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And they're off in the 148th GI Kentucky Derby. | Coady Photography

SONNY SHINES BRIGHT

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Bill Finley writes on Saturday's GI Kentucky Derby-winning rider Sonny Leon, a hard-knocking Ohio-based jockey.

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80-1 LONGSHOT STRIKES IT RICH IN DERBY



Rich Strike | Coady

by Steve Sherack

LOUISVILLE, KY – Credit the Coach with an assist.

Making his way into the field following the late scratch of the D. Wayne Lukas-trained Ethereal Road (Quality Road), alsoeligible **Rich Strike** (Keen Ice) lit up the tote board with an impossible 80-1 upset in Saturday's GI Kentucky Derby. It was three-quarters of a length back to 4-1 favorite **Epicenter** (Not This Time) in second. **Zandon** (Upstart) was another threequarters back in third.

"He passed them all," winning trainer Eric Reed said. "I'm elated. I'm happy because this horse trained good enough to win. This rider [Sonny Leon] has been on him all along as he learned the process. He taught him to go between horses. He taught me how to train horses [pointing to his father, Herbert]. I'm surrounded by the best. I didn't think I could win necessarily but I knew if he got it, they'd know who he was when the race was over."

Rich Strike was overlooked for good reason. Claimed for \$30,000 by Richard Dawson's RED TR-Racing, LLC and Reed off breeder Calumet Farm out of a 17 1/4-length maiden tally at second asking beneath the Twin Spires Sept. 17, he hadn't gotten his picture taken in five subsequent attempts. He did outrun his odds in his three most recent starts over Turfway's all-weather, however, including a fourth-place finish at 20-1 in the John Battaglia Memorial S. Mar. 5 and a third-place at 26-1 in the GIII Jeff Ruby Steaks S. Apr. 2. Animal Kingdom was the last to successfully use the Jeff Ruby as a Derby prep, parlaying a win there to wear the roses in 2011.

"What planet is this? I feel like I have been propelled somewhere," Dawson, an Oklahoma resident and semi-retired from the oil and gas industry, said. *Cont. p4*

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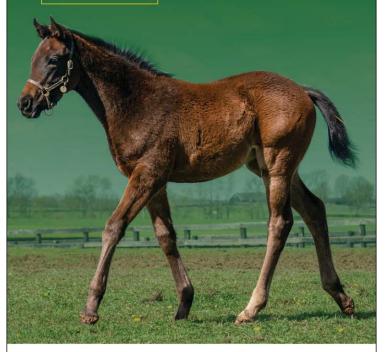
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Dawson continued, "I'm not sure. This is unbelievable. I asked my trainer up on the stage, I said, 'Are you sure this is not a dream? Because it can't be true.' He assured me this is real. I said okay."

Rich Strike was far back in 18th and masterfully guided throughout and kept out of traffic by the Ohio-based Leon, who had previously never guided home a graded winner. Rich Strike was immediately taken to the inside in the two path from his high draw as the top two from the G2 UAE Derby **Summer Is Tomorrow (Summer Front)** and **Crown Pride (Jpn)** (Reach the Crown {Jpn}) absolutely flew through punishing early fractions of :21.78 and :45.36.

Epicenter and Zandon, meanwhile, quietly began to sneak up into striking position while saving all the ground as **Messier** (Empire Maker) enjoyed first run heading into the far turn. Epicenter revved up three deep with an explosive move to hit the front at the quarter pole and Zandon followed suit with a menacing bid of his own. The stage was set for the match-up that everyone wanted to see, but Rich Strike had other ideas. Making steady progress throughout, Leon kept his cool and steered Rich Strike off the rail to avoid the tiring Messier leaving the three-sixteenths. He shot through an inviting opening close to home and reeled in the highly regarded winners of the GII Louisiana Derby and GI Blue Grass S. to pull off the secondbiggest upset in the 148 runnings of the Kentucky Derby.

Returning \$163.60 to win and keying a \$2,050.60 exacta for a buck, Rich Strike's upset trails only Donerail's shocker at 91-1 in 1913. Rich Strike's sire Keen Ice is certainly no stranger to upsets either. He famously took down Triple Crown winner American Pharoah at 16-1 in the 2015 GI Travers S.

"You know we had a difficult post but I know the horse," Leon said. "I didn't know if he could win but I had a good feeling with him. I had to wait until the stretch and that's what I did. I waited and then the rail opened up. I wasn't nervous, I was excited. Nobody knows my horse like I know my horse."

Reed and his wife Kay tragically lost 23 horses when their Mercury Training Center went up in flames near Christmas time back in 2016. Reed's only other graded win came with Satans Quick Chick in the GII 2009 Lexus Raven Run S. **Cont. p5**



Rich Strike outfinishes Epicenter & Zandon | Coady

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Kentucky Derby cont.

"A lot of people don't know who I am, but I was that far from beating Zenyatta in 2012," Reed said with a laugh. "We've won a

graded stake, now two. But we don't go out and buy the big horses. We just try to have a good-quality stable. We always perform well. Our percentages are always good, and we take care of the horse first. And the rest falls into place.

Reed concluded, "I never dreamed I would be here. I never thought I'd have a Derby horse. I never tried to go to the yearling sale and buy a Derby horse. So this was never in my plans. Everybody would love to win the Derby. I always



Eric Reed | Coady

would, but I never thought I would be here, ever. It's a horse race, and anybody can win. And the tote board doesn't mean a thing."

Triple Crown winner American Pharoah his sole loss at three in a stunning renewal of the GI Travers S. Cont. p6



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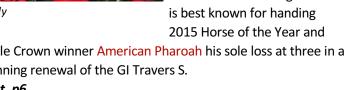
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> very little of that print has so much as mentioned Keen Ice, a son of Curlin who also has his first sophomores this year. And no wonder: while the Gun Runners of the racing world were making headlines, he was quietly plying his trade at Central Kentucky's Calumet Farm for \$7,500. He stayed under the radar for much of his racing career as well, winning just three of 24 starts. But like his first-crop son, Rich Strike, he set the racing world abuzz with a shocking win. He

Rich Strike Pedigree Note cont.

In hindsight, Keen Ice was a far more substantial racehorse than just that signature win, as he also took the GII Suburban S. at five and placed in five other Grade I races, including the Belmont S. and the Breeders' Cup Classic.

Keen Ice's first crop has yielded 30 individual winners from 92 starters and, prior to Rich Strike's Derby, only one black-type winner and that was in Puerto Rico. His five other stakes performers were highlighted by Rich Strike's third in the GIII Jeff Ruby Steaks S., with no other graded performances in sight.

The most striking thing about Rich Strike's pedigree is undoubtedly Smart Strike. Not only is he the sire of Curlin, he is also the sire of Gold Strike, the dam of Rich Strike, making the Derby winner inbred 3x2 to the Canadian Hall of Famer and son of Mr. Prospector. The late Lane's End sire was a Sam-Son product through and through, being out of U.S. and Canadian Broodmare of the Year Classy 'n Smart (Smarten), who was in turn out of flagship mare No Class (Nodouble). Smart Strike as a Grade I winner wasn't even his dam's best runner, an honor that belonged to his half-sister, Dance Smartly (Danzig), a Canadian Horse of the Year and a U.S. champion. Smart Strike was a twotime leading sire in North America.

Unbelievably, as a broodmare sire, Smart Strike has the distinction of having two of the four biggest longshots in history



Rich Strike training earlier this week at Churchill Downs | Sherackatthetrack

to win the Derby with Mine That Bird (Birdstone), who paid \$103.20 in 2009, also out of one of his daughters. Rich Strike is his 144th stakes winner as a broodmare sire.

Rich Strike's 20-year-old dam was Canada's champion 3-yearold filly in 2005, the year she won the GIII Selene S. and the Labatt Woodbine Oaks. Gold Strike also faced the boys in the Queen's Plate, finishing third. *Cont. p7*



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Rich Strike Pedigree Note cont.

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Calumet is the breeder on record for the mare's 2016 foal, J and J O'Shea (Sky Mesa), who was unraced, and Gold Strike was subsequently sent to Calumet stallions. She got My Blonde Mary (Oxbow) in 2017--who was claimed for \$5,000 after finishing third at Tampa Apr. 6--and Rich Strike in 2019. Bred to another Calumet sire, Ransom the Moon, Gold Strike was returned to the Keeneland November sale in 2019 and sold to Tommy Wente for \$1,700. The Manitoba-bred mare has not produced a foal since. --Jill Williams

What They're Saying at Derby 148...

"I can't believe it after Epicenter's effort. And, the scenario in which I went 0-for-24, you couldn't make up. I got beat by the horse that just got in." *--Steve Asmussen, trainer of Epicenter* (2nd)

"Everything was perfect. We thought we were home. Too bad that horse got us right at the end. I thought Epicenter ran a tremendous race. He did everything. He responded when I asked him. We ran too good to get beat." *--Joel Rosario, jockey of Epicenter*

"We really had a great trip. Epicenter was in front of us closer to the pace and Flavien [Prat] really just followed Joel [Rosario] all the way. Turning for home he was in a great position and was really battling with Epicenter. [Rich Strike] just snuck up our inside and we were third best." --Chad Brown, trainer of Zandon (3rd)

"To be honest, when I got next to Epicenter, I thought I was good to win it. I had a good trip. At the eighth pole, I thought I was going to be a winner. Epicenter fought back on me." *--Flavien Prat, rider of Zandon*

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--Todd Pletcher, trainer of Mo Donegal (5th), Charge It (17th) & Pioneer of Medina (19th)

"He was a little bad with the dirt [being kicked in his face], but it is what it is. He didn't embarrass himself." --Mike Smith, jockey of Taiba (12th)

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Wagering from all-sources on the Kentucky Derby Day program totaled \$273.8 million, a 17% increase over 2021 and up 9% from the previous record in 2019 of \$250.9 million. Wagering from all-sources on the Kentucky Derby race totaled \$179.0 million, up 15% over 2021 and up 8% from the previous record of \$166.5 million set in 2019. This year's wagering record includes \$8.3 million of handle wagered in Japan.

"We are deeply grateful to all of the fans of the Kentucky Derby around the world who once again made this an amazing and memorable experience," said Bill Carstanjen, CEO of CDI. "We expect the Kentucky Derby Week Adjusted EBITDA to reflect another record with \$7 to \$9 million of growth over the prior record in 2019."

All-sources handle for Derby Week rose to a new record of \$391.8 million, up 25% from 2021 and up 14% from the previous record of \$343 million set in 2019.

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SONNY SHINES BRIGHT



Sonny Leon celebrates aboard Rich Strike | Coady Photo

by Bill Finley

It was an improbable outcome. No, make that an impossible outcome. But it happened. An 80-1 shot named **Rich Strike** (Keen Ice), who probably should have been 800-1, won the GI Kentucky Derby Saturday at Churchill Downs.

But how? He benefitted from a pace meltdown, ran the race of his life and, most importantly, got one of the best rides in Derby history from a guy you probably never heard of. His name is Sonny Leon and he outrode Joel Rosario, Flavien Prat and a bunch of other guys who are in the Hall of Fame or will be some



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day. As they say, go figure.

"[Leon] gave him the greatest ride I have ever seen," winning trainer Eric Reed said.

Here's what he did: Breaking from the 20 post, Leon made a beeline for the rail right out of the break. Horses from the 20 post are supposed to go five, six wide in the first turn. Leon, 32, had him in the two path. He was 17th down the backstretch and the jockey was patient, obviously realizing that a premature move would do him in. Rich Strike was motoring at the three-eighths pole and Leon had a decision to make. **Cont. p10**

Sonny cont.



Sonny Leon celebrates aboard Rich Strike | Coady

He could try to go around horses, which would have guaranteed a clear run to the wire, or he could take his chances and hope a hole would open up on the rail where he could save ground. He went inside, but **Messier** (Empire Maker) was in his way. Leon stayed calm and steered his mount around a tiring Messier. From there, with a clear path to the wire, Rich Strike ran like a wild horse. He won by 3/4 of a length over **Epicenter** (Not This Time) and 2021 Eclipse Award winning jockey Joel Rosario. On **Zandon** (Upstart), Flavien Prat was third.

After it was over, Jerry Bailey, arguably the best rider of his generation, was absolutely gushing about Leon.

"He did a fantastic job," Bailey said on the NBC broadcast. "From the 20 post, he got to the inside on the first turn...It was a brilliant ride by Sonny Leon. You have to tip your hat to him."

So, just who is Sonny Leon?

After trainer Eric Reed claimed Rich Strike from trainer Joe Sharp and breeder Calumet Farm out of a \$30,000 maiden claimer back on Sept. 17 at Churchill, he rode Julien Leparoux in his next start. The result was a third-place finish. Then he went to Leon. With his new rider, Rich Strike was fifth in the Gun Runner S., third in the Leonatus S., fourth in the Battaglia Memorial S. and third in the GIII Jeff Ruby Steaks.

It might have been time to try someone else. Though he never could have gotten the likes of an Irad Ortiz Jr., a Luis Saez or a Prat to ride the horse, surely, he could have gotten someone else, someone who had a proven record in races like the Kentucky Derby. Nope. He went with Sonny Leon.

"Eric sold me on Sonny," winning owner Richard Dawson said. "A month or so back we had a conversation, like most people. You're looking at options. And it was if you get in the Derby, are we going to stick with Sonny? He said, 'I want to stick with Sonny.' I I would never, ever change at that point. I said I may not change my socks, let alone my jock. I've watched Sonny ride a bunch. And his courage, his smartness on the track...I mean, he's athletic. Don't ever wrestle this guy because it's not going to be fun. He's our kind of guy."

Or, maybe, Reed didn't bother to make a switch because Rich Strike was on the also-eligible list and didn't figure to draw in. We will never know.

"I knew this horse could do it if he found his way through the traffic," Reed said. "That's why I had Sonny on him. He got us here."

According to Equibase, Leon a native of Venezuela, has had 5,175 mounts in the U.S. with 769 winners. He made his riding debut in North America in 2015, when he won all of nine races. Prior to the Derby, he had never won a graded stakes race. His biggest wins had been in a trio of \$100,000 races, the 2021 and 2020 runnings of the Best of Ohio Endurance S. and the 2021 Best of Ohio Cleveland Kindergarten S.

After coming over from his native country, Leon found his niche. He became a big deal on the Ohio racing circuit. He's won the last four riding titles at Mahoning Valley and was second in the standings at the 2021 meet at Belterra Park and third at the 2020 meet there. He warmed up for the Derby by riding five horses Friday at Belterra. In his last mount before the Derby, he finished second on the 7-10 favorite Elliot the Dragon (Kantharos) in a \$26,400 Ohio-bred allowance. His last win before the Derby came in a \$5,000 claimer.

That was on Tuesday at Belterra, another slow day at a slow racetrack with cheap horses. On Saturday, Sonny Leon was the king of the world--the most unlikely king of the world horse racing has ever seen. How can you explain such a thing?

"It's a horse race, and anybody can win," Reed said.

Will this win, this sensational ride, be a launching pad to stardom for the Venezuelan?

"I want to enjoy this moment, and we'll see what happens tomorrow," Leon said.

Leon said he's going to spend the next few days vacationing with his family in Tampa. Then it will be back to work, at Belterra, with the \$5,000 claimers and the Ohio breds. Then there will be the GI Preakness S., where the pundits probably won't give this horse much of a chance. Won't be another pace meltdown like there was in the Derby, they will say. They'll probably be right. Leon's next winner will no doubt be back at Belterra in a race that doesn't matter all that much.

But he will always have the 2022 Kentucky Derby. It was his moment, his two minutes--2:02.61 to be exact--of fame. The horse did his part, but he never would have won if not for a perfect ride from his jockey. Good on you, Sonny Leon.

JACKIE' TOO MUCH FOR THEM IN CHURCHILL DOWNS



Jackie's Warrior | Sherackatthetrack

by Steve Sherack

LOUISVILLE, KY--The sprint division will be going through champion **Jackie's Warrior** (Maclean's Music) once again if Satuday's tour-de-force victory in the GI Churchill Downs S. is any indication.

A return winner in a sloppy renewal of Oaklawn's GIII Count Fleet Sprint H. Apr. 16, he was favored at even-money to register his fourth career Grade I victory.

The J. Kirk and Judy Robison colorbearer took his usual spot up front and led his six rivals through much-easier-than-anticipated early fractions of :22.76 and :45.50. He cornered four wide and allowed GI Breeders' Cup Sprint winner **Aloha West** (Hard Spun) an inviting opening along the rail as they turned for home.

Jackie's Warrior was still cruising though, and was ridden with confidence by Joel Rosario down the lane en route to a fourlength victory over **Reinvestment Risk** (Upstart). Aloha West was third.

"First, I can't say enough about the Robisons putting a champion stallion back in training and letting us enjoy him another year," winning Hall of Fame trainer Steve Asmussen said. "He's now a Grade I winner at two, three and four. And, the style in which he won today was just beautiful. I thought Joel [Rosario] said it best when we were in paddock just watching him standing there. He said, 'They don't come along like this all the time, do they' and they don't. When you're the speed of the race, you just stay on the path you want. He's older, more confident and stronger."

Rosario added, "It seemed better to keep him off the rail. It seemed to be a better place for him. He's an amazing horse. The speed that he is able to give you. He is just a strong horse, to get out of there [at the start]--like a quarter horse, and to keep going with that speed. He's just there for you whenever you ask."

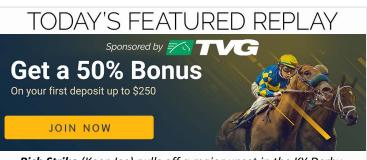
A winner of the GII Pat Day Mile S. on this card 12 months ago, his championship season was topped by a memorable win over the talented Life Is Good (Into Mischief) in the GI H. Allen Jerkens Memorial S. at Saratoga. The \$95,000 KEESEP yearling also captured the GII Amsterdam S. and GII Gallant Bob S. and was a painful second in the GI Woody Stephens S. Jackie's Warrior, also a two-time winner at the highest level at two, exited a disappointing sixth-place finish as the heavy favorite in the GI Breeders' Cup Sprint with a bone chip in his knee.

Pedigree Notes:

The future Spendthrift Farm stallion Jackie's Warrior is one of four top-level scorers for Maclean's Music. He is the lone graded winner for broodmare sire A.P. Five Hundred. Jackie's Warrior's dam Unicorn Girl (A.P. Five Hundred) summoned \$850,000 from Arthur Hoyeau at the 2020 Keeneland November Sale. Her now-2-year-old colt by American Pharoah preceded her in the ring, bringing \$600,000 from Coolmore's M.V. Magnier. Unicorn Girl also has an unraced 3-year-old filly named Lenni Girl (Candy Ride {Arg}). She failed to get in foal to Into Mischief for 2021, but has a filly of this year by the leading sire.



Jackie's Warrior (far left) | Coady



Rich Strike (Keen Ice) pulls off a major upset in the KY Derby. (click to watch)

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1--JACKIE'S WARRIOR, 123, c, 4, by Maclean's Music 1st Dam: Unicorn Girl, by A. P. Five Hundred 2nd Dam: Horah for Bailey, by Doneraile Court 3rd Dam: Horah for the Lady, by Rahy

(\$95,000 Ylg '19 KEESEP). O-J. Kirk and Judy Robison; B-J & J Stables (KY); T-Steven M. Asmussen; J-Joel Rosario. \$455,700. Lifetime Record: Ch. Male Sprinter, 14-10-1-1, \$2,309,664. Werk Nick Rating: A+++. *Triple Plus*. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.

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- 2--Reinvestment Risk, 123, c, 4, Upstart--Ridingwiththedevil, by Candy Ride (Arg). *TDN Rising Star* (\$140,000 Ylg '19 FTKJUL; \$280,000 2yo '20 OBSMAR). O-Klaravich Stables, Inc.;
 B-Aschinger Bloodstock Holdings, LLC (KY); T-Chad C. Brown. \$147,000.
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- 3--Aloha West, 123, h, 5, Hard Spun--Island Bound, by
 Speightstown. (\$160,000 Ylg '18 KEESEP). O-Eclipse
 Thoroughbred Partners; B-Robert Manfuso & Katharine M.
 Voss (MD); T-Wayne M. Catalano. \$73,500.

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Margins: 4, 1, 4 1/4. Odds: 1.00, 4.60, 4.20.

Also Ran: Sir Alfred James, Mind Control, Long Range Toddy, Prevalence. Scratched: Cezanne. Click for the Equibase.com chart, the TJCIS.com PPs or the free Equineline.com cataloguestyle pedigree. VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.

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SANTIN SCORES GUTSY UPSET IN TURF CLASSIC



Tyler Gaffalione & Santin best Mira Mission | Coady

By Christie DeBernardis

Adding blinkers proved quite fruitful two days in a row for Brendan Walsh. **'TDN Rising Star'** New Year's Eve (Kitten's Joy) donned blinkers for the first time Friday when registering an upset score in the GII Edgewood S. The additional equipment was even more lucrative for Walsh Saturday when **Santin** became the latest Grade I winner for his timeless sire Distorted Humor with a gutsy victory in the GI Old Forester Bourbon Turf Classic S. at Churchill Downs.

Away alertly from the outside post in this 10-horse affair, the 7-1 shot tugged his way up into second, sitting off the speedy **Tribhuvan (Fr)'s** (Toronado {Ire}) flank through early fractions of :24.39 and :49.02. The Godolphin homebred allowed the pacesetter to pull clear, but still kept a close eye on him through three-quarters in 1:13.13. Shaken up by Tyler Gaffalione entering the lane, Santin was confronted by **Mira Mission** (Noble Mission {GB}) to his outside and those two drew clear of Tribhuvan in mid-stretch. The duo battled to the line, but Santin refused to be denied, digging in deep to keep Mira Mission at bay by a neck. **Adhamo (Ire)** (Intello {Ger}) completed the trifecta.

"We've thought this was a special horse and I think we're starting to see the start of something big here, Walsh said. "He's still just a baby; he's only had six starts now. And he's in here running against ones with 10, 12, 15 starts. We were letting him come along at his own pace, but we gave him some help to focus with the blinkers today. The people down at my barn have brought him along. I just happen to be there."

A debut winner at Indiana in September, Santin rallied to victory in a Keeneland allowance a month later and closed strongly to miss by just a neck in Del Mar's GI Hollywood Derby Nov. 27.

Turf Classic cont.

Only able to manage fourth behind **Cavalry Charge** (Honor Code) and Adhamo when not getting much pace to run into in the GIII Fair Grounds S. Feb. 19, he raced closer to the pace last out when second in that venue's GII Muniz Memorial Classic S. Mar. 26.



Santin | Coady

Pedigree Notes:

With Saturday's victory, Santin makes 19 Grade I winners for the legendary Distorted Humor. He is also the 71st worldwide graded winner (68 NH & 3 SH) and 166th worldwide black-type winner (160 NH & 6 SH) for that WinStar stalwart. Santin is the third graded winner of the weekend at Churchill Downs out of a Medaglia d'Oro mare, following Friday's GII Alysheba S. winner Olympiad (Speightstown) and GII Twin Spires Turf Sprint S. victor Arrest Me Red (Pioneerof the Nile). He is also the fourth Grade I winner, 22nd graded victor and 58th black-type scorer produced by a daughter of that Darley stallion.

The winner's's dam, dual graded winner and Grade I-placed Sentiero Italia, is also a Godolphin homebred and made nearly \$1 million under the care of retired trainer Kiaran McLaughlin. Santin is her first foal and her second foal Field Marshal (War Front) finished fourth in a maiden special weight at Churchill Thursday for trainer Bill Mott. The 10-year-old mare is also responsible for a juvenile colt by War Front and a yearling filly by Speightstown. The half-sister to Group 1 winner Ashkal Way (Ire) (Ashkalani {Ire}) visited Into Mischief last term.

DID YOU KNOW?

Jack Christopher (Munnings) was tabbed as a "TDN Rising Star"

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Saturday, Churchill Downs

OLD FORESTER BOURBON TURF CLASSIC S.-GI, \$1,000,000,

Churchill Downs, 5-7, 4yo/up, 1 1/8mT, 1:49.72, fm.

1--SANTIN, 123, c, 4, by Distorted Humor

1st Dam: Sentiero Italia (MGSW & MGISP, \$994,900), by Medaglia d'Oro

2nd Dam: Golden Way (Ire), by Cadeaux Genereux (GB) 3rd Dam: Diavolina, by Lear Fan

1ST BLACK TYPE WIN, 1ST GRADED STAKES WIN, 1ST GRADE I WIN. O/B-Godolphin (KY); T-Brendan P. Walsh; J-Tyler Gaffalione. \$595,200. Lifetime Record: 6-3-2-0, \$813,200. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree. Werk Nick Rating: A.

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Revocable Trust; B-Mary Sullivan (KY); T-Ian Wilkes. \$192,000.						
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3--Adhamo (Ire), 123, c, 4, Intello (Ger)--Foreign Tune (GB), by Invincible Spirit (Ire). **1ST G1 BLACK TYPE.** (€250,000 3yo '21 ARARC). O-Michael Dubb, Madaket Stables LLC and Louis Lazzinnaro; B-Wertheimer et Frere (Ire); T-Chad Brown. \$96,000.

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Margins: NK, 6, 3/4. Odds: 7.10, 8.80, 2.40. Also Ran: Shirl's Speight, Tribhuvan (Fr), Public Sector (GB), Bizzee Channel, Cavalry Charge, Kentucky Ghost. Scratched: Ivar (Brz). Click for the Equibase.com chart, the TJCIS.com PPs or the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree. VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.

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Santin | Coady

OBLIGATORY LAST TO FIRST IN DISTAFF



Jose Ortiz celebrates aboard Obligatory | Coady

by Steve Sherack

LOUISVILLE, KY--In another zip code at the top of the stretch, Juddmonte homebred **Obligatory** (Curlin) turned in a furious stretch rally to record a career high in Saturday's GI Derby City Distaff S. at Churchill Downs.

Favored **Just One Time** (Not This Time), a last-out winner of Keeneland's GI Madison S., showed the way through fractions of :22.36 and :44.95 and hit the quarter pole as the one to catch. Obligatory, meanwhile, last of seven throughout, tipped out six wide beneath Jose Ortiz for the stretch run. Longshot **Four Graces** (Majesticperfection) took over from the pacesetter in deep stretch, but couldn't withstand the streaking gray, who came rolling over the top to get up by 3/4 of a length. It was another 2 1/2 lengths back to Just One Time in third.

"The only thing I reminded Jose [Ortiz] about beforehand was something he knew: her stretch run is her weapon," Hall of Fame trainer Bill Mott said. "The goal with a filly like this is to get her a Grade I. She loves Churchill; for whatever reason she just really does well at this track. She's won a Grade II and a Grade III here, so we pointed for this race to get her her Grade I. Glad she got it."

A 16-1 upset winner from out of the clouds in the GII Eight Belles S. on the GI Kentucky Oaks undercard last year, Obligatory's sophomore campaign also included second-place finishes in the GI Acorn S. June 5 and GI Cotillion S. Sept. 25. She entered the Derby City Distaff riding a two-race winning streak, capturing the GIII Chilukki S. in her season finale beneath the Twin Spires Nov. 20 and the GIII Hurricane Bertie S. at Gulfstream Mar. 12. She is now three-for-three at Churchill Downs. "She's a very nice mare," said Ortiz, who also won the GII Pat Day Mile earlier on the card. "I feel like she's getting better and better. I just waited and let her get into her own rhythm. They were going very fast on the front end. I was sitting at the back of the pack. I didn't want to sweep her off her feet to get a good finish. I was very happy with the trip I had. I swung a little wide because I felt like I had enough [horse]."

Pedigree Notes:

Obligatory becomes the 18th Grade I winner for Hill 'n' Dale's leading sire Curlin. He has sired 47 graded winners. Macho Uno is the broodmare sire of six graded winners, including GI Kentucky Derby starter Tawny Port (Pioneerof the Nile). This is his first Grade I winner in North America as a broodmare sire. Obligatory is a third-generation Juddmonte homebred. Juddmonte bought her unraced third dam, Nijinsky Star, for \$700,000 at the 1987 Keeneland November sale. Among the three stakes winners Nijinsky Star produced were Juddmonte's Viviana (Nureyev), who produced seven-time GISW Sightseek (Distant View) and dual GISW Tates Creek (Rahy). Another daughter was the conduit for Juddmonte's recent MGSW & MGISP Bonny South (Munnings) and Obligatory's dam is a half sister to French G1SW Etoile Montante (Miswaki). Obligatory's fourth dam is Hall of Famer Chris Evert (Swoon's Son), whose descendants include champion Chief's Crown (Danzig). The extended family is positively bursting with stakes performers, including recent G1 Saudi Cup runner-up Country Grammer (Tonalist). Uno Duo has a 2-year-old colt by Juddmonte's late Arrogate named Treble Clef and a yearling filly by Into Mischief. She was bred to Speightstown for this season.



Bill Mott & Jose Ortiz exchange congratulations | Coady







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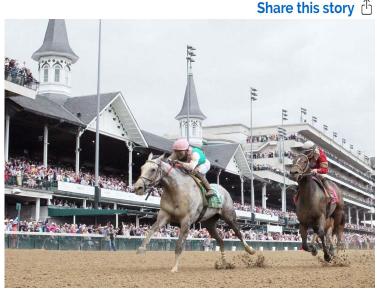
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Saturday, Churchill Downs DERBY CITY DISTAFF S. PRESENTED BY KENDALL-JACKSON WINERY-GI, \$750,000, Churchill Downs, 5-7, 4yo/up, f/m, 7f, 1:22.17, ft. 1--OBLIGATORY, 123, f, 4, by Curlin 1st Dam: Uno Duo (SW, \$171,300), by Macho Uno 2nd Dam: Willstar, by Nureyev 3rd Dam: Nijinsky Star, by Nijinsky II 1ST GRADE I WIN. O/B-Juddmonte Farms Inc (KY); T-William I. Mott; J-Jose L. Ortiz. \$455,700. Lifetime Record: 11-5-2-0, \$1,228,594. Werk Nick Rating: A++. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree. (BF) ELIGIBLE FOR KY BREEDERS' INCENTIVE FUND AWARDS UP TO \$7,500 2--Four Graces, 123, m, 5, by Majesticperfection 1st Dam: Ivory Empress (GSP, \$189,402), by Seeking the Gold 2nd Dam: Madame Pandit, by Wild Again **3rd Dam: Tuesday Evening, by Nodouble 1ST G1 BLACK TYPE**. O/B-Whitham Thoroughbreds, LLC (KY); T-lan R. Wilkes. \$147,000. **P** LAMBHOLM SOUTH Training Graduate 3--Just One Time, 123, f, 4, by Not This Time 1st Dam: Ida Clark, by Speightstown 2nd Dam: Eliza Donner, by Oh Say 3rd Dam: Witch Wabbit, by Salem O-Warriors Reward, LLC and Commonwealth New Era Racing; B-Warrior's Reward LLC (PA); T-Brad H. Cox. \$73,500. 53 Dam purchased by SCHUMER BLOODSTOCK CONGRATS IDA CLARK PARTNERSHIP! McMAHON & HILL Margins: 3/4, 2HF, NK. Odds: 3.80, 16.20, 1.50.

Also Ran: Bell's the One, Kimari, Edgeway, Center Aisle. Scratched: Lady Rocket. Click for the Equibase.com chart, the TJCIS.com PPs or the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree. VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.



Obligatory rallies to victory | *Coady*

'JACK' IS BACK!



Jack Christopher takes the Pat Day Mile | Coady

By Christie DeBernardis

In the post-race interview, trainer Chad Brown compared Saturday's impressive GII Pat Day Mile winner **Jack Christopher** (Munnings) to Hall of Famer Ghostzapper (Awesome Again), who Brown worked with while under the tutelage of Bobby Frankel. Like Jack Christopher, Ghostzapper also missed the Triple Crown series and focused on races around one turn during his 3-year-old season before blossoming into a top handicap horse at four, including a win in the GI Breeders' Cup Classic.

"This horse reminds me a lot of Ghostzapper, I was fortunate to work with that horse, he moves about the same as him and that one had a few rough patches as well," Brown said. "He has a lot more to do, how far we'll see. It's a wonderful victory, very gratifying, but it's bittersweet that we got him to the first Saturday in May [but not the Derby], which we had been thinking about since he debuted at Saratoga. To get him here on the first Saturday in May, and to get him to the winner's circle, it'll always be in the back of my mind what could have been. It is what it is."

While those are some big shoes to fill, and whether a 10-furlong Classic is in Jack Christopher's future remains to be seen, but he's certainly off to a good start with three impressive victories from as many starts.

Well hyped heading into his six-panel debut at Saratoga Aug. 28, the flashy chestnut--who is the spitting image of his sire-more than lived up to the buzz with a dazzling 8 3/4-length score, earning **'TDN Rising Star'** honors. He followed suit with a decisive score in Belmont's one-mile GI Champagne S. Oct. 2, earning a 102 Beyer Speed Figure. The early favorite for the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile, the \$135,000 FTKOCT buy was scratched by the vets the night before the race. **Cont. p16**

Pat Day Mile cont.

A stress fracture was discovered in his left shin which required a screw and he did not return to Brown until February, making the GI Kentucky Derby basically impossible.

Hammered down to 3-5 favoritism for this return, Jack Christopher brushed with his inside neighbor a bit after the break, but was kept steady by Jose Ortiz and tugged his way up three wide between horses to establish position exiting the chute. He pressed from a joint second as GII Best Pal S. winner **Pappacap** (Gun Runner) clocked early fractions of :22.70 and :45.61. Sidling up besides the pacesetter on the backstretch run, the Brown pupil seized command at the top of the stretch with Pappcap still to his inside and GIII Swale S. victor **My Prankster** (Into Mischief) ranging up to challenge on the outside. Neither proved to be any match for Jack Christopher, who was kept to task by Ortiz when he began to drift slightly in the lane and gunned clear in the final sixteenth to win as he pleased. Pappacap held second over My Prankster.

"We asked a lot of him today after a long layoff and an injury,"

Brown said. "Coming off of a layoff, you never know, especially running a mile. I had a really good feel, here on Derby Day, I asked a lot of him. I chose this race because I wanted him to run against his own age group, and I didn't want to sprint the horse. I wanted to run him in a race that allowed him to stretch his legs a little bit, get comfortable at some point of the race, protect him, and to move him forward. It certainly worked today."

The Eclipse winner continued, "Jose did a great job, he got squeezed a little bit at the start, and made the good decision to use him early to move him up and out and in the clear. He really took control of the race at that point. At the end of the day, he's a super talented race horse and if we can keep him on the track, we'll see a lot of great things from him."

"Cutting back to one mile brought my horse's 'A' game today," Ortiz said. "I was worried around the three-eighths pole because I thought if there was one horse that could beat me it was Pappacap after he ran so well last time [fourth in the GI Curlin Florida Derby]. So I moved into him and when I got to him at the five-sixteenths, I felt like I had him." **Cont. p17**



Jack Christopher sets sail for home in the Pat Day Mile | Coady

Pat Day Mile cont.

Ortiz continued, "I heard Flavien [Prat on Pappacap] asking for more and he wasn't getting anywhere. So I was confident and waited longer so I had plenty horse for the end."

Pedigree Notes:

Jack Christopher is one of five Grade I winners for Coolmore's Munnings and one of three of his offspring to secure that toplevel score in 2021 along with Eda and Kimari. Breeder Castleton Lyons purchased the winner's dam Rushin No Blushin for \$70,000 at the 2014 KEENOV sale in foal to Congrats. The halfsister to MGISW sire Street Boss (Street Cry {Ire}) did not have much luck at first. The resulting foal died and her next two foals did not do much running. She was barren in 2018 and then came Jack Christopher. The 13-year-old mare's only foal since is a juvenile filly by Mo Town. Rushing No Blushing failed to get back in foal to Munnings for 2022 and visited Complexity last spring. This is also the family of graded winners Bellera, Life Imitates Art and Beyond Blame.

Saturday, Churchill Downs

PAT DAY MILE S. PRESENTED BY LG&E AND KU-GII, \$500,000, Churchill Downs, 5-7, 3yo, 1m, 1:34.81, ft.

1--JACK CHRISTOPHER, 122, c, 3, by Munnings



1st Dam: Rushin No Blushin, by Half Ours 2nd Dam: Blushing Ogygian, by Ogygian 3rd Dam: Fruhlingshochzeit, by Blushing Groom (Fr)

(\$145,000 RNA Ylg '20 FTKSEL; \$135,000 Ylg '20 FTKOCT). **'TDN Rising Star'**. O-Jim Bakke, Gerry Isbister, Coolmore Stud and White Birch Farm, Inc.; B-Castleton Lyons & Kilboy Estate (KY); T-Chad C. Brown; J-Jose L. Ortiz. \$291,400. Lifetime Record: GISW, 3-3-0-0, \$621,400. Werk Nick Rating: A. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.

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O/B-Rustlewood Farm, Inc. (FL); T-Mark E. Casse. \$94,000.
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3My Prankster, 120, c, 3, Into MischiefMy Wandy's Girl, by
Flower Alley. (\$600,000 Ylg '20 FTKSEL). O-Lawana L. and
Robert E. Low; B-Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC (KY);
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Margins: 3 3/4, HD, 2. Odds: 0.70, 7.50, 8.20.

Also Ran: O Captain, Trafalgar, Doppelganger, Tejano Twist, Kavod, Major General, Trademark, Ben Diesel. Scratched: Howling Time. **Click for the Equibase.com chart, the TJCIS.com PPs or the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree. VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

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Saturday, Churchill Downs

LONGINES CHURCHILL DISTAFF TURF MILE S.-GII, \$500,000, Churchill Downs, 5-7, 4yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:37.47, fm.

1--SPEAK OF THE DEVIL (FR), 118, m, 5, by Wootton Bassett (GB) 1st Dam: Moranda (Fr), by Indian Rocket (GB) 2nd Dam: Spain, by Bering (GB)

3rd Dam: Sevilliana (GB), by General Holme

1ST GRADED STAKES WIN. (€45,000 Wlg '17 ARQDE; €62,000 Ylg '18 AROYRG; €1,950,000 4yo '21 ARQDEC). O-Peter M. Brant; B-Herve Viallon (FR); T-Chad C. Brown; J-Flavien Prat. \$306,900. Lifetime Record: Hwt. Older Mare-Fr at 7-9.5f, MSW & MG1SP-Fr 15-6-3-2, \$604,576. *1/2 to Morando (FR) (Kendargent (FR)), MGSW-Eng, GSP-Fr, \$374,805. Werk Nick Rating: D. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.

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2--In Italian (GB), 118, f, 4, Dubawi (Ire)--Florentina (Aus), by Redoute's Choice (Aus). 'TDN Rising Star' (475,000gns Ylg '19 TATOCT). O-Peter M. Brant; B-Fairway Thoroughbreds (GB); T-Chad C. Brown. \$99,000.

3--Wakanaka (Ire), 118, f, 4, Power (GB)--Storyline (Ire), by Kodiac (GB). (£3,500 Ylg '19 GOFFPR). O-Team Valor International & Gary Barber; B-Mrs Jean Brennan (IRE); T-William I. Mott. \$49,500.

Margins: 2 3/4, 3, 3. Odds: 1.10, 2.20, 4.50.

Also Ran: Lady Speightspeare, Flower Point, Abscond. Scratched: Mona Stella, She Can't Sing. Click for the Equibase.com chart, the TJCIS.com PPs or the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree. VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.

Peter Brant's €\$1.95-million investment at last year's Arqana December sale to acquire Speak of the Devil (Fr) (Wootton Bassett {GB}) looks like it might be paying off as the even-money favorite in Saturday's GII Churchill Distaff Turf Mile S. showed off an uncommon turn-of-foot to blow away fellow Brant/Chad Brown representative and **'TDN Rising Star'** In Italian. The victory came almost exactly 24 hours after Brant and Brown celebrated another victory with a fast-finishing female in stillunbeaten GIII Modesty S. heroine Bleecker Street (Quality Road). Brown saddled the exacta in that event as well, and Brown and Brant also took last year's Distaff Turf Mile. **Cont.**

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Speak of the Devil | Coady Photo

Having previously carried the colors of Rashit Shaykhutdinov, Speak of the Devil's career highlights in her native country included a nose second in the 2020 G1 Poule d'Essai des Pouliches for Fabrice Chappet and a head third in last August's G1 Prix Rothschild after being transferred to Frederic Rossi. She returned to winning ways with victories in Saint-Cloud's Oct. 31 Prix Isola Bella and Nov. 16 Prix Tantieme before heading off to auction.

Entering with plenty of buzz off a sharp-looking worktab mostly at Payson Park, the bay sat at the back early as In Italian cleared off easily and doled out splits of :24.86 and :49.70 while kept off the fence. With second trailer Wakanaka also traveling well off the inside, pilot Flavien Prat on the eventual winner opted for an early move entering the home bend. Slicing inside of Wakanaka and then out into the clear, Speak of the Devil and Prat were all the way up to challenge In Italian in a practical blink of an eye. In Italian punched back along the fence as Speak of the Devil continued on far out in the course, but the latter ultimately had an extra gear or two and scampered home much the best.

"I thought I was in some good holes, but for some reason she was not progressing down the backside," said Prat. "So I decided to drop down to the inside, and as soon as I called on her she cut really well. The track feels very good after all the rain."

"So lucky to have this filly," Brown said. "She was turned her over to us last fall. Every week she kept getting better and indicated everything you want to see. You hate to run these fillies against each other, but really there's not a lot of options out there at a mile right now, so we let them settle it on the racetrack and today Speak of the Devil was better."

Speak of the Devil was not the first 2021 Arqana December Breeding Stock Sale seven-figure alumni to succeed on the racecourse in recent days--€2.5-million buy Grand Glory (GB) (Olympic Glory {Ire}) took the May 1 G3 Prix Allex France Longines at ParisLongchamp in the colors of Haras de Hus.

Pedigree Notes:

Speak of the Devil is the 17th group/graded winner for her sire, and eighth out of a mare by Indian Rocket. Her dam is a half to MGSW winner Myasun (Fr) (Panis) and a full to SW Matwan (Fr), who is the dam of a group winner, a stakes winner, a groupplaced runner and a stakes-placed runner. Moranda has a 2-year-old filly by Anodin (Ire) and a yearling colt by Best Solution (Ire).

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Peter Brant & wife Stephanie Seymour lead Speak of the Devil in Coady Photo

Saturday, Churchill Downs

AMERICAN TURF S. PRESENTED BY BMW-GII, \$500,000, Churchill Downs, 5-7, 3yo, 1 1/16mT, 1:44.57, fm. 1--STOLEN BASE, 118, c, 3, by Bodemeister 1st Dam: Running Wild, by Indian Charlie 2nd Dam: Race Artist, by Mr. Prospector 3rd Dam: So Divine, by Staff Writer 1ST BLACK TYPE WIN, 1ST GRADED STAKES WIN. (\$45,000 2yo '21 OBSAPR; \$335,000 2yo '21 KEENOV). O-Three

Diamonds Farm and Deuce Greathouse; B-Peter E. Blum Thoroughbreds, LLC (KY); T-Michael J. Maker; J-Flavien Prat. \$294,500. Lifetime Record: 9-2-3-1, \$468,700. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree. Werk Nick Rating: A+++ *Triple Plus*.

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CD Distaff Turf Mile cont.

2--Balnikhov (Ire), 118, g, 3, Adaay (Ire)--Leeward, by First Defence. **1ST GRADED BLACK TYPE.** (€27,000 Ylg '20 ARDEAY). O-Little Red Feather Racing, Madaket Stables LLC and Old Bones Racing Stable, LLC; B-T. de La Heronnierre & Gestut Zur Kuste AG (IRE); T-Philip D'Amato. \$95,000.

A Hubert Guy Bloodstock Purchase

3--Sy Dog, 120, c, 3, Slumber (GB)--My Love Venezuela, by Scat Daddy. O-Head of Plains Partners LLC; B-Head of Plains Partners & Madaket Stables (KY); T-H. Graham Motion.
\$47,500.

Paul Sharp Training Graduate

Margins: 1 1/4, 1, 1. Odds: 5.60, 6.20, 2.10. Also Ran: Smokin' T, Portfolio Company, Red Run, Red Danger, Coinage, Main Event, Dowagiac Chief. Scratched: Royal Spirit. Click for the Equibase.com chart, the TJCIS.com PPs or the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree. VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.



Stolen Base | Coady Photo

Winless since a debut victory sprinting on the dirt in auctionprice-restricted company last July at Saratoga, Stolen Base scored a breakthrough win Saturday at surprisingly short 5-1 odds off a 12-1 morning-line quote.

Away cleanly, Stolen Base found a midpack spot a few paths off the fence but seemed a bit keen into the first bend as Coinage (Tapit) rushed up from the back to force the issue. Flavien Prat was able to settle the bay down and keep him in a perfect spot down the backside, and he began to inch closer on the outside into a 1:14.61 six-furlong split. California (by way of Ireland and France) invader Balnikhov--who missed the break-mounted a strong rally himself outside of Stolen Base, and those two threw it down in the stretch with Stolen Base finding a winning burst in the late stages.

"Manny [Franco] came at me [with Balnikhov] and my horse



American Turf trophy presentation | Coady Photo

seemed to regroup," said Prat. "I only rode him one time before (in the Bourbon), and there he wasn't having much interest in the race in the first part; but he still ran a great race. Today he jumped really well out of the gate and he felt like he was willing to get us into a good position to win."

After a well-beaten sixth in the GII Saratoga Special S. in August, Stolen Base switched to sod to be second in a Kentucky Downs optional claimer in September. He ran Tiz the Bomb (Hit It a Bomb) to 3/4 of a length in Keeneland's GII Bourbon S. Oct. 10, but could only manage seventh at long odds in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Turf Nov. 5. Bought back for \$335,000 during the horses of racing age portion of the Keeneland November sale, he was third as the favorite behind re-opposing Red Run (Gun Runner) in the Texas Turf Mile at Sam Houston Jan. 30. Second by just a neck to Tiz the Bomb in Turfway's John Battaglia Memorial S. on the Tapeta Mar. 5, Stolen Base was most recently seventh behind that one and next-out GIII Stonestreet Lexington S. winner and fellow GI Kentucky Derby entrant Tawny Port (Pioneerof the Nile) in the Apr. 2 GIII Jeff Ruby Steaks.

"He had no excuses today unlike last year in the Breeders' Cup and at Keeneland (in the Bourbon). We got away well, Flavien put him in a good position and just felt if we were good enough, there would be no excuses."

Pedigree Notes:

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The third-priciest 2-year-old sales grad by Bodemeister last year at \$45,000 off of a :21 2/5 breeze at OBS April, Stolen Base is the 10th graded winner by his already exported stallion, who was a tough-luck second in the 2012 GI Kentucky Derby before siring 2017 Derby winner Always Dreaming in his first crop. Always Dreaming is out of a mare by In Excess (Ire), the sire of Stolen Base's damsire Indian Charlie. **Cont. p20**

Am Turf Pedigree Note cont.

An excellent broodmare sire himself, Indian Charlie is responsible for the dams of 28 Northern Hemisphere graded winners, including the likes of last year's Derby runner-up Hot Rod Charlie (Oxbow) and the brilliant **'TDN Rising Star'** Flightline (Tapit).

The winner's dam is out of GSW Race Artist (Mr. Prospector), making her a half to \$900,000-plus earner and MSW/MGSP Cherokee Artist (Cherokee Run). This is also the family of MGISW sprinter/miler Silver Wagon (Wagon Limit).

Running Wild's 2-year-old filly named Racing (Candy Ride {Arg}) as a \$50,000 Keeneland September yearling, and her now yearling colt was a \$105,000 Keeneland November buy. Running Wild foaled an Honor A. P. filly Tuesday.

Saturday, Belmont Park

FORT MARCY S.-GII, \$200,000, Belmont, 5-7, 4yo/up, 1 1/8mT, 1:59.72, yl.

1--L'IMPERATOR (FR), 118, g, 5, by Holy Roman Emperor (Ire)
1st Dam: La Joie (Fr), by Montjeu (Ire)
2nd Dam: Last Trip (Fr), by Anabaa
3rd Dam: Lost Prairie, by Lyphard

1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN, 1ST GRADED STAKES WIN. (€80,000 RNA Ylg '18 ARAUG). O-Madaket Stables LLC, Wonder Stables & Robert V LaPenta; B-Jean-Pierre Dubois (FR); T-Chad C Brown; J-Eric Cancel. \$110,000. Lifetime Record: 12-6-0-2, \$292,941. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree. Werk Nick Rating: B+.

🗱 Purchased by Oceanic Bloodstock (Michel Zerolo) 🚟

2--Sacred Life (Fr), 120, r, 7, Siyouni (Fr)--Knyazhna (Ire), by Montjeu (Ire). (€50,000 Ylg '16 ARAUG). O-Michael Dubb, Madaket Stables LLC, Wonder Stables & Michael J Caruso;
B-Viktor Timoshenko & Andriy Milovanov (FR); T-Chad C Brown. \$40,000.

A Hubert Guy Private Purchase

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Hidden Brook Florida Graduate

3--Glynn County, 118, h, 5, Kitten's Joy--Quad Tens, by Rock Hard Ten. (\$45,000 Ylg '18 KEESEP; \$80,000 2yo '19 OBSAPR).
O-Three Diamonds Farm; B-Kenneth L & Sarah K Ramsey (KY); T-Michael J Maker. \$24,000.

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Margins: 3 1/4, HF, 14 1/4. Odds: 10.30, 3.90, 24.00. Also Ran: City Man, Rockemperor (Ire), King Cause, Starting Over. Scratched: Doswell. **Click for the Equibase.com chart, the TJCIS.com PPs or the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree. VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**



L'Imperator | Chelsea Durand

Chad Brown made it five consecutive wins--and six of the last eight--in Belmont's GII Fort Marcy S., taking this year's edition with L'Imperator (Fr). The four-time Eclipse-winning trainer was having a stellar day at Belmont, winning four of the first eight races, including the GII Sheepshead Bay S. with Virginia Joy (Ger) (Soldier Hollow {GB}).

In the Fort Marcy, L'Imperator broke last from the outside post, sped to engage King Cause (Creative Cause) on the lead for a few strides, then took over, slowing down the pace to lead by about a length through a first quarter of :25.49 and a half in :52.78 over the yielding ground. The bay started edging away on the turn while rider Eric Cancel, who also won the Fort Marcy last year for Brown, sat quietly. They exited the turn well in front, with Cancel giving the 5-year-old gelding a few righthanded taps to keep his mind on business before crossing the wire 3 1/4 lengths the best of stablemate Sacred Life (Fr).

"It wasn't really the plan [to go to the lead]," said Cancel, "but since he broke sharp and he put me there, I just took advantage of it. I didn't want to take away what he gave me easy, so I just ran with it."

Added Dan Stupp, assistant to Brown: "Eric [Cancel] came out here and did a great job putting him on the lead. This horse has hinted at ability and he showed up today with a great effort."

L'Imperator had won three straight in France during the prepandemic months while trained by Didier Guillemin, then came Stateside and made one start at Saratoga in the summer of 2020 before going to the bench for nearly a year. He's been up and down since then, getting a third in the GII Bernard Baruch H. in September, but only managing an optional claiming win since. He was last seen finishing off the board in the GIII Tampa Bay S. in his only previous start this year.

Pedigree Notes:

Coolmore Ireland stallion Holy Roman Emperor (Ire) is the sire of L'Imperator and 67 other black-type winners in the Northern Hemisphere, as well as 35 graded winners. The son of Danehill was champion French 2-year-old in 2006, the same year he won Group 1 events in both France and Ireland. Also having stood at Coolmore Ireland was L'Imperator's European champion damsire, Montjeu (Ire). The late stallion has 109 Northern Hemisphere-bred stakes winners out of his daughters with four black-type performers by Holy Roman Emperor. L'Imperator is inbred 3x4 to Danzig, who was the sire of Danehill and the sire of Anabaa, the broodmare sire of the Fort Marcy winner's granddam.

L'Imperator is a third-generation Jean-Pierre Dubois Frenchbred, while the two generations before that were both bred by Daniel Wildenstein's Allez France Stables. La Joie's last reported foal is an unnamed 2-year-old filly by Al Wukair (Ire).

Saturday, Belmont

WESTCHESTER S.-GIII, \$194,000, Belmont, 5-7, 4yo/up, 1m, 1:34.68, sy.

1--CODY'S WISH, 118, c, 4, by Curlin

1st Dam: Dance Card (GISW, \$502,200), by Tapit 2nd Dam: Tempting Note, by Editor's Note 3rd Dam: Tempt, by Devil's Bag

1ST BLACK TYPE WIN, 1ST GRADED STAKES WIN.

O/B-Godolphin (KY); T-William I. Mott; J-Junior Alvarado. \$110,000. Lifetime Record: 8-4-1-3, \$385,060. *1/2 to Endorsed (Medaglia d'Oro), MGSP, \$645,544. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree. Werk Nick Rating: A+++ *Triple Plus*.

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 2--Sound Money, 120, c, 4, Flatter--Vegas Trip, by Aldebaran.
 1ST BLACK TYPE, 1ST GRADED BLACK TYPE. (\$200,000 Wlg '18)

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3--Zoomer, 118, g, 6, Curlin--Rasindy, by A.P. Indy. **1ST BLACK TYPE, 1ST GRADED BLACK TYPE.** (\$245,000 RNA Ylg '17 FTSAUG). O-Winning Move Stable and Rideau Racers LLC; B-Robert E. & Lawana L. Low (KY); T-Linda Rice. \$24,000.

Margins: 5, 6HF, 5 3/4. Odds: 0.85, 3.00, 5.70.

Also Ran: Greatest Honour, Informative. **Click for the Equibase.com chart, the TJCIS.com PPs or the free Equineline.com cataloguestyle pedigree. VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**



Cody's Wish | Chelsea Durand

Cody's Wish became the second graded winner of the day for Curlin, Godolphin and Bill Mott with a victory in the GIII Westchester S. at Belmont Saturday. Racing two wide, the chalk moved up into second, stalking Sound Money through a :22.68 first quarter and :44.91 half-mile. The top two put some distance on their competitors on the backstretch and Cody's Wish took control approaching the far turn. The Mott trainee splashed clear with ease in the lane for a facile score. Sound Money held second over Curlin's Zoomer. Mott won the GI Derby City Distaff at Churchill Downs with Curlin's Obligatory and Godolphin was represented beneath the Twin Spires Saturday by GI Old Forester Bourbon Turf Classic winner Santin (Distorted Humor).

"I had to make a little move [in the turn] because the horse in front [Sound Money] kind of floated by the three-eighths pole a little wide and I didn't want anybody to really get through the rail," said winning rider Junior Alvarado. "At that point, I felt I had enough horse and figured he would carry me all the way to the wire. He's a big horse who needs a big, long run, so I knew it wouldn't be a problem."

Graduating at fourth asking going a mile at Churchill in October, Cody's Wish romped in an allowance at that venue Nov. 6 and followed suit with another allowance win beneath the Twin Spires 22 days later. Returning to action Mar. 12 in Tampa's GIII Challenger S., the homebred came up a neck short of next-out GIII Ben Ali S. winner Scalding (Nyquist).

Pedigree Notes:

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Cody's Wish is the 48th graded winner for Curlin and his 88th black-type winner. The winner's dam Dance Card was a \$750,000 FTFFEB purchase by Godolphin and went on to win the GI Gazelle S. for trainer Kiaran McLaughlin.

Cody's Wish Pedigree Note cont.

She is the second former McLaughlin trainee to produce a graded winner Saturday as his MGSW pupil Sentiero Italia (Medaglia d'Oro) is the dam of Santin. Dance Card has previously produced MGSP Endorsed (Medaglia d'Oro) and SP Bocephus (Medaglia d'Oro). Her only foal to make the races that does not have black-type is the unraced 5-year-old mare Dance Music (Ghostzapper). Dance Card did not produce foals in 2019 or 2020 on back-to-back covers by Into Mischief, but finally had a colt by that super sire in 2021 and was bred back to Street Sense.

Saturday, Belmont

SHEEPSHEAD BAY S.-GII, \$186,000, Belmont, 5-7, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 3/8mT, 2:30.88, yl.

1--VIRGINIA JOY (GER), 120, m, 5, by Soldier Hollow (GB)

1st Dam: Virginia Sun (Ger) (Hwt. Older Mare-Ger- at 14f+, GSW-Ger), by Doyen (Ire)

2nd Dam: Valdina (Ger), by Lomitas (GB) 3rd Dam: Val d'Etoile, by Big Shuffle

(€975,000 3yo '20 ARARC). O-Peter M Brant; B-Gestut Auenquelle (GER); T-Chad C Brown; J-Trevor McCarthy. \$110,000. Lifetime Record: GSW & G1SP-Ger, 11-5-2-1, \$435,557. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree. Werk Nick Rating: A++.

🇱 Purchased by Oceanic Bloodstock (Michel Zerolo) 🗱

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2--**Luck Money**, 119, m, 5, Lookin At Lucky--Flagrant, by Rahy. O/B-Catherine Wills (KY); T-Arnaud Delacour. \$40,000.

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3--Lovely Lucky, 118, m, 6, Lookin At Lucky--Dynaffair, by Dynaformer. 1ST BLACK TYPE, 1ST GRADED BLACK TYPE. (\$5,000 Ylg '17 FTKOCT). O-Elizabeth Mateo; B-Vartan Vartanov (KY); T-Thomas Albertrani. \$24,000.

Sold by Hunter Valley Farm

Margins: 14 1/4, 6HF, 20. Odds: 0.45, 4.80, 8.80.

Also Ran: Sister Otoole. Scratched: Mia Martina. Click for the Equibase.com chart, the TJCIS.com PPs or the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree. VIDEO, sponsored by

Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree. VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.

Virginia Joy became the second high-profile Arqana purchase for Peter Brant to win at the graded level Saturday, bossing three overmatched rivals from the front to take a boggy-turf renewal of the GII Sheepshead Bay S.

Connections left nothing to chance, asking the 2020 G1 Preis der Diana runner-up to take up the running, and she lobbed them along through opening fractions of :26.64 and :54.64, numbers more likely to be posted at Yonkers Raceway a handful



Virginia Joy | Susie Raisher

of miles away. Racing inside of Lovely Lucky through threequarters of a mile in 1:21.03, Virginia Joy was slipped some rein by Trevor McCarthy entering the second turn and opened a couple lengths on her closest pursuer. Never truly out of a high gallop, Virginia Joy went farther in front as they hit the stretch and crossed the line a double-digit winner.

"There wasn't a lot of speed in there. I just decided to put her up in the race and take control of the race," McCarthy said. "She handled the ground half-decent and the others probably didn't want that kind of ground, so that benefitted her even more."

A Group 3 victress in Germany in addition to her Classic placing for trainer Marcel Weiss, Virginia Joy fetched €975,000 from Brant to top that year's Arqana Arc Sale and was sent across the Atlantic. Winner of a 10-furlong allowance on her U.S. debut last April, Virginia Joy was only fourth to front-running Mean Mary (Scat Daddy) in the latter's GII New York S. title defense last June. A neck second in the 12-furlong River Memories S. the following month, Virginia Joy returned from a seven-month vacation to scoop the GIII The Very One S. going this trip over the Gulfstream turf course Mar. 5.

Pedigree Notes:

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Virginia Joy is one of 56 worldwide stakes winners--25 at the group/graded level--for her sire, four times the highweighted horse in Germany and Italy and two-time winner of the G1 Premio Roma. Virginia Joy's dam, a champion stayer in Germany, is a half-sister to another in the form of G3 Deutsches St Leger S. winner Valdino (Ger) (Black Sam Bellamy {Ire}). Virginia Sun, barren for 2020, foaled a colt by Sea The Stars (Ire) last year and a full-brother to Virginia Joy Mar. 25.

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Saturday, Santa Anita

SENORITA S.-GIII, \$100,500, Santa Anita, 5-7, 3yo, f, 1mT, 1:35.35, fm.

1--ISLAND OF LOVE (IRE), 120, f, 3, by Kodiac (GB) 1st Dam: Misham (GB), by Shamardal 2nd Dam: Mi Anna (Ger), by Lake Coniston (Ire) 3rd Dam: Medicenal (GB), by Robellino

1ST GRADED STAKES WIN. O-R Unicorn Stable; B-Razza Del Velino Srl (IRE); T-Philip D'Amato; J-Juan J Hernandez. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: SW-Ity, 5-3-1-0, \$109,755. **Werk Nick Rating:**

A++. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.

ANOTHER LEGEND BRED IN IRELAND 2--Sterling Crest (Ire), 120, f, 3, No Nay Never--Tamazug (GB), by Machiavellian. (\$135,000 Ylg '20 KEESEP; \$195,000 RNA 2yo '21 OBSMAR). O-Calvin Nguyen & Joey C Tran; B-Longueville Bloodstock (IRE); T-Richard Baltas. \$20,000.

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3--Baby Steps, 120, f, 3, Jimmy Creed--Competitivebalance, by Into Mischief. 1ST BLACK-TYPE, 1ST GRADED BLACK TYPE.
(\$70,000 2yo '21 OBSMAR). O-California Racing Partners, Ciaglia Racing LLC & Richard C Pearson; B-Summer Mayberry & Rick Rudman (FL); T-Ryan Hanson. \$12,000.

Margins: 2 1/4, 1 1/4, 3/4. Odds: 2.90, 2.60, 18.60.

Also Ran: Fuente Ovejuna (GB), Lucky Girl (Ire), Delmona (Ire). Click for the Equibase.com chart, the TJCIS.com PPs or the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree. VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.



Island of Love runs away in the Senorita | Benoit

Third time was a charm for Island of Love (Ire), who got her first U.S. win in her third U.S. start Saturday in Santa Anita's GIII Senorita S. The bay import broke in the clear and settled on the outside to track frontrunning Baby Steps, while Sterling Crest (Ire) snuck through on the inside to engage the leader. Island of Love was left a bit behind those two but still in the clear as reasonable fractions clicked by in :23.92 and :47.77. Island of Love pounced on the turn, as did Delmona (Ire) (Dandy Man {Ire}), and four came into the lane together on nearly even terms. The winner strode clear with ease, leaving Sterling Crest 2 1/4 lengths back in her wake.

"Juan [Hernandez] just put her in the right position today, gave her a chance to win," said winning trainer Phil D'Amato. "She kind of had been stuck in a box in the last two and today no excuses, she answered the call. I think a mile is well within her realm, I mean the way she accelerated in the stretch today, I think she can maybe handle a little bit further, but a mile is probably her sweet spot."

Island of Love began her career in Italy last September, where she ran two races in nine days and won both by a combined 9 1/2 lengths while trained by A. Botti. She reappeared in a new country for the new year, debuting Jan. 30 with a runner-up effort in the Lady Shamrock S. behind Lucky Girl (Ire) (Exceed And Excel {Aus}). She was beaten by that one again when finishing fourth Mar. 6 in the China Doll S. Like the Senorita, both those were contested at a mile on the Santa Anita sod. Lucky Girl finished fifth behind Island of Love Saturday.

Pedigree Notes:

Ireland's Tally-Ho Stud stands Kodiac (GB), who is likely best known on this side of the pond as the sire of Campanelle (Ire), last seen winning the Giant's Causeway S. at Keeneland in April, but also highweighted in France and England and the winner of Group 1 races in both countries. Kodiac is the sire of 78 Northern Hemisphere-bred black-type winners, with Island of Love boosting his graded winners to 37. The Senorita winner's dam sire is the late Shamardal, who has 70 stakes winners out of his daughters.

In addition to Island of Love, four other black-type performers are by Kodiac out of Shamardal mares, including MG1SW Hello Youmzain (Fr), MGSW Gifted Master (Ire), and GSW Umm Kulthum (Ire).

Island of Love is the first named foal out of Misham (GB), who also has a 2-year-old colt named Kobe (Ire) (Ribchester {Ire}). The latter sold to J. Walsh Bloodstock as a weanling at the 2020 Goffs November Foal Sale for \notin 20,000.

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OAKS FINISHERS ALL WELL ON SATURDAY; PREAKNESS NEXT FOR OATH?



The Oaks field return in good order | Coady photo

More than 12 hours after winning his fifth GI Kentucky Oaks with Briland Farm's **Secret Oath** (Arrogate), Hall of Fame trainer D. Wayne Lukas was back on his pony leading his horses out to train Saturday morning at 5:15 a.m. He reported that his star filly came out of the race well and now has several options ahead of her, including the GII Black-Eyed Susan S. and the GI Preakness S. May 20 and 21, respectively, at Pimlico.

"She bounced back very quickly last night and she's very sharp here this morning," Lukas said. "Looks very good. We're tickled to see her come out of that tough race and to be bouncing around here this morning. She's excellent.

"I'm going to let a few days go by and then I'll get with [owner] Rob Mitchell. I'll let him have an opinion. The Preakness is an option, but so is the Black-Eyed Susan. The big difference is a million dollars and a Grade I. Would be nice to get her a second Grade I.

"She ran a picture-perfect race, a beautiful trip. It kind of went the way we had mapped it out. When Luis moved into position down the backstretch, I told [my wife] Laurie that we were going to be okay."

Lukas scratched his Kentucky Derby entry Ethereal Road (Quality Road) on Friday and said the Preakness might also be a possibility for him.

"I thought if I ran him today (in the Derby), I'd have no shot of going on with him," Lukas said. "I have run him a lot between Oaklawn and Keeneland. I didn't think he'd win, so I took him out and now we have the option of the Preakness."

Pletcher Trio In Good Form...

The Todd Pletcher trio of second-placed **Nest (Curlin)**, sixth-placed **'TDN Rising Star' Shahama** (Munnings) and the

11th-placed **Goddess of Fire** (Mineshaft) all came back in good form, Pletcher said Saturday morning, and will most likely all head to his Belmont Park base.

"They're all likely to be headed up to New York," said Pletcher. "We've got to do some checking on flight schedules, but they'll be headed out in the next little while."

Third-Place Desert Dawn Eats Up...

Exercise rider Roman Cecher was overseeing business at 5:15 Saturday morning at Barn 43 where H and E Ranch's Arizona-bred **Desert Dawn** (Cupid) had set up shop this past week in anticipation of her start in the Oaks.

Trainer Phil D'Amato said he was exhilarated after his filly's third-place finish, worth \$113,750 to her connections. She finished 2 1/2 lengths behind winner Secret Oath and just a half-length back of second-place Nest.

"She came back from the race really well," Cecher said. "She ate everything up last night. The filly ran huge for us and we thought she was going to get second. Everybody was very pleased." He said that plans for Desert Dawn were still to be decided.

The connections of all of the other Oaks runners reported no problems with their fillies Saturday morning.

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RAIN, WIND FORCE OPENING DAY CANCELLATION AT MONMOUTH

Due to heavy rain and high winds that have been affecting the Jersey Shore region all day Saturday, officials at Monmouth Park were forced to cancel the track's season-opening program that was scheduled to get underway at 2 p.m. ET.

The track was to remain open for full-card simulcasting, including Saturday's Kentucky Derby card from Churchill Downs.

Racing is scheduled to resume on Mother's Day Sunday, May 8, with nine live races beginning at 12:15 p.m. ET. The main event is the \$100,000 Serena's Song S. for older fillies and mares going 8 1/2 furlongs on the main track.

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Sunday, Belmont #8, post time: 4:51 p.m. EDT

RUFFIAN S.-GII, \$200,000, 4yo/up, f/m, 1m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	ML
1	Bank Sting	Central Banker	Hidden Brook Farm, McMahon, Joseph and Anne	Terranova II	Prat	8-1
2	Lady Rocket 🕋	Tale of the Cat	Frank Fletcher Racing Operations & Ten Strike Racing	Cox	Velazquez	2-1
3	Royal Flag	Candy Ride (Arg)	W.S. Farish	Brown	Rosario	8-5
4	Search Results 🕋	Flatter	Klaravich Stables, Inc.	Brown	Ortiz, Jr.	7-2
5	Zaajel	Street Sense	Shadwell Stable	Pletcher	Saez	15-1
6	Make Mischief	Into Mischief	Gary Barber	Casse	Davis	5-1

Breeders: 1-McMahon of Saratoga Thoroughbreds, LLC, 2-La Ciega LLC & Tale Of The Cat Syndicate, 3-W. S. Farish, 4-Machmer Hall, 5-Shadwell Farm, LLC, 6-Avanti Stable

Sunday, Woodbine #6, post time: 3:53 p.m. EDT

WHIMSICAL S.-GIII, C\$150,000, 4yo/up, f/m, 6f (AWT)

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F	PP HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	ML
1	Lorena	Souper Speedy	McLellan, Bren & Russell, Olguin, Kai & Simon, Stuart C.	Simon	Boulanger	10-1
2	2 Dreaming of Drew	Speightster	Hoolie Racing Stable, LLC & Madaket Stables LLC	Minshall	Husbands	4-1
З	B Dirty Dangle 🕋	Not This Time	Eclipse Thoroughbred Partners & Barber, Gary	Casse	Hernandez	12-1
4	Artie's Princess	We Miss Artie	Ramsey, Kenneth L. and Sarah K.	Joseph, Jr.	Gutierrez	2-1
5	5 Boardroom	Commissioner	LNJ Foxwoods	Carroll	Contreras	9-5
6	6 Our Secret Agent	Secret Circle	Gary Barber	Casse	Kimura	6-1
7	/ Millennium Force 🕋	Declaration of War	TEC Racing	Drexler	Gallardo	20-1

Breeders: 1-Dr. Liam Gannon, 2-WinStar Farm, LLC, 3-Nancy Shuford, 4-Kenneth L. Ramsey & Sarah K. Ramsey, 5-Polo Green Stable, Inc., 6-Paul Tackett Revocable Trust, 7-Huntington Stud Farm Corp.



NORTH AMERICAN RACING

INTO MISCHIEF FIRSTER CLOSES DERBY DAY WITH A BANG



Godolphin's Flashing winning the 2009 Test S. | Sarah Andrew

The Brad Cox barn was perhaps a bit quieter than usual for most of Saturday's GI Kentucky Derby card, but it unveiled one in the finale who could very well play a role in major races later this season with a **'TDN Rising Star'**-worthy unveiling.

Backed down to 8-5 favoritism off of sharp-looking works, Godolphin homebred **Strobe** (Into Mischief) zoomed out of the gate from his high draw and quickly cleared. He zipped along through strong splits of :21.73 and :45.34, and never looked back to run up the score to about five lengths in a snappy 1:08.71. Frequent runner-up **Bourbon Heist** (Practical Joke) completed his sixth career exacta.

Strobe is the fourth winner from five to race out of his dam Flashing (A.P. Indy), victorious in the GI Test S. and GI Gazelle S. and third in the GI Mother Goose S. in 2009 while officially trained by Saeed bin Suroor. Flashing is a daughter of Morning Pride, winner of the 1999 G3 Prix du Bois as a juvenile for trainer Andre Fabre, while the deeper female family includes Canadian champion Key to the Moon, GI Kentucky Oaks winner Seaside Attraction and GISW Gorgeous.

Strobe, a half-brother to Floodlight (Medaglia d'Oro), SW & MGSP-Fr, \$111,885, is the 31st '**Rising Star**' for his allconquering sire and, after not producing a foal in 2020 or 2021, was most recently covered by <u>Street Boss</u>.





14th-Churchill Downs, \$121,904, Msw, 5-7, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:08.71, ft, 4 1/2 lengths.

STROBE, c, 3, by Into Mischief

1st Dam: Flashing (MGISW, \$633,226), by A.P. Indy 2nd Dam: Morning Pride (Ire), by Machiavellian 3rd Dam: Wilayif, by Danzig

Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$69,460. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG. Click for the free Equineline.com catalog-style pedigree.

O-Godolphin LLC; B-Godolphin (KY); T-Brad H Cox.

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IN ORDER OF PURSE:

KNICKS GO OVERNIGHT S. PRESENTED BY L&N FEDERAL CREDIT UNION, \$159,800, Churchill Downs, 5-7, (C), 4yo/up, 1m, 1:35.48, ft.

1--**THREE TECHNIQUE, 118, h, 5, Mr Speaker--Nite in Rome** (**GSP**), by Harlan's Holiday. (\$50,000 Wlg '17 KEENOV; \$180,000 Ylg '18 FTKJUL; \$47,000 RNA 4yo '21 KEENOV). **1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN.** O-David E. Miller; B-Omega Farm LLC & Bally Breeders (KY); T-Jason G. Cook; J-Rafael Bejarano. \$94,366. Lifetime Record: GSP, 23-4-5-5, \$475,411. *1/2 to Stan the Man (Broken Vow), MSW & MGSP, \$556,124.

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2--**Injunction**, 118, g, 4, Skipshot--Valid Valencia, by Northern Afleet. **1ST BLACK TYPE.** O-J&G Stables, LLC and Vaccarezza, Nicholas; B-Mikhail Yanakov (KY); T-Carlo Vaccarezza. \$30,860.

3--South Bend, 118, h, 5, Algorithms--Sandra's Rose, by Old Trieste. (\$47,000 RNA Ylg '18 FTKJUL; \$70,000 2yo '19 OBSMAR). O-Pantofel Stable, LLC, Wachtel Stable, Barber, Gary and Deutsch, Peter; B-Highclere Inc. (KY); T-William I. Mott. \$15,430.

Pick View LLC Graduate

Margins: 1, NO, 1 3/4. Odds: 36.80, 4.20, 7.00. Also Ran: Necker Island, Dream Shake, Shared Sense, Gun It, A C Expressway, Endorsed, Perfect Speighty, Frosted Grace. Scratched: Major Fed. **Cont. p2**

Knicks Go S.

The betting public saw little reason to get behind **'TDN Rising Star'** Three Technique as he broke from the gate at 36-1 off a sixth-place finish in the GIII Commonwealth S. Apr. 9 at Keeneland and a far-back seventh in the Big Daddy S. Mar. 12 at Turfway Park.

He came away near the rear of the field in eighth just off the rail and sat far back through three-quarters in 1:10.28. Three Technique made a big move six wide around the far turn, came past the leaders in mid-stretch and drove clear late to win by one length over Injunction.

"The horse had a good trip. I finally got him in the clear this time," said jockey Rafael Bejarano. "The horse was ready today and I was very happy for him and the owners."

The winner's dam produced a 2-year-old colt named Carcano (Bolt d'Oro) and a yearling colt by Vino Rosso. She was bred back to McKinzie for 2022. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.



Three Technique | Coady

ENGLISH CHANNEL S., \$75,000, Gulfstream, 5-7, 3yo, 1mT, 1:36.66, fm.

1--CALIFORNIA FROLIC, 120, c, 3, by California Chrome 1st Dam: Curlin's Frolic, by Curlin 2nd Dam: Frolic's Appeal, by Trippi 3rd Dam: Cherokyfrolicflash, by Green Dancer

(\$75,000 RNA Wlg '19 KEENOV; \$50,000 Ylg '20 KEESEP; \$32,000 2yo '21 OBSAPR). **1ST BLACK TYPE WIN.** O-Julian J. De Mora, Jr.; B-Steven Friedfertig & Taylor Made Sales Agency (KY); T-Armando De La Cerda; J-Edgar Perez. \$45,570. Lifetime Record: 6-3-1-1, \$108,950.

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2--Bob Marco, 118, c, 3, Arrogate--Astray, by Bernardini.
(\$250,000 Ylg '20 KEESEP). 1ST BLACK TYPE. O-Flying Pheasant Farm, LLC; B-Machmer Hall (KY); T-Mary E. Eppler.
\$14,700.

(M)Bred by, Born & Raised at Machmer Hall & Sales Graduate

3--Old Town Road, 120, c, 3, Classic Empire--Pi Bella, by Pioneering. 1ST BLACK TYPE. O-Daniel Alonso; B-Buck Pond Farm, Inc. (KY); T-Amador Merei Sanchez. \$7,350.

Another Winner Bred by BUCK POND FARM Margins: NK, NK, NK. Odds: 7.00, 7.50, 3.90.

Also Ran: Merlin, Tapthespeedofsound, Vladislav, I'll Figure It Out.

California Frolic tried turf for the first time and came away with a victory in Gulfstream's English Channel S., making it three wins out of his last four starts. Originally trained by Saffie Joseph, Jr. for Steven Friedfertig, he was claimed for \$50,000 out of his maiden win on the all-weather surface Nov. 21 by these connections. He made it two in a row on the synthetic Dec. 24, then got a third Jan. 19 and had been freshened since.

Reappearing in the English Channel, California Frolic was covered up early as rider Edgar Perez tapped the breaks. Let go on the turn and in the clear, the chestnut tipped widest of all to rally furiously down the center of the lane, propelling him from fifth to the front in moments as he devoured the ground with giant strides. Switching to his wrong lead late, he caught the pack of three battling for the lead not a moment too soon, nailing the wire by a neck with the next three each a neck apart.

The winner's unraced dam died earlier this year, as did her 2022 Union Rags foal. She leaves behind a 2-year-old fullbrother to California Frolic named Sunshine Frolic and a yearling colt by West Coast. Curlin's Frolic's dam was a half-sister to Canadian champion Hunters Bay (Ghostzapper) and to six-time GSW & GISP Smok'n Frolic (Smoke Glacken). Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.

HONEY RYDER S., \$75,000, Gulfstream, 5-7, 3yo, f, 1mT, 1:36.18, fm.

1--OCEAN SAFARI, 118, f, 3, by Temple City 1st Dam: Media Access (SW, \$211,372), by Devil's Bag 2nd Dam: Foufa, by Storm Bird 3rd Dam: Afifa, by Dewan

(\$7,000 Ylg '20 KEEJAN; \$19,000 RNA Ylg '20 EASOCT; \$42,000 2yo '21 OBSMAR). **1ST BLACK TYPE WIN**. O-Soldi Stable LLC and Ohana Racing LLC; B-Cricket Hooper & Athens Woods LLC (KY); T-Gilberto Zerpa; J-Hector Isaac Berrios. \$44,640. Lifetime Record: 6-2-2-1, \$106,190. *1/2 to Access to Charlie (Indian Charlie), MSW, \$260,220; Bear Access (Gators N Bears), SW, \$146,360.



Honey Ryder S. cont.

2--**Omixochitl**, 118, f, 3, More Than Ready--Goodbye Kid, by Lemon Drop Kid. **1ST BLACK TYPE**. O/B-St. George Stables, LLC (KY); T-Fausto Gutierrez. \$14,400.

3--Love Her Lots, 118, f, 3, Cupid--Curtain Call, by Congrats.
(\$19,000 RNA Wlg '19 KEENOV; \$14,000 Ylg '20 FTKOCT;
\$20,000 2yo '21 OBSMAR). 1ST BLACK TYPE. O-Kevin A. Dole, Debbie Gagne and Ronald B. Spatz; B-Moreau Bloodstock International, Inc. (KY); T-Ronald B. Spatz. \$7,200.
Margins: HF, 1, 1. Odds: 7.70, 8.10, 3.20.

Also Ran: Rapturous, Lemieux, Diamond Wow, Empress Ellie, Unbridled Ensign, Big Tentations. Scratched: Fawning, Lady Puchi.

Ocean Safari kicked clear late to run down rivals on her way to victory in the Honey Ryder S. to secure her first career black-type win.

A breakthrough winner Sept. 10 at this track and second in the local Ginger Brew S. Jan. 1 for her 3-year-old bow, the Gilberto Zerpa trainee was a tired sixth in her first start at 1 1/16 miles in the GIII Sweetesst Chant S. Sent off here at 7-1 odds, Ocean Safari tracked the pace from the rail behind Omixochitl early. Kicked to the three path for her rally, she was charging hard on the grandstand side and the momentum carried her over the top in the shadow of wire. The runner-up tried valiantly but couldn't hold off the victress in the end.

A half to four winners, two of which stakes fillies, and three winner producers, Ocean Safari hails from a busy female family. She is her dam's flag-bearer as the last registered offspring for Media Access. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO**, **sponsored by TVG.**



Ocean Safari (purple cap) | Ryan Thompson

FIRST WINNER FOR FRESHMAN SIRE

TURF PARADISE OPEN SPRING FUTURITY, (NB) \$137,685, Turf Paradise, 5-7, 2yo, 5f, :56.50, ft.

1--ONE IN VERMILLION, 124, c, 2, by Army Mule 1st Dam: Given Star, by Any Given Saturday 2nd Dam: Queens Carousel, by Afternoon Deelites 3rd Dam: Irving's Girl, by Badger Land

(\$26,000 Ylg '21 ARZNOV). O-Jonathan Kalman; B-Richard Barton Enterprises (CA); T-Esteban Martinez; J-Harry Hernandez. \$51,611. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$55,908. *First winner for freshman sire (by Friesan Fire).

- 2--**Diamonds Danzing**, 121, f, 2, Danzing Candy--Temper, by Giant's Causeway. (\$19,500 Ylg '21 ARZNOV). O-Jeremy Ramsland; B-H & E Ranch (CA); T-Miguel L Hernandez. \$20,537.
- 3--**Beyond Awesome**, 121, f, 2, Boos--Camille, by Rocky Bar. (\$8,000 Ylg '21 ARZNOV). O-Jeremy Ramsland; B-Triple AAA Ranch (AZ); T-Justin R Evans. \$22,769.

Margins: 2 1/4, 1HF, 8 3/4. Odds: 2.40, 2.80, 1.00.

Also Ran: Arizona Kalei, Panzer Pride, Scatalicious, Little Axe Soul, Natural Immunity, Paisley's Vision.

One In Vermillion became the first winner for his freshman sire (by Friesan Fire) with a comfortable victory in this valuable non black-type event. Sent off the second favorite on the strength of a debut runner-up effort behind Pop d'Oro (Bolt d'Oro) in an Apr. 13 Futurity Trial, One In Vermillion settled just off the pace of favored Beyond Awesome, knuckled down entering the final furlong and pulled clear late. **Click for the Equibase.com chart.**

Sunday, Santa Anita, post time: 6:07p.m. EDT

ANGEL FLIGHT S., \$75,000, 3yo, f, 7f								
PP HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	ML				
1 Classical Romance	Classic Empire	Curatolo	Nehf	20-1				
2 Empire Gal	Empire Maker	Espinoza	McCarthy	4-1				
3 Elm Drive	Mohaymen	Gonzalez	D'Amato	5-2				
4 Eda	Munnings	Hernandez	McCarthy	4-5				
5 Unsolved Mystery	Goldencents	Gutierrez	Hanson	12-1				
6 Kirstenbosch	Midnight Lute	Baze	Sadler	6-1				

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IN ORDER OF PURSE:

4th-Churchill Downs, \$129,084, Alw (NW1X)/Opt. Clm (\$80,000), 5-7, 3yo, 1 1/16m, 1:42.37, ft, 2 3/4 lengths. **CREATIVE MINISTER (c, 3, Creative Cause--Tamboz, by Tapit)**, regally bred and consistently improving since his Mar. 5 runnerup unveiling at Gulfstream Park, broke out of the maiden ranks last out Apr. 9 at Keeneland with first-time Lasix when running by rivals in the lane over a sloppy 1 1/16 main track. Hopping at the start here, the \$180,000 KEESEP buy was seventh early but made up steady ground from the inside on both turns. Driving past the leader near the sixteenth pole, the Kenny McPeek trainee cleared the field by 2 3/4 lengths on the wire to secure his conditioner's 500th win beneath the Twin Spires. Cover Me Up (Mastery) yielded to second.



Kenny McPeek with win number 500 at Churchill Downs Coady Photography

The winner hails from a loaded female family, including halfsiblings Tiznoble (Tiznow), SP, \$266,810; Dolder Grand (Candy Ride {Arg}), GISP, \$173,145; Battalion Runner (Unbridled's Song), MGSP, \$257,600; Oceanwave (Harlan's Holiday), MGSP, \$245,449; and Late Nite Mischief (Into Mischief), MSP, \$168,640. Their dam also has a 2-year-old filly named Madly Dancing (Curlin) and a yearling filly by Gun Runner. Tamboz is expecting a foal by More Than Ready this season. This is the family of sires Tapizar, Olympio, Cuvee and Broodmare of the Year Fun House. Sales history: \$180,000 Ylg '20 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 3-2-1-0, \$140,595. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.

O-Fern Circle Stables and Back Racing, LLC; B-Dell Ridge Farm, LLC (KY); T-Kenneth G. McPeek.

2nd-Churchill Downs, \$128,042, Alw (NW1X), Opt. Clm (\$80,000), 5-7, 3yo, 6 1/2f, 1:16.60, wf, 1/2 length. SURFER DUDE (c, 3, Curlin--Tiz Miz Sue {GISW, \$1,129,709}, by Tiznow), third when testing deeper waters in the Dec. 26 Gun Runner S. behind MGSW Epicenter (Not This Time), was exposed in the Jan. 22 GIII Lecomte S., finishing last behind Call Me Midnight (Midnight Lute). After a short break, he returned to be second in the Lafayette S. on Keeneland's opening day Apr. 8 where he posted a career-best 87 Beyer Speed Figure. Off at 2-1 for Saturday's descent in class, Surfer Dude tucked in behind Stayed in for Half (Maclean's Music) up the backstretch. He loomed on the outside as the top pair turned for home, took the lead in upper stretch and drifted close to home, but had enough to hold on to the wire, winning by a half-length over Osbourne (Tapiture). Out of GISW Tiz Miz Sue, herself a half-sister to Breeders' Cup Juvenile Turf Sprint winner Bulletin (City Zip), Surfer Dude is a half-brother to Serein (Uncle Mo), GSP-UAE, \$390,352. He has a 2-year-old half-sister named Saucy Secret (Into Mischief) and a yearling half-sister by Uncle Mo. Tiz Miz Sue was bred to Nyquist for 2022. Sales History: \$190,000 Ylg '20 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: MSP, 9-2-2-3, \$261,880. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG. O-Mark H & Nancy W Stanley; B-CresRan LLC (KY); T-Dallas





Surfer Dude | Coady



12th-Oaklawn, \$106,000, Alw (NW1X)/Opt. Clm (\$32,000), 5-7, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11.56, ft, 3/4 length.

UPANDCOMINGSTAR (f, 4, Into Mischief--Freedom Star {GSW, \$332,972}, by Street Cry {Ire}) broke her maiden at this distance three starts back Dec. 10 and tried the turf to no avail last time out, running fifth on the grass at the Fair Grounds Mar. 24. Cold on the board at 10-1, Upandcomingstar broke seventh of the nine and sat at the back of the pack through the first half-mile in :45.81 behind pacesetter Parkin in the Rear (Justin Phillip). Four wide around the far turn, she began to rally in upper stretch with a sustained drive that got her to the wire three-quarters of a length in front of Rock Star Parking (Upstart). A \$500,000 KEESEP yearling, Upandcomingstar is a half-sister to Brookys Star (Giant's Causeway), MSP, \$105,970. Her dam, winner of the GIII Azeri S., has a 2-year-old colt named Series Star (Violence) and was bred to Mendelssohn for the 2022 breeding season. Sales History: \$500,000 Ylg '19 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 9-2-0-3, \$148,210. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.

O-L. William & Corinne Heiligbrodt, Madaket Stables LLC, and Spendthrift Farm LLC; B-George Krikorian (KY); T-Steven M. Asmussen.

3rd-Churchill Downs, \$92,500, Alw, 5-7, (NW1X), 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8mT, 1:51.62, fm, 3 1/2 lengths.

LADY ROCKSTAR (GB) (f, 4, Frankel {GB}--Noozhah {GB}, by **Singspiel {Ire})** placed in four of her first five starts against her peers while under the care of William Haggas, then defeated a group of males by 12 lengths over the Wolverhampton allweather Oct. 11. A latest seventh at Kempton, the bay was backed from 8-1 into 3-1 and took up a position in the latter third of the field behind modest splits. Quietly ridden on the turn by Tyler Gaffalione, Lady Rockstar was given her cue with a bit more than two furlongs remaining, was steered out to the center of the course and steamed home to score by 3 1/2lengths. The winner is a half-sister to Noozhoh Canarias (Spa) (Caradak {Ire}), Ch. 2yo, Ch. Miler & SP-Spa, SW & MG1SP-Fr, \$282,888; and Money Maker (Spa) (American Post {GB}), SW & GSP-Fr, \$373,482. Noozhah is also the dam of the 3-year-old gelding Cavalryman (GB) (Muhaarar {GB}) and a yearling filly by Kingman (GB). Lifetime Record: 8-2-3-1, \$51,189. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.

O-Clipper Logistics; B-Branton Court Stud (GB); T-Brendan P Walsh.

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5th-Belmont, \$92,000, Alw, 5-7, (NW1\$X), 3yo/up, 7f, 1:23.65, sy, 3/4 length.

RIVER DOG (g, 4, Twirling Candy--Sterling Forest, by Forest Wildcat) has been a picture of consistency with the exception of a last-of-six effort behind champion MGISW Jackie's Warrior (Maclean's Music) in last year's GII Amsterdam S. The 8-5 choice off a 1 1/2-length allowance win Apr. 16 at Keeneland, River Dog was sent to the lead from the rail position. With pressure on his outside, he came under urging entering the far turn, had to swing four wide in the stretch and pulled clear close to home, edging Twelth Man (Super Saver) by three-quarters of a length. River Dog's dam last produced a 2-year-old colt named Colleton River (Accelerate). Lifetime Record: SW, 6-4-0-1, \$217,500. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG. O/B-Robert Hahn (NY); T-Kelly J. Breen.

ANOTHER TRAVIS DURR GRADUATE

9th-Belmont, \$92,000, Alw, 5-7, (NW1\$X), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f (off turf), 1:11.33, sy, 3/4 length.

SWEET SOLARE (f, 3, Into Mischief--Elusive Checkers, by Quality Road), third on debut Jan. 28 at the Big A, broke through Feb. 25 going six furlongs on a similarly sloppy track, but tired badly last out Mar. 19 in the venue's Cicada S. to finish fifth after getting knocked around at the start. Shedding the blinkers for this six-panel contest, washed off the turf due to torrential rain, Sweet Solare broke well and dueled four wide through fractions of :22.01 and :45.17. Fighting off her early shadow, the bay kicked clear in the lane and held on gamely over Awillaway (Dublin) by 3/4 lengths at 5-1 odds. Sweet Solare is her dam's only winner. She has a set of half-sisters by Nyquist, a yearling and 2022 filly. Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-1, \$108,200. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.

O-Michael J. Ryan; B-Lone Pine Bloodstock (KY); T-Horacio De Paz.

THINK INDIAN CREEK

4th-Belmont, \$85,560, Alw (NW1\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$80,000), 5-7, 3yo, f, 1 1/16m (off turf), 1:44.87, sy, nose. **GINA ROMANTICA (f, 3, Into Mischief--Special Me, by Unbridled's Song)**, a \$1.025 million Keeneland September purchase, was a highly impressive maiden winner Mar. 12 at Tampa and was even-money here off a sixth behind Friday's GII Eight Belles S. winner Matareya (Pioneerof the Nile) in the Apr. 10 GIII Beaumont S. in Lexington. The half-sister to Gift Box (Twirling Candy), GISW, \$1,127,060, broke in at the start and settled in behind Sweet Surprise (Not This Time). The pair raced one-two up the backstretch and into the far turn before Gina Romantica challenged from the outside and pushed past her rival. Both fillies dug in gamely down the stretch while racing side-by-side and Gina Romantica was fortunate to get her nose down on the wire first to win the head bob. Out of a half-sister to MGSP Our New Recruit (Alphabet Soup), Gina Romantica is a half-sister to both Special Forces (Candy Ride {Arg}), MGSW-Can, SP-USA, \$409,147; and to Stonetastic (Mizzen Mast), MGSW & GISP, \$856,062. Her dam produced a full-brother to Gina Romantica this term. Sales History: \$1,025,000 Ylg '20 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, \$73,840. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.

O-Peter M. Brant; B-Machmer Hall, Carrie & Craig Brogden (KY); T-Chad C. Brown.

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3rd-Woodbine, C\$76,275, Alw (NW1\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$58,121), 5-7, 3yo, 6 1/2f (AWT), 1:16.75, ft, 5 1/4 lengths. DUKE OF LOVE (c, 3, Cupid--Tell the Duchess, by Smart Strike) was a visually impressive two-length winner Nov. 14 on debut at this venue before fading to fifth last out Dec. 3 in the two-turn, 7 1/2 panel Pulpit S. over the Gulfstream turf without Lasix. Returning north for this maiden contest and shifting to the synthetic track, Duke of Love rated early after a good start, tracked the leader through the far turn and kicked away by 5 1/4 lengths as the 3-5 favorite. Warp Ride (Astern {Aus}) kept on for second. The second foal and winner for his dam, the victor also has a yearling half-brother by Danish Dynaformer. Tell the Duchess visited both Silent Name (Jpn) and Shaman Ghost for a foal this season. Sales history: \$15,000 Wlg '19 KEENOV; \$40,000 Ylg '20 FTKOCT; \$85,000 2yo '21 EASMAY. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, \$89,017. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.

O-MyRacehorse; B-Caldara Farm Inc., Patrick Costello, David Whitford & Tom Zwiesler (ON); T-Josie Carroll.

TAPROOT RECOMMENDED 2YO PURCHASE
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 WAR HORSE PLACE RAISED & SOLD

2nd-Santa Anita, \$74,382, Alw (NW1\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$50,000), 5-7, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10.87, ft, 3/4 length.

DANCE TO THE MUSIC (f, 3, Maclean's Music--Beautified, by Congrats) proved her quality after breaking her maiden at first asking by running second in the GI TVG Del Mar Debutante S. Sept. 5 behind dominant winner Grace Adler (Curlin). She was unable to keep that form when racing last, a distant sixth in the GII Chandelier S. Oct. 1. Cutting back in distance for her first start since, the \$40,000 KEESEP yearling turned \$575,000 OBSAPR breezer was sharply away from the inside gate. Smitten by Kitten (Kitten's Joy) raced in second from the outside but was never able to stick a head in front, as Dance to the Music turned for home and was able to hang on to score by three-quarters of a length. Dance to the Music is out of a daughter of GSW Makeup Artist (Dynaformer). Her dam's most recent offspring is a yearling colt by Bolt d'Oro. Sales History: \$40,000 Ylg '20 KEESEP; \$575,000 2yo '21 OBSAPR. Lifetime Record: GISP, 4-2-1-0, \$143,900. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.

O-Red Baron's Barn LLC and Rancho Temescal LLC; B-George Kirkorian (KY); T-Mark Glatt.

Consigned by <u>HILL</u> '<u>Y</u>' <u>DALE</u> Sales Agency (X) Paul Sharp Sales Graduate 8

9th-Santa Anita, \$71,000, Alw (NW1\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$100,000), 5-6, 3yo, 1 1/8mT, 1:47.97, fm, neck.

RED ROAD (c, 3, Cross Traffic--Orchid Lane, by Giant's Causeway) graduated in his third career start Dec. 5 and was not a factor in his 3-year-old debut Feb. 19 in the Pasadena S. Adding blinkers and Lasix and a bit more real estate here, Red Road went off at 15-1. Despite a stumble out of the inside gate, he recovered to sit third behind the early pacesetter Echosmith (Ire) (Aclaim {Ire}) from the rail. He put in a challenge between the early leaders in upper stretch, gained a slim advantage into the final furlong, and held on by a neck over Handy Dandy (Fury Kapcori). Red Road has a yearling half-brother by Race Day and his dam was bred to Jimmy Creed and Thousand Words for the 2022 season. Sales History: \$19,000 RNA Wlg '19 KEENOV; \$25,000 Ylg '20 KEESEP; \$15,000 2yo '21 OBSOPN. Lifetime Record: 5-2-0-1, \$78,650. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.

O-Steve Taub; B-Yvette & Richard Wira (KY); T-Kristin Mulhall.

Pick View LLC Graduate

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1st-Churchill Downs, \$122,857, Msw, 5-7, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:35.50, wf, 1 3/4 lengths.

CONGRESSMAN (c, 3, Constitution--Don't Stop to Shop, by Unbridled's Song) dueled with a rival on unveiling last out Jan. 29, overcoming being carried out midstretch to finish a tired fourth. Shedding his blinkers and moving north from Gulfstream to contest a mile beneath the Twin Spires on Derby day, Congressman had some trouble coming out of the chute, but recovered promptly to press the early pace. Refusing to yield from between rivals, the \$275,000 KEESEP alumnus was put under a long drive three off the rail coming into the lane, and inched away from 7-2 favorite Warrior Johny (Cairo Prince) late to win by 1 3/4 lengths. Congressman hails from a 100% winner producing mare from five to race. Don't Stop to Shop has a yearling filly by Distorted Humor and visited Tiz the Law for a foal this season. Sales history: \$275,000 Ylg '20 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$72,110. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.

O-WinStar Farm LLC & Siena Farm LLC; B-White Fox Farm (KY); T-Todd A. Pletcher.

TAYLOR MADE FOR YOU!

7th-Belmont, \$90,000, Msw, 5-7, 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:17.83, sy, 6 lengths.

EVERYONELOVESLINDA (f, 3, Secret Circle--Arty'skentuckygirl, by Golden Missile) had registered three bridesmaid appearances, including last summer at Saratoga to this season's GII Rachel Alexandra S. and GII Gulfstream Park Oaks runner-up Goddess of Fire (Mineshaft), who ran in Friday's GI Kentucky Oaks. Last seen off the board Mar. 27 at Aqueduct after a bumpy start, Everyoneloveslinda broke like a shot at 7-2, led through :22.46 and :45.74 quarters, then poured it on in the stretch, finishing six lengths clear of Demandsrespect (Union Rags). Trained by Carlos Martin for one start last fall, Everyoneloveslinda has spent the majority of her career in the Edward Barker barn. Arty'skentuckygirl has not produced a live foal since the winner. Sales History: \$19,000 RNA Ylg '20 KEESEP; \$105,000 2yo '21 OBSAPR. Lifetime Record: 6-1-3-0, \$112,100. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.

O-Rudina Stable and K Five Stable; B-E. H. Beau Lane (KY); T-Edward R. Barker.

Bred & Consigned by BEAU LANE BLOODSTOCK

6th-Belmont, \$90,000, Msw, 5-7, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m (off turf), 1:43.52, sy, 11 lengths.

EFFICIENCY (g, 3, Gun Runner--Sunday Sonnet {MSP,

\$152,915}, by Any Given Saturday), second by a nose on debut Mar. 20 at Aqueduct, got the luck he needed when this turf race got taken off the grass due to rainy conditions. Off at 3-5, he was ridden hard leaving the gate and was second to Cheeky Tico (Fed Biz) early, but took command by the half-mile marker. Pressured by Al's Rocket (Cairo Prince), Eficiency responded well to urging leaving the far turn and despite swapping his leads in the final furlong, drew off unchallenged to the wire, winning under wraps by 11 lengths over Strapped (Candy Ride {Arg}). Out of a half-sister to MGSW Pianist (More Than Ready), Efficiency has a yearling half-sister by Catholic Boy and his dam was bred back to War of Will for 2022. Sales History: \$290,000 Ylg '20 KEEJAN. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$65,500. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.

O-Klaravich Stables, Inc.; B-Hermitage Farm (KY); T-Chad C. Brown.

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7th-Santa Anita, \$70,000, Msw, 5-7, 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:35.74, fm, 3/4 length.

BALLET DANCING (f, 3, Medaglia d'Oro--Fully Living {GSP, \$172,417}, by Unbridled's Song) received a seven-month freshening after debuting on the turf over a mile at Santa Anita Oct. 15 before returning to the grass Saturday with the addition of Lasix for her 3-year-old debut at odds of 7-1. Out of the gate a step slow, she raced behind the leading group in eighth through three-quarters in 1:11.55. The \$800,000 KEESEP yearling swung wide as the field straightened for the wire and rallied furiously, overtaking Lookintogeteven (Ghostzapper) in the final sixteenth and sustaining her drive to score by three-quarters of a length. Her half-brother Untreated (Nyquist) was a close second recently in the Excelsior S. Apr. 2 at Aqueduct. Her dam, who hails from the family of champion Halfbridled (Unbridled), produced a yearling filly by Justify and was bred to Tiz the Law for 2022. Sales History: \$800,000 Ylg '20 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$47,520. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.

O-Westerberg Limited, Mrs. John Magnier, Michael B. Tabor, and Derrick Smith; B-Ashview Farm & Old Oak Farm (KY); T-Simon Callaghan.

Bred, Raised and Sold by ASHVIEW FARM

8th-Santa Anita, \$69,000, Msw, 5-7, 3yo/up, 7f, 1:23.60, ft, 2 1/4 lengths.

HOPPER (c, 3, Declaration of War--Irridescence {SAf} {Ch. 3yo Filly-SAF, MG1SW-SAF, G1SW-HK, SW & GSP-UAE, G1SP-Eng, GISP-USA, \$1,578,910}, by Caesour) moved from trainer Bob Baffert to Sean McCarthy after his only career start where he was sixth on the turf Feb. 25 at Santa Anita. Dispatched at 2-1 for his second start and his first try on the dirt, Hopper raced outside of several rivals up the backstretch before launching a bid around the far turn. He assumed command in upper stretch and held off Hero Status (Flatter) to win by 2 1/4 lengths.

8th-Santa Anita, cont.

Out of a half-sister to Perfect Promise (SAf), MG1SW-SAf, Hopper is his dam's last reported offspring. She was most recently bred to Air Force Blue. Sales History: \$90,000 Ylg '20 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$40,700. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

O-Lanni Bloodstock, Madaket Stables LLC and SF Racing LLC; B-Green Lantern Stables, LLC (KY); T-Sean McCarthy.

Bred by **Patrick Masson Bloodstock**

3rd-Horseshoe Indianapolis, \$34,000, Msw, 5-7, 3yo/up, 1m 70y (off turf), 1:43.60, ft, 8 1/2 lengths.

ELEVEN CENTRAL (g, 4, Into Mischief--Sealy Hill {Horse Of The Year-Can, Ch. 3yo Filly, Ch. Grass Mare & Filly Triple Crown, MSW & MGISP-Can, GSW & GISP-US, \$1,747,081}, by Point Given) made the majority of the running in his belated sixfurlong debut over the Turfway synthetic before settling for a clear runner-up effort as the 2-5 chalk. Stretching out and trying the dirt for the first time, the bay was ridden for speed by Alex Achard and had company up front, albeit through easy fractions. Shaken up approaching the stretch, he asserted through the final furlong to report home 8 1/2 lengths to the good. Eleven Central is a half-brother to Hillaby (Distorted Humor), Ch. Female Sprinter-Can, GSW, \$282,265; Cambier Parc (Medaglia d'Oro), MGISW-US, GSP-Can, \$850,400; Gale Force (Giant's Causeway), GSW, \$138,611; and Belle Hill (Sky Mesa), GSW, \$180,725. Sealy Hill, Canada's Horse of the Year and Filly Triple Crown winner of 2007 for the late Eugene Melnyk, was first purchased by Regis Farms for \$590,000 at FTKNOV in 2013, then changed hands once again at KEENOV in 2015, hammering for \$750,000 carrying the filly that would become Cambier Parc. Eleven Central is his dam's final live produce. Sales history: \$950,000 Ylg '19 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$32,800. Click for the Equibase.com chart.

O-OXO Equine LLC; B-Bonne Chance Farm LLC (KY); T-Paulo H Lobo.

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7th-Tampa Bay Downs, \$27,900, Msw, 5-7, 3yo, f, 1mT, 1:38.63, gd, 5 lengths.

CENTER STAGE (f, 3, Gormley--Open Agenda, by More Than Ready) showed some talent over the main track first-out at Delaware Park Sept. 11, producing a wide bid to finish third and went one better last out Mar. 16 at this venue over a washedoff five-furlong contest with first-time Lasix after breaking in the air. Stretching to a mile and trying the turf for the first time, the 6-1 shot was forwardly placed early in second, pressing the pace through the far turn, and kicking clear by five lengths over Cross Fleet (Cross Traffic). Center Stage is half to GIII Daytona S. placed What'sontheagenda (Dialed In), and to three other winners. The mare has a 2-year-old filly named Free Time (Super Saver) and a 2022 colt by Global Campaign. The winner is a half to What'sontheagenda (Dialed In), GSP, \$227,786. Sales history: \$47,000 RNA 2yo '21 OBSAPR. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-1,

\$25,570. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.

O/B-Lantern Hill Farm LLC (KY); T-Arnaud Delacour.

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SECOND-CROP STARTERS TO WATCH: SUNDAY, MAY 8 2022 Stud Fees Listed

Astern (Aus) (Medaglia d'Oro), Darley, \$10,000 144 foals of racing age/17 winners/1 black-type winner 1-Santa Anita, 4:00 p.m. EDT, Msw 1mT, Fore Flag, 10-1 \$42,000 FTK OCT yrl; \$95,000 OBS MAR 2yo

Bal a Bali (Brz) (Put It Back), Calumet Farm, \$5,000 148 foals of racing age/29 winners/1 black-type winner 9-Sunray, 7:27 p.m. EDT, Alw 6 1/2f, Kearney, 6-1 \$6,000 KEE SEP yrl; \$19,000 RNA OBS OPN 2yo

Bird Song (Unbridled's Song), Sau

37 foals of racing age/5 winners/1 black-type winner 7-Belmont, 4:18 p.m. EDT, Alw 7f, Baby Man, 9-2 \$20,000 KEE SEP yrl; \$110,000 OBS APR 2yo

Churchill (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}), Coolmore Stud, \$25,000 291 foals of racing age/39 winners/4 black-type winners 5-Gulfstream, 3:21 p.m. EDT, Msw 1 1/16mT, Miss Sugar Hill (GB), 5-1 €75,000 ARQ DOY yrl; €243,600 ARQ DEA 2yo

Classic Empire (Pioneerof the Nile), Coolmore Ashford, \$17,500 187 foals of racing age/37 winners/4 black-type winners 5-Santa Anita, 6:07 p.m. EDT, \$75K Angels Flight S., 7f, Classical Romance, 20-1 \$100,000 RNA KEE SEP yrl Connect (Curlin), Lane's End Farm, \$25,000

194 foals of racing age/37 winners/3 black-type winners 8-Gulfstream, 4:59 p.m. EDT, Aoc 6 1/2f, Divine Connection, 9-2 \$65,000 RNA FTK SEL yrl; \$62,000 EAS MAY 2yo 3-Santa Anita, 5:05 p.m. EDT, Aoc 1 1/16m, High Connection, 4-5 \$75,000 KEE SEP yrl; \$290,000 OBS MAR 2yo

Cupid (Tapit), Coolmore Ashford, \$5,000 174 foals of racing age/39 winners/4 black-type winners 6-Santa Anita, 6:39 p.m. EDT, Msw 6 1/2fT,

Santa Anita, 6:39 p.m. EDT, MSW 6 1/211, Twokidsfromdabronx, 15-1 \$200,000 KEE SEP yrl

El Deal (Munnings), Red River Farms 51 foals of racing age/13 winners/2 black-type winners 6-Oaklawn, 3:56 p.m. EDT, Aoc 6f, Charco, 4-1 \$70,000 OBS WIN wnl

Gormley (Malibu Moon), Spendthrift Farm, \$7,500 199 foals of racing age/35 winners/2 black-type winners 6-Louisiana Downs, 6:22 p.m. EDT, Alw 7f, Papiringo, 10-1 \$24,000 RNA TTA YHR yrl; \$13,000 TTA APR 2yo

Gun Runner (Candy Ride {Arg}), Three Chimneys Farm, \$125,000 245 foals of racing age/43 winners/11 black-type winners 2-Lone Star, 3:03 p.m. EDT, Alw 1m, Optionality, 7-5

Imma Wild Bling (Too Much Bling)

1 foal of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners 10-Lone Star, 6:47 p.m. EDT, Alw 7 1/2fT, Bling Mountain, 20-1

Iron Fist (Tapit), Whispering Oaks Farm36 foals of racing age/11 winners/2 black-type winners6-Louisiana Downs, 6:22 p.m. EDT, Alw 7f, Into Wishing, 5-2

Keen Ice (Curlin), Calumet Farm, \$7,500

191 foals of racing age/30 winners/2 black-type winners 7-Sunray, 6:39 p.m. EDT, Alw 4 1/2f, Keen Cat, 20-1 \$47,000 RNA KEE NOV wnl; \$21,000 KEE SEP yrl 2-Golden Gate Fields, 5:20 p.m. EDT, Msw 1m, Medal Ice, 20-1 \$1,000 KEE JAN wnl

Klimt (Quality Road), Jockey Club of Turkey, \$7,500 282 foals of racing age/46 winners/1 black-type winner 5-Laurel, 2:36 p.m. EDT, Alw 5 1/2f, Gustav's Girl, 15-1 \$24,000 RNA KEE JAN wnl; \$25,000 EAS OCT yrl; \$120,000 EAS MAY 2yo

8-Gulfstream, 4:59 p.m. EDT, Aoc 6 1/2f, Stellar Ride, 5-2 \$27,000 RNA KEE SEP yrl; \$250,000 OBS APR 2yo

Mohaymen (Tapit), Shadwell Farm, \$7,500

102 foals of racing age/28 winners/2 black-type winners 3-Monmouth, 1:13 p.m. EDT, Alw 6f, Catch the Smoke, 10-1 \$50,000 KEE SEP yrl; \$30,000 OBS MAR 2yo 5-Santa Anita, 6:07 p.m. EDT, \$75K Angels Flight S., 7f, Elm Drive, 5-2

\$40,000 OBS OCT yrl; \$165,000 OBS MAR 2yo 5-Louisiana Downs, 5:55 p.m. EDT, Alw 7 1/2fT, Silent Tap, 7-2 \$18,000 KEE JAN wnl; \$10,000 KEE SEP yrl

Practical Joke (Into Mischief), Coolmore Ashford, \$35,000 268 foals of racing age/38 winners/6 black-type winners 4-Sunray, 5:27 p.m. EDT, Msw 4 1/2f, Essential Business, 4-1 3-Monmouth, 1:13 p.m. EDT, Alw 6f, Little Vic, 7-5 \$50,000 KEE SEP yrl 6-Santa Anita, 6:39 p.m. EDT, Msw 6 1/2fT, Tenth Street Don, 15-1 \$47,000 RNA KEE SEP yrl; \$240,000 OBS APR 2yo

Profitable (Ire) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}), Kildangan Stud, \$12,500
226 foals of racing age/39 winners/4 black-type winners
2-Mountaineer Casino & Resort, 7:25 p.m. EDT, Alw 5fT,
Thunder Love (GB), 2-1
13,000gns TAT FOA wnl; £18,000 TAT IRY yrl

Tu Brutus (Chi) (Scat Daddy), Tur
28 foals of racing age/3 winners/0 black-type winners
5-Louisiana Downs, 5:55 p.m. EDT, Alw 7 1/2fT, Thunder Road,
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\$1,500 KEE NOV wnl; \$4,500 RNA FTK OCT yrl





STAKES RESULTS:

ARKANSAS BREEDERS' CHAMPIONSHIP S., \$200,000, Oaklawn, 5-7, (S), 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:44.09, ft.

1--SOUIXPER CHARGER, 118, g, 6, Portobello Road--My Angel's Halo, by Southern Forest. 1ST BLACK TYPE WIN. O-J J

Thoroughbreds; B-Anderson Farms (AR); T-John Henry Prather, Jr.; J-Luis S. Quinonez. \$120,000. Lifetime Record: 24-6-4-3, \$329,218.

2--**Bandit Point**, 124, h, 7, Indy Squall--Set Point, by Langfuhr. O-Robert N. Cline; B-Marianna's Fate Inc. (AR); T-Robert N. Cline. \$40,000.

3--Man in the Can, 124, h, 5, Can the Man--Smeauxkininthelane, by Smoke Glacken. O-JRita Young Thoroughbreds LLC and Robert V. LaPenta; B-JRita Young Thoroughbreds, LLC (AR); T-Ron Moquett. \$20,000.

Margins: 3, 1HF, 1 3/4. Odds: 6.00, 3.10, 12.50.

THIRD CHANCE S., \$75,000, Hawthorne, 5-7, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10.02, ft.

1--DANCIN AT MIDNIGHT, 118, f, 4, Bandbox--Buzzin At Midnight, by Midnight Lute. 1ST BLACK TYPE WIN.

O/B-Donald L Griffin (IL); T-Steve Manley; J-E. T. Baird. \$45,000. Lifetime Record: 10-5-1-4, \$111,740.

- 2--**Sister Ruler**, 118, m, 6, Road Ruler--Canyons Sister, by Marte. O-Hoffman Farms Racing, LLC (Keith Hoffman); B-Larry Owens (IL); T-Michele Boyce. \$15,000.
- 3--Get None, 119, m, 6, Biondetti--Lose None, by Royal Academy. O-Hermilo Racing Stable, LLC; B-Pedi Racing LLC & Larry Rivelli (IL); T-Hugo Rodriguez. \$7,500.

Webster Training Center

Margins: 4, 3/4, 2. Odds: 1.30, 2.90, 16.20.

MICHAEL F. ROWLAND MEMORIAL H., \$75,000, Thistledown, 5-7, (S), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:11.60, ft.

- 1--DIRECT DECEIT, 123, g, 7, Twinspired--Funnys Approval (GSW, \$210,590), by Outrageouslyfunny. 1ST BLACK TYPE WIN. O-Michael J. Friedman and Nestor R. Rivera; B-Bobby R. Rankin (OH); T-Nestor Rivera; J-Angel I. Diaz. \$45,000. Lifetime Record: SW, 38-8-7-4, \$315,145.
- 2--Authentic Cowtown, 120, g, 5, Cowtown Cat--Echt, by
 Fusaichi Pegasus. O-Authentic Racing, LLC and James H.
 McDonald; B-Mapleton Thoroughbred Farm (OH); T-James H.
 McDonald. \$15,000.
- 3--Mobil Solution, 122, g, 7, Mobil--Perfect Solution, by Seeking the Gold. (\$88,000 5yo '20 OTBOMX). O-Danielle Agnello;
 B-Mapleton Thoroughbred Farm (OH); T-Jeffrey Skerrett.
 \$7,500.

Margins: 3/4, 2 3/4, 1HF. Odds: 2.50, 3.10, 12.00.

EVD DISTAFF S., \$60,000, Evangeline Downs, 5-6, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:39.65, ft.

1--WINNING ROMANCE, 123, f, 4, First Samurai--Lipstick Junky, by Flatter. O/B-Allied Racing Stable, LLC (LA); T-W. Bret Calhoun; J-Deshawn L. Parker. \$36,000. Lifetime Record: MSW, 15-5-4-2, \$253,446. *1/2 to Davidic Line (Line of David), SP, \$205,650.

- 2--**She's Gone d'Wild**, 117, m, 5, D'wildcat--Bonita Saleeta, by Porto Foricos. O/B-William T. Reed (LA); T-W. Bret Calhoun. \$12,000.
- (DH) 3--Net a Bear, 123, m, 6, Awesome Bet--Edacious Reality, by Eddington. O-Maximo Lamarche, and Federico Deltoro;
 B-Lora Pitre & Elaine Carroll (LA); T-Allen Landry. \$4,800.
- (DH) 3--**Snowball**, 116, m, 6, Apriority--Inner Peace, by Value Plus. (\$1,700 Ylg '17 ESLMIX). O-Tin Roof Farms LLC; B-4M Ranch (LA); T-Samuel Breaux. \$4,800.
- Margins: 1 3/4, 2 1/4, 6, 6. Odds: 0.80, 5.30, 4.30, 6.40.

JACK COLE S., (NB) \$100,000, Sunray, 5-7, (S), 3yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:19.21, ft.

1--NO PASA NADA, 123, g, 6, Attila's Storm--Charlotte's Drone, by B. G.'s Drone. (\$22,000 RNA Ylg '17 RUIAUG).
O-Christopher Nathaniel Roybal; B-Robert & DelRae Driggers (NM); T-Aurelio P. Valdez; J-Alejandro Medellin. \$60,000.
Lifetime Record: 32-6-7-4, \$279,073. *1/2 to Lariat (Southwestern Heat), SW, \$127,994; Full to Tilla Cat, SW, \$369,369; Full to Bella Dona, MSW, \$525,068.

- 2--**Shining Source**, 123, g, 11, Source--Shine Miss Comet, by Comet Shine. O-Terri Rust and Barton Ranch Stables, LLC; B-Susan K Vescovo (NM); T-Terri Rust. \$20,000.
- 3--**Tucum**, 123, g, 4, King Bull--Last Danz, by Danzatore. O/B-Tucumcari Thoroughbreds (NM); T-Danny Morales. \$10,000.

Margins: 1 1/4, HF, HD. Odds: 2.00, 7.50, 9.00.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

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13th-Churchill Downs, \$137,227, (NW2\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$62,500), 5-7, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:43.45, ft, 2 1/4 lengths.

CANDY TYCOON (g, 5, Twirling Candy--Liberty's Lyric, by Unbridled's Song) Lifetime Record: GSP, 20-4-6-2, \$402,004. O-AJ Suited Racing Stable LLC, D C Racing & Cardinal Hill Racing; B-Jerry Romans (KY); T-Norm W Casse. *\$52,000 Ylg '18 KEESEP; \$170,000 2yo '19 OBSAPR. **1/2 to Sutton's Smile (Paddy O'Prado), GISP, \$133,860.

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10th-Oaklawn, \$107,000, 5-7, 3yo/up, 5 1/2f, 1:04.20, ft, 1 3/4 lengths.

IMA BLING CAT (g, 4, Too Much Bling--Stephanies Wildcat, by D'wildcat) Lifetime Record: 15-4-0-3, \$144,651. O-End Zone Athletics, Inc.; B-Keene Thoroughbreds, LLC (AR); T-Karl Broberg.

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http://www.thoroughbreddailynews.com/getLatest.php to download the latest edition of the TDN each day. 10th-Woodbine, C\$77,325, 5-7, 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f (AWT), 1:04.07, ft, 1 1/4 lengths.

HAI BOBBI (m, 5, Shanghai Bobby--Fast Resource {SW, \$171,603}, by Bob and John) Lifetime Record: 19-4-4-1, \$149,858. O-The B King Racing Ltd.; B-Peter A. Berglar Racing Interests, LLC (KY); T-Kathy Patton. *\$47,000 RNA Wlg '17 KEENOV; \$95,000 Ylg '18 FTKJUL; \$145,000 RNA 2yo '19 OBSAPR.

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10th-Sunray, \$53,000, (S), 5-7, (NW2L), 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:20.22, ft, neck.

THATGIRL'SONFIRE (m, 5, Touchdown Ky--Zoom to the Tune, by Here Comes Charlie) Lifetime Record: 6-2-2-1, \$58,164. O-Michael Fuhs; B-Michael & Jeanne Fuhs (NM); T-Pedro Gomez.

6th-Woodbine, C\$50,865, 5-6, 3yo/up, f/m, 5f (AWT), :57.71, ft, 3/4 length.

SOUPER PECAN (m, 6, Souper Speedy--D'wild Lady {SP, **\$111,012}, by D'wildcat)** Lifetime Record: 22-3-5-3, \$148,669. O-Oak Run Racing Inc.; B-Bonnie A Rowntree & Jacqueline Armstrong (ON); T-George Billers.

10th-Gulfstream, \$49,600, 5-7, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:36.24, ft, 8 1/2 lengths.

MISH (g, 5, Field Commission--Wicked Great, by Greatness) Lifetime Record: 12-4-2-1, \$133,673. O-C2 Racing Stable LLC; B-Joyce Mary Kielty (FL); T-Saffie A. Joseph, Jr.

9th-Gulfstream, \$48,000, 5-7, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:12.28, ft, 1 length.

KOZY DREAMS (m, 5, Khozan--Angel Dreams, by City Place) Lifetime Record: 24-6-8-4, \$175,190. O-Ivette Perez Chambless; B-Rustlewood Farm, Inc. (FL); T-Jose Garoffalo. *\$7,500 Ylg '18 OBSOCT.

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8th-Sunray, \$45,943, 5-7, 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:18.73, ft, 1 1/2 lengths.

RANEEM (m, 6, Fed Biz--J P's Flashy Honey, by Flashy Bull) Lifetime Record: 23-4-4-2, \$134,482. O-Max Franklin; B-Golden Pedigree LLC (KY); T-James Cappellucci. *\$60,000 Wlg '16 KEENOV; \$100,000 2yo '18 OBSAPR.

6th-Hawthorne, \$45,760, 5-7, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:09.61, ft, 3 lengths. LIKE A SALTSHAKER (g, 4, Peace and Justice--With Sprinkles, by Harlan's Holiday) Lifetime Record: MSP, 13-4-4-0, \$185,710. O-Patricia's Hope LLC; B-Glenn E. Brok LLC (PA); T-Larry Rivelli.

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9th-Laurel, \$44,000, 5-7, 3yo/up, 5 1/2f, 1:03.89, sy, 1/2 length. ALOTTAHOPE (g, 3, Editorial--Alottalute, by Midnight Lute) Lifetime Record: 5-3-1-0, \$117,260. O-No Guts No Glory Farm; B-Dr. & Mrs. Thomas Bowman & Dr Brooke Bowman (MD); T-John J. Robb. *1/2 to Street Lute (Street Magician), MSW, \$576,260.

5th-Hawthorne, \$42,000, 5-7, 3yo/up, 1m 70y, 1:41.52, ft, 3 1/2 lengths.

REGULAR GUY (c, 4, Bernardini--Rebridled Dreams {SW & GSP, \$134,663}, by Unbridled's Song) Lifetime Record: 16-2-3-0, \$102,271. O/B-Coffee Pot Stable (KY); T-Wayne M. Catalano. *1/2 to Semper Fortis (Distorted Humor), GSP, \$437,430; Farrell (Malibu Moon), MGSW & GISP, \$1,098,777; Carpe Diem (Giant's Causeway), MGISW, \$1,519,800; J. B.'s Thunder (Thunder Gulch), GISW, \$280,130; Doncaster Rover (War Chant), MSW & MGSP-Eng, \$335,741.

8th-Hawthorne, \$42,000, 5-6, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:11.18, sy, 1 3/4 lengths.

W W CRAZY (g, 4, Jess's Dream--Love You Crazy {SP}, by Touch Gold) Lifetime Record: 9-2-1-0, \$69,952. O-Charles W. Ritter and Scott Becker; B-Maria M & Mary K Haire (FL); T-Scott Becker. *\$26,000 Ylg '19 OBSOCT.

1st-Horseshoe Indianapolis, \$42,000, 5-7, 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:06.43, gd, neck.

MINTCHOCOLATECHIP (m, 5, Can the Man--Marshmellowfudge **(SP), by Garthorn)** Lifetime Record: MSP, 25-4-3-4, \$171,373. O-Liz Klopp and Dennis Claramunt; B-Richard & Connie Snyder (IN); T-Randy L. Klopp. *\$13,500 Ylg '18 INDMIX. **1/2 to Da Candy Man (Chimes Band), SW, \$208,920.

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4th-Horseshoe Indianapolis, \$41,000, 5-7, 3yo/up, 5f, :59.43, ft, 2 1/4 lengths.

HIGHCOTTON JUSTICE (g, 3, Harry's Holiday--Traditionalist, by Aptitude) Lifetime Record: 10-2-2-0, \$73,164. O-Southwest Racing Stables and Steve H. Lewis; B-Justice Farm, Greg Justice (IN); T-Genaro Garcia. *\$6,500 Ylg '20 FTKOCT. **1/2 to Memphisinmay (Rockport Harbor), SW, \$339,091; Southern Mischief (Into Mischief), SW, \$178,710; Lookin At Justice (Atreides), SW, \$102,938.

3rd-Charles Town, \$38,700, 5-6, 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:21.34, sy, nose.

SEE YA MANANA (m, 7, Creative Cause--Ms Manana, by Graeme Hall) Lifetime Record: MSP, 34-12-7-4, \$329,401. O-Huntertown Farm LLC; B-Heinz Joseph Steinmann (WV); T-Jeff C. Runco.

9th-Horseshoe Indianapolis, \$38,000, (S), 5-7, (NW2LX),
3yo/up, 1m 70y (off turf), 1:45.17, ft, 1 1/2 lengths.
ROTARY DIAL (g, 4, Dialed In--Dreamin Big {MSW, \$602,350},
by Pure Prize) Lifetime Record: 6-2-0-2, \$53,850. O-Penny S.
Lauer; B-Michael E. Lauer & Penny S. Lauer (IN); T-Michael E.
Lauer. *1/2 to Strong Tide (English Channel), MSW & MGSP,
\$556,556; Flurry (Old Fashioned), MSW, \$231,099.

7th-Horseshoe Indianapolis, \$37,440, 5-7, (NW1X), 3yo/up, 1m 70y (off turf), 1:43.95, ft, 1/2 length.

MORE MEMORIES (c, 3, More Than Ready--Cozy Gain {MSP, \$141,774}, by Cozzene) Lifetime Record: MSP, 8-4-2-1, \$142,220. O-Maggi Moss; B-Scott & Company Farm, LLC (LA); T-Thomas M. Amoss. *\$30,000 Ylg '20 KEEJAN; \$60,000 Ylg '20 KEESEP; \$80,000 2yo '21 OBSAPR. **1/2 to Megacity (City Zip), GSP, \$250,290.

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5th-Lone Star, \$36,500, 5-6, 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:36.22, fm, 3 lengths.

SHIRLEY'S TEMPLE (f, 4, Temple City--Sympathy, by Henrythenavigator) Lifetime Record: 14-6-0-0, \$112,355. O-Tye E. Smith; B-Head of Plains Partners (KY); T-Mindy J. Willis. *\$4,500 Ylg '19 KEESEP.

3rd-Lone Star, \$36,500, (NW26M)/Opt. Clm (\$75,000), 5-7, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:37.96, ft, 1 length.

GOLD PILOT (g, 5, My Golden Song--Formal Flyer {MSW, \$247,479}, by Early Flyer) Lifetime Record: MSP, 18-5-3-4, \$242,307. O-Wayne Sanders & Larry Hirsch; B-Ronald & Margaret Ellerbee (TX); T-W. Bret Calhoun. *\$15,000 Ylg '18 TTAMIX.

7th-Lone Star, \$36,500, Opt. Clm (\$75,000), 5-7, 3yo/up, 5fT, :59.18, fm, 1/2 length.

EXCESS MAGIC (c, 4, Magician {Ire}--Exchanted {SW}, by Exchange Rate) Lifetime Record: 11-5-3-1, \$196,631. O/B-William T Reed (KY); T-W Bret Calhoun.

5th-Horseshoe Indianapolis, \$34,560, 5-7, (NW1X), 3yo/up, 1m 70y (off turf), 1:42.93, ft, 2 3/4 lengths.

KITTANSETT (h, 5, American Pharoah--Bsharpsonata {MGSW &

MGISP, \$595,010}, by Pulpit) Lifetime Record: 5-2-1-1, \$64,035. O-OXO Equine LLC; B-Sierra Farm (KY); T-Paulo H. Lobo. *\$1,400,000 Ylg '18 KEESEP. **1/2 to Vigilante (Tiznow), GSP, \$218,377.

6th-Lone Star, \$34,500, 5-6, 3yo/up, f/m, 7f, 1:25.22, ft, neck. ROSIE JANE (f, 4, Court Vision--I Am Jane Dough {MSW, \$169,457}, by My Golden Song) Lifetime Record: SP, 7-3-2-1, \$101,965. O/B-Rose Mary Chandler (TX); T-Steven M. Asmussen.

4th-Lone Star, \$34,500, (S), 5-7, (NW4L), 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:06.28, ft, 3/4 length.

TOLONDA (f, 3, Bind--Princess Meg, by Walesa) Lifetime Record: SW, 6-4-0-1, \$127,537. O/B-David L. Davis (TX); T-Austin Gustafson.

8th-Lone Star, \$34,500, 5-7, 3yo/up, 5f, :58.53, ft, 1 1/4 lengths.
MAC B QUICK (g, 4, Maclean's Music--Broadway Baby {SP,
\$146,091}, by Gilded Time) Lifetime Record: 7-3-3-0, \$89,150.
O-John Rigney; B-Fairytail Farms, LLP (TX); T-Mindy J. Willis.

7th-Charles Town, \$33,900, 5-6, 3yo/up, 7f, 1:27.51, sy, 2 3/4 lengths.

DRIVE BY LAYOVER (g, 4, Done Talking--Talented Princess, by Suave Prospect) Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-0, \$46,788. O-Louis J. Ulman and H. Neil Glasser; B-Franklin G Smith (SC); T-Dale Capuano.

3rd-Golden Gate Fields, \$33,604, (NW1\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$50,000), 5-7, 3yo, 6f (AWT), 1:11.01, ft, 2 1/4 lengths.

UNTO THEE (g, 3, Congrats--Faith Proof, by Idiot Proof) Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-0, \$43,220. O-Cole M. Clinger and Jason R. Hall; B-Jason Hall, Cole Clinger, and Joe Wheeler (KY); T-Jonathan Wong.

10th-Lone Star, \$33,000, (S), 5-7, (NW1X), 3yo/up, f/m, 7 1/2fT, 1:32.07, fm, head.

TUDELA (f, 4, Holiday Promise--Lil Precious, by Forestry) Lifetime Record: 11-2-1-1, \$35,560. O-Darrell W. Bravenec; B-Jose Luis Espinoza (TX); T-Jaime Castellanos.

4th-Lone Star, \$33,000, 5-6, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:11.27, ft, 1 1/4 lengths.

FRESH ONE (g, 5, Ministers Wild Cat--Sassy Kiss, by Mr. Greeley) Lifetime Record: 31-6-9-5, \$83,728. O-Seth Covey; B-Tommy Town Thoroughbreds, LLC (CA); T-J. R. Caldwell. **8th-Lone Star, \$33,000**, 5-6, 3yo/up, 5fT, :56.77, fm, 4 1/2 lengths.

SIGN OF WAR (g, 4, Half Ours--Lady o' War, by Leestown) Lifetime Record: 13-3-2-0, \$59,217. O-L and G Racing Stables; B-World War IV Racing (LA); T-Cesar Govea.

2nd-Penn National, \$32,996, 5-7, (NW1X), 3yo, 6f, 1:10.51, sy, 1/2 length.

BOURBON MUSIC (g, 3, Weigelia--Da Mi Basia Mille, by Pure Prize) Lifetime Record: 7-3-0-1, \$52,387. O-Sylmar Farm; B-Elizabeth R. Houghton (PA); T-T. Bernard Houghton.

5th-Penn National, \$31,600, 5-6, 3yo/up, 1m 70y, 1:42.86, sy, 2 3/4 lengths.

HELOSTHISMARBLES (g, 4, Uncle Lino--Takin the Plunge, by Lion Heart) Lifetime Record: 4-3-0-0, \$62,400. O-Cash is King LLC and LC Racing LLC; B-Joe-Dan Farm & George Chestnut (PA); T-J. Tyler Servis. *\$25,000 3yo '21 EASDEC. **1/2 to Chubofftheoldblock (Hey Chub), SP, \$177,388; Chub Wagon (Hey Chub), MSW, \$533,600.

5th-Penn National, \$31,600, (S), 5-7, (NW1BX), 3yo/up, f/m, 1m 70y, 1:43.29, sy, neck.

AMATERASU (f, 4, Karakontie {Jpn}--Courage and Intent, by Pleasantly Perfect) Lifetime Record: 9-3-2-1, \$81,790. O-Alexander R. Levengood; B-Horseshoe Valley Equine Center, LLC (PA); T-Phil Schoenthal.

4th-Tampa Bay Downs, \$30,100, 5-7, 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:43.50, gd, 2 3/4 lengths.

ALABAMA SLAMMER (g, 4, Handsome Mike--

Streethomealabama, by Street Sense) Lifetime Record: 9-4-3-0, \$77,723. O-Asterace Group, LLC; B-Ross Russell (FL); T-Antonio Cordero.

4th-Charles Town, \$29,700, 5-6, 4yo/up, 7f, 1:26.96, sy, 5 1/4 lengths.

SUGAR DADDY (g, 5, Candy Ride {Arg}--How, by Indian Charlie) Lifetime Record: 13-4-1-3, \$89,674. O-Rising Sun Racing Stables, Inc.; B-Fredrick Wieting, John McCormick & Bridget Sperl (KY); T-Hugh I. McMahon. *\$90,000 RNA Ylg '18 KEESEP; \$29,000 3yo '20 OBSWIN.

6th-Penn National, \$28,900, 5-6, 3yo/up, 1m 70y, 1:41.57, sy, 5 1/2 lengths.

YES SIR COLONEL (g, 5, Colonel John--Lone Peak, by Wild Rush) Lifetime Record: 26-4-4-8, \$117,658. O-JKX Racing; B-Nick Bentley (KY); T-Irving Velez. *\$9,500 Ylg '18 KEEJAN. **7th-Evangeline Downs, \$27,580**, 5-6, 3yo/up, 1m (off turf), 1:39.79, ft, 2 3/4 lengths.

UNFATHOMED (g, 4, Midshipman--Divine Lorretta {SW, \$221,232}, by Mutakddim) Lifetime Record: 12-3-5-0, \$76,730. O-Brooke Guidry; B-R. Davis & Associates (LA); T-Allen Landry.

7th-Turf Paradise, \$25,130, (NW1X)/Opt. Clm (\$10,000-\$12,500), 5-7, 3yo/up, f/m, 5f, :56.58, ft, neck. BOUNTY OF GOLD (m, 6, Unionize--Loyal Bounty {SP, \$111,842}, by Loyal Double) Lifetime Record: 28-7-5-3, \$87,653. O-Johnny Taboada; B-W. L. & Barbara Yates (CA); T-Reed Saldana.

8th-Turf Paradise, \$25,130, (NW1X)/Opt. Clm
(\$10,000-\$12,500), 5-7, 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:36.01, fm, neck.
TW SKIPPING STONES (g, 6, Miraculous Hand--Month of Diamonds, by Home Run Trot) Lifetime Record: 14-5-1-4,
\$65,515. O-Gerald Wehrli; B-Gerald R. & Katherine A. Wehrli
(ID); T-Chad K. Story.

4th-Evangeline Downs, \$24,000, 5-7, (NW1X), 3yo/up, f/m, 1m (off turf), 1:40.06, ft, 3 1/2 lengths.

STAYTHIRSTYMYAMIGO (m, 6, Stay Thirsty--Michael's Rose, by Rahy) Lifetime Record: 40-13-8-3, \$212,220. O/T-Scott Gelner; B-Stephen Wigmore & Spruce Lane Farm (KY). *\$10,000 Ylg '17 KEESEP.

2nd-Mountaineer Casino & Resort, \$22,610, 5-7, 3yo/up, 6f (off turf), 1:11.56, gd, 1 1/2 lengths.

I'M MONEY (g, 4, Bayern--Jilly, by Lookin At Lucky) Lifetime Record: 26-4-3-5, \$95,566. O/T-Travis W. Short; B-Natalie J Baffert (KY). *\$2,000 Ylg '19 FTKFEB; \$1,000 Ylg '19 KEESEP.

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6th-Louisiana Downs, \$21,180, 5-7, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m 70y (off turf), 1:44.65, ft, 6 1/4 lengths.

JUST PASSING THRU (f, 4, Include--Fivethirtynine, by Bernstein) Lifetime Record: 10-2-2-1, \$36,754. O-Hugh Moore; B-Hugh M Moore & Include Syndicate (KY); T-Shane Wilson.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

- Rousing Jewel, f, 2, Rousing Sermon--Ribbon of Jewels, by Distorted Humor. Golden Gate Fields, 5-7, 4 1/2f (AWT), :51.92. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$23,400. B-Larry D. Williams (CA). *1ST-TIME STARTER.
- Gillian Elizabeth, f, 3, Astern (Aus)--Rue de Cry, by Street Cry (Ire). Santa Anita, 5-6, (C), 6fT, 1:10.00. Lifetime Record: 6-1-1-2, \$56,920. B-Iconic Thoroughbreds, LLC (KY).

Charmed Way, f, 3, **Brody's Cause**--Terry the Terror, by Crowd Pleaser. Laurel, 5-7, 1m (off turf), 1:39.94. Lifetime Record: 6-1-2-1, \$51,110. B-Ronald Paul Salerno (KY).

- Path to Success, g, 3, Dialed In--Folk (MSW-UAE, GISP-US, \$376,924), by Quiet American. Hawthorne, 5-7, 1m 70y (off turf), 1:42.52. Lifetime Record: 8-1-2-0, \$40,570. B-Godolphin (KY). *1/2 to Captivating Lass (A.P. Indy), SW & GSP, \$133,225.
- Tootie, f, 3, Euroears--B G Country Girl, by Catienus. Lone Star, 5-6, (S), 6f, 1:12.02. Lifetime Record: 5-1-1-1, \$31,329. B-Allen Dupey (TX).
- Awesome Rhythm, g, 3, First Samurai--Heavenly Candy, by Candy Ride (Arg). Santa Anita, 5-7, (C), 6fT, 1:09.09. Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-1, \$35,420. B-Lawrence T & Ann L Jett (KY).
- **Poseidon Steel**, c, 3, **Frac Daddy**--Blue Waters, by Speightstown. Woodbine, 5-7, (C), 5 1/2f (AWT), 1:03.69. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$29,898. B-Box Arrow Farm & Gordon C Colbourne (ON). *1ST-TIME STARTER.
- Lilbitspicy, f, 3, Iliad--Givonna B, by Proud and True. Century Mile, 5-7, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:06.91. Lifetime Record: 6-1-0-0, \$17,697. B-C & H Duggan Farms (AB).
- Doc Doc Rock, f, 3, Into Mischief--A True Pussycat (MSW & MGSP, \$276,919), by Yes It's True. Belmont, 5-7, (S), (C), 6f (off turf), 1:12.50. Lifetime Record: 7-1-0-1, \$41,335. B-Dr. Jerry Bilinski, Roddy Valente & Dr. Richard Alfred (NY). *\$120,000 RNA Ylg '20 FTKSEL. **1/2 to Daring Duchess (Arch), SW-Can, MSW & MGSP-USA, \$407,245.

ANOTHER TRAVIS DURR GRADUATE Regal Riot, g, 3, Jersey Town--Regal Red (MSW, \$188,487), by On Target. Hastings Racecourse, 5-7, (C), 6f, 1:13.32. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$11,983. B-Suzanne I. Anderson (BC). *1/2 to Wilo Kat (Katahaula County), SW & GSP, \$232,634.

- **Tonys Morning Line**, g, 3, **Morning Line**--Littlebitofsense, by Street Sense. Fanduel Sportsbook And Horse Racing, 5-7, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:05.65. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$14,100. B-Peter Scott Reiman (IL). *1ST-TIME STARTER.
- Belcarra Park, f, 3, Outwork--Wind Storm (MSW, \$269,448), by He's Tops. Hastings Racecourse, 5-7, (C), 6f, 1:12.87. Lifetime Record: 3-1-2-0, \$16,365. B-George Gilbert (KY).
- **Desert Oryx**, c, 3, **Overanalyze**--Dulce Arabe (Chi), by Speightstown. Lone Star, 5-7, 5fT, :57.36. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, \$27,670. B-International Equities Holding, Inc. (KY).
- Mean Jakey, c, 3, Violence--Lindy (SP), by War Front. Oaklawn, 5-7, 6f, 1:10.29. Lifetime Record: 6-1-2-2, \$112,235. B-RanJan Racing, Inc. (KY). *\$340,000 Ylg '20 KEESEP.

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Passthepuddinpleaz, g, 4, Frac Daddy--Runandnotgroweary, by Union Place. Woodbine, 5-7, (WC), 6f (AWT), 1:11.48. Lifetime Record: 12-1-1-1, \$34,195. B-Silver Duck Racing Stable (ON).
Buoy, f, 4, Majestic Harbor--Floating Sky, by Malibu Moon.

Horseshoe Indianapolis, 5-7, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:06.46. Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-1, \$26,730. B-Deerfield Farm Inc (IN).

- Wood Be Wild, g, 4, Old Forester--Psychedelia, by Wild Zone. Woodbine, 5-7, (C), 5f (AWT), :57.26. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-1, \$41,357. B-Victoria Pappas (ON). *1/2 to Virreina (Vibank), SP, \$175,726.
- **Diamond Indy Skies**, f, 4, **Tale of Ekati**--Stars Indy Skies, by A.P. Indy. Evangeline Downs, 5-6, 1m (off turf), 1:41.65. Lifetime Record: 3-1-2-0, \$25,800. B-Rene LaVergne (KY).
- **Rush the Colors**, g, 4, **Too Much Bling**--Auditioning, by Festival of Light. Lone Star, 5-6, (S), 6f, 1:11.17. Lifetime Record: 11-1-6-1, \$68,267. B-Arledge Livestock Company, LLC (TX).
- Candy Anne, f, 4, Twirling Candy--Our First Girl, by War Front. Lone Star, 5-6, 5fT, :58.06. Lifetime Record: 8-1-2-0, \$27,568. B-CRK Stables, LLC (KY). *\$7,000 Ylg '19 KEESEP.

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Army Mule, One in Vermillion, c, 2, o/o Given Star, by Any Given Saturday. Turf Paradise Open Spring Futurity, 5-7, Turf Paradise **Astern (Aus)**, Gillian Elizabeth, f, 3, o/o Rue de Cry, by Street Cry (Ire). MCL, 5-6, Santa Anita

Attila's Storm, No Pasa Nada, g, 6, o/o Charlotte's Drone, by B. G.'s Drone. Jack Cole S., 5-7, Sunray

Bandbox, Dancin At Midnight, f, 4, o/o Buzzin At Midnight, by Midnight Lute. Third Chance S., 5-7, Hawthorne

Bayern, I'm Money, g, 4, o/o Jilly, by Lookin At Lucky. ALW, 5-7, Mountaineer

Bernardini, Regular Guy, c, 4, o/o Rebridled Dreams, by Unbridled's Song. ALW, 5-7, Hawthorne

Bind, Tolonda, f, 3, o/o Princess Meg, by Walesa. ALW, 5-7, Lone Star

Bodemeister, Stolen Base, c, 3, o/o Running Wild, by Indian Charlie. GII American Turf S. presented by BMW, 5-7, Churchill Downs

Brody's Cause, Charmed Way, f, 3, o/o Terry the Terror, by Crowd Pleaser. MSW, 5-7, Laurel

California Chrome, California Frolic, c, 3, o/o Curlin's Frolic, by Curlin. English Channel S., 5-7, Gulfstream Can the Man, Mintchocolatechip, m, 5, o/o Marshmellowfudge, by Garthorn. ALW, 5-7, Horseshoe Indianapolis Candy Ride (Arg), Sugar Daddy, g, 5, o/o How, by Indian Charlie. AOC, 5-6, Charles Town **Colonel John**, Yes Sir Colonel, g, 5, o/o Lone Peak, by Wild Rush. AOC, 5-6, Penn National Congrats, Unto Thee, g, 3, o/o Faith Proof, by Idiot Proof. AOC, 5-7, Golden Gate **Constitution**, Congressman, c, 3, o/o Don't Stop to Shop, by Unbridled's Song. MSW, 5-7, Churchill Downs **Court Vision**, Rosie Jane, f, 4, o/o I Am Jane Dough, by My Golden Song. ALW, 5-6, Lone Star **Creative Cause**, Creative Minister, c, 3, o/o Tamboz, by Tapit. AOC, 5-7, Churchill Downs Creative Cause, See Ya Manana, m, 7, o/o Ms Manana, by Graeme Hall. AOC, 5-6, Charles Town Cross Traffic, Red Road, c, 3, o/o Orchid Lane, by Giant's Causeway. AOC, 5-6, Santa Anita **Cupid**, Duke of Love, c, 3, o/o Tell the Duchess, by Smart Strike. AOC, 5-7, Woodbine Curlin, Cody's Wish, c, 4, o/o Dance Card, by Tapit. GIII Westchester S., 5-7, Belmont Curlin, Obligatory, f, 4, o/o Uno Duo, by Macho Uno. GI Derby City Distaff S. presented by Kendall-Jackson Winery, 5-7, **Churchill Downs** Curlin, Surfer Dude, c, 3, o/o Tiz Miz Sue, by Tiznow. AOC, 5-7, **Churchill Downs Declaration of War**, Hopper, c, 3, o/o Irridescence (Saf), by Caesour. MSW, 5-7, Santa Anita **Dialed In**, Path to Success, g, 3, o/o Folk, by Quiet American. MSW, 5-7, Hawthorne **Dialed In**, Rotary Dial, g, 4, o/o Dreamin Big, by Pure Prize. ALW, 5-7, Horseshoe Indianapolis Distorted Humor, Santin, c, 4, o/o Sentiero Italia, by Medaglia d'Oro. GI Old Forester Bourbon Turf Classic S., 5-7, Churchill Downs **Done Talking**, Drive by Layover, g, 4, o/o Talented Princess, by Suave Prospect. ALW, 5-6, Charles Town Editorial, Alottahope, g, 3, o/o Alottalute, by Midnight Lute. ALW, 5-7, Laurel Euroears, Tootie, f, 3, o/o B G Country Girl, by Catienus. MSW, 5-6, Lone Star Fed Biz, Raneem, m, 6, o/o J P's Flashy Honey, by Flashy Bull. ALW, 5-7, Sunray Field Commission, Mish, g, 5, o/o Wicked Great, by Greatness. AOC, 5-7, Gulfstream

First Samurai, Awesome Rhythm, g, 3, o/o Heavenly Candy, by Candy Ride (Arg). MCL, 5-7, Santa Anita First Samurai, Winning Romance, f, 4, o/o Lipstick Junky, by Flatter. EVD Distaff S., 5-6, Evangeline Frac Daddy, Passthepuddinpleaz, g, 4, o/o Runandnotgroweary, by Union Place. WMC, 5-7, Woodbine Frac Daddy, Poseidon Steel, c, 3, o/o Blue Waters, by Speightstown. MOC, 5-7, Woodbine Frankel (GB), Lady Rockstar (GB), f, 4, o/o Noozhah (GB), by Singspiel (Ire). ALW, 5-7, Churchill Downs Gormley, Center Stage, f, 3, o/o Open Agenda, by More Than Ready. MSW, 5-7, Tampa Bay Gun Runner, Efficiency, g, 3, o/o Sunday Sonnet, by Any Given Saturday. MSW, 5-7, Belmont Half Ours, Sign of War, g, 4, o/o Lady o' War, by Leestown. ALW, 5-6, Lone Star Handsome Mike, Alabama Slammer, g, 4, o/o Streethomealabama, by Street Sense. ALW, 5-7, Tampa Bay Harry's Holiday, Highcotton Justice, g, 3, o/o Traditionalist, by Aptitude. ALW, 5-7, Horseshoe Indianapolis Holiday Promise, Tudela, f, 4, o/o Lil Precious, by Forestry. ALW, 5-7, Lone Star Holy Roman Emperor (Ire), L'Imperator (Fr), g, 5, o/o La Joie (Fr), by Montjeu (Ire). GII Fort Marcy S., 5-7, Belmont **Iliad**, Lilbitspicy, f, 3, o/o Givonna B, by Proud and True. MSW, 5-7, Century Mile **Include**, Just Passing Thru, f, 4, o/o Fivethirtynine, by Bernstein. ALW, 5-7, Louisiana Downs Into Mischief, Doc Doc Rock, f, 3, o/o A True Pussycat, by Yes It's True. MCL, 5-7, Belmont Into Mischief, Eleven Central, g, 4, o/o Sealy Hill, by Point Given. MSW, 5-7, Horseshoe Indianapolis Into Mischief, Gina Romantica, f, 3, o/o Special Me, by Unbridled's Song. AOC, 5-7, Belmont Into Mischief, Strobe, c, 3, o/o Flashing, by A.P. Indy. MSW, 5-7, Churchill Downs Into Mischief, Sweet Solare, f, 3, o/o Elusive Checkers, by Quality Road. ALW, 5-7, Belmont Into Mischief, Upandcomingstar, f, 4, o/o Freedom Star, by Street Cry (Ire). AOC, 5-7, Oaklawn Jersey Town, Regal Riot, g, 3, o/o Regal Red, by On Target. MOC, 5-7, Hastings Karakontie (Jpn), Amaterasu, f, 4, o/o Courage and Intent, by Pleasantly Perfect. ALW, 5-7, Penn National Keen Ice, Rich Strike, c, 3, o/o Gold Strike, by Smart Strike. GI Kentucky Derby presented by Woodford Reserve, 5-7, Churchill Downs Khozan, Kozy Dreams, m, 5, o/o Angel Dreams, by City Place. ALW, 5-7, Gulfstream





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Shanghai Bobby, Hai Bobbi, m, 5, o/o Fast Resource, by Bob and John. ALW, 5-7, Woodbine **Soldier Hollow (GB)**, Virginia Joy (Ger), m, 5, o/o Virginia Sun (Ger), by Doyen (Ire). GII Sheepshead Bay S., 5-7, Belmont **Souper Speedy**, Souper Pecan, m, 6, o/o D'wild Lady, by D'wildcat. OCL, 5-6, Woodbine Stay Thirsty, Staythirstymyamigo, m, 6, o/o Michael's Rose, by Rahy. ALW, 5-7, Evangeline Temple City, Ocean Safari, f, 3, o/o Media Access, by Devil's Bag. Honey Ryder S., 5-7, Gulfstream **Temple City**, Shirley's Temple, f, 4, o/o Sympathy, by Henrythenavigator. AOC, 5-6, Lone Star **Too Much Bling**, Ima Bling Cat, g, 4, o/o Stephanies Wildcat, by D'wildcat. AOC, 5-7, Oaklawn **Too Much Bling**, Rush the Colors, g, 4, o/o Auditioning, by Festival of Light. MSW, 5-6, Lone Star **Touchdown Ky**, Thatgirl'sonfire, m, 5, o/o Zoom to the Tune, by Here Comes Charlie. ALW, 5-7, Sunray **Twinspired**, Direct Deceit, g, 7, o/o Funnys Approval, by Outrageouslyfunny. Michael F. Rowland Memorial H., 5-7, Thistledown Twirling Candy, Candy Anne, f, 4, o/o Our First Girl, by War Front. MSW, 5-6, Lone Star Twirling Candy, Candy Tycoon, g, 5, o/o Liberty's Lyric, by Unbridled's Song. AOC, 5-7, Churchill Downs Twirling Candy, River Dog, g, 4, o/o Sterling Forest, by Forest Wildcat. ALW, 5-7, Belmont **Uncle Lino**, Helosthismarbles, g, 4, o/o Takin the Plunge, by Lion Heart. AOC, 5-6, Penn National Unionize, Bounty of Gold, m, 6, o/o Loyal Bounty, by Loyal Double. AOC, 5-7, Turf Paradise Violence, Mean Jakey, c, 3, o/o Lindy, by War Front. MSW, 5-7, Oaklawn Weigelia, Bourbon Music, g, 3, o/o Da Mi Basia Mille, by Pure Prize. ALW, 5-7, Penn National Wootton Bassett (GB), Speak of the Devil (Fr), m, 5, o/o Moranda (Fr), by Indian Rocket (GB). GII Longines Churchill Distaff Turf Mile S., 5-7, Churchill Downs



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UNITED NATIONS PREVAILS IN LINGFIELD DERBY TRIAL



United Nations is the 351st black-type winner for his late sire Racinafotos.com

by Sean Cronin

Team Ballydoyle had registered five prior wins in Lingfield's Listed SBK Derby Trial, including with subsequent G1 Epsom Derby hero Anthony Van Dyck (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) in 2019, and Aidan O'Brien and Ryan Moore teamed up once again with United Nations (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}--Christmas Kid, by Lemon Drop Kid) to continue their banner week with a hard-fought victory in this year's edition.

For sire Galileo, it was a fourth new stakes winner of the week and extended the Coolmore icon's world-record tally to 351. United Nations graduated over seven furlongs in his Sept. 16 debut at Naas, following up with a seventh behind subsequent G1 2000 Guineas hero Coroebus (Ire) (Dubawi {Ire}) in Newmarket's one-mile Oct. 9 G3 Autumn S., and lined up for this test coming back off a fourth tackling 10 furlongs in Epsom's Apr. 19 Listed Blue Riband Trial.

Moore was content to accept a tow in second as last month's Newbury maiden winner Natural World (Ire) (Frankel {GB}) set the tempo until well beyond halfway. Scrubbed along with three furlongs remaining, the 9-4 second favourite gained an edge approaching the final furlong and was driven out to deny Godolphin number one Walk of Stars (GB) (Dubawi {Ire}), who had flattered to deceive in the closing stages, by 3/4-of-a-length. Cont. p2

CONFIDENCE BEHIND 'THE NEXT SOTTSASS' AHEAD OF FRENCH DERBY by Brian Sheerin

Jean-Claude Rouget is not prone to hyperbole so, when the decorated French handler compared the unexposed Al Hakeem (GB) (Siyouni {Fr}) to his only G1 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe winner Sottsass (Fr) (Siyouni {Fr}) earlier this week, some people did a double take.

Not Benoit Jeffroy, who manages Haras de Bouquetot on behalf of the Al Shaqab operation. Jeffroy has long been aware of the standing in which the multiple Classic-winning trainer has held Al Hakeem and, when the colt won the Listed Prix de Suresnes at Chantilly on Tuesday, he wasn't one bit surprised that Rouget told the French press that 'he reminds me a lot of Sottsass'.

"Jean-Claude is a straight-talking man and he says what he thinks. It was no surprise to us to hear what he said about Al Hakeem because he always told us that the horse was a colt with a lot of ability, he just needed to show it on the track," Jeffroy explained. Cont. p9

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Listed SBK Derby Trial S. Cont. from p1

"United Nations has been round Epsom and has clearly come out of his race there well," said Coolmore's Kevin Buckley. "He ticks the boxes, Aidan hoped he would put his experience into practice today and we thought he'd improve with the extra step up in distance. It was a steep learning curve at Epsom [last time], we were happy with that performance and now he as done that here. Having a large team for Epsom is a nice problem to have."

Paul Smith added, "It's a great learning curve going from trial to championship and we've been delighted with the way the respective horses have run at Chester and now Lingfield. We hope it will continue at York."

United Nations becomes the third black-type winner and fifth stakes performer for GI Ashland S. heroine Christmas Kid (Lemon Drop Kid), who also had the Listed Caravaggio S. victor and G1 Vincent O'Brien S. placegetter Christmas (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) and the Listed Leopardstown 2000 Guineas Trial scorer Black Sea (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}). Christmas Kid is also the dam of G3 Killavullan S. runner-up Michaelmas (Elusive Quality) and G2 King Edward VII S. third Father Christmas (Ire) (Bernadini). The next dam is dual Grade III victrix Christmas Gift (Green Desert), who produced the stakes-winning Elusive Gift (Elusive Quality) and is the ancestress of the GIII Eddie D S. victor Holy Lute (Midnight Lute). United Nations's third dam, Christmas Bonus (Key To The Mint), has three stakes winners to her credit including stakes-winning GI Santa Anita Oaks second Bright Candles (El Gran Senor), whose own progeny list is headed by MGISW sire Grand Slam (Gone West). Christmas Kid also has a 2year-old full-sister to United Nations to come.

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SBK DERBY TRIAL S.-Listed, £67,500, Lingfield, 5-7, 3yo, c/g, 11f 133yT, 2:26.68, g/f.

1--UNITED NATIONS (IRE), 128, c, 3, by Galileo (Ire) 1st Dam: Christmas Kid (GISW, \$596,877), by Lemon Drop Kid

2nd Dam: Christmas Gift, by Green Desert 3rd Dam: Christmas Bonus, by Key to the Mint

1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN. O-Susan Magnier, Michael Tabor, Derrick Smith & Westerberg; B-Coolmore (IRE); T-Aidan O'Brien; J-Ryan Moore. £38,799. Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-0, \$62,884. *Full to Christmas (IRE), SW & G1SP-Ire, GSP-Swe & MSP-Den, \$159,477; Black Sea (Ire), SW & GSP-Ire; and 1/2 to Father Christmas (Ire) (Bernardini), GSP-Eng, \$153,484; and Michaelmas (Elusive Quality), GSP-Ire. **351st stakes winner for sire.

2--Walk of Stars (GB), 128, c, 3, Dubawi (Ire)--Sound Reflection, by Street Cry (Ire). 1ST BLACK TYPE. O/B-Godolphin (GB);



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T-Charlie Appleby. £14,722.

3--Natural World (Ire), 128, c, 3, Frankel (GB)--Skiffle (GB), by Dubawi (Ire). 1ST BLACK TYPE. O/B-Godolphin (IRE); T-Charlie Appleby. £7,364.

Margins: 3/4, 3 1/4, 1. Odds: 2.25, 1.10, 6.50. Also Ran: Zechariah (Ire). Scratched: Lionel (GB).

DUBAWI FILLY STRIKES IN LINGFIELD OAKS

TRIAL by Sean Cronin

The Rogues Gallery's **Rogue Millennium (Ire)** (Dubawi {Ire}--Hawaafez {GB}, by Nayef), who was plucked from the Shadwell operation for 35,000gns as an unraced 2-year-old at last year's Tattersalls December Mares sale, graduated over 10 furlongs in an Apr. 24 Wetherby maiden and punched her ticket to Epsom's June 3 G1 Cazoo Oaks with a narrow victory in Saturday's Listed SBK Oaks Trial at Lingfield.

The February-foaled bay has yet to be entered for next month's Classic and connections are keen to stump up the £30,000 supplementary fee for the privilege. Settled off the pace in sixth for the most part, the 15-2 chance was coaxed forward once into the home straight and was unrelenting under a drive inside the final quarter mile to nail the pacesetting **Mystic Wells** (Kitten's Joy) by a head on the line for a career high. Coolmore and Westerberg's 5-6 favorite **Emily Dickinson** (Ire) (Dubawi {Ire}) raced prominently and threatened in the straight, but faded late to finish fifth.



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"She's by the right sire and we decided, before coming here, that if she won she would be added to the Oaks field," explained trainer Tom Clover. "She's still green and has improved with each piece of work. I actually feel a little guilty about asking her to go to Epsom, but we have to go." **Cont. p4**

Listed SBK Oaks Trial Fillies' S. Cont.

He added, "She's just flourished and I hope she can continue to progress. The owners [Rogues Gallery] are great sporting people, who absolutely adore it. Whether it's an owners' event or a day trip to watch the horses, their enthusiasm is boundless."

Winning rider Jack Mitchell added, "She was rolling about a bit coming down the hill, but once she levelled out she was strong right the way to the line."

Rogue Millennium becomes the first black-type winner for G3 Cumberland Lodge S. victrix Hawaafez (GB) (Nayef), herself the leading performer bred from Merayaat (Ire) (Darshaan {GB}). Merayaat's second dam Wedding Bouquet (Ire) (Kings Lake) scored twice at pattern-race level, namely the G3 Park S. and GIII Monrovia H., and also ran second in both G1 Phoenix S. and G1 National S. during her juvenile campaign. Wedding Bouquet is kin to G1 Epsom Derby hero Generous (Ire) (Caerleon {GB}) and G1 Epsom Oaks heroine Imagine (Ire) (Sadler's Wells), herself the dam of five pattern-race winners headed by G1 Grand Criterium victor Horatio Nelson (Ire) (Danehill) and G1 Criterium International winner Van Gogh (American Pharoah). Wedding Bouquet is also the granddam of MG1SW distaffer and three-time G1 Prix Maurice de Gheest heroine Moonlight Cloud (GB) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}). Hawaafez has a 2-year-old filly by Awtaad (Ire) and a yearling filly by Kingman (GB) to come.

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SBK OAKS TRIAL FILLIES' **S.-Listed**, £43,000, Lingfield, 5-7, 3yo, f, 11f 133yT, 2:28.80, g/f.

1--ROGUE MILLENNIUM (IRE), 128, f, 3, by Dubawi (Ire) 1st Dam: Hawaafez (GB) (GSW-Eng, \$111,512), by Nayef

> 2nd Dam: Merayaat (Ire), by Darshaan (GB) 3rd Dam: Maddelina (Ire), by Sadler's Wells

1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN. (35,000gns 2yo '21 TATMA). O-The Rogues Gallery; B-Shadwell Estate Company Ltd (IRE); T-Tom Clover; J-Jack Mitchell. £24,716. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$36,889.

- 2--Mystic Wells, 128, f, 3, Kitten's Joy--Cat On a Tin Roof, by Catienus. 1ST BLACK TYPE. (\$75,000 Ylg '20 KEESEP; 77,000gns 2yo '21 TATBRE). O-Mr & Mrs R Scott & Mr & Mrs D Bevan;
 B-Kenneth L Ramsey & Sarah K Ramsey (KY); T-George Boughey. £9,378.
- 3--Makinmedoit (Ire), 128, f, 3, Golden Horn (GB)--Tranquil Star (Ire), by Galileo (Ire). **1ST BLACK TYPE**. (10,000gns 2yo '21 TATBRG). O-Robert Levitt & Anthony Bromley; B-Rabbah Bloodstock Ltd (IRE); T-Harry Eustace. £4,691.

Margins: HD, 2, 1 1/4. Odds: 7.50, 4.50, 16.00. Also Ran: Belt Buckle (GB), Emily Dickinson (Ire), Three Priests (Jpn), Nikhi (GB), Suzy's Shoes (GB). Scratched: Speak (GB).

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STATE OF SUPERIORITY

by Tom Frary

Six days after the G1 Prix Ganay victory of her half-brother State of Rest (Ire) (Starspangledbanner {Aus}), Teme Valley Racing's **Tranquil Lady (Ire)** (Australia {GB}--Repose) kept the family honour well and truly intact with an authoritative success in Naas' G3 Irish Stallion Farms EBF Blue Wind S.

Sent off the 3-1 joint-second favourite in what appeared to be a tight contest, the chestnut who had been fourth in Navan's Listed Salsabil S. on her 3-year-old bow Apr. 23 travelled sweetly in third early under Dylan Browne McMonagle. Cruising to Ballydoyle's 11-4 favourite **Lily Pond (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}) two out, she was sent on into a clear advantage soon after and relished the run to the line to hand that rival a four-length thrashing, with another 5 1/2 lengths back to the winner's stablemate **Tosen Lydia (Ire)** (The Gurkha {Ire}) in third.

Joseph O'Brien admitted he hadn't been considering the G1 Cazoo Oaks for the impressive winner, but could be in for a change of heart. "She popped her head up today as if she should be going there," he said. "It wasn't the plan, but it's definitely a conversation we'll have with Richard and Jim [Cockburn] now. We kind of had the Curragh in our minds, but we have to certainly talk about it now." Cont. p5

G3 Irish Stallion Farms EBF Blue Wind S. Cont.

Tranquil Lady, who had been second to the smart Limiti di Greccio (Ire) (Elzaam {Aus}) in The Curragh's Listed Staffordstown Stud S. in October, was paying a compliment to the Salsabil one-two Concert Hall (Ire) (Dubawi {Ire}) and Magical Lagoon (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) here but her trainer believes she was not seen at her best on that occasion.

"I don't know why she didn't really fire in Navan, it wasn't a bad run and it was probably a good race but we were hoping for more and it's nice to see her doing it today," he revealed. "This was plan b to come here, to be honest, but she came out of Navan well and we thought it was a suitable race. I was a bit worried about the [easy] ground and [Teme Valley racing manager] Richard [Ryan] convinced me to run her. I don't think she wants it too soft, but she handled it well and Dylan gave her a lovely ride."

Of the yard's well-regarded Tosen Lydia, who met with defeat for the first time and was left behind by the front two, he added, "She probably won't go to the Oaks. We think she's a good filly, but I'm not sure if she might be best at a mile."



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Pedigree Notes

Tranquil Lady is the third foal out of the unraced dam, with the second State of Rest already a G1 Cox Plate and GI Saratoga Derby Invitational hero prior to his weekend exploits in ParisLongchamp. The second dam Monaassabaat (Zilzal) took the Listed Virginia S. before producing the listed scorers Prince Alzain (Street Sense) and Echo River (Irish River {Fr}), with the latter also second inn the G3 May Hill S. She is also the second dam of the G2 Royal Lodge S. and G2 Vintage S. runner-up Artigiano (Distorted Humor) and listed-placed Dubai Legacy (Discreet Cat).

The third dam is the 16-times-winning dual GI Vanity H. heroine and champion It's In the Air (Mr. Prospector), whose descendants include the triple Group 1-winning Champion S. hero Storming Home (GB) (Machiavellian), the GI American Oaks heroine Music Note (A. P. Indy) and her G1 Dubai World Cupwinning son Mystic Guide (Ghostzapper), plus the G1 Poule d'Essai des Pouliches winner Musical Chimes (In Excess {Ire}). Repose's 2-year-old filly Double Scoop (Ire) (Dandy Man {Ire}) was a €180,000 purchase by Anthony Dutrow at the Goffs Orby Yearling Sale.

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IRISH STALLION FARMS EBF BLUE WIND S.-G3, €65,000, Naas, 5-7, 3yo, f, 10fT, 2:14.75, y/s.

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1--TRANQUIL LADY (IRE), 128, f, 3, by Australia (GB) 1st Dam: Repose, by Quiet American 2nd Dam: Monaassabaat, by Zilzal 3rd Dam: It's in the Air, by Mr. Prospector

1ST BLACK TYPE WIN, 1ST GROUP WIN. (€30,000 RNA Wlg '19 GOFNOV; £160,000 Ylg '20 GOFOR). O-Teme Valley; B-Tinnakill Bloodstock Ltd (IRE); T-Joseph O'Brien; J-Dylan Browne McMonagle. €39,000. Lifetime Record: 5-2-1-0, \$68,939. *1/2 to State of Rest (Ire) (Starspangledbanner {Aus}), G1SW-Aus, G1SW-Fr, GISW-US, GSP-Eng, SP-Ire, \$3,050,924. Werk Nick Rating: F. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.

- 2--Lily Pond (Ire), 128, f, 3, Galileo (Ire)--Alluringly, by Fastnet Rock (Aus). 1ST BLACK TYPE. 1ST GROUP BLACK TYPE. O-Mrs. J Magnier/M Tabor/D Smith/Westerberg; B-Coolmore (IRE); T-Aidan O'Brien. €13,000.
- 3--Tosen Lydia (Ire), 128, f, 3, The Gurkha (Ire)--Early Addition (Ire), by Makfi (GB). 1ST BLACK TYPE. 1ST GROUP BLACK TYPE.
 O-Takaya Shimakawa; B-Michael Cunningham (IRE); T-Joseph O'Brien. €6,500.

Margins: 4, 5HF, 5. Odds: 3.00, 2.75, 3.00.

Also Ran: Eclat de Lumiere (Ire), River Rain (Ire), Sister Bridget (Ire). Scratched: Albula (Ire). Click for the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.

LOLA SHOWGIRL MAKES ALL AT LINGFIELD

by Sean Cronin

Kevin Lloyd's 5-year-old mare **Lola Showgirl (Ire)** (Night of Thunder {Ire}--Exempt {GB}, by Exceed and Excel {Aus}), who annexed the one-mile Kensington Palace H. at last year's Royal Ascot meet, opened this campaign with a fourth in Kempton's Apr. 18 Listed Snowdrop Fillies' S. last time and stepped up markedly on previous form to register a career high in Saturday's G3 SBK Chartwell Fillies' S. at Lingfield.

Making a beeline for the stands' side rail after breaking on the lead, the 11-1 chance was never headed in this straight dash and maintained a high tempo under a drive inside the final quarter mile to win going away by 3/4-of-a-length from **Pearl Glory (Ire)** (Cotai Glory {GB}). **Cont. p6**

G3 SBK Chartwell Fillies' S. Cont.

"When you can get over to that fence it's an advantage and it was a no brainer to do that," explained winning rider Tom Marquand. "She was in top gear for a long way, but kept digging deep. She's a beautiful, big filly and, when she does retire, I hope she can throw some superstars."

Pedigree Notes

Lola Showgirl, half to a yearling colt by Camacho (GB), becomes the 15th pattern-race winner for her sire (by Dubawi {Ire}), who also had the third-placed finisher Thunder Beauty (Ire) in this race. Lola Showgirl also marks the first stakes winner for Exempt (GB) (Exceed and Excel {Aus}), herself kin to GII Honeymoon Breeders' Cup H. winner and GI Matriarch S. and GI Del Mar Oaks runner-up Three Degrees (Ire) (Singspiel {Ire}) as well as to Listed Flying Fillies' S. victrix Mehronissa (GB) (Iffraaj {GB}). Mehronissa, in turn, is the dam of last year's G3 UAE 2000 Guineas runner-up Meshakel (Ire) (Shamardal). Lola Showgirl's third dam Gorgeously Divine (Al Hattab) has four stakes performers to her credit, most notably Listed Blue Sparkler S. victrix Reissaurus (Country Pine). Reissaurus's descendants are headed by the tough-as-teak dual stakes scorer Red Hot N Gold (Gold Case) and Listed Northbound Pride S. victrix Seekinghtereinbow (Mutakddim).



Lola Showgirl | Racingfotos.com

Saturday, Lingfield, Britain

SBK CHARTWELL FILLIES' S.-G3, £60,000, Lingfield, 5-7, 3yo/up, f, 7fT, 1:21.86, g/f.

1--LOLA SHOWGIRL (IRE), 132, m, 5, by Night of Thunder (Ire) 1st Dam: Exempt (GB), by Exceed and Excel (Aus) 2nd Dam: Miss University, by Beau Genius 3rd Dam: Gorgeously Divine, by Al Hattab 1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN; 1ST GROUP WIN. (€15,000 Wlg '17 GOFNOV). O-Kevin Lloyd; B-Noel Finegan (IRE); T-David Loughnane; J-Tom Marquand. £34,488. Lifetime Record: 12-4-2-0, \$113,278. Werk Nick Rating: A+. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.

- 2--**Pearl Glory (Ire)**, 120, f, 3, Cotai Glory (GB)--Oatmeal (GB), by Dalakhani (Ire). (4,000gns Wlg '19 TATFOA; £12,000 2yo '21 TATGOR). O-Team Valor LLC & Gary Barber; B-Ronan Ely (IRE); T-Kevin Philippart De Foy. £13,086.
- 3--Thunder Beauty (Ire), 132, f, 4, Night of Thunder (Ire)--Quiania (Ire), by Dansili (GB). 1ST GROUP BLACK TYPE.
 (€42,000 Ylg '19 TIRSEP). O-D K Kelly; B-Kildaragh Stud & Michael Downey (IRE); T-David O'Meara. £6,546.
 Margins: 3/4, 2HF, NO. Odds: 11.00, 6.50, 9.00.
 Also Ran: She Do (GB), Symphony Perfect (Ire), Rosemary And Thyme (GB), Chocoya (GB), Wren's Breath (Ire). Click for the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.

LITTLE BIG BEAR THE LATEST NO NAY NEVER

RISING STAR By Tom Frary

Aidan O'Brien's stable is going great guns at this fledgling stage of the season and there was another TDN Rising Star off the production line at Naas on Saturday as the 2-year-old Little Big Bear (Ire) (No Nay Never--Adventure Seeker {Fr}) booked his Royal Ascot ticket. Narrowly denied on debut by the Ger Lyons-trained Tough Talk (Ire) (Kingman {GB}) over six furlongs at the Curragh Apr. 10, the descendant of the legendary All Along (Fr) was backed down to 4-9 to deliver dropping to five for this Irish Stallion Farms EBF Maiden staged on yielding-to-soft. Always travelling like the winner in behind as the Joseph O'Brien-trained Alexis Zorba (GB) (Zoustar {Aus}) attempted to stretch him, the imposing bay who was a €320,000 Argana Deauville August graduate was shaken up by Seamie Heffernan to take control inside the final furlong and register a three-length success without being fully extended. There was a further 3 3/4-length margin back to the Jessie Harrington-trained newcomer Keepupwithmyempire (Ire) (Holy Roman Emperor {Ire}) in third.

"He just outclassed them," Heffernan said of the January-foaled bay, who was bred by Camas Park Stud and Summerhill and becomes his sire's third TDN Rising Star this term following the stable's fellow juveniles Deneuve (Ire) and Aesop's Fables (Ire). "He had a lovely run the first day, where he was a little bit green and he was one that caught my eye at home. He would be in the mix for Royal Ascot. He's a massive colt, he switches off and has loads of boot and a bit of class--he ticks a lot of boxes."

Before this season, Ten Sovereigns (Ire) was the sole TDN Rising Star for the sire and he is still his best, but it is early days and the signals are strong that there is plenty to come from No Nay Never. Cont. p7

Little Big Bear Cont.

Clearly Ballydoyle have some potentially high-class juveniles among his progeny in 2022 and Little Big Bear gives the impression he is one who is more than just a now horse given his impressive physique. Added to that, his pedigree is not one of a fast and precocious sprinter as his dam Adventure Seeker was a middle-distance performer for the Wildensteins and Alain de Royer-Dupre, winning the 10 1/2-furlong Listed Prix de Liancourt and placing second in the G3 Prix Cleopatre and fourth in the 2011 GI E P Taylor S.

Adventure Seeker, whose yearling is a full-brother to the winner, has thrown one previous stakes performer with her first foal being Andrea Mantegna (Giant's Causeway) who was second in the 12-furlong G3 Hobart Cup, GSP-Aus, \$352,585. A half to the precocious but ill-fated G3 Princess Margaret S. third Along Again (Ire) (Elusive City), she is a granddaughter of the aforementioned All Along, the French champion and US Horse of the Year in 1983 courtesy of her G1 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe, GI Turf Classic, G1 Rothmans International and GI Washington D. C. International victories.





1st-Naas, €16,000, Mdn, 5-7, 2yo, 5fT, 1:02.46, y/s.
LITTLE BIG BEAR (IRE), c, 2, by No Nay Never
1st Dam: Adventure Seeker (Fr) (SW & GSP-Fr,
\$155,312), by Bering (GB)
2nd Dam: American Adventure, by Miswaki
3rd Dam: All Along (Fr), by Targowice
(€320,000 Ylg '21 ARAUG). Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$13,843.

(€320,000 Yig 21 ARAOG). Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$13,843. Click for the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree. VIDEO.

O-D Smith, Mrs J Magnier, M Tabor, Westerberg; B-Camas Park Stud & Summerhill (IRE); T-Aidan O'Brien.

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NOBLE STYLE ANOTHER RISING STAR FOR KINGMAN by Tom Frary



Kingman | Bronwen Healy

Ascot's five-furlong Jemima Howden Novice S. looked a likely race to produce an exciting prospect on paper on Saturday and that proved to be the case as Godolphin's newcomer **Noble Style (GB) (Kingman {GB}**--Eartha Kitt {GB}) dashed to **TDN Rising Stardom**. Sent off the 6-4 favourite under James Doyle, the 525,000gns Book 1 graduate travelled with elan behind the leading duo and when delivered to tackle **Walbank (Ire)** (Kodiac {GB}) with 150 yards remaining surged by for a 1 3/4-length success. There was a further three-length margin back to the long-time leader **Redemption Time (GB)** (Harry Angel {Ire}), who brought racing experience into the mix but was left behind as the expensive Tattersalls purchases drove on.

Noble Style is the first juvenile runner of 2022 for Charlie Appleby, who has now won this three times in five years with newcomers. The March-foaled bay is the second of two foals produced by Pivotal's speedy Listed Boadicea S. winner and G3 Summer S. third bred by Andrew Black's Chasemore Farm. The 23rd TDN Rising Star for Juddmonte's sire sensation, he has Royal Ascot written all over him. The second dam is the G2 Queen Mary S. winner Ceiling Kitty (GB) (Red Clubs {Ire}), who after producing Eartha Kitt tragically died foaling Arthur Kitt (GB) (Camelot {GB}) before that colt went on to capture the Royal meeting's Listed Chesham S. amid emotional scenes.

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3rd-Ascot, £**15,000**, **Novice**, 5-7, 2yo, 5fT, 1:00.38, gd. **NOBLE STYLE (GB), c, 2, by Kingman (GB)**

1st Dam: Eartha Kitt (GB) (SW & GSP-Eng), by Pivotal (GB) 2nd Dam: Ceiling Kitty (GB), by Red Clubs (Ire) 3rd Dam: Baldovina (GB), by Tale of the Cat

(525,000gns Ylg '21 TATOCT). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$9,999. *1ST-TIME STARTER. Click for the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree. VIDEO.

O-Godolphin; B-Chasemore Farm (GB); T-Charlie Appleby.

AGAVE THE MAIN ATTRACTION ON SUNDAY

Next month's Epsom Oaks looks more exciting than the Derby at present and Juddmonte's unbeaten **Agave (GB)** (Dubawi {Ire}) could join the picture if she can master the colts in Sunday's G2 Prix Greffulhe at Saint-Cloud. Kept at the same venue at which she has won twice this term and the same 10 1/2-furlong distance as the G3 Prix Penelope Apr. 2, the relative of Enable (GB) (Nathaniel {Ire}) is one of France's most fascinating members of the Classic crop at present. Olivier Peslier retains the ride and jumps off M Horse Racing and Ecurie Vivaldi's talented **Maximus (Fr)** (Intello {Ger}) as a result, with that Christophe Ferland-trained colt narrowly denied by Agave's stablemate Junko (GB) (Intello {Ger}) in the G3 Prix Noailles over this trip at ParisLongchamp Apr. 17.

A New Stone Age?

Ballydoyle's stranglehold on the Derby could be about to get even tighter at Leopardstown, with the G3 Derby Trial playing host to Peter Brant, Susan Magnier and Michael Tabor's G1 Criterium de Saint-Cloud runner-up **Stone Age (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}). **Cont. p9**



Agave | Scoop Dyga

Sunday Previews Cont.

Still a maiden entering 2022, he put paid to that tag with a nine-length success at Navan Mar. 29 and could be a different proposition at three. He is pitched back against Beauty Stable's unbeaten **Atomic Jones (Fr)** (Wootton Bassett {GB}), who had his measure by a head in the track's G2 Champions Juvenile S. in September, while Teme Valley Racing's **French Claim (Fr)** (French Fifteen {Fr}) joins in, having also won by nine lengths over this 10-furlong trip at Cork Apr. 16. Add Newtown Anner Stud Farm's **'TDN Rising Star' Duke de Sessa (Ire) (Lope de Vega {Ire})** to the mix and you have a Blue Riband trial of significant note.

Agartha On Trial

There are some promising types in the Foxrock venue's G3 Cornelscourt S. for Irish 1000 Guineas prospects over a mile, but first they have to get past Scott Heider's rock-solid **Agartha (Ire)** (Caravaggio). Last year's G2 Debutante S. and G3 Silver Flash S. winner and G1 Moyglare Stud S. runner-up has a penalty, as she had when second to Homeless Songs (Ire) (Frankel {GB}) in the seven-furlong G3 Ballylinch Stud 1000 Guineas Trial S. here Apr. 2. Homeless Songs's trainer Dermot Weld is sending out the cream of his Classic crop at present and The Aga Khan's **Suwayra** (**Ire**) (Siyouni {Fr}) retains intrigue having been absent since her debut defeat of the smart Cairde Go Deo (Fr) (Camelot {GB}) over this course and distance in July.

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Al Hakeem Cont. from p1

High praise indeed for a horse who has graced the track just four times, winning three of those starts, with Tuesday's Chantilly victory a personal best by some way.

However, Jeffroy is predicting that Rouget's bold comparison between Sottsass and Al Hakeem can become evident to everyone when the highly progressive colt tackles the G1 Prix du Jockey Club at Chantilly on June 5.

"Who knows, maybe after the French Derby we can really start comparing him to Sottsass, let's wait and see," he said.

"He is a great physical and, the fact that he showed what he could do at Chantilly the other day is very exciting with a view towards the French Derby."

Jeffroy added, "There are a lot of similarities between Al Hakeem and Sottsass. They are by the same sire and have the same broodmare sire in Galileo (Ire). "But the way this horse has been training, that's what reminds Jean-Claude most of Sottsass, as his work has been very good.

"Even as a 2-year-old, Jean Claude said that this might be the next Sottsass, the way he was training and behaving at home. Let's hope he is."



Smart colt Al Hakeem | Scoop Dyga

It is that Siyouni cross with Galileo mares that not only produced one high-class colt in Sottsass but also St Mark's Basilica (Fr), hailed by Aidan O'Brien as 'possibly the best horse we've ever had at Ballydoyle,' after he scooped the prize for Horse of the Year at the 31st annual Cartier Racing Awards.

It may well be written in the stars for Al Hakeem but the comparables to Sottsass don't end with his pedigree. His dam, Jadhaba (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}), who showed classy form for Rouget before her career was cut short after she suffered a setback, was purchased by Al Shaqab for €620,000 at Arqana in 2014 from Ecurie des Monceaux, who also produced Sottsass.

"Jadhaba is a Galileo mare and, when it came to mating her, we felt that she needed a bit of speed, which is why we went to Siyouni," he said.

"We thought the cross might work well and, not long afterwards, along came Sottsass and St Mark's Basilica, on the exact same cross. It just made a lot of sense.

"Galileo (Ire) crossed with Danehill has worked really well, as has Galileo and Pivotal, and she has got both. Hopefully Al Hakeem can be the third top-class colt from this cross."

He added, "Jadhaba was in training with Jean-Claude as well. She was highly regarded and won twice as a 2-year-old and, after finishing third in a Group 3 on her only start at three, she developed a little issue so we had to stop. But she seems to have passed on a lot of her ability."

If Al Hakeem can come good on Rouget's praise, it will stand the Al Shaqab operation in good stead for the future as she has a Siyouni filly at foot and is back in foal to the sire.



Jean-Claude Rouget | Zuzanna Lupa

Al Hakeem Cont.

"Her first colt, Dahiya (Fr) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}), won for Andre Fabre and Al Hakeem is only her second produce," said Jeffroy of the broodmare.

"She also has a lovely Kingman (GB) filly in training with Jean-Claude, a very good looking Siyouni filly foal at foot and she is back in foal to Siyouni, so she could be an exciting young mare for us. She also has a Shalaa (Ire) yearling filly that is very similar to Jadhaba, a nice filly with good depth.

"Sheikh Joaan al Thani deserves it. He is passionate about the game and has invested a lot of money into it. He deserves to have bred a good one as a reward for all his investment."

New dreams abound for a team that will forever be associated with Treve (Fr) (Motivator {GB}), who carried the colours of Al Shaqab Racing en route to recording back-to-back Arcs in 2014.

Given Al Hakeem is being compared to another Arc winner in Sottsass, it seems fitting to ask if the mind has been allowed to wander as far as the great race on Oct. 1.

"No, step by step," Jeffroy laughed. "The Arc is an important race and of course it's in the back of our minds but let's take it race by race and hopefully--hopefully it takes him one year less than it did for Sottsass!"

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JOSH MOORE SHOWING IMPROVEMENT

Injured jockey Josh Moore is beginning to show some improvement, according to a statement from the Injured Jockeys Fund on Saturday. The 30-year-old sustained multiple injuries after falling from Gleno (Ire) (Ask {GB}) in a handicap chase at Haydock Park on Apr. 16.

The IJF statement read: "Josh Moore remains in Critical Care at Aintree Hospital following injuries sustained at Haydock Park Racecourse on Saturday, Apr. 16.

"His recovery was complicated by Fat Embolization Syndrome,

which can occur after major fractures. Josh's breathing continues to get better and after being deeply unconscious there are now early signs of improvement.

"The medical team are actively planning the next steps in his treatment and rehabilitation. The Moore family thank everyone for their continued good wishes for Josh."

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FIRST-SEASON SIRES WITH RUNNERS

Sunday, May 8, 2022: FRANCE

Kessaar (Ire) (Kodiac {GB}), Tally-Ho Stud 77 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners 1-BDX LE BOUSCAT, 1000m, Partner In Crime (Ire) £10,000 Tattersalls Ireland September Yearling 2021

UNITED KINGDOM

Sioux Nation (Scat Daddy), Coolmore Stud 163 foals of racing age/4 winners/0 black-type winners 15:50-HAMILTON PARK, 5f, Florida Filly (Ire) €28,000 Goffs Sportman's Yearling Sale 2021

Tasleet (GB) (Showcasing {GB}), Nunnery Stud 69 foals of racing age/3 winners/0 black-type winners 15:50-HAMILTON PARK, 5f, Unitarian (GB) 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 15:50-HAMILTON PARK, 5f, Pride of Yorkshire (GB) £60,000 Goffs UK Premier & Silver Yearlings 2021



Sioux Nation has a runner at Hamilton Park on Sunday | Coolmore

OBSERVATIONS on the European racing scene

ARQANA HEADLINE MAKER

3.00 Leopardstown, Mdn, €13,500, 3yo, 12fT

GULLIVER'S TRAVELS (IRE) (Galileo {Ire}) was the top-priced colt at €2 million at the Arqana Deauville September Yearling Sale, which is no surprise given that he is a full-brother to the globetrotting sensation Magic Wand (Ire) and a half to the G1 Irish Oaks heroine Chicquita (Ire) (Montjeu {Ire}). Aidan O'Brien also saddles the much-vaunted **Waterville (Ire) (Camelot {GB})**, the half-brother to Sea of Class (Ire) (Sea the Stars {Ire}) who was third on debut at the Curragh last month.

How They Fared

2.50 Naas, Cond., €22,000, 2yo, 5f 205yT

Age of Kings (Ire) (Kingman {GB}), the 1.1million gns Book 1 graduate and son of the G2 May Hill S. winner Turret Rocks (Ire) (Fastnet Rock {Aus}), attracted support at 15-8 and put up a bold show from the front. Green there with a tendency to flash his tail, he gave extra when headed late on and almost got back up. A major eyecatcher.

2.55 Ascot, Novice, £15,000, 2yo, 5fT

Noble Style (GB) (Kingman {GB}), Godolphin's 525,000gns Book 1 graduate and son of the Listed Boadicea S. winner Eartha Kitt (GB) (Pivotal {GB}), really cut a dash to earn TDN Rising Star status and on this evidence comparisons with last year's winner Go Bears Go (Ire) (Kodi Bear {Ire}) are not fanciful.

4.35 Naas, Mdn, €12,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 7ft

Opulent (Ire) (Dubawi {Ire}), the daughter of the G1 Irish Oaks heroine Bracelet (Ire) (Montjeu {Ire}) descended from Urban Sea, was slowly away and never really threatened to get involved en route to an eighth placing.

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FRANCE

Saturday's Results:

PRIX BEDEL-Listed, €52,000, Lyon Parilly, 5-7, 4yo/up, 12fT, 2:34.36, g/s.

1--COEUR MACEN (FR), 122, m, 5, Siyouni (Fr)--Decision (Fr), by Kentucky Dynamite. 1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN. (€52,000 Wlg '17 ARQDEC; €75,000 Ylg '18 ARAUG). O-Nunzio Ricignuolo, Betrand Milliere, Boualem Mekki, Cedric Milliere & Jean-Philippe Zaoui; B-Haras du Quesnay (FR); T-Jean-Pierre Gauvin; J-Cristian Demuro. €26,000. Lifetime Record: 22-6-3-4, €121,416.

- 2--Opasan (Ire), 126, h, 5, French Navy (GB)--Ouija's Sister (GB), by Groom Dancer. (€10,000 Wlg '17 GOFNOV; 5,500gns Ylg '18 TATDEY). O-Stable Bormann; B-Gerard Mulligan (IRE); T-Jozef Chodur. €10,400.
- 3--Narcos (Fr), 126, h, 5, Anodin (Ire)--Hesperian (Ire), by Iffraaj (GB). (€12,000 2yo '19 ARQMAY). O-Ecurie Mathieu Offenstadt; B-EARL Elevage des Loges(FR); T-Jean-Pierre Gauvin. €7,800.

Margins: HF, HD, SHD. Odds: 2.80, 18.00, 4.10.

Also Ran: Lord Achilles (Fr), Jo Pickett (Fr), Timour (Fr), Bel Aristo (Fr), Good Question (Fr), Darzan (Fr).

Coeur Macen, who stepped out of the handicap ranks to place in both Dec. 16 Listed Prix Arcangues and Feb. 22 Listed Grand Prix de la Riviera Cote d'Azur, went postward for this third blacktype start coming back off an Apr. 14 conditions score over this course and distance. Settled in rear until turning for home, she fanned widest of nine into the straight and made relentless headway out wide inside the final quarter mile to secure a career high in the dying embers.

Coeur Macen is the third of five foals and one of four winners produced by a multiple-winning granddaughter of Dreamlike (Storm Cat), herself an unraced daughter of MGISW dual US champion Flawlessly (Affirmed). Descendants of Dreamlike include MGSW sire Woke Up Dreamin (Holy Bull), MGSW distaffer Denomination (Smart Strike) and GIII Count Fleet Sprint H. victor Lemon Drop Dream (Lemon Drop Kid). Video, sponsored by TVG.

CONDITIONS RESULTS:

5th-Marseille-Borely, €29,000, 5-6, 4yo/up, 10fT, 2:09.02, vh.
QUEST THE MOON (GER) (g, 6, by Sea the Moon {Ger}-Questabella {Ger}, by Rock of Gibraltar {Ire}) Lifetime Record:
MGSW & G1SP-Ger, GSW-Fr & GSP-Ity, 16-4-4-4, €269,808.
O-Stall Salzburg; B-Gestut Gorlsdorf (GER); T-Sarah Steinberg.
*€32,000 RNA Ylg '17 BBAGS; €67,000 Ylg '17 BBAGO.

3rd-Lyon Parilly, €22,000, Cond, 5-7, 3yo, 8fT, 1:38.40, g/s. **FACTEUR CHEVAL (IRE) (g, 3, Ribchester {Ire}--Jawlaat {Ire}, by Shamardal)** Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, €24,500. O-Team Valor International; B-McCracken Farms (IRE); T-Jerome Reynier. *145,000gns Wlg '19 TATFOA; €120,000 Ylg '20 ARQSEP.

2nd-Dax, \in **15,000**, Cond, 5-7, 4yo/up, 7fT, 1:23.30, g/s. **ROMANTIC MOON (FR) (f, 4, Bow Creek {Ire}--Romantic Pearl {Ire}, by Kahyasi {Ire})** Lifetime Record: 16-2-5-4, \in 47,230. O-Jean-Luc Raymond, Olivier Trigodet & Dominique Marchand; B-Mlle Francoise Perree (FR); T-Olivier Trigodet. * \in 6,000 Ylg '19 ARQOCT. **1/2 to Chef Oui Chef (Fr) (Medecis {GB}), GSP-Fr, \$373,839. **1st-Lyon Parilly**, €**15,000, Cond**, 5-7, 4yo/up, 10fT, 2:14.62, g/s. **FENELON (FR) (c, 4, Fastnet Rock {Aus}--Aigue Marine {GB} {MGSW-US & SW-Fr, \$423,555}, by Galileo {Ire})** Lifetime Record: SW-Fr, 4-3-1-0, €50,960. O-Gerard Augustin-Normand, Noir et Or Elevage SA & Ecurie Skymarc Farm; B-Noir et Or Elevage SA & Ecurie Skymarc Farm (FR); T-Nicolas Clement. *€80,000 RNA Ylg '19 ARAUG.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Dear Mr Fantasy (Fr), f, 3, Reliable Man (GB)--Empty Pages (Ire), by Holy Roman Emperor (Ire). Cavaillon, 5-7, 8fT, 1:38.49.
B-Oceanic Bloodstock SARL & Mme Ariane Gravereaux (FR).
*€20,000 Ylg '20 ARQSEP.

BRITAIN

Saturday's Results:

CAREY GROUP BUCKHOUNDS S.-Listed, £52,000, Ascot, 5-7, 4yo/up, 11f 211yT, 2:34.55, gd.

- 1--AL AASY (IRE), 128, g, 5, Sea the Stars (Ire)--Kitcara (GB), by Shamardal. (300,000gns Ylg '18 TATOCT). O-Shadwell Estate Company Ltd; B-Sunderland Holding Inc (IRE); T-William Haggas; J-Dane O'Neill. £29,489. Lifetime Record: MGSW & G1SP-Eng, 12-5-2-1, \$327,700.
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- 2--Mandoob (GB), 128, g, 4, Farhh (GB)--Fingertips (GB), by Royal Applause (GB). (40,000gns Wlg '18 TATFOA; 115,000gns Ylg '19 TATOCT). O-Mr Oisin Fanning; B-Genesis Green Stud Ltd (GB); T-Brian Meehan. £11,180.
- 3--**Third Realm (GB)**, 128, c, 4, Sea the Stars (Ire)--Reem Three (GB), by Mark of Esteem (Ire). O/B-Sheikh Mohammed Obaid Al Maktoum (GB); T-Roger Varian. £5,595.

Margins: 2, 2 1/4, NK. Odds: 1.25, 6.50, 2.20.

Also Ran: Stowell (GB), Universal Order (GB), Two Auld Pals (Ire). Scratched: Nell Quickly (Ire), Something Enticing (Ire).

William Haggas's regard for Al Aasy has never been in question, but the focus of the G3 Aston Park S., G3 John Porter S. and G3 Bahrain Trophy winner certainly has and a gelding operation may have unlocked the key as the apple of his trainer's eye got his season off to a bright start. Steadily on the downgrade after being outgamed by Pyledriver (GB) (Harbour Watch {Ire}) in Epsom's G1 Coronation Cup in June, he was pitched into the G1 QIPCO Champion S. here in October but the leap of faith backfired as he trailed in eighth of the nine runners. Switched from Friday's G2 Huxley S., the bay was happy to wait for Dane O'Neill as the leading group took each other on and when sent up the rail was easily able to subdue Mandoob inside the final 150 yards.

"He's won today having an easy time and that's important, as they don't get confidence from having hard races every time," Maureen Haggas said. "He's been a gelding a while now and it maybe knocked that streak out of him, you need to be clever when you ride him and kid him along a little bit but he's got stacks of ability."

Al Aasy is the first foal out of the dam, whose second is the Listed Pretty Polly S. runner-up Sea Karats (Ire) also by Sea the Stars. The second dam Kitcat (Ger) (Monsun {Ger}), who scored twice in listed company in Germany and was runner-up in the G3 Premio Sergio Cumani, produced the dual stakes winner and G2 Prix Noailles runner-up Kapour (Ire) (Toylsome {GB}). She is in turn a full-sister to the G3 Prix Minerve scorer Kalla (GB) and the G3 Preis der Deutschen Einheit winner and G1 Preis der Diana runner-up Karavel (Ger). This is also the family of the G1 Gran Criterium-winning sire Konigstiger (Ger), the G1 King George VI & Queen Elizabeth S. and G1 Irish Champion S.winning sire Pentire (GB) and the G1 Epsom and Irish Derby hero and champion sire Shirley Heights (GB). Kitcara's unraced 3-year-old full-sister to Al Aasy is named Sea Flawless (Ire), while her 2-year-old filly is by Australia (GB) and she has a yearling colt again by Sea the Stars.

PERTEMPS NETWORK SPRING TROPHY S.-Listed, £52,000, Haydock, 5-7, 3yo/up, 7f 37yT, 1:30.02, sf.

- 1--ALDAARY (GB), 136, g, 4, Territories (Ire)--Broughtons
 Revival (GB), by Pivotal (GB). 1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN.
 (55,000gns Wlg '18 TATFOA; 150,000gns Ylg '19 TATOCT).
 O-Shadwell Estate Company Ltd; B-M E Broughton (GB);
 T-William Haggas; J-Jim Crowley. £29,489. Lifetime Record:
 10-6-0-1, \$309,412. *1/2 to Easy Road (GB) (Compton Place
 {GB}), Ch. Spr.-Sca, GSW-Nor, SW-Eng, MSW-Swe, \$360,898.
- 2--Bounce The Blues (Ire), 131, m, 5, Excelebration (Ire)--Jazz Up (GB), by Cadeaux Genereux (GB). O-Mrs Barbara M Keller;
 B-Kilnamoragh Stud (IRE); T-Andrew Balding. £11,180.
- 3--Misty Grey (Ire), 136, g, 5, Dark Angel (Ire)--Chinese White (Ire), by Dalakhani (Ire). (72,000gns Ylg '18 TATOCT). O-Barbara & Alick Richmond; B-Skymarc Farm (IRE); T-T Dascombe. £5,595.
 Margins: 3HF, 1 1/4, NK. Odds: 0.40, 11.00, 22.00.

Also Ran: Royal Commando (Ire), Safe Voyage (Ire), Rhoscolyn (GB). Successful in last October's Challenge Cup H. and Balmoral H. at Ascot, Shadwell Estate Company's 150,000gns Tattersalls October Book 2 acquisition continued on an upward trajectory with an impressive performance in this stakes debut. Positioned last of the six runners from flagfall, he powered into contention approaching the quarter-mile marker and was not for catching once quickening to the front entering the final furlong to account for toiling rivals in style. **Cont. p13**

Listed Spring Trophy S. Cont.

"He was entitled to do that on the ratings, but I think the key to this horse is he has to have cut in the ground and when he gets it he's a fair horse," said winning rider Jim Crowley. "The only time he's really disappointed was on good-to-firm [ground]. He won two big handicaps last year, so hopefully he can progress into Group company."

Aldaary, full-brother to a 2-year-old colt, becomes the third black-type winner for his sire (by Invincible Spirit {Ire}) and the second for Broughtons Revival (GB) (Pivotal {GB}), who also produced G3 Polar Cup-winning Scandinavian champion Easy Road (GB) (Compton Place {GB}). His second dam Ella Lamees (GB) (Statoblest {Ire}) is kin to two stakes performers, including the dual stakes-placed Dumnoni (GB) (Titus Livius {Fr}), herself the dam of G3 Arc Trial victor Camborne (GB) (Doyen {Ire}). Dumnoni is a granddaughter of Listed Prix de Strasbourg winner and G3 Prix de Psyche placegetter Vachti (Fr) (Crystal Palace {Fr}), herself a half-sister to Listed winning Pasadena S. victrix Set Them Free (Stop The Music). Set Them Free is the dam of GI Kentucky Derby hero Giacomo (Holy Bull) and GI Santa Anita Derby victor Tiago (Pleasant Tap).

HANDICAP RESULT:

Sth-Ascot, £100,000, 5-7, 4yo/up, 7fT, 1:27.18, gd. VAFORTINO (IRE) (g, 4, New Bay {GB}--Arbaah, by Invasor {Arg}) Lifetime Record: SP-Ire, 12-3-1-3, \$134,561. O-Venice Consulting S A & Gilberto Gambini; B-China Horse Club (IRE); T-Kevin Philippart De Foy. *€48,000 Wlg '18 GOFNOV; €60,000 Ylg '19 GOFOR; 28,000gns RNA HRA '21 TATAHI.

CONDITIONS RESULTS:

2nd-Haydock, £25,000, Cond, 5-7, 3yo/up, 6fT, 1:12.83, sf. BRAD THE BRIEF (GB) (g, 5, Dutch Art {GB}--Kenzadargent {Fr} {SW & MGSP-Fr, SW & GSP-US, \$300,483}, by Kendargent {Fr}} Lifetime Record: GSW-Fr & SW-Eng, 18-7-1-2, \$132,684. O/B-Chasemore Farm (GB); T-Hugo Palmer. *1/2 to Taipan (Fr) (Frankel {GB}), GSP-Ire.

2nd-Nottingham, £**7,000**, Nov, 5-7, 3yo/up, 6f 18yT, 1:12.79, gd. **HEBRIDES (IRE) (g, 3, Mehmas {Ire}--Woodland Maiden {Ire}, by Mastercraftsman {Ire})** Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-1, \$13,304. O-Highclere Thoroughbred Racing (Oak Tree); B-Hyde Park Stud (IRE); T-William Haggas. *£12,000 RNA Ylg '20 TATIRY; 105,000gns 2yo '21 TATBRE.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Clitheroe (GB), f, 3, Ribchester (Ire)--Cheap Thrills (GB), by Bertolini. Lingfield, 5-7, 6fT, 1:11.03. B-Stratford Place Stud (GB). *£45,000 Ylg '20 GOFFUK; €684,400 2yo '21 ARQDEA. **1/2 Expensive Date (GB) (Monsieur Bond {Ire}), SP-Eng.

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Saturday's Results:

3rd-Naas, €22,000, Cond, 5-7, 2yo, 5f 205yT, 1:16.43, y/s. SHARTASH (IRE) (c, 2, Invincible Spirit {Ire}--Shamreen {Ire} {MGSW-Ire, \$364,530}, by Dubawi {Ire}), who was third on debut behind Tough Talk (Ire) (Kingman {GB}) and this card's TDN Rising Star Little Big Bear (Ire) (No Nay Never) over six furlongs at the Curragh Apr. 10, was keen tracking the pace set by Ballydoyle's Age of Kings (Ire) (Kingman (GB)). Needing most of the trip to get to that rival, the 10-11 favourite was in front yards before the line and edged it by a nose for a breakthrough first stable success with an Aga Khan representative. "It's been a while coming," commented trainer Johnny Murtagh, who enjoyed so much success in the silks on the likes of Sinndar (Ire). "When I got those colours on, they felt like they were my colours and I was sent a few last year and didn't manage to win with any. We've a few nice horses that will take a bit of time, but I've got a few sharp ones for His Highness this year and in the next couple of weeks we should have a few more out. This one had always shown a bit, but a lot of my 2-year-olds need the run and can run very green. He's pretty smart and clued in--his mind is sharp and he has plenty of speed. We all felt like it was a good race last time and you saw what the second [Little Big Bear] did today. It was a messy race and the second looks like a good horse, but I think this lad will be better in a better race with more pace on. He could drop his head then and relax, as he has a turn of foot at the end. I think he's a stakes horse in the making--I don't know about Royal Ascot, but he is tough and hardy and a real 2-year-old type." Shartash is the second foal and first winner out of the dual G2 Blandford S. winner, who also added the G3 Royal Whip S. to her tally. Her dam Shahreen (Ire) (Bahri), who took the G3 Denny Cordell Lavarack & Lanwades Stud Fillies' S., also produced the GIII Singspiel S. winner Shahroze (Ire) (Holy Roman Emperor {Ire}) and is kin to the G3 Brigadier Gerard S. scorer Sharestan (Ire) (Shamardal) from the family of Shahrastani. Shamreen's yearling colt is by Siyouni (Fr). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$15,683. O-H.H. Aga Khan; B-His Highness The Aga Khan's Studs S.C. (IRE); T-Johnny Murtagh.

5th-Naas, €16,000, Cond, 5-7, 3yo, 10fT, 2:15.24, y/s. RULER LEGEND (IRE) (g, 3, Camelot {GB}--Avenue Dargent {Fr} {Ch. 3-y-o Filly-Spa, SP-Fr, \$129,755}, by Kendargent {Fr}}, runner-up over this trip at Cork last time Apr. 16, broke best to lead. Despite drifting right in the straight away from his rivals, the 13-8 favourite kept finding to score by 5 1/2 lengths from Shark Bay (Ire) (Australia {GB}). Cont. p14

5th-Naas Cont.

The winner is the first foal produced by the French listedplaced Spanish champion 3-year-old filly, who is a granddaughter of the G2 Pretty Polly S. runner-up Chania (Ire) (In The Wings {GB}). Her descendants feature the GII Hillsborough S. winner and GI Gamely S. and GI Jenny Wiley S. runner-up Rymska (Fr) (Le Havre {Ire}). Also connected to the G2 Coronation S. heroine Chalon (Ire) (Habitat), Avenue Dargent's 2-year-old filly is by Mastercraftsman (Ire) while she also has a yearling colt by Intello (Ger). Sales history: €62,000 Ylg '20 ARDEAY. Lifetime Record: 3-1-2-0, \$15,995. O-Boniface Ho Ka Kui; B-Cocheteux-Tierno Roberto (IRE); T-Fozzy Stack.

6th-Naas, €**12,000, Mdn**, 5-7, 3yo/up, f/m, 7fT, 1:32.50, y/s. EZINE (GB) (f, 3, Showcasing {GB}--Trojan Queen, by Empire Maker), who chased home Tuesday (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) when second on debut over a mile here Mar. 27, was guickly established on the lead. Clear a furlong from home, the 4-6 favourite gave connections a scare when hunted down by the 25-1 outsider Solar Breeze (Ire) (Kodiac {GB}) but held on to prevail by a short head. "She's a lovely filly, she just got tired in the last 100 yards," trainer Dermot Weld said. "It's only her second run and that's tiring ground there today. She has lots of ability and we'll try and get some black-type with her next. I think she'll be best over at least a mile, she would just like a little bit better ground." The winner is a half-sister to the talented G3 Hampton Court S. winner Sangarius (GB) (Kingman {GB}), GSW-Eng, \$219,631, as well as to the G3 Derrinstown Stud 1000 Guineas Trial S. runner-up Emergent (GB) (Oasis Dream {GB}). The dam is a daughter of the GI Breeders' Cup Filly & Mare Turf, G1 Coronation S. and G1 Prix Jacques le Maroiswinning champion Banks Hill (GB) (Danehill) who produced the G1 Prix Jean Romanet winner Romantica (GB) (Galileo {Ire}). Ezine's third dam is therefore the outstanding Hasili (Ire), whose seven group and graded-stakes winners include Intercontinental (GB) (Danehill), Cacique (Ire), Champs Elysees (GB), Heat Haze (GB) (Green Desert) and leading sire Dansili (GB). Trojan Queen's 2-year-old colt by Kingman (GB) is named Greek Order (GB), while she also has a yearling colt by that sire. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$10,720.

O-Juddmonte; B-Juddmonte Farms Ltd (GB); T-Dermot Weld.

HANDICAP RESULT:

8th-Naas, €45,000, 5-7, 3yo, 5f 205yT, 1:13.99, y/s. **DROMBEG BANNER (IRE) (g, 3, Starspangledbanner**

{Aus}--Drombeg Dawn {Ire}, by Orpen) Lifetime Record: 5-3-0-0, \$49,699. O-Cian McAuliffe; B-Philip McAuliffe (IRE); T-Ken Condon. *€42,000 Wlg '19 GOFNOV.

CONDITIONS RESULT:

5th-Marseille-Borely, €29,000, 5-6, 4yo/up, 10fT, 2:09.02, vh. QUEST THE MOON (GER) (g, 6, by Sea the Moon {Ger}--Questabella {Ger}, by Rock of Gibraltar {Ire}) Lifetime Record: MGSW & G1SP-Ger, GSW-Fr & GSP-Ity, 16-4-4-4, €269,808. O-Stall Salzburg; B-Gestut Gorlsdorf (GER); T-Sarah Steinberg. *€32,000 RNA Ylg '17 BBAGS; €67,000 Ylg '17 BBAGO.

WORLDWIDE NEWS

Saturday, Chukyo, Japan

KYOTO SHIMBUN HAI-G2, ¥104,780,000, Chukyo, 5-7, 3yo, 2200mT, *2:09.50 (NTR), fm.

- 1--ASK WILD MORE (JPN), 123, c, 3, Kizuna (Jpn)
 1st Dam: La Seleccion (Jpn), by Zenno Rob Roy (Jpn)
 2nd Dam: Argentine Star (Arg), by Candy Stripes
 3rd Dam: Diferente (Arg), by Propicio (Arg)
- 1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN. 1ST GROUP WIN. O-Toshihiro Hirosaki HD; B-Shadai Farm (Jpn); T-Hideaki Fujiwara; J-Mirai Iwata. ¥54,896,000. Lifetime Record: 7-2-3-0. Werk Nick Rating: F. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.
- 2--**Verona City (Jpn)**, 123, c, 3, Epiphaneia (Jpn)--Amore Eterno (Jpn), by Zenno Rob Roy (Jpn). O-Yushun Horse Club; B-Kamii Stud (Jpn); ¥22,256,000.
- 3--Boldog Hos (Jpn), 123, c, 3, Screen Hero (Jpn)--Boldogsag (Fr), by Layman. **1ST BLACK TYPE. 1ST GROUP BLACK TYPE**.

O-Shadai Race Horse; B-Shadai Farm (Jpn); ¥14,128,000. Margins: HF, 1 1/4, 2HF. Odds: 16.80, 16.30, 9.40. Also Ran: Licancabur (Jpn), Black Blossom (Jpn), Update (Jpn), Riad (Jpn), Shonan Addeybb (Jpn), Meisho Lanakila (Jpn), Stop The Time (Jpn), Mr White (Jpn), Pod Bullet (Jpn).

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AUSTRALIAN GROUP 1 RACES – 2022					
Date	Race	Track			
May 14	Doomben 10,000	Doomben			
	South Australian Derby	Morphettville			
May 21	Doomben Cup	Doomben			
	The Goodwood	Morphettville			
May 28	Kingsford-Smith Cup	Eagle Farm			
	Queensland Derby	Eagle Farm			
June 4	Queensland Oaks	Eagle Farm			
June 11	Stradbroke H.	Eagle Farm			
	J.J. Atkins	Eagle Farm			
June 25	Tattersalls's Tiara	Eagle Farm			

Sunday, Tokyo, Japan, post time: 15:40

NHK MILE CUP-G1, ¥253,460,000, 3yo, 1600mT

SC HO	DRSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1 Ma	atenro Orion (Jpn)	Daiwa Major (Jpn)	Chiyono Terada	Kon	N. Yokoyama	125
2 Soi	onnet Phrase (Jpn)	Epiphaneia (Jpn)	Carrot Farm Co. Ltd.	Tezuka	T. Yokoyama	121
3 Sol	olitario (Jpn)	Maurice (Jpn)	Sunday Racing Co. Ltd.	Nishimura	Sameshima	125
4 Sei	erifos (Jpn)	Daiwa Major (Jpn)	G1 Racing Co. Ltd.	Nakauchida	Fukunaga	125
5 Kin	ng Hermes (Jpn)	Lord Kanaloa (Jpn)	Hiroo Race Co. Ltd.	Yahagi	Sakai	125
6 Tos	oshin Macau (Jpn)	Big Arthur (Jpn)	Sato Co. Ltd.	Takayanagi	Tosaki	125
7 Tai	iisei Divine (Jpn)	Rulership (Jpn)	Seiho Tanaka	Takano	Matsuwaka	125
8 Allı	uring Way (Jpn)	Just a Way (Jpn)	Sunday Racing Co. Ltd.	Fujioka	Fujioka	121
9 Da	ante's View (Jpn)	King Kamehameha (Jpn)	Kaneko Makoto Holdings Co. Ltd.	Tomomichi	Yoshida	125
10 Ka	awakita Reverie (Jpn)	Drefong	Kazunori Kawashima	Sugiyama	Sugawara	125
11 Ind	dustria (Jpn)	Leontes (Jpn)	Sunday Racing Co. Ltd.	Miyata	Lane	125
12 Sa	acred (Jpn)	American Patriot	Hiroaki Nakanishi	Oneda	Kikuzawa	121
13 Jea	an Gros 🕋	More Than Ready	Susumu Fujita	Mori	Take	125
14 Vol	oller Blute (Jpn)	Epiphaneia (Jpn)	Carrot Farm Co. Ltd.	Miyata	Ono	121
15 Ota	aru Ever (Jpn)	Leontes (Jpn)	Ikuko Sumitani	Nakatake	K. Yokoyama	125
16 Pu	ırpur Ray (Jpn)	Isla Bonita (Jpn)	G Riviere Racing Co. Ltd.	Sugai	Demuro	125
17 Ste	ernatia (Jpn)	Lord Kanaloa (GB)	Sunday Racing Co. Ltd.	Kimura	Ikezoe	121
18 Da	anon Scorpion (Jpn)	Lord Kanaloa (Jpn)	Danox Co. Ltd.	Yasuda	Kawada	125

Breeders: 1-Murakami Farm, 2-Northern Racing, 3-Northern Racing, 4-Oiwake Farm, 5-Hiroo Race Co. Ltd., 6-Hattori Bokujo, 7-Shimokobe Farm, 8-Shadai Corporation Inc., 9-Kaneko Makoto Holdings Inc., 10-Kawashima Bokujo, 11-Northern Farm, 12-Ken Bridge Valley Litd., 13-Nursery Place & Partners, 14-Northern Farm, 15-Lake Villa Farm, 16-Shadai Farm, 17-Northern Farm, 18-K.I. Farm.

Sunday, Saint-Cloud, post time: 14:33

PRIX GREFFULHE-G2, €130,000, 3yo, 10 1/2fT								
SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT		
1	5	Mirabad (Fr)	Gleneagles (Ire)	Delzangles	Soumillon	128		
2	6	Onesto (Ire)	Frankel (GB)	Chappet	Pasquier	128		
3	3	Haya Zark (Fr)	Zarak (Fr)	Fouassier	Androuin	128		
4	2	Maximus (Fr)	Intello (Ger)	Ferland	Guyon	128		
5	1	Sir Bob Parker (Fr)	Siyouni (Fr)	Menuisier	Demuro	128		
6	4	Agave (GB)	Dubawi (Ire)	Fabre	Peslier	125		
	• •	nt-Cloud, post time: 16: JGUET-G2, €130,000, 4yc						
SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT		
1	5	Dilawar (Ire)	Dubawi (Ire)	Graffard	Soumillon	126		
2	3	Duhail (Ire)	Lope de Vega (Ire)	Fabre	Peslier	126		
3	2	Mythico (Fr)	Adlerflug (Ger)	Carvalho	Demuro	126		
4	1	Hurricane Dream (Fr)	Hurricane Cat	Graffard	Bachelot	126		
5	4	Pao Alto (Fr)	Intello (Ger)	Ferland	Guyon	126		

6 6 Sibila Spain (Ire)

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Sunday, Leopardstown, post time: 16:05

CORI	CORNELSCOURT SG3 , €30,000, 3yo, f, 8f 0y					
SC	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Agartha (Ire)	Caravaggio	Scott C Heider	Joseph Patrick O'Brien	D P McDonogh	131
2	Beautiful Sunshine (GB)	Ardad (Ire)	AMO Racing Limited & Giselle De Aguiar	Adrian Murray	G P Halpin	128
3	History (Ire)	Galileo (Ire)	M Tabor, D Smith, Mrs J Magnier, Westerberg	A P O'Brien	R L Moore	128
4	Honey Girl (GB)	Mayson (GB)	David M Fitzgerald	Henry de Bromhead	W M Lordan	128
5	Lady of Inishfree (Ire)	Farhh (GB)	Eoin Banville & K Bolger & Peter Robin Parkhill	Noel Meade	O J Orr	128
6	Lullaby (Ire)	Galileo (Ire)	D Smith, Mrs J Magnier, M Tabor, Westerberg	A P O'Brien	J A Heffernan	128
7	Nectaris (GB)	Sea The Moon (Ger)	Alpha Racing	Mrs J Harrington	S Foley	128
8	Panama Red (Ire)	Showcasing (GB)	Against All Odds Partnership	G M Lyons	C T Keane	128
9	Princess Olly (Ire)	Invincible Spirit (Ire)	AMO Racing Limited	Adrian Murray	B M Coen	128
10	Show of Stars (GB)	Showcasing (GB)	Martin Schwartz & Charles O'Callaghan & Paul O'Cal	P Twomey	W J Lee	128
11	Suwappu (GB)	Aclaim (Ire)	D J Bunyan	D J Bunyan	K J Manning	128
12	Suwayra (Ire)	Siyouni (Fr)	H H Aga Khan	D K Weld	C D Hayes	128

Breeders: 1-Whisperview Trading Ltd, 2-Jocelyn Targett, 3-Barronstown Stud, 4-P. T. Tellwright, 5-Tinnakill Bloodstock, 6-Whisperview Trading Ltd, 7-Stetchworth & Middle Park Studs Ltd, 8-Corduff Stud & Farmleigh Bloodstock Ltd, 9-Loughtown Stud & Irish National Stud, 10-Lofts Hall Stud & Mrs C. R. Philipson, 11-Phoenix Thoroughbreds & Partner, 12-His Highness the Aga Khan's Studs S.C.

Sunday, Leopardstown, post time: 16:35

DERBY TRIAL S.-G3, €42,000, 3yo, 10f 0y

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SC	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Atomic Jones (Fr)	Wootton Bassett (GB)	Beauty Stable	G M Lyons	C T Keane	131
2	Duke de Sessa (Ire)	Lope de Vega (Ire)	Newtown Anner Stud Farm Ltd	D K Weld	C D Hayes	131
3	French Claim (Fr)	French Fifteen (Fr)	Teme Valley	P Twomey	W J Lee	131
4	Glory Daze (Ire)	Cotai Glory (GB)	Glory Gold Partnership	A Oliver	R P Whelan	131
5	Great Max (Ire)	Wootton Bassett (GB)	AMO Racing Limited	M D O'Callaghan	L F Roche	131
6	Manu Et Corde (Ire)	Teofilo (Ire)	Mrs J S Bolger	J S Bolger	K J Manning	131
7	Stone Age (Ire)	Galileo (Ire)	Peter M Brant & Mrs John Magnier & Michael Tabor	A P O'Brien	R L Moore	131

Breeders: 1-Gestut Zur Kuste AG & S.A.R.L. Riviera Equine, 2-Newtown Anner Stud, 3-Mathieu Daguzan-Garros & Jean-Claude Gour, 4-Mountarmstrong Stud, 5-Ennistown Stud, 6-J. S. Bolger, 7-White Birch Farm SC

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Sunday, Leopardstown, post time: 17:05

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SC	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Real Appeal (Ger)	Sidestep (Aus)	Zhang Yuesheng	Mrs J Harrington	S Foley	140
2	Georgeville (GB)	Dawn Approach (Ire)	David Spratt & Sean Jones & Mrs Lynne Lyons	G M Lyons	C T Keane	135
3	Patrick Sarsfield (Fr)	Australia (GB)	Mrs C C Regalado-Gonzalez	Joseph Patrick O'Brien	D P McDonogh	135
4	Pretreville (Fr)	Acclamation (GB)	Shamrock Thoroughbreds & Gerard Augustin-Normand	Adrian McGuinness	R P Whelan	135
5	Fantasy Lady (Ire)	Dark Angel (Ire)	Medallion Racing 2020 LLC & Martin Schwartz & Gene	P Twomey	W J Lee	132
6	lvy League (Ire)	Galileo (Ire)	Westerberg, Mrs J Magnier, M Tabor, D Smith	A P O'Brien	R L Moore	122

Breeders: 1-Gestut Kussaburg, 2-Juddmonte Farms Ltd, 3-China Horse Club International, 4-Serge Boucheron, 5-Yeomanstown Stud, 6-Coolmore

Sunday, Cologne, post time: 16:05

KAR	IN BAR	ONIN VON ULLMANN - S	CHWARZGOLD-RENNEN-	G3 , €55,000, 3yo, f, 8fT		
SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	6	Barina (Ire)	Gleneagles (Ire)	Schiergen	Murzabayev	128
2	7	Chaussons Roses (Ire)	New Approach (Ire)	Chappet	Planque	128
3	9	Enjoy The Dream (GB)	Mastercraftsman (Ire)	Klug	Pecheur	128
4	8	Lacuna (GB)	Shalaa (Ire)	Grewe	Sanna	128
5	5	La Estrellita (Ire)	Churchill (Ire)	Figge	Casamento	128
6	4	Mountaha (Ger)	Guiliani (Ire)	Klug	Starke	128
7	2	Quarantini (Ger)	Belardo (Ire)	Klug	de Vries	128
8	1	Rondina (Ger)	Intello (Ger)	Hickst	Mitchell	128
9	3	Valpolicella (Ger)	Amaron (GB)	Grewe	Cadeddu	128

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SNAPDANCER DEFEATS AWAY GAME IN G1



Snapdancer | *Magic Millions*

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Talented mare **Snapdancer** (Choisir) added a valuable first Group 1 to her record when she led from pillar-to-post to beat her admirable stablemate **Away Game** (Snitzel) in the G1 Saroa Robert Sangster S. at Morphettville on Saturday. In winning the race, Snapdancer handed the formidable team of Ciaron Maher and David Eustace their first win in the time-honoured race, while the victory also provided 23-year-old Ethan Brown with his maiden Group 1 win in the saddle.

After breaking well from barrier 15, Brown urged the mare to take the lead and she set decent fractions at the front. As the field entered the business end of the contest, the young jockey asked Snapdancer for her effort and she responded in fine style to beat Away Game by 1.5l. Dual Group 1-winning mare **September Run** (Exceed And Excel) ultimaetly paid the price for her tardy start, but showed guts to rally late and finish a further 1.3l away in third.

"Away Game, she must be the best bridesmaid in the country," Maher said of the runner-up, who is due to go under the hammer at the Magic Millions National Broodmare Sale later this month.

Pedigree Notes

A dual winner of the Magic Millions Fillies & Mares at the Gold Coast, the Katom-bred mare was purchased by Spicer Thoroughbreds for \$180,000 at the 2018 Magic Millions Gold Coast Yearling Sale. One of the 102 stakes winners for the late, great Choisir (Danehill Dancer {Ire}), she is one of six winners for the imported mare Snapdragon (Ire) (Galileo {Ire})--also dam of the Group 3-placed Drago (Danehill Dancer {Ire}). A daughter of the stakes-placed Continuous (Ire) (Darshaan {GB}), Snapdragon died in 2020 with her final foal being a filly by Choisir's son The Mission; her second last foal being the unraced Illawarra, a full brother to Snapdancer. Snapdancer is a descendant of the great Mumtaz Mahal (GB) (The Tetrarch {GB}) and is bred on the successful Choisir/Sadler's Wells (USA) (Northern Dancer {Can}) combination.

Saturday, Morphettville, Australia

ROBERT SANGSTER S.-G1, A\$502,250, SAJC, 5-07, 2yo/up, f/m, 1200mT, 1:10.14, sf.

1--SNAPDANCER, 56.5, m, 5, by Choisir

1st Dam: Snapdragon (Ire), by Galileo (Ire) 2nd Dam: Continuous (Ire), by Darshaan (GB) 3rd Dam: Tifrums (GB), by Thatch (USA)

1ST GROUP 1 WIN. (\$60,000 Wlg '17 INGAPR; A\$180,000 Ylg '18 MMLJAN). O-B Spicer, Brut Racing 1 (Mgr: L Barker), G Palatinus, Ms A Barabas, B Sokolski, P Blundell, B Felstead, Brut Racing 2 (Mgr: L Barker), S Wootten, Z Angelovski, M Sparkes, Mrs K Sparkes, B Healy, A Dowie, T Healy, E Clarke, Mrs R Clarke & M Lasky; B-Katom NSW; T-C Maher & D Eustace; J-Ethan Brown; A\$275,820. Lifetime Record: 18-6-4-2, A\$1,294,570. *1/2 to Drago (Aus) Danehill Dancer {Ire}), MGSP-Aus, \$232,873. Werk Nick Rating: A. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.

2--Away Game, 56.5, m, 4, Snitzel

1st Dam: Elusive Wonder, by Elusive Quality (USA) 2nd Dam: Abbotswood (NZ), by Sir Tristram (Ire) 3rd Dam: Freedom Fields (NZ), by Bluebird

(A\$425,000 Ylg '19 MMLJAN). O-Miss H Mathiesen, Mrs D Q House, Ms N Carroll, Mrs K M Mathiesen, Miss P Mathiesen, Mrs K L Mathiesen, Miss M K Mathiesen & Mrs L Fung; B-Mill Park Stud Pty Ltd SA; T-C Maher & D Eustace; J-Ms L J Meech; A\$90,225.

3--September Run, 56.5, m, 4, Exceed and Excel
1st Dam: Pittsburgh Flyer, by Street Cry (Ire)
2nd Dam: Warning Zone (SAf), by Elliodor (Fr)
3rd Dam: War Woman (SAf), by Ginistrelli

(A\$380,000 Ylg '19 INGMAR). O-Hermitage (Mgr: Ms S M

Beasley); B-Alpara Lodge SA; T-C J Waller; J-Craig Williams; A\$40,225.

Margins: 1HF, 1 1/4, SHD. Odds: 16.00, 6.50, 4.00. Also Ran: Another Award, Bella Nipotina, Brooklyn Hustle, Argentia, Chaillot, Instant Celebrity, All Banter, Champagne Dreams, Heresy, Bella Vella, Gaze Grise, So You Assume. **Click for the free Arion.co.nz catalogue-style pedigree. VIDEO.**

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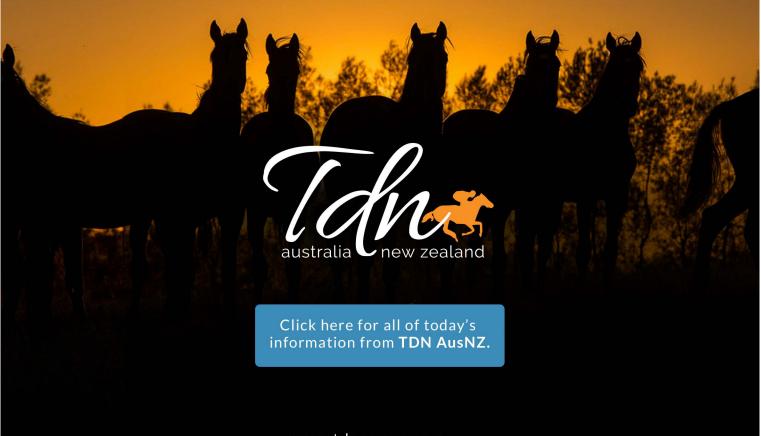
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