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WALSH HOPING INVINCIBLE SPIRIT COLT CAN SHINE AT TATTERSALLS IRELAND

Consignor Katie Walsh brings a draft of seven to Fairyhouse | *Tattersalls*

By Brian Sheerin

Of the seven horses Katie Walsh offers under the Greenhills Farm banner at the Tattersalls Ireland Goresbridge Breeze-Up Sale on Thursday, none jump off the page quite like lot 42, an Invincible Spirit (Ire) half-brother to dual Group 1 winner Banimpire (Ire) (Holy Roman Emperor {Ire}), who the leading consignor has high hopes for.

Goresbridge has been a good sale for Walsh, who sold GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies Turf runner-up East (GB) (Frankel {GB}) at Ireland's only breeze-up sale when it was last held at Gowran Park in 2018, and she is upbeat about the prospects of continuing that trend at Fairyhouse this week.

The Invincible Spirit colt may be the ace in the pack, but Walsh says she has "something for everyone" at Tattersalls and expects trade to be strong after another profitable sale for her operation at Arqana last week.

She said, "Miss O'Kelly of Kilcarn Stud owns the Invincible Spirit and I'm delighted to be selling one for her. She is a great supporter of Irish racing and, as she doesn't keep her colts, she decided to breeze him when he missed the yearling sales."

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HARPER HAPPY WITH HAVANA GREY'S BRIGHT START AT STUD *By Brian Sheerin*

No first-season sire has made an impact with his runners on the track quite like **Havana Grey (GB)** (Havana Gold {Ire}) has and, for all that Ed Harper of Whitsbury Manor Stud is petrified to tempt fate, he agreed that the early signs are hugely positive for their up-and-coming stallion.

Havana Grey was a brilliant 2-year-old himself, winning the G3 Molecomb S. before finishing runner-up in the G1 Prix Morny and G2 Flying Childers S., but it wasn't until the end of his 3-year-old campaign until he recorded his greatest day on a racecourse.

That triumph came when he snared the G1 Flying Five S. at the Curragh in 2018 and, while Havana Grey has clearly injected precociousness into his offspring with 10 individual winners in Europe on the board already, the most of any first-season sire, Harper is confident that the stallion's offspring will progress with racing. Cont. p3

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Chris McGrath looks into the backstory of **We The People** (Constitution), who won the GIII Peter Pan S. over the weekend. **Click or tap here to go straight to TDN America.**

Katie Walsh Cont. from p1

She added, “Hopefully he will do a nice breeze on Wednesday and will sell well for them on Thursday.

"The Saxon Warrior (Jpn) (lot 151) filly is pretty smart as well and I have a Brazen Beau (Aus) (lot 73) colt who I think is pretty sweet, so I am looking forward to the sale. There's a nice mix of horses there and I have something for everyone. From a smaller-priced horse right up to the Invincible Spirit with a really good pedigree, and everything in between, we have a nice team."

Walsh added, "It's been a good year for us without having anything off the charts. We had a good sale at Arqana last week. Dad [Ted Walsh] bought an Almanzor colt as a yearling for €12,000 and he made €65,000 last week. That was a good result.

"We'd an Acclamation (GB) filly with a good pedigree, who Peter Nolan bought for me as I was just after having a baby at the time, and she cost 38,000gns as a yearling and we turned her into €120,000. That was super.

"I also bought a Showcasing colt for 50,000gns and he only made €55,000. I thought going to Arqana that he was the best one I had but that's the way the sale went, and hopefully he can be lucky for his new connections."

Matching the right horses for what buyers want in each sale is hugely important and Walsh revealed that the Invincible Spirit colt was entered for Goresbridge on the basis that it would give him a maximum opportunity to shine.

Speaking about her approach to the breeze-up sales, Walsh explained, "You set out at the start of the season to try and buy the best physical with the best pedigree for the right money. Sometimes you get lucky and it just happens for you but more often than not you have to dig a bit deeper to make it happen.

"Every horse that I bring to a breeze-up sale, they are there to be sold and the main objective is to come home with empty head collars, win, lose or draw. My business model is to get them sold and to start with a clean slate when the yearling sales start.

Lot 42, a son of Invincible Spirit | *Tattersalls Ireland*

"What determines what sale I go to, I suppose it's driven by physical and by pedigree, and sometimes it's better to be a big fish in a smaller pond. When it comes to Goresbridge, it's always been a good sale for me down through the years, and I am lucky enough to be bringing the nice Invincible Spirit colt this year with a big pedigree. He looks like he might be a big fish in a small pond along with the Saxon Warrior filly. I'm lucky to have two big pedigrees there and they are nice physicals as well."

Reflecting on preparing East, who was knocked down to Stephen Hillen for €315,000 at this sale in 2018, Asymmetric (Ire) (Showcasing {GB}) and Caspar Netscher (GB) (Dutch Art {GB}), who have flown the flag for Walsh with great distinction in this sphere, she added, "East was sold on behalf of a client but it was fantastic to get her. She was a very good filly, extremely fast and forward, and by a fantastic sire. I was lucky to get the phone call to prepare a Frankel filly for Goresbridge. I was absolutely over the moon. It was a lovely thing to do and lovely to be associated with a really good filly like that.

"I prepared Asymmetric last year and he was a very good colt who went on to win a Group 2 but the one who got me going was Caspar Netscher."

Walsh's seven-strong team will be among the 217 horses to breeze at Fairyhouse at 10 a.m. on Wednesday. The sale kicks off at 10:30 a.m. on Thursday.

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Havana Grey Cont.

He said, "It's still very much early days and we're keeping our heads down but, for a horse who ran his best race at the end of his 3-year-old campaign, it's particularly exciting that his progeny appear to be very easy to get to the track."

Harper added, "We speak with trainers all the time and the one thing we hear is of how hardy his offspring are. Things that would have upset or derailed a yearling during its prep last year, the Havana Greys seemed to just dust it off, which was quite impressive. I think we are seeing that by how many have made the track already.

"They are like the kids in the playground who fall down and scrape their knee or bang their head but get back up and keep on running. They have a great attitude. We're very happy at the moment and are just happy that our clients will hopefully benefit from his brilliant start."

Havana Grey's progeny have amassed eight wins between them in Britain and Ireland but it's **Amuninni (Ire)**, who broke his duck in Italy recently, who springs to mind as Harper illustrated how the stallion's runners progress from their debut.

Harper said, "They seem to come on from their first run. No-one will have watched this, but a perfect example of this was a colt [Amuninni] that we sold at the Silver Sale at Doncaster for £11,000. He wasn't perfect but he was a good strong colt who went out to Italy.

"He was a little bit lost on his first run but was slow out the gates, which they can be, and it all looked a bit much for him first time out. Second time up, he was like a bullet from a gun and he'd have won [by] 10 lengths if he wasn't eased down."

Havana Grey | *Whitsbury Manor Stud*

Harper added, "Karl Burke told me of how they expected Havana Grey to win first time out and he didn't. He surprised them by how green he was first time out but he really progressed. They really do come forward."

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EUROPEAN NEWS

BAAEED IN GOOD ORDER FOR ROYAL ASCOT

Following his imperious display in the G1 Lockinge S. on Saturday, Shadwell's **Baaeed (GB)** (Sea The Stars {Ire}) has emerged fresh and well from that effort, trainer William Haggas announced. Now seven-for-seven, the three-time Group 1 winner is now set for the G1 Queen Anne S. at Royal Ascot in June.

"He seems fine, he's very fresh," said Haggas. "He was certainly a bit fresh this morning so everything is great.

"You always have a race, there's no such thing as an easy Group 1, but he looked to win quite nicely, so it's onwards and upwards. I just hope we can keep him fit and well, that's the most important thing now.

"I hadn't actually thought about the Queen Anne being the first race of the meeting, but it might help with getting it out of the way early [to calm the nerves]--mind, it will be a long week if that doesn't go right."

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CAZOO DERBY FEATURES DESERT CROWN AMONG 21 REMAINING

Saeed Suhail's **Desert Crown (GB)** (Nathaniel {Ire}) anchors the 21 colts remaining at this entry stage for the G1 Cazoo Derby on June 4. The Sir Michael Stoute-trained colt is a perfect two-for-two after winning the G2 Dante S. at York on May 12. He is joined by the Godolphin duo of Listed Blue Riband Trial winner **Nahanni (GB)** (Frankel {GB}) and the stakes-placed **Walk of Stars (GB)** (Dubawi {Ire}), both trained by Charlie Appleby. Aidan O'Brien and the Coolmore partners have a quintet of colts still entered--**Changingoftheguard (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}), who won the G3 Boodles Chester Vase S., G3 Amethyst S. runner-up **Ivy League (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}), Listed Dee S. winner **Star of India (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}), G3 Derby Trial S. scorer **Stone Age (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}), and Listed SBK Derby Trial S. victor **United Nations (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}).

One horse no longer taking part in the Epsom Downs Classic is **Cash (Ire)** (Shamardal), who finished second in the Listed bet365 Classic Trial at Sandown on Apr. 22.

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MANGOUSTINE RELATIVE CATALOGUED IN AUCTAV MAY SALE

Ourebi | *Auctav*

Ourebi (Frankel {GB}), who is a half-sister to the dam of G1 French 1000 Guineas heroine Mangoustine (Fr) (Dark Angel {Ire}), has been catalogued as lot 8 in the Auctav May Online Sale on May 25. Consigned by Al Shahania Stud France, the bay is out of GIII Miesque S. heroine Louvain (Ire) (Sinndar {Ire}), herself the dam of GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies Turf victress Flotilla (Fr) (Mizzen Mast), stakes winner Louvakhova (Maria's Mon), and the stakes-placed Big Five (GB) (Frankel {GB}). In addition, Ourebi's half-sister Zotilla (Ire) (Zamindar) is the dam of Mangoustine. Louvakhova has already celebrated group success as the dam of G3 Gallinule S. hero Crossfirehurricane (Kitten's Joy) and has one other stakes winner.

Bertrand Le Métayer, Racing Manager Europe for Al Shahania Stud, said, "Ourebi has a formidable pedigree, a very present pedigree at Haras des Cruchettes. Following the victory in the Poule d'Essai de Mangoustine, it seemed appropriate to us to take advantage of this magnificent spotlight. Ourebi is a sister to the black-type gelding Big Five who is in training with Francis Graffard. We have a lot of hopes placed in this horse in the long-distance races in the fall. He is a group and even a Group 1 horse.

"Ourebi did not run due to a broken withers at two. This is what led us to preserve her and send her directly to stud at three. Ourebi is more on the "fast" side of the family. She walks very well and she has good feet."

The stakes-winning second dam Flanders (Ire) (Common Grounds {GB}) is also the dam of G1 Betfred Sprint Cup winner G Force (Ire) (Tamayuz {GB}).

He added, "It is a very lively family, especially with Flotilla who has a very beautiful 3-year-old by Dubawi (Ire), Safaria, currently in training with Francis Graffard. We then have a 2-year-old colt and a yearling filly by American Pharoah and a foal colt by Sea The Moon (Ger). There is also another Ourebi sister, Camerone (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}), who has a very nice 3-year-old by Fastnet Rock (Aus), named Solebay (Fr) in training with Edouard Monfort."

The online auction will last from 6-7 p.m. on May 25. For the full catalogue, please click here.

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BRIAN FINCH APPOINTED CHAIR OF EPSOM DOWNS RACECOURSE

Brian Finch will succeed Julia Budd as Chair of Epsom Downs Racecourse beginning on June 5, The Jockey Club announced on Tuesday. Budd's term will end after G1 Cazoo Derby weekend. Exposed to racing through visits to Borrowdale Racecourse in Zimbabwe as a child, Finch has owned racehorses for over 25 years in various countries. Finch joined the Epsom Racecourse Committee in 2021. Currently retired, he is also a member of the Racecourse Committee at Sandown Park Racecourse and a Trustee of the National Horseracing Museum.

Finch said, "I am delighted and hugely honoured to succeed Julia at Epsom Downs, a racecourse that will soon host the 243rd running of the iconic Derby." Cont. p6

Brian Finch | *The Jockey Club*

Brian Finch Cont.

He added, "I very much look forward to working with the Jockey Club team to build on the great work of my immediate and past predecessors ensuring that the Derby and Epsom Downs racecourse continue to remain part of the national social fabric."

Sandy Dudgeon, Senior Steward of The Jockey Club, said, "I am delighted that Brian has agreed to become Chair of Epsom Downs Racecourse following this year's historic Derby.

"His experience both inside the racing industry and beyond, coupled with his huge enthusiasm for the sport and Epsom Downs will be a huge asset as our stewardship of this iconic racing venue and its most famous race enters a new and exciting chapter.

"I must also thank Julia for her dedication, time and wise counsel in her time as chair. Her guidance in navigating the unprecedented challenges of the last two years has been invaluable and this year's Derby and its place in the Platinum Jubilee Celebrations will be a fitting way to end her term. She does so with my best wishes and the sincerest thanks of all at The Jockey Club."

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CANDIDATES SELECTED FOR TFRI/ LEXINGTON SISTER CITIES EXCHANGE

Camille Mamier and Jodi Matthews were selected to participate in the Together for Racing International/Lexington Sister Cities Student exchange programme. Mamier will represent the AFASEC from France. She currently works for Deauville-based trainer Stephane Cerulis and will spend her summer placement in Newmarket. Cont. p7

TfRI/LSC Cont.

Matthews, who represents the British Racing School, will head to Kentucky for the Breeders' Cup later this year and then to Florida to further her experience. Matthews is employed by trainer Ed Bethell.

Anna Powell, Development Director for TfRI, said "We were thrilled with the interest and the number of strong applications we received, especially from France. We are looking forward to facilitating these exchanges, collaborating with Lexington Sister Cities and the racing schools. The exchange programme is a great way to retain our young and talented staff by giving them new opportunities to share best practices, to learn from other racing jurisdictions and bring back what they have learned to their respective racing nations."

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RECORD PRICE AT DONCASTER AS STORE SALE ENDS

The Goffs UK Spring Store Sale at Doncaster came to a close on Tuesday, and figures were the second highest achieved in the sale's history. Of the five lots that made six-figure sums over the two-day stand, three of them went through the ring during the second session, led by a gelded son of Gris de Gris (Ire) as lot 301. Henriette Knight paid £155,000 for the bay from the Brown Island Stables draft, who is from the same family as the listed hurdler Queen des Places (Fr) (Sabrehill), who has also placed twice at Grade 1 level, as did his half-sibling Allblak des Places (Fr) (Full of Gold {Fr}), who was second in the G1 Spring Juvenile Hurdle.

Lot 184, a son of Getaway (Ger) and representing Oak Tree Farm, was a £140,000 acquisition for Gordon Bloodstock. His unraced dam is a half-sister to multiple Grade 1 winner Binocular (Fr) (Enrique {GB}).

A filly by Kapgarde (Fr) (lot 272) hammered at £110,000 from Jerry McGrath. Hailing from the Goldford Stud consignment, she is out of the listed-placed hurdler Brise Vendeenne (Fr) (Dom Alco {Fr}), herself a half-sister to outstanding multiple Grade 1 winner Vroum Vroum Mag (Fr) (Voix du Nord {Fr}).

At the close of sale, 120 sold (83%) from 144 offered on Tuesday for a gross of £3,751,000. The average was £31,258 (-2%) and the median was £23,000 (-8%). Taking the sale as a whole, the gross was £7,159,500 for 226 of 272 offered (83%). The average was £31,679 (-1%) and the median was £25,000 (-4%).

Goffs UK Managing Director Tim Kent said, "We have added another successful chapter to the Spring Store Sale's 60-year history and it seems fitting that it was this year that we set a new record top price for a British store with yesterday's £200,000 top price.

"Last year we ambitiously expanded this sale to two top-class days, set new records across the board, and on the back of that, we doubled the prize fund of our bumper to £100,000, making it the richest bumper in the world. We have invested a lot into the sale, it holds an important place on the calendar being Britain's only elite store sale, so to see it maintain the ground it gained last year, whilst setting more new records, is very gratifying and we can look back over the last 12 months and be very pleased with what it has achieved."

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Lot 301, a gelding by Gris de Gris | *Goffs UK*

BREIZH SKY SHOOTS TO TDN RISING STARDOM

by Tom Frary

Haras de la Haie Neuve's deceased sire Pedro the Great was the unlikely source of a new **TDN Rising Star** on Tuesday after his son **Breizh Sky (Fr)** registered an eight-length win at Saint-Cloud.

Sadly lost to the breeding world at just nine, the G1 Phoenix S.-winning sire had begun to excel from small numbers before his untimely demise and it could be that this year's crop serves as a statement of what might have been. Sent off at 15-2 for the six-furlong Prix Hunyade for unraced 2-year-old colts and geldings, Breizh Sky who races for Louis Baudron and his trainers Alessandro and Giuseppe Botti, was quickly at the head of affairs with Simon Planque unable to contain his enthusiasm. Helped by the turning track, the bay who was unsold at €14,000 at the last year's Arqana Deauville v2 Yearling Sale settled before the home straight and opened up from there to register a penultimate split of :11.31 and inflict the heavy defeat on **Purple Rain (Fr)** (Harry Angel {Ire}), with **Clifton Down (Ire)** (Lope de Vega {Ire}) two lengths further away in third. **Cont. p8**

Breizh Sky Cont.

As his name suggests, Breizh Sky descends from Danse Bretonne (Fr) (Exit To Nowhere) who was a half-sister to the dual Group 3-winning sire Kaldounevees (Fr) (Kaldoun {Fr}) who was also runner-up in the GI Man o' War S. and G1 Bayerisches Zuchtrennen. Her staying daughter Varevees (GB) (Kahyasi {Ire}) was successful in the G3 Prix Gladiateur and second in the G1 Prix du Cadran, while she is also the second dam of the Listed Prix Maurice Caillault winner Speedo Boy (Fr) (Vision d'Etat {Fr}), Saturday's German listed scorer Toskana Belle (Fr) (Shamalgan {Fr}) and the dual listed-placed Frohsim (Fr) (Dabirsim {Fr}).

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NEW TDN RISING STAR

2nd-Saint-Cloud, €27,000, Mdn, 5-17, unraced 2yo, c/g, 6fT, 1:13.63, g/s.

BREIZH SKY (FR), c, 2, by Pedro The Great

1st Dam: Anna Danse (Fr), by Anabaa

2nd Dam: Danse Quatz (Fr), by Johann Quatz (Fr)

3rd Dam: Danse Bretonne (Fr), by Exit To Nowhere (€14,000 RNA Ylg '21 ARAUG). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, €13,500. **Click for the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree. Video, sponsored by TVG.**

O-Louis Baudron, Alessandro Botti & Giuseppe Botti; B-Haras des Evees, Daniel Cherdo & Mme Claudie Cherdo (FR); T-Alessandro & Giuseppe Botti.

FIRST-SEASON SIRES WITH RUNNERS

Wednesday, May 18, 2022:

UNITED KINGDOM

Havana Grey (GB) (Havana Gold {Ire}), Whitsbury Manor Stud
115 foals of racing age/10 winners/0 black-type winners
13:35-AYR, 5f, Georgiava (GB)
17,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 3) 2021
13:35-AYR, 5f, Girl Magic (GB)
24,000gns Tattersalls Somerville Yearling Sale 2021
19:00-KEMPTON PARK, 6f, Mai Alward (GB)
15,000gns Tattersalls Somerville Yearling Sale 2021

Breizh Sky is the first 'TDN Rising Star' for his sire | *Scoop Dyga*

James Garfield (Ire) (Exceed And Excel {Aus}), Rathbarry Stud
46 foals of racing age/3 winners/0 black-type winners
19:00-KEMPTON PARK, 6f, Poppy Field (Ire)
6,000gns Tattersalls Somerville Yearling Sale 2021

Washington DC (Ire) (Zoffany {Ire}), Bearstone Stud
47 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners
13:35-AYR, 5f, Montelusa (GB)

Zoustar (Aus) (Northern Meteor {Aus}), Tweenhills Stud
107 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners
19:00-KEMPTON PARK, 6f, Arlecchino's Star (GB)
27,000gns Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2020; 15,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 3) 2021

IRELAND:
Havana Grey (GB) (Havana Gold {Ire}), Whitsbury Manor Stud
115 foals of racing age/10 winners/0 black-type winners
2-CORK, 5f, Distillate (GB)
4,000gns Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2020; ?4,000 RNA Goffs February Sale 2022

Zoustar has a runner at Kempton | *Tweenhills*

BRITAIN

Tuesday's Results:

1st-Nottingham, £7,000, Mdn, 5-17, 2yo, 6f 18yT, 1:13.91, gd.
GARNER (GB) (c, 2, Recorder {GB}--Dawn Glory {GB}, by Oasis Dream {GB}), who registered a May 3 debut third tackling five furlongs at Lingfield last time, was swiftly into stride and enjoyed a slender advantage through halfway here. Shaken up passing the quarter-mile marker, the 13-2 chance poached a decisive lead approaching the final furlong and was ridden out in the closing stages to comfortably hold Maxi King (Ire) (Belardo {Ire}) by 1 1/2 lengths. Garner, half-brother to a yearling colt by Iffraaj (GB), is the seventh of eight foals and third scorer produced by a half-sister to Australia's G1 Queen Elizabeth S. victor Kingdom of Fife (GB) (Kingmambo) and G3 Autumn S. third Four Winds (GB) (Red Ransom). The February-foaled bay's dam Dawn Glory (GB) (Oasis Dream {GB}) is also kin to the dams of Listed Prix Saraca winner and G3 Prix Eclipse third Royal Spring (Fr) (Tamayuz {GB}) and the stakes-placed Encourage (GB) (Iffraaj {GB}). The winner's GSP third dam Highbrow (GB) (Shirley Heights {GB}) is a half-sister to MGSW matriarch Height of Fashion (Fr) (Bustino {GB}). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, $5,687. O/B-The Queen (GB); T-Harry & Roger Charlton.

CONDITIONS RESULT:
8th-Nottingham, £6,200, Cond, 5-17, 3yo, 8f 75yT, 1:43.68, gd.
CANTERBURY BELL (IRE) (f, 3, Ribchester {Ire}--Lavender Lane {Ire} {MGSP-Fr}, by Shamardal) Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-0, $10,827. O/B-Jon and Julia Aisbitt (IRE); T-William Haggas. *1/2 to Lilac Road (Ire) (Mastercraftsman {Ire}), GSW-Eng, $210,655.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:
Rattling (GB), f, 3, **Acclamation (GB)**--Westadora (Ire) (SP-Fr), by Le Havre (Ire). Wolverhampton, 5-17, 6f 20y (AWT), 1:14.63. B-Kingsmead Bloodstock Ltd (GB). *55,000gns Wlg '19 TATFOA;
£58,000 Ylg '20 GOFOR.
Sabyinyo (GB), g, 3, **Gregorian (Ire)**--Amahoro (GB), by Sixties Icon (GB). Brighton, 5-17, 7f 216yT, 1:34.15. B-Gill Hedley & Mike Channon Bloodstock Ltd (GB).
Atheby (GB), g, 3, **Gutaifan (Ire)**--Meet Marhaba (Ire), by Marju (Ire). Nottingham, 5-17, 8f 75yT, 1:47.22. B-Ahmad Al Shaikh (GB). *£7,000 2yo '21 TATGOR.
Pink Carnation (GB), f, 3, **Territories (Ire)**--Dusty Red (GB), by Teofilo (Ire). Nottingham, 5-17, 8f 75yT, 1:44.64. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-1, $6,412. B-K A Bartlett & J M Beever (GB). *42,000gns Wlg '19 TATFOA; £23,000 RNA Ylg '20 GOFOR.

FRANCE

Tuesday's Results:

3rd-Saint-Cloud, €27,000, Mdn, 5-17, unraced 2yo, f, 6fT, 1:14.42, g/s.
START ME UP (FR) (f, 2, Pastorius {Ger}--Sing Hallelujah {Ger}, by Big Shuffle) broke well from an outer gate for an early lead, but was trapped with in third going into the first and only turn. Shaken up to challenge approaching the two pole, the 89-10 chance edged ahead with 150 metres remaining and was ridden out to assert by two lengths from Pink Pong (Fr) (Acclamation {GB}). **Cont. p10**

3rd-Saint-Cloud Cont.

Start Me Up is the sixth of seven foals and fourth scorer out of a full-sister MGSW G2 Criterium de Maisons-Laffitte victor Smooth Operator (Ger) (Big Shuffle) and the stakes-winning Something Stupid (Ger) (Big Shuffle). The February-foaled bay is a full-sister to Listed Winterkonigin-Trial runner-up Sound Machine (Ger) and a yearling colt. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, €13,500. **Video, sponsored by TVG**.

1ST-TIME STARTER. O-Ecurie Griezmann; B-Mario Hofer (FR); T-Philippe Decouz.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Athabascan (Fr), c, 3, **Almanzor (Fr)**--Alzubra (GB) (SW-Fr, $181,505), by Dansili (GB). Saint-Cloud, 5-17, 10fT, 2:08.25. B-Ecurie Peregrine SAS (FR). *1/2 to Arapaho (Fr) (Lope de Vega {Ire}), SW-Fr, $107,722.

Offranville (Fr), f, 3, **Brametot (Ire)**--Ouezy (Ire), by Le Havre (Ire). Saint-Cloud, 5-17, 7fT, 1:26.99. B-Franklin Finance S A (FR).

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IRELAND

Tuesday's Results:

2nd-Killarney, €22,000, Cond, 5-17, 3yo, f, 8f 31yT, 1:45.67, y/s.

CIGAMIA (f, 3, Karakontie {Jpn}--Candy Kitty {MSW & GSP-US, $228,927}, by Lemon Drop Kid), who was runner-up in the seven-furlong G3 Athasi S. at The Curragh last time May 2, was in front initially before accepting a lead from Alizarine (GB) (Sea the Moon {Ger}). Working her way past that rival a furlong from home, the 1-4 favourite asserted to score by 3/4 of a length. "She did that well and it's been a nice race for me over the years," trainer Willie McCreery said. "Bumbasina won it three years ago, and her first offspring, by Siyouni, is unbeaten in Australia. Erysimum also won this and then went on to win a listed race down here. Cigamia is a grand filly and the more experience she gets the better. I thought she travelled lovely, but just didn't quicken in the ground. She's a lovely filly going forward and we'll now look to Royal Ascot with her. The Niarchos family love to have runners there and the Sandringham might suit her." **Cont. p11**

The Antoine Griezmann-owned Start Me Up (Fr) (Pastorius {Ger}) won nicely on debut at Saint-Cloud. Griezmann won the FIFA World Cup with France in 2018. | *Scoop Dyga*

2nd-Killarney Cont.

The dual stakes-winning dam, who was also runner-up in the GIII Herecomesthebride S. from the family of the GII Nassau S., GII Lake Placid S. and GII Las Palmas H. winner Naissance Royale (Ire) (Giant's Causeway), has the unraced 2-year-old colt Four Thirty Seven (Kitten's Joy) and a yearling filly also by Kitten's Joy. Lifetime Record: GSP-Ire, 5-2-1-0, $46,953.
O-Flaxman Stables Ireland Ltd; B-Flaxman Holdings Limited (KY); T-Willie McCreery.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Gradulations (GB), f, 3, **Mukhadram (GB)**--Wahgah (MSP-Eng), by Distorted Humor. Sligo, 5-17, 10f 125yT, 2:26.24. Lifetime Record: 5-1-2-0, $18,648. B-Shadwell Estate Company Limited (GB). *€7,500 Ylg '20 TATFB.

Start Line (Ire), c, 3, **Rock of Gibraltar (Ire)**--Elmaam (GB), by Nayef. Killarney, 5-17, 8f 31yT, 1:47.21. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, $9,078. B-Michael Shefflin (IRE).

All Lies Ahead (Ire), f, 4, **Make Believe (GB)**--Tobair An Sheeda (Ire), by Bachelor Duke. Killarney, 5-17, 8f 31yT, 1:45.94. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, $8,031. B-Oghill House Stud & D Hyland (IRE). *4,500gns RNA Ylg '19 TAOCT.

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IN MAINLAND CHINA:

Xiao Song Dai Dao (Aus), h, 5, **Monashee Mountain**--Veralini (Aus), by Bernardini. Yulong, 5-14, A$12,681, 1200m, sand track, 1:23.78. O-Chen Hongwei. B-Miss JE Clark (Qld). **VIDEO.** *A$21,000 Ylg '18 MMLJUN.

Kun Lun Jue (Aus), h, 6, **Congrats**--Pretty Buttons (AUS), by Danehill. Yulong, 5-14, A$12,681, 1000m, sand track, 1:09.11. O-Song Chunyu. B-Mr G Harvey (NSW). **VIDEO.** *A$4,500 RNA Ylg '17 MMLJUN; A$16,000 2yo '17 MMLOCT. **1/2 to Butt I'm Ready (Aus) (More Than Ready), SP-Aus, $204,371; and L'Espalier (Aus) (Marscay {Aus}), MSP-Aus.

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We the People romps in the Peter Pan | *Janet Garaguso*

by Chris McGrath

They may be pretty new to this business, but Jana and Roy Barbe are perfectly aware that it won't always be like this; that many breeders, in fact, have worked with Thoroughbreds all their lives without ever experiencing anything quite like Saturday night.

First they watched a colt they had raised winning the GIII Peter Pan S. by 10 1/4 lengths, for the crop's joint-highest Beyer, lining up a return to the same track for the GI Belmont S. As related in *TDN* last week, the Barbes had acquired **We the People** (Constitution) in utero with one of their first mares in a somewhat impromptu adaptation of their Bluegrass farm--initially just a rural sanctuary from Jana's highflying corporate career, and a Chicago home without a backyard.

Then, five hours after We the People crossed the wire, Letchworth (Tiznow) finally delivered a colt--aptly enough, by More Than Ready--whose delayed advent had caused her owners several days' tension. It turned out that the mare had merely been waiting for her first Henley Farms foal to magnify the value of her fourth.

This precious colt will now begin to benefit from the same loving attention that turned We the People into a $110,000 weanling, instantly recouping the $40,000 invested in his pregnant dam at Keeneland January in 2019.

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FIVE SHARE FURLONG BULLET AT FASIG MIDLANTIC TUESDAY *by Jessica Martini*

TIMONIUM, MD - The three-day under-tack show for the Fasig-Tipton Midlantic 2-Year-Olds in Training Sale began shortly after 8 a.m. Tuesday morning under cloudless blue skies and temperatures hovering around 60 degrees and by the conclusion of the day's seventh and final set shortly before 3 p.m., with temperatures approaching 80 degrees, five horses had turned in the co-fastest furlong time of :10 flat. A filly by Collected had the day's fastest quarter-mile work of :21 1/5.

A filly by Nyquist (hip 150) was the first to hit the :10 flat mark while working during the second set for consignor Randy Miles. The chestnut is out of Westside Tapstress (Lookin at Lucky), a half-sister to graded stakes winner Discreet Hero (Honour and Glory). **Cont. p6**

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WALSH HOPING INVINCIBLE COLT CAN SHINE AT FAIRYHOUSE

Katie Walsh brings seven juveniles to Tattersalls Ireland's Fairyhouse complex for the Goresbridge Breeze-Up Sale on Thursday and Brian Sheerin has the info. **Click or tap here to go straight to TDN Europe.**

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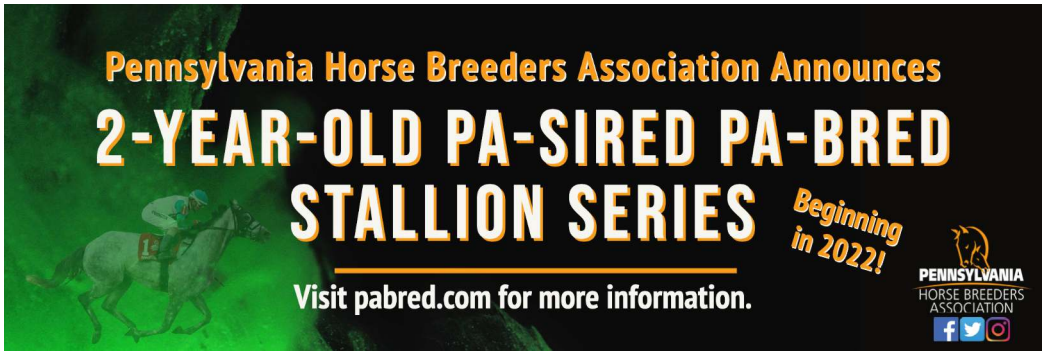
Undefeated GISW Flightline (Tapit) has a new half-sibling! GSW Feathered (Indian Charlie) welcomed an Into Mischief filly at 5:30 p.m. Tuesday at breeder Jane Lyon's Summer Wind Farm | *Photo courtesy of Summer Wind Farm*

BRAD COX SUSPENDED 10 DAYS **9**

Trainer Brad Cox has been suspended 10 days and fined $500 by the Churchill Downs stewards for a phenylbutazone overage detected in the runner-up of the 2021 GII Stephen Foster S.

AWESOME STRONG TOPS DIGITAL SELECTED SALE **11**

Fasig-Tipton's May Digital Selected Sale closed Tuesday afternoon with impressive 2-year-old debut winner Awesome Strong (Awesome Slew) topping the sale, bringing $500,000 from Bill Childs. He was consigned as Hip 24 from the draft of Elena Racing, agent.



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Letchworth's More Than Ready foal | *Henley Farms*

The Barbes' advisors at that auction, like many others at the time, were wary of a sire at a familiar crossroads. With his first juveniles imminent, WinStar had clipped his fee from $25,000 to $15,000. Even so, in an instructive measure of the nervous opportunism of commercial breeding today, 85 covers that spring halved his debut book of 172.

But the Barbes insisted that this was a long-term play on a mare they loved, with a very decent family behind her. If the paternity of her foal was going to cool the price, so much the better.

In the event, they found themselves with a commodity right back in demand after Constitution made a flying start. Though himself unraced at two, he led the freshman table by individual, black-type and graded stakes winners, while his earnings were surpassed only by American Pharoah--who had, of course, been supported by mares corresponding to a $200,000 opening fee. The two have since passed on the stairs, American Pharoah now down to $80,000 and Constitution having been raised initially to $40,000, and then to $85,000 after Tiz the Law consolidated the reputation of that debut crop with a dazzling sophomore campaign.

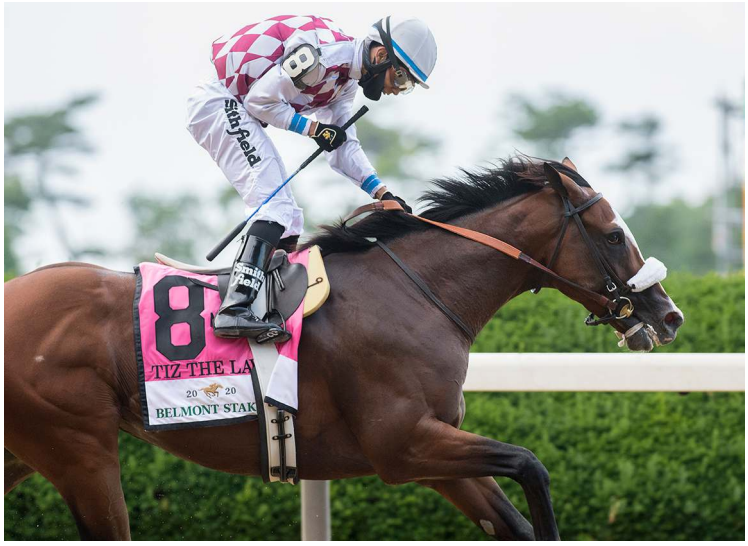
Tiz the Law, now standing at Ashford, arguably paid for a self-serving response to the pandemic by Churchill Downs. A September "Derby" gifted priceless maturity to Authentic (Into Mischief), who had surely remained too raw to have beaten him in May. In the meantime, absurdly, Tiz the Law had found himself contesting a "Belmont Stakes" over nine furlongs in June. We only revisit this unilateral shredding of the calendar because it would feel hard, as a result, to describe We the People as Constitution's second Classic winner; and impossible, meanwhile, to determine his stamina potential for this unique

test from the fact that he happens to be bred on the same cross as Tiz the Law.

Now everybody tries to solve the puzzles of breeding in their own way, and there's no need for dogmatism when we can settle things out on the racetrack instead. Purely as a matter of personal taste, then, I always mistrust anything that sounds more like a "formula" than simply matching complementary physiques in a way that secures balance and quality through the resulting pedigree. Since you can't ever be certain which strands will come through, even in full siblings, the best insurance is for it not really to matter.

(Tapit himself is a good example: the female lines out of his third generation respectively introduce the dynasties of Gay Missile, Monarchy, Aspidistra and Foggy Note. And that, by the way, is why we need to be wary of the huge books of today. When you required elite mares to reach elite stallions, the quality was locked in.)

This focus on depth, however, is actually consistent with "nicking" when you have an immediate cross of the type uniting Tiz the Law and We the People: by Constitution out of a Tiznow



Tiz the Law winning the Belmont | *Sarah Andrew*

mare. In their third generation, six of eight genetic contributors are the same. In the fourth, because the third dam of both bizarrely happens to be a daughter of Crafty Prospector, the parity becomes as high as 13 of 16. A cross this close, then, is actually shorthand for examining the interplay between far broader influences. (Obviously this ceases to be true once people imagine they can cross entire sire lines, though tapering to ever more receding brands like Fappiano, A.P. Indy or Storm Cat.)

So let's see what flavors stand out in the large inheritance shared by Tiz the Law and We the People; and then what emphasis might be latent in the surplus dividing them.

Well, the name that immediately leaps out is Foggy Note (The Axe II), mother both of Tapit's third dam and Tiznow's grandsire Relaunch. In each case, Foggy Note had been mated with In Reality--whose daughter out of the regal Magic (Buckpasser-Aspidistra) went on to produce the dam of Tapit's damsire Unbridled. (It was a daughter of Magic's half-brother Dr. Fager, incidentally, that produced Unbridled's sire Fappiano. One way or another, then, there's a lot of wholesome reinforcement here.)

Constitution's dam Baffled (Distorted Humor), a Royal Ascot-placed juvenile in a light career, would subsequently decorate his page with Boynton, a Group 2 winner at Newmarket for Godolphin; and Jacaranda, winner of the GIII Tempted S. And the pedigree also obtained fresh distinction from the GI Forego S. success of her half-brother Emcee (Unbridled's Song). Even as it was, her son made $400,000 as a Saratoga yearling.

That partly reflected Constitution's tall, rangy build, but her own parentage also had a nice shape: Distorted Humor had been chosen for her dam as a half-sister (by Ocean Crest, a rather forgotten son of Storm Bird) to Awesome Humor, a daughter of the same sire who completed the GII Adirondack-GI Spinaway double in 2002.

But it's Constitution's next dam that brings something intriguing to the We the People equation, as a daughter of Pass

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Constitution | *Sarah Andrew*

The Tab, who emerged from Santa Fe to run sixth in the 1981 Kentucky Derby. Because Pass The Tab's sire Al Hattab also gave us the fourth dam of We the People--and Al Hattab was a son of none other than The Axe II, the sire of Foggy Note.

This is all pretty ancient history, obviously, but it does feel healthy to see this doughty soil spread along the roots of the pedigree. Foggy Note herself (won 10 of 34 starts), Al Hattab (16 of 35) and Pass The Tab (11 of 33) all attest to the toughness and stamina associated with The Axe II. Certainly finding Al Hattab along the bottom line is no bad thing when you recall that one of his daughters produced Black Tie Affair, 18-for-45 and Horse of the Year at five; and that another gave us Holy Bull, whose own record as a broodmare sire is being lavishly advanced by the likes of Munnings, Cairo Prince, Caravaggio and Connect.

And this kind of bedrock could yet filter usefully into We the People's Belmont bid. Yes, we know that Tapit has made the race his own; that Constitution himself has had 12-furlong Classic winners in Chile; and that Tiznow is a powerful two-turn label. (Tiznow's remarkable dam Cee's Song (Seattle Song) is by a son of Seattle Slew, who in turn gazes down Constitution's sire line.) But the fact is that some strongly contrasting flavors intrude between Tiznow and The Axe II in We the People's bottom line.

Of course, we don't even know how far Tiznow might have drawn out Letchworth herself, as she was unraced. So, too, are two of the three foals (one raced in Russia) resulting from her sojourn at WinStar, who had bought her for $180,000 as a maiden mare (bred by Eugene Melnyk) before soon culling her to Henley Farms.

(It's obviously gratifying for WinStar to have "retrieved" her son as a 2-year-old, from Eddie Woods at the Gulfstream Sale, for $230,000--a price that achieved only a marginal gain on his yearling cost, in contrast with the previous pinhook cycle when Machmer Hall doubled their weanling investment.)

What we do know is that We the People's second and third dams, intervening between the sturdy pair Tiznow and The Axe II, are both by speed influences. And that fact told on the racetrack, too.

Letchworth is out of Harmony Lodge, a very brisk sprinter by Hennessy who also came through Woods's nursery at Gulfstream, for no less than $1.65 million, before making all in the GI Ballerina H. It feels quite alarming, in terms of We the People's prospects of lasting home in the Belmont, that Harmony Lodge's son by none other than A.P. Indy--while talented enough to run up a sequence of four as a sophomore before derailing--should have peaked in as hectic a dash as the GIII Shakertown S.

In fairness, Declaration of War did get Harmony Lodge's other black-type operator to extend as far as nine furlongs. (Likewise on turf/synthetics, confirming Hennessy's versatility in terms of surface.) But while Tiz the Law obviously saw out a 10th furlong well, in the GI Travers, we must remember that his second dam was by Go For Gin. That's a pretty stark contrast with Hennessy: Go For Gin was by a son of His Majesty out of a Stage Door Johnny mare.

This divergence feels all the wider with both Tiz the Law and We the People having third dams, as mentioned, by another source of speed in Crafty Prospector. Harmony Lodge was out of his half-sister to GII Tom Fool H. winner Diligence (Miswaki), Win Crafty Lady: a winner eight times across four seasons--as befits the daughter of an Al Hattab mare--including a Grade III over just six furlongs.

Win Crafty Lady also proved accomplished in her second career. She bred a GII Arkansas Derby winner by Dehere, in Graeme Hall; but her other graded stakes winner Win McCool, though by Giant's Causeway, prospered around a single turn. And beneath her this meanwhile remains a dynamic branch of the family: Win McCool's unraced daughter by Unbridled's Song produced the tragic Magnum Moon (Malibu Moon), while

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Graeme Hall's sister is second dam to a recent Grade I scorer in Pinehurst (Twirling Candy). Rookies or not, then, the Barbes deserve credit for prizing the bloodlines behind Letchworth--and have duly earned their incidental Constitution bonus.

For now, in terms of domestic Grade I success, Tiz the Law has been emulated only by Americanrevolution in the Cigar Mile, leaving their sire behind American Pharoah (four), Liam's Map (four) and Honor Code (three) in his intake. But it's only a matter of time before Constitution attends to that, his sheer consistency in elite stock already setting him apart even before the upgrade in his mares kicks in. Remember that his first $85,000 covers--and there were no fewer than 188 of those--have only just hit the foaling straw this spring.

As things stand, Constitution has 22 stakes winners at 6.6% of named foals; 52 stakes performers at 15.6%; 13 graded stakes winners at 3.9%; and 30 graded stakes operators at 9%. Among active stallions, his own sire is among very few who can set higher standards across the board. With Tapit entering the evening of his career, the succession is being keenly contested. But while there are several less expensive alternatives, Constitution is certainly giving himself every chance to be named the People's choice.

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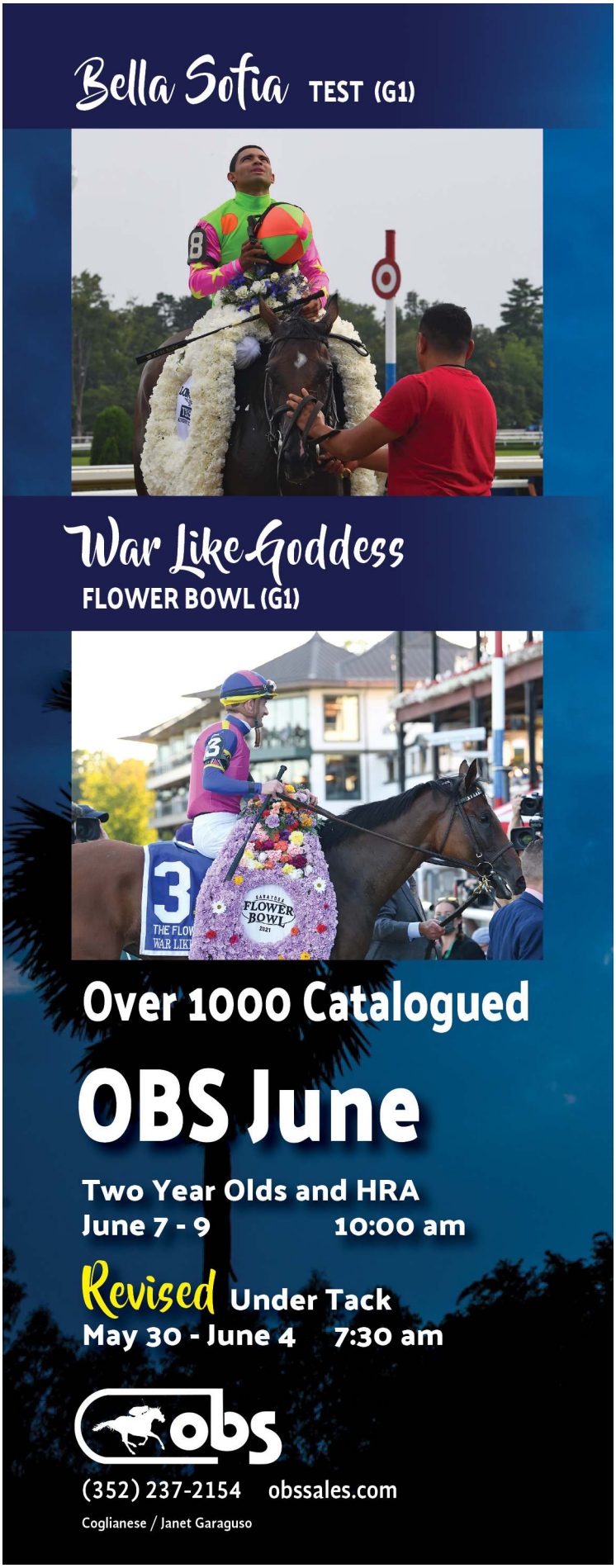
Fasig Midlantic cont. from p1

Hip 30 | *Fasig-Tipton photo*

"We knew she could do it, but your nerves take over as you're leading her up there, hoping that nothing happens," Miles said after the work. "She performed the way she was supposed to and I'm glad she represented herself well."

Miles is consigning the filly on behalf of her breeders, Todd and Chad Frederick and Carl Thomas Potter.

"We've had some horses for them in the past and they



entrusted us with two really nice horses this year," Miles said of the breeders. "The first one sold well in April and this is the second one."

Miles admitted he is a big fan of the Midlantic May sale.

"We love this track and when you get a week like this of great weather, it's so fun to come here," he said. "This filly got over the track great all week and she loved the weather, the low humidity and cool weather. When Mother Nature cooperates, it's a wonderful place."

Miles sent out four horses to work throughout Tuesday's session and said he had found the track to be consistent from start to finish.

"The track was beautiful," he said. "They did a great job with the 25 horses and then a break. They kept it so consistent. It doesn't matter whether you go early or late."

Juveniles from the first crop of Bolt d'Oro have been in demand at the auctions all spring and a son of the Spendthrift stallion (hip 30) was the second to work in :10 flat during the session's fourth set. Consigned by Pike Racing, the bay is out of stakes-placed Shine Softly (Aldebaran), a daughter of champion Soaring Softly (Kris S.) and also the dam of stakes winner The Grass is Blue (Broken Vow). Al Pike purchased the youngster from Peter O'Callaghan's Woods Edge Farm for $90,000 at last year's Keeneland September sale. O'Callaghan had acquired the colt for $65,000 at the 2020 Fasig-Tipton November sale.

"He was beautiful," Pike recalled of the colt as a yearling. "He was in Book 2 with Woods Edge and he was a little immature at the time, because he's young, and Peter had a stunning group of Book 2 horses. So I think he got a little bit overlooked. I was very fortunate to get him. We've liked him all winter. He's done nothing wrong. We came here thinking he was capable and hoping that he would perform and we were pleased with him."

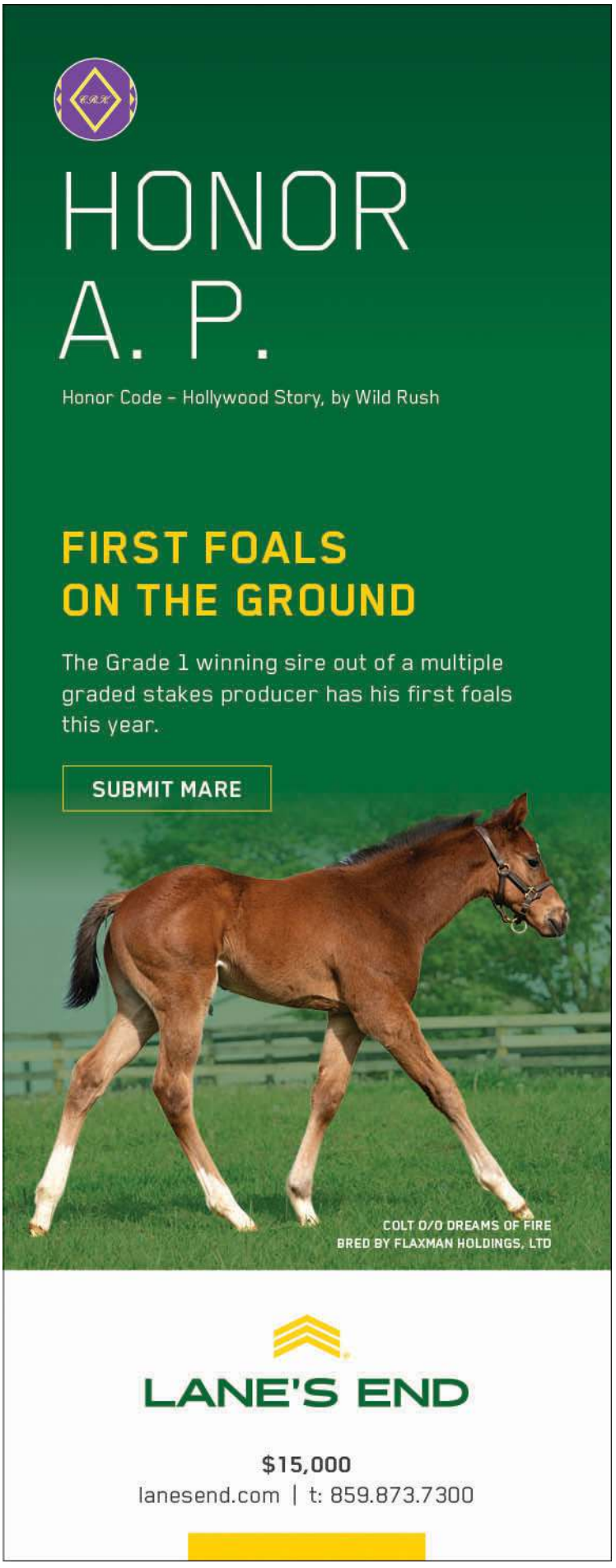
Pike's consignment topped the 2020 Midlantic sale with a $1.1-million son of Uncle Mo.

"This is one of our favorite spots," Pike said of the Maryland auction. "We always try to bring a good horse here because you'll get rewarded."

Grassroots Training and Sales sent out a filly by Neolithic (hip 9) to work one of three :10 flat works during the day's fifth set. Out of multiple stakes placed Sarahline (Northern Afleet), the chestnut was purchased for $8,500 at last year's OBS Winter sale.

Hip 20, a son of More Than Ready, turned in his :10 flat work for Keiber Rengifo's Golden Rock Thoroughbreds. A $12,000 Keeneland September purchase by Jose Silva, the bay is out of Seeking Sheba (Seeking the Gold) and from the family of champion Perfect Soul (Ire).

Completing the :10 flat works was hip 36, a New York-bred gelding by Practical Joke consigned by Scanlon Training and



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Sales. The bay is out of the unraced Silken Lily (Grand Slam), a half-sister to multiple graded-stakes winning sire Upstart (Flatter). He sold for $30,000 at the Fasig-Tipton New York-bred Yearling sale last August.

"He is a horse we took a little bit of time with," Dave Scanlon said. "I don't know that they announced it during the breeze, but he is a gelding now. We bought him privately after the New York sale and he always looked fast. He had a great hip and body, but he was just a little bit tough through the breaking. So around December, we just decided, let's make life easier on me and you and everybody else. So he became a gelding. And then we took our time with him. He's always had a great hip, he just needed to level out. My assistant and I were just talking about how he is just looking better and better. Every work, he's just been getting better."

The Scanlon team comes into the Midlantic sale off a strong OBS Spring sale, which included a $1.3-million Mendelssohn colt.

"It's been great," Scanlon said. "We've had a really good year. We were pretty excited last year when we bought these horses. We thought we had done a good job picking them out and it's been a great group all year. We were excited for OBS, but we've been excited about coming here. I love to bring my New York-breds here. Horses that we find quick and precocious--horses like Army Mule--we've always done really well with here."

A filly by Collected (hip 202), the first horse to work during the second set, turned in the fastest quarter-mile work of :21 1/5 for Jesse Hoppel's Coastal Equine. Out of Aurore (Arch), the dark bay is a half to stakes-placed Orageuse (Broken Vow) and Boreale (Makfi). Her dam is a half-sister to multiple graded stakes winner Interactif (Broken Vow). She was purchased by Larry Zap, Hoppel and Amanda Murphy for $47,000 at last year's Fasig-Tipton October sale.

The Midlantic under-tack show continues through Thursday with sessions beginning daily at 8 a.m. at the Maryland State Fairgrounds in Timonium. The auction will be held next Monday and Tuesday with bidding commencing both days at 11 a.m.

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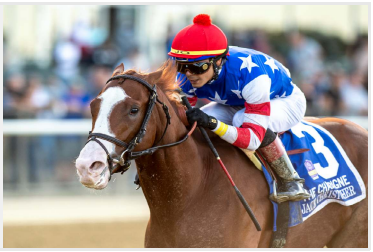

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COX SUSPENDED 10 DAYS FOR BUTE OVERAGE IN '21 FOSTER S.

Brad Cox | *Horsephotos*

by T. D. Thornton

Trainer Brad Cox has been suspended 10 days and fined $500 by the Churchill Downs stewards for a phenylbutazone overage detected in the runner-up of the 2021 GII Stephen Foster S.

According to a ruling dated May 15 and posted to the Kentucky Horse Racing Commission (KHRC) website Tuesday, the Class C positive was present in the post-race testing of MGSW Warrior's Charge (Munnings) at a level of 2.51 micrograms per milliliter of blood when he ran second at 7-1 in last year's edition of the Foster.

Cox's suspension is to run May 23-June 1. Warrior's Charge has been disqualified and the purse money is to be redistributed.

TDN phoned Cox to get his side of the story and to ask whether he'd be appealing. He responded via text message.

"We were completely shocked with these lab results," Cox wrote. "Due to the fact that this medication was administered within the strict guidelines that are set in place. Having said that, while we disagree with the results, I have to own it and accept responsibility. Moving forward, I am committed to industry leading protocols which hopefully prevent this from happening again."

Asked what arrangements, if any, are in the works for transferring his horses during his suspension, Cox wrote, "No transfers at this time."

Phenylbutazone, also called Bute, is a non-steroidal anti-inflammatory drug. Kentucky's racing rules permit it on race day in concentrations at or less than three-tenths (0.3) micrograms per milliliter.

According to the ruling, Cox waived his right to a formal stewards' hearing, as did the horse's owners, Marshall Gramm and Sol Kumin.

The KHRC classifies drugs on an A (most severe) to D (least severe) scale.

Both the owner and trainer penalties are in line with Kentucky's recommended sanctioning guidelines for a Class C first offense, which call for up to a 10-day suspension (absent mitigating circumstances) for trainers and the disqualification and purse forfeiture for the owners.

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FISHMAN ASKS FOR YET ANOTHER SENTENCING DELAY

Seth Fishman | *Bryan Smith photo*

by T. D. Thornton

The veterinarian Seth Fishman--who is facing 20 years in prison, has an active motion asking for the first of his two convicted counts to be dismissed, and has already been granted one sentencing delay because he is allegedly having trouble filling out federal probation paperwork--again on Tuesday requested another delay of his sentencing.

The half-redacted letter motion filed by his attorney in United States District Court (Southern District of New York) on May 17 suggests that a COVID-19 outbreak where he is being detained at Metropolitan Detention Center in Brooklyn is the reason.

"Dr. Fishman's tier is currently in 'lockdown' status and, apparently, will remain in that position for the foreseeable future," wrote attorney Maurice Sercarz.

Although the letter motion itself does not mention the pandemic in its unredacted portions, the internet home page for the prison features a prominent notice that "Operations are being modified at this facility due to COVID-19. All visiting at this facility has been suspended until further notice."

Fishman was convicted Feb. 2 on two felony counts in an international equine performance-enhancing drug doping conspiracy. The judge in the case has yet to rule on Fishman's motion asking for the first of his two convicted counts to be dismissed on the basis that he was allegedly charged twice for the same crime.

Fishman's sentencing was supposed to be May 5 but got pushed back to May 26 when he claimed he did not receive financial forms from the feds that are necessary for his pre-sentencing report. Now he's requesting a new date in the range of June 20-24. Federal prosecutors have consented to this request, according to Tuesday's motion.

Although a number of defendants named in the wide-ranging racehorse doping conspiracy pleaded guilty prior to Fishman, he was the first from a federal sweep of several dozen individuals indicted in 2020 to stand trial and to be found guilty by a jury.

Fishman's case has been notable thus far because of the breadth of his legal maneuverings and some courtroom drama, which included the Florida-based veterinarian being inexplicably absent from court during his sentencing. A cryptic comment from Fishman's attorney to the judge during closing arguments led to speculation that Fishman had to be hospitalized.

In December 2021, the judge in Fishman's case modified his bail conditions after federal prosecutors alleged he was still selling PEDs while awaiting trial.

And in January 2022, one week before his trial was scheduled to start, Fishman had unsuccessfully asked the judge to delay the trial over concerns related to the COVID-19 pandemic.

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EQUINE INDUSTRY AND ANIMAL WELFARE ORGANIZATIONS ANNOUNCE COLLABORATIVE EFFORT TO BAN HORSE SLAUGHTER *Edited Press Release*

A diverse group of equine industry and animal welfare organizations have announced the "Final Stretch Alliance to End Horse Slaughter"--a collaborative effort to permanently ban the slaughter of American horses.

In an open letter to congressional leaders, including US Representatives Nancy Pelosi (D-Calif.) and Kevin McCarthy (R-Calif.) and US Senators Charles Schumer (D-NY) and Mitch McConnell (R-KY), the alliance urged federal lawmakers to pass the Save America's Forgotten Equines (SAFE) Act (H.R.3355/S.2732) to permanently ban horse slaughter in the US and end the export of American horses for slaughter in other countries.

The supporting members of the "Final Stretch Alliance to End Horse Slaughter" include: The Jockey Club, the U.S. Trotting Association, the Stronach Group, the Breeders' Cup, Thoroughbred Owners and Breeders Association, The Jockey's Guild, the New York Racing Association, Inc. (NYRA), Del Mar Thoroughbred Club, the Maryland Horse Council, the ASPCA (The American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals), the Animal Welfare Institute, the Humane Society of the United States, the Humane Society Legislative Fund, Return to Freedom Wild Horse Conservation, and many other industry voices.

Despite congressional efforts that have effectively blocked the operation of horse slaughterhouses on US soil since 2007, tens of thousands of American horses continue to be shipped to

Canadian and Mexican slaughterhouses that supply other countries with horsemeat. With the Triple Crown horse racing season underway and public attention on equine sports, equine industry and welfare groups are calling on federal lawmakers to take action during this critical moment by passing the SAFE Act to end this sad chapter in American history.

In the open letter, the groups highlight a recent poll indicating that an overwhelming majority of Americans (83%) oppose horse slaughter. The letter explains how, despite robust, innovative partnerships between equine industry and welfare groups to support horses transitioning between careers, the looming threat of the horse slaughter pipeline continues to significantly harm industry, enthusiasts, and adoption organizations:

"Racing industry groups have demonstrated real leadership in committing resources for aftercare and career transition programs, instituting and enforcing track policies against sale to slaughter, and spearheading state and federal policies prohibiting horse slaughter. These programs are critical, but until the law shuts down the slaughter pipeline itself, no horse, no matter how beloved or decorated, will be truly safe."

The SAFE Act would close this legal loophole to stop the funneling of American horses to slaughter for human consumption abroad. Introduced by a bipartisan group of federal lawmakers, the SAFE Act is currently sponsored by nearly half of the US House of Representatives.

"Despite the overwhelming desire among Americans to see horses protected from harm, tens of thousands of horses are transported out of the US each year to be killed abroad," said Cathy Liss, AWI's president. "Racehorses continue to fall victim to this grisly and predatory trade, so we appreciate the leadership and collaboration of key stakeholders in the racing industry to shutter the slaughter pipeline once and for all. As trusted companions, horses enrich our lives in countless ways; passing the SAFE Act is paramount to ensuring their welfare and safety."

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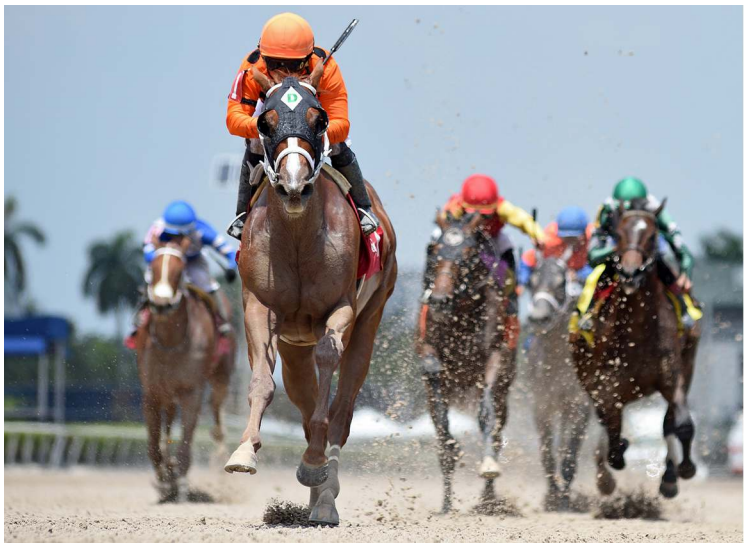
TWO-YEAR-OLD COLT AWESOME STRONG TOPS F-T MAY DIGITAL SELECTED SALE

Fasig-Tipton's May Digital Selected Sale closed Tuesday afternoon with impressive 2-year-old debut winner **Awesome Strong** (Awesome Slew) topping the sale, bringing $500,000 from Bill Childs. He was consigned as Hip 24 from the draft of Elena Racing, agent.

The Florida-bred colt won by an eye-catching six lengths on debut for Elena Racing, Inc. and trainer Jorge Delgado at Gulfstream Park May 6 in an open maiden special weight.



Awesome Strong | *Ryan Thompson*

Awesome Strong is from the first crop of Awesome Slew out of the Pleasant Tap mare Pleasant Ring. That mare is a full sister to stakes winner and graded stakes producer Pleasant Chimes. Pleasant Ring has produced six winners to date, including multiple stakes winner Bad Debt (Grand Reward), a multiple graded stakes placed earner of $838,000.

Three-year-old **Sareeha (Ire)** (Shamardal) (Hip 10) was the leading racing/broodmare prospect offered, selling for $150,000 to Eclipse Thoroughbred Partners. The filly was consigned by Carriganog Racing (Joseph O'Brien). Placed in her second career start Apr. 23 at Limerick, Sareeha is a daughter of European champion Shamardal out of the winning Dansili (GB) mare Saraha (GB).

"We believe a good horse can come from anywhere, at any time," Eclipse's Aron Wellman said. "Sareeha is a filly who was on our radar as a potential private purchase in Ireland after her race last month, so when she was entered in the Digital Sale, it made sense for us to monitor her status. We were able to connect with Joseph O'Brien, who trains for Eclipse in Ireland, which made it a bit more comfortable. That said, the process was seamless and the technology was user friendly. We applaud Fasig's willingness to be innovative and we certainly hope Sareeha is a success story for the program sooner rather than later."

At the close of active bidding, 13 horses sold for $1,150,000, good for an average of $88,500. The median was $60,000. There were 120 bidders registered for the sale. Each offering attracted at least five unique bidders. Prospective buyers placed 609 cumulative bids, averaging better than 25 bids per horse.

Buyers may still make offers on horses that failed to meet their reserve by visiting the sale page, then clicking "Make Offer" next to the horse they are interested in purchasing.

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WEEKLY STEWARDS AND COMMISSIONS RULINGS, MAY 10-16 *by Dan Ross*

Flavien Prat | *Sarah Andrew*

Every week, the *TDN* publishes a roundup of key official rulings from the primary tracks within the four major racing jurisdictions of California, New York, Florida and Kentucky.

Here's a primer on how each of these jurisdictions adjudicates different offenses, what they make public (or not) and where.

California

Track: Santa Anita
Date: 05/13/2022
Licensee: Peter Eurton, trainer
Penalty: $1,000
Violation: Late reporting
Explainer: Trainer Peter Eurton is fined $1,000.00 pursuant to California Horse Racing Board rule #1629 (Penalty for Late Declaration) and for violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1865 (Altering Sex of Horse) for failure to properly report the gelding of the horse OCTOPUS which was scheduled to run in the eighth race at Santa Anita Park on April 15, 2022.

New York

Track: Belmont Park
Date: 05/14/2022
Licensee: Flavien Prat, jockey
Penalty: Three-day suspension
Violation: Careless riding
Explainer: For having waived his right to appeal Jockey Mr. Flavien Prat is hereby suspended 3 NYRA racing days, May 21st 2022, May 22nd 2022, and May 27th 2022 inclusive. This for careless riding during the running of the fourth race at Belmont Park on May 1st 2022. Suspended: 05/21/2022 to 05/27/2022 (3 days).

Kentucky

Some of the following rulings were not posted on the Kentucky Horse Racing Commission website in time for inclusion last week.

Track: Churchill Downs
Date: 05/06/2022
Licensee: Reyluis Gutierrez, jockey
Penalty: $500 fine
Violation: Excessive use of the whip
Explainer: After a hearing before the Board of Stewards, Reyluis Gutierrez, who rode Mr Dumas in the eighth race at Churchill Downs on May 5, 2022 was found to have violated the crop regulation. This being his first offense, Mr. Gutierrez was given the option and chose to pay a fine. Reyluis Gutierrez is hereby fined $500 for his improper use of the riding crop by exceeding the allowable use in the overhand manner.

Track: Churchill Downs
Date: 05/05/2022
Licensee: Brian Hernandez Jr., jockey
Penalty: $500 fine
Violation: Excessive use of the whip
Explainer: After waiving his right to a hearing before the Board of Stewards, Brian Hernandez Jr., who rode Fair Haired Boy in the sixth race at Churchill Downs on May 4, 2022 was found to have violated the crop regulation (2nd offense). Brian Hernandez Jr. is hereby fined $500 for his improper use of the crop by exceeding the allowable use in the overhand manner.

Track: Churchill Downs
Date: 05/11/2022
Licensee: Manuel Franco, jockey
Penalty: $500 fine
Violation: Excessive use of the whip
Explainer: After waiving his right to a hearing before the Board of Stewards, Manuel Franco, who rode Idiomatic in the first race at Churchill Downs on May 6, 2022 was found to have violated the crop regulation. Manuel Franco is hereby fined $500 for his improper use of the crop by exceeding the allowable use in the overhand manner.

Track: Churchill Downs
Date: 05/11/2022
Licensee: Manuel Franco, jockey
Penalty: $500 fine
Violation: Excessive use of the whip

Explainer: After waiving his right to a hearing before the Board of Stewards, Manuel Franco, who rode Turnerloose in the eleventh race at Churchill Downs on May 6, 2022 was found to have violated the crop regulation (2nd offense). Manuel Franco is hereby fined $500 for his improper use of the crop by exceeding the allowable use in the overhand manner.

Track: Churchill Downs
Date: 05/11/2022
Licensee: Mitchell Murrill, jockey
Penalty: $500 fine
Violation: Excessive use of the whip
Explainer: After waiving his right to a hearing before the Board of Stewards, Mitchell Murrill, who rode Warrior Johnny in the first race at Churchill Downs on May 7, 2022 was found to have violated the crop regulation. This being his first offense, Mr. Murrill was given the option and chose to pay a fine. Mitchell Murrill is hereby fined $500 for his improper use of the riding crop by exceeding the allowable use in the overhand manner.

Track: Churchill Downs
Date: 05/11/2022
Licensee: Jose Ortiz, jockey
Penalty: $500 fine
Violation: Excessive use of the whip
Explainer: After waiving his right to a hearing before the Board of Stewards, Jose L. Ortiz, who rode Injunction in the sixth race at Churchill Downs on May 7, 2022 was found to have violated the crop regulation. This being his first offense, Mr. Ortiz was given the option and chose to pay a fine. Jose L. Ortiz is hereby fined $500 for his improper use of the crop by exceeding the allowable use in the overhand manner.

Track: Churchill Downs
Date: 05/11/2022
Licensee: Jose Ortiz, jockey
Penalty: $500 fine
Violation: Excessive use of the whip
Explainer: After waiving his right to a hearing before the Board of Stewards, Jose L. Ortiz, who rode Obligatory in the eighth race at Churchill Downs on May 7, 2022 was found to have violated the crop regulation (2nd offense). Jose L. Ortiz is hereby fined $500 for his improper use of the crop by exceeding the allowable use in the overhand manner.

Track: Churchill Downs
Date: 05/13/2022
Licensee: Irad Ortiz Jr., jockey
Penalty: $500 fine
Violation: Excessive use of the whip
Explainer: After waiving his right to a hearing before the Board of Stewards, Irad Ortiz Jr., who rode Obligatory in the twelfth race at Churchill Downs on May 7, 2022 was found to have violated the crop regulation. This being his first offense, Mr. Ortiz was given the option and chose to pay a fine. Irad Ortiz Jr. is hereby fined $500 for his improper use of the crop by exceeding the allowable use in the overhand manner.

Track: Churchill Downs
Date: 05/13/2022
Licensee: Irad Ortiz Jr., jockey
Penalty: $100 fine
Violation: Failure to appear to watch race review
Explainer: After waiving his right to a hearing before the Board of Stewards, Irad Ortiz Jr. is hereby fined $100 for failure to be present for the race replay review on May 12, 2022 after being duly notified to appear.

Track: Churchill Downs
Date: 05/13/2022
Licensee: Gerardo Corrales, jockey
Penalty: Five-day suspension
Violation: Withdrawal of appeal
Explainer: Having withdrawn the appeal of Stewards Ruling #21-0096 issued December 11, 2021, Gerardo Corrales is now hereby suspended 5 racing days, May 19, May 20, May 21, May 22, May 26, 2022.

Track: Churchill Downs
Date: 05/15/2022
Licensee: Brad Cox, trainer
Penalty: Ten-day suspension, $500 fine
Violation: Medication violation
Explainer: Upon receipt of notification from Industrial Laboratories, the official testing laboratory for the Kentucky Horse Racing Commission and confirmed at Texas A & M Veterinary Medical Diagnostic Laboratory, sample number E454454 taken from Warrior's Charge, who finished second in the eleventh race at Churchill Downs on June 26, 2021 contained phenylbutazone at a level of 2.51 ug/ml in blood (Class C)/ After waiving his right to a formal hearing before the Board of Stewards Brad H. Cox is hereby suspended 10 days, May 23 2022 through June 1, 2022 (inclusive) and fined $500. Warrior's Charge us disqualified and all purse money forfeited.

Read more about the story here at the *TDN*.

Track: Churchill Downs

Date: 05/15/2022
Licensee: James Graham, jockey
Penalty: $500 fine
Violation: Excessive use of the whip
Explainer: After a hearing before the Board of Stewards, James Graham, who rode Zmuda in the sixth race at Churchill Downs on May 13, 2022 was found to have violated the crop regulation. This being his first offense, Mr. Graham was given the option and chose to pay a fine. James Graham is hereby fined $500 for his improper use of the riding crop by exceeding the allowable use in the overhand manner.

Track: Churchill Downs
Date: 05/15/2022
Licensee: Joseph Rocco Jr., jockey
Penalty: $500 fine
Violation: Excessive use of the whip
Explainer: After waiving his right to a hearing before the Board of Stewards, Joseph Rocco Jr., who rode Uninvited Guest in the fourth race at Churchill Downs on May 13, 2022 was found to have violated the crop regulation (3rd offense). Joseph Rocco Jr. is hereby fined $500 for his improper use of the crop by exceeding the allowable use in the overhand manner.

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CHUB WAGON NAMED 2021 PA-BRED HORSE OF THE YEAR

After a season of near perfection that included six stakes wins, Daniel Lopez and George Chestnut's homebred **Chub Wagon** was named 2021 Pennsylvania-bred Horse of the Year at the Pennsylvania Horse Breeders Association's 43rd annual Iroquois Awards, held May 13 at The Inn at Mendenhall in Chadds Ford, Pa.

The richest state-bred of 2021 when banking $487,400, Chub Wagon scored in eight of her nine starts at age four, and was second in her only loss. After getting her first stakes win in the Unique Bella at Parx in April by 7 1/2 lengths, she followed with wins in the Skipat S. and Shine Again S. at Pimlico, and Dashing Beauty S. at Delaware Park. She rebounded off a second-place finish in the Dr. Teresa Garofalo Memorial S. at Parx on Pennsylvania Day At the Races in August to take the Roamin Rachel S. against open company by four lengths two weeks later. She concluded her season in late September by winning the

Chub Wagon winning the Skipat | *Horsephotos*

Plum Pretty S. in her first start beyond a mile.

A daughter of Lopez's homebred stallion Hey Chub out of the Lion Heart mare Takin The Plunge, Chub Wagon also took home awards for champion older female and champion female sprinter.

The evening's keynote speaker was Triple Crown-winning jockey Steve Cauthen, now a breeder/owner in Kentucky. The PHBA's Lifetime Achievement Award for excellence in breeding in the state was presented to George Strawbridge, Jr., who over the course of the past five decades bred such Pennsylvania-bred standouts at GI Breeders' Cup Turf winner Tikkanen and five-time Grade I winner With Anticipation.

Other divisional champions were:

- Two-year-old female--Morning Matcha (Central Banker)
- Two-year-old male--Dance Code (Honor Code)
- Three-year-old female--Leader of the Band (Bandbox)
- Three-year-old male and male sprinter--Beren (Weigelia)
- Older male and turf male--The Critical Way (Tizway)
- Turf female--Caravel (Mizzen Mast)

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THOROUGHBRED AFTERCARE ALLIANCE CELEBRATES FULL RETURN OF PREAKNESS FESTIVITIES

The Thoroughbred Aftercare Alliance (TAA) will have a full lineup of on-site festivities during GI Preakness S. week.

"The Thoroughbred Aftercare Alliance has been a valued partner of the Preakness since 2015," said Maryland Jockey Club Acting President, Mike Rogers. "We at 1/ST and the Maryland Jockey Club look forward to bringing aftercare to the forefront of the Preakness for many years to come. The good work done

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by the Thoroughbred Aftercare Alliance is absolutely vital to ensuring the safety of our equine athletes and the longevity of the sport."

"As the middle jewel of the Triple Crown, the Preakness is the perfect place to bring the conversation of aftercare to the forefront," said TAA President, Jeffrey Bloom. "The partnership between the Maryland Jockey Club and the Thoroughbred Aftercare Alliance is invaluable in forwarding the TAA's mission. I'm excited to be in attendance to represent the TAA as its 2022 board president and am grateful to continue the TAA's many traditions at Pimlico."

The week begins with the America's Best Racing (ABR) Pre-Preakness Party on Wednesday at 7 p.m. ET at Mt. Washington Tavern in Baltimore, Maryland. Proceeds will benefit the TAA. Tickets are still available online for $25 and will be available at the door for $35.

The TAA will present a race on the Black-Eyed Susan undercard and will also present the Sir Barton S. on Preakness Day. On both Black-Eyed Susan and Preakness day, the TAA will host the Best Turned Out Awards in the Pimlico winner's circle for each race. Additionally, a TAA information table will be set up in the grandstand to allow patrons the opportunity to donate and learn more about accredited aftercare.

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Ned Toffey, Spendthrift Farm GM

A Rare Kind of Filly Dazzles at the Racetrack

Sodashi won the Victoria Mile on Sunday with a closing rally and received an especially loud roar from the fans at Tokyo Racecourse. The cheers did not come exclusively from those who had bet her to win at 5-1. The filly has become a sensation in Japanese horse racing circles because of her color: pure white. White thoroughbred horses are exceedingly rare: As few as one in 100,000 are considered pure white. To qualify, the horse's entire coat must be white and cannot have any other colors. Sodashi meets that definition.

Victor Mather, *The New York Times*

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2022 Leading Third-Crop Sires by Black-Type Horses

for stallions standing in North America through Monday, May 16

Earnings represent NA & EU figures, NH foals only, stud fees listed are 2022 fees.

Rank	Stallion	BTW	BTH	GSW	GSH	G1SW	G1SH	Starters	Wnrs	Highest Earner	Earnings
1	**Not This Time**	6	10	4	6	1	3	106	50	1,480,000	5,120,944
	(2014) by Giant's Causeway FYR: 2018 Stands: Taylor Made Farm KY Fee: $45,000									*Epicenter*	
2	**Nyquist**	4	9	3	5	--	--	100	24	295,000	2,234,992
	(2013) by Uncle Mo FYR: 2018 Stands: Darley KY Fee: $55,000									*Slow Down Andy*	
3	**Laoban**	3	6	1	2	--	1	70	23	656,250	2,021,655
	(2013) by Uncle Mo FYR: 2018 Stands: WinStar Farm USA (Dead/Retired)									*Un Ojo*	
4	**Runhappy**	3	6	--	2	--	1	89	35	265,000	1,895,719
	(2012) by Super Saver FYR: 2018 Stands: Claiborne Farm KY Fee: $12,500									*Smile Happy*	
5	**Mshawish**	1	4	1	1	--	--	80	29	58,780	983,674
	(2010) by Medaglia d'Oro FYR: 2018 Stands: Taylor Made Farm KY Fee: $5,000									*Risky Reward*	
6	**Upstart**	2	3	2	3	1	2	87	30	913,500	2,624,972
	(2012) by Flatter FYR: 2018 Stands: Airdrie Stud KY Fee: $10,000									*Zandon*	
7	**Frosted**	--	3	--	--	--	--	124	30	174,800	1,784,076
	(2012) by Tapit FYR: 2018 Stands: Darley KY Fee: $20,000									*Macron*	
8	**Street Strategy**	2	3	--	--	--	--	21	9	203,600	756,707
	(2011) by Street Sense FYR: 2018 Stands: Lake Hamilton Equine Center AR Fee: $1,000									*Connie K*	
9	**Exaggerator**	--	2	--	1	--	--	137	50	111,600	1,592,646
	(2013) by Curlin FYR: 2018 Stands: Elite Thoroughbreds LA Fee: $5,000									*Skippylongstocking*	
10	**Speightster**	1	2	--	1	--	--	119	45	72,419	1,578,759
	(2012) by Speightstown FYR: 2018 Stands: Northern Dawn Stables Can (Dead/Retired)									*Dreaming of Drew*	
11	**Outwork**	1	2	--	--	--	--	85	30	89,220	1,099,423
	(2013) by Uncle Mo FYR: 2018 Stands: WinStar Farm KY Fee: $10,000									*Manorelli*	
12	**Brody's Cause**	--	2	--	1	--	--	69	20	77,184	877,496
	(2013) by Giant's Causeway FYR: 2018 Stands: Spendthrift Farm KY Fee: $5,000									*Paluxy*	
13	**Social Inclusion**	1	2	--	--	--	--	29	9	109,000	462,602
	(2011) by Pioneerof the Nile FYR: 2018 Stands: Briardale Farm FL Fee: Private									*Markhamian*	
14	**Slumber (GB)**	1	2	1	2	--	--	8	3	292,400	421,980
	(2008) by Cacique (Ire) FYR: 2018 Stands: Rockridge Stud NY Fee: $7,500									*Sy Dog*	
15	**Tamarando**	1	2	--	--	--	--	12	4	95,138	261,332
	(2011) by Bertrando FYR: 2018 Stands: Harris Farms CA Fee: $2,500									*Royal 'n Rando*	

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Friday, Pimlico #13, post time: 5:44 p.m. EDT

GEORGE E. MITCHELL BLACK-EYED SUSAN S.-GII, $250,000, 3yo, f, 1 1/8m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Divine Huntress	Divining Rod	Eclipse Thoroughbred Partners & Long Valley Stables	Motion	Prat	118
2	Missy Greer	Nyquist	West Paces Racing LLC, Flying P Stable, Callahan, Peter J. and Flying Partners	Gargan	Saez	118
3	Miss Yearwood	Will Take Charge	Long, Margaret and Long, Keith	Wilkes	Leparoux	118
4	Midnight Stroll	Not This Time	Gatsas Stables, R. A. Hill Stable & Schoenfeld, Steven	Terranova II	Castellano	118
5	Beguine	Gun Runner	Charles T. Matses	Peitz	Ortiz	118
6	Luna Belle	Great Notion	Greene, Deborah S. and Smith, Hamilton A.	Smith	Araujo	120
7	Distinctlypossible	Curlin	Bradley Thoroughbreds, Finder, Gary, Belmar Racing and Breeding, Cambron Equine & Team Hanley	Brown	Ortiz, Jr.	118
8	Candy Light	Candy Ride (Arg)	Fortune Racing LLC	Motion	Marquez	118
9	Interstatedaydream	Classic Empire	Flurry Racing Stables LLC	Cox	Geroux	118
10	Adare Manor	Uncle Mo	Michael Lund Petersen	McCarthy	Velazquez	122
11	Radio Days	Gun Runner	Joseph Allen LLC	McGaughey III	Rosario	118
12	Favor	Pioneerof the Nile	Stonestreet Stables LLC	Pletcher	Gaffalione	118
13	Morning Matcha	Central Banker	LC Racing, Cash is King LLC and Barber, Gary	Reid, Jr.	Pennington	118

Breeders: 1-Dr. & Mrs. Thomas Bowman, Ricky L.Buckley & Joshua Dreiband, 2-Diamond Creek Farm, 3-R. Keith Long, 4-Dr. Carolin Von Rosenberg DVM, 5-Charles T. Matses, 6-Fred A. Greene Jr., Deborah Greene &Hamilton Smith, 7-John C. Oxley, 8-Gary & Mary West Stables, Inc., 9-William D. Graham, 10-Town & Country Horse Farms, LLC & GaryBroad, 11-Hinkle Farms, 12-Diamond Creek Farm, 13-Crane Thoroughbred Services LLC

Friday, Pimlico #12, post time: 5:10 p.m. EDT

PIMLICO SPECIAL S.-GIII, $300,000, 3yo/up, 1 3/16m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Vindictive	Uncle Mo	Grandview Equine, Cheyenne Stable & LNJ Foxwoods	Pletcher	Ortiz, Jr.	120
2	Shooger Ray Too	Wicked Strong	Vintage Thoroughbreds LLC	Servis	Gaffalione	120
3	Untreated	Nyquist	Team Valor International, LLC	Pletcher	Rosario	120
4	Workin On a Dream	Jersey Town	Steven L. Walfish	Graham	Karamanos	120
5	Forewarned	Flat Out	Trin-Brook Stables, Inc.	St. Lewis	Haddock	124
6	Capocostello	Cross Traffic	Chestnut Hill Stable	Gutierrez	Prat	120
7	Excellorator	Orb	Larry E. Rabold	McMahon	Alvelo	120
8	First Captain	Curlin	West Point Thoroughbreds, Siena Farm LLC, Flay, Bobby and Woodford Racing, LLC	McGaughey III	Saez	120
9	Treasure Trove	Tapizar	James C. Wolf	Farrior	Toledo	124
10	Mischief Afoot	Into Mischief	Burning Daylight Farms, Inc. & Galbraith, Rebecca	Toner	Ortiz	120
11	Mohaafeth	Tapit	Ejetero LLC	Trujillo	Silvera	120

Breeders: 1-Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC, 2-Haymarket Farm LLC, 3-Ashview Farm & Old Oak Farm, 4-Joel Zamzow, 5-Preston Stables, LLC, 6-C. Kidder & N. Cole, 7-CRK Stable, LLC, 8-B. Flay Thoroughbreds, 9-John Fradkin & Diane Fradkin, 10-Clearsky Farms, 11-Shadwell Farm, LLC

Friday, Pimlico #8, post time: 3:05 p.m. EDT

ALLAIRE DUPONT DISTAFF S.-GIII, $150,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Exotic West	Hard Spun	Louis Lazzinnaro LLC	Sciacca	Castellano	120
2	Into Vanishing	Into Mischief	Augustin Stable	Thomas	Saez	120
3	Click to Confirm	Tonalist	Mi Patria Racing	Sanchez-Salomon	Cruz	114
4	Super Quick	Super Saver	Marylou Whitney Stables	Casse	Geroux	120
5	Lil Kings Princess	Street Boss	Lundbeck, Barbara, Durbin, Robert & Morris, Joseph	Ortiz	Ortiz, Jr.	122
6	Frost Point	Frosted	Godolphin, LLC	Mott	Prat	120

Breeders: 1-Gary & Mary West Stables Inc., 2-George Strawbridge Jr., 3-The Elkstone Group LLC, 4-Marylou Whitney Stables LLC, 5-Barbara Lundbeck, 6-Godolphin

Friday, Pimlico #10, post time: 4:07 p.m. EDT

MISS PREAKNESS S.-GIII, $150,000, 3yo, f, 6f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Verylittlecents	Goldencents	Randy Patterson	Morse	Court	122
2	Under the Stars	Pioneerof the Nile	Magnier, Mrs. John, Tabor, Michael B. & Smith, Derrick	McCarthy	Prat	124
3	Lady Scarlet	Union Rags	Paradise Farms Corp. and Staudacher, David	Maker	Ortiz, Jr.	120
4	La Casa d'Oro	Dialed In	The Elkstone Group, LLC	Russell	Toledo	118
5	Saucy Lady T	Tonalist	Gary Broad	Motion	Lynch	118
6	Happy Soul	Runhappy	Gayla Rankin	Ward	Velazquez	124
7	Sweet Solare	Into Mischief	Michael J. Ryan	De Paz	Ortiz	118
8	Gimmick	Into Mischief	e Five Racing Thoroughbreds	Asmussen	Gaffalione	120

Breeders: 1-Kellie Holland, Tim Holland &Ramon Rangel, 2-Eaton, 3-Popatop, LLC, 4-The Elkstone Group LLC, 5-R. S. Evans, 6-Harris Training Center, LLC, 7-Lone Pine Bloodstock, 8-Spendthrift Farm, LLC

Saturday, Pimlico #13, post time: 7:01 p.m. EDT

PREAKNESS S.-GI, $1,500,000, 3yo, 1 3/16m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Simplification	Not This Time	Bobo, Tami and De Meric, Tristan	Sano	Velazquez	126
2	Creative Minister	Creative Cause	Fern Circle Stables, Back Racing & Magdalena Racing	McPeek	Hernandez, Jr.	126
3	Fenwick	Curlin	Villa Rosa Farm and Harlo Stable	McKathan	Geroux	126
4	Secret Oath	Arrogate	Briland Farm	Lukas	Saez	121
5	Early Voting	Gun Runner	Klaravich Stables, Inc.	Brown	Ortiz	126
6	Happy Jack	Oxbow	Calumet Farm	O'Neill	Gaffalione	126
7	Armagnac	Quality Road	SF Racing, Starlight Racing, Madaket Stables, Robert E. Masterson, Stonestreet Stables, Jay A. Schoenfarber, Waves Edge Capital, Donovan, Catherine, Golconda Stable, Siena Farm	Yakteen	Ortiz, Jr.	126
8	Epicenter	Not This Time	Winchell Thoroughbreds LLC	Asmussen	Rosario	126
9	Skippylongstocking	Exaggerator	Daniel Alonso	Joseph, Jr.	Alvarado	126

Breeders: 1-France Weiner & Irwin Weiner, 2-Dell Ridge Farm, LLC, 3-John C. Oxley, 4-Briland Farm, Robert Mitchell &Stacy Mitchell, 5-Three Chimneys Farm, LLC, 6-Calumet Farm, 7-Stone Farm & Joseph W. Sutton, 8-Westwind Farms, 9-Brushy Hill, LLC

Saturday, Pimlico #8, post time: 2:49 p.m. EDT

DINNER PARTY S.-GII, $250,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Tango Tango Tango	Tourist	Calumet Farm	Sisterson	Gaffalione	120
2	Novo Sol (Brz)	Agnes Gold (Jpn)	Daniel Alonso	Joseph, Jr.	Alvarado	120
3	Set Piece (GB)	Dansili (GB)	Juddmonte	Cox	Geroux	120
4	Beacon Hill	Blame	Runnymoore Racing, LLC	Matz	Rosario	120
5	English Bee	English Channel	Calumet Farm	Motion	Saez	120
6	Atone	Into Mischief	Three Diamonds Farm	Maker	Ortiz, Jr.	120
7	Nathan Detroit	Union Rags	Built Wright Stables, LLC.	Cash	Ortiz	120

Breeders: 1-Frederick Wieting, 2-Stud Eternamente Rio, 3-Juddmonte Farms (East) Ltd, 4-Newtown Anner Stud, 5-Calumet Farm, 6-Godolphin, 7-Mr. Joseph Allen, LLC

Saturday, Pimlico #9, post time: 3:31 p.m. EDT

CHICK LANG S.-GIII, $200,000, 3yo, 6f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Cogburn	Not This Time	Brewster, Clark O., Heiligbrodt, L. William and Heiligbrodt, Corinne	Asmussen	Rosario	120
2	Lightening Larry	Uncaptured	Lea Farms, LLC	Delgado	Sutherland	120
3	Doctor Jeff	Street Boss	Dubb, Michael and Caruso, Michael J.	Rodriguez	Saez	120
4	My Handsome Man	Central Banker	Melvin Moises Ovando	Ovando	Lopez	118
5	Old Homestead	Overanalyze	Marablue Farm LLC and Pegasus Stud LLC	Brinkman	Pompell	122
6	Chasing Time	Not This Time	MyRacehorse	Asmussen	Gaffalione	120
7	Whelen Springs	Street Sense	Shortleaf Stable, Inc.	Ortiz	Ortiz, Jr.	124
8	Alottahope	Editorial	No Guts No Glory Farm	Robb	Perez	118
9	Little Vic	Practical Joke	Victoria's Ranch	Avila	Lopez	118

Breeders: 1-Bellary Bloodstock, 2-Michelle Redding, 3-James Arrison, 4-Stone Bridge Farm LLC, 5-Marablue Farm LLC & Pegasus Stud LLC, 6-Tenlane Farm, LLC, 7-Shortleaf Stable, 8-Dr. & Mrs. Thomas Bowman & Dr. BrookeBowman, 9-Stride Sales and Syndicate

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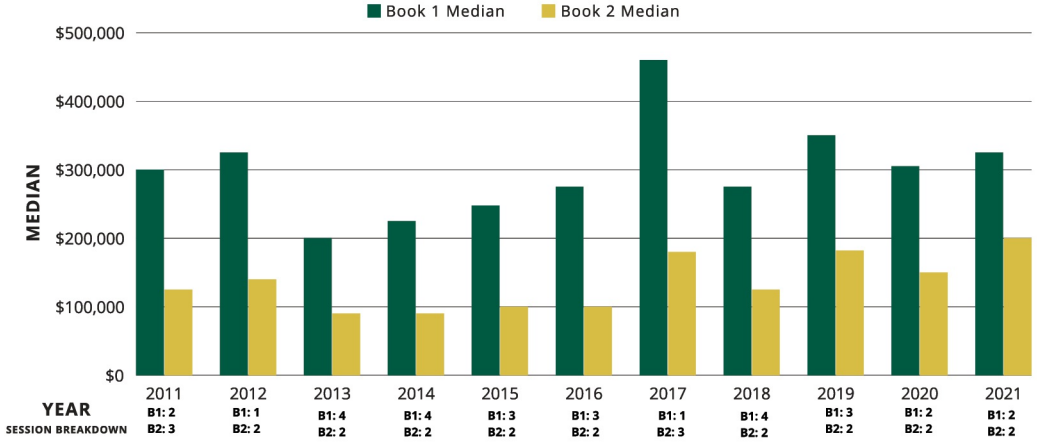

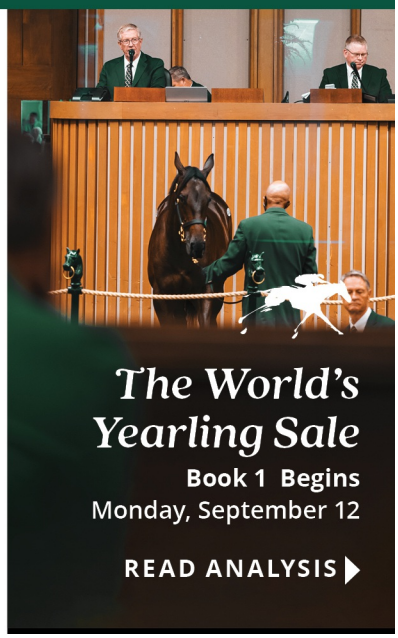

Saturday, Pimlico #4, post time: 12:16 p.m. EDT

MARYLAND SPRINT S.-GIII, $150,000, 3yo/up, 6f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	War Tocsin	Violence	Trin-Brook Stables, Inc.	St. Lewis	Haddock	120
2	Sir Alfred James	Munnings	Built Wright Stables, LLC.	Cash	Ortiz	120
3	Threes Over Deuces	Flat Out	Pocket 3's Racing LLC	Capuano	Enriquez Jr.	120
4	Disco Pharoah	American Pharoah	Perrine Time Thoroughbreds & Blue Lion Thoroughbreds	Handal	Toledo	122
5	Full Authority	Summer Front	Brown, Danny, Brenneman, Charis & Compton, Greg	Compton	Court	122
6	Mr Phil	Mr Speaker	Goldfarb, Sanford J., Kahn, Alan, Estate of Ira Davis and Abraham, Samuel	Atras	Carmouche	120
7	Jaxon Traveler	Munnings	West Point Thoroughbreds and Delfiner, Marvin	Asmussen	Rosario	120

Breeders: 1-Hare Forest Farm, Ltd., 2-Mt. Joy Stables, Pope McLean, MarcMcLean & Pope McLean Jr., 3-Machmer Hall & Montese LLC, 4-Ralph Kinder & Erv Woolsey, 5-Eureka Thoroughbred Farm, 6-Peter Berglar Racing Interests LLC &Narola, LLC, 7-Dr. & Mrs. A. Leonard Pineau

Saturday, Pimlico #5, post time: 12:51 p.m. EDT

GALLORETTE S.-GIII, $150,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Out of Sorts	Dramedy	Respect the Valleys, LLC	Russell	Toledo	120
2	Crystal Cliffs (Fr)	Canford Cliffs (Ire)	Dubb, Michael, Madaket Stables & Wonder Stables	Motion	Gaffalione	122
3	Scarabea	American Pharoah	Calumet Farm	Sisterson	Saez	120
4	Technical Analysis (Ire)	Kingman (GB)	Klaravich Stables, Inc.	Brown	Ortiz	120
5	In a Hurry	Blame	Stuart S. Janney, III	McGaughey III	Rosario	120
6	Karakatsie	Karakontie (Jpn)	Schumer, Chad and Screnci, Stephen	De La Cerda	Geroux	120
7	Foggy Dreams	Shakin It Up	J R Sanchez Racing Stable	Sanchez-Salomon	Cruz	120

Breeders: 1-James A. Justiss, 2-M. L. Bloodstock Ltd., 3-Calumet Farm, 4-Rabbah Bloodstock Limited, 5-Stuart S. Janney, III LLC., 6-Gainesway Thoroughbreds LTD., 7-Marvin Little Jr.

NORTH AMERICAN RACING

INSIGHT Outcomes

INSIGHT OUTCOMES: ADORA STEALS THE SHOW AT WOODBINE

by Jill Williams

It was all Woodbine this past weekend for Insights, with one filly winning impressively first out and another finishing a bang-up third. Each hails from a storied breeding program and will likely improve with some added distance off their sprint debuts.

Adora's dam was part of Keeneland's Sam-Son dispersal | *Keeneland*

SATURDAY'S INSIGHTS: $450k Into Mischief Firster Debuts At Woodbine

2nd-Woodbine, C$92,730, Msw, 5-14, 2yo, f, 4 1/2f (AWT), :52.41, ft, 4 3/4 lengths.

The Sam-Son legacy continues to deliver as **ADORA (f, 2, Into Mischief–Southern Ring {MGSW-Can, SP-USA, $343,998}, by Speightstown)** burst onto the racing scene at Woodbine. Bred by the iconic farm and making her career bow for Tracy Farmer, the bay 2-year-old battled for the early lead from the outside, dispensed her challenger and was already 2 1/2 lengths the best at the :46.17 half, then sailed home unthreatened. Farmer plucked her out of the Fasig-Tipton Saratoga sale for $450,000 before sending her to Hall of Famer Mark Casse. Adora's dam was an $875,000 Determined Stud purchase at the Keeneland January sale last year as part of the Sam-Son dispersal. The winner is a fourth-generation Sam-Son bred who traces directly to 1956 Broodmare of the Year Swoon. Adora's granddam is a full-sister to the great-granddam of **'TDN Rising Star'** and highly regarded recent GI Kentucky Derby contestant Messier (Empire Maker). **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

SUNDAY'S INSIGHTS: Godolphin Unveils Secret Spice Half At Woodbine

4th-Woodbine, C$125,200, Msw, 5-15, 3yo, f, 7f (AWT), 1:23.14, ft, 9 1/2 lengths.

The Juddmonte-bred **EPHRATA (GB) (f, 3, Ghostzapper--Grand Jete {GB} {GSW & MGISP, $335,759}, by Dansili {GB})**, sold for 200,000gns at the Tattersalls December Mare Sale and since transferred across the pond from the John Gosden yard to the Josie Carroll barn, upended the debut of **Aioli** (Medaglia d'Oro). Aioli had been scheduled for unveiling in a 5 1/2-furlong maiden at Laurel on the grass nine days prior, but scratched when the race was moved off the turf and was rerouted here. She had an educational trip, breaking nicely from the outside, getting shuffled back and looking beaten in seventh or eighth at the top of lane, then maneuvering through traffic to finish with enthusiasm and nab the show spot. The Godolphin homebred hails from the Mike Stidham barn. She is out of $3.1-million Keeneland September purchase Chimayo (A.P. Indy), dam of 2019 GI Beholder Mile S. winner Secret Spice (Discreet Cat). Secret Spice hammered at the 2019 Fasig-Tipton November sale for $1.4 million to Katsumi Yoshida. Chimayo's half-sister produced 2018 Canadian Horse of the Year Wonder Gadot by the same Darley sire as Aioli and 2019 GI La Brea S. winner Hard Not to Love to the cover of Darley sire Hard Spun. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

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MAIDENS

IN ORDER OF PURSE:

4th-Horseshoe Indianapolis, $36,000, Alw, 5-17, (NW1X), 3yo, 1m 70y, 1:42.47, ft, 1 length.

CAMP DAVID (c, 3, Pioneerof the Nile--Morrow Cove {MSW, $182,610}, by Yes It's True) failed to find the winner's circle in his first two tries sprinting and broke through next out when extended to two turns in an off-the-turf event at Keeneland in October. ***Cont. p2***

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Chasing from a two-wide second early, the 9-2 chance launched a bid between rivals in the lane and dueled O P Firecracker (Will Take Charge) into submission late to win by a length. Morrow Cove's most recent foal is a 2-year-old colt by More Than Ready. She was most recently pred to Omaha Beach. Sales history: $370,000 Ylg '20 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-0, $80,035. **Click for the Equibase.com chart.**

O-WinStar Farm LLC and Siena Farm LLC; B-Paul Tackett Revocable Trust, Phil Tackett & Pioneerof the Nile Syndicate (KY); T-Rodolphe Brisset.

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SECOND-CROP STARTERS TO WATCH: WEDNESDAY, MAY 18

2022 Stud Fees Listed

American Freedom (Pulpit), Airdrie Stud, $6,000
191 foals of racing age/37 winners/0 black-type winners
9-Horseshoe Indianapolis, 6:38 p.m. EDT, $150K Caesars S., 1mT, American Pure, 6-1
$40,000 KEE SEP yrl; $200,000 OBS APR 2yo

Arrogate (Unbridled's Song), Juddmonte Farms
224 foals of racing age/27 winners/2 black-type winners
8-Horseshoe Indianapolis, 6:07 p.m. EDT, $150K Horseshoe Indianapolis S., 1mT, Alittleloveandluck, 2-1
$135,000 RNA KEE SEP yrl

Bal a Bali (Brz) (Put It Back), Calumet Farm, $5,000
148 foals of racing age/29 winners/1 black-type winner
3-Canterbury, 7:10 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Rollin Blackout, 12-1
$19,000 RNA OBS OCT yrl; $15,000 OBS APR 2yo

Classic Empire (Pioneerof the Nile), Coolmore Ashford, $17,500
187 foals of racing age/37 winners/5 black-type winners
9-Horseshoe Indianapolis, 6:38 p.m. EDT, $150K Caesars S., 1mT, Wake Surf, 12-1
$55,000 RNA KEE SEP yrl; $47,000 RNA OBS APR 2yo

Cupid (Tapit), Coolmore Ashford, $5,000
174 foals of racing age/40 winners/4 black-type winners
3-Canterbury, 7:10 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Cupids Love, 9-2
$20,000 KEE JAN wnl

General a Rod (Roman Ruler), Hidden Springs Farm
6 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners
6-Horseshoe Indianapolis, 5:05 p.m. EDT, $100K Sagamore Sired S., 5 1/2f, Killer Hotrod, 15-1

Practical Joke (Into Mischief), Coolmore Ashford, $35,000
268 foals of racing age/40 winners/6 black-type winners
3-Canterbury, 7:10 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Monet, 6-1

Union Jackson (Curlin), Sequel New York, $2,500
69 foals of racing age/12 winners/1 black-type winner
6-Finger Lakes, 3:25 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, Started With Stars, 3-2
$2,000 RNA EAS OCT yrl

ADDITIONAL RACING

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

7th-Parx Racing, $55,440, (C)/Opt. Clm ($40,000), 5-17, 3yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:19.14, ft, 3 lengths.

CENTER MID MADDIE (g, 3, Uncle Lino--Wickedly Clever, by Clever Trick) Lifetime Record: 10-2-1-4, $99,391.

O-Uptowncharlybrown Stud LLC and D and E Stable, LLC; B-Nicholas Fazzolari (PA); T-Edward J. Coletti, Jr.

6th-Prairie Meadows, $47,019, (S), 5-16, (C), 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:04.24, ft, 3 1/4 lengths.
KELA'S TURN (f, 4, Kela--Lauren's Turn, by Lion Heart) Lifetime Record: 14-8-2-2, $335,406. O-Loretta McClintock; B-Loretta McClintock (IA); T-Henry Guillory, Jr.

7th-Thistledown, $40,100, (S), (NW3X)/Opt. Clm ($25,000), **5-17, 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:05.06, ft, 4 1/2 lengths.**
CANDLELIGHT HOURS (f, 3, Dominus--Nava, by Even the Score) Lifetime Record: 8-4-3-0, $166,300. O/B-Elkhorn Oaks Inc. (OH); T-James R. Jackson. *1/2 to Timeless Bounty (Elusive Hour), SW, $224,714.

8th-Horseshoe Indianapolis, $38,000, (S), 5-16, (NW2LX), 3yo/up, 5 1/2f, 1:05.17, ft, 7 1/2 lengths.
LATIGO (g, 3, Jimmy Creed--Steel Courage, by El Corredor) Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, $44,400. O-Spiess Stable LLC and Klopp, Randy; B-Deann & Greg Baer (IN); T-Randy L. Klopp. *$8,000 Ylg '20 KEEJAN.

7th-Presque Isle Downs, $37,800, (NW2X)/Opt. Clm ($35,000), 5-17, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f (AWT), 1:10.61, ft, nose.
PEPPER (m, 5, Tapiture--Doctor Doctor, by Langfuhr) Lifetime Record: 17-3-7-2, $115,575. O/T-Keith C. Dickey; B-Keith C Dickey & T.J. Dickey (FL).

6th-Presque Isle Downs, $34,060, (S), 5-17, (NW1X), 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f (AWT), 1:04.77, ft, 1 length.
BROOKLYNS SURPRISE (m, 7, Dark Kestrel--Doone's Brook, by Montbrook) Lifetime Record: 34-4-9-5, $139,371. O-LVR Stable Inc.; B-Kevin Rice (PA); T-Louis V. Ruberto.

6th-Thistledown, $31,500, 5-17, (NW1X), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10.86, ft, head.
BEER CHASER (g, 4, Karun {Ven}--Hy Mary Lady, by Mineshaft) Lifetime Record: 10-3-1-1, $73,797. O-Gene Burkholder; B-Mar Racing Stables Inc. (KY); T-Kim A. Puhl.

5th-Thistledown, $28,000, 5-17, (NW2L), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:12.84, ft, 3/4 length.
CHROMED IMPULSE (c, 3, Uncle Lino--Forgotten Lady, by Bodemeister) Lifetime Record: 9-2-4-2, $54,770. O-Blazing Meadows Farm LLC; B-Perry & Denise Martin (KY); T-Timothy E. Hamm.

1st-Fanduel Sportsbook And Horse Racing, $23,000, (S), 5-17, (C), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:13.91, ft, 1 3/4 lengths.
ROCK THE BIRDHOUSE (m, 5, Birdstone--Limehouse Dancer, by Limehouse) Lifetime Record: 23-3-5-4, $59,308. O/B-Steven M. Bush (IL); T-Don Bentler.

8th-Will Rogers Downs, $22,990, 5-17, (NW1X), 3yo/up, 5 1/2f, 1:04.06, ft, 1 length.
OKIE STRONG (g, 4, Girolamo--Discreetly Okie, by Discreet Cat) Lifetime Record: 11-3-2-1, $80,726. O-Padilla, Juan and Richter, B. J.; B-Richter Family Trust (OK); T-Carlos A Padilla.

4th-Louisiana Downs, $22,510, 5-17, (NW3L), 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:37.02, fm, 6 3/4 lengths.
JUST PASSING THRU (f, 4, Include--Fivethirtynine, by Bernstein) Lifetime Record: 11-3-2-1, $49,954. O-Hugh Moore; B-Hugh M Moore & Include Syndicate (KY); T-Shane Wilson.

6th-Louisiana Downs, $21,000, 5-16, (NW2L), 3yo/up, 7f, 1:23.80, ft, 7 lengths.
SILVER RATIO (g, 5, Liam's Map--Mystic City {MSW, $349,621}, by City Zip) Lifetime Record: 12-2-3-1, $71,417. O-Charles Garvey; B-Woods Edge Farm, LLC (KY); T-Robertino Diodoro. *$320,000 Ylg '18 KEESEP; $65,000 4yo '21 KEEJAN.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Go Madi Go, f, 3, **New Year's Day**--Fast Madi, by Belong to Me. Fanduel Sportsbook And Horse Racing, 5-17, (S), 6f, 1:13.30. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, $18,800. B-Kenneth Henry Hutchens (IL).

Amazingness, f, 3, **Notional**--Eden Star (GSP), by Eddington. Horseshoe Indianapolis, 5-17, (S), 7 1/2fT, 1:31.27. Lifetime Record: 10-1-4-2, $62,870. B-Gary Patrick (IN).

Jeopardy Theory, c, 3, **Santiva**--Holladay Dixie, by Dixie Union. Horseshoe Indianapolis, 5-17, (S), 1mT, 1:36.80. Lifetime Record: 7-1-1-1, $35,448. B-Superbad Stables, LLC & Pine Lake Breeders, LLC (IN).

Wildcat Express, g, 3, **Wildcat Red**--Hopefaithjoy, by Lookin At Lucky. Thistledown, 5-17, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:05.60. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, $20,340. B-Maccabee Farm (OH). *1ST-TIME STARTER.

Jo Jo Hans, g, 3, **Summer Front**--Luna Grande, by Mass Media. Presque Isle Downs, 5-17, 1m (AWT), 1:38.95. Lifetime Record: 8-1-2-3, $49,819. B-James E. Hess (PA).

All Over Oliver, g, 4, **Native Ruler**--Fit Performer (MSW, $356,309), by Fit to Fight. Prairie Meadows, 5-16, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:04.30. Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-0, $27,056. B-Joel B. Hunsburger (IA).

Ames Mister, g, 4, **Summer Front**--Blushing Touch, by Street Boss. Thistledown, 5-17, 1m, 1:40.60. Lifetime Record: 22-1-6-4, $47,000. B-Brereton C. Jones (KY). *$15,000 Ylg '19 KEESEP; $20,000 2yo '20 KEEDIG.

LEGAL NOTICE

The New York Jockey Injury Compensation Fund (NYJICF) Amended 2022 Workers' Compensation Premium Assessment and Formula

This is the NYJICF's Amended Assessment Plan for 2022 (2022 Amended Assessment Plan) and, consistent with the last few years, continues to be structured on New York Racing Association (NYRA)-based horsemen contributing 86% of the NYJICF's annual cost, which is estimated to equal $6,608,774, and Finger Lakes Gaming and Racetrack (FLRA)-based horsemen contributing 14% of the NYJICF's annual cost, which is estimated to equal $1,075,847.

Similar to the last few years, the NYJICF has secured authority to use up to $2 million from the 2022 NYRA purse cushion fund. As a result, the NYJICF sought and received approval of the New York State Gaming Commission (Gaming Commission) to eliminate the scheduled second installment of the owner and trainer base payment for NYRA owners and trainers.

NYRA Owners assessment and payment is a $1,000 base premium, plus 2% of purses earned.
FLRA Owners assessment and payment is a $2,550 base premium, plus 2% of purses earned.

Each race with a purse over $1,000,000 will be capped at $1,000,000 for Workers' Compensation assessment purposes only.

NYRA Trainer assessment and payment is a $1,000 base premium plus:
NYRA trainers will pay a per stall charge of $1.60 per day for each stall allotted and accepted during each stall allotment period as designated by the track where each trainer races, provided that the first 12 stalls allotted and accepted will be free and the per stall charge for each stall allotted and accepted in excess of 12 will be $1.60 per day.

FLRA Trainer assessment and payment is a $2,550 base premium plus:
FLRA trainers will pay a per stall charge of $1.50 per day for each stall allotted and accepted during each stall allotment period as designated by the track.

These premium charges will be due as follows:
NYRA and FLRA Owners and Trainers base premium charge is due:
a. At NYRA, for those trainers already stabled on the grounds: $1,000 on or before January 1, 2022.
b. At NYRA, for those owners already stabled on the grounds: $1,000 before they run their first horse in 2022.
c. For those trainers shipping in: upon entering the horse on the grounds based on the "shippers" per start schedule set forth below.
d. For those owners shipping in: before they run their first horse in 2022 based on the "shippers" per start schedule set forth below.
e. At FLRA, for trainers: upon entering the horse on the grounds: $1,500 on or before April 1, 2022, and an additional $1,050 (for a total of $2,550) to be paid on or before June 1, 2022.
f. At FLRA, for owners: $1,500 before they run their first horse in 2022 through May 31, 2022, and an additional $1,050 (for a total of $2,550) to be paid on or before June 1, 2022.

Anything in this 2022 Assessment Plan to the contrary notwithstanding, FLRA's 14% of the NYJICF's cost, which is estimated to equal $1,075,847, will be paid by FLRA in eight equal installments in the amount of $134,480.88 between April 2022 and November 2022.

NYRA and FLRA Owners and Trainers
The stall charges will be due on the last day of the first month of each allotment period, for example: January 31 for winter 2022 at NYRA and thirty days after the opening of the stable area for the spring meeting at FLRA.

If the trainer accepts stalls for the summer meeting but ships in three weeks before that meeting begins, that trainer will be responsible for the entire summer meeting plus $1.60 per day ($1.50 at FLRA) times the number of stalls allotted, times the number of days that the trainer occupied the stalls prior to the summer meeting, provided that the first 12 stalls allotted and accepted at NYRA tracks will be free.

Owners/Trainers will be required to pay the base premium charge of $1,000 at NYRA and $2,550 at FLRA, plus 2% of purses earned, plus the stall allotment charge.

Private Trainers will be responsible for the base premium of $1,000 at NYRA and $2,550 at FLRA. The owner employing that trainer (whose payroll the exercise riders are on) will be responsible for the stall charge plus 2% of purses earned.

Shippers. At NYRA, owners and trainers will be charged $100.00 each per start for their first ten starts (for a maximum of $1,000 for 2022). At FLRA, owners and trainers will be charged $150.00 each per start for their first ten starts (for a maximum of $1,500 for 2022). Owners will also be charged 2% of purses earned. Shipping trainers will only be charged a stall fee if they are assigned stalls.

A suitable stall count to be determined by the racing secretary at the current stall assessment rate ($1.60 at NYRA tracks (except the first 12 stalls allotted and accepted will be free for 2022) and $1.50 at FLRA) will be assessed to those horsemen stabled off of the racetrack proper and who have daily access and use of the racetrack facilities.

Surcharge. Each trainer, upon such trainer's second claim and any subsequent claim filed with the workers' compensation insurance carrier in 2022, shall be charged a per-claim handling surcharge based upon the total number of horses then currently trained on the date of such claim(s) (as measured by the number of stalls allocated statewide as of the date of the claim for which a surcharge is to be collected), as follows: 1 to 10 horses: $200; 11 to 30 horses: $400; and 31 or more horses: $600.

General Information
Should NYJICF determine that the amounts which are actually collected from (i) NYRA is inadequate to cover 86% of the NYJICF's annual cost, which is estimated to equal $6,608,774 and and/or (ii) FLRA is inadequate to cover 14% of the NYJICF's annual cost, which is estimated to equal $1,075,847, respectively, then the NYJICF will seek additional funds pursuant to the Racing, Pari-Mutuel Wagering and Breeding Law Section 221 (7).

- For determining the responsibility for payment of workers' compensation, an owner is the person whose account would be debited or credited when a horse runs. In the case of multiple ownership, this would be the managing partner.
- In order for trainers to reduce their stall charge, they **must** officially return stalls to the proper association, stall man or racing secretary within 10 days after assuming the stalls.
- The charge per stall is in no way to be construed as a payment for stall rent. This is only a method which the NYJICF uses to estimate the appropriate premium charge that is due.

For those racing at NYRA:
Please send checks for the base premium payable to:
New York Racing Association, Inc.
PO Box 90
Jamaica, NY 11417
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Call the Horsemen's Bookkeeper at 718-687-4843
to have that amount debited from your account.

For those racing at FLRA:
Please send checks for the base premium payable to:
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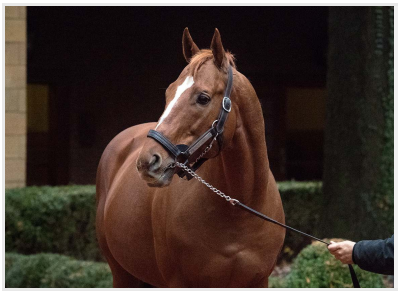

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