



MISCHIEF'S FOURTH TITLE AGAIN RAISES THE BAR



Into Mischief | Autry Graham

by Chris McGrath

It is beginning to feel as ingrained a New Year ritual as the concert in Vienna: the raising of a toast not just to another record year for Into Mischief, but to the way his reign has become an apt symbol of our times.

After all, the whole point of marking the turn of a year-it's just another leaf in the calendar, really, just one more sunrise in the indefinite (but never infinite!) sequence we are apportioned-is to take a step back and see whether we can discern a fresh footprint in the sands of time. So many trends unfold too gradually to be observed, but so long as this horse is around it seems that we will continue to witness history in the making.

For in bestriding the general sires' list for the fourth consecutive year, Into Mischief gives us a snapshot not just of his own sheer potency, but of the industry we live and work in today. **Cont. p3**

APB: CHARGE IT 'READY FOR A BIG 4YO CAMPAIGN' by Steve Sherack

In this continuing series, TDN's Senior Racing Editor Steve Sherack tracks down top horses on the sidelines.

Whisper Hill Farm homebred and 'TDN Rising Star' Charge It (c, 3, Tapit--I'll Take Charge, by Indian Charlie), off since posting a jaw-dropping, 23-length victory in the GIII Dwyer S. at Belmont Park July 2, is gearing up for a 4-year-old campaign.

Forced to miss intended second-half targets in the GI Runhappy Travers S. and GI Pennsylvania Derby with a foot issue, Charge It has posted a trio of breezes this winter at Whisper Hill's training center in Ocala, Florida. The gray rejoined trainer Todd Pletcher's Palm Beach Downs string Dec. 20.

"With the time, he's filled out so much," said Todd Quast, advisor to Mandy Pope's Whisper Hill Farm. "He was always a big, beautiful horse, but he just blossomed with a little break and a little time in the sun down here. I think we're ready for a really big 4-year-old campaign."

Quast continued, "We're not trying to pick a race or have it mapped out yet. We'll let him tell us. Originally, we had hoped to get to a race in late December, so I don't think we'd be ready for the [GI] Pegasus [World Cup Jan. 28]. He's an exceptional horse, he's shown that already. Todd is gonna start breezing him and make sure that he sees the same thing that I'm seeing because he's just awesome right now." Cont. p8

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Brian Sheerin discusses Havana Grey (GB), who is the Champion First-Season Sire in Great Britain and Ireland this year, and his rivals, as the sires' race comes to a close.



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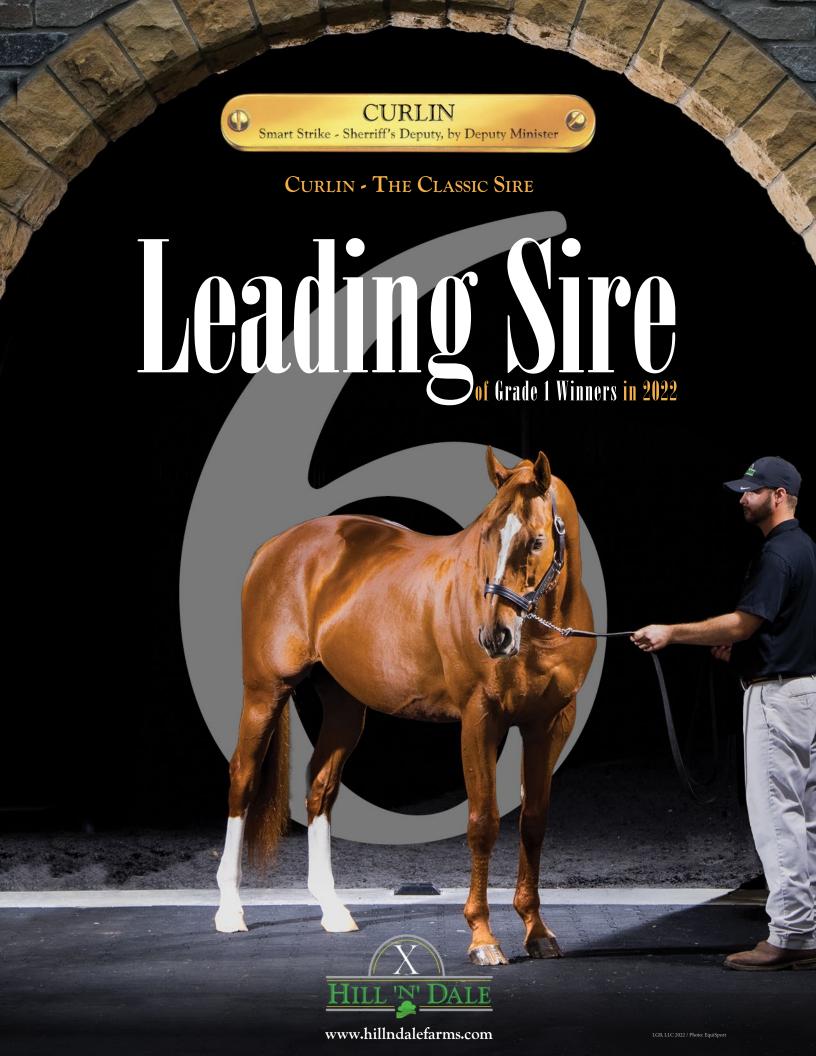
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TODAY in the



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2022 in photos: November 5. Flavien Prat checks the rear view as Flightline wins the GI Longines Breeders' Cup Classic. | Coady Photography

TODAY'S GRADED STAKES



<u>ET</u>	Race	Click for	TV
1:10p	Sugar Swirl SGIII, GP	TJCIS PPs	FDTV
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4:40p	Harlan's Holiday SGIII, GP	TJCIS PPs	FDTV
6:37p	Las Flores SGIII, SA	TJCIS PPs	FDTV



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On the one hand, he must again be credited with unprecedented achievement: once again he has beaten his own earnings record, this time soaring to \$28.17 million after tipping \$25 million in 2021, and miles clear of the \$22.51 million that had already raised the bar in 2020. At the same time, however, we must acknowledge the role of sheer quantity alongside the undoubted quality that has both driven and followed the steep elevation of his fee.

Through December 29, Into Mischief had fielded a bewildering 475 individual starters in 2022. Gun Runner--who admittedly started out with the advantages that eluded the young Into Mischief, as a Horse of the Year with mares eligible for a \$70,000 fee--has banked just over half as much prizemoney (\$14.84 million) from just 137 starters from two crops. That works out at \$108,320 per starter, against \$59,314 for the champion.

So we must immediately venture a polite question: is the sire who again shattered records in 2022, though indisputably one of the game-changers of the modern breed, even the stallion of the year?

Look, we all understand the numbers game as it is played these days. Gun Runner himself was up to 248 mares last spring; and of the dozen others to have entertained as many as the 202 mares equal to Into Mischief's fee, which had just been increased to \$250,000, eight have yet to send a single runner into the gate.

But the fact is that his fertility and libido, indices of prowess almost as remarkable as his genetic effectiveness, have long enabled Into Mischief to maintain industrial turnover even as his fee catapulted from its famously low starting base. Sure enough, 234 individual winners in 2022 exceed the 221 that gave Into Mischief a record in his first year as champion, albeit not quite matching up to the staggering 261 he clocked last year. (No other stallion has ever hit 200.)

But if we are looking at the most prolific champion sire in the story of the breed, the remarkable fact is that his efficiency has never been eroded. In terms of the production of elite stock, his 2022 ratios keep Into Mischief more or less in step with Curlin, whose own sensational year places him third on \$19.43 million (from 263 starters, earning an average \$73,949). Into Mischief's 26 black-type and 15 graded stakes winners respectively came at 5.5 and 3.2 percent of starters; Curlin had a dozen and 10, at 4.6 and 3.8 percent. (All these figures, by the way, are accessible on the TDN database and correct through December 29; the final record will require some updating with plenty of good sport on New Year's Eve.)

By this kind of gauge, however, nobody can hold a candle to the start made by Gun Runner. With only two crops on the



track, he has risen as high as sixth but the real story is here, in his ratio of elite stock. His 28 stakes operators in 2022 represent 20.4 percent of starters; while at the most demanding end of the spectrum, he had 10 horses placed in Grade I races at an incredible 7.3 percent-double his nearest pursuer on those terms, Arrogate, whose four Grade I horses all actually won at that level and represented 3.6 percent of his starters.

It must be acknowledged that Gun Runner's second crop of juveniles has hitherto failed conspicuously to come anywhere near the record returns of their predecessors. His debut crop produced 31 juvenile winners, six in stakes, and banked \$4.32 million; this lot stand at 18 winners, none at black-type level, and \$1.43 million. Given the way Gun Runner thrived in maturity, of course, his own template would have made that appear a very solid base but for the freakish standards he had set himself. What's really encouraging, either way, is that the surprising precocity of his first crop has indeed proved to be only a foundation.

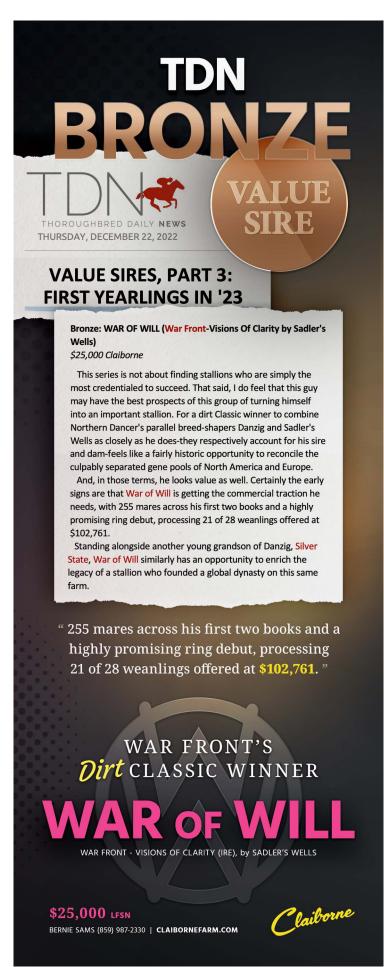


Gun Runner | Sarah Andrew

Gun Runner's first sophomores have included four individual Grade I winners and their collective bank of \$13.41 million, from 90 starters earning an average \$149,007, puts him clear even of another thriving young stallion, Not This Time, who banked \$7.09 million from just 65 sophomore starters (averaging \$109,105).

Not This Time, naturally well clear on the third-crop table, is up to 10th in the general sires' list with \$12.68 million from 163 starters in 2022, and his ratio of stakes action (14 winners at 8.6 percent of starters; 28 black-type performers at 17.2 percent) remains exceptional. His basic strike-rate of winners-to-starters, tipping 60 percent, was also exemplary.

The stock bequeathed by Gun Runner's tragic classmate Arrogate, after a contrastingly slow start, made exactly the kind of progress anticipated for his rival granted maturity and a





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Curlin | Sarah Andrew

second turn, similarly ending the campaign with four elite scorers. Another to match that feat was American Pharoah, consolidating his own reputation among relatively young sires, but in terms of Grade I winners they were all looking up at a stallion who has really stood the test of time.

With six in 2022, including three at the Breeders' Cup, Curlin remains one of the biggest of the big hitters as he turns 19. In 2021, don't forget, he had been the only stallion to muster five Grade I winners. He was third then, too, having been runner-up in 2019 and 2016: over recent years, then, perhaps this is the best champion stallion we've never had. In 2022, moreover, one of his sons sired the GI Kentucky Derby winner; and another, Good Magic, has narrowly missed the freshman crown. Curlin is now priced commensurately with this ever more impressive resume, up to \$225,000 from \$175,000.

In the general list, however, Curlin finds himself sandwiched between two whose standing partly reflects another aspect of our much changed landscape. Quality Road, runner-up with \$20.84 million, and Tonalist, fourth with \$16.73 million, respectively owe 48 and 65 percent of their hauls to the desert plunder of a single horse, Emblem Road and Country Grammar being the latest to menace with distortion the longstanding system for identifying the champion sire.

We have had a glimpse of what can happen in 2017, when Unbridled's Song secured a posthumous title exclusively through Arrogate's lucrative wins in the GI Pegasus and G1 Dubai World Cup in the first quarter, but for which he would have finished 44th. One of Into Mischief's principal services, then, has been to restore a correlation between prizemoney and consistent merit. Even when he had Authentic, who banked 32 percent of his total in 2020, he would have been champion without his Horse of the Year; and the same would clearly be true this time round, when his premier earner Life Is Good has contributed 12 percent.



GIFT BOX

Twirling Candy - Special Me, by Unbridled's Song

A STALLION'S PEDIGREE

G1 UPDATE IN THE FAMILY

Gift Box's dam Special Me added a second G1W when Gina Romantica won the Queen Elizabeth II Challenge Cup at Keeneland. Gift Box is the best son at stud of Classic sire Twirling Candy, himself a son of prolific sire of sires Candy Ride.

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All that said, we are glad to record our esteem for both the Lane's End pair: Quality Road has definitively broken into the elite, on the track as in the ring, actually producing his 2022 black-type winners and performers at a marginally superior rate to both Into Mischief and Curlin; while Tonalist amply deserves his day in the sun, having long punched above weight at a fee that trades 20 Tonalist covers to one by his neighbor. With half a dozen other graded stakes operators besides Country Grammer, in fact, in 2022 Tonalist has had action in that sphere at a ratio that essentially matches even the feted Munnings, who achieves a third consecutive top 10 finish, while comfortably surpassing many other sires commanding much higher fees.

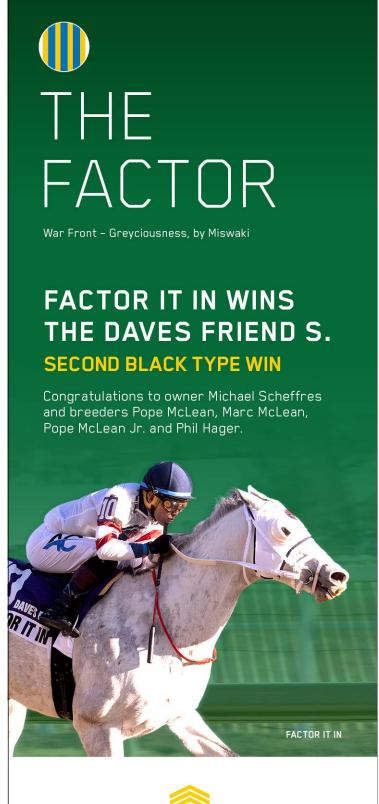
If Into Mischief can avoid a desert ambush-someday a single horse will strike gold in both Saudi Arabia and Dubai to anoint as champion a sire meanwhile discarded to South America-then he must have half an eye on the storied seven-year streak of Bold Ruler himself, now that he has eclipsed the three-year sequences since run up by Tapit (2014-2016) and Danzig (1991-1993).

Even now, remember, Into Mischief remains on a rising tide. The extra "stretch" bestowed by his classier mares has already produced consecutive Derby winners conceived at \$45,000 and \$75,000, and the latter fee also sufficed to conceive Life Is Good, himself now retiring as a six-figure cover. Into Mischief's next two crops of juveniles emerge from books of 250 mares at \$175,000 in 2020, and 214 at \$225,000 in 2021.

It feels inevitable, then, that Into Mischief will ultimately overhaul Tapit as the leading North American stallion of all time, by earnings; at the present rate, indeed, he might still do so even if he suddenly decided tomorrow morning that he doesn't like girls anymore. In the meantime, however, having endured his first ever year without a Grade I winner in 2021, Tapit resumed business as usual with three in 2022, Flightline and friends taking him to seventh on \$14.7 million (from 229 starters at \$64,219 apiece).

Mention of Danzig obliges us to remind ourselves how he became champion freshman in 1984 with 11 winners from 13 starters. These included nine stakes horses and three Grade I winners including the champion juvenile. Two made the Derby podium the following May. How the world has changed. But there's little point dwelling here, yet again, on the inundation of the modern marketplace with stock by unproven sires. We know most will prove duds; while we also know that some first books, being typically the biggest and best a stallion will ever have, will duly maintain the cycle of demand by producing top runners.

This year's rookies have certainly played their part, no fewer than six of them featuring among the top 10 in the overall juvenile sires' table. Their internal competition has been fiercely contested, but Bolt D'Oro has closed out the year strongest of





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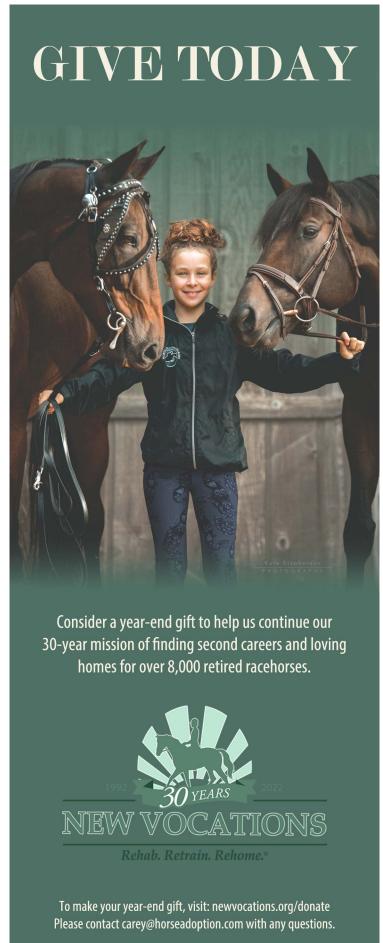
the three protagonists and appears poised to claim the title. Good Magic and Justify have both beaten him to a fourth graded stakes winner, and the former also has an elite scorer to his credit in Blazing Sevens, but 15 black-type performers overall for Bolt d'Oro represent an outstanding 19 percent of starters.

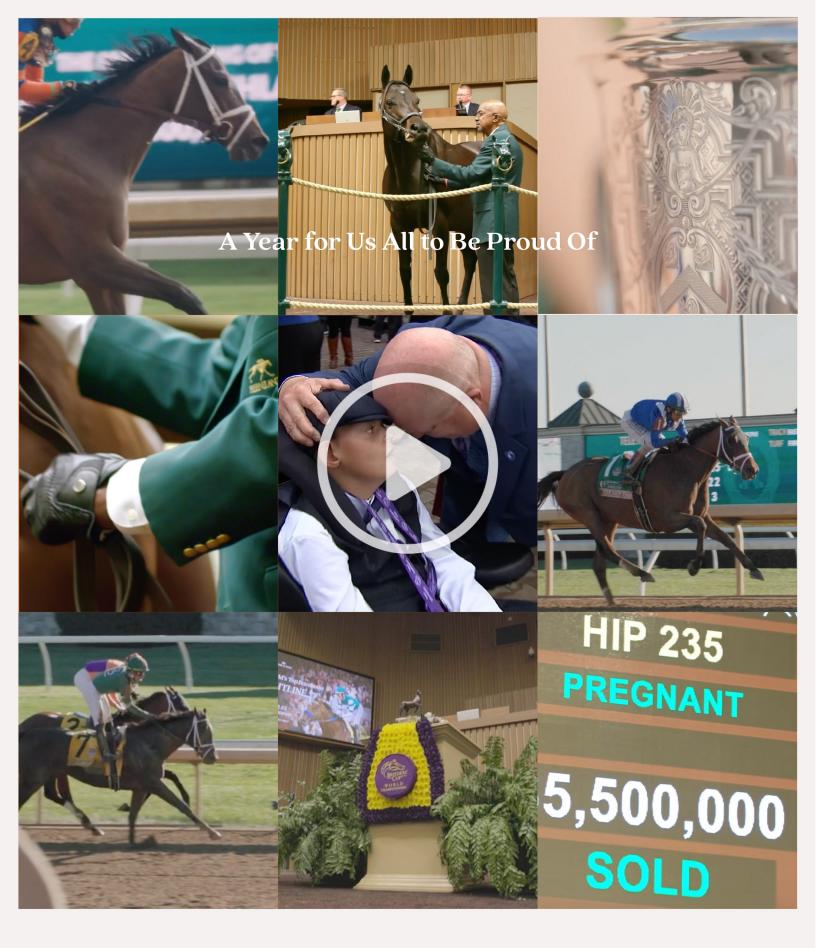
His \$2.76 million obviously doesn't measure up to the freakish tally posted by Gun Runner in 2021, but would have beaten the runner-up and has also surpassed Nyquist in 2020. Obviously Bolt d'Oro had plenty of volume to work with, so the likes of Army Mule and Girvin meanwhile deserve much credit for excelling from a narrower base. Similarly, Oscar Performance, an intriguing prospect with so much room at the top on grass right now.

Leading North American stallion by 2022 turf earnings worldwide is Medaglia d'Oro, though it must be said that he owes around half his tally to his personal ATM in Hong Kong, Golden Sixty. Confined to North American and European theaters, the leading grass stallion would instead be the late English Channel for the third year running-just one more measure of the poignant vacancy created by his loss, along with that of his old rival Kitten's Joy.

Dollars and cents only tell us so much, of course, and the perennial mysteries of this game will abide in 2023. Into Mischief himself initially seized his crown from finishes of 35th, 13th and fourth, earning his stripes as he went, with a little help from some pioneering incentive schemes. The man who presided over his rise, the late B. Wayne Hughes, knew that no champion (even Flightline) is ever 100 percent guaranteed to make it; and equally that not even the most neglected young stallion, like Into Mischief when reduced to 50 mares at \$7,500, ever has zero chance. And that, whatever the biggest spenders think they can learn from the Old Year, is also what gives us all some kind of chance as we start a new one.







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APB STEVE SHERACK Tracks Down Top Horses on the Sidelines

Charge It APB cont. from p1



Charge It | Sarah Andrew

A no-brainer 'Rising Star' at second asking at Gulfstream Feb. 12, Charge It was a green but very good second while making his two-turn debut in the GI Curlin Florida Derby Apr. 2.



Tapit at Gainesway



He put behind a troubled 17th in the GI Kentucky Derby with his aforementioned romp in the Dwyer, good for a 111 Beyer Speed Figure.

Only Epicenter (Not This Time) and Modern Games (Ire) (Dubawi {Ire}) scored higher on the Beyer scale among sophomores in 2022, co-topping the 3-year-old leaderboard with 112 ratings in the Travers and GI Ricoh Woodbine Mile S., respectively.

"To win that race by 23 lengths and to be even thinking about the Secretariat pole--that was a crazy race," Quast said. "We were very excited as was everybody else. It was just a little foot thing that kept us from going on. Kudos to Todd and his team for not pushing him. We did right by him and I think he's ready to have a really good year. We're super happy with him."

Charge It was produced by the winning mare I'll Take Charge, a \$2.2-million KEESEP yearling purchase by Pope's operation. The 10-year-old is a daughter of bluehen mare Take Charge Lady (Dehere), who is responsible for champion Will Take Charge (Unbridled's Song), GISW Take Charge Indy (A.P. Indy), GISW As Time Goes By (American Pharoah) and Charming (Seeking the Gold), the dam of champion Take Charge Brandi (Giant's Causeway) and MGISW Omaha Beach (War Front).

Charge It is one of 50 'Rising Stars' by perennial leading sire Tapit. The Tapit over Indian Charlie cross is also responsible for 2022 slam dunk Horse of the Year Flightline.

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Munnys Gold | Equi-Photo

by Steve Sherack

In this continuing series, TDN's Senior Racing Editor Steve Sherack tracks down top horses on the sidelines.

'TDN Rising Star' Munnys Gold (f, 2, Munnings--Haraawa, by Medaglia d'Oro), missing in action since airing by 14 1/2 lengths with a gaudy 101 Beyer Speed Figure on debut at Monmouth Park June 17, is targeting the upcoming \$100,000 Glitter Woman S. at Gulfstream Park.

"She's been back in full training with Todd [Pletcher] now for about three months," said Jacob West, advisor to owners Robert and Lawana Low.

"She's being pointed towards the Glitter Woman. It was supposed to be on New Year's Day, but the race didn't fill. They backed it up a week, and, hopefully, some more horses show up and we can get lucky there."

Munnys Gold, a \$92,000 FTKNOV weanling turned \$300,000 FTKJUL yearling, has posted nine workouts at Pletcher's Palm Beach Downs base since late October, most recently covering four furlongs in :50.33 (32/56) Dec. 24. Her worktab also includes a four-furlong bullet in :48.79 (1/25) Nov. 26.

"She's a tough filly to train in the mornings," West said. "She's very aggressive in her training. Todd and his staff have done an incredible job with her. They seem like they've got her in a really good groove now."



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As for what kept Munnys Gold on the sidelines, West added, "She just had a little bruised foot. And it was one of those things --it was just stinging and stinging and stinging. It took her a while to get over. Mr. and Mrs. Low are incredible owners and incredibly patient. We just were extra cautious with her because we know she has talent and ability. We took our time and brought her back slowly. It seems to be all systems go right now."

Munnys Gold earned the highest Beyer Speed Figure for a 2-year-old filly in her lone start in 2022. The distant runner-up finisher that day Alma Rosa (Sharp Azteca) has since added a win in Delaware's White Clay Creek S. and a runner-up finish in Monmouth's Sorority S.

The second winner from as many to make the races for her unraced dam, Munnys Gold hails from the extended female family of champion 2-year-old colt Anees. The Munnings over Medaglia d'Oro cross is also responsible for GIII Longacres Mile H. winner Barkley. Munnys Gold, bred in Florida by Nicksar Farms, is one of 10 'Rising Stars' for her leading sire.

"She overimpressed us and we're hopeful that she can continue on and live up to the hype from the first race," West concluded.

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PEGASUS PREP FOR COLONEL LIAM IN FORT **LAUDERDALE**

Robert and Lawana Low's Colonel Liam (Liam's Map) will line up in Saturday's GII Fort Lauderdale S. at Gulfstream Park as the lone prep for his attempt at a third consecutive victory in the \$1-million GI Pegasus World Cup Turf Invitational. The gray was last seen finishing ninth in the G1 Dubai Turf at Meydan Mar. 26. "Ideally, we wanted a little bit more time between races back to the Pegasus, but it is what it is," trainer Todd Pletcher said. "He runs well off the layoff, so, hopefully, he runs well there and moves forward for the big one." Colonel Liam is drawn widest of all in post 12 with Irad Ortiz, Jr. aboard.

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SUSPENDED NYRA CLOCKER DENIED STAY, **CLAIMS ABSENCE WILL 'HARM' HORSEMEN**

by T.D. Thornton

Richie Gazer, the longtime NYRA head clocker who is set to begin a 30-day suspension and pay a \$2,500 fine for "altering a published work of a horse to make the horse eligible to race," has been denied a stay of his penalties by the New York State Gaming Commission (NYSGC) while he seeks to elevate the case to the state court level.

Gazer's attorney, Karen Murphy, confirmed the NYSGC's denial



Belmont Park | Sarah Andrew

to TDN on Friday afternoon, shortly after the commission emailed her the decision stating the stay would not be granted. She said at this point, Gazer has exhausted all his commission-level appeals.

"This is a purely vindictive response. I am actually shocked by the whole thing," Murphy said.

In making the case for a stay to be granted, Murphy had written to the commission that Gazer's "absence from his duties as the Head Clocker for the significant suspension imposed will be harmful to all NY horsemen and horsewomen whose horses rely on his daily services."

On Dec. 12, the NYSGC voted unanimously to uphold Gazer's commission-level appeal of penalties by rejecting a hearing officer's recommendation that the case be dismissed.

Instead, the commissioners imposed the original penalties that had been handed down earlier in the year by Braulio Baeza, Jr., the NYSGC state steward at the three New York Racing Association (NYRA) tracks.

Gazer's penalty stems from a May 19, 2022, stewards' ruling in which he changed a published five-furlong work by subsequently substituting the correct four-furlong split from within that longer work.

The purpose of providing the half-mile timing was to make a horse eligible to come off NYRA's "poor performance" list, which is governed by a seldom-triggered rule that does not allow for a workout farther than four furlongs.

"The decision to issue the penalty [is] without precedent and lacking strong basis to affirm the decision..." hearing officer Dayrel Sewell wrote in his Oct. 21 report that recommended vacating Gazer's penalty. "Respondent has a spotless 40-year track record, and there is no evidence of corruption or favoritism towards a trainer(s) during his employment as head clocker.



"Although there is no regulation [specific to what Gazer was accused of doing], the Stewards have discretion on how to handle this, but the discretion must be proportionate to the harm and there must be boundaries to the practice of discretion," the hearing officer summed up.

The commissioners' outright rejection of the hearing officer's months of work in conducting the hearing and writing up the report is somewhat unusual. But in most state jurisdictions, racing commissioners are not bound to accept the opinions of the hearing officers, who are often attorneys, that they hire to hear appeals.

An exasperated Gazer has called the entire ordeal "a joke." On Dec. 18, TDN's Bill Finley editorialized that the decision by the NYSGC to penalize the clocker was a "disgrace" that bucked common sense.

Murphy told TDN on Dec. 30 that Gazer is still clocking horses, and that he has yet to be informed when his suspension is supposed to start.

"He's at work and he'll be able work until [Baeza] sets the [dates for the] suspension down," Murphy said. "But am I going to be able to get into court and get an injunction to stop that suspension? I think that's probably a hope that is beyond our reach at this point."

Murphy explained that Gazer's court appeal involves a type of filing known as Article 78, which is a New York law by which a petitioner asks a court to review a decision or action of a state official or administrative agency to determine whether such action was unlawful.

Murphy added though, that petitioners have to weigh whether going through the courts is worth it, because Article 78 cases are expensive to litigate and often languish in the court system for months or even years.

TDN asked Patrick McKenna, NYRA's vice president of communications, if there was anything trainers needed to know about the morning clocking routine given Gazer's pending suspension and the in-limbo court appeal.

"Richie Gazer is a deeply experienced professional whose presence and skills as a clocker would absolutely be missed at Belmont Park should the NYSGC suspension take effect," McKenna wrote in an email. "That said, NYRA does have the necessary staff in place to adequately cover his duties."

Back on Dec. 12, NYSGC chairman Brian O'Dwyer said during the meeting that, "The commission reviewed the entire record [and] established the violation as a matter of fact.... And in particular, found that the conduct was improper in relation to commission rule 4042.1(f)."

That rule prohibits "improper, corrupt or fraudulent" acts or practices in relation to racing or conspiring or assisting others in such acts or practices.

Along with O'Dwyer, NYSGC commissioners John Crotty, Peter Moschetti, Jr., Christopher Riano, Marissa Shorenstein and Jerry Skurnik all voted in favor of rejecting the hearing officer's recommendations not to penalize Gazer.

The outcome of their vote, which had taken place at some point prior to the open, public meeting, was simply read into the record, and the commissioners did not debate any specifics or discuss findings during the Dec. 12 meeting itself.



TDN'S NTWAB MEMBERS CAST ECLIPSE **VOTES**



Eclipse Award | Horsephotos

With the 52nd annual Eclipse Awards in Palm Beach, Fla. less than a month away, the votes will be cast by the media and other important officials until Jan. 3, as Thoroughbred racing aims to honor its best.

The Thoroughbred Daily News staff that are members of the National Turf Writers and Broadcasters (NTWAB) submitted their selections this week and here is a rundown of the results from some of the categories, along with their 'strongest vote.'

Bill

Horse of the Year: Flightline 3-Year-Old Male: Taiba 3-Year-Old Filly: Nest 2-Year-Old Male: Forte Male Sprinter: Elite Power Female Turf Horse: Regal Glory **Older Dirt Female:** Malathaat

Owner: Godolphin **Breeder:** Godolphin **Trainer:** Todd Pletcher

Strongest Vote: Epicenter is a deserving champ, but with Taiba

having three Grade I wins to Epicenter's one, I went for Taiba in the 3-year-old male division.

<u>Alan</u>

Horse of the Year: Flightline 3-Year-Old Male: Epicenter 3-Year-Old Filly: Nest 2-Year-Old Male: Forte

Male Sprinter: Jackie's Warrior Female Turf Horse: Regal Glory Older Dirt Female: Malathaat

Owner: Godolphin Breeder: Godolphin Trainer: Chad Brown

Strongest Vote: Though she stubbed her toe against the boys and even with a head-to-head defeat to her commonly owned stablemate In Italian, Regal Glory gets the slight nod for three

very strong top-level scores in 2022.

Christina

Horse of the Year: Flightline 3-Year-Old Male: Epicenter 3-Year-Old Filly: Nest 2-Year-Old Male: Forte Male Sprinter: Elite Power Female Turf Horse: In Italian Older Dirt Female: Malathaat

Owner: Godolphin Breeder: Godolphin Trainer: Todd Pletcher

Strongest Vote: Looking at this year's Eclipse voting, TAP holds a strong hand with both fillies and colts, horses of varying ages and across several divisions. In my opinion, he is dominance

personified.

Sara

Horse of the Year: Flightline 3-Year-Old Male: Epicenter 3-Year-Old Filly: Nest 2-Year-Old Male: Forte

Male Sprinter: Jackie's Warrior Female Turf Horse: Regal Glory Older Dirt Female: Malathaat

Owner: Godolphin Breeder: Godolphin Trainer: Todd Pletcher

Strongest Vote: Malathaat is my top pick this year. She not only continued the momentum from her season as a champion 3-year-old, but built upon that success with an ultra-impressive

blend of tenacity and heart, topped by a breathtaking performance in the GI Breeders' Cup Distaff.

<u>J.N.</u>

Horse of the Year: Flightline

3-Year-Old Male: Modern Games (Ire)

3-Year-Old Filly: Nest
2-Year-Old Male: Forte
Male Sprinter: Cody's Wish
Female Turf Horse: Regal Glory
Older Dirt Female: Malathaat

Owner: Hronis Racing, Siena Farm, Summer Wind Equine, West

Point Thoroughbreds

Breeder: Summer Wind Equine

Trainer: John Sadler

Strongest Vote: It was Flightline and co.'s year, but lest we forget that Modern Games won a pair of Grade Is in North America against older (which included the Breeders' Cup Mile), which tells me this turf horse earned the bob in the hotly contested 3-year-old male division.

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BOBBY MILLER FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS ANNOUNCED

A visitation for Bobby Miller, the longtime manager and vice chairman at Ro Parra's Millennium Farm who passed away Thursday following a long battle with cancer, has been planned for Wednesday, Jan. 4 at Kerr Brothers, 463 E. Main St., Lexington, Ky. from 5-8 p.m. Miller's funeral service will be held the following day at 11 a.m. The family requests that donations be sent to Bluegrass Hospice Care.

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RRP'S FIRST FOOTING SILENT AUCTION OPEN THROUGH JAN. 6

The Retired Racehorse Project (RRP) announced Friday that its First Footing Silent Auction, sponsored by OCD Pellets, is open for bidding starting at 9:00 a.m. (ET) on Dec. 30 and runs through January 6, 2023 at 11 p.m. (ET).

Named for a Scottish tradition, the First-Foot is the first person to enter the home of a household on New Year's Day and is seen as a harbinger of good fortune for the coming year.

This year's auction features horse shoes worn by some of racing's most elite stars, including Justify, Monomoy Girl and



Javier Castellano signed boot | RPP

Medina Spirit, plus a signed boot worn by jockey Javier Castellano during the Saratoga Meet.

The First Footing Silent Auction will kick-start 2023 fundraising for the RRP and support its mission to increase demand for Thoroughbreds in careers after racing.

Click here, to browse items and make your bid online.

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LIVE RACING AT FAIR GROUNDS CANCELED FRIDAY

Following excessive rain overnight and throughout the morning and after a consultation between track management and the stewards, a joint decision was made to cancel Friday's card at Fair Grounds Race Course & Slots.

Live racing will resume on Saturday, Dec. 31 with the regular post time of 1:15 p.m. CT. The 10-race card features a quartet of stakes including the \$100,000 Woodchopper, \$100,000 Pago Hop, and a pair of \$100,000 Louisiana Futurities.

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BAFFERTS PLEDGE \$10K NEW YEAR'S EVE TAA MATCH DONATION



Bob and Jill Baffert | Christie DeBernardis

The Thoroughbred Aftercare Alliance (TAA)'s month-long Holiday Giving Campaign comes to an end with Bob and Jill Baffert pledging to match all donations up to \$10,000 made to the TAA on Dec. 31, 2022--the largest of the campaign.

"Every racing season, these horses give us the thrill of a lifetime, bringing immeasurable joy. We all should remember that this holiday season when we stop to count our blessings and express gratitude," said Jill Baffert, who is also a member of TAA's advisory board. "There is no better way to do that than by contributing to the Thoroughbred Aftercare Alliance, which assures that all horses are treated with respect and care and afforded a full life of dignity after leaving the racetrack. Please join Bob and me in giving whatever you can to TAA this season."

"Thanks to the Bafferts, the TAA Holiday Giving Campaign will end with a bang," said TAA Funding and Events Manager, Emily Dresen. "We are so excited with the incredible level of participation within the horseracing community and with the Bafferts generous pledge we can have our biggest day of fundraising yet."

Those wishing to support the TAA, its 81 accredited organizations, and thousands of retired Thoroughbreds can donate through the TAA's website or text DONATE to 56651. During the Holiday Giving Campaign, TAA is also offering donors the benefit of sending digital holiday cards to colleagues, friends and loved ones.

Click here, to learn more and donate to the TAA's Holiday Giving Campaign.



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and Trainer: Doug O'Neill





2022 Leading First-Crop Sires by Earnings

for stallions standing in North America through Thursday, Dec. 29

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

Rank	Stallion	BTW	втн	GSW	GSH	G1SW	G1SH	Starters	Wnrs	Highest Earner	Earnings
1	Bolt d'Oro	6	15	3	7			79	28	322,815	2,755,095
	(2015) by Medaglia d'Oro	FYR: 2	020	Stands	: Spendti	hrift Farr	n KY Fee	: \$35,000)	Instant Coffee	
2	Good Magic	6	6	4	4	1	1	65	22	468,750	2,530,661
	(2015) by Curlin	FYR: 2	020	Stands	: Hill 'n' l	Dale at X	alapa KY	' Fee: \$50	,000	Blazing Sevens	
3	Justify	6	10	4	7		1	71	29	197,750	2,478,038
	(2015) by Scat Daddy	FYR: 2	020	Stands	: Coolmo	ore Ashfo	rd KY Fe	e: \$100,0	000	Verifying	
4	Army Mule	4	6		1			61	24	414,900	1,985,440
	(2014) by Friesan Fire	FYR: 2	020	Stands	: Hill 'n' l	Dale at X	alapa KY	' Fee: \$12	2,500	Danse Macabre	2
5	Sharp Azteca	3	6		1			82	34	320,169	1,896,338
	(2013) by Freud	FYR: 2	020	Stands	: Three C	Chimneys	Farm KY	′ Fee: \$15	5,000	Tyler's Tribe	
6	Girvin	5	8	2	2	1	1	52	20	288,000	1,895,136
	(2014) by Tale of Ekati	FYR: 2	020	Stands	: Airdrie	Stud KY	Fee: \$20	,000		Atomically	
7	Mendelssohn	1	6	1	1			89	25	224,020	1,783,808
	(2015) by Scat Daddy	FYR: 2	020	Stands	: Coolmo	ore Ashfo	rd KY Fe	e: \$25,00	0	Delight	
8	Oscar Performance	2	6	1	4		1	39	17	294,243	1,561,857
	(2014) by Kitten's Joy	FYR: 2	020	Stands	: Mill Ria	lge Farm	KY Fee:	Fee: \$20,000		Andthewinneris	
9	Mo Town	2	5					57	21	282,350	1,523,297
	(2014) by Uncle Mo	FYR: 2	020	Stands	: Coolmo	ore Ashfo	rd KY Fe	e: \$5,000)	Key of Life	
10	City of Light	3	6		3		1	36	11	425,450	1,305,861
	(2014) by Quality Road	FYR: 2	020	Stands	: Lane's l	End Farn	KY Fee:	\$60,000		Chop Chop	
11	Good Samaritan	1	3					53	16	190,929	1,128,468
	(2014) by Harlan's Holiday	FYR: 2	020	Stands	: WinSta	r Farm K	Y Fee: \$	7,500		Sabalenka	
12	Awesome Slew	1	3					24	14	458,000	1,017,161
	(2013) by Awesome Again	FYR: 2	2020	Stands	: Ocala S	Stud FL F	ee: \$4,00	00		Awesome Stror	ng
13	Cloud Computing		2		1			47	16	107,750	950,971
	(2014) by Maclean's Music	FYR: 2	020	Stands	: Spendti	hrift Farr	n KY Fee	: \$5,000		I'm Very Busy	
14	Mor Spirit	1	3					55	17	224,190	929,755
	(2013) by Eskendereya	FYR: 2	020	Stands	: Spendti	hrift Farr	n KY Fee	: \$5,000		Velocitor	
15	Collected	1	1					52	14	121,875	865,973
	(2013) by City Zip	FYR: 2	020	Stands	: Airdrie	Stud KY	Fee: \$10	,000		Freedom Trail	

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GRADED STAKES ENTRIES



Saturday, Santa Anita #1, post time: 3:00 p.m. EST JOE HERNANDEZ S.-GII, \$250,000, 3yo/up, 6 1/2fT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Lane Way	Into Mischief	MyRacehorse	Mandella	Smith	121
2	Irideo (Arg)	Easing Along	Pozo de Luna, Inc.	Polanco	Vazquez	121
3	Super Ocho (Chi)	Dubai Sky	Matriarca	Sanchez	Lopez	121
4	Gregorian Chant (GB)	Gregorian (Ire)	Old Bones Racing Stable, LLC, Slam Dunk Racing &			
			Michael Nentwig	D'Amato	Prat	121
5	Whatmakessammyrun	We Miss Artie	Sterling Racing LLC	Glatt	Bravo	125
6	Air Force Red	Air Force Blue	Eclipse Thoroughbred Partners & Holly Golightly	Powell	Hernandez	121
7	Front Run the Fed 🖛	Fed Biz	George A. Sharp	Caramori	Rispoli	121
8	Hit the Road 🖛	More Than Ready	D K Racing, LLC, Radley Equine, Inc., Taste of Victory			
			Stables, Rick Gold, Tony E. Maslowski, & Dave Odmark	Blacker	Dettori	121
9	Kiss Today Goodbye 🛪	Cairo Prince	Sondereker Racing LLC	Kruljac	Frey	121
10	Smooth Like Strait	Midnight Lute	Cannon Thoroughbreds, LLC	McCarthy	Velazquez	121
11	Sigiloso	Khozan	Gelfenstein Farm	Sanchez	Berrios	121

Breeders: 1-GWTW Horses LLC, 2-Pozo de Luna, 3-Haras Matriarca, 4-Clarendon Farm, 5-Kenneth L. Ramsey & Sarah K. Ramsey, 6-Stephen B. Weissman Living Trust, 7-Colts Neck Stables, 8-Fred W. Hertrich III, 9-Debmar Stables, 10-Cannon Thoroughbreds, LLC, 11-Brent Fernung, Crystal Fernung & Mike Sebastian Sr.

Saturday, Gulfstream #9, post time: 4:10 p.m. EST

FT. LAUDERDALE S.-GII, \$200,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/8mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Street Ready 🛪	More Than Ready	Lucky Seven Stable	Wilkes	Saez	121
2	Marwad (GB)	Intello (Ger)	Rachid Racing Inc.	Moubarak	Leon	118
3	Pao Alto (Fr)	Intello (Ger)	Wertheimer and Frere	Motion	Ruiz	123
4	Shadow Sphinx	Pioneerof the Nile	Paradise Farms Corp. and Staudacher, David	Maker	Lopez	121
5	Tango Tango Tango 🛷	Tourist	Calumet Farm	Sisterson	Leparoux	121
6	Kentucky Ghost	Ghostzapper	BBN Racing, LLC	Oliver	Garcia	121
7	City Man	Mucho Macho Man	Reeves Tbred Racing, Searles, Peter & Patty	Clement	Rosario	126
8	Winfromwithin 🖛	Into Mischief	Lea Farms, LLC	Delgado	Sutherland	123
9	Carpenters Call	Tourist	Diversified Pedigree Acquisitions Inc.	Mott	Alvarado	121
10	King Cause 🛪	Creative Cause	Nice Guys Stables	Maker	Ortiz	126
11	Good Governance (GB) 🛷	Kingman (GB)	Foxbrook Farm, LLC	Meah	Bridgmohan	121
12	Colonel Liam 🖛	Liam's Map	Low, Lawana L. and Robert E.	Pletcher	Ortiz, Jr.	123
13	Decorated Invader 🛪	Declaration of War	West Point Thoroughbreds, Freeman, William T., Sandbrook, William and Manning, Cheryl	Clement	Gaffalione	121

Breeders: 1-Earle I. Mack, LLC, 2-Shadwell Estate Company Limited, 3-La Motteraye Earl & M. Gerrard Ferron, 4-Grade 1 Bloodstock & Halcyon Farm & Equine Equity Partners, LLC, 5-Frederick Wieting, 6-Blue Devil Racing Stable, LLC, 7-Moonstar Farm, 8-Mulholland Springs LLC, 9-Cerca Trova, 10-Bret Jones, 11-Michael E. Wates, 12-Phillips Racing Partnership, 13-Redmon Farm, LLC

Saturday, Gulfstream #10, post time: 4:40 p.m. EST

HARLAN'S HOLIDAY S.-GIII, \$150,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	O'Connor (Chi)	Boboman	Ode, Fernando Vine and Michael and Jules iavarone	Joseph, Jr.	Zayas	121
2	Pioneer of Medina 🛪	Pioneerof the Nile	Sumaya U.S. Stable	Pletcher	Saez	118
3	Cooke Creek	Uncle Mo	Cheyenne Stable LLC	O'Dwyer	Ruiz	118
4	Simplification <a>*	Not This Time	Tami Bobo	Sano	Alvarado	120
5	South Bend	Algorithms	Pantofel Stable, Wachtel Stable, Barber, G & Deutsch, P	Mott	Rosario	121
6	Strike Hard	Flashback	Miracle's International Trading, Inc.	Williams	Reyes	118
7	Skippylongstocking 🛪	Exaggerator	Daniel Alonso	Joseph, Jr.	Ortiz, Jr.	123
8	Clapton	Brethren	Arindel	Alvarado	Gaffalione	118

Breeders: 1-Haras Carioca, 2-International Equities Holding, Inc., 3-Candy Meadows LLC, 4-France Weiner & Irwin Weiner, 5-Highclere, Inc., 6-Gary & Mary West Stables, Inc., 7-Brushy Hill, LLC, 8-Arindel

Saturday, Gulfstream #3, post time: 1:10 p.m. EST SUGAR SWIRL S.-GIII, \$125,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Joyful Cadence 🖛	Runhappy	WSS Racing, LLC	Ortiz	Gaffalione	122
2	My Destiny	Majesticperfection	Sam Wilensky	Wilensky	Gonzalez	120
3	Restofthestory	Jess's Dream	Glassman Racing LLC	Plesa, Jr.	Zayas	120
4	Frank's Rockette	Into Mischief	Frank Fletcher Racing Operations, Inc.	Mott	Saez	122
5	Edie Meeny Miny Mo	Upstart	Holly Hill Stables, LLC	Hemingway	Ortiz, Jr.	122
6	Coppelia 🖛	Not This Time	Rigney Racing, LLC	Bauer	Garcia	122

Breeders: 1-Scott Pierce & Debbie Pierce, 2-Donamire Farm, 3-Ocala Stud, 4-Frank Fletcher, 5-Dark Hollow Farm, 6-Gabriel Duignan & Crosshaven Bloodstock

Saturday, Gulfstream #7, post time: 3:09 p.m. EST

SUWANNEE RIVER S.-GIII, \$125,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Scotish Star (Arg)	Key Deputy	La Providencia, LLC and LNJ Foxwoods	Pletcher	Saez	121
2	Diamond Wow	Lookin At Lucky	Diamond 100 Racing Club, Dunne, A & P Biancone	Biancone	Rosario	118
3	Bay Storm	Kantharos	Bridlewood Farm	Thomas	Ortiz	123
4	Keeper of Time (Ire)	Mehmas (Ire)	Bradley Tbrds, Finder, Gary and Cambron Equine	Walsh	Gaffalione	121
5	Kahiko	First Samurai	Victory Racing Partners	Sweezey	Vasquez	121
6	Secret Time (Ger) 🖛	Camacho (GB)	Spedale Family Racing, LLC and Thorne, Jonathan	Gargan	Castellano	121
7	Stolen Holiday 🖛	War Front	Annette Allen	McGaughey III	Alvarado	125
8	Phantom Vision 🛷	Declaration of War	Three Diamonds Farm	Maker	Lopez	121
9	Touch of Class	Mizzen Mast	L. T. B., Inc. and Hillerich Racing, Inc.	Flint	Leparoux	121
10	Lady Rockstar (GB)	Frankel (GB)	Steven Parkin	Walsh	Ortiz, Jr.	121

Breeders: 1-La Providencia, 2-Diamond 100 Racing Club LLC, 3-Candy Meadows LLC, 4-D. & E. Phelan, 5-Mountmellick Farm, 6-Gestut Kussaburg/Frankreich, 7-Orpendale, 8-Albert Frassetto, 9-L.T.B. Inc, 10-Branton Court Stud



Look for the Andrews throughout the TDN graded stakes entries denoting Keeneland Sales Graduates.

Saturday, Gulfstream #8, post time: 3:41 p.m. EST MR. PROSPECTOR S.-GIII, \$125,000, 3yo/up, 7f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Surly Furious	Upstart	Novogratz Racing Stables Inc.	Wismer	Garcia	124
2	Speaking	Mr Speaker	Holly Crest Farm	Owens, Jr	Jaramillo	118
3	Sibelius 🛪	Not This Time	Park, Jun H. and Nash, Delia	O'Dwyer	Alvarado	124
4	Pappacap	Gun Runner	Rustlewood Farm, Inc.	Casse	Rosario	118
5	Steal Sunshine	Constitution	Brogden, Carrie L. and Little Red Feather Racing	Dibona	Reyes	122
6	Wind of Change (Brz)	Forestry	Daniel Alonso	Joseph, Jr.	Zayas	122
7	Prevalence	Medaglia d'Oro	Godolphin, LLC	Walsh	Gaffalione	124
8	Uncle Ernie	Talent Search	Gilman Hallenbeck	Servis	Ortiz, Jr.	120
9	Dean Delivers	Cajun Breeze	Stonehedge LLC	Yates	Vasquez	118
10	No Que No	More Than Ready	St. George Stable LLC	Gutierrez	Morelos	120
11	County Final 🖛	Oxbow	Ken Copenhaver	Joseph, Jr.	Ortiz	122
12	Seal Beach	Midshipman	Three Diamonds Farm	Maker	Saez	118

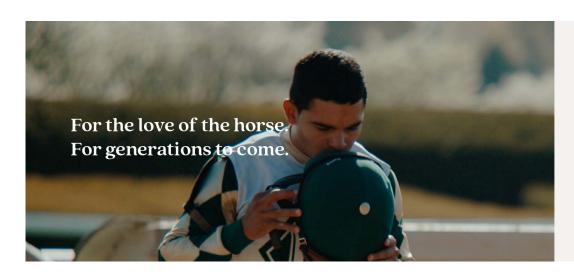
Breeders: 1-Brereton C. Jones, 2-Holly Crest Farm, 3-Taylor Brothers Properties LLC, Pollock Farms, Patrick H. Payne et al., 4-Rustlewood Farm, Inc., 5-Machmer Hall, 6-Haras Sao Jose da Serra, 7-Godolphin, 8-Gilman Hallenbeck, 9-Stonehedge, 10-St George Stables, 11-Calumet Farm, 12-Morris Floyd

Saturday, Santa Anita #3, post time: 4:00 p.m. EST

ROBERT J. FRANKEL S.-GIII, \$100,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8mT

			,			
PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Warrens Candy Girl	Clubhouse Ride	Benjamin C. Warren & Sally Warren	Lewis	Rispoli	123
2	Bipartisanship (GB)	Bated Breath (GB)	Fortune Racing LLC	Motion	Hernandez	123
3	Burgoo Alley (Ire)	Footstepsinthesand (GB)	Agave Racing Stable & Living The Dream Stables, LLC,	D'Amato	Prat	125
4	New Heat	Unusual Heat	Newfield Farm & Jennifer M. Saavedra	Saavedra	Franco	121
5	England's Rose 🛪	English Channel	Mercedes Stables LLC, West Point Thoroughbreds,			
			Scott Dilworth, Dorothy Ingordo, David Ingordo, &			
			F. Steve Mooney	Shirreffs	Espinoza	123
6	Scarabea 🖛	American Pharoah	Calumet Farm	Harty	Kimura	121
7	Closing Remarks	Vronsky	Harris Farms, Inc.	Gaines	Bravo	123
8	Island of Love (Ire)	Kodiac (GB)	R Unicorn Stable	D'Amato	Vazquez	123
9	Avenue de France (Fr)	Cityscape (GB)	Benowitz Family Trust, Convergence Stables LLC,			
			Madaket Stables LLC, Wonder Stables & Mathilde Powell	Powell	Dettori	125
10	Queen Goddess	Empire Maker	Eclipse Thoroughbred Partners & Gary Barber	McCarthy	Velazquez	125
11	Quattroelle (Ire)	Mehmas (Ire)	Red Baron's Barn LLC & Rancho Temescal LLC	Mullins	Berrios	123

Breeders: 1-Benjamin C. Warren & Sally Warren, 2-Ebonos Limited, 3-Mr Eoghan Grogan, 4-Liberty Road Stables, 5-St. George F arm LLC, 6-Calumet Farm, 7-Harris Farms, 8-Razza Del Velino SRL, 9-SARL Jedburgh Stud & Thierry De LaHeronniere, 10-Tolo Thoroughbreds, 11-Rossenarra Bloodstock Ltd





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Saturday, Santa Anita #8, post time: 6:30 p.m. EST LAS FLORES S.-GIII, \$100,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f

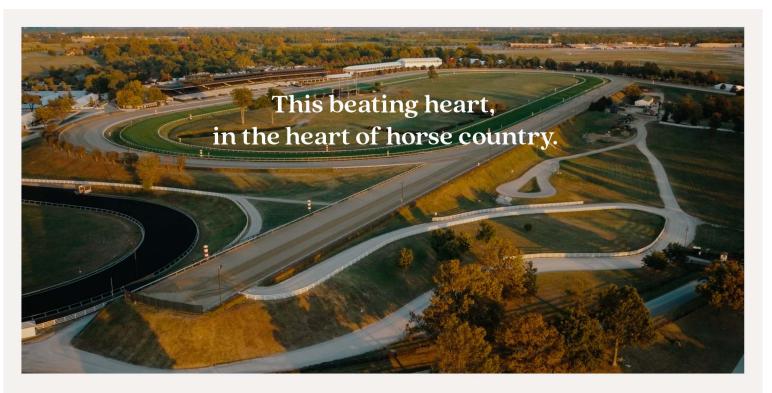
PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Classical Romance <a>**	Classic Empire	Cutter Nehf Racing Stable, LLC	Nehf	Curatolo	119
2	Samurai Charm	First Samurai	Downstream Racing, LLC	Miller	Prat	123
3	Lexington Humor 🛷	Practical Joke	A. Jason Hall Stables, Custom Truck Accessories, Shake)		
			and Bake Racing, LLC & Monte Hehnke	Wong	Frey	119
4	Manorelli ở	Outwork	Alison M. Rakis	Mendez	Maldonado	119
5	Anacapa	Tiznow	Spendthrift Farm LLC	Gaines	Bravo	119
6	Violent Runner 🛪	Violence	Talla Racing LLC	Sadler	Ellingwood	121
7	Lady T 🛪	Into Mischief	Jerome S. Moss & Tina Moss	Shirreffs	Espinoza	119
8	Doris Mae	Dads Caps	Richard Barton	Gaines	Hernandez	119

Breeders: 1-Stonehaven Steadings, 2-J. Kirk Robison & Judy Robison, 3-Jose Luis Espinoza, 4-WinStar Farm, LLC, 5-Tolo Thoroughbreds & Art Tanaka, 6-Lee McMillin & Anita Cauley Breeding, 7-Springhouse Farm & Circular Rd Breeders, 8-Richard Barton Enterprises

Sunday, Santa Anita #7, post time: 6:00 p.m. EST SANTA YNEZ S.-GIII, \$200,000, 3yo, f, 7f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Satin Doll 🖛	Congrats	The Del Mar Group	O'Neill	Maldonado	120
2	Justique 🖛	Justify	C R K Stable LLC	Shirreffs	Espinoza	122
3	Lily Poo	Tapiture	Eclipse Thoroughbred Partners	McCarthy	Vazquez	120
4	Huntingcoco 🖛	Practical Joke	Villa Rosa Farm, Inc. and Harlo Racing	Baffert	Velazquez	120
5	Fast and Shiny 🛪	Bernardini	Pegram, Michael E., Watson, Karl and Weitman, Paul	Baffert	Cedillo	120
6	Parody 🛪	Distorted Humor	WinStar Farm LLC	Baffert	Hernandez	120
7	Ice Dancing	Frosted	Bass II, Perry R. and Bass, Ramona S.	Mandella	Smith	120

Breeders: 1-Upson Downs Farm, 2-John D. Gunther & Eurowest Bloodstock, 3-Michael Meeks, 4-HnR Nothhaft Horse Racing LLC, 5-Douglas Scharbauer, 6-WinStar Farm, LLC, 7-Bass Stables, LLC



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Saturday, Fair Grounds, post time: 4:15 p.m. EST

WOODCHOPPER 5., \$100,000, 3yo, 1m1								
	PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT	
	1	Straight Answer (GB)	Kodiac (GB)	Juddmonte	Cox	Lanerie	116	
	2	Underdressed	Keen Ice	Porch Light Racing, LLC, Brandon Tucker,				
				Raul Bras, Haugh Stables & Highlight Thoroughbred	Hernandez	Pedroza, Jr.	116	
	3	Open Road	Quality Road	Gary & Mary West	Cox	Talamo	116	
	4	Britain's Kitten	Big Blue Kitten	Bella Mia Stables, LLC	Williamson	Parker	116	
	5	Sutherland	Twirling Candy	Silverton Hill LLC	Calhoun	Gutierrez	116	
	6	Un Ojo	Laoban	Cypress Creek Equine & Whispering Oaks Farm	Courville	Hernandez	116	
	7	Life Is a Banquet	Creative Cause	Marablue Farm LLC	Brinkman	Beschizza	116	
	8	Ready to Purrform	Kitten's Joy	Donegal Racing	Cox	Geroux	122	

Breeders: 1-Juddmonte Farms Ltd, 2-Highlight Thoroughbreds, Haugh Stables LLC, Raul & Katie Bras, 3-Peter E. Blum Thoroughbreds, LLC, 4-TCR Ranch, 5-Silverton Hill, LLC, 6-Southern Equine Stables, LLC, 7-Marablue Farm, LLC, 8-Bonne Chance Farm, LLC

Saturday, Fair Grounds, post time: 5:45 p.m. EST

	PAGO HOP 5., \$100,000	, 390, 1, 11111				
	PP HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
	I Elle of the Ball	Violence	Wayne Sanders & Larry Hirsch	Sharp	Gutierrez	116
1	2 Blissful	Empire Maker	Belladonna Racing, LLC, Manganaro Bloodstock &			
			Edward J. Hudson, Jr.	DeVaux	Hernandez, Jr.	116
;	3 Dreamworker	Animal Kingdom	Wayne Sanders & Larry Hirsch	Sharp	Parker	116
4	1 Trobairitz	Summer Front	Brereton C. Jones	Pessin	Beschizza	116
,	5 Dressed	More Than Ready	Eclipse Thoroughbred Partners	Catalano	Lanerie	116
(Fancy Martini	Klimt	Carl R. Moore Management LLC	Sharp	Graham	120
•	7 A Mo Reay	Uncle Mo	Hunter Valley Farm	Cox	Geroux	116
1	3 Trail Ridge Road	Point of Entry	Team Block	Block	Loveberry	122
,	Free Like a Girl	El Deal	Gerald Bruno, Jr., Carl Deville, Chasey Deville Por	iier &		
			Jerry Caroom	Pomier	Cotto, Jr.	116

Breeders: 1-Pursuit of Success LLC, 2-Thoreau, LLC & Empire Maker Syndicate, 3-Runnymede Farm, Inc, Peter J Callahan, Manlius Stable LLC & Bill Oppenheim, 4-Brereton C. Jones, 5-Brushy Hill, LLC, 6-Faustino M. Paz, 7-T & G Farm of Kentucky LLC, 8-Team Block, 9-Kim Stover & Lisa Osborne



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NORTH AMERICAN RACING



IN ORDER OF PURSE:

EDDIE LOGAN S., \$100,500, Santa Anita, 12-30, 2yo, 1mT, 1:34.38, gd.

1--CLASSICAL CAT, 120, c, 2, by Mendelssohn

1st Dam: Conquest Strate Up (SW, \$192,984), by Not Bourbon

2nd Dam: Deputy, by Hadif

3rd Dam: Sherriff's Deputy, by Deputy Minister (\$65,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP). 1ST BLACK TYPE WIN. O-Michael House; B-Pippa's Hurricane LLC (KY); T-Philip D'Amato; J-Umberto Rispoli. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 4-3-0-0, \$146,300.

2--First Peace, 120, c, 2, Funtastic--Peace Opportunity, by Point of Entry. (\$15,000 Ylg '21 FTKFEB; \$65,000 Ylg '21 FTKOCT; \$75,000 2yo '22 OBSOPN). O-Rancho Temescal LLC, Red Baron's Barn LLC & Rodney E. Orr; B-Christopher L. Baker & Mullikin Thoroughbreds (KY); T-Mark Glatt. \$20,000.

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3--Nagirroc, 118, c, 2, Lea--Emma Spencer (Ire), by Zamindar. O-Little Red Feather Racing, Madaket Stables LLC & William Strauss; B-Chervenell Thoroughbreds LLC (KY); T-H. Graham Motion. \$12,000.

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Margins: HF, HF, 1 1/4. Odds: 2.30, 5.60, 1.10.

Also Ran: Game Time, Malibu Coast, Ah Jeez. Scratched: Speed Boat Beach, Tostado (Ire).

A 2 1/2-length debut winner, Classical Cat jumped straight into deep waters, contesting the GI Del Mar Futurity and finishing seventh behind 'TDN Rising Star' Cave Rock (Arrogate). Back in the winner's circle last time out at Santa Anita Oct. 23 in his first try over grass, Classical Cat kept to the grass Friday and broke as the 2-1 second wagering choice behind favored Nagirroc. Off the pace in fourth as Game Time (Not This Time) led the field of six, he hung against the rail before tipping out for a three-wide move into upper stretch. First Peace refused to let him go by and the pair dueled into the sixteenth before Classical Cat dealt the final blow and got ahead for the narrow win.

"I had Nagirroc to my outside and obviously he was the horse to beat," said winning jockey Umberto Rispoli. "I was praying that Mike Smith (aboard First Peace) would go a little bit ahead of me at the quarter pole, which would give me a chance to find room between them. The horse helped me. I had a ton of horse underneath and when you have gas, you can go wherever you want. I think he won easily today."

The second black-type winner for his freshman sire (by Scat Daddy), Classical Cat hails back to dual Eclipse champion and perennial leading sire Curlin (Smart Strike). Conquest Strate Up produced a yearling filly, H M Legacy (Hard Spun), and a weanling colt by Tiz the Law before going back to Tiz the Law for a 2023 foal. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.

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BLUE NORTHER S., \$103,000, Santa Anita, 12-30, 2yo, f, 1mT, 1:36.01, gd.

1--BROADWAY GIRLS, 120, f, 2, by Army Mule
1st Dam: Fond Hope, by Midnight Lute

2nd Dam: Fondness, by Elusive Quality
3rd Dam: Shining Through, by Deputy Minister
(\$9,000 Ylg '21 FTKOCT; \$60,000 2yo '22 OBSOPN).

1ST BLACK TYPE WIN. O-ERJ Racing, LLC, Pappas Horse Racing, Corp & Neil A. Haymes; B-Trackside Farm & Tenlane Farm (KY); T-Doug F. O'Neill; J-Edwin A. Maldonado. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-0, \$108,020.

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- 2--Manhattan Jungle (Ire), 118, f, 2, Bungle Inthejungle (GB)--Skylight (Ire), by Acclamation (GB). (€20,000 Ylg '21 GOFSPT). O-Eclipse Thoroughbred Partners; B-Patrick Headon (IRE); T-Michael W. McCarthy. \$20,000.
- 3--Ami Please, 120, f, 2, Goldencents--Bellezza Rosso, by Tapit. O-Glenn Sorgenstein WC Racing Inc. & Wonderland Racing Stables, LLC; B-Glenn Sorgenstein (KY); T-Doug F. O'Neill. \$12,000.

Margins: 1HF, HF, NK. Odds: 16.90, 2.30, 9.70.

Also Ran: Tea N Conversation, Thebestisyettobe (Ire), Naughty Lottie, Spanning the Globe, Decorated My Life (Ire), Pleasant Wave, Ragtime Rose, G Laurie. Scratched: Showgirl Lynne B.

Fresh off her gate-to-wire maiden-breaking score in her third career start at Del Mar Nov. 13, Broadway Girls, given an unconvincing 16-1 chance for her stakes debut, showed a similar burst of speed to wire the field in Friday's Blue Norther S. Ridden hard to the front from her middle gate by jockey Edwin Maldonado, Broadway Girls was joined on her outside by Pleasant Wave (More Than Ready) into the first turn before assuming solo command through an opening quarter set in :22.79. Going easily on lead while chased by a pair of rivals just behind her, she held control as the field surged around her past the quarter pole. Challenged by a wall of closers led by 2-1 favorite Manhattan Jungle, Broadway Girls kept finding more

and refused to cede the lead for the convincing win.

"She's got a lot of speed and so does Ami Please," said winning trainer Doug O'Neill. "We knew they were fast fillies and credit to Glenn (Sorgenstein), he said, 'We can't both win on the lead, one (of these) horse(s) is going to be in front,' so we asked Frankie (Dettori) to try to take off the pace to see if we could pick 'em up late and by doing that, it gave her a big chance."

The fifth black-type winner for her freshman sire (by Friesan Fire), Broadway Girls has a yearling half-sister by Street Boss and a weanling half-brother by West Coast. Her dam visited Higher Power for 2023. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.

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GIN TALKING S., \$100,000, Laurel, 12-30, 2yo, f, 7f, 1:26.86, ft. 1--MALIBU MOONSHINE, 122, f, 2, by Bourbon Courage

1st Dam: Sunday in Malibu (SP, \$119,558), by Malibu

Moon

2nd Dam: Sunday Sonata, by Palace Music 3rd Dam: Tuesday Evening, by Nodouble

(\$97,000 RNA 2yo '22 EASMAY). O-Happy Face Racing Stable; B-Ronald Harris Parker (MD); T-Charlton Baker; J-Angel Cruz. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 3-3-0-0, \$155,880. *1/2 to Faze the Nation (Cal Nation), SP, \$226,295.

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2--Give Me Kisses, 122, f, 2, Street Sense--Agave Kiss, by Lion Heart. (\$210,000 Ylg '21 FTSAUG; \$400,000 2yo '22 FTFMAR).

1ST BLACK TYPE. O-Repole Stable; B-Town & Country Horse Farms, LLC (KY); T-Todd A. Pletcher. \$20,000.

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3--**Stonewall Star**, 122, f, 2, Flatter--Jonata, by Proud Citizen. O-Barry Schwartz; B-Stonewall Farm (NY); T-Horacio De Paz. \$10,000. Margins: 13/4, HD, NK. Odds: 2.10, 4.10, 2.70.

Also Ran: Gormley's Gabriela, Miss Georgie, Ojitos Bellos, Tappin Josie. Scratched: Shes So Speightsy.

Malibu Moonshine remained undefeated with her second career stakes victory, parlaying her score in the Maryland Juvenile Fillies S. a month ago into a 1 3/4-length tally here. As the 2-1 post-time favorite, the chestnut filly sat near the back of the pack in the early going, content to let Stonewall Star (Flatter) set all the pace through a half-mile in :47.46. The winner made her move while traveling closest to the inside around the turn and as the frontrunners straightened out for the drive, dove over to a hole along the rail for clear running room. Despite a stubborn frontrunner and a challenge from eventual runner-up Give Me Kisses (Street Sense) in the drive, Malibu Moonshine dug in and pulled away in the final yards to earn the win. Her dam, Sunday in Malibu, produced a yearling colt named Malibu's Boss Man (Holy Boss), a weanling full-sister to Malibu Moonshine named Malibu Hooch, and she is in foal again to another full sibling. Click here for the Equibase.com chart or **VIDEO**, sponsored by TVG

ALLOWANCE WINNERS



IN ORDER OF PURSE:

4th-Oaklawn, \$106,000, Alw, 12-30, (NW3L), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10.16, my, 2 1/4 lengths.

YUUGIRI (f, 3, Shackleford--Yuzuru {SW, \$105,759}, by Medaglia d'Oro), this year's GII Fantasy S. winner, made a successful, long-awaited return to racing for the first time since her second-to-last place finish in the GI Kentucky Oaks nine months ago. After a clean break, she went straight for the lead and maintained it throughout, withstanding significant pressure from Hot and Sultry (Speightster) to her outside in the early going and all the way up the backstretch. She led the field through a half-mile in a quick:45.12 and still had enough left in her tank for the stretch run, successfully holding back her early challenger down the lane to post the 2 1/4-length win. Yuzuru also produced a un-raced 2-year-old colt by Air Force Blue who was exported to Japan in 2021, and an un-named yearling colt by Nyquist. Lifetime Record: 7-3-2-1, \$619,710. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.

O/B-Sekie Yoshihara & Tsunebumi Yoshihara (KY); T-Rodolphe Brisset.

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5th-Gulfstream, \$76,200, Alw (NW1X)/Opt. Clm (\$75,000), 12-30, 2yo, 5fT, :55.46, fm, 1 3/4 lengths.

NEW YORK THUNDER (c, 2, Nyquist--Start Over, by Midshipman) was a dominant maiden winner, going gate-to-wire over Gulfstream's all-weather surface to win by 6 1/2 lengths Nov. 27. Friday's 4-5 choice despite the change to turf, New York Thunder engaged early outside of Three Zero (Kantharos) and the pair dueled through an opening quarter in :21.28. With more run left than his rival, he began to gain separation in midstretch, pulling away to a 1 1/4-length win. Out of a half-sister to GISP Degree of Risk (Cairo Prince), New York Thunder traces back to GISW Emcee (Unbridled's Song) and G1SP Surfer (Distorted Humor). This is also the family of MGISW and sire Constitution (Tapit). New York Thunder is his dam's only foal to date. Sales History: \$130,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$67,200. Click for the Equibase.com chart or

O-AMO Racing USA; B-Gatewood Bell & Forgotten Land (KY); T-Jorge Delgado.



IN ORDER OF PURSE:

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3rd-Oaklawn, \$90,000, Msw, 12-30, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11.38, my, 7 lengths.

ADALINE JULIA (f, 3, Oxbow--Daedal, by Orientate) was claimed out of her second-place debut at Keeneland Oct. 26 and went off a popular 1-2 when racing over the same six furlongs Friday. Racing closest to pacesetter Mo Wanna Go (Mo for the Money) up the backstretch, she easily took over with an outside move into the far turn and easily dashed clear from there, widening down the lane to score by seven lengths over Lady Commander (Declaration of War). Adaline Julia's only younger sibling is a yearling half-brother, Hot Wings (Cupid). Her dam is pregnant to Leofric for next season. Sales History: \$19,000 RNA Ylg '20 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$67,065. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.

O-Jerry Caroom; B-Ikhana Farm (KY); T-Robertino Diodoro.

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5th-Turfway, \$70,000, Msw, 12-29, 2yo, 6 1/2f (AWT), 1:17.61, ft, 1 1/2 lengths.

ITZOS (c, 2, Bolt d'Oro--Lotta Kim {SW & GSP, \$146,485}, by Roar), the half-brother to Rachel Alexandra (Medaglia d'Oro), Horse Of The Year, Ch. 3-year-old Filly, MGISW, \$3,506,730, set the pace early but tired late to be ninth on debut when covering seven furlongs over the main track at Churchill Downs Nov. 26. Brought back over Turfway's all-weather surface, the \$1.4 million yearling was right up front once more, glued to eventual runner up Brazen Boy (Jimmy Creed) from second. Always outside of his rival through fractions of :22.75 and :45.67, Itzos rallied past inside the final furlong and gained separation late to win by 1 1/2 lengths at odds of 7-2. The 29th winner for his freshman sire (by Medaglia d'Oro), Itzos has a trio of other stakes performers as half-siblings including Wooderson (Awesome Again), SP, \$194,330, Gladys (Medaglia d'Oro), MGSP, \$207,460 and Dolphus (Lookin At Lucky), GSP, \$211,060. Lotta Kim has no younger living offspring but is due back to Medaglia d'Oro for a full-sibling to Rachel Alexandra in 2023. Sales History: \$1,400,000 Ylg '21 FTSAUG. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$43,255. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.

O-OXO Equine LLC; B-Heaven Trees Farm (KY); T-Paulo H. Lobo.

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7th-Turfway, \$70,000, Msw, 12-29, 2yo, f, 1m (AWT), 1:38.69, ft, 3 1/4 lengths.

CAPELLA (f, 2, Quality Road--Touch the Star, by Tapit), made the narrow 5-2 choice in her debut start off a pair of back-to-back bullet works, was never headed, going right to the lead and setting an easy tempo throughout. Chased early by Rum Runner Ready (Gun Runner), Capella had plenty left to dispatch of that rival and maintain a clear lead down the lane, scoring by 3 1/4

lengths over a closing Mo Bills (Uncle Mo). Touch the Star, already responsible for Sun Path (Munnings), GSP, \$149,372 and Bonny South (Munnings), MGSW & MGISP, \$1,082,700, is herself a half-sister to MG1SW Etoile Montante (Miswaki) and to the dam of GISW Obligatory (Curlin). She was barren to Munnings this year after producing a yearling filly by Speightstown and returned to Munnings for a 2023 foal. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$42,000. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.

O/B-Juddmonte Farms Inc (KY); T-Brad H. Cox.

1st-Aqueduct, \$70,000, (S), Msw, 12-30, 2yo, f, 7f, 1:26.49, ft, 3 lengths.

I'MHAVINGAMOMENT (f, 2, Uncle Mo--Averymerrymoment, by Distorted Humor), made the even-money favorite on debut, broke a bit awkwardly to the inside but was quickly into stride to stalk just off pacesetter Vax (Sharp Azteca) in second. Positioned wide while gaining ground on the leader, she took aim past the quarter pole and sprinted by to clear down the lane, defeating Cairo Sugar (Cairo Prince) by three lengths. A half-sister to Satisfy (Candy Ride {Arg}), SP, \$262,218, I'mhavingamoment has a weanling half-sister by Medaglia d'Oro. Sales History: \$495,000 Ylg '21 SARAUG. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$38,500. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG. O-Dream Maker Racing & Bruce Lunsford; B-Mia Gallo, Mary Kopley, Michael Newton & Elizabeth Weese (NY); T-William I.

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1st-Santa Anita, \$69,000, Msw, 12-30, 2yo, f, 1mT, 1:35.87, gd, 4 1/4 lengths.

ANCIENT PEACE (f, 2, War Front--Deceptive Vision (GSW & GISP-Can, GSW-USA, \$501,441}, by A.P. Indy) missed by eight lengths after enduring a wide trip over this same distance at Del Mar Dec. 3. 3-1 Friday and utilizing blinkers for the first time, she showed good early speed to dictate the tempo on the front end while clearing down to the rail. Under pressure into the far turn, she held a short advantage past the quarter pole and was able to find another gear, keeping Tea Tree Bay (GB) (Tasleet {GB}) at bay to win by 4 1/4 lengths. Deceptive Vision, herself a \$900,000 purchase by Hill 'n' Dale out of the 2021 Keeneland January sale carrying a full-sibling to Ancient Peace, traces back to Canadian horse of the year Quiet Resolve (Affirmed). Her yearling filly by War Front brought \$400,000 this past September at Keeneland while her weanling colt by American Pharoah sold for \$150,000 at Keeneland November. She is due to Uncle Mo for a 2023 foal. Sales History: \$180,000 Ylg '21

FTSAUG. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$40,700. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG. O-Michael J. Ryan; B-Sam-Son Farm (ON); T-H. Graham Motion.

5th-Santa Anita, \$69,500, **Msw**, 12-30, 2yo, 1mT, 1:36.01, gd, 1/2 length.

CARVER (r, 2, Pioneerof the Nile--Morea, by Indian Charlie), at odds of 4-1, made his third start--all in grassy Southern
California--a winning one. After leading at every call through a ground-saving trip, passing the half-mole pole in :47.18, the ridgling successfully held off all challengers in the lane to graduate, crossing the wire a half-length in front of San Anton (Ire) (Fast Company {Ire}), with 2-1 favorite Single Track Mind (Ire) (Mehmas {Ire}) another half-length back in third. In addition to producing Half Is Enough Frosted), SW & GSP, \$199,705, Morea foaled a yearling colt Seine (City of Light) and after a barren 2022, is expecting a Tapit for 2023. Sales History: \$435,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-1, \$49,100.
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LANE'S END RAISED & SOLD



6th-Laurel, \$53,980, Msw, 12-30, 2yo, f, 1 1/16m, 1:50.07, ft, head.

DIAMONDSIFYOUDO (f, 2, Nyquist--Financial Recovery {SW, \$125,099}, by Street Cry {Ire}) came up just a half-length short at first asking over seven furlongs at Keeneland Oct. 12 before returning to be fourth last time out in Laurel's Smart Halo S. Nov. 12. Given the stretch out to two turns for the first time, the heavy 1-5 favorite stuck close to the pace while racing three wide in fourth through an opening quarter in :24.82. She gained steadily up the backstretch run and was second by the time the field swung through the far turn. Tipped out a path while dueling outside of Princess Cairo (Cairo Prince) down the lane, Diamondsifyoudo then drifted in but managed to hold off her rival by a head on the wire. The winner has a yearling halfbrother, Phreddie Mac (Hard Spun) and a weanling half-brother, Executor (War of Will). Her dam is due back to Justify for 2023. Sales History: \$60,000 Wlg '20 KEENOV; \$145,000 RNA Ylg '21 FTSAUG; \$300,000 2yo '22 OBSMAR. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, \$55,700. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.

O-Glenangus Farm LLC; B-Keene Ridge Racing, LLC (KY); T-H. Graham Motion.



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IN SAUDI ARABIA:

2yo

Atta Alghali, c, 2, Karakontie (Jpn)--America's Blossom (MSP, \$185,502), by Quiet American. King Abdulaziz, 12-30, Maiden, 1600m. B-John O'Meara (KY). *1/2 to Change of Control (Fed Biz), MGSW, \$983,925. **\$30,000 RNA Ylg '21 KEESEP; €30,000 2yo '22 TATMAY. VIDEO (SC 8)

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FIRST-CROP STARTERS TO WATCH: SATURDAY, DECEMBER 31 2022 Stud Fees Listed

Always Dreaming (Bodemeister), WinStar Farm, \$12,500 127 foals of racing age/11 winners/1 black-type winner 5-Gulfstream, 2:10 p.m. EST, Msw 1 1/16m, Dream Knight, 12-1

\$19,000 RNA KEE JAN wnl; \$27,000 OBS APR 2yo

Army Mule (Friesan Fire), Hill 'n' Dale at Xalapa, \$7,500
105 foals of racing age/24 winners/5 black-type winners
7-Laurel, 3:21 p.m. EST, Aoc 6f, El Tolu, 30-1

\$35,000 KEE NOV wnl; \$50,000 SAR AUG yrl; \$8,000 EAS MAY

7-Oaklawn, 4:18 p.m. EST, Aoc 5 1/2f, Proud Mule, 8-1 7-Golden Gate Fields, 6:22 p.m. EST, Msw 6f, Vintage, 9-5 7-Turfway, 3:45 p.m. EST, \$125K Gowell S., 6f, World Unite, 20-1

Bee Jersey (Jersey Town), Darby Dan Farm, \$5,000 38 foals of racing age/7 winners/1 black-type winner 7-Turfway, 3:45 p.m. EST, \$125K Gowell S., 6f, Jersey Pearl, 12-1 \$12,000 KEE SEP yrl

Bolt d'Oro (Medaglia d'Oro), Spendthrift Farm, \$20,000 167 foals of racing age/29 winners/6 black-type winners 8-Oaklawn, 4:46 p.m. EST, Msw 6f, Barstool Babe, 15-1 2-Oaklawn, 1:58 p.m. EST, Msw 1m, Bolt for Allison, 8-1 8-Turfway, 4:15 p.m. EST, Msw 1m, Fast Forward, 30-1 \$23,000 FTK OCT yrl 4-Oaklawn, 2:54 p.m. EST, Msw 1m, Hard to Come By, 12-1 \$35,000 FTK FEB wnl; \$90,000 KEE SEP yrl

Bronze Star (Tapit)

12 foals of racing age/2 winners/0 black-type winners 7-Golden Gate Fields, 6:22 p.m. EST, Msw 6f, Blazin Bae, 15-1

City of Light (Quality Road), Lane's End Farm, \$60,000 101 foals of racing age/11 winners/3 black-type winners 6-Oaklawn, 3:50 p.m. EST, \$150K Renaissance S., 6f, Bourbon Bash, 12-1

\$280,000 KEE SEP yrl

5-Gulfstream, 2:10 p.m. EST, Msw 1 1/16m, Expect More, 2-1 \$160,000 KEE JAN wnl; \$350,000 KEE SEP yrl 4-Oaklawn, 2:54 p.m. EST, Msw 1m, My Spirit, 6-1 \$75,000 KEE SEP yrl; \$80,000 OBS APR 2yo 5-Santa Anita, 5:00 p.m. EST, Msw 6fT, Phosphorescence (Fr), 6-1 \$200,000 KEE JAN wnl

Cloud Computing (Maclean's Music), Spendthrift Farm, \$5,000 114 foals of racing age/16 winners/0 black-type winners 6-Oaklawn, 3:50 p.m. EST, \$150K Renaissance S., 6f, Two Eagles River, 6-5

\$32,000 FTK JUL yrl; \$220,000 OBS APR 2yo

Collected (City Zip), Airdrie Stud, \$15,000
119 foals of racing age/14 winners/1 black-type winner
8-Oaklawn, 4:46 p.m. EST, Msw 6f, Collected Glory, 20-1
\$40,000 KEE SEP yrl; \$100,000 OBS APR 2yo
3-Oaklawn, 2:26 p.m. EST, Msw 6f, Foxpass, 15-1
9-Oaklawn, 5:14 p.m. EST, \$150K Year's End S., 1m, Taxed, 20-1
\$27,000 KEE SEP yrl; \$105,000 OBS MAR 2yo

Destin (Giant's Causeway), Sequel New York 46 foals of racing age/2 winners/0 black-type winners 1-Aqueduct, 12:20 p.m. EST, Msw 7f, Perfect Outcome, 30-1 \$19,000 RNA EAS OCT yrl; \$27,000 RNA OBS OPN 2yo

Frank Conversation (Quality Road), Rockridge Stud, \$3,500 41 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners 1-Aqueduct, 12:20 p.m. EST, Msw 7f, Four Eyes, 6-1 \$1,000 RNA WAN OCT wnl; \$1,000 RNA WAN NOV wnl; \$1,000 RNA WAN DEC wnl

Free Drop Billy (Union Rags), Spendthrift Farm, \$5,000 54 foals of racing age/8 winners/1 black-type winner 7-Fair Grounds, 5:15 p.m. EST, Msw 1 1/16m, Amber Cascade, 10-1 \$40,000 KEE SEP yrl; \$67,000 OBS APR 2yo 3-Oaklawn, 2:26 p.m. EST, Msw 6f, Doughty, 5-2

Girvin (Tale of Ekati), Airdrie Stud, \$6,000 105 foals of racing age/20 winners/5 black-type winners 7-Oaklawn, 4:18 p.m. EST, Aoc 5 1/2f, U Glow Girl, 5-2 \$36,000 KEE NOV wnl; \$28,000 RNA FTK JUL yrl; \$50,000 FTK OCT yrl

Good Samaritan (Harlan's Holiday), WinStar Farm, \$7,500 111 foals of racing age/16 winners/1 black-type winner 7-Oaklawn, 4:18 p.m. EST, Aoc 5 1/2f, Holiday Decision, 10-1 \$35,000 KEE NOV wnl; \$105,000 KEE SEP yrl

Irish War Cry (Curlin), Northview Stallion Station, \$6,500 54 foals of racing age/4 winners/0 black-type winners 7-Laurel, 3:21 p.m. EST, Aoc 6f, Feeling Woozy, 8-1 \$16,000 EAS OCT yrl

Justify (Scat Daddy), Coolmore Ashford, \$100,000 176 foals of racing age/29 winners/6 black-type winners 5-Santa Anita, 5:00 p.m. EST, Msw 6fT, Texthelegend, 5-1

The Lieutenant (Street Sense), Sequel New York 30 foals of racing age/3 winners/1 black-type winner 1-Aqueduct, 12:20 p.m. EST, Msw 7f, Dr. Kraft, 5-1 \$50,000 EAS MAY 2yo

McCraken (Ghostzapper), Airdrie Stud, \$5,000 39 foals of racing age/7 winners/0 black-type winners 7-Laurel, 3:21 p.m. EST, Aoc 6f, McCrakens Ghost, 20-1

Mendelssohn (Scat Daddy), Coolmore Ashford, \$35,000 174 foals of racing age/25 winners/2 black-type winner 5-Santa Anita, 5:00 p.m. EST, Msw 6fT, Calm Sea, 15-1 \$140,000 RNA KEE JAN wnl; \$95,000 RNA KEE SEP yrl 8-Oaklawn, 4:46 p.m. EST, Msw 6f, Cecile, 20-1 \$115,000 RNA FTK NOV wnl; \$85,000 FTK JUL yrl; \$150,000 EAS MAY 2yo

7-Oaklawn, 4:18 p.m. EST, Aoc 5 1/2f, Steponthefootfeet, 50-1 \$10,000 KEE SEP yrl

Mor Spirit (Eskendereya), Spendthrift Farm, \$5,000 109 foals of racing age/17 winners/1 black-type winner 4-Oaklawn, 2:54 p.m. EST, Msw 1m, Kupp, 20-1 \$70,000 FTK NOV wnl; \$50,000 FTK OCT yrl; \$135,000 OBS APR 2yo

Mo Town (Uncle Mo), Coolmore Ashford, \$7,500 102 foals of racing age/21 winners/2 black-type winners 8-Oaklawn, 4:46 p.m. EST, Msw 6f, Boogie Woogie Gal, 12-1 \$62,000 KEE SEP yrl 10-Oaklawn, 5:40 p.m. EST, Msw 6f, Pine Cove, 15-1 \$12,000 KEE NOV wnl; \$45,000 KEE SEP yrl; \$19,000 RNA OBS OPN 2yo

No Never No More (Scat Daddy), Pleasant Acres Stallions, \$2,500

11 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners 7-Laurel, 3:21 p.m. EST, Aoc 6f, Tiz No Clown, 15-1 \$2,200 EAS DEC wnl

8-Turfway, 4:15 p.m. EST, Msw 1m, Luna Vieja, 15-1

Ransom the Moon (Malibu Moon), Calumet Farm, \$7,500 74 foals of racing age/8 winners/0 black-type winners 7-Turfway, 3:45 p.m. EST, \$125K Gowell S., 6f, Beatiful Karla, 20-1 \$25,000 FTK OCT yrl; \$70,000 OBS APR 2yo

Tale of Verve (Tale of Ekati), Darby Dan Farm, \$2,000 11 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners 10-Fair Grounds, 6:45 p.m. EST, Msw 1 1/16m, Windy Bay, 12-1 \$4,500 KEE SEP yrl; \$150,000 OBS MAR 2yo

Tapwrit (Tapit), Gainesway Farm, \$10,000 104 foals of racing age/15 winners/0 black-type winners 8-Oaklawn, 4:46 p.m. EST, Msw 6f, Malibu Toast, 3-1 \$67,000 KEE NOV wnl; \$165,000 KEE SEP yrl; \$200,000 OBS MAR 2yo

4-Oaklawn, 2:54 p.m. EST, Msw 1m, Winnemac Avenue, 12-1 \$22,000 KEE NOV wnl; \$29,000 KEE SEP yrl; \$75,000 OBS APR 2yo

Tunwoo (Medaglia d'Oro), Bridlewood Farm, \$4,000 13 foals of racing age/3 winners/0 black-type winners 6-Oaklawn, 3:50 p.m. EST, \$150K Renaissance S., 6f, Spurrier, 10-1 \$18,000 OBS OCT yrl; \$80,000 OBS OPN 2yo

West Coast (Flatter), Lane's End Farm, \$15,000 124 foals of racing age/12 winners/2 black-type winners 10-Oaklawn, 5:40 p.m. EST, Msw 6f, Swaggish, 9-2 \$110,000 KEE SEP yrl

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Bird Song (Unbridled's Song), Sau 37 foals of racing age/12 winners/1 black-type winner 10-Oaklawn, 5:40 p.m. EST, Msw 6f, Woody's Choice, 8-1 \$7,000 OBS WIN wnl; \$75,000 OBS APR 2yo Classic Empire (Pioneerof the Nile), Coolmore Ashford, \$17,500 187 foals of racing age/75 winners/7 black-type winners 8-Santa Anita, 6:37 p.m. EST, \$100K GIII Las Flores S., 6f, Classical Romance, 20-1 \$100,000 RNA KEE SEP yrl

7-Turfway, 3:45 p.m. EST, \$125K Gowell S., 6f, Goshen, 30-1 \$37,000 RNA KEE JAN wnl; \$70,000 KEE SEP yrl; \$49,000 RNA FTK FEB yrl

10-Oaklawn, 5:40 p.m. EST, Msw 6f, Interlock Empire, 20-1 \$190,000 KEE SEP yrl

El Deal (Munnings), Red River Farms, \$2,500 52 foals of racing age/22 winners/3 black-type winners 8-Fair Grounds, 5:45 p.m. EST, \$100K Pago Hop S., 1mT, Free Like a Girl, 3-1 \$5,500 ESL YRL yrl

Gormley (Malibu Moon), Spendthrift Farm, \$7,500 199 foals of racing age/68 winners/3 black-type winners 9-Oaklawn, 5:14 p.m. EST, \$150K Year's End S., 1m, Charlee Mae, 20-1 \$10,000 OBS OPN 2yo

Gun Runner (Candy Ride {Arg}), Three Chimneys Farm, private 247 foals of racing age/80 winners/15 black-type winners 8-Gulfstream, 3:41 p.m. EST, \$125K GIII Mr. Prospector S., 7f, Pappacap, 4-1

5-Santa Anita, 5:00 p.m. EST, Msw 6fT, Sir Pistolero, 6-1

Keen Ice (Curlin), Calumet Farm, \$7,500 192 foals of racing age/77 winners/3 black-type winners 5-Fair Grounds, 4:15 p.m. EST, \$100K Woodchopper S., 1mT, Underdressed, 12-1 \$17,000 RNA KEE SEP yrl

Klimt (Quality Road), Jockey Club of Turkey, \$7,500 283 foals of racing age/85 winners/3 black-type winners 8-Fair Grounds, 5:45 p.m. EST, \$100K Pago Hop S., 1mT, Fancy Martini, 6-1

\$70,000 KEE NOV wnl; \$45,000 KEE SEP yrl

Midnight Storm (Pioneerof the Nile), Milky Way Farm, \$7,500 128 foals of racing age/42 winners/2 black-type winners 9-Oaklawn, 5:14 p.m. EST, \$150K Year's End S., 1m, Midnight Heiress, 8-1

Mo Tom (Uncle Mo), Red River Farms, \$2,000 64 foals of racing age/26 winners/2 black-type winners 2-Fair Grounds, 2:45 p.m. EST, \$100K Louisiana Futurity, 6f,

Everlyn's Angel, 6-1 \$22,000 TTA YHR yrl

Ocean Knight (Curlin), Averett Farm, \$2,500 31 foals of racing age/11 winners/0 black-type winners 9-Fair Grounds, 6:15 p.m. EST, \$100K Louisiana Futurity, 6f, Z Resurrection, 3-1

Practical Joke (Into Mischief), Coolmore Ashford, \$35,000 271 foals of racing age/100 winners/11 black-type winners 8-Santa Anita, 6:37 p.m. EST, \$100K GIII Las Flores S., 6f, Lexington Humor, 12-1 \$14,000 KEE SEP yrl

Shupanga (Pioneerof the Nile), Circle C Ranch, \$500 3 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners 5-Oaklawn, 3:22 p.m. EST, Msw 6f, Empyreal Shadow, 20-1

Unified (Candy Ride {Arg}), Lane's End Farm, \$10,000 194 foals of racing age/72 winners/3 black-type winners 7-Turfway, 3:45 p.m. EST, \$125K Gowell S., 6f, Hello Sweets





STAKES RESULTS:

GRAVESEND S., \$130,950, Aqueduct, 12-30, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10.69, ft.

1--DRAFTED, 126, g, 8, Field Commission--Keep the Profit, by Darn That Alarm. (\$19,000 RNA Ylg '15 OBSAUG; \$35,000 2yo '16 OBSMAR; 40,000 3yo '17 DUBSEP). O-Dublin Fjord Stables LLC, Racepoint Stables, Kevin D. Hilbert & Thomas E O'Keefe; B-John Foster, Barbara Hooker & Field Commission Partnership (FL); T-David P. Duggan; J-Luis A. Rodriguez Castro. \$74,250. Lifetime Record: MGSW-USA, MGSW-UAE, 33-10-3-4, \$1,157,443.

2--Little Vic, 122, c, 3, Practical Joke--Rock and Glory, by Rock Hard Ten. (\$50,000 Ylg '20 KEESEP). O-Victoria's Ranch; B-Stride Sales & Syndicate (KY); T-Juan Carlos Avila. \$27,000.

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3--Morello, 124, c, 3, Classic Empire--Stop the Wedding, by Congrats. (\$140,000 Wlg '19 KEENOV; \$200,000 Ylg '20 FTKSEL; \$250,000 2yo '21 EASMAY). O-Blue Lion Thoroughbreds, Lapetus Racing & Diamond T Racing; B-Robert B. Tillyer & Dr. Chet Blackey (KY); T-Steven M. Asmussen. \$16,200.

THOROSTRIDE-featured horse

Margins: NO, 1, 2. Odds: 6.00, 2.30, 2.30.

HEFT S., \$100,000, Laurel, 12-30, 2yo, 7f, 1:24.96, ft.

1--COFFEEWITHCHRIS, 122, g, 2, by Ride On Curlin--Andiemac, by Outflanker. (\$2,000 Ylg '21 EASOCT). 1ST BLACK TYPE WIN. O-John E. Salzman, Jr., Fred Wasserloos & Anthony Geruso; B-Thomas J. Rooney (MD); T-John E. Salzman, Jr.; J-Jaime Rodriguez. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 8-2-1-2, \$121,850.

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2--Prince of Jericho, 122, c, 2, Munnings--Golden Review, by Medaglia d'Oro. (\$50,000 Ylg '21 FTKJUL; \$85,000 Ylg '21 FTKOCT). 1ST BLACK TYPE. O-Michael Dubb & Morris Bailey; B-Edward Seltzer (KY); T-Brittany T. Russell. \$20,000.

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3--Riccio, 122, c, 2, Cross Traffic--Richetta, by Polish Numbers. (\$15,000 Ylg '21 EASOCT). O-Sheffield Stable LLC; B-Glenangus Farm LLC (MD); T-Richard P. Sillaman. \$10,000.

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Margins: 2HF, 4HF, 2. Odds: 16.80, 0.60, 22.30.

WILLA ON THE MOVE S., \$100,000, Laurel, 12-30, 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:17.59, ft.

- 1--SWAYIN TO AND FRO, 123, f, 3, Straight Talking--Jungle Lady, by Warrior's Reward. O-Baxter Racing Stable; B-Franklin G. Smith (SC); T-Mario Serey, Jr.; J-Grant Whitacre. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 14-8-0-2, \$306,537.
- 2--Dontletsweetfoolya, 122, m, 5, Stay Thirsty--Stunning Electra, by Catienus. (\$1,500 Wlg '17 KEENOV; \$160,000 2yo '19 OBSOPN; \$140,000 RNA 5yo '22 KEEJAN). O-Five Hellions Farm; B-BHMFR, LLC (KY); T-Lacey Gaudet. \$20,000.

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3--Fouette, 122, f, 4, Nyquist--Allez Marie, by Unbridled's Song. (\$400,000 Ylg '19 KEESEP; \$140,000 3yo '21 KEENOV).

1ST BLACK TYPE. O-Lady Sheila Stable; B-Stud TNT LLC (KY); T-Linda Rice. \$10,000.

KERRI RADCLIFFE BLOODSTOCK PURCHASE

THOROSTRIDE-featured horse

Margins: 6HF, 2, 2 1/4. Odds: 2.00, 5.10, 4.50.

DAVE'S FRIEND S., \$100,000, Laurel, 12-30, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10.65,

1--FACTOR IT IN, 122, h, 6, The Factor--Speightlass, by Speightstown. (\$75,000 Ylg '17 KEESEP). O-Michael Scheffres; B-Pope & Marc McLean, Pope McLean Jr. & Phil Hager (KY); T-Carlos A. Mancilla; J-Angel Cruz. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: MGSP, 26-10-2-2, \$430,120.

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- 2--Beren, 124, c, 4, Weigelia--Silmaril, by Diamond. O-St. Omer's Farm & Christopher J. Feifarek; B-Susan C Quick & Christopher J Feifarek (PA); T-Robert E. Reid, Jr.. \$20,000.
- 3--Savoy, 120, g, 4, Honor Code--Secret Ballot, by Courageous Cat. (\$160,000 Ylg '19 KEESEP). 1ST BLACK TYPE. O-Baxter Racing Stable; B-W. S. Farish, BCWT, Ltd. & Inwood Stable (KY); T-Mario Serey, Jr.. \$10,000.



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Margins: 1 1/4, 6 1/4, 1 1/4. Odds: 2.00, 1.10, 11.60.

CAROUSEL S., \$100,000, Laurel, 12-30, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8m, 1:53.70, ft.

1--MALIBU BEAUTY, 124, f, 4, Buffum--Slow and Steady, by Malibu Moon. (\$45,000 RNA Ylg '19 EASOCT). O/B-ZWP Stable & Non Stop Stable (MD); T-Gary Capuano; J-Jaime Rodriguez. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 25-8-7-3, \$503,084. *1/2 to Hanky Doodle (Cherokee's Boy), MSP, \$206,762; Lucky in Malibu (Lookin At Lucky), MSP, \$224,368; Steady Warrior (Cherokee's Boy), MSW, \$253,876; Steady N Love (Not For Love), SW, \$241,305.

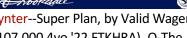
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2--Cover Version, 120, m, 7, Medaglia d'Oro--Vaguely Familiar, by A.P. Indy. (€28,000 3yo '18 ARQDE; \$70,000 7yo '22 KEENOV). O-Jeff Ganje; B-Godolphin (KY); T-Cherie DeVaux. \$20,000.

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3--Hybrid Eclipse, 126, f, 4, Paynter--Super Plan, by Valid Wager. (\$37,000 2yo '20 EASMAY; \$107,000 4yo '22 FTKHRA). O-The Elkstone Group, LLC (Stuart Grant); B-Alex Venneri Racing, LLC (KY); T-Brittany T. Russell. \$10,000.

Margins: 7 3/4, 3/4, 2. Odds: 2.50, 19.80, 2.30.



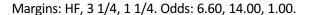
ROBERT T. MANFUSO S., \$100,000, Laurel, 12-30, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:45.69, ft.

- 1--NIMITZ CLASS, 119, c, 3, Munnings--Five Diamonds (SW, \$208,060), by Flatter. O-Tom Coulter; B-Arrowwood Farm (PA); T-Bruce M. Kravets; J-Jevian Toledo. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 12-6-1-0, \$234,480. *Full to Kaylasaurus, MSW, \$350,683.
- 2--Ain't Da Beer Cold, 122, g, 4, Freedom Child--Distinct Affair, by With Distinction. O-Matt Spencer, Kelly Jo Cox & Bonuccelli Racing; B-Matt Spencer & Kelly Cox (MD); T-Kenneth M. Cox. \$20,000.

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3--Ournationonparade, 124, g, 5, Cal Nation--Parade of Colors, by Leading the Parade. O-Morris E. Kernan Jr., Yo Berbs Racing and Jagger Inc.; B-John E. Williamson (MD); T-Jamie Ness. \$10,000.

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JOSHUA RADOSEVICH MEMORIAL S., \$75,000, Mahoning Valley, 12-30, (S), 2yo, 6f, 1:13.66, my.

- 1--OKLAHOMA JOE, 118, g, 2, by Global Power-Be Mind Phil, by Philanthropist. 1ST BLACK TYPE WIN. O-Shelly R. Radosevich; B-Ronald J Paolucci (OH); T-Jake S. Radosevich; J-Yan Aviles. \$45,000. Lifetime Record: 10-2-2-1, \$84,000.
- 2--Near Perfect, 118, f, 2, Mobil--Echt, by Fusaichi Pegasus. O-Mast Thoroughbreds LLC; B-Mapleton Thoroughbred Farm (OH); T-Robert M. Gorham. \$15,000.
- 3--Sammy and Shorty, 122, g, 2, Mobil--Surviving New York, by Survivalist. O-Italian Stallions; B-Phantom Farms LLC (OH); T-Jeffrey A. Radosevich. \$7,500.

Margins: HF, HF, 3 1/4. Odds: 6.20, 13.50, 0.40.

BOBBY BRICKER MEMORIAL H., (NB) \$75,000, Mahoning Valley, 12-30, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 1m 70y, 1:48.15, my.

- 1--AUNT BEE, 124, f, 4, Tidal Volume--Silky Sami, by Margie's Wildcat. O-Built Wright Stables, LLC.; B-Hal Snowden (OH); T-Norman L. Cash; J-Yan Aviles. \$45,000. Lifetime Record: 16-7-2-6, \$227,860.
- 2--Perfectingtheview, 118, m, 5, William's Kitten--Vicki Jo, by Mercer Mill. O/T-Nestor R. Rivera; B-Eyes of a Child Stable (OH). \$15,000.
- 3--Grizabella, 118, m, 8, Lunarpal--Chic Cat, by Tiger Ridge. (\$4,000 Ylg '15 FTKOCT). O-Michael J. Annechino; B-Dr. George Mapleton Thoroughbreds (OH); T-Jeffrey A. Radosevich. \$7,500.

Margins: NK, 2 1/4, HD. Odds: 1.50, 29.60, 9.80.

ROSEWATER S., (NB) \$70,000, Delta Downs, 12-29, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 7 1/2f, 1:34.52, ft.

- 1--EILEEN ALEXANDRA, 118, f, 4, Jess's Dream--Miss **Stonestreet, by Mr. Greeley.** O/B-Bob Mahoney (LA); T-Ronnie P. Ward; J-Juan P. Vargas. \$42,000. Lifetime Record: SP, 19-5-2-1, \$214,436.
- 2--Final Quest, 120, f, 3, Yankee Gentleman--Lone Star Quest, by Lone Star Sky. O-Sandra New & Aaron Haberman; B-Sandra E New (LA); T-Brett A. Brinkman. \$13,300.
- 3--Mishpachah, 120, f, 3, Unified--Clear Sailing, by Empire Maker. O-Coteau Grove Farms LLC, William Yarmuth & Susan Yarmuth; B-Coteau Grove Farms, LLC (LA); T-W. Bret Calhoun. \$7,000.

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Margins: HD, 5 3/4, 4 3/4. Odds: 11.60, 4.70, 3.80.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

4th-Aqueduct, \$95,000, 12-30, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10.40, ft, 1 length. PIRATE RICK (g, 5, Liam's Map--Daddy Loves Gold (SW-PR, \$160,558}, by Scat Daddy) Lifetime Record: 19-5-3-1, \$199,354. O-Norman L. & Lola Cash; B-Woods Edge Farm, LLC (KY); T-Norman L. Cash. *\$350,000 Ylg '18 KEESEP.

5th-Aqueduct, \$95,000, 12-30, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:38.03, ft, 3 3/4 lengths.

FROST POINT (f, 4, Frosted--Balletto {UAE} {GISW, \$1,151,850}, by Timber Country) Lifetime Record: GSP, 9-3-3-2, \$193,810. O/B-Godolphin (KY); T-William I. Mott. *1/2 to Villanesca (Distorted Humor), SW & GISP, \$237,500.

6th-Aqueduct, \$95,000, 12-30, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10.39, ft, 2 1/4 lengths.

MERAAS (GB) (g, 5, Oasis Dream {GB}--Rehn's Nest {Ire} {GSW & G1SP-Ire, \$157,083}, by Authorized {Ire}) Lifetime Record: GSW-UAE, 17-6-1-2, \$208,756. O-Maitha Salem Mohammed Belobaida Alsuwaidi; B-Rabbah Bloodstock Limited (GB); T-Chad Summers. *70,000gns Ylg '18 TATOCT.

7th-Santa Anita, \$75,432, 12-30, (NW1\$X), 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2fT, 1:11.92, gd, 1 length.

ONE SILK STOCKING (f, 3, Lord Nelson--Keep Right, by Street Cry (Ire) Lifetime Record: 8-3-2-0, \$110,200. O-Roadrunner Racing, Neil A. Haymes, Dennis O'Neill & William Strauss; B-Country Life Farm & Keep Right LLC (MD); T-Doug F. O'Neill. *\$70,000 Ylg '20 EASOCT; \$150,000 2yo '21 EASMAY.





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2nd-Aqueduct, \$75,000, (S), 12-30, (NW1\$X), 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:39.39, ft, 3 1/2 lengths.

MIA BEA STAR (m, 5, Race Day--Continetta, by Bernstein)

Lifetime Record: 40-4-8-9, \$300,475. O-Reyana & Reya Racing & Totaram Rampersaud; B-Milfer Farm Inc. (NY); T-Randi Persaud. *\$25,000 Ylg '18 FTKOCT.

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8th-Turfway, \$72,890, 12-29, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f (AWT), 1:10.88, ft, 4 lengths.

QUARIA COMET (f, 3, Shackleford--Colorado Girl {Brz} **{G1SW-Brz, \$117,542}, by Elusive Quality)** Lifetime Record: 5-2-1-0, \$153,275. O/B-Brownwood Farm (KY); T-Paulo H. Lobo.

9th-Turfway, \$72,000, 12-29, (NW1\$X), 3yo/up, 1m (AWT), 1:37.81, ft, 1 1/4 lengths.

WIN THE DAY (g, 3, Midshipman--Sunrise Bay, by Jazil) Lifetime Record: GSP, 11-2-3-2, \$199,156. O-Boat Racing, LLC, Fritz Brothers Racing, LLC & William Strauss; B-Richlyn Farm (KY); T-Doug F. O'Neill. *\$10,000 Ylg '20 FTKOCT; \$82,000 2yo '21 OBSAPR.

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8th-Gulfstream, \$72,000, 12-30, 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:41.20, fm, 2 lengths.

THERAPIST (g, 7, Freud--Lady Renaissance, by Smart Strike) Lifetime Record: 36-10-4-7, \$825,395. O-Thoroughbred Acquisition Group LLC & Black Type Thoroughbreds; B-Oak Bluff Stable, LLC & C. Clement (NY); T-George Weaver. *\$8,000 RNA Ylg '16 SARAUG. **Full to Fresco, SW, \$125,350.

Broken and Trained by Randy Bradshaw

8th-Hawthorne, \$42,160, 12-30, (NW1X), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10.43, ft, 1/2 length.

HELA (g, 3, Flat Out--Supermane, by Sir Loren) Lifetime Record: 6-3-0-2, \$67,480. O/B-Randy Ray Wientjes (IL); T-Max Quinonez.

7th-Delta Downs, \$42,000, (S), 12-29, (NW3LX), 3yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:20.69, ft, head.

FIESTY FIST (g, 3, Iron Fist--Sheza Roman Ruler, by Roman Ruler) Lifetime Record: SW, 15-3-2-3, \$120,200. O-Whispering Oaks Farm LLC; B-Carrol J. Castille (LA); T-Steven B. Flint.

6th-Delta Downs, \$40,200, 12-29, (NW3L), 3yo/up, f/m, 5f, :59.80, ft, 2 3/4 lengths.

FLASHY MEG (f, 3, Flashpoint--Meg's Answer, by West Acre) Lifetime Record: 11-3-4-3, \$100,450. O-John T. Sargent; B-Steven P. Miller (LA); T-Kearney Segura.

1st-Delta Downs, \$35,000, 12-29, (NW2L), 2yo, f, 6 1/2f, 1:21.21, ft, 1 1/4 lengths.

IT TAKES HEART (f, 2, Holy Boss--Empressive Humor, by **Distorted Humor)** Lifetime Record: 5-2-1-1, \$66,265. O-Tom R. Durant; B-Jerry Durant (KY); T-W. Bret Calhoun.

6th-Golden Gate Fields, \$34,210, 12-30, 2yo, 1m (AWT), 1:38.69, ft, 7 1/2 lengths.

CHASE THE CHAOS (g, 2, Astern {Aus}--Live the Moment, by Uncle Mo) Lifetime Record: MSP, 5-2-2-1, \$63,000. O-Adam Ference & Bill Dory; B-Dale N Krapf (PA); T-Ed Moger, Jr. *\$10,000 Wlg '20 KEENOV.

4th-Hawthorne, \$34,000, (S), 12-30, (NW1BX), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10.91, ft, 1 1/4 lengths.

DUST DANCER (g, 3, Outwork--Le Sang Royale, by **Henrythenavigator)** Lifetime Record: SP, 9-2-1-4, \$70,699. O-Judy Bentler & William Martin; B-Dana Waier Thoroughbreds, LLC (IL); T-Don Bentler. *\$27,000 RNA Ylg '20 FTKFEB.

9th-Hawthorne, \$34,000, 12-30, (NW1X), 3yo/up, 1m 70y, 1:41.72, ft, 2 lengths.

DREAM KEEPER (g, 4, Super Saver--Snooze, by Forestry) Lifetime Record: 18-3-3-5, \$86,765. O-Schroeck Racing LLC & Cherrywood Racing Stables, II; B-SF Bloodstock LLC (KY); T-Michele Boyce. *\$52,000 RNA Ylg '19 KEESEP.

2nd-Mahoning Valley, \$33,700, (S), 12-30, (NW2L), 2yo, 6f, 1:12.78, my, 7 1/4 lengths.

BUCKEYE SKY (c, 2, Sky Kingdom--Miss Kew, by Catienus) Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, \$37,740. O/B-William Butler (OH); T-Michael J. Maker.

9th-Tampa Bay Downs, \$26,500, 12-30, 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:35.72, fm, 2 1/2 lengths.

CREED (r, 5, Honor Code--Aspiring {GSP, \$132,227}, by Seeking the Gold) Lifetime Record: 11-3-1-0, \$119,620. O-Edward J. Hudson, Jr. & Lynne Hudson; B-G. Watts Humphrey Jr. & W. S. Farish (KY); T-Claude R. McGaughey III. *\$650,000 Ylg '18 KEESEP. **1/2 to Sweet Success (Candy Ride {Arg}), GSP, \$125,260.

LANE'S END SALES GRADUATE



4th-Mahoning Valley, \$25,900, 12-30, (W1X), 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:06.55, my, 3 1/4 lengths.

ORBIT MARS (f, 3, Orb--Empress of Midway {SP}, by Empire Maker) Lifetime Record: 16-6-5-1, \$79,823. O-Michelle Helms; B-Joe B. Mulholland Jr., John P. & Karen Mulholland (KY); T-Eddie Clouston. *\$9,000 Ylg '20 FTKOCT.

2nd-Tampa Bay Downs, \$25,500, 12-30, 3yo/up, 1m 40y, 1:40.12, ft, 2 1/4 lengths.

HARPOON HARRY (g, 4, Empire Maker--Hot Summer {MGSW, \$298,959}, by Malibu Moon) Lifetime Record: 19-3-4-2, \$65,376. O-Mr Pug LLC; B-Alpha Delta Stables, LLC (KY); T-Gerald S. Bennett. *\$190,000 Ylg '19 KEESEP; \$25,000 2yo '20 OBSOCT. **1/2 to Mount Travers (Speightstown), MSP, \$265,375.

8th-Tampa Bay Downs, \$25,500, Alw (NW1X)/Opt. Clm (\$16,000), 12-30, 3yo/up, f/m, 7f, 1:23.35, ft, 2 lengths.

LADY FRIJOLES (f, 4, Carpe Diem--Mrs. Bean, by Spring At Last)

Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$26,100. O-Julie Davies; B-Machmer

Hall (KY); T-Juan Cintron, Jr. *\$24,000 RNA Ylg '19 KEESEP.

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ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Cat Royale, f, 2, Animal Kingdom--Kitty's Castle, by Cashel Castle. Hawthorne, 12-30, 6f, 1:11.60. Lifetime Record: SP, 3-1-0-1, \$36,276. B-S. D. Brilie (IL). *1/2 to Purr Sea (Midshipman), MSP, \$181,410; Cat Attack (Get Stormy), MSP, \$150,524.

Dropkick Murphy, c, 2, **Bucchero**--Birthday Suit, by Freud. Tampa Bay Downs, 12-30, (C), 6f, 1:10.33. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, \$20,140. B-Irish Eyes Stable L.L.C & Going In Circles L.L.C (FL). *14th winner for freshman sire (by Kantharos).

SIX K's TRAINING & SALES GRADUATE

Emerson Jones, f, 2, Cross Traffic--Reliable Ema, by Smarty Jones. Mahoning Valley, 12-30, (S), 6f, 1:14.58. Lifetime Record: 10-1-0-0, \$25,290. B-Larmon Cowles & Cristina Ventura (OH). *\$10,000 Ylg '21 OTBOMX.

Flakes, f, 2, Frosted--Tell a Great Story (SW & GSP, \$139,070), by Bluegrass Cat. Gulfstream, 12-30, (C), 6f, 1:11.36. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$30,700. B-Arindel (FL). *\$50,000 2yo '22 OBSAPR. **1ST-TIME STARTER.

Provision, g, 2, **Goldencents**--Princesa de Papi, by Birdstone. Aqueduct, 12-30, (S), (C), 1m, 1:41.53. Lifetime Record: 6-1-4-0, \$89,950. B-Milfer Farm Inc. (NY). *\$75,000 RNA Wlg '20 KEENOV; \$42,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP.

SGV THOROUGHBREDS PURCHASE

Hughes Clues, f, 2, **Malibu Moon**--Bernin Midnight, by Midnight Lute. Delta Downs, 12-30, 6 1/2f, 1:21.45. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$24,750. B-Stonehaven Steadings (KY). *\$225,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP.

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Sivako, c, 2, More Than Ready--Ruby Lips (GSP), by Hard Spun.

Hawthorne, 12-30, 6f, 1:10.43. Lifetime Record: 5-1-0-1,

\$25,208. B-Pollock Farms & Town & Country Horse Farms, LLC

(KY). *1/2 to Gerrymander (Into Mischief), GSW & GISP,

\$417,000; Lone Rock (Majestic Warrior), MGSW, \$1,412,541.

Swelter, c, 2, Tiznow--Hot Cha, by Bernardini. Mahoning Valley, 12-30, 6f, 1:14.00. Lifetime Record: 7-1-2-0, \$30,570. B-Fred W. Hertrich III & John D. Fielding (KY).

Wildwood Dreamer, m, 5, **Ghaaleb**--Dreams Die First, by Pleasant Tap. Hawthorne, 12-30, (S), 6 1/2f, 1:17.12. Lifetime Record: 7-1-3-0, \$31,701. B-William P. Stiritz (IL).



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Animal Kingdom, Cat Royale, f, 2, o/o Kitty's Castle, by Cashel Castle. MSW, 12-30, Hawthorne

Army Mule, Broadway Girls, f, 2, o/o Fond Hope, by Midnight Lute. Blue Norther S., 12-30, Santa Anita

Astern (Aus), Chase the Chaos, g, 2, o/o Live the Moment, by Uncle Mo. AOC, 12-30, Golden Gate

Bolt d'Oro, Itzos, c, 2, o/o Lotta Kim, by Roar. MSW, 12-29, Turfway

Bourbon Courage, Malibu Moonshine, f, 2, o/o Sunday in Malibu, by Malibu Moon. Gin Talking S., 12-30, Laurel **Bucchero**, Dropkick Murphy, c, 2, o/o Birthday Suit, by Freud. MCL, 12-30, Tampa Bay

Buffum, Malibu Beauty, f, 4, o/o Slow and Steady, by Malibu Moon. Carousel S., 12-30, Laurel

Carpe Diem, Lady Frijoles, f, 4, o/o Mrs. Bean, by Spring At Last. AOC, 12-30, Tampa Bay

Cross Traffic, Emerson Jones, f, 2, o/o Reliable Ema, by Smarty Jones. MSW, 12-30, Mahoning Valley

Empire Maker, Harpoon Harry, g, 4, o/o Hot Summer, by Malibu Moon. AOC, 12-30, Tampa Bay

Field Commission, Drafted, g, 8, o/o Keep the Profit, by Darn That Alarm. Gravesend S., 12-30, Aqueduct

Flashpoint, Flashy Meg, f, 3, o/o Meg's Answer, by West Acre. ALW, 12-29, Delta Downs

Flat Out, Hela, g, 3, o/o Supermane, by Sir Loren. ALW, 12-30, Hawthorne

Freud, Therapist, g, 7, o/o Lady Renaissance, by Smart Strike. AOC, 12-30, Gulfstream

Frosted, Flakes, f, 2, o/o Tell a Great Story, by Bluegrass Cat. MOC, 12-30, Gulfstream

Frosted, Frost Point, f, 4, o/o Balletto (UAE), by Timber Country. AOC, 12-30, Aqueduct



Frosted had a pair of winners on the day | Darley

Global Power, Oklahoma Joe, g, 2, o/o Be Mind Phil, by Philanthropist. Joshua Radosevich Memorial S., 12-30, Mahoning Valley

Goldencents, Provision, g, 2, o/o Princesa de Papi, by Birdstone. MCL, 12-30, Aqueduct

Holy Boss, It Takes Heart, f, 2, o/o Empressive Humor, by Distorted Humor. ALW, 12-29, Delta Downs

Honor Code, Creed, r, 5, o/o Aspiring, by Seeking the Gold. AOC, 12-30, Tampa Bay

Jess's Dream, Eileen Alexandra, f, 4, o/o Miss Stonestreet, by Mr. Greeley. Rosewater S., 12-29, Delta Downs

Liam's Map, Pirate Rick, g, 5, o/o Daddy Loves Gold, by Scat Daddy. AOC, 12-30, Aqueduct

Lord Nelson, One Silk Stocking, f, 3, o/o Keep Right, by Street Cry (Ire). ALW, 12-30, Santa Anita

Malibu Moon, Hughes Clues, f, 2, o/o Bernin Midnight, by Midnight Lute. MSW, 12-30, Delta Downs

Mendelssohn, Classical Cat, c, 2, o/o Conquest Strate Up, by Not Bourbon. Eddie Logan S., 12-30, Santa Anita

Midshipman, Win the Day, g, 3, o/o Sunrise Bay, by Jazil. ALW, 12-29, Turfway

More Than Ready, Sivako, c, 2, o/o Ruby Lips, by Hard Spun. MSW, 12-30, Hawthorne

Munnings, Nimitz Class, c, 3, o/o Five Diamonds, by Flatter.

Robert T. Manfuso S., 12-30, Laurel

Nyquist, Diamondsifyoudo, f, 2, o/o Financial Recovery, by Street Cry (Ire). MSW, 12-30, Laurel

Nyquist, New York Thunder, c, 2, o/o Start Over, by Midshipman. AOC, 12-30, Gulfstream

Orb, Orbit Mars, f, 3, o/o Empress of Midway, by Empire Maker. ALW, 12-30, Mahoning Valley

Outwork, Dust Dancer, g, 3, o/o Le Sang Royale, by Henrythenavigator. ALW, 12-30, Hawthorne

Oxbow, Adaline Julia, f, 3, o/o Daedal, by Orientate. MSW, 12-30, Oaklawn

Pioneerof the Nile, Carver, r, 2, o/o Morea, by Indian Charlie. MSW, 12-30, Santa Anita

Quality Road, Capella, f, 2, o/o Touch the Star, by Tapit. MSW, 12-29, Turfway

Race Day, Mia Bea Star, m, 5, o/o Continetta, by Bernstein. ALW, 12-30, Aqueduct

Ride On Curlin, Coffeewithchris, g, 2, o/o Andiemac, by Outflanker. Heft S., 12-30, Laurel

Shackleford, Quaria Comet, f, 3, o/o Colorado Girl (Brz), by Elusive Quality. AOC, 12-29, Turfway

Shackleford, Yuugiri, f, 3, o/o Yuzuru, by Medaglia d'Oro. ALW, 12-30, Oaklawn

Sky Kingdom, Buckeye Sky, c, 2, o/o Miss Kew, by Catienus. ALW, 12-30, Mahoning Valley

Straight Talking, Swayin to and Fro, f, 3, o/o Jungle Lady, by Warrior's Reward. Willa On the Move S., 12-30, Laurel **Super Saver**, Dream Keeper, g, 4, o/o Snooze, by Forestry. ALW,

The Factor, Factor It In, h, 6, o/o Speightlass, by Speightstown. Dave's Friend S., 12-30, Laurel

12-30, Hawthorne

Tidal Volume, Aunt Bee, f, 4, o/o Silky Sami, by Margie's Wildcat. Bobby Bricker Memorial H., 12-30, Mahoning Valley **Tiznow**, Swelter, c, 2, o/o Hot Cha, by Bernardini. MSW, 12-30, Mahoning Valley

Uncle Mo, I'mhavingamoment, f, 2, o/o Averymerrymoment, by Distorted Humor. MSW, 12-30, Aqueduct

War Front, Ancient Peace, f, 2, o/o Deceptive Vision, by A.P. Indy. MSW, 12-30, Santa Anita



Classical Cat (Mendelssohn) wins the Eddie Logan S. (click to watch)





FROM HAVANA GREY TO RAJASINGHE-WHICH FRESHMEN ARE HERE TO STAY?



Havana Grey | Whitsbury Manor Stud

By Brian Sheerin

Not only did **Havana Grey (GB)** record more individual winners and total wins than any of his first-season sire rivals in Great Britain and Ireland, but he also broke the $\mathfrak{L}1$ -million marker for total earnings, which is why he deservedly wears the champion freshman stallion crown.

Those earnings were propped up by big sales race winners Shouldvebeenaring (GB) and Eddie's Boy (GB), with the latter going on to bag a Group 3 before selling for 320,000gns at the Tattersalls horses-in-training sale in October.

Havana Grey had 36 winners for 76 runners this year and his progeny recorded total earnings of £1,074,697, which was almost £420,000 more than his nearest rival **Sioux Nation** could manage in what was a pulsating race for first-season sire bragging rights.

But with four stakes winners and 57 total wins achieved in 2022, Whitsbury Manor Stud's emerging force confirmed himself the undisputed top dog of the young sire brigade, and earned himself a fee rise from £6,000 to £18,500 in the process.

Joe Callan, head of Whitsbury's bloodstock and sales, said, "We knew Havana Grey was going to be popular after what his first runners achieved this season but the demand for him has been unprecedented." Cont. p3

MARK JOHNSTON TO RETIRE FROM TRAINING, AS SON CHARLIE TO TRAIN SOLO FROM NEW YEAR

Britain's winningmost trainer Mark Johnston is set to cease training under a joint-licence on Jan. 1, 2023 and cede his licence. His son Charlie, with whom he has trained in partnership throughout 2022, will now hold the licence solely. However, the elder Johnston and his wife, Deirdre, will continue in their roles at Johnson Racing, Ltd. Charlie has a number of entries in his own name for the first week of 2023.

The Johnstons released the following statement to the *TDN* on Friday, "With effect from 1st Jan. 2023, the training partnership of Charlie and Mark Johnston will cease to exist and horses under the care of Johnston Racing Limited will be trained under a single training licence held by Charlie Johnston.

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IN TDN AMERICA TODAY

MISCHIEF'S FOURTH TITLE AGAIN RAISES THE BAR

Spendthrift Farm's **Into Mischief** led the way on the General Sires' List Stateside for the fourth consecutive year.



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Dubai Mile (Ire) (Roaring Lion) (blaze) winning the G1 Criterium de Saint-Cloud in October for co-trainers Mark and Charlie Johnston. Mark Johnston, the winningmost trainer in Britain, is giving up his licence in the new year. | Scoop Dyga

12 QUESTIONS: HEATHER ANDERSON

In this ongoing series, TDN's Associate International Editor answers our 12 Questions.

BAHRAIN-BASED HORSES TOP TURF SERIES

Locally-based runners Dark Shadow (Ire) (Dark Angel {Ire}) and The Covex Kid (Ire) (Mehmas {Ire}) won the third and fourth races in the Bahrain Turf Series races in Riyadh on Friday.

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Sioux Nation | Coolmore

Which Freshmen Are Here To Stay Cont. from p1

He added, "It's been crazy and it's got to a stage where we've stopped counting [the number of mares who have been put forward to visit the stallion next year]. You can see why people are so keen to use him. He's had a fantastic season with 13 stakes horses and is operating at 16% stakes horses to runners and almost 50% winners to runners in Britain and Ireland. He has big crops coming through over the next couple of years so he deserves the accolades that he is getting."

Havana Grey was kept honest all year by Coolmore's Sioux Nation, who had an excellent campaign in his own right and earned a fee rise to €17,500 for 2023. By Scat Daddy, Sioux Nation ended the year with 29 individual winners from 65 runners and his progeny amassed £657,000 worth of total earnings in Britain and Ireland.

Matilda Picotte (Ire) was Sioux Nation's biggest earner having accounted for £124,667, highlighted by victory in the Listed "Bosra Sham" Fillies' S. at Newmarket in October.

That effort came off the back of a busy campaign with Kieran Cotter's star juvenile winning her maiden at the Curragh on debut in May, placing in two Group 2s and finishing runner-up in the valuable Ballyhane S. at Naas.

Sydneyarms Chelsea (Ire) also secured Group 3 glory for Sioux Nation at Deauville in August for Charlie Hills.

Little separated Harry Angel (Ire) and Kessaar (Ire) in third and fourth, respectively. The Dalham Hall Stud-based Harry Angel had 21 individual winners from 45 runners and recorded £433,814 in earnings while Tally-Ho Stud's Kessaar made a similarly respectable start with 20 individual winners from three fewer runners and amassed £351,906 in prize-money.

Tally-Ho Stud has enjoyed top honours with Mehmas (Ire) and Cotai Glory (GB) in recent seasons and, while the early signs are that Kessaar is not on that trajectory, he has proven a solid

addition to the ranks. A classy sprinter, Kessaar's progeny appear to stay further than he did, which is somewhat surprising, and it will be interesting to track their progression in 2023.

Cracksman (GB) came up trumps with listed winner Dance In The Grass (GB) along with a host of promising youngsters with a view towards next season. He sired nine winners from 39 runners and one would expect his offspring to build on that next year.

The GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Turf success of Victoria Road (Ire) obviously doesn't contribute towards the leading freshman sire championship in Britain and Ireland, but it's worth bearing in mind with a view to the results of Saxon Warrior (Jpn).

Coolmore's G1 2000 Guineas-winning son of Deep Impact (Jpn) went from strength to strength this year, building to that almighty crescendo in Keeneland with Victoria Road, but he also enjoyed some major triumphs domestically to finish fifth in the British and Irish first-season sire standings.

Saxon Warrior was responsible for 13 individual winners from 41 runners and £351,906 in prize-money. Joseph O'Brien's Lumiere Rock (Ire), winner of the G3 Staffordstown Stud S., and G2 Debutante S. third Thornbrook (Ire) flew the flag for the stallion in Ireland, while Jim Bolger's Gan Teorainn (Ire) enjoyed notable success on and off the track.

After winning her maiden impressively at Naas in August, Gan Teorainn carried the familiar Ennistown Stud silks to finish second in the G1 Prix Marcel Boussac at ParisLongchamp.

That form ensured that one of Saxon Warrior's highest-rated daughters would be in high demand when selling at the December Mares Sale at Tattersalls and so it proved with BBA Ireland paying 1 million gns to secure the filly who is understood to have been bought to continue her career in Australia. Cont. p4



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Despite being based in Ashford Stud in Kentucky, Coolmore's Justify enjoyed a notably good first season with runners in Britain and Ireland.

The unbeaten Statuette, successful in the G2 Airlie Stud S., and Group 3 scorer Aspen Grove put the US Triple Crown winner in lights in Ireland this year.

Meanwhile, it was just last week when the Willie Browne-trained Diamondsareforever (Ire) posted a taking debut victory at Dundalk, further solidifying the notion that Justify is a coming force on the international stage. Five winners from just 11 individual runners in Britain and Ireland including £146,963 in prize-money represented a strong start for Justify.

Fellow Coolmore-based US Navy Flag had eight individual winners from 35 runners. It should be noted that two of his best horses enjoyed listed success abroad; Ocean Vision (Ire) in France and Love Reigns (Ire) in America.

Tasleet (GB) is another freshman sire worthy of mention, not least because he sired the brilliant G2 Coventry S. winner Bradsell (GB). Set to stand for just £6,000 at Nunnery Stud next year, Tasleet had a solid 34% winners to runners, which was more than Saxon Warrior, Expert Eye (GB), US Navy Flag, Cracksman and more.

But the biggest surprise in the first-season stallion ranks came from the figures posted by the largely unheralded Rajasinghe (Ire), who is set to stand for just £3,000 at the National Stud next year.

Winner of the G2 Coventry S. in 2017 for Phil Cunningham, who has been a big supporter of the horse since he went to stud, Rajasinghe had eight individual winners from 10 runners which equates to a whopping 80% strike-rate.



Rajasinghe | Amy Lanigan

All of this has been achieved with average mares which suggests Rajasinghe could have the makings of becoming a pretty decent sire if provided with the right ammunition.

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EUROPEAN NEWS

Mark Johnston To Hand Over Licence Cont. from p1

"While the training partnership has served a purpose and we have enjoyed another excellent year on the track, we have felt that Charlie's achievements have not been fully recognised and, as the move to a single licence in his name was inevitable at some stage, we now feel that there is nothing to gain by further delav.

"Notwithstanding Mark's name being removed from the training licence, Mark and Deirdre Johnston will continue to work, full-time, in Johnston Racing Limited and will fulfil the same roles in the business as they have done in recent years."

Mark, who began training in February of 1987, celebrated his 5,000th winner with Dubai Mile (Ire) (Roaring Lion) in August. That colt would go on to claim the G1 Criterium de Saint-Cloud on Oct. 22 and become the 27th top-level winner for Johnston and the first for his son.

In 2022, the Johnstons' string has made 1262 runs, which resulted in 174 wins and earnings of over £2.9 million. Other 2022 highlights for the duo include Living Legend (Ire) (Camelot (GB))'s victory in the G2 Jockey Club S., smart handicapper Soapy Stevens (GB) (Harzand {Ire}), I'm A Gambler (Ire) (No Nay Never)'s victory in the Listed Guisborough S., and the multiple group-placed efforts of Thunderous (Ire) (Night Of Thunder {Ire}).

"Nothing has really changed in terms of our roles," Mark Johnston told PA Sport. "They will continue. I just didn't feel that the joint-licence worked. It served a purpose and I'm not saying they shouldn't have joint-licences, I just felt it was a bit of a limbo.

"When we had big successes, Charlie wasn't getting credit for the part he plays. I just felt that if we were to have a spectacular winner somewhere, it wouldn't be quite the same as being an individual.

"We went to a joint-licence at the beginning of last year and the plan was it would be at least three or four years, but I just felt there was no point. I just felt it should be one name."

CLASSY FIRST YEARLINGS



Colt ex Maria Lee from Clare Castle Stud purchased by Manor House Farm for 300,000GNS at Book 1





Colt ex **Shaloushka** from **Hazelwood Farm** purchased by **Stroud Coleman Bloodstock** for **130,000gns** at Book 1



Filly ex Passiflore from Haras de l'Hotellerie purchased by Chauvigny Global Equine for €150,000 at Arqana August

Others sold for €200,000, €155,000, €150,000, €140,000, €140,000, €120,000, €115,000, €105,000, €100,000 etc.

and were purchased by Jason Taylor Equine, Blandford Bloodstock, Joseph O'Brien, MV Magnier, McKeever Bloodstock/Charles Hills, Ger Lyons Racing, David Redvers, Philip Antonacci, Highclere Agency, Donnacha O'Brien, Jason Kelly Bloodstock and JS Bloodstock

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With Heather Anderson, TDN Associate International Editor

First job in the Thoroughbred industry?

Interning at a reproduction centre at Peterson & Smith down in Florida.

Biggest influence on your career?

My parents. Neither are in the industry, but they gave me a good foundation and the right mind set to succeed.

Favourite racehorse of all time, and why?

Tiznow. He's still the only dual winner of the GI Breeders' Cup Classic.

Who will be champion first-season sire in 2023?

Land Force.

Greatest race in the world?

G1 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe. Most of the top middle-distance international form lines intersect at ParisLongchamp.

If you could be someone else in the industry for a day who would it be, and why?

Ryan Moore. He's one of the best jockeys in the world and has a fair poker face, win, lose, or draw.

Emerging talent in the industry (human)?

Seina Imamura. She now has 50 Japan Racing Association winners to her credit, and is only the fifth Japanese jockey to accomplish that feat in her rookie year.

Horse TDN should have made a Rising Star, and didn't?

From a few years back, Tis Marvellous.

Under-the-radar stallion?

Dream Ahead, even though he's sired several winners at the highest level.

Friday night treat?

A pint of gelato and a good book.

Guilty pleasure outside racing?

I'm a big fan of The Great British Baking Show, and enjoy baking.

Race I wish I had been there for...

It was before my time, but Mill Reef's victory in the 1971 Arc. He was such a cool, little horse.

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CONDITIONS RESULTS:

1st-Wolverhampton, £**8,000, Nov**, 12-30, 3-5yo, 12f 51y (AWT), 2:41.27, st.

PERCY JONES (GB) (g, 3, Sir Percy {GB}--Luisa Calderon {GB}, by Nayef) Lifetime Record: 10-2-3-1, \$33,339. O-L Bellman & Racing Facades; B-Kirsten Rausing (GB); T-David Loughnane.
*26,000gns Ylg '20 TAOCT; 24,000gns 3yo '22 TATAHI.

FRANCE

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Calas (Fr), g, 2, Al Wukair (Ire)--Cetova (Fr), by Holy Roman Emperor (Ire). Deauville, 12-30, 9 1/2f (AWT), 1:57.76. B-Buck Racing (FR).

Rise And Shine (Fr), f, 2, Shalaa (Ire)--Cruel Sea (SP-Eng), by Mizzen Mast. Deauville, 12-30, 9 1/2f (AWT), 1:57.98. B-Haras des Trois Chapelles (FR). *€30,000 Ylg '21 ARQOCT.

Maranado (Fr), g, 3, Toronado (Ire)--Maracena (Fr), by Marju (Ire). Deauville, 12-30, 9 1/2f (AWT), 1:57.81. B-Jean Uzel (FR). *€15,000 RNA Ylg '20 ARQOCT.



IN BAHRAIN:

The Covex Kid (Ire), g, 3, Mehmas (Ire)--Fonseca (Ire), by Red Clubs (Ire). Sakhir, 12-30, Al Dana Cup (Hcp.) (Bahrain Turf Series), 2000mT, 2:01.88. B-Randolf Stevens Limited. *€8,500 Wlg '19 GOFNOV; £26,000 Ylg '20 TATSEP; £168,000 HRA '22 TATAUG. VIDEO

Encourage (GB), g, 4, Iffraaj (GB)--Good Hope (GB), by Cape Cross (Ire). Sakhir, 12-30, Aluminium Bahrain (ALBA) Cup (Bhr-G2, NBT), 2400mT, 2:34.10. B-The Queen. *SP-Bhr. **1/2 to Candle of Hope (GB) (Cable Bay {Ire}), SP-Eng. ***75,000gns HRA '21 TATAUG. VIDEO

Dark Shadow (Ire), g, 6, Dark Angel (Ire)--Djinni (Ire), by Invincible Spirit (Ire). Sakhir, 12-30, All Riffa Cup (Hcp.) (Bahrain Turf Series), 1200mT, 1:12.64. B-Redpender Stud Ltd. *€50,000 Ylg '17 TATSEP; 55,000gns HRA '19 TATOCT. VIDEO

Shebil Aljazira (GB), g, 7, Exceed and Excel (Aus)--Dolphina, by Kingmambo. Sakhir, 12-30, Humphrey Butler Fine Jewellery Cup (Bhr-G2, NBT), 1600mT, 1:37.32. B-Niarchos Family.

*Formerly Al Jellaby (GB). *€110,000 Ylg '16 GOFSEP. VIDEO

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IN SAUDI ARABIA:

Income (Ire), f, 3, Profitable (Ire)--Coolnagree (Ire) (GSP-Ire), by Dark Angel (Ire). King Abdulaziz, 12-30, Cond., 1200m. B-Lodge Park Stud. *First start in Saudi Arabia. **32,000gns Ylg '20 TATOCT; 16,000gns HRA '22 TATOCT. VIDEO (SC 17)



IN BAHRAIN:

December (Bhr), g, 2, Expert Eye (GB)--Zippor (Jpn), by Deep Impact (Jpn). Sakhir, 12-30, Maiden (Bhr-bred), 1200mT, 1:15.01. B-n/a. *34,000gns in utero '19 TATDEM. ** 23rd winner for first-crop sire (by Acclamation {GB}). VIDEO

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BAHRAIN-BASED HORSES BACK ON TOP IN **TURF SERIES**

A pair of Bahrain-based horses won the third and fourth Bahrain Turf Series races--the Al Riffa Cup and Al Dana Cup--in Riyadh on Friday. Dark Shadow (Ire) (Dark Angel {Ire}), in the hands of Hector Crouch, produced a sharp turn of foot over 1200 metres to fend off a challenger in the closing stages of the Al Riffa Cup and returned to the winner's enclosure in the familiar colours of Al Mohamediya Racing.

"It all went pretty smoothly for me," said Crouch. "We were drawn high and he's a horse who needs a fast pace to aim at so today with 16 runners and quick ground that's what he got; so I'm delighted for His Highness Shaikh Sultan and Osama [Hashim]."

The Covex Kid (Ire) (Mehmas {Ire}), trained by Hesham Al Haddad, made it five wins in a row and a third straight win in Bahrain in the Al Dana Cup over 2000 metres. It was another big-race success for the same ownership, Al Mohamediya Racing and regular series winning jockey Neil Callan.

"It was a very strong race, we were a bit worried when the horse got boxed in at the last furlong," said Al Haddad. "Neil [Callan] managed to steer him very well and find the sunshine and he came out at the right time. We're very happy and connections are too."

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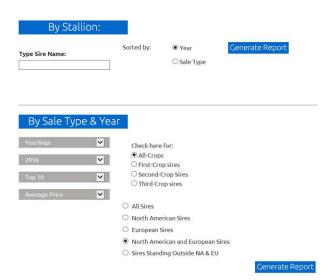
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