



PAYNTER TO STAND AT WINSTAR

Paynter (Awesome Again--Tizso, by Cee's Tizzy), winner of the 2012 GI Haskell Invitational S., will retire



Paynter in the Haskell Sarah K. Andrew

to WinStar Farm following Saturday's GI Breeders' Cup Classic. "When we set our goals for 2013, one of them was to get Paynter into the WinStar stallion barn," said Elliott Walden, WinStar President and

CEO. "I look at our stallions in North America today and I see real dirt pedigrees slipping away from us. WinStar remains focused on the Classics and striving to bring home stallions that excel at running around two turns and on the dirt. Paynter's pedigree and race record epitomizes the Classic American dirt horse. I am elated we got him. He was our first-round draft pick."

The Zayat Stable colorbearer's career was highlighted by a runner-up effort in the GI Belmont S. and his Haskell win. Paynter contracted laminitis and colitis following the Haskell and battled, not only to get back to the track for his 4-year-old season, but even to the winner's circle, capturing a June allowance in his return. He also finished second in the GII San Diego H. and GI Awesome Again S.

"Paynter is a horse like no other," said owner Ahmed Zayat. "Win or lose Saturday, he goes down as one of the greatest of all time in my mind. The fact that he's even competing in the Breeders' Cup is miraculous. He's such a fighter and natural talent. Combine that with his gene pool and awesome race record, I'm excited about Paynter's chances to be a leading sire."

Paynter's dam Tizso is a full-sibling to Horse of the Year and two-time champion Tiznow, multiple graded stakes winner Budroyale, graded stakes winner Tizdubai, and the unraced Tizamazing, who produced this year's GI Preakness S. winner Oxbow (Awesome Again). Paynter was bred by Diamond A Racing Corp. and sold for \$325,000 at Keeneland September. He currently boasts a record of 10-4-4-0 with over \$1.1 million in earnings. A stud fee has not yet been announced.

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VERRAZANO TO COOLMORE AFTER BC

This year's GI Haskell Invitational winner Verrazano (More Than Ready--Enchanted Rock, by Giant's Causeway) will retire to Coolmore after Friday's GI Breeders' Cup Dirt Mile to Coolmore. The TTDN Rising Star" tallied graded scores in the GII Tampa Bay Derby, GI Wood Memorial S., and GIII Pegasus S. alongside his Haskell romp for the partnership of Let's Go Stable and Coolmore. "Verrazano is a very welcome addition to the roster here at Ashford, which will be the strongest we've ever assembled," said Ashford's

Director of Sales Charlie O'Connor. "Verrazano's brilliance is there for all to see, but he's also got the pedigree and looks to match. He's very exciting."

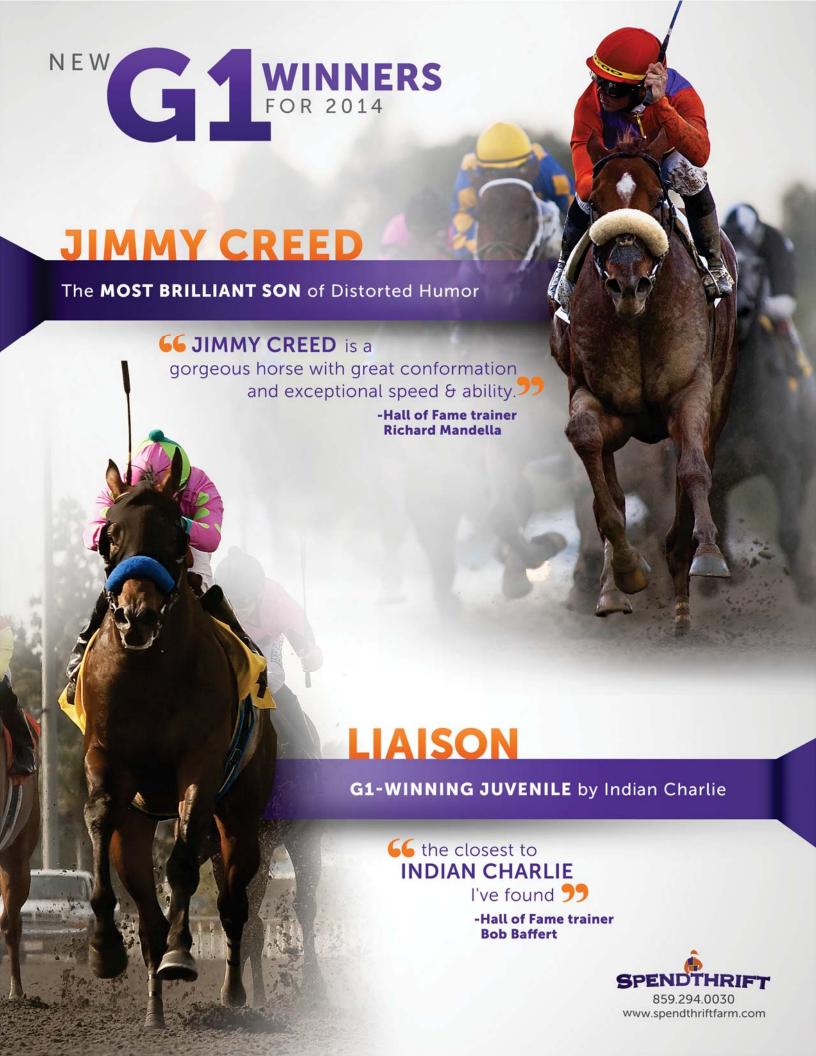
Verrazano, who was purchased by Let's Go Stable for \$250,000 as a yearling at Keeneland



Verrazano Sarah K. Andrew

September, currently boasts a record of 8-6-0-0 with over \$1.55 million in earnings. The strapping dark bay, who was bred by Emory Hamilton, is a half-brother is Let's Go Stable's GII Risen Star winner El Padrino (Pulpit), who also retired earlier this year, and hails from a prolific family. Cont. p12





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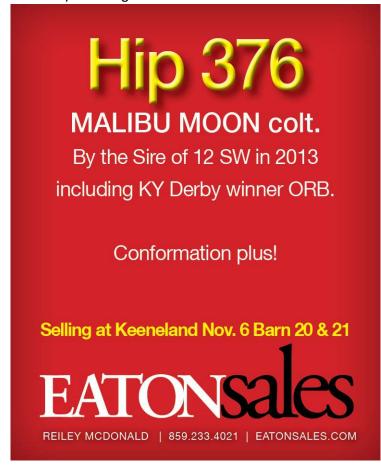




Euros Arrive on the Scene

Sheikh Joaan bin Hamad Al Thani's Gl Breeders' Cup Classic contender **Planteur** (**Ire**) (Danehill Dancer {Ire}) visited the Santa Anita track for the first time early Tuesday morning. The Group 1 winner, who was accompanied by Gl Juvenile Fillies Turf contender **Al Thakhira** (**GB**) (Dubawi {Ire}), cantered around one and a half circuits of the track before returning to the barn. "Everything was good this morning. I just wanted them to have a look at their surroundings," said trainer Marco Botti.

Coolmore's **Declaration of War** (War Front)--slated to contest Saturday's Classic--arrived with the rest of the Aidan O'Brien-trained contingent shortly after midnight Sunday after an uneventful flight from Ireland. Also on the flight was **Magician** (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}), who will contest the GI Breeders' Cup Turf. The Ballydoyle team is expected to clear quarantine in time for track work Thursday morning.



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'Princess' Trumpets Her Arrival

Leading sophomore filly **Princess of Sylmar** (Majestic Warrior) made her first appearance over the Santa Anita track Tuesday morning after arriving from her Belmont Park base Monday afternoon.

"I was really, really pleased with the way she came in," said trainer Todd Pletcher. "Her energy was outstanding. She marched to the track like she'd been here every day. I thought her gallop was really enthusiastic," he added. "It was just her being in a new place and her being excited to be here, knowing what's going on. She was on her 'A' game today."

Campaigned by King of Prussia Stable, the chestnut is coming into Friday's GI Breeders' Cup Distaff off of four consecutive wins, including her most recent, a two-length victory over **Royal Delta** (Empire Maker) in the GI Beldame Invitational, a 'Win and You're In' race at Belmont Sept. 28. Owner Ed Stanco paid a \$100,000 supplemental fee to nominate Princess of Sylmar to the Breeders' Cup series.

"I have a tremendous amount of respect for Royal Delta and how good she is," said Pletcher, noting he had some concerns about Princess of Sylmar facing older fillies and mares for the first time and turning back to a one-turn race in the Beldame. "I wasn't shocked, but it was impressive to watch."

Princess of Sylmar drew the outside post in the compact field of six in Friday's nine-furlong event, while 8-5 morning-line choice Royal Delta drew the four hole. Princess of Sylmar is 9-5 on the morning line.



First Look for Euro Runners Dank, Olympic Glory

Dank (GB) (Dansili {GB}), who will run in the GI Breeders' Cup Filly & Mare Turf, had her first look at Santa Anita's turf course Tuesday morning. Representing trainer Michael Stoute, the winner of this summer's GI Beverly D. trotted half a circuit of the course before breaking into a canter down the homestretch in advance of an introductory look at the paddock before returning to the barn. Also getting his first look at Santa Anita Tuesday, Sheikh Joaan bin Hamad Al Thani's Olympic Glory (Ire) (Choisir {Aus}) jogged two times around the main track for trainer Richard Hannon, Winner of the Oct. 19 G1 Queen Elizabeth II S. at Ascot in his latest start, the French champion juvenile colt will be accompanied by champion jockey Richard Hughes in Saturday's GI Breeders' Cup Mile.

NO Breeders' Cup for Easter Gift

Easter Gift (Hard Spun) did not ship from New York to California Tuesday, trainer Chad Brown confirmed yesterday. Winner of last season's GIII Smarty Jones S., the 4-year-old is on the also-eligible list for Friday's GI Dirt Mile.

Still on 'Go' for My Conquestadory

Moments after Monday's Breeders' Cup draw at Santa Anita, trainer Mark Casse indicated he was seriously withdrawing GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies Turf morning-line favorite **My Conquestadory** (Artie Schiller) after she drew post 14. However, cooler heads prevailed and the undefeated dual graded stakes winning filly was still a go on Tuesday morning.

"I think everybody has had a little time to take it all in," said Casse. "Right now, we think we're probably going to run. She deserves the chance."

According to Casse, a major determining factor was her latest win in the GI Darley Alcibiades S., where she went from 10th to first in only her second career start.

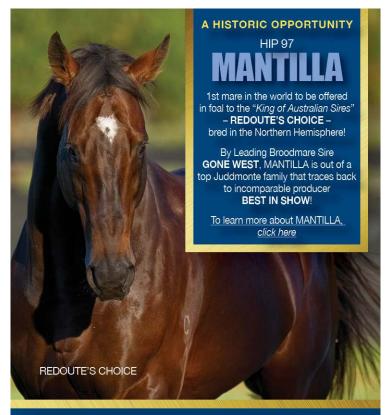
"Had she not done that, we probably would be passing for sure," Casse said. "She's shown she can handle adversity, although this is a much tougher field. In any race, you have to have things go your way, and hopefully things go our way. If they go our way, she should have a good chance of winning and if she does, she does, and if she doesn't she doesn't. That's why they call it horse racing."

IN OTHER NEWS..

A Daily Roundup of Racing Articles in Other Media

Top 10 Breeders' Cup Memories

"Watching the Breeders' Cup 30-1 show on NBCSN brought back so many memories, and it was great to hear all of those vintage Tom Durkin calls. I was 12 when the Breeders' Cup had its first running at Hollywood Park, so those flashbacks chronicled my evolution from just a (rabid) fan to a professional racing journalist. Here are my Top 10 moments; ranking them was a pleasurable struggle." Marie Kizenko, *The Loose Horse Blog*



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New Breeders' Cup Ambassadors Announced

Former basketball coach and player Avery Johnson, golfer Gary Player, model Kate Upton, political commentator James Varville, actor John Ortiz, and Atlanta Falcons running back Steven Jackson have been named as Breeders' Cup Ambassadors. "My love for Thoroughbred horses and racing closely rivals my love for golf," said Player. "It is such a thrill to now be named an ambassador for the Breeders' Cup. I have been breeding racehorses on my South African stud farm for nearly 40 years and have always considered the Breeders' Cup as one of the greatest races in the world." The Ambassadors join last year's inaugural class: Bo Derek, Bobby Flay, Elizabeth Banks, Jim Rome, Joe Torre, Laura Bell Bendy, Rick Pitino, Rob Dyrdek, Toby Keith and Wes Welker. "We welcome our new class of Ambassadors, who cut across a wide dimension of careers in entertainment, sports, politics and style, but all share the love and passion for horse racing and the Breeders' Cup," said Craig Fravel, Breeders' Cup President and CEO.

GI Hopeful S. winner Strong Mandate, who drew the 14-hole in Saturday's GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile, schooled at the gate Tuesday morning. When asked whether the colt had enough speed to gain early position in the 1 1/16-mile race, trainer D. Wayne Lukas quipped, "He has enough speed to get himself in trouble."



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BREMNER TOPS TATTS TUESDAY

by Emma Berry

It didn't take long for Monday's top price to be beaten during Tuesday's second session of Tattersalls' Horses-in-Training Sale, when early in the morning Alastair Donald ensured he bought the one horse in the catalogue he really wanted by going to 280,000gns for Bremner (GB) (Manduro {Ger}) (lot 488).

Figures for the day were largely on a par with those set last year, with a turnover of 6,528,800gns for 235 sold and an average price of 27,782gns. The median was the one sector to post a notable improvement, with a rise of 14% to 16,000gns, but the clearance rate dropped by 10 points to 81%.

Donald didn't have it all his own way when attempting to snare Bremner, with determined challenges made for the 2-year-old colt by Johnny McKeever and Gassim Ghazali, who was the eventual underbidder.

"He's been bought to go into training with John Moore in Hong Kong," said Donald. "He's the only Hong Kong-type in the whole sale--he's a really lovely



Alastair Donald Emma Berry

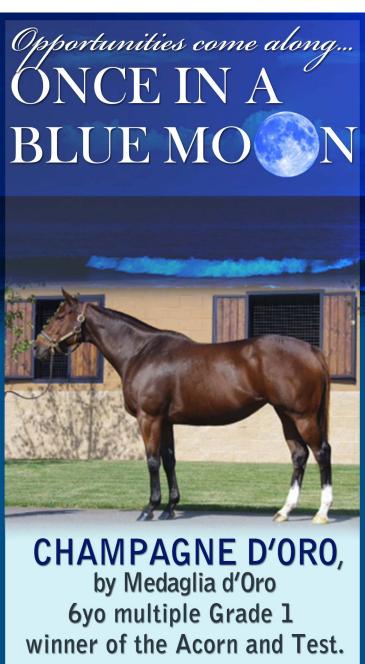
looking horse with very progressive form and he should be better at three.

"We've had a tough year buying for Hong Kong," he continued. "It's tough getting them through the vetting and more people are now buying them privately. So I'm pleased to have this one."

The Kevin Ryan-trained Bremner has raced three times for his breeder Martin Wainwright of Highbank Stud, winning twice at up to a mile to earn a rating of 91. He is the first foal out of the winning Red Ransom mare Maggie Lou (Ire), a half-sister to listed winners One Putra (Ire) (Indian Ridge {GB}) and Teophilip (Ire) (Teofilo {Ire}).

Donald, one half, with Ed Sackville, of the SackvilleDonald agency, specializes in buying horses in training for overseas buyers, predominantly in Hong Kong and Australia, but is looking forward to two previous yearling purchases performing on the big stage in the coming weeks. He bought Chriselliam (Ire) (Iffraaj (GB)) for 40,000gns at Tattersalls' October Yearling Sale last year and she is at Santa Anita ahead of her intended run in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies Turf on Friday. Meanwhile, the Willie Mullins-trained Simenon (Ire) (Marju {Ire}), bought for 60,000gns in 2008, is in Australia, where it is hoped he will make the cut for the 24-strong line-up for the G1 Melbourne Cup.

"At the moment, he should get a start, but there are two horses who could be promoted above him," explained Donald. "I really hope this could be the year, as for the last three years, horses I've bought have missed out on the making the Melbourne Cup field by one."



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Bucking Good Show...

A bucking and kicking **Jallota (GB)** (Rock of Gibraltar {Ire}) first took the eye of Stephen Hillen in the parade ring ahead of the G1 Middle Park S. at Newmarket on Oct. 12. By then, the Mick Channon-trained juvenile had already had 10 starts for a win and three places, but the bloodstock agent was impressed to see him still so full of beans at the end of the season.

"I was impressed by how fresh he was, bucking around the ring before the Middle Park," said Hillen after signing for the colt (lot 706) for an undisclosed client at 150,000gns.

"He's really tough and he's still developing," Hillen said. "I imagine he'll go to Dubai--there's a good programme for 3-year-olds there and if he does well at the carnival he could win his purchase price back in prize-money."

Bred by Barry Walters from the Group 3 winner Lady Lahar (GB) (Fraam {GB}), the 103-rated Jallota is a half-brother to listed winner Classic Legend (GB) (Galileo {Ire}) and has earned his own black-type via his third-place finish in the G2 July S. before finishing two lengths behind No Nay Never (Scat Daddy) in the G1 Prix Morny in Deauville.

Though he has been kept busy throughout his first year in training, he has nothing on his tough and tiny former stablemate **Memory Styx (GB)** (Clodovil {Ire}) (lot 708), who sold two lots later and has run 18 times this season, winning once and finishing runner-up on 10 occasions. She fetched a bid of 12,000gns from Ahmed Khalil Ali Khalil.

Rock of Gibraltar colts from Mick Channon's West Ilsley Stables draft were popular, and another to reach the six-figure mark was **Ayaar (Ire)** (lot 699). The 3-year-old won last season's G3 Belmondo Zukunfts-Rennen at Baden-Baden and augmented his hat-trick of juvenile victories with a recent win at Newmarket. Charlie Gordon-Watson signed the docket at 105,000gns for the relation of fellow group winners Hatta Fort (GB) and Miss Keller (Ire) and confirmed that he is to be trained from Newmarket by Luca Cumani.

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Sniper Aimed Stateside...

Qatar Racing is offering a sizeable draft in the sale, consigned through Jamie Railton, including Royal Ascot-winning juvenile **Extortionist (Ire)** (Dandy Man {Ire}) and G2 Flying Childers S. winner **Green Door (Ire)** (Camacho {GB}), who sell today as lots 986 and 987.

Tuesday's offerings included the juvenile **Sniper (GB)** (Dubawi {Ire}) (<u>lot 592</u>), a winner nine days ago in Ireland for Ger Lyons and now on his way to America after being bought by Kentucky-based agent James Bredin for 140,000gns.

"He's been bought for David Ross and will be sent to be trained at Fair Hill," Bredin said. "He should be suited to racing in America, but his last-time-out win made him expensive."

That recent victory came at the expense of the Aidan O'Brien-trained Johann Strauss (GB) (High Chaparral {Ire}), who has subsequently also been runner-up to Kingston Hill in last Saturday's G1 Racing Post Trophy.



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No. Sold	235	248
RNAs	55	26
% RNAs	19%	9.5%
Gross	6,528,800gns	6,734,800gns
Average (% change)	27,782gns (+2.3%)	27,156gns
Median (% change)	16,000gns (+14.3%)	14,000gns
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CUMULATIVE	<u>2013</u>	<u>2012</u>

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Catalogued	837	783
No. Offered	598	555
No. Sold	492	497
RNAs	106	58
% RNAs	17.7%	10.5%
Gross	12,038,100gns	12,608,400gns
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Group 1 performer in foal to Galileo

Kastoria

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Funsie

Dam of Champion Derby winner Authorized

Gilt Edge Girl

Group 1 Prix De L'Abbaye winner in foal to Redoute's Choice

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Dam of Group winner and Classic placed Venus De Milo, in foal to Lope De Vega

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Group 2 Cherry Hinton Stakes winner

Stakes winning dam of dual Group 1 winner Shareta, in foal to Sea The Stars

Dam of Group I winner Gilt Edge Girl and Group 2 winner Godfrey Street, in foal to Fastnet Rock

Lady Karr

Own sister to Derby winner Sir Percy and dam of Group 2 winner Mikhail Glinka

Argentinian Group 1 winner in foal to Invincible Spirit

Foals

Galileo

filly out of Champion sprinter Fleeting Spirit

sister to Derby winner Authorized

Oasis Dream

sister to Group winner Mikhail Glinka

Montjeu

filly out of Group 1 winner Scenica

sister to Group 1 winner Gilt Edge Girl

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Galileo filly out of Group 1 July Cup winner Fleeting Spirit

Oasis Dream filly out of Group 1 winner Gilt Edge Girl

Galileo brother to Group 2 winner Four Sins

Mastercraftsman sister to two Stakes winners

Rock Of Gibraltar brother to US Grade 1 winner Obviously

Chief Havoc - Grade 2 winner in the USA





Blazing a Trail to Australia...

Bonfire (GB) (Manduro {Ger}) (lot 605), who was sixth in last year's Derby for Highclere Thoroughbred Racing after winning the G2 Dante S. will be joining Gai Waterhouse's powerful Sydney stable after being bought by Johnny McKeever for 120,000gns.

Working the sale in company with Waterhouse's assistant Adrian Bott, McKeever was glad to be able to outlast OTI Racing's Simon O'Donnell in the bidding war, having been outdone earlier on another son of Manduro, the day's top lot, Bremner.

"We're aware there are issues and that he's a little quirky, but he's a Dante winner and at that price we were prepared to take a chance," said McKeever, referring to the tie-forward operation to improve the 4-year-old gelding's breathing.

"The vetting was fine and [his trainer] Andrew



John McKeever Emma Berry

Balding recommended him--in fact he hoped he could keep him. The horse has plenty of ability and, hopefully, a different training regime and a change of scenery might just make the difference."

A half-brother to fellow Group 2 winner Joviality (GB) (Cape Cross {Ire}), Bonfire has been placed twice this season in Group 3 contests in Britain and France, most recently finishing runner-up in the Prix Andre Baboin at Bordeaux le Bouscat on Oct. 9.

Joint top of Andrew Balding's draft from Kingsclere when also fetching 120,000gns was lot 610, Ningara (GB), a 3-year-old Singspiel (Ire) gelding who was one of nine purchases over the last two days for Qatar's champion trainer Gassim Al Ghazali. The three-time winner is out of Garanciere (Fr) (Anabaa), a half-sister to G1 Fillies' Mile winner Glorosia (Fr) (Bering {GB}).

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706 Jallota (GB)

150,000

(c, 2, Rock of Gibraltar {Ire}--Lady Lahar {GB}, by Fraam {GB})

B-Barry Walters

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Purchased by Stephen Hillen Bloodstock

795 Mister Impatience (GB)

150,000

(c, 3, Hernando {Fr}--Katy Nowaitee {GB}, by Komaite)
B-The Kathryn Stud Ltd

Consigned by Kingsley House Stables (M Johnston)
Purchased by Paul Moroney Bloodstock

766 Beyond Thankful (Ire)

145,000

(c, 3, Whipper--Beyond Compare {Ire}, by Galileo {Ire})
B-J S Bolger

Consigned by Glebe House Stables (J S Bolger)
Purchased by Chris Waller Racing

749 Circus Turn

145,000

(g, 3, Street Cry {Ire}--Showlady, by Theatrical {Ire})
B-Darley

Consigned by Freemason Lodge Stables (Sir M Stoute)
Purchased by Chris Waller Racing

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Royal Runner Heads South...

Also joining the plane for Australia is the Queen's 3-year-old gelding Circus Turn (Street Cry {Ire}) (lot 749). He is another signing for Chris Waller Racing, with Guy Mulcaster and Mick Flanagan combining in his purchase at 145,000gns.

"He looked a really nice honest sort and is the fifth horse I've bought for [Australian trainer] Chris Waller

this week," said Mulcaster. "Street Cry has done really well in Australia with the likes of [G1] Melbourne Cup winner] Shocking and [G1 Caulfield Guineas winner] Whobegotyou and, hopefully, this horse can thrive there."

A winner twice over 10 furlongs at Goodwood and Sandown, Circus Turn is the second Darley-bred son of Street Cry to be owned by the Queen and trained by Sir Michael Stoute following Carlton House,



Guy Mulcaster Emma Berry

who was third to Pour Moi (Ire) in the 2011 Derby. Both colts were presented to the Queen by Sheikh Mohammed Al Maktoum, and Carlton House is also now in Australia, where he has raced in the monarch's colours under the guidance of Gai Waterhouse.

Mulcaster later put another 145,000gns purchase on the list when buying lot 766, the Group 3-placed Beyond Thankful (Ire) (Whipper), from Jim Bolger's stable.

The One and Only Sir Mark...

Sir Mark Prescott is the longest-serving trainer in Newmarket and as such he is entitled to do things his own way. His draft is never stabled at Tattersalls-interested parties are invited to view them prior to the sale at his nearby Heath House Stables--and roughly an hour before they are set to go through the ring, his horses are ridden through the back streets of Newmarket to the sales ground.

They continue to be ridden through the ring, each one

led up by Prescott's employee of more than 20 years, Alison West, and, like the trainer himself, the horses are always immaculately turned out.

Under the intent gaze of Prescott, whose presence in the Tattersalls auditorium is often accompanied by wafts of cigar smoke, eight horses from Heath House went under the hammer on Tuesday, bringing a total of 187,000gns. The progressive Moyglare Stud-bred stayer Mutual



Alison West leading Prescott string Emma Berry

Regard (Ire) (Hernando {Fr}) (lot 777) was the most expensive among them, fetching a bid of 60,000gns from Andrew Tinkler.

In days gone by, it was traditional for horses in training to be ridden whilst being auctioned, but that

Sir Mark Prescott Emma Berry

custom is now only observed by one other trainer, Mark Johnston. Johnston's wife Deirdre is also his assistant trainer and one of his best work riders, and she took her hands-on approach to a new high when riding lot 795, Mister Impatience (GB) (Hernando {Fr}), whom she part-owns, through the ring. He was knocked down for 150,000gns to Paul Moroney and will head to

Australia to be trained by Moroney's brother Mike, who is preparing the recently purchased Irish St Leger winner Voleuse de Coeurs (Ire) (Teofilo {Ire}) for the Melbourne Cup.



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Tattersalls Tuesday cont.

"His best form in the spring and early summer was really impressive and he proved at Ascot that he stays two miles," said Moroney of the 3-year-old Mister Impatience who was fourth in the G3 Queen's Vase and is currently rated 96. "He's toughed it out all season and that's to his credit. He'll go straight into quarantine and will then be given a good break when he reaches Australia."



KEENELAND NOVEMBER

Nov. 5-14 10 a.m.

HUNTER VALLEY EYES BIG NOVEMBER

by Jessica Martini

Hunter Valley Farm had success with the very first horse it sent through the ring when selling future multiple Grade I winner Scat Daddy (Johannesburg) for \$250,000 at the 2005 Keeneland September sale. The farm, started nine years ago by Adrian Regan, Fergus

Galvin, John Wade and Tony Hegarty, has steadily built on that initial success and the Irish quartet are looking forward to a strong consignment at next week's Keeneland November sale.

"We have a really really strong Book 1 and throughout the sale we're strong,"



Scat Daddy Horsephotos

Regan confirmed. "We have a really lovely bunch." Hunter Valley has 24 head catalogued for

Keeneland's Book 1, which begins Tuesday, Nov. 5 at 10 a.m.

"It's probably a similar number to last year, but last year was probably our biggest number yet," he continued. Regan and Galvin, both with family ties to racing in their native Ireland, have been friends since attending the Irish National Stud course together several years ago.

"My father trained in Ireland originally and really I was bred into [racing]," Regan said. "I was on a farm there before I was going to school; I was going around with him before I started going to school. I never really lost the bug; I was always going to end up in horses. In what direction, I didn't know."

After working in Ireland for trainers Jim Bolger and Aidan O'Brien, Regan came to the U.S. for what was supposed to be a "short stint." He worked for Padraig Campion galloping horses in Kentucky and found his direction.



Adrian Regan

"I really got a taste for it over here," he said. "I think once the Kentucky bug grabs you, there is no getting it out of your system. I love Ireland, it's home, but Kentucky, the people and business here, is just fabulous. It's a fabulous place."

Galvin tells a similar story.

"My family had been involved in racehorses and breeding stock for a number of years in Ireland," Galvin said. "The opportunity came for me to work in Kentucky over 20 years ago and I fell in love with Kentucky and I've been here ever since."

Almost a decade ago, the two men found themselves at similar crossroads.

"I was working for the Stilz family at Crescent Hill Farm just down the road from us here at Hunter Valley and they decided to sell the farm," Regan recalled. "I was there 10 years. And both myself and Fergus had the notion of doing something on our own at the same time. And it was just a matter of timing, with Crescent Hill for sale and I had to look for something else. Personally, I had decided that was the time to give it a go. I thought it was a good time to go and do my own thing."

Galvin, meanwhile, also found himself ready to start a new operation.

"I had spent eight years as stallion manager at Ashford Stud and, prior to that, I'd managed Prince Fahd Salman's Newgate Stud in Lexington," Galvin said. cont. p10





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Hunter Valley Eyes Big November cont.

Regan and Galvin were soon joined by two more transplanted Irishmen, Wade and Hegarty, who run a construction business in Chicago. The two men bred Grade I winner The Factor (War Front). Hegarty purchased The Factor's dam Greyciousness (Miswaki) for \$47,000 at the 2007 Keeneland January sale and the mare was one of Hunter Valley's first residents.

"We met John and Tony at a horse sale on one of their trips to Kentucky," Galvin said. "They'd been involved in different partnerships with horses. We all sort of got together and felt like it was time we could start an operation together and succeed at it."

Fergus Galvin

Regan admitted the two Chicagoans were instrumental in Hunter Valley's inception.

"We are the hands on partners," he said of himself and Galvin. "But without those guys, Hunter Valley probably wouldn't have happened because we weren't in the financial position to go and buy a farm at the time. Their investment was crucial.

We'd known each other a long time, but they are brilliant partners."

Hunter Valley currently maintains a commercial broodmare band of about a dozen head and the farm is home to approximately 40 mares for outside clients.

"We are a commercially minded farm and we've built up a mare base now where we don't have to do as much purchasing and trading as we did in the early years," Regan explained. "November has always been our big sale because we tend to sell a lot of foals rather than yearlings. That was lucky for us the first few years and we really haven't changed that approach."

In addition to Scat Daddy, who won the 2006 GI Champagne S. and 2007 GI Florida Derby, Hunter Valley also sold Desert Party (Street Cry {Ire}) for \$425,000 as a Keeneland September yearling in 2007. The colt went on to sell to John Ferguson for

\$2.1 million at the 2008 Fasig-Tipton February sale before winning that year's GII Sanford S. and the 2009 G3 UAE 2000 Guineas. Two years ago, the farm sold No Nay Never (Scat Daddy) for \$170,000 at Keeneland November. The Wesley Ward trainee capped his juvenile campaign with a win in this year's G1 Prix Morny.



Desert Party Horsephotos

"We take pride in raising a good sound horse and some of those horses have gone on to be really good racehorses," Regan said. cont. p11

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Regan is excited about Hunter Valley's November consignment.

Among the standouts is hip 106, a son of Arch out of Charming Tale (Kingmambo), who is a full-sister to Group 1 winner Rule of Law. Bred by Hunter Valley, Hatta Bloodstock and Beechwood Farming Investments, the weanling's half-brother by Elusive Quality was purchased by



No Nay Never Racing Post photo

Shadwell Estate at last year's Keeneland November sale for \$410,000.

"This fellow is pretty much a star and we love him," Regan revealed. "He is very well-balanced and very strong. He acts like he knows he is good. He has a lovely walk and he's a very balanced, correct colt."

Hunter Valley will also offer hip 24, a Tapit filly who is a half-sister to Desert Party. The weanling was bred by Steven Sinatra and David Smith.

"She is a May foal, but she is all quality," Regan said. "She's a lovely filly, a lovely mover."

On the broodmare front, Hunter Valley will offer **Spice Island** (Tabasco Cat) (hip 47), the dam of GI Florida Derby winner Ice Box (Pulpit). The 14-year-old mare, who sells in foal to Street Cry (Ire), was purchased by Hunter Valley for \$775,000 at the 2012 Keeneland January sale while in foal to Tapit. **Tashzara** (Ire) (Intikhab) (hip 60) is one of four mares in foal to the great Frankel (GB) in the Keeneland November catalogue.

Also in the Hunter Valley consignment is **Crozette** (Flashy Bull) (<u>hip 118</u>), a half-sister to No Nay Never who sells in foal to Scat Daddy.

"She is carrying a three-parts in blood to No Nay Never and she is a lovely mare," Regan said.

Galvin purchased Crozette for \$29,000 out of the OBS April sale.

"We had sold No Nay Never as a weanling and we got a lot of money for him," Galvin recalled. "I just happened to be down at the 2-year-old sale in Florida when she went through and decided to buy her with some partners. We raced her and she won a couple of races. Once we started hearing the good word on No Nay Never, we took a leap of faith and brought her to Scat Daddy. We're very excited about selling her."

The Hunter Valley team is optimistic about the market heading into the November sales.

"I think it feels like we're on a lot firmer footing than we were three or four years ago and I think everybody definitely feels more confident bringing horses to the sales, certainly over the last 18 months," Galvin said.





Hunter Valley Eyes Big November cont.

"It definitely seems like it has stabilized. We are more confident in the animals that we bring over to the sales and what we might be able to get for them."

Regan agreed.

"A lot of the foals-to-yearlings pinhookers had a very good year this year and breeders who sold yearlings had a good year," he said. "So I think the foal market will be strong this year. It's basically down to supply and demand again. I think it's going to be high demand and the crop is still down from where it was a couple of years ago."

Regan and Galvin are clearly enjoying the success of Hunter Valley.

Asked what his favorite part of the business is, Galvin said, "To see our homebreds succeed at the sales and at the racetrack."

STALLION NEWS

Verrazano to Retire (cont. from p1)

Enchanted Rock's half-sister Flying Passage (A.P. Indy) produced multiple graded stakes winners Hungry Island (More Than Ready) and Somali Lemonade (Lemon Drop Kid) and her filly by Medaglia d'Oro was a recent session-topping \$1.5 million Keeneland September yearling. Verrazano's seconddam Chic Shirine (Mr. Prospector), a GI Ashland winner, is a full-sister to champion older mare and MGISW Queena. Verrazano's stud fee has not yet been announced.

HARD SPUN TO DARLEY JAPAN

Hard Spun (Danzig--Turkish Tryst, by Turkoman) will be transferred to Darley Japan for the 2014 breeding season. "Just like Street Sense was in 2013, Hard Spun will be a fantastic addition to our stallion ranks in Japan," Darley's Head of Sales Charlie Boden said. "We are constantly looking for ways to enhance and accommodate Sheikh Mohammed's breeding operations around the globe, but are also looking for ways we can provide breeders access to our stallions on an international scale as well." A four-time graded stakes winner, Hard Spun captured the 2007 GI King's Bishop S. and was second in that year's GI Kentucky Derby and GI Breeders' Cup Classic. He retired to Darley in 2008 and from three crops to race is the sire of champion Questing (GB), as well as Grade I winner Zo Impressive and group/graded winners Red Duke, Moviesta and Easter Gift.



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Horse	Sire	Race	BRIS Speed
Joshua Tree (IRE)	Montjeu (IRE)	Pattison Canadian International SG1	110
Clearly Now	Horse Greeley	Bold Ruler HG3	106
Tannery (IRE)	Dylan Thomas (IRE)	E. P. Taylor SG1	99
Determinato	Closing Argument	Kaiser H.	98
Wedding Toast	Street Sense	Belle Cherie S.	98
Bio Pro	War Front	Lure S.	96
Coastline	Speightstown	Street Sense S.	96
Galloping Giraffe	Tapit	Punkin Pie S.	96
Stanwyck	Empire Maker	Turnback the Alarm HG3	96
That's the Idea	Diabolical	NM Classic Cup Juvenile Fillies S.	96
Native Bombshell	War Front	Ruling Angel S.	95
Katie the Lady	Lost Soldier	Illini Princess H.	94
Rose's Desert	Desert God	NMClassic Cup Filly & Mare Sprint Champ S	. 94
Baffle Me	First Samurai	Finney S.	93
Mr. Wizard	Premeditation	Rocky Gulch NM Classic Cup Champ S	. 93
Honey's Ryan	Student Council	E. L. Gaylord Memorial S.	92
Nikki's Sandcastle	Castledale (IRE)	Hagyard Fayette SG2	92
Rise Up	Rockport Harbor	Jean Lafitte S.	92
Attitude E Racer	Desert God	NM Classic Cup Sprint Champ S.	91
Clever Beauty	Indian Charlie	Rags to Riches S.	91
Joha	Johar	Basket Weave S.	91
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1--@NARNIYN (IRE), 119, f, 3, by Dubawi (Ire)
1st Dam: Narmina (Ire), by Alhaarth (Ire)
2nd Dam: Noufiyla (Ire), by Top Ville (Ire)
3rd Dam: Noureen (Ire), by Astec (Fr)

O-H H The Aga Khan; B-H H The Aga Khan's Studs SC; T-Alain de Royer-Dupre; J-Christophe-Patrice Lemaire; €40,000. Lifetime Record: 5 starts, 3 wins, 2 places, €83,000. Werk Nick Rating: A + +. Click for eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.

- 2--Gaga A (Uru), 122, f, 4, T.H. Approval--Yin (Brz), by Quinze Quilates (Brz). O-Benjamin Steinbruch; B-Phillipson; T-David Smaga; €16,000.
- 3--Vally Jem (Fr), 123, f, 4, <u>Dylan Thomas (Ire)</u>--Ballymena Lassie (GB), by Giant's Causeway. (€70,000 RNA yrl '10 ARQAUG). O-Ecurie Saint Martin; B-SCEA Bissons; T-Dominique Sepulchre; €12,000.

Margins: 1 3/4, 5, 7. Odds: 2.40, 26.00, 6.50. Also Ran: Kyurem (Ire), Galvaun (Ire), Miss You Too (GB), Orion Love (GB). Scratched: Sparkling Beam (Ire). Click for the Racing Post result.

Brought along steadily by Alain de Royer-Dupre this summer, Narniyn was off the mark at the third attempt over an extended nine-furlong trip at Chateaubriant Sept. 6 before following up in the Listed Prix Charles Laffitte over a mile and a quarter at Chantilly last time Oct. 2. Held up in third early leading the main peloton, the bay strode to the fore at the top of the stretch and gradually asserted from her sole threat Gaga A from the furlong pole.

BREEDERS' CUP French-bred Winners

Year	Winner	Sire	Race
1993	Kotashaan (Fr)	Darshaan (GB)	Turf
1999	Silic (Fr)	Sillery	Mile
2001	Val Royal (Fr)	Royal Academy	Mile
	Starine (Fr)	Mendocino	F/M Turf
2003	Six Perfections (Fr)	Celtic Swing (GB)	Mile
	Flotilla (Fr)	Mizzen Mast	JF Turf
2012	Zagora (Fr)	Green Tune	F/M Turf

BLACK-TYPE PREVIEWS

Friday, Santa Anita Park, post time: 4:02 p.m. EDT TWILIGHT DERBY-GII, \$150,000, 3yo, 1 1/8mT

PΡ	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	ML			
1	Irish Surf	Giant's Causwy	Valdivia	Hendricks	15-1			
2	Charming Kitten	Kitten's Joy	Velazquez	Pletcher	4-1			
3	Den's Legacy (K)	Medaglia d'Oro	Garcia	Baffert	10-1			
4	Dice Flavor (🖾	Scat Daddy	Solis	Gallagher	10-1			
5	Rookie Sensation	Unbridled's Song	Espinoza	Shirreffs	12-1			
6	Dry Summer (S)	Any Givn Saturdy	Rosario	Mullins	10-1			
7	Kid Dreams	Lemon Drop Kid	Moore	Drysdale	3-1			
8	Avare	Johannesburg	Arias	O'Neill	20-1			
9	Procurement	Milwaukee Brew	Stevens	Proctor	15-1			
10	Gervinho	Unusual Heat	Bejarano	Gaines	6-1			
11	Rising Legend (GB)	Rck of Gibrltr (Ire)	Nakatani	Sadler	12-1			
	Gabriel Charles (S)	Street Hero	Smith	Mullins	9-2			
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PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	ML
1	Purim's Dancer (S)	Purim	Velazquez	Proctor	7-2
2	Sister Kate	Benchmark	Pedroza	Hollndrfr	12-1
3	Winding Way	Malibu Moon	Bejarano	Gaines	8-1
4	Let Faith Arise	Kafwain	Saez	Hollndrfr	12-1
5	Sky High Gal 🗵	Leroidesanimaux (Brz)	Rosario	Sadler	12-1
6	Judy in Disguise (GB)	Elusive City	Espinoza	Callaghar	า 5-1
7	Ultrasonic	Mizzen Mast	Garcia	Baffert	9-2
8	Minds Eyes	Macho Uno	Leparoux	Sadler	15-1
9	Camryn Kate	Kafwain	Hughes	French	10-1
10	Unusual Hottie	Unusual Heat	Talamo	Mullins	8-1
11	A Time to Love	Kitten's Joy	Sutherland	Yakteen	15-1
12	Qiaona	Wilko	Nakatani	Moger Jr	6-1
13	Pontchatrain (©	War Front	Stevens	Proctor	6-1

Shortest Layoff

PROUD TRUTH won the 1985 Classic seven days after winning the GIII Discovery H.

Longest Layoff

PRECISIONIST won the 1985 Sprint in his first start since finishing second in the GI Hollywood Gold Cup June 23.







Fred A. Pope

I cannot imagine a more important topic for *TDN* readers than the intent and reality of the Interstate Horseracing Act of 1978 on U.S. racing and breeding.

As Tony Chamblin stated in his letter Sunday, he inserted an approval clause into the IHA to assure the racehorse owners' purse account at the host track received a fair share of off-track wagers.

The key word is the "host" track, the one putting on the show. That's the track and purse account that must receive enough revenue for live racing to continue.

Hollywood Park, host of the inaugural Breeders' Cup, will not continue. Now every major track in America's three largest markets has struggled or gone into bankruptcy: Belmont, Aqueduct, Arlington, Santa Anita and Hollywood.

No sport and underlying industry benefitted more from New York, Los Angeles and Chicago, than Thoroughbred racing and breeding. The peer competition among the leaders of Wall Street, industry and entertainment brought prestige and relevance to racing as a sport and fueled the major breeding centers of Kentucky, Florida and California.

The IHA was going to take Thoroughbred racing to a level higher than any other sport could even aspire. The monopoly on legal wagering would expand. The sport with the largest attendance would become an even more dominant enterprise, attracting the best and brightest. That's how sports grow and assure their future with coming generations.

What stopped the IHA from delivering on its promise to racing and breeding and caused the sport to go backward?

More than 10 years after the law passed, tracks struggled to implement off-track wagering. Technology was improving and facilities were being developed, but there was much unrest about who would get what from the wagers.

On February 3, 1989, I was invited to present the idea for national marketing to the Thoroughbred Racing Association (TRA) convention in Los Angeles. During and after that meeting, intense discussions were going on among track officials, but they were not talking about marketing.

That was the day racing got sick. That was the day the small track owners formed cartels against the major tracks and fixed the price paid to host tracks at 2%. That meant the host track would get half (1%) and the host purse account would get 1%. The receiving tracks, casinos and OTBs just taking the bets would keep the rest of the takeout, at that time about 16%.

No host track can produce live racing for 1% of the wager. No purse account could survive at 1%. It was an insane business model. But the approval clause in the IHA was absolute, so the horsemen at each host track could veto this bad deal.

But they didn't. One by one the horsemen spit the bit and approved the small tracks' price fix. 1% would be paid to the host track and 1% to the purse account. The intent of the approval clause was destroyed.

That same year Arlington Park reopened. Richard Duchossois delivered the best racetrack America had ever seen. It was big enough and grand enough to serve our third largest market, but such a beast had to be fed. Arlington did not have a chance against the 1% model. Each year as off-track wagering increased, Arlington fell further, until it was sold. cont. p15

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Letter to the Editor cont.

1) The intent of the IHA was to expand the distribution of wagering on the host tracks' races across state lines. Period.

That meant every U.S. track, which already had its fixed costs met, would see a windfall of profits as off-track bettors in 30 + new states wagered on their product. What track owner could want more? Since the purse accounts got half of the takeout, purses were going to go through the roof.

Instead, the small tracks chose a model to maximize profits from their own customers when they bet on other tracks' races. It was a bad decision that has done enormous damage. However, it can still be corrected.

2) The intent of the approval clause in the IHA was to prevent the host track owner from giving away the product for less than full value. Period.

Over the years, the approval power has been abused and leveraged by horsemen for things that were never intended or envisioned by the IHA. Too many races were added, drugs and medication were added and protected, etc.

In 1989, the percentage of handle going into purses was 8%. Each year, as off-track wagering has grown, the racehorse owners' share has fallen further and further. In my opinion, today the percentage of all-source (on-track and off-track) handle into purses is about 4%, while the takeout has climbed to 20%.

Most of the money going to purses now is from artificial sources. The amount paid to host tracks has increased as ADWs are leveraged, but the small amount receiving tracks and OTBs pay still cripples the host tracks.

All laws need revision from time to time. Technology changes, opportunities change. The IHA needs minor revision for the sport to get well.

Prior to off-track wagering, the racehorse owners' image rights to their horses had little value. Today with technology reaching homes and mobile individuals, those rights have great value. New ideas for racing, both domestically and internationally, will be born from racehorse owners' property rights.

The IHA must establish the legality of racehorse owners' property rights. It protects the tracks' property rights, but leaves the racehorse owners with the vague issue of sharing those rights with trainers.

I don't believe the owners and breeders, whose influence was used to pass the IHA, intended for the law to cause Hollywood Park and our other major racetracks to fail, but unintended consequences occurred and were not corrected.

For the sake of the sport, for the sake of the breeding industry, for their own sake... racehorse owners must gain control of the IHA. There are a lot more racehorse owners and breeders than track owners and trainers, but you will not be seen until you stand up.

Breeders' Cup Foreign-bred winners by country

IRELAND Barathea--1994 Mile Black Tie Affair--1991 Classic Conduit -- 2008/2009 Turf Daylami--1999 Turf Domedriver--2002 Mile Goldikova--2008/2009/2010 Mile High Chaparral--2002/2003 Turf Islington--2003 F/M Turf Kalanisi--2000 Turf Last Tycoon--1986 Mile Muhannak--2008 Marathon Northern Spur--1995 Turf Pilsudski--1996 Turf Red Rocks--2006 Turf Royal Heroine--1984 Mile Theatrical--1987 Turf St Nicholas Abbey--2011 Turf Vale of York--2009 Juvenile Wrote (Ire)--2011 Juvenile Turf

BRITAIN

Banks Hill--2001 F/M Turf

Donativum-2008 Juv. Turf
Intercontinental--2005 F/M Turf
In the Wings--1990 Turf
Lahudood--2007 F/M Turf
Lashkari--1984 Turf
Midday--2009 F/M Turf
Ouija Board--2004/2006 F/M Turf
Pebbles--1985 Turf
Ridgewood Pearl--1995 Mile
Sheikh Albadou--1991 Sprint
Steinlen--1989 Mile

FRANCE
Flotilla--2012 Juv.Fillies Turf
Kotashaan--1993 Turf
Six Perfections--2003 Mile
Silic--1999 Mile
Starine--2002 F/M Turf
Val Royal--2001 Mile
Zagora--2012 F/M Turf

ARGENTINA 5
Bayakoa--1989/90 Distaff
Calidoscopio--2012 Marathon
Invasor -- 2006 Classic
Paseana--1992 Distaff

CANADA
Awesome Again--1998 Classic
Chief Bearhart--1997 Turf
Dance Smartly--1991 Distaff
Maryfield--2007 F/M Sprint

GERMANY 1 Shirocco--2005 Turf





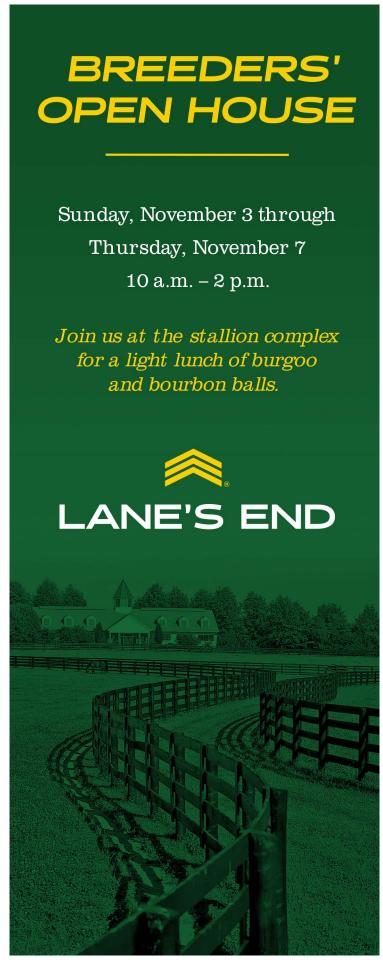
BUMPER CROP

When he cruised to a four-length win in the 2010 GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile at Churchill Downs, equaling Street Sense's race-record 108 Beyer figure, it looked like the sky was the limit for Uncle Mo, the best horse sired by the very good sire Indian Charlie. It didn't really pan out for him at three, though. Sidelined after a lackluster third behind Toby's Corner in the 2011 GI Wood Memorial, he did come back later in the year to drop a nose decision to Caleb's Posse in a typically hot-looking GI King's Bishop S. at seven furlongs at Saratoga, and ran off on a muddy track to register a Beyer 118 in the GII Kelso H. (when did Kelso ever run over a mile?) back at Belmont before fading to 10th in Drosselmeyer's GI Breeders' Cup Classic. The second of four consecutive 2-year-old champions to retire to Ashford (Lookin At Lucky before, the now-departed Hansen and new 2014 retiree Shanghai Bobby after), Uncle Mo went to stud with a well-deserved and huge reputation having been such a commanding 2-year-old, easily the best of his generation.

Indian Charlie was a big horse, and Uncle Mo is, too, but impresses just about everyone who sees him with how well-balanced a horse he is for his size. He's the number one new sire by number of weanlings catalogued from his first crop in the first five days of the November sales (Fasig-Tipton plus Keeneland Books 1 & 2, per attached table p17), with 26 catalogued in the first five days; 12 of those are at Fasig or in Book 1, another 14 are in Book 2.

Castleton Lyons's Gio Ponti (Tale of the Cat) is second in number of Fasig plus Book 1 weanlings, with seven, and has another six catalogued in Book 2. He's a horse who should be of immense interest, especially to European buyers. A black-type winner at two and winner of three graded stakes on the grass at three, including the GII Virginia Derby, at four in 2009 Gio Ponti was a monster. He won four Grade I turf races from eight to 11 furlongs, ran a bang-up second to Zenyatta in the GI Breeders' Cup Classic on the synthetic at Santa Anita, and was named champion turf horse and champion older male. At five, he won two more Grade Is and ran second to Goldikova in the GI Breeders' Cup Mile at Churchill Downs, and still came back to win another Grade I, the Shadwell Mile for the second consecutive time, at six. He won seven Grade Is on the turf, ran seconds in the Breeders' Cup to Zenyatta and Goldikova, and retired after 29 races over five seasons with earnings over \$6.1 million. Very interesting prospect.

Second to Uncle Mo in total number of first-five-days weanlings, with 15, is WinStar's **Drosselmeyer** (Distorted Humor), who won the GI Belmont S. in 2010 and got his next graded stakes win in the 2011 GI Breeders' Cup Classic 17 months later. cont. p17





Oppenheim cont.

His and Royal Delta's wins at Churchill Downs that day won trainer Bill Mott the Eclipse Award that year, especially after the legendary Wayne Lukas was quoted as saying Mott deserved it for being able to produce the right horses at the right time on the big day. Horses who prove capable of winning more than one of the top Classic races have a habit of turning out to have a lot of class when they become stallions.

Ashford's Cape Blanco represents a fascinating effort by Coolmore to establish Galileo as a sire of sires in the U.S. Out of a sprinting family, he was three-for-three at two, including the G2 Futurity S. at the Curragh over seven furlongs. At three he won the G2 Dante S., the G1 Irish Derby, and the 10-furlong G1 Irish Champion S. (very impressive that day, leading all the way and drawing off to a 5 1/2-length win over stablemate Rip Van Winkle). After failing to hit the board in his first three starts at four (fourth, beaten a length, by Victoire Pisa in the 2011 G1 Dubai World Cup in the first of them), Cape Blanco became a frequent flier to America for the Ballydoyle team, winning all three of his starts in the U.S., beating Gio Ponti twice, in the GI Man o'War and the GI Arlington Million. He was injured in the race, but still managed to win the GI Turf Classic in what proved to be his final start, and deservedly, in this writer's opinion, won the Eclipse Award as champion turf horse in North America in 2011. There are 11 foals from his first crop catalogued in the first five days.

Ashford has Uncle Mo and Cape Blanco. WinStar has Drosselmeyer and Sidney's Candy, from Candy Ride's second crop, and who, along with Lane's End's Twirling Candy, from the same crop (and who also has his first weanlings selling), went a long way towards putting his sire on the map. Sidney's Candy rocketed to prominence in the spring of 2010, leading all the way to win three straight at Santa Anita when it was still synthetic: the GII San Vicente (7f), the GII San Felipe S. (8 1/2f), and the GI Santa Anita Derby (9f). He drew the outside of 20 runners for a sloppy GI Kentucky Derby, went off at 9-1, and finished near the back. But he came back later that year to win the GII La Jolla H. and the off-the-grass GIII Sir Beaufort, on the dirt, on opening day (Dec. 26) of Santa Anita's meet--both wire-to-wire. Five graded wins in California at three--all wire-to-wire--speed was not the issue. The bush telegraph says people like their foals by him, and there are 10 catalogued for the first five days.

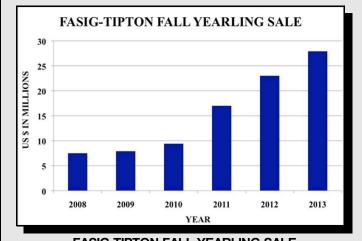
Claiborne's **Trappe Shot**, a son of Tapit trained by Kiaran McLaughlin for Mill House, motored away to score by 8 1/2 lengths in a muddy renewal of the GII True North H. as a 4-year-old in 2011, recording a Beyer 111 that day. Figures run in the slop or mud aren't necessarily validated by subsequent races, but Trappe Shot came right back to run a 112 when beaten a nose in the GI Alfred G. Vanderbilt at Saratoga. Stroll, Horse Greeley and a certain War Front remind us Claiborne sires should never be underestimated. There are nine foals from Trappe Shot's first crop in the first five days, eight of them in Book 2.

TDN WEEKLY SALES TICKER

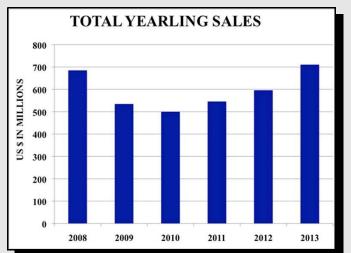


by Bill Oppenheim

"With almost 4,000 fewer yearlings catalogued (25%) than in 2008, but just 11% fewer sold, one feature of the last six years has been big improvement in clearance rates, from 71% to 82% of those through the ring, and from 61% to 73% of those catalogued. With the major NA/EU yearling sales now completed, the gross is up \$115-million from 2012 (over half of that at Keeneland September), and is up 42% (\$210-million), and the average up 49%, from the 2010 bottom. As you can also see, Fasig October has been a big growth area since 2008."



	FASIG-TIPTON FALL TEARLING SALE									
YEAR	CAT	RING	SOLD	<u>%W/D</u>	%S/R	%S/C	GROSS	AVG		
2013	1,134	976	818	13.9%	83.8%	72.1%	\$27,908,000	\$34,117		
2012	1,254	1,094	880	12.8%	80.4%	80.4%	\$22,991,600	\$26,127		
2011	1,007	885	710	12.1%	80.2%	80.2%	\$17,046,800	\$24,010		
2010	1,168	978	690	16.3%	70.6%	70.6%	\$9,395,300	\$13,616		
2009	972	756	566	22.2%	74.9%	74.9%	\$7,895,400	\$13,949		
2008	1,090	859	553	21.2%	64.4%	64.4%	\$7,471,900	\$13,512		



TOTAL YEARLINGS SALES AS OF OCTOBER 27, 2013

YEAR	CAT	RING	SOLD	%W/D	%S/R	%S/C	GROSS	AVG
2013	11,699	10,431	8,563	10.8%	82.1%	73.2%	\$710,662,075	\$82,992
2012	11,480	10,190	8,130	11.2%	79.8%	70.8%	\$596,163,049	\$73,329
2011	12,353	10,862	8,551	12.1%	78.7%	69.2%	\$545,937,506	\$63,845
2010	13,969	12,224	8,973	12.5%	73.4%	64.2%	\$500,038,486	\$55,727
	,	,	,				\$534,688,983	\$58,430
2008	15,692	13,546	9,625	13.7%	71.1%	61.3%	\$685,192,281	\$71,189

Data compiled by Brianne Stanley



Spendthrift's **Paddy O'Prado**, by El Prado, the sire of none other than Kitten's Joy, Medaglia d'Oro, and Artie Schiller, has seven foals from his first crop catalogued in Book 2. Raced by the strikingly successful Donegal Racing team headed by Jerry Crawford and trained, as usual, by 2012 Eclipse Award-winning trainer Dale Romans, Paddy O'Prado showed good form on all three surfaces as a 3-year-old early in 2010. He broke his maiden in the GIII Palm Beach S. on the grass; ran second in the GI Blue Grass S. on synthetic; and ran third to Super Saver in the GI Kentucky Derby on the dirt. He came back later at three to win the GII Colonial Turf Cup and Virginia Derby on the grass at Colonial Downs, followed by a win in the GI Secretariat S. at Arlington. In his only start at four, he won the GII Dixie H. at Pimlico. Good family, too. Spendthrift also stands Tizway (Tiznow), winner of the GI Met Mile and GI Whitney S. in 2011 (I voted for him as champion older horse that year), who has five foals in the first five days, as does Airdrie's Haynesfield (Speightstown), who dealt Blame his only loss of 2010 when beating him by four lengths in the GI Jockey Club Gold Cup.

Among sires who retired in 2013, WinStar's Bodemeister (Empire Maker) has the highest representation in the first five days, with 22 mares catalogued in foal. Lane's End's Union Rags (Dixie Union) has 10; Ashford's Stay Thirsty (Bernardini) nine. Gainesway's To Honor And Serve (Bernardini) and Tapizar (Tapit) have eight mares each catalogued in foal in the first five days, along with Darby Dan's Shackleford (Forestry).

Lane's End's **The Factor** (War Front) and a certain superstar British stallion called **Frankel** (Galileo) have six each. Look for some fireworks from those, considering he stood for near enough \$200,000 this year. WinStar's **Gemologist** (Tiznow) has four.

TOPICAL TIP:

Verrazano in the GI Breeders' Cup Dirt Mile on Friday. I think trainer Pletcher tossed up whether to run Uncle Mo in the Dirt Mile or Classic after his impressive win in the GII Kelso in 2011, and decided to run in the Classic. Verrazano is good enough to run in the Classic, but the only two races he's lost in eight lifetime starts were at 1 1/4 miles. I have to think that makes him a standout in the Dirt Mile.

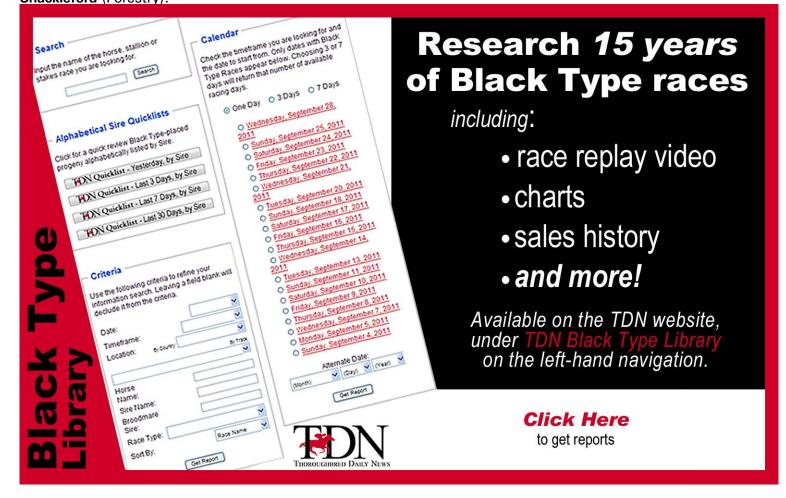
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First Season Sires of Weanlings - 2013 KY November Sales							
Stallion	Farm	13 Fee	12 Fee	Fasig	Bk1	Bk2	Total
Archarcharch	Spendthrift Farm	10,000	10,000			1	1
Big Drama	Hallmarc Stallions	10,000	10,000			1	1
Cape Blanco (IRE)	Ashford	17,500	17,500	1	2	8	11
Drosselmeyer	WinStar Farm	17,500	17,500	1	1	13	15
First Dude	Double Diamond	7,500	7,500	2			2
Gio Ponti	Castleton Lyons	20,000	20,000	3	4	6	13
Girolamo	Sequel Stallions	15,000	15,000			4	4
Haynesfield	Airdrie Stud	10,000	10,000	1		4	5
Ice Box	Three Chimneys	7,500				1	1
Paddy O'Prado	Spendthrift Farm	15,000	15,000			7	7
Regal Ransom	Jonabell	7,500	7,500	1		1	2
Sidney's Candy	WinStar Farm	15,000	15,000	1	2	7	10
Twirling Candy	Lane's End	12,500	15,000	1		2	3
Tizway	Spendthrift Farm	25,000	25,000		1	4	5
Trappe Shot	Claiborne Farm	10,000	10,000		1	8	9
Uncle Mo	Ashford	35,000	35,000	3	9	14	26
Wilburn	Spendthrift Farm	6,500	6,500			1	1

First Season Co						
Stallion	Farm	13 Fee	Fasig	Book1	Book2	Total
Americain	Calumet Farm	20,000			1	1
Bodemeister	WinStar Farm	30,000	6	4	12	22
Brilliant Speed	Three Chimneys	10,000			1	1
Caleb's Posse	Three Chimneys	10,000			1	1
Frankel (GB)	Juddmonte UK	125,000	2	4		6
Gemologist	WinStar Farm	15,000		1	3	4
Hansen	Exported	12,500			1	1
Jersey Town	Darby Dan	10,000			1	1
Maclean's Music	Hill 'n' Dale	6,500			1	1
Shackleford	Darby Dan	20,000		1	7	8
Soaring Empire	Vinery New York	3,500			1	1
Stay Thirsty	Ashford	20,000		4	5	9
Tapizar	Gainesway	15,000		2	6	8
The Factor	Lane's End	15,000	1	1	4	6
To Honor and Serve	Gainesway	30,000	1		7	8
Union Rags	Lane's End	35,000	1	1	8	10

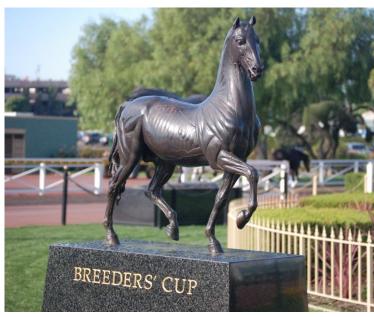
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Classic contender Flat Out caught the eye with an impressive gallop at Santa Anita Tuesday



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BREEDERS' CUP FRIDAY



November 1, 2013 at Santa Anita

STEPPING UP TO THE PLATE

By Steve Sherack

Just as 47-1 longshot Oscar Party (Dixie Union) was crossing the line last of 14 in the 2012 GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies Turf at Santa Anita, owner James Covello was already plotting his course of return.

"That was my first Breeders' Cup runner and I went in with expectations in check, being one of the longest shots on the board," Covello, an equity research analyst for Goldman Sachs, commented from his office in downtown Manhattan.

"Right after the race, I said to [bloodstock agent] Nick [Sallusto], 'It was such a huge thrill to be here, but next time, let's come back with something that has a chance.' It's great to be in that position a year later."

Listed at a generous 8-1 on the morning-line, Testa Rossi (Fr) (Dr Fong) has certainly placed the Philadelphia native in "that position" for Friday's Juvenile Fillies Turf.

Purchased privately in a deal brokered by Sallusto and Hubert Guy following a three-race winning streak in France--capped by a July 7 conditions score going seven furlongs at Maisons-Laffitte--the chestnut punched her ticket to the big dance with an impressive last-to-first tally in the "Win and You're In" GIII Miss Grillo S. going 1 1/16 miles at Belmont Park Oct. 6 (video). Previously campaigned overseas by owner Gerard Lancry and trainer Marc Pimbonnet, Testa Rossi was making her first start in the U.S. for Chad Brown in the Miss Grillo.

"We were hopeful, but it's never realistic to expect that," Covello admitted. "She gave us all the impression that she was a filly that was going to be a lot better going two turns. We loved her turn of foot, and any time they win three races in a row--even if the competition isn't as strong--it is quite appealing, as well. Chad had her for about six weeks and breezed her once with [P. G. Johnson S. heroine] Granny Mc's Kitten (Kitten's Joy). I felt pretty good going into the race because she breezed really well with her."

Trailing the field of 11 by double digits through fractions of :23.75 and :47.35, Testa Rossi immediately caught the eye as she began to wind up with a sweeping move from the five path on the far turn. With Jose Lezcano in the irons, her momentum carried her clear in midstretch, and she dug down deep

> when challenged in the lane to nose out Sky Painter (Street Cry {Ire}) in a thriller.

Testa Rossi stopped the clock in 1:41.73, good for an 88 Beyer Speed Figure. Bobby's Kitten (Kitten's Joy), a GIII Pilgrim S. run a race earlier--but contested over Belmont's inner turf course-covered the same distance in 1:42.37. He is the 5-2 morning-line favorite for the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Turf.

"You always get nervous when they make a big sustained run that they're going to run out of gas, but for her to hang on like she did, I thought was impressive," Covello said. "I don't think she got tired--she just idled a little

jaw-dropping runaway winner in the male equivalent

bit once she made the lead. She just barely got there in all three of her wins in Europe, and I think that she just found herself in a position that she had never been in before and just started goofing around a little bit."

The 40-year-old is well aware of the symmetry between Testa Rossi and inaugural Juvenile Fillies Turf victress Maram (Sahm). Also trained by Brown and ridden by Lezcano, Maram scored in the 2008 Miss Grillo and doubled up with a come-from-behind victory in the big one at Santa Anita.

"When Jose got off [Testa Rossi following the Miss Grillo], he said something along the lines of, 'I kind of messed up the ride and now I know what I have," Covello revealed. "I think he feels like he has a better ability to time that move. Obviously, based on his past history with Maram and Chad, I think he knows exactly what he needs to do in the Breeders' Cup."

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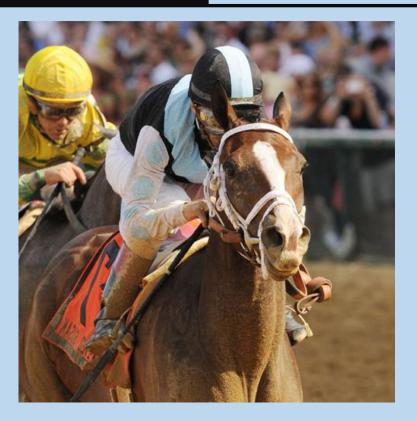


James Covello leads Testa Rossi into the Belmont Park winner's circle following the Miss Grillo

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- Amira's Prince: Multiple Grade 2 winner
- Patrioticandproud: Listed winner, multiple Graded/Listed placed
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Risk Management...

Covello got his first taste of Thoroughbred ownership through Terry Finley's West Point Thoroughbreds. The graduate of Georgetown (BA) and Dartmouth (MBA) was quickly hooked after finding immediate success at the top level with 2007 GI Spinaway S. heroine Irish Smoke (Smoke Glacken).

"I found those partnerships to be so incredibly valuable, especially for new people coming into the game who might not have a huge amount of money because there are so many things that can go wrong," said Covello, who also knows a thing or two about picking a winner, qualifying for the National Handicapping Championship in Las Vegas the past three years. "It's so important to learn that before you go all the way in."

That "partnership mentality" has certainly remained with Covello since branching out on his own. Like Testa Rossi--who he campaigns along with Thomas Coleman and DMZ Racing Stable--the majority of his 10-12 horse stable are owned with others. Some of Covello's biggest wins as a co-owner include Lilacs and Lace (Flower Alley)'s 48-1 shocker in the 2011 GI Ashland S. at Keeneland; Falling Sky (Lion Heart)'s win in this year's GIII Sam F. Davis S. at Tampa; and a pair of Grade III tallies by the hard-knocking older turfer Swift Warrior (First Samurai). He owns a 50% controlling interest in Testa Rossi.

"I love it, I really do," Covello responded when asked if he prefers partnering up. "I've met so many interesting people and have gotten to be friends with so many people that I never would have had the chance to know or know as well. In the case of Testa Rossi, it's people that I've known and now I'm getting to know them even better. We were together at Belmont for her last race and we have plans for the Breeders' Cup as well, including a big dinner Thursday night. It will be really fun watching the race together, too."

Covello continued, "I love it from a friendship/sharing the experience standpoint, but also from a practical standpoint of sharing risk. So many things can go wrong, and from a portfolio diversification standpoint, the more chances you give yourself, the better chance you have of getting to the big races."

Although failing to make an impact once they sprung the latch, the aforementioned Falling Sky and Lilacs and Lace have both provided Covello with a pair of experiences that will last a lifetime by competing in the 2013 GI Kentucky Derby and 2011 GI Kentucky Oaks, respectively.

"I can promise you that RGIII [Redskins quarterback Robert Griffin III] will never again in my life care about what I'm doing the next day, but he was asking us about our horses and everything else [at the Kentucky Derby *Maxim* party]," Covello, a former college baseball and football player, beamed. "It was really awesome. The entire [Derby] week was amazing. Even though we didn't run well, I'll never forget the experience."

It wasn't until returning from his honeymoon in 1998 that Covello was introduced to racing by his wife Teri. A visit to upstate New York to attend historic Saratoga Racecourse with his in-laws was all it took.

"Any time my wife questions why we're buying another horse, I never hesitate to remind her that it was her fault," Covello, father of three--ages 10, nine and six--said with a laugh. "I was never into horses as a kid, but I was always a huge sports person and loved competition. Watching your first horse race at Saratoga is like watching your first baseball game at Yankee Stadium or Fenway Park. It's almost like a religious experience."

With a clean trip and a little bit of racing luck this weekend, Covello may feel like he just hit his first walk-off homerun in the big leagues.



James Covello at the 2011 National Handicapping Championship in Las Vegas Horsephotos

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TOP BREEDERS' CUP ATTENDANCE					
Year	Track	Attendance			
2012	Santa Anita Park	89,742			
1998	Churchill Downs	80,452			
2000	Churchill Downs	76,043			
2006	Churchill Downs	75,132			
2010	Churchill Downs	72,739			
1994	Churchill Downs	71,671			
1988	Churchill Downs	71,237			
1986	Santa Anita Park	69,155			
1991	Churchill Downs	66,204			
2011	Churchill Downs	65,143			
1984	Hollywood Park	64,254			



Breeders' Cup Distaff

A Royal Rumble for top female in the land will play out Friday as reigning queen Royal Delta (Empire Maker) seeks revenge against top 3-year-old filly Princess of Sylmar (Majestic Warrior) in a compact, but intriguing field. The champ's reign was put in doubt when Ed Stanco homebred Princess of Sylmar handed her a sound defeat in the GI Beldame Invitational H. at Belmont Park in their final prep Sept. 28. Before that loss, Besilu Stables colorbearer Royal Delta had romped in the GIII Sabin S.

at Gulfstream Park to begin her 5-year-old campaign Feb. 17. She faired poorly when 10th in the G1 Dubai World Cup Mar. 30 and was a rusty second in the GII Fleur de Lis H. under the Twin Spires June 15. But the sleek dark bay returned to form when she romped by 10 3/4 lengths in the GI Delaware H. July 20 and followed up that win with an authoritative 4 1/2-length victory over **Authenticity** (Quiet American) in the Spa's GI Personal Ensign H. Aug. 25.

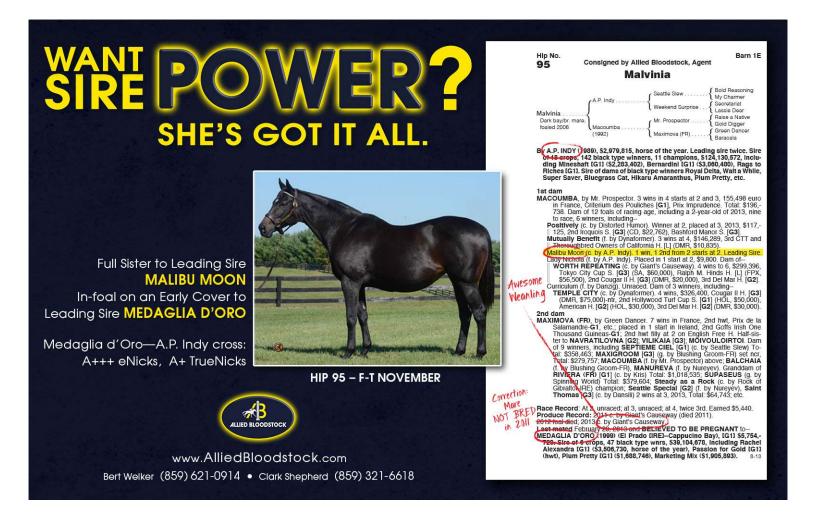


Princess of Sylmar blows by Royal Delta in the Beldame NYRA/Coglianese

Todd Pletcher-trained Princess of Sylmar, who won Aqueduct's Busanda S. by 7 1/2 lengths Jan. 5 and Busher S. by a similar margin Feb. 2, was second behind 🤡 "TDN Rising Star" ② and eventual MGISW Close Hatches (First Defence) in the GII Gazelle S. there Apr. 6. She burst into the national spotlight when upsetting the GI Kentucky Oaks at odds of 38-1 May 3 and hasn't looked back since, with impressive tallies in the GI Coaching Club American Oaks at Saratoga July 20 and the GI Alabama S. there Aug. 17. Cont. p4

Let's Go to the Videotape...

Race	Winner	Date
GI Kentucky Oaks	Princess of Sylmar	May 3
GI Alabama S.	Princess of Sylmar	Aug. 17
GI Personal Ensign H.	Royal Delta	Aug. 25
GI Cotillion S.	Close Hatches	Sept. 21
GI Beldame Invitational H.	Princess of Sylmar	Sept. 28
Gl Zenyatta H.	Beholder	Sept. 28





	Friday, Santa Anita, post time: 7:35 p.m. EDT BREEDERS' CUP DISTAFF-GI, \$2,000,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8m						
Ρ	PP HORSE OWNER BREEDER TRAINER/JOCKEY ML						
1	Street Girl	Rontos Racing Stable Corp.	James C Spence-KY	Azpurua	30-1		
	(f, 3, Street HeroKristy Beetho	oven, by Kris. S.)		Castillo			
2	2 Authenticity ®	Padua Stables LLC	Dixiana Stables Inc-KY	Pletcher	8-1		
	(m, 6, Quiet AmericanCourt o	f Appeal, by Deputy Minister)		Velazquez			
3	Close Hatches	Juddmonte Farms	Millsec LTD-KY	Mott	6-1		
	(f, 3, First DefenceRising Tori	nado, by Storm Cat)		Rosario			
4	Royal Delta ®	Besilu Stables	Palides Investments NV Inc-KY	Mott	8-5		
	(m, 5, Empire MakerDelta Pri	ncess, by A.P. Indy)		Smith			
5	Beholder ®	Spendthrift Farm LLC	Clarkland Farm-KY	Mandella	5-2		
	(f, 3, Henny HughesLeslie's L	ady, by Tricky Creek)		Stevens			
6	Princess of Sylmar		Ed Stanco-PA	Pletcher	9-5		
	(f, 3, Majestic Warrior Storm D	ixie, by Catienus)		Castellano			



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Distaff cont.

Local hopeful **Beholder** (Henny Hughes) may be flying under the radar slightly with the two East Coast heavyweights garnering most of the attention, but the



Beholder

Benoit Photo

Spendthrift Farm representative poses a serious threat. The Richard Mandella trainee went gate-to-wire in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies last term en route to Eclipse honors and has finished out of the exacta just once in her career when fourth on debut last June. She began her sophomore campaign with a second, after failing to grab her usual position on the lead, in the GII Santa Ynez S. sprinting here Jan. 21. Beholder then strung together back-to-back Grade I wins in the Las

Virgenes S. Mar. 2 and Santa Anita Oaks Apr. 6, and was a valiant runner-up to Princess of Sylmar in the nine-panel Kentucky Oaks after attending a hot pace. Spelled for most of the summer, Beholder returned with victories in Del Mar's one-mile Torrey Pines S. Sept. 1 and in the 1 1/16-mile GI Zenyatta S. here Sept. 28.

The ever-consistent Authenticity has not finished out of the exacta since stepping up to graded company in March. She annexed Churchill's GII La Troienne S. by a hard-fought head on Kentucky Oaks day; took the Spa's GIII Shuvee H. in July; and completed the chalky exacta behind Royal Delta in the Personal Ensign. Though she never seriously threatened Beholder last time in the Zenyatta, she earned a career-best 104 Beyer Speed Figure for her effort and could be picking up the pieces alongside her younger stablemate if Royal Delta and Beholder knock heads up front.

LARGEST WINNING MARGINS IN THE BREEDERS' CUP

Horse	Race	Margin
INSIDE INFORMATION	'95 Distaff	13 1/2 lengths
STREET SENSE	'06 Juvenile	10 lengths
PLEASANT HOME	'05 Distaff	9 1/4 lengths
COUNTESS DIANA	'97 Juv. Fillies	8 1/2 lengths
PRINCESS ROONEY	'84 Distaff	7 lengths
ENGLISH CHANNEL	'07 Sprint	7 lengths
BAYAKOA (ARG)	'90 Distaff	6 3/4 lengths
VOLPONI	'02 Classic	6 1/2 lengths
CORINTHIAN	'07 Dirt Mile	6 1/2 lengths
LIFE'S MAGIC	'85 Distaff	6 1/4 lengths
SKIP AWAY	'97 Classic	6 lengths

BREEDERS' CUP JUVENILE FILLIES TURF

Virtually every runner in this heat appears a legitimate win candidate, but trainer Chad Brown may have more equity in the potential outcome considering his past success in this spot and that he has four runners this time around. The conditioner sent out Maram (Sahm) to take the inaugural running in 2008, and finished second last year with Watsdachances (Ire) (Diamond Green {Fr}). Leading Brown's quartet is Testa Rossi (Fr) (Dr Fong), who earned her fourth-straight win by a nose over Sky Painter (Street Cry {Ire}) in Belmont's GIII Miss Grillo S. Oct. 6. The runner-up's stablemate Dancing House (Tapit) was third and P. G. Johnson S. winner Granny Mc's Kitten (Kitten's Joy)--another Brown trainee--was fourth. That was the chestnut's first Stateside start after beginning her career in France for trainer Marc Pimbonnet. Brown also took the Keeneland prep for this--the GIII Jessamine S. Oct. 9--with Ken and Sarah Ramsey's Kitten Kaboodle (Kitten's Joy). The homebred was breaking her maiden in that start after a pair of seconds for Wayne Catalano. The toughest read of Brown's representatives is Klaravich Stables and William H Lawrence's Ready to Act (More Than Ready), who looked well on her way to an easy victory in Woodbine's GII Natalma S. Sept. 14 before veering in sharply and dropping rider Rajiv Maragh.

Just two races after Ready to Act's unfortunate incident in the Natalma came the unveiling of My Conquestadory (Artie Schiller), who beat the boys to

earn **3 "TDN Rising**Star" **3** status in the GII

Summer S. Sept. 14. She came from much farther back to justify 6-5 favoritism in Keeneland's GI Darley Alcibiades S. Oct. 4, and follows the same Woodbine-to-Alcibiades-to-Breeders' Cup path as 2011 winner Stephanie's Kitten (Kitten's Joy). She was certainly done no favors



My Conquestadory

Keeneland/Coady

by the draw, however, being marooned in the 14 hole. Group 3-placed over six furlongs for Tommy Stack in her native Ireland, locally trained hope Clenor (Ire) (Oratorio {Ire}) has done nothing wrong in three Southern California outings for Doug O'Neill. She went last to first to earn her diploma at Del Mar Aug. 7, and blew away hard-working front-runner Nesso (Roman Ruler) by 3 1/4 lengths in the Oak Tree Juvenile Fillies Turf back there Sept. 2. She again bested Nesso--but only by 3/4 of a length this time--in the course-and-distance Surfer Girl S. Oct. 6. Late-running maiden Colonel Joan (Colonel John) was third. Cont. p6



	Friday, Santa Anita Park, post time: 6:50 p.m. EDT					
		BREEDERS' CUP JUVENILE FILLIES	TURF-GI, \$1,000,000, 2yo, f, 1mT			
PP	HORSE	OWNER	BREEDER	TRAINER/JOCKEY	ML	
1	Nesso	Amaty Racing Stables	Donald R Dizney-FL	Belvoir	20-1	
	(Roman RulerDevotedn			M Garcia		
2			Qatar Bloodstock Ltd-GB	Botti	6-1	
	(Dubawi {Ire})Dahama {	GB}, by Green Desert)		R Moore		
3	Colonel Joan	Kathy Harty & Mark DeDomenico LLC	Phil Owens-KY	Harty	20-1	
	(Colonel JohnLive 'n La	ugh, by Dixieland Band)_		_ Talamo		
4		Kenneth L & Sarah K Ramsey	Kenneth L & Sarah K Ramsey-KY	Brown	12-1	
_	(Kitten's JoyEasy Slam,	by Grand Slam)	W (1.1.0.0.1.W.D. 16W	Velazquez	00.4	
5	Granny Mc's Kitten	Kenneth L & Sarah K Ramsey	Kenneth L & Sarah K Ramsey-KY	Brown	20-1	
c	(Kitten's JoyGranny Fra	Sheikh Mohammed Bin Khalifa Al Thani	EDV CDL ED	Castellano	4-1	
6	Vorda (Fr)		EDY SRL-FR	Sogorb Peslier	4-1	
7	(OrpenVelda {GB}, by C	Team Valor International	Destiny Oaks of Ocala-PA	Mettee	15-1	
•	(Street BossSailing Free	o by Mizzon Maet)	Destilly Caks of Ocala-PA	A Garcia	13-1	
8	Chriselliam (Ire)	Willie Carson, Chris Wright & E Asprey	Ballylinch Stud-IRE	C Hills	6-1	
•	(Iffraaj {GB}Danielli {Ire)	hv Danehill)	Bunymion otda int	Hughes	٠.	
9	Dancing House	Godolphin Racing LLC	Darley-KY	McLaughlin	20-1	
	(TapitTout Charmant, b	v Slewvescent)	- Land, 11.	Smith		
10	Clenor (Ire)	Great Friends Stb, R Cseplo, S Keh	Mrs Lucy Stack-IRE	O'Neill	8-1	
		la {Ire}, by Royal Academy)	•	Bejarano		
11		Klaravich Stables & William H Lawrence	Fred W Hertrich III-KY	Brown	8-1	
		ys Auditioning, by Mizzen Mast)		Rosario		
12	Testa Rossi (Fr)	James Covello, T Coleman & DMZ Racing	Barbara Moser-FR	Brown	8-1	
	(Dr FongPeggy Lane {F	r}, by Dancing Spree}		Lezcano		
13		Landaluce Éduce Stables	Hurstland Farm, J Greene & Pin Oak-KY	McLaughlin	15-1	
	(Street Cry {Ire}Skylight			Saez		
14	My Conquestadory (S)		Paul Tackett-KY	Casse	9-2	
	(Artie SchillerGolden Ar	temis, by Malibu Moon)		Da Silva		





Juvenile Fillies Turf cont.

Flotilla (Fr) (Mizzen Mast) scored a first victory in this race for Europe last year, and a strong group of overseas runners invade for this renewal. Flotilla's owner Sheikh Mohammed Al Thani has a major chance at back-to-back runnings with the Philippe Sogorbtrained Vorda (Fr) (Orpen). The bay sports a 5-4-1-0 record, with her lone loss coming at the hoofs of highly regarded Wesley Ward trainee No Nay Never (Scat Daddy) in Deauville's G1 Darley Prix Morny Aug. 18. She most recently returned to the female-only ranks to annex Newmarket's G1 Cheveley Park S. Sept. 28, but now must navigate longer than six furlongs for the first time.

Sheikh Joaan Al Thani could pick up some more company for his G1 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe trophy if unexposed Marco Botti trainee Al Thakhira (GB) (Dubawi {Ire}) continues her forward progression. The bay showed off a nice turn of foot to don cap and gown going six furlongs at Yarmouth Sept. 17, and exploded to a visually impressive 3 1/4-length victory in Newmarket's seven-panel G2 Rockfel S. Oct. 12. Botti has won with half of his last six trainees to cross the Atlantic.

Chriselliam (Ire) (Iffraaj {GB}) finally ran to trainer Charlie Hills's expectations when she belied 28-1 odds to take Newmarket's G1 Shadwell Fillies' Mile last out Sept. 27.



Al Thakhira airs in the Rockfel

Racing Post

Let's Go to the Videotape			
Race	Race Winner		
G1 Shadwell Fillies' Mile	Chrisseliam (Ire)	Sept. 27	
G1 Cheveley Park S.	Vorda (Fr)	Sept. 28	
GI Darley Alcibiades S.	My Conquestadory	Oct. 4	
Surfer Girl S.	Clenor (lre)	Oct. 6	
GIII Miss Grillo S.	Testa Rossi (Fr)	Oct. 6	
GIII Jessamine S.	Kitten Kaboodle	Oct. 9	
G2 Rockfel S.	Al Thakhira (GB)	Oct. 12	

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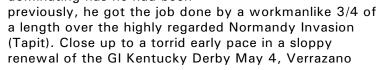




BREEDERS' CUP DIRT MILE

Despite a belated start to his racing career, **TDN Rising Star" Verrazano** (More Than Ready) debuted amidst plenty of buzz and didn't disappoint when airing by 7 3/4 lengths at Gulfstream Park New

Year's Day. Heavily supported to repeat going a mile against allowance company at the Hallandale oval Feb. 2, the Todd Pletcher trainee embarrassed his rivals when strolling home a 16 1/4-length winner. Coolmore stepped in to purchase a significant stake in the colt soon after those sparkling efforts, and he later returned to take the Mar. 9 GII Tampa Derby. The \$250,000 KEESEP yearling was backed down to 4-5 favoritism while stretching to nine panels for the Apr. 6 GI Wood Memorial and, while not as dominating has he had been





Verrazano Equi-Photo

failed to see out the 1 1/4-mile trip and wilted to 14th. Back in the winner's circle following an facile victory in Monmouth Park's GIII Pegasus S. June 16, handsome bay produced what is arguably his most impressive performance to date when blasting home an eyepopping 9 3/4-length winner in the Jersey shore's

marquee test for 3-year-olds in the GI Haskell Invitational July 28. Given one more opportunity to redeem himself at the Classic 10-furlong distance in the Aug. 24 GI Travers S. at Saratoga, Verrazano faded to seventh after attending the early pace, but will try to go out with a bang while reverting to a more suitable trip.

Likely to challenge Verrazano for favoritism is fellow sophomore and The Transfer of Trans

track and trip in January, and carried his ample speed over an additional furlong for a victory in the GI Santa Anita Derby in April. After coming up empty in the Derby and GI Preakness S., the bay has reinvented himself as a sprinter. Cont. p9

Good Luck to the connections of 2013 Breeders' Cup contenders

VERRAZANO (G1)

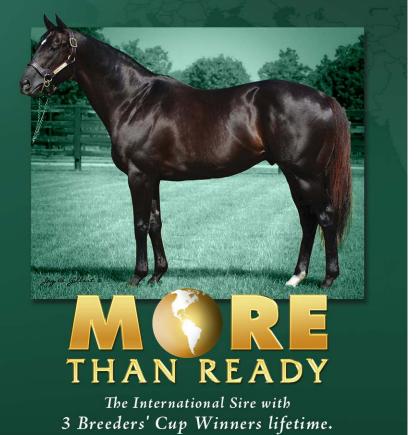
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Dirt Mile cont.

He was a patiently ridden and troubled second to ill-fated Points Offthebench (Benchmark) in Del Mar's GI Bing Crosby S. July 28, and filled the same spot behind Fed Biz (Giant's Causeway) in that venue's seven-panel GII Pat O'Brien S. Aug. 25. Goldencents most recently came up one short to Points Offthebench in the six-furlong GI Santa Anita Sprint Championship Oct. 5, but earned a career-best 109 Beyer Speed Figure in the process.

The versatile Alpha (Bernardini), a respectable second behind Union Rags (Dixie Union) -- the following season's

winner of the GI Belmont S .-- in the 2011 GI Champagne S. came back at three to post wins in the 1 1/16-mile GIII Withers S., GI Jim Dandy S. at nine panels before dead-heating for the win in the 'Midsummer Derby,' the GI Travers S. This term, he kicked off the season with a string of off-the-board efforts, but found renewed life when showing speed with blinkers on for the Aug. 31 GI Woodward S. Fading to sixth in the 10-furlong GI Jockey Club Gold Cup Sept. 28, the bay will get plenty of heat up front while reverting to a distance that has served him well in the past.



Alpha NYRA/Coglianese

Wild Card...

Brujo de Olleros (Brz) (Wild Event), a champion miler in Uruguay, was a narrow second after being transferred from Graham Motion to Rick Mettee in Parx's Donald LeVine Memorial H. June 22 at seven panels before galloping home an easy 6 1/4-length winner while stretching to a mile for the Aug. 19 Carl Hanford Memorial S. at Delaware. Losing a close decision to accomplished and late-defecting Graydar (Unbridled's Song) in a paceless running of the GII Kelso H. at Belmont Sept. 28, the chestnut's mid-pack running style should set him up nicely in the speedladen affair.

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Let's Go to the Videotape				
Race	<u>Winner</u>	<u>Date</u>		
GI Wood Memorial Inv.	Verrazano	Apr. 6		
GI Santa Anita Derby	Goldencents	Apr. 6		
GI Haskell Invitational	Verrazano	July 28		
Carl Hanford Memorial S.	Brujo de Olleros	Aug. 19		
GI Woodward S.	Alpha	Aug. 31		
GII Kelso H.	Brujo de Olleros 2nd	Oct. 28		

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	Friday, Santa Anita, post time: 6:05 p.m. EDT BREEDERS' CUP DIRT MILE-GI, \$1,000,000, 3yo/up, 1m						
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			Clovertowne Farm	Clover Towne Farm-KY		ML 15-1	
		Taptowne		Clover Towne Failli-KT	Glyshaw Hernandez	19-1	
		(g, 5, <u>Tapit</u> Holly's Wager, k Golden Ticket ®		Win Cton Forms I/V		40.4	
1				WinStar Farm-KY	McPeek	12-1	
		(c, 4, Speightstown-Busines		C. Jannay III. I. C. I/V	Rosario	15-1	
ľ		Hymn Book		S Janney III LLC-KY	McGaughey Castellano	19-1	
		(g, 7, Arch-Vespers, by Kno		Luis Fernando Cirne Lima-BRZ	Mettee	8-1	
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		Broadway Empire		Mercedes Stable LLC-KY	Diodoro	12-1	
			gend {Arg}, by Engrillado {Arg})	Davies KV	Walcott	8-1	
		Alpha	Godolphin Racing LLC	Darley-KY	McLaughlin Bravo	0-1	
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		Holy Lute (S)		Lynn B Schiff-KY	Cassidy	20-1	
		(c, 3, Midnight LuteHoly Ch		B ()	Smith	45.4	
			Amerman Racing/Bongo Racing	Patricia L Chapman-KY	Ellis	15-1	
		(g, 5, Smarty JonesShootfo			Espinoza		
			Let's Go Stable/Tabor/Magnier	Emory A Hamilton-KY	Pletcher	3-1	
			chanted Rock, by Giant's Causeway)	K	Velazquez		
		Pants On Fire	George & Lori Hall	K & G Stables-KY	Breen	6-1	
		(h, 5, Jump StartCabo de N			Bravo		
			WC Racing/Kenney/Rap Racing	Rosecrest Farm & Karyn Pirrello-KY	O'Neill	4-1	
		(c, 3, Into Mischief Golden	Works, by Banker's Gold)		Bejarano		
		o Eligible:					
	13	Easter Gift ®	Bob LaPenta	Ward Williford-KY	C Brown	15-1	
		(c, 4, Hard SpunAngel Gift,	. bv Allen's Prospect)		No Rider		



BREEDERS' CUP JUVENILE TURF

Bobby's Kitten (Kitten's Joy) will look to add to an already banner year for his owner/breeders Ken and Sarah Ramsey and their red-hot stallion while providing

a breakthrough win in this event for Chad Brown, who ran second and third here a year ago. Backed down to 13-10 favoritism for his Saratoga unveiling July 27, the bay was forced to take back so as not to get hung wide from his outside draw,



Bobby's Kitten

NYRA/Coglianese

and could only muster a third-place run while weaving through horses. He'd have a very different trip back at that venue Aug. 24, however, as he seized early command with an aggressive ride, bowled his way along on a clear lead down the backside and always had enough to score a sharp 2 3/4-length tally on the wire. Bobby's Kitten was content to share pacesetting duties last time in Belmont's GIII Pilgrim S., but was all by himself in the lane as he streaked home a 6 1/4-length victor. He earned a strong 91 Beyer Speed Figure for that effort, and should prove a tough customer if he can avoid a speed duel.

Gary and Mary West's **Poker Player** (Harlan's Holiday) led home three of his Breeders' Cup rivals--Bashart (War Front), Bon Accord (Showing Up) and All Cash (English Channel)--in Keeneland's off-the-turf GIII Bourbon S. under a perfect inside-to-out ride from Channing Hill. Trained by Wayne Catalano, whose three prior Breeders' Cup wins have come with juvenile fillies, Poker Player earned his diploma second out over a mile at Kentucky Downs Sept. 14. Rosedown Racing's Bashart was 5-2 in the Bourbon off a loose-on-the-lead score in Saratoga's GII With Anticipation S. Aug. 29. The homebred spent most of the Bourbon in no man's land--wide while pressing the pace. According to Trakus, he covered 40 ft. (approx. 4.71 lengths) more than Poker Player, whose official winning margin was a length. Cont. p11

Let's Go t		
Race	<u>Winner</u>	<u>Date</u>
G2 Champagne S.	Outstrip (GB)	Sept. 14
GIII Pilgrim S.	Bobby's Kitten	Oct. 6
GIII Bourbon S.	Poker Player	Oct. 6
Zuma Beach S.	Aotearoa	Oct. 6
Star Appeal S.	Giovanni Boldini	Oct. 11



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by Indian Charlie





Juvenile Turf cont.

The Aidan O'Brien and Coolmore contingent axis has been responsible for the last two winners of this event, and has two chances at adding a third with Giovanni Boldini (War Front) and Wilshire Boulevard (Ire) (Holy Roman Emperor {Ire}). The former is less exposed than his stablemate. Third in The Curragh's G1 Vincent O'Brien National S. Sept. 15 after breaking his maiden just a week earlier, the West Virginia-bred most recently annexed the Star Appeal S. over seven panels of the Dundalk Polytrack Oct. 11. Wilshire Boulevard, meanwhile, makes his eighth start of the season. He took the six-panel G3 Anglesey S. at The Curragh three back July 20, and was beaten a neck by subsequent

G1 Middle Park S. hero Astaire (Ire) (Intense Focus) in York's G2 Gimcrack S. Aug. 24. He enters off a fourth in Longchamp's G1 Prix Jean-Luc Lagardere Oct. 6.

Among the other European invaders is Godolphin's Outstrip (GB) (Exceed and Excel {Aus}). The Charles Appleby pupil was beaten a neck by next-out Vincent O'Brien winner Toormore (Ire) (Arakan) in the July 31 G2 Vintage S. at Goodwood, and then took Doncaster's G2 Champagne S. by three lengths before finishing third behind leading European juvenile War Command (War Front) in the Oct. 12 G1 Dewhurst S. at Newmarket. His dam is Grade I winner Asi Siempre (El Prado), who crossed the wire second in the 2006 GI Breeders' Cup Distaff before being placed fourth.

	Friday, Santa Anita Park, post time: 5:35 p.m. EDT						
	BREEDERS' CUP JUVENILE TURF-GI, \$1,000,000, 2yo, 1mT						
PP	HORSE	OWNER	BREEDER	TRAINER/JOCKEY	ML		
1	All Cash	Calumet Farm	Bluegrass Hall LLC-KY	Lukas	30-1		
		er the Money, by Dynaformer)		Saez			
2	Giovanni Boldini 🖾	M Tabor, Mrs J Magnier & Trussel	Charles A Woodson Jr-WV	O'Brien	7-2		
	(c, War FrontDancing Trie	ste, by Old Trieste)		Moore			
3	Got Shades ®	Dennis E Foster	Barr Inman-KY	Pish	30-1		
	(c, Pollard's VisionMelanc	holy, by Run Softly)		Stevens			
4		Godolphin Management Company	Darley-GB	Appleby	4-1		
		Asi Siempre, by El Prado {Ire})		Smith			
5		Kenneth L & Sarah K Ramsey	Kenneth L & Sarah K Ramsey-KY	Brown	5-2		
	(c, <u>Kitten's Joy</u> Celestial W			Castellano			
6		S Keh, G Pasquel, M Ryan & L Fedick	J S Bolger-IRE	O'Neill	30-1		
		r Blue {GB}, by Galileo {Ire})		Bejarano			
7	Aotearoa	Paul A Viskovich	Paul Viskovich-CA	Powell	12-1		
	(g, Good JourneyMadera	Royal, by Lil Tyler)		Nakatani			
8		Gelfenstein Farm	Mark Secrest-KY	Sano	20-1		
	(c, Showing UpBest Rega			Rosario			
9		M Tabor, D Smith & S Magnier	Denis Brosnan-IRE	O'Brien	8-1		
		<u>re}</u> Tyranny {GB}, by Machiavellian)		Buick			
10	Ontology (S)	Reddam Racing LLC	Avalon Farms Inc-KY	Callaghan	30-1		
	(c, <u>Tapit</u> Shytoe Lafeet, by			Gutierrez			
11	Poker Player ®		N M & R K Lotz & Harlan's Holiday Synd-KY	Catalano	12-1		
	(c, <u>Harlan's Holiday</u> Revel			Hill			
12	Shamshon (Ire)	Sheikh Joaan Bi Al Thani	Stonethorn Stud Farms Ltd-Ire	Hannon	12-1		
		eenisland {Ire}, by Fasliyev)		Hughes			
13	Bashart (©	Rosedown Racing	Rosedown Racing Stables LLC-KY	Pletcher	6-1		
	(c, War FrontBusy Windso	ong, by Clever Trick)		Velazquez			



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BREEDERS' CUP MARATHON

Pool Play (Silver Deputy), owned by WS Farish Jr., is the only Grade I winner in this bunch, having captured the Stephen Foster H. in 2011. Victor of the 2012 GII Hawthorne Gold Cup H., the dark bay attended the Breeders' Cup last year when he ran eighth to Fort Larned (E Dubai) in the GI Breeders' Cup Classic. The Mark Casse trainee has made several graded stakes attempts this year, but came up empty each time. His best effort was two starts back in the 12-furlong GIII Greenwood Cup, where he ran third to the 2010 winner of this event Eldaafer (A.P. Indy) and fellow competitor Indian Jones (Smarty Jones). Pool Play finished sixth to Fort Larned last out in the inaugural running of Churchill Downs' Homecoming Classic S. Sept. 28. He is the oldest horse in the race at 8-yearsold, but this test was upset by the ultra impressive 9year-old Calidoscopio (Arg) (Luhuk) last year.

Argentina is represented again this year by Ever Rider (Arg) (Rider Stripes {Arg}). Owned by Stud Park Patricios and trained by Maria Munoz, the gray racked up three impressive wins in his home country and several solid placings. He earned a free ride to this contest with his victory in the GII General Belgrano S., a "Win and You're In" event, when last seen at the Hippodromo June 21. This will be his first U.S. start, but it was Calidoscopio's first start on American soil when he won last year. Like Calidoscopio, Ever Rider is easy to spot during morning workouts as the only horse galloped bareback and wearing a special hood, but while the former displayed a strong late closing style, the latter prefers racing prominently.

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	Friday, Santa Anita, post time: 4:45 p.m. EDT				
		BREEDERS' CUP MARATHON-GII			
PP	HORSE	OWNER	BREEDER	TRAINER/JOCKEY	ML
1		Glen Hill Farm	Glen Hill Farm-FL	Proctor	8-1
	(g, 4, Smarty JonesGrain	t, by A.P. Indy)		Lezcano	
2		RAP Racing & David Jacobson	Claiborne Farm & Adele Dilschneider	Jacobson	8-1
	(g 6, War ChantLimit, by	y Cox's Ridge)		Cohen	
3	Commander ®	North American Thoroughbred Horse Co.	Paragon Farms LLC-KY	Taylor	6-1
	(g, 5, Broken VowPout,			Gryder	
4	Ever Rider (Arg)		Luis Pittaro & San Jose de El Socorro SA-ARG	Munoz	7-2
	(h, 5, Rider Stripes {Arg}-	-Alleg Dancer {Arg}, by Il Corsaro)		Stevens	
5	Suns Out Guns Out ®	West Point Thoroughbreds	Shunji Izumi-KY	Romans	10-1
	(c, 4, Empire MakerAng		•	Leparoux	
6	Indian Jones ®	Gold Starr Racing LLC	R. & Y. Wira/Roy V Chapman 2004 Trust	Aristone	5-1
		ve Wind Dancer, by Incinderator)		A Castillo	
7		Waratah Thoroughbreds	Patricia Purdy-NY	Hughes	8-1
	(c, 3, ArchKindness {GE	•		Smith	
8		Bad Boy Racing & Whizway Farms	Edward Evans-VA	Hollendorfer	6-1
		ho Cho San, by Deputy Minister)		Pedroza	
9	Pool Play ®	WS Farish JR	Windfields Farm-ON	Casse	8-1
	(h, 8, Silver DeputyZuri	Ridge, by Cox's Ridge)		Da Silva	
10		Chad Schumer	Samantha & Marc Siegel-KY	Walsh	6-1
	(h, 6, A.P. IndyUrbane,			Flores	
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Marathon cont.

Chad Schumer's **Worldly** (A.P. Indy) is likely to be at the top of bettors' lists. The bay has one stakes win on his resume, as well as a handful of black-type placings and hit the board in all three starts for current trainer Brendan Walsh. He was runner-up to 2012 GI Travers S. dead-heat winner Golden Ticket (Speightstown) in the Prairie Meadows H. July 27 and just missed in Remington Park's Governor's Cup S. Aug. 17. Third last out in the aforementioned Homecoming Classic, Worldly makes his first trip to the West Coast for this championship test.

The 2012 GII Swaps S. victor **Blueskiesnrainbows** (English Channel), owned by Bad Boy Racing and Whizway Farms, is one of just two California natives in the race, with the other being turf runner **Old Time Hockey** (Smarty Jones). The Jerry Hollendorfer trainee has run some of his best races over this course, including two victories. The home field advantage may serve him well in this company.

Wild Card...

The other foreigner in this race, **London Bridge** (Arch), is New York-bred, but has made all of his eight starts in Europe. The Waratah Thoroughbreds colorbearer has never run on dirt and disappointed in his two synthetic starts. He boasts three consecutive handicap wins on the turf and has proven to be a distance runner. London Bridge's sire is a fine dirt sire--most notably thanks to the exploits of 2011 GI Breeders' Cup Classic winner Blame--but his dam's side is loaded with top turf runners.



Blueskiesandrainbows

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<u>Race</u>	Winner	<u>Date</u>
Boroughbridge H. S.	London Bridge	June 20
GIII Greenwood Cup	Indian Jones 2nd	Sept. 2
	Pool Play 3rd	
Homecoming Classic S.	Worldly 3rd	Sept. 28

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Eastern U.S.

New Preakness Logo Revealed:

The Maryland Jockey Club unveiled the logo for the 139th running of the GI Preakness S. The logo was



designed by the Leffler Agency and created by their branding division BrandNU Marketing. "Creating the Preakness logo is an annual tradition for our design department at Leffler Agency and BrandNU Marketing," stated agency president and owner Bob

Leffler. "We have had the honor of creating this national branding mark ever since 2000. This year's logo is all about the speed and excitement of the race."

Kentucky

Registration Deadline for Derby Tickets:

Edited Press Release:

The deadline for the easy online registration to join in next month's sale of tickets to the 140th runnings of the GI Kentucky Derby and GI Kentucky Oaks ends at midnight Oct. 31. Registration is required to take part in the sale of seating for the Kentucky Oaks on Friday, May 2 and the Kentucky Derby on Saturday, May 3. Registrants will be advised via email in early November on the date and start time of the Kentucky Derby and Kentucky Oaks online ticket offering. When the online sale opens, registered fans will have a first-come, first-served opportunity to purchase two-day packages of Derby and Oaks seating in locations throughout the track.

"Our annual online sale of seating to the Kentucky Derby and Oaks grows in popularity each year and is a terrific way for all Kentucky Derby fans to purchase seats for these great entertainment and sports celebrations at Churchill Downs," said Kevin Flanery, President of Churchill Downs Racetrack. "Each year, the number of requests for reserved seating vastly exceeds our available inventory. While there's no guarantee that all patrons will be able to purchase seating, the online sale approach offers a level playing field for all who register for this 'first-come, first-served' opportunity to purchase Derby and Oaks tickets." To register, visit www.churchillDowns.com.

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INDUSTRY INFO

WinStar Stablemates Breeders' Cup Contest:

WinStar Stablemates will again hold a Breeders' Cup in which players will choose two horses for each of the 14 Breeders' Cup races. "We are thrilled to bring WinStar's Breeders' Cup contest back to fans for another year," said WinStar President & CEO Elliott Walden. "With this contest, we want to give the handicappers a real challenge, while providing all racing fans a fun way to connect with their favorite horses running in the Breeders' Cup. We're hopeful that this enhances the real fun of being at the Breeders' Cup races on both days." A list of rules and prizes can be found at www.winStarStableMates.com.

Napravnik Dons Hats for Old Friends:

Jockey Rosie Napravnik will model the hats for the fifth annual online auction "Hats Off to the Horses: the Road to the Derby," to raise money for Old Friends. For the six months leading up to the Derby, once a month a hat--designed by milliner Sally Faith Steinmann and inspired by one of the organization's retired racehorses-will be auctioned off. "I am a big fan of Old Friends and its mission," said Napravnik. "I always keep in mind that a horse may be win a Breeders' Cup race this year, but next year they may need a place to reside in retirement." Visit www.oldfriendsequine.org to bid or for more information.



Industry Info.

JC Give Updates on Mckinsey Initiatives:

The Jockey Club released its fifth report which tracks the progress of the various initiatives recommended by McKinsey & Company in August 2011. Among those initiaties, America's Best Racing promotional bus tour will be present for the Breeders' Cup at Santa Anita Nov. 1 and Nov. 2.

"With a premier two-day championship event, we wanted to use every tool and resource we have to reach out to prospective fans so they can enjoy the drama, pageantry and excitement of the Breeders' Cup," said Jason Wilson, vice president of business development for the JC. "At the same time, the marketing activities we have initiated for the Breeders' Cup closely mirror the outreach we have been doing all year long, especially with the ABRV and social media. We have introduced Thoroughbred racing to tens of thousands of individuals who had no exposure to it previously, and we have been delighted with their enthusiastic interest in the sport."

In the television arena, The Jockey Club continues to prepare for the launch of a racing series for older horses on FOX Sports 1 in 2014. In August, FOX Sports Media Group and The Jockey Club announced a multi-year agreement to air prominent graded stakes races starting in 2014 from many of horse racing's best known tracks on FOX Sports 1, the new sports network that launched Aug. 17, 2013. The newly created package of nationally televised races consists of up to 10 telecasts per year.

In the two years since McKinsey recommended the use of social games to draw new fans, several such games for horse racing enthusiasts have been developed or updated. The Jockey Club will introduce a light mobile game called Lil' Horses later this year. Lil' Horses is based on the popular game Lil' Birds. The game will be beta tested in Canada before being introduced to the United States.

"A small percentage of social games reach expectations after they are launched," said Wilson. "Based upon our research, however, we believe the Lil' Horses game is a lower risk way to enter the mobile gaming market and attract a large audience, while a greater portion of our overall marketing resources will focus on the television, digital and promotional efforts that have consistently demonstrated solid growth."

For the complete report, click here.



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CHITOZ (Forest Wildcat), River Oaks, \$2K, 6/1/0 7-RP, Aoc, 1m, Lets Suppoze, 12-1 COWBOY CAL (Giant's Causeway), Pin Oak, \$8K, 95/4/0 5-LRL, Msw, 5 1/2fT, Mount Coronet, \$37K EAS SEP yrl, 8-1 DIABOLICAL (Artax), A&A Ranch, \$4K, 44/12/1 8-ZIA, Msw, 5f, Dawns Lil' Star, \$15K RUI MIX yrl, 3-1 8-ZIA, Msw, 5f, Got Aces, 7-2 EINSTEIN (BRZ) (Spend a Buck), Adena Springs Kentucky, \$8K, 42/5/0 5-HAW, Msw, 5 1/2f, Jazzy Genius, 8-1 MAIMONIDES (Vindication), WinStar, \$3K, 25/0/0 7-LRL, Msw, 6f, +Qui C'est Moi, \$4K OBS WIN yrl, 10-1 ROMAN EMPEROR (Empire Maker), Gallegos del Norte, \$2K, 5/0/0 8-ZIA, Msw. 5f. Roll So Gold, 5-1 ZENSATIONAL (Unbridled's Song), Hill N Dale, \$15K, 82/7/0 5-LRL, Msw, 5 1/2fT, I'm the Nutz, \$30K EAS MAY 2yo, 10-1 7-RP, Aoc, 1m, Zen's Way, \$13K KEE SEP yrl, 5-1

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France

REDOUTE'S CHOICE TO BONNEVAL

Redoute's Choice (Aus) (Danehill--Shantha's Choice {Aus}, by Canny Lad {Aus}) is due to return to His Highness The Aga Khan's Haras de Bonneval for the 2013 Northern Hemisphere season. The Arrowfield Stud kingpin covered the likes of Zarkava (Ire) (Zamindar) and Born Gold (Blushing Groom {Fr}) on his previous stint in France and the dual champion was the subject of glowing praise from the Aga Khan's Stud Manager Georges Rimaud yesterday.

"We are very excited to have Redoute's Choice on our stallion roster for 2013 and we will be sending at least 15 of our own mares to him," said Rimaud. "In recent years, Royal Ascot has proven that the Australian sprinting Thoroughbred is comparable with the best in the world. Redoute's Choice is the dominant stallion in Australia and he has already, from limited exposure, sired major winners from mares by European stallions such as Kingmambo, Caerleon, Last Tycoon, Rainbow Quest and Nureyev. This is a wonderful opportunity to send Northern Hemisphere mares to one of the best stallions in the world today and he will undoubtedly have a strong and lasting impact on the European bloodstock industry. Furthermore, he will be a very significant addition to the stallion ranks in France which will give an enormous boost to the French breeding industry."

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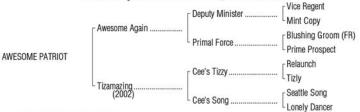
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AWESOME PATRIOT (c. by Awesome Again). Black-type winner, see record. What Now (c. by Distorted Humor). 4 wins at 4 and 5, \$96,210.

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CEE'S SONG, by Seattle Song. Winner at 4, \$82,225. Half-sister to **CEETOIT** (\$139,508), **LEERY BABA** (\$84,539). Dam of 9 winners, includingis 3,000, Leen's BABA (\$04,339). Dain of 9 williers, including-izNOW (c. by Cee's Tizzy). 8 wins in 15 starts, \$6,427,830, horse of the year, champion 3-year-old colt, champion older horse, Breeders' Cup Classic [G1] twice, Santa Anita H. [G1], Super Derby [G1]-ntr, Goodwood Breeders' Cup H. [G2], San Fernando Breeders' Cup S. [G2], etc. Sire.

| Breeders' Cup H. [G2], San Fernanado Breeders' Cup S. [G2], etc. Sire. BUDROYALE (g. by Cee's Tizzy). 17 wins, 2 to 7, \$2,840,810, Goodwood | Breeders' Cup H. [G2], San Antonio H. [G2], San Bernardino H. [G2], etc. TIZDUBAI (f. by Cee's Tizzy). 2 wins at 2, \$116,400, in N.A./U.S., Sorrento | S. [G2] (DMR, \$90,000). (Total: \$117,780). Producer. TIZBUD (c. by Cee's Tizzy). 2 wins, \$230,266, California Cup Classic H.-R | (SA, \$150,000), 3rd San Fernando Breeders' Cup S. [G2] (SA, \$26,352). C'Mon Tiger (c. by Storm Cat). 3 wins at 3 and 4, \$136,096, in N.A./U.S., | 2nd Santana Mile H. [L] (SA, \$15,730). (Total: \$137,050). Sire. Tizsweet. Placed in 1 start at 2, \$5,640. Dam of Tizsweetdreams (f. by Our | Emblem, 2 wins in 4 starts, \$88,182, 3rd CERF H.-R (DMR, \$9,582)). Tizso. Unplaced in 2 starts. Dam of PAYNTER (c. by Awesome Again, to 4, 2013, \$989,424, Haskell Invitational S. [G1] (MTH, \$600,000), etc.), TIZ WEST (c. by Gone West, \$263,761, Cinema H. [G3] (HOL, \$93,720), etc.). TIZAKITTY (f. by Distinctive Cat. \$158,644, Kalookan Queen 720), etc.), TIZAKITTY (f. by Distinctive Cat, \$158,644, Kalookan Queen H. [L] (SA, \$47,250)), Tizalovelylady (f. by Western Fame, \$55,740). Granddam of TIZ GIANNI (c. by Giacomo, 4 wins to 5, 2013, \$170,65).

RACE RECORD: At 2, two wins, once 3rd (Hollywood Prevue S. [G3] (HOL, \$12,000)) in 4 starts; at 3, one win (Alydar S. (HOL, \$43,020)). Totals: 3 wins, once 3rd. Earned \$114,600.



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Redoute's Choice will stand alongside Sea the Stars (Ire) and Dalakhani (Ire) at a fee of €70,000 Oct. 1 terms.

AROANA AUTUMN CATALOGUE AVAILABLE

The Arqana Autumn sale, featuring 560 horses of all ages, will be held Nov. 18 and 19 in Deauville. The first day of the auction will offer 241 flat and jump horses in training, while the second session will offer 289 yearlings. The catalogue for the two-day sale is available at www.arqana.com.

BREEDERS' EDITION <u>EUROPE</u>

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

The Hooded Claw (Ire), g, 2, Dandy Man (Ire)--Changari, by Gulch. Catterick, Britain, 10-29, Mdn, 2yo, 5f 212ydsT. B-Newlands House Stud. *£14,000 RNA yrl '12 DONAUG.

Bilimbi (Ire), c, 2, <u>Duke of Marmalade (Ire)</u>--Starship (Ire), by Galileo (Ire). Yarmouth, Britain, 10-29, Mdn, 2yo, 7f 3ydsT. B-Tony Hirschfeld. *3/4 to Alexander Pope (Ire) (Danehill Dancer {Ire}), GSW-Ire & GSP-Eng, \$155,618.

Art Obsession (Ire), g, 2, Excellent Art (GB)--Ghana (Ire), by Lahib. Wolverhampton, Britain, 10-29, Mdn, 2yo, 7f 32yds (AWT). B-Lynch Bages Ltd & Camas Park Stud. *€3,200 yrl '12 GOFSPT. **1/2 to Akua'ba (Ire) (Sadler's Wells), MSP-Ire, \$129,298.

+ Mannaro (Ire), g, 2, Manduro (Ger)--Donoma (Ire) (MSW & MGSP-Ity, \$241,080), by Beat Hollow (GB). Yarmouth, Britain, 10-29, Mdn, 2yo, 1m 3ydsT. B-Razza La Tesa SPA.

Interception (Ire), f, 3, Raven's Pass--Badee'a (Ire), by Marju (Ire). Wolverhampton, Britain, 10-29, Mdn, 3yo/up, f/m, 5f 216yds (AWT). B-Corduff Bloodstock Ltd & David Egan. *160,000gns yrl '11 TATOCT. **1/2 to Dunelight (Ire) (Desert Sun {GB}), MSW & MGSP-Eng, \$490,902.

Costanza (Ire), f, 3, Zamindar-Alta Lena (Fr) (GSP-Fr), by Alzao. Saint-Cloud, France, 10-29, Mdn (Apprentices), 3yo, 1mT. B-Frederic Bianco.

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BREEDERS' EDITION AMERICA

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

11th-ZIA, **\$33,100**, 10-28, NW2X, (S), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:09 1/5, ft.

ATTILA'S PARTING (g, 3, Attila's Storm--Parting {SW, \$193,629}, by Hay Halo) Lifetime Record: SW, 12-4-3-2, \$110,226. O-Molly B Morris & Mark Wise. B-Margaret O du Pont & Margaret V Bloss (NM). T-Weston Martin.

7th-ZIA, \$32,000, 10-28, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:40 4/5, ft.

T NELL T (f, 4, Dry Gulch--Lucerna {SP}, by Prospectors Gamble) Lifetime Record: 21-5-5-3, \$77,083. O-Larry R and Harry Teague. B-Larry R Teague (NM). T-Weston Martin. *1/2 to Mostly Dust (Dry Gulch), SW, \$187,840.

9th-MNR, **\$28,400**, 10-28, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), NW3X, 3yo/up, 5 1/2f, 1:04 4/5, ft.

ALOHA DADDY (g, 3, The Daddy--Exclusive Chic, by Yonaguska) Lifetime Record: 7-4-1-1, \$54,254. O-Sal Ruggiero. B-GotWonRunnin Farm (FL). T-Benny R Feliciano.

7th-MNR, **\$22,200**, 10-28, NW2L, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:08 4/5, ft.

MY LITTLE ANGEL (f, 4, Horse Chestnut {SAf}--Polly Lynch, by Our Emblem) Lifetime Record: 19-2-1-2, \$37,886. O-Rebecca Demczyk. B-Louis C Carrico (WV). T-Virginia Demczyk.

8th-MNR, **\$22,200**, 10-28, NW2L, 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:05 4/5, ft.

FORBIDDEN (f, 3, Holy Bull--My McIntosh, by Pulpit) Lifetime Record: 8-2-2-2, \$56,730. O/B-KatieRich Stables (KY). T-Mark Hubley. *\$5,000 RNA yrl '11 FTKOCT.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Explosively Fast, g, 2, Ghostly Moves--Explosive Peaches, by Explosive Red. ZIA, 10-28, (S), 1m, 1:40 2/5. B-Fred Alexander, Todd Fincher & Brad King (NM). *Full to Explosive Mine, SW, \$169,011.

Sir Sunnyboy, c, 2, Sun King--Kona Sunset, by Walnut Grove. MNR, 10-28, 1m, 1:45 4/5. B-Susan A Sheppard (OH).

Attaboyatteberry, g, 3, Dome--Good Charlotte, by Suggest. ZIA, 10-29, (S), 6f, 1:10 4/5. B-Joseph Milchen (NM).

Third Commandment, g, 4, Master Command--Three Li'l Kittens, by Strawberry Road (Aus). MNR, 10-28, 5f, 1:00 2/5. B-Tim T Tevis (KY). *\$5,000 RNA yrl '10 KEESEP.

All winners in the U.S. race on Lasix unless otherwise indicated