'INCREDIbLY POSITIVE' VIBE: KEENELAND SEPTEMBER SALE STARTS MONDAY

by Jessica Martini

LEXINGTON, KY - The Keeneland September Yearling Sale, which produced gangbuster results in 2022, returns for its 2023 renewal Monday in Lexington. Perennially a bellwether of the industry's sales market, the 12-day auction opens with a pair of elite Book 1 sessions beginning at 1 p.m. and, with the Keeneland barns awash with activity Sunday, both sales officials and consignors were heading into the sale with plenty of optimism.

“The traffic has been incredibly positive,” said Keeneland Vice President of Sales Tony Lacy. “There are quite a few buyers here. It's probably as positive as I've seen it since pre-COVID. The feedback that we are getting is that it's a very good group of horses. The buyers are very satisfied. The sellers are very positive about the feedback they are getting on the stock they have here overall. So, in general, I am cautiously optimistic.”

Standing outside his Candy Meadows Sales consignment at Barn 11, Matt Lyons smiled when asked about his expectations for the week.

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'RISING STAR' PRINCE OF MONACO GAME IN FUTURITY VICTORY

by Stefanie Grimm

If the last 24 hours have given us anything to judge by, the future of racing on the West Coast seems to be in safe hands. Just one day after 'TDN Rising Star' Tamara (Bolt d'Oro) asserted herself atop her division in the GI FanDuel Racing Del Mar Debutante S., fellow 'Rising Star' Prince of Monaco (Speightstown) followed suit with a game performance to give trainer Bob Baffert his 17th win in the GI Runhappy Del Mar Futurity.

The colt's victory Sunday came as absolutely no surprise. An eight-length debut winner at Los Alamitos, the $950,000 Fasig-Tipton New York Saratoga Select grad parlayed that right into an equally impressive route when defeating another 'Rising Star' in Muth (Good Magic) to take the GIII Best Pal S. Cont. Pg. 5

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“I suppose we are eternally hopeful as consignors, aren’t we?” Lyons said. “Traffic has been pretty good so far. And we are seeing all of the main players and the main syndicates that people are expecting to see. There are quite a few groups from Japan, it looks like, on the grounds and they are looking hard. So we are hopeful.”

The 2023 Keeneland September sale has a tough act to follow. Last year’s auction surpassed $400-million in gross sales for the first time in its history, while also setting records for average and median for the second year in a row. A year ago 2,847 yearlings grossed $405,495,700—to better the previous record set in 2006—for an average of $142,429 and a median of $70,000.

“The market has been good, we’ve had a bull run for the last 15 years, so I don’t expect any dramatic changes,” said Brad Weisbord, whose Elite Sales makes its Keeneland September debut this week. “The colts groups seems to have their money together, so they will probably be the high end. The middle market has struggled for a couple of years. The pinhookers have been strong. They made money the last couple of years—which is nice to see—so I don’t expect many changes. But we will know at the end of the sale. This sale determines what the yearling market is throughout the whole year, so at the end of this marathon we will really understand how the market is.”

While Sheikh Mohammed’s Godolphin and his late brother Sheikh Hamdan dominated the top of the Keeneland September market for many years, the decreased participation of those two Dubai-based entities in the last three years has been largely filled by American-based partnerships focused mainly on purchasing colts with Classic potential. Cont.
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Leading the way in the last two years was the team of Mike Repole and Vinnie Viola, who purchased 31 yearlings for $12,840,000 in 2022. Repole is expected once again to be on site during the first four days of the Keeneland sale as his agent Jacob West and advisor Eddie Rosen were on the grounds Sunday. Chasing them for the leading buyer title last year was the stallion-making partnership of SF Racing, Starlight Racing and Madaket Stables, as well as BSW/Crow Colts Group.

The Keeneland September sale annually attracts buyers from around the world and the buying bench's international flavor should be strong in the coming week, according to Lacy. “We have been very pleased with the support we have been getting from the international market and especially Japan,” Lacy said. “We have had more Japanese visitors this week and they are staying longer. I think they are finding that we have certain sire lines and pedigrees that have worked internationally for them. We are becoming more affordable and very relevant for their program.”

Among the Japanese shoppers on the sales grounds Sunday was Hideyuki Mori, whose five yearling purchases a year ago were led by a $1.2-million son of Curlin.

The international buying bench is also strengthened by new overseas opportunities like the Goffs Dubai Breeze-Up Sale, which was topped this past March by a son of Gun Runner who sold for $583,520 after bringing $160,000 at last year's Keeneland September sale. “The Dubai sale that Goffs run in the spring every year has proven to be a very profitable endeavor for a lot of the pinhookers from Europe coming over here to source stock," Lacy said. “That has really been a great addition to the diversity of what people are looking for." Lacy continued, “We have Australians here, I think we will have a lot of South Americans here and people from all over the world. From the Middle East, we have buyers from Saudi Arabia, Qatar, Bahrain and Dubai. We've put a lot of work travelling around the world over the last couple of years to reach out to our clients at every stage and provide a level of customer service that they would expect anywhere else. Those efforts have started to pay off as we start to look at the diversity through the sales grounds and the excitement about the quality of stock that the U.S. is producing, which is really encouraging.”

Shadwell Farm, which had long been one of the leading buyers at the Keeneland September sale before the death of its founder Sheikh Hamdan al Maktoum in 2021, made four purchases last year and could be a resurgent presence at this year's auction. Sheikha Hissa, now at the helm of her late father's operation, was at the Keeneland sales grounds Sunday. “Sheikha Hissa came for Malathaat's race in the Doubledogdare S. last year," Lacy said. “So she got the experience of coming here. She very much wants to have the same experience that her dad did, so we've been working diligently so that we have the same people working with her as worked with her dad.”

Keeneland has settled into a format for its September sale, which for the third year features Book 1 sessions Monday and Tuesday with 383 yearlings, followed by Book 2 sessions Wednesday and Thursday with 728 yearlings a before a dark day Friday. Cont.
“[This format] allows the higher-end buyers to be able to look at these horses in a relaxed manner without being rushed and also have the opportunity to go and look at Book 2 horses before the first horse walks through the ring,” Lacy explained. “So there is good idea of what the quality is out there. We put a lot of effort into making sure we have good physicals up front that have pedigree, that have commercial appeal, knowing what the marketplace is looking for.”

He continued, “I see this year people are in a more relaxed mode and they are able to give these horses the consideration that they deserve and I think they feel comfortable with that.”

Following its Book 1 and 2 sections, Keeneland will hope for demand to continue into what has seemed to be a weakening middle market.

“I think, looking at the yearling sales that have already happened this year, you have to be positive that [demand] will carry through to at least the middle of the sale,” Lacy said. “I think it could carry through right to the end.”

After buying in a bullish yearling sale a year ago, pinhookers faced a tougher market to sell in this spring, but Weisbord expects they will still be a strong presence at Keeneland.

“Listen, that’s their business,” Weisbord said. “They buy yearlings to sell 2-year-olds. So I expect them to be strong from $75,000 to $275,000.”

“After that, it becomes a very difficult pinhook, but I think that market for them will still be strong.”

The Keeneland September Book 1 sessions Monday and Tuesday will begin at 1 p.m. Book 2 sessions Wednesday and Thursday begin at 11 a.m. Following Friday’s dark day, the auction continues through Sept. 23 with sessions beginning daily at 10 a.m.

Del Mar Futurity Cont. From Pg. 1

Stretching out to his furthest distance to date at seven furlongs Sunday, Prince of Monaco drew inside and came away evenly only to be outspprinted by stablemate Mirahmadi (Into Mischief) through the opening furlong. Keen to go on with it under Del Mar’s leading rider Juan Hernandez, Mirahmadi led comfortably as Prince of Monaco rated nicely inside a pair of rivals through a :22.18 opening quarter. Inside of a bunched up field in which half the entries were trained by Baffert, the heavy 1-9 chalk began to cruise up into the far turn and enjoyed a ground-saving trip in second before tipping out past a :44.75 half mile to engage his stablemate. The pair set off in a duel inside the final eighth but class eventually prevailed with Prince of Monaco getting the upper hand close to home to win with Mirahmadi not far behind. Cont.
# Leading 2023 Sires of Yearlings

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Prince of Monaco | Benoit Photo

"He broke well and I thought I was going to go to the lead," said winning jockey Flavien Prat. "But other horses went for it, so we waited. On the turn, he made his move and we made the lead. His teammate (Mirahmadi) was trying hard. But I think my horse was just waiting for something to come up to him. That didn't happen. Can he run on? We won't know until it happens, but he's done everything right so far."

"It was the right kind of trip we were looking for," added Jimmy Barnes, assistant to Bob Baffert. "We weren't sure about Mirahmadi, where he was going to be placed in the race, but he left there running. (Flavien) Prat just got comfortable on the inside and when he needed to get to the outside he did and he accelerated. I'm very proud of both of them."

Pedigree Note:

Picked up out of the aforementioned Fasig-Tipton Saratoga Select Sale, Prince of Monaco is the first winner out of two to race from the dam. Out of unraced Rainier, the Mar. 26 foal is a grandson of MSW Clay's Rocket (American Chance), a half-sister to GI Frizette winner Adieu (El Corredor). His 7-year-old dam is also responsible for a Munnings filly from last year who sells at Keeneland September next week (hip 1026), followed by a Constitution filly this term. She was bred back to Speightstown for a full-sibling next year.

Sunday, Del Mar
RUNHAPPY DEL MAR FUTURITY-GI, $300,500, Del Mar, 9-10, 2yo, 7f, 1:22.65, ft.
1--PRINCE OF MONACO, 123, c, 2, by Speightstown
1st Dam: Rainier, by Medaglia d'Oro
2nd Dam: Clay's Rocket, by American Chance
3rd Dam: Irene's Talkin, by At the Threshold
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ENDLESSLY STAYS PERFECT IN JUVENILE TURF ROMP

In a battle of two touted maiden winners, it was ENDLESSLY (Oscar Performance) who got the final say in Sunday's GIII Del Mar Juvenile Turf S.

Lined up opposite 'TDN Rising Star' Boltage (Bolt d'Oro), the 5-2 second choice kept to what he knew after a winning debut over this same distance earlier in the meet July 30. Also facing two of his stablemates in this spot, Endlessly broke with the pack but was quickly outrun passing the wire the first time by a keen Des Doigs (Hootenanny), chased intently by both Bear River (Flameaway) and Boltage, blitzed into the first turn through an opening quarter in :22.71. Bear River went on with it to take command up the backstretch as Endlessly checked in near the rear of the field. The top three began to come back to them as Boltage made an early move past a :46.61 half mile and Endlessly followed suit to pick up positions outside of horses.
Del Mar Juvenile Turf Cont.

Three across the track at the quarter pole, Boltage tried to make a race of it but the Mike McCarthy trainee went right on by, opening up inside the final sixteenth to win going away.

"I had a good trip," said winning jockey Juan Hernandez, also aboard for the maiden win. "Mike (trainer Mike McCarthy) told me the horse had really been training well. When you hear that, you don't get nervous out there if you get in a little trouble."

"The horse had drawn a little bit outside today and I told Juan (Hernandez) just go ahead and bounce out of there and hopefully not get yourself stuck too far out in the middle of the racetrack around the first turn," added McCarthy. "The horse was attentive to him and he put himself in a great spot. He looked like he was always traveling comfortably. It did look like Juan took it to him a little early. It just seemed like he couldn't wait any longer and he was able to finish off nicely."

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Sunday, Del Mar
DEL MAR JUVENILE TURF S.—GIII, $101,500, Del Mar, 9-10, 2yo, 1mT, 1:35.28, fm.

1--ENDLESSLY, 120, c, 2, by Oscar Performance
   1st Dam: Dream Fuhrer, by Langfuhr
   2nd Dam: Society Dream (Fr), by Akarad (Fr)
   3rd Dam: Society Bride, by Blushing Groom (Fr)
   1ST BLACK TYPE WIN, 1ST GRADED STAKES WIN.
   O-Amerman Racing LLC; B-Jerry Amerman (KY); T-Michael W. McCarthy;
   J-Juan J. Hernandez. $60,000. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, $109,200.
   Werk Nick Rating: D+.

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2--Lord Bullingdon, 118, c, 2, Lord Nelson--Ms Silver Oak, by Leroidesanimaux (Brz).
   1ST BLACK TYPE, 1ST GRADED BLACK TYPE.
   ($22,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP; $55,000 2yo '23 EASMAY).
   O-Colbart Stables and Michael McCarthy Racing Stable, Inc.;
   B-Veloce LLC (KY); T-Michael W. McCarthy. $20,000.

3--Boltage, 120, c, 2, Bolt d'Oro--Ultimate Prize, by Smart Strike.
   'TDN Rising Star'. 1ST BLACK TYPE, 1ST GRADED BLACK TYPE.
   ($20,000 Ylg '22 KEEJAN; $240,000 Ylg '22 FTKJUL).
   O-Pin Oak Stud LLC; B-Virginia Moore & Malia Hopkins (KY); T-Richard E.
   Mandella. $12,000.

Margins: 2 1/4, 1, 1 1/4. Odds: 2.80, 9.00, 1.10.
Also Ran: Andreadytorumble, Bear River, Glandford (GB), Sea Singer (Ire), Des Doigts. Scratched: Osage Creek.
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LARGE FIELDS, QUALITY RACING MARK SUCCESSFUL DEL MAR MEET
Del Mar marked eight weeks of increased field sizes and high-quality racing that ended Sunday.
"Overall, just a tremendous summer of quality racing," Racing Secretary David Jerkens says. "Especially Pacific Classic Day. You look back and see how strong of a card that was. I think some of the winners and horses that ran well on that card have bright futures for the Breeders' Cup."
Cont.
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VIEW CATALOG
The talk around the racing industry is the field sizes again this year at Del Mar.

“It was a robust number that I think any track in the country would kill for,” Jerkens says. “We knew last year would be difficult to match but we are very close to what we had last year. I think two years in a row, when you're over or hovering around nine runners a race, that's a pretty strong accomplishment.”

The average field size for the dirt races at Del Mar this summer was 8.47 and for the turf races it was 9.50. Stake races had an AFS of 8.56.

“We had a strong product throughout,” Jerkens notes. “We did have the (one day) weather cancellation but we made up all those races that were canceled.”

Tropical Storm Hilary was the only hiccup all summer. The storm prompted horse evacuations, canceled racing Aug. 20 and eventually dumped two inches of rain on the backside. But from all reports afterward, what little flooding there was in the stable area had no impact on the horses and things were back to normal in just a couple of days.

The "Ship & Win" program was a success once again this summer, contributing to the large field sizes.

“The results were pretty much what we expected,” Jerkens says. “I think we were 14% off the number of starters from last year but that was another expectation we had to curtail a bit because we knew, in reality, it would be hard to match. We may still end up with our second most Ship & Win' runners.”

Heading into the final weekend, 171 “Ship & Win” starters debuted at Del Mar this summer. Twenty three made it to the winner's circle, six last week.

“You can do all these different programs,” Jerkens concedes, “but all that means nothing unless you get the support in the entry box. That's what we had from our horsemen once again.”

So, now we look ahead to the fall meet, something Jerkens has already started planning.

“Hopefully we'll have our stakes schedule released in the upcoming weeks,” Jerkens says. “We're starting to plant seeds for the fall. Generally, if the weather cooperates and we're able to run on the grass we'll have a successful meet. Last year everything went well, knock on wood. We were fortunate in terms of the weather. We had really strong fields our last two weekends and expectations are for more of the same, but a lot is dependent on the rain.”

The four-week Bing Crosby meet kicks off the week after the Breeders’ Cup, November 10.

For Jerkens, the end of the summer meet is the end of a very long process that actually goes year round.

“Absolutely,” Jerkens says. “You hear from more people across the country than normal about them taking notice of what Del
DEBUTANTE WINNER TAMARA EYES BREEDERS' CUP

‘TDN Rising Star’ Tamara (Bolt d’oro) was resting comfortably in her stall Sunday morning, the day after capturing the GI FanDuel Racing Del Mar Debutante S.

The daughter of Hall of Famer Beholder sat closer to the pace than in her maiden victory. When jockey Mike Smith asked her, Tamara breezed past the pacesetter, opened up by the top of the lane and cruised home much the best.

The comments afterward told it all.

"It gave me chills," winning trainer Richard Mandella remarked.

"I've been here in California for four years," jockey Umberto Rispoli said as he came off the track following his seventh-place finish in the race. "I have never seen anything like that."

"You don't often see the offspring of a great mare run anywhere close to what they did," jockey Mike Smith told FanDuel. "But she's an exception to the rule."

They were talking about the daughter of Bolt d’Oro on the backstretch Sunday morning.

"It was outstanding," trainer Peter Miller remarked. "She looked like her mother."

Mandella says Tamara came out of the race fine. In regards to a Breeders' Cup prep, he says they would play it by ear.

"There's a chance we might run her in the GI Chandelier S. Oct. 7 at Santa Anita," Mandella says. "If it looks like she needs to run again, then we'll run her there. If not we'll point her straight to the Breeders' Cup. But so far she looks great."
JAPAN AUTUMN INTERNATIONAL 2023

Japan Cup (G1)
November 26 2023 | Tokyo Racecourse 1 1/2miles Turf 3yo & up
Purse: JPY 1,085,000,000 / USD 7,912,000* Free Nomination Close: October 3 2023

Champions Cup (G1)
December 3 2023 | Chukyo Racecourse 1 1/8miles Dirt 3yo & up
Purse: JPY 259,200,000 / USD 1,887,000* Free Nomination Close: October 3 2023

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MONMOUTH MEET ENDS WITH THIRD STRAIGHT YEAR OF AVERAGE HANDLE INCREASE

Monmouth Park continued an upward trend by showing an increase in average total handle and average on-track handle for the third straight year as the 51-day meet came to a close Sunday. Paco Lopez claimed his 10th riding title and Claudio Gonzalez was the leading trainer for the second straight summer.

The average total handle was $4,032,648 this year, an 11.4 percent increase over last year’s average of $3,620,719.

The on-track handle rose 15 percent to $340,257 compared to the 2022 average of $295,896.

In addition, the average field size of 7.71 was the largest since 2015.

“We are grateful to our fans, horsemen, stakeholders and especially Governor Murphy and the entire state legislature,” said Dennis Drazin, chairman and CEO of Darby Development LLC, operators of Monmouth Park. “To see our across-the-board numbers, year after year, continue to show large increases is a direct result of the purse supplement, the hard work of all our employees, and of course, the racing fans.

“We have witnessed a continued growth of not just the breeding program in New Jersey, but an overall attraction by nationwide horsemen to ensure Monmouth Park is on their summer calendar.

“Not only has the racing office done an amazing job working with our horsemen and ensuring the best possible product to the racing fans, but the same can be said for all our employees. From group sales to admissions, from mutuels to marketing, and of course operations and accounting.” Cont.
“I am so appreciative to have such amazing people all working together for the betterment of Monmouth Park.
“We will take this year as a success and continue to build on this next year and for many years to come.”

The GI TVG.com Haskell S. saw a record handle of $21,359,642 for the 14-race card.

Lopez easily captured the Monmouth Park riding title for the ninth time in the past 11 years with 76 winners. His 10 overall titles are second only to Joe Bravo’s 13 in track history.

Gonzalez backed up his first training title at the track in 2022 with an outstanding meet as the runaway winner this year. His 46 winners were more than double the total of his nearest competitor.

Klaravich Stables finished as the leading owner with 13 wins, including victories in the GII WinStar Matchmaker S., the GII Molly Pitcher S. and the GII Eatontown S.

Madison Olver and Luis Rivera, Jr. tied for honors as the leading apprentice at the meet with 17 wins apiece.

Thoroughbred racing in New Jersey shifts to the Meadowlands in East Rutherford for a 10-day, all-turf meet that starts Friday, Sept. 15. The meet will run for five consecutive Fridays and Saturdays.

WHAT'S IN A NAME? KENWICK, JUST F Y I, GORDIAN KNOT, PRAETORIAN GUARD

by Andrea Branchini

The promising 2-eary-old filly Kenwick (Bernardini) may have won in Pennsylvania, but her pedigree shouts Lexington KY from the very rooftops of two local neighborhoods. Kenwick is a central residential area of the city, while Bell Court, as in the dam’s name, is an almost adjacent zone, closer to downtown. Both areas have an Old America feel to them: nothing fake, nothing too gentrified, just authentic, with a touch of Thornton Wilder’s “Our Town” ambiance. There is in fact a small theatre in the Bell House in Bell Court: the lovely Carriage House Theatre. Lexington visitors! The “Kenwick Table” locale on Owsley Road in Kenwick is the best for the weary traveler: coffee, live music (with an open mike on Monday evenings), beer & wine on the menu, two patios, out-of-this-world elegance — in a word: cool, like its equine namesake, who “got through a razor-thin hole” on the rail to go and win her race.

The name of Saratoga winning filly Just F Y I (Justify) is a sort of an anagram (rearrangement of letters to form another name) of the moniker of her dad - which is kind of unusual and brave, and therefore worthy of praise. She won on her debut, so novelty and quality are part of her repertoire.

Gordian Knot (Social Inclusion), as in the famous head-scratching problem solved by Alexander The Great with a dramatic blow of his sword on his way to conquering Asia. The runner-up is named Praetorian Guard (Speightster), after the dangerous posse of Roman Emperors – made up of veteran bodyguards who on occasion became a
mortal danger to the very ruler they were to protect. “No one reigns innocently”, as it has been said.

SAVATORE M. DEBUNDA SPRINT S., $75,000, Parx Racing, 8-22, 3yo, 6 1/2f, 1:19.83, ft.

1--GORDIAN KNOT, 126, g, 3, Social Inclusion–Mia, by Put It Back. O-Joseph M. Imbesi. B- Mr. & Mrs. Joe Imbesi. T-Guadalupe Preciado. $43,200. Lifetime Record: 8-6-0-1, $386,960.

2--Praetorian Guard, 121, g, 3, Speightster–Super Shopper, by Super Saver. ($25,000 2yo '22 OBSOPN). O-Conway Racing LLC (Mark Conway), Over The Moon Racing and Innovest BC LLC; B-Jimmy L. Gladwell, III (KY); T-Louis C. Linder, Jr. $14,400.

GODOLPHIN AMONG THOSE HONORED AT 38TH TOBA AWARDS SATURDAY NIGHT

Hosted by Fasig-Tipton, the 38th Annual Thoroughbred Owners and Breeders Association (TOBA) handed out its National Awards across two days of ceremonies, the organization said in a release late Saturday.

A luncheon for the winners was held on Friday, Sept. 8 at WinStar Farm, honoring State and Canadian Breeders of the Year for 2022.

Godolphin was announced as the winner of the 2022 National Owner of the Year and 2022 National Breeder of the Year. Finalists for both categories were also honored Saturday night.
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Danny Mulvihill (left) with Jon Cozart | TOBA

National Owner of the Year finalists included: Peter M. Brant, Hronis Racing LLC, Klaravich Stables LLC, and Winchell Thoroughbreds LLC. National Breeder of the Year finalists included: Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC and Summer Wind Equine.

Elizabeth M. Merryman won the 2022 National Small Breeder of the Year Award. Dreaming of Julia (A.P. Indy), owned by Barbara Banke’s Stonestreet Farm, has been named National Broodmare of the Year. The Cot Campbell Partnership of the Year was presented to the owners of Flightline, which included Hronis Racing LLC, Siena Farm LLC, Summer Wind Equine LLC, West Point Thoroughbreds and Woodford Racing LLC. Michael Blowen was honored with the J. David Richardson Industry Service Award.

Invaluable was honored as Claiming Crown Horse of the Year, presented by the National HBPA. The Rood & Riddle Sport Horse of the Year went to Satins Angel (Queen Satin). The Robert N. Clay Award, presented by Equine Land Conservation Resource, was awarded to Greg Goodman, which recognizes a member of the Thoroughbred community who has made an outstanding contribution to preserving land for equine use.

“Congratulations to all of the winners of the TOBA national and state awards,” said Dan Metzger, president of TOBA. “We were honored to recognize the outstanding achievements of all of tonight’s winners and finalists, including the amazing success of Godolphin as both National Owner and Breeder of the Year.”

**2022 State and Canadian Breeders of the Year, sponsored by WinStar Farm, were:**

**Arizona Breeder of the Year** - Fleming Thoroughbred Farm LLC (Marvin & Gerald Fleming)

**Arkansas Breeder of the Year** - Shortleaf Stable (John E. Anthony)

**California Breeder of the Year** - Nick Alexander

**Canada Breeder of the Year** - Adena Springs (Frank & Elfriede Stronach)

**Canada Small Breeder of the Year** - Flying Horse Farm (Russell & Lois Bennett)

**Florida Breeder of the Year** - Arindel Farm (Alan & Brian Cohen)

**Indiana Breeder of the Year** - Justice Farms, Inc. (Greg Justice)

**Iowa Breeder of the Year** - Poindexter Thoroughbreds, LLC (Allen Poindexter)

**Kentucky Breeder of the Year** - Godolphin

**Louisiana Breeder of the Year** - Allied Racing Stables LLC (Chester Thomas)

**Maryland Breeder of the Year** - Dance Forth Farm (Tom & Chris Bowman)

**Minnesota Breeder of the Year** - Lothenbach Stables (Robert Lothenbach)

**New Jersey Breeder of the Year** - Bright View Farm (Christine Connelly)

**New Mexico Breeder of the Year** - Bar Y Equine (Robert M. & DelRae Driggers)

**New York Breeder of the Year** - Chestertown Farm (Chester & Mary Bromer)

**North Carolina Breeder of the Year** - Rockhouse Farm (Nancy Shuford)

**Oregon Breeder of the Year** - Lisa Baze

**Pennsylvania Breeder of the Year** - Elizabeth M. Merryman

**South Carolina Breeder of the Year** - Franklin G. Smith Sr.

**Texas Breeder of the Year** - Windy Hill (Ronald & Margaret Ellerbee)

**Virginia Breeder of the Year** - South Gate Farm (Amy Moore)

**Washington Breeder of the Year** - John E. Parker
DELAWARE RACING CONNECTIONS MAKE PDJF DONATION

Delaware Park Casino & Racing, the Delaware Thoroughbred Horsemen’s Association, the Delaware Jockeys Health and Welfare Benefit Fund and the Delaware Park Jockeys Association teamed up Saturday to donate $20,000 to the Permanently Disabled Jockeys Fund.

The check was presented after the tenth race at Delaware Park Saturday. Over the course of the live racing season, each jockey donates a dollar from each mount fee and Delaware Park Casino & Racing, the Delaware Thoroughbred Horsemen’s Association and the Delaware Jockeys Health and Welfare Benefit Fund each match the dollar. The total amount is then donated at the end of the season.

“Delaware Park has been fortunate to have an exceptional jockey colony for years, not only as riders, but as leaders,” said Ed J. Stegemeier, the Chairman of the Delaware Jockeys Health and Welfare Fund Board and Secretary of the Delaware Thoroughbred Racing Commission. “We could not be happier today to come together for this presentation. I am particularly honored with the method of having all the groups coming together to make this important contribution possible.”
IN ORDER OF PURSE:

KENTUCKY DOWNS JUVENILE MILE S., $499,286, Kentucky Downs, 9-10, 2yo, 1mT, 1:38.17, fm.

1--ASPENITE, 118, c, 2, by Constitution
   1st Dam: Aspening, by Candy Ride (Arg)
   2nd Dam: Motokiks, by Storm Cat
   3rd Dam: Matoki, by Hail to Reason
   ($375,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP). 1ST BLACK TYPE WIN.
   O-Winchell Thoroughbreds LLC; B-Glen Hill Farm (KY);
   T-Steve M. Asmussen; J-Cristian A. Torres. $294,150.

2--Tough Little Nut, 118, c, 2, Palace Malice--Celestial Kitten,
   by Kitten's Joy. ($20,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP). 1ST BLACK TYPE.
   O-Town and Country Racing, LLC; B-Austin Paul & Brenda Paul (KY);
   T-Chris M. Block. $96,500.

3--Mozlizl, 120, c, 2, Uncle Mo--Southern Strike, by Smart Strike.
   ($160,000 Wlg '21 KEENOV; $160,000 2yo '23 EASMAY). 1ST BLACK TYPE.
   O-FMQ Stables, Inc.; B-John D. Gunther & Eurowest Bloodstock Services (KY);
   T-Brad H. Cox. $48,250.

Aspenite went into the Kentucky Downs Juvenile Mile S. a maiden and came out a stakes winner. The colt, a $375,000 Keeneland September purchase for Winchell Thoroughbreds, broke with running on his mind and went straight to the front, but had company through the :22.59 first quarter. He got a little breather prior to setting the :45.25 half, all the while holding firm to his rail spot. Kicking clear in the lane, Aspenite swapped to his wrong lead for much of the stretch but wasn’t for catching and finished 3 1/4 lengths clear of Tough Little Nut, who had closed from several lengths back.

Second just 10 days ago by a half-length when caught late going six furlongs over this course, Aspenite’s only other previous start resulted in a fourth in an off-the-turf maiden Aug. 5 at Saratoga.

“He was nominated [to the stakes] because of the possibility [of running back after the earlier Kentucky Downs start],” explained winning trainer Steve Asmussen. “He’s a horse with a nice level of ability. Not exactly surprised he got a little lost [when he had a clear lead] the first time here. He sees everything. It’s just kind of how he is. But he benefitted from the experience and cashed in on a very good day.”

Bred by Glen Hill Farm in Kentucky, Aspenite is out of a half-sister to MG SW & MG ISP Keertana (Johar), MG SW & GIS P Snow Top Mountain (Najran), and GS W Diversy Harbor (Curlin). Aspening has a yearling colt by Medaglia d’Oro, who is entered Wednesday as hip 437 in the Keeneland September sale, and an Apr. 3 colt by War of Will. She was bred back to War Front.

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GLOBAL TOTE JUVENILE FILLIES S., $487,500, Kentucky Downs, 9-10, 2yo, f, 1mT, 1:35.48, fm.

1--AUSTERE, 120, f, 2, by Mendelssohn
   1st Dam: Argumentative (GB) (MSP-Fr), by Observatory
   2nd Dam: Discuss, by Danzig
   3rd Dam: Private Line, by Private Account
   ($150,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP). 1ST BLACK TYPE WIN. O-Bradley Thoroughbreds, Gary Finder, Tucci Stables, Cambron Equine, LLC and Belmar Racing and Breeding, LLC; B-Summer Wind Equine LLC (KY); T-Brendan P. Walsh; J-Tyler Gaffalione.
   $300,350. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, $340,950. *1/2 to Indeed (GB) (Showcasing {GB}), GSP-Eng, $117,425; and to Epicuris (GB) (Rail Link {GB}), G1SW-Fr, $356,042.
Austere, never far from the lead, powered home to an easy three-length victory in the Global Tote Juvenile Fillies S. at Kentucky Downs Sunday. The dark bay filly settled in third and was within striking distance racing up the hill. Waiting for racing room nearing the stretch, she tipped out three wide at the top of the lane and reeled in pacesetting Bella Haze with a furlong to run and drew clear to the wire. Bella Haze held on to second as Latte Lizzie and Kodiac Wintergreen (Ire) (Kodiac {GB}) closed in tandem.

"It was not a surprise at all," winning trainer Brendan Walsh said of Austere's effort. "She had been working great. We think she has lots of talent. It was great to go there and win. It looks like she's going to a nice filly going forward."

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Margins: 3, NK, HD. Odds: 4.02, 6.64, 7.86.

Also Ran: Kodiac Wintergreen (Ire), Sea Dancer, Cynane, Kamikaze Umagi, Beautiful Dancer. Scratched: Fancy Looker, Mo Fox Givin, Old Fashioned Girl, Shot Girl, Sweetcatherinerose.

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IN ORDER OF PURSE:

4th—Kentucky Downs, $121,000, Alw, 9-10, (NW1X), 3yo/up, 1 5/16mT, 2:08.44, fm, nose.

FARADAY (g, 3, Ghostzapper--Dynaire, by Dynaformer), fresh off a second-out maiden win at 1 3/8 miles over elders on the Saratoga lawn July 28, returned here to make it two in a row. Sent off at 3-2, Faraday raced midpack on the rail through :24.20 and :47.88 early fractions before shifting out several paths wide to commence his move by the 1:37.38 mile marker. He struck the lead and drove to the finish, holding on by a nose as a closing and game Hilliard (Temple City) chased him home from the inside. The dark bay is a full to Wolfie’s Dynaghost, SW & MGSP, $726,513; and a half to Sadler’s Joy (Kitten’s Joy), GISW, $2,679,910; to Dyna Passer (Lemon Drop Kid), SP, $232,330; and to Lunaire (Malibu Moon), SP, $249,950. The unraced Dynaire, who hails from the same family as MGISW Sabin (Lyphard), has an unraced 2-year-old colt named Robaire (Kitten’s Joy)--a $250,000 purchase by Joseph Migliore at last year’s Keeneland September sale—as well as a yearling filly by Ghostzapper and a 2023 colt by Munnings born May 2. She was bred back to Not This Time. Sales History: $275,000 Ylg ’21 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, $109,320. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

O-W H. Lawrence & Woodslane Farm; B-Woodslane Farm (KY); T-Chad C. Brown.

IN ORDER OF PURSE:

2nd—Kentucky Downs, $157,000, Msw, 9-10, 2yo, f, 1mT, 1:36.05, fm, 9 1/4 lengths.

SMOOTH WAVES (f, 2, English Channel--Evil Kitten {GSP, $234,414}, by Kitten’s Joy), well-beaten fifth in all three of her prior NYRA attempts, the latest Aug. 6 at Saratoga. The 2-1 favorite tracked outside Plumeria (Curlin) from second up the backstretch. Given her cue at the top of the lane, she barreled home by 9 1/4 lengths over the pacesetter. The winner is a full-sister to English Bee, GSW, $697,681 and also to a yearling filly. Her dam visited Channel Cat for next year. Sales History: $90,000 Ylg ’22 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-0, $101,400. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

O-Three Diamonds Farm; B-Calumet Farm (KY); T-M Maker.
7th-Kentucky Downs, $157,000, Msw, 9-10, 2yo, 6 fT, 1:17.63, fm, 2 1/4 lengths.

LAGYNOS (c, 2, Kantharos--Steamy, by Speightstown), sent off at 11-1 for this unveiling, settled along the rail mid-pack up the backstretch. With Mourne Mountains (Malibu Moon) continuing to show the way, the chestnut colt moved into third around the far turn and as the pace began to fall apart into the lane, Lagynos skimmed the fence to win by 2 1/4 lengths over Liam’s Journey (Liam’s Map). The winner is a half-brother to Vision Perfect (Pollard’s Vision), GSW, $802,154. A half-sister to two-time GII San Simeon H. hero Mr Gruff (Mr. Greeley), Steamy produced a filly by Not This Time last season. She visited Golden Pal this season. Sales History: $200,000 Ylg ’22 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, $90,000.

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O-HRH Prince Sultan Bin Mishal Al Saud; B-Robert Spiegel (KY); T-Steven M. Asmussen.

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1st-Kentucky Downs, $153,433, Msw, 9-10, 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:36.62, fm, 1 1/2 lengths.

MR MCGREGOR (c, 3, Into Mischief--Sweet Bliss (GSP), by Street Cry (Ire)) hit the board in his first three starts of 2023, including a second-place effort most recently going 8 1/2 panels at Churchill June 2. Fourth cutting back to seven furlongs at Ellis July 2, the Wygod homebred was sent off the 5-2 favorite in this turf bow. Close up to respectable early splits, the bay had his head in front in upper stretch and held closer Weyhill Road (Quality Road) at bay by 1 1/2 lengths at the wire. GSP Sweet Bliss, dam of a $1-million KEESEP yearling purchase Palm Springs (by Uncle Mo), previously produced a filly by Curlin in 2021, a filly by Uncle Mo last term and another daughter of Curlin this year. This represents the family of champion juvenile filly Sweet Catomine and MGISW Life Is Sweet. Lifetime Record: 6-1-2-1, $148,436. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

O-Pam and Martin Wygod; B-Wygod Equine, LLC (KY); T-William I. Mott.

5th-Doyle, $50,125, Msw, 9-10, 2yo colt, 6f, 1:11.05, ft, 1 1/2 lengths.

FOUR STRONG WINDS (c, 2, Hard Spun--Sweet Kitten {Ch. 2-year-old Filly-PR, MSW-PR, $182,673}, by Kitten's Joy) was second to subsequent Simcoe S. winner My Boy Prince (Cairo Prince) in his debut in Toronto over the Tapeta June 18 and finished runner-up at that venue again June 23, this time over the turf. The bay colt was last seen running seventh in Woodbine's Soar Free S. Aug. 20. Given a 3-1 shot, the homebred trailed up the backstretch, launched his bid around the far turn and glided past the wire 6 3/4 lengths ahead of Babbo (Kantharos).

2nd-Del Mar, $84,500, (S), Msw, 9-10, 2yo, f, 5 1/2f, 1:03.77, ft, 6 1/2 lengths.

MIRINDA (f, 2, Mitole--Whim, by More Than Ready) became the 12th winner for her freshman sire (by Eskendereya) with this sharp debut score. The dark bay emerged from the early fray in front, set sizzling fractions of :21.88 and :45.20, and wowed with a daylight score as Mike Smith sat motionless aboard and no one challenged. It was 6 1/2 lengths back to Safa (Grazen) in second. The even-money choice, Mirinda had been working well over the surface, including a :59 five-furlong bullet (1/142) Aug. 19. She had fetched the fourth-highest price ($190,000) at last year's Fasig-Tipton California Fall sale when purchased by trainer Gary Mandella on behalf of Tom Nichols. Mirinda's dam was a $40,000 purchase with this filly in utero at the 2020 Keeneland November sale by Richard Barton Enterprises. She produced a colt by Bodexpress in 2022 and was bred to Happy Saver for 2024. Sales History: $190,000 Ylg '22 FTCAYR. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, $49,200. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

O-Thomas L. Nichols; B-Richard Barton Enterprises (CA); T-Gary Mandella.
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4th-Del Mar, $84,500, Msw, 9-10, 2yo, f, 5 1/2f, 1:04.77, ft, 1/2 length.

SANDY BOTTOM (f, 2, Omaha Beach--Starlit Daydream, by Can the Man) went off the 3-1 second choice following a string of sharp morning moves, including the latest a bullet :46.80 (1/92) drill at Del Mar Sept. 3. Losing a step or two after bumping at the start, the filly was soon hustled to the front, carving out a :21.92 opening quarter. Still running strong turning for home, Sandy Bottom had enough left in reserve to hold off Blissterinthesun (Mitole) by a half length. Third-place finisher Ur In Trouble (Maximus Mischief) rounded out the trifecta for Spendthrift's sire roster. Sandy Bottom is the first foal produced by Starlit Daydream, who saw her career curtailed by injury after making only two starts for trainer Todd Pletcher and Spendthrift Farm and the Empire Racing Club. Bred to Omaha Beach during the stallion's first season at Spendthrift, the half-sister to GSW Gas Station Sushi (Into Mischief) was barren last season but produced a colt by Cloud Computing this term. She was bred back to Greatest Honour. Sandy Bottom is the 10th winner for her freshman sire (by War Front). Sales history: $145,000 Ylg ’22 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, $49,200.

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O-James & Donna Daniell; B-Spendthrift Farm LLC (KY); T-Michael W. McCarthy.

5th-Del Mar, $84,500, Msw, 9-10, 2yo, 1mT, 1:36.03, fm, 1/2l.

FORMIDABLE MAN (c, 2, City of Light--Fanticola (GSW & GISP, $561,986), by Silent Name (Jpn)), given a 9-2 shot, wrangled the lead past the grandstand, settling in front into the first turn. The hooded colt continued to show the way arriving at the top of the lane, he fended off a challenge from fellow firster and favorite Ngannou (Mendelssohn) to win by half a length. The winner’s dam is also responsible for a yearling filly by Flatter and on Apr. 20 she foaled a filly by Knicks Go. Fanticola was bred to Jack Christopher for 2024. Sales History: $375,000 Ylg ’22 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, $49,200. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

O-William K. Warren, Jr. and Suzanne Warren; B-Town & Country Horse Farms, LLC (KY); T-Michael W. McCarthy.

3rd-Monmouth, $58,725, Msw, 9-10, 2yo, f, 6f, 1:10.83, sy, 8l.

DONE ENOUGH (f, 2, Flameaway--Revengefulpleasure, by Stephen Got Even) debuted a well-beaten second at Gulfstream June 16 before switching to the turf Aug. 5 at Monmouth where she finished off the board. Installed the a 7-2 shot here, the dark bay vied for the lead early with Hopesndreams (Ride On Curlin). Around the far turn, she put away her rival to score by 8 1/2 lengths over Power Squeeze (Union Rags). The winner is a half-sister to Owen's Pleasure (Mark Valeski), SP, $237,702. She has a weanling full who was foaled Apr. 16. This is her first-crop sire's 12th winner. Sales History: $17,000 Ylg ’22 FTKOCT; $55,000 2yo ’23 OBSMAR. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, $45,650. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

O-Starry Night Racing; B-Paul Knapper (KY); T-J. Kent Sweezey.
10th-Monmouth, $57,625, Msw, 9-10, 2yo, 1m, 1:42.03, sy, 2 lengths.

**THEDINGOATEYOBABY** (c, 2, Bernardini--Stargirl, by Medaglia d’Oro) was runner-up in his one-mile debut at Delaware Aug. 12. The 7-5 favorite contested the pace from the rail through fractions of :23.86 and :48.24. He lost ground approaching the stretch, but clawed his way back to take the lead out of the turn and splashed clear late to score by two lengths. Smooth Player (Outwork) closed for second. The winner, a $125,000 KEEJAN yearling, RNA’d for $135,000 at the Fasig-Tipton Saratoga sale, for $70,000 at the Fasig-Tipton Midlantic October sale and for $30,000 at this year’s OBS March sale. Stargirl, purchased for $107,000 at the 2021 Keeneland November sale, has a yearling filly by Good Magic and a weanling filly by Audible. She was bred back to Justify. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, $42,100.

O-Sycamore Hall Thoroughbreds, LLC & Maureen Wade; B-Fifth Avenue Bloodstock (KY); T-Brittany T. Russell.

7th-Gulfstream, $57,000, Msw, 9-10, 2yo, f, 5 1/2f, 1:05.59, gd, 5 1/4 lengths.

**BLYTHWOOD** (f, 2, Khozan--Shesunbelievable, by Uncaptured), sent off at 6-1 for this debut, settled in third up the backstretch before going on the attack around the far turn. Clearing past the eighth pole, the hooded filly drew clear late to graduate at first asking by 5 1/4 lengths over Get Frosty (Frosted). The winner is a half-sister to Atomically (Girvin), SW & GSP, $302,500. Her dam foaled a colt by Uncle Chuck Mar. 3 and she was bred Roadster for next year. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, $41,000. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

O-Jose Pinchin and Michael G. Bernard; B-Tracy Pinchin & Michael Bernard (FL); T-Jose Pinchin.

2nd-Monmouth, $55,825, Msw, 9-10, 2yo, 6f, 1:12.87, sy, 2 1/4 lengths.

**BOLT OF AURUM** (c, 2, Bolt d’Oro--Scenic Road, by Quality Road) trailed up the backstretch as a pair set the fractions and began to steadily reel in his opponents around the far turn. Running in the three-path, the 6-1 chance rolled down the lane and splashed home a 2 1/4-length winner over Tiz Marks Spirit (Mor Spirit).

A half-sister to GSW Guest Suite (Quality Road), dam Scenic Road also produced a filly by Bolt d’Oro in 2022 and returned to the Spendthrift sire this year. This represents the extended female family of Classic winner and leading sire A.P. Indy (Seattle Slew). Sales History: $300,000 2yo ‘23 OBSMAR. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, $34,500. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

O-Colts Neck Stables LLC; B-Ruis Racing LLC (KY); T-Jorge Duarte, Jr.

3rd-Pimlico, $54,340, Msw, 9-10, 2yo, f, 6f, 1:14.58, gd, 1 1/4 lengths.

**FAINOR’S FILETS** (f, 2, Preservationist--Town Grad, by Speightstown), runner-up in her first start going four panels at Timonium Sept. 1, went off the 2-1 second choice this time. Pressured by Go Sherry Go (Golden Lad) through tenuous early fractions, the chestnut filly soon dispensed of that rival and was kept to the task late to score by 1 1/4 lengths over Enemynumbernine (Super Ninety Nine). Out of an extended female family which includes GISW Richter Scale (Habitony) and his half-brother MGSW Outperformance (Aptitude), the winner’s dam foaled a filly Feb. 13 by Upstart and she was bred to Cairo Prince for 2024. Fainor’s Filets is the sixth winner for her first-crop sire. Sales History: $70,000 Ylg ’22 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, $40,400. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

O-Michael J. Caruso and Michael Dubb; B-Brereton C. Jones (KY); T-Brittany T. Russell.

5th-Remington, $34,000, Msw, 9-9, 2yo, f, 1:12.15, ft, 11 1/4 lengths.

**CURLIN’S MAGIC** (f, 2, Good Magic--Exes N Ohs, by Street Sense) debuted third July 4 at Lone Star Park and was well-backed here at 2-5. The dark bay colt allowed a longshot to take the lead up the backstretch, but before the far turn Curlin’s Magic got into gear and sailed away by 11 1/4 over Speak Softly (Mr Speaker). The winner is her dam’s first offspring, but she has a yearling half-brother by Mitole. Her dam, a half-sister to GSW Easter Gift (Hard Spun), foaled a colt Mar. 27 by Midshipman and she visited Colonel Liam for next year. Sales History: $37,000 RNA Wlg ’21 KEENOV; $52,000 Ylg ’22 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, $23,902. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

O-John Holleman and Randy Howg; B-Ron Stolich & BRS (KY); T-Robertino Diodoro.
FIRST-CROP STARTERS TO WATCH: MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 11
2023 Stud Fees Listed

Disco Partner (Disco Rico), Rockridge Stud, $4,000
18 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners
2-Finger Lakes, 1:44 p.m. EDT, Msw 5f, Do the Hustle, 7-2
$7,000 KEE JAN yrl

Divisidero (Kitten’s Joy), Airdrie Stud, $5,000
27 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners
6-Horseshoe Indianapolis, 5:05 p.m. EDT, Msw 5fT, Woodford Holler, 7-2

Enticed (Medaglia d’Oro), Darley, $5,000
104 foals of racing age/9 winners/0 black-type winners
6-Finger Lakes, 3:40 p.m. EDT, Mst 5f, Shezenticing, 2-1
$10,000 RNA FTK OCT yrl

Maximus Mischief (Into Mischief), Spendthrift Farm, $7,500
136 foals of racing age/18 winners/1 black-type winner
2-Finger Lakes, 1:44 p.m. EDT, Mst 5f, Mischief Exposed, 5-1
$29,000 SAR AUG yrl; $70,000 RNA OBS APR 2yo

World of Trouble (Kantharos), Hill ‘n’ Dale at Xalapa, $5,000
89 foals of racing age/7 winners/0 black-type winners
6-Horseshoe Indianapolis, 5:05 p.m. EDT, Msw 5fT, McVicker, 6-1
$30,000 FTK OCT yrl; $20,000 OBS MAR 2yo

SECOND-CROP STARTERS TO WATCH: MONDAY, SEPT. 11
2023 Stud Fees Listed

Eastwood (Speightstown), Blackstone Farm, $1,250
17 foals of racing age/7 winners/0 black-type winners
5-Parx Racing, 2:28 p.m. EDT, Mst 5 1/2f, Eastern Sunrise, 6-1

Forever d’Oro (Medaglia d’Oro), Breakway Farm, $2,000
21 foals of racing age/8 winners/1 black-type winner
3-Horseshoe Indianapolis, 3:32 p.m. EDT, Mst 6f, Forever Pink, 15-1

Girvin (Tale of Ekati), Airdrie Stud, $20,000
182 foals of racing age/50 winners/8 black-type winners
2-Finger Lakes, 1:44 p.m. EDT, Mst 5f, Seminole Chief, 6-1
$80,000 OBS OPN 2yo

Hoppertunity (Any Given Saturday), Northview Stallion Station, $5,000
156 foals of racing age/25 winners/1 black-type winner
5-Parx Racing, 2:28 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, Lucky Opportunity, 5-1

STAKES RESULTS:
WONDER WHERE S., C$250,000, Woodbine, 9-10, (S), 3yo, f, 1 1/4mT, 2:04.90, fm.
1-- TITO’S CALLING, 121, f, 3, by Society’s Chairman--
Unstablenthemornin (SP), by First Dude. (C$27,000 Ylg ’21 CANSEP).
1ST BLACK TYPE WIN. O-Zilli Racing Stables;
B-R Marzilli (ON); T-Michael P. De Paulo; J-Sahin Civaci.
C$150,000. Lifetime Record: GSP, 12-3-2-1, $264,856.
2-- Wickenheiser, 121, f, 3, Lemon Drop Kid--Game (Fr), by
Montjeu (Ire). ($245,000 Ylg ’21 KEESEP). O-Clay Scherer, Al &
Bill Ulwelling & Kevin Attard; B-Sean Fitzhenry (ON); T-Kevin
Attard. C$50,000.
3-- Flysofreeashleeb, 121, f, 3, Midnight Lute--Sinful, by Touch
Gold. ($67,000 Ylg ’21 KEESSEP). O-Colebrook
Farms; B-Janeane & James Everatt & Arika Everatt-Meeuse
(ON); T-Patrick Dixon. C$25,000.

Margins: 4, NK, 1 1/4. Odds: 3.60, 2.25, 12.50.
ZADRACARTA S., C$100,500, Woodbine, 9-10, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 5fT, :56.62, fm.

1--SACRED DANCER, 121, f, 4, Giant Gizmo--Classic Soul, by Perfect Soul (Ire). 1ST BLACK TYPE WIN. O-Kata Pleterski; B-Joey Gee Thoroughbreds (ON); T-Don Pleterski; J-Sahin Civaci. C$60,000. Lifetime Record: 19-4-5-2, $199,358. *1/2 to Speedy Soul (Souper Speedy), MSW & GSP, $369,249.

2--Hard Edge, 121, m, 5, Hard Spun--Leading Edge, by Tapit. 1ST BLACK TYPE. O/B-Chiefswood Stables Limited (ON); T-Stuart C. Simon. C$20,000.


PRESIOUS PASSION S., $100,000, Monmouth, 9-10, 3yo/up, 1 1/2m (off turf), 2:34.98, sy.

1--SERIFOS, 118, g, 4, Into Mischief--Soldata, by Maria’s Mon. 1ST BLACK TYPE WIN. O/B-Wertheimer et Frere (KY); T-H. Graham Motion; J-Nik Juarez. $60,000. Lifetime Record: 14-3-3-1, $161,260. *1/2 to Dataman (Tapit), SW, $150,910; Alda (Munnings), SW & GISP-Can, SW-USA, $190,950; Alignment (GB) (Pivotal {GB}), GSW-Fr, SP-Qa, $417,764.

2--Portos, 118, h, 6, Tapit--Fierce Boots, by Tiznow.

3--No Salt, 118, g, 6, Tonalist--Shea Darby, by Street Sense. ($200,000 Ylg ‘18 SARAUG). 1ST BLACK TYPE.

Sensible Lady Turf Dash S., $96,000, Pimlico, 9-10, 3yo/up, f/m, 5f (off turf), :58.72, gd.

1--WHISKEY AND RYE, 120, m, 5, Maclean’s Music--Ava G, by Afternoon Deelites. ($150,000 2yo ’20 EASMAY). 1ST BLACK TYPE WIN. O-Men’s Grille Racing; B-Alex Venneri Racing, LLC (KY); T-John J. Robb; J-Xavier Perez. $60,000. Lifetime Record: 25-5-2-1, $231,331.

2--Sassy Beast, 124, m, 5, The Big Beast--I’mclassyandsassy, by Master Command. ($140,000 5yo ’23 FTDAUG). O-Miller Racing LLC; B-Alex Lieblong & JoAnn Lieblong (FL); T-Angel M. Rodriguez. $20,000.


CHALLEDON S., $67,500, Pimlico, 9-10, (C), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:13.37, gd.

1--SWILL, 122, g, 5, Munnings--Walking Miracle, by Into Mischief. ($55,000 Wlg ’18 KEENOV; $265,000 Ylg ’19 FTKJUL). 1ST BLACK TYPE WIN. O-Kueber Racing, LLC & Ten Strike Racing; B-McCauley Farms, LLC & Nathan McCauley (KY); T-Brittany T. Russell; J-Sheldon Russell. $45,000. Lifetime Record: 10-4-2-0, $222,654. *1/2 to Stitched (Mizzen Mast), GSW, $929,021.

2--Al Loves Josie, 122, g, 4, Holy Boss--Pick Your Pleasure, by Lemon Drop Kid. ($8,000 Ylg ’20 EASOCT). O-C J I Phoenix Group and No Guts No Glory Farm; B-Anchor & Hope Farm Inc. (MD); T-John J. Robb. $15,000.

3--Borracho, 122, g, 7, Uncle Mo--Pantanal, by Congrats. ($100,000 Wlg ’16 KEENOV; $65,000 RNA Ylg ’17 KEESEP; $45,000 5yo ’21 FTIDEC). O-Morris E. Kernan, Jr. and Jagger Inc.; B-Haymarket Farm LLC (KY); T-Jamie Ness. $7,500. Margins: 1HF, 16, NO. Odds: 1.20, 2.20, 1.10.

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Margins: 3 1/4, 1 1/4, 4 1/4. Odds: 1.90, 2.20, 5.90.

POLYNESIAN S., $99,000, Pimlico, 9-10, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:45.09, gd.

1--DOUBLE CROWN, 122, g, 6, Bourbon Courage--Two Columbus, by Two Punch. O-Built Wright Stables, LLC.; B-Dr. & Mrs. Thomas Bowman & Rebecca Davis (MD); T-Raymond E. Ginter, Jr.; J-Jeiron Barbosa. $60,000. Lifetime Record: GSW, 39-8-9-4, $738,520.

2--Un Ojo, 120, g, 4, Laoban--Risk a Chance, by A.P. Indy.


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GOLD RUSH FUTURITY, $53,300, Arapahoe, 9-10, 2yo, 6f, 1:13.35, ft.

1–LITE RANCHIN KID, 120, g, 2, Lemon Drop Kid–Lorelei's Song, by Unbridled's Song. ($15,000 RNA Ylg '22 FTCAYR).

1ST BLACK TYPE WIN. O/B-Regan Wright (CA); T-Rafael S. Barraza; J-Roberto Morales. $31,980. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, $37,800.

2–Ferrari Red, 120, g, 2, Cinco Charlie--Cooper's Keeper, by Temple City. 1ST BLACK TYPE. O-Wendy Hickey & O.A. Martinez, Jr., O. A.; B-Front Range Racing (CO); T-O. A. Martinez, Jr. $10,660.

3–Sarah's Big Bang, 120, g, 2, Uh Oh Bango--Sarah in Charge, by High Brite. ($6,000 Ylg '22 ARZNOV).

Margins: 5 1/4, 2 1/4, 1 1/4. Odds: 3.70, 0.80, 13.10.

HANDICAP RESULTS:

4th-Gulfstream, $60,000, Hcp, 9-10, 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:18.09, ft, 5 1/2 lengths.

POIEMA (f, 4, Neolithic--Coco's Legacy, by Mass Media) Lifetime Record: 22-5-5-2, $241,685. O-Joseph C. Catanese, III; B-Cheryl Janine McGuire & James Patrick McGuire (FL); T-Joseph C. Catanese, III. *$9,000 Ylg '20 OBSOCT; $14,000 2yo '21 OBSOPN.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

6th-Kentucky Downs, $155,750, 9-10, (NW1X), 3yo/up, f/m, 7fT, 1:23.86, fm, neck.

TEQUILERA (f, 4, Vancouver {Aus}--Tejida {MGSP, $278,284}, by Rahy) Lifetime Record: 14-2-5-3, $213,668. O-John T. Behrendt; B-Helen K. Groves Revocable Trust (KY); T-Michael R. Matz. *125,000gns Ylg '20 TATOCT. **1/2 to Thornbrook (Ire) (Saxon Warrior {Jpn}), SW-Fr, GSP-Ire, GSP-Eng; 1/2 to Magnanimous (Ire) (Mehmas {Ire}), SW-Ire, MGSP-HK, $1,489,323.

PROOF OF JAZZ (m, 5, Idiot Proof--Strait Jazz, by English Channel) Lifetime Record: 33-9-4-3, $150,652. O-Nancy Salas-Ibarra and Floriberta Trujillo; B-Victory Rose Thoroughbreds (CA); T-Marcelino Trujillo.

8th-Gulfstream, $43,000, (S), Alw (NW1X)/Opt. Clm ($20,000), 9-10, 3yo/up, f/m, 7f, 1:24.84, gd, 4 1/2 lengths.

PACIFIC PRINCESS (m, 5, Prospective--Concert Country, by Concerto) Lifetime Record: 20-7-3-3, $151,495. O/T-Roger Laurin; B-Laurin Stable, Inc. (FL).

7th-Golden Gate Fields, $38,224, 9-9, (NW1SX), 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:38.81, fm, 1 1/4 lengths.

PROOF OF JAZZ (m, 5, Idiot Proof--Strait Jazz, by English Channel) Lifetime Record: 33-9-4-3, $150,652. O-Nancy Salas-Ibarra and Floriberta Trujillo; B-Victory Rose Thoroughbreds (CA); T-Marcelino Trujillo.
8th-Remington, $37,000, (NW3X)/Opt. Clm ($75,000), 9-9, 3yo/up, f/m, 7 1/2f, 1:32.55, fm, 3/4 length.

TEMPLAR RED (m, 6, Secret Circle--Ocean Spray Too, by Mr. Greeley) Lifetime Record: 13-5-3-0, $131,933. O/B-Jim Plemmons (KY); T-Kari Craddock.

9th-Albuquerque, $36,700, (S), 9-10, (NW3L), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10.31, ft, 1/2 length.

Z MARKS THE SPOT (g, 3, Marking--Zesty Salsa (SP), by Dome) Lifetime Record: 6-3-0-2, $47,194. O/B-Reliance Ranches LLC (NM); T-Todd W. Fincher.

7th-Remington, $35,000, 9-9, (NW1X), 3yo/up, 5 1/2f, 1:05.25, ft, 3 1/2 lengths.

GOZILLA (g, 6, Flatter--Atlantic Dream, by Stormy Atlantic) Lifetime Record: GISP, 20-5-2-4, $247,264. O-S Dupy and Randy Chelf; B-Wildwood Farm & Indian Creek (KY); T-J. R. Caldwell.

* $170,000 RNA Ylg '18 KEESEP; $150,000 Ylg '18 FTKOCT; $395,000 RNA 2yo '19 OBSAPR; $60,000 3yo '20 KEENOV.

4th-Fanduel Sportsbook And Horse Racing, $24,000, (S), (C)/Opt. Clm ($12,500), 9-9, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:12.88, ft, 3/4 length.

DANZA TAXI (g, 3, Danza--Forever a Friend, by Dehere) Lifetime Record: 4-3-0-0, $42,088. O-Charles W. Ritter and Scott Becker; B-Dawn Martin (IL); T-Scott Becker.

2nd-Hastings Racecourse, C$19,740, (NW3L)/Opt. Clm ($9,155-$11,718), 9-10, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:44.19, ft, 6 1/2l.

STORMY BLUE (g, 4, Midnight Storm--Bluegrass Gin, by Bluegrass Cat) Lifetime Record: 13-3-4-1, $48,023. O-Century Plaza Stable; B-James Barry Doud (BC); T-Barbara Heads.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Divine Magic, f, 2, Divining Rod--Imagistic, by Deputy Minister. Pimlico, 9-10, 5f (off turf), 1:01.66. Lifetime Record: 6-1-0-1, $42,150. B-Mike Burkholder (PA). *$15,000 Wlg '21 FTIDEC. **1/2 to Gentleman's Kitten (Kitten's Joy), Ch. 3-year-old Filly-Sca, Ch. 2-year-old Filly-Sca, SP-Swe, $165,476.

That Girl Artemus, f, 2, Exaggerator--Spun in Artemus, by Hard Spun. Woodbine, 9-10, (C), 6f (AWT), 1:11.08. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-1, $25,963. B-Kingston Thoroughbreds LLC (VA). *$65,000 Ylg '22 FTKFEB; $30,000 RNA Ylg '21 SOBSTC; $25,000 2yo '22 OBSMAR.

Veronica's Delight, f, 2, Klimt--That's Why, by Harlan's Holiday. Emerald Downs, 9-10, 5 1/2f, 1:05.05. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, $13,920. B-T/C Stable, LLC (KY). *$17,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP. **1ST-TIME STARTER.

Break the Spell, c, 2, Mohaymen--Breakshot, by Lemon Drop Kid. Woodbine, 9-10, (C), 6f (AWT), 1:11.23. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, $18,939. B-Richard Forbush (KY). *$9,000 RNA Ylg '22 FTKOCT. **1ST-TIME STARTER.

Baie Longue, g, 3, American Pharoah--Brienza, by Bernardini. Kentucky Downs, 9-10, 7fT, 1:23.29. Lifetime Record: 5-1-1-0, $116,556. B-Robert Low & Lawana Low (KY). $250,000 2yo '22 OBSAPR.

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**Bourbon Courage**, Double Crown, g, 6, o/o Two Columbus, by Two Punch. Polynesia S., 9-10, Pimlico

**City of Light**, Formidable Man, c, 2, o/o Fanticola, by Silent Name (Jpn). MSW, 9-10, Del Mar

**Constitution**, Aspenie, c, 2, o/o Aspending, by Candy Ride (Arg). Kentucky Downs Juvenile Mile S., 9-10, Kentucky Downs

**Country Day**, Majestique Jour, f, 2, o/o Great Majestic, by Majestic Warrior. MSW, 9-10, Louisiana Downs

**Dandy Man (Ire)**, Dandy Man Shines (Ire), g, 3, o/o Zehrah (Ire), by Raven's Pass. MSW, 9-9, Del Mar

**Danza**, Danza Taxi, g, 3, o/o Forever a Friend, by Dehere. AOC, 9-9, Fanadul Sportbook and Horse Racing

**Divining Rod**, Divine Magic, f, 2, o/o Imagistic, by Deputy Minister. MSW, 9-10, Pimlico

**English Channel**, Smooth Waves, f, 2, o/o Evil Kitten, by Kitten's Joy. MSW, 9-10, Kentucky Downs

**Exaggerator**, That Girl Artemus, f, 2, o/o Spun in Artemus, by Hard Spun. MOC, 9-10, Woodbine

**Flameaway**, Done Enough, f, 2, o/o Revengefulpleasure, by Stephen Got Even. MSW, 9-10, Monmouth

**Flatter**, Godzilla, g, 6, o/o Atlantic Dream, by Stormy Atlantic. ALW, 9-9, Remington

**Ghostzapper**, Faraday, g, 3, o/o Dynaire, by Dynaformer. ALW, 9-10, Kentucky Downs

**Giant Gizmo**, Sacred Dancer, f, 4, o/o Classic Soul, by Perfect Soul (Ire). Zadracara S., 9-10, Woodbine

**Gleneagles (Ire)**, Seisai (Ire), f, 4, o/o Lillebonne (Fr), by Danehill Dancer (Ire). AOC, 9-10, Kentucky Downs

**Good Magic**, Curlin's Magic, f, 2, o/o Exes N Ohs, by Street Sense. MSW, 9-9, Remington

**Hard Spun**, Four Strong Winds, c, 2, o/o Sweet Kitten, by Kitten's Joy. MSW, 9-10, Woodbine

**Idiot Proof**, Proof of Jazz, m, 5, o/o Strait Jazz, by English Channel. ALW, 9-9, Golden Gate

**Into Mischief**, Mr McGregor, c, 3, o/o Sweet Bliss, by Street Cry (Ire). MSW, 9-10, Kentucky Downs

**Into Mischief**, Serfios, g, 4, o/o Soldata, by Maria's Mon. Presious Passion S., 9-10, Monmouth

**Kantharos**, Lagynos, c, 2, o/o Steamy, by Speightstown. MSW, 9-10, Kentucky Downs

**Khozan**, Blythwood, f, 2, o/o Shesunbelievable, by Uncaptured. MSW, 9-10, Gulfstream

**Klint**, Veronica's Delight, f, 2, o/o That's Why, by Harlan's Holiday. MSW, 9-10, Emerald Downs

**Lemon Drop Kid**, lite Ranchin Kid, g, 2, o/o Lorelei's Song, by Unbridled's Song. Gold Rush Futurity, 9-10, Arapahoe

**Maclean's Music**, Whiskey and Rye, m, 5, o/o Ava G, by Afternoon Deelites. Sensible Lady Turf Dash S., 9-10, Pimlico

**Marking**, Z Marks the Spot, g, 3, o/o Zesty Salsa, by Dome. ALW, 9-10, Albuquerque

**Mendelssohn**, Austere, f, 2, o/o Argumentative (GB), by Observatory. Global Tote Juvenile Fillies S., 9-10, Kentucky Downs

**Midnight Storm**, Stormy Blue, g, 4, o/o Bluegrass Gin, by Bluegrass Cat. AOC, 9-10, Hastings

**Mitole**, Mirinda, f, 2, o/o Whim, by More Than Ready. MSW, 9-10, Del Mar

**Mohaymen**, Break the Spell, c, 2, o/o Breakshot, by Lemon Drop Kid. MOC, 9-10, Woodbine

**Munnings**, Swill, g, 5, o/o Walking Miracle, by Into Mischief. Challedon S., 9-10, Pimlico

**Munnings**, What Does It Take, g, 5, o/o Vielsalm, by Fairbanks. ALW, 9-10, Pimlico

**Neolithic**, Poema, f, 4, o/o Coco's Legacy, by Mass Media. HCP, 9-10, Gulfstream

**Omaha Beach**, Sandy Bottom, f, 2, o/o Starlit Daydream, by Can the Man. MSW, 9-10, Del Mar

**Preservationist**, Fainor's Filets, f, 2, o/o Town Grad, by Speightstown. MSW, 9-10, Pimlico

**Prospective**, Pacific Princess, m, 5, o/o Concert Country, by Concerto. AOC, 9-10, Gulfstream

**Secret Circle**, Templar Red, m, 6, o/o Ocean Spray Too, by Mr. Greeley. AOC, 9-9, Remington

**Society's Chairman**, Tito's Calling, f, 3, o/o Unstablenthemornin, by First Dude. Wonder Where S., 9-10, Woodbine

**Stay Thirsty**, Tapatio Leo, g, 3, o/o Sweet Lips Pooh, by Rio Verde. AOC, 9-10, Del Mar

**The Factor**, Piper's Factor, c, 2, o/o Pipers Future, by Niigon. MSW, 9-10, Woodbine

**Vancouver (Aus)**, Tequilera, f, 4, o/o Tejida, by Rahy. ALW, 9-10, Kentucky Downs
4,000TH WINNER FOR O’BRIEN AS HENRY LONGFELLOW DEPUTISES FOR CITY OF TROY IN THE NATIONAL

by Tom Frary

As much as Sunday’s G1 Goffs Vincent O’Brien National S. was about the withdrawal of City Of Troy (Justify) and the impressive winning performance of fellow TDN Rising Star Henry Longfellow (Ire) (Dubawi (Ire)–Minding (Ire), by Galileo (Ire)), it was testament to Irish racing’s totemic figure Aidan O’Brien who marked the occasion with a 4,000th training career success. Who else could pull a colt of the quality of the freakish G2 Superlative S. winner from such an important status event and still win it by five lengths, burying an impressive G1 Phoenix S. scorer in the process? The answer is why at just after 4 p.m. on Sunday we were reflecting on such a remarkable landmark statistic.

City Of Troy’s participation was decided as soon as the stable’s Ylang Ylang (GB) (Frankel (GB)) trailed in last in the preceding G1 Moyglare Stud S., in turn issuing her own damning verdict on the state of the rain-affected ground. Cont. p3

Henry Longfellow and Ryan Moore combined to give Aidan O’Brien his 4,000th winner | Racingfotos.com

FALLEN ANGEL PROVIDES TOO DARN HOT WITH LANDMARK WIN IN THE MOYGLARE

by Tom Frary

Kicking off a big Irish Champions Festival Sunday at The Curragh for Dubawi (Ire), Fallen Angel (GB) (Too Darn Hot (GB)–Agnes Stewart (Ire), by Lawman (Fr)) provided the Darley giant’s first-season sire son with a first Group 1 winner as she domineered a competitive renewal of the Moyglare Stud S., a “Win and You’re In” for the GI Breeders’ Cup Juvenile Fillies Turf. Impressive in the G3 Sweet Solera S. over this seven-furlong trip at Newmarket last month, the homebred of Steve Parkin’s Clipper Logistics was instantly towards the fore with Danny Tudhope keen to press the keen-running TDN Rising Star Ylang Ylang (GB) (Frankel (GB)) on the front end.

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IN TDN AMERICA TODAY

‘INCREDISBLY POSITIVE’ VIBE: KEENELAND SEPTEMBER STARTS ON MONDAY

The 12-day Keeneland September Yearling Sale begins in Lexington on Monday. Jessica Martini has the preview.
ELDER ELDAROV VICTORIOUS IN ST LEGER
The TDN Rising Star proved best in the G1 Comer Group Irish St Leger, giving his standout sire Dubawi (Ire) a second Group 1 winner on the day.

ANOTHER GROUP 1 FOR WARM HEART IN VERMEILLE
The Galileo (Ire) filly earned another career Group 1 victory in Sunday’s feature at ParisLongchamp for owners Coolmore and Westerberg.

MOSS TUCKER CLAIMS FLYING FIVE WIN
The Ken Condon-trained son of Excelebration (Ire) picked up his first Group 1 by a half-length at the Curragh under jockey Billy Lee.

James Doyle powers Warm Heart (Galileo) to victory in the G1 Qatar Prix Vermeille at Longchamp. It was a frantic day of action in Paris and Kildare. | Scoop Dyga
G1 National S. Cont. from p1

Losing such an attractive proposition from a fixture of this nature would normally have been a dampening experience to say the least, but Henry Longfellow is some deputy having won the course-and-distance G2 Futurity S. last month and the money spoke as he upstaged Bucanero Fuerte (GB) (Wootton Bassett [GB]) in the market as the 10-11 favourite for the race his sire won in 2004. Cuban Thunder (Ire) (Profitable {Ire}) was acting as pacemaker for Bucanero Fuerte, but instead lit up his stablemate by chasing him for a few precious moments after the break until getting to the front. While Gary Halpin made sure the pace was unforgiving, Ryan Moore always looked happier than Kevin Stott setting true seven-furlong fractions as the Phoenix hero revved too high. Even before the two-furlong marker, the writing was on the wall and Henry Longfellow came into his own from there to inflict a greater defeat on Islandsinthestream (Ire) (Wootton Bassett [GB]) than he had in the Futurity. Bucanero Fuerte was a spent force at the line, beaten another 7 1/2 lengths in third.

This was as fitting a race to mark O’Brien’s achievement, being the country’s premier juvenile contest named in honour of his illustrious predecessor at Ballydoyle and the scene of his first Group 1 success via Desert King (Ire) in 1996. Thirty years on from his first runner and winner Wandering Thoughts (Ire) at Tralee, the trainer was typically keen to deflect praise to the team around him and happier to discuss his 12th winner of one of the races in which he still trails Vincent O’Brien, who had 15 of these throughout his esteemed career.

“It’s pure teamwork all the way and hard to believe,” he said. “I’m so grateful to so many people—incredible. Great people, great horses and great teamwork. This horse’s pedigree is second to none. Minding was the best mare we ever trained and this was the best out-cross that she could go to,” he said.

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The highest-rated undefeated juvenile colt not simply by *Oasis Dream*, nor just from the *Green Desert* line – but in direct male-line descent from *Danzig*.

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O’Brien added, “He travels and he quickens and that is very difficult for other horses to handle. His mam won over a mile, a mile and a quarter and a mile and a half and handled the ground no problem and he’s got a lot of her and his dad in him, so he looks a very special horse."

“The plan was originally to run him in the Dewhurst, but Ryan said it was closer to soft than good-to-yielding and we promised ourselves we wouldn’t run City Of Troy on soft ground," he added. “City Of Troy hadn’t run for a good while and was going to improve from the run. Sometimes in that ground they can have a hard time. He would die on his feet for you today and we didn’t want to do that to him once the ground turned. Henry Longfellow ran last month with an ease and had no problem with it. He’s fast and looks a miler and I don’t know how much further he’ll stay. We’ll look at the Dewhurst for City Of Troy now.”

**Pedigree Notes**

Becoming the 55th Group 1 winner for his sire, whose son Too Darn Hot (GB) sired his first on the card, Henry Longfellow is the second foal and first runner for the aforementioned seven-times Group 1-winning phenomenon Minding whose successes included the Oaks, 1000 Guineas and Queen Elizabeth II S. Her dam Lillie Langtry (Ire) (Danehill Dancer (Ire)), who proved another big mover and shaker for this stable by winning the G1 Coronation S. and G1 Matron S., produced only Galileos for Coolmore and to great effect.

They included another Oaks winner in Tuesday (Ire), who went on to glory in the GI Breeders’ Cup Filly and Mare Turf, and a G1 Irish 1000 Guineas heroine in Empress Josephine (Ire), as well as the G3 Derrinstown Stud 1000 Guineas Trial winner Kissed by Angels (Ire). From the family of the sires Great Commotion and Lead On Time, Minding also has a yearling full-sister to Henry Longfellow and a filly foal by Wootton Bassett (GB). She has been bred to Gun Runner for 2024.
Taking the measure of that 6-5 favourite two out, the Karl Burke-trained 9-2 shot had the G2 Debutante S. winner Vespertilio (Fr) (Night Of Thunder {Ire}) to deal with from there and despite being briefly headed inside the final furlong surged away late to score by 1 1/4 lengths. Vespertilio was in turn 4 1/2 lengths ahead of the dead-heating Porta Fortuna (Ire) (Caravaggio) and Ornellaia (GB) (Night Of Thunder {Ire}) in third.

Parkin, who had also won Saturday’s G2 Solonaway S. with the same trainer and jockey’s Flight Plan (GB) (Night Of Thunder {Ire}), revealed that the success had extra resonance. “The mother was my favourite mare and we lost her to colic—that’s her last foal and she is the spitting image of her, so emotional is an understatement,” he said. “My daughter names all our horses and after the death of the dam she called her Fallen Angel. To win the Moyglare S. is unbelievable—the greatest thrill I’ve had in my life I think.”

Fallen Angel’s sole defeat had come at the hands of the unbeaten Shuwari (Ire) (New Bay {GB}) in Sandown’s Listed Star S. in July, with wins at Haydock on debut and in the Sweet Solera either side. This was a new level for the grey, who is going nowhere according to her owner-bredreer. “When you breed your own, there is some extra buzz about it and she’ll be at the farm for 20 years now, god willing. There will be no offers for her. She’ll go [to] the Guineas with a fair chance and it’s a massive thrill. Danny blamed himself for getting beaten at Sandown and thought he should have made more use of her, so we weren’t going to make that mistake again today. She’s going to be a better 3-year-old than 2-year-old and she’s bred to get 10, but my idea is to put her away and bring her back for the Guineas.” Cont. p6
G1 Moyglare Stud S. Cont.

Pedigree Notes
The aforementioned Agnes Stewart, who was Parkin’s first star of the Flat when winning the G2 May Hill S. and finishing runner-up in the G1 Fillies’ Mile, is also responsible for the G3 Stanerra S. runner-up Divine Jewel (GB) (Frankel {GB}). She is a half to the Listed River Eden Fillies’ S. winner Sorrel (Ire) (Dansili {GB}), who was also placed in the GIII La Prevoyante S. and GIII Orchid S. from the family of the sire Definite Article (GB) who captured this fixture’s G1 National S. and was runner-up in the G1 Irish Derby.

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Sunday, Curragh, Ireland
MOYGLARE STUD S.-G1, €400,000, Curragh, 9-10, 2yo, f, 7f, 1:27.50, g/y.
1--FALLEN ANGEL (GB), 128, f, 2, by Too Darn Hot (GB)
1st Dam: Agnes Stewart (Ire) (GSW & G1SP-Eng, GSP-Ire, $176,586), by Lawman (Fr)
2nd Dam: Anice Stellato (Ire), by Dalakhani (Ire)
3rd Dam: Summer Spice (Ire), by Key of Luck
1ST GROUP 1 WIN. O-Clipper Logistics; B-Branton Court Stud LLP (GB); T-Karl Burke; J-Danny Tudhope. €240,000. Lifetime Record: GSW-Eng, 4-3-1-0, $317,981. Werk Nick Rating: A+++.
*Triple Plus*. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree, or the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.

2--Vespertilio (Fr), 128, f, 2, by Night Of Thunder (Ire)--Prudente (Fr), by Dansili (GB). 1ST GROUP 1 BLACK TYPE. (€320,000 Ylg 22 ARAUG). O-Al Shira’Aa Farms; B-S.A.S.U. Ecurie des Monceaux & Skymarc Farm Inc (FR); T-Willie McCreery. €80,000.

(DH) 3--Porta Fortuna (Ire), 128, f, 2, Caravaggio--Too Precious (Ire), by Holy Roman Emperor (Ire). O-Barry Fowler & Medallion Racing 2020 LLC & Steven I Weston & Reeves Thoroughbred; B-Whisperview Trading Ltd (IRE); T-Donnacha O’Brien. €40,000.

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1ST GROUP 1 BLACK TYPE. (260,000gns Ylg ’22 TATOCT).
O-Amo Racing Limited; B-Rabbah Bloodstock Limited (GB); T-Dominic Ffrench Davis. €40,000.
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CURRAGH GROUP 1 DOUBLE FOR DUBAWI AS ELDAR ELDAROV TAKES THE IRISH LEGER

by Tom Frary

Connections of Kyprios (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) can be satisfied that Sunday’s G1 Irish St Leger went by without drama, but the glory was with KHK Racing’s TDN Rising Star Eldar Eldarov (GB) (Dubawi {Ire}--All At Sea {GB}, by Sea The Stars {Ire}) as he returned to form to provide his sire with a Group 1 double on the Curragh’s star-studded card. Putting a largely underwhelming summer behind him, having been seventh in the G1 Gold Cup and fourth in the G1 Goodwood Cup, the 16-5 second favourite enjoyed a perfect tow from Yashin (Ire) (Churchill {Ire}) until taking over approaching two out.

With the 4-6 favourite Kyprios in pursuit, the Roger Varian-trained G1 St Leger hero had to keep it up but he kept answering David Egan to beat the Ballydoyle star by 3 1/2 lengths, with Dawn Rising (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) 2 3/4 lengths away in third. The field had been cut to four following the withdrawal of Emily Dickinson (Ire) (Dubawi {Ire}), but what this renewal lost in numbers it made up for in terms of quality with the market confidence in Kyprios notable.

For Egan, the win was especially important given his connection to the area.

“I had my first Classic winner last year, but to do it where I grew up at Osborne Lodge, which is at the five-furlong pole, means a lot,” he said. “It’s what dreams are made of and for all the team connected with the horse. My first main job was riding out for Willie McCreery, who I saw today, and he was a great man to learn from and taught me a lot. He has a tendency to miss the break, but the race went so smooth, he was a race-fit horse today and was as tough as nails.”

Eldar Eldarov, who had earned TDN Rising Star status on his debut at Nottingham in October 2021, also won the G2 Queen’s Vase last June but with three of his four outings after the St Leger seeing him finish out of the frame there were the beginnings of doubts as to whether he was going the wrong way. Varian was relieved, but unwilling to accept that he had been disappointing this year.

“He’s run some great races in defeat this year and it’s nice to win two Legers,” he said. “He’s entered up in France on Arc weekend and there is the two-mile race at Ascot. He seems to be really best at a mile and six furlongs, but there aren’t too many of those races around. He deserves to run one more time this year and it’s most likely Ascot.” Cont. p8
Aidan O’Brien said of Kyprios, “A lot of people have done a lot of work to get him to here--all of the vets have done incredible work to get him back. We didn’t think we would ever see this day, so to have him back and be happy and for Ryan to be happy is something. He’s going to come on a lot and Ascot looks lovely for him. He will have a nice bit of time before now and then and will love going round there. It would be great to see him come back to what he was and this was a great comeback run.”

**Pedigree Notes**

Putting the icing on the cake for Dubawi on the afternoon, Eldar Eldarov hails from a family of Kirsten Rausing’s finest performers. Out of the Listed Prix de Liancourt winner All At Sea, whose first foal was the listed-placed A La Voile (GB) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}) and fourth is this year’s G3 Gallinule S. third Kingswood (GB) (Roaring Lion). The second dam is the three-times Group 1-winning Albanova (GB) (Alzao), responsible for the G3 Dubai Duty Free Legacy Cup winner Algometer (GB) (Archipenko), the Listed Stand Cup S. scorer Alignak (GB) by Sea The Stars’ son Sea The Moon (Ger) and the listed winner Alwilda (GB) (Hernando {Fr}).

Alwilda has made her name by producing the six-times group 1-winning Prix de l’Arc de Triomphe heroine Alpinista (GB) (Frankel {GB}), while the listed-winning third dam Alouette (GB) (Darshaan {GB}) also produced Albanova’s dual G1 Champion S.-winning full-sister Alborada (GB) whose descendants include the G2 City of York S. winner Shine So Bright (GB) (Oasis Dream {GB}) and the G1 British Champions Fillies & Mares S. and G1 Yorkshire Oaks runner-up Albaflora (GB) (Muhaarar {GB}).

All At Sea is also connected to the G1 Prix Royal-Oak heroine Allegretto (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}), Alzao’s G2 Nassau S. winner Last Second (Ire) who is in turn the dam of the G1 Poule d’Essai des Poulians-winning sire Aussie Rules, as well as the pair of Sadler’s Wells Group 1 winners Yesterday (Ire) and Quarter Moon (Ire). Her unraced 2-year-old filly by Study of Man (Ire) is named A La Belle Etoile (Ire), she has a yearling colt by Lope De Vega (Ire) bought as a foal for 300,000gns by Brooklyn Bloodstock at Tatts December who is due to sell at next month’s Tatts Book 1 Sale, and a filly foal by Study Of Man again by Study Of Man.

**Sunday, Curragh, Ireland**

**COMER GROUP INTERNATIONAL IRISH ST LEGER-G1, €600,000, Curragh, 9-10, 3yo/up, 14fT, 3:01.72, g/y.**

1--**ELDAR ELDAROV (GB), 137, c, 4, by Dubawi (Ire)**

1st Dam: All At Sea (GB) (MSW-Fr, $133,622), by Sea The Stars (Ire)
Warm Heart and James Doyle (left) combine to take their second Group 1 | Scoop Dyga

“The race was a bit of a trappy contest,” explained winning rider James Doyle. “She exits the gates very well, but she slipped today and lost her action for a few strides, so I found myself a bit fenced-in and further back than I would have liked. They didn’t go very fast and I was worried during the race, but she showed a lot of determination to come out on top. She didn’t really stop once in the lead, but tends to idle a bit and wait for the others, which is what she did in the Yorkshire Oaks and what she did again today.”

“As for the Arc, her connections will decide. My feeling is that she needs good ground, being a light-actioned sort, and the going is therefore important in this regard. We’ve already seen editions of the Arc being run on fast ground, it can happen, but it’s not common either.”

Francis-Henri Graffard, trainer of runner-up Melo Melo, added, “Melo Melo was conceding weight to the winner today, but we came up against a filly who was really a tough cookie. Looking to the future, she’ll be better suited by much softer tracks. In any case, I think she delivered a great performance.”
IRISH ST LEGER (Gr.1)

Congratulations to all connections of

Eldar Eldarov

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Vendor: Oak Tree Farm

Owner: KHK Racing
Trainer: Roger Varian
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G1 Prix Vermeille Cont.

Sea Silk Road’s rider Tom Marquand expressed satisfaction with the run of his filly and commented, “She’s a super filly and I’m very pleased with her performance. She had run a little freely in the Yorkshire Oaks and, one day, she’ll win her Group 1 race when conditions come right for her. She’s a classy filly.”

Reflecting on a long season and looking forward to another, Blue Rose Cen’s trainer Christopher Head said, “She was in very good order in the first half of the season, but it’s possible that the season has been a little long for the filly. We’re going to talk to her owner, and see how she recovers, so we can look ahead to the future. She should stay in training next year, so we’ll certainly be concentrating on her 2024 campaign.”

Pedigree Notes

Warm Heart is the fifth of eight foals and one of four scorers produced by G1 Manikato S., G1 Doomben 10,000 and G1 BTC Cup heroine Sea Siren (Aus) (Fastnet Rock {Aus}), herself kin to the pattern-race winners Oratorio (Aus) (Stravinsky) and Lady Dehere (NZ) (Dehere). The February-foaled bay, whose third dam is G1 Karrakatta Plate heroine Hold That Smile (Aus) (Haulpak {Aus}), is a full-sister to G3 Derrinstown Stud Fillies S. runner-up Celestial Object (Ire) and the winning 2-year-old colt Bremen (Ire). She is also kin to a yearling colt by Camelot (GB) and a weanling colt by Home Affairs (Aus).

Sunday, ParisLongchamp, France
QATAR PRIX VERMEILLE-G1, €600,000, ParisLongchamp, 9-10, 3yo/uf, f/m, 12fT, 2:31.29, g/s.
1—WARM HEART (IRE), 123, f, 3, by Galileo (Ire)
1st Dam: Sea Siren (Aus) (MG1SW-Aus, SW & MGSP-Ire, $1,743,772), by Fastnet Rock (Aus)
2nd Dam: Express A Smile (Aus), by Success Express
3rd Dam: Hold That Smile (Aus), by Haulpak (Aus)
O-Mrs J Magnier, M Tabor, D Smith & Westerberg; B-Coolmore (IRE); T-Aidan O’Brien; J-James Doyle.

Flying Five Glory for Moss Tucker

by Tom Frary

First there was the Live In The Dream (Ire) (Prince Of Lire {Ire}) at 28-1 in the Nunthorpe, then Saturday’s Haydock Sprint Cup turn-up courtesy of the 10-1 shot Regional (GB) (Territories {Ire}) and now Moss Tucker (Ire) (Excelebration {Ire}–Rare Symphony {Ire}, by Pastoral Pursuits {GB}) to complete the shock treble at 16-1 in Sunday’s G1 Al Basti Equiworld, Dubai Flying Five S. at The Curragh, a GI Breeders’ Cup Turf Sprint qualifier. This looked a surefire renewal for the Brits on form, but one by one Highfield Princess (Fr) (Night Of Thunder {Ire}), Bradsell (GB) (Tasleet {GB}) and Art Power (Ire) (Dark Angel {Ire}) wilted leaving it to a triumvirate of outsiders to fight it out.

As the 22-1 shot Get Ahead (GB) (Showcasing {GB}) and fellow outsider at 20-1, Equality (GB) (Equiano {Fr}), tried hard to bring the prize back across the Irish Sea in the closing stages, Billy Lee kept asking the Ken Condon-trained 5-year-old and the response was typically courageous and honest. Cont. p11

More Group Success for Sea The Moon

Fantastic Moon undeniable in the Gr.2 Prix Niel at Longchamp yesterday over 2400m (12f). SEA THE MOON now the sire of 6 individual Group winners of 10 Group races in 2023.

Congratulations to all the winning connections.
G1 Flying Five S. Cont.
Using the extra stamina he displayed when taking the six-furlong G3 Phoenix Sprint S. here last time, Moss Tucker forged ahead late to deny Get Ahead by half a length, with Equality eventually beaten another 1 1/4 lengths in third. Following the preceding rain, Highfield Princess was hammered into even-money favouritism but uncharacteristically missed the break and struggled some way out.

“It’s fantastic on the Curragh, on the most important weekend in Irish racing. It’s just been a great story with this horse how he has progressed and kept improving,” Condon said. “You’re thinking if we got placed it would be a super effort and then the heavens opened about an hour and a half ago which helped us a good bit. He was very good here the last day a month ago. We thought that was a career-best and obviously this is another step in the right direction.”

Moss Tucker had been to the Curragh on eight occasions prior to this, with wins in the aforementioned Phoenix Sprint and also the Listed Waterford Testimonial S. in October to his name as well as a third to Art Power in the G2 Sapphire S. In July. Also responsible for upsetting Tenebrism (Caravaggio) in the Listed Woodlands S. at Naas in April, the gelding needed a slice of luck to get one of these on his file but had that in spades here with the British contingent so below-par.

Billy Lee said, “Ken and I love this horse and he has been a brilliant servant who has made his way up through the grades. He is as genuine as they come, things went lovely today—he jumped and travelled well, but when they quickened at the two I thought I was in trouble. He is all heart though, stuck to his guns and really battled hard. He is just a brilliant horse and while we have had a quietish year, this one winner makes all the difference.”

Pedigree Notes
Moss Tucker’s dam Rare Symphony is a half-sister to the GIII Astra S. winner Pantsonfire (Ire) (Sir Percy (GB)) and her Swedish Derby-winning full-brother Bomar (Ire), as well as the stakes-placed Liar Liar (Ire) (Dream Ahead). Also connected to the G1 2000 Guineas hero Island Sands (Ire) (Turtle Island (Ire)), her unraced 2-year-old gelding is by Poet’s Word (Ire), while she also has a yearling filly by Sumbal (Ire).

Sunday, Curragh, Ireland
AL BASTI EQUIWORLD, DUBAI FLYING FIVE S.-G1, €400,000, Curragh, 9-10, 3yo/up, SFT, 1:00.89, g/y.
1--MOSS TUCKER (IRE), 132, g, 5, by Excelebration (Ire)
1st Dam: Rare Symphony (Ire), by Pastoral Pursuits (GB)
2nd Dam: Rubileo (GB), by Galileo (Ire)
3rd Dam: Ruby Affair (Ire), by Night Shift
1ST GROUP 1 WIN. O-Charlie Bit Me Syndicate; B-Mr Donal Spring (IRE); T-Ken Condon; J-Billy Lee. €240,000. Lifetime Record: 30-8-4-7, $444,181. Werk Nick Rating: A++. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree, or the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.
**FANTASTIC MOON POWERS TO PRIX NIEL TRIUMPH by Sean Cronin**

Liberty Racing’s G1 Deutsches Derby hero *Fantastic Moon (Ger)* (Sea The Moon {Ger}–Frangipani {Ger}, by Jukebox Jury {Ire}) suffered a reversal following up in Munich’s G1 Bayerisches Zuchtrennen last time and bounced back in style to dominate the closing stages of Sunday’s G2 Qatar Prix Niel at ParisLongchamp.

The Sarah Steinberg trainee tanked forward to stalk the pace in third for the most part and improved into second along the false straight. Coming under pressure soon after turning for home, the 51-10 chance quickened to seize control approaching the final furlong and was ridden clear to easily outpoint G1 Grand Prix de Paris hero *Feed The Flame (GB)* (Kingman {GB}) by 2 1/2 lengths. Juddmonte’s *Bravais (GB)* (Frankel {GB}) was another late closer and finished a half-length back in third.

“We made the correct decision not to run him last time [in the Sept. 3 G1 Grosser Preis von Baden] at Baden-Baden because the ground was overwatered,” said Liberty Racing’s Lars-Wilhem Baumgarten. “The trainer and the jockey have done a great job and he’s a great horse, but he needs good ground. Today’s race lacked pace and it wasn’t straightforward. However, he’s easy to handle and very talented. In my opinion, he’s the best winner of the German Derby since [his sire] Sea The Moon. He’s still going strong at the end of his 3-year-old campaign and we’re so happy for our syndicate. We have four horses and two of them are group class. We’ll be making a decision, as to where he goes next, on Monday.”

That decision looks unlikely to include a ticket to next month’s Arc, according to Sarah Steinberg. “Rather than the Prix de l’Arc de Triomphe, we’re thinking about other possibilities,” the trainer revealed. “These include the Japan Cup and the Breeders’ Cup.” Cont. p13
G2 Prix Niel Cont.

Pascal Bary feels there is more to come from runner-up Feed The Flame and considers the run vital education, despite defeat, en route to a tilt at next month’s G1 Prix de l’Arc de Triomphe.

“He picked up well, but he wasn’t quite as ready as I thought after two months off and the last 100 metres seemed a bit of an eternity for him,” the trainer reflected. “Christophe Soumillon made sure the colt was given a lesson when it came to racing between horses, which is a good form of preparation, and he wasn’t hard on him. Of course, it’s always better to win than to be second. That said, the winner Fantastic Moon has every right to be considered a good colt.

“Feed The Flame will line up in the Prix de l’Arc de Triomphe and, if the ground were to ease, that would be even better.”

Juddmonte representative Claude Beniada was pleased with the effort of Bravais, who registered a career-high placing on pattern-race debut. “Obviously, this is the best performance of his career and Bravais is certainly more relaxed when he waits during a race,” he said. “At Deauville last time, he showed that he wouldn’t be bothered by a longer distance. He’s proved that today and it’s very encouraging. He hasn’t stopped improving and, if all goes well, he’ll develop into a good 4-year-old.”

Pedigree Notes

Fantastic Moon, one of his sire’s four Group 1 winners, is the second foal and lone scorer produced by a winning half-sister to G3 Sveas Minnelop victor Fearless Hunter (Ger) (Alhaarth {Ire}) and Listed Arnfinn Lund Minnelop third Fil Rouge (Ger) (Lord Of England {Eng}). The March-foaled bay, who is from the family of MGISW sire Street Boss (Street Cry {Ire}), is kin to a yearling filly by Starspangledbanner (Aus) and a weanling filly by Masar (Ire).

His second dam Firedance (Ger) (Lomitas {GB}) is a half-sister to G3 Rockfel S. victrix Germane (GB) (Distant Relative {Ire}) and the dual stakes-winning G3 Preis der Deutschen Einheit runner-up Fabriano (GB) (Sharadari {Ire}). Germane, in turn, is the dam of stakes-winning G1 Hollywood Derby third Lucky Chappy (Ire) (High Chaparral {Ire}) and Listed Kolner Stuten Meile runner-up Granted (Fr) (Cadeaux Genereux {GB}).

PLACE DU CARROUSEL COMPLETES IDEAL ARC PREP IN PRIX FOY

by Heather Anderson

Al Shaqab Racing’s Place Du Carrousel (Ire) (Lope De Vega {Ire}), already a Group 1 winner in last year’s G1 Prix de l’Opera, defeated defending champion Iresine (Fr) (Manduro {Ger}) by a neck to take Sunday’s G2 Qatar Prix Foy at ParisLongchamp. The latter was a half-length to the good of 2022 G1 Deutsches Derby and G1 Grosser Dallmayr-Preis Bayerisches Zuchtrennen hero Sammarco (Ire) (Camelot {GB}) in third.

The 4-year-old filly was the 13-5 second choice behind her G1 Prix Ganay conquerress Iresine at 1-2. Content to race midfield as Pleasant Jane (Fr) (Pivotal {GB}) forged to the front while watched by Fenelon (Fr) (Fastnet Rock {Aus}), Place Du Carrousel perched one off the fence next to Sammarco with Iresine last of the quintet. Drifting back a spot on the bend, the daughter of G2 Prix du Conseil de Paris victress Traffic Jam (Ire) (Duke Of Marmalade {Ire}) remained well covered up, as the field neared the straight. Closing willingly when given her cue, she quickly drew on even terms at the 200-metre mark, and found just enough late to withstand the withering run of Iresine in the final strides.

Rupert Pritchard Gordon, racing manager for Al Shaqab Racing, said, “The filly showed that she’s in good form. She’s still fresh because she hasn’t run much this year, due to a slight setback in the spring. The weather conditions are exceptional today, and Monsieur Fabre preferred to go for the Qatar Prix Foy rather than the [G1] Qatar Prix Vermeille, anticipating that there would be less pace in the Foy.”

Since her Opera heroics last October, Place Du Carrousel was a never-nearer fifth in the Ganay this spring, but after a break, was a winner over good to soft ground in the G3 Prix Gontaut-Biron at Deauville in August. Cont. p14
G2 Prix Foy Cont.

Connections are now dreaming of the G1 Qatar Prix de l’Arc de Triomphe.

“When we decided to keep her in training at four, after her success in the Prix de l’Opéra Longines last year, the idea was to aim her at the Qatar Prix de l’Arc de Triomphe,” he added. “So if all goes well between now and then, we’ll be heading to the race of dreams.”

Mandore International Agency, on behalf of Al Shaqab Racing, picked up the bay for €260,000 out of the Arqana Select Sale at Deauville in September of 2020 from the Ballylinch Stud draft.

Pedigree Notes

One of 19 Group 1 winners for her Ballylinch sire, Place Du Carrousel is the first foal out of Traffic Jam, who also ran second in the G2 Prix de Pomone. Since foaling the Foy winner, she has delivered four fillies—the 3-year-old Nariman Point (Ire) (Dubawi (Ire)), a 1.05-million gns Kingman (GB) juvenile named Monyat Galby (Ire), a yearling by Sea The Stars (Ire) who is consigned as lot 158 by Ballylinch to the upcoming Tattersalls October Yearling Sale Book 1, and a full-sister to the winner this term.

Her third dam, Sweet Emotion (Ire) (Bering (GB)), foaled Listed Midsummer S. victor Winged Cupid (Ire) (In The Wings (GB)), who also ran second in the G1 Racing Post Trophy. This is the extended family of the high class dual Group 1 winner Lillie Langtry (Ire) (Danehill Dancer (Ire)).

LUMIERE ROCK LIGHTS UP THE CURRAGH WITH DESERVED GROUP 2 SUCCESS

By Brian Sheerin

It was always going to take something special to luminate the Curragh against the backdrop of that dark grey sky, but the Joseph O’Brien-trained Lumiere Rock (Ire) (Saxon Warrior (Jpn)) had just the answer in the G2 Moyglare-sponsored Blandford S. under a razor-sharp Dylan Browne McMonagle.

Lumiere Rock has danced every dance this season. Her big moment at the Irish Champions Festival was richly deserved but it was achieved in far more tenacious fashion than the three-length winning margin would suggest.

Having gone out on her sword behind the fantastically-talented French filly Jannah Rose (Ire) (Frankel (GB)) in her own backyard in the G2 Prix Alex Head at Deauville last month, Lumiere Rock’s ability was clear for everyone to see, and she confirmed herself a smart sort in her own right in grabbing the Blandford by the scruff of the neck in first-time cheekpieces.

The race-winning move came over two furlongs out when Browne McMonagle, rightly considered one of the hottest riding prospects in Europe, sent the 6-1 shot to the front. From there, Lumiere Rock was not for catching, with Aidan O’Brien’s Jackie Oh (Ire) (Galileo (Ire)) coming through to finish a never-nearer second while the sponsor’s Trevaunance (Ire) (Muhaarar (GB)) finished a credible third.
"She has been keeping really good company all season," O'Brien said afterwards. "She was just beaten at Ascot and narrowly beaten again in France the last day. She really did deserve her win at Group 2 level today and won in the style of a filly who will hold her own in Group 1 company as she gets older."

Lumiere Rock carried the colours of Michael O'Flynn, the property developer who is synonymous for owning top-class jumpers with Mouse Morris, including Grade 1-winning chaser China Rock and one-time exciting novice hurdler Venalmar.

However, the striking red and yellow silks have been spotted more frequently on the Flat in recent years, through O'Flynn's association with the stables of O'Brien and Johnny Murtagh, and the owner explained how he enjoys the balance between the two codes.

"I am enjoying it," the owner said. "I am having more of an involvement on the Flat, which I am really enjoying, but I love the National Hunt. I must say, with Joseph and Johnny Murtagh on the Flat, I have had some really interesting runners and winners. I am favouring a little bit more towards the Flat but I still love the National Hunt."

O'Brien confirmed that Lumiere Rock could take in a Group 1 contest on her next start.

He said, "I suppose the obvious targets could be Arc day at Longchamp or Ascot for Champions Day. We'll see how she comes out of this and she'll tell us."

**Pedigree Notes**

One of seven stakes winners for her Coolmore sire, Lumiere Rock is out of the placed Last Gold (Fr) (Gold Away [Ire]). She is a half-sister to the 2-year-old filly Forthright (Ire) (Zoffany [Ire]), a yearling filly by Starspangledbanner (Aus) bound for Book 2 of the Tattersalls October Sale as lot 1237, and a colt foal by Kodi Bear (Ire).

Second dam Baahama (Ire) (Anabaa) won the Listed Prix Charles Laffitte and was runner-up in the G3 Prix d'Aumale. At stud she foaled a pair of Deep Impact (Jpn) French Group 3 winners--Akihiro (Jpn) and Barbatra (Fr).
Jean Bernard Roth, assistant trainer to Rouget, said, “Fang is a lovely horse to be around, sweet, calm, easy to train. He is the typical seven-furlong horse and handles this course superbly well. Not all horses do.”

Only seventh in the G1 Prix de la Foret on Arc day in 2022, the gelding rebounded with a narrow victory in a Chantilly conditions heat this July. Switched to the Deauville Polytrack in August, he found the re-opposing Siam Paragon (Fr) (Shalaa {Ire}) too good when third going 6 1/2 furlongs. Another crack at the Foret is next for Fang.

“He will most certainly return in the G1 Prix de la Forêt, but he is ground dependent,” he added. “He loves fast conditions like today but at five he doesn’t stop improving and may be he could now cope with softer conditions.”

The 5-year-old gelding is one of three group winners for his sire, who stands at Haras de Colleville and has eight stakes winners worldwide.

From the same family as group winners Sumbal (Ire) (Danehill Dancer {Ire}) and G1 Prix Vermeille second Lilac Road (Ire) (Mastercraftsman {Ire}), Fang is the third foal out of his dam, Belle De France (Fr) (Muhtathir {GB}), who won twice as a 3-year-old. Her latest foal is a yearling filly by For Fun (Fr).

Sunday, ParisLongchamp, France
QATAR PRIX DU PIN-G3, €80,000, ParisLongchamp, 9-10, 3yo/up, 7fT, 1:19.66, gd.
1--FANG (FR), 128, g, 5, by Goken (Fr)
   1st Dam: Belle De France (Fr), by Muhtathir (GB)
   2nd Dam: Life On The Road (Ire), by Persian Heights (GB)
   3rd Dam: Arkova (GB), by Irish River (Fr)

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**G3 Prix du Pin Cont.**

O-Ecurie B Weill, Laurent Dassault, Daniel-Yves Treves & Free Man Racing; B-Ecurie Haras de Saint Vincent (FR); T-Jean-Claude Rouget; J-Cristian Demuro. €40,000. Lifetime Record: 18-8-1-3, €187,410. **Werk Nick Rating: A++. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree, or the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.**

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**Coeur De Pierre Displays Paris Dash**

by Sean Cronin

Last term’s G3 Prix de Seine-et-Oise victor Coeur De Pierre (Fr) (Zanzibari--Twilight Tear {GB}, by Rock Of Gibraltar {Ire}), who had previously run third in the G1 Prix de l’Abbeye, halted a run of four straight defeats and laid down a marker for this year’s renewal of the Arc undercard dash with a game tally in Sunday’s G3 Qatar Prix du Petit Couvert at ParisLongchamp.

Breaking sharply to stalk familiar foe Ponntos (Ire) (Power {GB}) in second through swift early fractions, the 17-5 chance locked horns with that habitual pacemaker approaching the furlong pole and kept on strongly under continued urging in the latter stages to prevail by a head after a ding-dong tussle.

Asymmetric (Ire) (Showcasing {GB}) finished three lengths adrift and outbobbed 2021 and 2022 winner Berneuil (Ire) (Lope De Vega {Ire}) by a head for third. **Cont. p17**
**G3 Prix du Pin Cont.**

“He was very relaxed in the paddock beforehand,” said racing manager Marc Antoine Bergracht. “He’s a lovely horse, he’s very kind and has never caused us any problems. Today was not his ideal ground and the [G1 Prix de l’] Abbaye might well be his target. We will see about the Abbaye, [trainer] Mauricio [Delcher Sanchez] will decide.”

“We are delighted to win this race,” commented owner Ahmed Mouknass. “He is a very consistent horse, but has not been seen at his best this season. We feel that the trip to [Royal] Ascot [for the G1 Queen Elizabeth II Jubilee S. in June] has been hard on him and, hopefully, we will now try our luck in the Abbaye.”

**Pedigree Notes**

Coeur De Pierre (Fr) (Dabirsim (Fr)), the fourth of seven foals, is one of two pattern-race scorers produced by a granddaughter of matriarch Brigid (Irish River (Fr)), herself a full-sister to the dual stakes-winning dam of GI E. P. Taylor S. victrix Insight (Fr) of matriarch Brigid (Irish River {Fr}), herself a full-sister to the GI Irish 2000 Guineas and GI Poule d’Essai des Poulains runner-up Coeur De Beaute (Fr). Elite-level descendants of Brigid include G1 Irish 2000 Guineas and GI Breeders’ Cup Turf hero Magician (Ire) (Galileo (Ire)), G1 Fillies’ Mile winner Listen (Ire) (Sadler’s Wells), G1 Moyglare Stud S. victrix Sequoyah (Ire) (Sadler’s Wells) and the latter’s four-time Group 1-winning son Henrythenavigator (Kingmambo).

**Sunday, ParisLongchamp, France**

**QATAR PRIX DU PETIT COUVERT-G3, €80,000, ParisLongchamp, 9-10, 3yo/up, 5fT, :54.83, g/s.**

1--COEUR DE PIERRE (FR), 126, g, 7, by Zanzibari

1st Dam: Twilight Tear (GB), by Rock Of Gibraltar (Ire)

2nd Dam: Clara Bow (Ire), by Sadler’s Wells

3rd Dam: Brigid, by Irish River (Fr)

(€47,000 Ylg ‘17 OSASEP). O-Ecurie Pastaara Racing & Ahmed Mouknass; B-Haras de Grandcamp EARL (FR); T-Maurizio Delcher Sanchez; J-Tony Piccone. €40,000. Lifetime Record: G1SP-Fr, 26-7-5-2, €325,250. *1/2 to Coeur De Beaute (Fr) (Dabirsim (Fr)), GSW & G1SP-Fr, $303,398. **Werk Nick Rating: A+++.* Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree, or the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.

2--Ponntos (Ire), 126, h, 5, Power (GB)--Blessing Box (GB), by Bahamian Bounty (GB). (€2,200 Wlg ‘18 GOFNOV; €6,800 Ylg ‘19 TIRSEP). O-Dr Eva Nieslanikova; B-Liam Butler & Churchtown House Stud (IRE); T-Miroslav Nieslanik. €16,000.

3--Asymmetric (Ire), 126, c, 4, Showcasing (GB)--Swirral Edge (GB), by Hellvelyn (GB). (65,000gns Ylg ‘20 TATYEA; 150,000gns 2yo ‘21 TATBRE). O-Steven Parkin; B-Redpender Stud Ltd (IRE); T-Maurizio Guarnieri. €12,000.

Margins: HD, 3, HD. Odds: 3.40, 5.90, 4.00. Also Ran: Berneuil (Ire), Lesslepasser (Fr), Ismael Paint (Fr), Hispanic (Ire). Video, sponsored by FanDuel TV.
Omaha Beach has a runner in France

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HALF TO ALMANZOR DEBUTS AT SAINT-CLOUD

15.52 Saint-Cloud, Debutantes, €30,000, 2yo, 6 1/2fT
RADHARANI (IRE) (Kingman (GB)), who debuts for owner-breeder George Strawbridge and the Tim Donworth stable, is a half-sister to the G1 Prix du Jockey Club, G1 Champion S. and G1 Irish Champion S. hero and sire Almanzor (Fr). Also related to the G1 Poule d’Essai des Pouliches, G1 Prix d’Astarte and G1 Prix du Moulin heroine Darjina (Fr) (Zamindar), she faces seven on this racecourse bow.

BRITAIN

Sunday’s Results:
BETGOODWIN GARROWBY S.-Listed, £70,000, York, 9-10, 3yo/up, 6fT, 1:11.35, g/f.
1--COMMANCHE FALLS (GB), 135, g, 6, Lethal Force (Ire)--Joyeaux (GB), by Mark Of Esteem (Ire). (11,000gns Ylg ’18 TAOCT). O-Doug Graham, Ian Davison, Alan Drysdale; B-Redgate Bloodstock & Peter Bottowley Bloodstock (GB); T-Michael Dods; J-Connor Beasley. £39,697. Lifetime Record: GSW-Eng & SW-Ire, 34-12-4-3, $687,203. *1/2 to Dakota Gold (GB) (Equiano (Fr)), GSW-Eng, $565,150.
2--Juan Les Pins (GB), 130, g, 6, Invincible Spirit (Ire)--Miss Cap

62,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 1) 2022

Crystal Ocean (GB) (Sea The Stars (Ire)), The Beeches Stud
173 foals of racing age
14:55-BRIGHTON, 7f, Happy Place (Ire)
22,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2022

Eqtidaar (Ire) (Invincible Spirit (Ire)), Nunnery Stud
54 foals of racing age
15:30-BRIGHTON, 6f, Tenyatta (Ire)
14,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 3) 2022

Invincible Army (Ire) (Invincible Spirit (Ire)), Yeomanstown Stud
95 foals of racing age
15:30-BRIGHTON, 6f, Dadas Boy (Ire)
14,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 3) 2022

Masar (Ire) (New Approach (Ire)), Dalham Hall Stud
104 foals of racing age
18:00-NEWCASTLE, 8f, Amasar (GB)
9,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2022
18:00-NEWCASTLE, 8f, Placeholder (Ire)
15,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 3) 2022

Phoenix of Spain (Ire) (Lope de Vega (Ire)), Irish National Stud
97 foals of racing age
14:55-BRIGHTON, 7f, Miguel (Ire)
10,000gns Goffs November Foal Sale 2021; 10,500gns Tattersalls December Yearling Sale 2022

Ten Sovereigns (Ire) (No Nay Never), Coolmore Stud
150 foals of racing age/19 winners
18:30-NEWCASTLE, 6f, My Lady Samantha (GB)
35,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2022

FRANCE

City Light (Fr) (Siyouni (Fr)), Haras d’Etreham
90 foals of racing age
4-SAINT-CLOUD, 1600m, Clavus (Fr)
€27,000 Arqana Deauville September Yearling Sale 2022

Omaha Beach (War Front), Spendthrift Farm
138 foals of racing age
1-SAINT-CLOUD, 1300m, Talantuoso
$50,000 Keeneland Association September Yearling Sale 2022;
$285,000 Ocala Breeders’ Sales Company March Sale of Two-Year-Olds in Training 2023
Ferrat (GB), by Darshaan (GB). (60,000gns 3yo '20 TATAHI; 17,000gns HRA '22 TATFEB). O-Matthew Taylor; B-Executors of the Late Mr J L C Pearce (GB); T-Michael Appleby. £15,050.

3--Emaraaty Ana (GB), 130, g, 7, Shamardal--Spirit Of Dubai (Ire), by Cape Cross (Ire). O-Sheikh Mohammed Obaid Al Maktoum; B-Rabbah Bloodstock Limited (GB); T-Kevin Ryan. £7,532.

Margins: 3/4, 3/4, SHD. Odds: 3.30, 9.00, 2.00.

Also Ran: Diligent Harry (GB), Rage of Bamby (Ire), Perdika (GB), Desert Cop (GB), Anthem National (Ire). Scratched: Al Suhail (GB).

One of the sprinting world’s stalwarts, Commanche Falls has won Newbury’s G3 Hackwood S., The Curragh’s Listed Dash S. and two renewals of Goodwood’s always-competitive Stewards Cup as well as finishing third in the G2 1895 Duke of York S. Almost on a par with his similarly high-achieving half-brother Dakota Gold (GB) (Equiano {Fr}), who captured six black-type events including this race and the G3 Bengough S., the veteran swooped from rear to grab the lead 150 yards out and assert on another day at the office.

The winner is the last known foal out of the dam, a half to the G1 Premio Lydia Tesio heroine Aoife Alainn (Ire) (Dr Fong) from the family of the King’s Stand S.-winning sire Sayf El Arab and the G1 Hong Kong Mile hero The Duke (Aus) (Danehill).

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:
The Coffee Pod (Ire), c, 2, Acclamation (GB)--Ethel (GB), by Exceed And Excel (Aus). York, 9-10, 6fT, 1:12.59. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-2, $28,680. B-O’Connor International Limited (IRE). *€23,000 Wlg ’21 GOFNO1; €27,000 Ylg ’22 TATIRY; 50,000gns 2yo ’23 TATBRE.
HAMANDATE AIU: €150,000, 9-10, 3yo/2p, 6fT, 1:15.33, gd.
BAGOSSE (IRE) (g, 6, Gutaifan (IRE)--To Show (IRE), by Danehill) Lifetime Record: GSP-Ire, 47-6-9-3, $344,418. O-Allegro Syndicate; B-Mr E Heary (IRE); T-Charles O'Brien. *€21,000 RNA Ylg '17 GOFFNOV.

8th-Curragh, €150,000, 9-10, 3yo/2p, 10fT, 2:07.39, g/y.
CRYSTAL BLACK (IRE) (g, 5, Teofilo (IRE)--She 8th-Curragh, Sixteen Tons (Fr) Havre (IRE). Auch, 9-10, 10fT, 2:00.50. B-SCEA des Prairies (FR).

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:
Ylg 15-3-0-2, $142,321. O-Wear A Pink Ribbon Syndicate; B-Moyglare Stud Farm Ltd (IRE); T-Gerard Keane. *
O-Allegro Syndicate; B-Mr E Heary (IRE); T-Charles O Danehill

150,000, Dusseldorf, 9-10, 2yo, 8fT, 1:37.87, g/s.
BIG GOSSEY (IRE) (g, 6, Gutaifan (IRE)--Toy Show (IRE), by Tamariske (Ger) Normfluchtige (Ger)

Sunday’s Results:
GROSSE PREIS DES LAKI’S IM KO-QUARTIER - JUNIOREN PREIS-Listed, €25,000, Dusseldorf, 9-10, 2yo, 8fT, 1:37.87, g/s.
Ghorgan, kin to a weanling colt by Starspangledbanner (Aus), is the fourth scorer from as many runners produced by Listed Bayerischer Flieger-Preis third Guavia (Ire) (Invincible Spirit [Ire]), herself kin to three black-type winners headed by Listed Bayerischer Flieger-Preis third Patrick Sarsfield (Fr) (Australia [GB]), with Black Sam Bellamy (Ire) is a half-sister to GSW G1 Grosser Dallmayr-Preis third Goathemala (Ger) (Star Appeal [Ire]). The February-foaled homebred bay is a full-sister to G1 Grosser Preis von Baden third Pagella (Ger) and G3 Herzog von Ratibor-Rennen victor Parthenius (Ger) (Soldier Hollow [GB]). The April-foaled homebred bay is the immediate family of MG1SW sire Fame And Glory (Unfuwain), whose leading performer is Listed Severals S. victrix granddaughter of G1 Nassau S. heroine Zahrat Dubai (GB) (Montjeu {Ire}).

Like Magic is the first of three foals thrown by a winning performer out of G2 German 1000 Guineas winner Walesiana (Modeyra [GB]) (Shamardal). Zahrat Dubai, in turn, is the leading sire of her dam's half-sister to G1 Deutsches Derby participant, was joined on the trip over by Winner's Man (Kor) (Musket Man) led home a local 1-2 over Raon the Fighter (Kor) (Bayern) following a two-year, COVID-enforced postponement of the features. Crown Pride (Jpn) (Reach the Crown [Jpn]), last year's G2 UAE Derby hero and GI Kentucky Derby participant, was joined on the trip over by Gloria Mundi (Jpn) (King Kamehameha [Jpn]), less heralded, but six-from-eight on dirt, including a Group 3 when last seen in May.

With Yuga Kawada in for the afternoon, Crown Pride was bet to take it by 10 lengths over his compatriot. Tokyo Turf SRL Societa. B-Stefano Botti, Azelio Fausto (It). *3rd winner for his freshman sire (by Farhh [GB]).

3rd-Dusseldorf Cont.

3rd-Dusseldorf, €10,000, Mdn, 9-10, 2yo, 8fT, 1:39.60, g/s. LIKE MAGIC (GER) (c, 2, Magician [Ire]--Loyalitat [Ger], by Kamsin [Ger]) was the slowest of six into stride and raced at the tail of the field through halfway in this debut. Angled outside for a clear passage approaching the quarter-mile marker, the 21-5 chance went second entering the final furlong and was ridden out to assert by 1 1/4 lengths from Meer (Ger) (Sea The Stars). Life time Record: 1-1-0-0, €25,000.

1st-Dusseldorf, €10,000, Mdn, 9-10, 2yo, f, 7fT, 1:26.62, g/s. LIKE MAGIC (GER) (f, 2, Soldier Hollow (GB)--Princess Lala (Ger), by Royal Dragon), an Aug. 19 debut fourth tackling this distance at Mulheim last time, broke well and chased the leaders in third from flagfall here. Coming under pressure in early straight, the 107-10 chance made relentless headway to tackle Go Quick (Ger) (Best Solution [Ire]) approaching the final furlong and surged clear in style to hit the line 2 3/4 lengths ahead of that rival. Princess Valentina is the eighth of nine foals and fifth scorer out of a winning half-sister to G1 Deutsches Derby and G1 Prix Ganay hero Pastorius (Ger) (Soldier Hollow [GB]) and G3 Herzog von Ratibor-Rennen victor Parthenius (Ger) (Soldier Hollow [GB]). The April-foaled homebred bay is a full-sister to G1 Grosser Preis von Baden third Pagella (Ger) and G3 Preis der Winterkonigin runner-up Pemina (GB). She is also kin to a weanling filly by Toronado (Ire). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, €6,675.

O-Darius Racing; B-Stiftung Gestut Fahrhof (GER); T-A Wohler.

IN ITALY:

My Immortal (Ity), c, 2, Fa Ul Sciu (GB)--L'incantatrice (GB), by Authorized (Ire). Rome, 9-10, Mdn., 1500mT, 1:34.20. O/T-Stefano Botti Turf SRL Societa. B-Stefano Botti, Azelio Fausto (It). *3rd winner for his freshman sire (by Farhh [GB]).
Korea Cont.

Winner’s Man ran on for third, while Hong Kong raider Apache Star (Aus) (War Chant) faded into ninth after racing prominently early.

Koji Maeda’s Remake (Jpn) (Lani) was third in the G3 Riyadh Dirt Sprint and a troubled fifth in the G1 Dubai Golden Shaheen earlier in the year and prepped for the Korea Sprint with a facile success in listed company at Morioka last month. Also favoured at 30 cents on the dollar, the homebreds sat a midfield trip for Kawada, went for an inside run into the stretch and raced past pacesetting Beolmaui Star (Kor) (To Honor and Serve) to score by four easy lengths in track-record time. The well-traveled Bathrat Leon (Jpn) (Kizuna {Jpn}), a winner at group level in Dubai in 2022 and in Saudi Arabia this term, ran on for third ahead of Hong Kong’s Duke Wai (NZ) (Per Incanto), who rallied from well back for fourth. Defending champ Eoma Eoma (Algorithms) was fifth.

Foreign targets in the immediate future for the winners could include Breeders’ Cup appearances, though Crown Pride could be pointed for the valuable JBC Classic in November or December’s G1 Champions Cup, in which he was narrowly defeated last season. Remake is also a candidate for the JBC Sprint and/or the G3 Capella S., which marked his first win at stakes level in 2022.

Sunday, Seoul, South Korea

KOREA SPRINT-G3, ₩1,200,000,000 ($897,000), Seoul, 9-10, 3yo/up, 1200m, 1:10 (NTR), gd.

1--REMAKE (JPN), 126, c, 4, by Lani
1st Dam: Sariel (Jpn) (GSP-Jpn, $888,410), by King Kamehameha (Jpn)
2nd Dam: Shinko Nobby, by Nashwan
3rd Dam: Christabelle, by Northern Dancer
O-Koji Maeda; B-Northern Racing; T-Ryuji Okubo; J-Ryusei Sakai; ₩770,000,000. Lifetime Record: GSW-Jpn, GSP-KSA, 14-7-2-2, $1,891,484. Werk Nick Rating: D+. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree. Click for the free Equineline.com catalog-style pedigree.

2--Beolmaui Star (Kor), 126, c, 4, To Honor and Serve--Gaya Gongju (Kor), by War Zone. O-Lee Jong Hun; B-Kim Geun Kawada; ₩880,000,000. Lifetime Record: GSW-UAE, G1SP-Jpn, 12-4-4-0, $3,632,652. Werk Nick Rating: A++++. *Triple Plus*. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree. Click for the free Equineline.com catalog-style pedigree.

Sunday, Seoul, South Korea

KOREA CUP-G3, ₩1,600,000,000 ($1,196,000), Seoul, 9-10, 3yo/up, 1800m, 1:51.5, gd.

1--CROWN PRIDE (JPN), 126, c, 4, by Reach the Crown (Jpn)
1st Dam: Emmy’s Pride (Jpn), by King Kamehameha (Jpn)
2nd Dam: Emmy’s Smile (Jpn), by Agnes Tachyon (Jpn)
3rd Dam: Hemisphere (Jpn), by White Muzzle (GB)
O-Teruya Yoshida; B-Shadai Farm; T-Koichi Shintani; J-Yuga Kawada; ₩880,000,000. Lifetime Record: GSW-UAE, G1SP-Jpn, 12-4-4-0, $3,632,652. Werk Nick Rating: A++++. *Triple Plus*. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree. Click for the free Equineline.com catalog-style pedigree.

2--Gloria Mundi (Jpn), 126, h, 5, King Kamehameha (Jpn)--Bettolle (Ity), by Blu Air Force (Ire). O-Kazumi Yoshida; B-Northern Racing; T-Ryuji Okubo; J-Ryusei Sakai; ₩352,000,000. Lifetime Record: GSW-Jpn, GSP-KSA, 14-7-2-2, $1,891,484. Werk Nick Rating: D+. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree. Click for the free Equineline.com catalog-style pedigree.

3--Winner’s Man (Kor), 126, h, 5, Musket Man--Winner’s Marine (Kor), by Volponi. O-Lee Gyeong Hui; B-Kim Gi Seok; T-Choi Ki Hong; J-Seo Seung Un; ₩224,000,000. Margins: 10, 5, HF. Odds: 0.30, 3.40, 17.40. Also Ran: Success Macho (Kor), Haengbok Wangja, Tuhonui Banseeok, Crazy Conti, Global Hit (Kor), Apache Pass (Aus), Simjangui Godong (Kor), Brigadier General (Aus), Tiz Barows (Kor), The Gumpu, Mooohnak Chief. Scratched: Complete Value (Kor).

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