

PEDIGREE INSIGHTS: ADMIRE MARS



Admire Mars | Horsephotos

By Andrew Caulfield

When it comes to Japanese racing, Deep Impact has long appeared to be here, there and everywhere. In recent months the perennial champion sire has been responsible for eight of the 17 contestants in the G1 Shuka Sho, for six of the 18 runners in the G1 Mile Championship and for five of the 12 high-class contenders for the G1 Tenno Sho.

It therefore seems a little surprising that the Japanese superstar had only one representative in last Sunday's G1 Asahi Hai Futurity S. and only two in the previous week's G1 Hanshin Juvenile Fillies. He still managed to come up with his third winner of the fillies' contest, when Danon Fantasy scored for the third time in four starts.

However, it was a different story in the Asahi Hai Futurity, when Deep Impact's representative Gran Alegria was the only filly in the 15-strong field. She had been so dominant in winning the G3 Saudi Arabia Royal Cup in October that she started 1-2 to become Deep Impact's fourth winner of the Asahi Hai in the space of five years. The filly ran well without being able to withstand the finishing efforts of **Admire Mars** and Kurino Gaudi. [Cont. p2](#)

HEROES COME BOTH GREAT AND SMALL

by Emma Berry

As a sideline to my role with *TDN*, I dabble in breeding the odd slow horse and do a fairly moderate job of being a trainer's wife.

Our stable is one of the smallest yards in the largest training centre in Britain. I love living in Newmarket. It revolves around Thoroughbreds, from the training of them on the Heath in the heart of town to the breeding of the next batch of superstars and also-rans on the stud farms in surrounding villages.

Racehorses have been trained here for almost 400 years. I've been in Newmarket for only 15 of those years but even in that time there's been a significant change, and it's one which is mirrored across the sport.

The big yards are now so much in demand that many of the horses on their books are with pre-trainers until spaces become available at the trainer's yard(s). Elsewhere, boxes stand empty as small or medium-sized stables struggle for patronage and, in some cases, go out of business. [Cont. p4](#)

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PEDIGREE INSIGHTS

by Andrew Caulfield



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Despite this setback, Deep Impact still holds a comfortable lead among the sires of 2-year-olds, thanks to his achievement of siring 45 winners from 89 juvenile starters--pretty good going for a stallion who many Europeans mistakenly

pigeonhole as a sire of stayers. With only the G1 Hopeful S. to come for the Japanese 2-year-olds, Deep Impact looks poised to record his eighth juvenile sires' championship in the nine years he's had runners.

Spare a thought, though, for his fellow Shadai Stallion Station resident **Daiwa Major**, who stood the 2018 season at a fee of ¥5 million, compared to the ¥40 million charged for Deep Impact's services. In addition to interrupting Deep Impact's sequence of 2-year-old sires' championships when he took the title in 2015, Daiwa Major has been champion first-crop sire in 2011 and has finished runner-up to Deep Impact three times in the 2-year-old category. And now he is responsible for the Asahi Hai Futurity winner Admire Mars, who extended his unbeaten record to four victories, beginning with a newcomers' race success at the end of June.

Depending on what happens in the Hopeful S. on Dec. 28, Admire Mars must have a good chance of taking the title of champion juvenile colt, to add to the championship taken by Daiwa Major's 2-year-old daughter Major Emblem in 2015. Major Emblem went on to take the G1 NHK Mile Cup and Daiwa Major has also enjoyed Group 1 success with Reine Minoru (Oka Sho-Japanese 1,000 Guineas), Curren Black Hill (NHK Mile Cup) and Copano Richard (Takamatsunomiya Kinen over six furlongs).

The fact that Daiwa Major's previous Group 1 winners shone at a mile or less is a reminder that he possessed ample speed, even though he was capable of very smart form at around a mile and a half (he once finished third to Deep Impact in the G1 Arima Kinen over an extended mile and a half). Although he won the Satsuki Sho (Japanese 2000 Guineas) over a mile and a quarter, it is surely significant that his three subsequent Group 1 victories were all gained over a mile (two in the Mile Championship and the other in the Yasuda Kinen).

He was also admirably durable, as he raced 28 times from two to six years and was at his most successful at the ages of five and six. He is, of course, a son of the great Sunday Silence, who is currently represented by four of the five top stallions in Japan--Deep Impact, Heart's Cry, Stay Gold and Daiwa Major--even though he died as long ago as 2002.

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Unbeaten Group 1 winner at 2

- 1st Racing Post Trophy-Gr.1, defeating ROARING LION
- 1st Beresford Stakes-Gr.2, by 2½ lengths

Classic-winning miler at 3

- 1st 2,000 Guineas-Gr.1, defeating MASAR, ROARING LION, EXPERT EYE etc.
- 2nd Eclipse Stakes-Gr.1, beaten a neck by ROARING LION
- 2nd Irish Champion Stakes-Gr.1, beaten a neck by ROARING LION

SAXON WARRIOR

- ▶ By Japanese super-sire **DEEP IMPACT**.
- ▶ Out of unbeaten European Champion 2YO filly **MAYBE**.

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Admire Mars Cont.

Admire Mars represents a sizeable dividend on the €480,000 paid for his dam Via Medici at Arqana's 2014 December Sale. This Medicean filly was unproven as a broodmare, as her first foal was a then-unraced 2-year-old filly by Pivotal. However, that filly--Via Pisa--became a listed winner over a mile in 2015 and Via Medici's second foal, the Dansili filly Via Firenze, also developed into a group-placed listed winner. Via Medici also has a 2017 filly by Sunday Silence's grandson Kinshasa No Kiseki and a 2018 daughter by the dual Classic winner Duramente.



Daiwa Major | JBIS.jp photo

Performance is often more important to Japanese buyers than a star-studded pedigree and Via Medici's main attraction--apart from being in foal to the reliable Dansili--was arguably her racing record. She had won the G3 Prix de Lieurey over a mile at Deauville and her dam, the Singspiel filly Via Milano, had also been a Group 3 winner over a mile at Deauville, in the Prix de Reservoir as a 2-year-old.

Admire Mars follows the Grand Prix de Paris winner Shakeel as the second Group 1 winner produced by a daughter of Medicean, who is now the broodmare sire of eight group winners.

The fact that Via Medici's broodmare sire was Singspiel must also have been appealing to a Japanese buyer. The Japan Cup featured among the victories which made Singspiel an international star and his progeny later enjoyed plenty of success in Japan, with Asakusa Den'en winning the G1 Yasuda Kinen and Lohengrin the G2 Yomiuri Milers' Cup. Lohengrin later sired Logotype, who appropriately numbered the Asahi Hai Futurity among his Group 1 successes, along with the Satsuki Sho.

Op / Ed by Emma Berry

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There are more horses in Newmarket than when I first came here but they are spread among fewer trainers.

Of course, owning a racehorse is firmly in the luxury goods category of life. Nobody needs to have one, but if they have enough money to be able to buy a horse or two, then they'll

want the best that they can afford and to be able to send them to a fashionable trainer. To a degree—and there are certain notable exceptions, both good and bad—the level of opportunity determines the trainers' championship.

Don't get me wrong, I'm not railing against the unfairness of life. I feel privileged to be involved in racing, albeit as a bit-part player, and anyway, I save my rants for Brexit these days. Long before I left London for Newmarket I was a racing fan, and I will remain one until I die. Fans of any sport need heroes to look up to and they will invariably be the big names. I moved to this town nearly pinching myself that I could walk a furlong from my front door every morning and be on the Heath watching Henry Cecil float about on his grey hack. The great man has gone but my feelings haven't changed.

One of the most memorable mornings of this year involved a press call for Too Darn Hot (GB) ahead of the Dewhurst.



Ross Birkett salutes the crowd as he wins on Roy Rocket at Brighton

Emma Berry



Roy Rocket, John Berry & Roy's 86-year-old co-owner Iris McCarthy

Emma Berry

I wandered out imagining we'd see him with a lead horse while the rest of John Gosden's string went elsewhere but instead the handful of unworthy scribblers and snappers gathered on Warren Hill were treated to the full pomp and circumstance march of Enable (GB), Roaring Lion, Cracksman (GB) and Stradivarius (Ire)—all repeat Group 1 winners within the fortnight.

Roaring Lion became a favourite through the year. His panache on the racecourse was always well disguised at morning exercise. He'd purr along quietly mid-string, poised, but with no bad-boy antics of a superstar. Quite the reverse could be said for another grey in the town who is a little closer to home.

Roy Rocket (Fr) is a somewhat unruly 8-year-old gelding, bred by his trainer and daily rider, John Berry, who doubles as my husband. Roy didn't trouble the judge until he was five and he has thus far achieved a career-high rating of 74, recording all nine of his wins at one of Britain's most peculiar and unfashionable tracks, Brighton. We co-own him with two longstanding friends and patrons, Iris and Larry McCarthy, who love nothing more than a good old knees-up at the races.

Rather extraordinarily, Roy has developed a burgeoning fan club. He's always been beloved by the faithful crowd at Brighton, where he gives them a good run for their money with his late charge from the back of the field. In return they roar him home as he swings wide to make his challenge, yelling "Here he comes" as if Frankel himself has suddenly made a comeback appearance on the Sussex Downs.

A combination of his silly name, snowy white coat and wayward tendencies is perhaps at the root of Roy's popularity. He is instantly recognisable, but it's also easy to see when he's running that he's a proper battler, always trying.

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No matter how hard he tries, he'll never be a Roaring Lion, but he has the heart of one, and has done as much to raise the profile of our small stable as any Group 1 winner would.

I've talked to people at the races who have come especially to see him, likewise the many visitors we had in the pouring rain of Newmarket's open weekend. On an otherwise fairly wretched morning a few months ago, spirits were lifted considerably by the delivery of a hand-drawn card and packet of Polos sent to Roy by two young sisters in Ireland.

We all know that many of the current problems within racing in Britain stem from a lack of prize-money and there have been calls to reduce the number of low-grade races. Admittedly, they can be unedifying spectacles, but we should be careful what we wish for. A huge proportion of the horses in training are eligible only for this level of race, providing a wide base for the streamlined top of the pyramid. Every breeder, owner and trainer dreams of having a top-class horse but more often than not we have to settle for a winner, if we're lucky, at a much more lowly level. And in their own way those horses do as much for the sport as their elite friends gracing the turf at Ascot or Cheltenham.

Last week, the middle-of-the-road handicapper Roy Rocket was recognised with the ROA Award for Special Achievement in a category which included the much more talented Accidental Agent (GB), Billesdon Brook (GB) and Take Cover (GB). It's the only time Roy will 'beat' group winners, and it's almost certainly the only time that his owners will stand on the same stage as the connections of Enable, Roaring Lion, Altior (Ire) and co.



Larry McCarthy, Phil Bell, Iris McCarthy, Rod Street & Emma Berry

ROA

Yes, we were perhaps out of place, but we took great pride in it, not least for the enjoyment that our little horse has given so many fellow fans. That is, after all, what sport is all about.

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ARC TO REDUCE PRIZE MONEY CONTRIBUTION IN FEBRUARY

Following a cut in the maximum stake on fixed-odds betting terminals (FOBTs) from £100 to £2 by the British government in November, the Arena Racing Company has opted to forgo unlocking qualifying races across its race program beginning on Feb. 11, 2019, the company announced on Monday. As a result, the purse contribution from ARC will drop by £3 million annually across the ARC's 3,406 races. Its total prize money contribution will be £15.3 million in 2019. If ARC had instead opted to unlock qualifying races, including the Race Incentive Fund (RIF) and the Appearance Money Scheme (AMS) which extended prize money payments to placed horses, the additional prize money would have instead gone to bolster the lower levels of the racing program. ARC also noted that further reductions in prize money were still a possibility.

"The British racing industry is today in a considerably different position than when we underwent the funding review of 2017 which came about as a direct result of the increase in Levy income to the sport, itself a result of the Levy being extended to cover online betting companies," said ARC Chief Executive Officer Martin Cruddace in a statement released by the company on Monday. "This increase of approximately £40 million per annum to the Levy, through this extension to cover online operators was, to a large degree, a result of the Authorised Betting Partner policy adopted by British racing in 2016. ARC played a central role in leading and supporting this policy, albeit at the cost of some very significant sums in sponsorship agreements.

"At the time of the 2017 funding review it was agreed that the Race Incentive Fund and Appearance Money Scheme, paid for by these Levy increases, should be unlocked alongside further direct investment from racecourses."

He continued, "Today, however, the well-publicised impact of betting shop closures on racecourses' media rights income has already started to take effect, and will only increase in the months and years to come." [Cont. p6](#)

ARC to Reduce Prize Money Contribution Cont.

“As a result of this, ARC simply cannot continue to support our current levels of executive contribution to prize money and unlock all qualifying races, as was the case throughout 2018,” he said. “We fully understand the importance of prize money across the industry, and do not take such a decision lightly.”

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FIRST-SEASON SIRES WITH RUNNERS

Tuesday, Dec. 18, 2018:

UNITED KINGDOM

Bungle Inthejungle (GB) (Exceed And Excel {Aus}), Rathasker Stud

95 foals of racing age/25 winners/2 black-type winners
15:00-SOUTHWELL, 6f, GEOGRAPHY TEACHER (Ire)
€6,500 RNA Goffs November Foals Sale 2016; €15,000 Tattersalls Ireland September Yearlings 2017

Heeraat (Ire) (Dark Angel {Ire}), Mickley Stud

72 foals of racing age/8 winners/0 black-type winners
14:30-SOUTHWELL, 6f, HAARRIET (GB)
4,762gns Tattersalls Ireland Ascot Sept. Yearling Sale 2017

FRANCE

Alhebayeb (Ire) (Dark Angel {Ire}), Tara Stud

128 foals of racing age/14 winners/0 black-type winners
2-DEAUVILLE, 1900m, CALA JONDAL (Ire)
€8,000 RNA Arqana Deauville October Yearlings 2017

American Devil (Fr) (American Post {GB}), Haras De Grandcamp

34 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners
1-DEAUVILLE, 1900m, VALENTO (Fr)

Anodin (Ire) (Anabaa), Haras du Quesnay

102 foals of racing age/20 winners/2 black-type winners
2-DEAUVILLE, 1900m, COLD LIGHT OF DAY (Fr)
€18,000 Arqana Deauville October Yearlings 2017; €25,000 Arqana May 2yo Breeze Up Sale 2018
6-DEAUVILLE, 1500m, HELLO IS YOU (Fr)
€55,000 Arqana Deauville October Yearlings 2017
8-DEAUVILLE, 1500m, LADY WALLI (Fr)
€13,000 RNA Osarus Sales La Teste Yearling Sale 2017
8-DEAUVILLE, 1500m, MATAIVA (Fr)
€18,000 Arqana Deauville October Yearlings 2017

Bungle Inthejungle (GB) (Exceed And Excel {Aus}), Rathasker Stud

95 foals of racing age/25 winners/2 black-type winners
6-DEAUVILLE, 1500m, TORTUGA (Ire)
€7,500 RNA Goffs November Foals Sale 2016; €1,600 RNA Tattersalls Ireland September Yearlings 2017

Charm Spirit (Ire) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}), Tweenhills Stud
105 foals of racing age/25 winners/1 black-type winner
6-DEAUVILLE, 1500m, HARBOUR SPIRIT (Fr)
€48,000 Arqana December Breeding Stock Sale 2016 - English Version; €46,000 Arqana Deauville October Yearlings 2017; €50,000 Arqana May 2yo Breeze Up Sale 2018
2-DEAUVILLE, 1900m, LADY ROHESIA (GB)
5,000gns Tattersalls Guineas Breeze-Up & HIT Sale 2018
8-DEAUVILLE, 1500m, OLYMPE (Fr)
€130,000 Arqana Deauville August Yearlings 2017 (FR)

Dunaden (Fr) (Nicobar {GB}), Overbury Stud
60 foals of racing age/4 winners/0 black-type winners
2-DEAUVILLE, 1900m, STUNNING PEARL (GB)
10,000gns Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2016; €7,000 Arqana Deauville Autumn Mixed Sale 2018

The French (Fr) (French Glory {Ire}),
2 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners
6-DEAUVILLE, 1500m, PENN KALET (Fr)

Olympic Glory (Ire) (Choisir {Aus}), Haras de Bouquetot
119 foals of racing age/21 winners/1 black-type winner
8-DEAUVILLE, 1500m, GLORIA CHART (Fr)
€38,000 Arqana December Breeding Stock Sale 2016 - English Version; €7,000 RNA Osarus Sales La Teste Yearling Sale 2017



Dunaden is looking for his fifth winner at Deauville on Tuesday.
Racing Post

First-Season Sires With Runners Cont.

Sommerabend (GB) (Shamardal), Haras de Saint Arnoult

43 foals of racing age/5 winners/0 black-type winners

1-DEAUVILLE, 1900m, CALYPSO SUNSET (Fr)

€5,000 Osarus Sales La Teste Yearling Sale 2017

2-DEAUVILLE, 1900m, GREEN VIEW (Fr)

Toronado (Ire) (High Chaparral {Ire}), Haras de Bouquetot

122 foals of racing age/24 winners/0 black-type winners

6-DEAUVILLE, 1500m, TRIBHUVAN (Fr)

€30,000 Arqana December Breeding Stock Sale 2016 - English

Version; €58,000 RNA Arqana Deauville October Yearlings 2017

War Command (War Front), Coolmore Stud

112 foals of racing age/25 winners/1 black-type winner

1-DEAUVILLE, 1900m, KORONEKI (Ire)

55,000gns Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2016; €50,000 Goffs

Orby Yearling Sale 2017

BRITAIN



Monday's Results:

6th-Wolverhampton, £7,400, Cond, 12-17, 2yo, 9f 104y (AWT), 1:59.51, st.

DAME MALLIOT (GB) (f, 2, Champs Elysees {GB})--Stars In Your Eyes {GB}, by Galileo {Ire}) raced third along the fence after passing the judge first time in this debut. Coming under pressure on the home turn, the 3-1 second choice angled into an open lane at the top of the straight and was ridden out once launching her challenge at the eighth pole to assert by 1 1/2 lengths from Lady Lizzy (GB) (Rio de la Plata). Half-sister to a yearling colt by Poet's Voice (GB), she is the third foal and scorer produced by a winning half-sister to Listed Silver Tankard S. victor New Mexican (GB) (Dr Fong), G2 Dante S. third Coordinated Cut (Ire) (Montjeu {Ire}) and Listed Wolferton H. runner-up Wild Savannah (GB) (Singspiel {Ire}). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$6,023. **Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.** 1ST-TIME STARTER. O-A E Oppenheimer; B-Hascombe & Valiant Studs (GB); T-Ed Vaughan.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Panmolle (GB), f, 3, Lawman (Fr)--Panzanella (GB), by Dansili (GB). Wolverhampton, 12-17, 8f 142y (AWT), 1:48.02. B-Juddmonte Farms Ltd (GB).

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SAFEGUARDING POLICY ANNOUNCED BY BHA

The **Safeguarding Policy**, a policy designed to complement and underpin the existing safeguarding policies that various racing organisations already have in place, will go into effect on Jan. 1, the British Horseracing Authority announced on Monday. In addition to the policy, a body of **Safeguarding Regulations** and a **Code of Conduct** for the sport will also begin on the first of the year. The policy will cover areas like abuse, inappropriate relationships, reporting safeguarding concerns and safer recruitment practices.

“For this sport to have the bright future we are all working together to achieve, we must attract the interest and participation of people of all ages,” said BHA Chief Executive Nick Rust. “It is vital that those people who we do attract to the sport have a positive and fulfilling experience and are protected from all forms of abuse and harm. As the governing body of racing, the BHA has a particular duty to protect young people and adults at risk from harm that may arise from their participation in racing.

“However, this duty is not confined to the BHA. It is shared by everyone in racing. We all have a role to play in promoting a positive culture and experience for everyone involved in our sport. We trust that the new safeguarding obligations will be positively received, demonstrating racing's commitment to the protection of its youngest and most vulnerable participants.”

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FINALISTS ANNOUNCED FOR LYCETTS TEAM CHAMPION AWARD

The shortlisted finalists for the 2019 Lycetts Team Champion Award have been released, the National Trainers Federation (NTF) announced on Monday. The award celebrated the racehorse training yards that have developed a strong team ethos through the highest standard of staff management and safe working practices. Split into to finalist categories of yards with 40-plus horses and yards with fewer than 40 horses, the finalists are as follows:

40+ Horses

- Andrew Balding
- Tom Dascombe
- Warren Greatrex
- Richard Hughes

Fewer Than 40 Horses:

- Nick Alexander
- Dan Kubler
- Jedd O'Keefe
- Richard Phillips

Finalists Announced Cont.

All the shortlisted yards received a rating of three stars (excellent), with two being very good and one star good. The judges will now visit the yards in January of 2019, with the winners announced on Feb. 28, 2019 at the prestigious headquarters of the Institute of Directors.

"It's been a real pleasure to be involved with Lycetts Team Champion Award again, and it's great to see the progress from last year and also some very exciting new applications," said Yogi Breisner, chairman of the judging panel.

Towcester's Jan. 31 six-race card has been moved to Fakenham by the British Horseracing Authority (BHA). For more information go [here](#).

FRANCE



CONDITIONS RESULTS:

4th-Pornichet-le-Baule, €24,000, Cond, 12-17, 2yo, 8 1/2f (AWT), 1:40.86, st.

THE BIG SMOKE (FR) (c, 2, Charm Spirit {Ire}--Trip to the Moon {GB} {SW-Fr, GSP-Ger & SP-Tur, \$235,443}, by Fasliyev)

Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-1, €24,005. O-Ecurie Haras du Cadran, SAS I.E.I., Adrian von Gunten & Mme Claudia Berke; B-Ecurie Haras du Cadran, Adrian von Gunten, SAS I.E.I. & Chantilly Bloodstock Agency (FR); T-Carlos & Yann Lerner. *€25,000 RNA Ylg '17 ARAUG. **1/2 to Trois Lunes (Fr) (Manduro {Ger}), GSW-Fr.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Twenty Two Bar (Fr), g, 3, Air Chief Marshal (Ire)--Road to Perditiion (GB), by Giant's Causeway. Pornichet-le-Baule, 12-17, 8 1/2f (AWT), 1:41.17. B-Olivier Martienne, Mme Nancy Martienne & Benoit Gardrat (FR).

ITALY

ITALIAN CHAMPION SIRE MUJAHID PENSIONED

Italian champion sire **Mujahid** (Danzig-Elrafa Ah, by Storm Cat) has been pensioned at Allevamento di Besnate, the *Racing Post* reported on Monday. The rising 23-year-old, bred and owned by Shadwell, will claim his fourth consecutive champion sire title by progeny earnings in his adopted land at year's end. Originally at Beech House Stud in Great Britain, Mujahid moved to Allevamento di Besnate for the 2008 covering season.

A winner of the 1998 G1 Dewhurst S. and third in the 1999 G1 2000 Guineas a year later for John Dunlop, Mujahid has sired 29 black-type winners, 11 of them at the group level, with Australian MG1SW Danleigh (Aus) and Italian Group 1 winner Cleo Fan (Ity) leading the way. As a broodmare sire, Mujahid is responsible for G1 English/Irish 1000 Guineas bridesmaid Lightning Thunder (GB) (Dutch Art {GB}), MGSW & MG1SP Tasaday (Nayef) and SW & G1SP Bailey's Jubilee (GB) (Bahamian Bounty {GB}).

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Mujahid | Allevamento di Besnate



AUSTRALIAN-BRED
WINNERS

IN QATAR:

Off He Goes (Aus), g, 4, Casino Prince (Aus)--Perfectly Stunning (NZ), by Perfectly Ready (Aus). Al Rayyan, 12-15, Hcp., 2000mT, 2:06.46. B-P J Cranitch (Qld). *A\$26,000 Ylg '16 MGMMAR; A\$55,000 RNA 2yo '16 MMGC2YO. **VIDEO**



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Rank	Stallion	BTW	BTH	GSW	GSH	G1SW	G1SH	Starters	Wnrs	Highest Earner	Earnings
1	Galileo (Ire) <i>(1998) by Sadler's Wells Crops: 10</i>	34	55	20	37	5	11	595	231	2,054,200	17,609,601 <i>Sistercharlie (Ire)</i>
2	Pivotal (GB) <i>(1993) by Polar Falcon Crops: 15</i>	25	46	15	25	10	13	514	229	1,908,242	17,867,948 <i>Cracksman (GB)</i>
3	Sadler's Wells <i>(1981) by Northern Dancer Crops: 28</i>	10	42	8	22	1	7	682	269	5,543,334	17,953,427 <i>Enable (GB)</i>
4	Danehill Dancer (Ire) <i>(1993) by Danehill Crops: 13</i>	16	36	8	21	1	4	509	199	1,239,568	11,368,841 <i>Primitivo (GB)</i>
5	Danehill <i>(1986) by Danzig Crops: 22</i>	22	34	10	25	1	6	466	205	675,974	14,057,114 <i>Chief Whip</i>
6	Dansili (GB) <i>(1996) by Danehill Crops: 11</i>	21	33	13	21	2	6	403	155	1,672,414	10,485,972 <i>Expert Eye (GB)</i>
7	Monsun (Ger) <i>(1990) by Konigsstuhl (Ger) Crops: 15</i>	11	29	5	17	2	2	291	115	1,355,147	8,387,182 <i>Wild Illusion (GB)</i>
8	Montjeu (Ire) <i>(1996) by Sadler's Wells Crops: 11</i>	10	28	5	17	--	1	414	169	526,383	8,343,889 <i>I Can Fly (GB)</i>
9	Singspiel (Ire) <i>(1992) by In the Wings (GB) Crops: 14</i>	13	25	10	18	2	4	403	166	946,305	12,304,468 <i>Ganko (Jpn)</i>
10	Cape Cross (Ire) <i>(1994) by Green Desert Crops: 12</i>	11	24	3	9	2	2	359	134	1,433,561	8,535,760 <i>Laurens (Fr)</i>
11	Anabaa <i>(1992) by Danzig Crops: 15</i>	14	22	8	12	1	2	300	118	794,063	7,036,864 <i>Hartnell (GB)</i>
12	Oasis Dream (GB) <i>(2000) by Green Desert Crops: 8</i>	9	22	3	9	--	1	409	161	205,179	5,843,598 <i>Red Balloons (GB)</i>
13	Rock of Gibraltar (Ire) <i>(1999) by Danehill Crops: 9</i>	10	21	8	13	1	3	336	144	1,132,543	8,946,311 <i>Generale Uno (Jpn)</i>
14	Shamardal <i>(2002) by Giant's Causeway Crops: 6</i>	10	17	6	8	2	4	192	79	1,396,980	5,263,196 <i>Latrobe (Ire)</i>
15	Dubawi (Ire) <i>(2002) by Dubai Millennium (GB) Crops: 6</i>	9	16	5	9	1	2	173	73	622,774	3,762,721 <i>Liberty Heights (Jpn)</i>

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A STAR-STUDDED RECORD FOR STAR THOROUGHBREDS



Accession as a yearling | Inglis

By John Berry

The 'purple, white stars and cap' of Denise Martin's Star Thoroughbreds have become part and parcel of the racing scene in Sydney. Over the past 24 years these silks have become synonymous with many of the best and most popular gallopers to have graced the city's racecourses, and Martin seems to have come up with yet another top-liner following the victory on Saturday in the A\$500,000 Inglis Nursery at Randwick of **Accession** (Brazen Beau).

High among anyone's memories of Golden Slippers past must be the joyous scenes after Star Thoroughbreds' **Sebring** (More Than Ready {USA}) took the race under Glen Boss in 2008. The winner the following Saturday of the G1 AJC Inglis Sires' Produce S. and subsequently sold for A\$28 million to join Widden's stallion roster, Sebring was the perfect syndicate horse, giving his share-holders a massive return on their investment and, even more importantly, thrills that money just can't buy. The shared happiness evident in the Rosehill winner's enclosure that day was the perfect advertisement for the racing game, and another G1 Golden Slipper triumph could be on the horizon following Accession's victory as the prize money he earned on

Saturday will guarantee him a run in the race if connections wish. He is clearly a very exciting colt who was well bought when knocked down to Star Thoroughbreds Pty Ltd / Waller Racing for A\$300,000 from the Widden draft at this year's Inglis Australian Easter Yearling Sale.

The most obvious difference between Sebring and Accession is that the former was trained by Gai Waterhouse while the latter is in Chris Waller's care. For the first 20 years of its existence, Star Thoroughbreds was synonymous with Gai Waterhouse's stable, but over the past four years it has been operating in tandem with Chris Waller. Predictably, the change from one top-class stable to another has had no impact on its huge success.

Denise Martin was working in the hospitality business in a senior role at Melbourne's Sofitel Hotel in the early '90s when she developed a rapport with Waterhouse, who stayed there on her visits to Victoria. It was still early days in Waterhouse's training career at that stage, and the pair instantly realised the potential of their shared passion, acumen, flair and charisma. Martin consequently set up Star Thoroughbreds in 1994, syndicating horses to be trained by Waterhouse, and the rest pretty soon became history. Good horses started coming along at a remarkable rate.

Danglissa (Danzero) was Star Thoroughbreds' first true top-liner, enjoying a winning spree in Sydney's top fillies' races in the spring of 1999 by taking the G3 Furious S., G2 Tea Rose S. and G1 Flight S. before heading down to Melbourne to finish second in the G1 Thousand Guineas at Caulfield. The multiple stakes winners **Stoway** (Geiger Counter {USA}) and **Kingsgate** (Danzero) came to prominence shortly afterwards and kept the Star flag flying as the old century gave way to the new. **Cont. p2**



Denise Martin, Danglissa & Gai Waterhouse | TDN AusNZ



Sebring | *Widden Stud*

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Sebring was the horse who took Star Thoroughbreds to the very top, but he was merely one of several superstars who made 2008 a real annus mirabilis for the operation. While he had cemented Star Thoroughbreds' reputation for unearthing a top juvenile, later that year two of its older stars reminded us of its ability to produce the type of tough, high-class older horse on whom the game thrives. That year's G1 Epsom H. at Randwick produced a wonderful result for Star Thoroughbreds as the 5-year-old **Theseo** (Danewin) and the 4-year-old **Bank Robber** (Dash For Cash) filled the quinella. Theseo headed down to Melbourne later in the spring and landed the G1 Mackinnon S. at Flemington before subsequently landing three more weight-for-age Group 1s in later years. He ended the 2008/'09 season as Australia's Champion Middle Distance Horse of the Year (and NSW Champion Racehorse of the Year) thus giving Star Thoroughbreds HOTY honours for the second season running following Sebring's award of Champion 2-Year-Old Colt of Australia for 2007/'08.

Hot on the heels of Sebring came another juvenile money-spinner, **Driefontein** (Fastnet Rock) who landed the Magic Millions 2-Year-Old Classic in 2012. The popular filly then developed into a proper trouper over the subsequent three seasons, ultimately winning five group races including the G1 Sportingbet Classic Robert Sangster S. in Adelaide as a 4-year-old. She even posted some fine efforts as a 5-year-old in the 2014/'15 season including finishing second to Deep Field (Northern Meteor) in the G2 Tab.com.au S. at Flemington on VRC Derby Day.

By the time that Driefontein was a 5-year-old, Gai Waterhouse was no longer Star Thoroughbreds' principal trainer. During the Magic Millions Sale in January 2014 it had been announced that, while Driefontein and the other horses already in Tulloch Lodge

would remain there for the rest of their racing days, all new recruits would henceforth be joining Chris Waller's burgeoning stable, for which nowadays "Star Thoroughbreds are the exclusive licensed syndicators of yearlings to Chris Waller Racing."

Life goes on, and it has certainly gone on for Star Thoroughbreds following this change of direction. One of Chris Waller's many strengths as a trainer is that he can juggle things with a huge string of horses and massive bank of clients so that every horse and every client has joint-top priority. Star Thoroughbreds fits perfectly into this well-run operation and has become an integral part of the stable, and ironically it was a Star Thoroughbreds horse who has come closest to derailing the winning run of Waller's stable star Winx (Street Cry {Ire}).

Foxplay (Foxwedge) was a wonderful filly for Star Thoroughbreds. In the spring of 2016 she emulated the feat of Danglissa seventeen years previously by emerging as the winner of the ATC Princess Series, and she then went on to take both the G2 Phar Lap S. and the G1 Coolmore Legacy S. in the autumn. Arguably her finest hour, though, came the following spring in the G2 Bob Ingham Warwick S. at Randwick when she had the nation holding its breath for a few agonising seconds, only losing the lead in the shadows of the post when Winx's barn-storming finish allowed her to snatch a thrilling head victory from the jaws of defeat.

Stars for Star Thoroughbreds during 2018 have been G1 Rosehill Guineas winner **D'Argento** (So You Think {NZ}), G2 Silver Shadow and G3 Widden S. winner **Fiesta** (I Am Invincible), G2 Shannon S. winner **Noire** (Foxwedge), G3 Doncaster Prelude H. winner **Cellarman** (Mossman) and the ultra-tough **Invincibella** (I Am Invincible), winner this year of three G2 races in three different states as well as taking the Magic Millions Fillies and Mares S. at the Gold Coast. Accession looks sure soon to be following them by adding black-type laurels to his crown as Denise Martin's star definitely remains in the ascendant.

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2019 KENTUCKY SIRES PART I: FIRST COVERS



GI Breeders' Cup Classic hero Accelerate will stand his first season at Lane's End Farm in 2019. | *Jamie Newell*

by *Chris McGrath*

Welcome to the first in our series sifting the value among Kentucky sires for 2019. It's worth noting straightaway that we'll take a separate look at the regional market, once we have assessed the Bluegrass stallions. We'll go through these according to the stage they have reached in their careers: moving on next, for instance, to those with first foals due in the new year, and winding up with those supported by an established population of runners. In each case, we'll finish up by awarding a few medals for those we think offer you most for your buck.

New sires, of course, generally offer the worst value on the whole market, simply because most will never again command so high a fee. Even those who do manage to work their way into the elite must very often first suffer a slide before their genetic wares begin to be properly advertised on the track. Yet appalling numbers of mares are thrown at new sires every year, in the hope of stumbling across the one who gets a buzz at the sales. Sure enough, even in the event that his stock proves able to run as well as they can walk, those same mares will then be faithfully sent to the next new kid on the block.

Value is in the eye of the beholder, I guess, so we'll work on the quaint premise that a stallion is priced well if he has a better chance of producing a good racehorse than his market level might suggest. **Cont. p3**

'RISING STAR' MIHOS GEARING UP FOR SOPHOMORE CAMPAIGN

by *Jessica Martini*

Centennial Farms' **Mihos** (Cairo Prince), tabbed a 'TDN Rising Star' after his maiden-breaking score at Aqueduct Nov. 24, recorded his first work at Palm Meadows Training Center Monday, going four furlongs in :50.00 (17/22). The bay colt could be in line for a first stakes assignment in the one-mile Mucho Macho Man S. Jan. 5 at Gulfstream Park.

"He worked well," trainer Jimmy Jerkens said Monday afternoon. "He worked with a stablemate of his, Illudere (Ghostzapper), a decent 3-year-old. The track looked like it was a little on the slow side, but they went the way they were supposed to go for this first go-around."

Mihos worked four furlongs in :51.10 at Belmont Park Dec. 5 and shipped south to Jerkens's winter base last week.

"We just got down here on Wednesday," Jerkens said. "So this was the first work for both of them since they got here."

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PEDIGREE INSIGHTS: ADMIRE MARS

Andrew Caulfield examines the pedigree of undefeated G1 Asahi Hai victor **Admire Mars (Jpn)** (Daiwa Major [Jpn]).

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The Last Word with Dale Romans. Dale Romans, pictured above with canine friend Duke at Saratoga this summer, is among the world's top trainers. His wins include the G1 Dubai World Cup, the G1 Preakness, the G1 Travers, three Breeders' Cup races, and in 2012 an Eclipse Award as the sport's top trainer. But there's a lot more to the person than what you see on the racetrack. [Click here](#) to read "The Last Word" in this month's TDN Weekend. | Sarah Andrew

MCKINZIE HEADS BAFFERT'S MALIBU TRIO

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Trainer Bob Baffert has three likely starters in the Dec. 26 G1 Malibu S., led by Grade I winner McKinzie (Street Sense) who worked a bullet six furlongs at Santa Anita Sunday.

NJ SENATE APPROVES RACING PURSE SUBSIDY BILL

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The New Jersey state Senate unanimously passed a bill which will guarantee a five-year \$10-million annual purse subsidy for Monmouth Park. The bill still needs to pass the State Assembly and be signed into law by the governor.



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2019 Kentucky Sires: First Covers (cont. from p1)

Nowhere else to start a review of this intake but **Justify** (Scat Daddy), who finds himself in a rather curious position. Retired to Ashford at \$150,000, a fee perfectly commensurate with his meteoric career, at any time over the past generation he would be a unique proposition. As it is, he isn't even the only young Triple Crown winner on his own farm.

Someday the pair will perhaps end up dating each other's daughters, for a little Storm Cat inbreeding, but for now the sale yields of American Pharoah (Pioneer of the Nile) confirm how the Coolmore team can put their shoulders to the wheel even for a stallion starting at such a giddy fee.

Often physical matching is fairly nuanced, but few champions of recent times have retired with such blatant potential to transfer brawn and power as well as class. Justify threw all that into Classic dirt assets, carrying his speed relentlessly, but his sire and grandsire should embolden top European breeders to back him for versatility too.



Click above for video footage of Justify

He will be beyond most pockets but **Mendelssohn** (Scat Daddy)--starting at the same farm on \$35,000--shares a sire with Justify and sometimes appeared also to have a good portion of his talent, notably when winning the G2 UAE Derby in his dirt debut by 18 1/2 lengths.

If Mendelssohn fails, we can all give up because he has the whole package. A Keeneland sale-topper, a Breeders' Cup winner at two, elite form on both surfaces, and the standout stallion's pedigree of the intake: half-brother not just to a self-made sensation in Into Mischief, but also to 11-time Grade I winner Beholder.

A theory developed that he wasn't quite seeing out the trip, but then no horse could when exposed to such a wild pace in

the GI Jockey Club Gold Cup. Unfortunately a gruelling campaign seemed to have caught up with him by the time he was dropped in distance for his final start.

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TAPIT
AMERICA'S LEADING SIRE BY 2018 GRADED STAKES HORSES

Tapit's 26th GSH of 2018, Dream Pauline wins the Sugar Swirl Stakes (G3)

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Mendelssohn would surely have repaid perseverance if kept in training, granted more refined tactics. Conceivably he will be able to make immediate commercial sense of his starting fee. If he does happen to tread water at any stage, however, he will definitely be worth following through.

Ashford's other rookie is **Mo Town** (Uncle Mo), who like Justify bears those skilled Gunther fingerprints. He looked the real deal as a juvenile, winning the Gil Remsen S., and regrouped at three to show a lively turn of foot on turf in the GI Hollywood Derby. His dam was highly regarded until derailed by injury, and was out of a Grade I-placed mare, while the fifth dam is sister to none other than Raise A Native. A recent visit to Ashford confirmed him a very athletic model, and he has been given every chance at \$12,500.

Another farm starting up a trio of rookies is Lane's End--whose \$20,000 fee for **Accelerate** (Lookin At Lucky), Justify's only challenger as Horse of the Year, looks extraordinarily aggressive. Okay, so that is no more than his own sire can command, but that's another story, as he too is great value. And it's not as though Accelerate has that plain a page: brothers placed at Grade I and Grade III level, and their dam is a stakes-placed half-sister to a Grade I winner. He is also inbred to a Broodmare of the Year: fifth dam Smartaire, whose son Smarten is broodmare sire of Lookin At Lucky's sire Smart Strike.



Click above for video footage of Accelerate

Lane's End clearly know what they are about, so if they feel obliged to offer such an accomplished animal at this kind of money, the only possible inference is that the priorities of commercial breeders are certifiably deranged. Accelerate's virtues of soundness and relentless progress are precisely the kind of thing we should be replicating in the breed; and no less than you would expect browsing through his pedigree. Starting with a dam by Awesome Again, son of the fabled broodmare sire Deputy Minister, and taking in one resonant Classic sire after another on both sides: second dam a grand-daughter of Damascus, etc.

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2018 Leading USA Sires

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Rk	Stallion	YOB	SW's
1	SCAT DADDY	2004	19
-	War Front	2002	19
3	Into Mischief	2005	18
4	UNCLE MO	2008	17
-	Kitten's Joy	2001	17
-	English Channel	2002	17
-	Quality Road	2006	17
8	Curlin	2004	16
-	Speightstown	1998	16
-	Candy Ride	1999	16
11	Distorted Humor	1993	15
12	Tapit	2001	14
-	More Than Ready	1997	14

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3 juvenile SW's in 2018 including **GALILEAN**, pictured winning the **King Glorious Stakes-L.** by **9 lengths** at Los Alamitos on Sunday

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His looks were underwritten by a \$380,000 yearling docket signed by one of the best judges in the business, plenty for a sire so underrated at the sales. Let's hope there's nothing self-fulfilling, in that respect, about Accelerate's fee. Even if that were to be the case, he will remain insane value for the end-user.

As such, it almost feels invidious to invite his two new studmates to justify a higher fee. But **City of Light** (Quality Road) shares very similar assets to those observed in Mendelssohn in also starting at \$35,000. Another great physical, attested by his \$710,000 KEESEP tag; and ultimately an even better track CV, his three Grade I wins were crowned by a brilliant exhibition of speed in the Breeders' Cup Dirt Mile.

Above all, his family brings together a superb mesh of broodmare sires: his dam is by Deputy Minister's son Dehere, and his Grade I-winning second dam (who produced a Grade I winner by Deputy Minister) is by Somethingfabulous, half-brother to two great distaff influences in Secretariat and Sir Gaylord. In fact, their dam Somethingroyal runs a dye across the pedigree: Secretariat is broodmare sire of Dehere; while Quality Road's sire Elusive Quality features Secretariat and Sir Ivor, a grandson of Somethingroyal, as the respective damsires of his sire and dam.

Under the third dam, incidentally, are a series of elite turf runners. Granted the interesting variegation in Quality Road's own family tree, City Of Light should be on the radar of any European breeders with the imagination to see past his trademark local asset of carrying speed on dirt.

He'd be a personal preference over **West Coast** (Flatter), whose page hinges largely on the shock Breeders' Cup success of his dam, but he will doubtless have his supporters at the same fee.



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Though he proved unable to win at four, you cannot "lose" more lucratively than by finishing second in both the GI Pegasus World Cup Invitational and G1 Dubai World Cup; and if beating all three Classic winners in the GI Travers S. last year is a fairly technical credit, in that nobody would sensibly propose that they all remained in the same form that day, the bottom line was that he ended up 3-year-old champion.

Mind you, if West Coast gets \$35,000 and Gun Runner \$70,000, then you have to say that Airdrie's **Collected** (City Zip) is value at \$17,500 after splitting them in the 2017 Classic. We all admire his late sire more than ever, and he collected triple-digit Beyers for fun. In a way, Collected was a victim of his own success against Arrogate (Unbridled's Song), who soon proved to be on the wane; conversely Accelerate (Lookin At Lucky) was still on the rise when next home in the GI Pacific Classic. But Collected has the looks and, from the family of Blushing Groom, owes his first four dams to Johannesburg, Danehill, Lyphard and Alleged. He carried his speed in classic dirt fashion, but nobody could be surprised if he also ended up a major force in the burgeoning turf programme. He's another the Euros should definitely be checking out.

The Airdrie team, who did such a good job launching Cairo Prince (Pioneerof the Nile), have also given **McCraken** (Ghostzapper) every chance at \$10,000. It's a fast and classy family: he's out of a GSP half-sister to a Grade I winner, the pair out of a Grade I runner-up. The solitary graded stakes-winning juvenile by the mighty Ghostzapper, McCraken was nailed only on the line in GI Haskell Invitational S. and had that miler's turn of foot breeders so like to see.

Of the three Classic winners down the field behind West Coast in the Travers, meanwhile, **Always Dreaming** (Bodemeister) gets the highest ticket from WinStar at \$25,000. Everyone accepts that you now need a pretty long memory to remember the champ he looked in the Kentucky Derby. His subsequent derailment, however, should not detract from what he had achieved to that point, melting the clock in the GI Florida Derby and then carrying his speed through a brutal pace on the big day.

That was no less than he was entitled to do, granted a page that mixes a trademark Classic sire-line with some quality speed along the bottom: he's out of the very fast Grade I-placed Above Perfection (In Excess {Ire}), who has besides produced another Grade I winner and now a runaway winner of the GII Demoiselle S. (Nice to see Somethingfabulous in exactly the same slot as in City of Light's pedigree, too.)

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TWIRLING CANDY

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Rank	Stallion	ABCi	Fee
1	WAR FRONT	2.68	\$250,000
2	TWIRLING CANDY	2.27	\$25,000
3	CURLIN	2.25	\$175,000
4	UNCLE MO	2.21	\$125,000
5	TAPIT	2.19	\$225,000

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Tapwrit (Tapit) was a \$1.2 million Saratoga yearling and, having started to pay that back as a Belmont winner, gets to work alongside his sire at Gainesway at \$12,500. Like the other two Classic winners, he could not go on, but he's a fine specimen out of a Grade I-winning 2-year-old (whose Grade II winner Ride A Comet (Candy Ride {Arg}) reportedly stays in training). The farm will be giving him the best possible shot, granted how young sons of Tapit in this kind of range will only gain competition with the ongoing improvement of his books.

Spendthrift start Preakness winner **Cloud Computing** (Maclean's Music) at \$7,500. His Classic success (within three months of debut) stands out from the rest of his work, but he came from the first crop of a horse who notoriously disappeared after his only start and, between them, there's clearly a lot of raw talent floating around. He looks the part, too, as yet another who started out with an outlying yearling tag. His Grade II- placed dam by A.P. Indy is out of a Grade I winner; in fact proper Classic sires are seamless through generations four and five. So while he comes with risks, he has been priced accordingly and you never know.

The farm that gambled on Cloud Computing's sire, Hill 'n' Dale, launches another brilliant but troubled animal in **Army Mule** (Friesian Fire) at \$10,000. There's no question he had wild ability. An \$825,000 2-year-old, he won a Grade I by 6 1/4 lengths on

only his third start. Unfortunately it was also the final one of a career that did not last four minutes. He made hay while the sun shone, anyhow, winning by an aggregate 22 lengths in monster times, and they say he fills the eye. There have obviously been some hugely influential stallions that were similarly too-fast-to-last, albeit often with pedigrees to paper over the cracks, and there's no shortage of traders in this game who might roll the dice on the "fast" bit.



Click above for video footage of Good Magic

But Hill 'n' Dale's headline recruit at \$35,000 is Kentucky Derby runner-up **Good Magic** (Curlin), a champion juvenile who also had an authoritative Grade I score at three. **Cont. p8**

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Yet another to have made his first splash in the sales ring--a seven-figure yearling--Good Magic would probably have won the Preakness as well as the Derby but for Justify, having torn off the gloves with the champ at Pimlico. Pity he's not sticking around to exploit his rival's retirement, but at least he showed toughness as well as class during the time he did get on the track. His Grade II-placed dam is one of half a dozen stakes winners out of a Miswaki (oh yes) half-sister to Grade I winner and producer Magical Maiden.

Bolt d'Oro (Medaglia d'Oro) finished third to Good Magic in the Juvenile but was previously a dual Grade I winner--a precocious achievement for a Classic-bred son of Medaglia d'Oro out of an A.P. Indy mare. His sophomore career was another that tapered off, but his status as clearly one of the best of his generation translates into a fee of \$25,000 at Spendthrift. A physique that combines scope and elegance augurs well for only the second American son of his sire to have won a Grade I at two. The other is Violence, who is shaping so well--and you have to like a second dam by Lord at War (Arg), broodmare sire of Pioneer of the Nile and Raven's Pass.

Spendthrift also welcome **Mor Spirit** (Eskendereya) at \$10,000, which would have sounded mighty generous the day he added the stallion-making GI Met Mile, by half the stretch for a 117 Beyer, to his Grade I win at two. Unfortunately he had a fallow 2018, so let's hope he can remind us that we lost a potentially fertile conduit of Giant's Causeway when his sire was exported to Japan so early in his career. His family, which also produced Stellar Wind (Curlin), gives him a nice, old-fashioned profile matched by a very fair price.



Click above for video footage of Sharp Azteca

Much the same holds true of the horse who followed him home (off a post-Dubai lay-off) in the Met, **Sharp Azteca** (Freud). He, too, ended up basically writing off 2018, no reflection on his superb consistency through a relentless schedule of demanding races beforehand.

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With Giant's Causeway sadly gone, and his brother Freud now 20, Sharp Azteca has a future to play for at Three Chimneys off \$10,000; quite apart from keeping alive the legacy of Saint Liam through his dam. A dasher in looks and deeds, he crowned his resume with a five-length win in the GI Cigar Mile (115 Beyer) and a deep family is seeded top-to-bottom by Classic influences.

This year's Met Mile winner **Bee Jersey** (Jersey Town) arrives at Darby Dan very competitively priced at \$5,000. He was given an unconventional grounding in Dubai but blossomed at four as one of the fastest milers around, wiring the Met field for a 109 Beyer. While some may hesitate with his sire now standing for \$3,000 in California--and let's at least give him credit for coming up with a horse this fast from his first crop--Bee Jersey is from one of the very best families in the book, with pervasive Classic seeding. He has the looks too, so you really couldn't rule out a rags-to-riches story here.

Another Charles Fipke homebred bringing an immaculate bottom line to Kentucky is **Tale of Verve** (Tale of Ekati), tracing directly to the Claiborne mare Continue, whose daughters produced Forty Niner and Swale. And right close up are the Grade I "Z" team of Zoftig (Cozzene), Zaftig (Gone West) and Zo Impressive (Hard Spun). Fipke has his own way of doing things--witness promoting this horse from maiden to Classic company to chase home American Pharoah (Pioneerof the Nile) in the Preakness--but every purist has to appreciate the depth of blood underpinning these two horses. You can tap into Tale of Verve's for just \$2,000 at C.F. Farms.

Free Drop Billy (Union Rags) starts alongside Mor Spirit at Spendthrift at the same fee, \$10,000. A Grade I winner at two, he's out of a terrific mare in Trensa (Giant's Causeway) from the family of the splendid Cozzene. In fact there's a fair bit of turf in this horse's background. His subsequent disappearance suggests that there may have been other issues behind his disappointing experiment on grass at Saratoga, so it might yet be that Free Drop Billy can become a versatile influence.



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Speaking of which, nice to see Mill Ridge again standing a top-class horse of transatlantic appeal in **Oscar Performance** (Kitten's Joy) at \$20,000. He's a four-time Grade I winner, across ages two to four, with zero Lasix. Kitten's Joy famously earned his stripes with limited mares but the one who produced Oscar Performance traces back to the influential Lady Pitt; and her previous tryst with Kitten's Joy produced the dual Grade I-placed Oscar Nominated.

Good Samaritan (Harlan's Holiday), third to Oscar Performance in the Breeders' Cup Juvenile Turf, looks reasonably priced by WinStar at \$12,500. He made a successful switch to dirt to win the GI Jim Dandy, failed by just half a length to crack a Grade I in the Clark H., and his family gets better the farther you go back. He showed up time and again, through his first career, and you suspect he's gonna get busy again as he embarks on his second.

Funtastic (More Than Ready) landed his Grade I shock on turf in the United Nations S. and, if he rather stole that race from the front, then \$7,500 at Three Chimneys will get you some priceless genes: he's a half-brother to Saint Liam and to the dam of Gun Runner. **Cont. p10**

In terms of track career, **Ransom the Moon** (Malibu Moon) is a completely different proposition starting off the same fee at Calumet: a dirt sprinter, who beat champion Roy H (More Than Ready) in consecutive runnings of the GI Bing Crosby S. But that was hardly the kind of metier he was born for, with plenty of Classic blood through the page and evidently a physique to match. His second dam is a Grade I winner, so overall he looks an interesting genetic lucky dip.

CHRIS MCGRATH'S VALUE PODIUM:

Gold: Accelerate \$20,000, Lane's End

Silver: Collected \$17,500, Airdrie; Sharp Azteca \$10,000, Three Chimneys

Bronze: Bee Jersey \$5,000, Darby Dan; City Of Light \$35,000, Lane's End; Mor Spirit \$10,000, Spendthrift

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A Daily Roundup of Racing Articles in Non-Industry Media

Hard work or cheating? Successful thoroughbred trainer Norm McKnight says unproven allegations are taking their toll

Trainer Norm McKnight sent out three winners, the final winner marking his 120th victory of the season, breaking Mark Casse's record of 119. The silence from Woodbine Entertainment was deafening. **Steve Buffery, Toronto Sun**



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Mihos Gearing Up for Sophomore Campaign

(cont. from p1)

As for what is next for Mihos, Jerkens said, “We will nominate to the Mucho Macho Man and see how his next work goes. That will give us a better idea.”

Mihos, a \$320,000 Keeneland September purchase, finished third behind subsequent GIII Nashua S. winner Vekoma (Candy Ride {Arg}) in his six-furlong debut at Belmont Sept. 23. Favored at 3-5 in his second outing and again going six furlongs, the handsome bay strode home an effortless 1 1/4-length winner despite a wide trip ([video](#)).



Mihos | Elsa Lorieul

“I thought his first race was a key race--the two horses who finished in front of him came back and ran good,” Jerkens said. “And he came back and won pretty handily. He lost a lot of ground and he still looked like he won pretty easily. He acts like he’s pretty genuine and he looks like he’s all business. So we’re pretty excited about him.”

Also Monday at Palm Meadows, Jerkens sent out multiple graded stakes winner **Holy Helena** (Ghostzapper) to work four furlongs in a bullet :48.00 (1/22).

“She is nominated to the [Dec. 29] Via Borghese,” Jerkens said. “It’s not set in stone, but it’s a logical spot to get her back going again. It looks like the distance is good, 1 3/16 miles seems to be her thing.”

Holy Helena, winner of the 2017 Queen’s Plate and Canada’s champion 3-year-old filly that season, captured last year’s GII Sheepshead Bay S. and GIII The Very One S. She was most recently third in the Nov. 3 GIII Turnback the Alarm S.

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MCKINZIE HEADS BAFFERT’S MALIBU TRIO

Trainer Bob Baffert has three likely starters set to line up in the Dec. 26 GI Malibu S., led by GI Pennsylvania Derby winner **McKinzie** (Street Sense). The sophomore colt, looking to rebound from a 12th-place finish in the Nov. 3 GI Breeders’ Cup Classic, worked six furlongs in a bullet 1:13.20 (1/23) Sunday at Santa Anita.



McKinzie | Equi-Photo

“He worked really nice,” Baffert said Monday. “He’s doing really well. I freshened him up a little after the Breeders’ Cup, and, in retrospect, he wasn’t ready to go a mile and a quarter... but I thought I had him back. The Breeders’ Cup took me out of my normal program. It’s a lot of money and it seemed right, but he just didn’t show up. I like the way he’s training here for seven-eighths.”

Ax Man (Misremembered), off since finishing third in the July 14 GIII Los Alamitos Derby, earned the bullet for his six-furlong work at Santa Anita Saturday when he covered the distance in 1:12.20 (1/19).

“He’s doing really well,” Baffert said of the gelding. “We cut him. He had a meltdown at Churchill Downs [when third in the June 16 GIII] Matt Winn], so we gave him some time off and he’s been working exceptionally well.”

Also expected for the Malibu is **Solomini** (Curlin), who has not raced since finishing third in the June 10 GIII Affirmed S. The chestnut colt worked six furlongs Saturday in 1:13.60 (4/19).

“Solomini is coming off a layoff and has been freshened up,” Baffert said. “He’s an off-the-pace sort. I’d prefer running him in a little allowance race, but the Malibu is a Grade I, and when you have horses with their breeding, you have to take a shot.”

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NJ SENATE UNANIMOUSLY APPROVES RACING PURSE SUBSIDY BILL

The New Jersey state Senate passed a bill that would guarantee a five-year, \$10-million annual purse subsidy for Monmouth Park by a 40-0 vote Monday. The vote came one week after the Senate Budget and Appropriations Committee approved the bill by a vote of 13-0 and sets it up for a vote in the State Assembly in early January. Should the bill pass the Assembly, Governor Phil Murphy would need to approve it before it becomes law.

Beginning in 2019, Bill 2992 would appropriate \$20 million per year out of the state's general fund to be divided equally between the state's Thoroughbred and Standardbred industries. Monmouth Park--which hosts a brief meet at the Meadowlands in the Fall--is the only operating Thoroughbred racetrack in the state, so 100% of the Thoroughbred industry's allotment would be dedicated toward overnight purses at the Oceanport oval.

The subsidy would presumably provide a much-needed boost to the racing industry in the state, which has struggled to stay afloat in the years since Governor Chris Christie eliminated a \$17-million annual purse supplement funded by Atlantic City casinos in 2011.

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CLASS 1A & 2A POSITIVES AT CANTERBURY

by T.D. Thornton

Positive post-race tests for Class 1A and 2A prohibited substances at Canterbury Park have resulted in \$2,500 fines and 90-day suspensions for two trainers.

The penalties imposed upon Ray E. Tracy, Jr. and Judd William Becker could have been doubled. But their \$5,000 fines/180-day suspensions were halved as the result of a Dec. 13 negotiation with the Minnesota Racing Commission (MRC). Under the terms of the deal, half the amount of the penalties will be stayed in exchange for a clean one-year probation, the trainers' acknowledgement that they violated the rules, and their agreeing not to further appeal the case.

"It was a negotiated settlement," Tom DiPasquale, the MRC's executive director, told *TDN* on Monday. "In Minnesota, our statute requires contested cases for penalties or suspensions beyond a certain amount. [The trainers'] exposure [to penalization] was more than what we settled for. But we think they're fair penalties given the circumstances, the prior rulings history of the licensees, and the gravity of the offense."

DiPasquale said Tracy had two horses test positive for pemoline, which is listed as a Class 1A drug (the most dangerous category) on the Association of Racing Commissioners International [Uniform Classification of Foreign Substances list](#).

Pemoline (often branded Cylert) is a central nervous system stimulant used in humans to treat attention-deficit hyperactivity disorder and narcolepsy.

In 2017, the Racing Medication & Testing Consortium (RMTC) issued an advisory related to the off-brand use of the common deworming drug Levamisole causing some horses to metabolize it into pemoline, which could trigger a positive test.

Tracy's two positives came from Oh Newman (Munnings), who ran sixth in a Sept. 1 starter-optional claimer, and According to Aspen (English Channel), who ran second in a Sept. 2 allowance.

DiPasquale said Becker was penalized for cardarine, which was only very recently proposed for 2A classification by the ARCI. Although initially marketed as a drug to prevent human prostate and breast tumors, a Google search reveals numerous hits for its use as a muscle-building and endurance elixir for bodybuilders.

Becker's positive belonged to Bushrod (Grey Memo), who finished first in the \$100,000 Mystic Lake Turf Express S. Aug. 25.

In a written comment regarding cardarine, the National Horsemen's Benevolent and Protective Associate submitted the following memo prior to 20 of 21 RMTC members voting for its proposed 2A classification:

"At present, cardarine, we know has similar properties to zipaterol and ractopamine and they are both currently in class 2A. However, we are also aware cardarine is being used by bodybuilders and may very well be a substance where environmental contamination could become an issue. Again, if that arises, we need to be prepared to address these as such with less severe rulings/suspensions/fines."

DiPasquale said that although he could not discuss details of the negotiated settlement beyond what appears in the rulings, he could confirm that the MRC did not consider the positives to be the result of any accidental (i.e., from the hands of a groom) or environmental (like tainted feed) contamination.

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ALFIERI, REED APPOINTED TO CHR B

California Governor Edmund G. Brown, Jr. has appointed Dennis Alfieri and Debra Reed to the California Horse Racing Board of Directors. Alfieri has been chief executive officer of the Sheriff's Youth Foundation since 2017. He was principal and a founding partner at Bantry Property Services LLC from 2005 to 2010 and general partner and founder of Twin Palms Restaurants from 1991 to 2005. Reed held several positions at Sempra Energy from 2010 to 2018, including executive chairman, chairman, president and chief executive officer and executive vice president. These appointments require Senate confirmation and the compensation is \$100 per diem.

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FROSTED ADDED TO FOAL PATROL LINE-UP

Darley stallion Frosted has been added to the line-up for the second season of the National Museum of Racing and Hall of Fame’s Foal Patrol. The 6-year-old, winner of the 2016 GI Metropolitan H., will be the season’s only stallion. Live cameras will provide coverage of his daily routine in his paddock and stall at Jonabell Farm.



Frosted | Louise Reinagel

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The Breeders’ Cup has unveiled the official logo for its 2019 championship weekend, which will be held Nov. 1 and 2 at Santa Anita.

“Santa Anita Park has witnessed some of the most exciting World Championships in Breeders’ Cup history, and we’re very much looking forward to our return in 2019,” said Craig Fravel, President and CEO of Breeders’ Cup. “The logo we’ve developed for the 2019 event perfectly intertwines the Breeders’ Cup and Santa Anita Park brands--two of the most prestigious in racing--and serves as a perfect representation of our record-breaking 10th running at this great venue.”



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All currently enrolled college students can enter the random drawing at any of three official sweepstakes entry tables, located at three different admission gates; the East Admission Gate, adjacent to the Clubhouse East Gate, the South Admission Gate, next to the Jockeys' Room, and the Infield Thoroughbreds Club Center, next to the center fountain.

Students may also enter in advance of opening day at santaanita.com/college. Online entries must be made prior to 4 p.m. PT Dec. 20.

The opening-day card also includes the GII Mathis Brothers Mile. The Oklahoma-based company is a major supporter of Thoroughbred racing and philanthropic causes and has a retail outlet near Santa Anita in Ontario, California.

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IN ORDER OF PURSE:

4th-Parx Racing, \$56,300, Msw, 12-17, 2yo, f, 6f, 1:13.33, gd.
HEY MAMALUKE (f, 2, Jump Start--Pu Dew, by Lucky Lionel)
 showed a modest local worktab for this debut and was hustled
 away to dictate terms as a 42-5 proposition. Jumping a shadow
 early, the homebred rattled off a :22.36 quarter, widened past a
 :46.62 half and never gave any closers a chance en route to a
 10 3/4-length rout. Fellow firster Morning Sunrise (Morning
 Line) completed the exacta at 21-1, ahead of 2-5 chalk Risaalaat
 (Daaher). The victress has a yearling half-sister by El Padrino and
 her dam, an 18-time winner, was bred to Uncle Lino this term.
 Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$37,800. **Click for the Equibase.com**
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 O/B-Joseph Capriglione (PA); T-Patricia Farro.



IN SOUTH KOREA:

Pro Hamseong, c, 2, Itsmyluckyday--Battle Creek Lady, by
 Cowtown Cat. Seoul, 12-16, Hcp. (\$66k), 1000m. B-EICO
 Ventures (FL). *14th winner for freshman sire (by Lawyer Ron).
 **\$30,000 2yo '18 OBSAPR.
Global Captain, c, 2, Munnings--Queen Mercury, by Langfuhr.
 Seoul, 12-16, Hcp. (\$66k), 1200m. B-Ellen B Kill Kelley (KY).
 *Won by five lengths as the 1-5 favorite to remain perfect in
 three career starts. **\$17,000 Ylg '17 FTKJUL; \$25,000 Ylg '17
 FTMOCT; \$35,000 2yo '18 OBSAPR.



Another Yearling Graduate from Stuart Morris, Agent
Magical Choice, c, 3, Flat Out--Swampoodle, by Broken Vow.
 Seoul, 12-16, Hcp. (\$53k), 1300m. B-Ellen B Kill Kelley (KY).
 *\$7,000 Ylg '16 FTKOCT.

Tiz Plan, c, 3, Tizway--Amusing Plan, by Pleasantly Perfect.
 Seoul, 12-15, Hcp. (\$80k), 1800m. B-Three Chimneys Farm LLC
 (KY). *1/2 to Street Moxie (Street Sense), SP, \$170,831.
 **\$25,000 RNA Ylg '16 KEESEP.

Jjang Kong, c, 3, Tizway--Carrietta (SP, \$299,340), by Stephen
 Got Even. Seoul, 12-15, Hcp. (\$66k), 1400m. B-Maharg
 Management Inc (KY). *Scored his third victory from four
 starts, drawing off by six lengths as the 2-5 chalk. **\$9,500 Ylg
 '16 OBSAUG; \$37,000 2yo '17 OBSAPR.

IN QATAR:

Al Shaman, c, 4, War Front--Communique (MGSW & GISP,
 \$594,841), by Smart Strike. Al Rayyan, 12-16, Hcp., 2000mT,
 2:04.12. B-G Watts Humphrey Jr (KY). *1/2 to Woodfield
 Springs (Raven's Pass), GSP, \$137,713. **\$600,000 Ylg '15
 KEESEP. **VIDEO**



IN JAPAN:

Zeruch, c, 2, Awesome Again--Heavenly Romance (Jpn)
 (MSW-Jpn, \$3,527,120), by Sunday Silence. Sapporo, 12-16,
 Novice Race, 12f. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-, \$48,796. O-Shinji
 Maeda; B-North Hills Co. Limited (KY); T-Mikio Matsunaga.
 *1/2 to Awardee (Jungle Pocket {Jpn}), MGSW & MG1SP-Jpn,
 \$4,002,354; Amour Briller (Smart Strike), MSW-Jpn,
 \$2,317,880; and Lani (Tapit), GSW-UAE, GISP-US, \$1,671,708.
 ***"It was all down to the stable staff who did a great job with
 him," said winning hoop Katsuma Sameshima. "I was able to
 keep him on the rail at the corners and in a good rhythm."

Hakumokuren, f, 2, Shanghai Bobby--Conway Two Step, by
 Spanish Steps. Nakayama, 12-15, Maiden Race, 9f. Lifetime
 Record: 1-1-0-0, \$61,947. O-Kazuko Yoshida; B-Loren Nichols
 (FL); T-Kiyoshi Hagiwara. **VIDEO.** *\$175,000 Ylg '17 FTNAUG;
 \$200,000 2yo '18 FTFMAR. ***"I have been provided many
 chances to work her regularly," said winning jockey Kosei
 Miura. "I did not plan to take the lead, but because of her
 impressive speed, we set the pace. It was very windy, but she
 toughed it out."

Boston Tesoro, f, 2, Temple City--Spirited Away (SW-US,
 \$133,683), by Awesome Again. Nakayama, 12-16, Novice Race,
 6f. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-1, \$55,752. O-Kenji Ryotokujii
 Holdings; B-Spendthrift Farm LLC (KY); T-Hiroyasu Tanaka.
 *1/2 to Prospective (Malibu Moon), MGSW-US, \$719,130.
VIDEO. "She put on some weight and improved a lot," said
 winning jockey Kosei Miura. "Thanks to the stable staff who
 have taken great care of her."

Jasper Prince, c, 3, Violence--Ambitious Journey, by Bernardini.
 Hanshin, 12-15, Plate Race, 7f. Lifetime Record: 9-2-1-0,
 \$107,522. O-Kazuo Kato; B-Hill 'n' Dale Equine Holdings, Inc

(KY); T-Hideyuki Mori. *\$60,000 Ylg '16 KEESEP; \$100,000 2yo '17 OBSMAR. **"He did not give up at all when he was dueling in the stretch," said jockey Yasunari Iwata.

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 6-Zia, Msw 6f, OAKES CROSSING, 10-1

STAKES RESULTS:

JEFFREY A. HAWK MEMORIAL S., \$75,000, Remington, 12-16, 3yo/up, 1m 70y, 1:42.62, ft.

1--**LONE ROCK, 119, c, 3, Majestic Warrior--Ruby Lips (GSP), by Hard Spun. 1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN.** (\$55,000 Ylg '16 FTKJUL). O-Shortleaf Stable, Inc.; B-Town & Country Horse Farms, LLC & Pollock Farms (KY); T-William B. Van Meter; J-Alex L. Canchari. \$45,000. Lifetime Record: 12-4-1-1, \$155,255.

2--**Harlan Punch**, 124, g, 5, Harlan's Holiday--Indy Punch, by Pulling Punches. (\$170,000 RNA Ylg '14 KEESEP). O-Front Row Racing LLC, Ten Strike Racing, Kevin McReynolds & Bob Miller; B-Rosemont Farm LLC (KY); T-Brad H. Cox. \$15,000.

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3--**Mocito Rojo**, 124, c, 4, Mutadda--Blushing Royale, by Orientate. O-Wayne T. Davis; B-Paul & Andrena Van Doren (KY); T-Shane Wilson. \$8,250.

Margins: NK, NK, 1HF. Odds: 6.10, 4.50, 3.20.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

3rd-Mahoning Valley, \$32,000, (NW3X)/Opt. Clm (\$25,000), 12-17, 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:07.11, ft.

KATALUST (m, 5, Munnings--The Cat's Reach, by Bernstein)
 Lifetime Record: MSP, 21-6-7-2, \$252,360. O-Looch Racing Stables, Inc.; B-R R Equine Stables, LLC (OH); T-Jeffrey A. Radosevich. *\$60,000 Ylg '14 FTKOCT. **1/2 to Yougotthatgoinforu (Student Council), MSP, \$461,877.

7th-Mahoning Valley, \$31,300, (S), 12-17, (NW1X), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:16.07, ft.

STORMY JUSTICE (m, 5, Regal Ransom--Exciting Avenue, by Avenue of Flags) Lifetime Record: 16-4-2-3, \$60,647. O/T-Bryan Metz; B-Justice Farm, Greg Justice (OH). *\$5,000 RNA Ylg '14 KEESEP; \$2,000 Ylg '14 PEDIND.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Kelli's Smile, g, 2, Uptowncharlybrown--Ambling Rose, by Montbrook. Parx Racing, 12-17, (S), 6 1/2f, 1:21.64. B-Fantasy Lane Stables (PA). *Full to Charlybrown's Rose, SP, \$152,168.

Maga Party, f, 3, Saint Augustus--Imperial Aly, by Imperial Cat. Zia, 12-17, 5 1/2f, 1:05.08. B-Debra M Gotovac (TX). *1ST-TIME STARTER.



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JUMP START, Hey Mamaluke, f, 2, o/o Pu Dew, by Lucky Lionel. MSW, 12-17, Parx Racing

MAJESTIC WARRIOR, Lone Rock, c, 3, o/o Ruby Lips, by Hard Spun. Jeffrey A. Hawk Memorial S., 12-16, Remington

MUNNINGS, Katalust, m, 5, o/o The Cat's Reach, by Bernstein. AOC, 12-17, Mahoning Valley

REGAL RANSOM, Stormy Justice, m, 5, o/o Exciting Avenue, by Avenue of Flags. ALW, 12-17, Mahoning Valley

SAINT AUGUSTUS, Maga Party, f, 3, o/o Imperial Aly, by Imperial Cat. MSW, 12-17, Zia

UPTOWNCHARLYBROWN, Kelli's Smile, g, 2, o/o Ambling Rose, by Montbrook. MSW, 12-17, Parx Racing



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