkens Stakes**

**“Jack Christopher Maintains Sprint Perfection in Jerkens”**

**Dual Gr.1 winner at 3:**
- **Won**: Woody Stephens S.-Gr.1 by 10 lengths.
  Previous winners include his sire **MUNNINGS**
- **Won**: H. Allen Jerkens Memorial S.-Gr.1
- **Won**: Pat Day Mile S.-Gr.2 by 3¾ lengths.

**Gr.1 winner at 2:**
- **Won**: Champagne S.-Gr.1 by 2¼ lengths.
  Previous winners include Ashford’s Champion
  2YO Sires **UNCLE MO and SCAT DADDY**
- **Won**: 6f MSW at Saratoga on debut by 8¼ lengths.

**New for 2023**

**JACK CHRISTOPHER**

The best son of **MUNNINGS**. Out of a half-sister to dual Grade 1 winner and proven Grade 1 sire **STREET BOSS**.

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2023 Fee: $45,000

WHO BEARS COMPLIANCE RESPONSIBILITY IF WEST VIRGINIA CAN’T HIRE HIWU VETS?

by T.D. Thornton

Facing a dire shortage of veterinarians at the state’s two Thoroughbred tracks and under deadline pressure to decide whether to enter into a voluntary implementation agreement with the Horseracing Integrity and Welfare Unit (HIWU) prior to that entity’s Jan. 1 start date, the West Virginia Racing Commission (WVRC) on Monday pressed a representative of HIWU for clarity on who, exactly, will bear responsibility if the minimum required number of equine drug testing employees can’t be hired within the next six weeks. It took some polite but persistent questioning by commissioner J.B. Akers to get an answer to that question. But Alex Waldrop, the recently retired National Thoroughbred Racing Association chief executive who now works as an advisor to HIWU, eventually conceded that "the burden right now is on HIWU." Akers had wanted assurance that West Virginia's racing wouldn't be subject to a shutdown if neither the commission nor the tracks could fill the federally required positions related to the coming of HIWU, an overarching national concern that has ramifications beyond just Mountaineer Park and Charles Town Races. "I have a hard time believing that we’re alone on this issue," Akers said. "If it’s only a few jurisdictions that’s one thing. But if it’s a substantial number of jurisdictions [that can't meet the staffing statute], I think that frames the issue a little differently." HIWU is the entity that will operate HISA’s anti-doping program. HISA creates the rules HIWU will enforce. In October, the WVRC, like racing commissions other states, was notified of the details of the combined agreements that HISA and HIWU want racing jurisdictions to either accept or decline prior to the Jan. 1 implementation date. Commissions and/or tracks have already been assessed costs for the 2023 operations of the two programs; if states opt in to the agreements and pay some of the costs up front, their assessments will be reduced. Joe Moore, the WVRC's executive director, said his state is already operating under a modified 2022 agreement with HISA on its racetrack safety program. He explained that he would like the proposed combined 2023 HISA and HIWU agreements split into two separate ones because the safety standards are a "much smoother agreement to extend [but] I believe the HIWU agreement is going to be a much heavier lift." At a time when the hiring marketplace is fierce nationwide and Mountaineer and Charles Town already find it difficult to obtain veterinary help, Moore stated it would be next to impossible for West Virginia to go out and hire at least 12 new people to work in drug testing oversight, which according to the incoming HIWU rules must consist of at least one veterinarian, a veterinary technician, a test barn supervisor, and five assistants at each track.
"I will tell you that neither of West Virginia’s two test barns are anywhere close to this minimum," Moore said. "At Charles Town we have a vet supervisor who conducts our blood draw, two full-time assistants for urine collections, and a part-time assistant. Charles Town has one vet that does the pre-race and nightly card at the same time. We do not have a dedicated vet for the test barn, and we do not have a licensed vet tech," Moore said.

"At Mountaineer Park, you have a licensed vet tech and three [per-diem] vet assistants for urine collection. Mountaineer Park has one vet for pre-race and nightly racing and no vet dedicated to the test barn," Moore said.

Moore said one idea could be for the WVRC to staff the positions as best as it can, then ask HIWU to "fill in the gaps" while rebating the state for the positions West Virginia pays to cover.

"Or HIWU may take the stance of, 'You don't have enough [staff]. We're going to take over the whole operation,'" Moore postulated. Another option, Moore said, would be to see if HIWU would be amenable to compromising on some of the required test barn positions by reducing or eliminating them.

Waldrop said that third option isn't likely to happen: "I don't think there is much, if any, leeway in [eliminating] the individual positions that need to be filled on a daily basis at West Virginia racetracks."

But Waldrop did add that, "I do think that a cooperative effort between West Virginia and HIWU is the best way to go forward here. But I can't deliver that today. I can't promise that will be the case."

Akers asked Moore if it would even be possible for the WVRC to post the jobs, interview candidates, perform background checks, and hire and train them prior to the Jan. 1, 2023, deadline.

Moore replied, "Commissioner, this couldn't be done by January of 2028. The racing commission does not have the funding to hire 12 additional personnel on a full-time basis."

Willing and available veterinarians, Moore added, "don't exist out there right now."

Waldrop explained that HISA and HIWU could assist with hiring by tapping into the resources of Drug Free Sport International, which has been hired to build HISA’s independent Anti-Doping and Medication Control enforcement agency.

But while technicians and specimen collectors can be more easily trained to do their jobs, Waldrop admitted that, "The veterinary aspects are the most challenging. And I can tell you that HIWU is well aware of that, and they've been aware of that for some time. That's probably the biggest hurdle that they see in the near term. And they certainly intend to be prepared on Jan. 1."

Waldrop continued: "Vets are hard to come by anywhere in the country right now, though, so I'm not going to sit here and say West Virginia is entirely unique. Equine vets [who are] familiar with the racetrack, that's a challenge. But it's one that HIWU has accepted, and they are confident that they can meet it."

Akers then again prompted Waldrop to clarify who’d be held responsible if that didn’t happen.

"Is it going to be HIWU's position, if, you know, that the state of West Virginia is out of compliance and it's our fault this didn't happen?" Akers asked. "Or is HIWU going to take responsibility and say that [the WVRC] made reasonable attempts and couldn't find the personnel to hire? Or is our racing jurisdiction going to be allegedly out of compliance with the statutory scheme, and therefore threatened by you with regard to whether we're even allowed to race or not?"

Waldrop replied that, "At this point in time, 'Who's out of compliance?' is an issue we could debate. But I think from the industry standpoint, it's HIWU's intention to be up and running and prepared to go Jan. 1."

Waldrop continued: "One of the challenges you have in West Virginia [is] that you don't have the budgetary resources to hire these individuals...and I respect [and] understand that. HIWU doesn't have that challenge. HIWU has the financial resources to hire these people. So it's one of those hurdles that can be overcome because HIWU has that ability...HIWU is part of Drug Free Sport, which is an international organization which has massive resources, financial as well as personnel, that they can draw upon."

Akers said that it was his understanding that HIWU, HISA and Drug Free Sport don't currently have any regulatory veterinarians on staff.
"You're correct," Waldrop answered. "You're focusing on exactly the right point, which is the challenge here is reg vets. The other positions we will provide. The reg vets are the challenge."

But Akers still hadn't received a direct answer to his compliance question, so he respectfully but emphatically asked a third time if West Virginia was at risk of having its racing shut down over not having the required HIWU hires in place.

"I don't think that last scenario is going to occur, sir," Waldrop replied. "HIWU will work with HISA, and do their level best to keep racing going in West Virginia without interruption to provide the staff that's necessary...So I would say to you that the burden right now is on HIWU to be prepared on Jan. 1."

Akers said he appreciated that answer, adding that while he understood that Waldrop isn’t a HIWU executive, he did want the minutes of the meeting to reflect that the HIWU advisor had articulated that "the burden should be presently on HIWU to make sure that these requirements are implemented by Jan. 1 to the extent that those are their mandates."

In light of a long list of questions that Akers said he still had about entering into a voluntary HIWU agreement for 2023, Waldrop offered to set up a conference meeting in about two weeks between HIWU’s executive director and general counsel and any interested West Virginia racing stakeholders and commission members.

The commission ended up taking no action on Monday on either opting into or out of the HISA and HIWU agreements for 2023.

AMOSS ANNOUNCES DQ DUE TO ‘POSSIBLE ACCIDENTAL CROSS-CONTAMINATION’

In a couple of tweets posted to his Twitter account Nov. 13, conditioner Tom Amoss announced that his filly Catwings (Cupid) would be disqualified from her maiden-breaking victory June 23 at Horseshoe Indianapolis due to testing 60 parts per trillion above the threshold of 20 parts per trillion for permissible medication. He did not state what the medication in question was but does include that the stewards reduced his suspension from 15 days to seven after they independently recognized it was a possible case of accidental cross-contamination. Catwings won the contest by open lengths as the even-money favorite, but shows as being disqualified to last in her lifetime record as of this posting.

MOUNTAINEER TO RACE SIX FEWER DATES IN '23

Mountaineer Park was granted approval on Monday by the West Virginia Racing Commission (WVRC) to race 124 dates in 2023, a six-program reduction from the 130 that the track is scheduled to race this year during its April-through-December meet.

Mountaineer executives were offered the opportunity to elaborate on that reasoning and the dates cutback, but chose not to speak during the Nov. 14 meeting.
The HISA and HIWU assessments were separately discussed at length during a different portion of the meeting. TDN covered that topic here.

The awarding of race dates in West Virginia is a somewhat confusing two-step process bound by a state statute that requires Mountaineer to apply for 210 annual dates and Charles Town Races to apply for 220.

But in actuality, those quotas haven't been met "in a number of years" because of the logistical difficulties of filling that many cards, Moore said.

Moore explained that to comply with the law, tracks must first apply for the statutory minimum, then come back to the commission with a reduction request. After a 10-day public commentary period, if each track's horsemen's organization and tellers' union do not object, the WVRC can vote to reduce the dates.

So Mountaineer did both steps at Monday's meeting. Charles Town only applied for the 220 minimum, and will presumably be back before the board at a future meeting to ask for its traditional reduction.

Moore said Charles Town, which races year-round except for a brief break in December and January, had asked for 179 dates in 2022, but will likely end up racing only 175 by year's end because cancellations.

Charles Town executives were also offered an opportunity to outline the track's 2023 dates strategy, but declined to speak.

Chairman Ken Lowe Jr. and commissioner J.B. Akers voted in the affirmative on the two statutory requests and Mountaineer's reduction request. Commissioner Tony Figaretti voted "no" on all three counts.

"I'm not happy with it," Figaretti said. "We're always deducting days, deducting days. It's too hard for me to accept that."

FOR THE WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 13, 2022
NORTH AMERICAN-BASED STALLIONS

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Italics indicate new activity, statistics include Northern Hemisphere results only. Want to promote your stallion? Email suefinley@thoroughbreddailynews.com.
BACKSIDE LEARNING CENTER’S ANNUAL FUNDRAISER SELLS OUT; SILENT AUCTION ONLINE

The Backside Learning Center (BLC)--an independent non-profit organization providing support and resources in a safe, welcoming environment for the diverse community of racetrack workers and their families--will hold its largest annual fundraiser, “The 16th Annual Benefit for the Backside: A Day at the Races”, Friday, Nov. 18 at Churchill Downs. While the event is sold out, the BLC is hosting an online, silent auction consisting of horseracing, and hard-to-find items including a Kentucky Oaks box for 6; a speakeasy tasting tour at Evan Williams bourbon for 20; a morning on the backstretch with Jockey Ferrin Peterson; top-shelf bourbon packages and more. In addition, the BLC will conduct a “Derby Week Suite for 40” raffle drawing including food and drink (a $7,500 value.)

The BLC plans to host several Facebook Lives at the event to present their transformative work with equine workers and families. They will also recognize members of the community who have demonstrated an extraordinary level of dedication to their mission. To participate in the online silent auction, purchase a Derby Week Suite for 40 raffle ticket, donate and more, visit the Benefit for the Backstretch website.

“This event is a great and fun opportunity to gather those who believe in our mission, and who want to support those who play such a vital role in the success of the horseracing industry,” said Executive Director Sherry Stanley. “The Backside is such a vibrant and diverse community right in the heart of the city that most people never think about. We serve the hundreds of workers and their children who are members of our community and who will soon be our next generation of leaders.”
## 2022 Leading First-Crop Sires by Winners

for stallions standing in North America through Sunday, November 13

Earnings represent Worldwide figures, NH foals only, stud fees listed are 2022 fees.

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ANTONIOS MARK (g, 2, Marking--Bekat Bekat, by Lawyer Ron) rallied to a five-length graduation debuting in the Ruidoso slop July 29 and was given a 31-10 chance to double up here. Stalking from third through a :22.80 quarter, the gelding swept to the lead three deep just outside the five-sixteenths pole, took charge into the lane and held sway under confident handling from a closing Thrustestorm (Attila’s Storm) by three-quarters of a length. The winner’s dam foaled a filly by Proceed this term before returning to the winner’s sire. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, $27,000. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.

O-Andy A. Banegas; B-Fred Alexander (NM); T-Dallas J. Barton.

ANGEL OF EMPIRE (c, 2, Classic Empire--Armony’s Angel, by To Honor and Serve) earned cap and gown on debut over track and trip Aug. 9 and was sixth switching to turf in a restricted Kentucky Downs allowance Sept. 8. Co-favored at 5-2 here, the $70,000 Keeneland September buy traveled in sixth behind splits of :24.71 and :48.36, advanced steadily along the rail on the turn before tipping off the fence and getting carried wide into the lane, powered to the front a furlong out and drew off from there for a 6 1/4-length romp. McMoney (McCraken) rallied up the inside to get second at 51-1. The victor has a Collected half-brother named Third City and a weanling full-brother. Sales History: $32,000 RNA Wlg ’20 KEENOV; $70,000 Ylg ’21 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, $43,000. Click for the Equibase.com chart.

O-Albaugh Family Stables LLC; B-Forgotten Land Investment Inc & Black Diamond Equine Corp (PA); T-Brad H. Cox.
IN ORDER OF PURSE:
9th-Del Mar, $73,000, Msw, 11-13, 2yo, f, 1mT, 1:36.80, fm, 2 1/2 lengths.

BROADWAY GIRLS (f, 2, Army Mule--Fond Hope, by Midnight Lute) finished well to be fourth behind ‘TDN Rising Star’ Home Cooking (Honor Code) after falling well back debuting over the local dirt Aug. 21 and flattened to fifth after dueling early in a Santa Anita turf sprint Oct. 1. Supported to 51-10 from a 10-1 morning-line quote stretching out to a mile here, the $60,000 OBS June buy made the lead from her rail draw and dictated terms through a sharp :22.66 quarter. Getting a bit of a breather past a :47.72 half, the bay shook off a far turn challenge from Bolts Babe (Bolt d’Oro) and kicked clear to a convincing 2 1/2-length score. La Peer (Girvin) ran on late to complete the exacta. The 21st winner for her freshman sire (by Friesan Fire), Broadway Girls has a yearling half-sister by Street Boss and a weanling West Coast half-brother. Her dam was bred to Higher Power this spring. Sales History: $9,000 Ylg ‘21 FTKOCT; $60,000 2yo ‘22 OBSOPN. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, $48,020.

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FIRST-CROP STARTERS TO WATCH: TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 15
2022 Stud Fees Listed

Army Mule (Friesan Fire), Hill 'n' Dale at Xalapa, $7,500
105 foals of racing age/21 winners/3 black-type winners
4-Horseshoe Indianapolis, 4:03 p.m. EDT, Alw 6f, World Unite, 9-5

G G Flag (Flagship)
4 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners
9-Zia, 5:36 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Flags Finale, 10-1

Justify (Scat Daddy), Coolmore Ashford, $100,000
176 foals of racing age/23 winners/5 black-type winners
6-Remington, 5:50 p.m. EDT, Msw 1m, Prosecution, 5-1
$250,000 KEE NOV wnl; $190,000 RNA KEE SEP yr; $220,000 FTK OCT yr

Rivers Run Deep (Ready’s Image), Poplar Creek Horse Center, $2,000
10 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners
1-Mahoning Valley, 12:45 p.m. EDT, Alw 6f, In Troubled Waters, 4-1

Sharp Azteca (Freud), Three Chimneys Farm, $5,000
132 foals of racing age/30 winners/3 black-type winners
2-Turf Paradise, 4:10 p.m. EDT, Aoc 6f, Acceleritas, 8-1
$10,000 KEE NOV wnl; $35,000 KEE SEP yr; RNA ARZ NOV yr

Tapwrit (Tapit), Gainesway Farm, $10,000
104 foals of racing age/12 winners/0 black-type winners
6-Remington, 5:50 p.m. EDT, Msw 1m, Written Dance, 5-2
$24,000 RNA KEE JAN wnl; $25,000 EAS OCT yr; $50,000 FTF MAR 2yo; $95,000 RNA EAS MAY 2yo

SECOND-CROP STARTERS TO WATCH: TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 15
2022 Stud Fees Listed

Unified (Candy Ride {Arg}), Lane’s End Farm, $10,000
194 foals of racing age/64 winners/3 black-type winners
5-Mahoning Valley, 2:37 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Hello Sweets, 12-1

TODAY’S FEATURED REPLAY

Broadway Girls (Army Mule) scores on the Del Mar turf Sunday (click to watch)

IN JAPAN:
Ju Taro, c, 3, Arrogate--Bodacious Babe (GSP, $154,259), by Mineshaft. Hanshin, 11-13, Allowance, 2000m, 2:03.1. Lifetime Record: 7-3-1-1, $250,852. O-Michiko Haga; B-Breffni Farm (KY); T-Hiroshi Kawachi.

Angelsilica, f, 3, Dark Angel (Ire)--Brave Anna (Hwt. 2yo Filly-Eur & Ire, G1SW-Eng, $213,423), by War Front. Fukushima, 11-12, Allowance, 1200mT, 1:09.8. Lifetime Record: 10-2-2-1, $152,115. O-Kodai Maeda; B-Mrs E Stockwell (KY); T-Yoshito Yahagi. *$150,000 Ylg ’20 KEESEP.
Cosmo Seiryu, h, 5, Temple City—Surround Sound, by Include. Fukushima, 11-13, Allowance, 1700m, 1:45.8. Lifetime Record: 21-3-1-6, $490,131. O-Big Red Farm; B-Janet Quillen (KY); T-Eiji Nakano. *$15,000 Ylg ’18 FTKOCT.

Air Almas, h, 7, Majestic Warrior—Nokaze, by Empire Maker. Hanshin, 11-13, Allowance, 1200m, 1:09.1. Lifetime Record: GSW-Jpn, 26-8-3-2, $1,854,472. O-Lucky Field Inc; B-Sekie & Tsunebumi Yoshihara (KY); T-Manabu Ikezoe. *1/2 to Air Fanditha (Hat Trick {Jpn}), SW-Jpn, $844,572.

IN SOUTH KOREA:
Munhak Storm, c, 3, Midnight Storm—Talullah Lula (Breedmare of the Year-Kor, GSP-US), by Old Trieste. Seoul, 11-13, Hcp. (C4), 1200m. B-White Fox Farm (KY). *1/2 to Moonhak Chief (Pioneerof the Nile), Horse of the Year, Ch. Stayer, Ch. 2yo & MSW-Kor, $1,775,512. VIDEO (SC 1)

IN RUSSIA:
Black Obarg, c, 2, Mo Town—Holy Alliance, by Scat Daddy. Grozny, 11-12, Autumn S. (Rus-G2, NBT), 1600m. B-Genet Racing LLC (KY). *$27,000 RNA Wlg ’20 KEENOV; $25,000 Ylg ’21 KEESEP.
Goryanka, f, 2, Tapwrit—Adamaris, by More Than Ready. Grozny, 11-12, Autumn S. (Rus-G3, NBT), 1600m. B-Gainesway Thoroughbreds Ltd & Bridlewood Farm (KY). *$25,000 Ylg ’21 KEESEP.

IN PERU:
Centroldelantero, c, 2, Carpe Diem—Miss Netta (GISP), by Street Sense. Monterrico, 11-12, Maiden, 1500m. B-Candy Meadows LLC (KY). *G1SP-Per. **$3,500 Ylg ’21 KEESEP.

Plaza De Honor, c, 2, Honor Code—Explainable (SP), by Dynaformer. Monterrico, 11-12, Maiden, 1300m. B-Don Alberto Corporation (KY). *$5,000 Ylg ’21 KEESEP.

IN MEXICO:
My Witch Asquifar, f, 2, Cloud Computing—Title Winner, by Tiz Wonderful. Hipodromo de las Americas, 11-12, Clasico Lea B (Fasig-Tipton), 1m. B-Kathie Maybee & Bernard & Karen King (KY). **$12,000 Ylg ’21 FTKOCT.
Bjorn Asquifar, c, 2, Point of Entry—Smart Dancer, by Smart Strike. Hipodromo de las Americas, 11-12, Clasico Dilic (Fasig-Tipton) (Mex-G1, NBT), 1m. B-Hermitage Farm (KY). *$5,000 Ylg ’21 FTKOCT.

IN JAPAN:
Aguri (Jpn), c, 3, Caravaggio—Old Time Waltz, by War Front. Hanshin, 11-12, Allowance, 1400mT, 1:21.9. Lifetime Record: 7-3-1-2, $247,461. O-Masahiro Miki; B-Northern Farm; T-Takayuki Yasuda. *$982,202 Ylg ’20 JRHAJUL.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:
9th-Parx Racing, $57,250, (NW1X)/Opt. Clm ($16,000), 11-14, 3yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:18.47, ft, neck.
FLOAT ON (g, 4, Bluegrass Cat—Penny N Mitzi, by More Than Ready) Lifetime Record: 29-8-5-7, $158,830. O-Longball Stables LLC & Daniel Velazquez; B-Michael Jawl (CA); T-Daniel Velazquez.

7th-Laurel, $48,900, (C), 11-14, (C), 3yo/up, 1m, 1:38.18, ft, 5 3/4 lengths.
ONE TEN (g, 3, Atreides—Electric Venus {SP, $111,631}, by Flatter) Lifetime Record: 18-4-1-2, $153,590. O/B-Barak Farm (MD); T-Jose Corrales.

7th-Hawthorne, $46,240, 11-13, (NW1X), 3yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:16.50, ft, 6 1/2 lengths.
WALKER’S WIN (g, 4, Ghaaleb—Gita, by Sahm) Lifetime Record: 6-4-1-0, $78,720. O-Charles W. Ritter & Scott Becker; B-William P. Stiritz (IL); T-Scott Becker.

4th-Horseshoe Indianapolis, $42,000, (S), (NW4L)/Opt. Clm ($40,000), 11-14, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:38.97, ft, 3/4 length.
DIAMOND SOLITAIRE (f, 4, Majestic Harbor—Diamond Seeker, by Sightseeing) Lifetime Record: MSP, 21-4-5-3, $238,914. O-Diamond Solitaire Partnership; B-David W & Loren Hebel Osborne & Warren Gene McLean (IN); T-Stephen S. Lyster.

8th-Golden Gate Fields, $40,456, (NW1$X)/Opt. Clm ($50,000), 11-13, 3yo, 6f (AWT), 1:09.70, ft, 3/4 length.
LOVE’EM N LEAVE’EM (g, 3, Stanford—Sheza Firstsamurai, by First Samurai) Lifetime Record: 7-3-0-1, $78,470. O/B-Tommy Town Thoroughbreds LLC (CA); T-Jonathan Wong.
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6th-Horseshoe Indianapolis, $38,000, (S), 11-14, (NW2L), 2yo, f, 6f, 1:11.40, ft, 3/4 length.

RILEYS REDEMPTION (f, 2, The Factor--Evana, by Even the Score) Lifetime Record: 6-2-2-0, $61,256. O/B-Dwayne Tinkle & Kevin Patterson (IN); T-Antonio Duran.

6th-Mahoning Valley, $26,400, 11-14, (NW3L), 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:07.39, ft, 1/2 length.

ROYAL ENGAGEMENT (f, 3, Palace Malice--Indian Cee, by Indian Charlie) Lifetime Record: MSP, 11-3-2-2, $113,099. O/B-Horseshoe Racing LLC (KY); T-Timothy E. Hamm. *1/2 to Cees Get Degrees (Paynter), SP, $163,991.

7th-Mahoning Valley, $25,900, 11-14, (NW2L), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:12.79, ft, 1 1/4 lengths.

ATOMIC TONE (g, 3, Protonico--Bling On the Music {MSW & GSP, $153,167}, by Too Much Bling) Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-0, $38,280. O-Jerry Ward; B-International Equities Holding, Inc. (KY); T-Michael L. Rone.

Additional Maiden Winners:

Miss Fluffy, f, 2, Abstraction--Miss E Bar, by Firejack. MSW, 11-14, Zia

Army Mule, Broadway Girls, f, 2, o/o Fond Hope, by Midnight Lute. MSW, 11-13, Del Mar

Atreides, One Ten, g, 3, o/o Electric Venus, by Blatter. ALW, 11-14, Laurel

Awesome Patriot, Watchoutforweaver, g, 2, o/o The Lady Waffles, by Wavering Monarch. MSW, 11-14, Mahoning Valley

Bluegrass Cat, Float On, g, 4, o/o Penny N Mitzi, by More Than Ready. AOC, 11-14, Parx Racing

Classic Empire, Angel of Empire, c, 2, o/o Armony's Angel, by To Honor and Serve. ALW, 11-14, Horseshoe Indianapolis

Dome, The Lids Off, g, 3, o/o Almost a Ten, by Cee's Tizzy. MSW, 11-14, Zia

Ghaaleb, Walker's Win, g, 4, o/o Gita, by Sahm. ALW, 11-13, Hawthorne

Global Power, Little Rons Rocket, g, 2, o/o Nikki My Darling, by Creative Cause. MSW, 11-14, Mahoning Valley

Majestic Harbor, Diamond Solitaire, f, 4, o/o Diamond Seeker, by Sightseeing. AOC, 11-14, Horseshoe Indianapolis

Marking, Antonios Mark, g, 2, o/o Bekat Bekat, by Lawyer Ron. ALW, 11-14, Zia

Midnight Lute, Whittington Park, c, 3, o/o See the Forest, by Forestry. ALW, 11-14, Finger Lakes

Palace Malice, Royal Engagement, f, 3, o/o Indian Cee, by Indian Charlie. ALW, 11-14, Mahoning Valley

Protonico, Atomic Tone, g, 3, o/o Bling On the Music, by Too Much Bling. ALW, 11-14, Mahoning Valley

Stanford, Love'em N Leave'em, g, 3, o/o Sheza Firstsamurai, by First Samurai. AOC, 11-13, Golden Gate

Tap the Line, f, 4, Tapiture--Ring Ring Ring (SP), by Petionville. MSW, 11-14, Horseshoe Indianapolis

The Factor, Rileys Redemption, f, 2, o/o Evana, by Even the Score. ALW, 11-14, Horseshoe Indianapolis
SAXON WARRIOR LEADS THE WAY AT GOFFS NOVEMBER FOAL SALE

Progeny by Saxon Warrior proved popular | Goffs

By Brian Sheerin

Helped in no small part by the success of Victoria Road (Ire) at the Breeders' Cup and Auguste Rodin's (Ire) (Deep Impact {Jpn}) emergence as a leading Classic contender from the same sire line, the progeny of Saxon Warrior (Jpn) played a starring role on day one of the November Foal Sale at Goffs.

Not only did Saxon Warrior top the session when Ballyhimikin Stud signed for a colt [lot 231] drafted by Kildallan Farm for €88,000, but he was also responsible for three of the top four foals on the day.

The Monday session-topper is out of an unraced sister to black-type performer Impendor (Ire) (Holy Roman Emperor {Ire}) and led home a cracking day's trade for the Coolmore-based stallion who, off the back of an excellent debut season with his two-year-olds, had his 2023 fee increased to €35,000.

The second most expensive Saxon Warrior through the ring on the day was a colt [lot 78] from Collegelands Stud who was knocked down to KCS Bloodstock for €65,000.

ARQANA AUTUMN RECORD-SETTING CARINI OFF TO AUSTRALIA

A pair of three-year-old colts bred and raced by His Highness the Aga Khan are off to Australia after accounting for two of the three top prices during Monday's horses-in-training section of the Arqana Autumn Sale in Deauville.

Catalogued as lot 344, the gelding Carini (Fr) (Siyouni {Fr}) was the owner of current stakes form, having recently finished runner-up in the Listed Prix Vulcain (2500m) at Deauville for trainer Francis-Henri Graffard. A three-time winner from his six lifetime starts overall, including conditions events over 10 furlongs at ParisLongchamp in June and July, the dark bay was hammered down to Nicolas Lefevre's Equos Racing on the phone with Astute Bloodstock's Louis Le Metayer for a record-setting session-topping bid of €600,000. Lefevre confirmed that Canisi would continue his career in Australia.

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IN TDN AMERICA TODAY

PAQUETTE TAKES THE MIC AT PARX RACING

Jessica Paquette will make history Tuesday at Parx Racing outside of Philadelphia when she becomes America's only full-time race commentator. Click or tap here to go straight to TDN America.

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Lone Eagle (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}), runner-up to Hurricane Lane (Ire) (Frankel {GB}) in last year’s G1 Irish Derby, will be offered on the Goffs Online platform beginning Monday, Nov. 21.

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ALFLAILA TO MISS BAHRAIN INT’L TROPHY
Shadwell’s Alflaila (Ire) (Dark Angel {Ire}) will be forced to miss Friday’s G3 Bahrain International Trophy after picking up an injury after routine trackwork Monday.

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Martha, Paschal and Emily Kellaghan of Mareshah Stud following the sale of their King Of Change colt to Peter and Ross Doyle for €50,000. | Goffs
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Ciara Carty of KCS Bloodstock said, "He’s a nice colt and stood out today. He’s got plenty going for him, he’s from a nice pedigree and he’s by a sire who has done well and is going to have global appeal going forward. This colt will be back for sale next autumn."

Rochestown Lodge Stud’s colt [lot 135] by the sire sold for €62,000 and will chart a similar path with the yearling sales next autumn the ultimate aim.

Marie McCartan of Ballyphilip said of the big-walking chestnut out of the dual winner Zagharit (Ire) (Sir Percy {GB}), "We’re delighted to get him. He’s a really nice horse and will come back to the sale next year. Saxon Warrior having the Breeders' Cup winner was a big help."

Four colts by Saxon Warrior sold for an aggregate of €260,000 at an average of €65,000 at Goffs on Monday.

The overall trade was also strong. The aggregate was up 3% to €3,529,000 and the average also rose 6% to €20,399 while the median fell by 3% to €15,000.

**Stauffenberg A Dandy Man Fan**

Philipp Stauffenberg signed up to the Dandy Man (Ire) fan club by snapping up a filly and a colt by the Ballyhane-based stallion as well as an Advertise (GB) filly on the day.

But it was the lot 162, the Dandy Man filly out of Astonished (Ire), a dual winner by Sea The Stars (Ire), who led the way for the leading pinhooker at €85,000.

On that purchase, he said, "She was one of the best physicals of the day. Joe Foley bought the half-sister by Night Of Thunder (Ire) for €160,000, so there’s every chance that there will be an update there."
Forenaghts Stud brought a small, but select draft to Goffs this week and manager Caoimhe Doherty revealed that the whole team was over the moon with the sale of the Dandy Man filly.

She said, "We are thrilled. We thought she'd sell well but we didn't think she'd sell as well as she did. She was bought by a brilliant judge and underbid by another top judge in Joe Foley."

"For her to make €85,000 is really beyond what we could have hoped for. We brought two very nice foals to Goffs this week so we're thrilled with how the week has begun."

The second foal to sell under the Forenaghts Stud banner is a Starspangledbanner (Aus) [lot 710] who goes through the ring on Wednesday.

The Dandy Man colt was consigned by Kellsgrange Stud and sold for €55,000. Out of an unraced daughter of Camacho (GB), he hailed from a good family, with his granddam Miss Phillyjinks (Ire) (Zoffany [Ire]) producing G1 Prix Marcel Boussac winner Tiger Tanaka (Ire) (Clodovil [Ire]).

It has been a memorable year for Stauffenberg with his pinhooks. At Book 1 at Tattersalls alone, Stauffenberg Bloodstock sold five yearlings for 2,345,000gns, including a 550,000gns Night Of Thunder filly who was knocked down to Godolphin.

Asked how he was planning on reinvesting at Goffs this week, he joked, “Hopefully wisely! We will know next year if it was wise or not.”

On buying the Advertise filly [lot 62] out of a dual-winning Dark Angel (Ire) mare [Prying Pandora (Fr)] earlier on in the day, he added, "The Advertise filly was lovely as well. She was a little bit light on the page but she was a very nice physical and we are hoping that Advertise will do something next year. I think we got one of the best physicals by Advertise." Cont. p5
Doyle Delighted With King Of Change Colt

Ross Doyle paid a handsome tribute to King Of Change (GB), a horse the leading bloodstock agent knows well—given he won the G1 QEII on British Champions Day for Richard Hannon—after he secured a colt [lot 102] by the first-season sire for €50,000.

King Of Change recently made the move to Micheal Orlandi’s Starfield Stud in County Westmeath and Doyle described himself as being impressed with the first foals he has seen by the stallion.

On lot 102, he said, "Peter [Doyle, the agent’s partner and father] and Flash Conroy bought him and the plan will be to resell him as a yearling. He was as nice a foal as we saw here at Goffs today—a good physical with a very good walk."

Doyle added, "Richard Hannon held King Of Change in very high regard, which is a big help. We have seen some nice foals by the sire. They are very nice types."

Three of the four foals by King Of Change sold for an aggregate of €85,000 and averaged at €28,333.

Arizona Off To A Solid Start

Some of the first foals by Arizona (Ire) were well-received with Peter Nolan snapping up a colt [lot 201] by the 2019 G2 Coventry S. winner for €60,000.

The Castlebridge Consignment also sold a colt by the stallion earlier in the day for €35,000 to Paula Flannery which went some way to cementing a rock-solid trade for the newbie, with six foals selling for an average of €25,500.

Nolan's purchase is a half-brother to the speedy Eldrickjones (Ire) (Cotaire Glory {GB}), who reached a rating of 104 in his juvenile year, and the plan will be to re-offer the colt as a yearling.

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**SESSION TOPPERS**

**GOFFS NOVEMBER FOALS**

**MONDAY’S TOP LOTS**

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“I bought it with my former boss, Louis Le Metayer, for one of his Australian clients,” Lefevre commented of the wild card entry. “It’s been four years since we bought together, there is a lot of competition on horses with profile like his. We had been following him for a long time. We are thrilled that the story will continue with him.”

Carini is a son of Candarliya (Fr) (Dalakhani (Ire)), three times a winner at group level for the Aga Khan and Alain de Royer-Dupre and runner-up to dual G1 Prix de l’Arc de Triomphe heroine Treve (Fr) (Motivator (GB)) in the 2016 running of the G1 Qatar Prix Vermeille. The 12 lots from the Aga Khan draft generated €1.48 million in turnover to be the leading vendor.

Shaiyhar (Ire) (Camelot (GB)) (lot 372) is also off to Australia after being purchased via the Arqana online platform by the training duo of Trent Busuttin and Natalie Young for €300,000. Also conditioned by Graffard, the bay gelding was a well-beaten fourth on his 3000-metre debut at Lion D’Angers in July, but improved for the experience to shed his maiden tag going 14 furlongs at ParisLongchamp Sept. 15. He made it two in a row over 2900m at Clairefontaine when last seen Oct. 17.

Recent graduates of the Autumn Sale that have trained on successfully in Australia include Mount Popa (Ire) (Maxios (GB)), winner of the G3 Sellwood S. at Rosehill this past March; Arapaho (Fr) (Lope de Vega (Ire)), who caused a 20-1 upset in the Premiers’ Cup at Randwick in August; and the Aga Khan-bred Mirann (Fr) (Motivator (GB)), third in listed company at Gosford in May.

The Jean-Claude Rouget galloper Djo Francais (Fr) (Intello (Ger)) (lot was the afternoon’s second-dearest seller, as the four-year-old was picked up by the BBA Ireland--also online--for €320,000.

A listed winner at Chantilly last season, the 104-rated chestnut was a winner of the Listed Prix Jacques Laffitte first-up for six months at ParisLongchamp in April and two starts later made all the running to scoop the G3 Prix Bertrand de Breuil Longines back at Chantilly June 19. Djo Francais will now go to Saudi Arabia with an eye on one of the valuable races on the Saudi Cup program.

A total of 162 horses were reported as sold for gross receipts of €6,421,000. The average of €39,636 improved by 7.67%, while the median of €15,000 declined by 25%.
### SESSION TOPPERS

**ARQANA AUTUMN SALE -- HORSES IN TRAINING**

**MONDAY'S TOP LOTS**

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<td>344</td>
<td>Carini (Fr)</td>
<td>600,000</td>
<td>(g, 3, Siyouni (Fr)–Candariliya (Fr), by Dalakhani (Ire)) Consigned by Aga Khan Studs Purchased by Equos Racing/Astute Bloodstock</td>
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<td>364</td>
<td>Djo Francais (Fr)</td>
<td>320,000</td>
<td>(c, 4, Intello (Ger)–Nazlia (Fr), by Polish Precedent) Consigned by Jean-Claude Rouget Purchased by BBA Ireland</td>
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<td>Shaiyhar (Ire)</td>
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<td>Gaucher (GB)</td>
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<td>Zanndabad (Ire)</td>
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<td>Weston (Ger)</td>
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<td>(c, 3, Soldier Hollow (GB)–Wildrossel (GB), by Dalakhani (Ire)) Consigned by Haras d'Ombreville Purchased by Gordon Elliott</td>
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All smiles. Rachel O'Reilly leads up Forenaghts Stud's Dandy Man filly (Lot 162) who was purchased by Stauffenberg Bloodstock for €85,000 | Goffs
IRISH DERBY RUNNER-UP TO BE OFFERED ON GOFFS ONLINE

**Lone Eagle** (Galileo {Ire}Dr. Horton) beaten a neck into second by Hurricane Lane {Ire} (Frankel {GB}) in the 2021 G1 Dubai Duty Free Irish Derby, will be offered on the Goffs Online platform in a timed auction Nov. 21 and 22.

A 500,000gns Tattersalls October yearling, the son of the stakes-winning and American Grade III-placed Modernstone (GB) (Duke of Marmalade {Ire}) won three of his four starts at two, including the G3 Zetland S. for trainer Martyn Meade and had future US champion and GI Breeders' Cup Turf hero Yibir (GB) (Dubawi {Ire}) four lengths behind when taking out the Listed Cocked Hat S. at Goodwood last year. He was an 11-2 chance with Frankie Dettori aboard for the Curragh feature and just missed while finishing well clear of the third. Lone Eagle has been stakes-placed in three runs this term for Freddie and Martyn Meade.

“Goffs is delighted to be entrusted with this important sale for this international owners group and look forward to keen interest from around the globe,” said Goffs Group Chief Executive Henry Beeby. “An immediate sale of this nature is a speciality of Goffs Online and our much lauded platform makes it easy for bidders regardless of location.”

The online sale of Lone Eagle will commence at 12 noon UK time on Nov. 21 and will close 24 hours later. Registrations for online bidding will open later this week. For more information on the sale, please contact Goffs on +353 (0)45 886600 or Goffs UK on +44 (0)1450 372222.

IRISH FARMS SET TO PARTICIPATE IN ITM IRISH STALLION TRAIL

Better than 30 stallion farms in Ireland are set to greet the public during Irish Thoroughbred Marketing (ITM)'s Irish Stallion Trail, to be staged Friday and Saturday, Jan. 13 and 14, 2023. The Trail was limited to the breeding industry only in 2022 due to COVID-19, but will offer breeders, racing professionals, and racing fans the opportunity to view some of the world’s leading Flat and National Hunt stallions at Ireland’s outstanding thoroughbred breeding facilities free of any restrictions.

“We are delighted that the ITM Irish Stallion Trail will once again be able to operate without any restrictions in 2023,” said ITM’s Charles O'Neill. “From Cheltenham to Royal Ascot or the Breeders' Cup, Irish-bred horses have again flown the flag for our world-class industry in 2022.

“A great deal of this success can be traced back to Ireland’s stellar stallions and the farms that handle them so expertly. We encourage breeders and other interested parties to get the Trail dates in the diary and support our hugely valuable thoroughbred breeding industry.”

Free to the public, visitors are requested to register which studs they intend to visit via the ITM website. Due to demand, it is imperative to register for a specific date and time slot if visiting Coolmore.

Click here for further information and to register. Further farms wishing to participate in the Stallion Trail may contact Alex Cairns at acairns@itm.ie or by phone on +353 (0) 877915690.

**Dark Angel at Yeomanstown Stud on the 2019 Irish Stallion Trail**

Alex Cairns photo

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ALFLAILA RULED OUT OF BAHRAIN TROPHY

Owen Burrows

Shadwell’s Alflaila (GB) (Dark Angel {Ire}) will be forced to miss Friday’s G3 Bahrain International Trophy after picking up an injury after routine track work Monday.

“Alflaila was having a routine canter at the racetrack at Bahrain this morning. My head lad John Lake was riding him and he was happy with him and how he moved,” explained trainer Owen Burrows, who was due to have his first runner in Bahrain. “On the walk home, he felt he was a little bit short so got off him. He had an X-ray as soon as he got back to the stables which showed a small fracture in the left fore fetlock. He’s had successful surgery and he’s hopefully be good to return home in a few weeks. He’s been excellently looked after by the Baker McVeigh team on site. It’s just very frustrating so close to the race but the main thing is that the surgery went well and he’s ok.”

The bay was going into the £600,000 race with a three-race winning streak, including the G3 Strensall S. at York in August and last month’s G3 Darley S. at Newmarket.

CONDITIONS RESULTS:
1st-Wolverhampton, £6,800, Nov, 11-14, 2yo, 9f 101y (AWT), 2:01.42, st.

HARRY'S HERO (GB) (c, 2, Hawkbill--Flora Medici {GB}, by Sir Percy (GB)) Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-1, £10,977. O-Refai Alghurab; B-W N Greig (GB); T-Alice Haynes. *2,000gns Wlg ’20 TATFOA; 12,000gns Ylg ’21 TATOCT.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:
Saorla (GB), f, 3, Charming Thought (GB)--Lizzie Tudor (GB), by Tamayuz (GB). Wolverhampton, 11-14, 7f 36y (AWT), 1:27.89. Lifetime Record: 6-1-2-1, £6,779. B-Karen Gough (GB).

FRANCE

CONDITIONS RESULTS:
1st-Le Mans, €22,000, Cond, 11-14, 4yo/up, 9 3/4fT, 2:07.07, sf.

OMMEEL (FR) (g, 5, Le Havre {Ire}--Our Dream Queen {GB} by Oasis Dream (GB)) Lifetime Record: 13-3-3-5, €75,975. O-Gerard Augustin-Normand; B-Franklin Finance SA (FR); T-Anastasia Wattel. *2,000gns Wlg ’21 ARQOCT.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:
Garput (Fr), c, 2, Gleenagles (Ire)--Western Mystic (Ger) (MSP-Ger), by Doyen (Ire). Le Mans, 11-14, 7fT, 1:26.20. B-Randolf Peters (FR). *€52,000 RNA Ylg ’21 ARQOCT.


Queen Clemence (Ire), f, 3, Footstepsinthesand (GB)--Chasing Ice (Ire), by Duke Of Marmalade (Ire). Pornichet-La Baule, 11-14, 12f (AWT), 2:32.73. B-Ecurie Haras d’Elbe EARL & Pascal Droz-Vincent (IRE). *€18,000 Wlg ’19 ARQDEC; €9,000 RNA Ylg ’20 ARQOCT; €5,000 2yo ‘21 ARQFE; €53,000 3yo ‘22 ARQUL.

Rathmore (Ire), f, 3, Kingman (GB)--Knocknagree (Ire), by Galileo (Ire). Pornichet-La Baule, 11-14, 8 1/2f (AWT), 1:40.32. B-Epona Bloodstock Ltd (IRE). *€280,000 Ylg ’20 GORORB.

Down Town (Fr), f, 3, Ultra (Ire)--Candidasa (Fr), by Slickly (Fr). Montauban, 11-13, 11 1/4fT, 2:23.00. B-EARL Haras du Logis & Julian Ince (Fr). *€1,000 Ylg ’20 ARQNOV.

800K DAUGHTER OF CLASSIC-PLACED LONGINA ON DECK AT CHANTILLY

15.00 Chantilly, Mdn, €27,000, 2yo, f, 7 1/2f (AWT)
Juddmonte’s 800,000gns Tattersalls October Book 1 acquisition OTTERY (GB) (Dubawi {Ire}), an Andre Fabre trainee, is out of G2 Diana-Trial victrix and G1 Preis der Diana (German}
FIRST-SEASON SIRES WITH RUNNERS

UNITED KINGDOM:

Havana Grey (GB) (Havana Gold {Ire}), Whitsbury Manor Stud
116 foals of racing age/41 winners/5 black-type winners

16:45-NEWCASTLE, 6f, Destined (GB)
46,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 3) 2021

17:15-NEWCASTLE, 6f, Havana By The Sea (Ire)
£30,000 Goffs UK Premier & Silver Yearlings 2021

James Garfield (Ire) (Exceed And Excel {Aus}), Rathbarry Stud
46 foals of racing age/6 winners/1 black-type winner

17:15-NEWCASTLE, 6f, My Roxanne (Ire)
€36,000 Goffs Sportman’s Yearling Sale 2021

Kessaar (Ire) (Kodiac {GB}), Tally-Ho Stud
77 foals of racing age/21 winners/0 black-type winners

16:12-NEWCASTLE, 6f, Holly Blackmore (Ire)
€8,000 Goffs November Foal Sale 2020; 37,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 3) 2021; £45,000 Goffs UK 2yo Breeze Up Sale 2022

Sioux Nation (Scat Daddy), Coolmore Stud
165 foals of racing age/43 winners/3 black-type winners

17:15-NEWCASTLE, 6f, Champagne Sarah (Ire)
20,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 3) 2021

17:45-NEWCASTLE, 5f, Colnago (Ire)
€9,500 RNA Tattersalls Ireland Flat Foal & Breeding Stock Sale 2020; €130,000 Tattersalls Ireland Goresbridge Breeze Up 2022

Tasleet (GB) (Showcasing {GB}), Nunnery Stud
69 foals of racing age/14 winners/1 black-type winner

17:45-NEWCASTLE, 5f, Omniqueen (GB)
75,000gns Tattersalls Somerville Yearling Sale 2021; 200,000gns Tattersalls Craven Breeze Up Sale 2022

Washington DC (Ire) (Zoffany {Ire}), Bearstone Stud
47 foals of racing age/4 winners/0 black-type winners

16:45-NEWCASTLE, 6f, Statu of Liberty (GB)
£42,000 Goffs UK Premier & Silver Yearlings 2021

Zoustar (Aus) (Northern Meteor {Aus}), Tweenhills Stud
109 foals of racing age/15 winners/1 black-type winner

17:45-NEWCASTLE, 5f, Silent Words (GB)
92,000gns Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2020

FRANCE:

Saxon Warrior (Jpn) (Deep Impact {Jpn}), Coolmore Stud
118 foals of racing age/21 winners/3 black-type winners

7-CHANTILLY, 1500m, Madame de Saxe (Ire)
€43,000 Arqana Deauville October Yearlings 2021
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