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TAPIT SCALES HISTORIC NEW PEAK



Tapit | Sarah Andrew

by Chris McGrath

And suddenly it feels as though the milestones have run out, leaving the road ahead tapering to some unmapped horizon. Because from now on, every dime earned by the progeny of **Tapit** will take him deeper into record territory. The success of Perfect Grace in a maiden at Saratoga on Saturday--and neither the setting nor the mating that produced this filly, with Horse of the Year Havre De Grace (Saint Liam), could be more commensurate with the moment--took their collective haul past the late Giant's Causeway's current tally of \$173,015,900 as the most productive stallion, measured by prizemoney, in the history of the American Turf.

Given that it was only last year that he relegated Smart Strike to third, at \$151 million, the Gainesway phenomenon is plainly going to set a pretty daunting record by the time he is done.

Having turned 20, admittedly, he is now at an age that prohibits complacency. But his nearest active pursuers are all older still, with zero chance of closing the gap, and we will have to wait and see whether fate favors the 16-year-old Into Mischief--himself at a significant landmark, with his stock almost simultaneously breaking \$100 million in earnings--with sufficient opportunity to maintain his freakish output.

Spendthrift, of course, are maximizing quantity along with quality in Into Mischief's books.

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SAFE CONDUCT SERVES UP PLATE WIN

WellSpring Stables' New York invader **Safe Conduct** (Bodemeister) pressed, pounced and just held off the late-charging **Riptide Rock** (Point of Entry) to win the 162nd Queen's Plate in a dramatic finish at Woodbine Sunday. With top U.S. jockey Irad Ortiz riding in his first Queen's Plate, the 3-1 favorite was under a hold while tracking longshot pacesetter **Take a Chance** (**Munnings**) through fractions of :24.01 and :48.37. The bay colt, making his first start over the synthetics, rolled up to challenge the pacesetter nearing the stretch and strode to the lead under his own steam. He was determinedly holding off a host of challengers at midstretch, but it was 11-1 shot Riptide Rock closing furiously down the center of the track who came closest to scoring the upset, missing by just a head.

After experiencing his first Plate victory, Ortiz said, "It's a great feeling always to come here. It's my pleasure to come here. I've got a lot of fans. They showed me some love. I really enjoyed it."

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The morning after her win in the Smart N Fancy S., Piedi Bianchi (Overanalyze) poses for a photo at the barn with Giovanni Navarro, Jordan Correa, Nelson Estay, and Carlos Martin. | Sarah Andrew

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Tapit Scales Historic New Peak *(cont. from p1)*

Into Mischief covered 248 mares last year, and presumably a further advance in his fee from \$175,000 to \$225,000 will not have prevented continued utilization of his fertility and libido this spring. Tapit, in contrast, was confined to 96 mares in 2020 after a book of 111 the previous year; and, though he evidently performed with undiminished virility this time round, Antony Beck has disclosed to TDN that traffic will be even more rigorously controlled henceforth.

"He's never bred really huge books but even at his age he had better fertility, breeding over 100 mares, than he did the year before," says Gainesway's owner. "But going forward, definitely, I think we want to be very responsible. I think we've always respected his abilities, and [most years] didn't breed him to much more than 140 mares. His libido remains excellent, so we're very excited about what he can still do. But he is our golden goose and they don't last forever. We're going to trim his book back quite significantly from now on."

This sounds typical of the temperate way Tapit has always been managed by Beck and his team. Apart from anything else, of course, their clients have always been confident that there won't be a glut of Tapit on the market, where his progeny has long performed as consistently as on the racetrack. Since he is also coveted by the elite breed-to-race programs, his yearlings have sometimes had no less value as "collector's items" than even War Front, whose conservative output is so familiar. In 2017, for instance, this pair finished first and second in the domestic yearling averages with virtually identical offerings: Tapit sent 38 into the ring, War Front 37; and they sold 24 and 23, respectively, at averages of \$791,458 and \$678,980. (Food for thought, perhaps, for those who view stallions with larger books as somehow more "commercial"!)



Regally bred Perfect Grace helped propel Tapit past Giant's Causeway Saturday for all-time progeny earnings | Sarah Andrew

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To be fair, even stallions under restrained management today cover far bigger books than those commanded by breed-shaping stallions like Danzig or Mr. Prospector. And when judged purely by progeny earnings, of course, inflation has set giants of the past at an even more obvious disadvantage (above all since the emergence of the modern megaprizes).

But there's no doubting the substance of Tapit's achievement, as one whose hallmark has long been consistency. His three consecutive titles, between 2014 and 2016, have been followed by finishes in the general sires' list of fourth, sixth, third and third; and his lifetime ratio of black-type performers to named foals exceeds an extraterrestrial 19%. He is, moreover, a paragon of the old school in terms of recycling the ability to carry speed through two turns, this summer becoming the only modern sire to match Lexington with a fourth winner of the GI Belmont S.

We have become so accustomed to his sturdiness, as a noble white pillar supporting the modern breed, that it's worth reminding ourselves how very precarious were some of the moments in his rise.

For one thing, Tapit really had to earn his stripes at stud. He was launched in 2005 at just \$15,000, and took a trim to \$12,500 to help keep him in the game in his third and fourth years. But stay in the game he did.

"I don't think he was ever close to really slipping through the cracks," Beck recalls. "He'd been enough of a 'talking horse' as a 2-year-old to keep breeders really interested. I remember being slightly dissatisfied with his fourth book of mares, that was probably his worst one, in their physicals. But he still got Grade I winners even then."



Antony Beck | Fasig-Tipton Photo

No, the moment when the tightrope had become a perilous thread had already come and gone: during his track career, when it took all the skill of Michael Dickinson to permit breeders an adequate glimpse of his attributes.

That is quite a paradox, given that the soundness and toughness he has imparted to his stock was never doubted, in **Tapit** himself, by his trainer. Misfortune, however, permitted a deceptive impression of fragility: plagued by a lung infection at three, **Tapit** managed only six career starts; and three of those were disappointing. But Dickinson explains that only a horse as tough as **Tapit**--only a horse, in fact, with the kind of heart that breeders should want to recycle--would have managed to add the GI Wood Memorial to the brilliant performances he had produced in both juvenile starts.

As such, the Wood was probably the most instructive moment of **Tapit's** track career. Having given him time to nurse the lung infection diagnosed after a dispiriting comeback in the GI Florida Derby, Dickinson knew the horse was nowhere near fit enough to be running for his place at Churchill on the first Saturday in May.

"My emotions that day were all over the place," Dickinson recalls. "Before the race, as usual, I was filled with anticipation and nervous energy. During the race, I could barely watch; and afterwards I had feelings of both relief and elation. I was so proud of him, and the team for the job that they did in getting him there."

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They tried to get him back for the GI Haskell Invitational, had to sit that out, and an attempt to regroup in the GII Pennsylvania Derby ultimately only hastened his retirement.

"Unfortunately we never managed to totally clear that up," Dickinson says of those bad scopes at three. "We don't know how good he might have been. It was such a shame as he was probably one of the soundest horses I have ever trained."

Tapit's stock is sometimes credited with high mettle but Dickinson argues that his Wood performance was instructive of the willpower that has become a far more uniform trademark.

"His personality and attitude, not just that day but every day, I'm sure played a huge part in him being so successful,"

Dickinson says. "He loved to train: he just loved getting out there and showing off. Tapit was a very relaxed horse at home, although he always loved the fillies. He was a beautiful mover and loved to strut his stuff."

His record as a two-turn influence, not least in the Belmont, has perhaps made people forget how Tapit sparkled as a 2-year-old, when his talent remained uninhibited by these pulmonary problems. He opened with an eight-length romp over a mile at Delaware Park in October.

"When he was training on the farm, he did not show blazing speed as he was always

relaxed," Dickinson recalls. "In fact Ramon Dominguez, who had been working him in the morning, was booked to ride him but took off the mount to ride a hot shot in the race. Obviously raceday woke Tapit up. Afterwards he was more aggressive. In his next start, the [GIII] Laurel Futurity, he did try to get a little rank but teaching him to settle was always a priority."



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It was his performance in the Laurel, exploding clear after being forced to wait for racing room, that gave **Tapit** his chance. This wasn't the conventional route to the top of the juvenile division, but on the speed figures that was exactly where **Tapit** now found himself. The excitement he generated that day would, for many mare owners, absorb all moments of deflation at three.

"Fortunately for **Tapit**, Michael Hernon at Gainesway Stud had watched the Laurel Futurity and made a mental note of how impressive he was," Dickinson recalls. "When he came on the market the following year he remembered and went back to revisit. He saw something in him and was convinced he would be a star at stud. How right he was."

Hernon's employer was especially intrigued by a rare brand of fecundity in **Tapit**'s family.

"His 3-year-old career was not nearly as good," Beck concedes. "While he was a Grade I winner in the Wood Memorial, it was a

very weak field in hindsight. But his 2-year-old form was outstanding and I hoped that he'd be a stallion because the female family is one of the few stallion-producing families in the

whole world; certainly in America there aren't many. It had not just produced stallions, but horses that were better stallions than runners. With **Tapit** also being out of an Unbridled mare, and by Pulpit who was a fantastic racehorse--and an incredibly well-bred one, too--we were thrilled to be able to bring him to the farm."

The people who had brought **Tapit** into the lives of Dickinson, and then Beck, were part of what made the horse's rise so special. Bred by Oldenburg Farms and consigned by Fred

Seitz, he was bought for \$625,000 at the 2002 Keeneland September Sale by Verne Winchell and his son Ron, backed up by their advisers, farm manager David Fiske and veterinarian David Lambert, as well as Dickinson himself.



Champion juvenile Essential Quality takes this year's Belmont
Sarah Andrew

The World's Yearling Sale

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Owner | **Shadwell Stable**
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The team had identified the gray as their premier target of the auction, and Verne Winchell stretched accordingly.

Poignantly, he would be claimed by a heart attack two months later--but for precisely that reason the whole **Tapit** journey has taken place with an unseen hand resting benignly on Ron Winchell's shoulder. (And how proud he should be, of his family's contribution to modern Turf history, after already seeing trainer **Steve Asmussen** to a parallel summit this summer!)

For the rest of us, however, it feels necessary to account less subjectively for the magic of **Tapit**. What is it that has set him apart--and what does he tell us to seek in other young stallions, entering so competitive a market?

On paper, Beck has already identified one key indicator: dam a half-sister to one stallion, Rubiano; second dam a half to another, Glitterman; third dam a full sister to another, Relaunch. But how does that potency play

through, in the flesh?

"They tend to have incredibly good cardiovascular systems," Beck notes. "And very good actions to go with it. As well as that mental will to win. He seems to impart these to a few good ones every year. He's a remarkable horse in that he has a quite relaxed way about him, quite sensible in many ways, but he's one of the few stallions I've come across that knows he's a star. He has that star power. I know it sounds crazy, but he knows that and is relaxed about it. He has such confidence in himself."

The sparks of temperament that sometimes emerge from the **Tapit** forge Beck attributes to Pulpit's dam Preach, who was so notoriously aggressive in protecting foals that they had to be raised by nurse mares. On the other hand, his damsire Unbridled was cherished at Gainesway--and likewise Unbridled's son Empire Maker--as "an absolute gentleman." **Cont. p8**



Tapit & Pedro Venegas at Gainesway | Sarah Andrew

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Indeed, Beck feels that Unbridled has contributed much to the overall package. "He also had fantastic speed and cardiovascular capacity," he stresses. "Don't forget how he beat Housebuster over seven furlongs at Gulfstream Park. He was one of those phenomenal horses who had that kind of speed but could also get 10 furlongs very well. I think he's an essential part of Tapit's success."



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Tapit at Gainesway



Even in the evening of his career, it feels possible to argue that Tapit's own versatility has not yet been fully tapped. Certainly he has been culpably neglected in Europe, despite perfectly respectable dividends on turf in the U.S. Only a limited Tapit, after all, will typically even be tried away from the main track.

It was a famously patient migrant from European racing, of course, who showcased Tapit's gifts in the first place. It's worth remembering that Dickinson won a Grade I on the same card as the Laurel Futurity with A Huevo (Cool Joe), brought back only that summer from an absence barely two months short of four years! Yet this unique horseman was able to adjust his sights to test a brilliant juvenile's eligibility for the Classics.

"I'm very proud of Tapit himself, as he was a wonderful horse to be around and had so much personality," Dickinson reflects.

"I think we did a great job [with him] as a 2-year-old, giving him the time to mature yet still making him a graded stakes winner. Unfortunately the gods weren't with us for his 3-year-old career. And this has always left me wondering, 'What if?'"

The fact that he clearly didn't fulfil his potential in his own Derby gives a corresponding edge to the one unrequited ambition shared, on his behalf, by so many people around Tapit. It looked like he might nail the race this spring, but Greatest Honour was injured and Essential Quality had a messy trip.



Tapit's stall plate at Gainesway | Sarah Andrew

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"Whatever happens he's already been a game-changing, breed-changing stallion, and only likely to become still more important and influential with his sons and daughters going to stud."

And if Tapit trademarks an entire epoch at his historic farm, then Beck believes that the momentum he has created will exceed the span of the horse's own career.

"One thinks of all the horses that have stood on the farm--going back to the early Whitney days, Peter Pan, Equipoise, right on through the John Gaines era--yet now I think Tapit must be the best horse in over 100 years to reside there," he observes. "So yes, definitely, we're enormously proud of him. But I truly can't express how excited I am by the future of Gainesway. I feel it to be absolutely boundless: whether with our racing stable; the broodmares we have; the lovely young stallions like Tapwrit, who had a really excellent first crop of yearlings. It's a great farm, great land, with a most wonderful, devoted team caring for it. And we're all custodians of a great legacy."

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SPORTS BETTING MAY NOT BE THE ENEMY AFTER ALL *The Week in Review*, by Bill Finley

Despite COVID shutdowns, a total of \$21.52 billion was wagered legally on sports in the U.S. in 2020, about twice what was bet on horse racing, and the gap will be even greater this year and for years to come. Sports betting is growing exponentially and an argument can be made that some of its success is coming at horse racing's expense. It's surely siphoning off dollars that otherwise might be available to racing's pari-mutuel pools and it has to be drawing existing and potential customers away from racing.

Yet, at last week's Racing & Gaming Conference in Saratoga, NYRA CEO and President David O'Rourke made the surprising statement that sports betting represented a "once-in-a-generational opportunity for our sport."

He may just have a point.

The primary difference between betting on sports and racing is that sports bets are based on fixed odds and racing uses a pari-mutuel system. That's not a problem when it comes to on-track bets or bets made through an ADW. But the pari-mutuel system doesn't work for the bookmakers now taking sports bets legally, most of them online.

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If these same online websites were to begin taking bets on racing, O'Rourke said racing would have an unprecedented opportunity to grow its customer base.

"With sports betting you have, literally, every other sport on these platforms," he said. "To put racing side by side with those sports, we think that is a winning combination. It just opens up our customer base, 10 times, 20 times. It's an incredible opportunity and we look forward to that."

The first step toward solving the problem is for horse racing to adopt the fixed odds system. That doesn't mean the end of pari-mutuels, which will always be necessary for exotic bets. It does mean creating an alternative pool where the odds are set and they do not change after a gambler has placed their bets. Without fixed odds, racing will never benefit from the growth of sports wagering.

Were there fixed odds bets available for Saturday's GI Alabama S. at Saratoga, a player may have been able to bet on **Malathaat (Curlin)** to win at odds of, say, minus 180. That means someone would have to wager \$180 on her to win \$100. **Maracuja (Honor Code)** would have been something like plus 650.

Fixed odds are what the sports bettor knows. They'll never understand or embrace a system where they might bet on a horse at 8-1 only to see it go down to 6-1 at post time and then plummet to 7-2 in the middle of a race. But the players, looking for action, may very well be happy to make a fixed odds bet on Belmont or Santa Anita during halftime of an NFL game or throw a bet on the GI **Runhappy** Travers S. into a parlay that includes a bet on the Yankees to win and the over-under on a Dodgers-Giants game.

This is why the legalization for fixed odds betting in New Jersey is an important first step. There are a lot of details that remain unclear, particularly when it comes to who will be allowed to offer the bets. We do know that there will be on-track fixed odds betting and it may also be available through TVG's 4njbets.com, the only ADW allowed to take wagers in the state. But bets through those two platforms don't figure to do anything more than shift existing pari-mutuel bets from one pool to another.

It will likely take some time and there are plenty of hurdles to clear, but look for BetMakers, the company hired by Monmouth to operate its fixed odds system, to cut deals with large bookmaking firms like bet365.com, FanDuel and DraftKings.

Dennis Drazin, who heads the management team that runs Monmouth Park and who has been instrumental in pushing through fixed odds bets in New Jersey, sees a future where every conceivable website and

betting app will include the option to bet on racing. But he also fears that the sport may shoot itself in the foot. New Jersey has already had an experiment with a form of fixed odds wagering with the Betfair betting exchange. It never caught on and the plug was pulled in September of 2020. One of Betfair's problems was its inability to secure agreements with the top-tier tracks to add their races to its betting menu.

"If not everybody gets on board, that would be bad for racing," Drazin said. "It will be like exchange wagering, where we were able to get some B signals or C signals but not the A tracks, like NYRA, the Stronach tracks, the Kentucky signals. We need to have those signals. If we are not able to offer the top tracks, I'm not sure how successful this will be. We can't have everybody scared to do this because they think fixed odds wagering will cannibalize the other pools. That's going to be a problem."



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Secretariat in the 1973 Belmont Stakes | *Coglianes*

Honoring Secretariat

There is no more GI Secretariat S. at Arlington Park. The name of this year's running was changed to the Bruce D. S., a race that is unlikely to be run again because of the inevitable closing of the Chicago track. That means that the sport no longer has a major race named in honor of the GOAT. That can't be.

My idea is to rename the GI Belmont S. the Secretariat and to do so for the 2023 running, the 50th anniversary of Secretariat's historic 31-length romp in the Belmont. Ok, that's never going to happen, but NYRA should still fill the void and name a race in honor of Secretariat. He was a New York horse and there should be a New York race named for him.

Limiting the list to races he won in New York, the best candidate is the GI Hopeful S. Secretariat won that in 1972, so next year's running is the 50th anniversary of that win. Naming the race after the greatest horse ever to step foot on a New York track would be a fitting honor.

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Safe Conduct Serves Up Plate Win

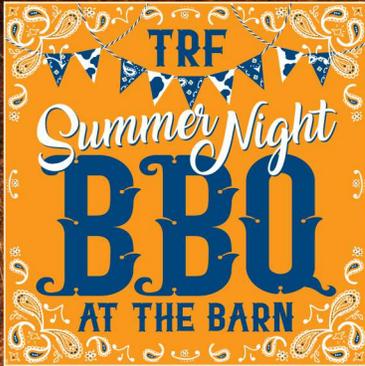
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"He's shown some speed before to the half, :48," Ortiz said of the winner. "We thought maybe two horses had speed and we wanted to be out of the traffic, so I broke running. I sat second on the clear, I bided my time, waited for the right time to roll and when I asked him to go, he kept fighting down the stretch. He kept moving forward. I saw somebody was flying outside... that was very close, I didn't know if I won the race after the wire but thank God I did."



Safe Conduct holds off Riptide Rock | *Michael Burns*

Safe Conduct, a maiden winner second time out over the Saratoga turf last August, began his sophomore campaign with a runner-up finish in a nine-furlong optional claimer at Gulfstream Mar. 14. *Cont. p12*



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He won at that level over the Belmont lawn May 2 while defeating subsequent GII National Museum of Racing Hall of Fame S. winner Public Sector (GB) (**Kingman {GB}**), before jumping to the graded ranks. He was fourth in the off-turf GIII Pennine Ridge S. May 29 and was a well-beaten eighth over a turf course labeled good in the July 10 GI Belmont Derby last time out.

Owner Dr. Robert Vukovich is founder of WellSpring Pharmaceutical Corporation, which he started in 1999 and sold in 2011. WellSpring Stables, based in Colts Neck, NJ, is a multiple stakes winning owner with 87 career wins from 780 starts and earnings just shy of \$4 million since it began operations in 2006.



Safe Conduct in front | *Michael Burns*

Pedigree Notes:

Breeder Mitch Kursner, who owns and operates a Toronto-based industrial commercial construction company, purchased Duchess Dancer, a half-sister to Canadian champion Fatal Bullet (Red Bullet), for \$95,000 at the 2016 Keeneland November sale.

Kursner, a co-owner of 2016 Woodbine Oaks winner Neshama, said he was overjoyed with Safe Conduct's gritty Plate triumph.

"Blessed," said Kursner. "Blessed. I want to congratulate Dr. Vukovich and the wonderful people at WellSpring. They've done a marvelous job bringing this horse along. And of course, Phil Serpe."

Safe Conduct is Dancing Duchess's second foal. The 9-year-old mare also has a yearling colt by **Collected** who sold for \$11,000 at last year's Keeneland November sale and for \$30,000 at this year's OBS January sale, as well as a 2-year-old filly by **Exaggerator** and a foal filly by **Munnings**.

Under Safe Conduct's third dam, Sarawilha, is Canadian stalwart Pink Lloyd (Old Forester).

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Safe Conduct is the 23rd stakes winner for Bodemeister. Now standing in Turkey, the stallion is the sire of eight graded winners, including GI Kentucky Derby winner **Always Dreaming** and GI Clark S. winner Bodexpress.

QUEEN'S PLATE S., C\$1,002,000, Woodbine, 8-22, (C), 3yo, 1 1/4m (AWT), 2:02.85, ft.

1--**SAFE CONDUCT**, 126, c, 3, by Bodemeister

1st Dam: Duchess Dancer, by Congrats

2nd Dam: Sararegal, by Regal Classic

3rd Dam: Sarawilha, by Sir Ivor

(\$45,000 Wlg '18 KEENOV). **1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN.**

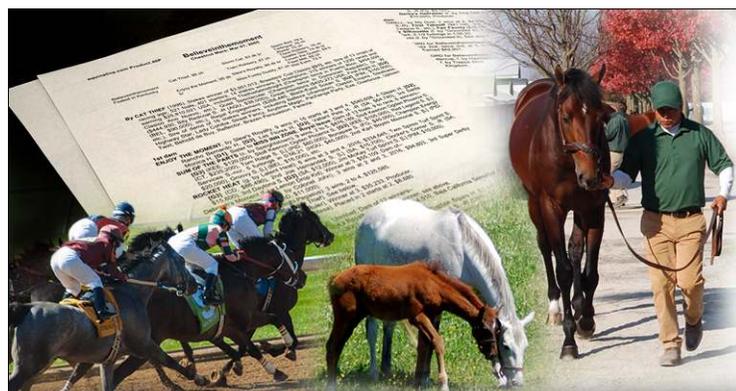
O-WellSpring Stables; B-M Kursner (ON); T-P Serpe; J-Irad Ortiz, Jr. C\$600,000. Lifetime Record: 7-3-1-0, \$603,202.

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2--**Riptide Rock**, 126, g, 3, Point of Entry--Irish Influence, by Stephen Got Even. O-Stronach Stables; B-Adena Springs (ON); T-Sid C. Attard. C\$200,000.

3--**H C Holiday**, 126, c, 3, Ami's Holiday--Henry's Collection, by Henrythenavigator. (C\$35,000 RNA Ylg '19 CANSEP). O-Ivan Dalos; B-Tall Oaks Farm (ON); T-Kevin Attard. C\$100,000. Margins: HD, 1, 3/4. Odds: 3.00, 11.35, 29.40.

Also Ran: Munnyfor Ro, Keep Grinding, Avoman, Harlan Estate, Haddassah, Tidal Forces, Dance Some Mo, Derzkii, Go Take Charge, Take a Chance. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**



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Sunday, Woodbine

HIGHLANDER S.-GI, C\$395,500, Woodbine, 8-22, 3yo/up, 6fT, 1:07.98, fm.

1--**SILENT POET**, 124, g, 6, by **Silent Name (Jpn)**

1st Dam: **Cara Bella**, by **Ghostzapper**

2nd Dam: **Cargo**, by **Caro (Ire)**

3rd Dam: **Aerturas (Fr)**, by **Manado (Ire)**

1ST GRADE I WIN. O-Stronach Stables; B-Adena Springs (ON); T-Nicholas Gonzalez; J-Justin Stein. C\$252,000. Lifetime Record: 22-11-4-2, \$873,108. **Werk Nick Rating: C.**

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REGISTERED ONTARIO-BRED

2--**Admiralty Pier**, 123, g, 6, **English Channel**--Full Steam Ahead, by **Kitten's Joy**. (\$100,000 Ylg '16 FTSAUG). O-Hoolie Racing Stable, LLC & Bruce Lunsford; B-Calumet Farm (KY); T-Barbara J. Minshall. C\$70,000.

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3--**Caravel**, 118, f, 4, **Mizzen Mast**--Zeezee Zoomzoom, by **Congrats**. (\$330,000 RNA 3yo '20 WANOC). O-Bobby Flay & Elizabeth M. Merryman; B-Elizabeth M. Merryman (PA); T-H. Graham Motion. C\$35,000.

Margins: HF, 1 1/4, 3/4. Odds: 9.95, 12.45, 0.55.

Also Ran: **City Boy**, **Honey Won't**, **Chuck Willis (Ire)**, **Old Chestnut**, **Turned Aside**. **Click for the Equibase.com chart, the TJCIS.com PPs or the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree. VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

Silent Poet, a winner of both the GII Connaught Cup and his second-straight running of the GII Nearctic S. last term, bounced back from a trio of off-the-board efforts to upset Sunday's GI Highlander S. at Woodbine. The 9-1 shot sat perched just behind odds-on and in-form filly Caravel, took over from that foe with relative ease in the stretch and kept finding to hold off a furious late bid from Admiralty Pier. Caravel held on for third.

The winner, who was 12th in the 2018 Queen's Plate, was last seen checking in fifth when attempting to defend his Connaught Cup title July 18.

This was the first Grade I win for trainer Nick Gonzalez, who was visibly emotional after the race. Gonzalez lost his wife and longtime assistant trainer Martha last October. Silent Poet was one of her favorites.

"[Jockey] Justin [Stein] and I have been talking about it right up until this race," Gonzalez said of what made the difference Sunday. "He said 'You know, Nick, we drew two inside post positions his first two starts [this year]... I break, 'Poet' breaks well, and I've got these guys on the outside of me chirping, chirping, chirping, and 'Poet' wouldn't relax.' He used himself a lot more than he would of in the first eighth of the race. And he backed up both times... "When the overnight came out and we

had the eight hole, Justin came by in the morning and said, 'Nick, I think we're going to be able to get a nice trip today.' Everything worked out."



Silent Poet | Michael Burns

Pedigree Notes:

Silent Poet becomes the first Grade I winner in the Northern Hemisphere for perennial leading Canadian sire Silent Name (he has a previous highest-level winner in Brazil). The son of legendary Japanese-based breed shaper Sunday Silence has eight graded or group winners altogether. He stands at the Stronach family's Adena Springs North.

Former fellow Stronach colorbearer and stallion **Ghostzapper** is also the broodmare sire of Triple Crown winner **Justify** (Scat Daddy), two more Grade I winners and 15 graded winners overall. The now Hill 'n' Dale resident was represented earlier on the card by GIII Ontario Colleen S. heroine **Our Flash Drive**.

Silent Poet's unraced dam is a half to Stronach Stable's **Red Bullet (Unbridled)**. **Cara Bella** sold to Stone Farm for \$60,000 at the 2017 Keeneland November sale carrying a full-brother to Silent Poet who would sell for \$130,000 two Septembers later. She has a 2-year-old **Broken Vow** colt and a foal colt by **Liam's Map**. She was bred back to the latter for 2022.

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Sunday, Woodbine

DANCE SMARTLY S.-GII, C\$180,950, Woodbine, 8-22, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/4mT, 2:01.26, fm.

1--**MUTAMAKINA (GB)**, 123, m, 5, by **Nathaniel (Ire)**

1st Dam: Joshua's Princess (GB), by **Danehill**

2nd Dam: Josh's Pearl (Ire), by **Sadler's Wells**

3rd Dam: Ridgewood Pearl (GB), by **Indian Ridge (Ire)**

(100,000gns Ylg '17 TAOCT). O-Al Shira'aa Farms; B-Widgham Stud (GB); T-Christophe Clement; J-Dylan Davis. C\$105,000.

Lifetime Record: SW & MGSP-Fr, 15-4-3-3, \$343,680.

Werk Nick Rating: A+

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2--**Etoile (Fr)**, 126, m, 5, Siyouni (Fr)--Milena's Dream (Ire), by Authorized (Ire). (€160,000 Ylg '17 ARAUG; 750,000gns 3yo '19 TATMA). O-Peter M. Brant, Mrs. M. V. Magnier & Mrs. Paul Shanahan; B-Dominique Ades Hazan, Geraldine Henochsberg & Patrick Fellous (FR); T-Chad C. Brown. C\$35,000.

3--**Merveilleux**, 122, f, 4, **Paynter**--Breech Inlet, by Holy Bull. (\$45,000 Ylg '18 KEESEP; \$150,000 2yo '19 OBSAPR). O-Al & Bill Ulwelling; B-Mike Carroll (ON); T-Kevin Attard. C\$23,100.

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Margins: HF, NK, HF. Odds: 3.40, 1.20, 7.10.

Also Ran: Court Return, **Blame** Debbie, Alnaseem (GB), Afleet Katherine. **Click for the Equibase.com chart, the TJCIS.com PPs or the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree. VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

Al Shira'aa Farms' Mutamakina held off the late rush of favored Etoile to win the GII Dance Smartly S. at Woodbine Sunday. The bay mare tracked pacesetter Alnaseem (GB) (Shamardal) through a quarter in :25.98 and a half in :50.32. Those two were some five lengths clear of their nearest pursuer turning for home when Mutamakina made her move, collaring the pacesetter in upper stretch. She appeared to idle briefly at midstretch, but kicked back into gear in time to hold off Etoile late.

"I broke well [and] was able to get a good stalking position right there," said jockey Dylan Davis, who was riding his first stakes winner at Woodbine. "She did switch her leads down the backside a few times. She just needed a little bit of guidance. I had to get into her early. I was a little worried about that. Once she straightened up, she saw where she needed to go and she ran very strongly to the wire."

Twice group placed in France in 2019 for trainer Carlos Laffon-Parias, Mutamakina was off-the-board in three French outings in 2020 before transferring stateside. Third in the Zagora S. last October, she earned her first U.S. victory in the Nov. 28 GIII Long Island S. at Aqueduct.

She opened 2021 with a runner-up effort in the May 1 GII Sheepshead Bay S. and followed a sixth-place effort in the June 4 GII New York S. with a narrowly beaten third-place finish in the July 11 River Memories S. at Belmont.

"I'm just happy to be back aboard her," said Davis, whose lone previous partnership with Mutamakina came in the Long Island. "She's progressing well. She's definitely a hard trier--you just got to know how to ride her. She always gives a good effort and [Christophe] Clemente had her ready today."

The win made it a group double for Al Shira'aa Farms, which also celebrated **Rumi (Fr)** (**Frankel {GB}**)'s victory in the G2 Prix de la Nonette in Deauville Saturday.



Mutamakina | Michael Burns

Pedigree Notes:

Mutamakina has an unraced 2-year-old full-brother named Just Josh (GB)--who sold for 16,000gns at last year's Tattersalls October sale--and a foal half-brother by **Camelot (GB)**. Her third dam is 1995 Horse of the Year and champion 3-year-old filly Ridgewood Pearl (GB).

Mutamakina is one of 15 group/graded winners for multiple Group 1 winner Nathaniel, who is also the sire of 2018 GI Breeders' Cup Turf winner Enable (GB). Three of those 15 are out of mares by Danehill and two more are out of a mares by Danehill's sons Dansili (GB) and **Rock of Gibraltar (GB)**.

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Sunday, Woodbine

ONTARIO COLLEEN S.-GIII, C\$150,000, Woodbine, 8-22, 3yo, f, 1mT, 1:34.76, fm.

1--**OUR FLASH DRIVE**, 121, f, 3, by **Ghostzapper**

1st Dam: **Dynamotor**, by **Dynaformer**

2nd Dam: **My Chickadee**, by **Pleasant Tap**

3rd Dam: **Slew City Slicker**, by **Slew City Slew**

O-Live Oak Plantation; B-Live Oak Stud (FL); T-Mark E. Casse; J-Patrick Husbands. C\$90,000. Lifetime Record: 5-3-0-0, \$180,937. **Werk Nick Rating: A+++ *Triple Plus***.

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2--**Seasons**, 119, f, 3, **Tapit**--Winter Memories, by El Prado (Ire).

O-LNJ Foxwoods & Phillips Racing Partnership; B-Phillips Racing Partnership (KY); T-James J. Toner. C\$30,000.

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3--**Speightstown Shirl**, 119, f, 3, **Speightstown**--Perfect Shirl, by Perfect Soul (Ire). O/B-Charles Fipke (KY); T-Roger L. Attfield. C\$16,500.

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Margins: 1HF, 1 1/4, HF. Odds: 2.45, 7.10, 3.40.

Also Ran: Perseverancia, Misspell, I Get It, Sweet Souper Sweet.

Scratched: Salty as Can Be. **Click for the Equibase.com chart, the TJCS.com PPs or the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree. VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

Our Flash Drive, making her first start on the turf, drove to the lead in upper stretch and held on late to earn her second straight graded victory in the GIII Colleen S. at Woodbine Sunday. The bay filly, sent off at 2-1, shadowed the move of fellow Live Oak colorbearer Sweet Souper Sweet who went quickly out to the early lead from her rail draw. Our Flash Drive sat just behind Sweet Souper Sweet through :24.42 and :48.35. Our Flash Drive rolled up to challenge the pacesetter entering the straight, surged to the lead and determinedly maintained her advantage as Seasons tried in vain to reel her in late.

"I breezed her on Sunday...when I got back to the barn, my head was bigger than Woodbine," said winning rider Patrick Husbands. "I said 'Mark [Casse], this is a Breeders' Cup horse.' She just loved it [the turf]."

"She's a relaxed horse," continued Husbands. "We had a couple of horses we worked--I was behind them about 10, 15 lengths and she was just wanting the green light. I said, 'No baby, no baby, no baby' and that was on Sunday. She's the type of filly that, what you want to do, she'll let you do. But she's pretty savvy racing and you can decide what to do with her."

Favored Misspell (**American Pharoah**), caught three wide throughout, looked to be winding up for a big run approaching the stretch, but flattened out and finished fifth while making her stakes debut.

Our Flash Drive opened her career with a pair of well-beaten off-the-board efforts sprinting over the main track at Saratoga last summer. Sidelined 11 months, she returned to graduate over Woodbine's synthetic surface June 19 and was coming off a 2 1/4-length victory in the July 10 GIII Selene S.



Our Flash Drive | Michael Burns

Pedigree Notes:

Charlotte Weber's Live Oak Plantation purchased Dynamotor for \$650,000 at the 2012 Keeneland September Yearling Sale. The unraced mare sold carrying a full-sibling to the winner to Rowland Hancock for \$95,000 at the 2019 Keeneland November sale. She has a yearling filly by **Ghostzapper** who RNA'd for \$120,000 at last year's Fasig-Tipton November sale and she produced a filly by Omaha Beach this year before being bred back to Omaha Beach. The mare, a daughter of multiple graded placed My Chickadee, is a half-sister to Grade I placed Fast Falcon (Awesome Again).

Our Flash Drive's third dam, Slew City Slicker, produced Grade I winner Pool Land (Silver Deputy).

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| Date | Race | Track |
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| Aug. 24 | GIII Smarty Jones S. | Parx |
| | GIII Parx Dash | Parx |
| Aug. 27 | GII Charles Town Classic | Charles Town |
| | GIII Charles Town Oaks | Charles Town |
| Aug. 28 | GI Runhappy Travers S. | Saratoga |
| | GI H. Allen Jerkens Memorial S. | Saratoga |
| | GI Personal Ensign S. pres. by Lia Infiniti | Saratoga |
| | GI Resorts World Sword Dancer S. | Saratoga |
| | GI Forego S. | Saratoga |
| | GI Ketel One Ballerina S. | Saratoga |
| | GII Ballston Spa S. | Saratoga |
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Sunday, Del Mar

GREEN FLASH H.-GIII, \$101,500, Del Mar, 8-22, 3yo/up, 5fT, :55.98, fm.

1--**LIEUTENANT DAN, 120, g, 5, by Grazen**

1st Dam: Excusabull, by Indian Charlie

2nd Dam: Otti, by Rahy

3rd Dam: Grifix, by Green Forest

1ST GRADED STAKES WIN. O/B-Nicholas B. Alexander (CA); T-Steven Miyadi; J-Geovanni Franco. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 15-7-3-4, \$543,740. **Werk Nick Rating: B+.**

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2--**Give Me the Lute, 120, g, 5, Boisterous--Steal the Lute, by Midnight Lute.** O-Roderick & Wendy Hogan; B-Gary Barber (CA); T-Andy Mathis. \$20,000.

3--**Gregorian Chant (GB), 123, g, 5, Gregorian (Ire)--Tabrina (Ire), by Fasliyev.** (7,000gns Wlg '16 TATFOA; €23,000 Ylg '17 TIRSEP). O-Old Bones Racing Stable, Slam Dunk Racing & M Nentwig; B-Clarendon Farm (GB); T-Philip D'Amato. \$12,000.

Margins: 2 1/4, NK, 1 1/4. Odds: 2.00, 8.10, 4.00.

Also Ran: Kneedeepinsnow, Little Juanito, Texas Wedge, Collusion Illusion, Chasin Munny. **Click for the Equibase.com chart, the TJCS.com PPs or the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree. VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

Lieutenant Dan, back from nearly a year on the sidelines, made it two-in-a-row with a wire-to-wire victory in the GIII Green Flash H. at Del Mar Sunday. Making his first start in graded company, the 2-1 shot strode out to the early lead and was pressed by Give Me The Lute through an opening quarter in :22.16. Briefly headed by that foe at the top of the lane, he retook the lead in upper stretch and drew clear with authority.

"Since he's come back from his layoff, he's more puffed up," said winning jockey Geovanni Franco. "He's acting like a bully. He's doing good now. When I made the lead in the straight, I wasn't worried about the others behind me coming to get us. But I wasn't going to wait for them either."

Lieutenant Dan, a stakes winner over Del Mar's main track in the 2019 Real Good Deal S., ended that campaign with a third-place effort behind **Improbable** (City Zip) in the Shared Belief S. in August. The bay gelding made just three starts last year, finishing second in the Jan. 18 California Cup Sprint S. and winning the Sensational Star S. over the Santa Anita lawn Mar. 22, but he went to the sidelines following a runner-up effort in the June 6 Crystal Waters S. He resurfaced with a front-running optional-claimer score over this course and trip July 23.

"In this day and age, you're always worried about the bounce," admitted winning trainer Steve Miyadi. "I didn't train him particularly hard for [the July 23 race], because I was thinking about this race and I was pleasantly surprised at how well he ran. That's when you worry about the bounce. He overcame my training."

Pedigree Notes:

With no reported foals in 2018 through 2020, Excusabull produced a full-brother to Lieutenant Dan in 2021 and was bred back to Grazen.

Lieutenant Dan is the fourth graded stakes winner for Grazen, who has also been represented by California graded winners S Y Sky, Enola Gray, and Just Grazed Me. All four have been bred and owned by Grazen's owner Nick Alexander.

SUNDAY CARD AT ELLIS CANCELLED AFTER RECEIVING BARN BURNS DOWN

Remnants of the Ellis receiving barn | Courtesy Jason Barkley

Racing was cancelled at Ellis Park for Sunday after the track's receiving barn caught fire and burned down in the early morning hours. No humans were in the barn at the time and reportedly all seven horses stabled there were able to be rescued by nearby grooms.

"Thankful to say that the three horses we had in the receiving barn at Ellis Park were removed safely by a couple grooms on the backside," trainer Jason Barkley tweeted. "Can't thank them enough for jumping into action and saving our horses as well as the others that were in the barn with us."

Barkley told *TDN* all three of his horses appeared to exit the incident relatively unscathed but would be monitored in the coming days for smoke inhalation.

Bold and Bossy, the filly who got loose before Saturday's first race and was seen running down the nearby interstate, was also in the barn and was reportedly being treated for burns.

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MALATHAAT LIKELY TO GO STRAIGHT TO DISTAFF

Shadwell Stable's **Malathaat** (**Curlin**), winner of Saturday's GI Alabama S., will likely train up to the Nov. 6 GI Longines Breeders' Cup Distaff, trainer Todd Pletcher confirmed Sunday morning.

"Right now, we're focused on the Distaff, so we'll zero in on that and take things from there. That's the most likely scenario," Pletcher said. "Nothing's etched in stone, but that's sort of the plan that we discussed with Rick Nichols [of Shadwell] a while ago."

Malathaat won the GI Ashland S. and GI Kentucky Oaks before suffering her first career defeat when second in the July 24 GI Coaching Club American Oaks. She rebounded to take the Alabama Saturday despite stumbling at the break.

"It was good to get back and get a reasonably good trip despite stumbling at the start," Pletcher said. "It was a very, very strong performance. She looks good this morning."



Malathaat | Sarah Andrew

In addition to his Alabama victory, Pletcher also saddled a pair of impressive first-out juvenile winners on the Saratoga card Saturday. **My Prankster** (Into Mischief) was tabbed a 'TDN Rising Star' following his 10-length debut victory in the seventh race and **Major General** (**Constitution**) graduated by a neck in the day's first race.

"He was very impressive, I thought he kicked on well down the lane and had something left in the tank, so it was very encouraging," Pletcher said of My Prankster.

Of Major General, Pletcher added, "Major General was a little bit green yesterday. When that horse came to him, he looked him in the eye and found some horse, so we're happy to see that."

Pletcher is taking a wait-and-see approach for next starts for both 2-year-olds.

"We'll let the dust settle and see how it goes," he said.

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MIDNIGHT BOURBON TUNES UP FOR RUNHAPPY TRAVERS

Winchell Thoroughbreds' **Midnight Bourbon** (Tiznow), who most recently clipped heels and nearly fell to the track in the stretch run of the July 17 GI Betfair.com Haskell S. at Monmouth Park, tuned up for an expected start in next Saturday's GI **Runhappy** Travers S. with a four-furlong work in :49.77 (17/68) over the Oklahoma training track at Saratoga Sunday.

"He's a very impressive horse," trainer Steve Asmussen said. "I think we're obviously very fortunate that he came out of the mishap in the Haskell in good shape and he's training well, per usual."

Midnight Bourbon will be making his first start at Saratoga in the Travers. Third in last year's GI Champagne S. at Belmont Park, the handsome bay won the GIII Lecomte S. and was second in the GI Preakness S. earlier in the year.

Also at the training track Sunday at Saratoga, the Asmussen-trained **Jackie's Warrior** (**Maclean's Music**) worked four furlongs in :48.98 (7/68) in preparation for Saturday's GI H. Allen Jerkens Memorial S. and **Yaupon** (**Uncle Mo**), targeting the GI Forego S., went a half-mile in :50.50 (40/68).

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DEL MAR SETS SINGLE-DAY WAGER MARK

Del Mar set a new single-day wagering mark when \$36,005,613 was wagered on the track's GI TVG Pacific Classic day card Saturday. The previous record of \$25,870,431 was set on Pacific Classic day in 2018.

Saturday's card at the oceanside oval, which included five graded stakes, also offered a Pick Six Single Ticket Jackpot pool that finally topped out at \$10,751,767. The pool consisted of a \$1,874,996 carryover and "new" money of \$8,876,771. Each winning ticket--and there were 822 of them--paid \$10,521.50.

The card had been designated as a "mandatory payout" day, meaning all monies would be paid out to those with the most winners. The track will have another such "mandatory" day on its closing day, Labor Day Monday, Sept. 6.

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"The success of CARMAtion means so much to us and the horses," said Billy Koch, CARMA's Treasurer and Little Red Feather Racing Founder and Managing Partner. "Taking care of horses is a responsibility and that's the truth and what we're all about. Thank you to everyone who donated to our fundraiser."

CARMA Executive Director Lucinda Lovitt added, "We were so touched by the overwhelming success of the event in back-to-back years. We didn't know if people would be receptive to another virtual fundraiser, but the level of donations, and social media engagement by the racing community, fans, and equine enthusiasts across the country was just amazing."

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Tuesday, Parx Racing #11, post time: 5:50 p.m. EDT

SMARTY JONES S.-GIII, \$300,000, 3yo, 1 1/16m

| PP | HORSE | SIRE | OWNER | TRAINER | JOCKEY | WT |
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Tuesday, Parx Racing #10, post time: 5:15 p.m. EDT

PARX DASH S.-GIII, \$200,000, 3yo/up, 5FT

| PP | HORSE | SIRE | OWNER | TRAINER | JOCKEY | WT |
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| 1 | The Critical Way  | Tizway | Monster Racing Stables | Delgado | Lopez | 126 |
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SUMMER COLONY S., \$116,400, Saratoga, 8-22, (C), 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8m, 1:51.57, gd.

1--**HOROLOGIST, 124, m, 5, Gemologist--Cinderella Time, by Stephen Got Even.** O-There's A Chance Stable, Medallion Racing, Abbondanza Racing, LLC, Parkland Thoroughbreds, Paradise Farms Corp. & David Staudacher; B-Holly Crest Farm (NJ); T-William I. Mott; J-Junior Alvarado. \$66,000. Lifetime Record: MGSW, 25-9-3-4, \$892,939.

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2--**Gold Spirit (Chi), 124, f, 4, Omayad (Chi)--Beduina Dorada (Chi), by Hussonet.** O-Sumaya U.S. Stable; B-Haras Sumaya (CHI); T-Chad C. Brown. \$24,000.

3--**So Darn Hot, 118, f, 4, Ghostzapper--Tizahit, by Tiznow.** (\$67,000 Ylg '18 KEESEP; \$600,000 2yo '19 OBSOPN). O-Stetson Racing, LLC, Donato Lanni & Rita Riccelli; B-Blue Devil Racing Stable, LLC (KY); T-George Weaver. \$14,400.

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Margins: 8HF, 3 3/4, 2 1/4. Odds: 1.10, 2.35, 10.80.
Also Ran: Gibberish, Thankful. Scratched: Dunbar Road.

Multiple graded stakes winner Horologist, just nailed late after setting a fast pace in the track-and-trip GIII Shuvee S. last out, went to the front and never looked back in a Saratoga rainstorm Sunday, cruising to a much-the-best score in the Summer Colony S.

Victress of the GIII Monmouth Oaks two summers ago, the modestly-bred bay failed to find the mark in her next six outings before annexing the GIII Molly Pitcher S. last July at Monmouth in her first start for Bill Mott and capturing the GII Beldame S. two starts later. Fading to ninth to close her 4-year-old campaign in the GI Longines Breeders' Cup Distaff, she returned with a tally in the Top Flight Invitational S. Apr. 10 at Aqueduct, but was out of the trifecta in the GIII Allaire DuPont Match Series Distaff S. at Pimlico and Lady Jacqueline S. at Thistledown. Surviving a testing tempo in the Shuvee until deep stretch, she settled for second after late-running Royal Flag (**Candy Ride {Arg}**) picked her up in the shadow of the wire.

Hammered down to clear favoritism in this spot restricted to horses who have yet to win a graded stakes this season, Horologist broke on top and quickly established command under Junior Alvarado.

Lightly pressured by Gibberish (**Lea**) through a :23.66 quarter, she started to step on the gas going by a :47.34 half and left her pursuer behind past three-quarters in 1:11.77. Arriving at the head of the lane in total control, the chalk strutted her stuff through the lane and splashed home an easy winner. Gold Spirit rallied mildly to get into second.

"It was simple. I rode her like the best horse and she showed it out there," said Alvarado. "Once she put herself on the lead, she took me all the way around. She's very quick and is a good gate filly. If she wanted, she could go faster without using much."

The winner has an unraced 4-year-old **Lookin At Lucky** half-sister named A P Lucky who sold in foal to **Catalina Cruiser** to D J Stable for \$40,000 at Keeneland November last fall, a juvenile Peace and Justice half-brother named Lost Slipper, a yearling half-sister by **Twirling Candy** and a weanling half-sister by **More Than Ready**. Her dam was paired with **Speightstown** this spring. [Click for the Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#), sponsored by **TVG**.



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7th-Saratoga, \$103,000, Alw, 8-22, (NW1\$X), 3yo/up, 1 3/8mT, 2:19.70, yl, 5 1/2 lengths.

BOX N SCORE (g, 5, Lemon Drop Kid--Game {Fr}, by Montjeu {Ire}) rallied from as far back as 17 lengths to graduate on debut over the Belmont turf in October of 2019, but had gone winless in five starts since, most recently just missing by a neck in 10-furlong Big Sandy allowance June 11. Off at a nickel above 5-2 here, the gelding went along comfortably in a clear fourth behind lively splits of :24.69, :49.77 and 1:16.18 over the rain-soaked turf. Overhauling the stopping pace players alongside narrow favorite Mud Pie (Morning Line) past the five-sixteenths marker, Box N Score discarded that rival quickly once straightening for home and poured it on from there for a 5 1/2-length triumph. Rhythm Section (**American Pharoah**) completed the exacta. The winner is a full-brother to Belichick, SW & MGSP, \$465,925; and Season Ticket, SW, \$280,171; and a half to Broken Game (**Broken Vow**), MSW & MGSP-Per. He has a juvenile **Distorted Humor** half-brother named Bill Needle, a yearling full-sister and a weanling half-sister by **Flintshire** (GB). Sales History: \$210,000 Ylg '17 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 7-2-1-1, \$133,240. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

O-Robert V. LaPenta; B-Sean Fitzhenry (ON); T-Jonathan Thomas.



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4th-Woodbine, C\$82,940, Alw (C)/Opt. Clm (\$46,795-\$48,745), 8-22, 3yo/up, 7fT, 1:20.68, fm, neck.

LUCKY CURLIN (g, 4, Curlin--My Lady Luck, by Hard Spun), runner-up in both the GIII Marine S. and Toronto Cup S. here as a sophomore, most recently finished last in the GIII Ontario Derby Nov. 21 and sold from his breeder to Gary Barber for \$75,000 earlier this year at the Fasig-Tipton July Horses of Racing Age Sale. Overlooked at 45-4 as a new gelding in this return, the chestnut fell back a bit early and traveled between horses in eighth behind fractions of :22.97 and :45.27. Stuck in traffic until the three-sixteenths pole, he closed in on the leaders once finding daylight and forged past Eskiminzin (Cold Harbor) in deep stretch to score by a neck. The winner has a yearling Into Mischief half-brother and his dam foaled a filly by **Flameaway** this term before visiting **Constitution**. Sales History: \$75,000 4yo '21 FTKHRA. Lifetime Record: GSP, 13-3-2-3, \$164,651. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

O-Gary Barber; B-John C. Oxley (KY); T-Mark E. Casse.



3rd-Woodbine, C\$78,262, Alw, 8-22, (NW1\$X), 3yo/up, f/m, 7 1/2fT, 1:31.47, fm, head.

MADEMOISELLE NOVA (f, 3, Into Mischief--Madagascat, by Tale of the Cat) took five tries to break her maiden, but did so emphatically last out, rallying to a four-length victory over course and distance July 15. Given a 19-10 repeat chance here, the \$190,000 Fasig-Tipton July pickup found a good spot tracking the speed from a pocketed third behind modest splits of :24.49 and :48.73. Sweeping past the frontrunner in tandem with She's a Dream (Silent Name {Jpn}) just outside the sixteenth pole, the bay dug in gamely to repel that challenger by a head. The winner is a half to Bird Is the Word (Birdstone), MSP, \$159,286. Her dam is responsible for a juvenile **More Than Ready** gelding named Cynic and produced a filly by **Unified** this season before being bred to **Army Mule**. Sales History: \$190,000 Ylg '19 FTKJUL. Lifetime Record: 6-2-2-1, \$87,406. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

O-SBH Racing, LLC; B-Machmer Hall (KY); T-Mark E. Casse.

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O/B-Red Oak Stable (KY); T-Todd A. Pletcher.

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1st-Saratoga, \$100,000, Msw, 8-22, 2yo, f, 6 1/2f, 1:18.65, ft, neck.

GODDESS OF FIRE (f, 2, [Mineshaft](#)--[Feel That Fire](#) {SW, \$147,280}, by [Lightnin N Thunder](#)), who had worked in company with Saturday's impressive '[TDN Rising Star](#)' [My Prankster](#) (Into Mischief), was given a 2-1 chance to keep trainer Todd Pletcher's good recent run with juvenile firsters going. The bay tracked out wide as second timer [EveryoneLovesLinda](#) (Secret Circle) showed the way through splits of :22.17 and :46.07. The frontrunner seemed long gone entering the stretch, and Goddess of Fire was under a busy ride, but the latter found another gear in the final furlong to close a three or four-length gap and notch a narrow decision. The winner is half to her stablemate [Mind Control](#) (Stay Thirsty), MGISW, \$1,259,229 and a yearling filly by [Candy Ride](#) (Arg). [Feel That Fire](#) was bred to [Uncle Mo](#) for 2022. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$55,000. [Click for](#)

2nd-Saratoga, \$100,000, Msw, 8-22, 2yo, f, 1 1/16mT, 1:49.45, yl, 1 1/2 lengths.

FORTINENO (IRE) (f, 2, [Frankel](#) {GB}--[Rubina](#) {Ire} {SP-Ire}, by [Invincible Spirit](#) {Ire}), backed to 6-5 favoritism for this debut despite a modest-looking worktab, traveled in a clear fifth as [Seduca](#) (Into Mischief) dictated terms through pokey fractions of :26.06 and :51.81 over boggy ground. Picking up a bit three wide nearing the lane, the \$400,000 Keeneland September buy found her best stride passing the eighth pole and wore down the pacesetter in the final sixteenth to score going away by 1 1/2 lengths. [Seduca](#) held for second money. The victress is a full-sister to [Rubilinda](#), MSW, \$246,540. Her dam, bought for 475,000 guineas at the 2013 Tattersalls December Mare Sale, has a yearling [No Nay Never](#) filly and produced a full-sister to the winner this term before visiting [American Pharoah](#). Sales History: \$400,000 Ylg '20 KEESEP.

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Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$55,000. [Click for the Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.](#)

O-West Point Thoroughbreds, Edwin S. Barker, William T. Freeman & Michael Valdes; B-Haras Don Alberto (IRE); T-Christophe Clement.

 Half sister sells with **GAINESWAY** as Hip #517 at KeeSep


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1st-Woodbine, C\$79,400, Msw, 8-22, 2yo, f, 5ft, :59.11, fm, 3/4 length.

CARDIO PRINCESS (JPN) (f, 2, Heart's Cry {Jpn}-- Princessofthestars {Ire}, by Sea The Stars {Ire}), bought for ¥19,000,000 as a foal at the 2019 JRHA Select Sale, drilled a half-mile over the local main track in :48 flat (8/97) Aug. 14 and was backed to 2-1 favoritism in this debut. Winning an early pace scramble, the chestnut led narrowly through a :22.23 quarter, crept clear midway around the turn and was always doing enough in the lane to hold off late-running longshot Sweet Bombolini (**Bernardini**), hitting the wire three-quarters of a length to the good. The winner's dam is responsible for a

yearling filly by Daiwa Major (Jpn). Sales History: ¥19,000,000 Wlg '19 JRHAYF. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$33,693. [Click for the Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.](#)

O-Gary Barber; B-Taihei Stud Farm Co. Ltd (JPN); T-Mark E. Casse.

4th-Del Mar, \$71,000, (S), Msw, 8-22, 2yo, 6f, 1:12.29, ft, head. GOLD RUSH CANDY (c, 2, Danzing Candy--Bossurette, by Street Boss) finished fifth at 1-2 odds after a wide trip here 15 days ago, and was 9-5 to step forward and become his freshman sire (by **Twirling Candy**)'s third winner. Dueling from the outset with Moose Mitchell (Danzing Candy), the dark bay continued in the lane and got the bob late to cap the exacta for his sire. The winner has a yearling half-sister by Commissioner and a foal half-brother by **Not This Time**. Bossurette visited Brody's Cause for 2022. Sales History: \$115,000 Ylg '20 OBSOCT. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$43,400. [Click for the Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.](#)

O-Dianne Bashor; B-Dan & Valencia Leach (KY); T-Bob Baffert.



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4th-Prairie Meadows, \$30,500, Msw, 8-22, 2yo, f, 5 1/2f, 1:05.88, ft, 5 lengths.

ORIGINATE (f, 2, Creative Cause--Divine River, by Divine Park) sported a steady local worktab and was 6-1 in this debut.

Scampering straight to the front from her rail draw, she was pressed by a foe just off her right flank through a :22.68 first quarter. Turning into the straight with a full head of steam, she had to contend with a fresh rival in upper stretch, but edged away to win by five lengths. Standup Comedienne (**Practical Joke**) was second. The dam, a half-sister to Group 3 winner and G1 French 2000 Guineas third River Proud (Proud Citizen), has a yearling colt named Jacoby River (Mark Valeski) and was covered by Most Mischief this spring. Sales History: \$7,000 Ylg '20 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$18,150. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.** O-Reunion Racing Stables LLC & Kevin Eikleberry; B-Brereton C. & B. Ned Jones (KY); T-Kevin Eikleberry.

Holy Boss (Street Boss), Anchor & Hope Farm, \$1,000
47 foals of racing age/2 winners/0 black-type winners
4-Delaware, 2:45 p.m. EDT, Msw 1mT, Beautiful Gorgeous, 6-1
6-Delaware, 3:45 p.m. EDT, Msw 1mT, Jardani, 7-2
4-Delaware, 2:45 p.m. EDT, Msw 1mT, Moon Boss, 6-1
1-Parx Racing, 12:55 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, Porsupuesto, 12-1

Klimt (Quality Road), Darby Dan Farm, \$10,000
153 foals of racing age/8 winners/0 black-type winners
3-Indiana Grand, 3:27 p.m. EDT, Alw 6f, Baytown Valleygirl, 10-1
\$4,000 RNA EAS OCT yrl

Lord Nelson (Pulpit), Spendthrift Farm, \$10,000
74 foals of racing age/2 winners/0 black-type winners
6-Delaware, 3:45 p.m. EDT, Msw 1mT, Sweet Dreams Babe, 15-1
\$40,000 FTK OCT yrl; \$20,000 OBS OPN 2yo

Mastery (Candy Ride {Arg}), Claiborne Farm, \$25,000
115 foals of racing age/2 winners/0 black-type winners
4-Delaware, 2:45 p.m. EDT, Msw 1mT, Avignon, 5-1
\$90,000 RNA KEE SEP yrl

Midnight Storm (Pioneerof the Nile), Taylor Made Farm, \$7,500
72 foals of racing age/3 winners/0 black-type winners
6-Parx Racing, 3:10 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, Ardean, 8-1
\$10,000 KEE SEP yrl; \$29,000 EAS MAY 2yo
6-Delaware, 3:45 p.m. EDT, Msw 1mT, Storm Attack, 10-1
\$25,000 KEE NOV wnl; \$150,000 OBS APR 2yo

Straight Fire (Dominus), Legacy Ranch, \$3,500
28 foals of racing age/6 winners/0 black-type winners
7-Delaware, 4:15 p.m. EDT, Aoc 5 1/2f, Fourteeneightyfour, 4-1

Tom's Ready (More Than Ready), Red River Farms, pensioned
12 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners
3-Finger Lakes, 2:08 p.m. EDT, Msw 5f, Ready to March, 6-1
\$5,000 KEE SEP yrl

Unified (Candy Ride {Arg}), Lane's End Farm, \$10,000
117 foals of racing age/5 winners/2 black-type winners
4-Indiana Grand, 3:58 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, Lady of Liberty, 6-1

War Correspondent (War Front), Calumet Farm, \$5,000
25 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners
9-Indiana Grand, 6:33 p.m. EDT, Msw 7 1/2f, Sargeant Barger, 15-1
\$1,000 KEE NOV wnl

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Astern (Aus) (Medaglia d'Oro), Darley, \$7,500
84 foals of racing age/2 winners/0 black-type winners
4-Delaware, 2:45 p.m. EDT, Msw 1mT, Pearl Earring, 3-1

Connect (Curlin), Lane's End Farm, \$15,000
119 foals of racing age/8 winners/0 black-type winners
6-Delaware, 3:45 p.m. EDT, Msw 1mT, Connecting, 8-1
\$20,000 KEE SEP yrl
6-Parx Racing, 3:10 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, Halligirl, 8-1
\$35,000 EAS MAY 2yo
4-Indiana Grand, 3:58 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, Waters of Merom, 4-1
\$18,000 KEE SEP yrl

Gun Runner (Candy Ride {Arg}), Three Chimneys Farm, \$50,000
127 foals of racing age/10 winners/2 black-type winners
3-Indiana Grand, 3:27 p.m. EDT, Alw 6f, Joyrunner, 3-1
\$145,000 KEE SEP yrl
4-Indiana Grand, 3:58 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, Optionality, 8-5

Hard Aces (Hard Spun), Averett Farm, \$2,000
20 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners
4-Louisiana Downs, 5:03 p.m. EDT, Msw 5f, Pat Hand Girl, 8-1

SECOND-CROP STARTERS TO WATCH: MONDAY, AUGUST 23

2021 Stud Fees Listed

Air Force Blue (War Front), Ashford Stud, \$10,000
 179 foals of racing age/39 winners/1 black-type winner
 5-Colonial Downs, 3:37 p.m. EDT, Msw 1m, Byzantine Empire, 20-1
 \$30,000 KEE SEP yrl

Not This Time (Giant's Causeway), Taylor Made Farm, \$40,000
 205 foals of racing age/57 winners/11 black-type winners
 6-Parx Racing, 3:10 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, Time Altering, 8-1
 \$18,000 RNA EAS OCT yrl; \$15,000 EAS MAY 2yo

Peace and Justice (War Front), Blackstone Farm, \$3,500
 62 foals of racing age/8 winners/1 black-type winner
 6-Parx Racing, 3:10 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, Be Water, 8-1
 6-Parx Racing, 3:10 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, Darling Donna, 6-1
 \$160,000 OBS APR 2yo
 6-Parx Racing, 3:10 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, La Cienega, 10-1

Red Vine (Candy Ride {Arg}), Cabin Creek Farm
 25 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners
 3-Parx Racing, 1:49 p.m. EDT, Msw 7f, Crimson Lille, 6-1
 1-Parx Racing, 12:55 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, Vine Jet, 8-1

Uncle Lino (Uncle Mo), Northview Stallion Station, \$4,000
 134 foals of racing age/22 winners/0 black-type winners
 11-Parx Racing, 5:45 p.m. EDT, \$100K Marshall Jenney H., 5ft,
 Uncle Roamie, 15-1
 3-Parx Racing, 1:49 p.m. EDT, Msw 7f, Xenatown, 5-1

War Dancer (War Front), Irish Hill & Dutchess Views Stallions, \$7,500
 129 foals of racing age/19 winners/1 black-type winner
 9-Parx Racing, 4:41 p.m. EDT, \$100K Mrs. Penny S., 1 1/16mT,
 Funwhileitlasted, 9-2
 \$20,000 FTK OCT yrl



IN ITALY:

Freedom Day, g, 7, Spring At Last--Queen of the Rings, by Empire Maker. Merano, 8-22, Hcp. (€11k), 2200mT, 2:23.30. O-Denise Pederiva. B-J. C. Davis Farm, Inc. & Patrick Costello (KY). T-Klaudia Freitag. *\$6,000 Ylg '15 FTKOCT.

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STAKES RESULTS:

CARLOS SALAZAR S., \$100,000, Albuquerque, 8-22, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:15.67, ft.

1--**SLAMMED, 122, f, 3, Marking--Hennesey Smash (MSW, \$252,006), by Roll Hennessy Roll.** O-Fincher Racing LLC, Brad King & Suzanne Kirby; B-Brad King & Todd Fincher (NM); T-Todd W. Fincher; J-Tracy J. Hebert. \$58,000. Lifetime Record: 5-4-0-0, \$107,605. *1/2 to Roll On Diabolical (Diabolical), MSW, \$154,450.

2--**Count Them Again, 124, f, 4, Premeditation--Count Your Cards,** by Royal Orleans. O-Lola L. & Alexandria M. Cuellar; B-Jim Volk (NM); T-Ever Olguin. \$20,000.

3--**Proofsinthepuddin, 119, f, 3, Marking--Follow My Tail,** by Indian Charlie. O-Reliance Ranches LLC; B-Brad King & Todd Fincher (NM); T-Todd W. Fincher. \$10,000.

Margins: 4HF, 1, 3/4. Odds: 0.80, 3.00, 9.20.

CASEY DARNELL S., (NB) \$100,000, Albuquerque, 8-21, (S), 3yo/up, 5 1/2f, 1:02.87, ft.

1--**GOLDEN BAND, 121, g, 6, Quinton's Gold--Partyband, by Chimes Band.** O-Dale F. Taylor Racing, LLC.; B-Dale Taylor (NM); T-Todd W. Fincher; J-Rodolfo Guerra. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 27-6-7-5, \$246,198. *1/2 to Raider Red (Diabolical), SW, \$135,630; 1/2 to Roll Out the Band (Roll Hennessy Roll), MSW, \$231,928.

2--**Wheredoesthecashgo, 121, g, 6, Southwestern Heat--Wildcat Diva,** by Forest Wildcat. O-Amanda Sweeten & Pablo Navarez Hernandez; B-J. Kirk & Judy Robison (NM); T-Andres Gonzalez. \$20,000.

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3--**Hollywood Henry**, 124, g, 6, Roll Hennessy Roll--Ringback, by Gone Hollywood. (\$17,500 Ylg '16 RUIAUG). O-Bennie A. Vanecek; B-Fred Alexander (NM); T-Fred I. Danley. \$10,000. Margins: HF, NK, 1HF. Odds: 4.40, 3.40, 1.00.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

13th-Woodbine, C\$85,962, 8-22, (NW1\$X), 3yo/up, 7 1/2ft, 1:31.76, fm, 1 1/4 lengths.

MR. DIFFLEY (g, 5, Itsmyluckyday--Silver Spring, by Langfuhr) Lifetime Record: 11-2-2-1, \$128,068. O-The Estate of Gustav Schickedanz; B-Gustav Schickedanz (ON); T-Michael Keogh.

3rd-Del Mar, \$79,412, (NW1\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$40,000), 8-22, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:37.43, ft, 3/4 length.

SAMURAI CHARM (f, 4, First Samurai--Back Seat Charm, by Silver Charm) Lifetime Record: 5-4-0-1, \$104,760.

O-Downstream Racing, LLC; B-J. Kirk & Judy Robison (KY); T-Peter Miller. *1/2 to Back Seat Roll (Roll Hennessy Roll), MSW, \$301,837; and Back Seat Hero (Diabolical), MSP, \$166,288.

2nd-Woodbine, C\$73,700, (C)/Opt. Clm (\$46,795-\$48,745), 8-22, 3yo/up, f/m, 7ft, 1:21.74, fm, head.

JUXTAPOSE (f, 4, Verrazano--Aldara, by Street Cry {Ire})

Lifetime Record: 12-6-0-2, \$147,907. O-James Redekop & Stefan Ferrario; B-Alvin D. Haynes Estate (KY); T-Steven Owens.

*\$5,000 Ylg '18 KEESEP; \$15,000 2yo '19 OBSOPN.

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5th-Gulfstream, \$50,000, (S), (NW1X)/Opt. Clm (\$12,500), 8-22, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:36.51, ft, 7 1/4 lengths.

LET'S BE HONEST (f, 4, He's Had Enough--Need a Reason, by Giant's Causeway) Lifetime Record: 26-5-4-4, \$191,492. O-Stud Locos Y Viciosos Corp.; B-Anthony Robinson (FL); T-Enrique Torres. *\$9,500 Ylg '18 OBSWIN.

8th-Pimlico, \$45,825, (C), 8-22, (C), 3yo/up, 1 1/16m (off turf), 1:45.56, gd, 1/2 length.

JOHNG (g, 4, Baltimore Bob--Ferry Music {MSP, \$174,702}, by Wiseman's Ferry) Lifetime Record: 16-4-1-1, \$116,528.

O/B-Alberts Racing LLC (MD); T-Timothy L. Keefe.

6th-Remington, \$41,650, (S), 8-21, (NW1X), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:11.08, ft, 2 1/4 lengths.

POMEROY HAZE (g, 4, Silver Haze--Pomeroy Girl, by Pomeroy) Lifetime Record: 13-5-1-1, \$57,625. O-Michael J. & Linda Mazoch; B-Steven T. Cook (OK); T-Austin Gustafson.

9th-Prairie Meadows, \$41,046, (S), 8-21, (NW1X), 3yo/up, 1m, 1:38.63, ft, 3/4 length.

MAHOMES (g, 4, Cairo Prince--True Blessing, by Tale of the Cat) Lifetime Record: 16-3-5-2, \$106,875. O-Poindexter Thoroughbreds LLC; B-H. Allen Poindexter (IA); T-Lynn Chleborad.

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5th-Remington, \$38,750, 8-21, (C), 3yo/up, 5ft, :57.34, fm, 2 1/4 lengths.

MEN OF KYLE (g, 5, Wimbledon--Naughty N Pg, by Malabar Gold) Lifetime Record: 24-7-3-3, \$135,267. O-Jeffrey Kass; B-Gigem Racing (TX); T-Paul Duhon.

9th-Remington, \$34,000, 8-21, (NW1X), 3yo/up, 7 1/2ft, 1:30.11, fm, 3/4 length.

WARLOCK DOC (g, 3, Jack Milton--Destiny's Reward, by Horse Chestnut {Saf}) Lifetime Record: 10-2-2-1, \$71,211. O-Dennis E. Foster; B-Hurstland Farm, James H. Greene Jr. & Courtney O'Brien (KY); T-Danny Pish. \$17,000 Ylg '19 KEESEP.

2nd-Canterbury, \$32,000, 8-22, (C), 3yo/up, 7 1/2ft, 1:29.98, fm, neck.

NORTHCUT (g, 5, Discreet Cat--Debit, by Tapit) Lifetime Record: 19-3-1-1, \$67,922. O/T-Kevin Danger; B-Shortleaf Stable (KY).

6th-Canterbury, \$31,000, 8-22, (C), 3yo/up, 7 1/2ft, 1:28.91, fm, 1 1/2 lengths.

A ROSE FOR RAVEN (g, 3, Distorted Humor--Goldstryke Glory {MSW & GSP, \$317,558}, by Second in Command) Lifetime Record: 5-2-1-1, \$45,780. O/T-Kerri Raven; B-Phoenix Rising Farms & Distorted Humor Syndicate (KY). *\$75,000 Ylg '19 KEESEP; \$90,000 3yo '21 OBSWIN.

6th-Evangeline Downs, \$31,000, (C)/Opt. Clm (\$20,000), 8-21, 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:34.90, fm, 1/2 length.

SHAKE SOME ACTION (g, 4, Into Mischief--Tiz a Chick, by Tiznow) Lifetime Record: SP, 12-4-3-1, \$134,000. O-Robert Asaro Enterprises, Inc.; B-Edgar Scott Jr. & Jane MacElree (KY); T-Keth G. Bourgeois. *\$235,000 Ylg '18 KEESEP; \$340,000 RNA 2yo '19 OBSMAR; \$300,000 2yo '19 EASMAY.

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2nd-Louisiana Downs, \$24,250, (S), 8-22, (NW4L), 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:05.36, ft, 4 1/4 lengths.

ICY CHARLIE (f, 4, My Pal Charlie--Lady Lyra Lee, by Academy Award) Lifetime Record: 8-4-2-0, \$97,552. O-Elite Thoroughbred Racing LLC; B-Michele Rodriguez (LA); T-Lee Thomas.

3rd-Louisiana Downs, \$21,600, (NW2X)/Opt. Clm (\$15,000),
8-22, 3yo/up, 7 1/2fT, 1:31.25, fm, 3/4 length.

AWE SHACKLE (g, 3, Shackleford--Alwaysadream, by Alphabet Soup) Lifetime Record: 11-3-2-2, \$50,595. O/B-Dream Walkin Farms, Inc. (KY); T-Joe O. Duhon.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Briar, c, 2, Bal a Bali (Brz)--Weekend Prospect, by A.P. Indy.
Remington, 8-21, 5f, :59.61. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$19,796.
B-Calumet Farm (KY). *Fourth winner for freshman sire (by Put It Back).

The Skipper Too, c, 2, Brethren--Katira, by First Dude.
Gulfstream, 8-22, (S), 7f, 1:25.50. Lifetime Record: 5-1-2-0,
\$57,730. B-Arindel (FL).

Bens Malice, g, 2, Palace Malice--Missmollybygolly, by Scat Daddy. Canterbury, 8-22, 7 1/2fT, 1:31.72. Lifetime Record:
2-1-1-0, \$29,200. B-Pete Mattson (MN). *\$30,000 RNA Ylg '20 FTKOCT.

Shanghai Shamrock, f, 2, Shanghai Bobby--Empire Rose, by Empire Maker. Saratoga, 8-22, (C), 6f, 1:12.84. Lifetime
Record: 4-1-0-1, \$43,880. B-Chiefswood Stables Limited (ON).

Unshakable U, f, 3, Bodemeister--Naseem (SW), by Point Given.
Pimlico, 8-22, 1 1/16m (off turf), 1:45.88. Lifetime Record:
6-1-1-0, \$37,240. B-Mojallali Stables, Inc. (KY). *1/2 to Unstoppable U (Exchange Rate), SW, \$375,202.

Dial in for Lute, g, 3, Dialed In--Bringinginthelute (SW,
\$184,070), by Midnight Lute. Remington, 8-21, 1m, 1:39.13.
Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$24,215. B-C. R. Trout (KY).

Sweet Serenade, f, 3, Tonalist--Maya Strike, by Smart Strike.
Woodbine, 8-22, 1mT, 1:39.31. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-1,
\$50,161. B-R. S. Evans (KY). *\$40,000 Ylg '19 FTKOCT.

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Leading West, r, 4, Distorted Humor--Liszy's Union, by Dixie Union. Saratoga, 8-22, (C), 7f (off turf), 1:24.94. Lifetime
Record: 13-1-4-2, \$84,775. B-Whisper Hill Farm, LLC (KY).
*\$90,000 Ylg '18 KEESEP.

Dr. Green, g, 4, Rookie Sensation--Thats Our Princess, by Curlin.
Woodbine, 8-22, (C), 7 1/2fT, 1:32.93. Lifetime Record:
7-1-1-0, \$47,515. B-Gustav Schickedanz (ON).

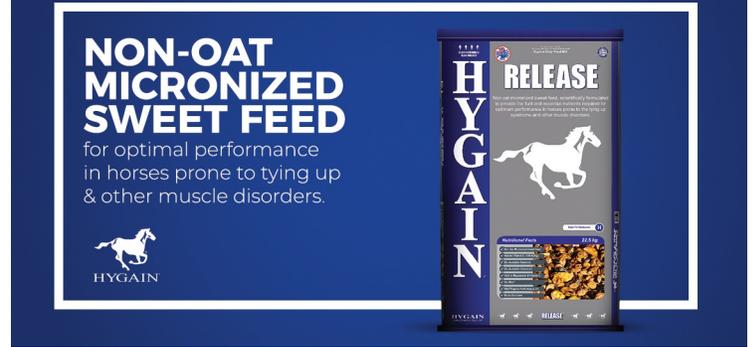
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- Creative Cause, Originate, f, 2, o/o Divine River, by Divine Park.** MSW, 8-22, Prairie Meadows
- Curlin, Lucky Curlin, g, 4, o/o My Lady Luck, by Hard Spun.** AOC, 8-22, Woodbine
- Danzing Candy, Gold Rush Candy, c, 2, o/o Bosserette, by Street Boss.** MSW, 8-22, Del Mar
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- Discreet Cat, Northcut, g, 5, o/o Debit, by Tapit.** ALW, 8-22, Canterbury
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- Frankel (GB), Fortineno (Ire), f, 2, o/o Rubina (Ire), by Invincible Spirit (Ire).** MSW, 8-22, Saratoga
- Gemologist, Horologist, m, 5, o/o Cinderella Time, by Stephen Got Even.** Summer Colony S., 8-22, Saratoga
- Ghostzapper, Our Flash Drive, f, 3, o/o Dynamotor, by Dynaformer.** GIII Ontario Colleen S., 8-22, Woodbine
- Grazen, Lieutenant Dan, g, 5, o/o Excusabull, by Indian Charlie.** GIII Green Flash H., 8-22, Del Mar
- He's Had Enough, Let's Be Honest, f, 4, o/o Need a Reason, by Giant's Causeway.** AOC, 8-22, Gulfstream



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Heart's Cry (Jpn), Cardio Princess (Jpn), f, 2, o/o Princessofthestars (Ire), by Sea The Stars (Ire). MSW, 8-22, Woodbine

Into Mischief, Mademoiselle Nova, f, 3, o/o Madagascat, by **Tale of the Cat**. ALW, 8-22, Woodbine

Into Mischief, Shake Some Action, g, 4, o/o Tiz a Chick, by Tiznow. AOC, 8-21, Evangeline

Itsmyluckyday, Mr. Diffley, g, 5, o/o Silver Spring, by Langfuhr. ALW, 8-22, Woodbine

Jack Milton, Warlock Doc, g, 3, o/o Destiny's Reward, by Horse Chestnut (Saf). ALW, 8-21, Remington

Kitten's Joy, Tripoli, c, 4, o/o Love Train, by **Tapit**. GI TVG Pacific Classic S., 8-21, Del Mar

Lemon Drop Kid, Box N Score, g, 5, o/o Game (Fr), by Montjeu (Ire). ALW, 8-22, Saratoga

Marking, Slammed, f, 3, o/o Hennesey Smash, by Roll Hennessy Roll. Carlos Salazar S., 8-22, Albuquerque

Mehmas (Ire), Going Global (Ire), f, 3, o/o Wrood, by Invasor (Arg). GI Del Mar Oaks, 8-21, Del Mar

Mineshaft, Goddess of Fire, f, 2, o/o Feel That Fire, by Lightnin N Thunder. MSW, 8-22, Saratoga

My Pal Charlie, Icy Charlie, f, 4, o/o Lady Lyra Lee, by Academy Award. ALW, 8-22, Louisiana Downs

Nathaniel (Ire), Mutamakina (GB), m, 5, o/o Joshua's Princess (GB), by Danehill. GII Dance Smartly S., 8-22, Woodbine

Palace Malice, Bens Malice, g, 2, o/o Missmollybygolly, by Scat Daddy. MSW, 8-22, Canterbury

Quality Road, Astronaut, c, 4, o/o Armanda (Ger), by Acatenango (Ger). GII Del Mar H. Presented by The Japan Racing Association, 8-21, Del Mar

Quinton's Gold, Golden Band, g, 6, o/o Partyband, by Chimes Band. Casey Darnell S., 8-21, Albuquerque

Rookie Sensation, Dr. Green, g, 4, o/o Thats Our Princess, by **Curlin**. MOC, 8-22, Woodbine

Shackleford, Awe Shackle, g, 3, o/o Alwaysadream, by Alphabet Soup. AOC, 8-22, Louisiana Downs

Shanghai Bobby, Shanghai Shamrock, f, 2, o/o Empire Rose, by Empire Maker. MCL, 8-22, Saratoga

Silent Name (Jpn), Silent Poet, g, 6, o/o Cara Bella, by **Ghostzapper**. GI Highlander S., 8-22, Woodbine

Silver Haze, Pomeroy Haze, g, 4, o/o Pomeroy Girl, by Pomeroy. ALW, 8-21, Remington

Tonalist, Sweet Serenade, f, 3, o/o Maya Strike, by Smart Strike. MSW, 8-22, Woodbine

Verrazano, Juxtapose, f, 4, o/o Aldara, by Street Cry (Ire). AOC, 8-22, Woodbine

Wimbledon, Men of Kyle, g, 5, o/o Naughty N Pg, by Malabar Gold. ALW, 8-21, Remington



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Sheikh Rashid Dalmook Al Maktoum's 2-year-old colt **Perfect Power (Ire)** (Ardad {Ire}) became the first stakes winner for his freshman sire (by Kodiak {GB}) when plundering Royal Ascot's June 17 G2 Norfolk S. and, despite a blip when fifth in last month's July 29 G2 Richmond S. at Goodwood, notched another first for the Overbury Stud incumbent with a decisive victory in Sunday's G1 Darley Prix Morny at Deauville, a "Win and You're In" for the GII Breeders' Cup Juvenile Turf Sprint at Del Mar in November.

The January-foaled bay had earlier bettered a May 25 debut third at Newcastle with a 2 1/4-length graduation over five furlongs at Hamilton and was renewing rivalry with Richmond S. winner **Asymmetric (Ire)** (Showcasing {GB}) and a host of others in this straight six-furlong dash. Anchored at the tail of the field by Christophe Soumillon and under cover through halfway as **Solotov (Ire)** (Invincible Spirit {Ire}) set the early fractions, the 19-5 second favourite inched ever closer once leaving the quarter-mile marker behind and quickened smartly under late rousting after joining the front rank at the eighth pole to win going away by 1 1/4 lengths from **Trident (Fr)** (Wootton Bassett {GB}).

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NEW DWC BREEZE-UP SALE TO BE CONDUCTED BY GOFFS

The new Dubai World Cup Breeze-Up Sale in association with Goffs will be conducted by the Irish sales company on Mar. 24, 2022, the Dubai Racing Club (DRC) announced on Sunday.

Held during Dubai World Cup week, the sale will have a maximum size of 69 2-year-olds that will be sourced from vendors by Goffs which will appeal to both local and international buyers. All lots will undergo a full veterinary examination prior to departure to ensure full transparency and buyer confidence.

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G1 Darley Prix Morny Cont. from p1

Trainer Richard Fahey said, "I'm just delighted, it looked a very solid race there today. Christophe gave him a very confident ride, and it got tight for two strides or so, but he came through it, which was great. It's been a frustrating enough year, but this is just what the doctor ordered, it's why we do it and why we're in the game.

"He'll definitely go for the Middle Park next. It's not often you make a plan for a horse, but the two races myself and Sheikh Rashid mentioned were the Prix Morny and then the Middle Park, and it's very nice to have one in the bag already."

"He was quite unlucky in the Richmond and I'd have been very disappointed if he had not beaten all the horses that had finished in front of him in that race," added the owner's racing manager Bruce Raymond. "I'm not saying I though he'd win, but I was expecting a good run from the horse. It was a slow, messy race and he had to work his way through horses on more than one occasion. It worked out beautifully in the end. He is all speed and a pure sprinter so the logical step would be to go to the [Sept. 25 G1 Juddmonte] Middle Park S. [at Newmarket] next. We hope he trains on next year and we'll see what happens when the time comes."

Perfect Power engaged in a minor tussle with eventual runner-up Trident approaching the final furlong and the latter's rider Mickael Barzalona commented, "I'm certainly disappointed to have been beaten, which is always the case when you finish second in a Group 1 race. However, it was only the third run of his life and I'm delighted with that. I think he will stay further."

Martin Harley, who was also in the plate for Asymmetric's G2 Richmond success, added, "I had some concerns about the [good-to-soft] ground beforehand, but he travelled smoothly throughout the race. I thought we might have a chance of winning with 2 1/2 furlongs to race, but he didn't quicken as I thought he might when I asked him. He really would have liked it faster and I expect the Middle Park will be his next stop."

Pedigree Notes

Perfect Power becomes the first Group 1 winner for his first-crop sire (by Kodiak {GB}) and is the first foal bred from Sagely (Ire) (Frozen Power {Ire}), herself a dual-winning half-sister to the Listed Upavon S. runner-up Sagaciously (Ire) (Lawman {Ire}). Descendants of the January-foaled bay's third dam Saga d'Ouilly (Fr) (Linamix {Fr}) include Listed Derby du Midi victor Sagaroi (Fr) (King's Best), Listed Prix Aymeri de Mauleon scorer Sagauteur (Fr) (Literato {Fr}) and this year's Listed Prix Maurice Zilber-winning G1 Prix Rothschild runner-up Sagamiyra (Fr) (Sea The Moon {Ger}). [Cont. p3](#)



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G1 Darley Prix Morny Cont.

Saga d'Ouilly is a full-sister to G1 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe-winning sire Sagamix (Fr) and G2 Prix de Malleret victrix Sage et Jolie (Fr), herself the dam of G1 Prix d'Isphahan-winning sire Sageburg (Fr) (Johannesburg). His fourth dam, G2 Prix de Royallieu winner Saganeca (Sagace {Fr}), is responsible for G1 Grand Criterium victor and G1 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe placegetter Sagacity (Fr) (Highest Honor {Fr}) and Listed Pontefract Castle S. runner-up Shastye (Ire) (Danehill), herself the dam of five stakes winners headed by G1 International S. and G1 Grand Prix de Paris hero Japan (GB) (**Galileo {Ire}**) and his G1 Grand Prix de Paris and G1 Hong Kong Vase-winning full-brother Mogul (GB). Sagely has a yearling filly by Kodiak (GB) and a weanling colt by Galileo Gold (GB) to come.

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DARLEY PRIX MORNAY - FINALE DES DARLEY SERIES-G1,
 €350,000, Deauville, 8-22, 2yo, c/f, 6fT, 1:10.81, g/s.

1--**PERFECT POWER (IRE), 126, c, 2, by Ardad (Ire)**

1st Dam: **Sagely (Ire), by Frozen Power (Ire)**

2nd Dam: **Saga Celebre (Fr), by Peintre Celebre**

3rd Dam: **Saga d'Ouilly (Fr), by Linamix (Fr)**

1ST GROUP 1 WIN. (16,000gns RNA Ylg '20 TATOCT; £110,000

2yo '21 GOFTY). O-Sheikh Rashid Dalmook Al Maktoum; B-Tally-Ho Stud (IRE); T-Richard Fahey; J-Christophe Soumillon. €199,990. Lifetime Record: GSW-Eng, 5-3-0-1, €262,322.

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2--**Trident (Fr), 126, c, 2, Wootton Bassett (GB)**--Mezzo Mezzo (Fr), by Mount Nelson (GB). (€140,000 Ylg '20 ARQSEP).

O-Michael Tabor, Derrick Smith, Susan Magnier & Westerberg; B-David Smaga & Mme Marie-Benedicte Fougy-Smaga (FR); T-Andre Fabre. €80,010.

3--**Asymmetric (Ire), 126, c, 2, Showcasing (GB)**--Swirral Edge (GB), by Hellvelyn (GB). (65,000gns Ylg '20 TADEYG;

150,000gns 2yo '21 TATBRE). O-Ms Leora Judah; B-Redpender Stud Ltd (IRE); T-Alan King. €40,005.

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Margins: 1 1/4, HF, HF. Odds: 3.80, 13.00, 4.40.

Also Ran: Armor (GB), Gubbass (Ire), Have A Good Day (Ire), Baghed (GB), Toimy Son (Fr), Quick Suzy (Ire), Khunan (GB), Velocidad (GB), January Moon (Fr), Josejosephine (Fr), Solotov (Ire).

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GLORY GLORY HALLELUJAH!

Deauville’s G1 Darley Prix Jean Romanet has a habit of producing shock winners and there was another to add to the list on Sunday as **Grand Glory (GB)** (Olympic Glory {Ire}) got up late to deny last year’s heroine **Audarya (Fr)** (**Wootton Bassett {GB}**) in a thriller.

Last seen enjoying a confidence-boosting success in the July 21 G3 Grand Prix de Vichy, Albert Frassetto, John d’Amato and Mike Pietrangelo’s G3 Prix de Flore and Listed Prix Zarkava winner, who was third in the 2019 G1 Prix de Diane, was anchored in rear early by Cristian Demuro. Making her move wide on the home turn, the 23-1 shot needed all of the straight to get past the reigning GI Breeders’ Cup Filly & Mare Turf titleholder but managed it on the line to prevail by a short head, with the G1 Pretty Polly S. scorer **Thundering Nights (Ire)** (Night of Thunder {Ire}) 1 1/4 lengths away in third.

“This is a dream really--these races personally I used to watch on TV and they were not for me, but here I am winning a group 1 in Deauville, it’s such a thrill,” trainer Gianluca Bietolini said. “I knew I had the filly in great form and she was doing very well after Vichy with a much less complicated season this year than last. We made the right choices for her and she has come through this season more straightforwardly, so I felt it was a really good time to try her again in a Group 1 race.”

Much water has flown under the bridge since Grand Glory was beaten a head and half a length when making the frame in the 2019 Diane and despite maintaining an admirable level of

consistency, few would have predicted that the bay would make the requisite jump required to get to this esteemed level. Her efforts last season included the aforementioned wins in ParisLongchamp’s Prix Zarkava and Saint-Cloud’s Prix de Flore, a second to **Ambition (GB)** (Dubawi {Ire}) in the G2 Prix Corrida staged at Lyon-Parilly and a third behind **Ebaiyra (Distorted Humor)** in the 12 1/2-furlong G2 Prix de Pomone here. Third to Skalleti (Fr) (Kendargent {Fr}) on her comeback in the 10-furlong G3 Prix Exbury on heavy ground back at Saint-Cloud Mar. 21, she was uncharacteristically disappointing when last of six in the G3 Prix Allez France at ParisLongchamp May 2 before finishing third in the latter venue’s G3 La Coupe again over this trip June 13.

Buoyed by her success at Vichy, Grand Glory showed what a sudden uptick in self-belief can do as she mastered a strong field of fillies and mares including the ultimately disappointing 9-5 favourite **Lady Bowthorpe (GB)** (Nathaniel {Ire}) without a hint of fluke. Bietolini is considering the G1 Prix de l’Opera de Longchamp now Oct. 3.

“It looks to me that she is back to the level of her Diane run as a 3-year-old, but she’s not in the Arc and I wouldn’t want to go there anyway,” he said. “The Opera is enough for us and maybe we’ll have another great day there. She’ll head to the farm after that.” **Cont. p5**



Grand Glory just gets the better of a stubborn Audarya in the Prix Jean Romanet | Scoop Dyga



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Congratulations to the connections of GRAND GLORY on her win in the Darley Prix Jean Romanet-G1 at Deauville

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G1 Darley Prix Jean Romanet Cont.

James Fanshawe said of the runner-up, “She’s run a great race and was beaten narrowly, but that’s the game—you win and you lose so hats off to the winner. I’m very happy that she’s come back to her best after Goodwood and we’ll take it race-by-race with the plan to come back for the Opera and then go to the Breeders’ Cup like last year.”

Pedigree Notes

Grand Glory’s dam Madonna Lily (Ire) (Daylami {Ire}), whose final foal is the useful 4-year-old gelding Bois d’Argent (GB) (Toronado {Ire}), is a daughter of the listed-placed Maria de La Luz (GB) (Machiavellian) who produced the GII Canadian S. winner Minakshi (Fr) (**Footstepsinthesand {GB}**). She is also the second dam of the Scandinavian juvenile champion and Listed Meydan Classic-placed Irish Trilogy (Ire) (Gregorian {Ire}) hailing from the family of the Australian Group 1-winning mother and daughter Arapaho Miss (Aus) (Danehill Dancer {Ire}) and Miami Bound (NZ) (Reliable Man {GB}) and the GI Preakness S. hero and champion sire Tom Rolfe (Ribot {GB}).

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Sunday, Deauville, France

DARLEY PRIX JEAN ROMANET-G1, €250,000, Deauville, 8-22, 4yo/up, f/m, 10fT, 2:06.99, g/s.

1--**GRAND GLORY (GB)**, 126, m, 5, by Olympic Glory (Ire)

1st Dam: Madonna Lily (Ire), by Daylami (Ire)

2nd Dam: Maria de La Luz (GB), by Machiavellian

3rd Dam: Light of Hope, by Lyphard

1ST GROUP 1 WIN. (€18,000 Ylg ‘17 AROCT). O-Albert Frassetto, John d’Amato & Mike Pietrangelo; B-Elevage Haras de Bourgeauville (GB); T-Gianluca Bietolini; J-Cristian Demuro. €142,850. Lifetime Record: 16-6-3-3, €447,190. **Werk Nick Rating: A+.** Click for the **eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.**

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2--**Audarya (Fr)**, 126, m, 5, **Wootton Bassett (GB)**

1st Dam: Green Bananas (Fr), by Green Tune

2nd Dam: Anabaa Republic (Fr), by Anabaa

3rd Dam: Gigawatt (Fr), by Double Bed (Fr)

(€125,000 Ylg ‘17 AROYRG). O-Mrs A M Swinburn; B-SARL Haras d’Ecouves (FR); T-James Fanshawe. €57,150.

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3--**Thundering Nights (Ire)**, 126, f, 4, **Night of Thunder (Ire)**

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2nd Dam: Kaabari, by Seeking the Gold

3rd Dam: Cloud Castle (GB), by In The Wings (GB)

(€17,000 RNA Wlg ‘17 GOFNOV; €19,000 RNA Ylg ‘18 TIRSEP). O-Shapoor Mistry; B-Manjri Farm (IRE); T-Joseph O’Brien. €28,575.

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Anglesey Stakes, **Gr.3**

CALIFORNIA

Lillie Langtry Stakes, **Gr.3**

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Margins: SHD, 1 1/4, 3/4. Odds: 23.20, 6.30, 3.50.
 Also Ran: Ambition (GB), Cayenne Pepper (Ire), Ebaiyra, Lady Bowthorpe (GB), Insinuendo (Ire). **Click for the Racing Post result or the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree. Video, sponsored by TVG.**

RAABIHAH ALL CLASS IN THE POMONE

Shadwell’s 4-year-old distaffer **Raabihah** (Sea the Stars {Ire}), unsuccessful in five outings since annexing last term’s G3 Prix de Psyche at Deauville, rebounded off three second-place efforts this year and produced a telling burst at the end of Sunday’s G2 Darley Prix de Pomone to register an impressive score upon her return to the Normandy venue.

The contest was delayed by an excessive hold in the gates while a replacement battery was installed after a failed break and the homebred chestnut was positioned in a stalking fourth for the most part. Quickening smartly in the centre of the track to seize control from the pacesetter **Mystery Angel (Ire)** (Kodi Bear {Ire}) with 300 metres remaining, the 29-10 third choice quickened again once in front and surged clear to easily account for **Joie de Soir (Ire)** (**Fastnet Rock {Aus}**) by 2 1/2 lengths. **Valia (Fr)** (Sea the Stars {Ire}) was left standing at the delayed break and made strong late headway to finish a short neck shy of second.

Raabihah’s run of five defeats included a second in last term’s

G1 Prix Vermeille and a fifth in ParisLongchamp’s G1 Prix de l’Arc de Triomphe, with this year’s renewals of both contests now back on the radar, and a run of three seconds in May 2 G3 Prix Allex France back at the Bois de Boulogne venue, Saint-Cloud’s May 26 G2 Prix Corrida and Clairefontaine’s Aug. 1 Listed Prix du Pays d’Auge leading up to this redemption.

“With regard to her performances this year, I think she lacked a bit of her old sparkle,” reflected trainer Jean-Claude Rouget. “If you go back to last year she started her season very early at Cagnes-sur-Mer and ended in the Arc so it was a very long campaign. She had to pay for it at some point, it took its toll in the spring and she earned her little break at the beginning of the summer. She is obviously now back to her best and in time for the major races in the autumn. I didn’t hesitate to nominate this race, rather than go for the [G1] Prix Jean Romanet because I feel this longer trip suits her much better. I don’t know for certain which race she will go for next, but it could be the [Sept 12 G1] Prix Vermeille [back at ParisLongchamp].”

Pedigree Notes

Raabihah, one of two winners and the leading performer produced by Garmoosha (Kingmambo), is a half-sister to Listed Wait A While S. placegetter Filfila (Kitten’s Joy), the unraced 2-year-old filly Rihaaf (Kitten’s Joy), a yearling filly by **More Than Ready** and a weanling filly by Noble Mission (GB). **Cont. p7**

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Shadwell's Raabihah was back in the winner's circle in the G2 Prix Kergorlay | Scoop Dyga

G2 Darley Prix de Pomone Cont.

Her dam is an unraced half to G1 Fillies' Mile third Firdaws (Mr. Greeley) out of G1 Epsom Oaks heroine Eswarah (GB) (Unfuwain), who in turn is a daughter of MG1SW G1 1000 Guineas and G1 Epsom Oaks heroine Midway Lady (Alleged). The latter also produced G1 Irish 1000 Guineas third

Umniyatee (GB) (Green Desert) and G3 Princess Royal S. victrix Itnab (GB) (Green Desert), who in turn is the dam of stakes-winning G3 Al Shindagha Sprint runner-up Alazeyab (El Prado {Ire}) and Peruvian Group 3 placegetter Madera de Guerrero (Street Cry {Ire}). Descendants of Umniyatee include Argentina's G1 Presidente da Republica victor Maltes (Brz) (Red Runner).

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Sunday, Deauville, France

DARLEY PRIX DE POMONE-G2, €130,000, Deauville, 8-22, 3yo/up, f/m, 12 1/2fT, 2:43.46, g/s.

1--**RAABIHAH**, 130, f, 4, by **Sea the Stars (Ire)**

1st Dam: Garmoosha, by **Kingmambo**

2nd Dam: Eswarah (GB), by **Unfuwain**

3rd Dam: Midway Lady, by **Alleged**

O-Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum; B-Shadwell Farm LLC (KY); T-Jean-Claude Rouget; J-Cristian Demuro. €74,100.

Lifetime Record: G1SP-Fr, 10-4-4-0, €419,962. **Werk Nick**

Rating: A+++ *Triple Plus*. [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

2--**Joie de Soir (Ire)**, 121, f, 3, **Fastnet Rock (Aus)**--Highest Ever (Ire), by **Galileo (Ire)**. O-Susan Magnier, Michael Tabor & Derrick Smith; B-Coolmore Stud (IRE); T-Andre Fabre. €28,600.

SKAZINO

g. 2016 KENDARGENT x SKALLET



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3--**Valia (Fr)**, 130, f, 4, Sea the Stars (Ire)--Veda (Fr), by Dansili (GB). O-H H The Aga Khan; B-H H The Aga Khan's Studs SC (FR); T-Alain de Royer-Dupre. €13,650.

Margins: 2HF, SNK, 5. Odds: 2.90, 2.20, 2.00.

Also Ran: Silence Please (Ire), Katara (Fr), Mystery Angel (Ire).

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SKAZINO LEAVES IT LATE IN THE KERGORLAY



Skazino | Scoop Dyga

Providing some heart-stopping drama for all of the 2-5 backers in Sunday's G2 Darley Prix Kergorlay at Deauville, Le Haras de la Gousserie's **Skazino (Fr)** (Kendargent {Fr}) took until the final stride to reel in the German stayer **Rip Van Lips (Ire)** (Rip Van Winkle {Ire}) to reward Mickael Barzalona's unerring judgement of pace.

Several lengths adrift of that rival and last year's G1 Prix du Cadran runner-up **Alkuin (Ire)** (Maxios {GB}) throughout, the G2 Prix Vicomtesse Vigier hero looked unlikely to bridge the still sizeable gap straightening for home as Rip Van Lips took control of his rapidly-tiring companion. What Skazino had shown since

moving up in trip is a powerful finish and that ultimately told as he nailed his target horse on the line for a head success.

"What a fantastic horse he has been since going over two miles--I'd been a little bit stubborn until last year still running him in the same mile-and-a-half races where he was always being caught for speed," trainer Cedric Rossi commented. "Since we switched him to this kind of trip, he's been a different horse. I left it to the jockey today, as he knew the horse and I think he's had a hard race there but he's taking his racing very well and is tough. We'll freshen him up for the [Oct. 2] Cadran [at ParisLongchamp] and whether he will stay or not we'll find out then."

Pedigree Notes

Runner-up to Valia (Fr) (Sea the Stars {Ire}) over a 14-furlong trip that favoured that filly in the G2 Prix Maurice de Nieuil at ParisLongchamp July 14, Skazino has now won the three main pattern-race staying tests in France, the G3 Prix de Barbeville May 2 and the aforementioned Vicomtesse Vigier May 24 also at ParisLongchamp. His dam Skallet (Fr) (Muhaymin), who captured the Listed Prix Occitanie and was placed in the G3 Prix Fille de l'Air, G3 Prix Penelope and G3 Prix Andre Baboin, is also responsible for this chestnut's full-brother Skalleti (Fr) who is now the winner of the G1 Prix d'Ispahan and G1 Grosser Dallmayr Preis, two editions of the G2 Prix Dollar as well as the G2 Premio Roma, G2 Prix d'Harcourt, G3 Prix Quincey, G3 Prix Exbury and G3 Prix Gontaut-Biron and has been second in the G1 Champion S. Skazino's other full-brother is the listed-placed Skalleto (Fr), while the dam has the unraced 2-year-old colt Skalli (GB) also by Kendargent.

Sunday, Deauville, France

DARLEY PRIX KERGORLAY-G2, €130,000, Deauville, 8-22, 3yo/up, 15fT, 3:14.53, g/s.

1--**SKAZINO (FR)**, 132, g, 5, by Kendargent (Fr)

1st Dam: Skallet (Fr) (SW & MGSP-Fr, \$181,946),



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2nd Dam: Siran (Fr), by R. B. Chesne (GB)

3rd Dam: Surubinha (Fr), by Solicitor (Fr)

(€22,000 Ylg '17 AROCT; €150,000 RNA 3yo '19 ARQARC). O-Le Haras de la Gousserie; B-Guy Pariente Holding (FR); T-Cedric Rossi; J-Mickael Barzalona. €74,100. Lifetime Record: 28-12-1-2, €392,800. *Full to Skalleti (Fr), G1SW-Fr & Ger, GSW-Itly, G1SP-Eng, \$1,167,558; and Skalleto (Fr), SP-Fr, \$237,077. **Werk Nick Rating: A++.** [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

2--**Rip Van Lips (Ire)**, 132, h, 5, Rip Van Winkle (Ire)--Red Lips (Ger), by Areion (Ger). O-Stall Lintec; B-Stall Parthenaue (IRE); T-Andreas Suborics. €28,600.

3--**Red Verdon**, 126, g, 8, Lemon Drop Kid--Porto Marmay (Ire), by Choisir (Aus). (\$85,000 Ylg '14 KEESEP; 90,000gns 2yo '15 TATBRE). O-The Hon R J Arculli; B-Liberty Road Stables (KY); T-Ed Dunlop. €13,650.

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Margins: HD, 2HF, 1 1/4. Odds: 0.40, 8.10, 8.60.

Also Ran: Good Question (Fr), Brokeback Mountain (Fr), Alkuin (Ire). [Click for the Racing Post result or the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.](#) [Video, sponsored by TVG.](#)

Sunday, Ovrevoll, Norway

MARIT SVEAAS MINNELOP-G3, NKr1,200,000, Ovrevoll, 8-22, 3yo/up, 9fT, 1:45.70, gd.

1--**SQUARE DE LUYNES (FR), 132, g, 6, by Manduro (Ger)**

1st Dam: Power Girl (Ger) (SW-Eng, SP-Ger & Ity), by Dashing Blade (GB)

2nd Dam: Picara (Ger), by Prince Ippi (Ger)

3rd Dam: Prairie (Ger), by Espresso (GB)

(€26,000 Ylg '16 AROCT). O-Stall Power Girls; B-Jacques Beres (FR); T-Niels Petersen; J-Pat Cosgrave. NKr700,000. Lifetime Record: Horse of the Year-Scan, Ch. 3-y-o Colt-Scan, 2x Ch. Grass Horse-Scan, Ch. Older Horse-Scan, Ch. Stayer-Scan, MGSW-Swe, 11-7-2-1, NKr4,780,753. *1/2 to Glowing Cloud (GB) (Dylan Thomas {Ire}), SW & MGSP-Fr, \$184,136. **Werk Nick Rating: A++.** [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

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2--**Kick On (GB)**, 132, g, 5, Charm Spirit (Ire)--Marika (GB) (SW-Eng), by Marju (Ire). (80,000gns Wlg '16 TATFOA; 135,000gns Ylg '17 TATOCT). O-Elkar Stutteri; B-Shutford Stud (GB); T-Niels Petersen. NKr260,000.

3--**King David (Den)**, 132, h, 6, Elusive City--Jeunesse Lulu (Ire), by Montjeu (Ire). O-Mme M Fernande; B-Stutterie Stork (Den); T-Niels Petersen. NKr120,000.

Margins: 1HF, 1 1/4, 2HF. Odds: 1.75, 2.30, 8.50.

Also Ran: Match Maker (Ire), Valence (GB), Swedish Dream (Fr), Jazz Explosion (Ire), Buddy Bob (Ire). Scratched: Like a King (Ire).

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Successful in the 12-furlong G3 Oslo Cup and G3 Stockholm Cup International as well as this race in 2019, the lightly-raced "Frankel of the fjords" Square de Luynes had been third in this 12 months ago before coming good again in the latest edition of the Stockholm Cup International at Bro Park in September. Tracking the early pace, he was committed passing the halfway mark and gave generously to ward off last year's winner Kick On as King David made it a clean sweep for the Niels Petersen stable.

Pedigree Notes

The bay is one of two black-type winners for the Listed Warwickshire Oaks scorer Power Girl alongside the Listed Prix d'Automne winner and G3 Prix Fille de l'Air runner-up Glowing Cloud. Power Girl's dam Picara is a full-sister to the G1 Deutsches Derby and G2 German 2000 Guineas hero Philipo (Ger).

ECTOT'S GOOD TOO A NEW RISING STAR AT DEAUVILLE

Following on from a flurry of Rising Star awards in Ireland and Stateside overnight, Al Shaqab Racing's 2-year-old colt **Good Too (Fr) (Ectot {GB})** joined the esteemed ranks with an impressive performance in Sunday's Prix de Montaigu at Deauville.

Steadied off the pace in fifth after a sharp getaway in this one-mile newcomers' test, the 17-10 favourite made eyecatching headway on the bridle in the straight to challenge out wide with 300 metres remaining and displayed an impressive turn of foot once taking control at the furlong marker to easily outclass **Yoozuna (Ire)** (Kizuna {Jpn}) by 2 1/2 lengths in taking fashion, becoming the second winner for his freshman sire (by Hurricane Run {Ire}).

"We've been thinking, for quite some time, that this is a very nice horse," said trainer Jean-Claude Rouget. "He had been working extremely well and he won that very nicely indeed. I feel he has great potential and, as I usually do, he will be lightly raced this year. He may have one or two more starts this year to give him some additional experience."

Good Too, a half-brother to Listed Prix des Jouvenceaux et des Jouvencelles runner-up Nunzia (Fr) (Epaulette {Aus}), is the second of two foals produced by Netsuke (Ire) (Aragorn {Ire}), herself a dual-winning full-sister to G2 Duque de Caxias victrix and G1 Organizacao Sulamericana de Fomento ao Puro Sangue de Corrida runner-up Notting Tomorrow. Notting Tomorrow, in turn, is the dam of G1 Matias Machline hero Jackson Pollock (Brz) (Kodiak Cowboy).



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1st-Deauville Cont.

The April-foaled bay's second dam is MGSW GI John C. Mabee H. and G1 Grande Premio Linneo de Paula Machado placegetter Notting Hill (Brz) (Jules), herself kin to G3 Grande Premio Adhemar de Faria e Roberto Gabizo de Faria victor Prince of Wales (Brz) (Ghadeer {Fr}) and Listed Octavio du Pont winner L'Escapade (Brz) (Aksar). The latter has four black-type winners to her credit, headed by G3 Grande Premio Prefeitura da Cidade do Rio de Janeiro victor and G1 Gran Premio Latinoamericano runner-up Leao de Prata (Brz) (Crimson Tide {Ire}).

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1st-Deauville, €27,000, Mdn, 8-22, unraced 2yo, c/g, 8fT, 1:46.39, g/s.

GOOD TOO (FR), c, 2, by Ectot (GB)

1st Dam: Netsuke (Ire), by Aragorn (Ire)

2nd Dam: Notting Hill (Brz), by Jules

3rd Dam: Light Lida, by Alleged

1ST-TIME STARTER. (€42,000 RNA Wlg '19 ARDEC; €55,000 Ylg

'20 AROCT). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, €13,500. **Click for the Racing Post result or the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree. Video, sponsored by TVG.**

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He continued, "We are partnering with a world-renowned auction house and together we are taking steps towards creating a bright future for the sport in the UAE.

"As far as the potential horses are concerned, they look like a very exciting bunch of young horses who will hopefully bring plenty of success for their new owners. In addition, Dubai World Cup week is a meeting point for leading owners and bloodstock professionals from Europe, the USA, Australasia and Asia and as such we are hoping for strong trade at the inaugural Dubai World Cup Breeze-up Sale." **Cont. p11**



Good Too is the first 'TDN Rising Star' for his Al Shaqab-raced sire Ectot | Scoop Dyga

Dubai World Cup Breeze-Up Sale Cont.

Added Goffs Group Chief Executive Henry Beeby, “We are extremely grateful to the Dubai Racing Club for the confidence they have shown in the Goffs service by entrusting this prestigious sale to us. We look forward to working with Sheikh Rashid bin Dalmook, the Chairman of Dubai Racing Club and his team to deliver a world class event a day before the eve of the world’s most prestigious race. We have a long and successful track record in the breeze-up sphere having held Europe’s first breeze-up sale at Doncaster back in 1977 which also proved the source of the first European Classic winner from a breeze-up in Speciosa (Ire) (Danehill Dancer {Ire}) who won the English 1000 Guineas. It will be a privilege to conduct a sale of this stature in Dubai at the invitation of His Highness Sheikh Mohammed.”

All of the juveniles will undergo quarantine in Dubai prior to the sale and gallop on the dirt track at Meydan on Mar. 23, 2022. There will be no official times for 2-year-olds, but instead they will be galloped on the bridle. Nominations for the sale will be open in due course, with stable visits taking place following the yearling sales season. The visits will be led by Nick Nugent and Tom Taaffe, the latter of whom brokered the deal on behalf of Goffs.

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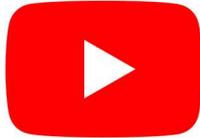


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THE WEEKLY WRAP

by Emma Berry



IT'S GOOD TO BE BACK

There are banners along the High Street of my home town of Newmarket saying 'Welcome back to racing'. Though we've been fortunate in England to have been able to allow crowds gradually to return to racecourses earlier than some other countries, it has only really been in the last few weeks that it has felt like the proper pre-pandemic experience. And where better to have the people back in force than at York, widely regarded by many to be the best racecourse in the country?

Any amount of time spent on the Knavesmire is time well spent indeed, and you really could have picked any of the days of the Ebor meeting to be able to enjoy a proper feature race with intrigue and stars aplenty. Even the queue for the bus to the track from the train station provided a level of fun. A group of men of advanced years huddled together like schoolboys, copies of the

Racing Post tucked under their arms, clearly relishing the prospect of a midweek day at the races. When the bus arrived, they rushed for the long bench seat at the back, always the preserve of the naughtiest in class, and with a full load of passengers chattering about their fancies for the day, our chariot trundled off to the track.

Clarehaven Resurgent

Thady Gosden's name was added to his father's training licence just ahead of the start of the turf season in Britain and though the stable played a less prominent role in the Classics than is usually to be expected, it has now clicked into top gear.

A stellar run was launched eight days ago in Deauville, where **Palace Pier (GB)** (**Kingman (GB)**) landed his second G1 Prix Jacques Le Marois, swiftly followed by the G3 Prix Minerve victory for George Strawbridge's **Free Wind (Ire)** (**Galileo (Ire)**).

Further big guns were wheeled out for York, with the mighty **Mishriff (Ire)** (Make Believe {GB}) sparking endless 'Is he the best in the world?' debates with his visually impressive first Group 1 victory in Britain in the Juddmonte International.

Whether he is the best or not will be settled at the end of the year in the international rankings—and even then the debate will likely rage on. What can be said with some certainty is that Mishriff is the most versatile at the highest level, with his wins coming on the Riyadh dirt track over nine furlongs in the Saudi Cup, the Meydan turf over 12 furlongs, and now 10.5 furlongs at York, not forgetting his Classic win at Chantilly last season. Victory at the Breeders' Cup—or even in Japan, as has been mooted, with that tempting \$3-million bonus on offer—would go a long way to settling the argument once and for all.

While Palace Pier and Mishriff have strong claims to being the best in their divisions, the king of the stayers is still **Stradivarius**

(Ire) (Sea The Stars {Ire}). It is to be hugely regretted that the half-brothers Subjectivist (GB) (Teofilo {Ire}) and Sir Ron Priestley (GB) (**Australia (GB)**) are both sidelined with injuries as this has undoubtedly weakened the staying division in the second half of the season. But the 7-year-old stallion Stradivarius proved that even if the years have blunted his game a little, he has lost none of his will to win. Arguably, he's at his best when he has to knuckle down and fight, and this is exactly what he did when dispatching the

Yorkshire Cup winner **Spanish Mission** (Noble Mission) on his return to the Knavesmire.

With a race record that now includes three Ascot Gold Cups, four Goodwood Cups, three Lonsdale Cups, two Yorkshire Cups and a Doncaster Cup, Stradivarius is truly one of the modern wonders of the Flat scene. We must continue to enjoy him while we can.

Arise, Sir John?

We already have Sir Mark and Sir Michael in Newmarket; could Sir John be next? If the Gosdens manage to turn the impressive G3 Solario S. winner **Reach For The Moon (GB)** (Sea The Stars {Ire}) into a Classic winner for his breeder The Queen in her Platinum Jubilee year then surely a further mention in the honours' list could be on the cards for Gosden senior, who was awarded an OBE in 2017. **Cont. p13**



Britain's racecourses are now fully open for business

The Weekly Wrap Cont.

The Queen was just 25 when she acceded to the British throne in February 1952. Her coronation took place the following June, on what would have been Derby day, with the great race moved back to the Saturday to allow for the royal festivities. The celebrations within the royal household would have been greater still had the Queen's Derby contender Aureole (GB) not been beaten into second by Pinza (GB). More recently, the Queen's colours have been carried in the Derby by the Darley-bred Carlton House, a gift from Sheikh Mohammed, who was third behind Pour Moi (Ire) in 2011. Who would begrudge racing's greatest patron a Derby winner in the year she celebrates her extraordinary longevity as monarch?

Bred on the Sea The Stars-Sadler's Wells cross, Reach For The Moon's pedigree echoes that of the former Gosden trainee and Oaks winner Taghrooda (GB), and the Solario has good form of late for being won by some pretty special horses, including the Gosden-trained trio of Raven's Pass, **Kingman (GB)** and Too Darn Hot (GB), not to mention the 2018 Derby winner Masar (Ire).

Next June is an awful long way off in racing terms, but the prospect of Reach For The Moon giving the sport widespread publicity during the year-long jubilee celebrations is an enticing one.

The form of the Chesham S. now has a pleasingly solid look to it, with Reach For The Moon and Great Max (Ire) (**Wootton Bassett (GB)**), who finished second and third to **Point Lonsdale (Ire) (Australia (GB))**, each finishing one place better in the Solario, while the Chesham winner continued his unbeaten passage with victory in the G2 Galileo Irish EBF Futurity S., having previously landed the G3 JRA Tyros S. The Chesham fifth Masekela (Ire) (El Kabeir) has gone on to win the Listed Denford S., and the seventh-placed New Science (GB) (Lope De Vega {Ire}) subsequently returned to Ascot to win the Listed Pat Eddery S.

Power Play

Fillies filled four of the first six places in the G1 Coolmore **Wootton Bassett** Nunthorpe S., and while **Suesa (Ire)** (Night Of Thunder {Ire}) was favoured to follow up on her Goodwood triumph, it was **Winter Power (Ire)** (Bungle Inthejungle {GB})

who went the early pace with Wesley Ward's **Golden Pal (Uncle Mo)**, surging straight as an arrow down the centre of the track. As the American raider weakened and wobbled from his early blitz, Winter Power continued to blast home unchallenged to set the seal on a memorable week for her trainer Tim Easterby at one of his local tracks.

There was doubtless much celebration across the Irish Sea in various households of the Burns family, too. For her breeder Patrick Burns it was both a wonderful triumph and huge update for the full-brother to Winter Power that his Newlands House Stud is preparing to send to the Goffs Orby Sale. And for Patrick's brother Maurice, Winter Power became the first Group 1 winner for her speedy sire Bungle Inthejungle, who stands at the family's Rathasker Stud.

Good Week For Coolmore Clan



Reach For The Moon | PA Media

Wootton Bassett, who lent his name to the Nunthorpe, also enjoyed some success on the Knavesmire with two stakes-winning juveniles. **Royal Patronage (Fr)** may have been the least fancied of the quintet who lined up for the G3 Tattersalls Acomb S. but he has progressed nicely from his novice win at Epsom to give trainer Mark Johnston back-to-back wins in the race following the victory of Gear Up (Ire) (Teofilo {Ire}) last year.

On Saturday it was the turn of Steve Parkin's homebred

Attagirl (GB), conceived while **Wootton Bassett** was still standing in France but born and trained in Yorkshire. She bounced out of her narrow defeat the previous week in the Listed St Hugh's S. at Newbury to land the Listed Julia Graves Roses S., doubtless giving her breeder extra cause for celebration at his favourite meeting of the year.

Wootton Bassett's week was just a nostril away from ending on a high when his star daughter **Audarya (Fr)** was denied her second win in the G1 Darley Prix Jean Romanet when **Grand Glory (Fr)** (Olympic Glory {Ire}) snatched victory from her on the line in Deauville.

Caravaggio moved from Coolmore's Irish base to Ashford Stud for the most recent stud season but he is creeping up the freshman sires' table in Europe with three stakes winners to his name already, including Saturday's smooth G2 Debutante S. winner **Agartha (Ire)**. [Cont. p14](#)



Winter Power | Racingfotos.com

The Weekly Wrap Cont.

He's not the only son of Scat Daddy on a roll as **No Nay Never** is enjoying a terrific season, with Alcohol Free (Ire) as his 3-year-old poster girl and the increasingly impressive G2 Lowther S. winner **Zain Claudette (Ire)** the star of his juvenile crop.

Ho Ho Ho

Tally-Ho Stud is an unstoppable force this season, both as breeder and stallion master. Having had the record-breaking champion first-season sire of 2020 in Mehmas (Ire), who was represented by another top-flight winner over the weekend in the Nicky Hartery-bred GI Del Mar Oaks winner **Going Global (Ire)**, Tally-Ho must now be odds-on to have this year's leading freshman sire.

Whether it will be **Galileo Gold (GB)** or **Cotai Glory (GB)** is hard to say.



Going Global | Benoit Photo

The latter is forging ahead with 23 winners, but Galileo Gold was the first of his peers to notch that all-important Group 1 winner. His leading son Ebro River (Ire), winner of the G1 Keeneland Phoenix S., was bred by Tally-Ho Stud, as was **Lusail (Ire)**, who gave Mehmas back-to-back winners of the G2 Al Basti Equiworld Gimcrack S. and is owned, like Ebro River, by Al Shaqab Racing, which also campaigned the sires of both youngsters.

Further top-level success came on Sunday in the G1 Darley Prix Morny with the Tally-Ho-bred **Perfect Power (Ire)**, who became a first Group 1 winner for his sire Ardad (Ire). Though Ardad is not a Tally-Ho stallion—he stands at Overbury Stud in England—he was however bred by the O'Callaghan family and reflects further glory on the Tally-Ho team as he is a son of its headline stallion Kodiak (GB).

The latter in turn is the sire of the Tally-Ho-bred G1 Commonwealth Cup winner Campanelle (Ire), who was also the winner of last season's Prix Morny. It is a race which has been a particularly successful one for Tally-Ho Stud, which also bred the 2008 winner Bushranger (Ire) and Unfortunately (Ire), who landed the 2017 running of the Morny. Those two colts were also by Tally-Ho stallions, the late Danetime (Ire) and Society Rock (Ire) respectively.

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FIRST-SEASON SIRES WITH RUNNERS

Monday, Aug. 23, 2021:

UNITED KINGDOM

Acclaim (Ire) (Acclamation {GB}), The National Stud
 115 foals of racing age/12 winners/0 black-type winners
 14:45-BRIGHTON, 8f, Ribble Bridge (Ire)
 14,000gns RNA Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2019; 8,000gns
 RNA Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 3) 2020

FRANCE

Birchwood (Ire) (Dark Angel {Ire}), Haras de la Huderie
 58 foals of racing age/5 winners/0 black-type winners
 6-CLAIREFONTAINE, 1400m, Jazzy Wood (Fr)
 €4,500 Arqana December Breeding Stock Sale 2019 - English
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 6-CLAIREFONTAINE, 1400m, Kisswood (Fr)
 €40,000 Arqana Deauville September Yearling Sale 2020

Ectot (GB) (Hurricane Run {Ire}), Haras de Bouquetot
 42 foals of racing age/2 winner/0 black-type winners
 6-CLAIREFONTAINE, 1400m, Hewillget In (Fr)
 €11,000 Arqana Deauville October Yearlings 2020



Ectot (above) sired his first 'TDN Rising Star' on Sunday
Sarah Andrew

Recorder (GB) (**Galileo {Ire}**), Haras de Montfort & Preaux
110 foals of racing age/5 winners/0 black-type winners
6-CLAIREFONTAINE, 1400m, Dubai Memories (Fr)

Whitecliffsofdoover (War Front), Haras de la Haie Neuve
58 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners
6-CLAIREFONTAINE, 1400m, Joyce Galeste (Fr)

BRITAIN

Sunday's Results:

1st-Sandown, £17,100, Mdn, 8-22, 2yo, 7fT, 1:33.82, g/s.

KING OF CONQUEST (GB) (c, 2, **Lope de Vega {Ire}**--**Moi Meme {GB} {SW-Fr}**, by **Teofilo {Ire}**), who cost 900,000gns at the Tattersalls October Book 1, broke well to be in front initially before settling for a lead after the first furlong. Cajoled back to the fore approaching the furlong pole, the 6-4 favourite stayed on strongly to score by 2 1/2 lengths from Paradias (Ger) (Kodiac {GB}). The dam, who captured the Listed Prix Charles Laffitte over 10 1/2 furlongs, also produced last year's G3 Solario S. runner-up King Vega (GB) and is a half to the dual listed winner Toi Et Moi (Ire) (**Galileo {Ire}**). Their dam is the G3 Prix Chloe and G3 Prix de la Nonette scorer Di Moi Oui (GB) (Warning {GB}), who is also the second dam of the GII National Museum of Racing Hall of Fame S. winner Public Sector (GB) (**Kingman {GB}**). Also connected to the G3 Premio Regina Elena winner Stay Alive (Ire) (Iffraaj {GB}) and the G3 Premio Carlo d'Alessio scorer Gimmy (Ire) (Lomitas {GB}), Moi Meme's next two progeny are full-sisters to King of Conquest, with the yearling due for the Book 1 in October. Sales history: 900,000gns Ylg '20 TATOCT. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$12,006.

O-Godolphin; B-Fortescue Bloodstock (GB); T-Charlie Appleby.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Lucky Shake (Fr), f, 2, **Zelzal (Fr)**--Lucky Lot (GB), by Exceed And Excel (Aus). Brighton, 8-22, 5f 60yT, 1:02.79. B-Robert Jeffcock & William Jeffcock (Fr). *4th winner for her first-season sire (by Sea The Stars {Ire}).

IRELAND

Sunday's Results:

8th-Naas, €14,500, Cond, 8-22, 3yo/up, 10fT, 2:13.03, y/s.

COLLINS STREET (IRE) (c, 3, **Camelot {GB}**--**Uliana**, by **Darshaan {GB}**), who opened his account at the first time of asking over nine furlongs on this ground at Leopardstown Aug. 5, tracked the leader in third against the rail early. Sent in pursuit of Max Mayhem (GB) (New Bay {GB}) inside the final two furlongs, the 5-6 favourite was hampered by his errant stablemate but kept finding to edge it in the shade of the post by a head. "I know Joseph [O'Brien] always thought he was a really nice horse," the trainer's assistant Brendan Powell said. "You could say the other horse has thrown it away, but Declan said it hampered him a little bit and once he's picked him up he's galloped all the way to the line. He said another furlong or two would make no difference to him. He's still a big baby and is a very nice horse for the future." The winner is a half-brother to the G3 Sandown Classic Trial runner-up Intern (Ire) (Rip Van Winkle {Ire}), GSP-Eng, SP-Aus, SP-Ire, \$146,099, and to the G3 Blue Wind S. runner-up and G3 Dance Design S. third Festival Princess (Ire) (Barathea {Ire}). The dam is a half to the G1 Grosser Dallmayr-Preis hero and sire Ransom O'War (Red Ransom), while this is also the family of the G2 Blames S. and G1 Doncaster Mile and G1 Winx S. runner-up Star of the Seas (NZ) (Ocean Park {NZ}). Uliana's 2-year-old colt is by Soldier of Fortune (Ire). Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$20,655. O-Lloyd J Williams Syndicate; B-Newstead Breeding (IRE); T-Joseph O'Brien.

6th-Naas, €25,000, Mdn, 8-22, 2yo, f, 7fT, 1:31.53, y/s.

CIGAMIA (f, 2, Karakontie {Jpn}--**Candy Kitty {MSW & GSP-US, \$228,927}**, by **Lemon Drop Kid**), a 33-1 shot on this debut, raced about three lengths off the early pace buried in mid-division. Making smooth progress in the straight, the homebred ended up on the stand's rail and after overwhelming Past Time (GB) (Postponed {Ire}) with 150 yards remaining drew away to beat that rival with real authority by 2 3/4 lengths. "She's a big raw filly and I just wanted to get her started," trainer Willie McCreery said. **Cont. p16**

6th-Naas Cont.

“She’s been working well and we just wanted to mind her, so I’m delighted with that. I remember **Karakontie** racing and she’s nice and tall like him. He was a very good miler, so she’ll get a mile no problem. That’s a great starting point and hopefully she’ll progress.” Bought for \$320,000 at the 2015 Keeneland November Mares Sale, the dam who was a dual stakes winner and who was runner-up in the GIII Herecomesthebride S. had now produced three winners from as many runners all by **Karakontie**. Her dam Worthy Cat (**Tale of the Cat**) is kin to the GII Nassau S., GII Lake Placid S. and GII Las Palmas H. winner and GI E. P. Taylor S. third Naissance Royale (Ire) (Giant’s Causeway) and the G3 Musidora S. runner-up and G2 Sun Chariot S. third Spinette (Ire) (Spinning World). The latter went on to produce the Listed Prix de la Cochere winner and GII Beverly Hills H. third Green Lyons (Ire) (Green Desert), while this is also the family of the triple Grade I-winning Revidere (Reviewer). Candy Kitty’s yearling colt by Kitten’s Joy is named Four Thirty Seven, while she also has a filly foal by the same sire and has been bred to **McKinzie** for 2022. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$17,550. O-Flaxman Stables Ireland Ltd; B-Flaxman Holdings Limited (KY); T-Willie McCreery.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Ernest Rutherford (GB), c, 2, **Ardad (Ire)**--Rutherford (Ire), by Dutch Art (GB). Naas, 8-22, 5fT, 1:02.62. B-R F & S D Knipe (GB). *17th winner for freshman sire (by Kodiak {GB}). **9,000gns Wlg ‘19 TATFOA; £7,000 Ylg ‘20 GOFFUK; £47,000 2yo ‘21 TATGOR.

Thunder Eclipse (Ire), c, 2, **Holy Roman Emperor (Ire)**--Emirate Jewel, by Pivotal (GB). Naas, 8-22, 5f 205yT, 1:14.63. B-Iman Hartono (IRE). *£40,000 RNA Ylg ‘20 GOFOR.

FRANCE

Sunday’s Results:

3rd-Deauville, €27,000, Mdn, 8-22, unraced 2yo, f, 8fT, 1:47.93, g/s.

MANGOUSTINE (FR) (f, 2, **Dark Angel (Ire)**--**Zotilla (Ire)**, by **Zamindar**) found a comfortable rhythm along the rail in fifth through the initial fractions of this unveiling, but was shuffled back to seventh soon after halfway. Weaving a passage to the outside in the straight, the 12-5 favourite quickened to launch her challenge passing the eighth pole and was ridden out in the closing stages to prevail by a half-length from Albea (Ire) (Nathaniel {Ire}). Half to a yearling colt by Zoustar (Aus), she is the fourth of five foals and first scorer out of a half-sister to GI Breeders’ Cup Juvenile Fillies Turf and G1 Poule d’Essai des

Pouliches heroine Flotilla (Fr) (**Mizzen Mast**). Her GIII Miesque S.-winning second dam Louvain (Ire) (Sinndar {Ire}) also produced Listed Prix Right Royal winner Big Five (GB) (**Frankel {GB}**) and the stakes-winning Louvakhova (Maria’s Mon), who in turn is the dam of G3 Gallinule S. victor Crossfirehurricane (Kitten’s Joy) and Listed Patton S. winner My Generation (**Speightstown**). Sales history: €46,000 Ylg ‘20 ARQSEP. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, €13,500. **Video, sponsored by TVG.** 1ST-TIME STARTER. O-Infinity Nine Horses, Ecurie des Monceaux, Qatar Racing Ltd & Alexandre Giannotti; B-Ecurie des Monceaux, Lordship Stud & Qatar Bloodstock Ltd (FR); T-Frederic Rossi.

5th-Le Lion d’Angers, €18,000, Mdn, 8-22, 2yo, 7fT, 1:27.72, sf. **VRULENTE (FR)** (f, 2, **Al Wukair (Ire)**--**Sea of Blue (Ire)**, by **Fastnet Rock (Aus)**) dwelt at the break and was in rear through halfway. Forced wide into the straight, the 102-5 outsider came under pressure with 300 metres remaining and kept on well for continued rousing in the closing stages to deny Russian Doll (GB) (Dabirsim {Fr}) by a head in a bobbing finish, becoming the fifth winner for her freshman sire (by Dream Ahead). Virulente is the second of three foals and first scorer produced by a multiple-winning half-sister to G3 Jersey S. victrix and G1 Irish 1000 Guineas runner-up Ishvana (Ire) (**Holy Roman Emperor (Ire)**). The April-foaled bay’s dam, who was bred to **War of Will** this year, has a yearling filly by Le Havre (Ire) to come. Sales history: €18,000 Ylg ‘20 ARQSEP. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, €9,000. **Video, sponsored by TVG.** 1ST-TIME STARTER. O-Ecurie Brillantissime, Chauvigny Global Equine SASU, Khalifa Mohammed Al Attiyah & SAS I.E.I.; B-SAS I.E.I., Chauvigny Global Equine SASU, SCEA des Prairies & SCEA L’Aubay (FR); T-Francois Monfort.

CONDITIONS RESULT:

8th-Deauville, €28,000, 8-22, 4yo/up, 8fT, 1:44.56, g/s. **VARKESHA (FR)** (f, 4, **Pivotal (GB)**--**Varana (Fr)** {**SP-Fr**}, by **Sea the Stars (Ire)**) Lifetime Record: 5-2-2-1, €32,300. O-H H Aga Khan; B-Haras de S A Aga Khan SCEA (FR); T-Alain de Royer-Dupre.

GERMANY

Sunday’s Results:

1st-Hannover, €5,100, Mdn, 8-22, 2yo, f, 6fT, 1:18.00, g/s.

GOLDANA (IRE) (f, 2, **Galileo Gold (GB)**--**Humble and Proud (Ire)**, by **Pivotal (GB)**) was the sharpest of five into stride and led from flagfall in this debut. **Cont. p17**

1st-Hannover Cont.

Scrubbed along when threatened in early straight, the 4-5 chalk held a commanding advantage entering the final furlong and quickened further clear under mild urging in the latter stages to account for Neapolia (Ger) (Areion {Ger}) by four lengths, becoming the 12th winner for her freshman sire (by Paco Boy {Ire}). Goldana is the fifth of six foals and fourth scorer from as many runners produced by an unraced half to three black-type performers headed by MGSP Listed Newmarket S. victor Delsarte (Theatrical {Ire}). The February-foaled chestnut is a half-sister to GI Sword Dancer S. hero Glorious Empire (Ire) (**Holy Roman Emperor {Ire}**) and a yearling filly by **U S Navy Flag**. Sales history: £40,000 Ylg '20 GOFOR. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, €3,000.

1ST-TIME STARTER. O-Rennstall Junge Besitzervereinigung; B-Patrick Grogan (IRE); T-Peter Schiergen.

2nd-Hannover, €5,100, Mdn, 8-22, 2yo, 7fT, 1:29.52, g/s.

SEA BAY (GER) (c, 2, New Bay {GB}--Strawberry {Ger}, by Lord of England {Ger}) edged right breaking from the outside stall, but recovered to lead after the initial strides of this racecourse bow. Holding sway throughout, the 2-5 lock was shaken up with 300 metres remaining and ridden out in the closing stages to hold the late bid of Queroyal (Ger) (**Churchill {Ire}**) by a length. Half to a yearling colt by Amaron (GB), Sea Bay is the third of four foals and second scorer produced by a winning full-sister to stakes-winning G2 Oleander-Rennen placegetter San Salvador (Ger) (Lord of England {Ger}) and G3 Deutsches St Leger runner-up Saratino (Ger) (Lord of England {Ger}). His dam Strawberry (Ger) (Lord of England {Ger}) is also kin to G1 Grosser Preis von Berlin hero Sirius (Ger) (Dashing Blade {GB}). Sales history: €155,000 Ylg '20 BBAGS. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, €3,000. 1ST-TIME STARTER. O-Gestut Winterhauch; B-Gestut Etzean (GER); T-Henk Grewe.

CONDITIONS RESULTS:

7th-Hannover, €52,000, Cond, 8-22, 3yo, 8 3/4fT, 1:50.02, g/s.

THE CONQUEROR (GER) (c, 3, The Gurkha {Ire}--Tiziana {Fr} {SP-Fr, \$107,728}, by Touch Down {Ger}) Lifetime Record: 5-2-1-0, €27,675. O/B-Rennstall Wohler (GER); T-Andreas Wohler. *€3,500 Ylg '19 BBAGO.

1st-Mulheim, €5,250, 8-22, 3yo, 7fT, 1:22.75, gd.

DIAKRID (GER) (c, 3, Reliable Man {GB}--Diacada {Ger}, by Cadeaux Genereux {GB}) Lifetime Record: 7-3-2-0, €9,300. O/B-Gestut Rottgen (GER); T-Markus Klug. *€19,000 RNA HRA '21 BBAAUG.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Mylady (Ger), f, 2, The Grey Gatsby (Ire)--Minoris (Fr), by Dabirsim (Fr). Mulheim, 8-22, 7 1/2fT, 1:29.70. B-Gestut Karlshof (GER). *2 winner for her freshman sire (by **Mastercraftsman {Ire}**).

Northeagles (Ger), f, 3, Gleneagles (Ire)--North Queen (Ire) (GSW & G1SP-Ger, \$133,267), by Desert King (Ire). Hannover, 8-22, 10fT, 2:12.60. B-Gestut Wittekindshof (GER). *1/2 to North Mum (Ger) (Samum {Ger}), SW & GSP-Ger; Northsea Star (Ger) (Sea the Stars {Ire}), GSP-Ger & SP-Ity; and Nordfalke (Ire) (Hawk Wing), SP-Ger.

Welcome Lips (Ire), g, 3, Jukebox Jury (Ire)--Walnut Hill (GB), by Dansili (GB). Hannover, 8-22, 8fT, 1:41.72. B-Stall Parthenaue (IRE).

Anna Belle (Fr), f, 3, Rajsaman (Fr)--Guarnerie (Ger), by Soldier of Fortune (Ire). Mulheim, 8-22, 10fT, 2:04.79. B-U Stallmann (FR).

ITALY**Sunday's Result:**

PREMIO MERANO-Listed, €38,500, Merano, 8-22, 3yo, 2200mT, 2:18.90.

1--RUMBLES OF THUNDER (IRE), 118, f, 3, Night of Thunder (Ire)

1st Dam: Blanche Neige (GB), by Halling

2nd Dam: White Star (Ire), by Darshaan (GB)

3rd Dam: White Star Line, by Northern Dancer

1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN. (€77,000 Wlg '18 GOFNOV; 425,000gns Ylg '19 TATOCT; 100,000gns RNA 2yo '20 TATJUN). O-Matthew Coleman. B-F. Killen (Ire). T-Jerome Reynier. J-Luca Maniezzi. €14,875. Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-0, \$33,772.

2--Quickstep Girl (Ire), 118, f, 3, New Bay (GB)--Paraphernalia (Ire), by Dalakhani (Ire). (€30,000 Ylg '19 GOFOCT). O-Emma Kennedy. B-Tullpark Ltd (Ire). T-Jerome Reynier. €6,454.

3--Atzeco (Ire), 121, c, 3, Fastnet Rock (Aus)--Examinee (Ger), by Monsun (Ger). (50,000gns Wlg '18 TATNOV). O-Scuderia Incolinx di Romeo Diego B-The Kathryn Stud (Ire). T-A. Botti. €3,570.

Margins: SHD, 1 1/4, 2. Odds: 6.05, 1.84, 2.03.

Also Ran: Glenearn (Ire), Bull Dozer (Ity), Reggiolo (Ire).

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NORWAY

Sunday's Results:

GIANT SANDMAN POLAR CUP-Listed, Nkr500,000, Ovrevoll, 8-22, 3yo/up, 6f 187yT, 1:18.00, gd.

1--**DUCA DI COMO (IRE), 132, g, 6, Clodovil (Ire)--Quality Love, by Elusive Quality.** (€25,000 Ylg '16 GOFSP; €42,000 2yo '17 GBMBR). O-Stall Como; B-Crone Stud Farms Ltd (IRE); T-Cathrine Erichsen; J-Elione Chaves. Nkr250,000. Lifetime Record: GSW-Nor & GSP-Swe, 25-16-2-5, Nkr4,043,609.

2--**Could Be King (GB), 132, g, 5, Bated Breath (GB)--Poyle Dee Dee (GB), by Oasis Dream (GB).** (9,000gns Wlg '16 TATFOA; €52,000 RNA Ylg '17 GOFOR; 25,000gns RNA Ylg '17 TATDEY). O-Elkar Stutteri; B-Cecil & Miss Alison Wiggins (GB); T-Niels Petersen. Nkr125,000.

3--**General de Vega (Fr), 132, g, 4, Lope de Vega (Ire)--Just Little (Fr) (GSW-Fr, \$171,077), by Grand Slam.** (€120,000 Ylg '17 AROCT). O-Vasby Hast AB; B-Oceanic Bloodstock Inc & Mme Ariane Gravereaux (FR); T-Anniker Bye Hansen. Nkr60,000.

Margins: 1, 1 1/4, 1 3/4. Odds: 1.00, 3.50, 6.80.

Also Ran: Sanary (GB), Brian Ryan (GB), Prince of Tides (Ire), Abolish (GB), Ramone (Swe).

LANWADES STUD S.-Listed, Nkr300,000, Ovrevoll, 8-22, 3yo/up, f/m, 8fT, 1:36.80, gd.

1--**ASCOT BRASS (SWE), 132, f, 4, Juniper Tree (Ire)--By The Book (Ire), by Definite Article (GB). 1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN.** O-Stall Valley; B-Tor Harry Sigfridsson (SWE); T-Niels Petersen; J-Per Anders Graberg. Nkr150,000. Lifetime Record: SP-Swe, 16-7-6-0, Nkr3,319,320. *1/2 to Maserati (Swe) (Bertolini), SP-Nor, \$119,636.

2--**Careless Whisper (Swe), 132, f, 4, Barocci (Jpn)--Flip Flopping Fly, by Orientate.** O-Sandman Stables; B-Ravdansens Stuteri AB (SWE); T-Niels Petersen. Nkr75,000.

3--**Takeko (Ire), 127, f, 3, Mehmas (Ire)--Ahd, by Elusive Quality.** (£30,000 Ylg '19 GOUKPR; 12,000gns HRA '20 TATDEC). O-Ninja Racing; B-Old Carhue Stud (IRE); T-Anniker Bye Hansen. Nkr36,000.

Margins: 1 3/4, HF, 2 1/4. Odds: 0.60, 7.20, 16.00.

Also Ran: For The Roses (Swe), Freed From Desire (GB), Buckybabe (Nor), Rapidash (GB), Sophie B (GB), Nouvelle Lune (Ger). Scratched: Victoria Placa (Fr).

WORLDWIDE NEWS

Sunday, Sapporo, Japan

SAPPORO KINEN-G2, ¥135,300,000, Sapporo, 8-22, 3yo/up, 2000mT, 1:59.50, fm.

1--**SODASHI (JPN), 115, f, 3, by Kurofune**

1st Dam: Buchiko (Jpn), by King Kamehameha (Jpn)

2nd Dam: Shirayukihime (Jpn), by Sunday Silence

3rd Dam: Wave Wind, by Topsider

O-Makoto Kaneko Holdings; B-Northern Farm (Jpn); T-Naosuke Sugai; J-Hayato Yoshida. ¥70,910,000. Lifetime Record: Ch. 2yo Filly-Jpn, MG1SW-Jpn, 7-6-0-0. **Werk Nick Rating: F. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.**

2--**Loves Only You (Jpn), 121, m, 5, Deep Impact (Jpn)--Loves Only Me, by Storm Cat.** (¥160,000,000 Ylg '17 JRHAJUL).

O-DMM Dream Club; B-Northern Farm (Jpn); ¥28,260,000.

3--**Persian Knight (Jpn), 126, h, 7, Harbinger (GB)--Orient Charm (Jpn), by Sunday Silence.** O-G1 Racing; B-Oiwake Farm (Jpn); ¥18,130,000.

Margins: 3/4, HD, 1 3/4. Odds: 2.80, 0.90, 27.20.

Also Ran: Meiner Virtus (Jpn), Blast Onepiece (Jpn), You Can Smile (Jpn), Ice Bubble (Jpn), Diamant Minoru (Jpn), Win Kiitos (Jpn), Taurus Gemini (Jpn), Satono Cecil (GB). DNF: Stay Foolish (Jpn), Bio Spark (Jpn).

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Japan's Champion 2-Year-Old Filly and G1 Japanese 1000 Guineas heroine Sodashi returned to the winner's circle with a game victory in the G2 Sapporo Kinen on Sunday.

Second choice behind favoured 4-5 pick and 2019 Apr. 25 G1 Queen Elizabeth II Cup victress Loves Only You at 5-2, Sodashi broke widest of all in the 13-horse field and stalked the pacesetter Taurus Gemini (Jpn) (King's Best) from second through splits of :23.40 for the quarter and :47.40 for the half. Despite the drizzle, the 1000-metre split was :59.90 over the firm turf and the 2-year-old champ appeared poised through six furlongs in 1:12.30. She picked up leadership duties shortly before the 600-metre marker and fended off an early rush from Blast Onepiece (Jpn) (Harbinger {GB}). Turning into the lane glued to the fence, Sodashi buckled down for the run to the line as more challengers began winding up for their runs. Loves Only You whittled into Sodashi's advantage inside the final furlong, with Persian Knight mirroring that move from out in the centre of the course, but both rallying efforts would fall short. The winning margin was a measured three-quarters of a length over Loves Only You with a head back to Persian Knight. **Cont. p19**

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G2 Sapporo Kinen Cont.

After taking four straight starts at two culminating in the Dec. 13 G1 Hanshin Juvenile Fillies, the white wonder added the first fillies' Classic of the season on Apr. 11, but tired to eighth in the G1 Japanese Oaks when last seen on May 23.

Pedigree Notes

A daughter of the four-time winner Buchiko, Sodashi is the first foal from her dam and has a juvenile full-sister named Mama Cocha (Jpn) (Kurofune). Barren to Maurice (Jpn) for 2020, Buchiko has a 2021 colt by that sire.

Two half-sisters of Buchiko have celebrated victories as stakes producers or granddams to stakes winners in Japan, among them dual stakes winner Yukichan (Jpn) (Kurofune) whose granddaughter Meikei Yell (Jpn) (Mikki Isle {Jpn}) took the G2 Tulip Sho, G3 Kokura Nisai S. and G3 Fantasy S.; while Marshmallow (Jpn) (Kurofune) has already foaled G3 Leopard S. winner Hayayakko (Jpn) (King Kamehameha {Jpn}) and the listed-placed Pionono (Jpn) (King Kamehameha {Jpn}). This is the extended family of GII Test S. heroine Storm and Sunshine (Star de Naska), responsible for a trio of stakes winners led by Grade II winner Smile Again (Wild Again).

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Sunday, Kokura, Japan

TV NISHINIPPON CORP. SHO KITAKYUSHU KINEN-G3, ¥75,520,000, Kokura, 8-22, 3yo/up, 1200mT, 1:08.20, gd.

1--YOKA YOKA (JPN), 112, f, 3, Squirtle Squirt

1st Dam: Honey Dancer (Jpn), by Danehill Dancer (Ire)

2nd Dam: Honey Bun (GB), by Unfuwain

3rd Dam: Cocotte (GB), by Troy (GB)

1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN. 1ST GROUP WIN. (¥3,672,000 Ylg '19 JBBAJUN). O-Koji Oka; B-Tsuchitoshi Honda (Jpn); T-Kiyoshi

Tani; J-Hideaki Miyuki. ¥39,644,000. Lifetime Record: 10-4-2-0.

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2--**First Force (Jpn)**, 121, h, 5, Lord Kanaloa (Jpn)--Rush Life (Jpn), by Sakura Bakushin O (Jpn). O-Koji Yasuhara; B-Mishima Bokujo (Jpn); ¥16,184,000.

3--**Mozu Superflare**, 125, m, 6, **Speightstown**--Christies Treasure, by Belong to Me. (\$125,000 Ylg '16 KEESEP). O-Capital System; B-Alpha Delta Stables LLC (Jpn); ¥9,892,000.



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Margins: 1 1/4, NK, NO. Odds: 7.80, 7.30, 4.80.

Also Ran: Shigeru Pink Ruby (Jpn), Red en Ciel (Jpn), Bom Servicio (Jpn), Gendarme, Ascoltare (Jpn), Engraver (Jpn), Buon Voyage (Jpn), Meisho Keimei (Jpn), No One (Jpn), Meisho Karin (Jpn), A Will A Way (Jpn), Compounder (Jpn), Meisho Kyoji (Jpn), Fantasistella (Jpn), Logi Cry (Jpn). **Click for the JRA chart & video or the free EquineLine.com catalogue-style pedigree.**



IN SINGAPORE:

Prosperous Return, g, 4, **Fighting Sun**--Rose Syrah (GSP, \$225,713), by Testa Rossa. Kranji, 8-22, Kranji S. 'C', 1600m, 1:36.48. B-A C Stevens, Testa Rossa (Vic) Pty Ltd (Qld). *SP-Sin. **\$60,000 Ylg '19 INGAPR. **VIDEO**

Real Efecto, g, 4, **Real Impact (Jpn)**--Kipsang, by Undoubtedly. Kranji, 8-22, Hcp., 1600m (AWT), 1:39.36. B-G R Daws (WA). *\$47,500 Ylg '19 INGFEV. **VIDEO**

Lim's Lightning, g, 6, **Lope de Vega (Ire)**--Wayne's Gold (GSP, \$143,220), by Golden Snake (USA). Kranji, 8-22, Kranji S. 'A', 1400m, 1:21.59. B-Mrs R L Tipper (Qld). *Ch. 2yo & MSW-Sin. **\$50,000 2yo '17 MMOCT. **VIDEO**

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