EMPIRE STRIKES BACK

Represented by a trio of well-meant sophomores in Saturday's GII Risen Star S. at Fair Grounds—including the top two favorites --trainer Brad Cox's march to the first Saturday in May continued with an upset victory by the Albaugh Family Stable's Angel of Empire (Classic Empire).

Second by three lengths behind his re-opposing and favored stablemate Victory Formation (Tapwrit) in the one-mile Smarty Jones S. Jan. 1, Angel of Empire raced in a ground-saving eighth as the field of 14 rounded the clubhouse turn beneath the lights. The 13-1 chance began to make his move between runners as West Coast invader Harlocap (Justify) took on pacesetter Determinedly (Cairo Prince) as previously unbeaten and forwardly placed Victory Formation began to tire following testing early fractions of :23.34 and :47.50. Two Phil's (Hard Spun), last term's GIII Street Sense S. winner, took over briefly from the tiring front runners as they straightened with Angel of Empire and his other Cox-trained stablemate Tapit's Conquest (Tapit) beginning to roll down the center with longshot Sun Thunder (Into Mischief) making a move of his own along the fence. Angel of Empire had the best final kick of them all, however, and sealed the deal by a length over the 16-1 Sun Thunder. It was another 1 3/4 lengths back to Two Phil's in third.

Angel of Empire, a debut winner going a mile in the Indiana slop Aug. 9, was sixth second out over the Kentucky Downs lawn Sept. 8. Cont. p3

CHAMPION FORTE WORKS 'STRONGLY' FOR FOUNTAIN OF YOUTH

Repole Stable and St. Elias Stable's Forte (Violence) breezed five furlongs in 1:01.58 Saturday morning at Palm Beach Downs in preparation for a planned start in the GII Fountain of Youth S. Mar. 4 at Gulfstream Park.

"He finished up very strongly and galloped out great. We're very, very happy with him," Hall of Fame trainer Todd Pletcher said.

Saturday's breeze was the fifth in a series of workouts following Forte's Eclipse Award-clinching victory in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile at Keeneland. Irad Ortiz Jr., the only race rider Forte has known, was aboard for Saturday's Fountain of Youth tune-up. Cont. p4

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CONSIGNORS FOCUS ON DIRT-BREDS FOR GOFFS DUBAI BREEZE UP SALE

Several consignors speak about how they fine-tuned their selection process for the second edition of the Goffs Dubai Breeze-Up Sale.
INTO MISCHIEF FILLY UPSETS RACHEL ALEXANDRA

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INTO MISCHIEF COLTS SHOOT FOR DERBY POINTS

Tokyo Racecourse is the site of the third leg of this year’s Japan Road to the Triple Crown, the Listed Hyacinth S. going the one turn mile. A field of 14, including a pair of expensive American-bred sons of Into Mischief, look to capitalize.
Risen Star cont. from p1

Freshened, Angel of Empire returned a dominant winner in an Indiana allowance prior to his aforementioned runner-up performance in Hot Springs. The Risen Star was his first attempt beyond a mile. He earned 50 points for a new total of 54 on the Road to the Kentucky Derby, putting him at the top of the leaderboard.

“Physically, it looks like he can run all day,” said Cox, who earlier in the program scored the 2,000th win of his career. “We could see that last summer when we got him ready to run. We started him a mile at Indiana and it worked out. We had a little pace to run at today and it worked out well. It’s five weeks to the Louisiana Derby and we’ll look at that, all the Grade 1s will be in the conversation. We’ll let the dust settle and see how he comes out of it. This is a horse that we thought as the months go by he’ll get better and he has.”

Pedigree Notes:
Angel of Empire made it four graded winners and two on the day for young sire Classic Empire. His dam Armony’s Angel, a maiden of eight career starts, is also represented by the 2-year-old colt Third City (Collected) ($23,000 FTKJUL yearling purchase by Kenneth R. Kachel) and a yearling colt by Classic Empire. Armony’s Angel, a half-sister to GSW Conquest Big E (Tapit), brought $67,000 from co-breeder Black Diamond Corp. carrying her first foal Angel of Empire at the 2019 KEENOV sale.
Angel of Empire becomes the first stakes/graded winner for his broodmare sire To Honor and Serve.

The Grade 1 Champagne Stakes, New York’s premier juvenile contest, has a rich history of producing leading sires like Ashford’s Scat Daddy and Uncle Mo.

In addition to the aforementioned Uncle Mo, Ashford now stands three of its most recent winners in the shape of Practical Joke (Into Mischief), sire of Grade 1 Frizette Stakes winner Chocolate Gelato and Grade 2 Los Alamitos Futurity winner Practical Move in 2022, Tiz The Law (Constitution) who went on to win three Grade 1s by over 13 lengths as a three-year-old, and Jack Christopher (Munnings) whose Grade 1 wins in 2022 included the Woody Stephens Stakes by no less than 10 lengths.
Saturday, Fair Grounds
RISEN STAR S. PRESENTED BY LAMARQUE LINCOLN AND LAMARQUE CRESCENT CITY FORD-GII, $400,000, Fair Grounds, 2-18, 3yo, 1 1/8m, 1:51.47, ft.

1--ANGEL OF EMPIRE, 122, c, 3, by Classic Empire
   1st Dam: Armony’s Angel, by To Honor and Serve
   2nd Dam: Seeinsbelieven, by Carson City
   3rd Dam: Coragil, by Metfield
   1ST BLACK TYPE WIN, 1ST GRADED STAKES WIN. ($32,000 RNA Wlg ’20 KEENOV; $70,000 Ylg ’21 KEESEP). O-Albaugh Family Stables LLC; B-Forgotten Land Investment Inc & Black Diamond Equine Corp (PA); T-Brad H. Cox; J-Luis Saez.
   $240,000. Lifetime Record: 5-3-1-0, $330,000. Werk Nick Rating: A+. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree. Click for the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.

2--Sun Thunder, 122, c, 3, Into Mischief--Greenfield d’Oro, by Medaglia d’Oro. 1ST BLACK TYPE, 1ST GRADED BLACK TYPE. ($400,000 Wlg ’20 FTKNOV; $495,000 RNA Ylg ’21 FTSAUG). O-R.T Racing Stable & Cypress Creek Equine; B-Southern Equine Stables, LLC (KY); T-Ken McPeek. $80,000.

3--Two Phil’s, 122, c, 3, Hard Spun--Mia Torri, by General Quarters. ($150,000 RNA Ylg ’21 KEESEP). O-Patricia’s Hope LLC & Phillip Sagan; B-Phillip Sagan (KY); T-Larry Rivelli. $40,000.

Margins: 1, 1 3/4, HF. Odds: 13.70, 16.60, 5.70.
Also Ran: Tapit’s Conquest, Single Ruler, Harlocap, Crupi, Curly Jack, Victory Formation, Shaq Diesel, Silver Heist, Private Creed, Quiet as Midnight, Determinedly.
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Forté cont. from p1
"So far, everything’s gone just as we hoped it would as we scheduled it out," Pletcher said. "He spent some time at Stonestreet in Ocala with Ian Brennan. They did a great job freshening him up and doing some light work with him before he came in. So, far everything has gone smoothly. This was his second five-furlong move this morning. We let him finish up a little bit and he galloped out strongly. I’m very pleased with his fitness level and the way he’s been training."
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A good-looking off-the-pace winner first up at Churchill Downs sprinting Sept. 18, the Brendan Walsh-trained Pretty Mischievous added an allowance in the slop there at the end of October. The daughter of GISW Pretty City Dancer was five lengths behind Hoosier Philly in third when stretching out for the GI Golden Rod S. Nov. 26, but bounced right back to take the local Untapable S. on the day after Christmas. She was flattered when runner-up The Alys Look (Connect) bested stablemate Chop Chop (City of Light) in last month's Silverbulletday S., and the 80 Beyer Speed Figure she earned that day was only one point behind what Hoosier Philly earned in the Golden Rod. Chop Chop owned the field's best Beyer of 88, and was the clear second choice in the wagering--Pretty Mischievous was third in the betting at 8-1.

Hoosier Philly bobbed at the break, but Pretty Mischievous was off cleanly and drafted in between foes just behind Miracle. She got down to the rail under Tyler Gaffalione behind a :48.85 half, and was asked in earnest following six furlongs in 1:13.05. Miracle boxed on, and Hoosier Philly started to come alive out wide, but Pretty Mischievous wanted it most, and wore down the pacesetter despite that one leaning on her a bit in the lane.
“Before she ran Brendan told me we had a really special one in the barn,” Gaffalione said. “She keeps improving physically and mentally. Today, I sat in a perfect spot and let Johnny [Velazquez] go on Miracle while Luis [Saez and Untapable third Vahva {Gun Runner}] tracked inside.”

Walsh, who was celebrating his first Rachel Alexandra win, said, “She never missed a beat from her first start at two until now. We knew we’d have to give her a rest at some point because we didn’t want to go to the well too often. We were quietly confident she’d be good enough and today we found out she is. Now, we’ll see how she comes out of things, talk things over with the ownership team and get her to be 110% on the big day in May.”

With the 50 points she picked up Saturday, Pretty Mischievous now sits atop the GI Kentucky Oaks standings with 63 points.

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Pedigree Notes:
Perennial leading sire Into Mischief already has five graded stakes winners this year, and is responsible for three of the top four on the Oaks leaderboard with 2022 champion juvenile filly Wonder Wheel third and Hoosier Philly fourth. The Spendthrift super sire now has 63 graded winners but is still in search of a first Kentucky Oaks winner.

Recent GIII Holy Bull S. winner Rocket Can and Hoosier Philly are the other two graded winners by Into Mischief out of Tapit mares, but that number almost certainly has to rise rapidly in the coming years considering they’ve got seven champion sire titles between them. Tapit, still on the young side as broodmare sire, is responsible for the dams of 39 graded/group winners worldwide thus far.

Pretty Mischievous’s dam Pretty City Dancer dead-heated with another Tapit filly in the 2016 GI Spinaway S. for trainer Mark Casse and John Oxley. The $825,000 KEESEP yearling was off the
board in subsequent route tries on the Oaks trail, but still fetched $3.5 million while in foal to Medaglia d’Oro at the 2018 Fasig-Tipton November sale. The resulting filly broke through in a two-turn Indiana maiden special weight in October. Pretty Mischievous came next, but the half-sister to GISW Lear’s Princess (Lear Fan) was barren to Uncle Mo for 2021. She produced another Medaglia d’Oro filly last March, and was bred back to Street Sense.

Saturday, Fair Grounds
RACHEL ALEXANDRA S. PRESENTED BY FASIG-TIPTON-GII, $291,000, Fair Grounds, 2-18, 3yo, f, 1 1/16m, 1:45.15, ft.
1--PRETTY MISCHIEVOUS, 122, f, 3, by Into Mischief
1st Dam: Pretty City Dancer (GISW, $286,344), by Tapit
2nd Dam: Pretty City, by Carson City
3rd Dam: Pretty Special, by Riverman

1ST GRADED STAKES WIN. ’TDN Rising Star’ O/B-Godolphin (KY); T-Brendan P. Walsh; J-Tyler Gaffalione. $180,000.

Lifetime Record: 5-4-0-1, $421,310.
Werk Nick Rating: A++. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree or free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.

2--Miracle, 122, f, 3, Mendelssohn--Good Omen, by Smart Strike. 1ST GRADED BLACK TYPE. ($110,000 Wlg ’20 FTKNOV; $250,000 Ylg ’21 SARAUG; $360,000 2yo ’22 OBSMAR). O-WinStar Farm LLC and Siena Farm LLC; B-Magnolia Mares, LLC & Pony Express Sales,Inc. (NY); T-Todd A. Pletcher. $60,000.

Margins: 3/4, 7 3/4, 2. Odds: 8.10, 13.50, 0.40. Also Ran: Vahva, Chop Chop, Knockyoursocksoff. Click for the Equibase.com chart or the TJCIS.com PPs. VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.

3--Hoosier Philly, 122, f, 3, Into Mischief--Tapella, by Tapit. ($510,000 Ylg ’21 KEESEP). O-Gold Standard Racing Stable, LLC; B-Candy Meadows LLC (KY); T-Thomas M. Amoss. $30,000.

Also Ran: Vahva, Chop Chop, Knockyoursocksoff. Click for the Equibase.com chart or the TJCIS.com PPs. VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.

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THE POINT OF FROSTED

$10,000 S&N
Saturday, Oaklawn Park  
RAZORBACK H.-GIII, $600,000, Oaklawn, 2-18, 4yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:42.19, ft.  

1--LAST SAMURAI, 118, h, 5, by Malibu Moon  
1st Dam: Lady Samuri (SW & GSP, $150,553),  
by First Samurai  
2nd Dam: Redeye Rain, by Instrument Landing  
3rd Dam: Palms and Rain, by Giacometti

($37,000 RNA Ylg '19 KEESEP; $175,000 2yo '20 OBSMAR).  
O-Willis Horton Racing LLC; B-Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC (KY); T-D. Wayne Lukas; J-Cristian A. Torres.  

2--West Will Power, 122, h, 6, Bernardini--Wild Promises, by Wild Event. O/B-Gary & Mary West Stables Inc. (KY); T-Brad H. Cox. $112,800.  

3--Law Professor, 120, g, 5, Constitution--Haunted Heroine, by Ghostzapper. O-Twin Creeks Racing Stables, LLC; B-Twin Creeks Farm (KY); T-Rob Atras. $56,400.  
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Hall of Famer D. Wayne Lukas added yet another graded stakes victory to his lengthy list of accomplishments Saturday while winning his second-ever Razorback--the first one came all the way back in 1985 with Imp Society.  
Carrying the colors of Willis Horton, who passed away last fall, Last Samurai was seventh in this race 12 months ago, but belied nearly 13-1 odds two starts later to take the $1-million GII Oaklawn H. He was subsequently transferred from Dallas Stewart to Lukas, but hadn’t won since then. The chestnut was second by a neck in the Tinsel S. here Dec. 17, and most recently checked in fourth in the GI Pegasus World Cup Invitational S. Jan. 28.  
Away towards the back, Last Samurai was second last into the first turn but was guided to the fence by Cristian Torres to save ground behind a contested pace. West Will Power and Law Professor were throwing it down in what seemed like a...
two-horse race approaching the stretch, but Last Samurai caught the eye as he split horses near the quarter pole. He tipped out and had all the momentum as they straightened, and once he got his feet completely underneath him he galloped past his rivals.

“Honestly at the start, when he broke a little slow, I was worried just a little bit,” admitted Torres. “But when I saw there was a lot of pace in front of me, I didn’t panic. He got the position the way I wanted and I was just waiting until the hole opened. As soon as it opened up and I asked him, he was there for me. Everybody saw the way he finished.”

Hall of Famer Lukas added, “He got an excellent ride from Cristian. We wanted to make sure he had a place to run. That’s all we asked him. We said he might not get away very well and he didn’t. We just said, ‘Give us a place to run. He’ll keep coming. Don’t quit on him.’ That’s exactly the way the race

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Pedigree Notes:

Last Samurai is one of 51 Northern Hemisphere graded stakes winners for his late sire, and one of five worldwide out of a mare by First Samurai. His dam was a $10,000 claim turned stakes winner and Grade II-placed. She was acquired by Stonestreet for $280,000 at the 2014 Keeneland November sale while in foal to Union Rags. The close relative to precocious GSW Le Mi Geaux (First Samurai) has an unraced 3-year-old filly named Magic Up (Good Magic) and a yearling filly by Maclean’s Music. She visited Essential Quality for 2023.

Saturday, Fair Grounds

Mineshaft S. Presented by Relyne Gi by Hagyard-GIII, $250,000, Fair Grounds, 2-18, 4yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:43.59, ft.

1--Pioneer of Medina, 118, c, 4, by Pioneerof the Nile
1st Dam: Lights of Medina (SW & GSP, $173,600), by Eskendereya
2nd Dam: Medina Thunder, by Thunder Gulch
3rd Dam: Medina Sidonia (Chi), by Winning

1st Black Type Win, 1st Graded Stakes Win. ($485,000 RNA Ylg ’20 KEESEP). O-Sumaya U.S. Stable; B-International Equities Holding, Inc. (KY); T-Todd A. Pletcher; J-Luis Saez. $150,000. Lifetime Record: 12-4-2-2, $446,370. Werk Nick Rating: A. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree or free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.

2--Mr. Wireless, 118, g, 5, Dialed In--Voussoir, by Arch.
O-Jon Lapczenski & JIL Stable; B-John & Iveta Kerber (KY); T-W. Bret Calhoun. $50,000.

3--Run Classic, 118, h, 5, Runhappy--Pledge Pin, by Chatain.
1st Black Type, 1st Graded Black Type. ($145,000 RNA Ylg ’19 KEESEP; $475,000 2yo ’20 OBSMAR). O-Tom R. Durant; B-Millennium Farms (KY); T-W. Bret Calhoun. $25,000.

Also Ran: Hoist the Gold, Tawny Port, King Fury, Big Blue Line, Happy American, Farmington Road. Click for the Equibase.com chart or the TJCIS.com PPs. VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.

Pioneer of Medina, fourth over this course in last year’s GII Risen Star S. and third in the GII Twinspires.com Louisiana
Derby, broke through with a belated first stakes victory here. The bay chased in third rounding the clubhouse turn. He sat just off the leaders in an outside fourth down the backstretch, set his sights on the front runner approaching the quarter pole and knuckled down from there in a thrilling stretch run to outgame Mr. Wireless for a career high.

Pioneer of Medina, 19th in the 2022 GI Kentucky Derby, captured an optional claimer beneath the Twin Spires Nov. 17. He was last seen finishing second with a career-best 103 Beyer Speed Figure in the GIII Harlan’s Holiday S. at Gulfstream Dec. 31.

Pedigree Notes:

Pioneer of Medina becomes the 47th stakes winner/24th graded winner for the greatly missed Pioneerof the Nile. Lights of Medina, a stakes-winning and graded stakes-placed homebred for these same connections, is also responsible for the unraced 3-year-old filly Cairo Lights (American Pharoah), a 2-year-old filly by Twirling Candy and a yearling filly by Constitution. She was bred to Twirling Candy for 2023. Pioneer of Medina’s broodmare sire Eskendereya is now responsible for six stakes winners/four graded winners.
Saturday, Laurel Park
BARBARA FRITCHIE S.-GIII, $250,000, Laurel, 2-18, 4yo/up, f/m, 7f, 1:23.75, ft.

1--SWAYIN TO AND FRO, 122, f, 4, by Straight Talking

1st Dam: Jungle Lady, by Warrior’s Reward
2nd Dam: Dr. Capote, by Capote
3rd Dam: Dr Margaret, by Dr. Blum

1ST GRADED STAKES WIN. O-Baxter Racing Stable; B-Franklin G. Smith (SC); T-Mario Serey, Jr.; J-Richard Monterrey.
$150,000. Lifetime Record: 16-9-1-2, $476,537. Werk Nick Rating: A++. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.
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2--Fille d’Esprit, 122, m, 7, Great Notion--Sweet Valor, by No Armistice. O-C J I Phoenix Group & No Guts No Glory Farm; B-Sweet Spirits Stables, LLC (MD); T-John J. Robb. $50,000.

3--Moody Woman, 122, f, 4, Gormley--A J’s Gal, by Monashee Mountain. 1ST GRADED BLACK TYPE. ($5,000 RNA Ylg ’20 FTKOCT). O-Robert James McGee; B-Double Eagle Thoroughbreds (KY); T-Marilyn G. McMullen. $25,000.

Also Ran: Pass the Champagne, Prodigy Doll, Quiet Imagination, Union Lake, Liscolvin. Click for the Equibase.com chart or the TJCIS.com PPs. VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.

Swayin to and Fro, winner of the Safely Kept S. Nov. 26 and Willa On the Move S. Dec. 30, broke through with a career high here.

Second as the 4-5 favorite in the local What a Summer S. Jan. 21, Swayin to and Fro forced the issue from an outside second here. She put her head in front rounding the far turn, kicked for home as the one to catch and stuck on gamely down the lane to get the money.

Swayin to and Fro was claimed for just $16,000 at third asking by these connections while earning her diploma last May.

“I told everybody when I claimed this filly and I saw the potential and I saw the talent, every race she proved it. I’m so proud of her. This is a great, great filly,” winning trainer Mario Serey, Jr. said. “When I claimed her, I talked to the owner and [said], ‘This is a stakes winner.’ The class and the talent of the horse, they tell you right away.”

Pedigree Notes:
Swayin to and Fro is the lone stakes winner and first graded winner for the unraced Straight Talking, a full brother to GSW Dixie Talking. Also responsible for a colt by Done Talking of 2021, the unraced Jungle Lady was covered by that same sire for 2023. This is the third graded winner for Warrior’s Reward as a broodmare sire.

Saturday, Laurel Park
GENERAL GEORGE S.-GIII, $250,000, Laurel, 2-18, 4yo/up, 7f, 1:23.29, ft.

1--EASTERN BAY, 122, g, 9, by E Dubai

1st Dam: Chrusciki (MSW, $322,828), by Polish Numbers

2nd Dam: Thresholdofhope, by At the Threshold

3rd Dam: Cheery Tower, by Irish Tower

1ST GRADED STAKES WIN. O-Built Wright Stables, LLC.; B-Nancy Lee Farms (MD); T-Norman L. Cash; J-William Humphrey. $150,000. Lifetime Record: 53-19-7-5, $1,042,913. *1/2 to John Jones (Smarty Jones), MSW, $600,364. Werk Nick Rating: B. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree or free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.

2--Yodel E. A. Who, 122, g, 7, Creative Cause--Laugh N Yodel, by Speightstown. 1ST GRADED BLACK TYPE. O-Troy Johnson, Charles Lo & Jagger, Inc.; B-Heinz H. Steinmann (KY);
Eastern Bay and his connections | Maryland Jockey Club

The saying goes that with age comes wisdom and, as the oldest horse in the field at nine, Eastern Bay proved that to be true with a score Saturday in Laurel’s GIII General George S. The Maryland-bred gelding spent the back half of 2022 rounding into form, running second to Eclipse champion sprinter Elite Power (Curlin) in the GII Vosburgh and capping his 8-year-old season with his 52nd start—matching a career-best 97 Beyer Speed Figure when beaten just a nose in the GIII Bold Ruler S. at Belmont’s Aqueduct meeting in October.

The bay caught a flier out of the gate for this first start off the bench but was outsprinted to the lead by Pirate Rick (Liam’s Map) just to his inside. Three wide as the field joined up with the main track, Eastern Bay tracked just off John the Bear (The Factor) in pursuit of the lone leader as Pirate Rick paced the field through an opening quarter in :23.02. The top three swung into the turn on even terms as the outside pair made mirrored moves but Eastern Bay had the most left, outpacing a faltering John the Bear to come alongside Pirate Rick just inside the quarter pole. Several paths off the rail but with plenty of momentum, Eastern Bay maintained a comfortable advantage into the final sixteenth to earn his first graded-stakes win.

The win was a poignant moment for the family of the late Avery Whisman, the young jockey who rode Eastern Bay to victory three times in 2019. On a day when tracks around the country honored Whisman with a moment of silence, his family joined Eastern’s Bay’s connections in the winner’s circle.

“It just seemed like this is the way the day should end. For Avery,” said winning owner/trainer Norman Cash. “Eastern Bay has never been up like that before. He wasn’t that far off. Right then you knew he had to win, because he was only a length and a half off. Maybe he had a little help getting pushed down the lane by the powers that be. What a special day.”

Pedigree Note:

Eastern Bay is the 24th graded winner for E Dubai. Chrusciki has an unraced 3-year-old filly Big Talk (Exaggerator) and a yearling filly by Madefromlucky. She visited Irish War Cry for a 2023 foal.

Saturday, Gulfstream Park
ROYAL DELTA S.-GIII, $150,000, Gulfstream, 2-18, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:45.15, ft.
1--CLASSY EDITION, 120, f, 4, by Classic Empire
1st Dam: Newbie, by Bernardini
2nd Dam: Changaisgonnacome, by Cherokee Run
3rd Dam: Top Tip, by Lost Code
1ST GRADED STAKES WIN.
‘TDN Rising Star’ ($550,000 2yo ’21 EASMAY). O-Lawana L. & Robert E. Low; B-Chester Broman & Mary R. Broman (NY); T-Todd A. Pletcher; J-Irad Ortiz, Jr. $91,140. Lifetime Record: 7-5-1-0, $372,790.
*1/2 to Newly Minted (Central Banker), MSW, $516,738; 1/2 to New Girl in Town (Boys At Tosconova), MSP, $172,505.
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2--Kathleen O., 120, f, 4, Upstart--Quaver, by Blame.
($8,000 Wlg ’19 KEENOV; $50,000 Ylg ’20 OBSOCT; $275,000 2yo ’21 OBSAPR). O-Winngate Stables, LLC; B-Gainesway Thoroughbreds LTD & Bridlewood Farm, LLC (KY); T-Claude R. McGaughey III. $29,400.
Margins: 1 3/4, 4, HF. Odds: 1.10, 0.90, 76.30.

3--Don’t Get Khozy, 120, m, 6, Khozan--Get Noticed, by Graeme Hall. 1ST GRADED BLACK TYPE. ($10,000 Ylg ’18 OBSOCT). O-Imaginary Stables; B-Special Effort Farm, Laura Colon & Michael Colon (FL); T-Elizabeth L. Dobles. $14,700.
Margins: 1 3/4, 4, HF. Odds: 1.10, 0.90, 76.30.
Also Ran: Tap Dance Fever, Soul of an Angel, Midnight Stroll,
Jungle Juice (Ire). Click for the Equibase.com chart or the TJCIS.com PPs. VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.

Saturday's GIII Royal Delta S. looked like a rematch of last March's local GII Davona Dale S., with New York-bred Classy Edition turning the tables on favored foe Kathleen O. after enjoying a decided tactical advantage early.

Named a 'TDN Rising Star' off her dominant Saratoga debut at two, Classy Edition dominated in a pair of restricted stakes downstate that fall before suffering her first defeat at the hooves of Kathleen O. She was subsequently fourth in the GIII Gazelle S. at the Big A in April, but resurfaced to drub first-level open optional claiming foes going a mile here Jan. 11, good for a 96 Beyer Speed Figure top.

Late-running Kathleen O. fell out of the gate, but Classy Edition broke cleanly and was wrapped up by Irad Ortiz, Jr. as they cruised through opening splits of :25.28 and :50.15. Ortiz gave his mount her cue to pick it up rounding the bend, and she took a narrow advantage heading for home as longshot Tap Dance Fever (Tapiture) tried to stay with her and the chalk revved up out wide. Classy Edition swatted away Tap Dance Fever at the quarter pole, and Kathleen O. narrowed the gap in the lane, but Classy Edition's edge proved insurmountable.

"She was going good on the backside. We were going slow but she was close to the lead," Ortiz said. "I let her do her thing and she did the rest."

Winning conditioner Todd Pletcher said, "I was pretty pleased. We got to a good spot and it looked like Irad had a lot of horse, just waiting to pull the trigger... We really thought highly of her. She showed quality. She ran a good second in the race here and then needed some time off. She came back really well. I thought her comeback race was excellent. We kind of had a little tactical edge today and she was able to get it done."

Pedigree Notes:

Classy Edition was her sire's priciest first-crop juvenile at $550,000 after a good-looking :10 1/5 breeze at Timonium, and became his third graded stakes winner—the previous two also sold as 2-year-olds that term (Morello, $250K at the same sale; and Interstatedaydream, $175K at OBSAPR), and Angel of Empire made it four in Saturday evening's GII Risen Star S. She is one of 39 worldwide graded winners out of mares by top broodmare sire Bernardini and is bred Pioneerof the Nile over Bernardini like GISW Mataareya and from the same Unbridled line as highest-level winners out of Bernardini mares Colonel Liam (Liam's Map) and Wicked Whisper (Liam's Map). Angel of Empire is out of a mare by Bernardini's son To Honor and Serve.

The winner's dam Newbie was a first-level allowance winner in the Empire state, and also produced $500,000-plus MSW Newly Minted (Central Banker). The daughter of SW/GSP Changeisgonnacome was a $320,000 in utero purchase by Chester and Mary Broman at the 2008 Keeneland November sale. Newbie has an unraced 3-year-old colt named Pharoah Lake (American Pharoah) and a yearling colt by Vekoma. She was barren to Curlin for 2023.
Saturday, Fair Grounds
FAIR GROUNDS S. PRESENTED BY HORSE RACING NATION-GIII,
$145,500, Fair Grounds, 2-18, 4yo/up, 1 1/8mT, 1:54.73, fm.
1--TWO EMMYS, 118, g, 7, by English Channel
1st Dam: Miss Emmy, by Buddha
2nd Dam: Our Dear Sue, by Roberto
3rd Dam: Outward Sunshine, by Graustark
Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree or free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.

2--Gentle Soul, 122, g, 6, Tapizar--A Jealous Woman, by Muqtarib. 1ST GRADED BLACK TYPE. O-Martin Mueller, Don Ladd, Richard Reid, Joe Bowley, and Arvydas Cleminis; B-Martin Mueller, Richard Reid, Donald Ladd, Joe Bowley & Garry Randall (KY); T-W. Bret Calhoun. $30,000.

3--English Tavern, 118, g, 6, English Channel--Over Served, by Black Minnaloushe. 1ST GRADED BLACK TYPE. ($35,000 Ylg ’18 KEESEP). O-Jerry Romans, Jr., and Hamilton A. Smith; B-Dr. Charles H. Huber & English Channel Co-Owners (KY); T-Michelle Lovell. $15,000.
Margins: 4 1/4, NK, HF. Odds: 1.80, 3.80, 20.00.
Also Ran: Bay Street Money, Pixelate, Tiz the Bomb, Cavalry Charge. Scratched: Corelli. Click for the Equibase.com chart or the TJCIS.com PPs. VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.

INTO MISCHIEF COLTS SHOOT FOR DERBY POINTS IN HYACINTH S. by Alan Carasso

Tokyo Racecourse is the site of the third leg of this year’s Japan Road to the Triple Crown, the $273,301 Listed Hyacinth S. going the one turn mile. A field of 14, including a pair of expensive American-bred sons of Into Mischief, look to capitalize on the fact that the winners of the first two legs of the four-race series--Continuar (Jpn) (Drefong) and Derma Sotogake (Jpn) (Mind Your Biscuits)--have hit the road for a significantly more valuable test in next Saturday’s G3 Saudi Derby in Riyadh.

Great Sand Sea (Into Mischief) is the least-experienced of those signed on, having made just one previous appearance, but the $385,000 Keeneland September yearling turned $825,000 OBS April breezer made the most of it. The bay colt sat a three-wide, no-cover trip before fighting on gamely to score a narrow victory over Holonic Path (Jpn) (Just a Way {Jpn}) in a 1400-meter maiden over this surface Nov. 19 (video, SC 8) and the Grade I winner Santin (Distorted Humor). He added a listed event at Hawthorne two starts later in June, and was coming off a second-place run to Gentle Soul in the Jan. 21 Colonel E. R. Bradley S.

Doling out splits of :24.04, :51.52 and 1:16.64 under regular rider James Graham, Two Emmys scampered home down the center of the lane to justify favoritism.

Pedigree Notes:
Scooped up by these connections for just $4,500 as a Keeneland September yearling in 2017, Two Emmys was his late sire's 14th priciest seller at that auction. While admittedly never a commercial darling, the former Calumet Farm stalwart has seen his legacy cemented as one of the best sources of turf stamina to stand in the States, and has been represented by 13 Northern Hemisphere Grade I winners and 35 graded winners to date. He’s one of two Grade I winners out of Buddha mares (both did so on the Arlington Park grass), and three graded winners worldwide.

Tottenwood Thoroughbreds acquired dam Miss Emmy for $6,000 at the 2010 Keeneland November sale while in foal to Ready’s Image. Miss Emmy had strong turf and stamina pedigree herself, being out of full-sister to 1988 champion grass horse Sunshine Forever (Roberto) and closely related to the likes of MGSW Hotstufanthensome (Awesome Again). Her pedigree would improve, and the mating to English Channel would become a no brainer, after a half-sister to Miss Emmy produced 2014 GI Travers S. upsetter V. E. Day (English Channel). Two Emmys was his dam's final foal after a subsequent full-sister failed to survive.

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latter franked the form of the race when graduating by nearly 10 lengths in his next start. Joao Moreira, who rides Shirl’s Speight (Speightstown) in the G1 February S. two races later, takes the call.

The other Into Mischief colt is Meta Max, a $180,000 Fasig-Tipton Saratoga grad who fetched $1.1 million at OBS March and broke his maiden when trying the dirt for the first time over five furlongs Jan. 21.

Perriere (Jpn) (Henny Hughes) is the overnight favorite, having defeated next-out romper Yuttitham (Jpn) (Justify--Zipessa) on Sapporo debut in August and adding a Tokyo allowance before finishing third to the aforementioned Derma Sotogake and Omatsuri Otoko (Jpn) (Vittorio d’Oro) in the Listed Zen-Nippon Nisai Yushun Dec. 14.

The Hyacinth offers Kentucky Derby points on a 30-12-6-3 scale for the top four finishers. The final race on the Japan Road to the Kentucky Derby is the Fukuryu S. (allowance) going nine furlongs at Nakayama Mar. 25.
SUNDAY’S RACING INSIGHTS:
By J.N. Campbell
Sponsored by Alex Nichols Agency

GUN RUNNER COLT EQUAL TO CLASS TEST
8th-OP, $103K, OC, 3yo, 1m, 5:10 p.m.

Last year at this time, Epicenter (Not This Time) was making his case as the Derby favorite after declaring victory in the GII Risen S. at Fair Grounds. This Sunday in Hot Springs, another Winchell Thoroughbreds-owned colt, DISARM (Gun Runner) will begin to lay out his own path to the starting gate in May.

A game third on debut to GIII Sanford S. victor Mo Strike (Uncle Mo) at Churchill Downs June 19, the chestnut colt’s only other performance as a 2-year-old was a ‘TDN Rising Star’-worthy 6 1/4-length romp at Saratoga going 7 panels Aug. 6. The homebred returned to the tab in early January with a half-dozen works in New Orleans. On Lasix for the first time, the Steve Asmussen trainee will be piloted by Ricardo Santana Jr. as he takes on fellow Triple Crown nominees, Two Eagles River (Cloud Computing) and Arman (Bolt d’Oro). TJCIS PPS

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IN ORDER OF PURSE:
HEAVENLY PRIZE INVITATIONAL S., $116,250, Aqueduct, 2-18, 4yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:37.24, ft.
1--FROST POINT, 118, m, 5, Frosted—Balletto (UAE) (GISW, $1,151,850), by Timber Country. 1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN.
O/B-Godolphin (KY); T-William I. Mott; J-Jorge A. Vargas, Jr. $68,750. Lifetime Record: GSP, 10-4-3-2, $262,560. *1/2 to Villanesca (Distorted Humor), SW & GISW, $237,500.

2--Falconet, 122, f, 4, Uncle Mo—Birdatthewire, by Summer Bird.($250,000 Ylg ’20 KEESEP). O-CHC Inc. & WinStar Farm LLC; B-WinStar Farm, LLC (KY); T-Todd A. Pletcher. $25,000.

3--Battle Bling, 124, m, 5, Vancouver (Aus)—Soleil Rouge, by E Dubai. ($47,000 Wlg ’18 KEENOV; $110,000 Ylg ’19 KEESEP). O-Michael Dubb & Gandharvi LLC; B-Royal Oak Farm, LLC & E. Kiely (KY); T-Rob Atras. $15,000.

Margins: 6 1/4, 1 3/4, 5 3/4. Odds: 3.55, 0.65, 2.65.

Also Ran: Piece of My Heart. Scratched: Mommasgottarun.

Off the board just once in her career, Frost Point showed a new dimension here while becoming a first-time stakes winner for her in-form sire. Third in the local Top Flight Invitational S. last April before a distant third in the Gill Allaire DuPont Distaff S. on Preakness weekend in May, the homebred went missing but resurfaced a track-and-trip winner of a second-level allowance Dec. 30 over a next-out winner. That last tally came from well off the pace, but the rail-drawn Frost Point was aggressively ridden from her inside draw here to eventually take a narrow lead from odds-on Falconet and never look back.

“I saw there was no pace in the race and only [Jose] Lezcano [aboard Falconet] could make some pace,” said winning jockey Jorge Vargas, Jr. of his aggressive tactics. “I didn’t want to be too far from it. I warmed her up [well] and she opened the gate and came out of there running. We went from there and it was pretty easy.”

Leanna Willaford, assistant to trainer Bill Mott said, “She’s been doing great since she came back. She had a little break after the race at Pimlico last spring and she’s been doing well since”. Cont. p2
Heavenly Prize Cont.
"She just needed a bit of a break. Now, she’s moving really well and handling things really well. Her weight and her coat is probably the best I’ve ever seen it."

The winner’s dam took the 2004 GI Frizette S. and was second in that year’s GI Breeders’ Cup Juvenile Fillies. She was second in three straight Grade I events as a 4-year-old. Balletto has a 2-year-old full-brother to Frost Point and a yearling filly by Maclean's Music. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.

WISHING WELL S., $100,500, Santa Anita, 2-18, (C), 4yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2fT, 1:12.34, fm.
1--FREEDOM FLYER, 122, m, 5, Constitution--Rebuke, by Carson City. ($450,000 2yo '20 OBSAPR; $200,000 4yo '22 KEEJAN). 1ST BLACK TYPE WIN. O-Marsha Naify; B-A R Enterprises, Inc. (KY); T-Leonard Powell; J-Lanfranco Dettori. $60,000. Lifetime Record: GSP, 21-4-5-4, $272,120.

Margins: NK, NK, 1. Odds: 7.20, 1.90, 2.00.
Also Ran: Countess Rosina (Ire), Lady Jae, Stella Noir. Scratched: Aqua Seaform Shame, Eddie’s New Dream, Founder's Day.

Third after dueling for the lead early last time out in the Gill Las Cienegas S. at Santa Anita Jan. 2, Freedom Flyer tried Santa Anita’s downhill course for the first time Saturday with a 7-1 shot.

Sent for the early lead from her outside post, she was able to clear to the rail as the field swept around the turn and held a narrow advantage into upper stretch. Under an all-out ride down the lane, Freedom Flyer just held on for the slim victory as a pair of rivals closed in beside her. Rebuke produced a winning 4-year-old full-sister to Freedom Flyer, Redefinition, a winning 3-year-old filly, Black Belt Barbie (Anchor Down), and last foaled a colt by Justify in 2021. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.

MIRACLE WOOD S., $100,000, Laurel, 2-18, 3yo, 1m, 1:37.54, ft.
1--COFFEEWITHCHRIS, 118, g, 3, by Ride On Curlin 1st Dam: Andiemac, by Outflanker 2nd Dam: Molly Molly Molly, by Malibu Moon 3rd Dam: Lizzie R, by Cozzene ($2,000 Ylg ’21 EASOCT). O-John E. Salzman, Jr., Fred Wasserloos & Anthony Geruso; B-Thomas J. Rooney (MD); T-John E. Salzman, Jr.; J-Jaime Rodriguez. $60,000. Lifetime Record: 10-3-2-2, $201,850.

2--Prince of Jericho, 118, c, 3, Munnings--Golden Review, by Medaglia d’Oro. ($50,000 Ylg ’21 FTKJUL; $85,000 Ylg ’21 FTKOCT). O-Michael Dubb & Morris Bailey; B-Edward Seltzer (KY); T-Brittany T. Russell. $20,000.
FEELING WOOZY, 118, g, 3, Irish War Cry--Stormy Love Affair, by Stormy Atlantic. ($16,000 Ylg ’21 EASOCT). 1ST BLACK TYPE. O/T-Hamilton A. Smith; B-Sycamore Hall Thoroughbreds, LLC (MD). $10,000.

IT PAYS TO BREED MARYLAND-BREDS
Margins: 1 1/4, 2HF, 3 1/4. Odds: 3.70, 0.50, 6.10. Also Ran: B West, Riccio, We Don’t Need Roads, Seven’s Eleven.

Coffeewithchris had traded decisions with Prince of Jericho in his last two, and went ahead 2-1 in their match-up Saturday at relatively generous odds in retrospect. The reformed $40,000 claimer earned a strong 88 Beyer Speed Figure when upsetting Prince of Jericho by daylight at almost 17-1 in the Dec. 30 Heft S., but was four lengths behind that one—this time as the 19-10 chalk—in the Jan. 21 Spectacular Bid S. over the same seven furlongs. With both runners being asked to navigate an additional furlong, but still one turn here, Coffeewithchris prompted the pace and took over in midstretch. Prince of Jericho seemed to have all the momentum down the center late, but Coffeewithchris re-broke once challenged to hold on safely from his familiar foe. The winner has a yearling half-brother by Paynter and his dam visited well-bred first-year stallion Galawi (Ire) last term. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.

WIDE COUNTRY S., $100,000, Laurel, 2-18, 3yo, f, 7f, 1:24.33, ft.

1--STONEWALL STAR, 124, f, 3, by Flatter
1st Dam: Jonata, by Proud Citizen
2nd Dam: Romp and Stomp, by Olympio
3rd Dam: Prom Knight, by Sir Harry Lewis
O-Barry K. Schwartz; B-Stonewall Farm (NY); T-Horacio De Paz; J-Angel Cruz. $60,000. Lifetime Record: 7-4-1-2, $255,808.

2--Chickieness, 124, f, 3, Blofeld--Chickaletta, by Harlan’s Holiday. O-Morris E. Kernan Jr., Yo Berbs Racing & Jagger Inc.; B-John E. Williamson (MD); T-Tim J. Jagger Inc (MD); T-Jamie Ness. $20,000.

JOHN B. CAMPBELL S., $100,000, Laurel, 2-18, 4yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:42.29, ft.

1--NIMITZ CLASS, 124, c, 4, Munnings--Five Diamonds (SW, $208,060), by Flatter. O-Tom Coulter; B-Arrowwood Farm (PA);
T-Bruce M. Kravets; J-Jevian Toledo. $60,000. Lifetime Record: 13-7-1-0, $294,480. *Full to Kaylasaurus, MSW, $350,683.

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3--Ain’t Da Beer Cold, 122, g, 5, Freedom Child--Distinct Affair, by With Distinction. O-Matt Spencer, Kelly Jo Cox & Bonuccelli Racing; B-Matt Spencer & Kelly Cox (MD); T-Kenneth M. Cox. $10,000.

IT PAYS TO BREED MARYLAND-BREDS
Margins: 4HF, 3 3/4, HF. Odds: 1.80, 2.70, 23.80. Also Ran: Treasure Trove, Forewarned, Double Crown, Vance Scholars, Plot the Dots, Armando R. Scratched: Shake Em Loose.

Nimitz Class took his second-straight stakes event over this track and trip while staying perfect going two turns on dirt Saturday. Having annexed last June’s Danzig S. for PA-bred sprinters at Penn National, the dark bay returned to the winner’s circle going an extended mile at that venue in October. He was fourth from far back in the seven-panel City of Laurel S. Nov. 26, and defeated Ain’t Da Beer Cold and Ournationonparade in the Dec. 30 Robert T. Manfuso S.

Finding himself somewhat surprisingly on the engine here, Nimitz Class took token pressure from Ain’t Da Beer Cold through a half in :47.82. He began to get away after six panels in 1:11.84, and was not for catching thereafter. Cont. p4
John B. Campbell Cont.
The winner has a yearling half-brother by Lookin At Lucky and his dam was bred back to Mendelssohn. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.

**COLONEL POWER S.**, $99,000, Fair Grounds, 2-18, 4yo/up, 5 1/2fT, 1:05.98, fm.

1--**EVAN SING**, 118, g, 4, **Hard Spun**--Viapervita (Ire) (SW-Ger, SP-Fr), by Spectrum (Ire). ($55,000 RNA Ylg '20 KEESEP). 

1ST BLACK TYPE WIN. O/B-Norman Cheng (KY); T-Albert M. Stall, Jr.; J-Flavien Prat. $60,000. Lifetime Record: 7-3-1-1, $192,277. *1/2 to Brother Francis (Lion Heart), GISP-USA, MSP-Mac, $246,720.

2--**Angaston**, 118, g, 8, Denman (Aus)--Marq of Beauty, by Marquetry. ($30,000 Ylg '16 FTKJUL). O-Twin Magnolia Farm; B-William N Hogan (KY); T-Lon Wiggins. $20,000.

3--**Yankee Seven**, 118, g, 7, Yankee Gentleman--Real Peace, by War Front. O-L and G Racing Stables; B-Steve Margolis, Wahl & Assoc., George Messina & Kerima Haddad (LA); T-Cesar Govea. $10,000.

Margins: 3/4, 1 1/4, 1. Odds: 2.10, 7.90, 23.50.

Also Ran: Surveillance, Ice Chocolat (Brz), Pyron, Manny Wah, All in Sync. Scratched: Hunter John, Kennesaw, My Pal Mattie, Sign of War, Straight Answer (GB), Twirling Roses.

Entered off a third four months ago in allowance company at Keeneland in October, Evan Sing drew in off the also-eligible list and was welcomed as the 2-1 favorite. Third while racing out in the clear behind a leading pair, the gelding made the most of his wide trip, keeping to the outer part of the course as the field straightened out for the wire and coming with a sustained run on his left lead. Late leader Angaston dug in to try and repel the challenge but Evan Sing had momentum on his side and drew by in the final sixteenth to just edge away for the win. Viapervita (Ire) produced a 2-year-old colt by Kantharos, did not have a foal last year, and was bred to Munnings for 2023. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.

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**IN ORDER OF PURSE:**

6th-Oaklawn, $104,000, Alw (NW1$X)/Opt. Clm ($100,000), 2-18, 3yo, 1 1/16m, 1:44.97, ft, 1 1/4 lengths.

**AIRTIME** (c, 3, **American Freedom**--Miss Personality, by Broken Vow) broke his maiden three starts back in a $50,000 claimer at Churchill Downs and made two more starts for his breeders including a 10 1/4-length romp at Oaklawn Jan. 29 before getting claimed out of that race by Randy Howg. In his first go for his new connections, the 7-2 third choice broke a step to the side and took back to race in the second pack from fifth. Wedged between rivals up the backstretch, he managed to find a bit of racing room into the far turn before tipping down to the rail as he straightened for the money. Needled through an opening on the fence with a furlong to run, he sprinted clear of the field to defeat favored Shopper's Revenge (Tapit) by 1 1/4 lengths. A half-brother to a pair of stakes horses in Exotic West (Hard Spun), SW & GSP, $309,807 and Box Seat (Flashback), SP, $152,611, Airtime is out of a half-sister to dual champion filly in Panama A Capela (Corinthian) and champion 3-year-old filly in Panama Siciliana (Cairo Prince). This is also the family of MGWS & GISP Musket Man (Yonaguska). Airtime is his dam's most recent reported offspring. Lifetime Record: 5-3-0-1, $134,130. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG. O-Randy Howg; B-Gary & Mary West Stables Inc. (KY); T-Robertino Diodoro.

4th-Oaklawn, $103,000, ($), Alw, 2-18, (NW2L), 3/4yo, f, 6f, 1:11.60, ft, 3 lengths.

**BENNYKAYANDSUZYTTOO** (f, 3, **Strong Mandate**--Cora and Jas, by Kitten's Joy), a 4 1/2 length gate-to-tie maiden winner in her second start over this same track and distance Jan. 28, jumped from the blocks with a 5-1 shot from the far inside gate and wasted no time in getting to front once again. With a clear lead built up through an opening half mile in :45.72, she swung into the stretch alone and maintained a steady advantage all the way home as Summorya (Not This Time) ran on to be second three lengths back. Cont. p5
4th-Oaklawn, cont.

From the family of MGSW & MGISP Good Samaritan (Harlan's Holiday), Bennykayandsuzytoo has a yearling half-brother by Goldencents while his dam visited Arkansas-based stallion High North for a 2023 foal. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-1, $124,800. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.

O/B-Margaret D Power Hawk (AR); T-John Henry Prather, Jr.

4th-Santa Anita, $92,372, Alw (NW1$X)/Opt. Clm ($50,000), 2-18, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:44.56, ft, 3 3/4 lengths.

BIG SWITCH (f, 4, Mr. Big--Two Faced Moon, by Malibu Moon), off the board in only a pair of starts including a fourth in the 2022 GII Santa Ynez, won the state-bred Melair S. last May before going to the bench for the next eight months. Second as the favorite by a half-length in her return Jan. 20, she went off favored once again at 4-5 and pressed Manorelli (Outwork) from second. Inpatient behind her rival, she was allowed to inch up alongside that leader with a half mile to run and took full advantage, sticking a head in front and putting separation on the field down the lane. Rose Maddox (Grazen) was the closest to her on the wire but was 3 3/4 lengths back from Big Switch. Two Faced Moon, also responsible for Hollywood Hills (Hoorayforhollywood), SW & GSP, $247,657, has a 2-year-old full-sister to Hollywood Hills, a yearling colt by Maclean's Music, and is in foal to Twirling Candy this year. Lifetime Record: MSW, 7-4-1-0, $320,424. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.

O/B-George Krikorian (CA); T-John W. Sadler.

8th-Aqueduct, $82,000, Alw, 2-18, (NW1$X), 4yo/up, 6f, 1:09.84, ft, 6 1/2 lengths.

TODAY'S FLAVOR (g, 5, Laoban--Evangelical, by Speightstown), a winner of his last three straight at Aqueduct by a combined 20 1/2 lengths, was the public’s no-brainer 2-5 choice. On the lead from the break, the gelding had Ryan's Cat (Kitten's Joy) just off his flank to keep the pace honest. With plenty left as the pair swung around the far turn, Today's Flavor cleared off as his rival faded and cruised home uncontested to win by 6 1/2 lengths. Kaz's Beach (Karaktontie {Jpn}) filled out the exacta.

Today's Flavor has an unraced 3-year-old half-sister by Jimmy Creed who is his dam’s last reported offspring. Sales History: $80,000 Ylg '19 SARAUG. Lifetime Record: 8-4-3-0, $211,830. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.

O-Reddam Racing LLC; B-Joseph Calvo (NY); T-George Weaver.

8th-Turfway, $75,800, Alw (C)/Opt. Clm ($50,000), 2-17, 3yo/up, 6f (AWT), 1:10.13, ft, 1 length.

OUTADORE (g, 5, Outwork--Adore You (SP, $276,240), by Tactical Cat), third in the GI Breeders’ Cup Juvenile Turf three seasons ago and a three-time stakes winner in the interim, did not have quite the expected yearly bow Jan. 1 at track and trip when he stumbled coming out of the blocks. Weakening to second as MGSP Visitant (Ghostzapper) went on to a four-length score, the grey still put up a lifetime best 92 Beyer over the surface and came into this contest on the back of a bullet five-furlong move over the track in 1:00.40 working in company; the fastest of eight. Hammered to even-money favoritism, the Ward trainee dueled for the lead from the jump from four wide, and managed to secure daylight over his rivals by the eighth pole. Two lengths in front coming down the stretch, he held Phipps Stable homebred Bakers Bay (More Than Ready) to a comfortable length on the wire as that one closed furiously from the rear of the field. Cont. p6

O/B-Red Baron's Barn & Vaya Con Suerte (CA); T-Mark Glatt.
7th-Turfway, Cont.
The half-brother to Piedi Bianchi (Overanalyze), MSW & MGISP, $829,497 and SW Mind Reader (Gemologist), Outadore is out of a stakes-placed half-sister to Puerto Rican champion 2-year-old imported filly Vivaldi Girl (Forest Camp)—a stakes producer herself—and GSP Salamera (Successful Appeal). Adore You has an unraced 2-year-old Adore Him (Uncle Mo) and visited both Authentic and Yaupon for 2023. Sales history: $140,000 Wlg ’18 KEENOV; $290,000 Ylg ’19 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: GISP, 12-6-2-2, $721,201. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.

O-Breeze Easy, LLC; B-Deann & Greg Baer DVM (KY); T-Wesley A. Ward.

8th-Fair Grounds, $70,000, Alw (NW1X)/Opt. Clm ($80,000), 2-18, 3yo, 1 1/16m, 1:44.41, ft, neck.
DENINGTON (c, 3, Gun Runner--Stronger Than Ever {SW, $196,846}, by Congrats) proved a little mileage wasn’t a bad thing here, the grey parlaying his drop from graded and stakes company—including a third behind Victory Formation (Tapwrit) in his season bow Jan. 1 in the Smarty Jones S., a lack of blinkers, and first-time Lasix into a gutsy victory by a neck at 8-1 odds. Off the pace in the two path and traveling well in sixth, he launched a rally entering the lane, angled to the outside of a battling trio and forged ahead late to overtake a hard-trying Cagliostro (Upstart). The flag bearer for a young mare, Denington has an unraced full-brother Elko County as well as a yearling 3/4 brother by Candy Ride (Arg). Stronger Than Ever is due for a full-sibling to that one in 2023. Cont. p6

Lifetime Record: SP, 8-2-1-1, $168,695. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.
O/B-Fern Circle Stables LLC & Magdalena Racing (KY); T-Kenneth G. McPeek.

7th-Oaklawn, $90,000, Msw, 2-18, 3yo, 6f, 1:10.71, ft, nose.
NAUTICAL STAR (c, 3, Dixie Chatter--Kiss Me Chocolate, by Evansville Slew) was fourth on debut Jan. 21 at track and trip behind Rushing Fall’s full-brother Ben’s Legacy (More Than Ready) on unveiling and put it all together here at second asking to graduate from the maiden ranks via a photo. Backed off the pace and laying in seventh early while traveling far into the middle of the track, advanced on his rivals from four wide late in the final bend. Lugging in a bit but under a full head of steam as he took over in midstretch, Nautical Star had just enough left to hold off a cavalry charge on the wire. The most recent to the races, his dam claims a yearling filly by Code West. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, $58,500. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.

O-Gedda & Nathaniel Quinonez, and Donnie Wilkinson; B-Gedda M. Quinonez (OK); T-Nathaniel Quinonez.

5th-Oaklawn, $90,000, Msw, 2-18, 3yo, 1m, 1:38.17, ft, 1/2 length.
HEROIC MOVE (c, 3, Quality Road--Family Tree {MGSW & GISP, $733,387}, by Smart Strike) did his genealogy proud traveling two turns under Lasix on debut as the 3-2 prohibitive favorite. Drawn to the outside, the homebred did well to angle in at the start, which allowed him to take up a striking position in the second flight down the backstretch. Cont. p7
5th-Oaklawn, Cont.
Chasing a trio of leaders, the first timer exhibited good energy around the far turn, ran on nicely to the outside down the stretch and dueled with J J’s Joker (Practical Joke) all the way to the wire to score by half a length. The winner can trace his lineage through a series of successful race mares in second dam Giant Mover (Giant’s Causeway) and third dam Gold Mover (Gold Fever). Family Tree visited Tapit for the second straight year in 2022. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, $54,000. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.

O/B-Gary & Mary West Stables Inc. (KY); T-Brad H. Cox.

6th-Gulfstream, $71,400, Msw, 2-18, 3yo, f, 5fT, :56.44, fm, 1 1/2 lengths.
BALLETIC (f, 3, Into Mischief--Ricketyracketyruss, by Borrego), beaten a neck on the local dirt first out in November, settled for second best again over this course and distance Jan. 22. Pounded down to 3-5 to break through this time for her large ownership group, the bay pressed and pounced to don cap and gown by 1 1/2 lengths over now two-for-two runner-up Up for It (More Than Ready). The winner has a Good Magic 2-year-old filly who RNA’d for $55,000 at FTSAUG. Lifetime Record: 3-1-2-0, $64,400. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.

O-MyRacehorse; B-Pollock Farms (KY); T-Todd A. Pletcher.

12th-Gulfstream, $70,000, Msw, 2-18, 3yo, f, 5fT, :56.19, fm, 1 1/2 lengths.
JUST A CARE (IRE) (f, 3, Australia {GB}--Greater Good {Aus}, by Fastnet Rock {Aus}), in her only other attempt, was last seen at Belmont over the grass at six panels June 30 when she was fifth. Working well in the new year, the bay filly went off as the co-second choice at odds of 5-2 under Lasix for the first time. Drawn to the extreme outside, the Rusty Arnold trainee lagged early, but got going as she rounded the far turn with a big move to the outside. Into the stretch, she announced her presence and under urging put away favorite Calabrian Queen (Peace and Justice) by 1 1/2-lengths. This is Greater Good’s first runner, but she does have a 2-year-old filly by Ten Sovereigns (Ire) and produced a full brother to the winner the following year.
12th-Gulfstream, Cont.
Sales History: 105,000gns Ylg '21 TATOCT; $150,000 2yo '22
FTKRA. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, $45,600. Click for the
Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.
O-Ashbrook Farm, Matthew O’Connor, Upland Flats Racing and
Amy E. Dunne; B-China Horse Club International Ltd (IRE);
T-George R. Arnold, II.

12th-Gulfstream, Cont.
Sales History: 105,000gns Ylg '21 TATOCT; $150,000 2yo '22
FTKRA. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, $45,600. Click for the
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O-Ashbrook Farm, Matthew O’Connor, Upland Flats Racing and
Amy E. Dunne; B-China Horse Club International Ltd (IRE);
T-George R. Arnold, II.

Kerri Radcliffe Bloodstock Purchase

5th-Fair Grounds, $70,000, Msw, 2-18, 3yo, 6f, 1:10.07, ft, 3/4
length.
BISHOPS BAY (c, 3, Uncle Mo--Catch My Drift {SW & GISP,
$280,540}, by Pioneerof the Nile) was a popular wagering
choice for his career bow, breaking from the gates as the 1-2
chalk under jockey Florent Geroux. With good early speed from
mid pack, the $450,000 Keeneland yearling moved between
rivals to just sit just off the flank of pacesetter Ocean City
Applying consistent pressure to that early leader into the far
turn, Bishops Bay took over under his own power as the top pair
swung into the turn. A game First Mission (Street Sense) made a
late run down the stretch but Bishops Bay had enough of a gap
built up to hold off his stablemate by three-quarters of a length
for a Brad Cox exacta. Their conditioner marked career victory
2,000 with the score here along with four wins on the day.
Ocean City came home fourth while Unload (Gun Runner) and
St. John’s (Hard Spun) were the last two home.

Bishops Bay (5) | Hodges Photography / Lou Hodges, Jr.

“T knew we were getting close a couple of races back...” said
Cox afterward. “Honestly, I just wanted to get it over with.
We’ve got some live shots later in the day so we’re hopeful to
keep it rolling.”

Catch My Drift, herself an accomplished race mare, is also
responsible for Strava (Into Mischief), MSP, $282,340. Her 2-
year-old Constitution colt brought $575,000 at last year’s
Keeneland September Sale and she dropped a filly by
Improbable last year before visiting Not This Time for the 2023
season. Sales History: $450,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP. Lifetime Record:
1-1-0-0, $42,000. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO,
sponsored by TVG.
O-Spendthrift Farm LLC, Steve Landers Racing LLC, Martin S.
Schwartz, Michael Dubb, Ten Strike Racing, Jim Bakke, Titelown
Racing, LLC, Kueber Racing, LLC, Big Easy Racing LLC, Winners
Win, Michael Caruso & WinStar Farm, LLC; B-WinStar Farm, LLC
(KY); T-Brad H. Cox.

2nd-Fair Grounds, $70,000, Msw, 2-18, 3yo, f, 1 1/16m,
1:46.42, ft, 6 1/4 lengths.
COMPARATIVE (f, 3, Street Sense--Collective, by Bernardini),
always supported at the windows in her efforts to graduate,
routed four times at three different tracks since her debut third
Sept. 17 at Churchill Downs. Last out in New Orleans,
the homebred ran behind a more than honest pace and left herself
too much to do in what was another show effort. In this spot, as
the 4-5 chalk, she hustled from the outside post, raced in the
three path down the backstretch behind leader Sweet Chablis
(Malibu Moon) and Amisfield (Justify) and rounding the far turn,
took the overland route under confident handling to win
authoritatively by 6 1/4-lengths over the pacesetter.
Comparative has full sibs in Shared Sense, MGSW, $577,435 and
more recently, a 2-year-old unraced colt named Kinectic. Her
dam is a half-sister to GSW Penwith (Bernardini) and she visited
Medaglia d’Oro consecutively, producing a yearling colt and
currently, is in-foal to the sire. Lifetime Record: 6-1-0-3,
$76,400. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored
by TVG.
O/B-Godolphin (KY); T-Brad H. Cox.

4th-Fair Grounds, $70,000, Msw, 2-18, 3yo, f, 1:11.60, ft, 3
1/4 lengths.
MERLASSA (f, 3, Medaglia d’Oro--Mi Vida (SP), by Distorted
Humor), blinkered on debut Jan. 21 at Fair Grounds, just missed
receiving her diploma at the wire by a head. Removing the hood
and off as the 1-2 favorite, the homebred raced along the rail in
the second flight down the backstretch to the tune of :21.66 for
the first quarter mile. Cont. p9
4th-Fair Grounds, Cont.

Chasing a pair of leaders down the lane, the Brad Cox trainee angled out, took aim past the eighth pole and powered home by 3 1/4-lengths as Ornately (Distorted Humor) settled for second. Second dam Crystal Current is a sister to GSW Majestic Warrior (A.P. Indy). Dam Mi Vida produced a full sibling to the winner in Gold Standard, MGSP, $269,384, who sold for $535,000 '21 FTKWNT and visited Curlin last year. Merlazza has a pair of filly half-sisters in a 2-year-old by Justify and a yearling by Authentic. Her dam went back-to-back with the most recent sire for 2023. Sales History: $190,000 RNA Ylg '21 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, $55,000. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.

O/B-Don Alberto Corporation (KY); T-Brad H. Cox.

8th-Gulfstream, $70,000, Msw, 2-18, 3yo, 1 1/8mT, 1:47.53, fm, head.

BABY BILLY (g, 3, Gormley--Dating Lady Luck, by Arch) just missed on two occasions against restricted maiden company at Churchill Downs last fall and was another close-beaten third at Gulfstream Dec. 3. Overmatched in the Mucho Macho Man S. last time out Jan. 1, he entered Saturday with only a 9-1 shot. Racing without blinkers, Baby Billy got wedged between rivals at the break and took back to race in mid pack up the backstretch. Asked for his run as he swung around the turn, the gelding moved up along the rail before tipping out to take the lead with a furlong to run. Mondego (GB) (Lope de Vega {Ire}) was game to the wire but Baby Billy got the best of the bob to win by a head. Out of a half-sister to MGSP & GISP Frank Conversation (Quality Road), Baby Billy traces back to GSW Unusual Suspect (Unusual Heat) and GSW Golden Doc A (Unusual Heat). He is his dam's last reported foal. Sales History: $5,000 Wlg '20 KEENOV; $37,000 Ylg '21 FTKOCT; $45,000 2yo '22 OBSAPR. Lifetime Record: 5-1-2-1, $86,300. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.

O-Reeves Thoroughbred Racing, Steven Rocco & William Branch; B-Spendthrift Farm LLC (KY); T-Jack Sisterson.

4th-Gulfstream, $50,000, Moc ($50,000), 2-18, (C), 3yo, 7f, 1:24.75, ft, 6 1/4 lengths.

TICKING (c, 3, Bolt d'Oro--Polyester, by Tiz Wonderful) took on maiden state-bred company for his debut at Gulfstream Park last summer July 23 and was a distant third by 11 1/4-lengths. Coming back to the races after the layoff, the $625,000 OBSAPR purchase was well-supported at the windows as he was bet down from 8-1 to go off as the 2-1 co-favorite. Breaking sharply, the bay colt wrestled the lead away from a longshot, and taking control around the far turn, he repulsed a threat from tote rival Power Humor (Jess’s Dream) to run on nicely by an easy 6 1/4-lengths in victory. The winner's unraced dam also produced Harpers First Ride (Paynter), GSW, $699,664, a yearling colt by Authentic and she was bred to Charlatan last year. Sales History: $675,000 2yo '22 OBSAPR. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, $34,300. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.

O-Leon Ellman, Glassman Racing LLC and Laura Plesa; B-France Weiner, Irwin Weiner, Valery deMeric & Tristan deMeric (FL); T-Edward Plesa, Jr.
6th-Tampa Bay Downs, $25,200, Msw, 2-18, 3yo, 1mT, 1:36.37, fm, head.

DOS PASSOS (c, 3, Candy Ride {Arg}--Point System {SW, $164,850}, by Broken Vow), a $310,000 KEESEP buy that exited the Tampa chute under Lasix on debut, was taken back passing the grandstand towards the rear of the field. The 2-1 co-favorite, waited until the top of the lane to make his move. Fanning out wide, he exhibited a strong turn-of-foot with a furious charge to get up in time over four others, which included Oskar Martinez (Ire) (Havana Gold {Ire}) who secured the place ahead of a dead heat. Second dam Brownie Points (Forest Wildcat) is directly responsible for a pair of stakes winners in MGSW Synchrony (Tapit) and GSW Chocolate Kisses (Candy Ride {Arg}), while daughter Even Song (Street Cry {Ire}) produced GISD Dream Shake (Twirling Candy). Dos Passos is Point System's first offspring to make the races, but she also has a yearling colt by Improbable and was bred to Gun Runner in 2022. Sales History: $310,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, $14,500.

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O-Peter M. Brant; B-Pin Oak Stud, LLC (KY); T-Chad C. Brown.

SECOND-CROP RUNNERS

SECOND-CROP STARTERS TO WATCH: SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 19

2023 Stud Fees Listed

Accelerate (Lookin At Lucky), Lane's End Farm, $10,000 214 foals of racing age/23 winners/1 black-type winner 6-Tampa Bay Downs, 3:16 p.m. EST, Msw 1mT, Antonov, 10-1 $10,000 FTK JUL yrl; $15,000 EAS MAY 2yo

Always Dreaming (Bodemeister), WinStar Farm, $10,000 212 foals of racing age/14 winners/1 black-type winner 6-Tampa Bay Downs, 3:16 p.m. EST, Msw 1mT, Dreaming of Toga, 12-1 $19,000 EAS OCT yrl 2-Laurel, 12:56 p.m. EST, Msw 6f, Ruffner, 10-1 $6,000 KEE SEP yrl

Army Mule (Friesan Fire), Hill 'n' Dale at Xalapa, $12,500 142 foals of racing age/28 winners/7 black-type winners 4-Sam Houston Race, 3:30 p.m. EST, Aoc 5 1/2f, Alto Road, 9-5 $12,000 OBS APR 2yo 8-Oaklawn, 5:10 p.m. EST, Aoc 1m, Wild Mule, 7-2

Awesome Slew (Awesome Again), Ocala Stud, $4,000 77 foals of racing age/15 winners/1 black-type winner

Bolt d'Oro (Medaglia d'Oro), Spendthrift Farm, $35,000 256 foals of racing age/34 winners/6 black-type winners 3-Aqueduct, 12:50 p.m. EST, Msw 1m, La Grotte, 5-1 $130,000 KEE SEP yrl 6-Tampa Bay Downs, 3:16 p.m. EST, Msw 1mT, Oh Chic, 9-2 $400,000 OBS MAR 2yo

Bucchero (Kantharos), Pleasant Acres Stallions 155 foals of racing age/18 winners/0 black-type winners 5-Gulfstream, 2:07 p.m. EST, Msw 5fT, Lawful, 9-2 $35,000 OBS OCT yrl; $80,000 OBS OPN 2yo

Cloud Computing (Maclean's Music), Spendthrift Farm, $5,000 198 foals of racing age/21 winners/0 black-type winners 8-Oaklawn, 5:10 p.m. EST, Aoc 1m, Two Eagles River, 5-2 $32,000 FTK JUL yrl; $220,000 OBS APR 2yo

Conquest Mo Money (Uncle Mo), McKenna Thoroughbreds 30 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners 8-Sunland, 5:32 p.m. EST, $100K Enchantress S., 1m, Crafty Money, 8-1 $18,000 RNA TTA APR 2yo 9-Sunland, 6:00 p.m. EST, Msw 6f, Dandy Money, 12-1 9-Sunland, 6:00 p.m. EST, Msw 6f, Ruthless Money, 12-1

Girvin (Tale of Ekati), Airdrie Stud, $20,000 179 foals of racing age/24 winners/5 black-type winners 8-Santa Anita, 7:06 p.m. EST, Aoc 6f, Blessed Touch, 5-2 $32,000 KEE SEP yrl; $140,000 OBS APR 2yo

Hoppertunity (Any Given Saturday), Northview Stallion Station 103 foals of racing age/5 winners/0 black-type winners 2-Laurel, 12:56 p.m. EST, Msw 6f, Goodafternoonoscar, 2-1 $10,000 EAS OCT yrl

Irish War Cry (Curlin), Northview Stallion Station 103 foals of racing age/5 winners/0 black-type winners 2-Laurel, 12:56 p.m. EST, Msw 6f, Full Irish, 6-1 $45,000 EAS OCT yrl

Justify (Scat Daddy), Coolmore Ashford, $100,000 343 foals of racing age/32 winners/6 black-type winners 7-Gulfstream, 3:08 p.m. EST, Msw 1 1/8mT, Skyview Drive, 8-1 $350,000 KEE SEP yrl

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Second Crop Starters, Cont.

Mendelssohn (Scat Daddy), Coolmore Ashford, $25,000
348 foals of racing age/34 winners/3 black-type winners
5-Gulfstream, 2:07 p.m. EST, Msw 5fT, Golden Nugget, 20-1
$180,000 KEE SEP yr1; $350,000 OBS MAR 2yo
1-Golden Gate Fields, 3:45 p.m. EST, Msw 1m, Sweet Tessa, 10-1
$140,000 KEE SEP yr1; $105,000 OBS APR 2yo

Morse (Eskendereya), Spendthrift Farm, $5,000
190 foals of racing age/23 winners/1 black-type winner
4-Sam Houston Race, 3:30 p.m. EST, Aoc 5 1/2f, Aaron’s Spirit, 4-1
$19,000 RNA FTK OCT yr1; $25,000 OBS OPN 2yo
1-Aqueduct, 12:50 p.m. EST, Msw 1m, Welcometomyworld, 10-1
$39,000 FTK OCT yr1

Mo Town (Uncle Mo), Coolmore Ashford, $5,000
171 foals of racing age/28 winners/2 black-type winners
6-Tampa Bay Downs, 3:16 p.m. EST, Msw 1mT, Mo Town Blues, 15-1
$30,000 KEE SEP yr1; $57,000 RNA EAS MAY 2yo

Sharp Azteca (Freud), Three Chimneys Farm, $15,000
200 foals of racing age/42 winners/4 black-type winners
8-Santa Anita, 7:06 p.m. EST, Aoc 6f, Hialeah Hottie, 20-1
$45,000 RNA FTK JUL yr1; $30,000 OBS OCT yr1; $35,000 OBS APR 2yo

Smokem (Union Rags), Lovacres Ranch
40 foals of racing age/6 winners/0 black-type winners
9-Santa Anita, 7:38 p.m. EST, Msw 6 1/2fT, Smokemonthecliff, 8-1
$1,700 NCA AUG yr1

West Coast (Flatter), Lane’s End Farm, $10,000
198 foals of racing age/13 winners/2 black-type winners
6-Tampa Bay Downs, 3:16 p.m. EST, Msw 1mT, Life At Sea, 2-1

STAKES RESULTS:

Nellie Morse S., $100,000, Laurel, 2-18, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:44.96, ft.
1-Hybrid Eclipse, 126, m, Paynter--Super Plan, by Valid Wager. ($37,000 2yo ’20 EASMAY; $107,000 4yo ’22 FTKHRA).
O-The Elkstone Group, LLC (Stuart Grant); B-Alex Venneri Racing, LLC (KY); T-Brittany T. Russell; J-Jevian Toledo. $60,000.
Lifetime Record: MSW, 19-7-2-4, $431,824.

Scansion Training and Sales Graduate
2--Award Wanted, 122, m, Macho Uno--Touring Hong Kong, by Cherokee’s Boy. O-No Guts No Glory Farm and Erica Upton; B-Alexandro Rubim Dias (MD); T-John J. Robb. $20,000.

IT PAYS TO BREED MARYLAND-BREDS
3--Pistol Liz Ablazen, 120, f, 4, Daredevil--Vision of Liz, by Pollard’s Vision. ($22,000 Ylg ’20 FTKOCT; $30,000 2yo ’21 EASMAY). 1ST BLACK TYPE 1/2 to Long River (A.P. Indy), G1SW-UAE, MSW & GISP-USA, $770,347. **250th black-type winner for sire.
O/B-Godolphin (KY); T-Michael Stidham. $20,000.

Albert M. Stall Memorial S., $99,000, Fair Grounds, 2-18, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:48.07, fm.
1--Lake Lucerne, 118, m, Dubawi (Ire)--Round Pond (MGISW, $1,998,700), by Awesome Again. 1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN O/B-Godolphin (KY); T-Brendan P. Walsh; J-Tyler Gaffalione. $60,000. Lifetime Record: GSP, 23-4-1-5, $285,074. *1/2 to Long River (A.P. Indy), G1SW-UAE, MSW & GISP-USA, $770,347. **250th black-type winner for sire.
2--Soft Touch, 118, f, 4, Uncle Mo--Golden Velvet, by Seeking the Gold. 1ST BLACK TYPE 1/2 to Long River (A.P. Indy), G1SW-UAE, MSW & GISP-USA, $770,347. **250th black-type winner for sire.
O/B-Godolphin (KY); T-Michael Stidham. $20,000.

3--Trail Ridge Road, 118, f, 4, Point of Entry--Summerlin, by Lost Soldier. O/B-Team Block (IL); T-Chris M. Block. $10,000.
Margins: 2 1/4, 3/4, 1HF. Odds: 1.30, 2.40, 6.60.

ALBERT M. STALL MEMORIAL S., $99,000, Fair Grounds, 2-18, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:48.07, fm.

1--Lake Lucerne, 118, m, Dubawi (Ire)--Round Pond (MGISW, $1,998,700), by Awesome Again. 1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN. O/B-Godolphin (KY); T-Brendan P. Walsh; J-Tyler Gaffalione. $60,000. Lifetime Record: GSP, 23-4-1-5, $285,074. *1/2 to Long River (A.P. Indy), G1SW-UAE, MSW & GISP-USA, $770,347. **250th black-type winner for sire.

2--Soft Touch, 118, f, 4, Uncle Mo--Golden Velvet, by Seeking the Gold. 1ST BLACK TYPE. O/B-Godolphin (KY); T-Michael Stidham. $20,000.

3--Trail Ridge Road, 118, f, 4, Point of Entry--Summerlin, by Lost Soldier. O/B-Team Block (IL); T-Chris M. Block. $10,000.
Margins: 2, 1 3/4, HF. Odds: 1.70, 5.10, 4.00.
TURF DASH S., $98,750, Tampa Bay Downs, 2-18, 4yo/up, 5fT, :54.78, fm.
1--CHESS MASTER, 120, g, 7, Overdriven--Chesty, by Chester House. O/T-Kerri Raven; B-Brenda K Jones (FL); J-Antonio A. Gallardo. $60,000. Lifetime Record: 40-13-5-4, $354,425.
2--Full Disclosure, 118, g, 4, Cajun Breeze--Theladysaidno, by Concerto. 1ST BLACK TYPE. O-Elizabeth L. Dobles and Imaginary Stables; B-Shadybrook Farm Inc (FL); T-Elizabeth L. Dobles. $20,000.
3--Fluid Situation, 118, c, 4, Warrior's Reward--Volatile Vickie, by Elusive Quality. ($45,000 Ylg '20 OBSOCT; $200,000 2yo '21 OBSAPR). O-Curragh Stables; B-Hidden Point Farm Inc. (FL); T-John P. Terranova, II. $10,000.

TWO ALTAZANO S., (NB) $91,375, Tampa Bay Downs, 2-18, 4yo, f/m, 5fT, :55.74, ft.
1--IZATIZ, 122, f, 3, by My Golden Song--Tiz Tiz, by Tiznow. O/B-Billy Clevenger (TX); T-David C. Gomez; J-Jansen Melancon. $53,925. Lifetime Record: 7-3-3-0, $170,910.
2--Waving Bye, 120, f, 3, The Hunk--Making Waves, by Stormy Atlantic. O-Michael Grossman; B-Eureka Thoroughbred Farm (TX); T-Francisco Bravo. $17,975.
3--Missingyourcrazy, 117, f, 3, Bradester--Won Peso, by Victory Gallop. O/B-Steve Fidel (TX); T-W. Bret Calhoun. $9,886.
Margins: 4HF, 5, 3. Odds: 2.00, 9.50, 2.80.

LIGHTNING CITY S., $83,000, Tampa Bay Downs, 2-18, 4yo, f/m, 5fT, :55.54, fm.
1--TRAIN TO ARTEMUS, 118, m, 5, Tapizar--Pay Day Kitten, by Kitten's Joy. 1ST BLACK TYPE WIN. O-M and W Stables, LLC; B-Kenneth L. & Sarah K. Ramsey (KY); T-Kelly J. Breen; J-Paco Lopez. $45,000. Lifetime Record: 12-7-0-2, $289,565.
2--Tracy Ann's Legacy, 118, m, 7, Shackleford--Tenacious Tripp, by Trippi. ($27,000 2yo '18 OBSOPN). O-Robert Cotran; B-Bridle Oaks Farm Inc. (FL); T-Joseph F. Orseno. $20,000.
3--Sassy Beast, 118, m, 5, The Big Beast--I'mclassyandsassy, by Master Command. O-Angel M. Rodriguez; B-Alex & JoAnn Lieblong (FL); T-Angel M. Rodriguez. $10,000.
Margins: 2, NK, HF. Odds: 6.90, 19.30, 63.40.

HOUSTON TURF S., $75,000, Sam Houston Race, 2-18, (S), 4yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:44.79, fm.
1--SUNLIT SONG, 120, g, 8, My Golden Song--Fly So True, by Early Flyer. O-Carolyn Barnett and Becky Harding; B-Carolyn R. Barnett (TX); T-Mindy J. Willis; J-Stewart Elliott. $42,600. Lifetime Record: MSW, 38-15-11-4, $568,626.
2--Truly Danzig, 119, g, 6, Etesaal--Fly So True, by Early Flyer. 1ST BLACK TYPE. O-Carolyn Barnett and Becky Harding; B-Steve & Caroline Hicks (TX); T-Mindy J. Willis. $14,200.
3--Stans Hookin Bull, 118, h, 5, Lookin At Lucky--Menascott, by Giacomo. 1ST BLACK TYPE. O-Diamond W Racing Stable and Desra Schlansky; B-Larry S. Huntsinger (TX); T-Karen E. Jacks. $7,810.
Margins: 2, 1 1/4, NO. Odds: 1.90, 5.40, 22.10.
H-TOWN S., (NB) $75,000, Sam Houston Race, 2-18, (S), 4yo/up, 7f, 1:24.07, ft.

1--GOLD PILOT, 118, g, 6, My Golden Song--F chlorine, (MSW, $247,479), by Early Flyer. ($15,000 Ylg '18 TTAMIX). O-Wayne Sanders, and Larry Hirsch; B-Donald & Margaret Ellerbee (TX); T-W. Bret Calhoun; J-Jose L. Alvarez. $44,400. Lifetime Record: MSP, 21-7-3-5, $313,077.

2--Too Much Action, 119, g, 4, Too Much Bling--Quatre Rose, by Candy Ride (Arg). ($23,000 Ylg '20 KEESEP). O-Double O Racing and Trevor Johnson; B-Mike G. Rutherford (TX); T-Jeremiah O'Dwyer. $14,800.

3--Algebra, 117, g, 6, Algorithms--Lithe, by Lookin At Lucky. O-Farmers Fillies Racing; B-Joseph W. Sutton (TX); T-J. R. Caldwell. $8,140.

Margins: 4, 2, 1 3/4. Odds: 0.90, 8.40, 2.00.

MISS BLUEBONNET TURF S., (NB) $75,000, Sam Houston Race, 2-18, (S), 4yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:39.16, fm.

1--IMALUCKCHARM, 118, f, 4, My Golden Song--Foxy Boss, by Street Boss. ($38,000 Ylg '20 TTAYHR). 1ST BLACK TYPE WIN. O-Carl R. Moore Management LLC; B-Ronald & Margaret Ellerbee (TX); T-Karen E. Jacks; J-Ernesto Valdez-Jimenez. $41,400. Lifetime Record: MSP, 8-4-0-2, $124,612. *1/2 to No Mas Tequila (Northern Afleet), MSW, $313,552.

2--No Mas Tequila, 119, m, 6, Northern Afleet--Foxy Boss, by Street Boss. ($29,000 RNA Ylg '18 TTAMIX; $21,000 2yo '19 TTAAPR). O-James Sills; B-Ronald & Margaret Ellerbee (TX); T-Karen E. Jacks. $13,800.

3--Tudela, 119, m, 5, Holiday Promise--Lil Precious, by Forestry. 1ST BLACK TYPE. O-Darrell W. Bravenec; B-Jose Luis Espinoza (TX); T-Jaime Castellanos. $7,590.

Margins: 2 1/4, 2 3/4, NO. Odds: 5.10, 1.10, 24.50.

PRINCESS OF PALMS S., (NB) $60,000, Sam Houston Race, 2-18, (S), 4yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:39.16, fm.


2--Una Palabra, 119, f, 3, McCraken--One for You, by Dayjur. ($28,000 RNA Ylg '21 FTKJUL). O-B-Cool Creek Farm (KY); T-Vann Belvoir. $11,640.

3--Foolish Delight, 121, f, 3, Carpe Diem--More Than Folly, by More Than Ready. ($40,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP). O-Christa Utt, Greg Green, M.C.M Stables, LLC and Corie O'Conner; B-E. H. Beau Lane (KY); T-Greg Green. $5,820.

Margins: 3/4, 4 3/4, 4. Odds: 2.70, 3.80, 2.80.

STARTAC S., (NB) $60,000, Turf Paradise, 2-18, 3yo, 7 1/2fT, 1:32.19, fm.

1--SPECIAL MOMENT, 119, g, 3, Stanford--Blame It Onthesong, by Blame. O-Chris S. Aulds & Gaylon McGee; B-Tommy Town Thoroughbreds, LLC (CA); T-Bart G. Hone; J-Connor W. Corbett. $35,712. Lifetime Record: 7-2-3-0, $59,669.

2--I Am Freaky Fast, 119, g, 3, Connect--Pounds to Pennies, by Exchange Rate. ($55,000 Ylg '21 FTKOCT). O-Stable H. M. A.; B-Joe B. Mulholland Jr., John P. & Karen Mulholland (KY); T-Curt Ferguson. $11,520.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:
8th-Oaklawn, $106,000, 2-18, 4yo/up, 1m, 1:36.86, ft, 1/2 length.

CALL ME FAST (g, 4, Dialed In--Caged Mistress {SW, $126,765}, by Ministers Wild Cat) Lifetime Record: 9-3-2-0, $248,009. O-Giddyup Stables, LLC & Tom Lambro; B-Glen Todd (KY); T-Michael Puhich. *$60,000 3yo '22 FTDIGD.

1st-Oaklawn, $104,000, 2-18, (NW1$X), 4yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11.01, ft, 3/4 length.

CANADA'S CUSTOMS (f, 4, Custom for Carlos--Canada's Vision, by Pollard's Vision) Lifetime Record: 15-6-2-3, $218,782. O-Corinne and L. William Heiligbrodt and Spendthrift Farm LLC; B-Steve Holliday (LA); T-Steven M. Asmussen. *$28,000 Ylg '20 OBSWIN.

5th-Santa Anita, $73,500, (S), (NW1$X)/Opt. Clm ($20,000), 2-17, 4yo/up, 6fT, 1:09.07, fm, head.

FORGIVING SPIRIT (g, 4, Shaman Ghost--Apology Accepted, by Candy Ride {Arg}) Lifetime Record: 12-4-0-2, $154,540. O-Gem, Inc. and Tom Kagele; B-Rodney Orr (KY); T-Peter Miller. *$15,000 Ylg '20 KEESEP; $65,000 2yo '21 OBSAPR.
3rd-Fair Grounds, $70,000, (S), 2-18, (NW2L), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:12.10, ft, 1/2 length.

TAMBOURS STAR (c, 4, Star Guitar--Tambourine Queen, by Giant's Causeway) Lifetime Record: MSP, 13-2-3-5, $124,110. O/B-Brittlyn Stables, Inc. (LA); T-Jose M. Camejo.

2nd-Laurel, $56,730, 2-18, (NW1X), 4yo/up, 1 1/8m, 1:52.23, ft, 1 length.

NOSTALGIC RUN (c, 4, Upstart--Song Memory, by Unbridled's Song) Lifetime Record: 12-3-4-0, $118,132. O-Michael Scheffres; B-Smart Angle, LLP (PA); T-Carlos A. Mancilla. *$65,000 Ylg '20 EASOCT; $155,000 2yo '21 EASMAY.

5th-Golden Gate Fields, $43,000, 2-17, (NW2$X)/Opt. Clm ($62,500), 4yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:42.03, ft, 2 3/4 lengths.

HERE COMES LOVIE (m, 5, Lewis Michael--Michelle's Krackin, by Ide) Lifetime Record: 22-3-3-5, $93,845. O-Sandy Badeaux; B-Tony Martin Enterprises Inc. & Jon Martin Enterprises Inc. (LA); T-Eduardo Ramirez.

5th-Charles Town, $36,300, (S), 2-18, (NW4L), 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/4 lengths.

JACK'S SISTER JILL (m, 5, Great Notion--Practical Ideas {SW}, by Prospect Bay) Lifetime Record: SP, 7-3-1-2, $72,009. O/B-C. Allen Johnson (WV); T-Roland P. Clement, III.

2nd-Sam Houston Race, $36,000, (NW2L)/Opt. Clm ($50,000), 2-18, 3yo, f, 5 1/2f, 1:04.87, ft, 1 1/4 lengths.

NICE NEIGHBOR (f, 3, Good Samaritan--Whataclassylady, by Archarcharch) Lifetime Record: 5-2-2-1, $39,390. O-NBS Stable; B-Baoma Corp (KY); T-Jon G. Arnett. *$12,000 RNA Ylg '21 KEESEP; $75,000 2yo '22 OBSOPN.

7th-Charles Town, $33,900, 2-17, (NW1X), 3yo, 6 1/2f, 1:21.09, my, nose.

JUBA'S NOTION (g, 3, Juba--Jacky's Notion {MSP, $252,141}, by Great Notion) Lifetime Record: SW, 9-4-3-1, $127,586. O/B/T-John A Casey (WV).

4th-Penn National, $28,900, (NW2X)/Opt. Clm ($25,000), 2-17, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:47.05, gd, 1 1/4 lengths.

TRUTH SEEKER (g, 7, Into Mischief--For Royalty {SW}, by Not For Love) Lifetime Record: 36-10-7-5, $264,872. O-Hole-In-One Racing Stables, LLC; B-WinStar Farm, LLC (KY); T-Rafael S. Barraza. *1/2 to Upper Room (Harlan's Holiday), SP, $151,934; 1/2 to Constellation (Bellamy Road), GISW, $619,809.

7th-Turf Paradise, $26,900, (C)/Opt. Clm ($40,000-$50,000), 2-18, 4yo/up, 6f, 1:07.68, ft, 1 1/4 lengths.

OCEAN OF STORMS (c, 3, Malibu Moon--Wind Racer, by Curlin) Lifetime Record: 5-2-2-1, $72,660. O-NBS Stable; B-Baoma Corp (KY); T-Jon G. Arnett. *$12,000 RNA Ylg '21 KEESEP; $75,000 2yo '22 OBSOPN.

7th-Tampa Bay Downs, $26,800, (NW1X)/Opt. Clm ($75,000), 2-18, 3yo, 6 1/2f, 1:17.11, ft, 3/4 length.

HAPPY CAJUN (c, 4, Cajun Breeze--Happy Shoes, by Warrior's Reward) Lifetime Record: 6-2-2-1, $42,160. O-Mildred Laiz; B-Shadybrook Farm Inc (FL); T-Max Ubide.
3rd-Tampa Bay Downs, $26,500, (NW2X)/Opt. Clm ($32,000), 2-18, 4yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:35.52, fm, head.
GATHER AS YOU GO (m, 5, Curlin--Theatre Star {SW & MGSP, $259,750}, by War Front) Lifetime Record: 7-3-0-2, $67,170. O/B-Glen Hill Farm (KY); T-Thomas F. Proctor.

5th-Tampa Bay Downs, $25,500, (NW1X)/Opt. Clm ($75,000), 2-18, 3yo, f, 7f, 1:23.50, ft, 2 1/4 lengths.
MISS NEW YORK (f, 3, Good Magic--Luna Vega {GSW & GISP, $283,442}, by Malibu Moon) Lifetime Record: 8-2-0-3, $49,592. O-AMO Racing USA; B-Fred W. Hertrich lll & John D. Fielding (KY); T-Jorge Delgado. *$115,000 Wlg '20 KEENOV; $145,000 Ylg '21 FTSAUG; $280,000 2yo '22 ARQMAY.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:
Baseline Beater, g, 3, Flatter--Seize the Ring, by Tiznow. Fair Grounds, 2-18, 1 1/16m, 1:46.19. Lifetime Record: 5-1-1-0, $64,338. B-Chippewa Bloodstock (KY). *$130,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP.
El Lucerito, g, 3, Golden Lad--La Jessica, by Ecclesiastic. Charles Town, 2-17, (S), 4 1/2f, 53.16. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, $25,890. B-Pedro Chavez Arellano (WV).
Shes a Lucky Rebel, f, 3, Lookin At Lucky--She's a Rebel Too (SP, $144,965), by Two Punch. Fair Grounds, 2-18, (S), 6f, 1:13.14. Lifetime Record: 5-1-0-3, $57,395. B-T L Holyfield Racing Stable LLC (LA). *1/2 to Mo' Green (Uncle Mo), GSW, $279,420; Brother in Arms (Yes It's True), MSP, $211,305; She'screative (Creative Cause), SW, $103,060.
Zio Jo, c, 3, Nyquist--Senorita Corredora, by El Corredor. Santa Anita, 2-17, (C), 1mT, 1:36.96. Lifetime Record: 8-1-0-0, $33,760. B-Elm Racing, LLC & Mulholland Springs LLC (KY). *$225,000 Wlg '20 KEENOV; $50,000 2yo '22 OBSOPN. **1/2 to Holiday's Angel (Harlan's Holiday), MSP, $196,096.

Mohaymen Day, f, 4, Mohaymen--Weeks (SW, $298,504), by Ghazi. Charles Town, 2-17, 4 1/2f, 54.46. Lifetime Record: 7-1-1-1, $27,406. B-Veloce LLC (KY). *$6,500 Ylg '20 KEENJAN; $37,000 RNA Ylg '20 FTKOCT; $17,000 RNA 2yo '21 OBSOPN.

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TODAY'S FEATURED REPLAY
Bishops Bay (Uncle Mo) Gives Brad Cox Win #2,000 (click to watch)

American Freedom, Airtime, c, 3, o/o Miss Personality, by Broken Vow. AOC, 2-18, Oaklawn
Astrology, That's My Mama, f, 4, o/o So Well Read, by Read the Footnotes. ALW, 2-18, Delta Downs
Australia (GB), Just a Care (Ire), f, 3, o/o Greater Good (Aus), by Fastnet Rock (Aus). MSW, 2-18, Gulfstream
Bolt d'Oro, Ticking, c, 3, o/o Polyester, by Tiz Wonderful. MOC, 2-18, Gulfstream
Bradester, I'm a Cowboy, g, 3, o/o Benny's Bombshell, by Benny the Bull. Jim's Orbit S., 2-18, Sam Houston
Cajun Breeze, Happy Cajun, c, 4, o/o Happy Shoes, by Warrior's Reward. AOC, 2-18, Tampa Bay
Candy Ride (Arg), Dos Passos, c, 3, o/o Point System, by Broken Vow. MSW, 2-18, Tampa Bay
Classic Empire, Angel of Empire, c, 3, o/o Armony's Angel, by To Honor and Serve. GII Risen Star S. presented by Lamarque Lincoln and Lamarque Crescent City Ford, 2-18, Fair Grounds

Classic Empire, Classy Edition, f, 4, o/o Newbie, by Bernardini. GII Royal Delta S., 2-18, Gulfstream

Constitution, Freedom Flyer, m, 5, o/o Reubke, by Carson City. Wishing Well S., 2-18, Santa Anita

Curlin, Gather as You Go, m, 5, o/o Theatre Star, by War Front. AOC, 2-18, Tampa Bay

Custom for Carlos, Canada's Customs, f, 4, o/o Canada's Vision, by Pollard's Vision. ALW, 2-18, Oaklawn

Dialed In, Call Me Fast, g, 4, o/o Caged Mistress, by Ministers Wild Cat. AOC, 2-18, Oaklawn

Dixie Chatter, Nautical Star, c, 3, o/o Kiss Me Chocolate, by Evansville Slew. MSW, 2-18, Oaklawn

Dubawi (Ire), Lake Lucerne, m, 6, o/o Round Pond, by Awesome Again. Albert M. Stall Memorial S., 2-18, Fair Grounds

E Dubai, Eastern Bay, g, 9, o/o Chrusciki, by Polish Numbers. Gill General George S., 2-18, Laurel

English Channel, Two Emmys, g, 7, o/o Miss Emmy, by Buddha. GIII Fair Grounds S. Presented by Horse Racing Nation, 2-18, Fair Grounds

Flatter, Baseline Beater, g, 3, o/o Seize the Ring, by Tiznow. MSW, 2-18, Fair Grounds

Flatter, Stonewall Star, f, 3, o/o Jonata, by Proud Citizen. Wide Country S., 2-18, Laurel

Free Drop Billy, Doughty, f, 3, o/o Madrilena, by Stormy Atlantic. MSW, 2-18, Oaklawn

Frosted, Frost Point, m, 5, o/o Balletto (UAE), by Timber Country. Heavenly Prize Invitational S., 2-18, Aqueduct

Golden Lad, El Lucerito, g, 3, o/o La Jessica, by Ecclesiastic. MSW, 2-17, Charles Town

Good Magic, Miss New York, f, 3, o/o Luna Vega, by Malibu Moon. AOC, 2-18, Tampa Bay

Good Samaritan, Nice Neighbor, f, 3, o/o Whataclassylady, by Archarcharch. AOC, 2-18, Sam Houston

Gormley, Baby Billy, g, 3, o/o Dating Lady Luck, by Arch. MSW, 2-18, Gulfstream

Grazen, Teddy's Barino, m, 5, o/o Miss Rebound, by Speightstown. AOC, 2-18, Santa Anita

Great Notion, Coastal Mission, g, 4, o/o Smart Crowd, by Crowd Pleaser. ALW, 2-17, Charles Town

Great Notion, Jacks Sister Jill, m, 5, o/o Practical Ideas, by Prospect Bay. ALW, 2-18, Charles Town

Gun Runner, Denington, c, 3, o/o Stronger Than Ever, by Congrats. AOC, 2-18, Fair Grounds

Hard Spun, Evan Sing, g, 4, o/o Viapervita (Ire), by Spectrum (Ire). Colonel Power S., 2-18, Fair Grounds

Into Mischief, Allaboutthemoney, g, 5, o/o Let's Go Cheyenne, by Tiznow. STR, 2-18, Aqueduct

Into Mischief, Balletic, f, 3, o/o Ricketyracketyruss, by Borrego. MSW, 2-18, Gulfstream

Into Mischief, Global Sensation, g, 4, o/o Carnival Court, by Street Sense. AOC, 2-17, Turfway

Into Mischief, Pretty Mischievous, f, 3, o/o Pretty City Dancer, by Tapit. Gill Rachel Alexandra S. presented by Fasig-Tipton, 2-18, Fair Grounds

Into Mischief, Truth Seeker, g, 7, o/o For Royalty, by Not For Love. AOC, 2-18, Turf Paradise

Juba, Juba's Notion, g, 3, o/o Jacky's Notion, by Great Notion. ALW, 2-17, Charles Town

Laoban, Today's Flavor, g, 5, o/o Evangelical, by Speightstown. ALW, 2-18, Aqueduct

Lewis Michael, Here Comes Lovie, m, 5, o/o Michelle's Krackin, by Ide. ALW, 2-17, Delta Downs

Lookin At Lucky, Shes a Lucky Rebel, f, 3, o/o She's a Rebel Too, by Two Punch. MSW, 2-18, Fair Grounds

Malibu Moon, Back Ring Luck, g, 5, o/o Patti O'Rahy, by Rahy. AOC, 2-17, Penn National

Malibu Moon, Last Samurai, h, 5, o/o Lady Samuri, by First Samurai. Gill Razorback H., 2-18, Oaklawn

Malibu Moon, Ocean of Storms, c, 3, o/o Wind Racer, by Curlin. AOC, 2-18, Tampa Bay

Medaglia d'Oro, Merlazzza, f, 3, o/o Mi Vida, by Distorted Humor. MSW, 2-18, Fair Grounds

Misremembered, Don't Get Pickled, f, 3, o/o C C's Pride, by Successful Appeal. Princess of Palms S., 2-18, Turf Paradise

Mohaymen, Mohaymen Day, f, 4, o/o Weeks, by Ghazi. MSW, 2-17, Charles Town

Mr. Big, Big Switch, f, 4, o/o Two Faced Moon, by Malibu Moon. AOC, 2-18, Santa Anita

Munnings, Nimitz Class, c, 4, o/o Five Diamonds, by Flatter. John B. Campbell S., 2-18, Laurel

My Golden Song, Gold Pilot, g, 6, o/o Formal Flyer, by Early Flyer. H-Town S., 2-18, Sam Houston

My Golden Song, Imaluckycharm, f, 4, o/o Foxy Boss, by Street Boss. Miss Bluebonnet Turf S., 2-18, Sam Houston

My Golden Song, Izaizit, f, 3, o/o Tiz Tiz, by Tiznow. Two Altazano S., 2-18, Sam Houston

My Golden Song, Sunlit Song, g, 8, o/o Fly So True, by Early Flyer. Houston Turf S., 2-18, Sam Houston

Nyquist, Zio Jo, c, 3, o/o Senorita Corredora, by El Corredor. MCL, 2-17, Santa Anita

Outwork, Outadore, g, 5, o/o Adore You, by Tactical Cat. AOC, 2-17, Turfway

Overdriven, Chess Master, g, 7, o/o Chesty, by Chester House. Turf Dash S., 2-18, Tampa Bay
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Paynter, Hybrid Eclipse, m, 5, o/o Super Plan, by Valid Wager. 
Nellie Morse S., 2-18, Laurel

Pioneer of the Nile, Pioneer of Medina, c, 4, o/o Lights of Medina, by Eskendereya. GII Mineshaft S. Presented by Relyne 
GI By Hagyard, 2-18, Fair Grounds

Quality Road, Heroic Move, c, 3, o/o Family Tree, by Smart Strike. MSW, 2-18, Oaklawn

Ride On Curlin, Coffeewithchris, g, 3, o/o Andiemac, by Outflanker. Miracle Wood S., 2-18, Laurel

Rousing Sermon, Always Seeking, f, 4, o/o Heat Striker, by Unusual Heat. AOC, 2-17, Golden Gate

Shaman Ghost, Forgiving Spirit, g, 4, o/o Apology Accepted, by Candy Ride (Arg). AOC, 2-17, Santa Anita

Sharp Azteca, Fayette Fox, f, 3, o/o A. P. Investment, by A.P. Indy. MCL, 2-18, Santa Anita

Smiling Tiger, Upward Mobility, g, 3, o/o Allshewrote, by Monarchos. MSW, 2-18, Santa Anita

Square Eddie, Catalina Eddy, c, 3, o/o Frege, by Johar. MSW, 2-18, Santa Anita

Stanford, Special Moment, g, 3, o/o Blame It Onthesong, by Blame. Startac S., 2-18, Turf Paradise

Star Guitar, Tambourine Star, c, 4, o/o Tambourine Queen, by Giant’s Causeway. ALW, 2-18, Fair Grounds

Straight Talking, Swayin to and Fro, f, 4, o/o Jungle Lady, by Warrior’s Reward. GII Barbara Fritchie S., 2-18, Laurel

Street Sense, Comparative, f, 3, o/o Collective, by Bernardini. 
MSW, 2-18, Fair Grounds

Strong Mandate, Bennykayandsuzytoo, f, 3, o/o Cora and Jas, by Kitten’s Joy. ALW, 2-18, Oaklawn

Super Saver, Register, r, 3, o/o Champagne Sue, by Elusive Quality. MSW, 2-18, Aqueduct

Tapizar, Train to Artemus, m, 5, o/o Pay Day Kitten, by Kitten’s Joy. Lightning City S., 2-18, Tampa Bay

Uncle Mo, Bishops Bay, c, 3, o/o Catch My Drift, by Pioneerof the Nile. MSW, 2-18, Fair Grounds

Uncle Mo, Playlist, f, 3, o/o Bon Jovi Girl, by Malibu Moon. 
MSW, 2-18, Turfway

Upstart, Nostalgic Run, c, 4, o/o Song Memory, by Unbridled’s Song. ALW, 2-18, Laurel
CONSIGNORS FOCUS ON DIRT-BREDS FOR GOFFS DUBAI BREEZE UP SALE

By Brian Sheerin

The demand for American dirt-bred horses for next month’s Goffs Dubai Breeze Up Sale has, according to Eddie O’Leary and Con Marnane, two titans of the game, provided consignors with a clear framework about what will and won’t ring buyers’ bells in the sales ring.

While Tom Taaffe, the client relations agent at Goffs, described last year’s inaugural Dubai Breeze Up Sale as “a very good start,” there is a growing confidence among consignors that next month can be even better, with Marnane admitting to have ‘upped his game big time.’

The sale, which takes place on Mar. 21, will also feature a new name on the catalogue, with Shane Power of Tradewinds Stud offering a Yoshida (Jpn) colt that he and his partners in the horse sourced specifically for this sale.

O’Leary sold both of his American-bred colts under his Lynn Lodge Stud banner at this sale last year and is back again with one by Collected and another by City Of Light, which he hopes will be a timely offering given the stallion sired G3 UAE Oaks winner Mimi Kakushi on Friday.

He said, “I thought last year’s sale provided everyone with a good platform to build on.”

COOLANGATTA PUNCHES ROYAL ASCOT TICKET IN LIGHTNING

Coolangatta (Aus) (Written Tycoon {Aus}), who won the G1 Black Caviar Lightning S. at Flemington on Saturday, will be pointed toward a start at Royal Ascot, the Sydney Morning Herald reported.

Trained by Ciaron Maher and David Eustace, the 3-year-old filly has won five of her eight starts, and started this campaign with a third in the G2 Mitty’s McEwen S. at Moonee Valley in September. She claimed a first Group 1 crown in the Moir S. there on Sept. 23, but could only manage fifth in the G1 Coolmore Stud S. at Flemington on Oct. 29. Given a rest, the Lightning was her first start back.

“From here the dream would be Royal Ascot for everyone involved,” co-trainer Eustace told the paper. “She’s shown she likes the straight and I think everyone in the group would be keen to go there. Where she goes next, I’m not sure, but ultimately, we’d love to give that a crack.” Cont. p9

IN TDN AMERICA TODAY

ANGEL OF EMPIRE TAKES RISSEN STAR

Classic Empire’s Angel Of Empire claimed the GII Risen Star S. presented by Lamarque Lincoln and Lamarque Crescent City Ford at the Fair Grounds on Saturday.

Check out TDN videos on YouTube

Baaeed Proving a Privilege at Nunnery
A total of 73 2-year-olds are set to be sold at the second Goffs Dubai Breeze-Up Sale in March.

'MANHATTAN' LEADS EURO-SIRED QUARTET

In the latest Making Waves column, four European-sired horses found the winner’s circle in the last week.

RUSSIAN EMPERATOR WINS QATAR’S RICHEST RACE

Jockey Alberto Sanna guided Russian Emperor (Ire) (Galileo (Ire)) to a half-length victory in the $2.5-million feature.
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He added, “We are bringing bigger and better dirt-bred horses in general this year which will suit their programme that bit better, so hopefully it works.

“The programme in Dubai does not kick off until October onwards so there’s no point in bringing a sharp Showcasing (GB) colt thinking it will suit because it won’t. Their programme is all about good, big scopey dirt-bred horses who will come into their own next year. That’s what they want.”

He added, “Looking through the catalogue, you may as well be in Keeneland. We went to buy horses last year that we thought would suit Dubai and the programme that they have over there. We’ve two for the sale this year and one is by City Of Light. He’s the only City Of Light colt in the sale, which is great, because a City Of Light sired the winner of the UAE Oaks at Meydan on Friday.

“Let’s hope this sale can build on last year. We’re bringing the horses that we think will suit the programme in Dubai and we hope that the trainers take the sale to heart. The horses are there on their doorstep and they don’t have to travel halfway around the world to go and buy them. Let’s see what happens.”

Taaffe shares O’Leary’s optimism. Having seen a lot of the 73 catalogued horses in the flesh, he says that the physicals match up with the pedigrees and expects that to be reflected in the sales figures.

“Most of these consignors are taking their best horses to this sale,” he said. “The catalogue is made up of roughly 85% dirt horses and there are some very good physicals and pedigrees in the sale. There are three tiers and we hope to cater for every type of buyer. I would be confident that we have gone up a gear from last year.

“I’m more than happy with the quality of the horses in the three tiers and the response that we are getting from the clientele that will be attending the sale from various different countries has been good.”

Reflecting on the inaugural Dubai Breeze Up Sale, he added, “As I said last year, it was a very good start. From the outside, people felt it was fabulous but, internally, I know in my own heart that there are things that we will all learn from. That includes the Dubai Racing Club, Goffs, vendors and purchasers. I think we’ve made a lot of progress in the year and hopefully we can see that in a month’s time.

“Most importantly, for a first sale, we already have 13 individual winners and these horses were predominantly bought to be more 3-year-olds and upwards types. So, at this stage, to have that many winners is fantastic, not to mention the Group 1-placed Labeling (GB) (Frankel (GB)) in Japan. For a small sale of 69 catalogued last year, that’s pretty good.”

One of those winners was a Night Of Thunder (Ire) colt, consigned by Marnane’s Bansha House Stables, who went on to be named Desert Man (GB) and scored impressively on the dirt in Saudi Arabia.

However, Marnane has refined his approach to this year’s sale, and offers a Le Brivido (Fr) half-brother to G1 Dubai World Cup winner Prince Bishop (Ire) (Dubawi (Ire)) and an Audible colt who is very much built for the dirt.

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“Quality filly, easy moving and looks precocious”
Jessica Harrington on the filly ex Melodrama

“He’s a well-balanced, athletic, good moving colt.”
Owen Burrows on the colt ex Decima

“Very happy with her, she’s been up Warren Hill a few times, nice mover. Physically she’s quite an imposing filly… I like what I see.”
Harry Eustace on the filly ex Bellajeu

“Conradi is a forward strong sharp filly with a very uncomplicated attitude. She should make an early two year old. I like her. We also have Mot Doux, a homebred of Alexis Adamian and she’s a nice straightforward filly.”
Paddy Twomey on the fillies out of Althiba and Mots Croises

“The Calyx babies are precocious and take to training like absolute naturals. With their good minds and athletic ability, we are very excited for their futures.”
Clay Scherer on the fillies ex Shine and Kaabari

“He is very easy on the eye, he has a very good action and looks every inch an athlete.”
Roger Varian on the colt ex Dazzling Rose

“A quality horse. A lovely mover and looks like he’ll be an early to mid-part of the season type.”
Joseph O’Brien on the colt ex Fancy

“A highly talented horse by Kingman, you could see him getting a couple of really good ones.”
Joe Foley, purchaser of the colt ex Saadatt

“Big scopey yearling who has only just been broken in but has a fabulous mind. Smaller type, racy in physique, very straightforward, early but hasn’t been stepped up into fast work yet. We like both despite being very different types. Both have good minds and a good presence about them.”
Marco Botti on the fillies ex Bristol Fashion and Plane Tree Fairy respectively

“Both Calyx colts we have look racy types they will take a bit of time but are progressing well and should be mid-season two-year-olds.”
Karl Burke on the colts ex Winter Light and Dubai Affair

Calyx was also rapid on the track, showing a blistering turn of foot at Royal Ascot that speed-oriented breeders could not have missed, and the Coolmore sire looks decent value.
RACING POST, Breeding On A Budget, Feb 9th
Dirt-Breds The Key Cont.

Marnane said, "We've upped our game big time for this year's sale. We've an incredible Audible colt. Goffs told us that we needed to bring American-bred horses that will handle the dirt, but we've a Le Brivido (Fr) going down there as well, and he's a brother to Prince Bishop (Ire) (Dubawi {Ire}), who won the Dubai World Cup. You don't get a better pedigree for Dubai than that."

He added, "I'm bringing a nice grass horse and an American dirt horse. A racehorse is a racehorse and there's loads of grass races in the Middle East and the American programme is now split 50-50 between the dirt and the turf as well."

"Amy bought the Audible at Fasig-Tipton but sure the prices at the yearling sales in America were cuckoo. We had to up our game big time to buy a horse for this sale. The prize-money is so good in America that people can justify buying a yearling for what they are making over there. It was tough to buy them."

"The standard of horses that is coming through the breeze-ups is excellent. Proper horses. We've over 100 black-type and group horses sold and three Royal Ascot 2-year-olds as well. That's fair going. We've been very lucky."

And, with that sort of track record, the famous 'Bansha Bullets' phrase was coined. But, tell us Con, has it been hard getting used to preparing these bigger dirt-type horses for the breeze-ups compared to the lightning-quick 2-year-olds?

"By Jesus, these two are fast! But I'll tell you one thing, hats off to Sheikh Mohommed, who looks after the staff who go down there very well. His generosity is fantastic. There has been good success from last year's sale and it's only going to get better."

He added, "It's a work in progress but Goffs did a wonderful job last year in getting the buyers there and I've no doubt that they will do the same again this time round. It's a mammoth task, getting 69 horses on the plane out of Shannon down to a sale in Dubai and then for it to go well after that. You've got to take your hat off to them."

Like O'Leary and Marnane, Power set out to buy an American dirt-bred horse, and explained why he wanted to be a part of the action in Dubai.

"It's an interesting concept. It's a new outlet for us and is totally different to what we are used to doing so it's good to explore something different. I own the Yoshida colt in partnership with Jerry Horan, who bought him in Keeneland last year. Yoshida is obviously a Grade I winner on dirt and the market seemed to gravitate towards these big horses with dirt pedigrees last year. You need to bring a two-turn dirt horse and you definitely need something with a bit of size. This fella is just over 16hh, is a big, scopey horse, so he should fit the bill physically and on pedigree as well. Hopefully it all comes together."

He added, "My brother Alex was at this sale last year and said that a lot of the horses who sold well came up the middle of the track. Rather than coming up the rail, it looked more impressive if a horse could breeze straight up the middle of the track, so we've had that in the back of our minds in preparing this lad."

"As well as that, this sale comes up pretty quickly after Christmas. You don't have a lot of time from Christmas to the sale. They are big horses, so it's a different sort of challenge in preparing them for a breeze."

"While they don't have to break the clock, and they can come up the track three-quarter pace, it's been at the forefront of my mind to try and be a step ahead of where I needed to be with him, just because the sale comes up so quickly."

"To be fair to the horse, he has a great appetite for feed and work, and he has been telling us all along that he can take the workload which was great because this was always the sale we wanted to go to with him."
Dubai Breeze-Up Catalogue Cont.

Among the best graduates is the winner Labeling (GB) (Frankel (GB)), who is also Group 1-placed in Japan, as well as the winning Mr Raj (Bolt d’Oro), who ran third in the G3 UAE 2000 Guineas earlier this month.

Sheikh Rashid bin Dalmo Al Maktoum, Chairman of Dubai Racing Club, said, “We are delighted to welcome buyers, consigners, and bloodstock agents to the first renewal of the Dubai Breeze-Up Sale, held in association with Goffs after a very successful inaugural auction in 2022. The catalogue contains carefully selected specialist horses that serve the underlying vision of this unique sale in the region.

“Thanks to the leadership and vision of His Highness Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum, Vice President and Prime Minister of the UAE and Ruler of Dubai, we aim to be the best at what we do.

“We always believed that the Dubai Breeze-Up Sale offers potential buyers a unique opportunity to purchase young horses sourced from various farms and bloodstock sales worldwide based on studies of their attributes and pedigrees and with varieties that meet various needs and expectations. It offers potential buyers from the region select runners that save them the hassles of travelling and shopping around and offers them select runners at competitive prices in a venue so close to numerous vibrant racing centres.

“The catalogue features outstandingly bred individuals; many of whom are by some of the world’s leading stallions and are related to horses who thrilled in this region. This bunch of young horses feature great conformation and soundness. They have undergone basic training and are ready to pay back prospective buyers.”

The 2023 catalogue includes individuals by established sires like American Pharoah, Constitution, Curlin, Ghostzapper, Hard Spun, Gun Runner, Into Mischief, Justify, Kingman (GB), Medaglia d’Oro, No Nay Never, Not This Time, Sea The Stars (Ire), Speightstown, Tapit, War Front, Zoustar (Aus), and Yoshida (Jpn), as well as exciting first-season sires such as Masar (Ire), Too Darn Hot (GB) and Ten Sovereigns (Ire).


“Buoyed by the success of year one, the breeze-up consignors went to the world’s leading yearling sales with this year’s Dubai Breeze-Up firmly in their sights and our selection team led by Tom Taaffe and Nick Nugent has worked with them to compile a catalogue of unrivalled quality that will appeal to all Middle Eastern and international buyers attending the Dubai World Cup.

“It is an honour for Goffs to conduct the Dubai Breeze Up on behalf of the Dubai Racing Club and I wish to extend my thanks once again for the trust placed in the Goffs service by HH Sheikh Rashid bin Dalmo Al Maktoum and his team whilst we salute the vision of His Highness Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum in adding this sale to the iconic Dubai World Cup Meeting.”

MAKING WAVES: FEB. 11-17

by Heather Anderson

In this new semi-weekly series, the TDN takes a look at the notable successes of European-based sires in North America. This week’s column, Feb. 11-17, is highlighted by the victory of Manhattan Jungle (Ire) (Bungle Inthejungle (GB)) in the Sweet Life S. at Santa Anita Park on Feb. 11.

No Concrete Fears For Smart Filly

The best performance of the week was Eclipse Thoroughbred Partners’ Manhattan Jungle adding to her resume in the Sweet Life S. going down the hill at Santa Anita. A three-quarter length winner for trainer Michael McCarthy, the 3-year-old filly was second in the Blue Norther S. on New Year’s Eve.

One of seven black-type winners for her Rathasker-based sire, Manhattan Jungle is the best of a trio of winners from just five runners in America. Her sire’s best progeny is undoubtedly G1 Nunthorpe S. heroine Winter Power (Ire), and he stands for €6,500 this year.

Bred by Patrick Headon of Wraymount Stud and a €20,000 Goffs Sportman’s Sale yearling buy by Lemos De Souza and his partner, trainer Amy Murphy, the filly made her first two starts winning ones in France for Murphy, De Souza and co-owners Daniel Macauliffe and Anoj Don in April. Cont. p6
Making Waves Cont.

Stepped up to listed company, the result was the same in Vichy’s Prix des Reves d’Or, but the silks were different, as by this point Aron Wellman’s Eclipse had snapped up Manhattan Jungle and left her in Murphy’s care.

Although she found the waters too deep in Royal Ascot’s G2 Queen Mary S., Manhattan Jungle was only a length back in second to the future G1 Prix Morny third and G1 Middle Park S. second The Antarctic (Ire) (Dark Angel {Ire})—a full-brother to crack sprinter Battaash (Ire) (Dark Angel {Ire})—in the G3 Prix de Cabourg on Aug. 2. Fourth in the Morny, and back in the placings after setting the pace to be third in the G3 Prix Eclipse on Sept. 17, the Murphy trainee was unplaced in the GI Breeders’ Cup Juvenile Fillies Turf at Keeneland after a busy season in November and transferred to McCarthy.

Her dam, the Acclamation (GB) mare Skylight (Ire), won once in six starts, taking out the one-mile Selling S. over the Lingfield all-weather for trainer Mick Channon. The third foal and winner for her dam, Manhattan Jungle has a Sioux Nation 2-year-old half-sister, as well as a yearling half-brother by Shaman (Ire). The Sioux Nation filly, also consigned by Wraymount, made €90,000 on the bid of Emma Chilcot & Get in the Game at the Goffs Sportman’s Sale last September.

An honourable mention, is the late Galileo (Ire)’s 3-year-old daughter Juniper’s Moon, who graduated by three-parts of a length going 1 1/16 miles on grass in her third try at Tampa Bay Downs on Saturday (video). The Coolmore great’s 359 stakes winners (241 group/graded), feature 26 in Canada and North America, with 15 at the Grade I tier. Juniper’s Moon is one of 61 North American winners from 171 runners.

Bred by Carolyn and Fletcher Gray and foaled in Kentucky, the chestnut was part of the Blandford Stud consignment at the 2021 Keeneland September Yearling Sale, and brought $725,000 from J.R. International Holdings. Second when unveiled over the Aqueduct turf in November for Team Spoor and Anthony Dutrow, she was sixth at that track stepping up to 1 1/8 miles on the main track on Nov. 25.

Related to the late GII Jim Dandy S. hero-turned sire Laoban (Uncle Mo), she is out of GI Cotillion S., GI Delaware H., and GI Spinster S. heroine I’m A Chatterbox (Munnings), who was also placed five times at the graded level and was third in the GI Kentucky Oaks of 2015. I’m A Chatterbox was covered by Into Mischief last spring.

**Kingman’s Florida Double**

Florida was the place to be on Thursday, as Juddmonte stallion Kingman (GB) sired a brace of new maiden winners.

William K. Werner’s 3-year-old filly Grace Darling (Ire) struck by two lengths in the day’s fifth race going 7 1/2 furlongs at the Hallandale Beach oval (video) under Tyler Gaffalione, who would also be aboard Kingman’s other winner on the day, Turf King. The GI Edgewood S. at Churchill in May is next for Kingman’s 22nd American winner according to current trainer Brian Lynch.

Bred at trainer Dermot Weld’s Springbank Way Stud, she made her first two starts at Naas in Weld’s silks. Sixth versus males in her six-furlong July debut, the daughter of former Weld trainee and G3 Leopardstown 1000 Guineas Trial heroine Stormfly (Ire) (Dark Angel {Ire}) improved to third going that same trip there behind Dower House (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) and subsequent listed heroine Spirit Gal (Fr) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}), who has Guineas aspirations for Charles Fipke. From the family of dual hemisphere Group 1 winner and sire Ivanhowe (Ger) (Soldier Hollow {GB}), Grace Darling was acquired privately by her current connections, and is followed by the juvenile colt Wasp (Ire) (Profitable {Ire}). Cont. p7
Making Waves Cont.

In the day’s finale, Ridgemont Stud-bred **Turf King (Ire)**, out of another Acclamation (GB) mare in **Sweet Acclaim (Ire)**, closed to take a one-mile all-weather feature by a neck for the Chad Brown barn at first asking ([video](#)). Offered by David Cox’s Baroda Stud at the Goffs Orby Yearling Sale in 2021, the colt was picked up for €100,000 by Niall Brennan, who sent him through the 2022 OBS March Sale. After breezing a furlong in :10.1, he made $180,000 on the bid of Wise Racing, and now carries their colours.

Placed third in the G3 Oh So Sharp S. in England, Sweet Acclaim also placed at the graded level Stateside, in the Gill Appalachian S., Gill Violet S., and the Gill Old Forester Mint Julep H., but did manage a stakes victory over the Ellis Park turf. From the extended family of three-time GI Breeders’ Cup Mile heroine **Goldikova (Ire)** (Anabaa), she was picked up for $600,000 out of the 2016 Keeneland November Sale by Craig Roscoe. Turf King is her third foal, third to race and third winner. She has a juvenile filly by Lope De Vega (Ire) yet to come, and a yearling filly by Night Of Thunder (Ire).

The March-foaled Turf King gives **Kingman** a total of 23 winners from 45 runners Stateside (51%). Sprinkled liberally among them are seven stakes scorers (15% stakes winners to runners), led by three-time Grade I winner Domestic Spending (GB), who was also trained by Brown. Residing at Banstead Manor Stud in England, the 12-year-old has 54 worldwide black-type winners and stands for £125,000 this season.

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**BRITAIN**

**Saturday’s Results:**

4th-Newcastle, £18,400, Novice, 2-18, 3yo/up, f/m, 8f 5y (AWT), 1:41.53, st. **QUEEN REGENT (GB)** (f, 3, Roaring Lion--Common Knowledge {GB}, by Rainbow Quest), third on debut behind Godolphin’s promising Veil Of Shadows (GB) (Frankel {GB}) and subsequent winner Spring Promise (Ire) (Lope De Vega {Ire}) over a mile at Kempton a fortnight previously, shadowed that operation’s front-running Reflective Star (GB) (Dubawi {Ire}) throughout the early stages. At work earlier than that rival, the 4-5 favourite had the extra stamina required and after gaining the edge with half a furlong remaining asserted to score by 3/4 of a length.

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Turf King (left) is the latest Stateside winner for Kingman through Friday | Ryan Thompson
4th-Newcastle Cont.

The winner is a half-sister to the G3 Derrinstown Stud Fillies S. scorer and G1 Prix Rothschild third Know It All (GB) (Lord Kanaloa {Jpn}), to the G3 Dubai Airport World Trophy and G3 Flying Five S. winner Astrophysical Jet (GB) (Dubawi {Ire}) and to Coral Wave (Ire) (Rock Of Gibraltar {Ire}) who also made her mark at that level when taking the G3 C. L. Weld Park S. She is the last known foal out of Common Knowledge, who is also the second dam of the listed-winning and group-placed Brunch (GB) (Harbour Watch {Ire}) and The King’s Horses (GB) (Time Test {GB}). She is an unraced daughter of the G2 Riblesdale S. runner-up Highbrow (GB), who produced Blueprint (Ire) (Generous {Ire}) who captured the G2 Jockey Club S., the GII San Luis Rey H. and the GII Sunset H. and was third in the G1 San Juan Capistrano Invitational. A half-sister to the champion and celebrity broodmare Height Of Fashion (Fr) and daughter of The Queen’s dual Classic heroine Highclere (GB), Highbrow is also the second dam of the G1 Coronation Cup and G1 Prix Royal-Oak hero Ask (GB) (Sadler’s Wells) and the G1 Queen Elizabeth S. winner Kingdom Of Fife (GB) (Kingmambo). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, $13,036. O-Qatar Racing Limited; B-Qatar Bloodstock Ltd (GB); T-John & Thady Gosden.

2nd-Lingfield, £10,000, Novice, 2-18, 3yo, 8f 1y (AWT), 1:37.89, st.

FLOATING SPIRIT (GB) (f, 3, Charm Spirit {Ire}–Zero Gravity {GB} (SW-Fr), by Dansili {GB}), off the mark on debut over seven furlongs at Kempton last month, tracked the early leader. Committed turning for home, the 4-9 favourite had command approaching the furlong pole and drew away impressively to score by three lengths from Rose Bolt (Ire) (Make Believe {GB}). The listed-winning dam is a full-sister to the G1 Grand Prix de Paris-winning sire Zambezi Sun (GB) and the dual stakes-placed Shared Account (GB), as well as being a half to the G2 Prix Guillaume d’Ornano scorer Kalabar (GB) (Kahyasi {Ire}) and the multiple group-placed World Heritage (GB) also by Kahyasi. Also related to the G3 Prix des Reservoirs and GIII Athenia S. winner Pocket Square (GB) (Night Of Thunder {Ire}), the dam has the 2-year-old filly Kalpana (GB) (Study Of Man {Ire}) and a yearling colt by Study Of Man (Ire) to come. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, $13,034. O-Juddmonte; B-Juddmonte Farms Ltd (GB); T-Andrew Balding.

CONDITIONS RESULT:
4th-Lingfield, £30,000, 2-18, 4yo/up, f/m, 7f 1y (AWT), 1:24.68, st.

ARAMIS GREY (IRE) (m, 6, Gutaifan {Ire}–Sveva {Ire}, by Danehill Dancer {Ire}) Lifetime Record: 36-10-12-4, $156,248.
Listed Prix Saonois Cont.
Now on a four-timer having won his final outing of 2022 over 9 1/2 furlongs at Deauville and a course-and-distance conditions event in January, the bay was up near the pace from the outset over this sharper test. Tackling the long-time leader National Service approaching the furlong pole, he was soon in front and from there his extra stamina was always going to tell.

The listed-winning dam, who also has Lope De Vega’s promising 3-year-old filly Alia’s Rose (Fr) and a 2-year-old daughter of Wootten Bassett (GB) named Quendresa (GB), is kin to the G1 Prix du Cadran hero Mille Et Mille (GB) (Muhtathir (GB)) and the G3 Prix de Conde-placed Capo Maximo (GB) (Cape Cross (Ire)). The third dam is the G1 Deutschland-Preis and G2 Preis der Diana-placed Quezon City (Ger) (Law Society).

Video, sponsored by TVG.

CONDITIONS RESULT:
1st-Cagnes-sur-Mer, €30,000, 2-18, 3yo, 6 1/2f (AWT), 1:18.88, st.

SWING FOR ME (GB) (c, 3, Wootten Bassett {GB}--Sing For Me (Fr), by Siyouni (Fr)) Lifetime Record: 7-4-1-0, €61,040. O-Ecurie Antonio Caro; B-L Baudron (GB); T-Jean-Claude Rouget.

*125,000 Ylg > 21 ARQOCT.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:
Opiana (GB), f, 3, Anodin (Ire)--Cosmique (Fr) (SP-Fr), by Pivotal (GB). Cagnes-sur-Mer, 2-18, 8f (AWT), 1:36.38. B-Wertheimer et Frere (GB).
Szafran (Fr), c, 3, Zelzal (Fr)--Texalila (Fr), by Sunday Break (Jpn). Cagnes-sur-Mer, 2-18, 8f (AWT), 1:39.40. B-SCEA des Prairies & Mme S Jeffroy (FR)

IN AUSTRALIA:
King Frankel (Ire), g, 5, Frankel (GB)--You’ll Be Mine (G1SP-Eng), by Kingmanubo. Rosehill Gardens, 2-18, Listed Parramatta Cup, 1900mT, 1:55.90, gd. B-Premier Bloodstock (Ire). *280,000gns Ylg ‘19 TATOCT. **Full to Eminent (Ire) (Frankel {GB}), GSW-Eng & Fr, G1SP-Ire & Aus, $751,838.
Amir Trophy Cont.

“I’m only new to the training ranks, but [Russian Emperor’s] a special horse for me. I’ve won two Group 1 races with him in Hong Kong, and I thought he was the right horse to travel with temperament wise. I must say he’s really blossomed since he’s landed in Qatar.”

Settled towards the rear with only two rivals behind for the opening 1800-metres, Sanna swung the 6-year-old out into the clear approaching the stretch and appeared to be going ominously well. He tanked to the front with a furlong to travel and had enough in the dying strides to hold off the progressive Warren Point (GB) (Dubawi {Ire}), an impressive winner in listed company in Bahrain earlier this month, who was locked away at a crucial stage and attacked the line to just miss. Commonly owned stablemates Bolthole (Ire) (Free Eagle {Ire}) and Inverness (Ire) (Highland Reel {Ire}) rounded out the minors.

Broome (Ire) (Australia {GB}) attended the pace before weakening into fifth, while Hong Kong’s Senor Toba (Aus) (Toronado {Ire}) finished a midfield seventh for former local champion jockey Harry Bentley. Stone Age (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) failed to land a blow and trailed in.

Russian Emperor, winner of Royal Ascot’s G3 Hampton Court S., was a narrowly beaten second in the 2021 BMW Hong Kong Derby and had since won the G1 Citi Hong Kong Gold Cup over 10 furlongs and the G1 Champions and Chater Cup going Saturday’s trip. He holds an entry for the G1 Longines Sheema Classic at Meydan on Mar. 25. The gelding is one of two winners out of his champion four-time Group 1 winning dam, who died in August 2020 just days after foaling a Justify colt now named Marvillas (Aus), an A$240,000 Inglis Easter yearling purchase who is currently spelling for trainer Annabel Neasham.

In the afternoon’s other marquee events, Order of Australia (Ire) (Australia {GB}) was given a perfect ride from the front by Ryan Moore to scoop the Irish Thoroughbred Marketing Cup (1600m); the John and Thady Gosden-trained Alzahri (Fr) (Sea The Stars {Ire}) outfinished the filly Kerindia (Ire) (Cotai Glory {GB}) in the age-restricted Al Rayyan Mile; and Flaming Rib (Ire) (Ribchester {Ire}) outdueled two-time defending champion Taxiwala (Ire) (Holy Roman Emperor {Ire}) with Oisin Murphy at the controls in the Dukhan Sprint.

Saturday’s Results:

**HH THE AMIR TROPHY (Qat-G1)-Listed, $2,500,000, Al Rayyan, 2-18, 3yo/up, 2400mT, 2:25.46, gd.**

1--RUSSIAN EMPEROR (IRE), 128, g, 6, Galileo (Ire)--Atlantic Jewel (Aus) (Ch. 3yo Filly, Ch. Older Mare & MG1SW-Aus, $1,559,748), by Fastnet Rock (Aus). O-Mike Cheung Shun Ching; B-Coolmore, Lauri Macri & Partners; T-Douglas Whyte; J-Alberto Sanna; $1,425,000. Lifetime Record: MG1SW-HK, GSW-Eng, GSP-Ire, 25-5-4-3, $5,273,661.

2--Warren Point (GB), 126, g, 4, Dubawi (Ire)--Gaterie, by Dubai Destination. O/B-Godolphin; T-Charlie Appleby; J-William Buick; $550,000.

3--Bolthole (Ire), 126, c, 4, Free Eagle (Ire)--Weekend Getaway (Ire), by Acclamation (GB). (i12,000 Ylg '20 GOFFEB; 19,000gns RNA Ylg '20 TATOCT; 130,000gns HRA '22 TATAUT). O-Wathnan Racing; B-Patrick M Ryan; T-Alban de Mieulle; J-Ronan Thomas; $275,000.

Margins: HF, HF, SHD.

Also Ran: Inverness (Ire), Broome (Ire), Mutabahi (Fr), Senor Toba (Aus), Romagna Mia (GB), Riocorvo (Ger), In The Night (Ire), Hellenistique (Ire), Stone Age (Ire). VIDEO (SC 6)

**IRISH THOROUGHBRED MARKETCUP (Qat-G2, NBT), $500,000, Al Rayyan, 2-18, 3yo/up, 1600mT, 1:33.86, gd.**

1--ORDER OF AUSTRALIA (IRE), 128, h, 6, Australia (GB)--Senta's Dream (GB), by Danehill. O-Derrick Smith, Mrs John Magnier, Michael Tabor & Mrs A M O'Brien; B-Whisperview Trading Ltd; T-Aidan O'Brien; J-Ryan Moore; $285,000. Lifetime Record: Hwt. 3yo & 4yo-Ire at 7-9.5f, GISW-US, MGSW-Ire, MG1SP-Fr, G1SP-Eng, $2,255,516. *1/2 to Iridessa (Ire) (Ruler of The World {Ire}), MG1SW-Ire, G1SW-Eng, GISW-US, $1,988,198; and Santa Barbara (Ire) (Camelot {GB}), MG1SW-US, G1SP-Ire, $731,938.

2--Band Width (Ire), 128, g, 4, Gutaifan (Ire)--Party Whip (Ire), by Whipper. (€22,000 Ylg '20 GOFSEP; 60,000gns HRA '22 TATAUT). O-Wathnan Racing; B-Bridgetown Stud; T-Alban de Mieulle; J-Mickael Barzalona; $110,000.

3--Conflict (Ire), 128, c, 4, No Nay Never--Sound of Guns (GB), by Acclamation (GB). (90,000gns Ylg '20 TATOCT; €255,200 2yo '21 ARQMAY; £52,500 HRA '22 TATAUG). O-51 East
Racing: B-Ballylinch Stud; T-Wasim Al Sahn; J-Maxime Guyon; $55,000.
Margins: HF, HD, HF.

**AL RAYYAN MILE (Qat-G2, NBT), $400,000, Al Rayyan, 2-18, 3yo, 1600mT, 1:33.83, gd.**

1--**ALZAHIR (FR), 128, g, 3, Sea The Stars (Ire)--Cup Cake (Ire), by Singspiel (Ire).** (200,000gns Ylg ’21 TATOE). O-Al Wasiymiah Stud, G Bailey, N Wrigley; B-Al Wasiymiah Stud; T-John & Thady Gosden; J-Andrea Atzeni; $228,000. Lifetime Record: 5-2-1-0, $234,758. *1/2 to Suedois (Fr) (Le Havre {Ire}), GISW-US, GSW & G1SP-Eng & Fr, GSW-Ire, SP-UAE, * $1,983,778; and Kadalup (Fr) (Dark Angel {Ire}), Hwt.

2--**Lifetime Record: SW & G1SP-Eng, 17-7-3-2, $554,275.** B-Kildaragh Stud; T-Hugo Palmer; J-Oisin Murphy; $228,000. 25,000gns Ylg ’20 TATOCT). O-Dale Dolan Dooley Owen; (Ger), by Excelebration (Ire)

3--**$400,000, Al Rayyan, 2-18, 3yo, 1200mT, 1:08.56, gd.** M-Farhad E. Zedan; T-Hugo Palmer; J-Oisin Murphy; $44,000, Tokyo, 2-18, 4yo/up, 3400mT, 1:20.40, fm.

**DYKHAN SPRINT (Sponsored by Breeders’ Cup) (Qat-G3, NBT), $400,000, Al Rayyan, 2-18, 3yo, 1200mT, 1:08.56, gd.**

1--**FLAMING RIB (IRE), 128, c, 4, Ribchester (Ire)--Suddenly (Ger), by Excelebration (Ire).** (€40,000 Wlg ’19 GOFNOV; 25,000gns Ylg ’20 TATOE). O-Dale Dolan Dooley Owen; B-Kildaragh Stud; T-Hugo Palmer; J-Oisin Murphy; $228,000. Lifetime Record: SW & G1SP-Eng, 17-7-3-2, $554,275.

2--**TAXIWALA (IRE), 128, g, 6, Holy Roman Emperor (Ire)--It’s True (Ire), by Kheleyf.** (€105,000 Wlg ’17 GOFNOV; 50,000gns Ylg ’18 TATOE; 10,000gns HRA ’19 TATAUT). O-Eng Osama Omer E Al-Faeza; B-River Downs Stud; T-Osama Al-Dafea; J-Ronan Crowley; $88,000.

3--**MONSIEUR NOIR (GB), 128, g, 7, Shamardal--Night Frolic (GB), by Night Shift.** (500,000gns Ylg ’17 TATOE; 75,000gns HRA ’19 TATAUT). O-Wathnan Racing; B-Highclere Stud & Floors Farming; T-Alban de Mieulle; J-Mickael Barzalona; $44,000.Margins: 1/4, 2 HF.

**DYKHAN SPRINT (Sponsored by Breeders’ Cup) (Qat-G3, NBT), $400,000, Al Rayyan, 2-18, 3yo, 1200mT, 1:08.56, gd.**

1--**MIXOLOGY (JPN), 123, c, 4, by Orfevre (Jpn)**

1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN. 1ST GROUP WIN. (¥5,500,000 Ylg ’20 JBBAAUG). O-Yoshimasa Ema; B-Tabata Farm (Jpn); T-Tayasuyuki Tsujino; J-Atsuya Nishimura; ¥43,560,000. Lifetime Record: 10-5-1-1. Click for the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree. Werk Nick Rating: B. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.

2--**HUMIDOR (Jpn), 123, g, 7, Orfevre(Jpn)--Avec Toi (Jpn), by Chichicastenango (Fr).** O-Silk Racing; B-Northern Farm (Jpn); f, 1400mT, 1:20.40, fm.

1--**LA CHRISTINE (JPN), 121, m, 5, by Mikki Isle(Jpn)**

1ST BLACK TYPE. 1ST GROUP BLACK TYPE. O-Silk Racing; B-Northern Farm (Jpn); ¥11,072,000. Lifetime Record: 12-6-3-0.

Saturday, Hanshin, Japan

**KYOTO HIMBA S.-G3, ¥72,920,000, Hanshin, 2-18, 4yo/up, f, 1400mT, 1:20.40, fm.**

1--**LA CHRISTINE (JPN), 121, m, 5, by Mikki Isle(Jpn)**

1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN. 1ST GROUP WIN. (¥18,900,000 Ylg ’19 JBBAAUG). O-Fujii Kosan Inc.; B-Doi Farm (Jpn); T-Takashi Saito; J-Akira Sugawara; ¥38,644,000. Lifetime Record: 12-6-3-0. Click for the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree. Werk Nick Rating: A+++. *Triple Plus. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.

2--**WIN CHARLOTTE (Jpn), 121, m, 5, Screen Hero (Jpn)--Maria Veronika (Jpn), by Jungle Pocket (Jpn).** O-Win Inc.; B-Cosmo View Farm (Jpn); ¥15,184,000.

3--**LOTUS LAND, 123, m, 6, Point of Entry--Little Miss Muffet, by Scat Daddy.** O-Eiichi Kobayashi Holding; B-Dr. Aaron Sones & Dr. Naoya Yoshida (Jpn); ¥9,592,000. Lifetime Record: 8-2-0-1. Click for the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree. Werk Nick Rating: A+++. *Triple Plus. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.

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Also Ran: Fermi Sphere (Jpn), Meisho Mimosa (Jpn), Ten Happy Rose (Jpn), Hymenocallis (Jpn), Shigeru Pink Ruby (Jpn), Miss New York (Jpn), Divina (Jpn), Luce Carina (Jpn), Buon Voyage (Jpn), Lupinus Lead (Jpn), Water Navillera (Jpn), Sublime Anthem (Jpn), Comstock Load (Jpn), Sky Grove (Jpn), Satono Ai (Jpn). Click for the JRA chart & video.

Saturday, Tokyo, Japan

**DIAMOND S.-G3, ¥82,6000,000, Tokyo, 2-18, 4yo/up, 3400mT, *3:29.108 (NCR), fm.**

1--**MIXOLOGY (JPN), 123, c, 4, by Orfevre (Jpn)**
**GROUP ENTRIES**

Sunday, Tokyo, Japan, post time: 3.40 p.m.

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COOLANGATTA TAKES LIGHTNING, NATURE STRIP SIXTH

by TDN AusNZ

Last year’s R. Listed Magic Millions 2YO Classic heroine Coolangatta (Written Tycoon) confirmed her status as one of the best fillies in the country with a tenacious first-up success against the older horses in the G1 Black Caviar Lightning S. at Flemington on Saturday.

The sole 3-year-old filly in the field, Coolangatta claimed the scalp of the World’s Best Sprinter Nature Strip (Nicconi), who faded into sixth and recorded the second Group 1 victory of her career with a 0.4l success over Golden Eagle winner I Wish I Win (NZ) (Savabeel), who rattled home from the rear of the field in an impressive return to action.

Coolangatta’s Ciaron Maher and David Eustace-trained stablemate Bella Nipotina (Pride Of Dubai) was another to signal that she’s in for a good preparation, working home nicely into third to be beaten only 0.5l by the winner.

Positioned just off the speed throughout, Coolangatta cruised into contention at the 200-metre mark and found plenty under pressure to become the first 3-year-old filly to win the Black Caviar Lightning S. since 2004.

Winning rider Jamie Kah was full of admiration for her mount but confessed she hadn’t anticipated Coolangatta going to another level this preparation.

“I’ve said it in my interviews leading up to this race, I thought she’d reached her peak last prep (in winning the Moir S.) and I thought it was still a very good peak,” Kah told Racing.com. “I didn’t see her improving that much more, but she’s just come back better and bigger and stronger. “I thought she would run second today, honestly. I didn’t think she would be able to beat Nature Strip.

“The race did shape out for her, there was pressure early. But she is half the size of him (Nature Strip) and she just does things she shouldn’t do. She is just an amazing horse.”

Winning co-trainer David Eustace mooted that a trip to Royal Ascot could be on the cards for Coolangatta later this year, where she would bid to emulate Nature Strip in winning the G1 King’s Stand S. on the opening day of the royal meeting.

“From here the dream would be Royal Ascot for everyone involved,” Eustace told Racing.com.

“She’s shown she likes the straight and I think everyone in the group would be keen to go there. Where she goes next, I’m not sure, but ultimately we’d love to give that a crack.

“She’s heavier and we thought she’d improved from the spring to now, and from two to three.”

Pedigree Notes

Coolangatta was purchased by the Maher and Eustace team for $280,000 from the Milburn Creek draft at the Magic Millions Gold Coast Yearling Sale in 2021.

She is out of the winning More Than Ready (USA) mare Piping Hot, who is herself a daughter of Group 2 winner Ribe (Danehill {USA}), making her a half-sister to G1 Blue Diamond S. winner Reaan, a son of Hussosnet (USA).

In 2022, Coolangatta’s half-sister by Dundeel (NZ) was bought by Kennewell Racing, Group 1 Bloodstock (FBAA) and Trilogy for $300,000 at the Inglis Australian Easter Yearling Sale, and she has foaled a sister to Coolangatta last year before being covered by Champion Sire I Am Invincible.

Coolangatta is one of 12 Group 1 winners for Yulong Stud-based stallion Written Tycoon and is the second elite-level winner bred on the Written Tycoon / More Than Ready cross, with La Luna Rossa being the other.
Saturday, NSW, Australia

LIGHTNING S.-G1, A$1,000,000, VRC, 2-18, Open wfa, 1000mT, 0:56.46, gd.

1--COOLANGATTA, 53.5, f, 3, by Written Tycoon
   1st Dam: Piping Hot, by More Than Ready (USA)
   2nd Dam : Ribe, by Danehill (USA)
   3rd Dam: Kapeskin (NZ), by Kaapstad (NZ)

2--I Wish I Win (NZ), 58.5, g, 4, Savabeel--Make a Wish (NZ), by Pins. O-M J Chittick & P G Moody; B-Waikato Stud Ltd, Waikato (NZ); T-P G Moody; J-L Nolen; A$180,000.

3--Bella Nipotina, 56.5, m, 5, Pride of Dubai--Bella Orfana, by Star Witness. (A$80,000 Ylg ‘19 INGMAR). O-M B Christian, Ms S M Miller, Mrs P T Christian, A S Ingersole, M Johnston, Porter Pelchen Bloodstock (Mgr: W S Pelchen) & B G Christian; B-Saconi Thoroughbreds VIC; T-C Maher & D Eustace; J-B Melham; A$90,000.

Margins: HF, SHD, HD.

Also Ran: September Run, Buenos Noches, Nature Strip, Baller, Marabi, Fire, Millane. Click for the Racing Australia chart. VIDEO.