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Richard Barry and **Classic Empire** | Coolmore

by Chris McGrath

For those of us who only seldom witness a Thoroughbred stallion in the throes of lust, hollering and snorting and shuddering, there's always a sense of awe at the primal energies harnessed by Nature to meet the reproduction imperative. Presumably, then, even nearly four decades of seeing the same thing repeated again and again--with another new covering season imminent--will never quite stifle that wonder, that privileged connection with the very wellspring of life, the constantly recurring miracle of creation.

Put this to Richard Barry, however, and he gives you a bit of a look.

So between the acknowledged dangers of the environment, the need for composure and vigilance and skill, he doesn't feel any of that stuff at all?

"No, I don't," he says with a shrug. "I just want to get the horse to ejaculate. That's it."

Ashford's vastly experienced stallion manager now offers a grin, as though to assure you that he can indulge such pretentious questioning in those who don't literally put their necks on the line every day. For those who need to keep the horses and their handlers safe, however, these daily "miracles" represent the precarious ritual on which rest quite incalculable stakes.

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EARNING THEIR STRIPES: KELSEY DANNER

Last year, we conducted a popular Q and A series called 'Smaller But Still Super,' where we featured veteran trainers who have built a competitive racing stable with relatively small numbers ([click here](#) to view the archive). This year, we will highlight trainers who have already cut their teeth as novice trainers, but now have a few years of experience under their belts and are looking to make a name for themselves as they grow their stable. We'll talk about the challenges that come with hanging out your single, advice for trainers setting out on their own, how the incoming class of young trainers differs from previous generations and more.

Kelsey Danner's family has been a fixture on the racetrack for generations, so the horsewoman always knew she would dedicate her life to the industry. She started off working for her father Mark Danner, a trainer on the Kentucky circuit and at Oaklawn Park for nearly three decades, and later got experience under D. Wayne Lukas, Ian Wilkes and Carl Nafzger. She then spent five years as an assistant for Wayne Catalano. **Cont. p7**

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Pictured winning the 2010 GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile, *Uncle Mo* is one of the many young stallions who has blossomed into a star sire under the tutelage of Richard Barry. Chris McGrath's story continues on page 3. | Sarah Andrew

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"That's it," he repeats. "And get him out. It's a very serious business. You'll see the guys talking to each other, but they're always concentrating on what they're doing. There's millions of dollars transacted up there every week. But you can't be too intense, either, because the animals feel it. You have to be... I want to say relaxed, but you can't relax around them at all."

So even with two Triple Crown winners on his current roster, extending a cavalcade of champion runners and sires over 38 years, Barry knows that the same flesh-and-blood unites every Thoroughbred, of every station, at the point where the blood is up, and the flesh tapers to lethal feet. He was still a young man, new to his vocation, when a shadow was cast that reaches to this day.

"I watched a guy die," he says. "John McGuigan. I found him. And that wasn't in the breeding shed, he was bringing in mares and foals. One of the mares kicked him right over the heart and burst his aorta. That changed me. I give out to those guys up there, if ever I see them being lax."

That was at the old Murty Farm, where Barry cut his teeth before his recruitment by Coolmore. A rather different program, no doubt, from the one that has since given Barry such responsibility at the very pinnacle of the commercial breeding industry. But it all contributed to his education, no less than the Connemara stallion owned by his aunt back in Co. Dublin.

"The village where I was brought up, Clondalkin, is now part of the city," Barry says. "I couldn't find my way round Dublin if I tried now, it's gotten so big, but there were a number of small horse farms around the place when I was growing up and I must have been about 13 when I started hunting with the Co. Dublin Foxhounds. My aunt bred three-quarter-breds, stuff like that, she'd sell them on for show jumping. And then I used to ride out for a guy named Dave Blackford, he was a small trainer of jumpers round there. But I realized at an early age that I was never going to be a jockey, so I got onto the farm end of things."

So it was that in 1978 Barry became one of countless young compatriots to have used the Irish National Stud course as the springboard for a job in Kentucky. At the time Wayne and Duane Murty stood the likes of Bold Ruler's son Top Command.

"Not big names, and I was more into mares and foals really," Barry recalls. "When I first started that's what I wanted to do. I'd be lost now in a broodmare barn, veterinary work is so much more advanced: back in my time you palpated them and hoped! Anyway I worked the stallion barn for the Murtys, I was always being pushed that way because they needed someone capable of handling them."

And, actually, that was pretty much how he came to be hired by Coolmore: he was 28, strong and fearless, and equal to a feisty young stallion. **Cont.**



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Richard Barry, cont.

"They had Storm Bird here at the time," he explains. "He was a bit of a boy and they needed someone to handle him. So I hired on here as stallion manager in 1985. That was the year he had Storm Cat running from his first crop. He finished second [by a nose to Tasso] in the Breeders' Cup Juvenile, if he'd won he was gone to Japan."

**Thunder Gulch** | *Coolmore*

What dynasties Barry has helped to establish since then! He has worked on the most intimate scale imaginable with some of the great patriarchs of the modern breed. And while the essence of the whole job could not be more timeless, his career has meanwhile spanned sophisticated advances in the workplace: from veterinarian input to ventilation.

"The breeding shed alone," he agrees. "It's a castle compared to what we had when I came here. A black metal shed, and if it was 80 degrees outside it was 100 in the shed. Forty mares was a full book when I started, but we were still as busy then as we are today, because we were breeding the same mare maybe three times in a heat cycle."

Besides Storm Bird, Barry started out with El Gran Senor--a horse he still cherishes as much as any since under his care.

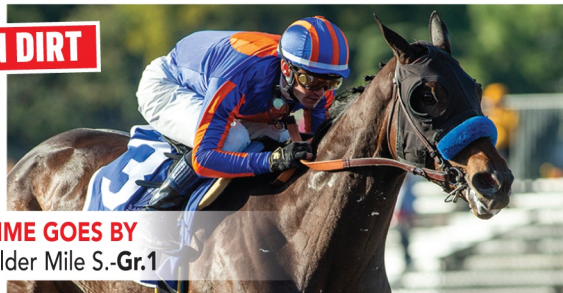
"He was with me the longest, and an absolute pet," he says affectionately. "Never gave me any trouble. Apart from the fact that he had a fertility problem! But he was a grand horse, gorgeous, I loved him. He was the opposite of Storm Bird, a child could handle him. Then Woodman came over the June of the first year we were here, he was much the same."

"Seattle Dancer was pretty quiet, too, though he was a funny horse. He'd keep you in the shed an hour in the morning. Yet by the evening, last mare of the day, he was an antichrist, he'd be coming in that door gangbusters. But he wasn't a morning person at all. Afternoon and evening, 35 seconds he'd be in and out, but mornings you had to let him figure it out. That's just the way he was." **Cont.**

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Richard Barry, cont.

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The layman will often hear traits associated with the stock from particular lines. "But at one time we had eight grandsons of Storm Bird standing up there, and I only had one bad actor among them all," Barry reflects. "And he wasn't that bad as far as I was concerned. He was tough, put it that way. Some of the others were tough too, but they were quiet animals.

"You're going to get some bad horses. But there are very few

that are born mean. Generally they're pretty quiet. I've had horses come in here with warnings and they're quiet as lambs. They don't come in to be mean, so you don't make them mean.

You've got horses like Thunder Gulch, Dehere, [American] Pharoah, you raise your voice you'd hurt their feelings. But you've also got horses--like Storm Bird himself, Black Minnaloushe was another--they would get you if you gave them half a chance. Storm Bird got everybody that worked with him, including me: got me right there on the shoulder one night in the breeding shed."

But remember that Barry did not "start" that horse, who was already seven when he took him on.

"You can train an animal to do just about anything," he insists.

"All it takes is patience. They're all

different. And every mare is different, too. Treat people as you find them, and horses the same." **Cont.**



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Richard Barry, cont.

Nor is it as though a particular disposition, for good or ill, denotes any kind of genetic potency.

"Otherwise we'd all be breeding for a certain type of temperament," Barry notes. "As it is, you had Halo, a renowned bad actor and a very successful stallion. And you have others without a mean bone in their body. **Munnings**, nobody expected him to turn into what he has, he's as quiet as a lamb. Giant's Causeway was okay. He was tough, not a horse that liked to be messed with: a 'manly' horse, that's the word. Though he hated the needle, absolutely despised it!"

Given the vivid theater of the breeding shed, and the inferences available from human experience, there is one aspect of a stallion's temperament guaranteed to invite curiosity: libido.

Barry witnessed the notorious celibate tendencies of Seattle Slew when he took boarding mares from Murty Farm to Spendthrift.

"I was in the shed one day with him and three other mares and the teaser, and we all went home without getting bred," he says. "It was a nightmare. And yes, you do get your horses that are slow to breed, absolutely. Sometimes I send them up to the broodmare barn and let them live with the mares a couple of weeks, it can just get them going. They all have their trigger. Ninety percent of them, though, once they figure out what you want them to do, they're good to go. Especially when they're young, they're like teenagers, there's no stopping them once they get into it: they forget about racetrack and everything else."

So come on then, tell us: who was the most ardent lover of them all?

"Shanghai Bobby jumps to mind," Barry replies. "You'd open the doors and through he came, and you'd better have that the mare ready. He went straight to that mare and bred her and was walking out before you had the chance to close the doors after him. He'd keel over before he'd refuse a mare. He's the only horse I've ever been around that got so excited that he forgot to ejaculate! But a lovely horse."

But if there are many moments of humor, Barry and his team never lose sight of the fact that things can go badly wrong if you drop your guard.

"Yes, and very quickly," he says. "So we all look out for each other. Horses can get tired, and men too. You have to trust the guy next to you. There are three of us here who've been together for years, and the young fellers just switch in and out. And with time we will each of us get like 'that' with particular horses."

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Richard Barry, cont.

"It's all training," he emphasizes. "If you can start a horse, it's constant training until they don't know any different. All those stallions up there, we've had since they were 4-year-olds, or backend 3-year-olds. They know they're supposed to do what they're told, and that's it, there's no grey area. It's attitude. And it's the same with the guys, over the years I've trained most of them up. The guy that's running the place now was a kid when he came in here. And all that makes me feel lucky in the job I have. Office work and all that, they can keep. I do what I do. I like hands on a horse."

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EARNING THEIR STRIPES

**Kelsey Danner, cont. from p1**

After 12 years of working as an assistant, Danner made the decision to go out on her own in 2017. She only had 73 starts in her first two years, but got the ball rolling with 19 wins in 2019. Two years later, she surged past her first million-dollar mark with over \$1.3 million in earnings, plus 36 wins, and then one-upped herself last year when she surpassed \$2 million in earnings.

Danner is based at Palm Meadows in the winter, but travels throughout the year from Gulfstream to the Kentucky circuit, Colonial Downs, and more. With 45 horses under her care, Danner's highest earner is gearing up for her 3-year-old season. NBS Stable and Elements Racing's Danse Macabre (**Army Mule**) got her first stakes win at Kentucky Downs last summer and was third in the GIII Matron S. in her last start.



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What has been the key to your stable's growth since you first opened?

My last few years have definitely been my best years. I'm a bit more content with where I'm at as far as the clientele and the horses I have. For the last three years, I got to have some nicer, young stock and they're still in my barn now, so it has been nice to watch them develop and I've gotten to win a few stakes races.

What do you think makes your training style unique?

I think a lot of my focus is on exercise riders. I have some really good riders and we do things a little bit different in the morning. We will do breezing with groups of four and five horses so that they will get hit with dirt. We spend a lot of time on their backs. Our sets take a little bit longer. We do less sets but for a longer period of time.

What has been the biggest thing you have learned since going out on your own?

Some of this I already knew because not only was I an assistant for years, but I was also the daughter of a trainer. I would say the biggest challenge initially is getting horses, and the second part is maintaining your expenses and your payroll. You need to make sure that you don't spend more than what you're bringing in. **Cont.**

Kelsey Danner, cont.

Another important thing is having good-paying clients. They're without a doubt the most important aspect of it and you learn that the hard way.

Do you think most trainers' success is defined by their ability to train or by the quality of the horses they receive?

I would say it's about the quality of the horse. You have to have the stock. It's kind of a chicken-or-the-egg thing. The quality of the horse is pretty much the factor in everyone's success, whether it is owners or trainers.

If you could give one piece of advice to someone going out on their own this year, what would it be?

(Laughs) Don't do it.

I guess it would be to have the experience before you do it. I think right now, with how the racing offices are struggling for entries to fill, be prepared with as much experience as you can get beforehand and make sure you have a decent-sized bank account.

I think a lot of times, you see with young trainers that they were only an assistant for maybe one trainer and only for a few years. Training requires a lot of experience. There are things that can't be taught. There's not a book on how to train horses. I think that the more experience you have before going out on your own, the better your chance of having mentors. New trainers need people you can call up and ask advice. By building relationships with people that you've worked for previously, that's how you do it.

What is something that you think this incoming generation of trainers does better than the generations before them?

Probably embracing the digital age as far as communication with clients. Clients are more likely to receive videos, pictures, and text messages. I feel like when I was younger, a lot of owners lived near their horses and they would come out to the

track more often. I think that now, technology is what the younger generation does more.

Last fall you became a member of HISA's Horsemen's Advisory Group. Why was that something that you wanted to be a part of?

I think that our industry is in the middle of a big change, hopefully for the better. It remains to be seen which way this is going to go, but I thought I would like to at least be part of what the change is going to be so that I could understand it a little bit more and maybe offer some advice or opinion.

Obviously racing need changes. Hopefully HISA is the organization that will help us have more uniform rules and things like that. It's easy to knock it or to sit back and say that it won't work. But I think that without change, we probably won't make it. And it takes the whole industry to get there. So we do need change and I would like to be a part of it. The industry is my career and my livelihood and I hope it lasts for many years to come.



Ainsworth Untapable S. winner Danse Macabre is preparing for her 3-year-old debut | Coady

Who is your favorite horse that you've ever had in your stable?

I would have to go with Gladys (**Medaglia d'Oro**). She was a full-sister to Rachel Alexandra. She was very spirited and had a neat personality.

Is there an up-and-coming horse in your barn that we should know about?

I have a couple nice young horses. Danse Macabre, who won a stake at Kentucky Downs last year, is getting ready to get back next month. Dunedin (**Munnings**), who finished fifth but only got beat by a neck in the GIII Futurity S., comes back next month too.

What is your favorite restaurant to go to after a big win?

I like the little Thai joint by Gulfstream. **Cont.**



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Kelsey Danner, cont.

If you aren't at the track, what can you be found doing?

Right now I'm in the middle of remodeling my house.

If one change was made to racing that would make your life easier, what would it be?

Probably if they got rid of statistics in the *Racing Form*. I do think it hurts the industry a little bit because you're more likely to not help the racing office fill races because you're worried about your statistics.

Carl Nafzger used to say that you needed to give a horse five races until you knew what the horse was. One going short, one going long, one on the slop, one from behind, etc.

What is your biggest hot take? It can be racing-related or completely random.

Winning first time out isn't everything. I think it can sometimes damage a horse. There's a lot of pressure that if a horse doesn't win first time out, they're not a very good horse because everyone is worried about percentages.

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Q AND A WITH KIP ELSER

by Jen Roytz

Longtime horseman Kip Elser **recently announced** he will be shifting his focus toward public and private bloodstock purchases, evaluations and racing stable management under the new banner of Kirkwood Equine Advisory. TDN sat down with Elser to offer a closer look at the upcoming changes. **Cont.**

TDN: We understand you did not open your training barn this year and will not be consigning at the 2023 2-year-old sales. You are obviously headed in a different direction. Can you discuss where your focus will be?

KE: Correct, we've measured the market as we always have and determined a strategic shift for Kirkwood is in order. My wife Helen and I decided that the timing was ideal do things a little differently. We are going to concentrate more on the buy side of the equation. We plan to continue to develop a clientele for whom to buy horses to race either individually or in partnership. Later in the year we intend to be purchasing yearlings and 2-year-olds for clients to race. We will also continue our pinhooking partnerships, but I won't be preparing or presenting them myself. All in the name of identifying attractive opportunities for the benefit of our clients. **Cont.**

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Kip Elser, cont.

TDN: You have an incredible amount of experience in the racing industry; buying, selling and preparing horses all over the world. Talk a bit about how your background as a consignor and lifelong horseman sets you apart as a buyer and advisor.

KE: I spent four decades preparing 2-year-olds for the sales and racing. Good horses, brilliant horses, average horses. Oh, and some slow ones too. They all give you signs of what they are. Whether in the U. S., Europe, South Africa, New Zealand, or other stamps on the passport, I've tried to bring them along with the disciplined approach of, well you said it, a horseman.



Kip Elser | Horsephotos

TDN: With all that experience you probably know your way around a horse better than most. What do you look for in a horse that you're buying to race?

KE: The most obvious is that they must show me they are capable of speed even if it is not a brilliant eighth of a mile. They have to be efficient and have the right attitude.

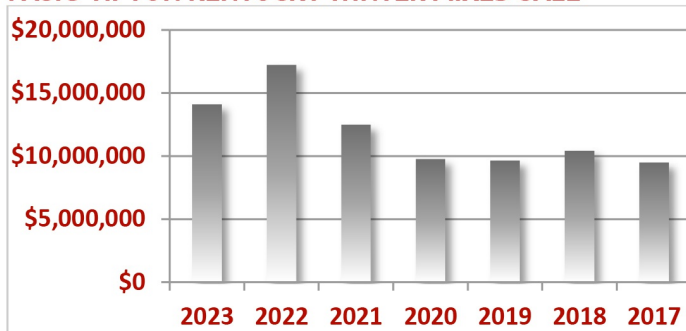
TDN: With all of the overseas business you have done over the years, can you talk a bit about the differences between the U.S. and say the European or South African or even the New Zealand market?

KE: In the UK and Europe your judgment has to be much more subjective since the breezing surfaces are not nearly as uniform as they are here. The South African market has had a more severe COVID setback than most and is really just getting started again. New

Zealand is very different in that the horses breeze (quite often in pairs) in several different locations close to their home base and convene for the sale several weeks after they breeze. That is just a few differences for starters. **Cont.**

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2021	675	524	425	22.4%	81.1%	63.0%	\$12,506,700	\$29,428
2020	651	490	368	24.7%	75.1%	56.6%	\$9,777,100	\$26,568
2019	531	411	327	22.6%	79.6%	61.6%	\$9,659,400	\$29,593
2018	574	471	364	18.0%	77.3%	63.4%	\$10,436,800	\$28,673
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Kip Elser, cont.

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TDN: Our industry has not been short on controversy and people coming out of the woodwork to let the world know what needs to be improved. Talk about what is going right in our sport right now.

KE: There are great developments in veterinary medicine being made all the time. We are making progress even if it is painfully slow in uniform regulation and enforcement. Aftercare is spreading a much wider net. Aftercare and accountability of our equine athletes after racing continues to make tremendous forward progress.

TDN: With all that you have accomplished over the years, both for your clients and customers, what is one of the biggest lessons you've learned in the business?

KE: Patience (though I'm still working on that) and that the little things matter, often more than we think.

TDN: You have played a role in the careers of some incredible horses. Can you tell us a few you are most proud of?

KE: Mucho Gusto (**Mucho Macho Man**) comes to mind as one of the more recent and relevant success stories. We believed the colt's value was significant and the early 2-year-old sale market just didn't reflect that view. We pivoted to a later-season sale and our conviction on behalf of our client was rewarded. The buyers were of course rewarded too with a Pegasus World Cup winner.

Another one that was a lot of fun was Plum Pretty (**Medaglia d'Oro**). Our friends, John and Elizabeth Fort, live right down the road from us in Camden, and John always pulls out a few of my horses at the sale to inspect. As a 2-year-old, Plum Pretty was a bit of an ugly duckling to look at, but he had no trouble seeing her potential. I was as surprised as anyone when he bought her, because he never said a word about liking her that much, but it sure was fun and rewarding to watch the ride she took them on, winning the Kentucky Oaks and the Apple Blossom, among others.

TDN: This year is going to be much different for you than years past. What are you most looking forward to?



Mucho Gusto | Ryan Thompson

KE: What I am mainly looking forward to this year is the opportunity to go out and buy not just nice yearlings but also weanlings, broodmares and 2-year-olds for other people. Especially the 2-year-old sales that are coming up. For years as I have been preparing the 2-year-olds for the sales, I have seen the qualities that have separated the good ones from the rest. It will be fun now to go out and buy some of those good ones.

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SURICK, FACING 62 MONTHS IN PRISON, APPEALS DOPING CONVICTION

by T.D. Thornton

The former Standardbred trainer Nick Surick, who was sentenced to 62 months in federal prison last month for his role as a "doping mentor" in a years-long scheme that eventually resulted in him pleading guilty to two counts of drug adulteration and misbranding and one count of obstruction, lodged an appeal of both his conviction and his sentence Feb. 7.

As TDN's Bill Finley reported from Surick's **Jan. 19 sentencing** in United States District Court (Southern District of New York), Surick was ordered to serve one of the longer prison terms among those convicted in the 2020 international racehorse doping series of arrests that involved both Standardbred and Thoroughbred trainers based in Florida and the Northeast.

And that harsh sentence was handed down despite Surick's efforts to cooperate with prosecutors, who eventually decided that some of the information he offered was not credible and involved false accusations.

"I am truly sorry for the crimes that I have committed," Surick had said at his sentencing. "I can't blame anybody but myself."

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

KIP CORNETT

This Sunday is the biggest day in American sports--Super Bowl LVII. While I enjoy this annual ritual, I much prefer the first Saturday in May--or really any Saturday where there is great Thoroughbred competition to watch.

I grew up a bettor, then became a marketer and ultimately an owner in the sport. And all three of these experiences I've enjoyed immensely. And for the benefit of each, I applauded the efforts to finally, finally, finally bring Thoroughbred racing under the long-overdue establishment of uniform safety and integrity rules through the Horseracing Integrity and Safety Act.

I hate to say it, but I fully expected some corners of the industry to fight this. And they have. And they are only slowing down a train that badly needs to roll on to ensure the present and the future of our sport.

As a bettor I want a level playing field, as an investor I want to be protected--and as a marketer, my lifelong profession, I want a product I can proudly and honestly promote.

With the establishment of HISA to set and enforce rules for our sport and its participants, all three of those boxes could be checked.

To consumers under 40, the most important trait a brand can possess is "Trustworthiness". It is at the core of building a relationship with a consumer. I would venture to say racing would score near the bottom of the sporting world with this next generation of owners and bettors.

No amount of advertising dollars can cure the damage caused when a brand cannot be trusted.

Competition for the entertainment dollar has never been more difficult. While I applaud some innovation in our fight for that dollar, if we continue to be seen--by our current customers, much less potential new ones--as a sport lacking fundamental safety and integrity, the clock will continue to run down on Thoroughbred racing.

The ongoing growth and acceptance of sports betting is a major opportunity for racing. And the more our brand is seen as doing everything we can to regulate and ensure integrity, the better our chances at getting a bigger piece of the sports wagering pie.

We have our best chance to change with the implementation and full industry support of HISA.

Uniting different interests and regulating any sport is never easy. And there will be bumps along the way that comes with any effort of this magnitude. But they can and will be addressed.

Watching the Chiefs versus Eagles on Sunday should remind us--that uniformity and proper regulation can truly lead to "Super" things. The NFL is certainly not perfect, but their journey

to becoming the dominant sport in America can be traced partially to their willingness to unite and better regulate their game.

I urge anyone who desires a better future for our sport to support the efforts of HISA.

Kip Cornett
Chairman Emeritus
CORNETT

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WEEKLY STEWARDS AND COMMISSIONS
RULINGS, JAN. 31--FEB. 6

Coady

by Dan Ross

Every week, the *TDN* publishes a roundup of key official rulings from the primary tracks within the four major racing jurisdictions of California, New York, Florida and Kentucky.

Here's a primer on how each of these jurisdictions adjudicates different offenses, what they make public (or not) and where.

With the Horseracing Integrity and Safety Act (HISA) having gone into effect on July 1, the *TDN* will also post a roundup of the relevant HISA-related rulings from the same week.

California

Track: Santa Anita

Date: 02/03/2023

Licensee: Eoin Harty

Penalty: \$3,000 fine

Violation: Out-of-competition joint injection violation

Explainer: Trainer Eoin Harty, who trains the horse El Joy, is fined \$3,000.00 for violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1866.3(c)(e) (Intra-articular Injections Restricted – treatment within 10 days of workout). **Cont.**

Weekly Rulings, cont.

Harty told the *TDN* he will be appealing the ruling for various reasons, including for a career training record absent any prior medication violations (this is confirmed in the [Thoroughbred Rulings website](#)).

New York

Track: Aqueduct

Date: 02/02/2023

Licensee: Suzanne Zelman, racing official/official veterinarian

Penalty: \$1,000 fine

Violation: Lasix administration violation

Explainer: You are hereby fined the sum of one thousand (\$1,000) dollars for failing to tend to business in a proper manner necessitating the scratch of horse "Bustinupishardtoto" (# 8) from the eighth race at Aqueduct Racetrack on January 27th 2023.

According to New York Racing Association (NYRA) spokesperson Pat McKenna, the fine was for a failure to administer Lasix to the horse in question resulting in a mandatory scratch.

Kentucky

Track: Turfway Park

Date: 02/01/2023

Licensee: Eric Reed, trainer

Penalty: Five-day suspension, \$1,000 fine

Violation: Medication violation

Explainer: Upon receipt of notification from The University of Kentucky Equine Analytical Chemistry Laboratory, the official testing laboratory for the Kentucky Horse Racing Commission, sample number R005087 taken from Golden Text, who finished first in the fourth race at Turfway Park on January 19, 2023 contained phenylbutazone at a level of 0.62 mcg/ml in blood (Class C) (2nd offense in 365 days). After waiving his right to a formal hearing before the Board of Stewards, Eric Reed is hereby suspended 5 days, February 10, 2023 through February 14, 2023 (inclusive) and fined \$1,000.

Read more about the story [here](#).

NEW HISA STEWARDS RULINGS

The following rulings were reported on HISA's "[rulings](#)" portal, except for the voided claim rulings which were sent to the *TDN* directly. Some of these rulings are from prior weeks as they were not reported contemporaneously.

One important note: HISA's whip use limit is restricted to six strikes during a race.

Violations of Crop RuleAqueduct

- Gokhan Kocakaya – violation date January 29; \$250 fine and one-day suspension, 8 strikes

Gulfstream Park

- Edgar Perez – violation date January 29; \$250 fine and one-day suspension, 7 strikes

Mahoning Valley Racecourse

- Juan Gabriel Lagunes – violation date January 31; \$250 fine and one-day suspension, 9 strikes

Oaklawn Park

- Kelsi Harr – violation date January 29; \$250 fine, striking mount on the flank during the fifth race on January 29, 2023.
- Calvin Borel – violation date January 29; \$250 fine and one-day suspension, 7 strikes
- Ramsey Zimmerman – violation date January 29; \$250 fine, three strikes in succession
- Gabriel Saez – violation date February 3; \$250 fine and one-day suspension, 7 strikes, on appeal and stay granted
- Kelsi Harr – violation date February 4; \$250 fine, striking mount on the flank during the second race on February 4, 2023.
- Eduardo Gallardo – violation date February 4; \$250 fine and one-day suspension, 9 strikes
- Florent Geroux – violation date February 4; \$250 fine, raising wrist above helmet when using crop

Penn National

- Yomar Ortiz – violation date February 1; \$500 fine and three-day suspension, misuse of the crop

Santa Anita

- Mario Gutierrez – violation date January 28; \$250 fine and one-day suspension, 7 strikes

Tampa Bay Downs

- Jose Luis Alonso – violation date February 1; \$250 fine and one-day suspension, 8 strikes
- Carlos Eduardo Rojas – violation date February 3; \$250 fine and one-day suspension, 7 strikes, on appeal and stay granted

Cont.

Weekly Rulings, cont.

- Carlos Eduardo Rojas – violation date February 4; 15-day suspension, “Jockey Carlos E. Rojas (P 000-026-197) has accumulated a total of 26 points for violation of HISA Rule 2280 (bl, (1). Nine of the points are under appeal and a stay has been granted, so the total points are reduced to 17 points.”

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KELLY ARMER APPOINTED EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE TRF *Edited Press Release*


Kelly Armer | Courtesy TRF

The Thoroughbred Retirement Foundation (TRF) Board of Directors announced the appointment of Kelly Armer as Executive Director following the forthcoming retirement of Pat Stickney. Assuming her new role Mar. 1, she will be based in the TRF administrative offices in Saratoga Springs, New York.

Armer served 24 years at the Saratoga YMCA where she served as COO for 15 years. More recently, she held the position of Development and Foundation Director for Saratoga Bridges, the largest nonprofit organization in New York State serving people with intellectual and developmental disabilities and their families.

After having retired twice, Stickney accepted the position of TRF's Executive Director in 2019 and is now stepping down to return to her previous role as TRF's Chief Financial Officer in a part-time capacity.

Patrick H. Mackay, TRF's Board Chair said, “Kelly is an ideal fit

to lead the TRF, possessing strong leadership, marketing, and development experience to help us achieve our mission of saving retired racehorses from possible neglect, abuse and slaughter. Her powerful community involvement with disadvantaged populations models the compassion of our Second Chances Programs which provide vocational training to incarcerated individuals in caring for retired racehorses, allowing them to go on to careers as farriers, vet assistants, and caretakers after their release.”

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KEEP ANNOUNCES NEW BOARD MEMBERS
Edited Press Release

The Kentucky Equine Education Project (KEEP) Board of Directors voted to add three individuals to the board Friday, Feb. 3. The new board members are:

- Hallie Hardy - Executive Director of Horse Country
- Kim Smith - Founder and Executive Director of Second Stride and Owner and Operator of Moserwood Farms
- Rob Tribbett - Vice President of the Consignors and Commercial Breeders Association and General Manager of Watercress Farm

Additionally, the KEEP Board of Directors elected Shannon Cobb to serve as vice chair of the board. Cobb is the COO/CFO of the Red Mile in Lexington, KY. Cobb joins returning Board Chair Case Clay in the leadership of the organization.


The KEEP Board of Directors also welcomed three new representative members: Mindy Coleman, Jockeys' Guild; Conor Lucas, Revolutionary Racing; and Gerry Duffy, Kentucky Thoroughbred Farm Managers' Club.

The board also recently voted to amend the organization's by-laws to create an Emeritus Advisory Committee, comprised of original KEEP founding members. This committee will meet annually to review the work of KEEP, discuss industry challenges and continually evaluate the relevancy and direction of the organization. This committee will hold its inaugural meeting in June.

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Saturday, Aqueduct #9, post time: 4:27 p.m. EST





WITHERS S.-GIII, \$250,000, 3yo, 1 1/8m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Arctic Arrogance	Frosted	Chester Broman, Sr. and Mary Broman	Rice	Lezcano	118
2	Prove Right 	Justify	James K. Chapman and Stuart Tsujimoto	Chapman	Gomez	118
3	Jungfrau	Arrogate	Juddmonte	Mott	Davis	118
4	Hit Show	Candy Ride (Arg)	Gary and Mary West	Cox	Franco	118
5	General Banker	Central Banker	Seacoast Thoroughbreds of N. E.	Ferraro	Cancel	118
6	Ninetypercentmaddie	Weigelia	LC Racing LLC	Reid, Jr.	Adorno	120
7	Andiamo a Firenze	Speightstown	Mr. Amore Stable	Breen	Pennington	118

Breeders: 1-Chester Broman & Mary R. Broman, 2-Three Chimneys Farm, LLC, 3-Juddmonte Farms Inc, 4-Gary & Mary West Stables Inc., 5-Seacoast Thoroughbreds of New England, 6-LC Racing LLC, 7-Mr Amore Stables

Saturday, Tampa Bay Downs #10, post time: 5:18 p.m. EST

SAM F. DAVIS S.-GIII, \$250,000, 3yo, 1 1/16m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Worthington	Classic Empire	Watters Edge, LLC	Maker	Morales	122
2	Prairie Hawk	Curlin	Peachtree Stable and WinStar Farm LLC	Joseph, Jr.	Camacho	120
3	Classic Legacy	Into Mischief	Bruce Lunsford	Mott	Alvarado	120
4	Laver	Bernardini	G. Watts Humphrey, Jr.	Arnold, II	Morelos	120
5	Groveland	Street Sense	Godolphin, LLC	Harty	Centeno	120
6	Classic Car Wash	Noble Bird	Gary Barber	Casse	Jaramillo	120
7	Dubuyhnell 	Good Magic	West Paces Racing LLC & Stonestreet Stables LLC	Gargan	Ortiz	124
8	Notah 	Flatter	Gatsas Stables, R. A. Hill Stable and Swick Stable	Terranova, II	Gallardo	120
9	Champions Dream 	Justify	Rosedown Racing Stables, LLC	Casse	Gaffalione	122
10	Dreaming of Kona 	Fast Anna	Aldana Gonzalez Racing LLC and Lisa & Steve Ballou	Spieth	Spieth	122
11	Litigate 	Blame	Centennial Farms	Pletcher	Saez	120
12	Zydeceaux	Cajun Breeze	Stud Carmen Cristina, LLC	Minguet	Marin	120

Breeders: 1-Watters Edge, LLC, 2-WinStar Farm, LLC, 3-W. Bruce Lunsford, 4-G. Watts Humphrey Jr., 5-Godolphin, 6-Sherry R. Mansfield & Kenneth H. Davis, 7-Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC, 8-Athens Woods LLC, 9-John C. Oxley, 10-eLGee farm, 11-Nursery Place, Donaldson & Broadbent, 12-Dee Ellen Cook & Suzette Parker







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Saturday, Gulfstream #11, post time: 5:06 p.m. EST
GULFSTREAM PARK TURF SPRINT S.-GIII, \$100,000, 4yo/up, 5fT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Rockcrest	Old Forester	Paul Mouttet	Burke	Bridgmohan	118
2	County Final 	Oxbow	Ken Copenhaver	Joseph, Jr.	Zayas	120
3	Belgrano 	War Front	Peace Sign Stables	Russo	Lopez	122
4	Carotari	Artie Schiller	William A. Branch	Lynch	Rosario	122
5	Yes I Am Free	Uncaptured	Golden Kernel Racing Stable	Cazares	Vasquez	122
6	My Pal Mattie	My Pal Charlie	Lee Thomas	Thomas	Sutherland	118
7	Full Disclosure	Cajun Breeze	Elizabeth L. Dobles and Imaginary Stables	Dobles	Reyes	118
8	Shekky Shebaz 	Cape Blanco (Ire)	TEC Racing	Drexler	Castellano	120
9	The Critical Way 	Tizway	Monster Racing Stables	Delgado	Leon	122
10	Classicstateofmind	Classic Empire	JFG Thoroughbreds and Maritza Weston	D'Angelo	Perez	122

Breeders: 1-Northern Dawn Stables Inc, 2-Calumet Farm, 3-Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC, 4-Tom Evans & Pam Clark, 5-Sherry R. Mansfield & Kenneth H. Davis, 6-Michele Rodriguez, 7-Shadybrook Farm Inc., 8-Ashford Stud, Tammy Barnes & Dr.Bernard Vertuca, 9-Blackstone Farm LLC, 10-Lakland Farm



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NORTH AMERICAN RACING



SECOND-CROP STARTERS TO WATCH: THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 9 2023 Stud Fees Listed

Accelerate (**Lookin At Lucky**), Lane's End Farm, \$10,000
214 foals of racing age/20 winners/1 black-type winner
9-Delta Downs, 10:22 p.m. EST, Msw 6 1/2f, Hello Marylou, 6-1
\$2,000 FTK FEB wnl

Bolt d'Oro (**Medaglia d'Oro**), Spendthrift Farm, \$35,000
256 foals of racing age/34 winners/6 black-type winners
7-Fair Grounds, 5:15 p.m. EST, Msw 1mT, Boltoro, 5-2
\$30,000 KEE SEP yrl; \$100,000 OBS APR 2yo

Bucchero (**Kantharos**), Pleasant Acres Stallions
155 foals of racing age/16 winners/0 black-type winners
6-Gulfstream, 2:39 p.m. EST, Msw 6f, Free Smoke, 9-5
\$145,000 OBS APR 2yo

Collected (**City Zip**), Airdrie Stud, \$10,000
234 foals of racing age/17 winners/1 black-type winner
7-Fair Grounds, 5:15 p.m. EST, Msw 1mT, Calm Cool, 6-1
\$43,000 KEE NOV wnl; \$210,000 KEE SEP yrl
7-Fair Grounds, 5:15 p.m. EST, Msw 1mT, Salsalita Verde, 6-1
\$14,000 FTK OCT yrl

Divide and Conquer (**Tiznow**)
11 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners
7-Delta Downs, 9:20 p.m. EST, Msw 6 1/2f, Alabama Queen, 8-1

Dosificado (**Chi**) (**Scat Daddy**), Milky Way Farm
25 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners
3-Mahoning Valley, 1:41 p.m. EST, Msw 6f, Sister Code, 8-1

Good Magic (**Curlin**), Hill 'n' Dale at Xalapa, \$50,000
237 foals of racing age/30 winners/7 black-type winners
7-Delta Downs, 9:20 p.m. EST, Msw 6 1/2f, Belle Elena, 12-1

Good Samaritan (**Harlan's Holiday**), WinStar Farm, \$7,500
172 foals of racing age/21 winners/1 black-type winner
2-Charles Town, 7:30 p.m. EST, Msw 6 1/2f, Blonde Samaritan,
15-1
\$17,000 KEE SEP yrl; \$17,000 RNA OBS OPN 2yo



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2-Charles Town, 7:30 p.m. EST, Msw 6 1/2f, She's
Mybuddybuddy, 9-2
\$42,000 KEE SEP yrl

Hoppertunity (**Any Given Saturday**), Northview Stallion Station
155 foals of racing age/10 winners/1 black-type winner
2-Charles Town, 7:30 p.m. EST, Msw 6 1/2f, Cowgirl Hop, 15-1
\$25,000 RNA OBS OCT yrl; \$30,000 OBS APR 2yo

The Lieutenant (**Street Sense**), Sequel New York
30 foals of racing age/4 winners/1 black-type winner
5-Aqueduct, 2:51 p.m. EST, Msw 6f, Lifetime of Chance, 6-5
\$135,000 EAS MAY 2yo

Mendelssohn (**Scat Daddy**), Coolmore Ashford, \$25,000
347 foals of racing age/32 winners/3 black-type winners
7-Fair Grounds, 5:15 p.m. EST, Msw 1mT, Acting, 8-1
€80,000 GOF OR yrl
7-Fair Grounds, 5:15 p.m. EST, Msw 1mT, Fancy Caber Neigh,
8-1
\$20,000 KEE JAN wnl; \$75,000 KEE SEP yrl



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Thoroughbreds

74 foals of racing age/7 winners/0 black-type winners

2-Charles Town, 7:30 p.m. EST, Msw 6 1/2f,

Dapplesanddiamonds, 20-1

\$10,000 OBS OCT yrl; \$6,000 EAS MAY 2yo

Tapwrit (Tapit), Gainesway Farm, \$10,000

176 foals of racing age/19 winners/1 black-type winner

3-Mahoning Valley, 1:41 p.m. EST, Msw 6f, Written Consent, 5-2

\$50,000 KEE SEP yrl

**ALLOWANCE RESULTS:****9th-Gulfstream, \$72,000**, (NW1\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$25,000), 2-8, 4yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:35.42, fm, 1 length.**PRINCESS THEOREM (m, 5, Nyquist--Princess Haya {GSW & GISP-Can, MSP-USA, \$441,736}, by Street Cry {Ire})** Lifetime Record: MSP, 14-3-2-2, \$218,562. O-Dewberry Thoroughbred LLC; B-Barry & Judith Becker (KY); T-Brendan P. Walsh. *\$85,000 RNA Ylg '19 KEEJAN; \$10,000 Ylg '19 FTKJUL. **1/2 to Lady Kate (Bernardini), SW & GISP, \$420,070; Prince of Arabia (**Mineshaft**), MGSP, \$270,137.**8th-Gulfstream, \$54,000**, (S), (NW1X)/Opt. Clm (\$20,000), 2-8, 4yo/up, 1m 70y (AWT), 1:39.70, ft, 2 lengths.**SOUPER ENERGIZER (g, 6, Hat Trick {Jpn}--Earth Shaking, by War Front)** Lifetime Record: 36-4-7-6, \$180,945. O-JWJ 3 Stables; B-Live Oak Stud (FL); T-Frank Russo.**9th-Parx Racing, \$52,330**, (NW2L)/Opt. Clm (\$40,000), 2-8, 3yo, 6 1/2f, 1:22.49, ft, 1 1/2 lengths.**JOHN DUTTON (c, 3, Eastwood--Reconsider, by Graydar)**

Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-0, \$69,180. O/B-Town and Country Farms, Corp. (PA); T-J. Tyler Servis.

8th-Sunland, \$42,200, (S), 2-7, (NW2L), 4yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:17.81, ft, 1/2 length.**THE LAST FEAT (g, 6, Premeditation--Bold Feat {MSP, \$136,515}, by Capote)** Lifetime Record: 18-2-3-2, \$59,810.

O/T-Johnny Singh; B-Jim Volk (NM).

6th-Mahoning Valley, \$31,900, 2-8, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:40.34, ft, 4 1/4 lengths.**HUNTER SCOTT (c, 4, Include--You Axed Me, by Twirling Candy)**

Lifetime Record: 15-5-6-2, \$112,453. O/B-Thomas J. Young (KY); T-Israel Acevedo.

3rd-Mahoning Valley, \$26,400, 2-8, (NW2X), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:12.66, ft, head.**BLUSHING BETTY (m, 6, Not Bourbon--Railtown Girl {MSP}, by Candy Ride {Arg})** Lifetime Record: 19-9-4-3, \$119,333. O-Mark Yagour, Inc.; B-Colebrook Farms (ON); T-Stephen G. Trevino.**4th-Mahoning Valley, \$26,400**, 2-8, (NW3L), 3yo/up, 1m, 1:41.33, ft, 1/2 length.**CREDIT RIVER (g, 5, More Than Ready--Like a Gem {MSW, \$554,216}, by Tactical Cat)** Lifetime Record: SW, 9-3-1-0, \$114,641. O-Barbara Madrigal; B-Garland E. Williamson (ON); T-Raquel A. Castro. *1/2 to Hard Not to Like (**Hard Spun**), MGISW-USA, SW-Can, \$1,262,171.**8th-Turf Paradise, \$21,400**, (NW2L)/Opt. Clm (\$15,000-\$20,000), 2-7, 4yo/up, 6f, 1:08.80, ft, 2 lengths.**POVERTY BAY (g, 4, Coast Guard--Hula Lula, by Raise the Bluff)**

Lifetime Record: 10-2-4-1, \$45,911. O-Rick Kessler & Terra Firma Farm; B-Dave Breiwick (WA); T-Joe Toye.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**Dream Chaser**, f, 3, **Boisterous**--Havre Dream (Fr), by Le Havre (Ire). Parx Racing, 2-8, (C), 6 1/2f, 1:23.17. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, \$41,690. B-Gary Barber (PA).**Overload**, g, 3, **Corfu**--Pileiton, by Perfect Soul (Ire). Mahoning Valley, 2-8, (S), 6f, 1:14.93. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$19,758. B-Duncan Farms Racing, LLC (OH).**Alta Fox**, g, 3, **Uptowncharlybrown**--Glorious Union, by Dixie Union. Parx Racing, 2-8, (S), 1m, 1:47.72. Lifetime Record: 6-1-0-0, \$41,050. B-Sean Berger (PA).**Hitting Bombs**, g, 4, **Gun Runner**--Goose Lemon Drop, by Elusive Quality. Gulfstream, 2-8, 1 1/2mT, 2:29.61. Lifetime Record: 7-1-3-1, \$111,579. B-Profoal Partners 7, LLC (KY). *\$42,000 RNA Ylg '20 KEESEP.**Super Brother**, g, 5, **Super Saver**--Expanse (SP), by Distant View. Mahoning Valley, 2-8, 5 1/2f, 1:06.50. Lifetime Record: 9-1-1-0, \$23,820. B-WinStar Farm, LLC (KY). *\$170,000 Ylg '19 KEESEP. **Full to Embellish the Lace, GISW, \$441,540; 1/2 to Afleet Express (Afleet Alex), GISW, \$835,140; Reporting for Duty (Deputy Commander), MSW & MGSP, \$471,453.

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Boisterous, Dream Chaser, f, 3, o/o Havre Dream (Fr), by Le Havre (Ire). MCL, 2-8, Parx Racing

Coast Guard, Poverty Bay, g, 4, o/o Hula Lula, by Raise the Bluff. AOC, 2-7, Turf Paradise

Corfu, Overload, g, 3, o/o Pileiton, by Perfect Soul (Ire). MSW, 2-8, Mahoning Valley

Eastwood, John Dutton, c, 3, o/o Reconsider, by Graydar. AOC, 2-8, Parx Racing

Gun Runner, Hitting Bombs, g, 4, o/o Goose Lemon Drop, by Elusive Quality. MSW, 2-8, Gulfstream

Hat Trick (Jpn), Souper Energizer, g, 6, o/o Earth Shaking, by War Front. AOC, 2-8, Gulfstream

Include, Hunter Scott, c, 4, o/o You Axed Me, by **Twirling Candy**. ALW, 2-8, Mahoning Valley

More Than Ready, Credit River, g, 5, o/o Like a Gem, by Tactical Cat. ALW, 2-8, Mahoning Valley

Not Bourbon, Blushing Betty, m, 6, o/o Railtown Girl, by **Candy Ride (Arg)**. ALW, 2-8, Mahoning Valley

Nyquist, Princess Theorem, m, 5, o/o Princess Haya, by Street Cry (Ire). AOC, 2-8, Gulfstream

Premeditation, The Last Feat, g, 6, o/o Bold Feat, by Capote. ALW, 2-7, Sunland

Super Saver, Super Brother, g, 5, o/o Expanse, by Distant View. MSW, 2-8, Mahoning Valley

Uptowncharlybrown, Alta Fox, g, 3, o/o Glorious Union, by Dixie Union. MSW, 2-8, Parx Racing


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A yearling colt by **Sotssass** topped Wednesday's session | Goffs

By Brian Sheerin

Baroda Stud were responsible for two of the three six-figure lots on day one of the Goffs February Sale, including the €115,000 top lot, a colt by **Sotssass** (Ire), who was purchased by Tally-Ho Stud.

Of the 2017 lots offered, 128 were sold, which represented a clearance rate of 59% and an aggregate spend of €2,056,250. The average for day one of first sale for 2023 at Goffs was €16,064 with Cox explaining that the nice horses had no trouble in finding new homes.

He said, "A few people said to me that the horses we had here stood out. The **Sotssass** was a good, straightforward colt who had good X-rays and a good scope." [Cont. p3](#)

PRIZE-MONEY BOOST FOR 63 MAIDEN AND NOVICE RACES IN THE UK

The programming of over 60 high-value 2023 developmental races was announced by the British Horseracing Authority (BHA) on Wednesday.

Consisting of maidens and novices with purses between £30,000-£50,000, the races will be funded by the BHA, Darley, Juddmonte, and the hosting racecourses. The objective of the prize-money boost is two-fold, with the aims of supporting horses at the beginning of their careers combined with supporting the domestic breeding industry and ensuring more quality young horses are retained to race in the UK. This initiative is intended to be the first step on the path towards a substantial enhancement of the values of Flat maiden and novice races, with discussions ongoing about further improvements for 2024 and beyond.

The races, run over a range of racecourses both large and small across Britain, are as follows:

- 20 x £30,000 2yo restricted maiden and novice races: supported by Juddmonte.
- 21 x £30,000 2yo open maiden and novice races: supported by the BHA Development Fund.
- 22 x £30,000-£50,000 3yo/3yo+ open maiden and novice races: supported by Darley and the BHA Development Fund.

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He added, "He was a homebred of China Horse Club and sold very well to Tally-Ho Stud. He'd plenty of fans--he had six or seven vets and there was plenty of action on him."

Baroda offered 11 horses on Wednesday, of which nine were sold to the tune of €321,000 at an average of €35,667. They included another China Horse Club homebred by New Bay (GB) (lot 186), knocked down to Camas Park for €85,000, and a **Magna Grecia (Ire)** filly (lot 200) snapped up by MAB Agency for €58,000.

Cox added, "The New Bay was another homebred by China Horse Club and the sire is flying so he definitely attracted plenty of attention before selling to Camas Park. The **Magna Grecia** filly was lovely. She's a homebred by the Niarchos family and the half-sister [Burning Topic (Ger) (Ulysses {Ire})] is doing well in France."

He added, "This is a sale where, if you put a good foal in here, it will stand out and sell well. We're happy with how the day went."



Jim Ryan & David Cox | Goffs

Rogues Snap Up Night Of Thunder Colt

One of the major subplots to the 2022 sale season was the strength of Night Of Thunder (Ire)'s progeny at public auction and the Rogue's Gallery Syndicate, best known for owning listed winner Rogue Millennium (Ire) (Dubawi {Ire}), gave €110,000 for a colt by the Darley sire.

The Night Of Thunder colt was consigned by Ringfort Stud and signed for by the syndicate's Tony Elliott, who was standing alongside bloodstock agent Billy Jackson-Stops. Elliott revealed that lot 109 would be offered for resale later in the year.

He said, "This horse has been bought to pinhook. We had three for pinhooking last year and we've three this year as well. We've got some nice horses." **Cont. p4**

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Elliott added, "We thought he was the standout and it was exactly what we wanted to give for him. That would have been our last bid I reckon.

"We're really pleased to get him because he's a lovely-looking horse and, being by Night Of Thunder, he could be anything. Sometimes we buy them back into the syndicate, which we did last year with a Zoustar (Aus).

"If we really like this lad and he's going the right way we could look at buying him back into the syndicate. There's two syndicates--a pinhooking syndicate and a racing one. We've got some nice horses for the coming years."



Stephen Thorne | Goffs

(New Bay {GB}) (lot 35) provided some early interest when selling for €100,000 to Shamrock Thoroughbreds and Team Valor.

Tosen Wish overcame a 469-day absence to win a

seven-furlong handicap off 82 at Dundalk last week, justifying 9-4 favouritism in the process.

The 4-year-old, who is now two from three, boasts a rating of 89 and will be aimed at a turf campaign by Ado McGuinness, according to the trainer's assistant Stephen Thorne.

He said, "Tosen Wish won well on the polytrack at Dundalk last week. He'd been off for a good while but we made plenty of enquiries about him and put the picture together and I think he's a nice lightly-raced horse moving

forward. We've partnered up with Team Valor on this one so it is an exciting new partnership and hopefully he will be lucky for us."

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Shared Wish For Shamrock Thoroughbreds And Team Valor

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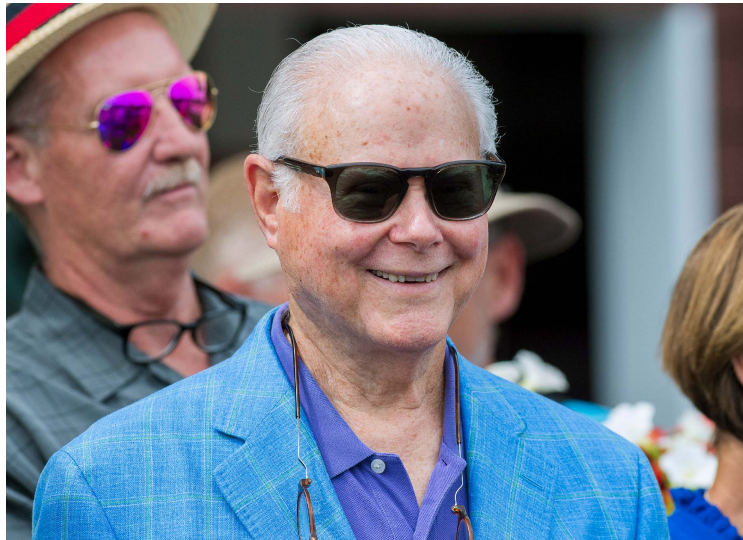
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Asked how the new partnership with Barry Irwin's Team Valor came about, Thorne added, "We made contact with him and we've had a few conversations with him. He's obviously seen the success Ado has had on the track. He's a dual Group 1-winning trainer now and we're delighted to have Team Valor on board. We were waiting to find the right type of horse to pitch to Barry and he obviously liked him. He was a standout at this sale by a mile. I thought we'd get him a little cheaper but there was strong competition in the ring. We've no major plans but I think he'll be a nice horse for the turf."



Team Valor's Barry Irwin | Sarah Andrew

Tosen Wish was consigned by Castlebridge, who also offered the placed Arabian Legend (Ire) (Night Of Thunder {Ire}) (lot 37), sold for €48,000 to Italian owner Mr. Ciampoli to be trained by Grizzetti Galoppo.

Another horse with form, the Cormac Farrell-trained and consigned Seven Hills (Ire) (Camacho {GB}) (lot 40C), who placed a couple of times at Dundalk, sold for €40,000 to the New Racing Factory.

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Walk In The Park Colt Comes Up Trumps

The Flat-bred weanlings may have dominated but once again the progeny of Walk In The Park (Ire) proved to be in high demand with Coolmore's Gerry Aherne going to €56,000 to secure a well-bred colt (lot 209) by the sire from Thistledown Stud.

The colt is out of a sister to Felix Desjy (Fr) (Maresca Sorrento {Fr}), a classy performer for Gigginstown House Stud and Gordon Elliott at one point, and was the highest-priced National Hunt-bred lot through the ring on Wednesday.

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SESSION TOPPERS

GOFF FEBRUARY SALE DAY 1

Lot	Name	Status	Price (€)
126	Unnamed	Yearling	115,000
(c, 1, <i>Sottsass</i> {Fr}--Stage Call {Ire}, by <i>Camelot</i> {GB})			
(€220,000 i/u '21 ARQDEC)			
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SESSION TOTALS	2023
• Catalogued	259
• Number Offered	215
• Number Sold	128
• Not Sold	87
• Clearance Rate	59%
• High Price	€115,000
• Gross	€2,056,250
• Average (% change)	€16,064
• Median (% change)	€9,000

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Goffs Toppers Cont.

109 Unnamed Yearling 110,000
(c, 1, Night Of Thunder {Ire}--Serene Beauty, by Street Cry {Ire})
 Bred by Godolphin (GB)
 Consigned by Ringfort Stud, Agent
 Purchased by JS Bloodstock/Rogues Gallery

35 Tosen Wish (Ire) Horse-in-Training 100,000
(c, 4, New Bay {GB}--Wishing Time {Ire}, by Frankel {GB})
 Bred by Takaya Shimakawa (Ire)
 Consigned by The Castlebridge Consignment
 Purchased by Shamrock Thoroughbreds/Team Valor

186 Unnamed Yearling 85,000
(c, 1, New Bay {GB}--Beautiful Gesture {GB}, by Shamardal)
 Bred by China Horse Club International, Ltd. (Ire)
 Consigned by Baroda Stud
 Purchased by Camas Park Stud

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EUROPEAN NEWS**Prize-Money Boost For Development Races Cont. from p1**

The highest-value races will be held over longer distances, in an effort to continue the production of quality stayers in Britain, while other races will have additional prize-money available for a range of horses, including less expensive horses and more affordable homebreds, also providing a boost for smaller owners and breeders. The full list of 63 races can be viewed [here](#).

Richard Wayman, Chief Operating Officer for the BHA, said, "Well-funded development races provide an opportunity to boost returns to owners in the early stages of their horse's career, thereby potentially supporting the yearling market and, in doing so, assisting breeders at all levels.

"Juddmonte and Darley have been huge supporters of British Racing for decades and we are extremely grateful to them both for their financial assistance towards supporting this important part of the race programme. We look forward to working with them and other parties so that we can build on this significant first step in future years." [Cont. p7](#)

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Horses charge toward the Newmarket grandstands | BHA

Prize-Money Boost For Development Races Cont.

Douglas Erskine Crum, CEO of Juddmonte, said, “We are delighted to be supporting this well targeted BHA initiative to enhance the competitiveness of the British racing and breeding industries. It is an effective kick-start of a long-term plan to enhance prize money substantially for developmental races, with all the benefits that will follow for breeders and owners.

“It is the right place to start for the British racing industry to become more competitive with other major breeding and racing jurisdictions around the world and to support our own breeders and owners.”

Sam Bullard, Director of Stallions for Darley, said, “For many years Darley has worked to support breeders through sponsorship and this new development fund initiative is doing just that, as well as setting a new improved prize-money level for maiden races.

“This, combined with our contribution to the EBF, demonstrates how we can work together for the benefit of racing and are delighted to be involved.”

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250K TATTERSALLS CRAVEN ROYAL ASCOT AND GROUP 1 BONUS FOR CRAVEN BREEZE-UP SALE BONUS RENEWED

The £250,000 Tattersalls Craven Royal Ascot/Group 1 Bonus for owners of 2-year-olds purchased at the 2023 Tattersalls Craven Breeze-Up Sale, has been renewed by the sales company.

This scheme runs in addition to the £15,000 Tattersalls Craven Breeze-Up Bonus scheme, which has already paid out £555,000 in bonuses. The £250,000 Tattersalls Craven Royal Ascot/Group 1 Bonus will offer a £125,000 bonus for the first Craven Breeze-

Up winner of any of the six 2-year-old races at this year's Royal Meeting, with £100,000 being paid to the owner and £25,000 to the vendor of the horse. An additional £125,000 bonus, with the same £100,000/£25,000 split, will also be paid to the first Craven Breeze-Up winner of any of the 15 European Group 1 races open to 2-year-olds, including the all-age G1 Nunthorpe S. at York and the G1 Prix de l'Abbaye de Longchamp.

The Royal Ascot races and Group 1 races open to 2-year-olds are as follows:

Royal Ascot Races:

- G2 Coventry S.
- G2 Queen Mary S.
- G2 Norfolk S.
- G3 Albany S.
- Listed Chesham S.
- Listed Windsor Castle S.

UK Group 1 Races:

- Nunthorpe S.
- Cheveley Park S.
- Middle Park S.
- Fillies' Mile
- Dewhurst S.
- Futurity Trophy

Irish Group 1 Races:

- Phoenix S.
- Moyglare Stud S.
- National S.

French Group 1 Races:

- Prix Morny
- Prix de l'Abbaye de Longchamp
- Prix Marcel Boussac
- Prix Jean-Luc Lagardère
- Critérium International
- Critérium de Saint-Cloud

The 2023 edition of the Tattersalls Craven Breeze-Up Sale will be held from Apr. 17-19. Breezes will take place over the Rowley Mile at Newmarket on Apr. 17, with the sale held at Park Paddocks the following two days.

Tattersalls Chairman Edmond Mahony said, “The £250,000 Tattersalls Craven Royal Ascot/Group 1 Bonus reinforces our commitment to rewarding owners with multiple bonuses. The introduction of the bonus in 2021 immediately captured the imagination of owners and trainers and we were delighted that European Champion 2-Year-Old Native Trail (GB) (**Oasis Dream {GB}**) was able to collect the £125,000 Tattersalls Craven Group 1 Bonus for Godolphin before going on to win the G1 Tattersalls Irish 2000 Guineas last year.” **Cont. p8**

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Native Trail was the recipient of multiple bonuses | Tattersalls

Tattersalls Bonuses Cont.

He added, "The bonuses further enhance the appeal of a sale which produces a consistent flow of top-class 2-year-olds, with last year's sale producing twice as many group/listed performers as any other 2022 European breeze up sale as well as two Classic winners in Native Trail and G1 1000 Guineas winner Cachet (Ire) (Aclaim {Ire})."

"Running alongside the ever-popular £15,000 Tattersalls Craven Breeze-Up Bonus, the multiple bonuses reward numerous owners and as Native Trail demonstrated, the prospect of an owner winning multiple Tattersalls Craven Breeze-Up Bonuses is very real."

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FRENCH WHIP USE REDUCED BY ONE STRIKE BEGINNING ON MAY 1

The number of strikes with the whip a jockey is allowed to use over jumps and on the Flat in France has been reduced from five to four beginning on May 1, France Galop announced on Wednesday.

There will be an educational and transitional period from Mar. 1 to Apr. 30 to allow jockeys to acclimate to the new regulations. The sanctions currently in place regarding overuse of the whip will be applied through Apr. 30. The aim is to gradually reduce the use of the whip, and the system will be reviewed at the end of 2023.

The following are specifications that apply to the manner and the number of times a whip can be used:

- Using the whip on the shoulder or neck of the horse when the jockey does not have both hands on the reins counts towards the permitted number of strikes.
- It is at the discretion of the stewards to decide if a jockey

has used his/her whip clearly and unequivocally for safety reasons (correcting the horse's trajectory) rather than misused it.

- The stewards will consider it a misuse offence (according to article 171 of the Racing Code) when a jockey uses his/her whip one or more times even though his/her mount was no longer able to improve or was out of contention (it is a misuse even if the jockey has used his/her whip below the authorised number).
- Using the whip above shoulder height is considered a misuse offence.

Increased penalties will come into effect on May 1, as well, with specific penalties applying to group races. For the full details regarding penalties for whip offences after the new rules come into effect, and for more information on the new rules, please go to the [France Galop website](#).

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FIRST FOAL BY ALKUMAIT TOUCHES DOWN AT CROHANE HOUSE

The first foal by **Alkumait (GB)**, who stands at Castlefield Stud in Ireland, was born on Tuesday morning and is reported to be a cracker of a colt by his breeder Joey Fallon of Crohane House.

He said, "This lad is a fine, big and strong Alkumait. He's a solid foal. I'll definitely be sending the mare back to Alkumait on the strength of this foal and I'm gonna send him a second mare now as well."

Alkumait was a high-class performer at two. Winner of the G2 Mill Reef S., the son of Showcasing (GB) is a half-brother to the G1 Dewhurst winner and leading 2000 Guineas fancy Chaldean (GB) (**Frankel (GB)**). Alkumait stands for €5,000 this year.

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Alkumait's first reported foal is a colt | Zoe Kearney

BRITAIN

Wednesday's Results:

6th-Kempton, £25,000, Novice, 2-8, 4yo/up, 15f 218y (AWT), 3:28.97, st/sl.

EARL OF TYRONE (IRE) (g, 5, **Australia {GB}--Affirmative {GB}, by Pivotal {GB})**, last year's Listed Martin Molony S. winner and Ebor H. third, had joined William Haggas and lined up for this Fast-Track Qualifier for the £150,000 All-Weather Marathon Championships under a three-pound penalty for new connections. Enjoying the perfect stalking trip in third against the rail, the 3-1 joint-favourite was unleashed by James Doyle passing two out and soon had command en route to an authoritative 2 1/4-length success from Berkshire Rocco (Fr) (Sir Percy {GB}). "It looked as though he really enjoyed the trip tonight," Maureen Haggas said. "He is off to Australia and goes into quarantine tomorrow and I think William wanted to find whether we go for the mile-and-a-half race [Tancred S.] or the two-mile race [Sydney Cup]. Looking at that, he will probably go straight for the Sydney Cup and you'd hope he would have a nice chance. From what we have seen of him, he is an easy-going, straightforward sort of horse with a nice personality." The dam, who has a yearling filly by **Saxon Warrior (Jpn)** to come, is a daughter of the G1 Nassau S. winner Favourable Terms (GB) (Selkirk) who is also the second dam of the dual G3 Prix du Petit Couvert scorer Berneuil (Ire) (Lope De Vega {Ire}). Sales history: 300,000gns HRA '22 TATAHI. Lifetime Record: SW-Ire, 16-4-1-3, \$142,334. O-Australian Bloodstock; B-Moran Stables (IRE); T-W Haggas.



Earl Of Tyrone | John Hoy

1st-Kempton, £7,000, Novice, 2-8, 4yo/up, 11f 219y (AWT), 2:37.66, st/sl.

MR INSPIRATION (IRE) (c, 4, Dubawi {Ire}--Fireglow {GB} {MSW & MGSP-Eng, \$228,310}, by Teofilo {Ire}), who was second on his belated debut at Wolverhampton in December, tracked the leader throughout the early stages. Wound up from the top of the straight, the 2-5 favourite was in front two out but had to work to ward off Polemon (GB) (**Frankel {GB}**) and proved equal to the task to prevail by a neck. The winner is the first foal out of the smart dam, who captured the Listed Chalice S., Listed Star S. and Listed Montrose S. and was runner-up in the G3 Musidora S., G3 Sweet Solera S. and G3 Prestige S. Out of the dual group 3-placed Fading Light (GB) (King's Best) from the family of **Camelot (GB)**, she also has the unraced 3-year-old filly Torchlight (GB) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}) and a 2-year-old filly by Too Darn Hot (GB). Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$7,041. O/B-Godolphin (IRE); T-John & Thady Gosden.



IN HONG KONG:

Flying Silver (Ire), g, 4, **Gleneagles (Ire)**--Bright Snow, by Gulch. Happy Valley, 2-8, Hcp. (C4), 1800mT, 1:49.18. B-Tullamaine Castle & Partners. *24,000gns RNA Wlg '19 TATDEF; £35,000 Ylg '20 GOFSEP. **VIDEO**

Gorytus (Ire), g, 5, **Footstepsinthesand (GB)**--Julieta (Ire), by Teofilo (Ire). Happy Valley, 2-8, Hcp. (C3), 1650mT, 1:39.55. B-Hyde Park Stud & Lisslglenn Bloodstock. *€28,000 Wlg '18 GOFNOV; €45,000 Ylg '19 TISEP. **VIDEO**

IN QATAR:

Tishka (Ire), f, 3, **Ribchester (Ire)**--Avenue Montaigne (Ire) (SP-Ire), by Showasing (GB). Al Uqda, 2-8, Hcp. (C5), 1300m. B-Highfort Stud. *23,000gns Wlg '20 TATDEF. **VIDEO (SC 7)**

WORLDWIDE NEWS

OLD FLAME SHARE GOES FOR A\$70K

A 5% share in 5-year-old entire **Old Flame (GB)** (Invincible Spirit {Ire}) (lot 198), a Group 2 winner, sold for A\$70,000 to Chatsworth Farm at the Inglis Digital February (Early) Sale on Wednesday. **Cont. p10**

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Old Flame Cont.


Bred by Juddmonte Farms, the bay is a son of juvenile winner Lilyfire (First Defence) and made his first four starts in the Northern Hemisphere, winning two. Purchased for 250,000gns out of the Tattersalls Autumn Horses-in-Training Sale in 2021 by Snowden Racing/Will Johnson Bloodstock, he has thrived Down Under. A winner of three of his eight starts in Australia, including the A\$500,000 G2 Linlithgow S. at Flemington last October, he has also placed in the A\$250,000 G2 Shannon S., the A\$1-million The Gong, as well as the A\$500,000 The Coast. Overall, he has earned A\$625,000 from his eight starts, and he is due to trial later this month, before targeting the G1 Doncaster and the G1 George Ryder S.

Old Flame is a half-brother to the G2 Duchess Of Cambridge S. third Chaleur (GB) (Dansili {GB}), as well as the G3 Ballysax S. third Dalvey (GB), also by Dansili.

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BLUE POINT SPRINT-G2, \$180,000, NH & SH 3yo/up, 1000mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	6	Khaadem (Ire)	Dark Angel (Ire)	Hills	Egan	129
2	12	Acklam Express (Ire)	Mehmas (Ire)	Tinkler	Scott	125
3	3	Equilateral (GB)	Equiano (Fr)	Hills	Shoemark	125
4	4	Khuzaam	Kitten's Joy	Watson	O'Neill	125
5	2	Ladies Church (GB)	Churchill (Ire)	Murtagh	Coen	125
6	1	Lazuli (Ire)	Dubawi (Ire)	Appleby	Buick	125
7	13	Logo Hunter (Ire)	Brazen Beau (Aus)	Seemar	O'Shea	125
8	5	Man Of Promise	Into Mischief	Appleby	Doyle	125
9	7	Miqyaas (GB)	Oasis Dream (GB)	Bouresly	Chavez	125
10	11	Ponntos (Ire)	Power (GB)	Nieslanik	Fresu	125
11	9	Raasel (GB)	Showcasing (GB)	M. Appleby	Tudhope	125
12	10	Taneen	Speightsown	Al Mheiri	Pinheiro	125
13	8	Thunder Of Niagara (Ire)	Night Of Thunder (Ire)	bin Harmash	Dawson	125

Friday, Meydan, Dubai, post time: 20:55p

UAE 2000 GUINEAS-G3, \$150,000, NH & SH 3yo, 1600m

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	1	Eye On The Prize (Arg)	Il Campione (Chi)	Olascoaga	da Silva	130
2	6	Legend Of Cannes	Cairo Prince	Nass	de Vries	121
3	5	Magic Petition	Good Magic	bin Harmash	Fresu	121
4	8	Morning	Munnings	Seemar	O'Shea	121
5	2	Mr Raj	Bolt d'Oro	bin Harmash	Dawson	121
6	3	Shirl's Bee	Bee Jersey	Watson	Dobbs	121
7	4	Talentum	Accelerate	Seemar	Mullen	121
8	7	Tall Boy	Lookin At Lucky	O'Neill	Buick	121
9	9	Tiger Nation	Tamarkuz	bin Chadayer	Barzalona	121

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BUSINESS BAY CHALLENGE-Listed, \$100,000, NH & SH 4yo/up, 1400mT

SC PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1 6	Fast Raaj (Fr)	Iffraaj (GB)	Barberot	Lecoeuvre	126
2 3	Danyah (Ire)	Invincible Spirit (Ire)	Al Mheiri	O'Neill	125
3 11	Erzindjan (Ire)	Lope De Vega (Ire)	bin Harmash	Dawson	125
4 7	I Am Superman (Ire)	I Am Superman (Ire)	O'Callaghan	Keane	125
5 8	Land Of Legends (Ire)	Iffraaj (GB)	bin Suroor	Cosgrave	125
6 2	Major Partnership (Ire)	Major Partnership (Ire)	bin Suroor	Steward	125
7 5	Manjeer (Ire)	Footstepsinthesand (GB)	Fey	Hardouin	125
8 1	Modern News (GB)	Shamardal	Appleby	Buick	125
9 10	Rodaballo (GB)	Lope De Vega (Ire)	Arizkorreta	Martinez	125
10 9	Shining Blue (Ire)	Exceed And Excel (Aus)	bin Suroor	Tudhope	125
11 4	Spirit Of Light (Ire)	Dark Angel (Ire)	Williams	Fresu	125

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