



CANCER SURVIVOR AL GOLD STOPS AND SMELLS ROSES WITH CYBERKNIFE



Al Gold | Sarah Andrew

by Steve Sherack

LOUISVILLE, KY – Prostate Cancer Awareness Month isn't until September, but owner Al Gold will be getting a head start on the first Saturday in May.

Named after Accuray Inc's robotic radiation therapy used to successfully treat the 66-year-old's prostate cancer, Gold's **Cyberknife** (**Gun Runner**) continues to generate plenty of positive chatter leading up to the GI Kentucky Derby.

“At the end of the day, the Derby is exciting and very important, but it pales in comparison to helping people become aware of the power of CyberKnife in treating cancer,” Gold said. “That's why I've done a lot of interviews about it. I'd like to get it out there so people know.”

Gold, now in remission and “enjoying life as a retired person” while splitting time between Saratoga Springs, N.Y. and Del Ray Beach, Fl., received his first CyberKnife treatment on his 65th birthday last year. The non-invasive procedure--there's no incision involved despite the name--“is specifically designed to deliver radiation beams from potentially thousands of unique angles, targeting only the tumor while minimizing radiation dose to healthy tissue.”

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HISA TABS DRUG FREE SPORT INT'L AS ENFORCEMENT AGENCY PARTNER

Edited Press Release

The Horseracing Integrity and Safety Authority's (HISA) Board of Directors has selected Drug Free Sport International (DFS) to build HISA's independent Anti-Doping and Medication Control (ADMC) enforcement agency. The decision followed months of discussions with several potential enforcement agencies and marks another major milestone in the implementation of the Horseracing Integrity and Safety Act.

HISA sought out DFS given its history of drug testing and enforcement partnerships with leading sports organizations, including the National Football League, NCAA, National Basketball Association, Ladies Professional Golf Association, PGA Tour, NASCAR and Major League Baseball.

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Foaled on Apr. 20, a filly by *Cairo Prince* is pictured with her dam *Memories Prevail (Creative Cause)* at Airdrie last week. The filly is a half-sister to *Zandon (Upstart)*, the morning-line favorite for Saturday's GI Kentucky Derby. | *Jocelyn Brooks*

SMITH LOOKING TO MAKE DERBY HISTORY

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The ageless Mike Smith will look to become the oldest jockey to win the GI Kentucky Derby when he rides *Taiba (Gun Runner)* in Louisville Saturday.

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Gold Stops and Smells Roses with Cyberknife *(cont. from p1)*

“When someone tells you that you have cancer, it gives you fear and obviously makes you very nervous,” Gold said. “But this was such an easy procedure to get through--five, 18-minute treatments every other day and it was over. It’s a wonderful thing. A lot of people have died from prostate cancer, but now it’s easily diagnosed and treated.”

Trained by Brad Cox and always held in high regard, the four-legged Cyberknife has certainly done his part to help spread the word as well. Still learning the ropes while sixth in the Gill Lecomte S., the chestnut has put it all together in two subsequent starts. He punched his ticket to Louisville with a breakthrough win in the GI Arkansas Derby, the first ever at the top level for Gold.



Cyberknife | Coady

Hailing from the first crop of sensational young sire **Gun Runner**, Cyberknife brought \$400,000 from advisor Joe Haroon on behalf of Gold at the 2020 Fasig-Tipton Selected Yearlings Showcase. Bred in Kentucky by Ken and Sarah Ramsey, Cyberknife is out of six-time stakes winner and multiple graded placed Awesome Flower (Flower Alley). He hails from the family of G1 Dubai World Cup winner Well Armed (Tiznow).

“I had been in five or six Grade I races before and never hit the board, so I was cautiously optimistic going in [to the Arkansas Derby],” said Gold, who made his living in real estate management. “He ran beautifully and won the race. I had quality horses that I thought were going to be Derby potential, but it never materialized. Now, we’re all excited about going to Kentucky.”

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Racing under the nom-de-course of Gold Square LLC since 2004, Gold and his wife Hilary have also campaigned graded winners Chace City (Carson City) and Little Miss Holly (Maria's Mon). The native of New Jersey has approximately 15-20 horses in training, including a pair of recent OBS Spring acquisitions--a \$220,000 Awesome Slew filly and a \$140,000 **Kantharos** colt. In addition to Cox, Gold also employs trainers Jorge Abreu, Steve Asmussen, Tony Dutrow and Chad Summers.

"You want to keep pursuing your passion and what you love in life," Gold concluded. "I've had some good horses and some bad horses, but you have to just keep on trying to get to the point where I am now. Hopefully, I'm building a quality stable and I'm going to the Kentucky Derby. What else can I ask for? This is the height of the game."

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THE AGELESS ONE, MIKE SMITH LOOKING TO MAKE DERBY HISTORY *by Bill Finley*

It was back in 1984 when a 19-year-old kid named Mike Smith rode in his first GI Kentucky Derby aboard sixth-place finisher Pine Circle. He was the youngest jockey in the race. The oldest was a legend, the then 52-year-old Bill Shoemaker.

Aboard Silent King, Shoemaker was riding in the Derby for the 23rd time. As for Smith, he was just happy to be there, not knowing when he would get another chance. He never thought that one day he would become the Shoemaker of his generation.

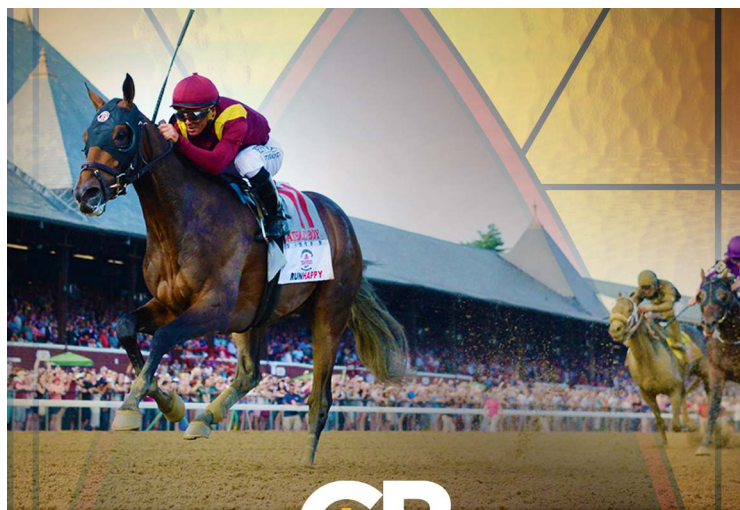
That's what Smith is. He is still very much in demand, particularly in the big races, and has become an iconic and respected figure who, into his mid-fifties, seems to be impervious to the ravages of time. Smith's accomplishments are very Shoemaker-esque, but on Saturday he will be out to do what Shoemaker could not, win the Kentucky Derby at the age of 56.

Shoemaker became the oldest rider in Derby history to win the race when he guided Ferdinand to victory in 1986 as a 54-year-old. A year later, he finished sixth aboard Gulch. In 1988, in his last-ever Derby mount, the 56-year-old Shoemaker was 12th aboard Lively One. He retired in 1990.

Thirty-four years have come and gone since Shoemaker set the record, a record that might be about to fall. Smith will ride **Taiba** (**Gun Runner**), the winner of the GI **Runhappy** Santa Anita Derby and a 12-1 shot in the morning line for the Derby.

"To even be mentioned in the same breath as Shoemaker is amazing," Smith said. "All riders idolize him and if they don't they don't know anything about racing. If we could pull this off it would be something really special."

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The 1984 running was the only time Smith and Shoemaker competed against one another in the Derby. Smith didn't get another Derby mount until 1990. But he remembers other times he squared off against Shoemaker in races and the talks they had after Shoemaker had become a trainer.

"I rode with Shoe a few times," Smith said. "Then I got to know him afterwards, when he was training and before he passed away. It was probably two weeks before he passed [Shoemaker died in 2003] that I had a long conversation with him. We were sitting in the jocks' room and we were talking about Azeri. He said that she was really bred for the grass. He said, 'Imagine if they ever tried her on the grass?' That was the last conversation I ever had with him. I was blessed to get to know him a little bit. He was an amazing human being. I never could have imagined that I might someday break his record in the Derby. I was just happy to know the man."

Smith last won the Derby in 2018 with **Justify** (Scat Daddy). He was 52 then, an age where most jockeys have either retired or are mulling the end to their career. But not Smith. He mainly limits his mounts to the major races and is a fanatic when it comes to working out and taking care of his body. The results speak for themselves—he is still one of the top jockeys in the sport.



Mike Smith | *Breeders' Cup/Eclipse Sportswire*

"I feel great and I'm doing great," Smith said. "I keep working at it. Every race I ride I still feel like I am learning. I still want to win every race. The fire hasn't dwindled any. I keep myself in great shape. If you take care of your body and you work at it, you can still be successful at my age. You see that in all sports. Look at what Tom Brady is doing. He keeps himself in great shape and he's playing like it's his third or fourth year in the NFL."

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Smith had worked Taiba when he was a 2-year-old, but when the colt made his career debut Mar. 5, John Velazquez was aboard. When it came to the Santa Anita Derby, Velazquez had to choose between Taiba and the more accomplished Messier (Empire Maker). He chose Messier, who wound up finishing second behind Taiba in the Santa Anita Derby.



Smith aboard Taiba | Benoit

"Yes, without a doubt, I was worried," Smith said. "I didn't have anything up until the Santa Anita Derby when I was fortunate enough to pick up Taiba. But I felt that something big was going to come up. Not only do I get a mount in the Derby, but I got one with a colt who has so much talent."

Taiba has a long way to go before he can be called the next **Justify**, a Triple Crown winner, but there are a lot of similarities between the two. **Justify** was trained by Bob Baffert and was lightly raced before running in the Derby, his fourth lifetime start. Taiba started out in the Baffert stable before being moved to trainer Tim Yakteen after Baffert started serving his 90-day suspension for the drug positive he received in last year's Derby with Medina Spirit (Protonico). The Derby will be just Taiba's third lifetime start. Both enter the Kentucky Derby off wins in the Santa Anita Derby.

"People always ask me, can you compare him to **Justify**?" Smith said. "He's one you can compare to **Justify**. Both are extremely talented and very intelligent." **Cont. p7**


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Smith continued, “Though he’s not as big as **Justify**, both are big chestnuts. They both have very high cruising speed. They remind me a lot of each other.” Even Smith can’t go on forever. When asked if he saw himself riding at age 60, he said that he did not. But he has no immediate plans to retire.

“I’m just waiting for it to tell me,” he said. “Should I stop now? Why would I? I feel like I’m still there, still helping. I don’t feel like I am getting in the way, especially in these kind of races and with the younger horses. I still feel that I have a lot to offer. I’m going to do it until the day I wake up and God has told me it’s time to call it a career. It’s hard to say when that will happen. I know I feel good and am keeping myself in great shape. As long as I keep getting these opportunities I am going to do what I love. I’m having a lot of fun doing what I’m doing. I don’t have the pressure of trying to be leading rider. Give me one or two really good horses and I am happy.”

Shoemaker won four Derbies. Taiba would be Smith’s third. A win by Taiba could quite possibly be Smith’s last in the Derby, meaning he would not equal Shoemaker’s number. Then again, it’s Mike Smith. What isn’t possible?

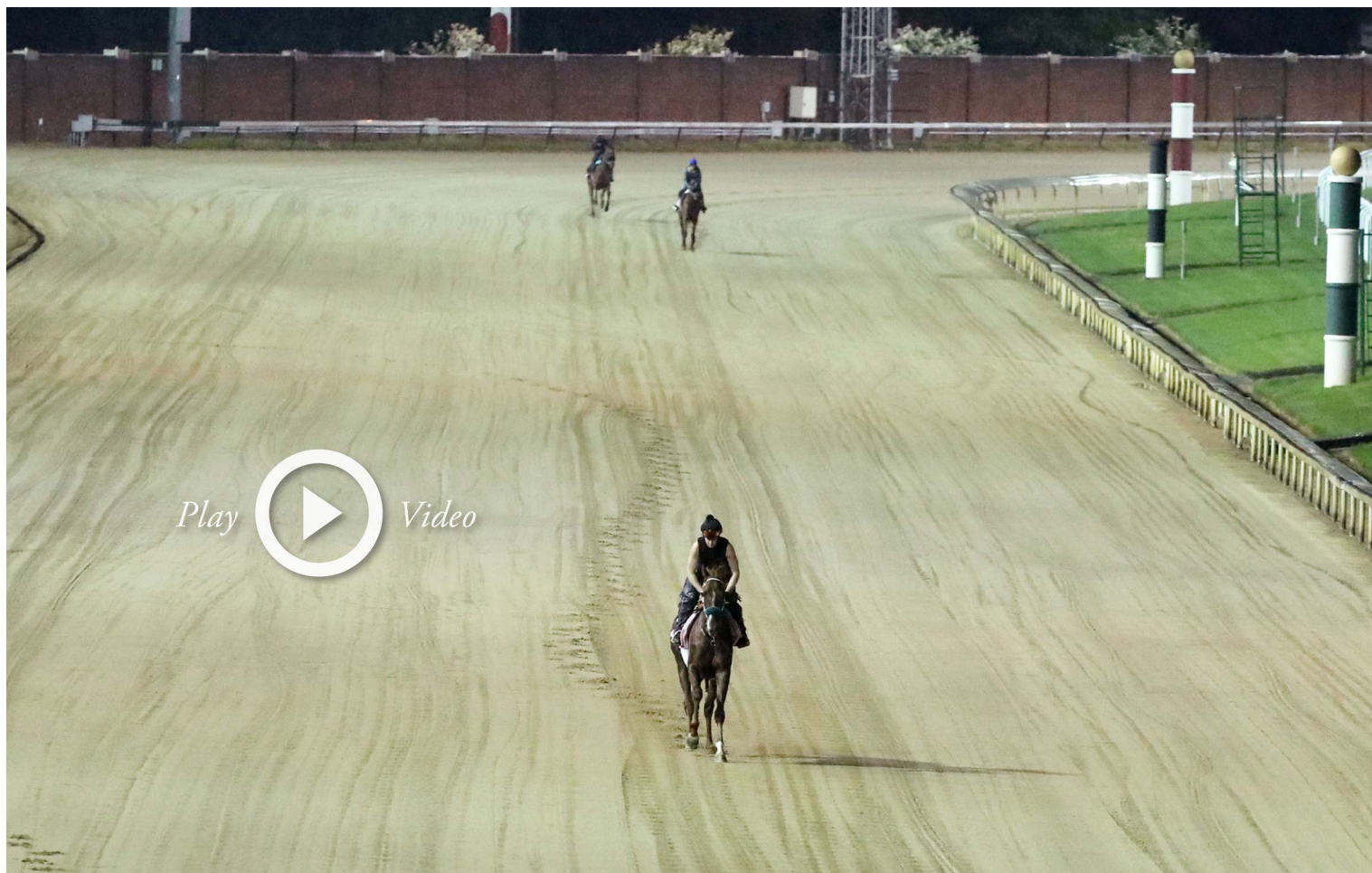
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HISA Tabs Drug Free Sport International as Enforcement Agency Partner *(cont. from p1)*

DFS will establish the Horseracing Integrity and Welfare Unit (HIWU), led by a five-member Advisory Council, to serve as the new ADMC enforcement agency for Thoroughbred racing.

“I am thrilled that Drug Free Sport International is partnering with us to serve as HISA’s independent ADMC enforcement agency by establishing the Horseracing Integrity and Welfare Unit,” said HISA CEO Lisa Lazarus. “DFS is an established leader as demonstrated by its success and ongoing engagement with several U.S. and international sports organizations and leagues. HISA and HIWU intend to work closely with state racing commissions to establish a comprehensive and robust program that includes uniform testing protocols, adjudication processes and enforcement mechanisms to increase accountability and enhance the integrity of the competition for participants, fans and bettors.”

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It was a rainy early morning Tuesday at Churchill Downs, but the sun began to shine through as some of the Derby and Oaks contenders hit the main track. Katie Petrunyak speaks to Chad Brown about Derby favorite Zandon, Shug McGaughey about Kathleen O. and exercise rider Danielle Rosier about Secret Oath (pictured). [Click here](#) or on the photo to watch. | Coady Photography

“We look forward to working with DFS and the Horseracing Integrity and Welfare Unit to level the playing field for the overwhelming majority of racing participants who follow the rules while identifying and holding accountable those who attempt to violate them,” said Adolpho Birch, Chair of HISA’s ADMC Committee and Senior Vice President of Business Affairs & Chief Legal Officer for the NFL’s Tennessee Titans. “HISA also recognizes and thanks Travis Tygart and USADA for their collaboration and leadership in crafting the proposed regulations that will serve as the foundation for our work moving forward. Together with their efforts leading to the passage of HISA, they have left an indelible mark on horseracing and horse welfare.”

“On behalf of the entire DFS team, we are excited to expand our work to safeguard the integrity of sport into Thoroughbred racing,” said Chris Guinty, CEO of DFS. “Creating a new enforcement agency is a significant task, but we are starting

from a strong position thanks to the efforts of so many to date.”

The HIWU will be chaired by Jonathan Taylor QC, a London-based partner and leader of the Sports Group at the international law firm Bird & Bird. Taylor has a deep and extensive background in anti-doping issues in international sports, including previously serving as the chair of the World Anti-Doping Agency’s (WADA) Compliance Review Committee, an independent Standing Committee under WADA’s Executive Committee. Taylor is also long-standing outside legal counsel to the International Equestrian Federation and the British Horseracing Authority.

“I’m honored to be joining Lisa, Adolpho and the entire HISA team as they work with DFS to develop and implement the first-ever

national uniform anti-doping and medication control standards for Thoroughbred racing. These standards will meaningfully enhance the integrity of U.S. horse racing and help to ensure a robust future for the sport for generations to come,” said Taylor.



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- Dr. Larry Bramlage, DVM, MS, DACVS, equine orthopedic surgeon at Rood & Riddle Equine Hospital; Dr. Bramlage serves on the board of the Grayson-Jockey Club Research Foundation and has received numerous awards, including the American College of Veterinary Surgeons Legends Award, The Jockey Club Gold Medal and a British Equine Veterinary Association’s Special Award of Merit, for his work.
- Sonja Keating, General Counsel, United States Equestrian Federation (USEF); Keating has been with USEF for more than 15 years and previously practiced litigation in the Lexington office of Dinsmore & Shohl, LLP.
- Günter Younger, Director of Intelligence and Investigations at WADA; prior to joining WADA, Younger served as the Head of the Cybercrime Division at the Bavarian Landeskriminalamt (BLKA), in Germany. During this period, he also served on WADA’s three-member Independent Commission that investigated and exposed widespread doping in Russian athletics.

It is expected that the investigative function will be supported by 5 Stones intelligence, a leading professional services company comprised of former DEA, FBI, IRS, ATF, and NYPD Special Agents and Detectives who have led some of the largest sports investigations in history. Information from 5 Stones played a role in the federal indictments of several dozen people involved in horse racing by the United States District Attorney, Southern District of New York.

“We are deeply grateful to the members of the HIWU Advisory Council and to 5 Stones for lending their expertise and hard-won experience in support of our effort,” said Lazarus.

Working extensively with USADA and a wide range of industry stakeholders, HISA has already developed comprehensive draft ADMC rules. HIWU and HISA will build on that foundation in the coming weeks and will release updated draft rules for industry and public comment later in May. The draft rules will be presented to the HISA Board of Directors for approval and then submitted to the Federal Trade Commission (FTC) by July 1 to initiate its rule-making process with the goal of implementing the FTC-approved program on January 1, 2023.


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Statement from National Thoroughbred Racing Association:

“Drug Free Sport is a known leader in drug testing and enforcement in sports and we are thrilled to see HISA partner with this expert organization to operationalize their Anti-Doping and Medication Control program and create the Horseracing Integrity and Welfare Unit,” said NTRA President & CEO Tom Rooney. “We all share HISA's goals of protecting equine athletes and raising the bar for integrity in racing, and with the help of DFS, HISA is well on its way to doing just that. I commend Lisa Lazarus and the entire HISA Authority on all their hard work and due diligence in meeting this important milestone under the law.”

Statement from The Jockey Club:

“The Jockey Club applauds today's announcement from the Horseracing Integrity and Safety Authority (HISA), which named Drug Free Sport International (DFS) as the organization to develop HISA's Anti-Doping and Medication Control enforcement agency. DFS has an impressive track record in handling drug testing management in a range of sports, and its partnership with HISA is another critical step toward creating a gold standard of integrity and welfare in Thoroughbred racing. The Jockey Club has believed for years that reforms in safety, integrity, and welfare are necessary for the sustainability of our sport. We look forward to following the progress of DFS and supporting the efforts of DFS and HISA with any resources we can provide.”

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HISA represents a critical turning point for the industry. Its implementation provides the best opportunity for us to change the perception of our sport through our collective efforts to protect the health, safety and welfare of the horse and rider and the integrity of horse racing.

We commend the HISA Board for its deliberative approach towards the establishment of the most practical and effective Anti-Doping and Medication Control Program of any sport. HISA's partnership with Drug Free Sport International, and the creation of the Horseracing Integrity and Welfare Unit, fulfills the industry's need for an effective, independently controlled enforcement agency that will build upon and improve Thoroughbred racing's well-established medication and anti-doping rules, bring long-sought uniformity, oversee and improve our testing system, implement a streamlined, but fair adjudicatory process, and develop a new investigative arm that the industry once had but lost.

While some may be disappointed with HISA's decision, we believe it is entirely consistent with the enabling legislation and the intent of those who were responsible for its development. We look forward to working with the DFSI team and the HISA Board and will offer whatever resources and support we can to fulfill the fundamental goals of equine health and safety and the integrity of racing.

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STREET SENSE FILLY TOPS TODD DISPERSAL

by *Jessica Martini*

An unraced 2-year-old filly by **Street Sense** (hip 1) topped the first phase of the dispersal of the Estate of the late Glen Todd--conducted on Fasig-Tipton's Digital Platform--when selling for \$200,000 to NJP Racing. Named **Adiva**, the dark bay filly is out of Black Diamond Girl (**Hard Spun**), a half-sister to graded winner Big Truck (Hook and Ladder) and graded placed Logic Way (**Freud**). She was purchased by Todd's North American Thoroughbred Horse Company for \$230,000 at last year's Keeneland September sale.

Adiva has been working up to two furlongs at the Washington-based Pegasus Training Center, which consigned the dispersal horses.

“She was a rock star. She acted like it and trained like it and she sold like one,” said Pegasus Training Center trainer and director of horse operations Mike Puhich. “I am glad she sold for what I thought she was worth.”

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Puhich continued, “I was kind of afraid, with as little exposure as she might get, that people might not see it, but everybody who saw her in person and saw her online saw that she looks kind of special. She is a very classy filly. One of the nicest that we have broken at the farm.”



Adiva

NJP Racing also purchased the dispersal's second-highest priced offering, the multiple stakes-winning 5-year-old mare **Princess of Cairo** (**Cairo Prince**), for \$115,000, as well as the unraced 3-year-old gelding **Call Me Fast** (**Dialed In**) for \$60,000. All three will be joining Puhich's Kentucky string.

“It's a syndicate group,” Puhich said of NJP Racing. “They are from all over the place--a few of them are from New Zealand--and they are big clients of ours. They are going to our division in Kentucky and will be in my barn at Churchill Downs. It's kind of cool to be able to keep part of Glen's legacy going, too.”

Rounding out the trio of six-figure offerings at the dispersal was **Five Star General** (**Distorted Humor**). The 6-year-old, a multiple stakes winner and multiple graded placed, was purchased for \$110,000 by Kenny Alhadeff's Elttaes Stable.

During week-long bidding conducted online by Fasig-Tipton, 10 horses of racing age, 14 2-year-olds in training and seven yearlings sold without reserve. The group grossed \$1,197,500, for an average of \$38,629 and a median of \$24,000.

“We were absolutely thrilled with the results,” said Puhich. “Fasig-Tipton did an amazing job getting it out there. This digital sale is the wave of the future. It's unbelievable. We had people from all over the country calling with interest and bidding. It was a shocking surprise.”

A longtime owner and breeder and pillar of the British Columbia Thoroughbred industry, Todd passed away Mar. 27.

“It was bittersweet,” Puhich said of the dispersal. “Mr. Todd was a very good friend and one of our best clients. We are very happy for the family that the horses did so well, but on the other side, the circumstances just takes it away.”

A total of 250 registered bidders cast 1,305 bids, with each horse receiving an average of 42 bids.

“We had four open houses for people to make an appointment and come in and we were booked full for four days in a row,” Puhich said of pre-sale interest in the dispersal. “There were a lot of people from Canada and local people, but we had interest and calls from all over the country. The way that Fasig-Tipton outlined it for us and recommended how we do the videos, the platform we were on took it to another level.”

Fasig-Tipton Director of Digital Sales Leif Aaron was also pleased with the results of the dispersal.

“We are very appreciative of Glen Todd's family for entrusting Fasig-Tipton Digital with this piece of their father's legacy,” Aaron said. “We were able to move quickly to get a lot of horses sold in a short amount of time with a very strong result. Mike Puhich of Pegasus Training Center did a great job helping to facilitate the sale. It was a win for all parties.”

Fasig-Tipton is now accepting nominations for its May Digital Selected Sale, which will be open for bidding from May 12 through May 17. Entries close May 8.

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OBS JUNE CATALOGUE ONLINE

The catalogue for the Ocala Breeders' Sales Company's June Sale of 2-Year-Olds and Horses of Racing Age is now available on the company's website, www.obssales.com.


A total of 1,059 juveniles and 16 older horses have been cataloged for the three-day sale. Supplemental entries will be accepted until May 17.

Due to the increased size of the catalogue, the auction's under tack show has been expanded from five to six sessions and will begin May 30 and continue through June 4. All under tack sessions begin at 7:30 a.m.

The June sale will be held from June 7-9, with sessions beginning each day at 10 a.m.

Hip numbers one through 374 will sell Tuesday; hips 375-748 will be offered Wednesday; and Thursday will include hips 749-1060, plus 2-year-old supplements followed by the horses of racing age cataloged as hips 1151-1166, plus HRA supplements.


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BETTOR THINGS: HANDICAPPING THE DERBY WITH JOE BIANCA, BILL FINLEY

Generally the hardest race to handicap every year, the 2022 renewal of the GI Kentucky Derby appears even more complicated than most, with a handful of major contenders but no standout favorite, and a seemingly small gap back to the rest of the field. Monday, shortly after the 20-horse field was drawn for Saturday's Run for the Roses, *TDN* writers and podcast hosts Joe Bianca and Bill Finley broke down the race from a variety of angles to try to provide clarity and insight for Derby bettors. Bianca, who hosts handicapping conversation podcast [Bettor Things with Joe Bianca](#), and Finley, who co-hosts the [TDN Writers' Room](#) with Bianca and Jon Green, discussed how the pill pull affected their opinions, the race's major players that they like, as well as short prices they think are vulnerable, sneaky longshots that can spice up exotic bets, how they expect the pace scenario to play out and recent historical trends that can help narrow down win candidates. Then, shortly before wrapping, they touched on what looks like a GI Kentucky Oaks for the ages and whether or not any longshots can threaten the race's 'big four'. [Click here to watch the podcast](#); [click here for the audio-only version](#) or find it on Apple Podcasts or Spotify.

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MUSIC FEST FORCES MARYLAND SUMMER DATES SWITCH

by T. D. Thornton

A two-day electronic dance music festival at Pimlico Race Course has forced a dates reshuffling of the first regularly scheduled summer race meet at the Baltimore track in 17 years.

The Aug. 6 and 7 Moonrise, which is billed as one of the premier "rave" gatherings on the East Coast, drew about 30,000 people to the Pimlico infield each summer between 2014 and 2019 with no conflicts to the horse racing schedule. That's because the Maryland Jockey Club (MJC) at that time chose to race during the summer months at Pimlico's sister track, Laurel Park.

According to an approval unanimously voted in by the Maryland Racing Commission (MRC) at its monthly meeting Tuesday, the nine race dates spanning Aug. 5-21 that were previously assigned to Pimlico will now revert to Laurel. After the seven-date Maryland State Fair meet at Timonium Aug. 26-Sept. 5, the circuit will move to Pimlico to run nine dates between Sept. 9 and 25. Then Laurel starts up again to race through the fall and winter.

In 2020, the Moonrise event was canceled because of COVID-19 restrictions. In 2021, Pimlico had to host racing from April through August because of the emergency closure at Laurel to install a new main track, but there was no conflict with the

concert because it still couldn't be held under pandemic precautions.

In October of 2021, when the MRC [approved a schedule of '22 race dates](#) that included a regularly scheduled August meet at Pimlico for the first time since 2005, the status of the concert had not been known.

One of the intentions of moving the mid-summer meet from Laurel to Pimlico this year was to give Laurel's turf course a break during the hottest time of the year in Maryland.

Instead, Laurel will be running from June through August without a rest while going up against neighboring Colonial Downs in Virginia, which hosts a grass-centric summer meet spanning July 11-Sept. 7.

Moonrise will feature 50+ artists over two days, highlighted by Zedd, Rezz, Adventure Club, Excision, Chris Lake, Zeds Dead, FISHER, Moore Kismet, and Dom Dolla. Two-day general admission tickets start at \$130.

Racing enthusiasts scanning the list of performers will note that one solo artist goes by the stage name "Trivecta."

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REPOLE, BODYARMOR, DONATE \$24 MILLION TO YOUTH SPORTS



Mike Repole | Sarah Andrew photo

BodyArmor and its founder, Mike Repole, will donate \$24 million to the Mamba and Mambacita Foundation, a nonprofit organization dedicated to creating positive impact for underserved athletes and boys and girls in sports, the company announced Tuesday. It is the single largest donation that the foundation has ever received. The news was first reported by Front Office Sports.

Repole is the co-owner of **Mo Donegal** ([Uncle Mo](#)), the co-fourth choice at 10-1 in the morning line for Saturday's GI Kentucky Derby.

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The Mamba and Mambacita Foundation was founded in memory of Kobe Bryant and his daughter Gianna, who were killed in a helicopter crash in 2020. Bryant was one of the early investors in BodyArmor, acquiring 10% of the company for \$6 million in 2014, according to Front Office Sports.

In addition to the financial donation, they will also donate eight refurbished basketball courts and renovated youth clinic facilities to the foundation.

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NEW GM FOR JOCKEY CLUB OF CANADA

Megan Allan has assumed the role of General Manager of The Jockey Club of Canada, effective May 1, 2022. The post was previously held by Candice Dixon. A Thoroughbred industry veteran, Allan's past experience includes yearling preparation and sales with Farm on a Hill, Michael C. Byrne and Windfields Farm; breaking and training with J&M Training Centre; breeding and foaling with Norse Ridge Farms and Castle Peak Farm, as well as her own farm, Megan Kraus Thoroughbreds. Allan has spent the past several years as a project coordinator with Gerrits Engineering Limited in Barrie, ON.

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Friday, Churchill Downs #11, post time: 5:51 p.m. EDT

LONGINES KENTUCKY OAKS-GI, \$1,250,000, 3yo, f, 1 1/8m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	ML
1	Secret Oath	Arrogate	Briland Farm	Lukas	Saez	6-1
2	Nostalgic	Medaglia d'Oro	Godolphin, LLC	Mott	Ortiz	15-1
3	Hidden Connection 🦿	Connect	Hidden Brook Farm and Black Type Thoroughbreds	Calhoun	Gutierrez	20-1
4	Nest 🦿	Curlin	Repole Stable, Eclipse Thoroughbred Partners and House, Michael	Pletcher	Ortiz, Jr.	5-2
5	Goddess of Fire	Mineshaft	Red Oak Stable	Pletcher	Velazquez	15-1
6	Yuugiri	Shackleford	Yoshihara, Tsunebumi and Sekie	Brisset	Geroux	30-1
7	Echo Zulu 🦿	Gun Runner	L and N Racing LLC and Winchell Thoroughbreds LLC	Asmussen	Rosario	4-1
8	Venti Valentine	Firing Line	NY Final Furlong Racing Stable and Parkland Thoroughbreds	Abreu	Gaffalione	20-1
9	Desert Dawn	Cupid	H and E Ranch, Inc.	D'Amato	Rispoli	20-1
10	Kathleen O. 🦿	Upstart	Wingate Stables, LLC	McGaughey III	Castellano	7-2
11	Cocktail Moments 🦿	Uncle Mo	Dixiana Farms LLC	McPeek	Lanerie	30-1
12	Candy Raid 🦿	Candy Ride (Arg)	Don't Tell My Wife Stables and Desormeaux, J. Keith	Desormeaux	Bejarano	30-1
13	Shahama	Munnings	KHK Racing	Pletcher	Prat	15-1
14	Turnerloose 🦿	Nyquist	Thrash, Ike and Dawn	Cox	Franco	20-1
<i>Also Eligible:</i>						
15	Beguine 🦿	Gun Runner	Charles T. Matses	Peitz	Santana, Jr.	N/A

Breeders: 1-Briland Farm, Robert Mitchell & Stacy Mitchell, 2-Godolphin, 3-St. Simon Place, 4-Ashview Farm & Colts Neck Stables, 5-Red Oak Stable, 6-Sekie Yoshihara & Tsunebumi Yoshihara, 7-Betz/J. Betz/Burns/CHNNHK/Magers/CoCoEquine/Ramsby, 8-Final Furlong Racing Stable & Maspeth Stable, 9-H & E Ranch, 10-Gainesway Thoroughbreds Ltd & Bridlewood Farm, 11-Mark Stansell, 12-Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC, 13-SF Bloodstock LLC, 14-William Humphries & Altair Farms LLC, 15-Charles T. Matses

Friday, Churchill Downs #6, post time: 1:26 p.m. EDT

LA TROIENNE S. PRESENTED BY SIGNIFY HEALTH-GI, \$750,000, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Jilted Bride 🦿	Wicked Strong	Bradley Thoroughbreds, Cambron, Tim, Cambron, Anna, Carruth, Brady and Carruth, Zane	Asmussen	Saez	123
2	Shedaresthedevil 🦿	Daredevil	Flurry Racing Stables LLC, Qatar Racing Limited and Whisper Hill Farm, LLC	Cox	Geroux	123
3	Temper Time 🦿	Malibu Moon	Mark H. Stanley	Romans	Gaffalione	123
4	Battle Bling 🦿	Vancouver (Aus)	Dubb, Michael and Gandharvi Racing Stables	Atras	Ortiz, Jr.	123
5	She's All Wolfe	Magna Graduate	Robert H. Zoellner	Von Hemel	Smith	123
6	Pauline's Pearl	Tapit	Stonestreet Stables LLC	Asmussen	Rosario	123
7	Ava's Grace	Laoban	Cypress Creek Equine	Diodoro	Cohen	123

Breeders: 1-Bobby Jones Equine, LLC, 2-WinStar Farm, LLC, 3-Coffee Pot Stable, 4-Royal Oak Farm, LLC & E. Kiely, 5-Robert H. Zoellner, 6-Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC, 7-Southern Equine Stables, LLC

Friday, Churchill Downs #7, post time: 2:09 p.m. EDT**ALYSHEBA S. PRESENTED BY SENTIENT JET-GII, \$500,000, 4yo/up, 1 1/16m**

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Max Player 🌿	Honor Code	Hall, George E. and Annetes Racing Corp.	Asmussen	Santana, Jr.	118
2	Weyburn	Pioneerof the Nile	Chiefswood Stables Limited	Walsh	Gaffalione	118
3	Militarist K	Liam's Map	J. and J. Stable and Vaccarezza, Priscilla	Vaccarezza	Ortiz	118
4	Soy Tapatio 🌿	Not This Time	Mercado Racing LLC	O'Neill	Prat	118
5	Olympiad 🌿	Speightstown	Grandview Equine, Cheyenne Stable & LNJ Foxwoods	Mott	Alvarado	120
6	Fulsome	Into Mischieff	Juddmonte	Cox	Geroux	118
7	Happy Saver	Super Saver	Wertheimer and Frere	Pletcher	Ortiz, Jr.	118
8	Title Ready	More Than Ready	Charles E. Fipke	Stewart	Velazquez	118

Breeders: 1-K & G Stables, 2-Chiefswood Stables Limited, 3-Carlo E. Vaccarezza, 4-Miklin Stables LLC & Five Fillies LLC, 5-Emory A. Hamilton, 6-Juddmonte Farms Inc, 7-Wertheimer et Frere, 8-Charles Fipke

Friday, Churchill Downs #8, post time: 3:03 p.m. EDT**EDGEWOOD S. PRESENTED BY FORCHT BANK-GII, \$500,000, 3yo, f, 1 1/16mT**

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Tap Dancing Lady 🌿	Tapiture	Lou Dunn Diekemper Trust	Kahles	Jimenez	118
2	My Philly Twirl	Hard Spun	John Gallegos	Walsh	Leparoux	118
3	McKulick (GB)	Frankel (GB)	Klaravich Stables, Inc.	Brown	Prat	118
4	Kneeships 🌿	Connect	Joel Politi	Amoss	Graham	118
5	Dolce Zel (Fr)	Zelzal (Fr)	Madaket Stables, Dubb, Michael & LaPenta, Robert V.	Brown	Ortiz, Jr.	120
6	An Agent Mistake 🌿	Klimt	Reddam Racing LLC	O'Neill	Gutierrez	118
7	Beechnut Trophy	Real Solution	Ramsey, Kenneth L. and Sarah K.	Joseph, Jr.	Gaffalione	118
8	Spicer 🌿	Quality Road	Drown, Jeff and Rachel, Don	Brown	Ortiz	118
9	New Year's Eve 🌿	Kitten's Joy	Marc Detampel	Walsh	Saez	118
10	Dream Lith	Medaglia d'Oro	Cypress Creek Equine and Bennewith, Arnold	Diodoro	Vazquez	118

Breeders: 1-Lou Dunn Diekemper, 2-John Gallegos, 3-Essafinaat UK Ltd, 4-Lantern Hill Farm LLC, 5-Scuderia Micolo Di Nicola Galli & C. SNC, 6-Kirt Cahill, Sarah Cahill, Brett Woodie& Steve Reed, 7-Kenneth L. Ramsey & Sarah K. Ramsey, 8-RanJan Racing, Inc., 9-Stud TNT LLC, 10-Southern Equine Stables, LLC

Friday, Churchill Downs #9, post time: 4:04 p.m. EDT**EIGHT BELLES S. PRESENTED BY TWINSPIRES-GII, \$500,000, 3yo, f, 7f**

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Sweet as Pie	Tapit	Westerberg Limited, Magnier, Mrs. John, Tabor, Michael B. and Smith, Derrick	Pletcher	Saez	118
2	Pretty Birdie	Bird Song	Marylou Whitney Stables	Casse	Geroux	120
3	Marissa's Lady	Violence	Boone Family Trust and Tillema Family Trust	Morey	Bejarano	118
4	Ain't Easy 🌿	Into Mischieff	Old Bones Racing Stable, LLC, Lombardi, Michael V. and Platts, Joey	D'Amato	Gaffalione	120
5	Wicked Halo	Gun Runner	Winchell Thoroughbreds LLC	Asmussen	Ortiz, Jr.	120
6	Gerrymander 🌿	Into Mischieff	Klaravich Stables, Inc.	Brown	Rosario	118
7	Lac Vieux Desert	Candy Ride (Arg)	Rosette Racing LLC	Diodoro	Cohen	118
8	Matareya	Pioneerof the Nile	Godolphin, LLC	Cox	Prat	120
9	Awake At Midnyte 🌿	Nyquist	Reddam Racing LLC	O'Neill	Gutierrez	118
10	Sweet Dani Girl	Jess's Dream	J & J Stables, LLC and Vaccarezza, Nicholas	Vaccarezza	Ortiz	118

Breeders: 1-Hill 'N' Dale Equine Holdings, Inc. &Stretch Run Ventures, LLC, 2-Marylou Whitney Stables LLC, 3-Harold Tillema & Pamela Tillema & RonBoone Family Trust, 4-Spendthrift Farm LLC, 5-Winchell Thoroughbreds LLC, 6-Town & Country Horse Farms, LLC &Pollock Farms, 7-Emily Bushnell & Oliver Bushnell, 8-Godolphin LLC, 9-Forty Oaks, 10-J&J Stables, LLC & Carlo Vaccarezza

Friday, Churchill Downs #10, post time: 4:51 p.m. EDT

TWIN SPIRES TURF SPRINT S. PRESENTED BY SYSCO-GII, \$500,000, 3yo/up, 5 1/2FT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Gregorian Chant (GB)	Gregorian (Ire)	Old Bones Racing Stable, LLC, Slam Dunk Racing and Nentwig, Michael	D'Amato	Rosario	122
2	The Lir Jet (Ire)	Prince of Lir (Ire)	Qatar Racing and RacehorseClub	Walsh	Rispoli	122
3	Caravel	Mizzen Mast	Qatar Racing, Detampel, Marc and Madaket Stables	Cox	Gaffalione	117
4	Chasing Artie	We Miss Artie	Ramsey, Kenneth L. and Sarah K.	Joseph, Jr.	Ortiz	122
5	Cowan 🐾	Kantharos	Heiligbrodt, L. William, Heiligbrodt, Corinne, Madaket Stables LLC and Spendthrift Farm LLC	Asmussen	Saez	122
6	Bran (Fr)	Muhaarar (GB)	Hronis Racing LLC	Sadler	Cheminaud	122
7	Diamond Oops 🐾	Lookin At Lucky	Diamond 100 Racing Club, LLC, Dunne, Amy E., D P Racing LLC and Patrick L. Biancone Racing LLC	Biancone	Geroux	122
8	Gear Jockey	Twirling Candy	Calumet Farm	Arnold, II	Hernandez, Jr.	122
9	Pyron	Candy Ride (Arg)	Ken Copenhagen	Stall, Jr.	Prat	122
10	Arrest Me Red	Pioneerof the Nile	Lael Stables	Ward	Ortiz, Jr.	122
11	Just Might	Justin Phillip	Griffon Farms and Lovell, Michelle	Lovell	Bejarano	122
12	Johnny Unleashed 🐾	Colonel John	Foster Family Racing, Reynolds, Lonnie, H & H Horses, LLC and Mills, Joseph	Foster	Corrales	122
13	Whatmakessammyrun	We Miss Artie	Sterling Racing LLC	Glatt	Velazquez	122

Breeders: 1-Clarendon Farm, 2-Mr. Donal Boylan, 3-Elizabeth M. Merryman, 4-Kenneth L. Ramsey & Sarah K. Ramsey, 5-Hill 'n' Dale Equine Holdings, Inc., 6-Lordship Stud, 7-Kin Hui Racing Stables LLC, 8-Calumet Farm, 9-Winchell Thoroughbreds LLC, 10-Mr. & Mrs. M. Roy Jackson, 11-Griffon Farms & Michelle Lovell, 12-St. Simon Place, Scott Stephens & Betsy T. Wells, 13-Kenneth L. Ramsey & Sarah K. Ramsey

Friday, Churchill Downs #5, post time: 12:43 p.m. EDT

MODESTY S. PRESENTED BY TWINSPIRES-GIII, \$250,000, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Fluffy Socks	Slumber (GB)	Head of Plains Partners LLC	Brown	Ortiz, Jr.	120
2	Stand Tall 🐾	Uncle Mo	Humphrey, Jr., G. Watts and Ashbrook Farm	Arnold, II	Geroux	118
3	Mona Stella 🐾	Will Take Charge	Reeves Thoroughbred Racing, Biancone, Andie and Biancone, Patrick L.	Biancone	Gaffalione	118
4	She Can't Sing	Bernardini	Lothenbach Stables, Inc.	Block	Castellano	118
5	Lake Lucerne	Dubawi (Ire)	Godolphin, LLC	Walsh	Barzalona	118
6	Hendy Woods 🐾	Uncle Mo	Stonestreet Stables LLC	Casse	Ortiz	118
7	Curly Ruth 🐾	Curlin	Green Lantern Stables LLC	Kenneally	Saez	118
8	Bleecker Street	Quality Road	Peter M. Brant	Brown	Prat	120
9	Pass the Plate	Temple City	Silverton Hill LLC	McGee	Hernandez, Jr.	118

Breeders: 1-Head Of Plains Partners, 2-Pursuit of Success LLC, 3-Bridlewood Farm, 4-Lothenbach Stables Inc, 5-Godolphin, 6-Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC, 7-Payson Stud, Inc., 8-Branch Equine, LLC, 9-Silverton Hill, LLC



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Saturday, Churchill Downs #12, post time: 6:57 p.m. EDT**KENTUCKY DERBY PRESENTED BY WOODFORD RESERVE-GI, \$3,000,000, 3yo, 1 1/4m**

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	ML
1	Mo Donegal 🌿	Uncle Mo	Donegal Racing and Repole Stable	Pletcher	Ortiz, Jr.	10-1
2	Happy Jack 🌿	Oxbow	Calumet Farm	O'Neill	Bejarano	30-1
3	Epicenter 🌿	Not This Time	Winchell Thoroughbreds LLC	Asmussen	Rosario	7-2
4	Summer Is Tomorrow 🌿	Summer Front	Hilary, Michael and Burke, Negar	Seemar	Barzalona	30-1
5	Smile Happy 🌿	Runhappy	Lucky Seven Stable	McPeek	Lanerie	20-1
6	Messier	Empire Maker	SF Racing LLC, Starlight Racing, Madaket Stables LLC, Masterson, Robert E., Schoenfarber, Jay A., Waves Edge Capital LLC, Donovan, Catherine M., Golconda Stable, Siena Farm LLC	Yakteen	Velazquez	8-1
7	Crown Pride (Jpn)	Reach the Crown (Jpn)	Teruya Yoshida	Shintani	Lemaire	20-1
8	Charge It	Tapit	Whisper Hill Farm, LLC	Pletcher	Saez	20-1
9	Tiz the Bomb	Hit It a Bomb	Magdalena Racing, Lessee	McPeek	Hernandez, Jr.	30-1
10	Zandon 🌿	Upstart	Jeff Drown	Brown	Prat	3-1
11	Pioneer of Medina 🌿	Pioneerof the Nile	Sumaya U.S. Stable	Pletcher	Bravo	30-1
12	Taiba	Gun Runner	Zedan Racing Stables, Inc.	Yakteen	Smith	12-1
13	Simplification 🌿	Not This Time	Bobo, Tami and De Meric, Tristan	Sano	Ortiz	20-1
14	Barber Road 🌿	Race Day	WSS Racing, LLC	Ortiz	Gutierrez	30-1
15	White Abarrio	Race Day	C2 Racing Stable LLC and La Milagrosa Stable, LLC	Joseph, Jr.	Gaffalione	10-1
16	Cyberknife	Gun Runner	Gold Square LLC	Cox	Geroux	20-1
17	Classic Causeway	Giant's Causeway	Kentucky West Racing LLC and Cooper, Clarke M.	Lynch	Leparoux	30-1
18	Tawny Port 🌿	Pioneerof the Nile	Peachtree Stable	Cox	Santana, Jr.	30-1
19	Zozos	Munnings	Butzow, Barry and Joni	Cox	Franco	20-1
20	Ethereal Road 🌿	Quality Road	Gilbert, Julie and Sones, Aaron	Lukas	Contreras	30-1
<i>Also Eligible:</i>						
21	Rich Strike	Keen Ice	RED TR-Racing, LLC	Reed	Leon	N/A
22	Rattle N Roll 🌿	Connect	Lucky Seven Stable	McPeek	Graham	N/A

Breeders: 1-Ashview Farm & Colts Neck Stables, 2-Calumet Farm, 3-Westwind Farms, 4-Brereton C. Jones, 5-Moreau Bloodstock Int'l Inc. & White Bloodstock LLC, 6-Sam-Son Farm, 7-Shadai Farm, 8-Whisper Hill Farm, LLC, 9-Spendthrift Farm, LLC, 10-Brereton C. Jones, 11-International Equities Holding, Inc., 12-Bruce C. Ryan, 13-France Weiner & Irwin Weiner, 14-Susan Forrester & Judy Curry, 15-Spendthrift Farm, LLC, 16-Kenneth L. Ramsey & Sarah K. Ramsey, 17-Kentucky West Racing LLC & Clarke M. Cooper Family Living Trust, 18-WinStar Farm, LLC, 19-Barry Butzow & Joni Butzow, 20-Paul Pompa Jr., 21-Calumet Farm, 22-St. Simon Place

Saturday, Churchill Downs #11, post time: 5:27 p.m. EDT**OLD FORESTER BOURBON TURF CLASSIC S-GI, \$1,000,000, 4yo/up, 1 1/8mT**

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	ML
1	Ivar (Brz)	Agnes Gold (Jpn)	Bonne Chance Farm, LLC and Stud R D I, LLC.	Lobo	Talamo	123
2	Bizzee Channel 🌿	English Channel	Patricia's Hope LLC	Rivelli	Corrales	123
3	Public Sector (GB)	Kingman (GB)	Klaravich Stables, Inc.	Brown	Ortiz, Jr.	123
4	Tribhuvan (Fr)	Toronado (Ire)	Dubb, Michael, Madaket Stables & Wonder Stables	Brown	Franco	123
5	Mira Mission	Noble Mission (GB)	Mary Abeel Sullivan Revocable Trust	Wilkes	Leparoux	123
6	Shirl's Speight	Speightstown	Charles E. Fipke	Attfield	Saez	123
7	Cavalry Charge	Honor Code	West Point Thoroughbreds, Sandbrook, William and Masiello, Robert	Stewart	Hernandez, Jr.	123
8	Adhamo (Ire)	Intello (Ger)	Dubb, Michael, Madaket Stables & Lazzinnaro, Louis	Brown	Prat	123
9	Kentucky Ghost	Ghostzapper	BBN Racing, LLC	Oliver	Bejarano	123
10	Santin	Distorted Humor	Godolphin, LLC	Walsh	Gaffalione	123

Breeders: 1-Stud Rio Dois Irmaos, 2-Bilbrey Farms, Inc., 3-The Kathryn Stud, 4-Jean Charles Haimet, Elza Petit & HannahPetit, 5-Mary A. Sullivan, 6-Charles Fipke, 7-Glencrest Farm LLC, 8-Wertheimer et Frere, 9-Blue Devil Racing Stable, LLC, 10-Godolphin

Saturday, Churchill Downs #8, post time: 2:48 p.m. EDT**DERBY CITY DISTAFF S. PRESENTED BY KENDALL-JACKSON WINERY-GI, \$750,000, 4yo/up, f/m, 7f**

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Lady Rocket 🌿	Tale of the Cat	Frank Fletcher Racing Operations & Ten Strike Racing	Cox	Ortiz, Jr.	123
2	Just One Time	Not This Time	Warriors Reward & Commonwealth New Era Racing	Cox	Prat	123
3	Center Aisle 🌿	Into Mischief	OXO Equine LLC	Lobo	Gaffalione	123
4	Kimari	Munnings	Westerberg Limited, Magnier, Mrs. John, Poulin, Jonathan, Smith, Derrick and Tabor, Michael B.	Ward	Rosario	123
5	Obligatory	Curlin	Juddmonte	Mott	Ortiz	123
6	Bell's the One	Majesticperfection	Lothenbach Stables, Inc.	Pessin	Lanerie	123
7	Edgeway 🌿	Competitive Edge	Hronis Racing LLC	Sadler	Velazquez	123
8	Four Graces	Majesticperfection	Whitham Thoroughbreds LLC	Wilkes	Leparoux	123

Breeders: 1-La Ciega LLC & Tale Of The Cat Syndicate, 2-Warrior's Reward LLC, 3-Breffni Farm, 4-China Horse Club International Limited, 5-Juddmonte Farms Inc, 6-Bret Jones, 7-Pope McLean, Valerie Blethen & DavidBlethen, 8-Whitham Thoroughbreds, LLC

Saturday, Churchill Downs #10, post time: 4:31 p.m. EDT**CHURCHILL DOWNS S. PRESENTED BY FORD-GI, \$750,000, 4yo/up, 7f**

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Aloha West 🌿	Hard Spun	Eclipse Thoroughbred Partners	Catalano	Ortiz	123
2	Long Range Toddy	Take Charge Indy	Zenith Racing	Stewart	Saez	123
3	Jackie's Warrior 🌿	Maclean's Music	Robison, J. Kirk and Robison, Judy	Asmussen	Rosario	123
4	Sir Alfred James 🌿	Munnings	Built Wright Stables, LLC.	Cash	Court	123
5	Reinvestment Risk	Upstart	Klaravich Stables, Inc.	Brown	Ortiz, Jr.	123
6	Prevalence	Medaglia d'Oro	Godolphin, LLC	Walsh	Gaffalione	123
7	Mind Control	Stay Thirsty	Red Oak Stable and Madaket Stables, LLC	Pletcher	Velazquez	123
8	Cezanne	Curlin	Magnier, Mrs. John, Tabor, Michael B., Smith, Derrick and St. Elias Stable	Pletcher	Prat	123

Breeders: 1-Robert T. Manfuso & Katharine M. Voss, 2-Willis Horton Racing LLC, 3-J & J Stables, 4-Mt. Joy Stables, Pope McLean, MarcMcLean & Pope McLean Jr., 5-Aschinger Bloodstock Holdings, LLC, 6-Godolphin, 7-Red Oak Stable, 8-Hill 'n' Dale Equine Holdings, Inc. & St. Elias Stables, LLC

Saturday, Churchill Downs #5, post time: 12:36 p.m. EDT**LONGINES CHURCHILL DISTAFF TURF MILE S.-GII, \$500,000, 4yo/up, f/m, 1mT**

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	She Can't Sing	Bernardini	Lothenbach Stables, Inc.	Block	Franco	118
2	Flower Point 🌿	Point of Entry	Steve Feiger	McGaughey III	Rosario	118
3	Mona Stella 🌿	Will Take Charge	Reeves Thoroughbred Racing, Biancone, Andie and Biancone, Patrick L.	Biancone	Geroux	118
4	Abscond 🌿	Blame	Apogee Racing	Kenneally	Gaffalione	118
5	Wakanaka (Ire)	Power (GB)	Team Valor International and Barber, Gary	Mott	Ortiz	118
6	Lady Speightspeare	Speightstown	Charles E. Fipke	Attfield	Saez	118
7	In Italian (GB)	Dubawi (Ire)	Peter M. Brant	Brown	Ortiz, Jr.	118
8	Speak of the Devil (Fr)	Wootton Bassett (GB)	Peter M. Brant	Brown	Prat	118

Breeders: 1-Lothenbach Stables Inc, 2-Steve Feiger, 3-Bridlewood Farm, 4-Michael Niall, 5-Mrs Jean Brennan, 6-Charles Fipke, 7-Fairway Thoroughbreds, 8-Herve Viallon



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Saturday, Churchill Downs #7, post time: 1:56 p.m. EDT

PAT DAY MILE S. PRESENTED BY LG&E AND KU-GII, \$500,000, 3yo, 1m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Major General 🐎	Constitution	WinStar Farm LLC and Siena Farm LLC	Pletcher	Ortiz, Jr.	118
2	Trademark 🐎	Upstart	BBN Racing, LLC	Oliver	Bejarano	118
3	Pappacap	Gun Runner	Rustlewood Farm, Inc.	Casse	Prat	118
4	Ben Diesel	Will Take Charge	Willis Horton Racing LLC	Stewart	Court	118
5	Jack Christopher	Munnings	Bakke, Jim and Isbister, Gerald	Brown	Ortiz	122
6	Tejano Twist	Practical Joke	Tom R. Durant	Calhoun	Rocco, Jr.	118
7	Howling Time 🐎	Not This Time	Albaugh Family Stables LLC	Romans	Talamo	118
8	Kavod 🐎	Lea	Black Hawk Stable and Mach 1 Racing	Hartman	Murrill	118
9	Trafalgar	Lord Nelson	Columbine Stable LLC.	Stall, Jr.	Hernandez	118
10	Doppelganger	Into Mischief	SF Racing LLC, Starlight Racing, Madaket Stables, Masterson, Robert E., Schoenfarber, Jay A., Waves Edge Capital LLC, Donovan, Catherine M., Golconda Stable, Siena Farm LLC	Yakteen	Velazquez	118
11	My Prankster	Into Mischief	Low, Lawana L. and Robert E.	Pletcher	Saez	120
12	O Captain 🐎	Carpe Diem	OGMA Investments, Iavarone, Michael, Iavarone, Jules, Marquee Bloodstock & Towell, Jr., Jack Hardin	Delgado	Gaffalione	118

Breeders: 1-Circular Road Breeders, 2-Brereton C. Jones, 3-Rustlewood Farm, Inc., 4-Willis Horton Racing LLC, 5-Castleton Lyons & Kilboy Estate, 6-Tom Durant, 7-Springhouse Farm, 8-Steve J. Grant, 9-Machmer Hall, 10-WinStar Farm, LLC, 11-Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC, 12-WinStar Farm, LLC

Saturday, Churchill Downs #9, post time: 3:40 p.m. EDT

AMERICAN TURF S. PRESENTED BY BMW-GII, \$500,000, 3yo, 1 1/16mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Smokin' T 🐎	War Front	DATTT Stable	McGaughey III	Velazquez	118
2	Main Event 🐎	Bernardini	Harrell Ventures, LLC	Weaver	Ortiz	118
3	Red Run	Gun Runner	Winchell Thoroughbreds LLC	Asmussen	Hernandez, Jr.	118
4	Red Danger 🐎	Orb	Silverton Hill LLC	Lynch	Saez	118
5	Balnikhov (Ire)	Adaay (Ire)	Little Red Feather Racing, Madaket Stables LLC and Old Bones Racing Stable, LLC	D'Amato	Franco	118
6	Portfolio Company	Kitten's Joy	Klaravich Stables, Inc.	Brown	Rosario	118
7	Sy Dog	Slumber (GB)	Head of Plains Partners LLC	Motion	Ortiz, Jr.	120
8	Royal Spirit	Into Mischief	Repole Stable and St. Elias Stable	Pletcher	Gaffalione	118
9	Stolen Base 🐎	Bodemeister	Three Diamonds Farm and Greathouse, Deuce	Maker	Prat	118
10	Coinage 🐎	Tapit	D. J. Stable, Broman, Sr., Chester and Broman, Mary	Casse	Geroux	120
11	Dowagiach Chief 🐎	Cairo Prince	Michael McLoughlin	Amoss	Graham	118

Breeders: 1-Datt Farm LLC, 2-Godolphin, Eric Buckley & Elizabeth Buckley, 3-Winchell Thoroughbreds LLC, 4-DATTT Farm LLC, 5-T. de La Heronniere & Gestut Zur Kuste AG, 6-Kenneth L. Ramsey & Sarah K. Ramsey, 7-Head of Plains Partners & MadaketStables, 8-Claiborne Farm, 9-Peter E. Blum Thoroughbreds, LLC, 10-Chester Broman & Mary R. Broman, 11-Ben Henley, Rebekah Henley, Howard Gray, Cassandra Gray & Jim Gray



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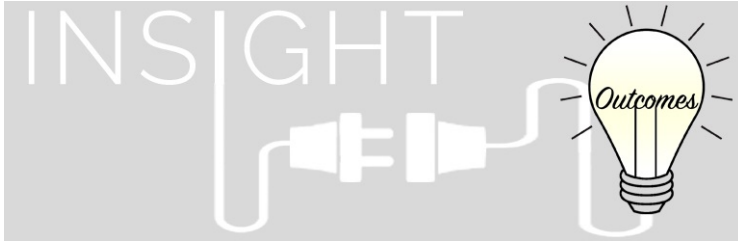
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Rank	Stallion	BTW	BTH	GSW	GSH	G1SW	G1SH	Starters	Wnrs	Highest Earner	Earnings
1	American Pharoah (2012) by Pioneer of the Nile FYR: 2017	24	44	12	25	4	11	333	203	3,001,697	24,814,161
										Cafe Pharoah	
2	Constitution (2011) by Tapit FYR: 2017	21	51	12	28	2	8	249	176	2,735,300	22,454,229
										Tiz the Law	
3	Liam's Map (2011) by Unbridled's Song FYR: 2017	13	25	7	12	4	6	224	135	1,810,565	15,133,477
										Colonel Liam	
4	Tapiture (2011) by Tapit FYR: 2017	11	36	1	7	--	1	307	207	1,340,340	15,537,328
										Jesus' Team	
5	Honor Code (2011) by A.P. Indy FYR: 2017	10	22	5	10	3	3	232	119	1,312,500	11,310,088
										Max Player	
6	Khozan (2012) by Distorted Humor FYR: 2017	9	21	1	4	--	--	146	102	446,400	9,742,560
										Princess Secret	
7	Competitive Edge (2012) by Super Saver FYR: 2017	9	16	3	6	--	1	143	98	656,360	9,103,605
										Edgeway	
8	Tonalist (2011) by Tapit FYR: 2017	8	24	2	12	1	2	201	130	10,837,320	21,878,618
										Country Grammer	
9	Daredevil (2012) by More Than Ready FYR: 2017	8	13	2	4	2	3	182	92	2,366,458	10,124,148
										Shedaresthedevil	
10	Summer Front (2009) by War Front FYR: 2017	8	18	3	8	--	1	200	116	408,406	8,742,069
										Ete Indien	
11	Karakontie (Jpn) (2011) by Bernstein FYR: 2017	8	15	5	8	--	1	109	72	970,860	6,415,693
										Princess Grace	
12	Lea (2009) by First Samurai FYR: 2017	8	10	2	3	--	--	136	84	380,500	5,639,373
										Kavod	
13	Palace Malice (2010) by Curlin FYR: 2017	7	14	4	6	1	1	181	113	710,880	8,647,222
										Structor	
14	Mr Speaker (2011) by Pulpit FYR: 2017	7	15	1	3	1	1	95	54	497,090	5,053,777
										Speech	
15	Fast Anna (2011) by Medaglia d'Oro FYR: 2017	6	11	--	1	--	--	123	76	358,060	5,813,751
										Wudda U Think Now	

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INSIGHT OUTCOMES: LOVE REIGNS SUPREME

by Jill Williams

With juvenile racing heating up, three of our featured horses this past week won, all on debut. In addition, Coolmore Ireland's **U S Navy Flag** became the first freshman sire of the season to record a **'TDN Rising Star'** on American soil, although fellow freshman *Kessaar (Ire)* got one a fortnight previously at Newmarket.

TUESDAY'S INSIGHTS: Well-Related Goldencents Firster Right To the Races

3rd-Parx Racing, \$47,208, Msw, 4-26, 2yo, 2f, :23.27, ft, 1 length.

FERRARI KID (c, 2, Goldencents--Catch the Flag, by A.P. Indy) won this baby sprint at first asking, but that might not be the biggest update to his pedigree in the next week as his half-sister produced **'TDN Rising Star'** *Messier (Empire Maker)*, who is set to break from post six in Saturday's GI Kentucky Derby. Ferrari Kid was a \$100,000 buy at OBS March by Richard Malouf after working in :21 1/5. Trained by Scott Lake for this Quarter Horse-like debut, the bay shot to the lead to win by a driving length under a vigorous ride. His unraced dam is out of Canadian champion *Catch the Ring (Seeking the Gold)*. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**



Love Reigns was named a 'TDN Rising Star' on debut | Coady

FRIDAY'S INSIGHTS: U S Navy Flag Filly Debuts for Ward & Stonestreet Stables

2nd-Keeneland, \$51,276, Msw, 4-29, 2yo, f, 5 1/2ft, 1:02.33, fm, 9 3/4 lengths.

Debuts don't come much more impressively than the unveiling of **LOVE REIGNS (IRE)** (f, 2, **U S Navy Flag**--*Humble And Proud {Ire}*, by *Pivotal {GB}*), who motored to the front and dared the others to catch her. With an efficient stride that hinted at the ability to do much more if asked, the bay--the third winner for her MG1SW freshman sire (by *War Front*)--was a no-brainer **'TDN Rising Star'** after posting a 9 3/4-length victory. A half to 2018 GI Sword Dancer S. winner *Glorious Empire (Ire)* (**Holy Roman Emperor {Ire}**), the winner was a €160,000 Goffs Orby purchase for Stonestreet. Love Reigns topped an Irish-bred, Wesley Ward-trained exacta, as his *Rivka (Ire)* (**No Nay Never**) was the runner-up. In third was **Delight (Mendelssohn)**, who closed from last to overcome a rough and intimidating trip for the show. The Jonathan Thomas pupil was a \$400,000 OBS March purchase by Augustin Stable after a :10 1/5 work. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

5th-Keeneland, \$100,000, Msw, 4-29, 3yo, 6 1/2f, 1:17.93, ft, 1 1/2 lengths.

DOMINICAN PIONEER (c, 3, *Pioneer of the Nile--Heatherdoesntbluff, by Old Trieste*) donned cap and gown to become the third consecutive 'Insighted' horse to win. Always part of the early fray, the dark bay took command at the sixteenth pole and pulled clear late to win with authority. The R T Racing Stable colorbearer helped push trainer Wesley Ward to his sixth Keeneland Spring Meet title. The winner, a \$325,000 Keeneland September purchase, is a half to GISW *Killer Graces (Congaree)* and to MGSW *Chocolate Ride (Candy Ride {Arg})*. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

SUNDAY'S INSIGHTS: Seven-Figure Shadwell Buy Debuts

4th-Belmont, \$90,000, Msw, 5-1, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:42.51, fm, neck.

Christophe Clement's **CANISY** (f, 3, *Point of Entry--Soother, by Rahy*) played spoiler to featured **Contemporary Art** (*Dubawi {Ire}*) and **Sahlabiya** (*Medaglia d'Oro*). The trio of debuters all raced closely together in midpack, took varying paths to the front, and emerged from the fray with only each other as valid threats. In the end, it was Canisy by a neck over Contemporary Art, who had a neck on Sahlabiya. The winner campaigns for Blue Devil Racing Stable and is a half to MSW, GSP, and Saratoga course record setter *Carotari (Artie Schiller)*. **Cont. p2**

The runner-up is a Bobby Flay homebred and the first foal out of GSW and \$1.6-million Fasig-Tipton November purchase Cover Song (Fastnet Rock {Aus}). The mare is out of European champion Misty For Me (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}), making her a half to European champion **U S Navy Flag (War Front)**, sire of the above-mentioned **'TDN Rising Star'** Love Reigns, and to British MG1SW and **'TDN Rising Star'** Roly Poly (**War Front**). Trifecta bookend Sahlabiya was a \$1.6-million purchase at Keeneland September for Shadwell Stable. Half-brother and **'TDN Rising Star'** Sergei Prokofiev (Scat Daddy) brought \$1.1 million at the same sale three years earlier and is a graded winner in England. The top three all ran extremely well on debut against a more seasoned field, proved they were each up for a fight, and it wouldn't be a surprise to see any or all of them do bigger things down the line. **Click for the [Equibase.com chart](#) or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

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ISAAC MURPHY MARATHON OVERNIGHT S., \$160,000, Churchill Downs, 5-3, 4yo/up, 1 1/2m, 2:33.49, sy.
1--LONE ROCK, 123, g, 7, Majestic Warrior--Ruby Lips (GSP), by Hard Spun. (\$55,000 Ylg '16 FTKJUL). O-Flying P Stable, R. A. Hill Stable & Flying Partners; B-Town & Country Horse Farms, LLC & Pollock Farms (KY); T-Robertino Diodoro; J-Ramon A. Vazquez. \$99,200. Lifetime Record: MGSW, 40-16-5-1, \$1,341,841. *1/2 to Gerrymander (Into Mischief), SW & GISP, \$235,500.

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2--Hozier, 118, g, 4, Pioneerof the Nile--Merry Meadow, by Henny Hughes. (\$625,000 Ylg '19 FTSAUG; \$200,000 3yo '21 FTKHRA). O-Storyteller Racing; B-WinStar Farm, LLC (KY); T-Rodolphe Brisset. \$32,000.

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3--Current, 118, g, 6, Curlin--Crosswinds, by Storm Cat. (\$725,000 Ylg '17 KEESAP; \$67,000 4yo '20 KEENOV). O-Marsico Brothers Racing LLC; B-Hinkle Farms (KY); T-Brittany A. Vanden Berg. \$16,000.

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Win machine and long-distance specialist Lone Rock did what he does best Tuesday at Churchill, running away in the stretch to a dominant victory in the Isaac Murphy Marathon Overnight S. to kick off the GI Kentucky Derby week stakes action.

Famously claimed for \$40,000 from Bill Mott over this track in November of 2020, the gelding has been an ATM for his new connections, racking up eight wins and two seconds in 11 starts, including successes in the GII Brooklyn S., GII Thoroughbred Aftercare Alliance S. and this very race last spring. Bouncing back from a rare dull performance when sixth in the GIII Razorback H. Feb. 12 at Oaklawn to annex the Temperence Hill S. there Apr. 3, Lone Rock was hammered down to 30 cents on the dollar in this five-horse field and quickly made the lead from his inside draw. Dictating terms in the slop under a loose hold while kept off the rail through fractions of :25.01, :49.51 and 1:15.43, the 7-year-old faced his first challenge when Current drew to within a neck heading into the far turn. Shaking loose past the five-sixteenths pole, the chalk discarded a mild rail bid from Hozier in early stretch and coasted home as much the best. Hozier was clear of Current for second money.

"I thought I would be laying second with him, but nobody wanted to go to the front," said winning rider Ramon Vazquez, who was riding Lone Rock for the 10th consecutive time. "He was comfortable and running easily so I just took the lead and let him do this thing. He was comfortable all the way. This horse is fun to ride. He does everything so easily."

The winner's dam, a \$725,000 RNA last fall at Fasig-Tipton November, is a half-sister to the dam of MGISW Hard Not to Like (**Hard Spun**). She is responsible for a juvenile **More Than Ready** colt named Sivako and foaled a filly by **Tapit** last term before being bred to **Constitution**. **Click for the [Equibase.com chart](#) or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**



Ramon Vazquez embraces Lone Rock | Coady Photography

Wednesday, Churchill Downs, post time: 4:52 p.m. ET

WILLIAM WALKER S., \$200,000, 3yo, 5 1/2ft

PP HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	ML
1 Magnolia Midnight	Midnight Storm	J Ortiz	Stewart	15-1
2 Candy Landing	Twirling Candy	Rispoli	Walsh	12-1
3 B D Valeski	Mark Valeski	Graham	Foley	20-1
4 Asymmetric (Ire)	Showcasing (GB)	I Ortiz Jr	Ward	2-1
5 Big Invasion	Declaration of War	Rosario	Clement	9-5
6 Run Curtis Run	Summer Front	Santana Jr	Maker	10-1
7 Sooley	Broken Vow	Prat	Foley	15-1
8 Millennial Moon (GB)	Dubawi (Ire)	Gaffalione	Walsh	5-1
9 Lucci	Not This Time	Velazquez	Ward	7-2

Wednesday, Churchill Downs, post time: 4:19 p.m. ET

ST. MATTHEWS S., (R), \$160,000, 4yo/up, 6f

PP HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	ML
1 Just Might	Justin Phillip	Bejarano	Lovell	4-1
2 A C Expressway	Mineshaft	Prat	Casse	30-1
3 Bango	Congrats	Gaffalione	Foley	4-1
4 Top Gunner	Into Mischief	Gutierrez	Ortiz	6-1
5 Sir Alfred James	Munnings	J Ortiz	Cash	12-1
6 Tulane Tryst	Into Mischief	B Hernandez Jr	DeVaux	7-2
7 Baby Yoda	Prospective	Rosario	Mott	3-1
8 Tiger Dad	Smiling Tiger	Cohen	Diodoro	20-1
9 Manny Wah	Will Take Charge	Geroux	Catalano	20-1
10 Quick Tempo	Tapizar	Saez	David	8-1



IN ORDER OF PURSE:

5th-Churchill Downs, \$122,723, Alw, 5-3, (NW1X), 3yo/up, f/m, 1m (off turf), 1:38.03, sy, 5 lengths.

MILLEFEUILLE (f, 4, Curlin--Bandana, by War Front), runner-up in the GII Demoiselle S. as a juvenile and the GII Gulfstream Park Oaks at three, ran sixth with a wide trip in the GI Kentucky Oaks before heading to the sidelines for over nine months. A bit disappointing upon return with a pair of odds-on seconds in allowances Feb. 12 at Gulfstream and Apr. 9 at Keeneland, the homebred was once again smashed by the bettors down to 3-5 in this off-turf spot. Showing the way narrowly through splits of :22.70 quarter and :45.58, the bay was confidently handled by Joel Rosario approaching the lane, splashed clear into the final three-sixteenths and remained in charge from there for a five-length score over second choice High Fashion (**Union Rags**). The victress is the first foal out of an unraced half-sister to four stakes winners, including GISW First Defence (Unbridled's Song). Second dam Honest Lady (Seattle Slew) is a GISW daughter of

blue hen Juddmonte mare Toussaud (El Gran Senor), making her a half-sister to Grade I-winning sires Empire Maker (Unbridled) and Chester House (Mr. Prospector). Millefeuille has an unraced 3-year-old Arrogate half-sister named Bahama Banks and a juvenile half-sister by **Kitten's Joy** named Weaver's Cat. Bandana produced a full-sister to the winner this season. Lifetime Record: MSGP, 9-2-5-0, \$246,785. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**
O/B-Juddmonte (KY); T-William I. Mott.



FIRST-CROP STARTERS TO WATCH: WEDNESDAY, MAY 4

2022 Stud Fees Listed

Bolt d'Oro (Medaglia d'Oro), Spendthrift Farm, \$20,000
167 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners
2-Churchill Downs, 1:15 p.m. EDT, Msw 5f, Ever a Rebel, 8-5
\$70,000 KEE NOV wnl; \$130,000 KEE SEP yrl

Mo Town (Uncle Mo), Coolmore Ashford, \$7,500
102 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners
2-Churchill Downs, 1:15 p.m. EDT, Msw 5f, Mo's Treasure, 8-1

SECOND-CROP STARTERS TO WATCH: WEDNESDAY, MAY 4

2022 Stud Fees Listed

American Freedom (Pulpit), Airdrie Stud, \$6,000
191 foals of racing age/34 winners/0 black-type winners
4-Horseshoe Indianapolis, 3:55 p.m. EDT, Alw 5 1/2f, Gorman, 5-2
4-Will Rogers Downs, 3:28 p.m. EDT, Msw 1m, Liberty Spirit, 5-1

Coin Flip (Distorted Humor)
11 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners
4-Will Rogers Downs, 3:28 p.m. EDT, Msw 1m, Mahomeite, 20-1

Midnight Storm (Pioneerof the Nile), Taylor Made Farm, \$7,500
127 foals of racing age/18 winners/1 black-type winner
9-Churchill Downs, 4:52 p.m. EDT, \$200K William Walker S., 5 1/2ft, Magnolia Midnight, 15-1
\$47,000 RNA OBS OCT yrl; \$320,000 OBS APR 2yo

Ribchester (Ire) (Iffraaj {GB}), Kildangan Stud, \$12,500
218 foals of racing age/27 winners/2 black-type winners
9-Tampa Bay Downs, 4:25 p.m. EDT, Msw 5ft, Ribaldry (Ire), 5-2
60,000gns TAT OCT yrl

Union Jackson (Curlin), Sequel New York, \$2,500
 69 foals of racing age/11 winners/1 black-type winner
 4-Charles Town, 8:25 p.m. EDT, Msw 6 1/2f, I Was Run Nan, 12-1
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STAKES RESULTS:

HIGHLAND ICE S., \$51,000, Will Rogers Downs, 5-3, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:09.67, sy.
 1--**DAME PLATA, 118, g, 6, Cross Traffic--Dana's Lucky Lady (MSP, \$207,773), by Lucky Lionel.** (\$35,000 Ylg '17 MNSAUG). O-Ann Sachdev & Lori Bravo; B-Sugarland Thoroughbreds, LLC (MN); T-Francisco Bravo; J-Alberto Pusac. \$30,000. Lifetime Record: 27-11-5-4, \$372,201. *Full to Rush Hour Traffic, SW, \$242,201; 1/2 to La Glamorosa (Fire Slam), Ch. 2-year-old Filly & MSW-PR, \$179,669; He's a Lady Tamer (Lion Tamer), SP, \$173,590; and Paddy O'Lionel (Paddy O'Prado), SW, \$189,325.
 2--**Shannon C**, 124, g, 7, Latent Heat--Miranda Diane, by Fistfite. O/B-B & S Racing (OK); T-Scott E. Young. \$11,000.
 3--**Best of Greeley**, 121, g, 7, Greeley's Conquest--Golden Striker, by Langfuhr. **1ST BLACK TYPE.** O-Greg Frye; B-Millard R. Seldin Rev. Trust (KY); T-Scott E. Young. \$5,500.
 Margins: 1, HF, 4 3/4. Odds: 2.70, 1.00, 2.20.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

8th-Churchill Downs, \$127,678, (NW2\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$62,500), 5-3, 3yo/up, 5 1/2f (off turf), 1:04.16, sy, 2 1/4 lengths.
NIGHT TIME (h, 5, Majesticperfection--Silent Joy, by Kitten's Joy) Lifetime Record: 12-3-4-1, \$274,768. O-Blue Devil Racing Stable (Holliday); B-Brereton C. Jones (KY); T-Dale L. Romans. *\$210,000 Ylg '18 KEESEP.

10th-Parx Racing, \$61,380, (NW1X)/Opt. Clm (\$50,000), 5-3, 3yo, f, 6f, 1:11.36, ft, 3 1/4 lengths.

YOU LOOK COLD (f, 3, Frosted--Lucky Draw, by Lookin At Lucky) Lifetime Record: SW, 6-3-0-0, \$142,650. O-Kinsman Stable & Bruce McCrea; B-Blackstone Farm LLC (PA); T-Robert R. O'Connor, II. *\$70,000 RNA Ylg '20 KEEJAN; \$37,000 RNA 2yo '21 OBSAPR.



2nd-Horseshoe Indianapolis, \$47,120, (NW2\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$40,000), 5-3, 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:04.88, sy, 5 3/4 lengths.

CHANDANA (f, 4, Flat Out--Beaugeste, by Military) Lifetime Record: 13-5-4-2, \$167,543. O/B-Judy Dorris & Ken Sentel (IN); T-Robert E. Dobbs, Jr.

7th-Thistledown, \$41,500, (S), 5-3, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:39.66, gd, 1 length.

MORESTRIDE (c, 4, Midshipman--Smart Stride, by Smart Strike) Lifetime Record: MSP, 14-7-3-1, \$235,660. O/T-Michael L. Rone; B-Save M. DeMaiolo (OH).

4th-Horseshoe Indianapolis, \$40,000, (S), 5-3, (NW3LX), 3yo/up, f/m, 5f, :59.22, my, 1 length.

SMOOTH JUSTICE (f, 4, Upstart--Radiant Justice, by Glitterman) Lifetime Record: 7-3-1-1, \$80,600. O-Spiess Stable LLC & Randy Klopp; B-Justice Farm, Greg Justice (IN); T-Randy L. Klopp. *\$12,000 Ylg '19 FTKOCT.

5th-Horseshoe Indianapolis, \$36,000, 5-3, (NW2L), 3yo/up, 5 1/2f, 1:05.25, gd, 3/4 length.

TORONTOTORO (h, 5, American Pharoah--Banga Ridge {SW, \$159,207}, by Snow Ridge) Lifetime Record: 10-2-0-0, \$77,463. O-Saintsbury Farms Inc.; B-Christine Hayden (ON); T-Paul McEntee. *1/2 to Unspurred (Lemon Drop Kid), GSW, \$492,057.

9th-Parx Racing, \$35,000, (S), 5-3, (NW1BX), 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:40.03, ft, 11 1/2 lengths.

AEGEAN SEA (f, 4, Strong Mandate--Santorini Moon, by Malibu Moon) Lifetime Record: SP, 22-4-5-4, \$158,194. O-Class Personified Stable; B-Marshall Gramm & Clay Sanders (PA); T-Howard R. Brown, Jr.

1st-Turf Paradise, \$32,410, 5-3, 3yo, 6 1/2f, 1:15.10, ft, head.

PEPPER SPRAY (g, 3, Tale of Ekati--A P Pepper, by A. P. Warrior) Lifetime Record: SW & GSP, 6-4-0-1, \$183,050. O/B-Roys Mansur (KY); T-Edward J. Kereluk.

3rd-Will Rogers Downs, \$30,250, 5-3, 3yo, 1m, 1:38.41, sy, 2 lengths.

BRODY'S STREAK (g, 3, Brody's Cause--Part of the Charm, by Tapit) Lifetime Record: 8-3-3-0, \$60,971. O-Larry S. Henry; B-Spendthrift Farm, LLC (KY); T-Alex T. Hartman. *\$20,000 Ylg '20 KEESEP.



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6th-Thistledown, \$29,700, 5-3, (NW2X), 3yo/up, 1m 70y, 1:43.69, gd, 3 lengths.

SURF AND TURF (g, 6, Kitten's Joy--First in Time, by Broken Vow) Lifetime Record: 30-6-5-4, \$159,444. O-Carly S. Hamel; B-Kenneth L. & Sarah K. Ramsey (KY); T-Odin J. Londono, Jr. \$35,000 RNA Ylg '17 KEESEP; \$225,000 2yo '18 OBSAPR; \$25,000 RNA 4yo '20 KEEHRA.

5th-Belterra, \$28,500, (S), 5-3, (NW16MX), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10.95, my, 5 1/2 lengths.

BRIG (g, 4, Midshipman--Visual Arrest, by Pollard's Vision) Lifetime Record: 12-5-2-2, \$162,120. O/B-Mast Thoroughbreds LLC (OH); T-Robert M. Gorham.

4th-Will Rogers Downs, \$26,400, (S), 5-3, (C), 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:38.64, sy, 1 length.

PLENTY OF VISION (f, 3, Pollard's Vision--Plenty {GSP, \$189,625}, by Boundary) Lifetime Record: 7-3-3-0, \$71,689. O-Michael Schmidt; B-Center Hills Farm (OK); T-Scott E. Young. *1/2 to Congo (Johannesburg), MSP, \$178,691.

5th-Turf Paradise, \$24,220, (C)/Opt. Clm (\$15,000-\$20,000), 5-2, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:09.16, ft, 1 3/4 lengths.

OPTIMAS (m, 5, Girolamo--Meteor Miracle {SW, \$182,989}, by Twining) Lifetime Record: 11-2-3-1, \$61,873. O-Windy Ridge Stables; B-Wertheimer et Frere (KY); T-Sam J. Scolamieri. *1/2 to Meteore (Pulpit), GSW, \$292,576; and Milk Man (Kitten's Joy), SP-Fr, \$248,862.

7th-Turf Paradise, \$24,220, (C)/Opt. Clm (\$15,000-\$20,000), 5-2, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:09.60, ft, nose.

MR. STANG (g, 4, Atta Boy Roy--Special Holiday {SW, \$135,625}, by Private Gold) Lifetime Record: 6-2-3-0, \$58,318. O-Frank Lucarelli & Roy Schaefer; B-Melvin & Lori Mellick (CA); T-Frank Lucarelli. *\$7,500 Ylg '19 WASSEP.

8th-Turf Paradise, \$24,220, (C)/Opt. Clm (\$15,000-\$20,000), 5-2, 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:36.60, fm, 1 3/4 lengths.

PLUMA (f, 4, Awesome Patriot--And One for Me, by Dayjur) Lifetime Record: 11-2-1-3, \$42,213. O/B-Coal Creek Farm (KY); T-Vann Belvoir.

6th-Fanduel Sportsbook And Horse Racing, \$23,000, (S), 5-3, (NW1X), 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:06.67, my, 3 3/4 lengths.

LINDALOUIMAGE (f, 4, I Want Revenge--Frostina, by Alaskan Frost) Lifetime Record: 10-3-1-1, \$40,556. O-Shellye Essenpreis; B-Garret A. Sudbring (IL); T-Eddie M. Essenpreis.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Ghaaleb's City, f, 3, **Ghaaleb**--St. Louis City (SW, \$233,171), by City Place. Fanduel Sportsbook And Horse Racing, 5-3, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:08.20. Lifetime Record: 3-1-2-0, \$25,540. B-William P. Stiritz (IL).

Sinnin N Grinnin, f, 3, **Kantharos**--Sue's Sweet Sioux, by Indian Charlie. Will Rogers Downs, 5-3, 5 1/2f, 1:04.51. Lifetime Record: 3-1-2-0, \$27,605. B-CresRan LLC (OK).

Curbstone, c, 3, **Street Sense**--Archstone (SP, \$105,312), by Arch. Churchill Downs, 5-3, 1 1/4m, 2:06.58. Lifetime Record: 6-1-2-0, \$108,040. B-Patricia L. Moseley (KY). *\$120,000 RNA Ylg '20 KEESEP. *1/2 to Proctor's Ledge (**Ghostzapper**), MGSW & GISP, \$768,168; and Mission Driven (Awesome Again), SP, \$286,682.

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Awesome Patriot, Pluma, f, 4, o/o And One for Me, by Dayjur. AOC, 5-2, Turf Paradise

Brody's Cause, Brody's Streak, g, 3, o/o Part of the Charm, by Tapit. ALW, 5-3, Will Rogers

Cross Traffic, Dame Plata, g, 6, o/o Dana's Lucky Lady, by Lucky Lionel. Highland Ice S., 5-3, Will Rogers

Curlin, Millefeuille, f, 4, o/o Bandana, by War Front. ALW, 5-3, Churchill Downs

Flat Out, Chandana, f, 4, o/o Beaugeste, by Military. AOC, 5-3, Horseshoe Indianapolis

Frosted, You Look Cold, f, 3, o/o Lucky Draw, by Lookin At Lucky. AOC, 5-3, Parx Racing



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Kantharos, Sinnin N Grinnin, f, 3, o/o Sue's Sweet Sioux, by Indian Charlie. MSW, 5-3, Will Rogers

Kitten's Joy, Surf and Turf, g, 6, o/o First in Time, by Broken Vow. ALW, 5-3, Thistledown

Majestic Warrior, Lone Rock, g, 7, o/o Ruby Lips, by **Hard Spun**. Isaac Murphy Marathon Overnight S., 5-3, Churchill Downs

Majesticperfection, Night Time, h, 5, o/o Silent Joy, by **Kitten's Joy**. AOC, 5-3, Churchill Downs

Midshipman, Brig, g, 4, o/o Visual Arrest, by Pollard's Vision. ALW, 5-3, Belterra

Midshipman, Morestride, c, 4, o/o Smart Stride, by Smart Strike. ALW, 5-3, Thistledown

Pollard's Vision, Plenty of Vision, f, 3, o/o Plenty, by Boundary. ALW, 5-3, Will Rogers

Street Sense, Curbstone, c, 3, o/o Archstone, by Arch. MSW, 5-3, Churchill Downs

Strong Mandate, Aegean Sea, f, 4, o/o Santorini Moon, by Malibu Moon. ALW, 5-3, Parx Racing

Tale of Ekati, Pepper Spray, g, 3, o/o A P Pepper, by A. P. Warrior. ALW, 5-3, Turf Paradise

Upstart, Smooth Justice, f, 4, o/o Radiant Justice, by Glitterman. ALW, 5-3, Horseshoe Indianapolis

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Perfect Power: on course for Royal Ascot | Megan Ridgwell

Richard Fahey has revealed that **Perfect Power (Ire)** (Ardad {Ire}) will be aimed at the G1 Commonwealth Cup at Royal Ascot with the trainer of the opinion that the colt failed to stay the G1 Qipco Guineas trip at Newmarket Saturday. Perfect Power, who won the G3 Greenham S. over seven furlongs at Newbury on his seasonal bow, failed to cope with the extra furlong in the Guineas when seventh behind Coroebus (Ire) (Dubawi {Ire}).

However, Fahey said he believed a return to six furlongs, a distance at which he won two Group 1 races--the Prix Morny at Deauville and the Middle Park at Newmarket--as a juvenile over will reap rewards. "It looked that way [didn't stay the Guineas trip], so we'll regroup," Fahey said. "He travelled well through the race but, just when they picked up, he didn't go with them.

"We had to have a go. It's one of those where you regret it when they run that way, but we can't change it and there's still plenty to look forward to hopefully. He's come out of the race grand, no issues."

Speaking about future targets, Fahey identified the Commonwealth Cup as the main aim, and added: "We've got to look at that. He's showing plenty of speed, so we'll see. If he goes for that he'll go straight to Royal Ascot.

"There's plenty of races for us, races like the Prix Maurice de Gheest. As we get further on into the year there's plenty of Group 1s to be had."

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ZELZAL FILLY TOPS OSARUS BREEZE-UP

A small but select approach to the Osarus Breeze-Up Sale paid dividends for Philip Prevost-Baratte after his **Zelzal (Fr)** filly (lot 71) was knocked down for a sale-topping €60,000. The French-based consignor was also responsible for the second-highest lot to go under the hammer on Tuesday, a **Starspangled-banner (Aus)** colt (lot 8), who fetched €58,000. However, despite securing a healthy profit and heading the sale with two of his three offerings, Prevost-Baratte revealed that he was disappointed that the **Zelzal** filly didn't command a juicier price tag. He explained, "It was a bit disappointing for Emmanuel Viaud [director of Osarus] because we trust him and send him better horses every year. That's why I was a little bit disappointed, because he deserves to get better horses at this sale." Prevost-Baratte added, "We see some more Irish guys coming over here, which is great, because this is a really nice sale in a lovely place and the track was fantastic--none of the horses came back lame or stiff after the breeze--so, for that reason, I'd like to see this sale do better." [Cont. p2](#)

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Perfect Power to Royal Ascot cont. from p1

Also on Saturday, stablemate **Umm Kulthum (Ire)** (Kodiac {Ire}) made a successful return from 11 months off the track in the Listed Kilvington S. A tilt at the G1 Platinum Jubilee S. at the Royal meeting could be next.

Fahey said: "I was delighted with her. She's the sort of filly that would prefer it if they went flat out in front as she's always coming home, which is always a huge bonus.

"She finishes her races well and seems to go on any ground, so we'll see how she is. The Duke of York might just come a bit quick, but I'd definitely be thinking about Ascot if conditions turned up on the easy side. The Jubilee might be a race she could run well in."

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Osarus Sale cont. from p1

Prevost-Baratte admitted that he expected the **Zelzal** filly, a €29,000 pinhook for a syndicate of friends at Arqana last October, to fetch a higher price but described himself as happy to have topped the sale. The session-topper is out of Falcolina (Ire) (Falco), who won seven times, while the **Starspangledbanner** colt is out of an unraced daughter of Tamayuz (GB), named Lady Tamayuz (Ire).



Lot 71, a filly by Zelzal tops Osarus Breeze-Up | Scoop-Dyga

"We liked the **Zelzal** filly very much," he said. "We picked her up at Arqana along with some friends and decided to bring her to Osarus to support Emmanuel and, while we were expecting her to make €80,000 or more, we were happy with the result."

On the **Starspangledbanner** colt, Prevost-Baratte explained that the €56,000 price tag was a triumph for patience.

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He explained, "The **Starspangledbanner** was bred by David Salabi of Thenney Stud and he wanted to sell him [as a yearling] but he was a funny colour and he wasn't that commercial. He is almost blonde, a very light chestnut, but he did such a nice breeze and looked like such an amazing horse galloping by, that made the difference. Many people were excited by him."

Prevost-Baratte added, "We have done well. I know what horses to bring to this sale and that is quite important. We had a good result but I just feel the result could have been even better."

A total of 67 lots went under the hammer at the Osarus La Teste Breeze-Up Sale, of which 46 were sold at an average of €16,705, down from €19,742 in 2021.

The percentage of horses sold was also down marginally year-on-year, from 70% in 2021 to 69% this year, while the total spend was just €685,500 compared to €798,500 last year.

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SAME FIGHT, NEW ARENA



Charlie Appleby | Bronwen Healy

In the year of Appleby vs O'Brien, Chester's Roodeye is an apt setting for the latest gladiatorial encounter between racing's two superpowers with the G3 Boodles Chester Vase seeing another stand-off between Moulton Paddocks and Rosegreen. While the extended 12-furlong Derby trial is small potatoes in comparison with the epic clashes in the Classics and Royal Ascot, how Godolphin's exciting **New London (Ire)** (Dubawi {Ire}) deals with **Changingoftheguard (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}) will either continue or change the current conversation. The former, who hails from the family of Masked Marvel (GB) (Montjeu {Ire}) and Waldgeist (GB) (Galileo {Ire}), is priced in single figures for the Blue Riband at present and despite the obvious promise of his smooth win in a 10-furlong Newmarket novice Apr. 13, he will need to put on a show here to justify that kind of confidence.

Changingoftheguard, who sports the increasingly-familiar Westerberg silks, will probably have to do more than his six-length maiden win at Dundalk at the start of last month but he has the perfect profile for the race that his trainer has won a record nine times including six times with a son of Galileo.

A Cut Above?

Joseph O'Brien's horses are striking form at present and the preceding Listed Weatherbys Bloodstock Pro Cheshire Oaks sees the stable's **Above the Curve** (**American Pharoah**) bid to justify favouritism and book a ticket to Epsom. Her 2 1/2-length defeat of Ballydoyle's re-opposing **Thoughts of June (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}) in a 10-furlong Leopardstown maiden Apr. 6 earned her a place in the pantheon of **TDN Rising Stars** and the relative of Giant's Causeway and **Gleneagles (Ire)** and co has now to prove worthy. She takes on the likes of Sheikh Nasser bin Hamad Al Khalifa's Apr. 6 Lingfield novice scorer **Night Battle (Ire)** (**Kingman {GB}**) and a clutch of other aspiring Epsom candidates in the first of several debutante's balls leading to the first Friday in June.

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A DIFFERENT PERSPECTIVE *By Tania Kindersley*

For weeks before the Guineas meeting there will have been talk about the ante-post favourites, the big stables, the rich and famous owners. There will have been acres of press about the betting markets and the numbers and every single journalist will have tried to squeeze some clue out of the trainers, who don't want to give any clues. In some strange way, the horse can get lost in all this. I mean the horse in general--not a single Classic contender, but all the horses, the roughly 2,500 Thoroughbreds who live in Newmarket. Racing is unique among elite sports because of the horse. The horse brings something extra to the party--a mystery, because anything that lives across the species barrier will always retain a haunting mystery; a pure aesthetic, because the Thoroughbred will make even a Vogue supermodel look ordinary; and an element of relationship and connection, because the women and men who can get into the horses' minds will always get the most out of them. What I mean is that it's a whole lot more than an extremely rich person buys the most fabulous breeding on the

planet and sends the resulting colt or filly to a famous trainer in a storied yard and everyone starts counting their money. I'm being reductive, but I'm doing that on purpose, because sometimes it seems to me that this is the story that gets told the most. That's the nature of news; that's how headlines work. But still. It leaves something out. Of course there have always been dominant yards and great sires and owners with vast chequebooks. I've just been round the National Horseracing Museum, and there they all are, the titans, with their hats and their frock coats and their deferential servants. There are the earls and baronets, the Duke of Portland and Lord Rosebery, the only sitting prime minister who bred and owned a Derby winner. There is the skeleton of Hyperion, an astonishing sight and, in the empty rooms of Palace House, the Stubbs pictures of the fine thoroughbreds of the eighteenth century. He put the horse at centre stage. There is no fabled owner or breeder; there is just the horse with a lad. That's the focus and locus of beauty, so alive that it holds the gaze and the imagination. That's how it all started, and that's how it is still, for me. I drove the 500 miles from Scotland because I wanted to see the horses. I grew up in a National Hunt yard and Thoroughbreds were my first memories and my first love. There's no racing in Aberdeenshire and I can only watch the beauties on the television. To come south for these first Classics of the season was a treat not because of the betting markets or the form or even the headline acts. I wanted to see them all--the fillies and colts close-up in the pre-parade ring, the strings of unknowns up on the Heath, perhaps a glimpse of an old favourite out at exercise.

I am staying with friends who have a small stable in the middle of the town. I wake up to the sound of gentle, clapping hooves as the horses come out for first lot. It's a relaxed place and the horses are happy and friendly. (They all want to come and say hello, a terrific sign in my book. They think humans are A Good Thing.) This is keen pleasure for me, even though these are not

in the Classic grade and will not live large in the imagination of the wider public. But they have the beauty and grace and intelligence that Thoroughbreds carry; they have the history running in their veins; they can trace their ancestry back to the moment when Captain Byerley brought his brave horse home from the wars.



Newmarket's Warren Hill | Emma Berry

That's another part of the beauty, for me: the history. Someone said, at the races, that nobody knows who Fred Archer is any more. Can this really be true? I have just stared at the revolver with which he killed himself, which is baldly displayed in the museum. It is a shining silver object, with no hint of the misery it rubbed out, and I have spent dreamy hours at the yard he built. There are moments, as I stand on Warren Hill and look at the horses silhouetted against the sky, when I can imagine Stubbs himself painting that scene, or conjure a vision of Charles II camped in the town with his entire entourage. (Pepys wrote on Apr. 26, 1669, 'The King and Court went out of town to Newmarket this morning betimes, for a week.' This happened quite a lot, to the disgust of those courtiers who had no interest in ephemeral sporting pursuits.)

There's a trainer I know who can talk of horses from 100 years ago as if they had run yesterday, and the more recent history is not entirely lost to me either. I drive out of town, past the sweeping Suffolk hedges and the immaculately-railed studs, where every spring a new crop of dreams are born, to see a dear friend who has worked in racing since he was hardly more than a boy. He tells me of going round evening stables with Sir Henry Cecil, and how Henry would say, as if on a whim, "Let's go and see this one," and then he'd get to the box and run his hands over a smooth back and stand back and simply stare.

"I didn't say anything," my friend told me. "He needed to look and look and look at his horse. So we'd stand in silence until he'd had enough, and then he'd say there was another one he'd want to look at, and we'd be off again."

I love the picture of Sir Henry gazing and gazing at his horses. I think, fancifully, that perhaps he looked with the same intensity that I do: seeing the beauty, seeing the history, seeing the promise.

At the races, there is the fascinating blend of ancient and modern. There are the young people in their sharp suits and summer dresses, shouting on the rails, and the old school, the men still wearing Trilbies despite it being May, the women in sensible shoes so they can get about to see the runners. I hear one retired horseman say, "I don't put myself about much these days." He watches over proceedings like an elder statesman, as

if to see that all is well.

There is a murmur about the place, as the Flat rouses itself back to life after the long winter. (And there was a metaphorical winter too, during lockdown, when meetings went on behind closed doors and horses raced past empty, ghostly stands.) What surprises me, after so long away from a racecourse, is how fine and delicate these horses are in life. The camera blunts them and flattens them and somehow enlarges them, all at the same time. You can't feel the energy that flows off them when you are watching on a screen. In real life, the intense

individuality of each one is striking. There are the young ones who are poised and sanguine, already professionals; the ones for whom it is all a bit too much, who need reassurance; the ones who look slightly startled but willing to take it on trust that they will be all right.

The other thing that surprises me is how whole-heartedly the crowd cheers them home. Even on Friday and Sunday, when the stands are not rammed, the noise rises in a crescendo of excitement, of released tension, joy, perhaps

even hope. Some will be shouting because they've won a hundred quid; some because they love a good finish or a certain jockey; some because they are infected by the sound of the drumming hooves and the rising voice of the commentator and their fellow racegoers. I mostly don't have a dog in the hunt, so I shout for the grace and the guts and the refusal to give up. (I like those qualities in humans; I love them in horses.)

As always, some of the beauties surprise and some disappoint. The one that perhaps gives me most pleasure is Cachet, the filly who goes to the front in the 1000 Guineas and stays there and stays there and just holds on, from fast-finishing rivals. She's a delicate thing, very charming, clearly with a core of steel. My brilliant friend, who is a breeding expert and knows the bloodlines upside down and inside out, sees her through the lens of great sires and brilliant broodmares. The people who understand the ratings and the betting regard her with slight surprise, because she was 16-1 and had a bit to find on the book. (She found it.) I see her as my favourite kind of character--an unassuming person who creates no drama and no fuss and goes out and does a difficult thing whilst making it look straightforward.



The late Sir Henry Cecil on his hack at Warren Hill | Emma Berry



The Godolphin string on the Limekilns in Newmarket
Emma Berry

Afterwards, the winner's enclosure was rammed. Cachet belongs to a syndicate, and she appears to have many, many owners. Some of them were literally jumping for joy. All of them wanted to pat her and have her photograph taken with her. She's still young and she'd just run the hardest race of her life and she was in the throes of an adrenaline spike and she could have told these legions of strangers to sod off. (She has no idea that they pay for her feed and her hay and the people who look after her every day.) But she didn't. She politely allowed the hullabaloo to go on around her until all her owners had their moment of a lifetime. Even the most beady commentators looked a little misty at the outpouring of joy. It wasn't the billionaires and the plutocrats--and I'm not being disdainful of them because they put a lot into racing and they deserve their delight like everybody else; it's more that it's nice to see non-famous people getting their moment in the sun. It was a bunch of exceptionally happy men and women, everyday types to whom the ordinary viewer could relate. "Good for racing," said the beady commentators, judiciously. Good for humanity, I thought, moved. The next morning, Racecourse Side was almost deserted. The caravan had packed up for another year. There is a ravishing woodland walk there, a path under the green trees packed with woodchippings so the horses can comfortably do their slower work, walking and trotting to keep their muscles loose and easy. Across on Warren Hill, streaming lines of Thoroughbreds were flying up the gallops and trainers were out on their trusty hacks, but here there was a quiet woodland wonderland giving onto broad acres of smooth turf, under a wide, wide sky. Suddenly, out of the quiet, a string of horses appeared. I realised this was Cachet's crew. 'Good morning, good morning!' we merrily called at each other. The friend who had taken me on this lovely route knows everyone, so her good

mornings were familiar. Mine were the exclamations of a happy stranger--almost a thank you to the riders for coming out on those ravishing horses so I could get a last hit of beauty before I drive north. They were still smiling with victory and we congratulated them and the smiles grew wider. That's it, I thought, right there: the horse factor and the human factor, the love and the joy and the beauty. Later, after going to the museum, I stopped in a small restaurant for something to eat. (I was famished after all that fascination.) It was a regular place, nothing fancy, so I was startled to see Cachet's trainer a few tables along. There were about 10 people in the whole place and he was one of them. There was a lot of laughter. And then a sentence floated across the empty room. 'She's an absolute legend.' I smiled all the way home.

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EUROPEAN NEWS

REACH FOR THE MOON TO MISS DERBY

John and Thady Gosden have been dealt a hammer blow over the fact that the Queen's **Reach For The Moon (GB)** (*Sea The Stars {Ire}*) will miss the G1 Cazoo Derby at Epsom June 4.

Winner of the Solario S. as a 2-year-old, Reach For The Moon (GB) had been a general 7-1 chance for Derby glory, and the news of his absence at Epsom comes just a week after the Gosden team were forced to rule **Inspiral (GB)** (*Frankel {GB}*) out of the G1 1,000 Guineas at Newmarket.

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BREEDING RIGHT TO ACLAIM ADDED TO TATTS ONLINE



Aclaim breeding right added to Tattersalls Online Sale
Tattersalls

A breeding right to Aclaim (Ire) (Acclamation {GB}) has been added to the May 5 Tattersalls Online Sale. The catalogue can be viewed at www.tattersallsonline.com. Bidding opens at 10.00 a.m. and closes from midday. Standing at the National Stud, Aclaim is responsible for recent G1 1000 Guineas heroine Cachet (Ire). His first crop includes group/listed performers Group 2 runner up Jacinda (GB) and listed placed Woman of Ciprea (GB) and Beautiful Black (GB).

The full Breeding Right agreement and deed of sale available by request via email to tattersallsonline@tattersalls.com.

Also added to the catalog, Mutahamisa (Ire) (Mehmas {Ire}), who will be offered in foal to Ardad, the sire of dual Group 1 winner Perfect Power. A winner at two and three, she is a half-sister to the Listed Devoy S. winner Still Standing (Ire) (Mastercraftsman {Ire}) from the family of dual European Champion Xaar, G1 Tattersalls Irish 2000 Guineas winner Siskin and Grade I winners Close Hatches and Senure.

A total of 15 lots have been entered for the Tattersalls Online Sale. For more information, visit www.tattersallsonline.com.

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PIZ BADILE HEADED TO EPSOM

By Brian Sheerin

He won the Oaks as a rider and now Donnacha O'Brien is concentrating on securing more big-race riches at Epsom by confirming **Piz Badile (Ire)** (Ulysses {Ire}) to be on course for the Cazoo Derby June 4.

Piz Badile announced himself as a genuine Derby contender when fighting tooth and nail to beat Buckaroo (GB) (Fastnet Rock {Aus}) in the G3 Ballysax S. at Leopardstown last month and, while O'Brien suggested a return to Leopardstown for the G3 Derrinstown Derby Trial could be a possibility at the time, the trainer is happy to head straight to Epsom with colt.

The form of that Ballysax victory was given a major boost on Monday when Buckaroo bagged the Listed Tetrarch S. and O'Brien, who describes Piz Badile as by far the classiest colt he has trained, believes the general 12-1 chance for Derby glory possesses a lot of the right attributes to be successful at Epsom.

"Piz Badile is in good form, everything is perfect with him, but we decided that we will go straight to the Derby with him," O'Brien said. "We've had a smooth run with him, everything has gone perfectly well with him since he won the Ballysax, but we think it's the right thing to go straight to Epsom with him rather than taking in another trial. So that's the plan."

He added: "It was great to see his form boosted by Buckaroo at the Curragh. They pulled clear of their rivals in the Ballysax, so it looked like they were two smart horses at the time. But for Buckaroo to confirm that at the Curragh on Monday would obviously boost your confidence levels.

"I don't think you can ever be confident heading into a race like the Derby, but I am confident that we have a very good colt on our hands and Epsom will be a completely different test to what any of the horses in the line-up has ever faced before.



Donnacha O'Brien during his riding career
Healy Racing Photography

"You can't be sure about how well a horse will handle a track like Epsom, not to mention the festivities surrounding the occasion, until they go and do it. But we are very confident that he's a high class colt with a good mind. He has a lot of the attributes required for the race."

Piz Badile burst onto the scene last summer for O'Brien by taking the same Killarney maiden the trainer won as a rider aboard Ballydoyle's subsequent Derby hero Anthony Van Dyck (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) in 2018. Of course, Anthony Van Dyck is not the only Derby winner to have won his maiden at the County Kerry track, as Wings Of Eagles (Fr) (Pour Moi {Ire}) also broke his duck at Killarney.

O'Brien, who won the Oaks in 2018 aboard his father Aidan's Forever Together, is hoping that quirky stat can repeat itself next month.

"You need a horse with a good mind, because they need to be able to handle the whole situation, and you need a well balanced horse as well," he explained. "If they're not balanced, they won't be going forward around Tattenham Corner, and if you're not going forward there, you may as well give up.

"Obviously they need speed, because if you don't have the pace to hold your position, you're bunched, you're completely out of the race before it's even started. On top of all that, you stamina, because it's a long home straight with a stiff finish. You need everything to win a Derby and Piz Badile has shown us at home that he has all of those things."

He added: "Piz Badile definitely ranks up with the best that I've trained. It's hard to compare fillies and colts. Fancy Blue (Ire) (Deep Impact {Jpn}) obviously went and won two Group 1s, so he has to prove himself at that level but, at the same time, in terms of the colts, he's by far the classiest one I have ever had.

"I don't have any concerns about the Derby trip, if anything, the extra couple of furlongs will bring out the best in him. The one thing he has done on all three of his starts is hit the line really strong so he has plenty of stamina."

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FIRST-SEASON SIRES WITH RUNNERS

Wednesday, May 4

FRANCE

Harry Angel (Ire) (Dark Angel {Ire}), Dalham Hall Stud
105 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners
2-PARISLONGCHAMP, 1000m,
€28,000 Arqana Deauville October Yearlings 2021

Sioux Nation (Scat Daddy), Coolmore Stud
162 foals of racing age/4 winners/0 black-type winners
2-PARISLONGCHAMP, 1000m, Rosie Rocket (Fr)

UNITED KINGDOM

Havana Grey (GB) (Havana Gold {Ire}), Whitsbury Manor Stud
115 foals of racing age/4 winners/0 black-type winners
13:30-CHESTER, 5f, Star of Lady M (GB)
15,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 3) 2021
17:30-KEMPTON PARK, 5f, Union Court (GB)
18,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 3) 2021

Kessaar (Ire) (Kodiak {GB}), Tally-Ho Stud
77 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners
17:30-KEMPTON PARK, 5f, Adjani (Ire)
23,000gns Tattersalls Somerville Yearling Sale 2021

Zoustar (Aus) (Northern Meteor {Aus}), Tweenhills Stud
107 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners
13:30-CHESTER, 5f, Zephina (GB)
3,000gns Tattersalls Somerville Yearling Sale 2021

OBSERVATIONS

on the European racing scene

HALF TO TEPIN DEBUTS AT GOWRAN

5.20 Gowran Park, Mdn, €13,000, 3yo/up, 8fT

COLOGNE (IRE) (Galileo {Ire}) is the 10th foal out of Life Happened (Stravinsky), whose claim to fame is being the dam of the accomplished Tepin (Bernstein), heroine of the G1 Queen Anne S. and GI Breeders' Cup Mile among others. Also a half-brother to the dual Grade II scorer Vyjack (Into Mischief), the March-foaled bay represents Westerberg, Magnier, Tabor and Smith and Ballydoyle along with the fellow unraced colt **Middlemarch (Ire)** (Caravaggio), whose dam is a full-sister to the stable's G2 Royal Lodge S. winner Mohawk (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}).

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BRITAIN

Wednesday, Chester, post time: 14:40

WEATHERBYS BLOODSTOCK PRO CHESHIRE OAKS (FOR THE ROBERT SANGSTER MEMORIAL CUP)-Listed, £88,500, 3yo, f, 11f 75yT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	JOCKEY
1	7	Above The Curve	American Pharoah	J O'Brien	Crosse
2	9	Hello Jumeirah (GB)	Golden Horn (GB)	Haggas	Marquand
3	5	Improvise (Fr)	Iffraaj (GB)	Bell	D Egan
4	3	Makinmedoit (Ire)	Golden Horn (GB)	Eustace	Turner
5	1	Moon de Vega (GB)	Lope de Vega (Ire)	Beckett	Hornby
6	10	Morning Poem (GB)	Kingman (GB)	J&T Gosden	Dettori
7	6	Night Battle (Ire)	Kingman (GB)	S&E Crisford	J Doyle
8	8	Thoughts of June (Ire)	Galileo (Ire)	A O'Brien	R MOore
9	4	Typewriter (Ire)	Gleneagles (Ire)	Balding	Probert
10	2	Wynter Wildes (GB)	Tamayuz (GB)	Fellowes	Tudhope

All carry 128 pounds.

Tuesday's Results:

4th-Lingfield, £7,300, Nov, 5-3, 3yo, 8f 1y (AWT), 1:36.58, st. AWAAL (IRE) (c, 3, Lope de Vega {Ire}--Anna's Rock {Ire}) {SW-Ire, \$105,021}, by Rock of Gibraltar {Ire}}, an Apr. 19 debut third tackling seven furlongs at Wolverhampton in his only prior start, was swiftly into stride and led from flagfall in this return. On the front end throughout, the 2-1 second choice was hustled along rounding the home turn and kept on gamely under a drive in the short straight to hold on by a short head from 1-2 market rival Thesis (GB) (Kingman {GB}), himself a half-brother to G1 Fillies' Mile heroine and G1 1000 Guineas and G1 Coronation S. third Quadrilateral (GB) (Frankel {GB}). Awaal is the eighth of nine foals and fifth scorer produced by Listed Fairy Bridge S. victrix Anna's Rock (Ire) (Rock of Gibraltar {Ire}), herself kin to a stakes-placed duo out of an unraced half-sister to four black-type performers headed by MG1SW sire Arcangues (Sagace {Fr}). The March-foaled bay is full to a 2-year-old filly and a half to MGSW G1 Lockinge S. third Breton Rock (Ire) (Bahamian Bounty {GB}). Sales history: €155,000 Wlg '19 GOFNOV; 110,000gns RNA Ylg '20 TATOCT; €406,000 2yo '21 ARQDEA. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$6,129. O-Shaikh Duajj Al Khalifa & KHK Racing Ltd; B-George Kent (IRE); T-Simon & Ed Crisford.

1st-Wetherby, £12,000, Mdn, 5-3, 2yo, 5f 110yT, 1:07.49, g/f. BREEGE (GB) (f, 2, Starspangledbanner {Aus}--Wowcha {Ire}, by Zoffany {Ire}), a 17-2 shot, stalked the leaders early travelling notably strongly. Angled wide before being sent to the front with 1 1/2 furlongs remaining, the homebred drew away to record an impressive 5 1/2-length success from Commander Straker (Ire) (Kodi Bear {Ire}). The dam is a half-sister to the stable's G1 Prix Morny and G2 Coventry S. winner The Wow Signal (Ire) by Starspangledbanner, to the G3 Naruo Kinen scorer and G1 Takarazuka Kinen runner-up Unicorn Lion (Ire) (No Nay Never) and to the listed scorer and G2 Rockfel S. third Miss Infinity (Ire) (Rock of Gibraltar {Ire}). Unsurprisingly given the family history, Wowcha was sent back to Starspangledbanner and has a yearling colt. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$8,095. O/B-Chasemore Farm (GB); T-John Quinn.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNER:

Lucy Lightfoot (Ire), f, 2, Fast Company (Ire)--Redoutable (Ire), by Invincible Spirit (Ire). Lingfield, 5-3, 5f 6y (AWT), :59.52. B-Mrs Maria Marron (IRE). *€12,500 Wlg '20 GOFNOV; £20,000 Ylg '21 TATIRY.

Mountbatten (Ire), g, 3, Dabirsim (Fr)--Sapore di Roma (Ire), by Danehill Dancer (Ire). Wetherby, 5-3, 7fT, 1:29.82. Lifetime Record: 3-2-1-0, \$15,921. B-Phillistown House (IRE). *£20,000 Ylg '20 TATIRY.

FRANCE

Tuesday's Results:

PRIX DE SURESNES-Listed, €55,000, Chantilly, 5-3, 3yo, 10fT, 2:02.83, g/s.

1--AL HAKEEM (GB), 128, c, 3, by Siyouni (Fr)
1st Dam: Jadhaba (Ire) (GSP-Fr), by Galileo (Ire)
2nd Dam: Naissance Royale (Ire), by Giant's Causeway
3rd Dam: Net Worth, by Forty Niner
1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN. O/B-Al Shaqab Racing (GB); T-Jean-Claude Rouget; J-Cristian Demuro. €27,500. Lifetime Record: 4-3-0-0, €57,700.

2--Yoozuna (Ire), 128, c, 3, Kizuna (Jpn)--Your Game (Fr), by Montjeu (Ire). **1ST BLACK TYPE.** O/B-Wertheimer et Frere (IRE); T-Christophe Ferland. €11,000.

3--Mirsky (GB), 128, c, 3, Siyouni (Fr)--Lattice (Ire), by Inchinor (GB). **1ST BLACK TYPE.** O/B-George Strawbridge (GB); T-Freddy Head. €8,250.

Margins: 4, HF, HD. Odds: 0.90, 2.10, 6.90.
 Also Ran: Zarakhan (Fr), Lordrecord (Fr), Touristic (GB), Hauran (Fr). **Video, sponsored by TVG.**

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Prix Suresne cont.

Al Hakeem graduated in a Nov. 27 one-mile all-weather heat at this venue, doubling up over the same strip in his Mar. 14 seasonal return last time, and continued on a rapid upward trajectory with a career high in this trial for the June 5 G1 Prix du Jockey Club. Positioned off the pace in fourth until improving into third at halfway, he made smooth progress in the straight to take a narrow lead with 300 metres remaining and was ridden ever clear inside the final furlong to justify odds-on favouritism in impressive fashion.

“I absolutely love this horse and he has been my favorite ever since he first stepped foot in my yard,” admitted trainer Jean-Claude Rouget. “Today, I have seen what I wanted to see and what I had hoped to see. This horse has a lot of presence about him, he has a great walk and a great way of moving. He reminds me a lot of *Sottsass*, except that he is a bay. He is, of course, a horse for the [G1] Prix du Jockey Club, but I have others that will take the French Guineas route. We have quite a few promising 3-year-old colts in the stable and that is a nice problem to have. With this one we have targeted the French Derby through this easier path and he is getting there. Again, I love him.”

Al Hakeem is the second of three foals and one of two scorers produced by G3 Prix Penelope placegetter Jadhaba (Ire) (Galileo

{Ire}), who is one of six winners and the leading representative of MGSW GI E.P. Taylor S. third Naissance Royale (Ire) (Giant's Causeway), herself a half-sister to G2 Sun Chariot S. and G3 Musidora S. placegetter Spinnette (Ire) (Spinning World). Descendants of Spinnette include stakes-winning GII Beverly Hills H. third Green Lyons (Ire) (Green Desert) and dual Grade III placegetter Tarrip (Green Desert). The January-foaled homebred bay is half to a 2-year-old filly by *Kingman* (GB).

PRIX DES LILAS-Listed, €55,000, Chantilly, 5-3, 3yo, f, 8fT, 1:39.20, g/s.

1--PENNINE HILLS (IRE), 126, f, 3, by Kodiak (GB)

1st Dam: Milana (Fr), by Mark of Esteem (Ire)

2nd Dam: Malatesta (Ire), by Persian Heights (GB)

3rd Dam: Mouette (Fr), by Fabulous Dancer

1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN. (€60,000 Wlg '19 GOFNOV). O-Richard Brown; B-Martin Butler (IRE); T-Jerome Reynier; J-Mickael Barzalona. €27,500. Lifetime Record: GSP-Ire, 9-2-2-1, €59,044. *Full to Grizzel (Ire), GSW-Can, SP-US & Ire, \$237,120.

2--Ataared (Ire), 126, f, 3, Muhaarar (GB)--Alnajmah (GB), by Dansili (GB). O-Shadwell France; B-Shadwell Estate Company Ltd (IRE); T-Jean-Claude Rouget. €11,000.



Al Shaqab's Al Hakeem (*Siyouni*) bounds to victory in the Listed Prix de Suresnes at Chantilly. **Race replay.** | *Scoop Dyga*

3--**Anterselva (Fr)**, 126, f, 3, Fast Company (Ire)--Shimmering Sands (Fr), by Medicean (GB). (€18,000 Ylg '20 ARQOCT). O-Thoroughbred Bloodstock Agency; B-Thierry de la Heronniere (FR); T-Gianluca Bietolini. €8,250.

Margins: HF, SHD, SHD. Odds: 14.00, 3.70, 29.00.

Also Ran: Situveux (Ire), *Piz Gloria (Fr), *Missyouni (Ire), Wootton Diva (Fr), Saramouche, Singforthemoment (Ire).

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*dead-heated for fifth.

Formerly with Joseph O'Brien, Pennine Hills had the versatility to be second in the Listed Marwell S. over five furlongs at Naas in July and in the seven-furlong G3 Killavullan S. at Leopardstown in October. Reserved early in rear on this first start for Jerome Reynier, the bay worked her way to the lead inside the final metres to register a first black-type success. "This filly arrived in my yard a month ago after a race where she run badly [when 10th in the G3 Ballylinch Stud 1000 Guineas Trial] and she had a long, tiring journey," he explained. "For two weeks, she almost didn't eat and we did little with her. Only in the last week had she started to come back to life and I thought this race might come too soon, but she has a heart and light training was what she needed."

The dam, who has also produced the GIII Selene S. winner Grizzel by the same sire, has the 2-year-old colt Sound Pressure (Ire) and a yearling colt who are also by Kodiak. The former was a 120,000gns purchase by Manor Farm Stud at the Tattersalls October Yearling Sale Book 2, while the latter sold for €90,000 to Ballyphilip Stud at the Goffs November Foal Sale.

PRIX SERVANNE-Listed, €52,000, Chantilly, 5-3, 4yo/up, 6fT, 1:09.35, g/s.

1--**PRINCE LANCELOT (GB)**, 126, c, 4 **Sir Prancealot (Ire)**--**Rainbow Vale (Fr)**, by **Moss Vale (Ire)**. (€90,000 Ylg '19 ARQAUG). O-Antoine Gilibert & Fabrice Chappet; B-Ecurie Skymarc Farm (GB); T-Fabrice Chappet; J-Stephane Pasquier. €26,000. Lifetime Record: MGSP-Eng, 12-4-1-2, €133,150.

2--**Manjeer (Ire)**, 126, g, 6, **Footstepsinthesand (GB)**--Navajo Moon (Ire), by Danehill. (€50,000 Ylg '17 GOFORB). O-Natalie Steinmann; B-Brittis Stud & Grange Stud (IRE); T-Carina Fey. €10,400.

3--**Stormbringer (GB)**, 126, g, 7, Dutch Art (GB)--Riva Royale (GB), by Royal Applause (GB). (50,000gns Ylg '16 TATOCT; 190,000gns 2yo '17 TATBRE). O-Charles Wentworth; B-Riva Royale Partnership (GB); T-Gavin Heron. €7,800.

Margins: HD, NK, HF. Odds: 7.20, 20.00, 35.00.

Also Ran: Live (Ire), Egot (Ire), Marianafoot (Fr), Batwan (Fr), Namos (Ger), King Gold (Fr), Midlife Crisis (Fr), Kitty Marion (GB). **Video, sponsored by TVG.**

This renewal featured the progressive Godolphin colt Egot (Ire) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}) and the returning G1 Prix Maurice de Gheest hero Marianafoot (Fr) (**Footstepsinthesand {GB}**), but neither could land a telling blow from the middle of the track as Prince Lancelot won the battle down towards the rail for a second black-type success. While he had taken the six-furlong Listed Prix Zeddaan at Deauville in October and been third in the G3 Prix de Cabourg and G3 Prix Djebel, the bay served notice on his seasonal bow that he was an improved performer when the four-length winner of a 5 1/2-furlong conditions event at Chantilly Apr. 13. Held up in rear early, he enjoyed a smooth run through to lead inside the last 100 metres and ward off Manjeer as all the action unfolded stand's side.

Jockey Stephane Pasquier was impressed and not surprised by the outcome. "He had already run a great race last time, but what he did today was much better against a top-class field," he said. "He is obviously getting better as he gets older, like most sprinters, and he can most certainly improve more and be one to follow in the sprint division in the future."

The dam, whose yearling colt by Cable Bay (Ire) sold for €65,000 to Stroud Coleman Bloodstock at last year's Arqana December Breeding Stock Sale, is a daughter of the G3 Debutante S. winner Rainbows For All (Ire) (Rainbows for Life) who also produced the listed-winning Rainbow Crossing (GB) (Cape Cross {Ire}). She in turn produced the dual G3 Oak Tree S. scorer Al Jazi (Ire) (Canford Cliffs {Ire}) and the listed-placed dam of Soffia (GB) (Kyllachy {GB}) who captured the G2 Sapphire S.

6th-Chantilly, €27,000, Debutantes, 5-3, 2yo, 6fT, 1:10.93, g/s.

COSMIC INVASION (IRE) (f, 2, Cotai Glory {GB})--Zelie Martin {Ire}, by **Invincible Spirit {Ire}**), a 24-1 shot, showed early speed to otake front rank. While others fell away, the chestnut kept finding to score by 3/4 of a length from Lova (Fr) (Goken {Fr}).

The dam, whose yearling is a full-sister to the winner, is a granddaughter of the matriarch La Meilleure (Ire) (Lord Gayle) who counts under among her descendants the likes of Sholokhov (Ire), Soldier of Fortune (Ire), Intense Focus, Skitter Scatter (Scat Daddy) and Subjectivist (GB) (Teofilo {Ire}). Sales history: €8,500 RNA Wlg '20 GOFNOV; €16,000 Ylg '21 GOFOCT. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, €13,500. **Video, sponsored by TVG.**

O-David Maughan; B-Padraig Williams (IRE); T-Jessica Dupont-Fahn.

CONDITIONS RESULTS:

4th-Nancy, €22,000, Cond, 5-3, 3yo, 10fT, 2:05.14, sf.

SELWAN (IRE) (g, 3, Zelzal {Fr})--Al Wathna {GB} {GSW-Fr, \$145,094}, by **Nayef**) Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, €20,500. O/B-Al Shaqab Racing (IRE); T-Nicolas Clement.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Anotherway (Fr), c, 3, **Anodin (Ire)**--Zagzig (GB), by Selkirk. Chantilly, 5-3, 12fT, 2:30.46. B-Wertheimer & Frere (FR). *1/2 to Slalom (Fr) (Intello {Ger}), GSW & G1SP-Fr, \$240,282; Folamour (GB) (Intello {Ger}), SW & MGSP-Fr, \$217,788; and Empreinte (**Footstepsinthesand {GB}**), GSP-Fr.

Manisha (Ire), f, 3, **Lope de Vega (Ire)**--Mahati (Fr), by Montjeu (Ire). Chantilly, 5-3, 12fT, 2:36.43. B-Ecurie Peregrine SAS (IRE)

Duchess of Dubai (Ire), f, 3, **Sea The Stars (Ire)**--Duchess of France (Ire) (MSP-Ire), by Dylan Thomas (Ire). Nancy, 5-3, 12 1/2fT, 2:43.20. B-Mme Joan Murphy (IRE). *150,000gns Wlg '19 TATFOA; €180,000 Ylg '20 ARQSEP.

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Tuesday, Nagoya, Japan

KAKITSUBATA KINEN-Jpn G3-NAR (Listed), ¥43,750,000,

Nagoya, 5-3, 4yo & up, 1500m, 1:31.80 (NTR), yl.

1--IGNITER (JPN), 123, c, 4, Espoir City (Jpn)

1st Dam: Bianco (Jpn), by Warning (GB)

2nd Dam: Pradesh (GB), by Generous (Ire)

3rd Dam: Bareilly, by Lyphard

O-Yoshiki Noda; B-Haruki Farm; T-Masashi Aratashi; J-Manabu Tanaka; ¥25,000,000. Lifetime Record: 15-8-3-1.

2--Helios (Jpn), 127, g, 6, Orfevre (Jpn)--Ange Chouette (Jpn), by French Deputy. O-Kuwata Farm; B-Kuwata Farm; ¥8,250,000.

3--Raptus (Jpn), 130, g, 6, Deep Brillante (Jpn)--Air la Jolla (Jpn), by Boston Harbor. O-Hidaka Breeders Union; B-Fujiwara Bokujo; ¥5,000,000.

Margins: 1, HF, NK; Odds: 3.80, 2.00, 5.10.

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2	Changingoftheguard (Ire)	Galileo (Ire)	Westerberg/Mrs J Magnier/M Tabor/D Smith	Aidan O'Brien	Ryan Moore	128
3	Dillian (Ire)	Camelot (GB)	Mr Dermot Hanafin	Michael Bell	David Egan	128
4	New London (Ire)	Dubawi (Ire)	Godolphin	Charlie Appleby	William Buick	128
5	Savvy Victory (Ire)	New Bay (GB)	Mr. Julian Hui	S. P. C. Woods	Tom Marquand	128

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