



# \$1.45-MILLION ARROGATE COLT LEADS THE WAY AT OBS SPRING OPENER



Session-topping hip 253 | Photos by Z

by Jessica Martini & Christina Bossinakis

OCALA, FL - The Ocala Breeders' Sales Company's Spring Sale of 2-Year-Olds in Training opened Tuesday with a session that produced figures nearly identical to the auction's 2022 opening session.

"It was a good start to the sale," said OBS Director of Sales Tod Wojciechowski. "A lot of horses sold very well. And I'd like to think the strength will continue through the next three days. I feel pretty good about that. There are a lot of good horses left to sell."

During Tuesday's session, 161 juveniles grossed \$22,936,000. The average was \$136,665 and the median was \$75,000.

During the 2022 opening session, 159 horses--including the auction's \$2.3-million topper--sold for \$21,849,000. The session average was \$137,415 and the median was \$70,000.

On the same day that it was announced his late sire would be inducted into the racing hall of fame, a colt by Arrogate topped Tuesday's session when bringing a final bid of \$1.45 million from bloodstock agent Donato Lanni, who was acting on behalf of Amr Zedan. The juvenile was consigned by Hartley/DeRenzo Thoroughbreds on behalf of his breeder, Jeff Weiss's Rosedown Racing Stables.

## CALIFORNIA CHROME, ARROGATE, NAKATANI AMONG EIGHT IN HALL OF FAME CLASS OF 2023

Eight new members have been elected this year to the National Museum of Racing and Hall of Fame class of 2023. Jockeys Corey Nakatani and Fernando Toro, via the Historic Review Committee, join racehorses **Arrogate** (Unbridled's Song), **California Chrome** (Lucky Pulpit), and **Songbird** (Medaglia d'Oro) each in their first year of eligibility. Pillars of the Turf selections this year are John W. Hanes II, Leonard W. Jerome, and Stella F. Thayer.

The late Arrogate, whose bankroll of \$17,422,600 still ranks him as North America's wealthiest racehorse of all time, won the Eclipse Award for 3-Year-Old Male in 2016. Overall the gray Juddmonte Farms homebred won four Grade/Group I races in the care of Hall of Fame trainer Bob Baffert.

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Arrogate, pictured winning the GI Pegasus World Cup Invitational S. in 2017, was elected to the National Museum of Racing and Hall of Fame class of 2023 in his first year of eligibility. Also on Tuesday, a colt by the late champion topped the opening session of the OBS Spring Sale with a \$1.45 million final bid. | Susie Raisher/Coglianese

#### HISA'S MEDICATION CONTROL PROGRAM DELAYED

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The Horseracing Integrity and Safety Act (HISA) Authority's Anti-Doping and Medication (ADMC) program, expected to go into effect May 1, will apparently not be implemented until May 22.

#### PASSERO TO CONSULT ON LAUREL TRACK WOES

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The Maryland Thoroughbred Horsemen's Association (MTHA) and the management of 1/ST announced an agreement Tuesday morning that will allow MTHA consultant John Passero to perform testing on the much-maligned racing surface at Laurel Park.

#### LETTER TO THE EDITOR: JOHN SIKURA

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In a letter to the editor, Hill 'n' Dale's John Sikura, a native of Ontario, pleads for a collaborative approach to racing in the province.



#### **OBS Spring Sale cont.**

With his lone purchase, Lanni was the session's leading buyer, while de Meric Sales was the day's leading consignor with 10 sold for \$2,770,000.

The OBS Spring sale continues through Friday, with sessions beginning daily at 10:30 a.m.

#### **Zedan Strikes Again at OBS**

Amr Zedan, who went to a sale-topping \$2 million for a Good Magic colt at the OBS March sale, was back at it again Tuesday in Ocala, going to \$1.45 million to acquire a colt by Arrogate (hip 253) from the Hartley/DeRenzo Thoroughbreds consignment. Bloodstock agent Donato Lanni, standing alongside trainer Bob Baffert, signed the ticket on behalf of Zedan.

"He is our kind of horse," Lanni said. "Bob loved him as soon as he saw him. He is big and beautiful and had a lot of presence about him. He did amazing in his breeze [:10 flat]."

Baffert trained the late Arrogate, who was announced as a first-ballot inductee into the Racing Hall of Fame Tuesday.

"It's fitting that today they announced that Arrogate was getting inducted into the Hall of Fame," Lanni said. "We love Arrogate. We are a little biased, but he was a special horse to us." Opposite: **Bob Baffert examines hip 253** | Photos By Z





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#### **OBS Spring cont.**

The bay colt, who is out of the unraced Destine (War Front), is a half-brother to stakes-placed Sunset Promise (Broken Vow) and from the family of champion Smoke Glacken.

Randy Hartley and Dean DeRenzo consigned the colt on behalf of his breeder, Jeff Weiss's Rosedown Racing Stables.

"This colt has been awesome from the git-go," Hartley said.
"He's been like a machine at the farm. He's one of those horses you don't notice because he's so quiet, but he just does everything correctly. I knew he was going to breeze well because he was just such a good horse at the farm. But you get here to the synthetic and you just don't really know because I train on the dirt. But we had four horses to breeze that day and I took him up there last because I knew he was going to do it. For a big horse, he's so light on his feet."

Weiss, who is in real estate, has just two broodmares.

"He owns office buildings in Manhattan and Miami," Hartley said. "He's playing the game at an upper level, but he loves his mares."

Hartley/DeRenzo sold Destine's colt by Goldencents on behalf of Weiss for \$130,000 at last year's Fasig-Tipton Midlantic May sale. The 11-year-old mare's foal died last year and she produced a filly by Improbable just four days ago.

Weiss bought the mare back, while carrying that filly, for \$30,000 at last year's Keeneland November sale.



Donato Lanni (left) and Randy Hartley | Photos By Z

In addition to the seven-figure colt, Hartley/DeRenzo also sold a filly by Uncle Mo for \$675,000 and RNA'd a City of Light colt for \$445,000. The partners also sold colts for \$1.2 million and \$950,000 at the OBS March sale.

Hartley admitted in past years, those juveniles would have been sent south to be offered at the boutique Fasig-Tipton Gulfstream Sale, which was absent from the 2023 sales calendar. **Cont. p5** 



#### **OBS Spring Sale cont.**

"Mostly everything we had here [would have gone to the Gulfstream sale]," he said. "The Uncle Mo filly would have been there for sure, the City of Light—he didn't meet his mark, but he would have been in Miami. This colt, the Medag, the Into Mischief colt. Five or six of these horses would have been in Miami between what we had in the first sale and here."

Of the OBS Spring sale, Hartley said, "I feel like this has become the sale, now. I get why people want to come here. It's easy. It's in our backyard. It's harder for me because I have the farm and the sale. When I am at a sale, I can focus just on what's in front of me. But OBS has done a great job getting the right people here and people are confident buying here. Even though the times may be really fast, I still feel like they figure out which horses they need to buy, regardless of the times or whatever."

#### @JessMartiniTDN

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#### **Bolt d'Oro Filly Pops at OBS Spring**



Hip 215 | ThoroStride

With the opening session in full swing, a filly by Spendthrift sire Bolt d'Oro realized a \$850,000 final bid from Doug Cauthen, signing on behalf of Roy and Gretchen Jacksons' Lael Stables.

Offered as hip 215 as part of the de Meric Sales consignment, the Mar. 17 foal is out of the 8-year-old Creative Contessa (Creative Cause), a half-sister to stakes winners Amiable Grace (Alphabet Soup) and Miss Tizzy (Cee's Tizzy). Cont. p6







# ALOHA WEST

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#### **OBS Spring cont.**

"The Jacksons keep their horses out at the de Merics' and they had been hearing about this filly for several months," explained Cauthen. "They had a chance to see her when they came down to look at their horses. Everyone on the grounds here wanted her and they just *really* wanted her. Physically, she is exceptional and she breezes exceptionally. She kept her energy the whole time in the barn. She has all the parts and now we will see if she'll go out and do it on the weekends."

Represented by hist first crop to race in 2022, Bolt d'Oro closed out the season as the nation's leading freshman, with his progeny amassing \$2.815 million in earnings. His leading representative to date is Instant Coffee, a graded stakes winner at both two and three, with over \$450,000 in earnings.

"There were a lot of nice Bolts here and when you just keep seeing a lot of good ones, it gives you encouragement," said Cauthen. "Hopefully, she can be that big filly on his resume."

An RNA for \$150,000 at Fasig-Tipton in November of 2021, the Ruis Racing-bred filly was offered at last summer's Fasig-Tipton Saratoga Select Sale where Sean Perl went to \$350,000 on behalf of Vincent Vivolo.

"The Jacksons saw her on the farm. She is a filly that always caught everybody's eye," said Tristan de Meric. "From Day 1, we have loved her and were just happy to have her."--@CBossTDN

#### **Twirling Candy Colt Heads Overseas**

Bloodstock agent Oliver St Lawrence, bidding alongside trainer Fawzi Nass, was forced to \$800,000 to acquire a colt by Twirling Candy (hip 192) Tuesday in Ocala.

"He'll go out to Dubai," St Lawrence said. "He'll be trained by Fawzi Nass. Obviously, he's a colt, but we'll try to do a Shahama, who won the UAE Oaks and the 1000 Guineas and then came over here to Todd." **Cont. p7** 



Oliver St Lawrence (right) and trainer Fawzi Nass | Photos By Z



KHK Racing's 'TDN Rising Star' Shahama (Munnings), who was purchased by Nass for \$425,000 out of the 2021 OBS Spring sale, doubled up on Meydan stakes scores the following year before transferring Stateside to trainer Todd Pletcher. She went on to win the GIII Monmouth Oaks and was second in the GII Mother Goose S.

Hip 192 is out of graded-placed Conquest Babayaga (Uncle Mo) and worked a furlong last week in :9 4/5.

"It was a lovely work in a fast time," St Lawrence said of the colt's work. "He seemed to sustain it for a long time. And he had a nice, big stride on him--I think he had the biggest stride on the day. He's our type of horse, a nice big, strong horse."

The juvenile was bred by Vinnie Viola's St. Elias Stables and was consigned by Steve Venosa's S G V Thoroughbreds.

"We liked him back home, but anytime you bring them over here, you hope they show up and he definitely showed up," Venosa said.

The colt RNA'd for \$120,000 at Keeneland September.



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"We got him straightaway from Keeneland," Venosa said. "He was broke on our farm. At Keeneland, he was just a big, immature horse. As time went on, he really filled out and blossomed. Every day he was getting better."

St Lawrence, who was active at last week's Tattersalls Craven Breeze-Up Sale, said he was finding the usual patterns in the juvenile market across the globe.

"I think it's the usual form," he said. "It's really strong for the nice horses. Tattersalls was a bit weak on the first day, comparably, but then some of the nicer horses were on the second day which was ferociously strong."

Of the price tag of the Twirling Candy colt, St Lawrence admitted, "We probably got pushed a bit."

Earlier in Tuesday's session, St Lawrence purchased a filly by Star Guitar (hip 161) for \$200,000. @JessMartiniTDN





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#### **Belladonna Strikes at OBS Tuesday**

While many were just warming up during the OBS Spring sale opener, Belladonna Racing came out swinging, reeling in a pair of colts, including hip 19, a colt by Constitution for \$500,000. Later in the session, the operation's trainer Cherie DeVaux signed for hip 64, a colt by sophomore sire Oscar Performance who brought \$330,000. Both colts have been purchased to add to the group's latest offering, Belladonna V. Belladonna is a collective effort between third-generation horse owner Paul Manganaro and bloodstock agent David Ingordo, who is also married to DeVaux.

"We are here to buy athletes," said Manganaro of the :10.1 breezer. "I thought he was a great representation of [Constitution]. He was elegant, and had a great presence and his breeze met up to our criteria."

Out of Brazilian Group 3-placed mare Allez Marie (Unbridled's Song), the Apr. 15 foal is a half to SW Workaholic (Sky Mesa), GSP Tomato Bill (More Than Ready) and SP Fouette (Nyquist). A \$250,000 Keeneland September yearling purchase, the chestnut's second dam is 2005 GI Kentucky Oaks heroine Summerly. He was consigned by de Meric Sales.

"He also has a great pedigree--it's everything we are looking for," Manganaro said. "With his looks and pedigree, he has stallion potential if he were to win a graded stakes."



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During Tuesday's session, the Belladonna team also landed a son of three-time Grade I winner Balance (Thunder Gulch), a half-sister to Horse of the Year Zenyatta. Consigned by Eisaman Equine, the Apr. 21 foal, who realized \$170,000 at Keeneland last September, breezed a quarter in :10.2 last week.

"Obviously, our general, David Ingordo, has a lot of history with the family," explained Manganaro referring to the agent who was instrumental in unearthing the three-time champion older mare and dual Breeders' Cup winner. **Cont. p9** 



#### **OBS Spring Sale cont.**

Balance, who like Oscar Performance raced in the Amerman Racing colors of John and Jerry Amerman, was purchased by Andrew Warren for \$135,000 at the 2020 Keeneland November sale carrying this colt.

"There was a little concern that Balance's earlier foals haven't really clicked yet," said Manganaro. "So, we studied each one and we thought this was her best cross yet. Of course, Oscar Performance is having a good start at stud."

Belladonna kicked off in 2019, and among its earliest purchases was Bayerness (Bayern), a \$350,000 Fasig-Tipton Midlantic purchase that has won five of 12 starts, highlighted by the Shine Again S. at Saratoga in 2021. Multiple graded stakes placed, the chestnut earned over \$400,000 at the track. And while the operation focused on the fairer set in its earlier offerings, it has added a greater emphasis on colts for its latest collection.

"We were looking to add to the top 25% of what we already bought for Belladonna V," explained Manganaro. "Our members wanted to diversify and add a few more colts into the mix. So for Belladonna V, we figured we'd shoot for about 15 horses, a mixture of colts and fillies. We had eight fillies and six colts coming in, so this balances things off."

Manganaro added, "We didn't come down here looking for colts, although it was the priority. We just wanted the best athletes.

"Of course, the colts are higher risk, but also higher reward. So that's why we are looking for the right physical and pedigree in our colts."

Following Tuesday's purchases, Belladonna currently has 16 2-year-olds, and a dozen 3 and 4-year-olds from prior partnerships.

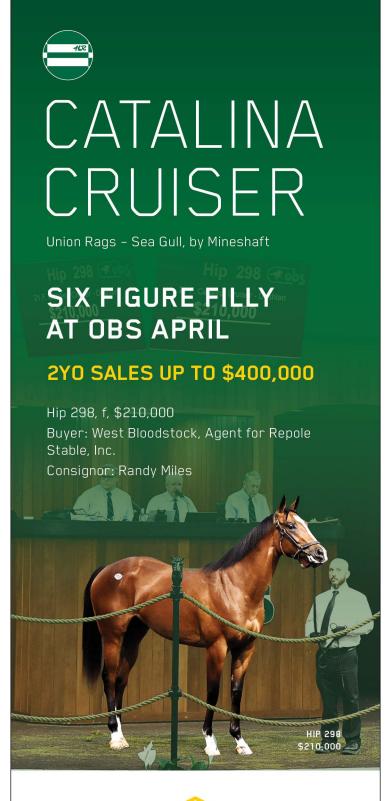
When asked if the team has been able to stick to budget with its two initial OBS Spring purchases, Manganaro said, "One was a little bit more than we thought and one was a little bit less, so it all balanced out at the end of the day."

He added, "Last month [at the OBS March sale], we found some in March but we ended up just being spectators on them, because they brought triple what we thought. We have great discipline, we set a price and we'll go a bump or two but not too much over that. Overall, we're happy with what we got yesterday"--@CBossTDN

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## OBS APRIL 2-YEAR-OLDS IN TRAINING TUESDAY'S TOP ELEVEN COLTS

 Hip
 Sire | Dam
 Price (\$)

 253
 Arrogate--Destine
 1,450,000

Bred by Rosedown Racing Stables (KY)
Consigned by Hartley/DeRenzo Thoroughbreds, Agent I
Purchased by Donato Lanni, Agent

192 Twirling Candy--Conquest Babayaga 800,000 (\$120,000 RNA Ylg '22 KEESEP)

Bred by St Elias Stables (KY)
Consigned by S G V T'breds (Steven Venosa), Agent I
Purchased by Oliver St Lawrence Bloodstock

19 Constitution--Allez Marie 500,000 (\$250,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP)

Bred by Stud TNT (KY)
Consigned by de Meric Sales, Agent I
Purchased by Cherie DeVaux, Agt for Belladonna Racing V

103 Violence--Blues Corner 400,000

(\$90,000 Wlg '21 KEENOV; \$180,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP)
Bred by Violence Syndicate & Kathie Maybee (KY)
Consigned by Richardson Bloodstock
Purchased by MyRacehorse & Edge Racing

178 Good Magic--City Siren 350,000 (\$100,000 Ylg '22 FTKOCT)

Bred by Adirondack Bloodstock (Y) Consigned by Eisaman Equine, Agent Purchased by C R K Stable LLC

193 Good Samaritan--Conquest Bad Uncle 340,000 (\$60,000 Wlg '21 KEENOV; \$90,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP)

Bred by Kathryn Day & ThorougBred by Design (KY)

Consigned by Eddie Woods, Agent LV

Purchased by Klaravich Stable Inc

64 Oscar Performance--Balance 330,000

(\$135,000 i/u '20 KEENOV; \$170,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP)

Bred by Andrew Warren (KY)
Consigned by Eisaman Equine, Agent

Purchased by Cherie DeVaux, Agt for Belladonna Racing V

81 Curlin--Bellevais 310,000

(\$175,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP)

Bred by St Elias Stables (KY)
Consigned by de Meric Sales, Agent II
Purchased by Winchell Thoroughbreds LLC

228 Into Mischief--Curlina 310,000 (\$290,000 Ylg '22 FTSAUG)

Bred by Mulholland Springs (KY)
Consigned by de Meric Sales, Agent IX
Purchased by Mike Ryan, Agt for Peter Redekop BC Ltd

10 Night of Thunder (Ire)--Afdhaad (GB) 300,000 (€125,000 Ylg '22 GOFFEB; 200,000gns RNA Ylg '22 TATOCT)

Bred by Shadwell Estate Company (Ire) Consigned by Eddie Woods, Agent XXXII Purchased by Mitsu Nakauchida

95 Mendelssohn--Blazing Betsy 300,000 (\$120,000 Ylg '22 FTKOCT)

Bred by Robert Slack & Dan Walters (KY) Consigned by Julie Davies LLC, Agent XXIV Purchased by Ben McElroy, Agent for K S I

#### **TUESDAY'S TOP NINE FILLIES**

Hip Sire | Dam Price (\$)

215 Bolt d'Oro--Creative Contessa 850,000 (\$150,000 RNA Wlg '21 FTKNOV; \$350,000 Ylg '22 FTSAUG)

Bred by Ruis Racing (KY)
Consigned by de Meric Sales, Agent XX
Purchased by Lael Stable

229 Uncle Mo--Customer Base 675,000 (\$250,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP)

Bred by Glen Hill Farm (KY)

Consigned by Hartley/DeRenzo Thoroughbreds, Agent II

Purchased by D J Stable/Gary Barber

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141 Mendelssohn--Caroline Victoria

Bred by J Stables & Gelfenstein Farm (FL)

Consigned by Off the Hook LLC, Agent III

Purchased by CLSR Racing Partners LLC

176 More Than Ready--Cinderella Time (\$260,000 Ylg '22 FTNAUG)

Bred by Duchess Views Farm, GMP Stable & C Robert Valeri (NY)

Consigned by Tom McCrocklin, Agent XVIII Purchased by Town & Country Racing LLC

77 Omaha Beach--Belatrix 375,000 (\$40,000 i/u '20 KEENOV; \$65,000 Wlg '21 KEENOV;

\$160,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP) Bred by Jesse Korona (ON)

Consigned by Off the Hook LLC, Agent II

Purchased by Maverick Racing & Siena Farms LLC

249 Bolt d'Oro--Del Mar May 375,000 (\$140,000 i/u '20 KEENOV; \$85,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP)

Bred by Joel R Politi (KY)
Consigned by Tom McCrocklin, Agent XXII
Purchased by November Hill Inc

4 Audible--Abtasaamah

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380,000

(\$120,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP)

Bred by William B Harrigan (KY)
Consigned by Eisaman Equine, Agent

Purchased by Full of Run Racing LLC II & Ten Strike Racing

156 Uncle Mo--Cersei

(\$110,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP)

Bred by Castleton Lyons & Kilboy Estate (KY)
Consigned by Pick View LLC, Agent III

Purchased by Skara Glen Stables

51 Munnings--Aunt Dot Dot (\$225,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP)

Bred by Truxton Stables (KY)

Consigned by Hartley/DeRenzo Thoroughbreds, Agent II

Purchased by Mike Ryan, Agent

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No. Sold	161	159
• RNAs	45	54
• % RNAs	21.8%	25.3%
High Price	\$1,450,000	\$2,300,000
• No. Over \$500k	5	5
• Gross	\$22,003,000	\$21,849,000
Average (% change)	\$136,665 (-0.01%)	\$137,415
<ul> <li>Median (% change)</li> </ul>	\$75,000 (7.14%)	\$70,000
*2022 Figures do not inclu	ide post-sale transactio	ns.

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#### **OBS APRIL SALE--TUESDAY**

HipSexSireDamPrice (\$)005coltFlameawayActing Naughty200,000

Consigned by Grassroots Training & Sales, LLC, agent Purchased by Dennis O'Neill

Grassroots Training & Sales purchased this colt from the first crop of Flameaway for \$50,000 at last year's Texas Thoroughbred Association Yearling sale.

019 colt Constitution Allez Marie 500,000

Consigned by de Meric Sales, Agent I

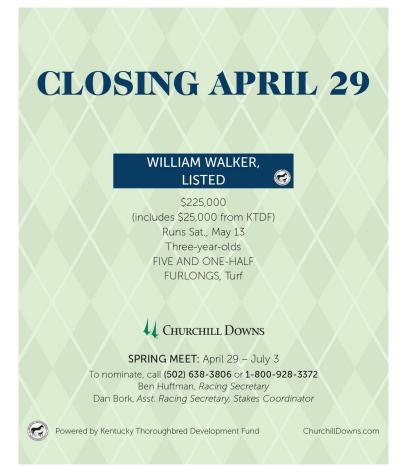
Purchased by Cherie DeVaux, Agent for Belladonna Racing V Mickey Gonzalez's Golden Star Farm purchased this colt for \$250,000 at last year's Keeneland September sale.

#### 064 colt Oscar Performance Balance 330,000

Consigned by Eisaman Equine, agent

Purchased by Cherie De Vaux, Agent for Belladonna Racing V Long Island Farm was the name on the ticket when this colt sold for \$170,000 at last year's Keeneland September sale.





#### 077 filly Omaha Beach Belatrix 375,000

Consigned by Off the Hook LLC, Agent II

Purchased by Maverick Racing & Siena Farms LLC

Elena Racing and Gelfenstein Farm acquired this filly from the first-crop of Omaha Beach for \$160,000 at KEESEP last fall.

#### 081 colt Curlin Bellavais 310,000

Consigned by de Meric Sales, Agent II
Purchased by Winchell Thoroughbreds LLC
Lugamo Racing Stables acquired this well-bred colt for \$175,000 at last year's Keeneland September sale.

095 colt Mendelssohn Blazen Betsty 300,000

Consigned by Julie Davies, LLC, Agent XXIV

Purchased by Ben McElroy, Agent for K. S. I.

Toby Stables acquired this colt for \$120,000 at last year's Fasig-Tipton October sale.

103 colt Violence Blues Corner 400,000

Consigned by Richardson Bloodstock, agent Purchased by MyRacehorse & Edge Racing

Lane Richardson, as agent for Kevin Knuckley, purchased this colt for \$180,000 at Keeneland last September. With Violence set to be represented by a pair of colts in the GI Kentucky Derby

this year, this juvenile was in demand in Ocala Tuesday.

Richardson and Knuckley teamed up a little later in the session to sell a filly by Star Guitar (hip 161) for \$200,000 to Oliver St Lawrence Bloodstock. The filly had been purchased for \$100,000 at Keeneland September.

#### 229 filly Uncle Mo Customer Base 675,000

Consigned by Hartley/DeRenzo Thoroughbreds LLC, Agent II
Purchased by D. J. Stable LLC/Gary Barber

Randy Hartley and Dean DeRenzo, who sold a colt by Uncle Mo for \$950,000 during the first session of the OBS March sale, had more success with the stallion in Ocala Tuesday. They purchased this filly for \$250,000 at Keeneland September.



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#### Hall of Fame Class of 2023 cont. from p1



Arrogate | Sarah Andrew

Arrogate was unraced as a 2-year-old and broke his maiden in his second career start in 2016 and in his first stakes appearance set a track record of 1:59.36 when winning the GI Travers S. by 13 1/2 lengths, the only time in Saratoga history a horse has gone 10 furlongs on the dirt in less than two minutes. He also won the GI Breeders' Cup Classic at Santa Anita and set a Gulfstream Park dirt record of 1:46.83 in the 1 1/8-mile GI Pegasus World Cup in his 4-year-old debut. He then captured the GI Dubai World Cup to become the all-time earnings leader. Arrogate was retired with a record of 7-1-1 from 11 starts.

California Chrome won Eclipse Awards for Horse of the Year in 2014 and 2016, as well as champion 3-Year-Old Male in 2014 and champion Older Male in 2016.

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California Chrome | Benoit

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**DAY 1 AT OBS SPRING:** 

Hip 5

\$200,000 colt

Purchased by **Dennis O'Neill**Bred by **Clear Creek Stud LLC**Consigned by **Grassroots Training & Sales LLC** 

Hip 177

\$180,000 filly

Purchased by Talla Racing / Kim Lloyd, Agent Bred by David Soblick Consigned by Grassroots Training & Sales LLC

Hip 37

\$140,000 filly

Purchased by **Danny Eplin**Consigned by **SGV Thoroughbreds LLC**Bred by **John C. Oxley** 



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#### Hall of Fame cont.

Trained by Art Sherman for Perry Martin and Steve Coburn, and later Taylor Made Farm, California Chrome won a total of 10 graded/group stakes including the Kentucky Derby, Preakness S., Santa Anita Derby, and Hollywood Derby in his first Horse of the Year campaign in 2014. In 2016, he surpassed Hall of Famer Curlin for the North American earnings record, which was subsequently broken by Arrogate. Overall, California Chrome won at seven different tracks retired with a career line of 27-16-4-1, \$14,752,650. He now stands at Arrow Stud in Japan.

Songbird won Eclipse Awards for champion 2-Year-Old Filly in 2015 and champion 3-Year-Old Filly in 2016. Trained by Jerry Hollendorfer for the late Rick Porter's Fox Hill Farms, Songbird won the first 11 races of her career, including Grade I victories in the Del Mar Debutante, Chandelier, Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies, Santa Anita Oaks, Coaching Club American Oaks, Alabama, and Cotillion. As a 4-year-old she also won consecutive Grade Is in the Ogden Phipps and Delaware H. Overall, Songbird posted a record of 13-2-0 from 15 starts and earned \$4,692,000.



Corey Nakatani | Coady

Nakatani, 52, won 3,909 races with purse earnings of \$234,554,534 million in a career that spanned from 1988 to 2018. He ranks 14th all time in career earnings and won 341 graded stakes. Nakatani won 10 Breeders' Cup races (one of only 10 riders to do so), including four editions of the Sprint. He won three riding titles at Del Mar, two at Santa Anita and one at Hollywood Park, as well as four Oak Tree meetings. Nakatani won a record 19 stakes during the 2006-2007 Santa Anita meet, breaking the track's previous single-meet record held by Hall of Famer Laffit Pincay, Jr. He ranks eighth all time in stakes wins at Santa Anita with 134 and ninth in overall wins at there with 1,075. He also stands second all-time at Del Mar with 108 stakes wins and sixth in overall wins with 705.

Chilean native Fernando Toro won 3,555 for earnings of \$56,299,765 during his career, which began in North America in 1966 and ended upon his retirement in 1990. Before arriving in America, Toro won three editions of the prestigious Gran Premio, as well as the 1964 Clasico St. Leger, a race in the Chilean Triple Crown series. Based in Southern California, Toro won 80 graded stakes in North America and at the time of his retirement, ranked in the top 10 in stakes wins at all three major Southern California tracks. Outside of California he won a number of graded stakes as well, including the GI Apple Blossom, GI Arlington Million and GI Ashland S. Among his most notable mounts include fellow Hall of Famers Royal Heroine (Lypheor {GB}), Manila (Lyphard) and Ancient Title (Gummo).

Navy veteran John W. Hanes II (1892--1987), with his wife Hope Hanes, campaigned runners in the U.S., England, and Ireland. On his own or in partnership, Hanes bred 19 stakes winners, including the champion Idun (Royal Charger). He also played a key role in the revitalization of New York racing in the 1950s and was elected a steward of The Jockey Club in 1953, tasked to chair a special committee to improve New York's tracks and quality of racing. He also assisted in securing \$109 million to revitalize Aqueduct, Belmont, and Saratoga and helped pass legislation to establish the management corporation that eventually became the New York Racing Association where he served as the organization's president from 1954 through 1960 before transitioning to the role of NYRA chairman. He remained a NYRA trustee until 1973.

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Mobile contacts: 859.396.0761 / 352.237.3809 www.louiseereinagel.com Attorney Leonard W. Jerome (1818--1891) was a driving force in the creation of three major racetracks in the New York City area and helped establish the American Jockey Club (not affiliated with the modern Jockey Club). He served as the first vice president of Saratoga Race Course upon its opening in 1864. In 1866, Jerome bought the 230-acre estate and mansion of James Bathgate in what was then rural Westchester County, N.Y. where he and August Belmont I built Jerome Park and held the inaugural Belmont Stakes there in 1867, where it remained until 1890. Other key races inaugurated at Jerome Park include the Champagne S., Juvenile S. and Ladies H. The Jerome H., first run in 1866, was named in his honor and is one of the oldest stakes races in America.



Stella Thayer | Emma Berry

Stella F. Thayer, 82, purchased Tampa Bay Downs with her brother, Howell Ferguson, in 1986 and still serves as the track's president. She was elected as the ninth president of the National Museum of Racing and Hall of Fame in 2005, the first woman to hold the position in the institution's history, and served in the role until 2014. She is a member of the Florida, New Jersey, and New York Bar Associations. In 1986, Thayer named controller Lorraine M. King as general manager, the first time in turf history a Thoroughbred track had separate female ownership and management. In 1990, Tampa Bay Downs became the first track in Florida to accept a simulcast signal. She is also a past president of the Thoroughbred Racing Associations. As an owner, her 2-year-old Wonderment (Ire) (Camelot {GB}) in 2018 became the first filly in 14 years to win the G1 Criterium de Saint-Cloud in France.

The 2023 Hall of Fame class will be enshrined on Friday, Aug. 4, at the Fasig-Tipton sales pavilion in Saratoga Springs at 10:30 a.m. The ceremony will be broadcast live on the Museum website. The event is open to the public and free to attend.

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## HISA'S MEDICATION CONTROL PROGRAM REPORTEDLY DELAYED AGAIN by T.D. Thornton

The Horseracing Integrity and Safety Act (HISA) Authority's Anti-Doping and Medication Control (ADMC) program, which was expected to go into effect May 1 after twice having its start delayed this year, is reportedly now not going to be implemented for an additional three weeks, until May 22, according to comments made by Tom Chuckas at Tuesday's Pennsylvania Horse Racing Commission meeting.

*TDN* is attempting to confirm that news with the HISA Authority after hearing the new ADMC start date discussed at the meeting.

Chuckas, the director of Thoroughbred horse racing for the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture, brought up the ADMC's latest delay during his monthly briefing to commissioners about HISA and the Horseracing Integrity and Welfare Unit (HIWU), which is the entity that will operate the ADMC.

"Relaunch was scheduled for May 1," Chuckas said. "I was contacted [Apr. 21] by HIWU to be advised that based on the Triple Crown, based on multiple tracks opening, that May 1 would not be the launch date. It would be May 22.

"From a commission standpoint, the commission staff, the livestock workers, the vets, and assorted personnel are in place and will continue to do whatever is necessary to maintain Pennsylvania racing," Chuckas said.

A HISA spokesperson did not respond to email and voicemail requests for an explanation prior to deadline for this story.

Initially, the ADMC program had a Jan. 1, 2023, start date. In mid-December 2002, that date got scrapped when the Federal Trade Commission (FTC) declined to approve the rules that would make the program operational, citing legal issues.

The HISA Authority then ramped up for an expected Mar. 27 start date after receiving FTC clearance. The ADMC went briefly into effect for four days, but on Mar. 31, a federal judge in Texas issued a 30-day injunction that suspended the program. That ruling is part of a long back-and-forth struggle between pro- and anti-HISA forces.

The order out of United States District Court, Northern District of Texas, Lubbock Division, was in response to a motion filed by the National Horsemen's Benevolent and Protective Association (NHBPA) arguing that the rule violated a provision of the Administrative Procedures Act (APA), which governs the process by which federal agencies develop and issue regulations.

But the court only addressed that 30-day rule required by the APA, and not the NHBPA's larger claims that HISA remains unconstitutional despite recently added clarifying language.

Back when the Mar. 31 order was issued, Lisa Lazarus, the HISA Authority's chief executive officer, said, "Obviously we're disappointed by the decision out of the Lubbock court, but it has

to do with the FTC process; it's not strictly related to HISA. As a result, we're going to suspend operations for a few days, and get ready to go again on May 1, and hand it over back to the states to essentially run the programs....

"At this point, it's just 30 days, so we can plan for that, communicate that. So in weighing all the interests, we thought it was best to accept the decision, communicate it, plan for it and use this 30 days to continue to improve our processes. The ruling does make it clear that as of May 1, we're operational again," Lazarus said back on Mar. 31.

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## LAUREL TRACK WOES: PASSERO TO CONSULT, PIMLICO MOVE ON HOLD FOR

**NOW** by T.D. Thornton



Laurel Park | Maryland Jockey Club

The Maryland Thoroughbred Horsemen's Association (MTHA) and the management team at 1/ST Racing announced an agreement Tuesday morning that will allow for the MTHA's preferred track maintenance consultant, John Passero, to be retained to perform testing that will hopefully lead to the latest round of fixes in a years-long series of safety woes that have plagued Laurel Park's main dirt track.

The agreement, which was announced at an emergency meeting of the Maryland Racing Commission (MRC) Apr. 25, put off for the time being any action by the commission that would have mandated shifting racing to Pimlico Race Course some 30 miles north in Baltimore. 1/ST Racing owns both tracks under the corporate name Maryland Jockey Club (MJC).

Five horses have had to be euthanized this month at Laurel, including two who raced there Apr. 20. After last Thursday's fatalities, 1/ST Racing initially announced that racing would be canceled indefinitely, then later tried to fill an Apr.27 card that

was abandoned when horsemen withheld entries. Management has maintained that the track is safe, while the horsemen have disagreed, at one point calling the situation a "catastrophic emergency."

Passero used to be the MJC's track superintendent several decades ago, and the horsemen had lobbied for his inclusion as a consultant during the winter of 2021-22, which was when the last significant spate of equine deaths occurred over the Laurel dirt

At that time, a Maryland racing commissioner described Passero during a public meeting as having the confidence of "rank-and-file horsemen" while noting that Passero felt "frustrated" when his input as a consultant "was not being heeded" by track executives.

Both in the past and for the present problems, 1/ST Racing has relied upon its own consultants, most notably Dennis Moore, known for his longtime track superintendent work at Santa Anita Park, another track in 1/ST Racing's corporate portfolio.

Craig Fravel, 1/ST Racing's chief executive officer, told commissioners during Tuesday's meeting that the negotiations with horsemen yielded "basically an access agreement for the MTHA to retain their consultant, John Passero, to come to the racetrack to perform whatever tests [and] evaluations [that] he feels are necessary to inform himself and his client [that could lead to] possible improvements to the racing surface."

Fravel noted that Passero will be employed by the MTHA, and that the exact scope of his work is not defined by the agreement. Whatever data Passero uncovers will then be analyzed by track management, the horsemen, and the commission to determine the next steps. **Cont. p17** 



#### Laurel cont.

Tim Keefe, the president of the MTHA, said he expected Passero to begin work as soon as Wednesday, Apr. 26.

Alan Foreman, an attorney who represents the MTHA, said, "We'll collectively assess his findings. Any work that needs to be done, our hope is that it is a relatively quick fix, and that we will be back to racing as quickly as possible."

Fravel was asked directly by a commissioner about the possibility of relocating the current Laurel meet to Pimlico, which is scheduled to race May 11-29 for its GI Preakness S. meet.

"We're going to approach all of these questions in good faith," Fravel said. "We're not taking anything off the table, but we need to let this process unfold," before having discussions about moving to Pimlico.

MRC chairman Michael Algeo made it clear that the commission's top priority is safety.

"Racing will not resume here until this commission says it can resume," Algeo said. "This is uncharted territory for the commission. This was not a hearing that we anticipated. It's not a hearing that we wanted. But I have emphasized throughout my time as chairman and member of this commission that we needed cooperation, communication and compromise.

"We cannot afford to get this wrong. We have to get it right," Algeo underscored.

Algeo noted that the MRC has a regularly scheduled monthly meeting for next Tuesday, May 2, at which it could take next steps, unless sooner action is warranted. Although his tone was generally terse, Algeo added that he was "optimistic" the testing and the fixes could proceed as swiftly as possible.

Pimlico hosted an extended meet through the summer of 2021 the last time Laurel's track needed extensive repairs.

After years of freeze/thaw and drainage troubles, Laurel's main track was in such bad shape in the spring of 2021 that Laurel ceased racing on it Apr. 11, 2021, to begin an emergency rebuild from the base up. The project was repeatedly delayed and had its scope expanded, and it ended up taking five months before racing could resume instead of the initially projected one month.

When racing resumed in September 2021, the main track had no apparent safety issues. But the onset of cold weather revealed problems with seams in the base of the homestretch, then the cushion atop that layer needed substantial reworking to give it more body and depth.

Eight horses died from fractures while racing or training over Laurel's main track between Oct. 3 and Nov. 28, 2021, leading to weeks-long halts in racing through early the winter of 2022.

## GORDON RAMSEY, WHO HELPED LAUNCH MASSACHUSETTS BREEDING PROGRAM,

**DIES** by T.D. Thornton



Gordon Ramsey | Courtesy John Ramsey

Gordon P. Ramsey, a breeder and owner in Massachusetts and Georgia who was instrumental in lobbying to secure legislation and funding to create and support the Massachusetts Thoroughbred Breeders Association (MTBA) program in the early 1980s, died peacefully at his home in Georgia Apr. 21 after having suffered a stroke last month. He was 84.

Ramsey, a Boston attorney, had served as the MTBA's first executive director. He and his wife of 40 years, Linda, operated Chabboquasset Farm in Massachusetts and Georgia, racing their homebreds at Suffolk Downs and Rockingham Park and at tracks along the East Coast and in the Midwest for many years.

During the 1996 Atlanta Summer Olympics, the Ramseys hosted equestrian teams at their farm in Palmetto, Georgia, from the United States, Canada, Mexico, and Puerto Rico.

Gordon is survived by his wife and four children, including the former Suffolk Downs marketing director John Ramsey. He also leaves four step-children and 14 grandchildren.

A funeral and celebration of his well-lived life will be held Saturday, April 29, at 1 p.m. at St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Newnan, Georgia.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in his memory to the Sacred Journey Hospice Foundation, 138 Peach Drive, McDonough, GA 30253.

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#### LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

#### **JOHN SIKURA**



John Sikura | Keeneland

I grew up in the 'Golden Age' of Canadian racing and breeding. Windfields, Sam Son and Stafford Farms are a few great breeders that come to mind. Thriving yearling sales and horses like Deputy Minister, Kennedy Road and Kamar also come to mind. Founded by the great E.P. Taylor, the consistent goal was a thriving industry with stewards of the turf to elevate Woodbine to the highest standards of thoroughbred racing. Secretariat made his final start at Woodbine and the most influential sire of my lifetime, Northern Dancer, was born in Oshawa, Ontario.

I found the letter that Dave Anderson wrote in the TDN to be concerning. It has been a common theme in recent years to drive profits, sell racetracks and keep horsemen in the dark while adopting a mentality of full fields, cheaper racing and ignoring backside capital improvements. Purse allocations that do not reward 'quality' or provide opportunities for black-type further the denigration of quality and create more reliance on restrictive racing. I left Woodbine several years ago due to lack of such opportunities. I have returned to Woodbine this year with several 2-year-old fillies while not aware the MSW purses will be reduced.

While the recent history of the government 'takeover' of the Woodbine slots program by the government of Ontario proved short-sighted, they have agreed to fund racing and set up many programs that help the industry in becoming self-sustaining. I would hope that a collaborative, not combative, approach such as forbidding Woodbine horses from running at Fort Erie would circumvent the trend of us-versus-them all too prevalent today.

There has not been a commitment to build a new sales facility (the current pavilion is more than 50 years old) nor promote or incentivize Ontario breeders from offering their best at the CTHS sale. If the intent is to increase field size and grow a crop of yearlings that represent the best in Ontario, that is a great way to start.

I left Ontario for Kentucky more than 40 years ago and have continued to race and foal mares in Ontario. I have close ties to the province and have heard consistently that there has been a shift towards operating in private and not transparently with regards to how the monetization of Woodbine land will or will not affect purses and what this long-term vision will do for racing. Woodbine was created for the betterment of racing and to foster a proud history of breed-changing influence. It cannot turn into another version of profit maximization (they are not a for-profit entity), but rather needs become their own version of Keeneland where racing and the respect for horsemen go handin-hand.

I no longer live in Ontario and therefore speak only as someone who grew up and learned the business in my home province. The integration of horsemen with the Woodbine board along with full disclosure of compensation and long-term plans for changes in purse structure or prohibition of interprovince racing must be a collaborative approach. The HBPA is not going away and neither is the board of directors at Woodbine. Both need assimilation of each other and not orthodoxy in their points of view.

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#### PEARCE, PLATTEN SET TO PERFORM DERBY **WEEKEND**

Grammy® Award-winning country music singer, songwriter and Kentucky native Carly Pearce will sing the National Anthem at this year's GI Kentucky Derby, which will be contested for the 149th time on May 6, Churchill Downs announced Tuesday. Also, singer and songwriter Rachel Platten will kick off Derby weekend by performing the National Anthem and her hit "Fight

Song" during the Kentucky Oaks Survivor's Parade at the GI Longines Kentucky Oaks May 5.

"Carly Pearce has been taking the country music world by storm with an impressive year of musical performances," Mike Anderson, President of Churchill Downs Racetrack, said. "We are excited for her to take center stage in Louisville to sing our National Anthem and kick off this storied celebration."

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Carly Pearce | BML

#### SECOND STRIDE DERBY WEEK FUNDRAISER **RETURNS MAY 1** Edited Press Release

A horse ownership stake with Skychai Racing, an outdoor cigar lounge and multiple ready-for-Instagram backgrounds are just a few of the new features added this year to Second Stride's 12th annual Derby week Champions Night at Molly Malone's in the Highlands section of Louisville Monday, May 1 from 6-9 pm.

Of all fundraisers taking place Derby week, it is the only event raising money for the horses, enabling the Louisville-based organization to continue to provide professional rehabilitation, retraining and placement of retired thoroughbred racehorses. Placing over 100 horses per year, Second Stride aims to increase that figure significantly and relies heavily upon money raised during this pinnacle event.

The event, sponsored by Skychai, will feature a timely handicapping session as the Kentucky Oaks and Derby draw will have occurred only hours earlier. The discussion will be moderated by Byron King of *Blood-Horse* and panelists include: Fanduel/TVG's Andie Biancone, At the Races host Steve Byk, Churchill Downs Director of Racing Gary Palmisano and St. Louis radio show host and handicapper Doug Nachman.

"Being involved in the sport of kings is an immense privilege which comes with great responsibility," said Biancone.



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"Aftercare is everything and Second Stride does such a great job. They have even helped re-home some of my dad's horses and I'm happy to lend my support for this event."

Champions Night will host auctions and raffles throughout the evening. The online silent auction featuring exclusive items is already open for bidding closing Derby Day, Saturday, May 6.

Champions Night looks forward to welcoming back in person the many trainers, owners, jockeys, fans and other industry notables who faithfully attend in support of the horses. The event is open to the public. Tickets are not required but there is a suggested donation of \$20 at the door.

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2	Temple City Terror 🛪	Temple City	Town and Country Racing, LLC	Walsh	Ortiz	120
3	Ensemble (Ire)	Nayef	Clipper Logistics	Walsh	Gaffalione	118
4	War Like Goddess 🖛	English Channel	George Krikorian	Mott	Rosario	123
5	Personal Best	Tapit	Joseph Allen LLC	McGaughey III	Ortiz, Jr.	120
6	Sopran Basilea (Ire)	Night of Thunder (Ire)	Madaket Stables LLC and Strauss, Bill	Motion	Saez	118

Breeders: 1-Kenneth L. & Sarah K. Ramsey, 2-Upson Downs Farm, 3-Mrs T. Mahon, 4-Calumet Farm, 5-Mr. Joseph Allen LLC, 6-Aidan Sexton





## OBS Spring 2-Year-Olds Wednesday, Apr. 26

Hip Sex	<u>Pedigree</u>	Price	Prev Sale	Buyer/Agent	Current Consignor
308 F	Gun Runner-Eileen's Song	\$280,000	FTK FALL MIX 2021	Barber Road Bloodstock	Paul Sharp
310 F	Audible-El Bank Robber	\$190,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Grade One Investments	Top Line Sales
312 C	Mo Town-Eleadora	\$21,000	FTN FALL MIXED 2021	Smithwick Horse Transport	Omar Ramirez Bloodstock
314 F	Preservationist-Ella's Dreaming	\$15,000	OBS YLG 2022	Cutberto Mendoza	De Meric Sales
315 C	Lord Nelson-Elle Special	\$11,000	KEEJAN 2022	Ramiro Salazar	Little Farm Equine
316 F	Hard Spun-Ellie's Smile	\$50,000	FTN NY-BRED YLG 22	Unties Thoroughbreds	Omar Ramirez Bloodstock
318 C	Medaglia d'Oro-Elsaabiqaat (GB)	\$165,000	FTKWNT MIX 2022	First Finds	Julie Davies
319 C	Omaha Beach-Elusive Pearl	\$80,000	FTKOCT YLG 2022	Siri Reddy/Karl Keegan	Lucan Bloodstock
320 C	Bolt d'Oro-Elusive Wave	\$210,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Red Wings Enterprises	Wavertree Stables
321 F	Practical Joke-Embur's Melody	\$20,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Quarter Pole Enterprises	Eddie Woods
323 C	Good Magic-Emerald Gal	\$160,000	OBS YLG 2022	Dilligaf	SGV Thoroughbreds
326 F	Constitution-Entirely	\$40,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Jose A. Silva	Cortez Racing & Sales
327 C	Cloud Computing-Epic Lady	\$40,000	FTKOCT YLG 2022	Jim Thompson	Eddie Woods
328 C	Twirling Candy-Equilateral	\$50,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Tom McCrocklin	Tom McCrocklin
329 F	Maximus Mischief-Erin Enchanted	\$100,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Mason Springs Partnership	Mason Springs Partnership
331 F	Vino Rosso-Essence of Audre	\$50,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Elusive Thoroughbreds	Top Line Sales
332 C	No Nay Never-Etoile	\$184,682	ARQANA AUG YLG 22	Bregman Family Racing	Wavertree Stables
334 C	Twirling Candy-Evening Wind	\$30,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Simeon Mendoza	SGV Thoroughbreds
339 C	Palace Malice-Exogenetic	\$15,000	KEENOV BRDG 2021	Jim Zahler	Silvestre Chavez T'breds
340 C	Maximus Mischief-Explicable	\$165,000	FTN NY-BRED YLG 22	Tom McCrocklin	Tom McCrocklin
341 C	Maximus Mischief-Exposure	\$29,000	FTN NY-BRED YLG 22	Woodberry Payne	Gene Recio
342 F	Uncle Mo-Exuberance	\$60,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Kings Equine	King's Equine
343 F	Enticed-Eye Candy Annie	\$23,000	OBS YLG 2022	Hop-Zap-Murph	Coastal Equine
345 C	Accelerate-Fabuleux	\$35,000	OBS YLG 2022	Off the Hook	Off the Hook
350 C	Uncle Mo-Fantastic Style	\$250,000	FTNSEL YLG SAR 22	Lucy Bloodstock	SGV Thoroughbreds
354 C	Catalina Cruiser-Fashion Secret	\$85,000	FTKWNT MIX 2022	First Finds	De Meric Sales
355 C	Oscar Performance-Fastbridled	\$120,000	FTNSEL YLG SAR 22	Clark O. Brewster	SBM Training and Sales

Hip Sex	<u>Pedigree</u>	Price	Prev Sale	Buyer/Agent	Current Consignor
358 C	Connect-Fear This	\$85,000	FTN NY-BRED YLG 22	Becky Thomas	Sequel Bloodstock
359 F	Omaha Beach-Featherspun	\$25,000	OBSWNT MIX 2022	Baalbek Corporation	Harris Training Center
362 F	Preservationist-Fennica	\$17,000	FTKOCT YLG 2022	Bryan Rice	Woodside Ranch
364 F	Mitole-Fiercely	\$40,000	FTKSUM YLG 2022	Dennis O'Neill	Wavertree Stables
366 C	Mitole-Filibustin	\$145,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Garry Simms	Oak Creek Thoroughbreds
368 F	Audible-Firewater Rocket	\$80,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Featherbed Lane	Flying Fish
369 F	Flameaway-Fisc	\$45,000	FTKOCT YLG 2022	Mason Springs Partnership	Mason Springs Partnership
370 C	Preservationist-Fizzy Pink (GB)	\$25,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	HTC	Harris Training Center
372 F	Audible-Fleet Bertie	\$30,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	E. Kitek and Jeffrey Mackor	Off the Hook
373 F	Munnings-Flipardini	\$125,000	KEENOV BRDG 2021	Rexy Bloodstock	Scanlon Training & Sales
375 F	Flameaway-Floating Dream	\$57,000	FTKWNT MIX 2022	Machmer Hall	SBM Training and Sales
376 F	Coal Front-Flying Wendy	\$20,000	OBS YLG 2022	PNG Power Horse	Omar Ramirez Bloodstock
377 C	Violence-Fonteyn	\$20,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Antonio Addario	Really & Truly T'breds
378 F	Midshipman-Forever	\$70,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Walmac Farm	Julie Davies
382 C	Get Stormy-Frannys Last Dance	\$25,000	FTKOCT YLG 2022	Perfect Storm Partners	Whitman Sales
383 C	Audible-Frivolity	\$75,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	J & R Thoroughbreds	J & R Thoroughbreds
384 F	Violence-Frosty Friday	\$95,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Kinsman Farm	Kinsman Farm
385 F	Practical Joke-Fruhl's Gold	\$30,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Klesko Farm	Sterling Thoroughbreds
386 C	Hard Spun-Full Moon Frolic	\$100,000	FTNSEL YLG SAR 22	Ocala Stud Farm	Ocala Stud
387 C	Bernardini-Full Ransom	\$80,000	FTI YLG OCT 2022	Keep the Ball Rollin	Crane T'bred Services
389 C	Flameaway-Funny Proposition	\$57,000	FTKSUM YLG 2022	Malibu Equine	Tom McCrocklin
390 C	Sharp Azteca-Funtasia	\$50,000	TEXAS YLG 2022	Grassroots Training & Sales	Grassroots Training & Sales
392 F	Sharp Azteca-Gal Factor	\$95,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Anthony Tate/Gracie Bloodstock	Pick View
393 C	Yoshida (Jpn)-Galina Point	\$25,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Grassroots Training & Sales	Grassroots Training & Sales
396 C	Malibu Moon-Garden City	\$50,000	FTN NY-BRED YLG 22	Kings Equine	King's Equine
398 C	Bernardini-Gauche	\$10,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Blas Perez Stables	Blas Perez Stables
399 F	Mitole-Gemini R N	\$80,000	FTI YLG OCT 2022	Julie Davies Agent	Julie Davies
400 F	Classic Empire-Generata	\$28,000	FTKOCT YLG 2022	Omar Ramirez	Triple J Equine Sales
402 C	Twirling Candy-Genuine Class	\$165,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Bregman Family Racing/Ivan Cabrera	Wavertree Stables
403 C	Distorted Humor-Ghosting	\$40,000	KEEJAN 2022	C and S Thoroughbreds	Sterling Thoroughbreds
405 C	Goldencents-Giant Review	\$100,000	FTKSUM YLG 2022	Vortex Racing	Gene Recio
409 C	Malibu Moon-Ginza	\$53,000	FTKOCT YLG 2022	Dark Star Thoroughbreds	Dark Star Thoroughbreds
410 C	Enticed-Girl With a Curl	\$20,000	FTN NY-BRED YLG 22	Leppoh	Coastal Equine

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411 C	Take Charge Indy-Giulietta	\$22,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Chad Schumer	Tradewinds Farm
412 F	Street Boss-Gladiola	\$11,000	FTKOCT YLG 2022	Clovis Crane	Crane T'bred Services
414 C	Midshipman-Glimpse	\$50,000	FTI YLG OCT 2022	Grassroots Training & Sales	Grassroots Training & Sales
415 C	Army Mule-Gloria Victoria	\$11,500	OBSWNT MIX 2022	Derek & Marlene Evans	SBM Training and Sales
416 C	Gun Runner-Goforitmrsmiller	\$450,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Texas Holdings	Randy Miles
418 F	Upstart-Gold Edge	\$100,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	September Farm/Rodolphe Brisset	Eddie Woods
419 F	Khozan-Golden Bucket	\$22,000	OBS YLG 2022	H.H.	Halcyon Hammock Farm
423 C	Candy Ride (Arg)-Gold Medal Dancer	\$140,000	PIN OAK STUD SALE 21	Eaton Sales	Britton Peak
424 C	Catholic Boy-Gold N Shaft	\$35,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Garry Simms	Oak Creek Thoroughbreds
426 C	Connect-Good Grammar	\$35,000	FTKOCT YLG 2022	Wycombe House	Scanlon Training & Sales
428 C	Freud-Goodn'ready	\$75,000	FTN NY-BRED YLG 22	Reeves Thoroughbred Racing	Grade One Investments
429 C	Audible-Good Omen	\$170,000	KEENOV BRDG 2021	Blue Sky Stables	Cesar Loya Training & Sales
430 F	Not This Time-Gorgelicious	\$100,000	KEENOV BRDG 2021	Arindel	McKathan Bros. Sales
433 C	Catholic Boy-Granby Girl	\$100,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Ludlow Stables	Top Line Sales
434 F	Flameaway-Gran Lucky Girl	\$180,000	FTN NY-BRED YLG 22	Julie Davies	Julie Davies
435 C	Munnings-Grateful	\$150,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Highbury Bloodstock	Wavertree Stables
438 C	Classic Empire-Greed and Fear	\$140,000	FTKSUM YLG 2022	Bradley Thoroughbreds	De Meric Sales
439 C	Omaha Beach-Green Destiny	\$50,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Sam Aguiar	Tom McCrocklin
442 C	Coal Front-Grogger	\$16,000	OBS YLG 2022	SG	Envision Equine
443 F	Mendelssohn-Guise	\$110,000	OBS YLG 2022	CSV	Paul Sharp
444 F	Dialed In-Gulf View	\$63,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Centofanti Thoroughbreds	Centofanti Thoroughbreds
447 C	Vino Rosso-Halcyon	\$70,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Laureles Racing/G S Inv. Hipicas	King's Equine
449 C	Frosted-Handwoven	\$50,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Paul Neatherlin	Longoria Training & Sales
450 C	Ghostzapper-Hannahanna	\$155,000	OBS YLG 2022	CSV	Paul Sharp
452 F	Flatter-Happy Face	\$20,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Jacobo Ordonez	Golden T'breds Training/Sales
455 C	Take Charge Indy-Harbour Vixen	\$27,000	FTKOCT YLG 2022	Jose A. Lopez	Golden Rock T'breds
456 F	Candy Ride (Arg)-Harlan's Romance	\$65,000	FTKOCT YLG 2022	Grassroots Training & Sales	Grassroots Training & Sales
458 F	Catalina Cruiser-Haute Style	\$105,000	KEENOV BRDG 2021	Rustlewood Farm	Eisaman Equine
459 C	Upstart-Havana Miss	\$25,000	OBS YLG 2022	Sitak Stable	Niall Brennan Stables
460 F	Arrogate-Hay Dilly	\$125,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Horseology	White Lilac
461 C	Maximus Mischief-Heart Union	\$25,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	J. C. Farm	Randy Miles
463 C	Uncle Mo-Heat Street	\$230,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	David Cannizzo	Lucan Bloodstock
465 C	Free Drop Billy-Heavenly Bliss	\$25,000	FTKOCT YLG 2022	Free For All	Omar Ramirez Bloodstock

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466 C	Omaha Beach-Heavenly Hill	\$195,000	FTKSUM YLG 2022	PSS Stables	Mayberry Farm
467 C	City of Light-Heavenly Thought	\$90,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	HTC/Voric Stables	Harris Training Center
468 C	Uncle Mo-Heavenly View	\$105,000	FTKOCT YLG 2022	Lane Richardson	Richardson Bloodstock
471 C	Mucho Macho Man-Hedonism	\$27,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Off the Hook	Off the Hook
473 C	Audible-Helena the First	\$75,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Grassroots Training & Sales	Grassroots Training & Sales
474 C	Frosted-Helen Kathleen	\$35,000	FTKOCT YLG 2022	Jorge Gonzales	Navas Equine
475 F	Sharp Azteca-Helloo Regina	\$85,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Grassroots Training & Sales	Grassroots Training & Sales
476 F	Mizzen Mast-Henley Hill (GB)	\$45,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Grassroots Training & Sales	Grassroots Training & Sales
477 C	Frosted-Herkimer Diamond	\$20,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Steve Weston/Israel Chavez	Silvestre Chavez T'breds
479 F	Cairo Prince-Hey Niki	\$75,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Davant Latham	Paul Sharp
480 F	Brody's Cause-High Cry	\$22,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	ALD	Coastal Equine
481 C	American Pharoah-High Heeled Girl	\$180,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Bruno DeBerdt & Scanlon Training	Scanlon Training & Sales
484 F	Nyquist-Hi Holiday	\$100,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Buffalo Club Bloodstock	Top Line Sales
485 C	Omaha Beach-Hippocampus	\$150,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Time Change Stable	Eisaman Equine
486 F	Catalina Cruiser-History Made	\$50,000	KEENOV BRDG 2021	Turnley Farms Louisiana	Blas Perez Stables
487 C	The Factor-Holiday Diva	\$15,000	FTI DEC MIX 21	Machmer Hall	Julie Davies
489 F	Street Sense-Holy Empress	\$50,000	OBS YLG 2022	De Meric Sales	De Meric Sales
490 F	Malibu Moon-Holy Fashion	\$90,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Scott & Evan Dilworth	Centofanti Thoroughbreds
492 F	Midnight Lute-Holy Roan	\$20,000	FTKOCT YLG 2022	Dominic Brennan	Kilbride Stables
493 C	Mor Spirit-Holy Wow	\$2,000	FTKOCT YLG 2022	Grassroots Training & Sales	Grassroots Training & Sales
494 F	Street Sense-Homefieldadvantage	\$160,000	FTKSUM YLG 2022	Vortex Racing	Gene Recio
495 F	Gun Runner-Homemade Mo Nae	\$275,000	OBSWNT MIX 2022	Breeze Easy/Mike Hall	Gene Recio
496 C	Sharp Azteca-Homestake	\$42,000	OBS YLG 2022	Edilberto Herrera	Nice and Easy T'breds
500 C	Omaha Beach-Hong Kong Silver	\$40,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Paul Neatherlin	Longoria Training & Sales
501 C	Klimt-Honored Promise	\$5,500	FTKOCT YLG 2022	Nick J. Hines	Navas Equine
502 F	Audible-Honour Isabel	\$65,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Tom McCrocklin	Tom McCrocklin
503 C	Hit It a Bomb-Hooky	\$25,000	TEXAS YLG 2022	Grassroots Training & Sales	Grassroots Training & Sales
505 C	Cupid-Hot N Hectic	\$67,000	FTKSUM YLG 2022	Cool Hill Farm	Randy Miles
506 F	City of Light-Hot Summer	\$75,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Julie Davies	Julie Davies
508 F	Algorithms-Hug Doc	\$30,000	FTN NY-BRED YLG 22	Team Fun	Omar Ramirez Bloodstock
511 F	Mitole-Ice Women	\$65,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Crooked Shamrock Racing	Eddie Woods
512 C	The Factor-Idle Talk	\$70,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Lynwood Stable	Gene Recio
513 C	Arrogate-Ifurhappynuknowit	\$70,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Baccari Bloodstock	Cesar Loya Training & Sales

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514 C	Speightstown-I Know That Mom	\$210,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Crazy Horse Equine Investments	McKathan Bros. Sales
515 F	Mitole-Illegal Search	\$32,000	FTKOCT YLG 2022	Parrish Farms	Parrish Farms
516 C	Bolt d'Oro-I Love America	\$92,000	OBS YLG 2022	Golden Star Farm	De Meric Sales
518 F	Liam's Map-Imprint	\$100,000	KEENOV BRDG 2021	Dixon Enterprises	Top Line Sales
520 F	Twirling Candy-I'm So Fancy	\$170,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	De Meric Sales	De Meric Sales
521 C	Mendelssohn-In a Snit	\$50,000	FTKOCT YLG 2022	Bardonia Bloodstock	Wavertree Stables
523 C	Flatter-Indian Carlie	\$25,000	FTKOCT YLG 2022	Kings Equine	King's Equine
526 C	Kantharos-Indigo Gin	\$22,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Katiuska Arenas	Blue River Bloodstock
530 C	Breaking Lucky-Inner Peace	\$10,000	OBSWNT MIX 2022	A B Thoroughbreds	A B Thoroughbreds
532 F	Omaha Beach-Intelyhente	\$200,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Red Wings Enterprises	Wavertree Stables
533 F	Kantharos-Intensify	\$80,000	OBS YLG 2022	Machmer Hall	De Meric Sales
534 C	Union Rags-Internal Affair	\$15,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Cardozo's Bros. Training & Sales	Cardozo's Brothers
536 C	Good Magic-In the Slips	\$32,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Arcadia Stables	King's Equine
537 C	Tapwrit-Ipanema Beach	\$40,000	FTKOCT YLG 2022	H.H.	Halcyon Hammock Farm
538 C	Malibu Moon-Ireland's Call	\$20,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Royal Colors Racing	Bobby Dodd
541 C	Midshipman-Isabella Indy	\$25,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	D K W Racing	Wavertree Stables
543 C	Nyquist-Is It Gold	\$80,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	BET	Paul Sharp
544 F	Divining Rod-Island Bound	\$60,000	FTI YLG OCT 2022	Michael J Trombetta	Best A Luck Farm
546 C	Vino Rosso-Island Gale	\$30,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Winner Circle Racing Stable	Winner Circle Racing
549 C	Great Success-Italy Girl	\$15,000	OBS YLG 2022	Off the Hook	Off the Hook
550 F	Good Magic-Iteration	\$80,000	FTKOCT YLG 2022	ABC Thoroughbreds	All Dreams Equine
552 F	Medaglia d'Oro-Itsagiantcauseway	\$160,000	FTKOCT YLG 2022	DG Equine	De Meric Sales
554 F	Audible-Itsinthestars	\$35,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Daniel Pita	Eddie Woods
556 F	Tapiture-I Want to Dust Her	\$35,000	FTKWNT MIX 2022	Briston Bloodstock	Top Line Sales
557 C	Mitole-Iwasreadyyesterday	\$115,000	FTN NY-BRED YLG 22	Kings Equine	King's Equine
558 F	Laoban-Jaded Lady	\$52,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	PSM Equine	SGV Thoroughbreds
559 C	Uncle Mo-Jade Princess	\$125,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Atlas Racing	Eisaman Equine
560 C	Bucchero-Jane Reaction	\$30,000	OBS YLG 2022	Edilberto Herrera	Nice and Easy T'breds
567 C	Always Dreaming-Jet Majesty	\$42,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Triple N Racing	Omar Ramirez Bloodstock
569 F	Girvin-Joe's Gift	\$82,000	FTKOCT YLG 2022	Grassroots Training & Sales	Grassroots Training & Sales
570 C	Lookin At Lucky-Joffe's Run	\$50,000	FTKOCT YLG 2022	All In Investor	Cortez Racing & Sales
571 F	Army Mule-Joyful Frolic	\$20,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Grassroots Training & Sales	Grassroots Training & Sales
573 F	Get Stormy-Junkinthetrunk	\$28,000	KEEJAN 2022	Machmer Hall	Omar Ramirez Bloodstock

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576 C	American Freedom-Just Ask	\$40,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	After School Special B'stock	Top Line Sales
579 F	Omaha Beach-Kabella	\$32,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Gemini Racing	Britton Peak
580 C	Invincible Army (Ire)-Kafaala (Ire)	\$68,157	GOFFS SPORTS YLG	Top Line Sales	Top Line Sales
581 C	Yoshida (Jpn)-Kappa Gama	\$19,000	OBSWNT MIX 2022	Valtri Hall	All Dreams Equine
583 F	Mitole-Kats Girl Cala	\$110,000	FTN NY-BRED YLG 22	J.R. International/Niall Brennan	Niall Brennan Stables
584 C	Into Mischief-Kayce Lu	\$210,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Lynwood Stable	Gene Recio
585 F	Reload-Keep a Knockin	\$19,094	CANONT SPT YLG 22	Racing Canada	Santa Fe Thoroughbreds
586 F	Upstart-Keep Including	\$20,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Kathryn Martin	De Meric Sales
587 C	Audible-Keewatin Ice	\$115,000	FTKOCT YLG 2022	Newday Training Center	McKathan Bros. Sales
594 C	West Coast-Kimono	\$60,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Bird In Hand Stables	Bird In Hand Stables
596 F	Upstart-Kiteta	\$65,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Rocker O Ranch	Mayberry Farm
597 C	Kitten's Joy-Kitty Foyle	\$50,000	FTN NY-BRED YLG 22	Tom McCrocklin	Tom McCrocklin
599 C	Gormley-K K's Buckeye	\$25,000	OBS YLG 2022	Tom McCrocklin	Tom McCrocklin
600 C	War Front-Kram	\$85,000	FTKOCT YLG 2022	Robert Meier IV	King's Equine
601 F	Vino Rosso-Kuna	\$11,000	KEENOV BRDG 2021	R K G Racing	Potrero Stables
602 F	Astern (Aus)-La Chepis	\$28,000	FTKOCT YLG 2022	Grassroots Training & Sales	Grassroots Training & Sales
603 F	Mo Town-La Contessa	\$21,000	FTKOCT YLG 2022	Bryan Rice	Woodside Ranch
604 F	Violence-L. A. Devine	\$45,000	FTKOCT YLG 2022	Good Games	Omar Ramirez Bloodstock
605 F	Solomini-Ladyberg	\$25,000	FTN FALL MIXED 2021	Red Claw Stable	Omar Ramirez Bloodstock
608 C	Bee Jersey-Lady Chairman	\$15,000	FTKOCT YLG 2022	Grassroots Training & Sales	Grassroots Training & Sales
610 C	Accelerate-Lady Gayle	\$35,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	GGS Legal Racing	GOP Racing Stable Corp.
611 F	Maximus Mischief-Lady Halite	\$28,000	KEESEP YLG 2022	Blue River Bloodstock	Blue River Bloodstock



## NORTH AMERICAN RACING

## WEDNESDAY'S RACING INSIGHTS: INTO MISCHIEF JUVENILE FILLY WORKING BULLETS FOR WARD



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#### 5th-KEE, \$80k, Msw, 2yo, f, 4 1/2f, 3:08 p.m. ET

Trainer Wesley Ward debuts another well-meant juvenile firster in this full field of 12. **BARBTOURAGE** (Into Mischief), a \$425,000 FTKOCT yearling purchase by Stonestreet Stables, has posted three straight three-furlong bullets in Lexington, including a :35 flat move (1/14) from the gate Apr. 13. The bay was produced by Velvet Mood (Lonhro {Aus}), a 2-year-old stakes winner at Woodbine and half-sister to GI Frizette S. heroine Wicked Whisper (Liam's Map) and GSW & MGISP Point of Honor (Curlin). She is the 4-5 morning-line favorite. Ward and Barbara Banke's operation unveiled 'TDN Rising Star' American Rascal (Curlin--Lady Aurelia) to a buzzworthy debut victory at Keeneland last week. TJCIS PPs

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#### IN ORDER OF PURSE:

**3rd-Horseshoe Indianapolis, \$34,000, Msw**, 4-25, 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:05.10, ft, 1 length.

SWEET ALABAMA (f, 3, Bolt d'Oro--Bama Belle, by Giant's Causeway), off at 5-2 in this debut run, was bumped at the start and recovered to chase in fourth. She began to rally leaving the quarter pole, entered the stretch in the six path and came rolling down the center to graduate by a length over Wicked Frost (Frosted). Bama Belle, a half-sister to GISW Funny Moon (Malibu Moon), produced a colt by Munnings in 2022 and a filly by Bolt d'Oro this year. Sales history: \$47,000 RNA Ylg '21 KEEJAN; \$70,000 RNA Ylg '21 KEESEP; \$300,000 2yo '22 OBSAPR. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$20,400. Click for the Equibase.com

O-WinStar Farm LLC & Siena Farm LLC; B-Carhue Investments, Chelsea Bloodstock & Paget Bloodstock (KY); T-Rodolphe Brisset.

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FIRST-CROP STARTERS TO WATCH: WEDNESDAY, APRIL 26 2023 Stud Fees Listed

Catalina Cruiser (Union Rags), Lane's End Farm, \$15,000 110 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners 1-Keeneland, 1:00 p.m. EDT, Msw 4 1/2f, Express Cruiser, 20-1 \$85,000 RNA KEE NOV wnl; \$55,000 KEE SEP yrl

Copper Bullet (More Than Ready), Darby Dan Farm, \$7,500 37 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners 1-Keeneland, 1:00 p.m. EDT, Msw 4 1/2f, Nurcan, 8-1 \$22,000 KEE NOV wnl; \$28,000 FTK OCT yrl; \$55,000 RNA OBS MAR 2yo

**World of Trouble** (Kantharos), Hill 'n' Dale at Xalapa, \$5,000 89 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners 5-Keeneland, 3:08 p.m. EDT, Msw 4 1/2f, Whatta World, 30-1

## SECOND-CROP STARTERS TO WATCH: WEDNESDAY, APRIL 26 2023 Stud Fees Listed

Always Dreaming (Bodemeister), WinStar Farm, \$10,000 213 foals of racing age/26 winners/1 black-type winner 8-Horseshoe Indianapolis, 6:07 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, Always Blossom, 4-1 \$17,000 RNA KEE NOV wnl 7-Thistledown, 3:50 p.m. EDT, Alw 1m, Giacometti, 6-1 \$6,500 KEE JAN 2yo

**City of Light** (Quality Road), Lane's End Farm, \$60,000 209 foals of racing age/24 winners/6 black-type winners 2-Keeneland, 1:32 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2fT, Beer Run, 4-1 \$460,000 KEE SEP yrl

**Cloud Computing (Maclean's Music)**, Spendthrift Farm, \$5,000 198 foals of racing age/28 winners/1 black-type winner 8-Horseshoe Indianapolis, 6:07 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, Willadean, 9-2

Code West (Lemon Drop Kid), Westwin Farms
40 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners
1-Will Rogers Downs, 2:00 p.m. EDT, Msw 1m, Grandsonsam,
7-2
\$17,000 FTK OCT yrl

Collected (City Zip), Airdrie Stud, \$10,000
234 foals of racing age/28 winners/1 black-type winner
1-Keeneland, 1:00 p.m. EDT, Msw 4 1/2f, Gewurztraminer, 20-1
\$2,500 KEE SEP yrl
6-Tampa Bay Downs, 3:17 p.m. EDT, Msw 5fT, Playground
Legend, 7-2
\$15,000 EAS OCT yrl

Conquest Farenheit (Scat Daddy), Harris Farms 38 foals of racing age/7 winners/0 black-type winners 8-Turf Paradise, 7:47 p.m. EDT, Aoc 6f, Rose Girl, 12-1 \$25,000 CTB AJA yrl



Free Drop Billy (Union Rags), Spendthrift Farm, \$5,000 106 foals of racing age/12 winners/1 black-type winner 10-Will Rogers Downs, 6:35 p.m. EDT, Alw 6f, Billie Baby, 15-1 \$40,000 TTA YHR yrl; \$20,000 OBS APR 2yo

Good Magic (Curlin), Hill 'n' Dale at Xalapa, \$50,000 237 foals of racing age/43 winners/8 black-type winners 6-Parx Racing, 2:59 p.m. EDT, Msw 6 1/2f, Bruno Barber Girl, 5-1 \$35,000 KEE NOV wnl; \$47,000 RNA OBS OCT yrl; \$30,000 OBS APR 2yo

Good Samaritan (Harlan's Holiday), WinStar Farm, \$7,500 172 foals of racing age/32 winners/1 black-type winner 6-Horseshoe Indianapolis, 5:05 p.m. EDT, Aoc 5 1/2f, Holiday Decision, 9-2 \$35,000 KEE NOV wnl; \$105,000 KEE SEP yrl

**Hoppertunity** (Any Given Saturday), Northview Stallion Station 156 foals of racing age/16 winners/1 black-type winner 5-Penn National, 7:57 p.m. EDT, Alw 1m, Our Mark Steven, 10-1

**Irish War Cry** (Curlin), Northview Stallion Station 104 foals of racing age/8 winners/0 black-type winners 6-Parx Racing, 2:59 p.m. EDT, Msw 6 1/2f, Irish Coco, 6-1

Majestic Hussar (Majestic Warrior), Kirton Farms 24 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners 4-Will Rogers Downs, 3:35 p.m. EDT, Alw 6f, Awesome Outlaw, 5-1

Mendelssohn (Scat Daddy), Coolmore Ashford, \$25,000 348 foals of racing age/44 winners/3 black-type winners 6-Tampa Bay Downs, 3:17 p.m. EDT, Msw 5fT, Not a Prayer, 20-1

Mo Town (Uncle Mo), Coolmore Ashford, \$5,000 172 foals of racing age/30 winners/3 black-type winners 6-Tampa Bay Downs, 3:17 p.m. EDT, Msw 5fT, Motown Mika, 10-1

Sharp Azteca (Freud), Three Chimneys Farm, \$15,000 200 foals of racing age/49 winners/4 black-type winners 8-Horseshoe Indianapolis, 6:07 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, Sharp Heeled Girl, 15-1

**Tiz Sardonic Joe** (Tiznow), R Star Stallions
7 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners
7-Horseshoe Indianapolis, 5:36 p.m. EDT, Alw 5 1/2f, Tizzy Jojo,
9-5



#### **STAKES RESULTS:**

**WILMA MANKILLER S.**, \$50,150, Will Rogers Downs, 4-24, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11.01, ft.

- 1--DISTORTED FLASH, 121, m, 6, Flashback--Unanimous

  Decision, by Distorted Humor. O-Bryan Hawk; B-Gary & Mary

  West Stables Inc. (KY); T-Joe S. Offolter; J-Richard E. Eramia.

  \$30,000. Lifetime Record: 23-8-3-3, \$185,404. \*Full to

  Landslid, SP, \$161,423.
- 2--Aquila Moon, 120, f, 4, Malibu Moon--Katie's Keepsake, by Medaglia d'Oro. (\$50,000 Wlg '19 KEENOV). 1ST BLACK TYPE. O-Samuel F. Henderson; B-Castleton Lyons & Kilboy Estate (KY); T-Scott E. Young. \$10,000.
- 3--Adria, 118, f, 4, Dialed In--Amylimehouse, by Limehouse. (\$47,000 RNA Ylg '20 FTKOCT; \$29,000 RNA 2yo '21 EASMAY). 1ST BLACK TYPE. O-Poindexter Thoroughbreds LLC; B-H. Allen Poindexter (KY); T-Lynn Chleborad. \$5,500.

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Margins: HD, 3/4, NO. Odds: 5.30, 8.40, 7.30.

#### **ALLOWANCE RESULTS:**

**9th-Parx Racing, \$55,500**, (NW1X)/Opt. Clm (\$16,000), 4-25, 3yo/up, 1m 70y, 1:46.24, ft, 1 1/4 lengths.

**ROAN MOUNTAIN (g, 6, First Dude--Silver Lining, by Runaway Groom)** Lifetime Record: 40-7-10-9, \$224,285. O-Wind N Leaves Farm, Inc.; B-Donald R. Dizney, LLC (FL); T-Timothy J. Smylie.

**4th-Thistledown, \$36,000**, 4-25, (NW1X), 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:05.06, ft, 1 3/4 lengths.

**SOMUCHSUGAR (m, 5, Texas Red--Philadelphia Gold, by Touch Gold)** Lifetime Record: SP, 19-5-5-5, \$165,470. O-Charlie J. Williams LLC; B-Sheltowee Farm, Michael E. Evans II & Travis A. Evans (OH); T-Michael L. Rone. \*\$45,000 RNA Ylg '19 KEEJAN. \*\*1/2 to Ohio Gold (Wilburn), SW, \$279,797.

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**7th-Will Rogers Downs, \$34,800**, 4-25, (C), 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:40.59, ft, nose.

**GOTTA SEE RED (m, 5, Pollard's Vision--Gotagogotagogotago (SW, \$201,473), by Kipling)** Lifetime Record: MSW, 15-6-0-3, \$213,893. O/B-Hal Browning & Dave Faulkner (OK); T-Kari Craddock.

**7th-Thistledown, \$28,000**, 4-25, (NW2L), 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:06.00, ft, 1 1/4 lengths.

MISS BETTY (f, 4, Frosted--Table Three Ten {MSP, \$148,726}, by El Prado {Ire}) Lifetime Record: 5-2-0-2, \$41,580. O-Team Ramgeet Racing Stable LLC; B-Cobra Farm Inc. (KY); T-Tina Ramgeet. \*\$70,000 RNA Ylg '20 FTKSEL; \$6,000 4yo '23 KEEJAN.

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**5th-Will Rogers Downs, \$26,220**, 4-25, (NW1X), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:11.00, ft, 5 1/2 lengths.

CONNORS OUTLAW (g, 3, Cinco Charlie--Le Grand Fromage, by Grand Slam) Lifetime Record: 7-4-0-1, \$91,305. O/B-Cisper Racing (OK); T-Kari Craddock.

**3rd-Finger Lakes, \$25,840**, 4-25, (NW3L), 3yo/up, f/m, 4 1/2f, :52.38, ft, 2 lengths.

A MAIZE ZING DOTIE (f, 4, Big Brown--Wild About Maize, by Wildcat Heir) Lifetime Record: 10-3-1-1, \$52,793. O-Sheila J. Englehart; B-Robert Simonick (NY); T-Chris J. Englehart.

**7th-Finger Lakes, \$25,800**, 4-25, (NW2L), 3yo/up, 4 1/2f, :52.33, ft, 2 1/4 lengths.

COURAGEOOUS OH LA (g, 4, Courageous Cat--Sister Glady Oh La {MSP, \$199,357}, by Strong Hope) Lifetime Record: 14-2-3-2, \$88,851. O-Dixon, Linda K. and Alejandro, Hector M.; B-Barry R. Ostrager (NY); T-Linda K. Dixon. \*\$7,000 RNA Wlg '19 FTNMIX.

**2nd-Finger Lakes, \$24,000**, (S), 4-25, (NW1BX), 3yo/up, f/m, 4 1/2f, :52.31, ft, 2 1/4 lengths.

TOSCONOVA BEAUTY (f, 4, Boys At Tosconova--Dyna Vision, by City Zip) Lifetime Record: SP, 10-5-2-1, \$122,975. O-Linda Dixon & Hector Alejandro; B-Barry R. Ostrager (NY); T-Linda K. Dixon.

**5th-Fanduel Sportsbook And Horse Racing, \$23,500**, (S), (NW2L)/Opt. Clm (\$10,000), 4-25, 3yo/up, f/m, 5f, 1:01.19, ft, 2 1/2 lengths.

**GHAALEB'S HONOR (f, 4, Ghaaleb--Honor Graeme, by Graeme Hall)** Lifetime Record: 5-2-2-0, \$46,000. O-Ritter, Charles W. and Becker, Scott; B-William P. Stiritz (IL); T-Scott Becker.

**7th-Turf Paradise, \$23,400**, (C)/Opt. Clm (\$20,000-\$25,000), 4-24, 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:37.02, fm, 3/4 length.

FAIRY TALE BLISS (m, 7, Goldencents--Certain Quality, by Elusive Quality) Lifetime Record: 30-4-6-3, \$129,443. O-Peter Moehrke; B-H. Allen Poindexter (KY); T-Dan L. McFarlane. \*\$85,000 RNA Ylg '17 KEESEP.

**2nd-Turf Paradise, \$21,400**, (C)/Opt. Clm (\$15,000-\$20,000), 4-25, 3yo/up, 7 1/2fT, 1:31.92, fm, 3 1/2 lengths. SWEET SAVANT (g, 4, Twirling Candy--Striking Scholar, by Smart Strike) Lifetime Record: 11-2-4-1, \$48,907. O/B-Todd & Shawn Hansen (WA); T-Vann Belvoir. \*1/2 to Stryker Phd (Bertrando), MGSW, \$631,011; Madame Pele (Salt Lake), MSW, \$197,942.

#### **ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**

**Super Slide**, f, 3, **Congrats**--Droselmeyr's Smile, by Drosselmeyer. Finger Lakes, 4-25, 4 1/2f, :53.70. Lifetime Record: 6-1-0-0, \$22,403. B-Francis Paolangeli (NY).

**Danzing Chick**, f, 3, **Danzing Candy**--True Chick, by Yes It's True. Thistledown, 4-25, 5 1/2f, 1:06.60. Lifetime Record: 7-1-3-2, \$36,009. B-Ken D'Oyen (FL). \*\$8,000 Ylg '21 OBSWIN.

Forever Noted, f, 3, Forever d'Oro--Moro's Delight, by Moro Oro. Horseshoe Indianapolis, 4-25, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:06.37. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$26,950. B-Hidden Springs Farm (IN). Fruitcake, g, 3, Ready's Image--Citrus Miss, by Limehouse.

Horseshoe Indianapolis, 4-25, (S), 5 1/2f, :n/a. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, \$33,005. B-Michael E. & Penny S. Lauer (IN).

Warhorse West, g, 3, West Coast--Hidden Mystery (MSP), by Into Mischief. Thistledown, 4-25, 5 1/2f, 1:05.86. Lifetime Record: 10-1-2-3, \$36,305. B-Gary & Mary West Stables Inc. (KY).

**Spell Freedom**, f, 4, **American Freedom**--My Lucky Spell, by Lookin At Lucky. Will Rogers Downs, 4-25, 5 1/2f, 1:05.59. Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-2, \$22,777. B-Gary & Mary West Stables Inc. (KY).

Fast as Fast Can B, g, 4, Can the Man--Theana, by Uncle Mo. Thistledown, 4-25, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:06.80. Lifetime Record: 11-1-1-1, \$30,705. B-Daniel J. Yates & Patricia J. Yates (OH). \*\$6,000 Ylg '20 FTKOCT; \$27,000 2yo '21 OBSAPR.

Here's My Number, f, 4, Dialed In--Simonetta, by Harlan's Holiday. Thistledown, 4-25, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:07.60. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$19,662. B-Daniel J. & Patricia J. Yates (OH). \*1/2 to Mitos Y Leyendas (Kantharos), SP, \$192,885.

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Late Nite Radio, h, 5, Candy Ride (Arg)--Talkin and Singing, by Songandaprayer. Will Rogers Downs, 4-24, 5 1/2f, 1:04.78. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$14,832. B-Summer Wind Equine LLC (KY). \*\$220,000 Ylg '19 KEESEP. \*\*1/2 to Danzing Candy (Twirling Candy), MGSW, \$700,930; Full to Cedartown, MSW, \$249,200.



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Bolt d'Oro, Sweet Alabama, f, 3, o/o Bama Belle, by Giant's Causeway. MSW, 4-25, Horseshoe Indianapolis

Boys At Tosconova, Tosconova Beauty, f, 4, o/o Dyna Vision, by City Zip. ALW, 4-25, Finger Lakes

Can the Man, Fast as Fast Can B, g, 4, o/o Theana, by Uncle Mo. MSW, 4-25, Thistledown

Candy Ride (Arg), Late Nite Radio, h, 5, o/o Talkin and Singing, by Songandaprayer. MSW, 4-24, Will Rogers

**Cinco Charlie**, Connors Outlaw, g, 3, o/o Le Grand Fromage, by Grand Slam. ALW, 4-25, Will Rogers

Congrats, Super Slide, f, 3, o/o Droselmeyr's Smile, by Drosselmeyer. MSW, 4-25, Finger Lakes

Courageous Cat, Courageoous Oh La, g, 4, o/o Sister Glady Oh La, by Strong Hope. ALW, 4-25, Finger Lakes

Danzing Candy, Danzing Chick, f, 3, o/o True Chick, by Yes It's True. MSW, 4-25, Thistledown

Dialed In, Here's My Number, f, 4, o/o Simonetta, by Harlan's Holiday. MSW, 4-25, Thistledown

First Dude, Roan Mountain, g, 6, o/o Silver Lining, by Runaway Groom. AOC, 4-25, Parx Racing

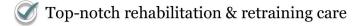
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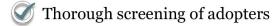
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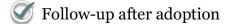


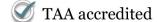
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Frosted, Miss Betty, f, 4, o/o Table Three Ten, by El Prado (Ire). ALW, 4-25, Thistledown

Ghaaleb, Ghaaleb's Honor, f, 4, o/o Honor Graeme, by Graeme Hall. AOC, 4-25, Fanduel Sportsbook And Horse Racing

Goldencents, Fairy Tale Bliss, m, 7, o/o Certain Quality, by Elusive Quality. AOC, 4-24, Turf Paradise

Pollard's Vision, Gotta See Red, m, 5, o/o Gotagogotagogotago, by Kipling. ALW, 4-25, Will Rogers

**Ready's Image**, Fruitcake, g, 3, o/o Citrus Miss, by Limehouse. MSW, 4-25, Horseshoe Indianapolis

Texas Red, Somuchsugar, m, 5, o/o Philadelphia Gold, by Touch Gold. ALW, 4-25, Thistledown

Twirling Candy, Sweet Savant, g, 4, o/o Striking Scholar, by Smart Strike. AOC, 4-25, Turf Paradise

West Coast, Warhorse West, g, 3, o/o Hidden Mystery, by Into Mischief. MSW, 4-25, Thistledown



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Flightline (Tapit) was tabbed as a "TDN Rising Star"

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WEDNESDAY, 26 APRIL 2023



# O'CALLAGHAN LANDS 500K HARRY ANGEL COLT, **GOFFS UK SOARS**



Trainer Michael O'Callaghan signs for the Harry Angel colt Sarah Farnsworth/Goffs UK

by Chris McGrath

DONCASTER, UK-It had felt like an apt morning to start a breeze-up sale: find a sunny nook away from the north wind, and it was a glorious spring day; find yourself exposed, and you felt a bitter parting shot of winter. That kind of polarity is pretty standard in this sector, but a stunning Goffs UK Breeze-Up Sale --headlined by a £500,000 Harry Angel colt from Tally Ho who became the most expensive Flat horse ever sold in this ring--allowed many vendors to bask, almost dazed, in their own personal sunbeams.

Last year, this auction produced 17 six-figure sales from 158 lots. This time round, as many had been recorded by the halfway stage of an admittedly expanded offering of 184. By the end of proceedings, no fewer than 33 lots had made £100,000 or more. At one stage there were three £200,000-plus sales--as many as were achieved from the whole catalogue last year--in the course of just seven lots into the ring. The average duly soared from £48,989 to £63,396 (+29%). The median rose 11% to £40,000.Cont. p3

#### CHALDEAN LEADS A SCORE OF COLTS IN **GUINEAS AT LATEST ENTRY STAGE**

Despite losing Frankie Dettori once the gates flew in the G3 Greenham S. on Saturday, Juddmonte's Chaldean (GB) (Frankel (GB)) remains part of the G1 QIPCO 2000 Guineas field. After Tuesday's latest scratching stage, 20 colts are still entered in the first Classic of the British season on Saturday, May 6.

A winner of four of his six starts, the G1 Dewhurst S. hero is one of two in the one-mile race for Andrew Balding. Second in the Dewhurst, G2 Richmond S. scorer Royal Scotsman (Ire) (Gleneagles {Ire}) will attempt to turn the tables for Mrs. Fitri Hav and trainers Paul and Oliver Cole.

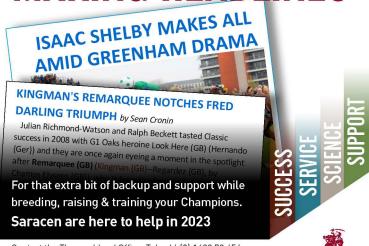
Ahmad Al Shaikh's G1 Criterium de Saint-Cloud winner Dubai Mile (Ire) (Roaring Lion) remains in the race for Charlie Johnston, as do the Godolphin/Charlie Appleby pair of G2 Gimcrack S. winner **Noble Style (GB)** (Kingman {GB}) and GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Turf runner-up Silver Knott (GB) (Lope De Vega (Ire)). Cont. p10

### IN TDN AMERICA TODAY

ARROGATE COLT BRINGS \$1.45M AT OBS SPRING

A colt by Arrogate brought a session-topping final bid of \$1.45 million from Donato Lanni during the first session of OBS Spring.

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Godolphin's Fairy Cross (Ire) (Dubawi {Ire}), second in the G3 Nell Gwyn S. this month, is one of 26 fillies remaining in the G1 QIPCO 1000 Guineas at Newmarket on Sunday, May 7 | Racingfotos.com

#### **EPSOM SURPRISES DETTORI WITH MURAL**

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Champion jockey Frankie Dettori was honoured by the track with a mural celebrating his career, which includes two Derby wins.

#### QIPCO LAUNCHES CLUB FOR YOUNG RACE FANS

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Club 26 is a free club that caters to racing fans aged 18-26 and is designed to encourage young fans to attend Flat races.

#### **EPICTETUS RETURNS VICTORIOUS AT NEWMARKET**

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The 'TDN Rising Star' captured the Blue Riband Trial S. under jockey Frankie Dettori and remains on course for the May 18 G2 Dante S.

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#### Goffs UK Cont. from p1

In the circumstances, it could be no surprise that the principal protagonists in the record sale should be those namesakes, and mutual stalwarts of this auction, the O'Callaghan family of Tally-Ho Stud and trainer Michael O'Callaghan.

With typical acuity, Tally Ho had bought the record-breaking colt as a  $\le$ 38,000 foal, at the Goffs November Sale of 2021-not as a potential yearling pinhook, but expressly as a long-term play for their breeze-up division. He was out of Go Angellica (Ire) (Kheleyf) (lot 191), who promised to double down the speed as a stakes winner at two.

"Yes, when we bought him the plan was always to breeze," confirmed Roger O'Callaghan. "He was always a class horse, a natural: unbelievable temperament, just easy, so simple. When you asked him, he delivered. And when you didn't ask him, he didn't!"

Michael O'Callaghan will already have had his eye drawn to the page, having bought dual group winner Twilight Jet (Ire) (Twilight Son {GB}) from the same vendors here two years ago: he was out of a half-sister to Go Angellica. But then the colt breezed a tick off the quickest time of the sale on Monday.

"I thought him the best horse here by a long way," the trainer declared. "Obviously I've been extremely lucky with the vendors, and he's from the same family as a very good horse for us. Trade has been very strong so we kept our powder dry for this lad, we didn't want to leave without him."

His model has often been to trade on breeze-up graduates, but the stakes for this one are plainly high.

"Please God, he needs to be a Group 1 horse," he conceded.

"He could potentially be traded, down the line, but he has to go and do it. But if he can get to a high level by midsummer, who knows? He certainly looks ready to go, hopefully we'll be getting the top hats out." Cont. p4



Lot 191, the sale-topping Harry Angel colt | Sarah Farnsworth/Goffs UK

# 66 totally and utterly dominant ??

The figures tell you that she is utterly dominant throughout this race and if she hadn't jumped in the air a little bit coming out of the stalls I think she'd have been fastest through that first furlong as well and therefore fastest in every single furlong of the race; totally and utterly dominant... Remember last year here on The Verdict we highlighted Dramatised when she

won here at Newmarket and impressed on the sectionals. This filly has done just that as well... we were keen on Dramatised last year, she won that Queen Mary, I think this filly can do exactly the same.



Angus McNae, Racing TV, April 24th



PERSIAN DREAMER earned ★ TDN Rising Star ★ status at Newmarket last week for Dominic Ffrench Davis and Amo Racing and is now favourite for the Queen Mary Stakes-Gr.2 at Royal Ascot



2 debut winners, a second, a third and 2 fourths from just 6 starters!

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Tally Ho have been selling here annually since the inauguration of a first European breeze-up sale here, way back in 1977, and there could be no more fitting holder of the new record.

"We've always sold good horses here, so why not bring another one?" Roger O'Callaghan said. "Between Tally Ho, 'Donny', Mike and Blandford [Bloodstock], there have been a lot of good horses sold here. It's been very strong today, so fair dues to Donny, they got it right."

Anthony Stroud, who topped the purchasing averages with three at £710,000, noted the strength of the market after a rather patchy start to the breeze-up circuit last week.

"There's lots of middle, which is very encouraging, and I'm sure the clearance rate is good, it certainly feels like it," he said. "Last week I felt it was very selective and I questioned whether you could have this amount of breeze-up horses, and if there were enough clients, but I think today has really underlined that things are going in the right direction.

"Of course it makes buying more difficult, but you want the best for the industry. These guys work so hard and it's such a difficult job preparing a horse for a breeze-up, so while you want to buy them at the right price it's important that everyone gets rewarded for their efforts."



Roger O'Callaghan | Goffs UK

#### **The Main Talking Points**

• Tally Ho had already enjoyed another excellent day even before topping the sale and duly ended as leading consignor, banking £1,340,000 for a dozen sold.

Federico Barberini/Apple Tree Stud gave £200,000 for a son (lot26) of Kodiac (GB), who has had some of his finest hours in this ring, out of a mare bought by Tally Ho for 35,000gns back in 2015. In the meantime she has gained fresh distinction as a half-sister to the mother of Alcohol Free (Ire) (No Nay Never).

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# they all look like they can run ??

"He did a very good breeze and is a very good looking individual. I think Calyx has all the credentials to make it as a sire."

Richard Brown of Blandford
Bloodstock, purchaser of a Calyx
colt at Doncaster yesterday for
£160,000

"It's very, very unusual, they all look like they can run. They've all breezed well: head down, professional with big stride and clocked well. Obviously Calyx was a seriously good two-

> year-old, he won the Coventry very, very easily and it looks like he's passing on that precocity"

**Stephen Hillen**, purchaser of a Calyx colt at Doncaster yesterday for £125,000 behalf of MV Magnier

"The Calyx was a nice colt, a very precocious colt. Middleham Park bought him for Richard Fahey, so we are

delighted with that combination. I hope he turns out to be what I think he is"

#### Thomond O'Mara

who sold a Calyx colt at Newmarket's Craven Sale for **140,000gns** 



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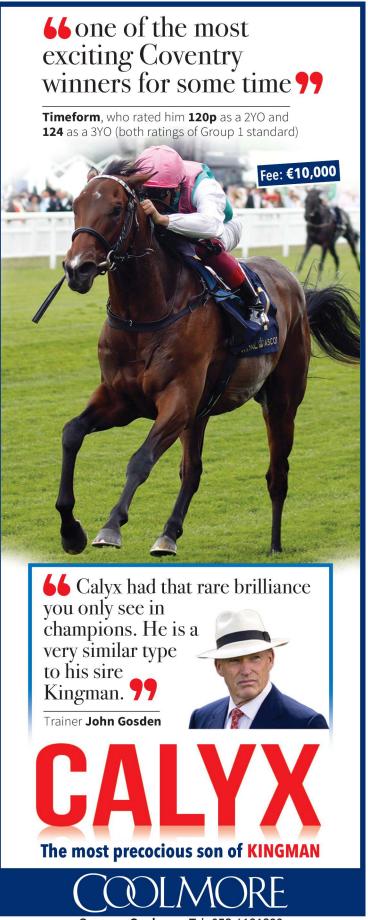
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Fillies were in conspicuous demand and Longways
Stables processed two with nice pedigrees within five
minutes for a total of £550,000. Jake Warren gave
£340,000 for a Dark Angel (Ire) filly (lot 167) (a €52,500
private purchase at Arqana) specifically because his
clients Bermuda Racing would ultimately want to breed
from "a beautiful filly who did a phenomenal
breeze-and whose half-sister has already bred a
top-class horse" in G2 May Hill S. winner Powerful
Breeze (GB) (Iffraaj {GB}). Then two lots later Oliver St
Lawrence gave £210,000 for a Dubawi (Ire) filly (lot 169)
out of a group-placed mare.



Jake Warren | Sarah Farnsworth/Goffs UK

- Havana Grey built on his Newmarket triumph by fuelling another tremendous pinhook, Knockanglass Stable banking £200,000 from Al Mohamediya Racing for a son (lot 46) found in this ring last August as a £27,000 private sale to Kilronan.
- The Blue Point bandwagon was another to keep on rolling, with five lots changing hands for an aggregate of £690,000. Katie Walsh of Greenhills Farm had been hoping to ride the wave with the colt (lot 37) she had found in Book 2 at Tattersalls last October for 42,000gns, and was delighted as he soared to £220,000 for Arthur Dobell of Oliver St Lawrence Bloodstock in the company of trainer Roger Varian. "The sire's on fire," Walsh enthused. "With all the chat about them, I felt lucky to have one. They're just so consistent and straightforward. I'm not sorry that I can't be at Punchestown now!" Cont. p6



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- The Sioux Nation filly (lot 35) presented by Gary Bloodstock clocked one of the fastest times on Monday and that completed an impressive salvage operation after she was returned unsold for €15,000 at Fairyhouse last September. A £160,000 docket from Avenue Bloodstock/Paddy Twomey was not just due reward for keeping the faith, but for John Nagle's discovery of her young dam for just €2,800 at Goffs in February 2020. Another hit for Sioux Nation was the colt from Mocklershill (lot 204) that brought £210,000 from Anthony Stroud.
- one of the fastest times had set more parochial shoppers a challenge as a daughter of Lane's End rookie Catalina Cruiser out of a mare (aptly named Quizzical) by the obscure Cindago. She'd been purchased by Glending Stables for \$50,000 at Keeneland last September, but while Roderick Kavanagh could not quite match his eye-watering triumph at Tattersalls last week, £140,000 from Najd Stud was another highly satisfactory increment on his ledger.
- Another profitable Keeneland pinhook was lot 101, a son of the late Claiborne stallion Flatter picked out by Bushypark Stables for just €25,000 last September. Out of a sister to Grade I winner Capo Bastone (Street Boss), here he elevated his value to £195,000 as Richard Brown of Blandford Bloodstock sought to enhance his brilliant record at this sale.

#### A Following Breeze For Tradewinds

Tradewinds Stud celebrated a tremendous coup with a Twilight Son (GB) filly found at the Tattersalls Somerville Sale for just 30,000gns and brought here as lot 141. Reportedly the

quickest through the demanding conditions in Monday's breeze show, she also made £360,000 from sale specialist Richard Brown of Blandford Bloodstock.

Shane Power and his brother Alex are only in their second year as a breeze-up consignors, having diversified from foals and yearlings more or less by accident after finding themselves with a couple of yearlings "left over". One of those turned out to be Bright Diamond (Ire) (El Kabeir), whose success on the track encouraged the Powers to acquire five yearlings specifically for this job-and also sustained Brown and his patrons through a protracted duel with Conrad Allen.

Now Tradewinds will have the ammunition to raise the stakes afresh. "Though we're in the middle of building a new barn at home, so this will help with that as well," Power said. "When you do a breeze like she did, you spend the whole day hoping that all the right guys will pitch up. And when she came into the ring it was, 'Okay, everyone's here.' But you can't expect [money like] that." Cont. p7

"And yes, she was the quickest, on how we do it. We handicap it all, take everything into account, but it does mean she beat all the colts and it was a phenomenal breeze. That was significantly more than we expected, I have to say, a real war of attrition. But this market is phenomenal and we're very excited to get her."

Richard Brown on the Twilight Son filly





Anthony Stroud signed for a Starspangledbanner filly Sarah Farnsworth/Goffs UK

Recalling his impressions of the filly from Rosyground Stud at Tattersalls, he said, "I just thought she was a very nice individual. We wouldn't focus as much on the stallion as others might. She was very athletic, very light on her feet, looked a nice and early type we could kick on with.

"A special mention goes to 'Flash' [Gordon Power] who rode the breeze. He's top-class, and there have been a lot of cold wet days riding on the Curragh in February and March. There's been a lot of hard work gone into this, but now the most important thing is that the filly goes on and does well for them on the racetrack. We had the two last year and Richard bought one and was underbidder on the other. To be fair, he's very straightforward to deal with and takes you at your word. And repeat business is everything in this game."

Sure enough, Brown stressed that a good experience with Bright Diamond had encouraged him to keep going, albeit he was now sinking exhausted into his chair. He also had the self-deprecating grace to bring up his comments in Tuesday's *TDN* about the folly of spending big at the breeze-ups purely on the clock.

"There I was on the front page saying that's how you do really badly!" he said with a smile. "And yes, she was the quickest, on how we do it. We handicap it all, take everything into account, but it does mean she beat all the colts and it was a phenomenal breeze. That was significantly more than we expected, I have to say, a real war of attrition. But this market is phenomenal and we're very excited to get her."

This filly will also run in the colours of Sheikh Rashid Dalmook al Maktoum, just like Bright Diamond and indeed Perfect Power (Ire) (Ardad {Ire}), the multiple Group 1 winner Brown found in this same ring a couple of years ago for £110,000. Her trainer,

however, could not yet be confirmed.

"Bright Diamond won her maiden at Newmarket by nine and then ran third in the [G1] Fillies' Mile," Brown noted. "So we've had success buying off Shane. Obviously we've had a lot of luck at the breeze-ups, particularly in this ring, and [Sheikh Rashid] was very determined. This filly obviously looks a faster type, so I'd imagine she will be pointing to Ascot."

#### All's Well That Ends Well for Holland

Brendan Holland of Grove Stud is a man of many talents but nonetheless appeared here in an unusual capacity as breeder, as well as consignor, of the Starspangledbanner (Aus) filly who made £350,000 from Anthony Stroud (for Bahrain interests) as lot 102. She was out of a Shadwell cull, Sulaalaat (GB) (New Approach {Ire}), picked up for just 36,000gns at the Tattersalls July Sale of 2017.

"I only have a share in four mares," Holland said. "While this one didn't have an extremely strong pedigree close up, she had some really good speed figures when she was running. She was a bit inconsistent but had a lot of speed for a New Approach (Ire). Her first foal was average, and her second one was born this size." Here he held his hand unfeasibly low. "And stayed this size! It's amazing that the same mare could produce a filly as nice as this."

This was a classic example of the axiom that you never know, in racing, when your good luck may prove your bad luck-and vice versa.

"Unfortunately all mine got sick and I had no horses in Book 3 [at Tattersalls last October]," Holland explained. "I kept this one because she always had lovely balance and action. I thought this had come too early for her, but she produced on the day because she's just got loads of quality." Cont. p8



Goffs UK's Tim Kent with Amo Racing's Kia Joorabchian
Sarah Farnsworth/Goffs UK

To be fair, Sulaalaat (GB) could summon some outstanding genes through her own mother, a half-sister to Group 1 winners Compton Admiral (GB) (Suave Dancer) and Summoner (GB) (Inchinor {GB}) as well as to the dam of champion The Fugue (GB) (Dansili {GB}).

"She breezed well but she's not an immediate type of 2-year-old, I think she'll be better over seven furlongs," said Stroud. "She looks all New Approach and I think she's a horse with a future. Brendan does a terrific job."

#### Stats Strong Across The Board

Goffs UK Managing Director Tim Kent said, "What an incredible day at Europe's Oldest Breeze-Up Sale. A record top price; record turnover; record average; record median; four horses selling for £300,000 or more; 10 horses selling for £200,000 or above and 33 horses realising £100,000 or more.

"That is an incredible achievement for any sale and accurately sums up today's trade but there is so much more that goes into today and we must thank all our vendors and purchasers who have supported this record-breaking event. When we started to visit vendors in the early part of the year, we knew they were planning to target this sale with some of their better horses and the fact that there was a healthy increase in their purchase price compared to last year was a positive way to start. We then began to hear many positive reports after vendors had started to work these horses and the momentum continued to Town Moor where some sensational breezes led to some breath-taking prices.

"But it's not just the top end that has been a success. Indeed, the success of any sale relies on buyers at every level of the market, and we made a concerted effort to ensure that everyone was encouraged to participate at a sale which has a long history of winners being bought at all levels of the market. This obviously meant that we focussed on all domestic buyers, but we also worked closely with GBRI to ensure that we had an increased participation from overseas clients with many new faces visiting Doncaster for the first time including those from Australia, Denmark, Dubai, France, Hong Kong, Italy, Norway, Qatar, Saudi Arabia and Sweden. All of this led to a healthy 86% clearance rate which is the envy of any recent sales of this kind.

"Today's results graphically illustrate how this sale is capturing the attention of buyers from across the globe and this is purely down to the unrivalled success on the racecourse. Seven Royal Ascot winners in seven years is an incredible accomplishment for any sale and this 'royal dream' is a large part of what has attracted so many people to Doncaster today and helped to fuel this breath-taking trade. We are certain that vendors have provided the ammunition to continue this incredible success

story and we look forward to welcoming these horses to the winner's enclosure in the coming weeks. Roll on Royal Ascot!"

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#### **GOFFS UK BREEZE-UP SALE**

SESSION TOTALS	2023	2022
<ul> <li>Catalogued</li> </ul>	211	187
<ul> <li>Number Offered</li> </ul>	184	158
<ul> <li>Number Sold</li> </ul>	158	133
<ul> <li>Not Sold</li> </ul>	26	25
<ul> <li>Clearance Rate</li> </ul>	86%	84%
<ul> <li>High Price</li> </ul>	£500,000	£230,000
<ul><li>Gross</li></ul>	£10,016,500	£6,515,500
<ul><li>Average (% change)</li></ul>	£63,396 (+29%)	£48,989
<ul> <li>Median (% change)</li> </ul>	£40.000 (+11%)	£36.000

## SALES TOPPERS

#### **GOFFS UK BREEZE-UP SALE**

Lot Sire Dam

Price (£)

191 c, Harry Angel (Ire)--Go Angellica (Ire)

500,000

360,000

(€38,000 Wlg '21 GOFNOV)

Bred by Lynch Bages, Camas Park & Summerhill Bloodstock (Ire) Consigned by Tally-Ho Stud

Purchased by Michael O'Callaghan

141 f, Twilight Son (GB)--Babylon Lane (GB)

(30,000gns Ylg '22 TASOM)

Bred by Rosyground Stud (GB)

Consigned by Tradewinds Stud

Purchased by Blandford Bloodstock

102 f, Starspangledbanner (Aus)--Sulaalaat (GB) 350,000

Bred by Grove Stud & David Spratt (Ire) Consigned by Grove Stud Purchased by Stroud Coleman Bloodstock

#### 167 f, Dark Angel (Ire)-Dubai Power (GB)

340,000

 $(\in 65,000 \text{ Wlg '}21 \text{ GOFNOV}; \in 52,500 \text{ Ylg '}22 \text{ ARQAUG})$ 

Bred by Mr Francisco Bernal (Ire)

Consigned by Longways Stables
Purchased by Highclere Agency

#### **Sales Toppers Cont.**

37 c, Blue Point (Ire)--Miss Fay (Ire)

220,000

(42,000gns Ylg '22 TATOCT) Bred by Mr & Mrs Reddy Coffey (Ire)

Consigned by Greenhills Farm

Purchased by Oliver St Lawrence Bloodstock

c, Oasis Dream (GB)--Mujadil Lachy (GB)

46 c

200,000

220,000

(€75,000 Ylg '22 SGASEP)

Bred by Razza del Sole Societa Agricola SRL (Ire)

Consigned by Tally-Ho Stud

Purchased by Richard Ryan

210,000 169 f, Dubawi (Ire)--Ejtyah (GB)

Bred by Rabbah Bloodstock Limited (Ire)

Consigned by Longways Stables

Purchased by Oliver St Lawrence Bloodstock

204 c, Sioux Nation--Intelectuelle (Ire)

210,000

(€35,000 RNA Wlg '21 ARQDEC; €50,000 RNA Ylg'22

ARQSEP)

Bred by Alban Chevalier du Fau & Laurent Benoit (Fr)

Consigned by Mocklershill

Purchased by Stroud Coleman Bloodstock

c, Kodiac (GB)--Luminous Gold (GB)

200,000

Bred by Tally-Ho Stud (Ire)

Consigned by Tally-Ho Stud

Purchased by F. Barberini/Apple Tree Stud

c, Havana Grey (GB)--Music Pearl (Ire) 200,000

(21,000gns Wlg '21 TATDEC; £27,000 Ylg '22 DONPRM)

Bred by B. & Mrs. Anne Marie Kennedy (Ire)

Consigned by Knockanglass Stables

Purchased by Al Mohamediya Racing

**101** c, Flatter--Street Love

195,000

(\$25,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP)

Bred by Ms Sandra Sexton (KY)

Consigned by Bushypark Stables

Purchased by Blandford Bloodstock



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#### **GOFFS UK BREEZE-UP SALE**

THE GOLDEN TOUCH

Lot Sex Sire | Dam Price (£)

Havana Grey (GB)--Music Pearl (Ire) Bred by B. & Mrs. Ann Marie Kennedy (Ire)

Consigned by Knockanglass Stables

Purchased by Al Mohamediya Racing

An 21,000gns Tattersalls December foal when acquired by Hillwood Bloodstock and M Nicholls, the son of Music Pearl (Oratorio {Ire}) went back through the ring at Doncaster as a yearling and caught the eye of Kilronan post-sale for £27,000. His female family features 1994 G1 Derby winner Erhaab (Chief's Crown).

#### 101 c **Flatter--Street Love**

195,000

100.000

Bred by Sandra Sexton (KY)

Consigned by Bushypark Stables

Purchased by Blandford Bloodstock

A \$25,000 Keeneland September yearling, the April foal caught the eye of Matt Whyte of Bushypark in Lexington. The relative of Capo Bastone (Street Boss), who won the GI King's Bishop S., is also a half-brother to the winning Chiringo (Bold d'Oro).

#### Sioux Nation--Espirit d'Escalier (Ire) 174 c

Bred by Mr Declan McStay (Ire)

Consigned by Brown Island Stables

Purchased by Patrick Wahl/De Burgh Eq/Buick

By a sire that sits first on the TDN Second-Crop Sire Table, lot 174 was picked up for just €18,000 out of the Tattersalls Ireland September Sale last autumn. He realised over five times that amount after catching the eye of Patrick Wahl/De Burgh Equine/Buick on Tuesday. His dam is out of Listed Marygate S. heroine Patience Alexander (Ire) (Kodiac {GB}), who was also third in the G3 Albany S. This is also the family of Classic heroine Mother Earth (Ire) (Zoffany (Ire)).

## EUROPEAN NEWS

#### Guineas Entries Cont. from p1

The Coolmore partners and Aidan O'Brien field a guintet led by Group 1 scorers Auguste Rodin (Ire) (Deep Impact {Jpn}) and Little Big Bear (Ire) (No Nay Never). G3 Killavullan S. hero Cairo (Ire) (Quality Road) is also signed on, as is G3 2000 Guineas Trial S. winner Hans Andersen (GB) (Frankel (GB)). Cont. p10



Little Big Bear is one of four Group 1 winners entered in the 2000 Guineas | Racingfotos.com

#### **Guineas Entries Cont.**

Third behind Auguste Rodin and Tuesday's Listed Weatherbys Digital Solutions Blue Riband Trial hero Epictetus (Ire) (Kingman {GB}) in the Vertem Futurity Trophy, Holloway Boy (GB) (Ulysses {Ire}) is one of three in the race for Karl Burke. Burke runner Indestructible (Ire) (Kodiac {GB}), who won the G3 Craven S. over the course-and-distance of the Guineas, will also take part. Group winners Charyn (Ire) (Dark Angel {Ire}) and Sakheer (Ire) (Zoffany {Ire}) hail from the stable of Roger Varian.

There is also still a chance of a royal runner, as the King and Queen Consort's two-for-two **Slipofthepen (GB)** (Night Of Thunder {Ire}) has also retained his entry for John and Thady Gosden.

In the fillies' equivalent on Sunday, May 7, 26 nominees have stood their ground, among them Group 1 winners Lezoo (GB) (Zoustar {Aus}), Meditate (Ire) (No Nay Never), and Tahiyra (Ire) (Siyouni {Fr}) for trainers Ralph Beckett, Aidan O'Brien, and Dermot Weld, respectively.

Beckett has also entered G3 Fred Darling S. heroine

Remarquee (GB) (Kingman {GB}), while Hugo Palmer trains the runner-up in Stenton Glider (Ire) (Dandy Man {Ire}).

Juddmonte's Juliet Siera (GB) (Bated Breath {GB}), a Group 3 winner, is also part of Beckett's Guineas challenge.

The first and second-place finishers from the G3 Nell Gwyn S. also have entries in Mammas Girl (GB) (Havana Grey {GB}) for Richard Hannon and Fairy Cross (Ire) (Dubawi {Ire}) for Charlie Appleby. Saeed bin Suroor's G2 Duchess Of Cambridge S. heroine and G1 Cheveley Park S. third Mawj (Ire) (Exceed And Excel {Aus}) has been entered. G2 May Hill S. heroine Polly Pott (GB) (Muhaarar {GB}) for trainer Ben Pauling is also part of the fray.

O'Brien is double-fisted in the Guineas, as his G3 1000 Guineas

Trial S. victress **Never Ending Story (Ire)** (Dubawi {Ire}) defeated Kieran Cotter's **Matilda Picotte (Ire)** (Sioux Nation) by 2 1/2 lengths at Leopardstown earlier this month.

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# MURAL HONOURING DETTORI UNVEILED AT EPSOM

A giant mural celebrating champion jockey Frankie Dettori's remarkable 40-year career was unveiled by Epsom Downs Racecourse on Tuesday. The 52ft by 23ft art installation is located on the side of the Duchess Stand and depicts him in the colours of his 2015 G1 Derby winner Golden Horn (GB) (Cape Cross {Ire}).

"It was a big surprise," Dettori said. "I was quite embarrassed when I first saw it, actually. I love it. It is amazing, I'm gobsmacked, really. It's the young me and the older me. It was my biggest thrill in my racing career, the Derby in 2015 on Golden Horn. I'm glad it is there forever now. It looks great."

Dettori has enjoyed some of his most memorable moments at Epsom Downs over the years, earning two Derby victories with Authorized (Ire) in 2007 and Golden Horn in 2015. The 52-year-old announced at the end of last year that 2023 would be his last season in the saddle.

"I have mixed feelings," Dettori said. "It's the end of an era, and it's nice to be recognised with something as big as this.

Epsom is a special place for me. I've had some great memories, lots of nice winners--two Derby wins, five Coronations, five Oaks. It's been a good stamping ground for me. [Winning another Derby] would be amazing. I haven't got a ride yet, but it will be amazing."



Frankie Dettori in front of his Epsom Downs mural | PA Sport



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# QIPCO BRITISH CHAMPIONS SERIES LAUNCHES CLUB 26

Club 26, a free-to-join club for young people between the ages of 18-26, was launched by the QIPCO British Champions Series on Tuesday.

Designed to encourage younger fans to attend Great Britain's Flat racing during the summer, members will receive special perks in the form of reduced general admission prices at 10 different racecourses, as well as behind-the-scenes tours and raceday previews

Club 26 will feature at all 26 QIPCO British Champions Series racedays this year, including the G1 Betfred Derby Festival at Epsom Downs, all five days at Royal Ascot in June, the Qatar Goodwood Festival at Goodwood, the Skybet Ebor Festival at York in August and the St Leger Festival at Doncaster in September.

"We are passionate about attracting young people to horseracing as future fans and participants and are very proud to launch Club 26 ahead of the QIPCO Guineas Festival," HH Sheikh Fahad bin Abdullah Al Thani, Director of QIPCO, said. "We have lots of exciting plans for the Club and hope it educates and encourages more 18 to 26-year-olds, who are key to the future of this sport, to come racing."

Rod Street, Chief Executive of QIPCO British Champions Series, said, "Our objective is to get a younger audience closer to horseracing, by involving them in some of the best Flat racing occasions in the calendar. Horseracing takes a bit of understanding, but by involving people more closely in the racing experience, we know the magic can rub off and create lifetime aficionados."

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## **OBSERVATIONS**

on the European racing scene

#### **HOW THEY FARED**

14.25 Epsom, Listed, £50,000, 3yo, 10f 17yT Epictetus (Ire) (Kingman {GB}), the returning G1 Futurity Trophy runner-up, was in the famed winner's spot after this Listed Weatherbys Digital Solutions Blue Riband Trial without looking a tailor-made Derby type.

## BRITAIN

#### **Tuesday's Results:**

**WEATHERBYS DIGITAL SOLUTIONS BLUE RIBAND TRIAL-Listed**, £50,000, Epsom, 4-25, 3yo, 10f 17yT, 2:20.00, sf.

1--EPICTETUS (IRE), 129, c, 3, by Kingman (GB)

1st Dam: Thistle Bird (GB) (G1SW-Ire, MGSW & G1SP-Eng, G1SP-Fr, \$577,634), by Selkirk

2nd Dam: Dolma (Fr), by Marchand De Sable

3rd Dam: Young Manila, by Manila

**1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN**. '**TDN Rising Star**'. O/B-George Strawbridge (IRE); T-John & Thady Gosden; J-Frankie Dettori. £28,355. Lifetime Record: G1SP-Eng, 4-2-2-0, \$110,052. \*1/2 to Jumbly (GB) (Gleneagles {Ire}), GSW-Eng, \$123,850; 1/2 to Bullfinch (GB) (Kodiac {GB}), SP-Aus, \$193,673.

2--Hadrianus (Ire), 129, c, 3, Galileo (Ire)--Laugh Out Loud (GB), by Clodovil (Ire). **1ST BLACK TYPE**. (62,000gns Ylg '21 TADEY). O-Susan and John Waterworth; B-C O P Hanbury (IRE); T-Charlie Johnston. £10,750.

3--Cite d'Or (Fr), 124, f, 3, Galiway (GB)--Tin Rebel (Fr), by Tin Horse (Ire). 1ST BLACK TYPE. (€10,000 Ylg '21 ARQAU; 17,000gns RNA 2yo '22 TATBRG; €43,000 2yo '22 ARQJUL). O-Nick Bradley Racing 18; B-Mme C Vitse, G Vitse & P Decouz (FR); T-Harry Eustace. £5,380.

Margins: 3/4, 3/4, 6HF. Odds: 0.40, 9.00, 33.00. Also Ran: Think First (Ire), Stormbuster (GB). Scratched: Intricacy

(GB).

Trying these contours for the first time, **TDN Rising Star** Epictetus executed the plan by making a smooth winning return under Frankie Dettori without convincing that the mile-and-a-half trip of the Derby is the way to go. Last seen finishing second in the G1 Futurity Trophy at Doncaster in October, the son of the G1 Pretty Polly S. heroine travelled comfortably in third until asked to take command approaching two out. Looking likely to stretch his rivals soon after, the homebred tired late with the Charlie Johnston-trained novice scorer Hadrianus providing one or two anxious moments.

"It was very testing conditions today," John Gosden said.
"Frankie said he was a little bit lonely in front and he got to the front sooner than he wanted. He has wintered well and is a grand horse, but he hasn't been training on that. He has gone and done it well and shown a good attitude, but just in the end he was looking about a bit and getting tired."

Whether Epictetus eventually comes back here for the Derby or to Chantilly for the G1 Prix du Jockey Club is up in the air, with the May 18 G2 Dante S. set to provide more clues. "We will go to the Dante and take it from there," Gosden, Sr. added. "He may well be more a Prix du Jockey Club horse. Certainly his pedigree might indicate that. We will get to the Dante and make a decision."



**Epictetus** | PA Sport

Epictetus is the fifth foal out of Thistle Bird, who also captured two renewals of the G3 Princess Elizabeth S. A half to the dual Group 3 winner and G1 Cantala S. runner-up McCreery (GB) (Big Bad Bob {Ire}), she is out of the triple listed-winning G1 Prix Maurice de Gheest third Dolma (Fr) (Marchand de Sable). Thistle Bird's daughter Jumbly (GB) (Gleneagles {Ire}), who captured the G3 Valiant S. and Listed Radley S. and was runner-up in the G3 Fred Darling S., was a 1.25million gns purchase by M V Magnier at the Tattersalls December Mares Sale, while she also has the unraced 3-year-old colt Burrito (GB) (Lope De Vega {Ire}). VIDEO.

**2nd-Great Yarmouth, £6,800, Mdn**, 4-25, 2yo, 5f 42yT, 1:05.31, sf

SIR BOLTON (IRE) (c, 2, Blue Point {Ire}--Firebird Song {Ire} {SW-Ger, MSP-Fr}, by Invincible Spirit {Ire}), the well-supported 5-4 favourite, travelled strongly in the front line until left in the lead two out. Tackled by Shayekh (Ire) (Kodiac {GB}) a furlong later, the bay was carried left and eventually nosed out by that rival before the stewards intervened and reversed the first two placings. Sir Bolton, who becomes the fifth winner for Darley's first-season sire, is the sole foal so far out of the listed-winning dam who is connected to Invincible Spirit's G1 Prix Jean Pratwinning sire Territories (Ire). Sales history: €155,000 Ylg '22 GOFOR. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$2,153.

O-Amo Racing Limited; B-Godolphin (IRE); T-Dominic ffrench Davis.

#### **HANDICAP RESULTS:**

3rd-Epsom, £50,000, Hcp., 4-25, 4yo/up, 10f 17yT, 2:19.20, sf. BAD COMPANY (GB) (g, 6, Fast Company {Ire}--Clearing {GB}, by Sleeping Indian {GB}) Lifetime Record: 33-8-6-1, \$112,306. O-The Clean Sweep Partnership; B-Paddock Space (GB); T-Jim Boyle.

#### **ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**

Kadovar (Ire), c, 3, Dark Angel (Ire)--Bulrushes (GB), by Byron (GB). Epsom, 4-25, 8f 113yT, 1:55.34. Lifetime Record: 6-1-1-1, \$12,397. B-Al Wasmiyah Farm (IRE). \*90,000gns RNA Ylg '21 TATOCT. \*\*1/2 to Snazzy Jazzy (Ire) (Red Jazz), GSW-Fr, SW & GSP-Eng, \$357,332; Ross Castle (Ire) (Bushranger {Ire}), GSW-Fr, \$255,142; Ten Year Ticket (Ire) (Rock Of Gibraltar {Ire}), SW-Ire, \$782,585; and Admiral Rous (Ire) (Henrythenavigator), GSP-Fr, \$106,674.





Kadovar | PA Sport

**Good Morals (GB)**, f, 3, **Farhh (GB)**--Great Virtues (Ire) (SP-Fr), by Teofilo (Ire). Wolverhampton, 4-25, 12f 51y (AWT), 2:38.54. Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-1, \$8,749. B-Godolphin (GB).

Bear On The Loose (Ire), g, 3, Footstepsinthesand

(GB)--Ihtiraam (Ire), by Teofilo (Ire). Great Yarmouth, 4-25, 8f3yT, 1:43.96. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$6,945. B-J Connolly & C Henley (IRE). \*€100,000 Ylg '21 GOFOR. \*\*1/2 to Warnaq (Ire) (Arcano {Ire}), SW-Ire, \$114,468.

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Eden Storm (Ire), g, 3, Starspangledbanner (Aus)--Fou Rire (Ire), by Iffraaj (GB). Wolverhampton, 4-25, 7f 36y (AWT), 1:29.26. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$5,394. B-Atacama Bloodstock & Beshelstown Trading (IRE). \*55,000gns RNA Wlg '20 TATFOA; €85,000 Ylg '21 GOFOR.

# **FRANCE**

#### **Tuesday's Results:**

**1st-Le Mans,** €**23,000, Cond**, 4-25, 2yo, 5 1/2fT, 1:07.03, sf. **LEWIS BERE (FR) (c, 2, Seahenge--Ajab Bere {Fr}, by Peer Gynt {Jpn}),** sent off at 6-1, waited in mid-division after breaking from the widest stall. Swooping on the long-time leader Balsam (Fr) (Wootton Bassett {GB}) with 150 metres remaining, the bay asserted to score by 3/4 of a length. The winner is currently the last known foal out of the dam, an unraced half-sister to the GIII Gallorette H. scorer and multiple French listed scorer Ozone Bere (Fr) (Verglas {Ire}) who was in turn responsible for the listed-winning Anazone (Ire) (Anabaa). Sales history: €14,000 Ylg '22 ARQSEP. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, €11,500. **Video, sponsored by TVG**.

O-La Fleche Racing, Alain Jacob, Comte Guillaume De Saint-Seine, Patrice Biton & M Brasme; B-Haras de la Haie

Neuve, San Gabriel Inv. Inc. & SAS Regnier (FR); T-Mathieu Brasme.

**2nd-Le Mans,** €**22,000**, 4-25, 3yo, 1950mT, 2:08.63, sf. LA FILOMENA (IRE) (f, 3, Lope De Vega {Ire}--Sagaciously {Ire} **(SP-Eng)**, by Lawman **(Fr)**), who scored over this course and distance last month, enjoyed an easy lead from the outset. Already clear by the home turn, the even-money favourite only needed to be ridden out with hands and heels to secure a snug 1 1/2-length success from Palais Du Louvre (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}). The winner is the second foal out of the listed-placed dam, whose first was Lope De Vega's Listed Prix Pelleas scorer Epic Poet (Ire) who was also third in the G3 Prix du Prince d'Orange. Kin to the dam of the G1 Commonwealth Cup, G1 Prix Morny and G1 Middle Park S. hero Perfect Power (Ire) (Ardad {Ire}), she hails from the Aga Khan family of the Arc hero Sagamix (Fr) (Linamix {Fr}) and Shastye (Ire) (Danehill) who produced Ballydoyle's group 1-winning Galileo (Ire) siblings Japan (GB) and Mogul (GB) and the high-class filly Secret Gesture (GB). Sales history: 210,000gns Wlg 20 TATFOA; 310,000gns Ylg '21 TATOCT. Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-1, €30,950. Video, sponsored by TVG. O-White Birch Farm; B-George J Kent (IRE); T-J Rouget.

#### **CONDITIONS RESULT:**

**3rd--Le Mans**, **€22,000**, 4-25, 4yo/up, 1950mT, 2:05.49, sf. **FELLOW (GER) (g, 5, Pomellato {Ger}--Forlista {Ger} {Champion 3-y-o Filly-Austria}, by Kallisto {Ger})** Lifetime Record: 12-7-0-1, **€**48,350.

O-Eugen Schafer U A; B-Christian Bodenstedt UA (GER); T-Dr Andreas Bolte.

**4th-Argentan, €15,000, Cond**, 4-25, 4yo/up, 10 1/2fT, 2;12.60, g/s.

AVIATEUR (FR) (g, 8, Intense Focus--Attachante {Ire}, by Teofilo {Ire}) Lifetime Record: GSW-Ger, 25-6-3-1, €117,020.

O-German Racing Club; B-Jean-Charles Coude (FR); T-Hans-Albert Blume. \*€22,000 RNA Ylg '16 ARQAUG.

**7th-Argentan, €15,000, Cond**, 4-25, 4yo/up, 14 1/2fT, 3;14.60, g/s.

BROKEBACK MOUNTAIN (FR) (g, 8, Le Havre {Ire}--Beaumont {Fr}, by Trempolino) Lifetime Record: SW-Fr & GSP-Ger, 34-8-5-6, €245,316.

O/B-Bloodstock Agency Ltd (FR); T-Yann Barberot.

#### **ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNER:**

Sugertime (Fr), f, 3, Cloth Of Stars (Ire)--Silent Sunday (Ire) (SW-Fr, \$128,002), by Testa Rossa (Aus). Argentan, 4-25, 10 1/2fT, 2:18.10. B-Erich Schmid (FR).

Vaydena (Fr), f, 4, Dariyan (Fr)--Vadiya (Fr), by Peintre Celebre. Le Mans, 4-25, 7 1/2fT, 1:26.94. B-Haras de SA Aga Khan SCEA (FR). \*€20,000 HRA '22 AEQDEC.

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# GO FUND ME PAGE ORGANISED FOR HOLLAND'S FAMILY

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A Gofundme fundraiser for the family of the late Australian jockey Dean Holland was launched within 24 hours of the jockey's death and, at the time of writing, it has raised over A\$500,000 for Holland's wife Lucy, and their four children.

The page was created by Tony Ottobre in Victoria, who made a personal donation of A\$100,000, and overnight and into Tuesday it had attracted over 2000 donations. Dean Holland died as a result of his injuries from a fall on Monday afternoon at Donald. His death has incurred widespread grief across the racing industry.

On Tuesday, Racing Victoria released a statement on behalf of the Holland family, in particular from his partner Lucy and his parents, Belinda and Darren Holland.

"Grief is completely overwhelming us after losing our beloved Dean yesterday at Donald races," the statement read. "We are aware of the thousands who are sharing our pain as we come to the reality we have lost a once-in-a-lifetime person, a much-loved partner, an amazing father of four beautiful young children in Harley, Luca, Frankie and Lily, as well as a special brother and a wonderful son.

"The outpouring of love for Dean and the care and support for us is helping us deal with our loss. We are thinking of Dean's colleagues in the jockeys' rooms, as well all in our industry that he loved so much."

The statement requested privacy as the Holland family comes to terms with its loss and, in the meanwhile, Racing Victoria has pledged A\$100,000 to the fundraising effort, with all money raised eventually going into a trust to support the family.

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