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RANK	STALLION	BTW	GSW	EARNINGS	
1	PRACTICAL JOKE	4	3	\$2,451,201	
2	CLASSIC EMPIRE	2	2	\$1,395,600	
-	Gun Runner	2	-	\$2,510,594	

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\$2-MILLION GOOD MAGIC COLT PACES OBS MARCH TUESDAY



\$2-million session topper by **Good Magic** | Photos by Z

by Jessica Martini & Christina Bossinakis

OCALA, FL—The Ocala Breeders' Sales Company's March 2-Year-Olds in Training Sale, which had four million-dollar juveniles a year ago, has matched that mark with another day to go as a colt by **Good Magic** topped Tuesday's trade with a sale co-record final price of \$2 million. Bob Baffert, sitting in the press box alongside Donato Lanni while on the phone with Amr Zedan, made the winning bid, which matched the \$2-million price tag of Chestertown (**Tapit**), who sold at the auction in 2019.

"It was a good day," said OBS Director of Sales Tod Wojciechowski. "We equaled a March sale record and there were two other million-dollar sales. It shows that consignors are not afraid to bring a nice horse to the March sale. They know they can get the money for them."

OBS president Tom Ventura added, "And the horses' race records is what brings the buyers back, so it's a good combination."

Through two sessions, OBS has sold 293 head for a gross of \$46,044,500. The two-day average of \$157,148 is up 17.8% from last year's two-day auction, while the median is up 13.3% to \$85,000.

With 110 horses reported not sold during the two sessions, the buy-back rate of 27.3% continued to be well ahead of last year's figure of 13.7%.

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'GRAMMER' LESSONS--PART I

by Alan Carasso

DUBAI, UNITED ARAB EMIRATES -- Brooke Hubbard remembers the 2018 Keeneland September Sale almost as if it happened yesterday.

A little past the midway point of the sixth day of bidding in Lexington, hip 1683--a colt from the first crop of **Tonalist** and offered by Dermot and Emma Quinn's Garrencasey Sales--walked into the back ring and immediately caught Hubbard's attention. A few minutes and \$60,000 later, the May 11 foal was hers.

"I bid twice and I was looking around thinking, 'Oh, my gosh, I must have missed something that someone else saw or noticed,'" Hubbard recollected. "But overall, he was just a really nice-shaped horse. His legs, he had good angles and he had a little pot-belly, but you could see the raw shape underneath it all."

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GUN RUNNER COLT TOPS GOFFS DUBAI BREEZE-UP SALE

A colt by **Gun Runner** topped the second edition of the Goffs Dubai Breeze-Up Sale. Alan Carasso reports from Dubai.

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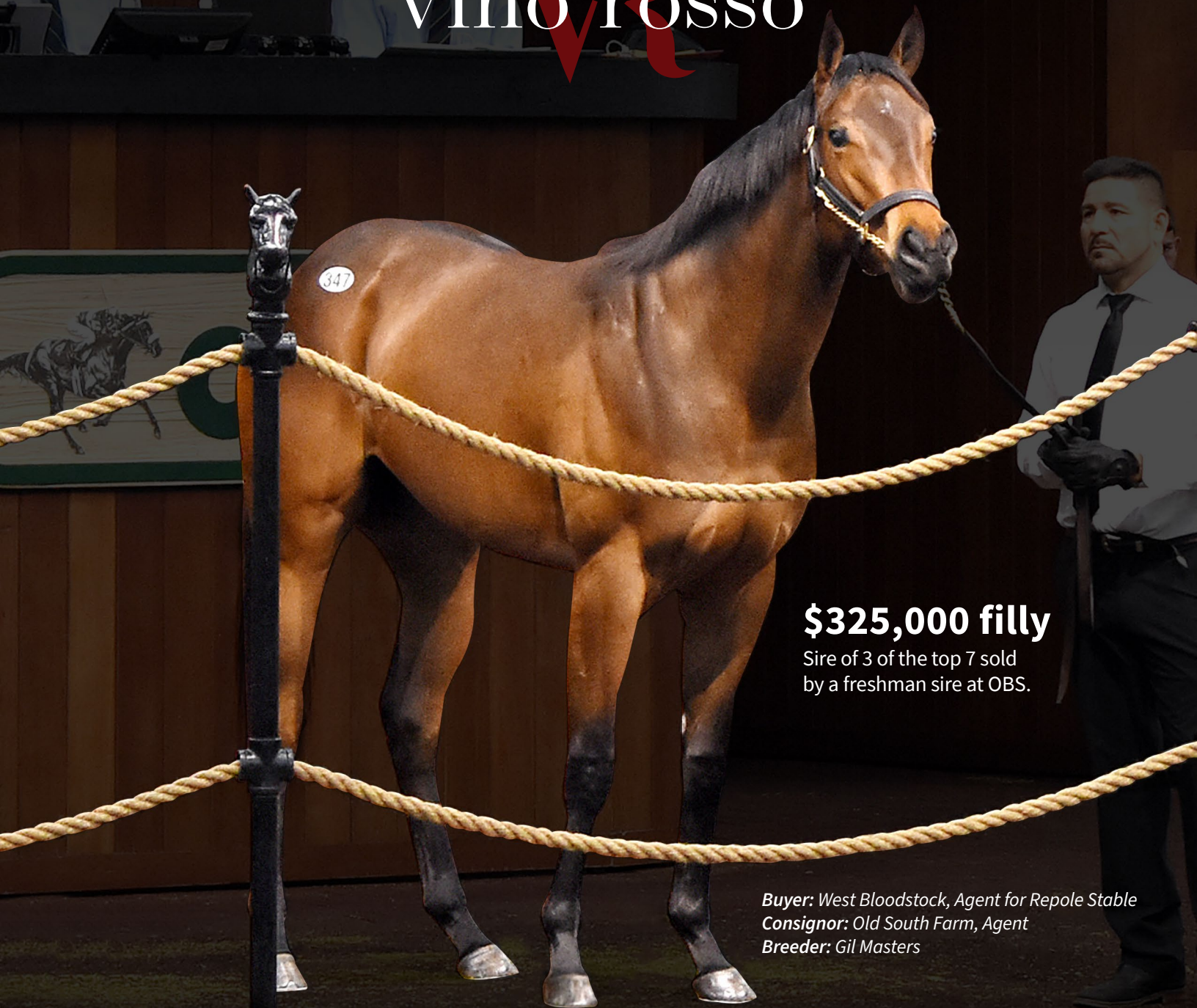
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When Veronica Reed took over as stallion manager at Three Chimneys, she became the second consecutive woman to hold the position, following Sandy Hatfield. The two trailblazing women are the subject of a Katie Petrunyak feature. [Click here](#) or on the photo to read and watch it. | Lee Thomas

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"The good horses are selling well, and some of them may be even over-selling," consignor Eddie Woods said. "There are a lot of very average horses here and they are bringing what they are supposed to bring. Just because they go really quick doesn't mean they are nice. So when the whole package shows up and it vets well and it looks and acts like a runner, the money shows up."

The OBS March sale concludes with a final session beginning at 11 a.m. Wednesday.

\$2-Million Good Magic Colt Lights Up OBS

Bob Baffert sat in the press box on the phone with Saudi businessman Amr Zedan as Donato Lanni handled the bidding, ultimately securing a colt by **Good Magic** (hip 546) for \$2 million late in Tuesday's second session of the OBS March sale. The bay colt, who turned heads with a :9 3/5 furlong work followed by a monster gallop-out during last week's under-tack preview, was consigned by Torie and Jimbo Gladwell's Top Line Sales.

"I kind of expected it because good horses command good prices and he was a standout," Zedan said by phone Tuesday. "We were just waiting for this moment to come to get the opportunity to bid for him. He demonstrated an amazing breeze and he looked the part. And most importantly, Bob just fell in



The topper's :9 3/5 work last week | Photos by Z

love with him. Donato flagged the horse. Bob--we call him the boss--arrived and he basically loved what he saw. We huddled up and the rest you know."

Zedan was asked if either he or Baffert had hesitated at any point in the bidding as they saw off every volley of trainer Steve Asmussen, who sat in the pavilion on the phone.

"Not at all," Zedan said. "It's very difficult to find this quality of horse." **Cont.**

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OBS March Tuesday, cont.

Zedan continued: "And if there is a horse that we like, our motto is we stop when we own him. I think we've demonstrated that in the past. I don't mean to come across as arrogant, but good horses command a premium and that's what it takes to get winners. Let's just hope he demonstrates that on the racetrack and he makes us all proud."

The colt's attributes were in plain sight, according to Lanni.

"Everybody saw what he did," Lanni said. "You come to the sales long enough, you see few horses do what he did. His breeze was extraordinary and how he came back from his breeze and how he handled himself. We are here to buy the top-end horses and he was one of the top-end horses, I believe. He did everything right."

Zedan has made no secret that his goal in racing is to win the Kentucky Derby.

"Absolutely," he confirmed. "That's the dream. That's our program. We start with the Derby in any given year, and we work backwards." @JessMartiniTDN

More Magic for Gladwells

Torie and Jimbo Gladwell had already had success with a son of **Good Magic** at this OBS March sale--selling a colt by the



Jimbo Gladwell and Donato Lanni | Photos by Z

champion for \$725,000 during Monday's first day of the auction--but that result proved just a warm-up for the Top Line Sales team which watched as the colt the family's pinhooking partnership purchased for \$190,000 at last year's Keeneland September sale sold for an eye-popping \$2 million to Amr Zedan.

"I could cry, easy," Jimbo Gladwell admitted after watching the colt sell. "We are just thrilled. It's just an unbelievable result."

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 **MILL RIDGE**

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Zedan has made a habit of purchasing seven-figure juveniles out of the Top Line consignment. He gave the Gladwells their first million-dollar sale when buying future Grade I winner Princess Noor (**Not This Time**) for \$1.35 million at the 2020 OBS April sale and he acquired this year's GIII Southwest S. winner Arabian Knight (**Uncle Mo**) for \$2.3 million at OBS last April.

"This game is not easy by any means," Torie Gladwell said. "Every day you wake up knowing something is not going to go right. We just pray every day that we have good luck. And we have a very good team behind us. We are very blessed."

The \$2-million juvenile, bred by Don Alberto Corporation, is the first foal out of Hoppa (**Uncle Mo**), a 7-year-old mare who won once in just three starts for the Solari family's operation.

"We took a shot buying that horse at the Keeneland sale," Torie Gladwell said. "He was a little light on page, but his physical is just an 11+—that horse is just amazing on the shank. **Good Magic** was kind of so-so at the time that we purchased the horse. So we took a little bit of a risk. **Good Magic** is hot right now and the horse just bloomed into an amazing athlete. He is an average-sized horse, but he has a huge stride. And he does it so effortlessly. He is just a machine on the track. It will be fun to watch him progress."

Don Alberto purchased the mare Handoverthecat (Tale of the

Cat), with Hoppa in utero, for \$170,000 at the 2015 Keeneland November sale. The mare produced a filly by **Violence** last year and was bred back to **Tacitus**. @JessMartiniTDN

Arrogate Colt Heads to Japan

Shingo Hashimoto | Photos by Z

A colt by Arrogate (**hip 489**), who topped last year's Fasig-Tipton New York-bred Yearlings sale when selling for \$700,000 just days after his full-brother Cave Rock...**cont**

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OBS March Tuesday, cont.

...debuted with a 'TDN Rising Star'-worthy victory, will be heading to Japan after selling for \$1.05 million to the bid of Northern Farm's Shingo Hashimoto.

"Obviously, I thought he was the best horse in the sale," Hashimoto said. "He's from the last crop of Arrogate. We are going to take him back to Japan."

The dark bay colt is out of graded-stakes winner Georgie's Angel (Bellamy Road).

Since the colt was purchased as a yearling last summer, Cave Rock has gone on to win the GI **American Pharoah** S. and GI **Runhappy** Del Mar Futurity and was second in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile.

Hip 489, who was consigned by Tom McCrocklin on behalf of Michael Sucher's Champion Equine, worked a quarter-mile last week in :21 1/5.

"The time itself wasn't fast," Hashimoto said. "But he was very well balanced and he looked very attractive. When we saw him at the sales barn, he walked very nicely, which I liked a lot."

Asked if expected the seven-figure price tag, Hashimoto said, "Yes. We were trying hard to buy yesterday and we couldn't end up with some of the good ones, so we are happy to get this good colt." @JessMartiniTDN

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Arrogate Pays for McCrocklin

Tom McCrocklin | Photos by Z

After watching a colt by Arrogate he had purchased for \$700,000 last August at the Fasig-Tipton New York-bred Yearling Sale bring a final bid of \$1.05 million Tuesday in Ocala, bloodstock agent Tom McCrocklin said, "This is a success story."

The colt was one of several high-end yearlings McCrocklin purchased last year on behalf of Michael Sucher's Champion Equine. **Cont.**

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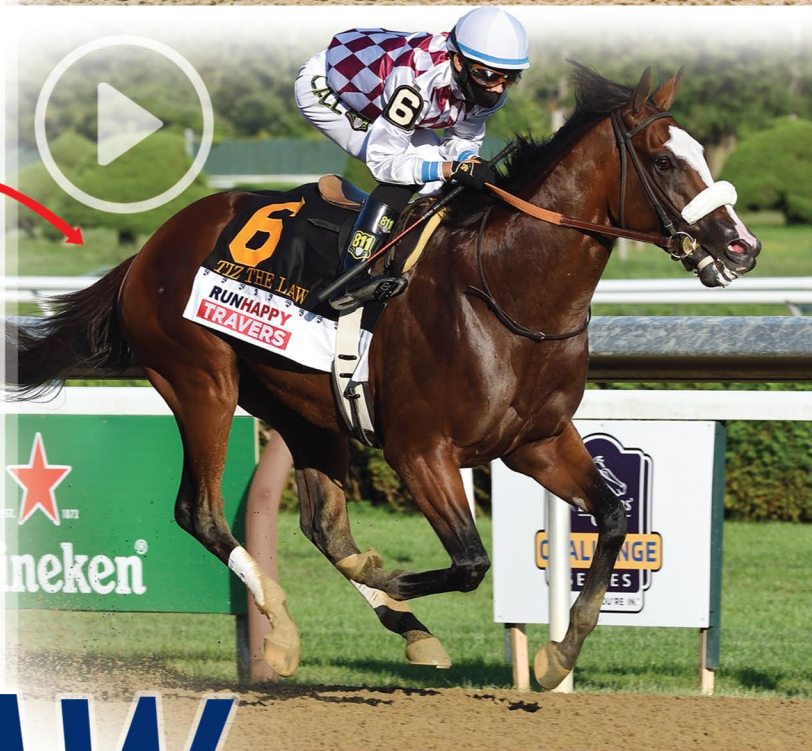
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"It was a game plan that may not work consistently over time, but it worked today," McCrocklin said.

"I think we sold a very classy, Classic-type horse to some really good people. My goal is that he's a very good racehorse for them. The money comes and goes and pinhooking is a high wire act to begin with, but it feels really good when you bring a good, sound, beautiful horse to the sale and he is well-received and somebody takes him home. My end-goal is to sell those people a really good racehorse. It's not about me, it's about the horse and it's about the horse going forward."

McCrocklin had more success with Arrogate just a few hips later when selling a filly by the late stallion for \$950,000 to Lee Searing's CRK Stables. The filly, who worked a quarter-mile in :20 4/5 last week, was acquired on behalf of Champion Equine for \$250,000 at last year's Keeneland September sale.

"Class and quality," McCrocklin said when asked what he saw in Arrogate's offspring.

"They are quality horses. And they show up when you need them to show up. And they sustain their weight and their mental toughness and they are extremely sound. They are very willing, genuine horses." @JessMartiniTDN

Twirling Candy Colt Lights Up OBS

Hip 433 | Photos by Z

Solidly into Tuesday's session, the first juvenile of the day to realize seven figures lit up the board with a \$1-million final bid for a son of **Twirling Candy** (Hip 433).

Securing Hip 345--a filly by Bernardini--earlier in the day for \$600,000, Sean Flanagan was back in action later to land the day's third-biggest prize. **Cont.**

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John Kimmel signed on the day's second-leading filly earlier in the session, while Jeff Mackor was on-hand to handle the signing duties on the son of the Lane's End stallion.

"I have always wanted a **Twirling Candy**--he's a fantastic sire," said Flanagan, who was flanked by trainer Saffie Joseph, Jr. and Mackor during the bidding. "I didn't think he would go that high...but we're here having fun. That's the main thing."

The Feb. 11 foal is out of GSP Divine Dawn (Divine Park), a full-sister to GSW and GISP Divine Miss Grey.

"I have a great team," added Flanagan. "John Kimmel is a dear friend of mine and he also signed on a couple of them today. And Saffie will train all of them."



John Kimmel | Photos by Z

Consigned by Eddie Woods, the colt breezed an eighth in **:9.4** last week. Bred by International Equities, the grey was a \$200,000 purchase at Keeneland last September.

"This horse is a magnificent horse," said Woods. "He's been a lovely horse from the first day we worked him. He showed up every day and worked fantastic and he galloped out really well. We had a lot of the top-end people on him."

He continued, "I didn't think he'd bring seven figures. I thought maybe he'd bring \$750,000, if everyone went in on him. **Twirling Candy** is a very good stallion. But to say you're going to get a million might be a stretch. When you're dealing with **Uncle Mo**, **Arrogate**, **Curlin**, **Into Mischief** and all those fancy stallions, you can expect to get a million for some of them because it happens. But for this horse, I was just delighted. He's been a smart horse all year, he's found a good spot and I hope he's good to them."

@CbossTDN

Searing Gets His Arrogate Filly

Hip 526 | Photos by Z

Lee Searing of CRK Stables had his eye on a small group of horses, but he came away with his pick of the group when acquiring a filly by **Arrogate** (**hip 526**) for \$950,000 Tuesday in Ocala.

Consigned by Tom McCrocklin, the gray filly is out of graded-placed **Heart of Paradise** (**More Than Ready**). She worked a quarter-mile last week in **:20 4/5**.

"We came here to look at four or five horses," Searing, who did his bidding while sitting alongside trainer John Shirreffs, said. "But we loved this horse from the minute she breezed to the time we bought her. She didn't turn a hair. And **Arrogate** is a top sire. It's such a shame he died."

Searing was prepared for the filly's final price tag. **Cont.**



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Lee Searing | Photos by Z

"I knew it," he said with a rueful smile. "That was the horse. We bought one other one, but that was the horse [we wanted]."

CRK Stables has been represented over the years by Grade I winners Express Train, Switch, Beyond Brilliant and **Honor A.P.**

"It's always fun," Searing said of Tuesday's bidding. "I've bought some expensive horses before, but when I can get John Shirreffs a really nice horse, it's really nice to be able to do it."

@JessMartiniTDN

Curlin Colt Brings \$900K at OBS Tuesday

The fireworks continued late into the session with **Hip 505**, a colt by **Curlin**, realizing a \$900,000 final bid. Terry Finley, situated out back, signed the ticket on behalf of a partnership between Talla Racing, Woodford Racing and West Point Thoroughbreds. Consigned by Al Davis's Old South Farm, the Florida-bred is out of GI Alcibiades S. winner Gomo (**Uncle Mo**). The colt will be trained by California-based John Sadler.

"He is a beautiful physical and is very well bred," said Will Farish III, speaking on behalf of Ingordo Bloodstock. "We're really excited we had the chance to buy him."

When asked about the price, he said, "We thought it would be somewhere in that range, and we were hoping it wasn't going to get out of control."

He continued, "He was just an amazing mover. He looked great during the breeze and we went to see him a few times at the barn and we just loved the way he was walking."

Bred by Bridlewood Farm, the bay was a \$250,000 Keeneland September yearling purchase by Hoby Kight on behalf of Beryl 'Sonny' Stokes, who just passed away last week at age 89. According to Kight, Stoke's daughter Lauren is expected to take over her father's equine operation.



Hip 505 | Photos by Z

"I was expecting north of \$500,000 by the amount of play at the barn and as well as he worked," said Kight, who was visibly moved by the passing of his longtime friend. "He's such a beautiful horse with pedigree and everything went his way."

He added, "I like to buy fast horses with pedigree. Every once in a while one falls in my lap. I try to scatter them out with good guys and I hope I come out with a runner." @CbossTDN

Nyquist Colt to Ryan

Bloodstock agent Mike Ryan, bidding on behalf of an undisclosed client, purchased a colt by **Nyquist** (**hip 472**) for \$600,000 during Tuesday's second session of the OBS March sale.

"I am very partial to **Nyquist**--I pinhooked him as a yearling to 2-year-old a number of years ago," Ryan said. "He's a sire that we feel has tremendous upside potential. He has a couple Grade I winners in his first crop. And this colt is out of a very good mare--she won \$600,000 on the dirt and was Grade I placed and a stakes winner in New York. This is a horse who is going to go two turns. That's what we are looking for, 1 1/8 miles and 1 1/4 miles, we hope he has that potential."

The colt, consigned by Wavertree Stables, is out of Flora Dora (**First Dude**), who was third in the 2016 GI Coaching Club American Oaks. He was bred by Coffee Pot Stables and RNA'd for \$185,000 at last year's Fasig-Tipton Saratoga sale.

Asked if a trainer had been picked out for the juvenile, Ryan said, "We are not sure. I will let the owner decide that."

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Flanagan Stays Active Day 2 at OBS



Sean Flanagan | Photos by Z

In addition to Tuesday's third highest-priced colt, Sean Flanagan also secured the session's second-leading filly, a daughter of Bernardini out of SW Cartwheelin Lulu (Bustin Stones). Consigned by Gene Recio, **Hip 345** brought \$600,000. Flanagan also purchased a filly by **Midnight Lute (Hip 223)** for \$370,000 on Day 1.

"Gene had said to me what a nice filly she is," explained John Kimmel. "And from a physical standpoint, she really looks the part. In this marketplace, even though it's a big price, it's kind of what you need to spend to acquire these kind of horses. I can't say anything other than at least he got himself a horse that's physically beautiful and very appealing and has the ability to be a nice 2-year-old with enough substance that can race on as a 3-year-old."

Kimmel, acting as an agent for Flanagan at OBS, signed for both the Bernardini filly in addition to a colt by Laoban (**Hip 168**, \$425,000) during Monday's session.

"To me he was a smacking, good-looking colt," said Kimmel of Monday's purchase. "He looked like a racehorse and he was super clean, passed the vet and looked great on the racetrack. I was done at \$300,000 and Sean carried it the rest of the way."

He added, "He was also the underbidder on the **Uncle Mo** of Hartley/DeRenzo and he was the underbidder on Jimmy Gladwell's **Good Magic** colt [Monday]. But he's got a filly who would be a nice horse to add to his collection as a broodmare."

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Vino Rosso Colt Reels in \$550K on Day 2

In the waning moments Tuesday, **Hip 544**, a colt by Champion older horse Vino Rosso, brought \$550,000, leading the Spendthrift stallion's offerings through the second day of selling. Purchased by Alex and JoAnn Lieblong, the colt was consigned

by Brandon and Ali Rice's RiceHorse Stable.

"He looked like a 3-year-old among 2-year-olds," said Alex Lieblong. "I really think Vino Rosso has a good shot at being a really good stallion. I liked the pedigree, but to me, the consignors count even more than that."

When asked who the colt would go to, he said, "I haven't made up my mind yet who he will go to yet. I have two or three trainers, Norm Casse and Riley Mott, a couple of guys starting out, so I have to figure that one out now."

He added with tongue firmly planted in cheek, "They're both on the plane home so they'll be arguing all the way home!"

The colt is out of the Smoke Glacken mare Hookah Lady, who is already responsible for multiple graded stakes winner Get Smokin (Get Stormy). This is also the family of female grass champion Dayatthespa (City Zip) and GSW Clev Er Tell (Tell).

The sale also represented a coup for Dr. David Suarez Fuentes, who was represented by his first yearling-to-2-year-old in training pinhook.

Explaining how his relationship began with the Rice family and his foray into the pinhooking game, the veterinary surgeon said, "I started pinhooking two years ago with [Dr. William] 'Bo' Rainbow, who introduced me to Brandon. But I have been around horses my whole life. My dream was always to be able to buy and sell horses."

A \$32,000 RNA at Keeneland November, the bay was secured for \$35,000 at Keeneland last September by Establo Rafanil, Suarez Fuentes's family operation in Puerto Rico.

"He had some little things, but nothing major," he said when asked about the bargain yearling price. "But he was beautiful and sound. After I looked at the horse and pedigree myself, and I looked at the scope since I'm my own vet, I made the decision to buy him."

He continued, "Last year was the first time I was free to [physically] go to the sale to buy horses myself." **Cont.**



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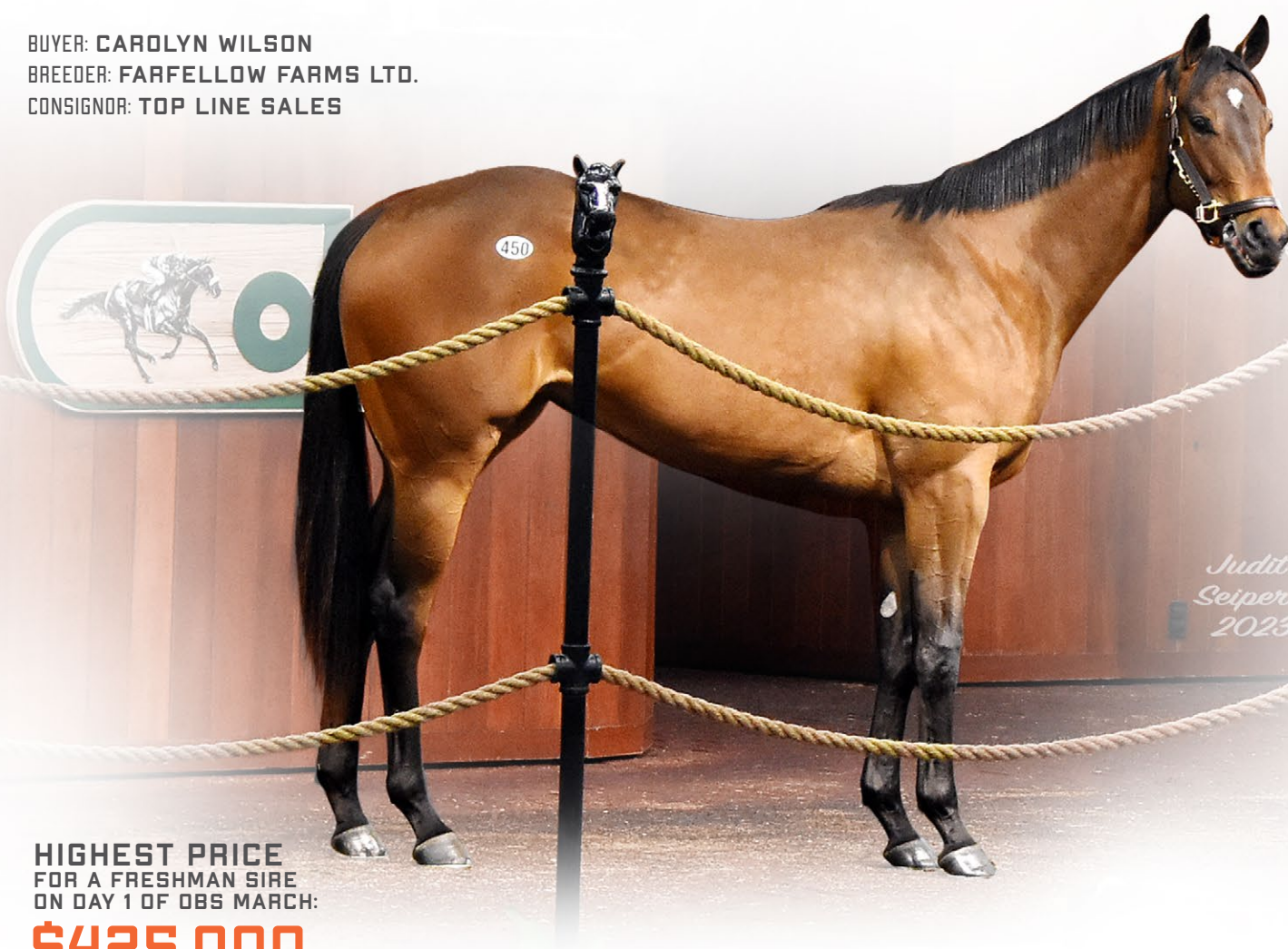
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"I had been doing my residency the past few years which was very intensive," said Suarez Fuentes. "We didn't get many breaks. So, I was finally able to go to the sale and buy horses, and I selected this Vino Rosso colt."

The Mar. 8 foal worked :9.4--the co-second fastest time for an eighth--during last week's breeze session.

"From the beginning, he looked like he would be a star by the way he looked and trained," he said. "And the Rices have done an amazing job with him."

Of the colt's sire, he added, "He was an amazing horse. Irad Ortiz, Jr. rode for us in Puerto Rico, so I followed Vino Rosso [ridden by Ortiz] from the beginning. That's why he was always at the front of my mind when I looked at the sale catalogues. I always looked for something by him." @CBossTDN



The OBS grounds Tuesday | Photos by Z

Going Rogue

Most of the stallions are already well established as either sires or on the racetrack (or both) by the time they make it onto the OBS catalogue page. Freshman sire Rogueish (Into Mischief), responsible for Hip 320, was clearly not among those. However, after the sole offering by the sire to sell drew a \$220,000 final bid from Michael Sucher's Champion Equine LLC Tuesday, that may have all changed.

A \$1,500 OBS Winter yearling purchase, the Apr. 3 foal returned to the ring to bring \$50,000 from South Florida-based trainer Saffie Joseph, Jr. at OBS later in October. According to Joseph, he subsequently sold the son of Born to Jazz (Student Council) to a few of his partners, and they decided to run him through the sale to see if they could get a fair price. And if not, they were happy to keep him and put him in training.

Consigned under the Golden Rock Thoroughbreds banner, the Florida-bred worked an eighth in :10 flat during last week's breeze show.

"He's a big colt but he's also very forward," said Joseph. "He's a big, good-looking horse. You would never think he should be doing what he's doing."

The 2-year-old's sire, Rogueish, was trained by Steve Asmussen and campaigned by Ed and Krista Seltzer and Beverly Anderson. The son of GSW Verdana (Rahy), he sparked in what would be his sole career start, a 6 3/4-length victory going six furlongs at Fair Grounds in the fall of 2018.

Retired after that due to injury, the Kentucky-bred took up stud duties at the owner's Solera Farm in Williston, Florida. The 7-year-old stands the current season for \$2,500.

"I was introduced to him by Ed Seltzer, who I train for. When I saw the stallion at the farm, I looked at his record and saw that he had been trained by Steve Asmussen and he won his first start impressively. He was also by into Mischief, so I was very impressed by him," said Joseph of the juvenile. "So when I went to the sale, I thought I could buy value by the stallion. He was obviously talented and had his career cut short by injury. I was intrigued by the horse."

With 32 foals to his credit and 14 of racing age, the stallion was represented by six yearlings to sell in 2022 at an average of \$18,783, while eight weanlings averaged \$22,437. Hip 320 was the stallion's highest-priced sale last season. @CBossTDN

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SESSION TOTALS	2023	*2022
• Catalogued	278	319
• No. Offered	210	204
• No. Sold	151	165
• RNAs	59	39
• % RNAs	28.1%	19.1%
• High Price	\$2,000,000	\$1,200,000
• Gross	\$25,178,000	\$21,953,000
• Average (% change)	\$166,742 (+25.3%)	\$133,048
• Median (% change)	\$90,000 (+20.0%)	\$75,000
CUMULATIVE TOTALS	2023	*2022
• Catalogued	556	635
• No. Offered	403	430
• No. Sold	293	371
• RNAs	110	59
• % RNAs	27.3%	13.7%
• High Price	\$2,000,000	\$1,200,000
• No. Over \$500k	14	12
• Gross	\$46,044,500	\$49,498,000
• Average (% change)	\$157,148 (+17.8%)	\$133,418
• Median (% change)	\$85,000 (+13.3%)	\$75,000

*2022 Figures do not include post-sale transactions.

SESSION TOPPERS

OBS MARCH SALE TUESDAY'S TOP COLTS

HIP	SIRE DAM	PRICE (\$)
546	Good Magic --Hoppla (\$190,000 yrl '22 KEESEP) Breeder: Don Alberto Corporation (KY) Consignor: Top Line Sales LLC, Agent XVI Purchaser: Donato Lanni, agent	2,000,000
489	Arrogate --Georgie's Angel (\$700,000 yrl '22 SARAUG) Breeder: Kathleen Schweizer (NY) Consignor: Tom McCrocklin, Agent II Purchaser: Katsumi Yoshida	1,050,000
433	Twirling Candy --Divine Dawn (\$200,000 yrl '22 KEESEP) Breeder: International Equities Holding (KY) Consignor: Eddie Woods, Agent VIII Purchaser: Jeff Mackor, agent for Sean Flanagan	1,000,000
505	Curlin --Gomo (\$250,000 yrl '22 KEESEP) Breeder: Bridlewood Farm (FL) Consignor: Old South Farm LLC, Agent II Purchaser: Woodford & Talla & West Point	900,000
472	Nyquist --Flora Dora (\$185,000 RNA yrl '22 FTSAUG) Breeder: Coffee Pot Stables (KY) Consignor: Wavertree Stables, Inc. (Ciaran Dunne), Agent VI Purchaser: Mike Ryan, agent	600,000
544	Vino Rosso --Hookah Lady (\$35,000 yrl '22 KEESEP; \$32,000 RNA wnl '21 KEENOV) Breeder: Hurstland Farm & James Greene, Jr. (KY) Consignor: RiceHorse Stable (Brandon & Ali Rice), Agent III Purchaser: Alex & JoAnn Lieblong	550,000
499	Cairo Prince --Glide On By (\$25,000 yrl '22 KEESEP) Breeder: Estate of Harvey A Clarke, Paul Braverman, Sebastian Murat & Steven (KY) Consignor: White Lilac (Katie Miranda), Agent IV Purchaser: Klaravich Stable, Inc	450,000
411	Blame --Daring Dancer (\$110,000 yrl '22 KEESEP) Breeder: Yeguada Centurion S.L. (IRE) Consignor: Top Line Sales LLC, Agent IX Purchaser: Michael Maker	450,000

TUESDAY'S TOP FILLIES

HIP	SIRE DAM	PRICE (\$)
526	Arrogate --Heart of Paradise (\$250,000 yrl '22 KEESEP) Breeder: Fred W. Hertrich, III & John D. Fielding (KY) Consignor: Tom McCrocklin, Agent II Purchaser: Parks Investment	950,000
345	Bernardini --Cartwheelin Lulu (\$230,000 yrl '22 KEESEP) Breeder: Scott Pierce (KY) Consignor: Gene Recio, Agent V Purchaser: John C. Kimmel, agent for Sean Flanagan	600,000
450	Audible --Enjoy This Moment (\$220,000 yrl '22 KEESEP) Breeder: Farfellow Farms (KY) Consignor: Top Line Sales LLC, agent Purchaser: Carolyn Wilson	500,000
418	Classic Empire --Dear to All (\$75,000 yrl '22 KEEJAN) Breeder: James A. Justiss & In the Arena Enterprises (KY) Consignor: de Meric Sales, Agent XIX Purchaser: Jonathan Thomas, agent	450,000
284	Constitution --Back Flip (\$130,000 yrl '22 FTKOCT) Breeder: Allied Racing Stable (KY) Consignor: Eddie Woods, Agent XVI Purchaser: Saints or Sinners LLC, Mark Glatt, agent	385,000



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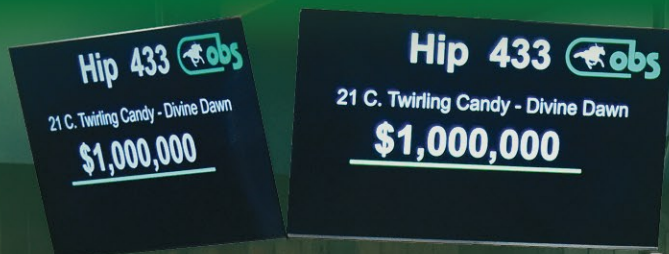
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OBS March 2-Year-Olds Wednesday, Mar. 22

<u>Hip</u>	<u>Sex</u>	<u>Pedigree</u>	<u>Price</u>	<u>Prev Sale</u>	<u>Buyer/Agent</u>	<u>Current Consignor</u>
557	C	Bolt d'Oro-Infliction	\$55,000	FTKOCT YLG 22	Parrish Farms	Parrish Farms
558	F	Munnings-In Full Compliance	\$450,000	FTN SEL YLG SAR 22	Champion Equine/Tom McCrocklin	Tom McCrocklin
560	F	Tapiture-Inspeightof	\$32,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Mick Lovin	Pick View
563	F	Good Samaritan-Introvert	\$14,000	OBS YLG SALE 22	Angel Ordonez	G. A. T'bred Sales
564	F	World of Trouble-Island Love Song	\$37,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Arrowhead Farm	Pick View
565	C	Flameaway-Isle Get Ready	\$30,000	FTKOCT YLG 22	G.O.P. Racing Stable	GOP Racing Stable Corp.
566	F	Yoshida (Jpn)-Its About Midnight	\$22,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Angel Hernandez	Hernandez Stables
567	C	Vino Rosso-It's All Me	\$20,000	FTN NY-BRED YLG 22	EAC Training and Sales	Ironclad Farm
568	C	Cat Burglar-Janice Sue	\$4,500	NCA AUG YLG 22	Juan Zamora	Triple J Equine Sales
569	C	Frosted-Jazaalah	\$25,000	FTKOCT YLG 22	Greg James	Longoria Training & Sales
570	F	St Patrick's Day-Jazil's Dream	\$12,000	OBSWNT MIX 22	Lugamo Racing Stable	De Meric Sales
574	C	Constitution-Jungle Tale	\$200,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Becky Thomas	Sequel Bloodstock
576	C	Tapiture-Just Cat	\$20,000	FTKOCT YLG 22	Larry Mejias	Fast Horses
577	C	Collected-Just Joking	\$40,000	KEESEP YLG 22	September Farm/Rodolphe Brisset	Gene Recio
579	F	Vino Rosso-Karpathos	\$55,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Paul Neatherlin	Longoria Training & Sales
580	C	Mshawish-Katanga (Ger)	\$25,000	FTI YLG OCT 22	Bgb Investments	Randy Miles
581	C	Ghostzapper-Katie's Kiss	\$210,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Phantom Bloodstock	Top Line Sales
582	C	Sharp Azteca-Kemly	\$25,000	FTKOCT YLG 22	Smart Play	Whitman Sales
583	F	Tapiture-Key Is to Win	\$20,000	FTKOCT YLG 22	Barzini Syndicate	Classic Bloodstock
585	C	Sky Kingdom-Kilty	\$5,000	OBS YLG SALE 22	Candido Vargas	Sugar Hill
587	C	Take Charge Indy-Kitten's Cardinal	\$50,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Granpollo Stables	Golden Rock T'breds
588	F	Vino Rosso-Kitten's Catch	\$9,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Abel Rangel	AB Thoroughbreds
589	C	Astern (Aus)-Kodiak Gal (Ire)	\$15,000	KEEJAN ALL AGES 22	Arga Racing Stable	GOP Racing Stable Corp.
591	C	Jimmy Creed-Kuznetsov	\$15,000	FTI YLG OCT 22	Jose Lewis Ramirez	Omar Ramirez B'stock
593	F	Maximus Mischief-La Canela	\$25,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Vortex Racing	Gene Recio
594	F	Practical Joke-Lady Banks	\$60,000	KEESEP YLG 22	JDT Racing/R. Dalyn Jones	Tom McCrocklin
595	F	Distorted Humor-Lady Gottcha	\$17,000	KEESEP YLG 22	The Tree Farm	The True Farm
598	C	Munnings-Laquesta	\$165,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Quarter Pole Enterprises	Eddie Woods
600	F	Twirling Candy-Laudation	\$265,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Red Wings Enterprises	Wavertree Stables

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604	F	Lord Nelson-Lazaria Lass	\$10,000	FTKOCT YLG 22	Andry Blanco	ABG Warrior Racing
605	F	Tale of Verve -Lemon Drop Belle	\$4,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Edy Gonzalez	Goldencents T'breds
606	C	Enticed -Le Plume	\$47,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Bobby D	White Lilac
607	F	Mo Town -Lesson Plan	\$7,000	KEEJAN ALL AGES 22	MBR	Top Line Sales
608	C	Anchor Down-Leveragedtothehilt	\$8,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Greg James/Jessie Longoria	Longoria Training & Sales
610	C	Speightster-Lexington Pearl	\$20,000	FTKOCT YLG 22	KLC Racing	Centofanti T'breds
611	F	Girvin -Libby Knows	\$100,000	FTKSUM YLG 22	Gus King	Randy Miles
612	C	Constitution -Libby's Tail	\$165,000	FTKSUM YLG 22	Al Pike	Pike Racing
613	F	Enticed -Lil Bess	\$10,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Aldo Peceros	Limitless Thoroughbred
614	C	Uncle Mo -Lilies So Fair	\$135,000	FTKOCT YLG 22	David Geofroy	Golden Rock T'breds
616	F	Dialed In -Lili Von Shtupp	\$10,000	KEESEP YLG 22	30-30 Ranch	30-30 Ranch
617	C	World of Trouble -Lil' Sasha	\$30,000	FTKOCT YLG 22	Greg James	Longoria Training & Sales
618	C	Practical Joke -Lime Lady	\$50,000	KEESEP YLG 22	CaSal Racing/Flynt Fesmire	Flynt Fesmire
620	F	Midshipman -Lion Cub	\$40,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Daniela Boyd	Omar Ramirez B'stock
623	C	Catalina Cruiser -Listen to My Song	\$28,000	KEENOV BRDG 21	Raramurl Equine	Bold Arrow T'breds
624	C	Tapiture -Little Mizzy	\$8,000	OBS YLG SALE 22	Advanced Thoroughbreds	Advanced Thoroughbreds
626	C	Practical Joke -Louisiana Voodoo	\$220,000	KEENOV BRDG 21	Cypress Creek	Wavertree Stables
627	C	Mendelssohn -Love Ava Love	\$85,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Albert Davis	Old South Farm
629	F	World of Trouble -Lovely Daniella	\$30,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Greg Jackson	Silvestre Chavez T'breds
630	C	Yoshida (Jpn) -Lovemeorleaveme	\$25,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Jacobo Ordonez	Golden T'breds Training
631	F	Enticed -Love's Illusion	\$15,000	KEENOV BRDG 21	Polo Green Stable Partnership	Omar Ramirez B'stock
632	C	Maximus Mischief-Lu Baton	\$12,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Bella Racing	On Point Training & Sales
633	C	Maximus Mischief-Lucy Buckner	\$170,000	FTKSUM YLG 22	Quarter Pole Enterprises	Eddie Woods
637	C	Runhappy -Lutetia	\$35,000	KEESEP YLG 22	B L Transport	Ordonez Thoroughbreds
639	F	Into Mischief-Madame Orbe	\$240,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Lehigh Bloodstock	Wavertree Stables
640	F	Tonalist -Madoffwiththecash	\$9,500	KEESEP YLG 22	Wildheart Thoroughbreds	Wildheart Thoroughbreds
642	C	Kantharos -Mahbadiha	\$50,000	TEXAS YLG 22	JKX & Co.	Golden Rock T'breds
643	C	West Coast -Make Music	\$5,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Aureliano Noguez	Silvestre Chavez T'breds
645	C	Flatter-Marcy Darcy	\$71,000	FTI YLG OCT 22	Granpollo Stable	Golden Rock T'breds
646	F	Frosted -Mardi Gras	\$75,000	FTKSUM YLG 22	Team Farm	Omar Ramirez B'stock
647	F	Nyquist -Maria Maria	\$80,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Kaden Clary/Brad Walker	Clary Bloodstock
648	C	Malibu Moon-Marietta	\$65,000	FTKOCT YLG 22	JK Bloodstock	James Layden
650	C	Violence -Maritimeconnection	\$62,000	KEESEP YLG 22	G U Stables/Luis F. Bouza	Golden Rock T'breds
651	C	Speightster-Marrakesh Express	\$12,000	OBS YLG SALE 22	Jorge Luis Gonzalez	Chuy Ceballos
654	C	Not This Time -Meadow Bride	\$50,000	KEESEP YLG 22	G.O.P. Racing Stable	GOP Racing Stable Corp.

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655	F	Constitution -Media Madness	\$50,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Cardinal House	De Meric Sales
657	C	The Big Beast-Melrose	\$20,000	OBS YLG SALE 22	Good Games	Omar Ramirez B'stock
658	C	Bolt d'Oro-Memphis Melissa	\$260,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Pick View	Pick View
662	C	Lord Nelson-Mimi's Sugar	\$30,000	OBS YLG SALE 22	Pro Racing Stable	GOP Racing Stable Corp.
663	C	Liam's Map -Mindfully	\$10,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Martinez Brothers	SBM Training and Sales
669	F	Uncle Mo -Miss Catomine	\$190,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Stock Thoroughbreds	Pick View
671	F	World of Trouble -Miss Curlin	\$15,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Ramon Minguet	Hawk's Rest
673	F	Street Sense -Miss Drake	\$100,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Brooke Hubbard	Gene Recio
674	C	Flameaway -Missiletoe Kiss	\$90,000	FTN NY-BRED YLG 22	Jose Camejo	Golden Rock T'breds
675	C	Collected -Miss Katie Bug	\$20,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Advanced Thoroughbreds	Advanced Thoroughbreds
676	C	Tapiture -Miss Malice	\$10,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Aureliano Noguez	Golden Noguez
677	C	World of Trouble -Miss Paget (Ire)	\$20,000	KEESEP YLG 22	J. Keith Desormeaux	Mayberry Farm
678	C	Into Mischief-Miss Southern Miss	\$260,000	FTKSUM YLG 22	De Meric Sales	De Meric Sales
680	F	Collected -Missyoulikecrazy	\$20,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Arturo Gonzalez	A Rebel Colt
681	C	Constitution -Mistical Plan	\$95,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Kaden Clary/Brad Walker	Clary Bloodstock
682	F	Blame -Mistressofthenight	\$120,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Pick View	Pick View
684	F	The Factor -Mizzen Out	\$16,000	OBS YLG SALE 22	Jose Y. Aurrecoechea	New Way
685	C	Munnings -Model of Royalty (Ire)	\$47,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Meah/Lloyd Bloodstock	Gene Recio
687	C	Vino Rosso-Molly O'Shea	\$37,000	FTKOCT YLG 22	JVC Training & Sales	JVC Training and Sales
688	C	Upstart -Mommo	\$155,000	FTKSUM YLG 22	Pick View	Pick View
689	F	Uncle Mo -Monthly	\$150,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Hoby Kight	Pick View
690	C	Astern (Aus)-Moondancer	\$6,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Fabian Garcia	Fabian Sales
693	F	El Deal-Moonlit Bayou	\$15,000	TEXAS YLG 22	Keiber Rengifo	Golden Rock T'breds
694	C	Blame -Moon Medal	\$85,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Simon Carey	Pick View
696	F	Khozan-Moonshot	\$20,000	OBS YLG SALE 22	Monarch Farms	Halcyon Hammock Farm
697	F	Maximus Mischief-Mo Promise	\$20,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Alejandro Vargas	AVP Training and Sales
698	F	American Pharoah -More Fun Again	\$200,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Gary Contessa	De Meric Sales
700	F	Solomini-More Than Love	\$37,000	FTN NY-BRED YLG 22	Tom McCrocklin	Tom McCrocklin
701	F	World of Trouble -Mount Nevis	\$45,000	OBS YLG SALE 22	K & E Sales	Dynasty Thoroughbreds
702	C	Frosted -Movie Moment	\$15,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Omega Farm	Omega Farm
703	C	Lord Nelson-Ms Silver Oak	\$22,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Six K's Training & Sales	Six K's Training & Sales
705	F	Liam's Map -Musical Mystery	\$160,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Quarter Pole Enterprises	Eddie Woods
706	F	Classic Empire -My Adeline	\$20,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Simeon Mendoza	SGV Thoroughbreds
709	C	Great Success-My Cotton Candy	\$6,000	OBSWNT MIX 22	Leonor Ybarra	De Meric Sales
711	F	St Patrick's Day-My Novena	\$20,000	OBSWNT MIX 22	Luis D. Calderin	Randy Miles

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714	C	Classic Empire-My Saving Grace	\$110,000	FTKSUM YLG 22	Owls Bloodstock	Wavertree Stables
716	C	Tapwrit-Mystic Mirage	\$15,000	OBS YLG SALE 22	Pete Eslick	Sugar Hill
717	F	Speightster-My Sugar	\$15,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Red Hipica Hispana de Television	Cardozo's Brothers
718	F	Not This Time-Naples Rose	\$95,000	KEESEP YLG 22	C S V	Paul Sharp
719	C	Catalina Cruiser-Natchez Trace	\$22,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Larry Mejias	Navas Equine
720	F	Twirling Candy-Nathan's Mom Becky	\$75,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Hines/Platts	De Meric Sales
722	F	Liam's Map-Neck of the Moon	\$150,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Barry Berkelhammer	Cary Frommer
723	F	Into Mischief-Nefertiti	\$250,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Elusive Thoroughbreds	Top Line Sales
725	F	Catholic Boy-Newellton	\$25,000	KEESEP YLG 22	AB Thoroughbreds	AB Thoroughbreds
726	F	Hard Spun-Newport Breeze	\$50,000	FTKOCT YLG 22	Larry Mejias	Fast Horses
727	F	Gun Runner-Nicole H	\$120,000	KEESEP YLG 22	First Finds	De Meric Sales
728	C	Maclean's Music-Nightlife Baby	\$75,000	FTI YLG OCT 22	Classic For Campanella	Classic Bloodstock
729	F	Audible-Nile Rising	\$10,000	FTN NY-BRED YLG 22	Monarch Farms	Halcyon Hammock Farm
730	F	Mitole-Nora's Joy	\$90,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Franklin Ave. Equine	Mason Springs
733	C	Collected-Nothin But a Smile	\$11,000	FTI YLG OCT 22	James Politano	Julie Davies
734	F	More Than Ready-Not Taken	\$47,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Lynwood Stable	Gene Recio
741	F	Munnings-One Foxy Grey	\$150,000	KEESEP YLG 22	String Music T'bred Investments	Blazing Meadows Farm
742	C	Dialed In-One More Wild Ride	\$150,000	FTKSUM YLG 22	Country Day Racing	Eddie Woods
743	C	Maximus Mischief-One Playful Act	\$60,000	FTKSUM YLG 22	Feld Family Finds	De Meric Sales
744	C	Collected-One too Many	\$80,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Double D Sales	Dynasty Thoroughbreds
745	F	St Patrick's Day-Oops Cowles	\$14,000	OBSWNT MIX 22	Silvestre Avila	De Meric Sales
746	F	Accelerate-Ordain	\$20,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Paul Neatherlin	Longoria Training & Sales
748	C	Audible-Our Hope Diamond	\$100,000	FTN NY-BRED YLG 22	Horseology	White Lilac
752	F	Omaha Beach-Pacific Heat	\$300,000	KEESEP YLG 22	West Bloodstock	Wavertree Stables
754	F	Collected-Paoletta	\$16,000	OBS YLG SALE 22	Angel Hernandez	Hernandez Stables
757	C	Mendelssohn-Part of the Charm	\$55,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Richie's World Stables	Ironclad Farm
758	C	Exaggerator-Party of Four	\$15,000	OBS YLG SALE 22	Michael Laurato	Gene Recio
759	F	Quality Road-Party of Interest	\$100,000	FTKOCT YLG 22	Hoby Kight	Coastal Equine
764	F	Unified-Pinata Cat	\$14,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Justin Wojczynski	Wavertree Stables
765	C	Omaha Beach-Pioneer Queen	\$50,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Dark Star Thoroughbreds	Dark Star Thoroughbreds
768	C	Neolithic-Political Miss	\$17,000	OBSWNT MIX 22	Marron Road/Mike Pender	RiceHorse Stable
770	F	Catholic Boy-Popstar	\$22,000	KEESEP YLG 22	R K G Racing	Potrero Stables
773	C	Mineshaft-Precious Princess	\$110,000	KEEJAN ALL AGES 22	Sand Hill Bloodstock	De Meric Sales
774	C	Demarchelier (GB)-Prehistory	\$17,000	KEESEP YLG 22	4 Stars	All Dreams Equine
775	F	Air Force Blue-Prettypriceygirl	\$25,000	FTKOCT YLG 22	Jose Aurrecoechea	New Way

<u>Hip</u>	<u>Sex</u>	<u>Pedigree</u>	<u>Price</u>	<u>Prev Sale</u>	<u>Buyer/Agent</u>	<u>Current Consignor</u>
776	F	Mastery -Princess Char	\$14,000	KEEJAN ALL AGES 22	Arga Racing Stable	GOP Racing Stable Corp.
780	C	Khozan-Prize Informant	\$27,000	OBS YLG SALE 22	Blas Perez Stables	Blas Perez Stables
781	C	Catholic Boy -Profess	\$5,000	FTKOCT YLG 22	Jesus Avila	Blue Sapphire Stables
782	F	Take Charge Indy -Project Rose	\$35,000	FTKOCT YLG 22	Greg James	Longoria Training & Sales
783	F	Classic Empire -Promise Me More	\$25,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Granpollo Stables	Golden Rock T'breds
787	C	Mor Spirit-Qualifying	\$7,000	OBS YLG SALE 22	Dark Horse Racing/RiceHorse	RiceHorse Stable
791	C	Maximus Mischief-Queen Jolene	\$10,000	OBS YLG SALE 22	Gerardo Amado/EAC Racing	Ironclad Farm
792	F	Practical Joke -Queen Negwer	\$110,000	FTKSUM YLG 22	Chuck Hovitz/Hovfam Racing	Mayberry Farm
793	C	Omaha Beach-Quiet Hour	\$77,000	FTKOCT YLG 22	Raramuri Equine	Bold Arrow T'breds
794	F	Audible -Rachel's Temper	\$85,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Jonathan Dean	Silvestre Chavez T'breds
795	F	Cairo Prince -Rachel Wall	\$50,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Jackie Pugh	Dynasty Thoroughbreds
797	C	Funtastic -Rangerette	\$15,000	FTKOCT YLG 22	Larry Mejias	Pick View
798	F	Mitole-Rapids	\$55,000	FTKOCT YLG 22	George Sharp/Equinox	Niall Brennan Stables
800	F	Bucchero -Rate Change	\$37,000	OBS YLG SALE 22	Thorostock	Thorostock
802	F	Mor Spirit-Ready's Gal	\$35,000	TEXAS YLG 22	George W. Childs	Blas Perez Stables
803	C	City of Light -Really Proud	\$50,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Pedro Maestre	CM Thoroughbreds
805	F	Constitution -Real Sister	\$80,000	FTKSUM YLG 22	John C. Davison	Paul Sharp
807	C	Ghostzapper -Redshirt	\$150,000	KEEJAN ALL AGES 22	Sand Hill Bloodstock	De Meric Sales
808	F	Liam's Map -Refining	\$40,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Horseology	White Lilac
809	F	Sharp Azteca -Reign Suzanne	\$100,000	OBS YLG SALE 22	De Meric Sales	De Meric Sales
811	F	Destin-Reservation Blues	\$14,000	OBS YLG SALE 22	Roy Thomas	Longoria Training & Sales
812	F	Vino Rosso-Revealing Moment	\$100,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Barry Berkelhammer	Cary Frommer
813	F	Flameaway -Revengefulpleasure	\$17,000	FTKOCT YLG 22	Charles Pearson/Big Easy	Big Easy
815	C	Omaha Beach-R Heat Lightning	\$250,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Pick View	Pick View
816	F	Bernardini-Rhys	\$170,000	FTN SEL YLG SAR 22	Highbury Bloodstock	Wavertree Stables
817	C	Audible -Rhythm of Grace	\$95,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Daniel McGreevy	Eddie Woods
818	C	Outwork -Ribbon Taffy	\$27,000	OBS YLG SALE 22	Pro Racing Stable	Navas Equine
820	C	Twirling Candy -Rill	\$140,000	KEESEP YLG 22	De Meric Sales	De Meric Sales
821	F	Kantharos -Rise Above	\$45,000	KEENOV BRDG 21	B W Stables	Cesar Loya Training
823	F	Good Magic -Rivercane	\$75,000	OBS YLG SALE 22	Sean S. Perl Bloodstock	De Meric Sales
824	C	Vino Rosso-R Naja	\$100,000	KEENOV BRDG 21	Sand Hill Bloodstock	De Meric Sales
825	C	World of Trouble -Rockin Alli	\$50,000	OBS YLG SALE 22	De Meric Sales	De Meric Sales
828	C	Upstart -Royal Song Dancer	\$30,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Flynt Fesmire	Flynt Fesmire
830	C	Street Boss-Rubindy	\$25,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Royal Code Stable	Julie Davies
832	C	Bernardini-Rumbaua	\$60,000	KEESEP YLG 22	Raymond Kuah	Niki Purdom
833	C	Mor Spirit-Rustic Chic	\$30,000	OBS YLG SALE 22	Pick View	Pick View



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Hip	Sex	Sire	Dam	Price (\$)
305	filly	Practical Joke	Beyond Ambition	250,000

Consigned by Golden Rock Thoroughbreds

Purchased by C2 Racing Stable LLC

Moderniza acquired this filly for \$47,000 at last year's Keeneland September sale. The same group sold a filly by Malibu Moon (**hip 427**) for \$230,000. The bay had been purchased for \$52,000 at Keeneland last fall.

345	filly	Bernardini	Cartwheelin Lulu	600,000
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Consigned by Gene Recio, Agent V

Purchased by John C. Kimmel, Agent for Sean Flanagan

The Vortex Racing pinhooking partnership acquired this filly for \$230,000 at last year's Keeneland September sale.

347	filly	Vino Rosso	Cash is Queen	325,000
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Consigned by Old South Farm LLC, agent

Purchased by West Bloodstock, Agent for Repole Stable, Inc.

Old South Farm's Al Davis acquired this filly for \$77,000 at last year's Keeneland September sale.

412	filly	Connect	Daring Reality	330,000
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Consigned by Coastal Equine LLC (Jesse Hoppel), agent

Purchased by Selective LLC, Cary Bloodstock, agent

Jesse Hoppel was able to acquire this filly for \$60,000 at last year's Keeneland September sale.

418	filly	Classic Empire	Dear to All	450,000
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Consigned by de Meric Sales, Agent XIX

Purchased by Jonathan Thomas, agent

Sand Hill Bloodstock acquired this filly for \$75,000 at last year's Keeneland September sale.

438	colt	Arrogate	Dowry	310,000
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Consigned by Lucan Bloodstock (Karl Keegan), agent

Purchased by Pedro Lanz, Agent for KA White Stables

Trainer David Connizzo signed for this colt for \$70,000 at last year's Keeneland September sale.

'Grammer' lessons, cont. from p1

The immature, young and unrefined racehorse she'd plucked out of the sale on behalf of Sayjay Racing's Steve Young, now named Country Grammer, can become North America's first \$20-million racehorse should he successfully defend his title at Meydan Racecourse this Saturday.

Making the Short 'List'

To call any son or daughter of **Tapit** a surprise package would be a bit of a stretch, but **Tonalist** proved to be one of the more versatile gallopers in recent memory. Winner of the GII Peter Pan S. at a mile and an eighth in May 2014, the Shel Evans homebred successfully stretched out to 12 furlongs to annex the GI Belmont S. and closed the campaign victoriously in the GI Jockey Club Gold Cup over a mile and two furlongs.

A razor-sharp winner of the one-mile GIII Westchester H. on his 4-year-old debut, he was third to his fellow future Lane's End stallion barnmates **Honor Code** and **Liam's Map** in the GI Whitney S. before joining the likes of Slew o'Gold, Creme Fraiche, Skip Away and **Curlin** as back-to-back winners of the Gold Cup. Following a fifth behind **American Pharoah** in the 2015 GI Breeders' Cup Classic, **Tonalist** earned an all-important Grade I at eight panels in the Cigar Mile H.

Hubbard was more than willing to roll the dice on the son of the Forestry mare Arabian Song, whose female family includes Juddmonte luminaries such as Group 1 winner Etoile Montante (Miswaki), her MGSW daughter Starformer (Dynaformer), GISW Obligatory (**Curlin**) and MGSW/MGISP Bonny South (**Munnings**).

"I liked the idea of **Tonalist** as a first-crop sire, and I looked at a couple," Hubbard said. "I don't generally just try to cherry-pick stallions. I just look at everything and what looks athletic and has a shape to it." **Cont.**



Country Grammer right at home at Meydan | DRC

Country Grammer, cont.

Hubbard continued: "When I saw him, I had followed up another **Tonalist** the day before, got outbid, went back to [the Arabian Song colt] and I thought he was a nicer physical than the one the day before."

Neither was she put off by the colt's foaling date.

"I generally like to find a little bit later horses, just because we don't care about waiting on him and starting them a little bit later," Hubbard said. "I remember talking to the consignor after I got him and she was asking about our plans."



Brooke Hubbard

Seller's Remorse?

Though she had previously bought horses to race for Sayjay--including three-time Grade III winner Blended Citizen (Proud Citizen) in whom she was a partner--the **Tonalist** colt was bought as a potential horse for the 2-year-old sales and was turned over to Wavertree Stables' Ciaran Dunne.

"Right from the get-go, [Dunne] liked him," she said. "I remember in December, he called me and he told me, 'The belly's gone. He's starting to shoot up and he's growing all the right ways.' It was truthfully about December or January that he just looked like he was already maturing, which was surprising for a May foal, but yeah, he never missed a beat. We waited until April to sell him only to give him a little bit more time, but when I went there in March, I remember I was there with Neil Drysdale and there was a couple of other guys. We all pulled him out and everyone said the same thing, 'Wow, that's a nice two-turn horse.' At that time, I was pretty excited to continue with selling him in April."

She continued, "I looked at [the colt] in March when I went out [to Ocala], and Ciaran was raving about him," she recollected. "I'm like, 'Well, we're going to continue with the sale.' When I got back, [Steve Young] looked at me and he said, 'This isn't a Grade I winner, is it?' I looked at him. I'm like, 'You never know.' When he went back up for sale, I tried to get him

back interested and he said, 'Well, we already made money. Let's just watch him with his career.'"

The colt advertised himself at the breeze show for the OBS April Sale, covering a quarter-mile in **:21 flat**, even if the clocking was not entirely his selling point.

"The way he moved was all at the one pace and effortless," Hubbard said. "It obviously showed that he was going to be a horse that could cover distance."

And that he certainly has.

Pete Bradley would go on to give \$450,000 for the colt--that part of the story will appear in this space in Thursday's *TDN*.

Hubbard will be thirty-some thousand feet over the country, destination Ocala, when the World Cup jumps around 12:35 Saturday afternoon.

"He looks good in there. That's for sure," she said. "We're excited to watch him. I'll be on a plane back to Florida, but I'll definitely still be keeping in touch with that."

If her fellow passengers experience any clear-air turbulence, they might not want to point a finger at the pilot.

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OLD FRIENDS BREAKS GROUND ON ABERCROMBIE CENTER

Old Friends Abercrombie Center | Mary Greene

The Josephine Abercrombie Pin Oak Foundation will match up to \$750,000 in donations for a new, state-of-the-art Old Friends visitor center at its Georgetown, Kentucky location to be called The Ms. Josephine Abercrombie Center at Old Friends.

The structure, a renovation of an old tobacco barn, will be named in honor of the horsewoman, philanthropist, and late owner of the renowned Pin Oak Stud in Versailles, Ky.

To date, \$150,000 for the project has been raised, which includes a \$50,000 donation by the Georgetown/Scott County Tourism board. **Cont.**

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Old Friends Abercrombie Center, cont.

According to Old Friends President and Founder Michael Blowen, the President and CEO of Fasig-Tipton, Boyd Browning, was instrumental in introducing the Foundation to the idea of a structure to memorialize Ms. Abercrombie's legacy.

"After watching the television coverage regarding Old Friends on Kentucky Derby day last year, where Michael discussed wanting to build a new visitors' center, I called him and offered to help with the fundraising because I believed that it would fulfill a great need for the entire Thoroughbred industry," said Browning. "I can't think of a better combination than Old Friends and Ms. Josephine Abercrombie, because they symbolize such a wonderful commitment to horse welfare."

Pin Oak Stud's Clifford Barry agreed that the concept of building such a facility at Old Friends is something Ms. Abercrombie would have truly liked.

"Ms. Abercrombie had entrusted us with some charitable endeavors, and after her passing, we felt like this was something that was very close to her heart and something she'd be very passionate about," said Barry.

"Through her whole life it had been about the care of the horse," said Barry. "And this is a wonderful way to honor her name and her legacy here in the Bluegrass.

"Ms. Abercrombie was a part of the Bluegrass for a long, long time," he continued. "She had a vision for philanthropy and did a lot of great things here locally, and I think this will just be one of those impactful contributions that would mean a lot to her. And, I think it would mean a lot to all of her friends, too."

To help kick-start the project, Old Friends Board of Director's member Corey Johnsen, former co-owner of Kentucky Downs, enlisted the services of Todd Gralla, Director of Equestrian Services at Populous, the architectural firm's staff member responsible for the planning and design of the equestrian facilities at the 2012 London Olympics, among many other projects. According to Johnsen, Gralla, a longtime horse person, "stepped up to the plate, and we started working on the conceptual drawings and schematics."

According to Blowen, when the renovation is complete, the climate-controlled center will be broken up into three big spaces. On one side there will be big-screen monitors for race

viewing, while on the other side there's going to be a little stage for things like handicapping seminars, symposiums, guest speakers, and more.

There will also be display space showcasing a collection of horseracing memorabilia, artwork, and racing trophies donated to Old Friends by the Bobby Frankel Estate.

"In this way, not only will it be a great space for events, but it will also give people a place to go in the event of a rain storm during their tour of the farm," said Blowen. "They'll be able to come inside and look at all the displays.

"We're also going to have these giant big-screen monitors to show the races of Old Friends horses," he continued. "And, they'll not only get to watch the races, but G.D. Hieronymus, who does the video for Keeneland and for the Hall of Fame Inductions, is developing a kiosk,

where a person can press a button on the name of any horse on the farm and watch their race.

"I want to thank everybody involved in Josephine Abercrombie's Pin Oak Foundation, Inc. for this, including Clifford Barry and John Backer, because I think it's certainly going to be, not only great for us, but it's going to be a very nice testament to have Ms. Abercrombie's name talked about on every tour we ever do," Blowen said. "To have her name on the barn; it's an honor and a privilege to name it after her."

To donate to help in the construction of The Ms. Josephine Abercrombie Center at Old Friends, click [here](#).

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The late Josephine Abercrombie with Clifford Barry | *EquiSport Photos*

HISA THREATENS TURF PARADISE SIMULCAST SHUTDOWN IF REPAIRS NOT MADE

Despite entering into an agreement with the Horseracing Integrity and Safety Authority (HISA) to get Turf Paradise up to date on existing national safety regulations, sufficient repairs were not made to improve the condition of the railing and the Phoenix, Arizona track received a deadline of Apr. 1 for completion or be "prohibited from conducting Covered Horseracing."

The news came via a press release from HISA. **Cont.**

Turf Paradise, cont.

In January, HISA cited the track for non-compliance on Rules 2153 “racetrack facilities”, 2154 “racetrack surface monitoring”, 2168 “equine ambulance”, 2262 “void claim”, 2276 “horseshoes”, 2282 “riding crop violations and penalties” non-enforcement, and 8520(d) “non-payment”.



Turf Paradise | *Chief Chicatriz*

In a Feb. 24 order, both the track and Authority agreed that HISA steward Jorge Estrada, track officials and representatives from the Jockeys' Guild would inspect the rails before Mar. 1 and identify areas where panels may have sharp edges, and repair those areas by Mar. 12. A hearing was conducted remotely via Zoom Mar. 16 to address issues of non-compliance with the terms of the Agreed Order that remained unresolved as of the date of the hearing, and the Authority found the repairs to the rail to be insufficient.

“After deliberating upon the evidence, it was manifestly clear to the members of the Board Panel that the condition of the railing at Turf Paradise poses a significant risk to the safety of the jockeys and horses participating in Covered Horseraces at the racetrack,” the ruling stated. “There is no dispute that the condition of the railing is unacceptable or that to date Turf Paradise has failed to effect the repairs clearly articulated in the Agreed Order. It is vital that the unsafe condition of the railing be rectified as soon as possible.

“The Board Panel therefore orders that Turf Paradise complete the repairs to the railing, as set forth in the Agreed Order, no later than March 31, 2023. Completion of the repairs and compliance with the remaining elements of the Agreed Order will be verified by an inspector designated by Authority CEO Lisa Lazarus with such inspection to be conducted on or before March 31, 2023. If the repairs are not completed on or before March 31, 2023, or if there is evidence of any other deficiency in compliance with the Authority’s rules as set forth in the Agreed

Order of February 24, 2023, Turf Paradise shall be prohibited from conducting Covered Horseraces as of April 1, 2023, pending any further action taken by the Authority.

“The Board Panel declines at this time to impose monetary sanctions upon Turf Paradise for past delays in completing the repairs.”

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GULFSTREAM TO OFFER ROYAL ASCOT JUVENILE QUALIFIERS

The winners of Gulfstream's \$100,000 Royal Palm Juvenile S. and \$100,000 Royal Palm Juvenile Fillies S., both set for May 13, each will earn an automatic entry into one of Royal Ascot's six 2-year-old races. The two five-furlong turf events will be the first-ever U.S. automatic qualifiers for a race at Royal Ascot.

Additionally, the connections will receive a \$25,000 equine travel stipend.

“1/ST RACING is thrilled to announce this new global partnership with Ascot Racecourse,” Aidan Butler, Chief Executive Officer, 1/ST Racing & Gaming, said. “Gulfstream Park is honored to host two automatic qualifiers to challenge the world’s best at this year’s Royal Ascot Meeting.”



Royal Ascot | *Horsephotos*

Royal Ascot will be held this year from Jun. 20-24.

The six juvenile races during the June Royal Ascot meeting are the June 20 G2 Coventry (6 furlongs); the June 21 G2 Queen Mary (5 furlongs, fillies) and the Windsor Castle (5 furlongs); the June 22 G2 Norfolk (five furlongs); the June 23 G3 Albany (6 furlongs, fillies); and the June 24 Chesham S. (seven furlongs).

Nominations for the Royal Palm Juvenile and Royal Palm Juvenile Fillies close Apr. 30.

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SANTA ANITA CANCELS FRIDAY'S CARD



Benoit

As weather woes continue to dog Southern California, officials at Santa Anita proactively cancelled Friday's eight-race program and have scheduled a make-up day of racing for Monday, Mar. 27. Heavy rain resulting in more than three inches of precipitation through Wednesday is expected to fall. Track officials consulted with the California Horse Racing Board (CHRB), the Thoroughbred Owners of California (TOC), the Jockeys' Guild, and the California Thoroughbred Trainers (CTT) in the decision.

Entries will be taken on Thursday morning for Monday.

"By running on Monday instead of Friday, we're going to allow both the main track and our turf course an extra day to dry out before we run on Saturday," said Santa Anita Director of Racing and Racing Secretary Jason Egan. "This will also enable us to run on the grass all three days and it will give horses a chance to return to training prior to racing this weekend."

Santa Anita will remain open for simulcast wagering on Friday.

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REINHARDT NAMED HISA ASSISTANT GENERAL COUNSEL

The Horseracing Integrity and Safety Authority (HISA) has announced that Samuel Reinhardt will be joining the organization as Assistant General Counsel, effective today.

A native Kentuckian, Reinhardt joins HISA from the law firm Stoll Keenon Ogden PLLC (SKO) where he litigated a variety of

equine-related matters, including cases regarding the sale of horses, claims asserted against Thoroughbred auction houses, and disputes over wagering anomalies. He has been recognized on numerous occasions for his legal work by the peer-reviewed publication *Best Lawyers*.

"Sam's experience with state and federal equine industry litigation as well as his passion for the advancement of Thoroughbred racing makes him a great addition to our team," HISA CEO Lisa Lazarus said. "We look forward to having Sam join us as we continue to implement important safety, operational, and integrity standards for our sport across the country."

Reinhardt will work alongside Outside General Counsel John Roach to support the organization's day-to-day operations regarding the safety and integrity of horse racing.

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VELLA JOINS WOODBINE AS HORSE PEOPLE LIASON



Woodbine | Christina Bossinakis

Sovereign Award- and Queen's Plate-winning trainer Dan Vella has joined Woodbine as Horse People Liaison. Vella will be a point of contact for owners and trainers as it relates to opportunities and feedback regarding race conditions, track surface matters, backstretch maintenance, equine safety and race day logistics.

"Dan is a highly regarded figure on our backstretch that has his finger on the pulse of our racing community," Jim Lawson, Woodbine Entertainment CEO, said. "Having the ability to add someone like Dan, who has spent over 50 years on our backstretch and enjoyed success at our highest levels, is a big boost for our stakeholder relationships."

Vella's first stakes victory came in 1985 with Bert James (Dom Alaric {Fr}) in the Sir Barton Stakes. He won his first Queen's Plate with Basqueian (Bounding Basque) in 1994 and a second in 2012 with Strait of Dover (English Channel). **Cont.**

Dan Vella at Woodbine, cont.

He was honored with the Sovereign Award as Canada's outstanding trainer in 1994 and 1995. Overall his runners won over 800 races for \$39 million in earnings.

"I am so excited to have this opportunity to work for Woodbine and continue to be involved in the industry and sport that has given me so much," Vella said.

Vella will begin his new role on Apr. 1.

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ACTON APPOINTED SAM HOUSTON RACING SECRETARY

Sam Houston Race Park | Coady

Veteran racing official Mike Acton has been hired as Sam Houston Race Park's racing secretary. He assumed the role on Feb. 3 and will serve in the same capacity at Retama Park and Zia Park during their respective meets this year.

"Mike is an experienced racing professional who has deep connections in our region that will serve the industry well," Sam Houston Vice President and General Manager Dwight Berube said.

Acton most recently served as the racing secretary at both Remington Park and Lone Star Park.

"I am going to miss my co-workers at Remington and Lone Star," Acton said. "But I am humbled to work with great people at Sam Houston and Retama and am excited about meeting everyone at Zia Park."

The Sam Houston Thoroughbred meet continues through Apr. 8.

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EVANGELINE OPENS AMENDED SEASON APR. 7

Evangeline Downs

The 2023 Thoroughbred season at Evangeline Downs kicks off on Friday, Apr. 7 with an amended 61-day season that closes on Aug. 12.

Racing will be conducted on a Wednesday-through-Saturday schedule for the first five full weeks of the meet and beginning May 18, racing will switch to Thursdays through Saturdays. First post each night will be at 5:30 p.m., CDT.

Stakes action begins on opening night with the \$60,000 Acadiana S. for 3-year-old fillies at six furlongs and the \$60,000 Spotted Horse S. for 4-year-old and up fillies and mares at one mile. The first Saturday of the meet will feature the \$100,000 Evangeline Mile for 4-year-olds and up, along with the \$60,000 Lafayette S. for 3-year-olds sprinting six furlongs.

For more information on Evangeline Downs, visit the [track's website](#).

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TWINSPIRES.COM LOUISIANA DERBY-GII, \$1,000,000, 3yo, 1 3/16m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Shopper's Revenge 🌿	Tapit	Whisper Hill Farm LLC and Three Chimneys Farm	Asmussen	Santana, Jr.	122
2	Instant Coffee 🌿	Bolt d'Oro	Gold Square LLC	Cox	Saez	122
3	Curly Jack 🌿	Good Magic	Michael McLoughlin	Amoss	Morales	122
4	Sun Thunder	Into Mischief	R.T Racing Stable and Cypress Creek Equine	McPeck	Hernandez, Jr.	122
5	Disarm	Gun Runner	Winchell Thoroughbreds LLC	Asmussen	Rosario	122
6	Kingsbarns	Uncle Mo	Spendthrift Farm LLC	Pletcher	Prat	122
7	Cagliostro	Upstart	David Ingordo, Talla Racing, James D. Spry, West Point Thoroughbreds and Nice Guys Stables	DeVaux	Torres	122
8	Single Ruler 🌿	Empire Maker	Rocker O Ranch, LLC	Desormeaux	Cohen	122
9	Tapit's Conquest 🌿	Tapit	Robert V. LaPenta, e Five Racing Thoroughbreds, Madaket Stables LLC	Cox	Franco	122
10	Denington	Gun Runner	Fern Circle Stables and Magdalena Racing	McPeck	Alvarado	122
11	Jace's Road 🌿	Quality Road	West Point Thoroughbreds & Albaugh Family Stable	Cox	Geroux	122
12	Baseline Beater 🌿	Flatter	Lothenbach Stables, Inc.	Pessin	Lanerie	122

Breeders: 1-Three Chimneys Farm, LLC & Whisper Hill Farm, LLC, 2-Sagamore Farm, LLC, 3-Betz/J.Betz/Burns/Camaquiki/C.Kidder/etal, 4-Southern Equine Stables, LLC, 5-Winchell Thoroughbreds LLC, 6-Parks Investment Group, LLC, 7-Lance Colwell & Janice Clark, 8-Don Alberto Corporation, 9-WinStar Farm, LLC & Tapit Syndicate, 10-Fern Circle Stables LLC & Magdalena Racing, 11-Colts Neck Stables LLC, 12-Chippewa Bloodstock

Saturday, Fair Grounds #9, post time: 5:04 p.m. EDT

NEW ORLEANS CLASSIC S. PRESENTED BY RELYNE GI BY HAGYARD-GII, \$500,000, 4yo/up, 1 1/8m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Treasury	Speightstown	Robert K. Johnson and Britt Haselton	Forster	Lanerie	118
2	Art Collector	Bernardini	Bruce Lunsford	Mott	Alvarado	124
3	West Will Power	Bernardini	Gary and Mary West	Cox	Prat	124
4	Trafalgar	Lord Nelson	JD Thoroughbreds, LLC and Wayne Scherr	Hartman	Murrill	118
5	Rattle N Roll 🌿	Connect	Lucky Seven Stable	McPeck	Hernandez, Jr.	118
6	Happy American 🌿	Runhappy	Lothenbach Stables, Inc.	Pessin	Graham	122
7	Mr. Wireless	Dialed In	Jon Lapczenski and JIL Stable	Calhoun	Parker	118
8	Pioneer of Medina 🌿	Pioneerof the Nile	Sumaya U.S. Stable	Pletcher	Saez	122

Breeders: 1-Peter E. Blum Thoroughbreds, LLC, 2-W. Bruce Lunsford, 3-Gary & Mary West Stables Inc., 4-Machmer Hall, 5-St. Simon Place, 6-Claiborne Farm, 7-John & Iveta Kerber, 8-International Equities Holding, Inc.



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Saturday, Fair Grounds #11, post time: 6:08 p.m. EDT**FAIR GROUNDS OAKS PRESENTED BY FASIG-TIPTON-GII, \$400,000, 3yo, f, 1 1/16m**

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Southlawn 🌿	Pioneerof the Nile	Robert E. Masterson	Casse	Gutierrez	122
2	Christian d'Oro 🌿	Bolt d'Oro	Brad King, Randy Andrews, G. Chris Coleman, Jim Cone, Suzanne Kirby and Lee Lewis	Asmussen	Rosario	122
3	Pretty Mischievous	Into Mischief	Godolphin, LLC	Walsh	Hernandez, Jr.	122
4	The Alys Look 🌿	Connect	Ike and Dawn Thrash	Cox	Saez	122
5	Hoosier Philly 🌿	Into Mischief	Gold Standard Racing Stable, LLC	Amoss	Morales	122

Breeders: 1-WinStar Farm, LLC, 2-Ben D Farm, 3-Godolphin, 4-G. Watts Humphrey Jr., 5-Candy Meadows LLC

Saturday, Fair Grounds #10, post time: 5:36 p.m. EDT**MUNIZ MEMORIAL CLASSIC S. PRESENTED BY HORSE RACING NATION-GII, \$300,000, 4yo/up, 1 1/8mT**

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Atone	Into Mischief	Three Diamonds Farm	Maker	Saez	124
2	Rising Empire 🌿	Empire Maker	Welch, Russell and Leonard, Ran M.	Walsh	Geroux	118
3	Gentle Soul	Tapizar	Martin Mueller, Don Ladd, Richard Reid, Joe Bowley and Arvydas Cieminis	Calhoun	Gutierrez	122
4	English Tavern 🌿	English Channel	Jerry Romans, Jr. and Hamilton A. Smith	Lovell	Parker	118
5	Spooky Channel	English Channel	NBS Stable	Barkley	Rosario	122
6	Two Emmys 🌿	English Channel	Wolfe Racing LLC and Hugh H. Robertson	Robertson	Graham	122
7	Another Mystery	Temple City	Team Block	Block	Prat	118
8	Tiz the Bomb	Hit It a Bomb	Brookdale Racing, Inc.	McPeek	Hernandez, Jr.	118
9	Risk Manager	Lookin At Lucky	Case Chambers	Davidson	Santana, Jr.	118
10	Native Thunder 🌿	American Pharoah	Travis Lance Fenton	Stewart	Murrill	118

Breeders: 1-Godolphin, 2-Gainesway Thoroughbreds LTD., 3-Martin Mueller, Richard Reid, DonaldLadd, Joe Bowley & Garry Randall, 4-Dr. Charles H. Huber & English Channel Co-Owners, 5-Calumet Farm, 6-Tottenwood Thoroughbreds, Inc., 7-Team Block, 8-Spendthrift Farm, LLC, 9-Kenneth L. & Sarah K. Ramsey, 10-Bo Hirsch LLC

Saturday, Turfway #12, post time: 6:25 p.m. EDT**JEFF RUBY STEAKS-GIII, \$700,000, 3yo, 1 1/8m**

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Major Dude	Bolt d'Oro	Spendthrift Farm LLC	Pletcher	Ortiz, Jr.	123
2	Scoobie Quando 🌿	Uncle Mo	Andrew N. Warren and Rania Warren	Colebrook	Machado	123
3	Event Detail	City of Light	OXO Equine LLC	Lobo	Rodriguez	123
4	Funtastic Again 🌿	Funtastic	Three Chimneys Farm	Ward	Corrales	123
5	Maker's Candy	Twirling Candy	Paradise Farms Corp., David Staudacher, Maxis Stable and Gata Racing Stable LLC	Maker	Rispoli	123
6	Baby Billy 🌿	Gormley	Reeves Thoroughbred Racing, Steven Rocco, and William Branch	Sisterson	Talamo	123
7	Bluebirds Over	English Channel	Edward A. Seltzer and Beverly S. Anderson	Joseph, Jr.	Zayas	123
8	Congruent	Tapit	Tami Bobo and Lugamo Racing Stable LLC	Sano	Leon	123
9	Escapologist 🌿	Good Magic	Walking L Thoroughbreds, LLC	McPeek	Achard	123
10	Two Phil's 🌿	Hard Spun	Patricia's Hope LLC and Phillip Sagan	Rivelli	Loveberry	123
11	Wadsworth	Quality Road	Godolphin, LLC	Cox	Landeros	123
12	Point Proven 🌿	Gun Runner	Repole Stable and St. Elias Stable	Pletcher	Velazquez	123

Breeders: 1-Clearsky Farms, 2-CHC Inc., 3-Camas Park Stud, 4-BHMFRL, LLC, 5-Newtownanner Stud, 6-Spendthrift Farm, LLC, 7-Edward A. Seltzer & Beverly S. Seltzer, 8-Tapit Syndicate & Glencrest Farm, LLC, 9-Bryan Anderson & Carol Anderson, 10-Phillip Sagan, 11-Godolphin, 12-Three Chimneys Farm, LLC

Sunday, Sunland #10, post time: 6:45 p.m. EDT

SUNLAND PARK DERBY-GIII, \$600,000, 3yo, 1 1/8m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	How Did He Do That	Good Magic	J. Kirk and Judy Robison	Asmussen	Juarez, Jr.	122
2	Low Expectations	Nyquist	Reddam Racing LLC	Garcia	Gutierrez	122
3	Fort Bragg	Tapit	SF Racing, Starlight Racing, Madaket Stables, R. Masterson, Stonestreet Stables, J. Schoenfarber, Waves Edge Capital LLC and C. Donovan	Yakteen	Hernandez	122
4	Henry Q 	Blame	The Del Mar Group	Fincher	Maldonado	122
5	One in Vermillion	Army Mule	Jonathan Kalman	Martinez	Hernandez	122
6	Hard to Figure 	Hard Spun	Michael Pegram, Karl Watson and Paul Weitman	Baffert	Prat	122
7	Wild On Ice	Tapizar	Frank Sumpter	Marr	Tohill	122

Breeders: 1-Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC, 2-Mount Riga Bloodstock, 3-SF Bloodstock LLC & Henry Field Bloodstock, 4-Fred W. Hertrich III & John D. Fielding, 5-Richard Barton Enterprises, 6-James Heyward, 7-Frank Sumpter



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IN ORDER OF PURSE:

2nd-Sunland, \$30,800, Msw, 3-21, 3yo, f, 5 1/2f, 1:06.27, ft, 1 1/4 lengths.

GRACE'S SHELBY (f, 3, Nyquist--Scratch N Claw, by Tapit), off at odds of 3-2 in this debut run, set a pressured pace, shook clear in the stretch and stayed on to graduate by 1 1/4 lengths over Occurrence (Cross Traffic). The winner's dam produced a Mendelssohn filly in 2021 and a McKinzie filly in 2022. She was bred back to Justify. Sales history: \$210,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$18,480. [Click for the Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#), sponsored by TVG.

O-G. Chris Coleman; B-Liberty Road Stables, LLC (KY); T-Todd W. Fincher.



SECOND-CROP STARTERS TO WATCH: WEDNESDAY, MARCH 22 2023 Stud Fees Listed

Army Mule (Friesan Fire), Hill 'n' Dale at Xalapa, \$12,500
143 foals of racing age/33 winners/7 black-type winners
10-Parx Racing, 4:53 p.m. EDT, Aoc 6 1/2f, Navy Rules, 6-1
\$52,000 KEE NOV wnl; \$180,000 KEE SEP yrl

Eastwood (Speightstown), Blackstone Farm
17 foals of racing age/3 winners/0 black-type winners
8-Parx Racing, 3:49 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Now Act Surprised, 6-1

Good Magic (Curlin), Hill 'n' Dale at Xalapa, \$50,000
237 foals of racing age/37 winners/7 black-type winners
8-Parx Racing, 3:49 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Bruno Barber Girl, 6-1
\$35,000 KEE NOV wnl; \$47,000 RNA OBS OCT yrl; \$30,000 OBS
APR 2yo
4-Tampa Bay Downs, 2:22 p.m. EDT, Aoc 1m, Estilo Magico, 10-1
\$35,000 RNA KEE SEP yrl; \$42,000 OBS APR 2yo



Good Samaritan | Sarah Andrew

Good Samaritan (Harlan's Holiday), WinStar Farm, \$7,500
172 foals of racing age/29 winners/1 black-type winner
7-Tampa Bay Downs, 3:59 p.m. EDT, Aoc 1mT, La Tache, 10-1
\$35,000 FTK OCT yrl

McCraken (Ghostzapper), Airdrie Stud
48 foals of racing age/12 winners/1 black-type winner
10-Parx Racing, 4:53 p.m. EDT, Aoc 6 1/2f, McCrackens Ghost, 8-1

Mendelssohn (Scat Daddy), Coolmore Ashford, \$25,000
348 foals of racing age/39 winners/3 black-type winners
10-Parx Racing, 4:53 p.m. EDT, Aoc 6 1/2f, Belt Parkway, 15-1
\$160,000 SAR AUG yrl; \$30,000 EAS MAY 2yo

Sharp Azteca (Freud), Three Chimneys Farm, \$15,000
200 foals of racing age/46 winners/4 black-type winners
7-Tampa Bay Downs, 3:59 p.m. EDT, Aoc 1mT, Aztec Princess,
12-1
4-Tampa Bay Downs, 2:22 p.m. EDT, Aoc 1m, Mr Jack, 5-2
\$40,000 FTK OCT yrl; \$60,000 RNA OBS APR 2yo



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198 foals of racing age/18 winners/2 black-type winners

5-Mahoning Valley, 2:33 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Warhorse West, 6-1

**IN FRANCE:****Demain**, c, 3, **More Than Ready**. See "France".**ALLOWANCE RESULTS:****10th-Parx Racing, \$52,500**, (S), 3-21, (NW1BX), 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:20.80, ft, neck.**BROAD JUMPER** (m, 6, **Jump Start--Broad Gale, by Broad Brush**) Lifetime Record: 27-4-3-4, \$118,792. O-Prima Ventures LLC; B-Spring Run Farm, LLC (PA); T-Cesareo Marquez.**7th-Mahoning Valley, \$35,100**, (S), 3-21, (NW3L), 3yo/up, 1m, 1:43.53, ft, 3 1/2 lengths.**DERBY INCLUDED** (g, 6, **Include--Derby Day Storm {MSP, \$238,512}, by Habayeb**) Lifetime Record: 22-3-3-3, \$96,164. O/B-Bryan A Metz (OH); T-Robert C. Cline.**8th-Mahoning Valley, \$33,700**, (S), 3-21, (NW2L), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:13.82, ft, 4 1/2 lengths.**THE MIRACLE KIUT** (f, 3, **Dialed In--Pinchpenny, by Super Saver**) Lifetime Record: 3-2-1-0, \$45,660. O-Jorge Calixtro-Villanueva; B-T/C Stable LLC (OH); T-Caryn Vecchio. *\$7,500 Ylg '21 OTBOMX.**8th-Will Rogers Downs, \$30,000**, (S), 3-20, (C), 3yo/up, 1m, 1:39.66, ft, 6 lengths.**ROWDY RIVER** (c, 3, **Dominus--Grand Entry, by Grand Reward**) Lifetime Record: 4-3-0-0, \$48,298. O/B-Scattered Acres LLC (OK); T-Andy Gladd.**10th-Will Rogers Downs, \$27,600**, (S), 3-20, (NW2L), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11.62, ft, 1 1/2 lengths.**GYPSY ROSE** (f, 3, **Liaison--Cactus Rose, by Bricktown Cat**) Lifetime Record: 5-2-0-2, \$39,490. O/B-Dusty Rose Ranch LLC (OK); T-Mark C. Lee.**2nd-Mahoning Valley, \$27,400**, 3-21, (NW2X), 3yo/up, 1m, 1:41.00, ft, 2 1/4 lengths.**NIGHT TIME RULER** (g, 4, **Rule by Night--Aint She a Saint {MSW, \$497,381}, by Saintly Look**) Lifetime Record: 17-4-3-2, \$63,999. O-Urieta's Racing Stable; B-Gold Square, LLC (PA); T-Johanna Urieta. *\$1,200 Ylg '20 KEEJAN.**7th-Turf Paradise, \$25,400**, (C)/Opt. Clm (\$25,000-\$35,000), 3-20, 4yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:14.19, ft, 1/2 length.**DEPARTURE** (g, 5, **Run Away and Hide--Sheza Rounder, by Star Dabblers**) Lifetime Record: 14-6-1-3, \$94,111. O-Mike Anderson & Terry Clyde; B-Noelle P Ramsey (KY); T-Cindy Krasner. *\$9,000 Ylg '19 FTKOCT; C\$8,000 2yo '20 CTHSBC.**8th-Will Rogers Downs, \$23,000**, 3-21, (NW1X), 3yo/up, 1m, 1:39.41, sy, 1 3/4 lengths.**NOTARY** (g, 5, **Street Sense--Ellesmere {SP}, by Tabasco Cat**) Lifetime Record: 25-3-1-4, \$139,447. O-Michael Gerald; B-John Gardiner & Frank McEntee (KY); T-Ingrid Mason. *\$185,000 Wlg '18 KEENOV; \$500,000 RNA Ylg '19 FTSAUG; \$65,000 2yo '20 KEENOV. *1/2 to Clement Rock (Strong Hope), MSW-Can, SW-USA, \$300,351; Bridgetown (**Speightstown**), GSW-Can, GSW-USA, \$993,700; Carnacks Choice (Carson City), MSW & GSP, \$286,957.**ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:****Lanalikeschoochos**, f, 3, **Bernardini--Pleasant Wind**, by Pleasantly Perfect. Mahoning Valley, 3-21, 6f, 1:14.48. Lifetime Record: 6-1-1-0, \$19,654. B-Charles H. Deters & Godolphin (KY). *\$17,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP.**Papa Bill**, g, 3, **Liam's Map--Mudlaff Charlie**, by Indian Charlie. Will Rogers Downs, 3-21, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:05.19. Lifetime Record: 6-1-0-2, \$26,791. B-Kirk Thoroughbreds LTD. Co. (OK).

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Ninja Prize, g, 3, **Warrior's Reward**--Lemon Strudel, by Rimrod.

Parx Racing, 3-21, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:08.30. Lifetime Record:

4-1-2-0, \$50,250. B-R H Breeding LLC (PA).

Charity Water, f, 4, **Abstraction**--Warning Track, by Grand Slam.

Sunland, 3-21, (S), 1m, 1:41.06. Lifetime Record: 8-1-1-4,

\$43,084. B-R. D. Hubbard (NM).

Rainbows Are Free, f, 4, **Blueskiesrainbows**--Synersis, by With

Approval. Will Rogers Downs, 3-21, 1m, 1:41.97. Lifetime

Record: 9-1-1-2, \$33,632. B-Doug Wall (OK). *1/2 to Ibaka

(Uncle Abbie), MSW, \$607,485.

Euro Tracking, g, 4, **Euroears**--Track That Cat, by Tactical Cat.

Will Rogers Downs, 3-21, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:05.52. Lifetime Record:

8-1-2-3, \$47,557. B-Bryan Hawk (OK).

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Abstraction, Charity Water, f, 4, o/o Warning Track, by Grand Slam. MSW, 3-21, Sunland

Bernardini, Lanalikeschoochoos, f, 3, o/o Pleasant Wind, by Pleasantly Perfect. MSW, 3-21, Mahoning Valley

Blueskiesrainbows, Rainbows Are Free, f, 4, o/o Synersis, by With Approval. MSW, 3-21, Will Rogers

Dialed In, The Miracle Kiut, f, 3, o/o Pinchpenny, by Super Saver. ALW, 3-21, Mahoning Valley

Dominus, Rowdy River, c, 3, o/o Grand Entry, by Grand Reward. ALW, 3-20, Will Rogers

Euroears, Euro Tracking, g, 4, o/o Track That Cat, by Tactical Cat. MSW, 3-21, Will Rogers

Ghostzapper, Hitsville, g, 3, o/o Ihavetogo, by Showing Up. MSW, 3-21, Mahoning Valley

Include, Derby Included, g, 6, o/o Derby Day Storm, by Habayeb. ALW, 3-21, Mahoning Valley

Jump Start, Broad Jumper, m, 6, o/o Broad Gale, by Broad Brush. ALW, 3-21, Parx Racing

Liaison, Gypsy Rose, f, 3, o/o Cactus Rose, by Bricktown Cat. ALW, 3-20, Will Rogers

Liam's Map, Papa Bill, g, 3, o/o Mudlaff Charlie, by Indian Charlie. MSW, 3-21, Will Rogers

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Nyquist, Grace's Shelby, f, 3, o/o Scratch N Claw, by **Tapit**. MSW, 3-21, Sunland

Rule by Night, Night Time Ruler, g, 4, o/o Aint She a Saint, by Saintly Look. ALW, 3-21, Mahoning Valley

Run Away and Hide, Departure, g, 5, o/o Sheza Rounder, by Star Dabbler. AOC, 3-20, Turf Paradise

Street Sense, Notary, g, 5, o/o Ellesmere, by Tabasco Cat. ALW, 3-21, Will Rogers

Warrior's Reward, Ninja Prize, g, 3, o/o Lemon Strudel, by Rimrod. MSW, 3-21, Parx Racing



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Lot 18, a son of **Gun Runner**, topped the sale | Goffs/DRC

by Alan Carasso

DUBAI, UNITED ARAB EMIRATES -- A colt from the third crop of boom American stallion **Gun Runner** (lot 18) was hammered down to Stephen Hillen, agent for prominent owner Dr. Jim Hay, for €543,210 to top Tuesday's second renewal of the Goffs Dubai Breeze-Up Sale, held in the parade ring at Meydan Racecourse. On behalf of the Scotsman, Hillen also acquired the second-dearest offering of the evening, a **Justify** half-brother to Grade I stakes winner **Fog of War** (**War Front**) (lot 2), for the equivalent of €518,519.

Following the withdrawal of 10 horses, 63 juveniles were presented to an enthusiastic group of bidders from a variety of jurisdictions and attended by Sheikh Mohammed and his advisors. Some 42 horses were reported as sold for AED25,814,178, a decrease of 18.2% from last year's AED31,580,000. The average of AED614,624 represented a 1% gain over the inaugural event, while the median of AED537,000 jumped by a whopping 37%. The clearance rate of 67% declined from 80% in 2022.

"The second renewal of the Dubai Breeze-Up in association with Goffs was another sale of vibrant sales ring action," said Goffs' Henry Beeby. **Cont. p3**

'HE'D BE ON THE A-TEAM' - GER LYONS

STABLE TOUR *By Brian Sheerin*

Ger Lyons has been competing at the top table of Irish racing for well over a decade and recorded breakthrough Classic success in 2020 when **Siskin** (First Defence) stormed to G1 Irish 2000 Guineas glory under Colin Keane at the Curragh.

The pair didn't have to wait long to record their second when, just five weeks later, **Even So** (Ire) (**Camelot** {GB}) landed the Irish Oaks.

Lyons has a typically-strong team of older horses to go to war with this season. Tough Talk and Hellsing appear to be the pick of the 3-year-old colts while Zarinsk, Amazing Show and Mauiwowie are just a handful of 3-year-old fillies that the trainer is looking forward to this term.

As well as an array of classy older types, Lyons has a galaxy of well-bred youngsters to unleash this term, but revealed that he will be adopting a kinder approach with his 2-year-olds this term. **Cont. p8**

IN TDN AMERICA TODAY

GOOD MAGIC COLT TAKES THE LEAD AT OBS

A colt by **Good Magic** took the lead at the OBS March Sale, when selling for \$2 million to Donato Lanni, as agent for Amr Zedan, during Tuesday's session.

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TODAY in TDN EUROPE

Wednesday, March 22, 2023



Demain (More Than Ready) ran out a one-length winner of a maiden at Chantilly on Tuesday. The Kentucky-bred is out of GII Adirondack S. runner-up Unbridled Beauty (Unbridled's Song). | Scoop Dyga

GROUP 1 PRODUCER PEARLING DIES AT 17

11

Pearling (Storm Cat), a full-sister to the "Iron Horse" Giant's Causeway, and the dam of three-time Group 1 winner Decorated Knight (GB) (Galileo {Ire}), passed away this week.

DURCAN JOINS MYRACEHORSE

12

Former jockey Ted Durcan is the new UK and Ireland bloodstock consultant for MyRacehorse.

EQUINOX GALLOPS FOR SHEEMA CLASSIC

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Japanese Horse of the Year Equinox (Jpn) (Kitasan Black {Jpn}) galloped over the Meydan dirt track on Tuesday morning in preparation for a start in the \$6-million G1 Dubai Sheema Classic.

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“Whilst the clearance rate was slightly down on last year, the average and particularly the median has grown considerably which demonstrated that the quality was selling extremely well,” Beeby added.

“The old adage at these types of sales is 'breeze well, sell well', and those that caught the eye at the breeze were the most active in the sales ring. We built very solid foundations in years one and two and look forward to working with the Dubai Racing Club to develop this sale into a truly world-class event, and the racetrack success of the first year certainly means that it has a bright future.

“Once again, I would like to extend thanks from all the team at Goffs to the Dubai Racing Club for the trust they have placed in us, and we salute the vision of His Highness Sheikh Mohammed in adding the sale to this huge week of international racing at the Dubai World Cup.”

Hay Is For Horses

It was a busy evening for Stephen Hillen and Dr. Jim Hay, who ended up securing not only the sale's top two sellers, but four of the top seven overall.

Lot 2 was bred in Kentucky by Orpendale, Chelston and Wynatt and was consigned to the sale by Willie Browne's Mocklershill on behalf of the breeder. Lead auctioneer Henry Beeby accepted an opening bid of a robust AED500,000 and bidding was steady up to and through the 2-million dirham level before Hay landed his first winning blow of the evening.

“We supported the sale last year,” said Hay, whose two purchases last year included a **Gun Runner** colt and a filly by Into Mischief. “We didn't do well with the purchases, but nevertheless, there are high-class pedigrees, the catalogue this year looks better. Stephen has had a good look at everything.”



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Added Hillen, “He is by a top sire, Willie Browne thoroughly recommended him. I saw him at Willie's place about three weeks ago, big stride and by a good stallion. He'll probably stay here in Dubai to be trained by Bhupat Seemar.”

Hay has racing interests in all corners of the globe, but is encouraged about the trajectory of the local programme.

“The plan is to build up the stable in Dubai, this is where the prize money is and we need to race here,” he said.

“Very pleased with that,” said the consignor. “He was a beautiful horse by a stallion who is going places.”

A **Justify** colt also topped Monday's opening session of the OBS March Sale in Ocala, Florida, on a bid of \$1.2 million.

A short time later, Hay and Hillen bought consecutive lots off Tom Whitehead's Powerstown Stud. Lot 17, a **War Front** own brother to the stakes-placed Stony Point, was acquired by Chad Schumer for \$130,000 at last year's Keeneland September Sale and fetched €320,928 Tuesday, while Hay went back to the **Gun Runner** well once more when paying the sales-topping price.

“He was already a big horse when we got him, but he got broader and wider since,” Whitehead said of the **Gun Runner** son of Brazilian Group 1 winner Baby Go Far (Brz) (Elusive Quality), who was purchased for \$160,000 at Keeneland last fall.

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He, too, will be trained by Seemar, who said the colt reminded him a lot of his G1 Dubai World Cup hopeful Bendoog (**Gun Runner**), who was most recently runner-up in the G1 Al Maktoum Challenge R3.

Hay's fourth purchase was a colt from the first crop of Mitole-- Warm Breeze (**Street Sense**) (lot 14) for €246,914. The May 3 foal was consigned by Bushypark Stables, who bought him for \$60,000 at Keeneland.

Schumer Happy, Surprised By Results

American agent Chad Schumer does plenty of business in the Gulf region and is responsible for having sold last-out Listed Al Bastakiya S. winner Go Soldier Go (**Tapiture**) at last year's Dubai Sale. He was more than satisfied with the sale of the **War Front** colt through Powerstown, but was generally perplexed at the end results

"It's a very good pedigree and we expected that colt to do

well," he said, taking time out from his work down at the OBS sale. "He was a beautiful yearling and vetted well. You never know until you get there so we are delighted."

He continued, "Tom generally just tries to buy the right kind of horse. This horse was well below what we were willing to spend, so it was a nice surprise we were able to pick him up for that."

Given the success of last year's event, he was a bit taken aback at the level of engagement this time around.

"It was a real surprise to me," he said. "Last year it felt a bit spotty to me. If you didn't have the right type, there was no money at all and Goffs did an exceptional job in pushing to get those horses sold. This year, based on the fact that so many of the horses had won

and there was the Group 1-placed horse in Japan, I would have thought there would have been voracious demand, but there wasn't. Maybe OBS going on at the same time causes a pull from this sale, I don't know." **Cont. p5**



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Mitole A Hot Commodity in Dubai As Well

The first-crop offerings by Mitole (Eskendereya) proved popular Monday at OBS, with three lots fetching six-figure prices, and those that went through Tuesday in Dubai made a favourable impression as well. In addition to Hay's aforementioned purchase early in the session, Oliver St Lawrence and trainer Fawzi Nass went to €222,222 for a half-brother to the multiple Canadian stakes winners Dene Court (City Zip) and Jacally (Bold Executive). Lot 66 was purchased by Roderic Kavanagh's Glending Stables for \$60,000 at Keeneland in September.

"I liked this colt very much and it seems like the sire is making some good horses," St Lawrence said. "They have good substance and are good doers." [Cont. p6](#)



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• Clearance Rate	67%	80%
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The Name's Stroud

Buyers at Tuesday's sale were identifiable by paddles bearing a three-digit number, and lot 42, a colt by Darley America's **Street Sense** was knocked down to agent Anthony Stroud--holding paddle 007--for €370,370, the joint-fourth highest price of the sale.

Bred in Kentucky by Lewis Thoroughbred Breeding, the bay colt is out of Gold Serenade (**Medaglia d'Oro**), whose superstar 11-times Grade I-winning dam Serena's Song (Rahy) was responsible for G1 Coronation S. heroine Sophisticat (Storm Cat) and graded-stakes winners Grand Reward (Storm Cat) and Harlington (Unbridled). This is also the family of US champion **Honor Code** (A.P. Indy).



Najd Stud team | Goffs

European-based stallions, lot 71 proved the most coveted, selling to the burgeoning Najd Stud for €209,877.

A son of 2012 G1 Irish 1000 Guineas third Princess Sinead (Ire) (Jeremy), the May-foaled bay was led out unsold on a bid of 40,000gns during Book 2 of the Tattersalls October Sale last fall. "We are delighted with that," said Colm Kennedy, whose Drumpeha Stables consigned the colt as the property of a partnership. "We were very pleased with the way the horse presented and his breeze [Monday] was very nice. Certainly the sire helped him, but that was a very good result."

Najd Stud, the operation of Saudi Prince Faisal bin Khalid bin Abdulaziz, bought four lots Tuesday topped by a

Constitution colt (lot 25) out of a half-sister to multiple graded winner and Grade I-placed **Independence Hall** (**Constitution**) for just over €395,000 off Brendan Holland's Grove Stud. **Cont. p7**

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Lot	Sire Dam	Price (€)
18	c, Gun Runner --Baby Go Far (Brz) (\$160,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP) Video Bred by Stud T.N.T., LLC (KY) Consigned by Powerstown Stud Purchased by Stephen Hillen/Dr. Hay	543,210
2	c, Justify --Say (Ire) Video Bred by Orpendale, Chelston & Wynatt (KY) Consigned by Mocklershill Purchased by Stephen Hillen/Dr. Hay	518,519
25	c, Constitution --Caribbean Babe	395,062

Video

Bred by CHC Inc. (KY)

Consigned by Grove Stud

Purchased by Najd Stud

34	c, Bolt d'Oro --Dame Ursula (GB) (\$155,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP)	370,370
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Video

Bred by Runnymede Farm One & P. J. Callahan (KY)

Consigned by Longways Stables

Purchased by Mohammed Khaleel Ahmed

42	c, Street Sense --Gold Serenade (\$90,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP)	370,370
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Video

Bred by Lewis Thoroughbred Breeding (KY)

Consigned by Oak Tree Farm

Purchased by Anthony Stroud

17	c, War Front --Akatea (Ire) (\$130,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP)	320,988
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14 c, Mitole--Warm Breeze **246,914**
(\$60,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP)

[Video](#)

Bred by Betz Thoroughbreds/D.J. Stables/B. Graves (KY)
Consigned by Bushypark Stables
Purchased by Stephen Hillen/Dr. Hay

44 f, More Than Ready--Gone To Town **246,914**
(\$110,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP)

[Video](#)

Bred by Nursery Place & Dicken Equine (KY)
Consigned by Powerstown Stud
Purchased by Ahmad Abdul Wahid

58 c, Gun Runner--Mom'z Laugh **246,914**
(\$85,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP)

[Video](#)

Bred by **Gun Runner** Syndicate & H & J Barbazon (FL)
Consigned by Kilminfoyle House Stud, agent
Purchased by Ahmad Abdul Wahid

48 c, Good Magic--Jet Black Magic **222,222**
(\$65,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP)

[Video](#)

Bred by White Fox Farm (KY)
Consigned by Longways Stables
Purchased by Oliver St Lawrence Bloodstock

66 c, Mitole--Operetta **222,222**
(\$60,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP)

[Video](#)

Bred by Liam Gannon & Nicholas M. Lotz (KY)
Consigned by Glending Stables
Purchased by Oliver St Lawrence/Fawzi Nass

71 c, No Nay Never--Princess Sinead (Ire) **209,877**
(40,000gns RNA Ylg '22 TATOCT)

[Video](#)

Bred by Barronstown Stud (Ire)
Consigned by Drumpeha Stables
Purchased by Najd Stud

Ger Lyons Stable Tour Cont. from p1

He said, "I won't have my first 2-year-old runners until April. I am letting them grow in front of my eyes and cuddling them along. You can see them growing week after week at this time of year and we haven't dipped any of our 2-year-olds yet."

In the first edition of *TDN Europe's* stable tour series that will concentrate on 2-year-old talent, Lyons has put forward 14 juveniles to note ahead of the new season as well as outlining plans for some of his older horses below.



Ger Lyons | Tattersalls

2-Year-Olds

Name: Quadruple (GB)

Breeding: **Frankel** (GB) filly out of Soffia (GB) (Kyllachy {GB})

Purchaser: Homebred

Owner: Juddmonte

Comment: She's a lovely and straightforward filly. We are not rushing any 2-year-olds this year and will let them come to themselves in their own time. She is only new to me but she seems very straightforward and anyone who has ridden her has been pretty excited by what they are feeling. You'd like to think she could be smart.

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Ger Lyons Stable Tour Cont.

Halberd (GB)

Showcasing (GB) colt out of Battlement (GB) (Dansili {GB})

Juddmonte

He is a lovely grey horse. His dam is a half to Logician (GB) (**Frankel {GB}**) and he looks a smart, precocious type. He'd look an early sort and he'll tell me when he's ready. He's very straightforward and, at this early stage, he's one I like--but that could be the kiss of death!

Bellezza (Ire)

Siyouni (Fr) filly out of Terrific (Ire) (Galileo {Ire})

Moyglare Stud

A lot of quality and by the right type of sire. She has a lot of size and scope, as her brother Tough Talk (Ire) (**Kingman {GB}**) has, and he would be one of our big bullets to fire in the 3-year-old ranks this year. She has grown humongously--she was big when we got her but she is still growing and filling into herself. I'm letting her come in her own time but she is as sweet as a nut and is definitely one that's exciting us.

General Assembly (Ire)

Starspangledbanner (Aus) colt

out of Black Rodded (GB)

(Bahamian Bounty {GB})

Bought by Richard Ryan for 130,000gns at the Somerville Sale at Tattersalls from Ballyhimikin Stud

Teme Valley

He has been a very professional horse since the day he walked into the yard. He came in with a tall reputation for being the pick of the Somerville Sale and is just an awesome Railway-type horse who is just oozing quality. He will be as early as I need him to be and could be a Royal Ascot 2-year-old. That's the type of horse we view him as if he keeps doing what he is doing. Everything comes so easy to him. But, again, I haven't dipped any of my 2-year-olds so I don't know how good or bad they are, but I would be very positive about this colt. Richard Ryan bought him--he bought Rocking Tree as well--and he buys a nice type. He bought Hellsing (Ire) (Dandy Man {Ire}), who was a very good 2-year-old and one we're looking forward to for this year so, if he keeps sending us horses like that, we'll be very happy.

Rocking Tree (Ire)

Kodiak (GB) colt out of Rocktique (Rock Hard Ten)

Bought by Richard Ryan at Goffs Orby Sale from Glenvale Stud for €130,000

Teme Valley

Kodiak has been a phenomenal success and has even surprised me by how he has kept improving. This is a fine stamp of a Kodiak--strong, but not typical in that he has plenty of size and scope about him. He's very straightforward and has a good mind. He could be anything. Again, he was bought by Richard Ryan so, if he continues to buy that type of horse for us, he can fill the yard.

Beauty Thunder (Ire)

Night Of Thunder (Ire) colt out of Tawayna (Ire) (Invincible Spirit {Ire})

Bought at Goffs Orby from Yeomanstown Stud for €100,000 by Gaelic Bloodstock

Beauty Stable



Hellsing: could have a big future | *Racingfotos.com*

By one of my favourite sires, Night Of Thunder (Ire). You would think that he lacked size when we bought him but, the few colts that I have bought by the sire, they all looked on the small size at the sales. I said to myself, 'if he's like the ones I bought, he'll come,' and he's just to die for. Back in January, I was thinking that he was still on the small side but he is starting to sprout now and he's typical of the colts that I have had by Night Of Thunder. I should say that it is untypical of Thunder Kiss (Ire),

who is by Night Of Thunder as well, but this lad is showing all the right qualities. I could see him being a nice 2-year-old for the middle part of the season. We have had a lot of luck for this owner but they buy for Hong Kong, so the horses spend their 2-year-old career with us before moving over there. That's what they like to do and the dream is to find them a Hong Kong Derby horse.

Unnamed

Zoustar (Aus) colt out of Ainippe (Ire) (Captain Rio {GB})

Bought by David Redvers at the Goffs UK Premier Yearling Sale for £70,000 from Furnace Mill Stud

Richard Pegum

Richard has had horses with me before through David Redvers and the obvious connection with this colt is that we trained his dam, Ainippe. **Cont. p10**

Ger Lyons Stable Tour Cont.

She was a very smart and fast filly. I've never had a Zoustar before this season and now I have a few of them in the yard. They are the most gorgeous physicals and this one is most gorgeous as well. He goes very well and would be a better-looking horse than his mother was. Zoustar is rocking the world down under in Australia and, again, I think they will need their time but this lad is more precious than the others. At this moment in time, you'd love what he is doing.

Unnamed

Blue Point (Ire) filly out of Cosmic Love (GB) (**Sea The Stars {Ire}**)
Bought by Grassick Bloodstock and Ronan Fitzpatrick at Goffs Orby Sale for €300,000 from Kilminfoyle House Stud
Mark Dobbin

We are going with Blue Point because he seems to be a first-season sire who is ticking all the right boxes. We're very positive about the ones that we have by him. She wouldn't be the biggest filly but hopefully she comes a bit in size. There's something about her that we like and she looks precocious. I would say she cost enough, but they were the sales everyone was operating in last year. Winning a maiden won't be good enough to justify her price tag and hopefully she is better than that. The talk on the street would be that Blue Point is doing it and the few that I have would suggest he's going to be alright.

Unnamed

Blue Point (Ire) colt out of Gwael (A.P. Indy)
Bought by Kerri Lyons for 70,000gns out of Genesis Green Stud at Book 2 at Tattersalls
Sean Jones, David Spratt and Lynne Lyons

Kerri bought him and he's nice. He'd be quite typical of the filly that we have by Blue Point--you could nearly say they are brother and sister. They are doing their thing and the word on the street is quite positive about the stallion but I won't be rushing them. I'd be happy with him at the moment anyway.

Unnamed

Phoenix Of Spain (Ire) colt out of Alfea (GB) (Kentucky Dynamite)
Bought by Wyanstown House for €34,000 at the 2021 Goffs

November Foal Sale from Farran House Stud
Vincent Gaul

He reminds me of a horse I used to train called Gold-Fun (Ire) (Le Vie Dei Colori {GB}), who went on to be a very good horse in Hong Kong. He is a big, strong, powerful beast. I think Vincent Gaul bought him as a foal and there is something about this horse I just love. He can gallop and will be a middle-season plus horse. He'll be a real miler and there's something very taking about him, he does things very easily.

Unnamed

Bated Breath (GB) filly out of Rosie Cotton (Ire) (King's Best)
Ballygallon Stud

A gorgeous filly but more likely to be a 3-year-old rather than a 2-year-old. She is doing what we are asking her but gives us the impression that she will be lovely for the back end and beyond.



A Blue Point filly (pictured as a yearling) out of Cosmic Love is pleasing Lyons | Goffs

State's Evidence (GB)

Expert Eye (GB) colt out of Palmette (GB) (**Oasis Dream {GB}**)

Juddmonte

I'd say he's typical of Juddmonte's in that he is smart. I have a very smart bunch for Juddmonte this year--roughly 17 in total--and he would be right up there as being rated among the smartest. He does things very easily and there is a lot of quality about him. He'd be on the A-team at this moment in time.

Dandy Lichious (Ire)

Dandy Man (Ire) colt out of Ana Lichious (Ire) (Makfi {GB})
Patrick Hanlon

He will be our earliest runner. He has been standing on his hind legs telling me he is ready to run since Christmas Day! He's not as ready as he thinks he is but he'll be one of our earliest runners and is a good-looking son of Dandy Man. He's not over-big but he is big enough and, as soon as the ground dries up, he'll be out.

Serious Notions (GB)

Advertise (GB) filly out of Darling Grace (GB) (Nayef)
Bought by Kerri Lyons for €68,000 from Kildarragh Stud at Goffs Orby
Rick Gaynor **Cont. p11**

Ger Lyons Stable Tour Cont.

A nice filly that Kerri bought. We are liking what we are seeing and is shaping up as a nice filly at the minute anyway. We like to throw six balls up in the air with the fillies that we buy at the sales in the hope that two come down as nice fillies and she could be one of the nicer ones. She looks the part and I hope she is nice because Kerri picked her and she's for a nice owner.

Older Horses

I have a lovely bunch of 3-year-olds and up for the season. Of the horses who won their maidens last year, the **Amazing Show (GB)**s (Showcasing {GB}) of this world, they have all gotten very strong so I have a very exciting batch to look forward to.

Zarinsk (GB) (Kodiac {GB}) has already stepped up to listed class and you'd hope that some of the horses who won their maidens last year can do something similar. After that, you are hoping that they will keep building, that's the dream.

Hellsing and **Tough Talk** would be the outstanding colts. The bubble has not burst on them yet. Tough Talk had a setback last year but he has been in training for quite a while and is one to really look forward to.



Tough Talk: beat Little Big Bear on debut at two | *Racingfotos.com*

Hellsing was just denied in the Goffs Million last year but did everything right by us. He is the most gorgeous horse and he will want a mile minimum—he could even be a 10-furlong horse. He could be anything. He outperformed what we thought he would do at two because we always viewed him as an older horse in the making.

There is a list of fillies that we are dreaming about and they have all done very well. We pulled up early with **Mauiewowie (GB)** last year because she won her stakes race and, typical of Night Of Thunders, we said we'd let her grow. She could be a Commonwealth type of filly and the Lacken S. could suit her

prior to Ascot. She'll probably be better with a bit of juice in the ground. Here's hoping she steps up to the next level.

Amazing Show won her maiden well and the form of that has worked out fantastic. I overfaced her in the Moyglare but, if you look at her now, she's a 500kg filly. That Moyglare entry shows you what I thought of her. While she is a long way shy of that, you'd like to think she can step up to be a Listed/Group 3 filly at a minimum.

Cairde Go Deo (Fr) (**Camelot {GB}**) is a dream filly. She needed to strengthen up from three to four if she's to get to the next level and I think that she has. I couldn't be happier by how well she has done physically. She could be shy of the top level but we'd be hopeful she can be competitive in Group 2s over a mile-and-a-half to start although she will get further.

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BLUE DIAMOND STUD'S PEARLING PASSES AWAY

Pearling (Storm Cat--Mariah's Storm, by Rahy), the dam of triple Group 1 winner and stallion Decorated Knight (GB) (Galileo {Ire}), passed away this week, Imad Al Sagar's Blue Diamond Stud announced on Tuesday. The 17-year-old, **who was set to return to Frankel this season**, foaled a **Frankel (GB)** filly this week, the stud confirmed to the *TDN*.

"Very sad to lose Pearling this week," the stud tweeted. "She was one of the first mares to join Blue Diamond and gave us a true star in Decorated Knight. She leaves a lasting legacy with us and we are lucky to have three of her daughters."

Bred by Pancelco in Kentucky, she ran second in two starts Stateside, and was offered by Highclere Stud during the 2011 Tattersalls December Mares Sale in foal to Galileo. She brought 1.3 million gns from Tony Nerses on behalf of Saleh Al Homaizi and Imad Al Sagar who ran Blue Diamond Stud jointly at that time. The foal she was carrying was Decorated Knight. Put back through the ring at the 2018 edition of that sale also in foal to Galileo to dissolve their partnership, she hammered for 2.4 million to Blue Diamond Stud Farm UK, which is now operated solely by Al Sagar.

She also has the winning Ambrosia (GB) (**Frankel {GB}**), who went to WinStar for 1.3 million gns at Tattersalls December that year. In total, Pearling produced seven foals, with her latest pair the 5-year-old mare Blue Diamond (Ire), a full-sister to Decorated Knight, and filly Haute Couture (GB) (**Kingman {GB}**), who arrived in 2021. [Cont. p12](#)



Pearling | Blue Diamond Stud

Pearling Cont.

Blue Diamond was offered at the 2018 Tattersalls December Foal Sale, and was picked up by Blue Diamond for 1.7 million gns.

A full-sister to six-time Group 1 winner and 'Iron Horse' Giant's Causeway who would go on to stallion success in America, Pearling is also a full to outstanding producer You're so thrilling, a dual group winner. The latter has seven black-type winners to her name, led by dual Classic winner and sire **Gleneagles (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}).

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TED DURCAN JOINS MYRACEHORSE AS BLOODSTOCK CONSULTANT

Former Classic-winning jockey Ted Durcan has been appointed as the UK and Ireland bloodstock consultant for MyRacehorse. Durcan will select horses for the microshare syndicate from both public auctions and privately.

Durcan, who runs Durcan Bloodstock, said, "I am delighted to have been asked to join MyRacehorse to help the team source some exciting and fun horses for the season ahead.

"MyRacehorse gives everybody the chance to see how this amazing sport works from the inside out rather than the outside in. This is something that normally would not be achievable for most people, but MyRacehorse makes it happen.

"Being involved in racehorse ownership is fun, exciting and social. There are highs and lows but it's the whole journey that makes this sport special, and it's important to find new ways to share that journey."

Kate Hardy, Director of Operations at MyRacehorse, added, "We are thrilled to have Ted working with MyRacehorse as we grow our stable here in Ireland and the UK.

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Tuesday's Results:

FIRST STAKES WINNER FOR SIRE

PRIX RONDE DE NUIT-Listed, €55,000, Chantilly, 3-21, 3yo, 5 1/2ft, 1:06.38, vs.

1--**PERDIKA (GB), 122, f, 3, by Unfortunately (Ire)**

1st Dam: Golden Dirham (GB), by Kheleyf

2nd Dam: Danidh Dubai (Ire), by Noverre

3rd Dam: Dani Ridge (Ire), by Indian Ridge (Ire)

1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN. O-Sally Nicholls; B-Bumble Bloodstock & Mrs S Nicholls (GB); T-George Boughey; J- Maxime Guyon. €27,500. Lifetime Record: 10-5-1-0, €70,812. *1st SW for her sire (by Society Rock {Ire}).

2--**Whistle And Flute (Ire), 126, c, 3, Dandy Man (Ire)--Maria Ormani (Ire), by Roderic O'Connor (Ire). 1ST BLACK TYPE.** (£13,000 Ylg '21 TIRSEP; 25,000gns HRA '22 TATAUT). O-Delphine Garcia-Dubois; B-Ballyhane (IRE); T-Hubert de Nicolay. €11,000.

3--**Rogue Lightning (Ire), 126, c, 3, Kodiak (GB)--Field Of Stars (GB), by Acclamation (GB).** (80,000gns Ylg '21 TATOCT; 42,000gns 2yo '22 TATBRE). O-The Rogues Gallery; B-Airlie Stud & Mrs S Rogers (IRE); T-Tom Clover. €8,250.

Margins: HD, 8, SNK. Odds: 5.60, 64.00, 10.00.

Also Ran: I Am Incredible (Fr), Lady Hamana (Aus), Love Affairs (GB), Proverb (Ire), Michaela's Boy (Ire), Kokachin (Ire).

Successful in four of her first five starts on the all-weather last season, Perdika was sent to Meydan and managed a fourth in the Jan. 27 Jumeirah Fillies Classic over seven furlongs and a second to stablemate Al Dasim (Ire) (Harry Angel {Ire}) in the Feb. 10 Dubai Trophy reverting to six. Benefitting from a strong early pace here aided and abetted by another of the yard's classier types in the Listed Criterium de Vitesse scorer and ultimately disappointing 7-10 favourite Proverb (Ire) (Harry Angel {Ire}), the bay tracked closely before leaping to the fore over a furlong out and outstaying Whistle And Flute in the run to the line as the front pair pulled clear.

The winner is the last foal out of the unraced dam, who unfortunately died last year and was a half-sister to the G1 Kings Stand S.-winning sire Profitable (Ire). The second dam is the G3 Albany S. third Danidh Dubai, who produced a trio of black-type performers headed by the Listed Premio Cancelli-winning sprinter Gamgoom (GB) (Exceed And Excel {Aus}). **Video, sponsored by TVG.**



Perdika (right) | Scoop Dyga

3rd-Chantilly, €35,000, Cond, 3-21, 3yo, 8f (AWT), 1:38.09, st. OCEAN VISION (IRE) (c, 3, U S Navy Flag--Balaagha {SP-Eng}, by Mr. Greeley), who captured the Listed Prix de la Vallee d'Auge and was third in the G2 Criterium de Maisons-Laffitte last term, was reappearing after another third in the Feb. 18 Al Rayyan Mile and led from the outset. Tackled by Speechman (Kingman {GB}) two out, the 8-5 second favourite gradually saw off that challenge to score by 3/4 of a length. The listed-placed dam, who also has the 2-year-old colt Ocean Force (Ire) (El Kabeir), is a half to the GII Forward Gal S. winner Letgomyecho (Menifee)

and to the dam of the GIII Ohio Derby scorer Dean Martini (Cairo Prince). Letgomyecho has produced five stakes performers headed by last year's GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies, GI Frizette S. and GI Spinaway S.-winning champion 2-year-old filly Echo Zulu (Gun Runner) and the GI H. Allen Jerkens S. scorer Echo Town (Speightstown). Lifetime Record: SW & GSP-Fr, 8-3-0-2, €127,453. **Video, sponsored by TVG.** O-J Kirkland & Mrs G Ryan; B-Mighty Universe Ltd (IRE); T-Tim Donworth.

2nd-Chantilly, €27,000, Mdn, 3-21, 3yo, c/g, 6 1/2f (AWT), 1:19.15, st.

DEMAIN (c, 3, More Than Ready--Sweet Lollipop, by Candy Ride {Arg}), sent off at 5-1, tracked the leading duo early. Sent to the front with 1 1/2 furlongs remaining, the imposing chestnut asserted to beat Monapia (Fr) (Harry Angel {Ire}) by a length. The winner is so far the only foal produced by the dam, a daughter of the GII Adirondack S. runner-up Unbridled Beauty (Unbridled's Song). From the family of the triple Grade I-winning champion sprinter and sire Housebuster, she was bred to Constitution and Tiz The Law in 2022. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, €13,500. **Video, sponsored by TVG.**

O-Ecurie Ama Zingteam; B-Machmer Hall & D & J Stables Llc (KY); T-Francis-Henri Graffard.

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4th-Chantilly, €27,000, Mdn, 3-21, 3yo, f, 6 1/2f (AWT), 1:19.00, st.

SAHARA SPRING (IRE) (f, 3, Dream Ahead--Spring Wave {Ire}, by Dr Fong), third over this trip when last seen at Deauville in November, was restrained early to track the leading pair. Taking time to wind up in the straight, the 19-5 second favourite responded to reel in Fabuleuse (Wootton Bassett {GB}) close home for a short-neck success. The dam, who is responsible for the Listed Prix Petite Etoile winner and G3 Prix Penelope runner-up Spring Leaf (Fr) (Footstepsinthesand {GB}), is kin to the G1 Derby Italiano-winning sire Gentlewave (Ire) from the family of the GI Hollywood Derby hero Charming Duke (Fr) (Iron Duke {Fr}). Her 2-year-old colt is by Dark Angel (Ire), while she also has a yearling son of Lawman (Fr). Sales history: €48,000 Ylg '21 ARQOCT. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-1, €22,950. **Video, sponsored by TVG.**

O-Isabelle Corbani; B-Haras de la Perelle (IRE); T-Stephane Wattel.

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7th-Chantilly, €27,000, 3-21, 4yo/up, 9f (AWT), 1:49.76, st.

CHARLESQUINT (IRE) (h, 6, Showcasing {GB}--Commute {GB}, by Rail Link {GB}) Lifetime Record: GSP-Fr, 31-5-2-9, €204,625. O-Marie-Joelle Goetschy & Maurice Lagasse; B-Gestut Zur Kuste AG (IRE); T-Yann Barberot. *€40,000 RNA Ylg '18 ARQAUG.

8th-Chantilly, €18,000, 3-21, 4yo/up, 7f (AWT), 1:23.61, st.

SIMPLY STRIKING (FR) (g, 7, Kheleyf--Reech Band {GB} {MSP-Fr}, by Choisir {Aus}) Lifetime Record: MSP-Fr, 40-8-9-6, €270,337. O-Cuadra Mediterraneo & Mauricio Delcher Sanchez; B-P De Watrigant (FR); T-Mauricio Delcher Sanchez. *€62,000 Ylg '17 OSASEP.

"I think this season is when we will see the best of him and I think this race is a good challenge for him. Hopefully, he can prove he is a great horse."

Geoglyph (Jpn) (Drefong), who defeated Equinox in the G1 Japanese 2000 Guineas earlier last year, ran fourth in the \$20-million G1 Saudi Cup. He is aiming to improve in the \$12-million Dubai World Cup, Saturday's showpiece.

"I have been very happy with him since he arrived here," Kimura said of the grandson of Gio Ponti. "He was fourth by a close margin and it was his first dirt race so I was satisfied with that performance. I think his experience in Saudi Arabia will help him here."

"He worked well this morning along with Equinox. I think this is a more suitable race, stepping up to 2000 metres, and I hope that he can run another good race on Saturday."

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EQUINOX GALLOPS FOR SHEEMA CLASSIC

Japanese Horse of the Year **Equinox (Jpn)** (Kitasan Black {Jpn}) galloped over the Meydan dirt track on Tuesday in advance of a start in the 2400-metre \$6-million G1 Longines Dubai Sheema Classic on Saturday.

"This is his first overseas trip and he's still getting used to his new surroundings, although I think he's getting better day by day and I am happy with how he moved this morning," said trainer Tetsuya Kimura. "I know that this horse has plenty of talent and I hope that he can live up to the expectations of Japanese race fans by winning the Dubai Sheema Classic."

The Silk Racing colourbearer will have Christophe Lemaire in the irons. Now a 4-year-old, Equinox raced to G1 Tenno Sho (Autumn) and G1 Arima Kinen glory in October and December, respectively, with Lemaire aboard.

"This is a tough race but Christophe knows Meydan and knows this horse so I am not concerned," Kimura said. "There have been some very good winners of the Dubai Sheema Classic and so I respect how difficult it will be. It is an honour to be here with a horse like Equinox."

Silk Racing's Masashi Yonemoto said of the colt's future targets, "There are quite attractive races at home, such as the Tenno Sho (Autumn) and the [G1] Japan Cup," he told local media. "However, I think the [G1] Breeders' Cup Turf is an attractive option. It is important for him to do well here if we are to travel again but I think the Breeders' Cup would be better than the [G1 Prix de l'Arc [de Triomphe], especially with the ground."



Equinox training on Tuesday | DRC/Liesl King

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DUBAI WORLD CUP SPONSORED BY EMIRATES AIRLINE-G1, \$12,000,000, NH 4yo/up & SH 3yo/up, 2000m

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1		Algiers (Ire)	Shamardal	Doyle	S & E Crisford	126
2		Bendoog	Gun Runner	Soumillon	Seemar	126
3		Cafe Pharoah	American Pharoah	Moreira	Hori	126
4		Country Grammer	Tonalist	Dettori	Baffert	126
5		Crown Pride (Jpn)	Reach the Crown (Jpn)	Lane	Shintani	126
6		Emblem Road	Quality Road	Al Furaydi	Abdulwahid	126
7		Geoglyph (Jpn)	Drefong	Lemaire	Kimura	126
8		Jun Light Bolt (Jpn)	King Kamehameha (Jpn)	Moore	Tomomichi	126
9		Panthalassa (Jpn)	Lord Kanaloa (Jpn)	Yoshida	Yahagi	126
10		Remorse (Ire)	Dubawi (Ire)	O'Shea	Seemar	126
11		Salute the Soldier (Ger)	Sepoy (Aus)	de Vries	Seemar	126
12		Super Corinto (Arg)	Super Saver	Berrios	Sanchez	126
13		T O Keynes (Jpn)	Sinister Minister	Murphy	Takayanagi	126
14		Ushba Tesoro (Jpn)	Orfevre (Jpn)	Kawada	Takagi	126
15		Vela Azul (Jpn)	Eishin Flash (Jpn)	C Demuro	Watanabe	126

Saturday, Meydan, UAE, post time: 8.00 p.m.

LONGINES DUBAI SHEEMA CLASSIC-G1, \$6,000,000, NH 4yo/up & SH 3yo/up, 2410mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1		Botanik (Ire)	Golden Horn (GB)	Barzalona	Fabre	126
2		Mostahdaf (Ire)	Frankel (GB)	Crowley	J & T Gosden	126
3		Rebel's Romance (Ire)	Dubawi (Ire)	Buick	Appleby	126
4		Russian Emperor (Ire)	Galileo (Ire)	Sanna	Whyte	126
5		Senor Toba (Aus)	Toronado (Ire)	Dettori	Fownes	126
6		Shahryar (Jpn)	Deep Impact (Jpn)	C Demuro	Fujiwara	126
7		Equinox (Jpn)	Kitasan Black (Jpn)	Lemaire	Kimura	125
8		Westover (GB)	Frankel (GB)	Moore	Beckett	125
9		Zagrey (Fr)	Zarak (Fr)	Soumillon	Barberot	125
10		Win Marilyn (Jpn) (f)	Screen Hero (Jpn)	Lane	Tezuka	121

Saturday, Meydan, UAE, post time: 7.10 p.m.

DUBAI TURF SPONSORED BY DP WORLD-G1, \$5,000,000, NH 4yo/up & SH 3yo/up, 1800mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1		Alfareeq (Ire)	Dark Angel (Ire)	O'Neill	Al Mheiri	126
2		Danon Beluga (Jpn)	Heart's Cry (Jpn)	Moreira	Hori	126
3		Do Deuce (Jpn)	Heart's Cry (Jpn)	Take	Tomomichi	126
4		El Drama (Ire)	Lope de Vega (Ire)	Egan	Varian	126
5		Glorious Dragon (Ire)	Teofilo (Ire)	Callan	Ng	126
6		Junko (GB)	Intello (Ger)	Guyon	Fabre	126
7		Lord North (Ire)	Dubawi (Ire)	Dettori	J & T Gosden	126
8		Master of the Seas (Ire)	Dubawi (Ire)	Doyle	Appleby	126
9		Nations Pride (Ire)	Teofilo (Ire)	Buick	Appleby	126
10		Order of Australia (Ire)	Australia (GB)	Moore	O'Brien	126
11		Real World (Ire)	Dark Angel (Ire)	Murphy	bin Suroor	126
12		Serifos (Jpn)	Daiwa Major (Jpn)	Lane	Nakauchida	126

13	Shelir (Ire)	Dark Angel (Ire)	Watson	O'Meara	126
14	Shirl's Speight	Speightstown	Fresu	Attfield	126
15	Sir Busker (Ire)	Sir Prancealot (Ire)	Curtis	Knight	126
16	Vin de Garde (Jpn)	Deep Impact (Jpn)	Fujiwara	Barzalona	126

Saturday, Meydan, UAE, post time: 6.25 p.m.

DUBAI GOLDEN SHAHEEN SPONSORED BY NAKHEEL-G1, \$2,000,000, NH 4yo/up & SH 3yo/up, 1200m

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1		C Z Rocket	City Zip	Fresu	Miller	126
2		Gunite	Gun Runner	Gaffalione	Asmussen	126
3		Hopkins	Quality Road	Dettori	Baffert	126
4		Justin (Jpn)	Orfevre (Jpn)	Murzabayev	Yahagi	126
5		Lemon Pop	Lemon Drop Kid	Sakai	Tanaka	126
6		Mouheeb	Flatter	Doyle	Costa	126
7		Red le Zele (Jpn)	Lord Kanaloa (Jpn)	Kawada	Yasuda	126
8		Remake (Jpn)	Lani	Take	Shintani	126
9		Road Bloc	Street Sense	Chavez	Refai	126
10		Sibelius	Not This Time	Moore	O'Dwyer	126
11		Sound Money	Flatter	Barzalona	Seemar	126
12		Super Ocho (Chi)	Dubai Sky	Berrios	Sanchez	126
13		Switzerland	Speightstown	O'Shea	Seemar	126
14		Tuz	Oxbow	da Silva	Seemar	126

Saturday, Meydan, UAE, post time: 5.15 p.m.

AL QUOZ SPRINT SPONSORED BY AZIZI DEVELOPMENTS-G1, \$1,500,000, NH 4yo/up & SH 3yo/up, 1200mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1		Al Suhail (Ire)	Dubawi (Ire)	Buick	Appleby	131
2		Cazadero	Street Sense	Gaffalione	Walsh	131
3		Danyah (Ire)	Invincible Spirit (Ire)	O'Neill	Al Mheiri	131
4		Duke Wai (NZ)	Per Incanto	Chau	Ng	131
5		Flaming Rib (Ire)	Ribchester (Ire)	Murphy	Palmer	131
6		Logo Hunter (Ire)	Brazen Beau (Aus)	O'Shea	Seemar	131
7		Miqaas (Ire)	Oasis Dream (GB)	Chavez	Bouresly	131
8		Pogo (Ire)	Zebedee (GB)	Shoemark	Hills	131
9		Raaed (Ire)	Dark Angel (Ire)	Dettori	Alsubaie	131
10		San Donato (Ire)	Lope de Vega (Ire)	Dobbs	Watson	131
11		Sight Success (Aus)	Magnus (Aus)	Moore	Size	131
12		The Astrologist (Aus)	Zoustar (Aus)	Lane	Corstens	131
13		Thunder of Niagara (Ire)	Night of Thunder (Ire)	Dawson	bin Harmash	131
14		Happy Romance (Ire)	Dandy Man (Ire)	Levey	Hannon	131
15		Ladies Church (Ire) (f)	Churchill (Ire)	Coen	Murtagh	127
16		Al Dasim (Ire)	Harry Angel (Ire)	Barzalona	Boughey	122

Saturday, Meydan, UAE, post time: 4.05 p.m.

GODOLPHIN MILE-G2, \$1,000,000, NH 4yo/up & SH 3yo/up, 1600m

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	14	Atletico El Culano (Uru)	Alcorano (Brz)	da Silva	Cintra	126
2	8	Bathrat Leon (Jpn)	Kizuna (Jpn)	Sakai	Yahagi	126
3	7	Desert Wisdom (Ire)	Dubawi (Ire)	de Vries	Al Shemali	126
4	12	Discovery Island (Ire)	Dubawi (Ire)	Doyle	Seemar	126

5	10	Egot (Ire)	Invincible Spirit (Ire)	Barzalona	Fabre	126
6	1	Everfast	Take Charge Indy	Dobbs	Watson	126
7	13	Golden Goal (Ire)	Dark Angel (Ire)	Hitchcott	Watson	126
8	2	Isolate	Mark Valeski	Gaffalione	Watson	126
9	5	Lauda Sion (Jpn)	Real Impact (Jpn)	Murzabayev	Saito	126
10	6	Law of Peace (GB)	Shamardal	Mullen	Seemar	126
11	11	Prince Eiji (GB)	Dubawi (Ire)	Dobbs	Watson	126
12	4	Raaeb (Ire)	Raven's Pass	O'Neill	Al Mheiri	126
13	3	Royal Mews (Fr)	Siyouni (Fr)	O'Shea	Seemar	126
14	9	Win Carnelian (Jpn)	Screen Hero (Jpn)	Miura	Shikato	126

Saturday, Meydan, UAE, post time: 4.40 p.m.

DUBAI GOLD CUP SPONSORED BY AL TAYER MOTORS-G2, \$1,000,000, NH 4yo/up & SH 3yo/up, 3200mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	9	Al Nayyir (GB)	Dubawi (Ire)	Dobbs	Watson	127
2	1	Broome (Ire)	Australia (GB)	Moore	O'Brien	127
3	7	Enemy (GB)	Muhaarar (GB)	Kingscote	Williams	127
4	6	Get Shirty (Ire)	Teofilo (Ire)	Tudhope	O'Meara	127
5	8	Global Storm (Ire)	Night of Thunder (Ire)	Doyle	Appleby	127
6	4	Passion And Glory (Ire)	Cape Cross (Ire)	Soumillon	bin Suroor	127
7	12	Quickthorn (GB)	Nathaniel (Ire)	Murphy	Morrison	127
8	14	Sisfahan (Fr)	Isfahan (Ger)	Mitchell	Grewé	127
9	5	Siskany (Fr)	Dubawi (Ire)	Buick	Appleby	127
10	15	Subjectivist(GB)	Teofilo (Ire)	Fanning	Johnston	127
11	10	Trawlerman (Ire)	Golden Horn (GB)	Dettori	J & T Gosden	127
12	2	Al Qareem (Ire)	Awtaad (Ire)	Lee	Burke	121
13	11	Ardaan (GB)	Reliable Man (Ire)	Lane	Botti	121
14	3	El Habeeb (Ire)	Al Rifai (Ire)	Atzeni	P'part de Foy	121
15	13	Giavellotto (Ire)	Mastercraftsman (Ire)	Callan	Botti	121
16	16	Sober (Fr)	Camelot (GB)	Guyon	Fabre	121

Saturday, Meydan, UAE, post time: 5.50 p.m.

UAE DERBY-G2, \$1,000,000, NH/SH 3yo, 1900m

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	7	Es-Unico (Brz)	War Secretary	Moreira	Cintra	131
2	4	Ah Jeez	Mendelssohn	Gaffalione	O'Neill	121
3	5	Cairo (Ire)	Quality Road	Moore	O'Brien	121
4	12	Continuar (Jpn)	Drefong	Sakai	Yahagi	121
5	1	Derma Sotogake (Jpn)	Mind Your Biscuits	Lemaire	Otonashi	121
6	8	Dura Erede (Jpn)	Duramente (Jpn)	Demuro	Ikezoe	121
7	2	Go Soldier Go	Tapiture	de Vries	Nass	121
8	13	Goraiko (Jpn)	Hokko Tarumae (Jpn)	Kawada	Shintani	121
9	9	Lahresh (Ire)	Iffraaj (GB)	Barzalona	Al Mheiri	121
10	6	Mr Raj	Bolt d'Oro	Dawson	bin Harmash	121
11	3	Perriere (Jpn)	Henny Hughes	Murphy	Kuroiwa	121
12	10	Tall Boy	Lookin At Lucky	Buick	O'Neill	121
13	11	Worcester	Quality Road	Dettori	Baffert	121

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