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An update from the Breeders' Cup read: “Geaux Rocket Ride sustained an open condylar fracture with intersesmoidian ligament damage to his right front leg during a workout this morning under Mike Smith, who was uninjured, dismounted, and tended to the horse. Geaux Rocket Ride was taken via equine ambulance to the Southern California Equine Foundation (SCEF) equine hospital at Santa Anita Park and has since been transferred to his barn to undergo additional evaluation and diagnostics to determine the appropriate course of action. Our thoughts, along with those of the entire racing community, are with trainer Richard Mandella, the Pin Oak Stud LLC team, and all those who care for him during this difficult time.

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The lone 3-year-old in the GII Forty Niner S. field, Everso Mischievous (Into Mischief) got not only his first career graded win, but also the first graded win in New York for jockey Cristian Torres.

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**Geaux Rocket Ride, cont. from p1**

The statement continued: “The Breeders’ Cup Veterinary Team also coordinated with regulatory and track veterinarians across the country to thoroughly review the veterinary records associated with all potential Breeders’ Cup runners starting in early October. This expanded veterinary review protocol is designed to ensure, to the extent possible, every horse that made the trip to Santa Anita Park for the World Championships was sound to race and train. We have faith in these processes, which include expanded veterinary exam protocols, increased testing, 24-hour equine surveillance starting Tuesday, Oct. 31 for domestic runners and Sunday, Oct. 29 for international runners, and enhanced reporting requirements.

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**Mother Goose, cont. from p1**

A length off that leader through a half mile in :48.46, Julien Leparoux kept his filly under wraps even as **Defining Purpose** (Cross Traffic) began to make an early bid alongside into the far turn. Sandwiched between runners with a quarter left to run, Xigera had plenty left to offer as the pacesetter faded to the inside and quickly moved clear inside the final sixteenth to win going away under a hand ride. Defining Purpose held on for second over a closing **Occult** (Into Mischief).
Mother Goose, cont.

“The hindsight is the easiest sight, so now that it’s done, it was the right decision [to come here rather than the Breeders’ Cup],” said winning trainer Phil Bauer. “I’m overwhelmed. It’s a pretty cool race historically. This year, as a whole, has just been phenomenal for Richard [Rigney, owner] and us, and to accomplish what we have is something special and we need to make sure we don’t take it for granted. It was the right decision and hopefully, it will springboard her to a 4-year-old campaign that has been as impressive as her last two races.”

Pedigree Notes:

Argent Affair, a stakes winner herself, RNA’d at last year’s Keeneland November Breeding Stock sale for just $100,000 despite producing GSW Forty Under (Uncle Mo) along with GSP Myriskyaffair (Verrazano) and Saturday’s winner. A $190,000 yearling, Xigera is one of 21 stakes winners from four racing crops for champion 2-year-old colt and GI Kentucky Derby winner Nyquist. Damsire Black Tie Affair (Ire), himself a Horse of the Year and GI Breeders’ Cup Classic victor, also sired the dam of MG1SW Mastercraftsman (Ire) (Danehill Dancer {Ire}). Xigera’s only younger half-sibling is a weanling Street Boss filly. Argent Affair visited Mo Donegal for 2024.

Saturday, Belmont The Big A

MOTHER GOOSE S.-GII, $250,000, Belmont The Big A, 10-28, 3yo, f, 1 1/8m, 1:48.99, ft.

1--XIGERA, 122, f, 3, by Nyquist

1st Dam: Argent Affair (SW, $154,895), by Black Tie Affair (Ire)

2nd Dam: Caty’s Quest, by Norquestor

3rd Dam: Cataque, by Clever Trick

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3--Occult, 124, f, 3, Inte Mischief--Magical Feeling, by Empire Maker. ($625,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP). O-Alpha Delta Stables, LLC; B-Peter E. Blum Thoroughbreds, LLC (KY); T-Chad C. Brown. $30,000.

Everso Mischievous

Margins: 3HF, 3/4, 2 3/4. Odds: 1.05, 7.20, 2.00.
Also Ran: Julia Shining, Foggy Night, Undervalued Asset, Peak Popularity.
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EVERSO MISCHIEVOUS STRIKES GOLD IN FORTY NINER

Formerly known as the Kelso, Saturday’s GII Forty Niner S. at Aqueduct may not have Breeders’ Cup implications, but as the first graded win in New York for Cristian Torres, who piloted Everso Mischievous (Into Mischief), it may have felt like the Breeders’ Cup. Torres picked up the sixth graded win of his career after earning his first one earlier this year in the GIII Razorback S. at Oaklawn on Last Samurai (Malibu Moon).

“It’s unbelievable,” said Torres. “I can’t express how I feel. To win a stakes race in any part of the country is awesome, but NYRA? It’s great.”

Tracking from second behind 14-1 leader Swiftsure (Uncle Mo) through a first quarter in :23.29 and a half in :45.89, Everso Mischievous collared the frontrunner going into the turn as GII Woodward runner-up Film Star (Flatter) joined the fray to his outside. Cont.
Forty Niner, cont.

The three raced across the track, emerging with Everso Mischievous holding a slight advantage as the Chad Brown duo of Dr Ardito (Liam’s Map) --who was five for six over this track-- and last-out GII Vosburgh runner-up Accretive (Practical Joke) made their own runs. The blinkered Brad Cox winner fought to the wire in determined fashion and dug in to hold a closing Dr Ardito at bay by a half-length, while favorite Accretive just missed second by a nose.

“He was perfect,” said Torres of the winner, who was the lone 3-year-old in the field. “The trip worked out perfect. When we were turning for home, I asked my horse and he took off again. He’s a nice horse, so he finished up. They always thought this was a nice horse. In the beginning of his career, he was a little green, but it was just a matter of time that he’d mature. They put blinkers on him at Saratoga and he improved a lot. They’re very happy, I’m very happy, and I’m very grateful to ride this kind of horse.”

Everso Mischievous was a $600,000 Keeneland September yearling purchase for China Horse Club and Gandharvi Racing before selling again just over a year later at the Keeneland November Horses of Racing Age sale having not made it to the starting gate. Fergus Galvin picked him up for $85,000. Now a Qatar Racing colorbearer, the bay is two heads shy of being undefeated. He debuted in February at Aqueduct, broke his maiden at second asking in May at Churchill, and has now won three straight, including the Harrods Creek S. at Churchill in his last out Sept. 23. He’s never gotten under a 90 Beyer Speed Figure and added blinkers three back, which Cox has said helped him focus.

Pedigree Notes:
Spendthrift’s Into Mischief, who will stand for $250,000 again in 2024, is the sire of the Forty Niner winner and 138 other black-type winners worldwide. His 68 graded winners include six Grade I winners this year, tops among North American-based sires. He’s led the leading sires list for the past four seasons and is on target to do it again this year.

Active Darley sire Medaglia d’Oro, who stands at Jonabell Farm, has sired the dams of 97 stakes winners. Ever So Clever, dam of Everso Mischievous, is one of his 176 black-type winners worldwide. She has juvenile and yearling full-brothers to the Forty Niner winner and was bred to Jack Christopher for next term. Her 2-year-old is unraced and was a $400,000 RNA at Keeneland September in 2022, while her yearling was a $1.1-million purchase for West Point Thoroughbreds at the recent edition of the same sale.

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**FORTY NINER S.-GIII, $300,000, Belmont The Big A, 10-28, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:35.32, ft.**

1—**EVERSO MISCHIEVOUS, 120, c, 3, by Into Mischief**
   1st Dam: Ever So Clever (GSW, $522,830),
   by Medaglia d'Oro
   2nd Dam: Foxy Danseur, by Mr. Greeley
   3rd Dam: Ravish Me, by Wild Again

**1ST GRADED STAKES WIN.** ($600,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP; $85,000 2yo '22 KEENOV). O-Qatar Racing; B-Clearsky Farms (KY); T-Brad H. Cox; J-Cristian A. Torres. $165,000. Lifetime Record: 6-4-2-0, $524,640. Werk Nick Rating: A+. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree. Click for the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.

2—**Dr Ardito, 122, g, 5, Liam's Map—Delightfully So, by Indian Charlie. 1ST GRADED BLACK TYPE.** ($95,000 Ylg '19 SARAUG). O-Michael J. Caruso and Michael Dubb; B-Fred W. Hertrich III & John D. Fielding (NY); T-Chad C. Brown. $60,000.

3—**Accretive, 122, g, 4, Practical Joke—Mallory Street, by Street Sense.** ($180,000 Ylg '20 KEESEP). O-Klaravich Stables, Inc.; B-Falcon Wood Partners (KY); T-Chad C. Brown. $36,000.

Margins: HF, NO, 1 1/4. Odds: 2.60, 6.00, 1.60.

Also Ran: Film Star, Swiftsure, Business Model, Double Crown.

Scratched: Synthesis.

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**MIDNIGHT STORM'S RUNAWAY STORM TAKES BRYAN STATION IN THRILLING FINISH**

He may be Kentucky-bred but Runaway Storm (Midnight Storm) had never raced in the Bluegrass State until Saturday when he scored the upset at 20-1 odds in the GIII Bryan Station S. at Keeneland.

It took the 3-year-old gelding two starts to break his maiden with victory coming in gate-to-wire fashion at Laurel Park June 16. Unchallenged facing winners for the first time in his next outing, Runaway Storm rolled home by 6 1/2 lengths at Horseshoe Indianapolis Aug. 3 before shipping east to Virginia’s Colonial Downs where he outran his 34-1 odds to finish a narrow third in the GIII New Kent County Virginia Derby Sept. 9.

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Bryan Station, cont.

Cut back to the flat mile for the first time since his debut run, Runaway Storm, one of the projected pacers, completely blew the start and came away last of the 10-horse field. Unhurried under Colby Hernandez, the bay rated patiently up the backstretch while racing in company with fellow Virginia Derby runner Gigante (Not This Time). His real running came into the far turn as Hernandez kept his mount outside of the leaders to gobble up ground with a sweeping move to place himself three wide for the lead at the head of the lane. 37-1 shot Santorini (Twirling Candy) was running a huge race to lead against the rail into the final sixteenth but Runaway Storm drew even as 1-2 favorite Talk of the Nation (Quality Road) made it three across the track right on the wire. Runaway Storm got the better of the bobs with the favorite just edging out Santorini for the placing.

"[The finish was] very nerve-wracking," said winning trainer Ethan West. "It was exciting. I wasn't sure if we had it or not. Everybody kept telling us that we had it, but until they posted No. 6 I wasn't going to believe it. I was very confident in the horse, actually, even though he was longer odds. He's been training down here for a few weeks now and had three very solid works going into it. After his turf work last week I called the owner, Dr. [Robert] Hunt and said, 'He's ready. He's ready to run.'"

"He dug in," added Hernandez. "When the horse on the outside [Talk of the Nation] ran up to me, he wasn't going to let the horse pass. He just dug in. He was jumping away down the lane. Yes, [I knew I had it] in the last three yards. He wasn't going to let that horse pass. Just kept digging in and found more. I want to thank [trainer] Ethan [West] and his team for giving me the opportunity.

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**Bryan Station, cont.**

Pedigree Notes:

The second stakes winner for California-based GI Shoemaker Mile winner Midnight Storm, Runaway Storm is a third-generation homebred for Robert J. Hunt who also raced the winner’s first and second dams. Runaway Betty reported a Beau Liam filly this spring after failing to produce a live foal on a cover from Mitole last year. She visited Yaupon for 2024.

Saturday, Keeneland

BRYAN STATION S.-GIII, $297,307, Keeneland, 10-28, 3yo, 1mT, 1:35.93, gd.

1--RUNAWAY STORM, 118, g, 3, by Midnight Storm

1st Dam: Runaway Betty, by Run Away and Hide
2nd Dam: Betrothal, by Explicit
3rd Dam: Wedding, by French Deputy

1ST BLACK TYPE WIN, 1ST GRADED STAKES WIN. O/B-Robert J. Hunt (KY); T-Ethan W. West; J-Colby J. Hernandez. $179,025. Lifetime Record: 5-3-0-1, $288,525. Werk Nick Rating: A. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.

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FAYETTE FIRST U.S. GRADED SCORE FOR CHILEAN HORSE OF THE YEAR O'CONNOR

Tyler Gaffalione rattled the reins early on his mount leaving the gate in the GII Hagyard Fayette S. as he strove to keep touch with the field, but only had to shake the stick at him late as they fought to the line in a thrilling finish. O’Connor (Chi) (Boboman) captured his first U.S. graded score in Keeneland’s Fayette after a Horse of the Year title in his home country.


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O'Connor (outside) | Coady

O’Connor raced in sixth through the :23.55 first quarter, shuffled closer to the back by :47.48 half, and willingly split horses in the closely bunched field while advancing. Cont.

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Fayette, cont.

Tipped wide on the turn, he bumped with two-back GII Smarty Jones winner and last-out GI Pennsylvania Derby third Il Miracolo (Gun Runner) to his inside as the duo together ran down late leader Speed Bias (Uncle Mo), whose best previous graded performance was a nose second in the GII Pimlico Special in May. The trio battled nip and tuck through late stretch, no one giving an inch, and finally finished just heads apart at the wire in a photo finish.

“He was very game,” said Gaffalione, who finished the day as the meet’s leading rider, “and it was very hard-fought. He took everything that was thrown at him. He was loving his position going around the turn. I was really happy with where I was at. Coming into the stretch he kept finding more, and every time I asked him he responded. All the credit goes to [trainer] Saffie [Joseph, Jr] and his team. They brought him over here ready to run. I was just fortunate to be the passenger today.”

Named Chilean Horse of the Year and champion older horse in 2022, O’Connor won the G1 Longines Gran Premio Latinoamericano and four other Group races on his native soil. He shipped to the U.S. and trainer Saffie Joseph, Jr.’s barn just over a year ago and promptly won an optional allowance last October at Gulfstream by six lengths in his first start stateside. He faltered in his next few, including the GI Pegasus World Cup, got a brief freshening, and finally placed in three graded races in the last six months. He was last seen finishing fifth in the GII Woodward Oct. 1 at the Belmont at Aqueduct meet.

Pedigree Notes:

O’Connor, whose granddam is a half-sister to 2007 GI Humana Distaff S. winner Hystericalady (Distorted Humor), is by 2006 GI Hollywood Turf Cup S. winner Boboman, who has been standing in South America since 2010. The Kingmambo stallion has seven Group winners, with O’Connor the first of his progeny to capture a graded win north of the equator.

The Fayette winner’s dam, Torrente de Agua (Chi), was shipped to Chile in utero. Her most recent reported foal was born in 2019. Her sire, GI Belmont winner Touch Gold, is pensioned at Old Friends and has 69 stakes winners out of his daughters.

Saturday, Keeneland

HARGYARD FAYETTE S.-GII, $310,538, Keeneland, 10-28, 3yo/up, 1 1/8m, 1:50.61, ft.

1--O’CONNOR (CHI), 121, h, 6, by Boboman
1st Dam: Torrente de Agua (Chi), by Touch Gold
2nd Dam: Torrey Pines, by Woodman
3rd Dam: Sacramento (Chi), by Northair
O-Michael Iavarone, Julia C. Iavarone and Fernando Vine Ode; B-Haras Carioca (CHI); T-Saffie A. Joseph, Jr.; J-Tyler Gaffalione.
$179,025. Lifetime Record: Horse of the Year, Ch. Older Horse & G1SW-Chi, 26-11-7-3, $660,969. Werk Nick
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2--Il Miracolo, 118, c, 3, Gun Runner--Tapit’s World, by Tapit. ($75,000 Ylg ’21 KEEJAN; $190,000 RNA Ylg ’21 FTKOCT; $70,000 2yo ’22 OBSOPN). O-Alexandres, LLC; B-Willow Oaks Stable LLC (KY); T- Antonio Sano. $57,750.

3--Speed Bias, 121, c, 4, Uncle Mo--Hot Summer, by Malibu Moon. ($220,000 Ylg ’20 KEESEP). O-Keith F. Johnston and William S. Sparks; B-Alpha Delta Stables, LLC (KY); T- Ron Moquett. $33,688.

Margins: HD, HD, 8HF. Odds: 5.46, 5.43, 13.76.
Also Ran: Twilight Blue, Dash Attack, Law Professor, Trademark, Happy American. Scratched: Best Actor, Film Star, Gasoline, Giant Game, King Fury, Time for Trouble.
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KEENELAND WRAPS 2023 FALL MEET WITH NEAR-RECORD HANDLE

Keeneland closed its 2023 Fall Meet on a high note Saturday. The meet produced total all-sources wagering of $201.7 million, the second-highest Fall Meet handle and fourth-highest handle in Keeneland history.

“The Fall Meet was terrific from start to finish, and we are thankful for the strong support of our participants, fans and community,” Keeneland President and CEO Shannon Arvin said.
Keeneland Fall Meet, cont.

“It was rewarding to see crowds line the rail through the very last race every day, savoring all the excitement this season had to offer. And with the recent announcement of our new Paddock Building and Saddling Paddock enhancements, we look forward to offering even more unique experiences for our guests in the future.”

All-sources wagering (not including whole-card simulcasting at Keeneland) for the 17-day Fall Meet, held Oct. 6-28, totaled $201,739,442, down 3.43% from last year’s record Fall Meet of $208,907,655.

On-track wagering of $16,266,007 marked an increase of 5.96% from last year’s $15,351,232. Average daily purses of $1,135,604 during the Fall Meet attracted fields that averaged 9.1 starters per race.

Jockeys Tyler Gaffalione and Luis Saez, who finished 1-2 in the rider standings during this year’s Spring Meet, also battled for top honors this fall with Gaffalione securing the lead on closing day for his fourth Fall Meet title and seventh overall.

Trainer Brad Cox earned his fourth consecutive Fall Meet training title and fifth overall while Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum’s Godolphin and Richard Rigney’s Rigney Racing tied for leading owner with four wins each.

FINAL WORKS CONTINUE FOR BREEDERS' CUP WEEKEND

Several horses pre-entered in next weekend’s Breeders’ Cup World Championships at Santa Anita turned in their final preparations Saturday morning.

At Keeneland, these horses each worked a half-mile over a fast track: Brightwork (Outwork) (Juvenile Fillies/Juvenile Turf Sprint) breezed in :47.80 (14/106) for trainer John Ortiz; Gina Romantica (Into Mischief) (FanDuel Mile/Maker’s Mark Filly and Mare Turf) went in :47.20 (3/106) in company with Liguria (War Front) for trainer Chad Brown; and Proxy (Tapit) (Classic) worked in :48.40 (29/106) for trainer Mike Stidham.

Working on the turf course labeled good were: Arzak (Not This Time) (Turf Sprint) who covered three furlongs on :34.80 (1/1) for trainer Mike Trombetta and In Italian (GB) (Dubawi {Ire}) (Filly and Mare Turf/Mile) who went five furlongs in 1:03.60 (2/2) for Chad Brown.

Trainer Brad Cox’s Breeders’ Cup contingent, all based at Churchill Downs, completed their final workouts Saturday.

The official times for each of Cox’s runners were: A Mo Reay (Uncle Mo) (five furlongs, :59.40 (1/32)); Caravel (Mizzen Mast) (four furlongs, :51.60 (1/1)); Idiomatic (Curlin) (five furlongs, :59.60 (2/32)); Matareya (Pioneerof the Nile) (five furlongs, 1:00.80 (13/32)); Saudi Crown (Always Dreaming) (six furlongs, 1:12.20 (1/1)); Wet Paint (Blame) (five furlongs, 1:01 (17/32)); and Zozos (Munnings) (five furlongs, :59.80 (3/32)).

GI Breeders’ Cup Classic contender Saudi Crown was among the first horses to work Saturday morning and breezed outside A Mo Reay.

“We put him on the inside last week with A Mo Reay and we put him on the outside this week,” Cox said. “I’ve loved what we’ve seen from him since the Pennsylvania Derby. A Mo Reay is a good work horse and he’s gotten a lot out of his works. By the way he’s doing now here in Kentucky, I’m confident he’ll run a big race in the Classic.”

At Santa Anita, all five of Phil D’Amato’s Breeders’ Cup contenders worked Saturday including Desert Dawn (Cupid), who drilled five furlongs on the main track in :59.80 (9/39).

“It was a solid drill. I think we’re Distaff bound,” D’Amato noted.

Motorious (Muhaarar {GB}), a contender for the GI Turf Sprint, cruised a half mile on the training track in :50.60 (15/18). D’Amato also worked Gold Phoenix (Ire) (Belardo {Ire}) (five furlongs 1:02 (10/14)) and Masteroffoxhounds (War Front) (five furlongs in 1:01 (4/14)).
2007-08 SPRINT WINNER MIDNIGHT LUTE

**Midnight Lute** (2003 dark bay or brown horse, Real Quiet--Candytuft, by Dehere)

**Lifetime record:** Ch. sprinter, MGISW, 13-6-3-1, $2,690,600

**Breeders' Cup connections:** B-Tom Evans, Macon Wilmil Eq, & Marjac Fm (KY); O-Mike Pegram, Karl Watson, and Weitman Performances, LLC; T-Bob Baffert; J-Garrett Gomez.

**Current location:** Hill 'n' Dale at Xalapa, Paris, Ky.

*Midnight Lute* gave a masterclass in devastating closing speed in his back-to-back Breeders' Cup Sprint wins, with his 4 3/4-length score in 2007 an eye-popping performance visually and his 1:07.08 time in 2008 still holding the Sprint record. Veteran yearling-to-juvenile reseller Eddie Woods broke the champion, who was a $290,000 RNA at OBS March in 2005 as a 2-year-old.

“He was a wonderfully big, good-looking black horse,” said Woods. “Tom McGreevy bought him to pinhook him to OBS. It's shameful to say for a champion sprinter, but he didn’t work quick enough. If you look at his style of running, he sashayed out of the gate. He had no early speed at all.

“He was always good-looking and he turned into a big, handsome horse with crazy finishing speed. His Breeders' Cup at Monmouth in the slop was one of the best races I've seen.”

--Jill Williams
Nyquist: what a year he’s had! There’s G1 winners Slow Down Andy and Randomized, and G2 winners New York Thunder, Crimson Advocate and now his Mother Goose heroine Xigera. Better still, his 2024 juveniles are his best bred yet. Just imagine.
### STREET SENSE S. - GIII

Sunday, Churchill Downs #10, post time: 5:35 p.m. EDT

**STREET SENSE S. - GIII**, $200,000, 2yo, 1 1/16m

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**Sunday, Belmont The Big A, post time: 5:24 p.m. EDT**

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**Sunday, Belmont The Big A, post time: 1:42 p.m. EDT**

**MAID OF THE MIST S.**, $200,000, 2yo, f, 1m

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**Sunday, Belmont The Big A, post time: 4:22 p.m. EDT**

**SLEEPY HOLLOW S.**, $200,000, 2yo, 1m

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Sunday, Churchill Downs, post time: 4:33 p.m. EDT

**RAGS TO RICHES S., $200,000, 2yo, f, 1 1/16m**

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SUNDAY’S RACING INSIGHTS:
By J.N. Campbell

$1.2M OBS MARCH GRAD BY JUSTIFY UNVEILED AT CHURCHILL

5th-CD, $120K, Msw, 2yo, 1m, 3:01 p.m. ET.

After clocking :10 flat during the OBS March under-tack show, TENNESSEE (Justify) brought $1.2 million as the second topper when the dark bay colt was purchased by Maverick Racing and Siena Farms. Unveiled here, the Brad Cox trainee for Siena and WinStar Farm, was purchased by Hartley/De Renzo Thoroughbreds for $250,000 at Keeneland September.

Out of GSP Zinzay (Smart Strike), who went for $525,000 to Summer Wind Equine back in 2016 during Keeneland November when she carried eventual SW & GISP Moon Over Miami (Malibu Moon), hails from an extended female family which includes GSW She Can't Sing (Bernardini) and G1 Dubai World Cup hero and 'TDN Rising Star' Mystic Guide (Ghostzapper). TJCIS PPS

1st-WO, $111K, Msw, 3yo/up, 1 1/8mT, 1:15 p.m. ET.

Up in Toronto, Loose Wire (Street Sense) makes his debut as a 3-year-old against six other more experienced runners. The Sam-Son Farm Ontario-bred was purchased for $925,000 by Repole Stable and St. Elias Stable to top the 2021 Fasig-Tipton October Sale. The Kevin Attard trainee’s second dam is Canadian champion 3-year-old filly Dancethruthedawn (Mr. Prospector), who is responsible for the dam of GI Whitney S. champ Moreno (Ghostzapper), and the third dam is Canadian Horse of the Year, Eclipse Award and GI Breeders’ Cup Distaff heroine Dance Smartly (Danzig). TJCIS PPS

2nd-CD, $120K, Msw, 2yo, 6f, 1:30 p.m. ET.

Out of Indian Miss (Indian Charlie), OXO Equine homebred BOW STREET (Into Mischief) hails from a well-regarded family which includes his half-brothers, champion male sprinter and top five first-crop sire Mitole (Eskendereya) and G1 Belmont S. and G1 Dubai World Cup runner-up Hot Rod Charlie (Oxbow).

Indian Miss was initially purchased at the 2018 Keeneland November sale for $240,000 by WinStar Farm while carrying Indigo Miss (Into Mischief), who was hammered down to Larry Best’s operation for $525,000 at Keeneland September in 2020. Bowstreet’s dam was then purchased by OXO two months later for $1.9 million at KEENOV while carrying this colt. Before entering training with Paulo Lobo, Bowstreet was bought back on a bid of $1.6 million at the Fasig-Tipton Select Yearling Sale last summer. TJCIS PPS

3rd-CD, $120K, Msw, 2yo, f, 6f, 2:00 p.m. ET.

Coastal Invasion (Omaha Beach) debuts for Hoffman Family Racing and Schwing Thoroughbreds after agent Clay Scherer signed the ticket for $700,000 in April at OBS. Prior to that, the Brad Cox trainee went to Red Wings Enterprises for $200,000 at Keeneland September. Dam Intelyhente (Smart Strike) is a full-sister to GI Darley Alcibiades S. heroine Bel Air Beauty, who produced Canadian champion sprinter Stacked Deck (First Samurai). TJCIS PPS

4th-CD, $120K, Msw, 2yo, f, 1 1/16mT, 2:30 p.m. ET.

Perry Martin, who sadly lost his wife and Martin Racing partner Denise back in 2021, received five lifetime breeding rights when he and Steve Coburn’s GI Kentucky Derby winner California Chrome (Lucky Pulpit) was sold to Japan’s JS Company, who manages the stallion business at Arrow Stud. Martin purchased MSW Lake Ponchatrain (Afleet Express) in a private sale in 2019 that was brokered by California-based bloodstock consultant Lisa Groothedde and sent her to California Chrome. The result is juvenile TAZAWAKO (Jpn), her first to the races under the tutelage of trainer Mike Maker. California Chrome has been represented by nine 2-year-old winners to date from his first Japanese-foaled crop. TJCIS PPS

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IN ORDER OF PURSE:

BOWMAN MILL S., $169,775, Keeneland, 10-28, 2yo, 6f, 1:11.52, ft.

1--GLENGARRY, 120, c, 2, by Maximus Mischief
   1st Dam: L. A. Way, by Tizway
   2nd Dam: L. A. Devine, by Pulpit
   3rd Dam: Sunny Laugh, by Relaunch
   (555,000 Ylg ‘22 FTKJUL; 150,000 2yo ’23 EASMAY). O-Aaron Kennedy, Toby Joseph & Doug Anderson; B-Highpoint Bloodstock (IA); T-Doug L Anderson; J-Luis Saez. $90,675. Lifetime Record: 3-3-0-0, $177,501.

2--Normandy Hero, 118, c, 2, Omaha Beach--Swan of the Nile, by Pioneerof the Nile. 1ST BLACK-TYPE. ($40,000 RNA Wlg ‘21 FTKNOV). O-Naoya Yoshida; B-Yoshida, Brock, Collins, Crawford, Doyle & Vanbeek (KY); T-Rodolphe Brisset. $39,000.

3--Valentine Candy, 118, c, 2, Justify--Taste Like Candy, by Candy Ride (Arg). 1ST BLACK-TYPE. ($250,000 Ylg ‘22 FTKOCT). O-L William & Corinne Heiligbrodt, Jackpot Farm, Whispering Oaks Farm LLC & Coteau Grove Farms LLC; B-Pine Creek LP (KY); T-Steve M Asmussen. $19,500.

Margins: HF, 3 1/4, 1. Odds: 2.73, 4.31, 4.82.
Also Ran: Patriot Spirit, Cowes, Maycocks Bay, Sweet Soddy J. Scratched: Market Street, Royal Slipper.

Iowa-bred Glengarry ran his record to three wins from as many appearances with a good-looking victory in Saturday's Bowman Mill S. at Keeneland.

The 5-2 second choice off a 12 3/4-length romp against his fellow state-breds in the Sept. 30 Iowa Cradle S., the gray colt was under the pump early from Luis Saez as he tried to match strides with Cowes (Outwork) to his outside, but when it was apparent that he was not going to make the lead, Glengarry was taken hold of for a stride or two and guided into the two path to stalk the loose leader. Asked to claim that front-runner as they
hit the stretch, Glengarry went for home at the three-sixteenths, but may have idled a bit as Normandy Hero (Omaha Beach) began to cut into the lead. But the Doug Anderson trainee rebroke and maintained a safe margin to the wire.

“It was a pretty quick decision we had to make,” Saez said. “We know this horse has been running on the lead, and he’s fast. He broke from there sharp, and we had a little pressure, but we had to make a quick decision and take a little hold. I put him right there outside, and he responded perfectly.”

A $55,000 Fasig-Tipton Kentucky July yearling, Glengarry made for a nice profit when hammering for $150,000 at this year’s Fasig-Tipton Midlantic 2-year-olds in training sale in May. One of two stakes winners for his leading freshman sire (by Into Mischief), Glengarry is out of a half-sister to a pair of black-type placers and has a yearling half-sister by Good Samaritan and a weanling full-sister. L. A. Way was most recently bred to Tonalist. Click here for a recent feature on Glengarry and owner Aaron Kennedy. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

**AWAD S.,** $135,000, Belmont The Big A, 10-28, 2yo, 1 1/16mT, 1:43.04, fm.

1--**MOVE TO GOLD, 118, c, 2, by Twirling Candy**
1st Dam: Brandy, by Unbridled’s Song
2nd Dam: Alienated, by Gone West
3rd Dam: Extraterrestrial, by Storm Bird
($260,000 Ylg ’22 KEESEP). **1ST BLACK TYPE WIN.** O-Klaravich Stables, Inc.; B-Machmer Hall & Mr. & Mrs. Carrie + Craig Brogden (KY); T-Chad C. Brown; J-Manuel Franco. $74,250.
Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, $104,250.

2--**Spirit Prince, 118, c, 2, Cairo Prince--Dottie's Spirit, by Curlin.**
($110,000 Ylg ’22 KEESEP). O-Oakwood Stables (Daniel J. Burke), Scott D. Krase, Donarra Thoroughbreds, LLC, Kenneth G. Beitz and Gail P. Beitz; B-Ben and Rebekah Henley & Jim Gray (KY); T-Christophe Clement. $27,000.

3--**Blue Creek, 120, g, 2, Demarchelier (GB)--Grandma Fran, by Street Boss.** ($25,000 Ylg ’22 EASOCT). O-Upland Flats Racing; B-Jay Goodwin, Cloyce C Clark Jr., Andrew Cary & Mk Thoroughbreds (KY); T-Keri Brion. $16,200.
Margins: 1 1/4, 3, 2 1/4. Odds: 2.10, 1.00, 12.20.
Also Ran: Innate (Ire), Dancing Mischief, Tropandhagen.
Scratched: British Sea, Twirling Point.

Move to Gold debuted with a third-place finish Aug. 31 at Kentucky Downs before taking on the role of the 2-1 second choice here.

The dark bay colt was unhurried early in second-last heading into the first turn. The Chad Brown trainee began to launch his bid into the lane as the pacesetter began to tire and motored past favorite Spirit Price to get his first picture taken.

“What an opposite trip for this horse from his race at Kentucky Downs,” said Brown. “That’s not to say it was the jockey’s fault that day, he had a tough post on a unique course. He just found himself outside. I think next year we can get him out going a little bit further. He’ll fill out a little bit, he’s still an immature-
Move to Gold | Susie Raisher

looking horse. He has two nice races to get his career started so now is a good time to let him catch his breath."

The winner's dam Brandy, who was purchased by Machmer Hall at the 2021 Keeneland January Sale for $350,000 while carrying the winner, counts GI Woodward S. runner-up Rally Cry (Uncle Mo) as a half-brother. She is responsible for a yearling colt by Authentic, who went for $400,000 during this year’s Fasig-Tipton Saratoga Sale to MyRacehorse, and she was bred to Essential Quality for 2024. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

CLEVER TREVOR S., $75,000, Remington, 10-27, 2yo, 7f, 1:26.17, ft.

1--MAGIC GRANT, 118, c, 2, by Good Magic
1st Dam: Holiday Bertie, by Harlan’s Holiday
2nd Dam: Get Ready Bertie, by More Than Ready
3rd Dam: De Bertie, by De Niro
($120,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP; $300,000 2yo '23 OBSMAR). 1ST BLACK TYPE WIN. O-Willis Horton Racing LLC; B-Hill N Dale Equine Holdings, Inc (KY); T-Eddie Milligan, Jr.; J-Richard E. Eramia. $45,000. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, $45,085.

2--My Buddy Mel, 119, g, 2, Tonalist--Tilde, by Swiss Yodeler. ($13,000 Ylg '22 TTAYRL; $29,000 2yo '23 TTAAPR).
1ST BLACK TYPE. O-Heider Racing Stables LLC, Duffy’s Racing Stable LLC & Striking Stables LLC; B-Charles W Eddy & Myra Sue York-Eddy (TX); T-Danny Pish. $15,000.

3--Wish Man, 117, c, 2, Liam’s Map--Wishcraft, by Lion Heart. ($200,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP). 1ST BLACK TYPE. O-Trava & Richard Drake; B-Woods Edge Farm, LLC (KY); T-M. Brent Davidson. $8,250.

Magic Grant, a disappointing sixth at odds of 7-2 on debut going 5 1/2 furlongs here Sept. 29, lit up the tote board in this ambitious spot. Taking the blinkers off here, he was outscored in eighth through fractions of :22.07 and :45.53, began to roll with a sweeping move on the far turn and came rumbling down the center to win for fun. Magic Grant becomes the 15th black-type winner for his sophomore sire (by Curlin). The winner's dam produced a colt by Good Magic in 2023 and was bred back to Army Mule. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.
being well-beaten in both the Gill Sam F. Davis S. Feb. 11 at Tampa and then against 'TDN Rising Star' and champion 2-year-old Forte (Violence) in the GI Curlin Florida Derby at Gulfstream Park Apr. 1, the chestnut colt was installed as a 5-1 shot with Lasix for the first time here. He raced just off the speed into the first turn, continued to track from second up the backstretch, took over the top spot just after the quarter pole and outlasted the late-running Denington (Gun Runner) by a length. The winner is a half-brother to 'TDN Rising Star' Cazadero (Street Sense), GSW-Can, GSW-USA, $379,712; Almost Famous (Unbridled's Song), GSP, $180,688; and Mt. Brave (Malibu Moon), SW, $195,834. A $1-million purchase by Stonestreet at the 2008 Keeneland November Sale, Wild Gams was bred to Curlin for next year. Sales History: $400,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: GSW, 6-3-0-0, $278,590.

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O-West Paces Racing LLC & Stonestreet Stables LLC; B-Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC (KY); T-Danny Gargan.

7th-Belmont The Big A, $100,000, Alw, 10-28, (NW1$X), 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:41.43, fm, 2 lengths.

REDISTRICTING (GB) (g, 3, Kingman (GB)--Cascata (Ire), by Montjeu (Ire)) debuted a 4 3/4-length winner June 3 at Belmont Park before running a well-beaten seventh behind 'TDN Rising Star' Far Bridge (English Channel) over the turf in Elmont July 8 in the GI Belmont Derby. Off as the 2-5 choice here, the bay gelding settled along the rail in third around the first turn, waited patiently for his cue up the backstretch, looked for running room into the lane and shot through a hole to win by two lengths over Quality G (Quality Road). His dam's last record of produce, the winner is a half-brother to Misericordia (GB) (Dansili (GB)), GSP, $181,987. Cascata is a full-sister to European champion 2-year-old colt St. Nicholas Abbey (Ire) (Montjeu (Ire)). Sales History: 140,000gns Ylg '21 TATOCT. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, $108,250.

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O-Klaravich Stables, Inc.; B-Farm Cove Thoroughbreds Ltd (GB); T-Chad C. Brown.

8th-Santa Anita, $76,474, Alw (NW1$X)/Opt. Clm ($50,000), 10-27, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:09.56, ft, 5 1/4 lengths.

DADDYSRUBY (f, 3, Frac Daddy--Youtheprizeandi, by You and I), a winner of her first three starts over the Golden Gate synthetic, Santa Anita main track and Del Mar lawn, was fourth as the even-money favorite in a grassy optional claimer at Del Mar Sept. 3. Cutting back to a sprint and returning to dirt here, the 5-2 shot sped out to the front from her rail draw and made every pole a winning one. It was 5 1/4 lengths back to favored Report (Empire Maker), a sharp debut winner in Arcadia earlier this month. Wachtel Stable and Gary Barber joined the ownership line on the winner following her Golden Gate debut victory for trainer Tim McCanna and transferred her to Peter Miller. Lifetime Record: 5-4-0-0, $172,014. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

O-Jethorse LLC, Wachtel Stable & Gary Barber; B-Jethorse LLC (CA); T-Peter Miller.

7th-Gulfstream, $50,300, Alw (NW1X)/Opt. Clm ($75,000), 10-28, 2yo, f, 5 1/2f (AWT), 1:03.95, ft, 5 1/4 lengths.

GREAT VENEZUELA (f, 2, Neolithic--Pat M's Image, by Leroidesanimaux (Braz)), a dominant maiden winner against state-breds Oct. 7, made it two straight impressive wins over the all-weather course. The 2-5 favorite forced the issue from an outside second and powered past the pacesetting Demar’s Legacy (Enticed) to score by 5 1/4 lengths. Sales History: 3-2-1-0, $60,900. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

O/B-Orlyana Farm (FL); T-Victor Barboza, Jr.
account in impressive fashion. Not the swiftest away, the aptly named $190,000 Keeneland September yearling worked her way into the thick of things in quick order, but that sluggish dispatch meant that Howl was trapped out as they raced to the turn. Easing down into about the three path around the bend, the scopey dark bay was held together while cornering deep into the lane and turned it on in the final eighth of a mile to report home a powerful 7 3/4-length winner. Howl, who was RNAd for $90,000 with this filly in utero at Keeneland November in 2019, is also responsible for the 2-year-old filly Practitioner (Classic Empire) and a weanling filly by Good Magic. The mare was most recently bred to Drain the Clock. Howl is bred like this year’s GIII Count Fleet Sprint H. winner Skelly, while the cross of Into Mischief over Indian Charlie has resulted in Grade I winner Dayoutoftheoffice and GSW Frank's Rockette. Sales history: $190,000 Ylg ’21 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, $56,575.

O-LNJ Foxwoods; B-Fredrick Wieting, John McCormick & Bridget Sperl & Castle Park Farm LLC (KY); T-Brad H Cox.

DEADPAN (c, 2, Distorted Humor--Glamour and Style, by Dynaformer) did most of the heavy lifting on debut at Colonial Downs Sept. 2, but tired late to finish third over this same distance. Racing close to the front again Saturday, the 8-1 shot came wide around the far turn, floating out Mo Caliente (Uncle Mo) in the process, and put in a sustained bid down the lane to just get his neck down in front of a pair of late closers. Act of Mutiny (Quality Road) got the better of the bobs for the placing. A full-brother to Calibrate, SW & MGSP, $464,957, Deadpan is out of a full-sister to G1SW Somewhat. Glamour and Style has a yearling filly by Improbable and visited Jackie's Warrior for next spring. Sales History: $100,000 Ylg ’22 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, $62,575. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

O-D. J. Stable LLC; B-Don Alberto Corporation (KY); T-Mark E. Casse.

CATSKILL HUMOR (f, 3, Practical Joke--Atlantic Dream, by Stormy Atlantic) was claimed for $75,000 off owner Martin Schwartz and trainer Brad Cox after running second by a neck July 28 at Saratoga. Next seen finishing fifth sprinting over the turf Sept. 21 in South Ozone Park, the chestnut filly was sent on her way at odds of 13-1 here. She sat a stalking trip in third up the backstretch, took aim at the leaders around the far turn and held on to win by a nose over Nyxed (Ghostzapper). The winner is a half-sister to Godzilla (Flatter), GISP, $248,159. Atlantic Dream is a full to MGSP Icy Atlantic and a half to GSW Wild Promises (Wild Event), the dam of GI Stephen Foster S. hero West Will Power (Bernardini). She is also responsible for a 2-year-old colt in training and a yearling filly, both by Flatter. She foaled a full-sister to Catskill Humor May 3 and visited Essential Quality for 2024. Sales History: $120,000 Ylg ’21 KEEJAN; $250,000 Ylg ’21 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-0, $69,637. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

O-Gaining Ground Racing LLC; B-Wildwood Farm & Indian Creek (KY); T-Raymond Handal.

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BUFFOON (FR) (c, 2, Lope de Vega {Ire}--After Dawn {Ire}, by Invincible Spirit {Ire}) debuted in the roughly run Saratoga maiden at Saratoga Sept. 2 won in spectacular fashion by 'TDN Rising Star' and subsequent GI Pilgrim S. winner Agate Road (Quality Road) and crossed the line seventh, beaten just three lengths, before being promoted one spot. Drawing in from deep on the also-eligibles list for this second go, Buffoon was as many as seven paths off the inside passing the stands for the first time and was forwardly placed three wide with no cover into the first turn. A close third for Joel Rosario as they raced down the back, the 175,000 Arqana August yearling purchase was niggled at three furlongs out, was put to a heavy drive and drifted out into the lane and found his best stride in the final eighth of a mile to post a two-length victory at a penny shy of 5-1. The winner is out of a half-sister to Ectot (GB) (Hurricane Run {Ire}), winner of the G1 Criterium International at two, the G2 Prix Niel as a 3-year-old and the GI Joe Hirsch Turf Classic over yielding Belmont turf in 2016. After Dawn is also kin to Most Improved (Ire) (Lawman {Fr}), victorious in the 2012 GI St James’s Palace S. at Royal Ascot. The yearling relation to Buffoon, a filly by Peter Brant's G1 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe hero Sottsass (Fr), was knocked down to Michel Zerolo’s Oceanic Bloodstock for 130,000 at the just-concluded Arqana October Sale. Sales history: €175,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, $39,055. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

O-Pura Vida Investments LLC; B-S A S U Ecurie Des Monceaux & Rifa Mustang Europe Ltd (FR); T-Michael J Maker.

MORE MONEY HUNNY (f, 2, Mendelssohn--Seek a Star, by Smart Strike) was an improved fourth at second asking on the turf at Woodbine Sept. 21. In receipt of Lasix for the first time as a 5-1 shot here, the chestnut filly carried a short lead up the backstretch, dueled around the far turn with favorite Charlottes Road (Quality Road) and stayed on to win by a head over the surging Vazhi (Mendelssohn). The winner’s dam, a half-sister to SW Jackson Heights (Union Jackson), produced a yearling colt by Violence. She also foaled a colt Apr. 4 by Army Mule and was bred to Kobe’s Back for next year. Sales History: $30,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, $42,259. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

O-Di Scola Boys Stable; B-Saintsbury Farms Inc. (ON); T-Josie Carroll.

TAWARET (f, 3, Pioneerof the Nile--Tapas, by Tapit), a closing second as the favorite at Aqueduct Oct. 5, went one better here. Favored at 3-2 here, she raced in mid-pack along the rail up the backstretch, steadily made progress around the far turn and skimmed the fence to get up in time by a half-length over Flysofreeashleeb (Midnight Lute). The winner’s dam is a half-sister to GI Acorn S. runner-up Justwhistledixie (Dixie Union), who produced GI Breeders’ Cup Juvenile winner New Year’s Day (Street Cry {Ire}). Tapas is responsible for a 2-year-old filly named Mutually Exclusive (Vino Rosso) and visited Life Is Good for 2024. Lifetime Record: 6-1-1-3, $84,162. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

O/B-CHC Inc. (KY); T-Christophe Clement.

PRINCE OF TRUTH (g, 3, Into Mischief--La Verdad {Ch. Female Sprinter, MGSw & GISP, $1,563,200}, by Yes It's True) offered little in his first two tries, including a 10th-place finish over the Saratoga lawn Sept. 4. Off at 8-1 here, he chased from fourth and made a three-wide bid at the top of the stretch. Despite taking a hard bump from a rival shortly thereafter, Prince of Truth rallied down the center en route to a half-length decision. Prince of Truth was the final foal from her ill-fated champion dam La Verdad. Sales history: $675,000 RNA Ylg ’21 KEESEP; $450,000 2yo ’22 FTTRM. Lifetime: 3-1-0-0, $46,970. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.
O-Lady Sheila Stable; B-Lady Sheila Stable LLC & Edition Farm (NY); T-Linda Rice.

5th-Santa Anita, $62,500, Msw, 10-28, 2yo, f, 1mt, 1:35.47, fm, 1 3/4 lengths.

BLUE OASIS (f, 2, War Front—Blue Night {Ire}, by Galileo {Ire}) checked in fifth in each of her prior starts over the mile, including her last-out effort over this same course Oct. 6. Positioned outside of runners up the backstretch, the 5-1 shot had to maneuver in between horses and was sandwiched in tight quarters by Circle of Trust (Union Rags) heading into the far turn. Still in chase mode but now a step behind at the quarter pole, Blue Oasis closed outside of runners, but came up 1 1/4 lengths short of Circle of Trust, who crossed the wire first. A steward’s inquiry into the events on the far turn determined that Circle of Trust drifted in and cost both Blue Oasis and the runner to their inside a shot at a better placing. Circle of Trust was subsequently disqualified from first to last and Blue Oasis was elevated to the win. Blue Night (Ire), purchased for $375,000 out of the 2020 Keeneland November Sale carrying Saturday’s winner, foaled a full-sister to Blue Oasis this spring and visited Justify for 2024. Sales History: $200,000 Ylg ’22 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, $39,460. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

O-Soma Racing Stables LLC; B-Brittlyn Stable (KY); T-Tim Yakteen.

3rd-Santa Anita, $61,500, Msw, 10-28, 3, 4,5yo, f/m, 1mt, 1:35.57, ft, 1 length.

MISS MONARCH BAY (f, 3, Into Mischief—Curlina {GSP, $161,537}, by Cuvee) finished third at second asking Sept. 1 at Del Mar over the dirt before finishing a well-beaten fifth Oct. 7 at Santa Anita. Switching to the grass as a 7-2 shot here, the bay filly trailed into the first turn as longshot Thirty Carats (Oscar Performance) set the pace. She loped along in that spot up the backstretch, tipped to the outside just before the top of the lane and blitzed towards the wire to win by a length over the aforementioned pacesetter. The winner is a half-sister to Sine Wave (Big Brown), MGSP, $147,715. Curlina also produced the unraced 2-year-old Abitmischievous (Into Mischief), foaled a Jan. 23 filly by Gun Runner and was bred to both Jackie's Warrior and Epicenter for next year. Sales History: $940,000 Ylg ’21 FTSAug. Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-0, $39,460. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

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2023 Stud Fees Listed

Audible (Into Mischief), WinStar Farm, $25,000
150 foals of racing age/14 winners/1 black-type winner
1-Belmontthe Big A, 12:35 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Call Her Bluff, 3-1
$60,000 RNA SAR AUG yrl; $22,000 EAS MAY 2yo
10-Churchill Downs, 5:35 p.m. EDT, $200K GIII Street Sense S., 1 1/16m, Moonlight, 5-2
$235,000 RNA FTS AUG yrl; $170,000 FTK OCT yrl; $285,000 OBS APR 2yo

Catalina Cruiser (Union Rags), Lane's End Farm, $15,000
110 foals of racing age/9 winners/0 black-type winners
6-Churchill Downs, 3:31 p.m. EDT, Aoc 6 1/2f, Hidden Class, 3-1
$24,000 RNA KEE JAN wnl; $30,000 KEE SEP yrl; $40,000 OBS APR 2yo

Catholic Boy (More Than Ready), Claiborne Farm, $15,000
104 foals of racing age/9 winners/0 black-type winners
6-Churchill Downs, 3:31 p.m. EDT, Aoc 6 1/2f, Barbratina, 4-1
$10,000 FTK JUL yrl; $21,000 FTK FEB yrl
5-Woodbine, 3:26 p.m. EDT, Msw 7fT, Beyond Adversity, 20-1
$5,000 FTK OCT yrl; $27,000 RNA OBS MAR 2yo
5-Woodbine, 3:26 p.m. EDT, Msw 7fT, Catholic Jackie, 20-1
$47,000 RNA KEE SEP yrl; $26,000 OBS APR 2yo
1-Belmontthe Big A, 12:35 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Lu's Redemption, 8-1
$57,000 RNA FTN MIX wnl; $50,000 OBS APR 2yo

Coal Front (Stay Thirsty), Spendthrift Farm, $5,000
49 foals of racing age/8 winners/1 black-type winner
1-Churchill Downs, 1:00 p.m. EDT, Msw 6 1/2f, Coalpower, 10-1
$15,000 FTK OCT yrl
9-Gulfstream, 4:48 p.m. EDT, Msw 1m, Themanupfront, 7-2

Demarchelier (GB) (Dubawi {Ire}), Claiborne Farm, $5,000
71 foals of racing age/8 winners/0 black-type winners
4-Churchill Downs, 2:30 p.m. EDT, Msw 1 1/16mT, Marshamarshamarsha, 30-1

Enticed (Medaglia d'Oro), Darley, $5,000
104 foals of racing age/15 winners/0 black-type winners
8-Churchill Downs, 4:33 p.m. EDT, $200K Rags to Riches S., 1 1/16m, Shimmering Allure, 6-1
$40,000 FTK JUL yrl
9-Santa Anita, 8:03 p.m. EDT, Msw 1mT, Track and Field, 5-1
$42,000 KEE NOV wnl

Flameaway (Scat Daddy), Darby Dan Farm, $7,500
116 foals of racing age/15 winners/2 black-type winners
6-Churchill Downs, 3:31 p.m. EDT, Aoc 6 1/2f, Done Enough, 15-1
$17,000 FTK OCT yrl; $55,000 OBS MAR 2yo
9-Gulfstream, 4:48 p.m. EDT, Msw 1m, Halon, 5-1
$1,500 OBS WIN wnl; $50,000 OBS OCT yrl
10-Churchill Downs, 5:35 p.m. EDT, $200K Gill Street Sense S., 1 1/16m, Northern Flame, 4-1
$425,000 FTS AUG yrl

Heart to Heart (English Channel), Crestwood Farm, $5,000
37 foals of racing age/2 winners/0 black-type winners
5-Woodbine, 3:26 p.m. EDT, Msw 7fT, Wagner, 7-2

Maximus Mischief (Into Mischief), Spendthrift Farm, $7,500
136 foals of racing age/25 winners/2 black-type winners
5-Woodbine, 3:26 p.m. EDT, Msw 7fT, Maximus Magic, 20-1
$80,000 FTK OCT yrl
3-Churchill Downs, 2:00 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Mischievousness, 20-1
$60,000 KEE NOV wnl; $120,000 KEE SEP yrl
9-Churchill Downs, 5:05 p.m. EDT, Aoc 7f, Steeler Mischief, 20-1
$25,000 KEE SEP yrl; $65,000 RNA OBS APR 2yo

Mitole (Eskendereya), Spendthrift Farm, $15,000
159 foals of racing age/19 winners/2 black-type winners
2-Churchill Downs, 1:30 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Ozone, 5-1
$130,000 RNA KEE NOV wnl; $375,000 KEE SEP yrl
8-Churchill Downs, 4:33 p.m. EDT, $200K Rags to Riches S., 1 1/16m, V V's Dream, 6-5
$130,000 KEE NOV wnl; $190,000 KEE SEP yrl
1-Churchill Downs, 1:00 p.m. EDT, Msw 6 1/2f, Wish Carefully, 10-1
$40,000 RNA KEE SEP yrl

Omaha Beach (War Front), Spendthrift Farm, $30,000
138 foals of racing age/17 winners/2 black-type winners
3-Churchill Downs, 2:00 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Coastal Invasion, 7-2
$200,000 KEE SEP yrl; $700,000 OBS APR 2yo
1-Churchill Downs, 1:00 p.m. EDT, Msw 6 1/2f, Gagliardi, 8-1
$32,000 FTK OCT yrl
4-Churchill Downs, 2:30 p.m. EDT, Msw 1 1/16mT, Without Cause, 4-1
$180,000 KEE SEP yrl

Pavel (Creative Cause), Ocean Breeze Ranch, $4,000
20 foals of racing age/4 winners/0 black-type winners
8-Santa Anita, 7:33 p.m. EDT, Msw 6 1/2f, Smoove Over, 20-1
$6,500 FTC AYR yrl

Rumpus Cat (Street Sense), Daehling Ranch, $2,500
11 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners
2-Golden Gate Fields, 4:46 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, Clever Clover, 10-1

St Patrick's Day (Pioneerof the Nile), Journeyman Stud, $3,500
74 foals of racing age/4 winners/0 black-type winners
9-Gulfstream, 4:48 p.m. EDT, Msw 1m, Peyton's Day, 20-1

Solomini (Curlin), McMahon of Saratoga Thoroughbreds, $6,500
78 foals of racing age/8 winners/1 black-type winner
1-Belmontthe Big A, 12:35 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Handle On You, 5-1
$30,000 SAR AUG yrl; $37,000 EAS MAY 2yo
8-Belmont the Big A, 4:22 p.m. EDT, $200K Sleepy Hollow S., 1m, Solo's Fury, 15-1
$25,000 FTN MIX wnl; $39,000 RNA FTK OCT yrl; $130,000 EAS MAY 2yo

**Vino Rosso** (Curlin), Spendthrift Farm, $15,000
179 foals of racing age/14 winners/1 black-type winner
8-Belmont the Big A, 4:22 p.m. EDT, $200K Sleepy Hollow S., 1m, Wine Responsibly, 20-1
$70,000 RNA OBS APR 2yo

**Yoshida (Jpn)** (Heart's Cry (Jpn)), WinStar Farm, $10,000
103 foals of racing age/6 winners/0 black-type winners
9-Santa Anita, 8:03 p.m. EDT, Msw 1mT, Sine Qua Non, 12-1
$50,000 RNA FTK OCT yrl; $270,000 OBS APR 2yo
1-Belmont the Big A, 12:35 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Tsukimi, 12-1

**SECOND-CROP STARTERS TO WATCH: SUNDAY, OCT. 29 2023 Stud Fees Listed**

**Bucchero** (Kantharos), Pleasant Acres Stallions, $5,000
158 foals of racing age/50 winners/3 black-type winners
4-Gulfstream, 2:20 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, New Baby, 20-1
$13,000 OBS OPN 2yo

**City of Light** (Quality Road), Lane's End Farm, $60,000
209 foals of racing age/50 winners/6 black-type winners
8-Belmont the Big A, 4:22 p.m. EDT, $200K Sleepy Hollow S., 1m, Aggelos the Great, 6-1
$100,000 OBS APR 2yo

**Cloud Computing** (Maclean's Music), Spendthrift Farm, $5,000
199 foals of racing age/50 winners/3 black-type winners
8-Belmont the Big A, 4:22 p.m. EDT, $200K Sleepy Hollow S., 1m, Two's a Crowd, 30-1

**Girvin** (Tale of Ekati), Airdrie Stud, $20,000
182 foals of racing age/56 winners/8 black-type winners
4-Gulfstream, 2:20 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Gran Lexy, 3-1
$70,000 RNA OBS MAR 2yo
9-Gulfstream, 4:48 p.m. EDT, Msw 1m, Sheer Delight, 8-1

**Good Magic** (Curlin), Hill 'n' Dale at Xalapa, $50,000
237 foals of racing age/73 winners/15 black-type winners
7-Gulfstream, 3:50 p.m. EDT, Msw 5f, Night of Magic, 20-1

**Good Samaritan** (Harlan's Holiday), WinStar Farm, $7,500
172 foals of racing age/55 winners/4 black-type winners
8-Belmont the Big A, 4:22 p.m. EDT, $200K Sleepy Hollow S., 1m, Bonne Chance, 10-1
$25,000 OBS WIN wnl; $45,000 FTK OCT yrl

**Justify** (Scat Daddy), Coolmore Ashford, $100,000
347 foals of racing age/77 winners/18 black-type winners
5-Churchill Downs, 3:01 p.m. EDT, Msw 1m, Tennessee, 9-2
$250,000 KEE SEP yrl; $1,200,000 OBS MAR 2yo

**Mendelssohn** (Scat Daddy), Coolmore Ashford, $25,000
348 foals of racing age/98 winners/5 black-type winners
6-Belmont the Big A, 3:16 p.m. EDT, $200K Ticonderoga S., 1 1/16mT, Amanda's Folly, 2-1
$100,000 KEE NOV wnl; $80,000 SAR AUG yrl
8-Belmont the Big A, 4:22 p.m. EDT, $200K Sleepy Hollow S., 1m, Skyler's Starship, 8-1

**Oscar Performance** (Kitten's Joy), Mill Ridge Farm, $20,000
173 foals of racing age/36 winners/5 black-type winners
5-Woodbine, 3:26 p.m. EDT, Msw 7fT, Roscar, 8-1

**Tapwrit** (Tapit), Gainesway Farm, $10,000
177 foals of racing age/42 winners/3 black-type winners
8-Santa Anita, 7:33 p.m. EDT, Msw 6 1/2f, Be a Goldfish, 12-1
$70,000 FTC AYR yrl

**West Coast** (Flatter), Lane's End Farm, $10,000
198 foals of racing age/54 winners/2 black-type winners
8-Churchill Downs, 4:33 p.m. EDT, $200K Rags to Riches S., 1 1/16m, West Sunset, 8-1
IN SAUDI ARABIA:


*1ST-TIME STARTER. **$60,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP; 200,000gns 2yo '23 TATAPR. VIDEO (SC 11)*

Pivolin, c, 4, *Curlin*—Silvester Lady (GB) (G1SW-Ger, $130,022), by *Pivotal* (GB). King Abdulaziz, 10-28, Allowance, 2400m. B-Aaron Sones (KY). *$90,000 Ylg '20 KEESEP; $125,000 2yo '21 OBSMAR. VIDEO (SC 14)*

Al Walii, g, 4, *Hard Spun*—Curl the Pearl, by *Curlin*. King Abdulaziz, 10-28, Allowance, 1800m. B-Tom Evans, Marjac Farms & Ted Forrest MD (KY). *$60,000 Ylg '20 FTKSEP; $55,000 2yo '21 OBSAPR. VIDEO (SC 15)*

STAKES RESULTS:

**UNREACHABLE STAR H.**, (NB) $250,000, Horseshoe Indianapolis, 10-28, (S), 3yo, 1m 70y, 1:44.33, sy.

1--**DOUBLEDOGJUSTICE, 122, g, 3, Lantana Mob--Downtown Justice, by Article of Faith**. ($6,000 Ylg '21 INDMIX). O/T-Raymond J. Paquette, III; B-Justice Farm, Greg Justice (IN); T-Fernando De La Cruz. $139,500. Lifetime Record: 11-3-2-2, $239,865.

Margins: 1, 5, 3 1/4. Odds: 3.70, 2.90, 14.20.

2--**Corona Grande**, 122, g, 3, Unbridled Express--Amanda's Crown, by Crown Ambassodor. ($7,500 Ylg '21 FTKOCT). O/Southwest Racing Stables Inc. and Bruce Murphy; B-Whisty Farms Inc. (IN); T-Genaro Garcia. $46,500.

3--**Daddys Dream**, 122, g, 3, Skylord--Meanerthanu, by Arch. O/B-Patrick D. Donahoe (IN); T-Randy Matthews. $25,755. Margins: 1, 5, 3 1/4. Odds: 3.70, 2.90, 14.20.

**LADY FOG HORN H.**, (NB) $200,000, Horseshoe Indianapolis, 10-28, (S), 3yo, f, 1m 70y, 1:44.10, sy.

1--**ITZFOREVER, 124, f, 3, Forever d’Oro--Itzacoldcase (SP, $350,698), by Gold Case**. ($60,000 Ylg '21 FTKOCT). O-David D. Walters; B-Tom Dorris (IN); T-Anthony J. Granitz; J-Marcelino Pedroza, Jr. $111,600. Lifetime Record: 9-5-0-0, $248,193.


**CROWN AMBASSADOR S.,** $103,200, Horseshoe Indianapolis, 10-28, (S), 2yo, f, 1:12.08, sy.

1--**CRINGE, 120, g, 2, Taprize--Joyella, by Sharp Humor** ($3,400 Ylg '22 INDMAX). 1ST BLACK TYPE WIN. O/Shim Racing LLC; B-Elliott Ventures (IN); T-Scott D. Mullins; J-Alberto Burgos. $58,205. Lifetime Record: 3-2-1-0, $89,005.

2--**Kingsbury Road**, 120, g, 2, Unbridled Express--Glamour Queen, by Artie Schiller. O-Marion F. Gorham; B-Tommy Wente (IN); T-Robert M. Gorham. $19,402.


**INDIANA STALLION S.,** $103,150, Horseshoe Indianapolis, 10-28, (S), 2yo, f, 1:12.68, sy.

1--**THE KID PATAKY, 120, f, 2, Pataky Kid--Zappita, by Ghostzapper**. 1ST BLACK TYPE WIN. O/B-Swifty Farms Inc. (IN); T-Anthony F. Cunningham; J-Samuel E. Bermudez. $57,554. Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-1, $87,410.

2--**Rafaella**, 120, f, 2, Taprize--Crossed, by Anthony's Cross. 1ST BLACK TYPE. O/Elliott Racing,LLC & Just For Fun Stable, Inc (IN); T-Michelle L. Elliott. $19,186.


**BEST OF OHIO DISTAFF S.,** $100,000, Mahoning Valley, 10-28, (S), 3yo, f/m, 1:55.81, gd.

1--**CANDLELIGHT HOURS, 122, f, 4, Dominus--Nava, by Even the Score**. O/B-Elkhorn Oaks Inc. (OH); T-James R. Jackson; J-Samuel E. Bermudez. $57,554. Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-1, $87,410.

2--**R Three Angels**, 122, f, 4, Taprize--Crossed, by Anthony's Cross. 1ST BLACK TYPE. O/B-Elkhorn Oaks Inc. (OH); T-James R. Jackson; J-Luis Raul Rivera. $62,000. Lifetime Record: 23-9-7-6, $492,890.

*1/2 to Timeless Bounty (Elusive Hour), SW, $224,714.

2--**R Three Angels**, 122, f, 4, Kiss the Ghost--Hot Tub Holiday, by Harlan's Holiday. ($3,000 Ylg '20 FTKOCT). O/T-Jason DaCosta; B-CFP Thoroughbreds LLC (OH). $20,000.
3--Market Success, 122, m, 7, Giant Oak--Street Success, by Street Cry (Ire). O/B-Elkhorn Oaks Inc. (OH); T-James R. Jackson. $10,000. Margins: 3HF, 6 3/4, 11. Odds: 0.20, 6.40, 10.30.

FROST KING S., C$100,000, Woodbine, 10-28, (S), 2yo, 6 1/2f (AWT), 1:16.44, ft.

1--NO MORE OPTIONS, 120, c, 2, Frac Daddy--Stoney Miss, by Birdstone. 1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN. ($5,000 Wlg '21 KEENOV; $27,000 RNA Ylg '22 FTKOCT; $17,000 RNA 2yo '23 OBSAPR). O-Mary T Self; B-Laurel A Byrne (ON); T-Zeljko Krcmar; J-Kazushi Kimura. C$60,000. Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-2, $85,252. Margins: 2HF, 3/4, 1 3/4. Odds: 16.10, 4.45, 0.20.

2--Siesta Beach, 120, g, 2, Frac Daddy--Sarasota Sunrise, by Thunder Gulch. 1ST BLACK TYPE. ($8,000 Wlg '21 KEENOV; $23,000 RNA Ylg '22 FTKOCT). O-Richard G Hogan; B-Laurel A Byrne (ON); T-Michael J Doyle. C$20,000.

3--Junior Hot Shot, 120, c, 2, Souper Speedy--Executive Dreamer, by Bold Executive. 1ST BLACK TYPE. (C$55,000 Ylg '22 CANSEP). O-T and T Racing Team; B-B Van Arem (ON); T-John A Ross. C$11,000.

BEST OF OHIO JOHN W. GALBREATH S., $100,000, Mahoning Valley, 10-28, (S), 2yo, f, 1 1/16m, 1:49.78, gd.

1--HERE'S THE SPIDER, 119, f, 2, Tapiture--Richmond Spider, by Union Rags. 1ST BLACK TYPE WIN. O-Jack Cannon; B-Susan K. King (OH); T-Edward Fernandez; J-John McKee. $60,000. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, $74,580.

2--City Scene, 119, f, 2, Dominus--Nava, by Even the Score. O/B-Elkhorn Oaks Inc. (OH); T-James R. Jackson. $20,000.

3--Practicallyelusive, 119, f, 2, Practical Joke--To Be Determined, by Elusive Quality. ($60,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP). O-Blue Snow Racing Stables, Boots N Bikinis LLC and Engelhart, Joseph M.; B-Joseph M. Engelhart (OH); T-David Wolochuk. $10,000.

BEST OF OHIO ENDURANCE S., $100,000, Mahoning Valley, 10-28, (S), 3yo/up, 1 1/4m, 2:06.65, gd.

1--FAIR AND SQUARE, 119, g, 3, Super Saver--Marathon (SP), by Drosselmeyer. O-WinStar Farm LLC and Blazing Meadows Farm LLC; B-Blazing Meadows Farm LLC & WinStar Farm, LLC (OH); T-Timothy E. Hamm; J-Rocco Bowen. $60,000. Lifetime Record: 11-7-1-2, $318,160.

2--Tantrum, 122, g, 4, Speightster--Go Go Tammy, by Tiznow. O/B-WinBlaze, LLC (OH); T-Timothy E. Hamm. $20,000.

3--Raven Moon, 122, g, 6, Langfuhr--Coco's Mountain, by Runto the Mountain. 1ST BLACK TYPE. O-Rivera Racing Stables (Nestor R. Rivera); B-Doug Hobson & Cathie Hobson (OH); T-Nestor Rivera. $10,000.

BEST OF OHIO JUVENILE S., $100,000, Mahoning Valley, 10-28, (S), 2yo, 1 1/16m, 1:47.83, gd.

1--WHO DEY, 122, c, 2, Liam's Map--Pelipa, by Indian Charlie. O/B-Maccabee Farm (OH); T-Thomas Drury, Jr.; J-John McKee. $60,000. Lifetime Record: 3-3-0-0, $134,694. *Full to Everett's Song, SW, $329,025.

2--Shadyfield, 122, c, 2, National Flag--Feeling Ethereal, by Union Rags. O/B-Blazing Meadows Farm LLC & Brian Kahn (OH); T-Timothy E. Hamm. $20,000.

3--Dial Direct, 122, g, 2, Dialed In--Kissy Suzuki, by Summer Bird. 1ST BLACK TYPE. O-Mast Thoroughbreds LLC; B-Gail Kromer & Eric Heyman (OH); T-Robert M. Gorham. $10,000. Margins: 3/4, 7HF, 4 3/4. Odds: 0.40, 5.50, 18.60.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

7th-Keeneland, $112,331, (C)/Opt. Clm (Clm ($150,000), 10-28, 3yo/up, 7f, 1:22.77, ft, neck.

FORTIN HILL (h, 7, Mucho Macho Man--Dusty Rose, by Cherokee Run) Lifetime Record: MSP, 16-6-3-3, $350,401. O/OKO Equine LLC; B-Robert L Losey (IN); T-Paulo H. Lobo. *$12,000 Ylg '17 KEEJAN; $170,000 Ylg '17 KEESEP; $575,000 2yo '18 OBSMAR.
5th-Keeneland, $109,550, 10-28, (NW1X), 3yo/up, 1 3/16mT, 1:55.97, gd, neck.

**KIGALI** (g, 3, Hard Spun--Sugar Sweet, by Mr. Greeley) Lifetime Record: 10-2-0-1, $155,574. O-Rigney Racing, LLC; B-Equus Farm (KY); T-Philip A. Bauer. *$150,000 Ylg ’21 KEESEP.

5th-Belmont The Big A, $102,000, (NW2$X)/Opt. Clm ($62,500), 10-28, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:09.96, ft, 1/2 length.

**YOU LOOK COLD** (f, 4, Frosted--Lucky Draw, by Lookin At Lucky) Lifetime Record: SW, 17-4-2-3, $291,150. O-Kinsman Stable; B-Blackstone Farm LLC (PA); T-William I. Mott. *$70,000 RNA Ylg ’20 KEESEP; $37,000 RNA 2yo ’21 OBSAPR.

4th-Santa Anita, $66,170, (NW2$X), Opt. Clm ($80,000), 10-28, 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:16.67, ft, 1/2 length.

**VIOLENT RUNNER** (m, 5, Violence--Top Performance, by City Zip) Lifetime Record: GSP, 12-6-1-0, $209,920. O-Les Blake; B-Lee McMillin & Anita Cauley Breeding (KY); T-Steve R Knapp. *$70,000 Ylg ’19 KEESEP.

9th-Santa Anita, $64,500, 10-27, (NW1$X), 3yo/up, 6 1/2fT, 1:12.03, fm, neck.


7th-Laurel, $56,820, 10-28, (NW1X)/Opt. Clm ($28,830), 10-28, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f (AWT), 1:10.36, ft, head.

**RELOAD'S RASCAL** (g, 4, Reload--Mi'an Mar, by Mister Jolie) Lifetime Record: 5-3-0-0, $84,590. O-Double R Racing; B-Keith Nicholson (ON); T-Nigel R. Burke.

8th-Gulfstream, $43,000, 10-28, (NW1X), 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:38.76, ft, 1 3/4 lengths.

**MY LADY JAMES** (f, 3, Valiant Minister--Sunset Silhouette {SP, $168,855}, by Wildcat Heir) Lifetime Record: 12-3-2-1, $95,010. O-Lee R. Christian; B-Burden Creek Farm LLC (KY); T-Hamilton A. Smith.

9th-Laurel, $55,200, 10-28, (NW1X), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:33.97, fm, nose.

**CRISPER** (g, 4, Tapiture--Je Suis Enchantee {MSP, $104,065}, by Leroidesanimaux {Brz}) Lifetime Record: 5-3-0-0, $134,746. O-Deanna Manfredi; B-Ascoli Piceno Stables, LLC (PA); T-Tim Woolley.

3rd-Woodbine, C$50,603, 10-28, (NW3L)/Opt. Clm ($28,830), 10-28, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f (AWT), 1:10.36, ft, head.

**SUMO** (g, 5, Not This Time--Business Decision, by Put It Back) Lifetime Record: 12-3-2-1, $137,380. O-Team Gaudet & Penwood Racing; B-Debra Posgai (FL); T-Lacey Gaudet. *$200,000 Ylg ’19 FTKJUL; $700,000 2yo ’20 OBSFAP.

8th-Delaware, $42,083, 10-28, (NW1X), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10.27, ft, 3/4 length.

**SUMO** (g, 5, Not This Time--Business Decision, by Put It Back) Lifetime Record: 18-4-3-2, $137,380. O-Team Gaudet & Penwood Racing; B-Debra Posgai (FL); T-Lacey Gaudet. *$200,000 Ylg ’19 FTKJUL; $700,000 2yo ’20 OBSAPR.

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FIRST WINNER FOR FRESHMAN SIRE

Maybetheone, f, 2, One Sided—Maybemaybenot, by Philadream. Mahoning Valley, 10-28, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:09.40. Lifetime Record: 5-1-1-2, $33,678. B-Alan White (OH). *$3,000 Ylg ’22 OTBOMX. **First winner for freshman sire (by Quality Road).

Ilhaveanotherkiss, f, 3, I'll Have Another--Family Girl (MSP, $147,836), by Tribal Rule. Santa Anita, 10-28, (C), 6 1/2f, 1:15.91. Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-0, $38,100. B-Ballena Vista Farm (CA).

Atalanta Alexandra, f, 3, Jess's Dream—Angel's Glory (SP, $135,285), by Wildcat Heir. Gulfstream, 10-28, (C), 1m, 1:41.25. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, $27,120. B-Canamer Farm (KY). *$25,000 Wlg ’21 KEENOV; $35,000 Ylg ’22 WASSEP.

Dr. Soulfire, c, 3, West Coast—Midst (SW, $154,795), by Closing Argument. Santa Anita, 10-27, 6 1/2f, 1:15.46. Lifetime Record: 6-1-1-3, $55,720. B-Hermitage Farm (KY). *$150,000 Ylg ’21 KEENOV; $300,000 2yo ’22 EASMAY.

**1/2 to Nikee Kan (Kantharos), SP, $322,793; Full to Yes I Am Free, MGSW-USA, SP-Can, $681,894.

**1/2 to Inthemidstofbiz (Fed Biz), GSW, $344,071.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

**Bred, Raised and Sold by HERMITAGE FARM**

Social History, g, 2, Danza--Princess Claire, by Free Thinking. Mahoning Valley, 10-28, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:08.08. Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-1, $28,440. B-Jim & Kathryn Nelson (OH).

Thompson, g, 2, First Samurai--Cleo's Krewe, by Flatter. Santa Anita, 10-28, (C), 1m, 1:41.25. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, $27,120. B-Canamer Farm (KY). *$25,000 Wlg ’21 KEENOV; $35,000 Ylg ’22 WASSEP.

Sadie's Silver Kid, g, 2, Kiss the Kid--Silver Sadie, by Meadow Prayer. Mahoning Valley, 10-28, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:08.72. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, $19,080. B-Valorie & Richard A. Powers (OH). *1ST-TIME STARTER.

Mitole Candy, f, 2, Mitole--Dandy Candy, by Candy Ride (Arg). Charles Town, 10-27, (S), 6 1/2f, 1:22.76. Lifetime Record:

**Machter Hall Sales Graduate**

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- Maiden Claiming Races: purses of $18,000/up & a minimum claiming price of $40,000
Boboman, O'Connor (Chi), h, 6, o/o Torrente de Agua (Chi), by Touch Gold. GII Hagyard Fayette S., 10-28, Keeneland

Danza, Social History, g, 2, o/o Princess Claire, by Free Thinking. MSW, 10-28, Mahoning Valley

Distorted Humor, Deadpan, c, 2, o/o Glamour and Style, by Dynaformer. MSW, 10-28, Keeneland

Distorted Humor, Saint Pio, g, 4, o/o Liberty Lady, by Bernardini. ALW, 10-27, Remington

Fed Biz, North Highland, g, 3, o/o Absolute Bearing, by Mizzen Mast. ALW, 10-28, Laurel

First Samurai, Thompson, g, 2, o/o Cleo's Krewe, by Flatter. MCL, 10-28, Santa Anita

Flameaway, Wine Collector, c, 2, o/o Corinthian's Lark, by Corinthian. AOC, 10-28, Laurel

Forever d'Oro, Itzforever, f, 3, o/o Itzacoldcase, by Gold Case. Lady Fog Horn H., 10-28, Horseshoe Indianapolis

Frac Daddy, Daddy'sruby, f, 3, o/o Youtheprizeandi, by You and I. AOC, 10-27, Santa Anita

Frac Daddy, No More Options, c, 2, o/o Stoney Miss, by Birdstone. Frost King S., 10-28, Woodbine

Frosted, You Look Cold, f, 4, o/o Lucky Draw, by Lookin At Lucky. AOC, 10-28, Belmont The Big A

General a Rod, Juradicial, f, 3, o/o Hold Me Sue, by Hold Me Back. ALW, 10-28, Horseshoe Indianapolis

Good Magic, Dubuyhnell, c, 3, o/o Wild Gams, by Forest Wildcat. AOC, 10-28, Keeneland

Good Magic, Magic Grant, c, 2, o/o Holiday Bertie, by Harlan's Holiday. Clever Trevor S., 10-27, Remington

Grazen, Grazed, g, 5, o/o Acatgeoryfivestorm, by Songandapray. ALW, 10-27, Santa Anita

Hard Spun, Kigali, g, 3, o/o Sugar Sweet, by Mr. Greeley. ALW, 10-28, Keeneland

I'll Have Another, Illhaveanotherkiss, f, 3, o/o Family Girl, by Tribal Rule. MSW, 10-28, Santa Anita

Into Mischief, Everso Mischievous, c, 3, o/o Ever So Clever, by Medaglia d'Oro. GII Forty Niner S., 10-28, Belmont The Big A

Into Mischief, Miss Monarch Bay, f, 3, o/o Curlina, by Cuvee. MSW, 10-28, Santa Anita

Into Mischief, Prince of Truth, g, 3, o/o La Verdad, by Yes It's True. MSW, 10-28, Belmont The Big A

Jess's Dream, Atalanta Alexandra, f, 3, o/o Angel's Glory, by Wildcat Heir. MOC, 10-28, Gulfstream

Juba, No Love for Juba, g, 3, o/o Not Even for Love, by Not For Love. ALW, 10-27, Charles Town

Kingman (GB), Redistricting (GB), g, 3, o/o Cascata (Ire), by Montjeu (Ire). ALW, 10-28, Belmont The Big A

Kiss the Kid, Sadie's Silver Kid, g, 2, o/o Silver Sadie, by Meadow Prayer. MSW, 10-28, Mahoning Valley

Lantana Mob, Doubledogjustice, g, 3, o/o Downtown Justice, by Article of Faith. Unreachable Star H., 10-28, Horseshoe Indianapolis

Leofric, Roanian Goddess, f, 2, o/o Night Madam, by Midnight Lute. AOC, 10-28, Laurel

Liam's Map, Freccia d'Argento, f, 4, o/o Obsequious, by Fusaichi Pegasus. ALW, 10-28, Laurel

Liam's Map, Who Dey, c, 2, o/o Pelipa, by Indian Charlie. Best of Ohio Juvenile S., 10-28, Mahoning Valley

Lope de Vega (Ire), Buffoon (Fr), c, 2, o/o After Dawn (Ire), by Invincible Spirit (Ire). MSW, 10-28, Keeneland

Lope de Vega (Ire), Jamestown, r, 3, o/o Okeeheelee (GB), by Dansili (GB). MSW, 10-28, Belmont The Big A

Maximus Mischief, Glengarry, c, 2, o/o L. A. Way, by Tizway. Bowman Mill S., 10-28, Keeneland

Mendelssohn, More Money Hunny, f, 2, o/o Seek a Star, by Smart Strike. MSW, 10-28, Woodbine

Midnight Storm, Runaway Storm, g, 3, o/o Runaway Betty, by Run Away and Hide. Gill Bryan Station S., 10-28, Keeneland

Mitole, Mitole Candy, f, 2, o/o Dandy Candy, by Candy Ride (Arg). MSW, 10-27, Charles Town

Mucho Macho Man, Fortin Hill, h, 7, o/o Dusty Rose, by Cherokee Run. AOC, 10-28, Keeneland

Neolithic, Great Venezuela, f, 2, o/o Pat M's Image, by Leroidesanimaux (Brz). AOC, 10-28, Gulfstream

Not This Time, Sumo, g, 5, o/o Business Decision, by Put It Back. AOC, 10-28, Delaware

Nyquist, Xigera, f, 3, o/o Argent Affair, by Black Tie Affair (Ire). GII Mother Goose S., 10-28, Belmont The Big A

One Sided, Maybetheone, f, 2, o/o Maybemaybenot, by Philadream. MSW, 10-28, Mahoning Valley

Outwork, Trojan Tale, g, 3, o/o Kewt Tale, by Tale of the Cat. Best of Ohio Sprint S., 10-28, Mahoning Valley

Pataky Kid, The Kid Pataky, f, 2, o/o Zappita, by Ghostzapper. Indiana Stallion S., 10-28, Horseshoe Indianapolis
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**Practical Joke**, Howl, f, 3, o/o How, by Indian Charlie. MSW, 10-28, Keeneland
**Reload**, Reload’s Rascal, g, 4, o/o Mi’an Mar, by Mister Jolie. OCL, 10-28, Woodbine
**Skylord**, Ante Angel, f, 3, o/o Ante My Annie, by Sky Approval. MSW, 10-28, Horseshoe Indianapolis
**Stanford**, Prayer of Jabez, g, 4, o/o Alwazabridesmaid, by Kafwain. ALW, 10-27, Albuquerque
**Super Saver**, Fair and Square, g, 3, o/o Marathon, by Drosselmeyer. Best of Ohio Endurance S., 10-28, Mahoning Valley
**Tapiture**, Crisper, g, 4, o/o Je Suis Enchantee, by Leroideisanimaux (Brz). ALW, 10-28, Laurel
**Tapiture**, Here’s the Spider, f, 2, o/o Richmond Spider, by Union Rags. Best of Ohio John W. Galbreath S., 10-28, Mahoning Valley
**Taprize**, Cringe, g, 2, o/o Joyella, by Sharp Humor. Crown Ambassador S., 10-28, Horseshoe Indianapolis
**Twirling Candy**, Move to Gold, c, 2, o/o Brandy, by Unbridled’s Song. Awad S., 10-28, Belmont The Big A

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‘IT COULD OPEN THE DOORS FOR MORE ASIAN OWNERS IN IRELAND AND BRITAIN’

by Brian Sheerin

Hong Kong-based owner Sean Wee Gan, who recorded a Group race breakthrough with Inquisitively (GB) (Ten Sovereigns {Ire}) at Newmarket this month, has revealed that the classy 2-year-old will not race again in Europe and will continue his career in Hong Kong.

Wee Gan purchased Rascal Recknell (Fr) (Wootton Bassett {GB}) for 215,000gns through Inquisitively’s trainer Kevin Philippart de Foy and bloodstock agent Sam Wright at the Tattersalls Autumn Horses-In-Training Sale off the back of that success.

Wright, who bought the G3 Cornwallis S. winner Inquisitively on behalf of the owner after the colt finished third for trainer Ollie Sangster in the Windsor Castle S. at Royal Ascot, says there is an opening for more Asian owners to buy and race younger horses in Europe before shipping them to Hong Kong.

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IN TDN AMERICA TODAY

GEAUX ROCKET RIDE PULLED UP IN MORNING WORK

The GI Breeders’ Cup Classic contender sustained an open condylar fracture with intersesmoidian ligament damage to his right front leg during a workout Saturday morning at Santa Anita.

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by Tom Frary

Ancient Wisdom (Fr) (Dubawi {Ire}--Golden Valentine {Fr}, by Dalakhani {Ire}) proved the most effective on Doncaster’s deep ground to justify 5-4 favouritism in Saturday’s G1 Kameko Futurity Trophy. Back in action a fortnight after winning Newmarket’s G3 Autumn S., the Charlie Appleby trainee was left in front initially and looked beaten for a few strides as the pack closed in two out.

Regaining momentum to ultimately outstay his rivals, the TDN Rising Star who was the second-highest-priced lot at the 2022 Arqana Deauville August Sale had 1 3/4 lengths to spare over Devil’s Point {Ire} (New Bay {GB}) at the line, with God’s Window (GB) (Dubawi {Ire}) a head away in third.

“It was a proper test and the ground is such that it’s hard to show any brilliance,” Buick said. “He loves a battle and the plan wasn’t necessarily to make the running, but it fell right, he pricked his ears and he’s just a horse who is very uncomplicated. That goes a long way in this ground. You go through the list of two-year-olds that have won this race and it bodes well for next year. I’m very much looking forward to him and delighted with what he did there. I don’t think it’s crazy that he could be a Guineas horse—he put a lot of distance between him and them in the Autumn Stakes.”

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THIS WEEK’S COLUMN BY HEATHER ANDERSON IS HIGHLIGHTED BY THE VICTORY OF ROMAGNIA MIA IN THE DOWAGER S. AT KEENELAND LAST WEEKEND.

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MAKING WAVES: ROMAGNIA MIA AT KEENELAND

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Futurity Trophy, cont. from p1

Educated in novices at Haydock and Newmarket before finishing third in the season’s benchmark contest in Britain, the Listed Pat Eddery S. at Ascot on King George day, Ancient Wisdom was able to churn out consistent fractions on this ground where others fluctuated. Dancing Gemini (Ire) (Camelot (GB)) was the first to attack passing two out and was ahead for a brief period, but his effort took its toll whereas the one in royal blue was only getting going.

Appleby’s assistant Alex Merriam said, “I think we were probably expecting to follow the Aidan O’Brien horse [Battle Cry], so it was slightly Plan B to make the running but Will gave him a great ride. They got racing a long way out, but Will didn’t panic, he said it took him a while to get through the gears but once he got rolling he saw it out well. It was obviously very soft ground out there and he lengthened rather than quickened.”

David Menuisier’s rich vein of form continued here with Devil’s Point capping a stellar week for the stable. “He came to win the race and then he kind of flattened out and maybe stayed on a bit, but it’s a group one and to finish second is absolutely marvellous,” the trainer said. “He was travelling absolutely great on the ground. We’ll speak to Oisin [Murphy] and see what he thinks, but he’s pretty special really.”

Pedigree Notes

Ancient Wisdom’s dam Golden Valentine, whose yearling colt by Lope De Vega (Ire) was a €170,000 purchase by Elliott Bloodstock Services at the Arqana Deauville October Sale, was successful in the G3 Prix Minerve. She is kin to three other stakes winners including the GII Robert J. Frankel S. scorer and GI Rodeo Drive S. runner-up Luck (Kitten’s Joy).
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Kameko Futurity Trophy Stakes (Gr.1)
Doncaster

Owner: Godolphin
Trainer: Charlie Appleby
Breeder: Écurie des Monceaux

2022 August Yearling Sale
Price: €2,000,000
Buyer: Godolphin
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The second dam is the G3 Prix Cleopatre winner Gold Round (Ire) (Caerleon), a half-sister to the astounding 14-times group 1-winning machine Goldikova (Ire) (Anabaa) who is also the second dam of the G3 Prix Vanteaux winner and GI E. P. Taylor S.-placed Platane (GB) (Le Havre {Ire}).

Goldikova, who produced the G3 Prix Chloe winner and G1 Prix de Diane-placed Terrakova (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) and the G1 Prix Rothschild-placed Goldistyle (Ire) by Ancient Wisdom's sire Dubawi (Ire), is a full-sister to the G3 Prix Paul de Moussac winner and GI Breeders' Cup Mile runner-up Anodin (Ire) and a half to Galileo's G1 Prix Vermeile heroine and G1 Prix de Diane runner-up Galikova (Fr). Golden Valentine also has a 2023 full-brother to Ancient Wisdom to come.

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Saturday, Doncaster, Britain
KAMEKO FUTURITY TROPHY S.-G1, £215,500, Doncaster, 10-28, 2yo, 8fT, 1:46.45, hy.

1--ANCIENT WISDOM (FR), 129, c, 2, by Dubawi (Ire)
   1st Dam: Golden Valentine (Fr) (GSW-Fr, $125,200),
   by Dalakhani (Ire)
   2nd Dam: Gold Round (Ire), by Caerleon
   3rd Dam: Born Gold, by Blushing Groom (Fr)
   1ST GROUP 1 WIN. TDN Rising Star. (£2,000,000 Ylg '22

2--Devil's Point (Ire), 129, c, 2, New Bay (GB)--Hairy Rocket (GB),
   by Pivotal (GB). 1ST G1 BLACK TYPE. (£200,000 Wlg '21
   GOFNO1; 475,000gns Ylg '22 TATOCT). O-Clive Washbourn;
   B-Hamwood Stud Unlimited Company (IRE); T-David Menuisier.
   £48,250.

3--God's Window (GB), 129, c, 2, Dubawi (Ire)--Perfect Clarity
   (GB), by Nathaniel (Ire). 1ST BLACK TYPE, 1ST GROUP BLACK
   TYPE, 1ST G1 BLACK TYPE. O/B-Cayton Park Stud Ltd (GB);
   T-John & Thady Gosden. £24,114.

Also Ran: Deira Mile (Ire), Dancing Gemini (Ire), Diego Velazquez
(Ire), Redhot Whisper (Ire). Scratched: Battle Cry (Ire).

Inquisitively, cont. from p1

Wright said, “This experience could open the doors for more
Asian-based owners to run horses in Ireland and the UK,
particularly as two-year-olds, before bringing them over to Hong
Kong. "We could see more people doing that in the future. I do
think that there's good value, particularly in Ireland and the UK."
G3 winner Inquisitively, with trainer Kevin Philippart de Foy (r) will not race again in Europe and resume his career in Hong Kong, owner Sean Wee Gee revealed.

Reflecting on the Cornwallis win, he continued, “This is the first horse I have bought Sean. I was introduced to Sean when I visited Hong Kong and it was decided after I found this horse at Royal Ascot that, once he was purchased, he would be transferred to Kevin Philippart De Foy. I worked with Kevin at Christophe Clement’s in 2015 and 2016. Once that decision was made, we basically left it up to Kevin to decide if we’d race him or just keep him ticking over. Kevin put some good works into Inquisitively and said that he could go on to be quite competitive in black-type races.

“As we saw, he went straight for a listed when the horse was still a maiden but he delivered. After York, the weather took a change and it was hard to find nice ground but we took a chance and ran him at Newmarket and I’m glad it all paid off.”

Inquisitively is not the first horse that Wee Gan has sourced from Europe. One of his first horses, Carbon Fibre (Ire) (Helmet {Aus}), whose name was changed to First Responder when he arrived in Hong Kong, was bought out of Michael O’Callaghan’s yard after he finished second to Ten Sovereigns in a Curragh maiden.

That was a contributing factor in Wee Gan’s interests being piqued with Inquisitively as he had been following the progress of Ten Sovereigns ever since the multiple Group 1 winner made that scintillating debut.

Wee Gan said, “We were very lucky that Sam found us a good horse. After I saw Inquisitively finish third at Ascot, I became very interested because, at the same time, I had been tracking the progeny of Ten Sovereigns.”

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2YO Listed Winner

BALLYMOUNT BOY

PROSPECT STAKES, Listed

sold Tattersalls Ireland Breeze Up Sale by M. C. Thoroughbreds (Agent) to Danny Hussy Bloodstock for £110,000

sold Tattersalls Ireland September Yearling Sale by Ridge Manor Stud to Michael Cleere for £8,000

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Ten Sovereigns, sire of Inquisitively. The 2-year-old will continue his career in Hong Kong.

On future plans for Inquisitively, he added, “This horse is destined for Hong Kong. I kept him in Britain because he is such a young horse, he’s only a two-year-old and, in Hong Kong, we don’t have two-year-old races.

“I have learned from my experience. I had a horse last year from Ireland and he came here as a two-year-old. The trainer was keeping him on ice as he couldn’t race against older horses. That’s why I kept Inquisitively in the UK, because he can have a few races before he comes to Hong Kong. We were lucky that he won the listed at York and then the Group 3 at Newmarket.”

In many ways, Rascal Recknell boasts a similar profile to Inquisitively being an unexposed two-year-old. He will eventually be shipped to Hong Kong with Wee Gan explaining how he is on the search for more equine talent.

He said, “I told Sam to try and get me another one like Inquisitively. This horse is owned by a syndication but the next ones I might own myself.

“I have two horses of my own in Hong Kong. They are all called Coulourful something.”
PARISLONGCHAMP: DOUBLE MAJOR TAKES AIM AT THE ROYAL-OAK by Tom Frary

With Europe’s leading stayers either having taken part in Champions Day or roughed off for the season, Sunday’s G1 Prix Royal-Oak at ParisLongchamp has a wide-open feel with only the Wertheimers’ Double Major (Ire) (Daiwa Major {Jpn}) holding any kind of mystique. Successful in the track’s G2 Prix Chaudenay on Arc weekend, the Christophe Ferland-trained 3-year-old has considerable upside taking on established marathon specialists in a race that has seen his age group prevail in five of the last eight renewals and three of the last four.

With the likes of the G2 Prix Maurice de Nieuil winner The Good Man (Fr) (Manduro {Ger}), the Cesarewitch H. third Tashkhan (Ire) (Born To Sea {Ire}) and dual listed winner Al Nayyir (GB) (Dubawi {Ire}), Double Major will have to be every bit as progressive as he looked earlier this month, but as a relative of the likes of Plumania (GB) (Anabaa) and Left Hand (GB) (Dubawi {Ire}) the pedigree gives him a big leg-up.

MASTERCRAFTSMAN FILLY FEELING VALOUROUS

In this series, the TDN takes a look at notable successes of European-based sires in North America. This week’s column is highlighted by the victory of Romagna Mia in the Dowager S. at Keeneland last weekend.

Mia All Class In Dowager

Team Valor International’s Romagna Mia (GB) (Mastercraftsman {Ire}) won the Dowager S. at Keeneland on Sunday (video). It was the GI Beverly D. S. third’s second graded/group score, having taken the G2 Premio Lydia Tesio in 2022.

Bred by Cavendish Bloodstock, the Graham Motion trainee was a 3,000gns buy-back as a yearling, before selling for €29,000 to Valfredo Valiani at Arqana’s 2-Year-Old Breeze-Up Sale. Racing in the colours of Scuderia Dell’Avvocato, her Italian career was highlighted by her Lydia Tesio victory, prior to selling for €500,000 to Juergen Albrecht out of the 2022 Arqana Vente d’Elevage. Her dam’s latest foals are a yearling colt by Expert Eye (GB) and a weanling filly by Magna Grecia (Ire). This is the extended family of G1 Cheveley Park S. heroine Blue Duster (Danzig), and her descendants include GI Man o’War S. hero Highland Chief (Ire) (Gleneagles {Ire}).

The late Coolmore sire Mastercraftsman has 13 winners from 29 runners in the U.S. (45%). Five of his six stakes winners in that jurisdiction have won at the graded level including dual Grade I winner A Raving Beauty (Ger) and GI Matriarch S. victress Off Limits (Ire).

Surf’s Up For Invincible Spirit Filly

La Nora, LLC’s Ocean Spirit (GB) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}) made her third start a winning one at Horseshoe Indianapolis earlier this week for trainer Ignacio Correas (video). Originally unplaced at Aqueduct for trainer Wesley Ward in the colours of Stonestreet Stables, the filly was bred by Peter Winkworth.

Originally a 480,000gns yearling when joining the Stonestreet fold at the Tattersalls October sale in 2021, the bay changed hands for $75,000 out of the Keeneland April Horses-of-Racing-Age Sale this spring. The first foal out of Sparkling Surf (GB) (Frankel {GB}), Ocean Spirit is followed by Kingman (GB) half-sister Ocean Mermaid (GB) who was second in the Royal Palm Juvenile Fillies S. at Gulfstream Park earlier this year, as well as an Oasis Dream (GB) yearling half-sister and a weanling half-brother by Palace Pier (GB). Second dam Shimmering Surf (Ire) (Danehill Dancer {Ire}) won the G3 Pinnacle S. and also foaled G1 Prix Vermeille heroine Kitesurf (GB) (Dubawi {Ire}).

The Irish National Stud’s Invincible Spirit has sired 27 winners from 63 runners (43%) in the U.S. Of his seven stakes winners there, three have earned a graded brass ring, among them GI Turf Classic S. winner Digital Age (Ire) and GI Breeders’ Cup Juvenile victor Vale Of York (Ire). Cont.
Repeat Winner

Siena Farm, Michael Kisber, Peter Deutsch and The Elkstone Group’s Queen Of The Mud (Ire) (Kodiac {GB}) upped her record to two wins in three starts after taking a Keeneland allowance on Sunday (video). The Graham Motion trainee landed a Belmont affair in September.

Klaravich Stables’ multiple graded winner Technical Analysis (Ire) (Kingman {GB}) put her mark on the Listed Athenia S. during the Belmont at the Big A meet on Friday for trainer Chad Brown (video). The Rabbah Bloodstock-bred mare, who has also placed twice at the highest level, was taking her sixth stakes and first since the Listed De La Rose S. in August.

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Sunday, October 29, 2023
FRANCE
City Light (Fr) (Siyouni (Fr)), Haras d’Etreham
90 foals of racing age
4-PARISLONGCHAMP, 1600m, Salma (Fr)
€22,000 Arqana December Breeding Stock Sale 2021 - English Version; €30,000 Arqana Deauville October Yearlings 2022

Masar (Ire) (New Approach (Ire)), Dalham Hall Stud
104 foals of racing age
4-PARISLONGCHAMP, 1600m, Arpenteur (Ire)
€58,000 RNA Arqana December Breeding Stock Sale 2021 - English Version

Ten Sovereigns (Ire) (No Nay Never), Coolmore Stud
150 foals of racing age
4-PARISLONGCHAMP, 1600m, Maizieres (Fr)
€77,000 Arqana Deauville September Yearling Sale 2022

Roman Candle (GB) (Le Havre (Ire)), Haras de la Hetraie
36 foals of racing age
1-NANCY, 2000m, Ratel Kabowd (Fr)

BRITAIN

Saturday’s Results:
WILLIAM HILL PROSPECT S. (DONCASTER S.)-Listed, £50,000, Doncaster, 10-28, 2yo, 6f 2yT, 1:16.83, hy.
1--BALLYMOUNT BOY (IRE), 129, c, 2, by Camacho (GB)
1st Dam: Kasalla (Ire), by Footstepsinthesand (GB)
2nd Dam: Pretty Procida, by Procida
3rd Dam: Provacatrice, by Irish River (Fr)
1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN. (£8,000 Ylg ‘22 TATIRY; £110,000 2yo ‘23 TATGOR). O-Wathnan Racing; B-Fontstown Stud Ltd (IRE); T-Adrian Keatley; J-James Doyle. £28,355. Lifetime Record: MGSP-Eng, 6-2-3-0, $136,736.
2--Alaskan Gold (Ire), 129, c, 2, Kodiac (GB)--Luminous Gold (GB), by Fantastic Light. 1ST BLACK-TYPE. (£200,000 2yo ‘23 GOUKB). O-Apple Tree Stud; B-Tally-Ho Stud (IRE); T-Karl Burke. £10,750.
3--Moswaat (GB), 129, c, 2, Kodiac (GB)--Irish Steps, by Giant Causeway. (150,000gns Ylg ‘22 TATOCT). 1ST BLACK TYPE. O-Sheikh Abdullah Almalek Alsabah; B-Faisal Meshruf Alqahtani (GB); T-Roger Varian. £5,380. Margins: HF, 2HF, 2HF. Odds: 2.50, 16.00, 6.00.
Also Ran: Al Shabab Storm (GB), Photosynthesis (Ire), Esquire (GB), Global Skies (GB), Boardroom (GB), Matters Most (GB).

Ballymount Boy followed up a July 21 Hamilton maiden victory with a runner-up finish in Goodwood’s Aug. 2 G2 Richmond S. and, making his first outing in the Wathnan silks, occupied the same berth upped to seven furlongs for the Aug. 23 G3 Acomb S. at York in his penultimate start. He weakened out of contention when eighth in ParisLongchamp’s G1 Prix Jean-Luc Lagardere at the beginning of this month last time and rebounded in style, back down to six furlongs here, to secure a belated first black-type triumph. Chasing the pack in eighth after a sluggish break, the 5-2 joint-favourite tanked forward after halfway into fourth inside the two pole and kept on powerfully once switched back outside in the latter stages for an ultimately snug success.

“[Trainer] Adrian [Keatley] told me to try and get there fairly late, probably not quite that late, but it worked out well in the end,” said rider James Doyle. “We didn’t want him to fly the lids, as he overraced in France the last day, so I tried to get him to break a bit steadier and we overdid it slightly. It put us on the back foot, but it gave us plenty of targets. What he’s doing this year is purely on ability. Even before I hit the front there, he pricked his ears and had a look about.”
"I don’t think he’s fully wised up to what it’s all about, so hopefully when that comes next year, they’ll have a bit of fun with him.”

Keatley added, “We’re relieved more than pleased, just to get a win into him, and it’s good to finish the year like that. He’s had a couple of hard races and it’s nice for the horse. He’s been on the go since the breeze-ups and it’s nice to finish him like that. He’s had a couple of hard races and it’s nice for the horse. He’s been on the go since the breeze-ups and he’s going to get a deserved break. Things didn’t work out running downhill into the bend in France, but he’s a good horse. Hopefully we’ll have another good summer with him next year. We’ll start off at six furlongs, I hope he can start on a winning note in the spring, and go on from there.”

Ballymount Boy, the seventh of eight foals, becomes the first stakes scorer from four winners out of an unraced half-sister to the dam of MGSW G2 German 2000 Guineas hero Precious Boy (Ger) (Big Shuffle) and G3 Preis der Winterkonigin runner-up Prema (Ger) (Big Shuffle). Prema, in turn, is the second dam of GII Nassau S. victor Crystal Cliffs (Fr) (Canford Cliffs {Ire}). The April-foaled bay’s third dam Provocatrice (Irish River {Fr}) has three black-type performers to her credit, including the multiple Group-placed Pardus (Fr) (Unfuwain), and she is also the second dam of G3 Schwarzwald-Rennen victor Prakasa (Ger) (Areion {Ger}) and G3 Herzog von Ratibor-Rennen winner Peligroso (Fr) (Trempolino). Ballymount Boy is kin to a weanling colt by Inns Of Court (Ire).

**CONDITIONS RESULTS:**

1st-Chelmsford City, £6,899, 10-28, 2yo, 6f (AWT), 1:12.05, st.
ALMARADA PRINCE (IRE) (c, 2, Prince of Lir {Ire}–Almarada {Fr}, by Le Havre {Ire} )) 
Lifetime Record: 4-3-0-0, $16,780. O-Alfa Site Services Ltd; B-Con Marmane (IRE); T-Craig Lidster. *£18,000 Ylg '22 GOFFUK; £40,000 2yo '23 GOUKB.

**ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**

Enrico Caruso (GB), g, 3, Roaring Lion–Mainstay (GB), by Elmaamul. Chelmsford City, 10-28, 10f (AWT), 2:04.71. 
Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, $5,269. B-Rachel D S Hood (GB). *1/2 to Richard Pankhurst (GB) (Raven’s Pass), GSW-Eng, $215,180; 1/2 to Crazy Horse (GB) (Sleeping Indian {GB}), GSW-Eng, GSP-Fr, GSP-Ger, $133,630.

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**FRANCE**

Saturday's Results:

2nd-Bordeaux-Le Bouscat, €23,000, Mdn, 10-28, unraced 2yo, c/g, 9 1/2fT, 2:19.62, hy.
POLANZOR (FR) (c, 2, Almanzor (Fr)–Polonia Lady (Fr), by Australia (GB)) broke well to race second early and slipped back to third after the opening exchanges of this debut. Challenging along the far-side rail at the top of the straight, the 9-1 chance soon held sway and was ridden clear inside the final furlong to defeat Loustic Bere (Fr) (Seahenge) by 3 1/2 lengths. Polanzor is the first of two foals produced by a winning granddaughter of G1 Oaks d'Italia heroine Guadalupe (Ger) (Monsun {Ger}), herself full to dual Group 1-winning sire Getaway (Ger).

Guadalupe’s quartet of black-type performers includes Group 1-winning sires Guignol (Ger) (Cape Cross {Ire}) and Guiliani (Ire) (Tertullian). The March-foaled homebred chestnut is half to a yearling colt by Zarak (Fr). Sales history: €38,000 RNA Wlg ‘21 ARQDEC. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, €11,500. Video, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

O/B-Krzysztof Gozdialski (FR); T-Mme Jean-Francois Bernard.

3rd-Bordeaux-Le Bouscat, €23,000, Mdn, 10-28, unraced 2yo, f, 9 1/2fT, 2:20.87, hy.
BLOU LAGOON (FR) (f, 2, Cloth Of Stars (Ire)–Faverolles (Fr), by Le Havre (Ire)) broke well from an outer stall and remained wide in a prominent role through halfway. Bustled along to launch her challenge off the home turn, the 63-5 chance locked horns with Tierceville (Fr) (Recorder (GB)) approaching the final furlong and subdued that rival under continued rousting to hit the line with a half-length advantage. Blou Lagoon is the lone foal thrown by a winning daughter of G3 Prix Vanteaux runner-up La Pernelle (Ire) (Beat Hollow (GB)).

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The March-foaled bay’s second dam is a half-sister to G3 Prix Andre Baboin-winning Spanish champion Celtic Rock (GB) (Rock Of Gibraltar (Ire)) and Listed Prix Miss Satamix victor Fresles (Ire) (Royal Applause (GB)). Sales history: €17,000 Ylg ‘22 ARQOCT. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, €11,500. Video, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

O-Mme Alexandra Atterbrand & Damien de Watrigant; B-Arnaud Mottais & Vincent Videau (FR); T-Damien de Watrigant.

CONDITIONS RESULTS:
1st-Bordeaux-Le Bouscat, €27,000, Cond, 10-28, 2yo, 9 1/2fT, 2:15.86, hy.
LUIZA BERE (FR) (f, 2, Territories (Ire)—Broken Promise (Fr), by Le Havre (Ire)) Lifetime Record: 7-2-1-2, €40,950. O-Gerard Augustin-Normand; B-Haras de a Haie Neuve, San Gabriel Investments Inc & SAS Regnier (FR); T-Yann Barberot. *€16,000 Ylg ‘22 ARQOCT.

7th-Bordeaux-Le Bouscat, €22,000, Cond, 10-28, 3yo, 12fT, 2:50.09, hy.
PIANINO (FR) (g, 3, Attendu (Fr)—Pianiste (Fr), by Anabaa) Lifetime Record: 19-4-6-4, €75,700. O-Ecurie Bernd & Torsten Raber; B-Jan Krauze (FR); T-Caroline Bonin.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:
Golden Pharaoh (Ire), c, 2, Footstepsinthesand (GB)—Golden Easter, by Distorted Humor. Le Croise-Laroche, 10-28, 5 1/2fT, 1:09.00. B-Wardstown Stud Ltd (IRE). *€17,000 Ylg ‘22 GOFSPT.

GERMANY

Saturday’s Results:
1st-Colonge, €9,000, Mdn, 10-28, 2yo, 9 1/4fT, 2:04.33, sf/hy.
NAMUR (GER) (c, 2, Highland Reel (Ire)—Nicaea (Ger) (G1SP-Ger & GSP-Ity, $146,751), by Lando (Ger)), a Sept. 24 debut third tackling one mile at this venue in his only prior start, broke well to race in a close second before settling into smooth rhythm behind the leaders in fourth. Taking closer on the home turn, the 13-10 second choice was shaken up to pursue Queen’s William (GB) (Sea The Moon (Ger)) with three furlongs remaining and kept on relentlessly under continued rousting to deny that rival by 3/4-of-a-length in the dying strides. Namur is the seventh of eight foals and fifth scorer out of G1 Preis der Diana (German Oaks) third Nicea (Ger) (Lando (Ger)), herself one of five black-type performers produced by the dual stakes-placed Nicolaia (Ger) (Alkalde (Ger)). Nicolaia’s quintet includes the dual Group 1-placed G2 Carl Jaspers-Preis victor Nerium (Ire) (Camelot (GB)) and multiple Group-placed dual stakes scorer Nicolosio (Ire) (Peintre Celebre). Nicolaia is kin to G1 Deutsches Derby hero Nicaron (Ger) (Acatenango (Ger)) while Nicea has a yearling filly by Earl Of Tinsdal (Ger) to come. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, €6,650.

O-Stall Nizza; B-Ursula & Jurgen Imm (GER); T-Peter Schiergen.

2nd-Colonge, €7,000, Mdn, 10-28, 3yo, 12fT, 2:45.91, sf/hy.
MEERSCHWALBE (GB) (f, 3, Adlerflug (Ger)—Mouette (Ger), by Tertullian) bounded along under a firm grip in a handy fourth for most of this test started by flag. Powering forward in the straight to seize control approaching the quarter-mile marker, the 43-10 chance refused to yield thereafter and was ridden out to assert by 1 1/4 lengths from Nairo (Ger) (Nutan (Ire)). Meerschwalbe is the eighth of nine foals and fourth scorer out of a winning half-sister to G2 Schwarzwald-Rennen third Meridia (Ger) (Monsun (Ger)). The March-foaled homebred chestnut is a full-sister to G2 Diana-Trial victor Meergorl (Ger), herself the dam of the stakes-winning Mercedes (Ger) (Sea The Moon (Ger)). Also kin to the stakes-placed Mowe (Ger) (Soldier Hollow (GB)) and a weanling filly by Sea The Moon (Ger), she hails from the family of G1 Preis der Diana (German Oaks) heroine Miss Yoda (Ger) (Sea The Stars (Ire)) and G1 Oaks d’Italia victrix Meridiana (Ger) (Lomitas (GB)). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, €4,200.

O/B-Gestut Gorlsdorf (GB); T-Markus Klug.

IN AUSTRALIA:
Romantic Warrior (Ire), g, 5, Acclamation (GB). See ‘Worldwide News’

Zeyrek (Fr), g, 6, Sea The Stars (Ire)—Zerkaza (Ire), by Dalakhani (Ire). Randwick, 10-28, Craven Plate-G3, 1800mT, 1:49.10.
B-H.H. The Aga Khan’s Studs Haras De S.A. Le Prince. *MSP-Fr.

IN SAUDI ARABIA:
Amichi (Ire), g, 3, Gutaifan (Ire)—Shimmy Shoes (Ire), by Reckless Abandon (Ire). King Abdulaziz, 10-28, Cond., 1200m.
B-Yeomanstown Stud & Doc Bloodstock. *15,500gns Ylg ‘21 TATSEP; 325,000gns HRA ‘22 TATHIT. Video (SC 9)
WINNERS BY EUROPEAN Sires

IN AUSTRALIA:
Tom Kitten (Aus), c, 3, Harry Angel (Ire). See ‘Worldwide News’

WORLDWIDE NEWS

Saturday, Kyoto, Japan
MBS SHO SWAN S.-G2, ¥114,620,000, Kyoto, 10-28, 3yo/up, 1400mT, 1:19.90, fm.
1--WIN GREATEST (JPN), 126, h, 6, by Screen Hero (Jpn)
1st Dam: Lucy Moon (GB), by Blushing Groom (Fr)
2nd Dam: Chic Belle, by Mr. Prospector
3rd Dam: Great Catty (Jpn), by Sakura Yutaka-Oh (Jpn)
2nd Dam: Lucy Moon (GB), by Blushing Groom (Fr)
3rd Dam: Chic Belle, by Mr. Prospector
1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN. 1ST GROUP WIN. O-Win Inc.; B-Cosmo View Farm; T-Yoshihiro Hatakeyama; J-Masami Matsuoka; - 60,274,000. Lifetime Record: 31-8-7-5, - 228,619,000. *1/2 to Best Member (Jpn) (Maurice {Jpn}), GSW, $1,321,350. Werk Nick Rating: A++. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree. Click for the free Equineline.com pedigree.
2--La La Christine (Jpn), 121, f, 5, Mikki Isle (Jpn)--Super Madame (Jpn), by Tanino Gimlet (Jpn). (18,900,000 'Yrl '19 JBBAUG). O-Fujii Kosan Inc.; B-Doi Farm; - 24,364,000.
3--Lotus Land, 121, m, 6, Point of Entry--Little Miss Muffet, by Scat Daddy. O-Eichi Kobayashi Holding; B-Dr. Aaron Sones & Dr. Naoya Yoshida (KY); - 15,182,000.
Margins: 1 3/4, HF, 1 1/4; Odds: 0.50, 4.70, 10.00.
Also Ran: Light Back (Jpn), Shonan Manuela (Jpn), Love Squall (Jpn), Erika Lixiang (Jpn), Mieno Bravo (Jpn), Chouchoute Deesse (Jpn), Nisinokomatumisumue (Jpn).
Click for the JRA Chart & Video.

WARRIOR PREVAILS IN A THRILLING COX PLATE by TTR AusNZ

Danny Shum was determined that his brilliant Romantic Warrior (Ire) (Acclamation {GB}) was on course to be primed for the G1 Cox Plate following defeat in the G1 Turnbull S. earlier this month, and he'll be glad that he wasn't given a hard race that day in behind Gold Trip (Fr) (Outstrip {GB}).

Well accustomed to battling out tight finishes at Sha Tin, the 6-year-old was a courageous winner of the 2023 Cox Plate in one of the most thrilling finishes in the race's history.

There was plenty of intrigue ahead of the race, with Fangirl (Sebring) having beaten Mr Brightside (NZ) (Bullbars) in the inaugural G1 King Charles III S., Alligator Blood (All Too Hard) in the form of his life, Duais (Shamus Award) returning to form and a crack pair of 3-year-olds to boot. Cont.
When Alligator Blood took to the front in the home straight, you could have been forgiven for thinking it was all over. But, with Mr Brightside nipping up his inside and James McDonald keeping close tabs on the pair, it was a three-way dive for the line, with the Champion Jockey producing Romantic Warrior ahead of Mr Brightside in a photo finish.

It was a tame showing from the two 3-year-olds in the race, with Militarize (NZ) (Dundeel {NZ}) finishing closest in eighth, whilst King Colorado (Kingman {GB}) came home last.

"This horse is pretty special to me," said an ecstatic McDonald. "When I mentioned to come to the Cox Plate I thought he'd be the perfect horse—I meant what I said."

McDonald also credited connections, including owner Peter Lau, with their bravery for venturing out of Hong Kong, where the horse is proven and there's no shortage of prizemoney.

"I reckon he's got more to come to," he added. "He made significant amounts of improvement, like we thought he did, and he likes the bloody Valley!"

**Pedigree Notes**

He is one of the 66 stakes winners for his sire who calls the Rathberry and Glenview Studs home and they have another link to the WS Cox Plate - standing the 2021 winner State Of Rest (Ire). Bred by Corduff Stud and Timothy Rooney, Romantic Warrior is out of the juvenile winner Folk Melody (Ire) whose sire Street Cry (Ire) is the grandsire of last year's Cox Plate hero Anamoe. Purchased from the 2019 Tattersalls October Yearling Sale for 300,000gns (AUS$602,900) by the Hong Kong Jockey Club, Romantic Warrior is a grandson of the G1 E.P Taylor S. winner Folk Opera (Ire) (Singspiel {Ire}) - also grandam of the South American Group 1 winner Mr Bailetti (Arg) (Exchange Rate {USA}). Sourced for the HKJC by Mick Kinane, Romantic Warrior was on-sold by them to his owners for HK$4.8 million at their annual Hong Kong International Sale.

**Saturday, Melbourne, Australia**

**WS COX PLATE-G1**, A$5,000,000, MVRC, 10-28, 3yo/up, Open Weight For, 2040mT, 2:03.16, gd.

1--**ROMANTIC WARRIOR (IRE)**, 59.0, g, 5, by Acclamation (GB)
   1st Dam: Folk Melody (Ire), by Street Cry (Ire)
   2nd Dam: Folk Opera (Ire), by Singspiel (Ire)
   3rd Dam: Skiphall (GB), by Halling (USA)
   (300,000gns Ylg '19 TATOCT; HK$4,800,000 HRA '21 HKJUN).
   O-P Lau Pak Fai; B-Corduff Stud & T. J. Rooney (Ire); T-C S Shum; J-J B Mc Donald; A$3,050,000. Lifetime Record: Ch. 4yo & Ch. Middle Distance Horse-HK, MG1SW-HK, 16-11-3-0, A$18,570,400. Werk Nick Rating: B. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree. Click for the free Arion.co.nz catalogue-style pedigree.

2--**Mr Brightside (NZ)**, 59.0, g, 6, Bullbars--Lilahjay (NZ) , by Tavistock (NZ). ($22,000 Ylg 2019 NZMAY). O-Lindsay Park Bloodstock (Mgr: Mrs S Steel), Green Shorts Racing (A Visalli), K Paisley, Mrs C Paisley, B Carson, M Andreadis, J Molinaro, Ms A Molinaro, Ms J Evans, D Hollyman, S Horn, R Jarvis, G Kerr, D Lee, R White, D Cavallo, The Fighting Cowboys (A Pettiona), P Presti, L Presti & T Hunter; B-R I & Est late M A G Johnson, Waikato (NZ); T-Ben, Will & Jd Hayes; J-Craig Williams; A$750,000.

3--**Alligator Blood**, 59.0, g, 7, All Too Hard--Lake Superior, by Encosta de Lago. (A$55,000 Ylg '18 MMLJAN) O-G Harvey, Mrs R Simpson & J A Simpson; B-Mr G Harvey (NSW); T-G Waterhouse & A Bott; J-Tim Clark; A$375,000. Margins: SHD, HD, 1 1/4. Odds: 2.60, 8.00, 5.00.

Also Ran: Duais, Gold Trip (FR), Zaaki (GB), Fangirl, Militarize (NZ), Victoria Road (IRE), My Oberon (IRE), Pinstriped, King Colorado. Click for the Racing Australia chart. VIDEO.
Whilst Harry Angel (Ire) raced at 1200 metres in all but his first start (which was over 1000 metres), his son Tom Kitten more than found his groove over 2000 metres in the G1 Spring Champion S. Cruising to the front from his midfield position, he was devastating in the home straight under Adam Hyeronimus, bounding 3.68l clear of Cap Ferrat (Snitzel) by the time he hit the line.

Like his sire, Tom Kitten was a stakes-winning juvenile, last term taking the Listed Fernhill S. before finishing fourth in the G1 Champagne S. Returning this season with a victory in the G3 Up And Coming S., over 1300 metres, there appeared plenty of spring options for the colt. Placed each time as James Cummings upped him in distance from September into October, the trainer’s decision to stretch further again was thoroughly vindicated on Saturday.

Not only did Tom Kitten announce himself in elite company in style, but Harry Angel rounded off his momentous Saturday with a treble, after 3-year-old gelding Harcasion and 3-year-old filly Laugh With Me both shed their maiden tags to give their sire a total of 18 individual Australian winners.

**Pedigree Notes**

One of the nine stakes winners (and the first at Group 1 level) for his Darley-based, G1 July Cup and G1 Sprint Cup-winning shuttle sire, Tom Kitten is the second stakes winner for the multiple city winner Transfers (Street Cry {Ire}) whose son Promotions (Exceed And Excel) won the Listed Canberra Guineas. Also dam of the multiple city winner Va Via (Astern), Transfers foaled a Palace Pier (GB) colt in late August had the previous season off. Her 2-year-old is a colt by Brazen Beau. Transfers is out of the metropolitan winner Movin’ Out (Encosta De Lago) whose city-winning dam Twyla (Danehill {USA}) is a three-quarter sister to Redoute’s Choice - making Tom Kitten a member of the internationally prolific Best In Show (USA) (Traffic Judge (USA)) family which is represented in Harry Angel (Ire) by Try My Best (USA).

Saturday, New South Wales, Australia

**SPRING CHAMPION S.-G1.** A$2,000,000, ATC, 10-28, 3yo, Open Set Weight, 2000mT, 2:01.28, gd.

1--**TOM KITTEN,** 56.5, c, 3, by Harry Angel (Ire)
   1st Dam: Transfers, by Street Cry (Ire)
   2nd Dam: Movin’ Out, by Encosta de Lago
   3rd Dam: Twyla, by Danehill (USA)

**FIRST GROUP 1 WIN**

O-Godolphin; B-Godolphin Australia (VIC); T-James Cummings; J-A Hyeronimus; A$1,160,000. Lifetime Record: 10-4-1-2, A$1,623,450. *1/2 to Promotions (Aus) (Exceed and Excel [Aus]), SW, $186,876. **Werk Nick Rating:** C+. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree. Click for the free Arion.co.nz catalogue-style pedigree.

2--**Cap Ferrat,** 56.5, c, 3, Snitzel–C’Est Beau la Vie, by Bernardini (USA). **1ST GROUP 1 BLACK TYPE.** (A$1,400,000 Yrl '22 INGAPR). O-Coolmore, Wynaus, Westerberg, J Poulin, Sir P J Vela, Chris Waller Racing, Lynque, Wopitt Bloodstock, Peacheater Lodge Pty Ltd, K J Pooley, Mrs J L Pooley, Rockingham Thoroughbreds & R McClure; B-Arrowfield Pastoral Pty Ltd (NSW); T-C J Waller; J-K Mc Evoy; A$380,000.

3--**Ganbare,** 56.5, c, 3, Maurice (JPN)--Mardi, by Redoute’s Choice. **1ST GROUP BLACK TYPE, 1ST GROUP 1 BLACK TYPE**, (A$260,000 Yrl '22 INGFEB). O-Dodmark Thoroughbreds (Mgr: P G Dunn); B-Arrowfield Group Pty Ltd (NSW); T-G Waterhouse & A Bott; J-B Prebble; A$195,000.

Margins: 3 3/4, 4HF, 4 3/4. Odds: 1.50, 15.00, 13.00. Also Ran: Tutta la Vita, Port Lockroy, Raf Attack (NZ), Kintyre, Ravello (NZ), Ramble On, Glad You Think So, Medatsu (NZ), Long Genes. **Click for the Racing Australia chart**. **VIDEO.**

TANGERINE QUEEN IMPERATRIZ ALL CLASS

_by TTR AusNZ_

The Cox Plate was the headline act, but Moonee Valley was awash with connections and fans of the champion Imperatriz (I Am Invincible) after another devastating display by the Te Akau Racing-owned mare in the G1 Manikato S. Opie Bosson confidently declared, “She’s the best horse I’ve ever ridden. Things didn’t necessarily go to plan, but Imperatriz showed another dimension.”

There were a few nervous moments before the jump, with the 5-year-old building herself up with a few fidgety moments. Then, upon entering barrier four, Buenos Noches (Supido), drawn alongside her, played up in the barriers, which led to his withdrawal on the vet’s advice. Imperatriz bounced from the barriers and found herself in the unconventional leading role as the expected leader, I Am Me (I Am Invincible), at the back of the field.
Saturday Summary: All The Action

Bold Bastille Too Slick In Inglis Banner

Black-Type Results & Pedigree Notes

Group Double For Starspangledbanner

However, it really mattered very little to the superstar as she quickly went through her gears to the cheers of the sold-out Valley crowd and seventh victory at the elite level.

“I think she had it in the bag a long way from home,” co-trainer Mark Walker told Racing.com. “It was a show of genius by Opie (Boss). Imperatriz jumped so well, so why would you take that advantage away? It’s so great for all the ownership group who have been so understanding about not going to Sydney (for The Everest).

Pedigree Notes

The most prolific stakes winner for her Yarraman Park-based, reigning Australian Champion Sire (whose stakes winner total sits at 100), Imperatriz was bred by Raffles Dancers and purchased by David Ellis for $360,000 from the Bhima Thoroughbreds draft at the 2020 Magic Millions Gold Coast Yearling Sale. Imperatriz is the second foal and first winner for Berimbau (Shamardal {USA}) who earned her black type with a G3 Moonee Valley Fillies Classic third to Lumosty (Fastnet Rock). Also dam of the multiple city winner Cabaca (Fastnet Rock), Berimbau produced a full brother to Imperatriz in early August, last year foaling a colt by Capitalist having sadly lost her previous foal, a Press Statement filly. Berimbau is out of the winner Percussive (Encosta De Lago), half-sister to the G2 Todman Slipper Trial winner Royal Courtship (Royal Academy {USA}). Percussive's six foals to race have all been winners including the Listed Spear Chief H. winner Vinco (also by I Am Invincible).

Saturday, Melbourne, Australia

MANIKATO S.-G1, A$2,000,000, MVRC, 10-28, 3yo/up, Open Weight For, 1200mT, 1:09.59, Good.

1--IMPERATRIZ, 56.5, m, 5, by I Am Invincible

1st Dam: Berimbau (GSP-Aus), by Shamardal (USA)
2nd Dam: Percussive, by Encosta de Lago
3rd Dam: So Striking, by Pre Emptive Strike (CAN)

($360,000 Ylg '20 MAGJAN). O-Te Akau Invincible Empress Racing Partnership (Mgr: Karyn Fenton-Ellis Mnzm); BRaffles Dancers (NZ) Pty Ltd (NSW); T-M W Walker; J-O P Bosson; A$1,215,000. Lifetime Record: Ch. 3yo-NZ, MG1SW-NZ, 22-16-2-1, A$3,542,702. Werk Nick Rating: A+. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree. Click for the free Arion.co.nz catalogue-style pedigree.

2--I Am Me, 56.5, m, 5, I Am Invincible--Mefnooda, by Medaglia d'Oro (USA). 1ST GROUP 1 BLACK TYPE. (A$210,000 Yrl '20 INGMAR). O-Dynamic Syndications Racing, Sheikh M B Al Maktoum, Mrs J M Crooks, B & K Ramsey Family, P J Woollett, G Rassos, R J Gall, R G Dawkins, A W Robertson, A Cranes, A Mitchell, Mrs M Joyce, M G Joyce, S B Troughton, D P Lacey, M J Millner, S Finnigan A D Vella; B-Sheikh Mohammed Bin Khalifa Al Maktoum (VIC); T-C Maher & D Eustace; J-J B Mc Donald; A$180,000.

3--Uncommon James, 58.5, g, 5, Cable Bay (IRE)--Pickabee, by Jet Spur. O-Lavin Park Racing & Breeding (Mgr: Mrs C L Hoysted); BLavin Park Racing & Breeding (QLD); T-S O'Dea & M Hoysted; J-Damian Lane; A$180,000.

Also Ran: The Inferno, Jigsaw, I Am War. Click for the Racing Australia chart. VIDEO.
### Sunday, Paris, Longchamp, France, post time: 16:25

**PRIX ROYAL-OAK-G1**, €350,000, 3yo/up, 15 1/2fT

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