

WHAT 60 MINUTES GOT WRONG, AND WHAT IT GOT RIGHT



Sarah Andrew

by Bill Finley

After the venerable and influential news show 60 Minutes aired a piece on horse racing last week, people within the industry were understandably upset. The story was ugly, filled with graphic and grisly coverage of horses breaking down, and portrayed racing as a sport where drugs, corruption and horse fatalities had reached the point of being out of control.

“Horse racing is an industry where extremely devoted people labor because of one common thing: we all love horses, especially thoroughbred horses,” Denali Stud’s Craig Bendoroff wrote to 60 Minutes. “That did not come across in the piece. Granted your story was about our problem but some senses of balance would have been appropriate. I was very disappointed in both the piece and 60 Minutes in general. It makes me question the integrity and balance of the pieces I have seen over these many years.”

Bendoroff and everyone else upset by the story had a right to be. The story did lack balance. It told just one side while ignoring the progress that the sport has made to get its problems under control and that most people in the sport are decent people who would never dream of using performance-enhancing drugs on their horses or doing anything that would put them in danger. **Cont. p3**

TDN RISING STAR NYSOS BLITZES BOB HOPE


by Christina Bossinakis

Shaping up to be nothing more than a public workout, **TDN Rising Star Nysos (Nyquist)** appeared to scare off much of his competition in the GIII Bob Hope S. Holding true to form, the Baoma Corp. runner roared home a much-the-best winner in Sunday’s feature at Del Mar. Getting blinkers off while trying to remain undefeated, the colt wasn’t particularly hurried exiting Post 5, settling kindly at the back of the short four-horse field as **Tejon Pass (Justify)** and **Mission Beach (Curlin)** cut out a :22.34 opening quarter while Stronghold (**Ghostzapper**) and the 1-5 piping hot favorite stationed themselves within two lengths on the outside. With Tejon Pass soon beginning his retreat, Nysos collared the remaining pair through a half in :44.97. Passing the quarter pole, Mission Beach started to fall away as well while Nysos and Stronghold locked horns, poised for what appeared to be an epic stretch battle. **Bob Hope cont. p6**

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Baoma's Charles Chu greets winning rider Flavien Prat following Nysos's impressive victory in the GIII Bob Hope S. at Del Mar Sunday.—cont. p5 | Benoit

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But to portray this as a hatchet job on horse racing isn't fair either. There really is a lot wrong with this sport and nothing 60 Minutes had to say about horse racing was necessarily inaccurate. Sometimes, it's tough to have to stare at yourself in the mirror.

We'll get to that. But first the areas where 60 Minutes took short cuts that allowed them to ignore the other side of the story:

The sport has made meaningful progress when it comes to breakdowns. In 2009, the first year the Jockey Club kept statistics, the fatality rate was 2.00 horses per 1,000 starters. In 2022, the number had dropped by 37.5%, down to 1.25 horses per 1,000 starters. This didn't happen by accident. The sport worked together to make tracks safer and to keep infirm horses off the track. None of this was ever mentioned.

"Why is the only news offered for this sport about tragedy or corruption?" breeder JoAnn Hayden emailed 60 Minutes. "Where were the statistics to show how drastically the fatality numbers have decreased and the protocols that have been implemented for the safety and welfare of our horses and jockeys and their track surfaces?"

"I accept that you have the right to present your gruesome facts and sound bites of cheaters and horrific footage of horses breaking down but you could have acknowledged the honest hardworking people in our industry and left us with HOPE. WE deserve better!"

60 Minutes also led you to believe that Bob Baffert falls into the same category as convicted criminals Jorge Navarro and Jason Servis. While the fact that he has had many medication positives is regrettable, he's never been caught using performance-enhancing drugs. Yet, since Baffert is the sport's most high profile trainer and has had his share of problems, he was an easy target.

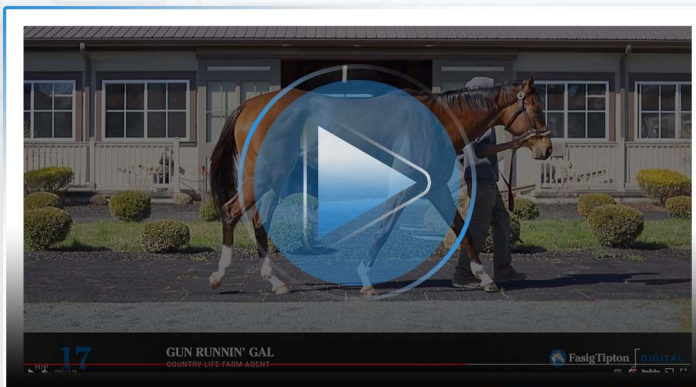
"For decades, the sport entirely overseen by state racing commissions has struggled to stop repeat drug violations, notably by the sport's most high-profile trainer, Bob Baffert," host Cecilia Vega said. She did not mention that most of Baffert's violations are for overages of therapeutic medications.

There was also a theme throughout the segment that the use of drugs is what has led to the high rate of breakdowns. There's no doubt that some horses have broken down because the drugs in their systems allowed them to run through pain, but breakdowns and drugs are two separate issues.

But 60 Minute's main point--that the sport's drug problems and safety issues are a serious problem--was spot on. Blaming the messenger doesn't help.

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“Horse racing has reached its moment of reckoning and we wanted to know, can the sport really be reformed or is it too late?” Vega said as she opened the story. There was nothing hyperbolic about this statement. It is the question that hovers ominously over our sport and should have everyone worried about its future.

“How long is it going to take to clean this up?” Vega asked HISA CEO Lisa Lazarus. “It will probably take years to be fully confident that we’ve got a fully clean sport,” she responded.

“How big of a problem is doping in horse racing?” Vega asked Jockey Club Chairman Stuart Janney III. “It’s a big problem,” he said. “It strikes at the integrity of the sport. It’s not good for the horses. There’s nothing about it that is acceptable.”

In between the interviews with Janney and Lazarus, the audience was told of the 12 deaths surrounding the running of this year’s GI Kentucky Derby, that there were two deaths leading up to the Breeders’ Cup and that 13 horses died during the Saratoga meet. It delved into the stories of Servis and Navarro and played wiretaps of the two of them discussing their doping routines. It played a particularly sickening excerpt of a wiretapped conversation that caught harness trainer Nick Surick talking about all the horses that Navarro killed and broke down that he “made disappear.”

These things happened and by exposing them to the some 9 million people that watch 60 Minutes each week the sport looked terrible and likely inched closer to losing its social license to operate.

At least the segment didn’t portray the situation as hopeless. It gave time to Janney, Lazarus, FBI agent Shaun Richards and Meadowlands owner Jeff Gural, all of whom expressed the opinion that HISA is a huge improvement over the old way of doing things, when state racing commissions were responsible for drug testing and penalizing violators, and that things are heading in the right direction.

This was an exchange between Vega and Janney:



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Vega: “Can you describe what horse racing regulation has been like in the last 50 years?”

Janney: “A failure...and increasingly so.”

Vega: “It’s gotten worse?”

Janney: “It’s gotten worse, and quite frankly states have not done their job.”

Will HISA usher in the changes we so badly need? Janney obviously thinks so. So far, the results have been mixed, but it’s too early in the game to say whether or not it’s going to make a real difference or not.

The problems are real. Though fewer horses are breaking down, the numbers remain unacceptably high. And every time a trainer winning at 30% moves up a horse by four or five lengths in the first race after a claim you’d have to have your head buried in the sand to think there isn’t something nefarious going on here and that it involves performance-enhancing drugs.

Yes, 60 Minutes could have tried harder to have a more balanced report, and maybe that just didn’t fit its agenda. Yes, we are doing better. But let’s not pretend that our problems aren’t serious ones that desperately need to be addressed. That was the gist of the 60 Minutes piece, and they didn’t get that part wrong.

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IDOL (c. by Curlin).

Dr Jack (c. by Pioneerof the Nile). 3 wins at 3 and 4, \$156,155, 3rd TVG.com Pegasus S. [L] (MTH, \$15,000), Bourbon Trail S. (CD, \$27,050).

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Inching ahead of Stronghold turning for home, Nysos was given the green light by Flavien Prat and the Bob Baffert trainee took off, cruising home an uncontested 8 3/4-length winner over Stronghold.

“With this being his second time out, you never know how they are going to react to it all but he was a real pro,” said Prat, accompanying the colt for the first time. “He broke well and relaxed well and showed rein on the lane. He kind of took a breather [early on] but I didn’t want to get myself you know head and head with everybody else.”

Let go at 6-1 odds for his career debut at Santa Anita Oct. 21, the OBS graduate made short work of nine rivals while earning **TDN Rising Stardom** in the six-furlong event.

“He’s a real quiet colt,” said Baffert. “He was real quiet in the paddock but Prat said once he got behind the gate, he just turned it on.”



Nysos | Benoit

Explaining the decision to lose the hood following the colt’s tour-de-force debut win, Baffert added, “I took the blinkers off of him, so he would relax. Last time, he went out there [on the lead] and I didn’t want to see that again. He handled it like a pro and did everything right. It’s tough for a horse, after a big race to come back and do it again.”

Pedigree Notes:

Holding the distinction for being the first TDN Rising Star for his sire, Nysos gives the son of

Uncle Mo his 10th graded/group winner. The winner’s unraced dam, Zetta Z, is already responsible for stakes placed Attabe (Distorted Humor). The mare sold for \$35,000 carrying a **Street Sense** filly at Keeneland November in 2021. After foaling a colt by Yaupon this season, she was bred back to Cyberknife. The OBS graduate’s third dam is GI Breeders’ Cup Distaff heroine Unbridled Elaine (Unbridled’s Song), the dam of a trio of graded stakes winners, including MGSW Etched (Forestry).

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2--**Stronghold**, 120, c, 2, **Ghostzapper**--Spectator, by Jimmy Creed. **1ST BLACK TYPE, 1ST GRADED BLACK TYPE.** O/B-Eric and Sharon Waller (KY); T-Philip D'Amato. \$20,000.

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3--**Tejon Pass**, 120, c, 2, **Justify**--Foxysox (GB), by Foxhound. **1ST BLACK TYPE, 1ST GRADED BLACK TYPE.** O-Williamson Racing LLC; B-Williamson Racing, LLC (KY); T-Peter Miller. \$12,000.

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JASON LITT

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- The risk of fatal injuries in America remains significantly greater than other major racing nations²
- Public confidence in horse racing is alarmingly low; a mere 22% positive public impression³

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Stakes action kicks off Jan. 20 with the Fire Plug S. and What a Summer S. The seven-furlong Spectacular Bid S. Jan. 27 kicks off Maryland’s series of stakes for 3-year-olds on the road to the Preakness, Middle Jewel of the Triple Crown, at Pimlico. It is

accompanied by the Xtra Heat S. at six furlongs, the first local prep for 3-year-old fillies en route to the GII Black-Eyed Susan S. Preakness eve. Winter Carnival is set for Saturday, Feb. 17 led by a pair of Grade III events: the \$200,000 Barbara Fritchie for fillies and mares 4 and up and the \$200,000 General George for 4-year-olds and up, both sprinting seven furlongs.

Maryland’s second series of races for sophomores will be hosted Saturday, Feb. 24. Highlighted by the \$100,000 Miracle Wood S. and \$100,000 Wide Country S.


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Thursday, Churchill Downs #11, post time: 4:14 p.m. EST

FALLS CITY S.-GIII, \$400,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Hidden Connection 🌿	Connect	Hidden Brook Farm and Black Type Thoroughbreds	Calhoun	Prat	121
2	Skratch Kat 🌿	Arrogate	Rigney Racing, LLC	Bauer	Arrieta	121
3	Shezz Koldazice 🌿	Keen Ice	Paradise Farms, C. Beatty & David Staudacher	Maker	Saez	121
4	Misty Veil	Tonalist	Michael M. Hui and John H. Yocum	Maker	Chuan	121
5	Jag Warrior	Shackleford	Robert Gauthier, Tony Crish and Chad Givens	Romans	Hernandez, Jr.	121
6	Distinctlypossible 🌿	Curlin	Bradley Thoroughbreds, Gary Finder, Team Hanley, Belmar Racing and Breeding, Tim & Anna Cambron	Brown	Gaffalione	121
7	Music Street 🌿	Street Sense	Kim Valerio, P. Sham Masand & Grandview Equine	Beckman	Santana, Jr.	121
8	Xigera 🌿	Nyquist	Rigney Racing, LLC	Bauer	Leparoux	120
9	Bellamore 🌿	Empire Maker	Kaleem Shah, Inc.	Santamaria	Garcia	121

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Thursday, Churchill Downs #10, post time: 3:45 p.m. EST

CARDINAL S.-GIII, \$300,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Joyful Applause	Kitten's Joy	100% Racing Stable LLC	Pitts	Mojica	121
2	Star Fortress (Ire)	Sea The Stars (Ire)	John Gunther and Eurowest Bloodstock Services	DeVaux	Saez	121
3	Lovely Princess	Twirling Candy	Gentry Farms	McPeck	Hernandez, Jr.	121
4	Walkathon	Twirling Candy	Whitham Thoroughbreds LLC	Wilkes	Leparoux	121
5	Take a Stand	Will Take Charge	G. Watts Humphrey, Jr.	Oliver	De La Cruz	121
6	Juncture (GB)	Dark Angel (Ire)	Juddmonte	Cox	Prat	121
7	Saffron Moon 🌿	Malibu Moon	CHP Racing	Brown	Gaffalione	121

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Thursday, Del Mar #6, post time: 4:30 p.m. EST

RED CARPET S.-GIII, \$100,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 3/8mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Oakhurst	Mr Speaker	Little Red Feather Racing	D'Amato	Berrios	121
2	Linda's Gift	Arrogate	Cronin, John, DiMarco, Anthony, Mandara, Michael, Nicotra, Fred and Varvaro, Vincent	Mandella	Pereira	121
3	Musical Rhapsody (Ire)	Holy Roman Emperor (Ire)	Michael House	D'Amato	Smith	121
4	Sister Otoole	Amira's Prince (Ire)	Eclipse Thoroughbred Partners	Motion	Fresu	121
5	With Love (GB)	Territories (Ire)	Atomic Racing	D'Amato	Gonzalez	118
6	Neige Blanche (Fr) 🌿	Anodin (Ire)	De Seroux, Laura, Naify, Marsha & Powell, Mathilde	Powell	Herrera	121
7	Loved Reiko 🌿	Tapit KatieRich Stables LLC	Glatt	Rispoli	121	
8	Symphony Perfect (Ire)	Fast Company (Ire)	Next Wave Racing LLC, Magnier, Mrs. M. V. and Shanahan, Mrs. Paul	McCarthy	Hernandez	121

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Friday, Churchill Downs #11, post time: 5:48 p.m. EST**CLARK S. PRESENTED BY NORTON HEALTHCARE-GII, \$600,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/8m**

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Straight Arrow 🌿	Arrogate	Laura Barrish	Dini	Geroux	121
2	First Mission	Street Sense	Godolphin, LLC	Cox	Saez	118
3	Il Miracolo 🌿	Gun Runner	Alexandres, LLC	Sano	Gaffalione	120
4	Gasoline	Curlin	Harrell Ventures, LLC and CHC INC.	Pletcher	Prat	121
5	Trademark 🌿	Upstart	BBN Racing, LLC	Oliver	De La Cruz	121
6	Film Star 🌿	Flatter	Ronald P. Stewart	Rice	Lezcano	121
7	Giant Game	Giant's Causeway	West Point Thoroughbreds & Albaugh Family Stables	Romans	Garcia	123
8	Happy American 🌿	Runhappy	Lothenbach Stables, Inc.	Pessin	Cannon	121
9	Stage Raider 🌿	Pioneerof the Nile	John D. Gunther	DeVaux	Hernandez, Jr.	121
10	Blue Devil 🌿	Uncle Mo	Rocket Ship Racing, LLC	Hiles	Castellano	121

Breeders: 1-Patricia Generazio, 2-Godolphin, 3-Willow Oaks Stable LLC, 4-China Horse Club International, LTD., 5-Brereton C. Jones, 6-Indian Creek & Mill Pond Bloodstock, 7-H. Allen Poindexter, 8-Claiborne Farm, 9-John D. Gunther, 10-Mt. Brilliant Farm & Ranch, LLC

Friday, Churchill Downs #10, post time: 5:18 p.m. EST**MRS. REVERE S.-GII, \$300,000, 3yo, F, 1 1/16mT**

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Beach Walkn	Cross Traffic	Ball, Michael and Katherine G.	Colebrook	Machado	118
2	Cha Cha Tap 🌿	Tapwrit	Charles Fawley	Milosevic	Leparoux	118
3	Necie Marie	Cross Traffic	Michael Milam	Reid, Jr.	Prat	118
4	Hay Stack	War Front	Two Eight Racing, Fortune Farm LLC and Emcee Stable LLC	Beckman	Castellano	118
5	Sabalenka 🌿	Good Samaritan	DiRico Racing and Breeding LLC	Beckman	Cannon	118
6	Financial Advice (Fr)	Wootton Bassett (GB)	Chris Nolan	Chircop	Talamo	118
7	Bling 🌿	American Pharoah	G. Watts Humphrey, Jr.	Oliver	Bejarano	118
8	Make the Boys Wink	More Than Ready	J and J Stables	Medina	Gaffalione	118
9	Safeen 🌿	War Front	Galvin, Fergus and Hillen, Rebecca	Kenneally	Saez	118
10	Watch This Birdie 🌿	Astern (Aus)	Michael House	Correas, IV	Cheminaud	118
11	Callie's Grit 🌿	Maclean's Music	Carl R. Moore Management LLC and Grady, Brad	Sharp	Hernandez, Jr.	118
12	Heavenly Sunday 🌿	Candy Ride (Arg)	Miacomet Farm	Cox	Geroux	120

Breeders: 1-Mike Ball & Katherine Ball, 2-Waymore LLC, 3-Jon A. Marshall, 4-Joseph Allen, LLC & White Birch Farm, Inc., 5-Mr. & Mrs. Al Mazzetti, 6-Mr. Jean Uzel, 7-Clarkland Farm LLC, 8-Phoenix Thoroughbreds (III) LTD, 9-Shadwell Farm, LLC, 10-McDowell Farm, 11-Dr. John C. Weed Jr. & Maclean's MusicSyndicate, 12-Randal Family Trust

Friday, Del Mar #7, post time: 6:30 p.m. EST**HOLLYWOOD TURF CUP S.-GII, \$200,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/2mT**

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Francesco Clemente (Ire)	Dubawi (Ire)	Peter M. Brant	Brown	Rispoli	122
2	Yes This Time	Not This Time	Kenneth L. Ramsey	Miller	Gonzalez	122
3	Lukka (Chi)	Lookin At Lucky	Baalbek Corp. and Don Alberto Stable	Drysdale	Vazquez	126
4	Planetario (Brz)	Il Doge (Brz)	Red Rafa Stud, Inc	Mandella	Berrios	122
5	Astronaut	Quality Road	John M. B. O'Connor	Shirreffs	Smith	124
6	Balladeer	Distorted Humor	Nguyen, Calvin and Tran, Joey C.	Papaprodromou	Espinoza	124
7	Eastern Ocean	Stormy Atlantic	Abbondanza Racing, LLC & David A. Bernsen, LLC	Eurton	Fresu	122
8	Speaking Scout 🌿	Mr Speaker	Eclipse Thoroughbred Partners	Motion	Hernandez	126

Breeders: 1-White Birch Farm, SC, 2-Barry S. Golden, 3-Haras Don Alberto, 4-Stud Red Rafa, 5-Anastasia Astrid Christiansen-Croy, 6-Bonne Chance Farm, LLC, 7-Dr. Rodney E. Orr, 8-Mike Abraham

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Friday, Aqueduct #3, post time: 1:18 p.m. EST**FALL HIGHWEIGHT H.-GIII, \$200,000, 3yo/up, 6f**

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Bold Journey 🐾	Hard Spun	Pantofel Stable, LLC, Wachtel Stable & Gary Barber	Mott	Ortiz	128
2	Rotknee	Runhappy	William J. Butler	Maker	Davis	130
3	Cowan 🐾	Kantharos	Built Wright Stables, LLC.	Ginter, Jr.	Gomez	130
4	Durante	Distorted Humor	JKX Racing and David Jacobson	Jacobson	Franco	134
5	Win for Gold 🐾	Goldencents	Ten Strike Racing, Four Corners Racing, Broadview Stables and Cory Moelis Racing LLC	Giangiulio	Carmouche	124
6	Sir Alfred James 🐾	Munnings	Built Wright Stables, LLC.	Ginter, Jr.	McCarthy	130

Breeders: 1-Fred W. Hertrich III & John D. Fielding, 2-William Butler, 3-Hill 'n' Dale Equine Holdings, Inc., 4-William Humphries & Altair Farms, LLC, 5-Sequel Stallions NY & StonestreetThoroughbred Holdings, LLC, 6-Mt. Joy Stables, Pope McLean, MarcMcLean & Pope McLean Jr.

Saturday, Churchill Downs #10, post time: 5:18 p.m. EST**GOLDEN ROD S.-GII, \$400,000, 2yo, f, 1 1/16m**

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Dozen Diamonds 🐾	Mendelssohn	Joanne Batchelor	Oliver	Bejarano	122
2	Intricate 🐾	Gun Runner	Bradley Thoroughbreds, Laura Leigh Stable, Estes, Scott and Cambron Equine, LLC	Walsh	Gaffalione	122
3	Purloin 🐾	Arrogate	Martin S. Schwartz	DeVaux	Ortiz	122
4	Here's the Spider	Tapiture	Jack Cannon	Fernandez	McKee	122
5	Central Avenue	Street Sense	Godolphin, LLC	Stidham	Castellano	122
6	Gin Gin	Hightail	Calumet Farm	Cox	Geroux	122
7	West Sunset	West Coast	Gary and Mary West	Cox	Prat	122
8	Thorpedo Anna	Fast Anna	Brookdale Racing, Inc. and Edwards, Mark	McPeek	Hernandez, Jr.	122

Breeders: 1-Rhianon Farms, Inc., 2-LBD Stable, LLC, 3-Grantley Acres, 4-Susan K. King, 5-Godolphin, 6-Calumet Farm, 7-Gary & Mary West Stables, Inc, 8-Judy Hicks

Saturday, Churchill Downs #11, post time: 5:48 p.m. EST**KENTUCKY JOCKEY CLUB S.-GII, \$400,000, 2yo, 1 1/16m**

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Awesome Road 🐾	Quality Road	Albaugh Family Stables LLC & Donegal Racing	Cox	Prat	122
2	Honor Marie 🐾	Honor Code	Ribble Farms LLC	Beckman	Bejarano	122
3	Real Men Violin 🐾	Mendelssohn	Tilted Shamrock Stables	McPeek	Hernandez, Jr.	122
4	Dancing Groom 🐾	Vino Rosso	Alexandres, LLC	Sano	Castellano	122
5	Nomos	Uncle Mo	Wertheimer and Frere	Pletcher	Saez	122
6	Stretch Ride	Street Sense	West Point Thoroughbreds	Romans	Chuan	122
7	Risk It 🐾	Gun Runner	Winchell Thoroughbreds & Three Chimneys Farm	Asmussen	Gaffalione	122
8	One Red Cent	Dominus	Jazdzewski, Patience and Dyster, Mark	Jazdzewski	Corrales	122

Breeders: 1-Claiborne Farm, 2-Royce Pulliam, 3-Newtown Anner Stud, 4-Don Alberto Corporation, 5-Wertheimer et Frere, 6-Jackpot Farm, 7-Gun Runner Syndicate, De Sousa Stables& Cranford Bloodstock LTD, 8-Patience Wanda Jazdzewski



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Sunday, Churchill Downs #11, post time: 5:48 p.m. EST

COMMONWEALTH TURF S.-GIII, \$300,000, 3yo, 1 1/16mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Northern Invader 🐾	Collected	West Point Thoroughbreds and Ingordo, David	DeVaux	Ortiz	120
2	Smokey Mandate	Strong Mandate	Freddy Lewis, Jr.	Maker	Graham	118
3	Anglophile	English Channel	Taylor Creek	Lynch	Cannon	123
4	Worthington	Classic Empire	Watters Edge, LLC	Maker	Leparoux	118
5	Runaway Storm	Midnight Storm	Robert J. Hunt	West	Hernandez	123
6	Ohana Honor 🐾	Honor Code	West Point Thoroughbreds, Woodford Racing, LLC and Hudson, Jr., Edward	McGaughey III	Carmouche	118
7	Irish Aces 🐾	Mshawish	Pocket Aces Racing LLC	Walsh	Gaffalione	118
8	Bal a Kazoo 🐾	Bal a Bali (Brz)	Marion F. Gorham	Gorham	Perez	118
9	Gigante 🐾	Not This Time	Iapetus Racing and Diamond T Racing	Asmussen	Machado	123
10	Winters Lion 🐾	Accelerate	Calumet Farm	Sharp	Loveberry	118
11	Santorini 🐾	Twirling Candy	Storyteller Racing, Russel, Dave and Cattlett, Scott	Brisset	Achard	118
12	Lincoln Highway	Quality Road	G. Watts Humphrey, Jr.	Oliver	Saez	118
13	Clyde's Got a Gun	Gun Runner	100% Racing Stable LLC	Pitts	Mojica	118
14	Wild Sean	Cross Traffic	Elliott Racing, LLC and Morrison, Megan	Elliott	Leahey	118
15	J. P. Race	Race Day	Juan Piedra	Gorostieta	Gomez	118

Breeders: 1-Anderson Farms Ont. Inc. & Peter A.Berglar Racing Interests, LLC., 2-Freddy Lewis, Jr., 3-Upson Downs Farm & Louie W. Wright, 4-Watters Edge, LLC, 5-Robert Joseph Hunt, 6-Daniel J. Burke, 7-Lynch Bages LTD, 8-Calumet Farm, 9-Ann Mudge Backer & Smitten Farm, 10-Center Hills Farm, 11-Mary Abeel Sullivan Revocable Trust, 12-G. Watts Humphrey Jr., 13-100% Racing LLC, 14-Robert H. Zoellner, 15-Mike Crowder

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Monday, Mahoning Valley, post time: 4:20 p.m. EST

STEEL VALLEY SPRINT S., \$300,000, 3yo, 6f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Frosted Departure	Frosted	C and H Diamond Racing, LLC	McPeek	Diaz	117
2	Damon's Mound	Girvin	Love, Michele and Cliff	Lovell	Alvarado	124
3	Meadow Value	Long On Value	Elliott Racing, LLC	Elliott	Anderson	117
4	Ryvit	Competitive Edge	Heiligbrodt, L. William and Corinne	Asmussen	Asmussen	124
5	Agnello's Dream	Always Dreaming	Danielle Agnello	Skerrett	Haldar	117
6	Recruiter	Army Mule	Lynch Racing LLC and Nick Sanna Stables LLC	Lynch	Conner	117
7	Nautical Star	Dixie Chatter	C2 Racing Stable LLC and Stefania Farms, LLC	Joseph, Jr.	Ortiz, Jr.	117
8	Super Chow	Lord Nelson	Lea Farms, LLC	Delgado	Jaramillo	124
9	Halmstad	Nyquist	Knockout Thoroughbreds	Rutledge	Gaffalione	117
10	Uncashed	Uncaptured	Patricia's Hope LLC	Rivelli	Loveberry	124

Breeders: 1-Alastar Thoroughbred Company, LLC, 2-Cliff Love, 3-Just For Fun Stable, Inc., 4-Curt Leake, 5-WinStar Farm, LLC, 6-Beth Bayer, 7-Gedda M. Quinonez, 8-Spendthrift Farm LLC, 9-Godolphin, 10-Nicksar Farms

Monday, Mahoning Valley, post time: 3:50 p.m. EST

CHERYL S. WHITE MEMORIAL S., \$200,000, 3yo, f, 6f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Late Frost	Frosted	Runnymore Racing, LLC	Matz	Barbosa	119
2	White Chocolate	City of Light	Gold Square LLC	Summers	Gaffalione	117
3	Simply Stated	Warrior's Reward	Commonwealth New Era Racing	Beattie	Ortiz, Jr.	117
4	Jersey Pearl	Bee Jersey	Silverton Hill LLC	Miller	Arrieta	119
5	Poetica	Speightstown	C R K Stable LLC	Eurton	Hernandez	117
6	Condensation	Frosted	Pravin A. Patel	Hartman	Bejarano	121
7	B G Warrior	Run Away and Hide	Keith Grass	Andrade	Haldar	124
8	Zapple	Ghostzapper	KatieRich Stables LLC	Leitch	Batista	117

Breeders: 1-Gregory and Caroline Bentley Breeders, 2-Chesapeake Equine & Manganaro Bloodstock, 3-WMT Stables, Inc., 4-Charles Fipke, 5-Burleson Farms, Sequel Thoroughbreds & Louis Trudel, 6-William Humphries & Altair Farms LLC, 7-Lou Dunn Diekemper Trust, 8-KatieRich Farms

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PIN A 'TDN RISING STAR' ON LESLIE'S ROSE AFTER STRONG MAIDEN WIN *by J.N. Campbell*



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In the Aqueduct Sunday opener, **Leslie's Rose** (Into Mischief) took to the track in what amounted to a professional debut as she won impressively against a field of five others. The sharp start to her career garnered her **'TDN Rising Star'** honors for the effort.

Overlooked a touch at the windows as the 9-2 third choice, the Keeneland September grad exited the gate swiftly to set the pace up the backstretch. Despite a brief challenge around the far turn by chasers **Value Area** (More Than Ready) and heavy favorite **Shoplifting** (Into Mischief), when it was time for Irad Ortiz to push the button at the top of the lane, the bay filly responded readily. The Todd Pletcher trainee ran up the score in the end by 9 1/4 lengths.

Whisper Hill Farm purchased Leslie's Rose (hip 117) for \$1.15 million at the 2022 Keeneland September Yearling Sale. The newly-minted **'Rising Star'** is out of Wildwood Rose (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}), who is dam to three foals, two of which have raced and this is her first winner. Wildwood Rose's youngest offspring is a yearling filly by **Good Magic**.

The winner's dam is a half-sister to **'TDN Rising Star'** and GI Besilu Stables Florida Derby champ Materiality (Afleet Alex) and to GI Kentucky Oaks runner-up My Miss Sophia (Unbridled's Song), dam to full sibs **'TDN Rising Star'** Annapolis (**War Front**) and MSP Nevisian Sunrise. Leslie's Rose is multiple-leading sire Into Mischief's 42nd **'TDN Rising Star'**.

Note: In the Sunday edition of Insights, Leslie's Rose's half-sister Bo Derek's last race was misattributed. The filly's last race was January 2023, not in October as previously stated.

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1st-Aqueduct, \$85,000, Msw, 11-19, 2yo, f, 6 1/2f, 1:16.73, ft, 9 1/4 lengths.

LESLIE'S ROSE, f, 2, by Into Mischief

1st Dam: Wildwood Rose {Ire}, by Galileo {Ire}

2nd Dam: Wildwood Flower, by Langfuhr

3rd Dam: Dial a Trick, by Phone Trick

Sales History: \$1,150,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$46,750. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV. Click for the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.**

O-Whisper Hill Farm, LLC; B-John D. Gunther & Eurowest Bloodstock Services (KY); T-Todd A. Pletcher.

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MITOLE'S CARBONE DEBUTS TO 'RISING STARDOM' AT CHURCHILL *by Stefanie Grimm*

A first-time starter for Steve Asmussen, **Carbone** (Mitole) put in a professional debut effort to earn a **'TDN Rising Star'** tag Sunday under the Twinspires.

Facing a mixed field of runners, including a pair of rivals exiting a key race from Keeneland in October, the William and Corinne Heiligbrodt homebred caught a flyer from his outside gate and quickly got the jump on his rivals, opening up a length on **Goldbrick** (Goldencents). Paced through fractions of :22.13 and :45.77, Carbone turned back Goldbrick around the far turn and drew off nicely under Ricardo Santana Jr. to defeat this field handily by eight lengths in a final time of 1:09.84 at odds of 5/2.

Carbone is owned, trained and ridden by each of the same connections as his freshman sire (by Eskendereya) who now picks up a third **'TDN Rising Star'** and 25th winner from his first crop. Treasure In Heaven saw her yearling **Instagrاند** colt bring \$250,000 from OXO Equine as a weanling at last year's FTKNOV sale and she foaled a Yaupon filly this spring before returning to Yaupon for 2024.

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7th-Churchill Downs, \$120,945, Msw, 11-19, 2yo, 6f, 1:09.84, ft, 8 lengths.

CARBONE, c, 2, Mitole

1st Dam: Treasure in Heaven, by **Street Sense**

2nd Dam: Richwoman, by **Successful Appeal**

3rd Dam: Richbabe, by **Richman**

Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$69,000. [Click for the Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV](#). [Click for the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.](#)

O/B-William Heiligbrodt & Corinne Heiligbrodt (KY); T-Steven M. Asmussen.

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IN ORDER OF PURSE:

FOREVER TOGETHER S., \$135,000, Aqueduct, 11-19, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:41.27, fm.

1--**CHILI FLAG (FR), 121, f, 4, Cityscape (GB)--Flag Day (GB), by Pivotal (GB).** (€5,000 RNA Wlg '19 ARQDE; €140,000 3yo '22 ARARC). **1ST BLACK TYPE WIN.** O-Madaket Stables LLC,

Michael Dubb and Michael E. Kisber; B-Finanza Locale Consulting Srl (FR); T-Chad C. Brown; J-Irad Ortiz, Jr. \$74,250. Lifetime Record: SP-Fr, 15-4-6-1, \$253,107.

 Purchased by **Mandore Agency's Nicolas de Watrigant** 
2--**Tass, 121, m, 7, Temple City--Masasi, by More Than Ready.** (\$100,000 Ylg '17 FTSAUG). **1ST BLACK TYPE.** O-Flying P Stable; B-Spendthrift Farm LLC (KY); T-Jorge R. Abreu. \$27,000.

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3--**Uncorked (Aus)**, 121, f, 4, Pierro (Aus)--Piaf (Nz), by Iffraaj (GB). (130,000 Ylg '21 MMGYRL). **1ST BLACK TYPE**. O-The Elkstone Group, LLC (Stuart Grant); B-Mr. A Galbraith (AUS); T-Brittany T. Russell. \$16,200.

Donna Freyer's CUSTOM CARE EQUINE LLC

Margins: 1, NO, HD. Odds: 4.30, 23.30, 27.00.

Also Ran: Willakia, Regal Realm, Cigamia, Faith in Humanity (Fr), Malavath (Ire). Scratched: Hot Fudge, Movie Moxy.

Chili Flag debuted in her native France as a 2-year-old and picked up a stakes placing in her third start. Kept in Europe as a 3-year-old, she added another win last May before shipping across the pond to join Chad Brown's barn earlier this year. Never off the board since making her North American debut at Gulfstream Feb. 25, the 4-year-old posted a win at Belmont July 9 and was just narrowly defeated in each of her two starts since. 4-1 for her American stakes debut, she was quickly guided to the rail from an outer gate to race third just off early leader Faith in Humanity (Fr) (Lope de Vega {Ire}). Despite drifting out around the turn, Chili Flag came with a strong rally outside of the leaders, stuck a head in front a sixteenth from home and prevailed while driven out.

"Beautiful," said winning rider Irad Ortiz, Jr. of his mount's turn of foot. "She gets there without hitting her one time, and when I hit her, she responded and kept responding."

A 26th stakes winner for Cityscape (GB), Chili Flag was picked up out of last year's Arqana Saint-Cloud Sale and is out of a daughter of European champion 2-year-old filly Blue Duster (Danzig). Her dam's half-sister, Blue Symphony (GB), is responsible for MGSW/MGISP Fantasia (GB) (Sadler's Wells) along with GSW Pink Symphony (GB) (Monjeu {Ire}). Flag Day (GB) last produced a yearling filly by Olympic Glory (Ire). **Click for the [Equibase.com](#) chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**



Chili Flag and Irad Ortiz, Jr. | Susie Raisher



Spirit Prince | Chelsea Durand

CENTRAL PARK S., \$120,000, Aqueduct, 11-19, 2yo, 1mT, 1:37.69, fm.

1--**SPIRIT PRINCE, 118, c, 2, by Cairo Prince**

1st Dam: Dottie's Spirit, by Curlin

2nd Dam: Brush of Fortune, by Broad Brush

3rd Dam: A Chance of Storm, by Storm Cat

(\$110,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP). **1ST BLACK TYPE WIN**. O-Oakwood Stables (Daniel J. Burke), Scott Krase, Donarra Thoroughbreds, Kenneth G. Beitz and Gail P. Beitz; B-Ben and Rebekah Henley & Jim Gray (KY); T-Christophe Clement; J-Joel Rosario. \$66,000. Lifetime Record: MGSP, 5-1-2-2, \$153,000.

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2--**Walley World, 120, c, 2, More Than Ready--Forced Family Fun, by Uncle Mo.** (\$150,000 RNA Ylg '22 FTKFEB; \$220,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP). **1ST BLACK TYPE**. O-Robert V. LaPenta, e Five Racing Thoroughbreds and Madaket Stables; B-Fred Hertrich III & Robert L. Tribbett (KY); T-Chad C. Brown. \$24,000.

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3--**Typhoon Fury, 120, g, 2, Mitole--Tiz Rae Anna, by Tiz Wonderful.** (\$55,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP). **1ST BLACK TYPE**. O-Repole Stable and R. A. Hill Stable; B-Nursery Place, Donaldson, Broadbent (KY); T-George Weaver. \$14,400.

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Margins: 1HF, HD, 3/4. Odds: 2.80, 3.60, 10.00.

Also Ran: Frontline Warrior, Sanderson, Wine Collector, Buffoon (Fr), Quokka, Ruddy Buddy, Blue Creek, Uncle Truly, Day Away. Scratched: Pandagate, Works for Me.

Spirit Prince finally got his picture taken Sunday at Aqueduct after four in-the-money attempts which included running third in both the GIII With Anticipation S. at Saratoga and in the GII Pilgrim S. during the Belmont at the Big A meet.

Last seen getting caught late in the Awad S. in Ozone Park Oct. 28, the gray colt was rewarded as the 5-2 choice here. Quick from the gate, Spirit Prince hustled to be a part of the pace, was taken back into third around the first turn and was forced to check heading into the backstretch. The Christophe Clement trainee took aim at a pair of longshot leaders, waited to pounce around the far turn and drove home a winner.

"I found him as a yearling and he was reasonably priced," said Clement. "He's been very consistent. Just the fact that he's been able to run five times--for a 2-year-old on the grass, that's an achievement in New York. So, it's fun!"

The winner has a yearling half-sister by **Complexity** who was purchased for \$250,000 at this year's Keeneland September Sale by Mike Ryan. Her dam produced another **Complexity** colt this year and visited **Girvin** for next year. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**



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6th-Woodbine, C\$88,950, Alw (C)/Opt. Clm (\$36,449), 11-19, 3yo/up, 1 1/8m (AWT), 1:51.07, ft, 1 1/2 lengths.

LOOSE WIRE (c, 3, Street Sense--Dance With Doves, by A.P. Indy) won going nine furlongs by 6 1/4 lengths in his Oct. 29 Woodbine maiden run. Well-backed as the 7-5 choice here, the bay colt got the jump from the rail on a longshot and led into the first turn. The favorite made it look easy up the backstretch but was challenged by Hall of Dreams (Lemon Drop Kid) at the top of the lane. The Kevin Attard trainee responded and cleared this condition by 1 1/2 lengths. The winner is a half-brother to Dance Again (Awesome Again), SW-Can, GSP-USA, \$270,604 and Swoop and Strike (Smart Strike), GSP, \$128,673. His dam is responsible for a yearling colt by **Lookin At Lucky** and foaled a filly by **Nyquist** this year before being bred to **Maclean's Music** for 2024. Second dam Dancethruthedawn (Mr. Prospector) was named Canadian Champion 3-year-old and, like her full-sister Scatter the Gold, won the Queen's Plate. Sales History: \$925,000 Ylg '21 FTKOCT. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$76,814. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.** O-Repole Stable and St. Elias Stables; B-Sam-Son Farm (ON); T-Kevin Attard.

4th-Gulfstream, \$47,100, Alw (C)/Opt. Clm (\$62,500), 11-19, 3yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:16.62, ft, 2 3/4 lengths.

HURRICANE J (c, 3, Nyquist--Pantanal, by Congrats) won his first two starts as a juvenile but faded from the early pace to finish seventh behind champion 2-year-old Forte (**Violence**) in last year's GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile. Unplaced in two starts earlier this spring, Sunday's 5-2 shot transferred from Paulo Lobo to Jorge Delgado ahead of his Gulfstream debut. Sent to the lead, Hurricane J always held a safe advantage over this field, cruised through a half in :44.78 and was ridden out to win by 2 3/4 lengths over Real Talk (Gemologist). **Cont.**

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8th-Churchill Downs, \$126,770, Alw, 11-19, (NW1X), 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f (off turf), 1:03.72, ft, 6 1/4 lengths.

HAPPY AM I (f, 3, Runhappy--Cat Dance, by Forest Wildcat) traversed the slop Oct. 5 at Horseshoe Indy to break her maiden in what was her fifth attempt. Returning to the TwinSpires, the bay filly was sent on her way as a 5-1 shot and gained the advantage along the rail up the backstretch over Devine Charger (Will Take Charge). Full of run at the quarter pole, the Dallas Stewart trainee kicked for home and never looked back, winning by 6 1/4 lengths. Out of an extended female family which includes GI Kentucky Oaks heroine Silverbulletday (Silver Deputy) and GI Malibu S. victor Shakin It Up (**Midnight Lute**), the winner's dam foaled a colt this year by **Knicks Go** and was bred to **Volatile** for next year. Sales History: \$50,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP; \$290,000 2yo '22 OBSAPR. Lifetime Record: 6-2-0-0, \$101,065. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

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 B-Patterson Bloodstock & Patterson and Company (KY); T-Dallas Stewart.

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Pantanal, responsible for both Union Maiden (**Union Rags**), SP, \$195,134 and Borracho (**Uncle Mo**), GISP, \$558,061, last foaled a yearling colt by Authentic. Sales History: \$330,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 6-3-0-0, \$155,847. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

O-Amo Racing; B-Haymarket Farm LLC (KY); T-Jorge Delgado.

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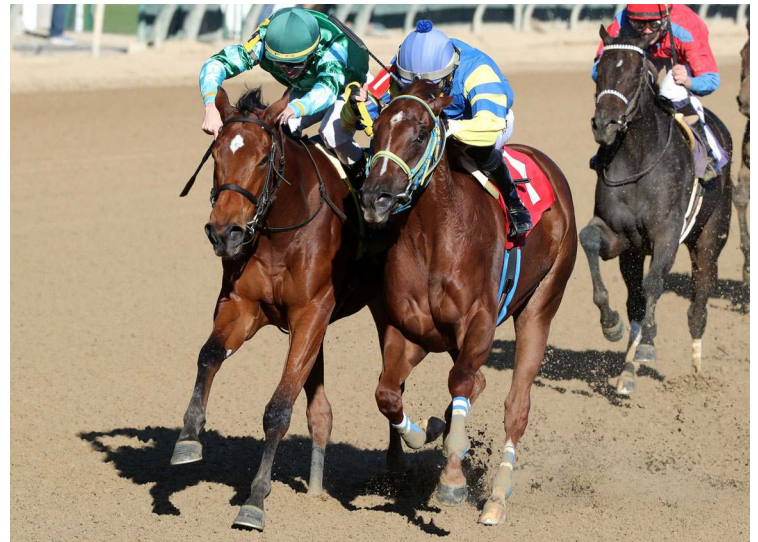
1st-Churchill Downs, \$114,600, Msw, 11-19, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8m, 1:51.41, ft, 1 1/4 lengths.

ENCLOSURE (f, 3, Arrogate--Cognitive, by Uncle Mo) spent her first three starts on the west coast with trainer Bob Baffert and, despite hitting the board twice, failed to break her maiden. Last spotted at Del Mar Aug. 31, she shipped east to join Bill Mott's barn as the 5-2 second choice Sunday. Last from the gate, the homebred checked back off of heels in a tightly-bunched group to trail while racing wide up the backstretch and into the far turn. Under a sustained drive, she drew in pacesetter Vanished (**Speightstown**) and was able to clear past a sixteenth from home to win by 1 1/4 lengths. From the family of MGISW Dream Rush, the dam of both GISW Dreaming of Julie (A.P. Indy) and MGSW Dream Pauline (**Tapit**), Enclosure has an unraced 2-year-old half-sister by Into Mischief, a yearling **Not This Time** half-sister and a weanling half-sister also by Into Mischief. Cognitive was bred to **Constitution** for 2024. Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-1, \$93,940. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

O/B-Juddmonte Farms Inc (KY); T-William I. Mott.



Enclosure | Coady



Pounce (outside) | Coady

5th-Churchill Downs, \$93,080, Msw, 11-19, 2yo, f, 6f, 1:11.43, ft, nose.

POUNCE (f, 2, Lookin At Lucky--Bouncy, by Twirling Candy) stayed up on the pace outside of Princess Is Olivia (**Preservationist**) in this auction-restricted event and dueled that rival into the lane, gaining and losing the upper hand through contact at the sixteenth pole and only forging an advantage right on the wire by the slimmest of margins at odds of 5-1. A claim of foul by the trainer of the runner up for the stretch run was disallowed by the stewards. Pounce is her dam's only offspring on record though she visited **Hard Spun** for next season. Sales History: \$22,000 RNA Ylg '22 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$52,320. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

O-Quintessential Racing Florida LLC and Hat Creek Racing; B-Bell, Rankin, VanMeter & Hancock (KY); T-Mark E. Casse.

9th-Woodbine, C\$87,166, Msw, 11-19, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m (AWT), 1:45.15, ft, head.

WICKED DJANGO (c, 3, Wicked Strong--Belcarres, by Flatter) was second at third asking July 30 in Toronto after switching from the turf to the Tapeta. A 17-1 longshot here, the bay colt was under a firm hold passing the grandstand and into the first turn raced between horses towards the rear of the field. Continuing to be on hold up the backstretch, Wicked Django was let loose to the outside at the top of the lane and outlasted by a head a late-running Junipero Serra (Noble Mission {GB}). The winner's dam last produced a yearling filly by Reload. Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-1, \$59,273. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

O-Ryan Brewster; B-Denny Andrews & Niall Brennan (ON); T-Krista Cole-Simpson.

3rd-Woodbine, C\$81,980, Msw, 11-19, 2yo, 7f (AWT), 1:24.59, ft, 2 1/2 lengths.

ROSCAR (c, 2, Oscar Performance--Rosemere {SP, \$115,639}, by Court Vision) was well-beaten for his unveiling at Woodbine Oct. 29 before being installed as a 7-1 chance here. The bay colt trailed early and continued to chase the pace from fifth around the far turn. Tipping to the outside past the eighth pole, the homebred revved his engine and graduated by 2 1/2 lengths over Pet Sounds (**Audible**). First to the races, his dam foaled a filly by **Mendelssohn** Feb. 9. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$38,763.

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O/B-Chiefswood Stables Limited (ON); T-Rachel Halden.



2nd-Aqueduct, \$70,000, (S), Msw, 11-19, 3yo/up, f/m, 7f, 1:24.89, ft, 4 3/4 lengths.

SCORING CHANCE (f, 3, Good Magic--Comme Chez Soi, by Empire Maker) split the field in pursuit of Eastern Star (Honorable Dillon) up the backstretch but needed racing room while glued to the rail around the far turn. Angled out, she came full of run between rivals into the final furlong and sprinted home as much the best to graduate first-time out by 4 3/4 lengths. Scoring Chance has a 2-year-old Omaha Beach half-brother and a yearling half-brother by **Violence**. Her dam visited **Audible** for 2024. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$38,500. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

O/B-Old Tavern Farm LLC (NY); T-Jorge R. Abreu.

4th-Aqueduct, \$70,000, (S), Msw, 11-19, 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:42.44, fm, 2 1/4 lengths.

SLAPINTHEFACE (g, 3, Oscar Performance--Lost Innocence, by Lookin At Lucky) was the runner-up in his second and third career starts earlier this year at Belmont and Saratoga before running third in Ozone Park Oct. 27. A 7-2 shot here, the chestnut gelding settled mid-pack along the rail into the first turn and worked his way into third up the backstretch. The homebred tipped to the outside at the quarter pole and ran down KY Thirty Won (**Speightstown**) to get the money by 2 1/4 lengths. A half-sister to GIII Florida Oaks victress Quality Rocks (Rock Hard Ten), who herself produced **Curlin's** Girl (**Curlin**), this is Lost Innocence's first winner. She foaled a filly Apr. 11 by **Mendelssohn** and was bred to **Corniche** for 2024. Lifetime Record: 5-1-2-1, \$80,400. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

O/B-Niall Brennan Stables (NY); T-Anthony W. Dutrow.



6th-Aqueduct, \$70,000, (S), Msw, 11-19, 2yo, f, 6 1/2f, 1:18.33, ft, 8 1/4 lengths.

P MUTTER PICKLE (f, 2, Vino Rosso--Lost Raven {GSW, \$359,050}, by Uncle Mo) made her debut as the 3-1 second choice here. The chestnut filly was quickest up the backstretch, continued to control the fractions around the far turn and at the quarter pole ran for fun to win by 8 1/4 lengths over Mel's Baby Sister (Cross Traffic). The winner, the 21st for Vino Rosso (by **Curlin**), has a yearling full-sister, who was purchased for \$37,000 at the Fasig-Tipton October Yearling Sale by SJB Stable Trust. A half-sister to MGSW Lewis Bay (Bernardini), Lost Raven just went for \$30,000 to Collinsworth Thoroughbred Racing at the Keeneland November Sale while in-foal to **Idol**. Sales History: \$125,000 Ylg '22 SARAUG. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$38,500.

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O-The Elkstone Group, LLC (Stuart Grant); B-Repole Stable, Inc. (NY); T-Philip Antonacci.



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INSIGHT Outcomes

5th-Del Mar, \$63,500, Msw, 11-19, 2yo, f, 5fT, :57.37, fm, 3/4 length.

FEISTY MITOLE (f, 2, Mitole--Fiercely, by Hard Spun) tried twice to break her maiden over the dirt this past summer at Del Mar before switching to grass there Sept. 8 when she finished sixth. A well-beaten eighth after a tough start at Santa Anita Oct. 14, the bay landed back at the seaside oval as a 9-1 shot here. Firing cleanly at the bell, the Peter Miller trainee tracked a couple of longshots and favorite Ashley (Into Mischief) up the backstretch

and tipped to the outside at the quarter pole. With a clear path to the wire, the filly rolled home a winner by 3/4 length over Alluring (*Ghostzapper*). The winner's dam produced a yearling filly by *Tom's d'Etat* and was bred to *Complexity* for next year. Feisty Mitole is the 26th winner for her first-crop sire (by Eskendereya). Sales History: \$40,000 Ylg '22 FTKJUL; \$160,000 2yo '23 OBSAPR. Lifetime Record: 5-1-0-0, \$43,020. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

O-Gary Barber and Richard C. Pell; B-Brandywine Farm (Jim & Pam Robinson) (KY); T-Peter Miller.



INSIGHT *Outcomes*

4th-Del Mar, \$61,000, Msw, 11-19, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:09.09, ft, 2 1/4 lengths.

MATANZAS CREEK (c, 3, Empire Maker--Cuvee Uncorked {SW & MGSP, \$149,200}, by Cuvee), fifth at a short price in his Santa Anita debut at 6 1/2 furlongs Oct. 22, took less money Sunday at 6-1 but bounced right to the front and showed the way in hand through a :45.69 opening half. Favored Judge Miller (*Curlin*) ran on late but was never within striking distance as Matanzas Creek won by 2 1/4 lengths. Cuvee Uncorked has not produced a foal since the winner but was bred to Greatest Honour for 2024. Sales History: \$75,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$37,820. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

O-SF Racing, Starlight Racing, Madaket Stable, Robert Masterson, Stonestreet Stables, Jay Schoenfarber, Waves Edge Capital and Catherine Donovan; B-Betz/Burns/Kidder/Cole/DJ Stables/CoCo/Empire Maker Syndicate (KY); T-Tim Yakteen.

3rd-Gulfstream, \$48,000, Msw, 11-19, 2yo, f, 6f, 1:10.61, ft, 7 lengths.

FIONA'S MAGIC (f, 2, St Patrick's Day--Mollie's Magic, by Factum), second in her five-furlong debut July 1, carried a weight break into her second start while picking up the added furlong. Sharp from the jump, the 3-2 favorite set a contested pace outside of Derby Hangover (*Violence*) through a half in :45.28 before confidently turning that rival away and opening up at will to win by seven lengths on the wire. The sixth winner for her freshman sire (by Pioneerof the Nile), Fiona's Magic is a half to Cajun's Magic (Cajun Breeze), SW, \$311,425. Mollie's Magic has a Khozan yearling colt and reported a full-brother to Cajun's Magic this year before returning to Cajun Breeze. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$43,800. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

O/B-Stonehedge LLC (FL); T-Michael Yates.

7th-Gulfstream, \$43,700, Msw, 11-19, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10.92, ft, 3 1/2 lengths.

FLYING LIAM (g, 3, Liam's Map--Fly Me to Dubai, by Into Mischief) hit the board at Monmouth in his second start but struggled over a muddy track at Belmont's Aqueduct meet last out Oct. 15. The 9-2 shot led the way Sunday and never let the field reel him in, going gate to wire graduate by 3 1/2 lengths over Betta Go Go Go (*Kantharos*). Fly Me to Dubai has a 2-year-old *Army Mule* filly and a yearling full-brother to Flying Liam. Sales History: \$75,000 Wlg '20 KEENOV; \$200,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-0, \$39,250. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

O-St. Elias Stable, A R M Racing LLC, Hudson Stable, LLC and Larry O'Rourke; B-Catherine Hudson, Aaron Mulholland & Kildare Stud (KY); T-Anthony R. Margotta, Jr.

WOODS EDGE FARM GRADUATE

5th-Gulfstream, \$40,000, Msw, 11-19, 2yo, f, 1m 70y (AWT), 1:42.20, ft, neck.

YOUKNOWNOTHING (f, 2, Candy Ride {Arg}--Ygritte, by Tapit) debuted as a 8-1 shot here. The \$600,000 Fasig-Tipton Yearling Sale grad trailed the field early, made up a few spots along the backstretch, but really made some key moves by weaving through traffic around the far turn. Diving from the extreme outside to the three path at the top of the lane, the Christophe Clement trainee rolled past a pair of tiring leaders with a furlong left and won by a neck over fellow first timer Tape Runner (*Audible*). Ygritte, who was purchased for \$300,000 at the '20 Keeneland November Sale by Determined Stud with the winner in-utero, is also responsible for a yearling filly by *Quality Road*. She foaled a filly Mar. 31 by *McKinzie* and visited *Medaglia d'Oro* for 2024. Sales History: \$600,000 Ylg '22 FTSAUG. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$24,000. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

O-Robert S. Evans; B-2500 Determined Stud (MD); T-Christophe Clement.

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Ensued, g, 3, **Lemon Drop Kid**--Alluvial Gold (Ire), by Danehill Dancer (Ire). Sha Tin, 11-19, Hcp. (C3), 2000mT, 2:00.93. B-T/C Stable LLC (KY). *1/2 to Colosseo (Street Boss), G1SP-Fr, \$242,225. **\$120,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP; €260,000 2yo '22 ARQMAY. **VIDEO**

**FIRST-CROP STARTERS TO WATCH: MONDAY, NOVEMBER 20**

2023 Stud Fees Listed

Disco Partner (Disco Rico), Rockridge Stud, \$4,000
18 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners
7-Finger Lakes, 3:03 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Miami Twofer, 7-2

Enticed (Medaglia d'Oro), Darley, \$5,000
104 foals of racing age/18 winners/1 black-type winner
8-Remington, 6:46 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, I Conduit, 7-2
\$42,000 RNA FTK OCT yrl

Maximus Mischief (Into Mischief), Spendthrift Farm, \$7,500
136 foals of racing age/29 winners/2 black-type winners
4-Finger Lakes, 1:39 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Mischief Exposed, 4-1
\$29,000 SAR AUG yrl; \$70,000 RNA OBS APR 2yo

Solomini (Curlin), McMahan of Saratoga Thoroughbreds, \$6,500
78 foals of racing age/9 winners/1 black-type winner
7-Finger Lakes, 3:03 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Dorth's Sol Dancer, 3-1
\$40,000 OBS APR 2yo

Vino Rosso (Curlin), Spendthrift Farm, \$15,000
180 foals of racing age/21 winners/2 black-type winners
4-Finger Lakes, 1:39 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, On Cloud Wine, 8-1
\$50,000 KEE NOV wnl; \$11,000 OBS OPN 2yo

World of Trouble (Kantharos), Hill 'n' Dale at Xalapa, \$5,000
89 foals of racing age/14 winners/0 black-type winners
7-Finger Lakes, 3:03 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Playing With Dolls, 6-1

SECOND-CROP STARTERS TO WATCH: MONDAY, NOV. 20

2023 Stud Fees Listed

Always Dreaming (Bodemeister), WinStar Farm, \$10,000
214 foals of racing age/51 winners/2 black-type winners
10-Mahoning Valley, 4:20 p.m. EDT, \$300K Steel Valley Sprint S.,
6f, Agnello's Dream, 30-1 \$35,000 KEE SEP yrl

Army Mule (Friesan Fire), Hill 'n' Dale at Xalapa, \$12,500
143 foals of racing age/66 winners/9 black-type winners
10-Mahoning Valley, 4:20 p.m. EDT, \$300K Steel Valley Sprint S.,
6f, Recruiter, 10-1
\$60,000 OBS WIN wnl; \$102,000 RNA FTK JUL yrl; \$125,000 OBS
OPN 2yo

Bee Jersey (Jersey Town), Darby Dan Farm, \$5,000
87 foals of racing age/20 winners/3 black-type winners
9-Mahoning Valley, 3:50 p.m. EDT, \$200K Cheryl S. White
Memorial S., 6f, Jersey Pearl, 3-1 \$12,000 KEE SEP yrl

City of Light (Quality Road), Lane's End Farm, \$60,000
209 foals of racing age/52 winners/7 black-type winners
8-Remington, 6:46 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, I Am On the List, 4-1
\$20,000 FTK OCT yrl; \$30,000 TTA APR 2yo
9-Mahoning Valley, 3:50 p.m. EDT, \$200K Cheryl S. White
Memorial S., 6f, White Chocolate, 8-1
\$170,000 KEE JAN wnl; \$345,000 RNA OBS MAR 2yo

Destin (Giant's Causeway), Sequel New York
77 foals of racing age/16 winners/0 black-type winners
4-Finger Lakes, 1:39 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Joe West, 8-1

Girvin (Tale of Ekati), Airdrie Stud, \$20,000
182 foals of racing age/60 winners/8 black-type winners
10-Mahoning Valley, 4:20 p.m. EDT, \$300K Steel Valley Sprint S.,
6f, Damon's Mound, 5-2

Long On Value (Value Plus), Pleasant Acres Stallions, \$2,500
30 foals of racing age/8 winners/0 black-type winners
10-Mahoning Valley, 4:20 p.m. EDT, \$300K Steel Valley Sprint S.,
6f, Meadow Value, 30-1

Mor Spirit (Eskendereya), Spendthrift Farm, \$5,000
190 foals of racing age/50 winners/1 black-type winner
4-Finger Lakes, 1:39 pm Msw 6f, Mor Valor, \$4,000 OBS OPN 2yo

National Flag (Speightstown), Blazing Meadows Farm, \$1,500
38 foals of racing age/24 winners/0 black-type winners
7-Mahoning Valley, 2:50 p.m. EDT, \$75K Cardinal S., 6f,
Excitement, 5-1

Rivers Run Deep (Ready's Image), Poplar Creek Horse Center, \$2,000
 19 foals of racing age/4 winners/0 black-type winners
 6-Mahoning Valley, 2:20 p.m. EDT, \$75K First Lady S., 6f, In Troubled Waters, 20-1



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STAKES RESULTS:

RANDY FUNKHOUSER MEMORIAL S., \$76,250, Charles Town, 11-18, (S), 3yo/up, 1 1/8m, 1:52.83, ft.
 1--**NO CHANGE, 123, g, 5, Fiber Sonde--Looks Like Trouble, by Indian Charlie.** O/T-Cynthia E. McKee; B-John McKee (WV); J-Marshall Mendez. \$45,750. Lifetime Record: 34-15-7-4, \$487,325.
 2--**Social Chic, 123, g, 5, Upstart--Tres Chic, by Harlan's Holiday.** (\$47,000 RNA Wlg '18 EASDEC). O-Smart Angle LLP; B-James Franklin Miller (WV); T-Jeff C. Runco. \$15,250.
 3--**Muad'dib, 123, g, 6, Fiber Sonde--Holy Pow Wow, by Indian Charlie.** O-David M. Raim; B-John McKee (WV); T-Jeff C. Runco. \$8,388.
 Margins: 3/4, 1 3/4, 1 1/4. Odds: 2.40, 6.00, 0.80.

OAKLAND S., \$62,950, Golden Gate Fields, 11-18, 3yo/up, 6f (AWT), 1:09.02, ft.
 1--**STAR RACER, 124, g, 6, Vronsky--Honey Bee Lucky, by Bold Badgett.** (\$10,000 Ylg '18 NCAAUG). **1ST BLACK TYPE WIN.** O-Blue Moon Racing Ltd. and Steven Dietrich; B-Old English Rancho & Bruce Headley (CA); T-Angelo Tekos, Jr.; J-Assael Espinoza. \$39,500. Lifetime Record: 21-6-3-4, \$237,678.
 2--**Rager, 124, g, 6, Into Mischief--Distorted Champ, by Distorted Humor.** (\$95,000 RNA 2yo '19 OBSAPR; \$87,000 2yo '19 OBSOPN). O-Jethorse LLC; B-Eduardo Vargas (KY); T-Tim McCanna. \$10,000.

3--**Top Harbor, 124, h, 5, Harbor the Gold--Reba Is Tops, by He's Tops.** O/B-Eric Schweiger, Gordy Jarnig & Kenny Marshall (CA); T-Tim McCanna. \$7,800.
 Margins: 1HF, 3/4, NO. Odds: 3.30, 3.70, 1.10.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

8th-Woodbine, C\$106,164, (C)/Opt. Clm (\$34,627-\$36,449), 11-19, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m (AWT), 1:43.50, ft, neck.
CRUDEN BAY (g, 5, Big Screen--Executive Affair, by Bold Executive) Lifetime Record: 19-5-9-1, \$285,931. O-Michael Lay; B-Spring Farm (ON); T-Donald C. MacRae. *C\$45,000 Ylg '19 CANSEP. **Full to Sav, SW & GSP, \$311,355; 1/2 to Cooler Mike (Giant Gizmo), MSW & MGSP, \$484,280.

3rd-Aqueduct, \$87,300, 11-19, (NW1\$X), 3yo/up, 1m, 1:35.44, ft, 3 1/2 lengths.

AGGREGATION (g, 4, Flatter--Emotional Words, by Curlin) Lifetime Record: SP, 8-4-0-1, \$206,250. O-Klaravich Stables, Inc.; B-Graceville Breeding (NY); T-Chad C. Brown. *\$270,000 Ylg '20 KEESEP.

THINK INDIAN CREEK

10th-Woodbine, C\$82,402, (NW1\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$21,865-\$23,322), 11-18, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m (AWT), 1:44.93, ft, 1/2 length.

FISH MOONEY (f, 4, Lookin At Lucky--Gotham City Girl, by Freud) Lifetime Record: SP, 20-5-4-4, \$203,750. O-Quintessential Racing Florida; B-Red Oak Stable (FL); T-Mark Casse. *\$11,000 Ylg '20 OBSOCT. **1/2 to Stand and Salute (Saint Anddan), SW, \$295,574 and It Can Be Done (Temple City), SW & MGSP, \$297,045.

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9th-Aqueduct, \$75,000, (S), 11-19, (NW1\$X), 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:43.67, fm, 1/2 length.

SPOOKY LADY (f, 4, Ghostzapper--Lady of the Nile {MSP}, by Pioneer of the Nile) Lifetime Record: 14-2-1-4, \$139,603. O-Werner J Stable; B-Pine Ridge Stables LTD (NY); T-Rudy R. Rodriguez. *\$400,000 Ylg '20 KEESEP.

8th-Laurel, \$57,630, 11-19, (NW1X), 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:41.75, fm, 1 1/2 lengths.

TRACY FLICK (m, 5, War Front--Stay the Night {GSP-Fr }, by Arch) Lifetime Record: 7-2-1-1, \$87,195. O/B-Joseph Allen, LLC (KY); T-Claude R. McGaughey III.



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9th-Gulfstream, \$45,000, (C)/Opt. Clm (\$62,500), 11-19, 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f (AWT), 1:04.02, ft, 1/2 length.

GLITTER UP (f, 4, **Connect--Got a Glow, by Dehere)** Lifetime Record: 16-3-4-3, \$219,050. O/B-Seagull Capital, LLC (KY); T-Timothy A. Hills. *1/2 to Sand Dancer (Eskendereya), SW & GSP, \$334,711 and Griff (Rockport Harbor), SW, \$279,085.

7th-Golden Gate Fields, \$41,092, 11-18, (NW1\$X), 3yo/up, 1 1/16m (AWT), 1:43.47, ft, 1 length.

AUSPICIOUS STYLE (g, 5, **Vronsky--She's Got Style, by Unusual Heat)** Lifetime Record: 21-9-1-0, \$135,298. O-Melvin Simonovich; B-Old English Rancho (CA); T-Jack Steiner.

8th-Remington, \$35,000, 11-18, (NW1X), 3yo/up, 1m, 1:40.31, ft, 2 lengths.

MOTOWN MUSIC (g, 6, **Quality Road--Queen's Wood, by Tiznow)** Lifetime Record: 16-5-2-2, \$154,114. O-Rick Wiest, Clayton Wiest and Norman Tremblay; B-Haymarket Farm LLC (KY); T-Robertino Diodoro. *\$250,000 Ylg '18 KEESEP. **1/2 to True Timber (**Mineshaft**), GISW, \$1,215,150.

4th-Charles Town, \$28,400, (S), 11-18, (NW3L), 3yo/up, 7f, 1:25.78, ft, 1 1/2 lengths.

I'LLTAKECAREOFIT (g, 3, **Juba--Windsor's Punch, by Windsor Castle)** Lifetime Record: 10-3-2-2, \$70,223. O-KP Racing Stables, LLC; B/T-Kristy Lynn Petty (WV). *1/2 to The Better One (Charitable Man), SP, \$184,880.

5th-Charles Town, \$28,400, (S), 11-18, (NW1X), 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:47.83, ft, 1 3/4 lengths.

REY O REYES (g, 5, **Gandhi--Sterlings America, by Silver Train)** Lifetime Record: 35-6-8-1, \$103,126. O-Nicole Brown and Ronney Brown; B-Sterling Farm WV LLC (WV); T-Ronney Brown.

6th-Charles Town, \$27,400, 11-18, (NW1X), 3yo/up, 7f, 1:26.87, ft, 4 lengths.

ZEN MASTER (g, 4, **Mastery--Bendable (GSW, \$256,845), by Horse Greeley)** Lifetime Record: 19-4-0-7, \$130,258. O-Timothy Freitag; B-Claiborne Farm (KY); T-Anthony Farrior. *\$370,000 Ylg '20 KEESEP; \$50,000 2yo '21 EASMAV.

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9th-Fanduel Sportsbook And Horse Racing, \$22,400, Opt. Clm (\$25,000), 11-18, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:12.90, ft, 1/2 length.

SHEZ STUCK UP (m, 6, **Graydar--Malibu Style, by Tiz Wonderful)** Lifetime Record: 22-5-7-2, \$95,498. O-Bernard P. McDonnell and Myles D. McDonnell; B-Four Horsemen's Ranch (FL); T-Bernard P. McDonnell. *\$30,000 RNA Ylg '18 OBSOCT.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Smart Almasty, c, 2, **Almasty--Precious Audrey, by Trappe Shot.** Woodbine, 11-19, (C), 1 1/16m (AWT), 1:47.84. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$33,122. B-Kanny Ng (ON). *C\$5,000 Ylg '22 CANSEP.

Judge McBee, g, 2, **Latent Heat--Sun King Sister, by Sun King.** Remington, 11-18, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:06.26. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$23,857. B-Mike & Marilyn Duplissey & Schumer Bloodstock (OK).

Stone Harbor, c, 2, **Mitole--Crazy 'bout Elvis, by Dixie Union.** Churchill Downs, 11-19, (C), 1 1/16m, 1:46.21. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$40,918. B-Charisse Rivers (KY). *\$75,000 Ylg '22 KEEJAN. **24th winner for freshman sire (by Eskendereya).

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Cocktail Cutie, f, 2, **Stay Thirsty--Northern Song, by Animal Kingdom.** Del Mar, 11-19, (S), (C), 6f, 1:12.43. Lifetime Record: 7-1-2-1, \$49,780. B-Terry C. Lovingier (CA). *\$40,000 Ylg '22 FTCAVR.

Cash Only, c, 2, **Street Sense--You Bought Her (MSW & MGSP, \$530,185), by Graeme Hall.** Churchill Downs, 11-19, (C), 1 1/16m, 1:45.90. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-1, \$67,580. B-Meg Dumaine (KY). *\$200,000 Ylg '22 FTKJUL.

Waridi Candy, f, 3, **Candy Ride (Arg)--La Extrana Dama (Arg) (Mare Of The Year-Arg, MG1SW-Arg, \$266,925), by Catcher In The Rye (Ire).** Laurel, 11-19, 1 1/16mT, 1:43.04. Lifetime Record: 6-1-1-1, \$55,520. B-De La Pomme Kentucky Inc. (KY).

Red Dirt Rich, g, 3, **Caleb's Posse--Hidden Gold (MSP, \$143,525), by Seeking Diamonds.** Remington, 11-18, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:05.74. Lifetime Record: 8-1-4-1, \$57,809. B-Lori L Bravo (OK).

Here's Liam, g, 3, **Liam's Map--Stay Here, by Dehere.** Laurel, 11-19, 6f, 1:11.02. Lifetime Record: 13-1-3-1, \$83,090. B-Quest Realty (VA).



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Arrogate, Enclosure, f, 3, o/o Cognitive, by **Uncle Mo**. MSW, 11-19, Churchill Downs

Big Screen, Cruden Bay, g, 5, o/o Executive Affair, by Bold Executive. AOC, 11-19, Woodbine

Cairo Prince, Spirit Prince, c, 2, o/o Dottie's Spirit, by **Curlin**. Central Park S., 11-19, Aqueduct

Caleb's Posse, Red Dirt Rich, g, 3, o/o Hidden Gold, by Seeking Diamonds. MSW, 11-18, Remington

Candy Ride (Arg), Waridi Candy, f, 3, o/o La Extrana Dama (Arg), by Catcher In The Rye (Ire). MSW, 11-19, Laurel

Candy Ride (Arg), Youknownothing, f, 2, o/o Ygritte, by **Tapit**. MSW, 11-19, Gulfstream

Cityscape (GB), Chili Flag (Fr), f, 4, o/o Flag Day (GB), by Pivotal (GB). Forever Together S., 11-19, Aqueduct

Connect, Glitter Up, f, 4, o/o Got a Glow, by Dehere. AOC, 11-19, Gulfstream

Empire Maker, Matanzas Creek, c, 3, o/o Cuvee Uncorked, by Cuvee. MSW, 11-19, Del Mar

Fiber Sonde, No Change, g, 5, o/o Looks Like Trouble, by Indian Charlie. Randy Funkhouser Memorial S., 11-18, Charles Town

Flatter, Aggregation, g, 4, o/o Emotional Words, by **Curlin**. ALW, 11-19, Aqueduct

Gandhi, Rey O Reyes, g, 5, o/o Sterlings America, by Silver Train. ALW, 11-18, Charles Town

Ghostzapper, Spooky Lady, f, 4, o/o Lady of the Nile, by Pioneer of the Nile. ALW, 11-19, Aqueduct

Good Magic, Scoring Chance, f, 3, o/o Comme Chez Soi, by Empire Maker. MSW, 11-19, Aqueduct

Graydar, Shez Stuck Up, m, 6, o/o Malibu Style, by Tiz Wonderful. AOC, 11-18, Fanduel Sportsbook And Horse Racing

Into Mischief, Leslie's Rose, f, 2, o/o Wildwood Rose (Ire), by Galileo (Ire). MSW, 11-19, Aqueduct

Juba, I'lltakecareofit, g, 3, o/o Windsor's Punch, by Windsor Castle. ALW, 11-18, Charles Town

Latent Heat, Judge McBee, g, 2, o/o Sun King Sister, by Sun King. MSW, 11-18, Remington

Liam's Map, Flying Liam, g, 3, o/o Fly Me to Dubai, by Into Mischief. MSW, 11-19, Gulfstream

Liam's Map, Here's Liam, g, 3, o/o Stay Here, by Dehere. MSW, 11-19, Laurel

Lookin At Lucky, Fish Mooney, f, 4, o/o Gotham City Girl, by Freud. AOC, 11-18, Woodbine

Lookin At Lucky, Pounce, f, 2, o/o Bouncy, by **Twirling Candy**. MSW, 11-19, Churchill Downs

Mastery, Zen Master, g, 4, o/o Bendable, by Horse Greeley. ALW, 11-18, Charles Town

Mitole, Carbone, c, 2, o/o Treasure in Heaven, by **Street Sense**. MSW, 11-19, Churchill Downs

Mitole, Feisty Mitole, f, 2, o/o Fiercely, by **Hard Spun**. MSW, 11-19, Del Mar

Mitole, Stone Harbor, c, 2, o/o Crazy 'bout Elvis, by Dixie Union. MCL, 11-19, Churchill Downs

Nyquist, Hurricane J, c, 3, o/o Pantanal, by Congrats. AOC, 11-19, Gulfstream

Nyquist, Nysos, c, 2, o/o Zetta Z, by Bernardini. GIII Bob Hope S., 11-19, Del Mar

Oscar Performance, Roscar, c, 2, o/o Rosemere, by Court Vision. MSW, 11-19, Woodbine

Oscar Performance, Slapinthe face, g, 3, o/o Lost Innocence, by **Lookin At Lucky**. MSW, 11-19, Aqueduct

Quality Road, Motown Music, g, 6, o/o Queen's Wood, by Tiznow. ALW, 11-18, Remington

Runhappy, Happy Am I, f, 3, o/o Cat Dance, by Forest Wildcat. ALW, 11-19, Churchill Downs

St Patrick's Day, Fiona's Magic, f, 2, o/o Mollie's Magic, by Factum. MSW, 11-19, Gulfstream

Stay Thirsty, Cocktail Cutie, f, 2, o/o Northern Song, by Animal Kingdom. MCL, 11-19, Del Mar

Street Sense, Cash Only, c, 2, o/o You Bought Her, by Graeme Hall. MCL, 11-19, Churchill Downs

Street Sense, Loose Wire, c, 3, o/o Dance With Doves, by A.P. Indy. AOC, 11-19, Woodbine

Vino Rosso, P Mutter Pickle, f, 2, o/o Lost Raven, by **Uncle Mo**. MSW, 11-19, Aqueduct

Vronsky, Auspicious Style, g, 5, o/o She's Got Style, by Unusual Heat. ALW, 11-18, Golden Gate

Vronsky, Star Racer, g, 6, o/o Honey Bee Lucky, by Bold Badgett. Oakland S., 11-18, Golden Gate

War Front, Tracy Flick, m, 5, o/o Stay the Night, by Arch. ALW, 11-19, Laurel

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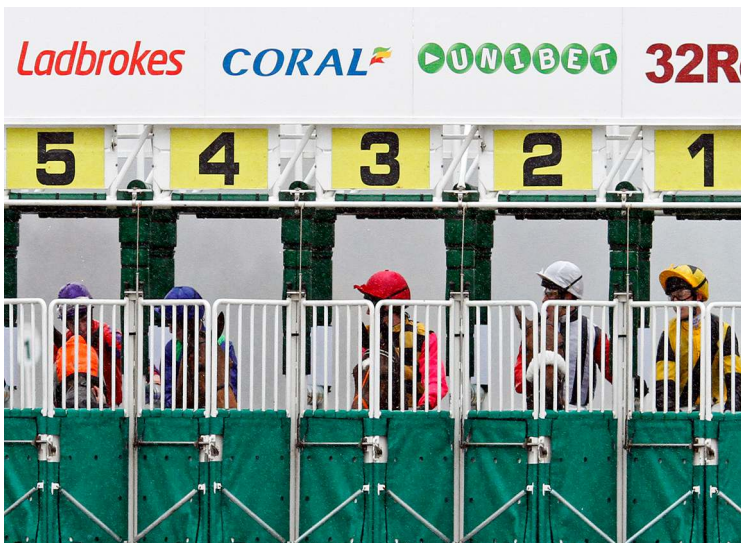
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By Paul Hayward

These are challenging times for British punters. If you win too much, your bookmaker could shut you down. If you lose too much, the state might send Big Brother in.

This pincer of control and interference in online betting is weirdly at odds with the UK's economic culture, which favours deregulation and free markets - often to society's cost. The way power works, you will hear a lot more about the Gambling Commission's proposed affordability checks than you will bookmaking conglomerates restricting how much punters can stake - and the sums they can win.

Arbitrary bookmaking 'limits' drive successful punters to distraction. Turned away from one betting window, they're on an eternal trudge to find another. We've all heard stories of gamblers wanting to place £500 on a horse and being told they can have only £50 at the advertised price. Laissez-faire would be a generous description of how mass-market sports betting is controlled. But affordability checks? The world is up in arms.

The roots of the outrage are twofold.

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A PINHOOKER'S PARADISE - WHAT ARE THE BIG NAMES LOOKING FOR AT GOFFS?

By Brian Sheerin

Top pinhookers John Foley, Kitty Fitzpatrick and Luke Coen have shared some of the dos and don'ts ahead of the eagerly-anticipated Goffs November Foal Sale where some of the sharpest minds in the game will battle it out for over 1,000 lots throughout the four days.

Coen has not been in this game as long as Foley or Fitzpatrick but he proved age can be no barrier to turning major pinhooking profit when an Invincible Spirit (Ire) filly that he sourced for just €23,000 at this sale last year rocked into 115,000gns at Book 3 at Tattersalls.

Asked if he had come back down to earth, the 24-year-old, who said he'd be using some of the profits to renovate a house he bought along with his partner Charlotte, quipped, "There's no two ways about it--you're always trying to find the next one."

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John Fielding Jnr shares a kiss with lot 593 at Goffs. This daughter of Lope De Vega, consigned by Donnelly's Well, is a half-sister to Group 3-placed Inverleigh. | Alayna Cullen Birkett

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Lautrec, out of G3 Silver Flash winner Cabaret, was willing and game under pressure to score by a head at first asking for Juddmonte and John and Thady Gosden.

HAVRAS SMART IN CONDITION GRADUATION 10

The son of Le Havre shed his maiden status at Le Mans in October and secured another victory here at Bordeaux-Le Bouscat for Joel Boisnard.

NO MOORE? NO PROBLEM. G1 GLORY FOR NAMUR 11

With Ryan Moore on injury reserve, journeyman Kota Fujioka found all the gaps at the right time, and willed his filly over the line in the dying strides to win the G1 Mile Championship S.

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Affordability Checks, cont. from p1

Punters, bureaucrats and the Racing Post (an uber-campaigner against the Gambling Commission's plans) are right to point out that all of us gamble every day, on stocks and shares, mortgage rate changes, savings account returns, the National Lottery, Premium Bonds and any number of monetary judgment calls.

In all cases those markets are 'regulated,' but government taps on the shoulder are rare. Yet, in horserace betting, the UK government, via the Gambling Commission, has developed a curiously fierce interest in vulnerable citizens, while also laying waste to many of the public services on which people on low incomes depend.

Media outlets like to call this the Nanny State. But under modern Conservatism, the nanny was fired years ago. Britain is an economic free-for-all. In the original white paper on gambling, though, we encounter language redolent of the country's wrecked social contract. It proposes intervention "if a customer's gambling is likely to be unaffordable and harmful" and identifies three types of risk: "binge gambling, significant unaffordable losses over time, and financially vulnerable customers".

Personal freedom aside, this is where the industry's panic spikes – the realisation that affordability checks will undermine a funding system that was never fit for purpose.

Paul Hayward

Who knew compassion still had a say in Westminster? Racing, though, sees only illogicality, arbitrary intervention, and great harm to something that's already up against it: the sport's business model, the transfer of breadcrumbs from the betting industry to the racing game that supplies its 'product.'

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It was the Jockey Club who, in the 1960s, missed the chance to set up a totalisator system to guarantee a fair return to the sport. Instead, they opened the door to a predatory bookmaking industry.

Six decades later, it falls to Nevin Truesdale, the current, impressive head of the Jockey Club, to fix his name to a petition demanding a change in the Gambling Commission's thinking. The petition calls the plans "inappropriate and discriminatory." The word "catastrophic" is frequently used to describe the damage to racing's finances - £250 million over five years, it is claimed, if punters resort to black markets or abandon betting on racing altogether.

Never has the sport mobilised so furiously against an external threat. Many racing folk would seemingly rather invite an Epsom-invading animal rights protestor round for tea than the Gambling Commission, who claim that only 3% of online betting accounts will be subject to 'frictionless' affordability checks on their online accounts, with only 0.3% facing the more stringent monitoring. A £125 loss over a 30-day period looks to the racing industry however like a pitifully low starting point for the gambling police to go in.

The Culture secretary Lucy Frazer told the Racing Post: "This government is not in the business of telling people how they can and can't spend their money."

"But we know, for some, gambling leads to a dangerous cycle of addiction that can feel impossible to escape. We have a duty of care to those at the greatest risk of devastating and life-changing financial losses." Yet racing says only 2.8% of punters meet the threshold of problem gambling. The many are being restricted, they say, to protect the very few.

Late last week, the anti-Gambling Commission petition had attracted 85,000 signatures. A social media debate ensued (when does it not?) Some called it a show of strength. Others saw it as a faltering quest to reach the 100,000 signatures needed to force a Parliamentary debate; almost as proof of apathy.

My feeling is that the proposed government constraints defy logic and misunderstand horserace betting and bettors. They are also a cop out, because they dodge the need to tackle the main culprit - the betting industry, the siren on the rocks, with its tsunami advertising and simultaneous 'limits' on winnings.

As for racing's panic around the cost of these proposals, consider the most salient statistics of all. In the UK 0.6% of betting turnover is returned to racing. In Ireland - 1.5%; in France 8.6%, America 14.5% and Japan 16.6%. British racing's business model is the flaw that "affordability checks" threaten to exacerbate. Then again, that horse has already bolted.

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John Foley of Ballyvolane Stud inspecting the stock ahead of the November Foal Sale | Goffs

Pinhooker's Paradise, cont. from p1

That Invincible Spirit filly, who was sourced to go into training with Joseph O'Brien, was reported to have boasted one of the most attractive walks of any yearling on offer at Book 3 by some shrewd judges. That would tally, given it's a good-walking horse that Coen searches out above anything else when sourcing young talent.

Explaining his approach, he said, "They have to walk. I find it hard to look past that if they don't. Now, the Invincible Spirit filly set the bar fairly high—she's some walk. Listen, she was a bit of a gamble as well being a May foal, but she just had a huge walk."

Foley and Fitzpatrick have been associated with many top-notchers and they've also weathered the odd storm or two. It's fair to say that Foley, who operates under the banner of Ballyvolane Stud, had a rather contrasting start to his pinhooking career to Coen. But it didn't stop the 40-year-old. Far from it in fact.

He explained, "When I left college, I bought a couple of foals. I was very green at the time but one of them made money and the other didn't. I put the money back in and have been building for almost 20 years to where we are now.

"There was about five years in a row at the start when I lost money and I was very lucky to be able to stay at it. I got a great education in those few years about what not to buy. I lost plenty of money and made plenty of mistakes but that was the best education I could ever have gotten."

Foley added, "It's not a simple game. We breed a few as well so we have a good mix between the homebreds and the ones we buy. Nobody gets it right all the time; some of the best judges out there, they can lose money on a lot of their pinhooks. It's a game of numbers. Some will work and more won't. The ones who don't, you just hope your losses are small and, for the ones that do, you hope the gain is big." **Cont.**

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"You're not going to win on them all. If you think you are, you are in for a rude awakening."

Fitzpatrick runs Loughmore Stables along with her husband and well-known bookmaker Daragh. Loughmore has produced plenty of high-class horses over both codes, including the 2017 G2 Norfolk S. winner Santry (Ire) (Harbour Watch {Ire}), and the Limerick native explained her approach.

She said, "There is a type we go after. We like a good-bodied, good-moving horse. They have to be pretty correct and have a good shape. We also like to buy something that looks as though it will come to hand early enough. Then for some of the later sales, we could buy something that could take a bit more time, but always looking for something with a bit of strength, size and action. If you have that, you can get away with plenty."

There may be over 1,000 foals on offer at Goffs, but Foley and Coen explained how they will trawl through the barns in search of that diamond in the rough. Fitzpatrick operates slightly differently.

She said, "We look at a lot of foals but we don't look at them all. There are certain sires we mightn't be too keen on if we haven't had much luck with them in the past. We might leave foals by them off the list. We'd look at all the first-season sires to get our eye in but we wouldn't look at stock out of older mares, either. If the pedigree was very bad, we'd leave those off the list as well. There's no set rules to it but we definitely look at the catalogue beforehand and, while we look at a lot, we don't look at everything."

Foley's Ballyvolane Stud has produced at least one Group performer for each of the past eight years or so.

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Sir Busker (Ire) (Sir Prancealot {Ire}), Maljoom (Ire) (Caravaggio) and Cayenne Pepper (Ire) (Australia {GB}) have been either pinhooked or bred by Foley and he's of the opinion that there's no substitute for hard work in achieving such results.

He said, "I try to look at as many foals as I can get through in a day. I don't spend too long looking at them. You have to be polite to people but you know very quickly if you like a foal or not and, if you don't, there's no point in wasting anyone's time. I always try and think who might buy this horse off me as a yearling or where can I sell it. I try to think what it could make as a yearling and work my valuations off that. Invariably, I have the foals undervalued and, like everyone else, I struggle to buy the nice ones. Maybe my valuations are a little bit lower than what they should be but that's because I'm a pessimist by nature. I'm always looking at as many as I can and buying as good as I can for as little as I have to."

Foley added, "Everyone is after the same type of horse. You are looking for a horse with a good shape and a nice outlook. Take this week for example, ninety per cent of people will be on the same horses. But there's touches to be had at every level. You can moan about how difficult it is and be as pessimistic as you want but, the bottom line is, there are touches to be had at every level if you are willing to do leg work."

Coen agrees that there is no better way to train your eye than getting out there and rolling up your sleeves. A nephew of the well-known trainer Andrew Slattery, Coen's life has been a soundtrack to horses, but nobody could accuse him of not making the most of his upbringing.

He said, "As much as having people who are willing to help you, the best way to learn is to have a look at a couple of hundred foals a day yourself. That will get your eye in and you will learn pretty quickly what you like and what you don't. Then you can follow them through to a yearling and on the racetrack if you can't afford them, which a lot of young people can't."

He added, "I'm never afraid to buy a chancy one that some people wouldn't have liked. A lot of people would have binned the Invincible Spirit filly because of her pedigree. When you're buying foals, there's three things you need to be thinking; in an ideal world you buy the model, then it's pedigree and lastly it's the sire. But, when you're dealing with a small budget, you have to forgive one of those things at times. The model can never be the one that you forgive, in my opinion anyway."

He added, "I would look at a lot of foals. I worked for Rob Tierney there in Mountarmstrong and he would have always gone by the rule of a mare having a minimum of a fifty per cent strike-rate. That would be one of the things I'd go by. I'd never buy a foal out of an older mare, either. I think for the yearling market, the buyers seem to like a younger pedigree, be that a younger sire or a younger mare." [Cont.](#)

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"We normally have a pretty big list after first looks because we try to be as forgiving as possible. We try and have a second look then and whittle the list down a little more. The ones we like, we follow them in."

He added, "If it feels right and we think there's value there, we try to buy them and if they're not, we don't. A lot more will get left behind then we buy and I don't follow them to see if people made money out of them or to see who was right and who was wrong. You just have to work on your own intuition."

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There are no set rules to making this game pay. Lucky, as what a boring little world--and market--we would have if that was the case. According to Foley, however, there is no substitution for a bit of intuition, while strength in numbers is a major help to those operating on a larger scale.

Foley said, "I try to buy somewhere between 10 and 15 foals in a year."



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17:00-KEMPTON PARK, 8f, Royal Tapestry (GB)

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HOW THEY FARED

12.55 Newcastle, £10,300, Mdn, 2yo, 8f 5y (AWT)

Juddmonte's **Lautrec (GB)** (**Kingman (GB)**), a 600,000gns Book 1 half-brother to MG1SW sires St Mark's Basilica (Fr) (Siyouni {Fr}) and **Magna Grecia (Ire)** (Invincible Spirit {Ire}), displayed a willing attitude under pressure in the closing stages of this debut and prevailed by a head.



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Sunday's Results:

2nd-Newcastle, £10,300, Mdn, 11-19, 2yo, 8f 5y (AWT),
1:41.53, st.

LAUTREC (GB) (c, 2, **Kingman (GB)**--**Cabaret (Ire)** {**GSW-Ire**}, by **Galileo (Ire)**) lobbed along behind the leaders in third through halfway in this debut. Angled off the stands' side rail for a clear passage with three furlongs remaining, the 6-4 second choice came under pressure approaching the eighth pole and was ridden out in the closing stages to deny Samphire Green (Ire) (Zoustar {Aus}) by a head on the line. Lautrec, a 600,000gns Tattersalls October Book 1 full-brother to a yearling colt, is the ninth of 11 foals and sixth scorer produced by G3 Silver Flash S. victrix Cabaret (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}). The yearling colt sold for 600,000gns at this year's Book 1 fixture. Lautrec's dam is a half-sister to G3 Solario S. victor Drumfire (Ire) (Danehill Dancer {Ire}), stakes-winning G2 Gimcrack S. runner-up Ho Choi (GB) (Pivotal {GB}) and to the dam of stakes-winning G3 Give Thanks S. third Dancing Tango (Ire) (**Camelot (GB)**). The January-foaled bay is also kin to MG1SW sires St Mark's Basilica (Fr) (Siyouni {Fr}) and **Magna Grecia (Ire)** (Invincible Spirit {Ire}) and a weanling filly by Siyouni (Fr). **Cont.**

Sales history: 600,000gns Ylg '22 TATOCT. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$6,929.

O-Juddmonte; B-Woodnook Farm Pty Ltd (GB); T-John & Thady Gosden.

4th-Newcastle, £10,300, Nov, 11-19, 2yo, 6f (AWT), 1:14.63, st. LOU LOU'S GIFT (GB) (f, 2, Lope de Vega {Ire}--Token of Love {GB} {SW-Eng, \$130,292}, by Cape Cross {Ire}) followed up a Sept. 20 debut third at Yarmouth with a Nov. 2 runner-up finish over this course and distance and was raced in a handy fourth from the outset of this one. Easing forward to join the front rank passing the quarter-mile marker, the 6-4 chalk inched ahead approaching the final furlong and was ridden out to assert by a length from Neapolitan (Fr) (**Magna Grecia {Ire}**) by a length. Lou Lou's Gift is the fourth of six foals and second scorer produced by Listed Dick Hern Fillies' S. victrix Token Of Love (GB) (Cape Cross {Ire}), herself the leading performer out of Listed Lupe S. and Listed Masaka S. third Nyarhini (GB) (Fantastic Light). Nyarhini, in turn, is a half-sister to G1 Coronation S. heroine Rebecca Sharp (GB) (Machiavellian). The February-foaled homebred bay is a half-sister to this term's G3 Sovereign S. victor Mighty Ulysses (GB) (Ulysses {Ire}), a yearling colt by Ulysses (Ire) and a weanling filly by Night Of Thunder (Ire). Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-1, \$10,526.

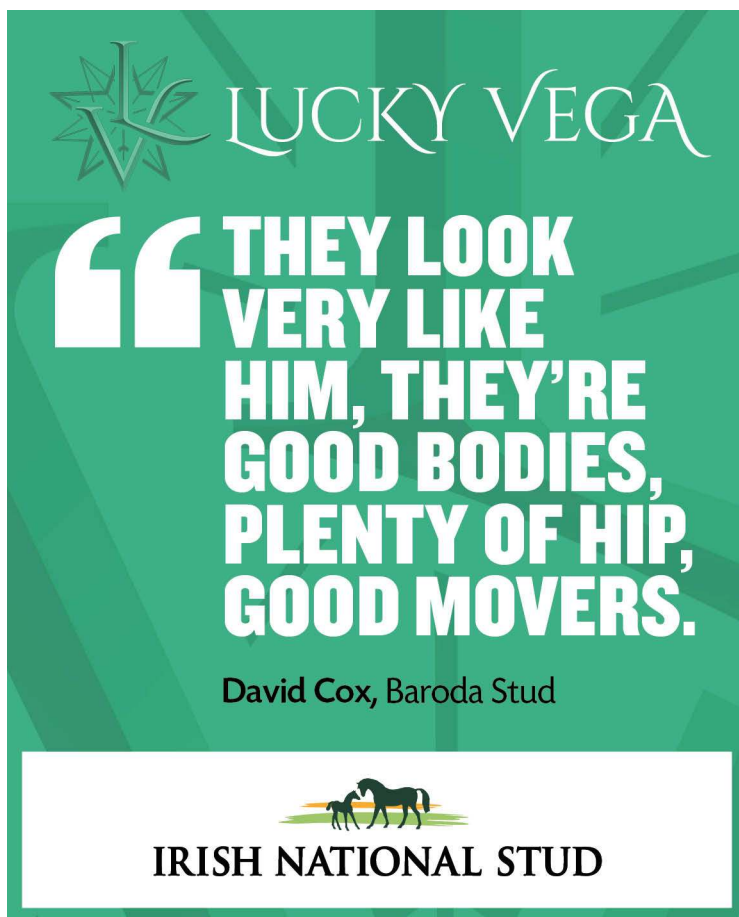
O-A E Oppenheimer; B-Hascombe & Valiant Stud Ltd (GB); T-William Haggas.

FRANCE

Sunday's Result:

2nd-Bordeaux-Le Bouscat, €27,000, Cond, 11-19, 2yo, 9 1/2fT, 2:23.08, vhy.

HAVRAS (GB) (c, 2, Le Havre {Ire}--Raja Ampat {Ire}, by Galileo {Ire}), who shed maiden status tackling 9 3/4 furlongs at Le Mans last month, broke swiftly and shadowed the pace in second from the outset of this one. Inching ahead on the home turn, the 5-2 chance was not for catching in the straight and kept on strongly under mild urging inside the final 300 metres to defeat Manly (Fr) (Morandi {Fr}) by 2 1/2 lengths. Havras is the second of four foals and lone scorer out of a winning full-sister to MGSW G1 Racing Post Trophy runner-up Yucatan (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}), GIII Modesty H. victrix Faufler (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}), stakes-winning G2 Beresford S. runner-up Mount Everest (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) and to the dam of the dual stakes-placed Free Solo (Ire) (Showcasing {GB}). The February-foaled chestnut's second dam is MG1SW European champion and GI Breeders' Cup Mile heroine Six Perfections (Fr) (Celtic Swing {GB}), who also



LUCKY VEGA

“THEY LOOK VERY LIKE HIM, THEY'RE GOOD BODIES, PLENTY OF HIP, GOOD MOVERS.”

David Cox, Baroda Stud

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produced G2 Prix du Gros-Chene victor and sire Planet Five (Storm Cat). Havras is kin to a yearling filly by **Kingman (GB)**, who sold for €200,000 at this year's Goffs Orby sale, and a weanling filly by Study Of Man (Ire). Sales history: €20,000 Ylg '22 ARQAUG. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, €27,300. **Video, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

O-Fal Stud SAS; B-Niarchos Family (GB); T-Joel Boisnard.



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WORLDWIDE NEWS

NO MOORE FOR NAMUR? NO PROBLEM IN MILE CHAMPIONSHIP *by Alan Carasso*



Namur | JRA Photo

Ryan Moore, third in a hit-and-run mission aboard Point Lonsdale (Ire) (**Australia {GB}**) in Friday's G2 Bahrain International Trophy for his boss Aidan O'Brien, was stood down from the remainder of his Sunday rides at Kyoto after suffering a back injury in a spill in the second race on the program. That left the connections of Carrot Farm's **Namur (Jpn)** (Harbinger {GB}) in need of a jockey and with all the other Japanese big guns understandably already spoken for, they landed on journeyman Kota Fujioka, 13th in the jockeys' premiership, but not in the same league as Moore. It all proved to be of little consequence, as Fujioka found all the gaps at the right time and produced the 4-year-old filly in the dying strides to take out the G1 Mile Championship S.

Drawn widest in 16, the field's only female participant was likely to go back no matter her barrier, so that a hop at the break was unlikely to be too damaging. Allowed to find her stride at the tail of the field in the presence of favoured **Schnell Meister (Ger)** (**Kingman {GB}**)--who played up twice in the gate--Namur and Fujioka were content to save their best for last, as international dual-surface group winner **Bathrat Leon (Jpn)** (Kizuna {Jpn}) found the front after the opening 200 metres. In a good rhythm and still in no hurry down the side of the track, Namur was more or less the back marker with plenty to do as Bathrat Leon turned them into the straight.

While Schnell Meister was atypically flat-footed at that stage, Namur was anything but that, weaving her way through into

LUCKY VEGA

“WE LIKE TO GO TO TWO YEAR OLDS THAT HAVE WON A GROUP 1.”

Brendan Morrin,
Pier House Stud

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contention while appearing to try to savage **Red Mon Reve (Jpn)** (Lord Kanaloea {Jpn}) to her outside at the 200-metre marker. Able to sustain her stinging rally, Namur flashed home to provide the Carrot Farm syndicate with its first Mile Championship victory since 2008. **Soul Rush (Jpn)** (Rulership {Jpn}), ground-saving and about midfield for the first half of the race, found a split four off the inside at the 300 metres and looked home, only to be swamped late, while **Justin Cafe (Jpn)** (Epiphaneia {Jpn}) ran on well for third at odds. The winner covered her final 600m in a race-best :33 flat. Schnell Meister finished a never-nearer seventh, while defending champ and second pick **Serifos (Jpn)** (Daiwa Major {Jpn}), wide the trip, loomed a threat inside the final furlong, but peaked on his run and came home eighth.

“The break didn't go very smoothly, but she was in good rhythm once settling into the race and responded well, so I knew we could get a good run as long as I did my job of getting her into a good spot at the straight,” said Fujioka, winning just his second Group 1 on the JRA. “From there she really showed her strength.”

Third in last year's G1 Yushun Himba and second in the G1 Shuka Sho, Namur was seventh to Songline (Jpn) (Kizuna {Jpn}) in the G1 Victoria Mile in May and 16th to that foe in the G1 Yasuda Kinen the following month.

Cont.

She hinted at a return to her best form with a 1 1/4-length defeat of Red Mon Reve in the 1600-metre G2 Fuji S. at headquarters Oct. 21.

As for Moore, his injuries have been deemed not serious and he is expected to take up his ride aboard defending champion Vela Azul (Jpn) (Eishin Flash {Jpn}) in next Sunday's G1 Japan Cup.

Pedigree Notes:

Namur is the sixth Group 1 winner for the G1 King George VI & Queen Elizabeth S. romper Harbinger, who is also responsible for 2017 Mile Championship hero Persian Knight (Jpn) as well as the redoubtable Deirdre (Jpn), victorious in the G1 Nassau S. on her world travels in 2019.

Namur is possessed of a pedigree which has also grown international legs over the past few seasons. The bay is one of four winners from four to race out of her Group 3-placed dam, whose 3-year-old daughter Ravel (Jpn) (Kitsan Black {Jpn}) was a winner at Group 2 level at two and was fourth to Liberty Island (Jpn) (Duramente {Jpn}) in this year's G1 Yushun Himba. Sambre et Meuse's 2-year-old filly Arsenaal (Jpn) (Epiphaneia {Jpn}) was a debut winner going 1600 metres on turf at Tokyo Nov. 11.

Sambre et Meuse was produced by Vite Marcher, the dam of 2021 GI Breeders' Cup Distaff upsetter Marche Lorraine (Jpn) (Orfevre {Jpn}), the multiple listed winner Badenweiler (Jpn) (Duramente {Jpn}) and the 2-year-old colt Marcha Real (Jpn) (Real Impact {Jpn}), a Kyoto maiden winner Nov. 11. Third dam Kyoei March won the 1997 Oka Sho and was second to Taiki Shuttle (Devil's Bag) in the Mile Championship later that season.

Sambre et Meuse is also the dam of a yearling filly by US champion Bricks and Mortar (Giant's Causeway) but was barren to Harbinger for 2023.



Harbinger | Emma Berry

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“ HE WAS SUCH A GOOD MOVER I HAD TO SEND A MARE TO HIM. ”

Martin Walsh,
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Sunday, Kyoto, Japan

MILE CHAMPIONSHIP-G1, ¥346,800,000, Kyoto, 11-19, 3yo/up, 1600mT, 1:32.50, gd/fm.

1--**NAMUR (JPN)**, 123, f, 4, by Harbinger (GB)

1st Dam: Sambre et Meuse (Jpn) (GSP-Jpn, \$732,441), by Daiwa Major (Jpn)

2nd Dam: Vite Marcher (Jpn), by French Deputy

3rd Dam: Kyoei March (Jpn), by Dancing Brave

1ST GROUP 1 WIN. O-Carrot Farm; B-Northern Farm; T-Tomokazu Takano; J-Kota Fujioka; ¥183,360,000. Lifetime Record: 13-5-2-1, ¥436,551,000. *1/2 to Westerwald (Jpn) (Novellist {Ire}), GSP-Jpn, \$761,865; and Ravel (Jpn) (Kitsan Black {Jpn}), GSW-Jpn, \$417,217. **Werk Nick Rating: A++.** Click for the **eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.** Click for the **free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.**

2--**Soul Rush (Jpn)**, 128, h, 5, Rulership (Jpn)--Broad Street (Jpn), by Agnes Tachyon (Jpn). O-Tatsue Ishikawa; B- Shimokobe Farm; ¥72,960,000.

3--**Justin Cafe (Jpn)**, 128, h, 5, Epiphaneia (Jpn)--Casino Boogie (Jpn), by Workforce (GB). O-Masahiro Miki; B-Shadai Farm; ¥45,480,000.

Margins: NK, HF, 3/4. Odds: 16.30, 4.80, 26.50.

Also Ran: Elton Barows (Jpn), Danon the Kid (Jpn), Elusive Panther (Jpn), Schnell Meister (Ger), Serifos (Jpn), Red Mon Reve (Jpn), Eeyan (Jpn), Be Astonished (Jpn), So Valiant (Jpn), Danon Scorpion (Jpn), Matenro Orion (Jpn), Bathrat Leon (Jpn), Selberg (Jpn). [Click for the JRA chart & video.](#)

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LUCKY SWEYNESSE BACK TO WINNING WAYS IN JOCKEY CLUB SPRINT *by Alan Carasso*

“He got the job done.”

Hardly a ringing post-race endorsement from jockey Zac Purton after champion **Lucky Sweynesse (NZ)** (Sweynesse {Aus}) snapped a baby two-race skid in Sunday's G2 BOCHK Private Banking Jockey Club Sprint at Sha Tin. But a win is a win is a win, as he became the first horse since Gold-Fun (Ire) (Le Vie dei Colori {GB}) in 2015 to take the race under the five-pound penalty assigned to Group 1 winners. He'll next look to win his first G1 Longines Hong Kong Sprint after finishing a very unlucky sixth at odds-on last December.

Never the quickest into stride, the 5-year-old was under a busy ride early as **Victor the Winner (Aus)** (Toronado {Ire}), who enjoyed a 20-pound pull in the weights when defeating the champ in the featured Class 1 on opening day of the season Sept. 10, enjoyed a reasonably soft time of things up front.



Lucky Sweynesse (right) | HKJC photo

Steered out wide for the drive, Lucky Sweynesse had aim on the pacesetter, but needed the length of the straight to finally claw past, scoring by a short head. **Wellington (Aus)** (All Too Hard {Aus}), last year's international Sprint winner and having his first run for Jamie Richards and first since finishing down the field when well-backed in the G1 Queen Elizabeth II Jubilee S. at Royal Ascot, ran meritoriously in third.



LUCKY VEGA

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Jack Cantillon, Tinnakill House



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“He’s sort of getting back to his best,” Purton added. “He’s not quite there yet but he took another step in the right direction today and he’s going to need to be better next time.”

Among those pointing for the Hong Kong Sprint are Highfield Princess (Fr) (Night of Thunder {Ire}), who became a four-time Group 1 winner in the G1 Prix de l'Abbaye, and Aesop's Fables (Ire) (**No Nay Never**), a latest third in the GI Breeders' Cup Turf Sprint after finishing third in the Abbaye.

Sunday, Sha Tin, Hong Kong

BOCHK PRIVATE BANKING JOCKEY CLUB SPRINT-G2,

HK\$5,350,000, Sha Tin, 11-19, 3yo/up, 1200mT, 1:08.42, gd.

1--**LUCKY SWEYNESSE (NZ), 128, g, 5, by Sweynesse (Aus)**

1st Dam: Madonna Mia (NZ) (SW-NZ, \$134,764), by Red Clubs (Ire)

2nd Dam: Hill of Hope (Aus), by Danehill

3rd Dam: Macozie (Aus), by Marscay (Aus)

(NZ\$90,000 2yo '20 NZBRTR). O-Cheng Ming Leung, Cheng Yu Ting, Cheng Mei Mei & Cheng Yu Wai; B-P L Dombroski, Explosive Breeding Ltd & S A Sharrock; T-Manfred Man; J-Zac Purton; HK\$2,996,000. Lifetime Record: Ch. Sprinter & MG1SW-HK, 20-14-4-1, HK\$56,008,900. *Full to Signora Nera (NZ), G1SP-Aus, \$145,027. **Werk Nick Rating: A++.** [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#) [Click for the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.](#)

2--**Victor the Winner (Aus)**, 123, g, 5, Toronado (Ire)--Noetic (Aus), by Cape Cross (Ire). (A\$180,000 Ylg '20 INGMAR). O-Chu Yun Lau; B-A Sangster (Vic); T-Danny Shum; J-Karis Teetan; HK\$1,123,500.

3--**Wellington (Aus)**, 128, g, 7, All Too Hard (Aus)--Mihiri (Aus), by More Than Ready. (A\$70,000 Ylg '18 MMGCYS). O-Mr & Mrs Michael Cheng Wing On & Jeffrey Cheng Man Cheong; B-Kia Ora Stud Pty Ltd, David Paradise, Steve McCann (NSW); T-Jamie Richards; J-Alexis Badel; HK\$615,250.

Margins: NK, 3/4, 2 1/4. Odds: 3-10, 9-1, 51-10.

Also Ran: Sight Success (Aus), Fantastic Treasure (Aus), Duke Wai (NZ), Super Wealthy (Aus). **Click for the HKJC chart, PPs and sectional timing. VIDEO.**

A 'Beauty'-ful Quinella in the Jockey Club Mile

California Spangle (Ire) (Starspangledbanner {Aus}) was the piping-hot \$1.70 (7-10) favourite when the gates flew back for Sunday's G2 BOCHK Private Wealth Jockey Club Mile, but he called it a day at the 200-meter point, and **Beauty Eternal (Aus)** (Starspangledbanner {Aus}) and **Beauty Joy (Aus)** (Sebring {Aus}) were left to settle things, with the former just lasting for a Purton race-to-race double.

The defending G1 Longines Hong Kong Mile winner, California Spangle jumped alertly, but was made to work a bit for it early, as **Healthy Happy (Aus)** (Zoustar {Aus}) kicked up at the fence to prevent him from securing the inside as the sectional times were well inside standard. Last year's BMW Hong Kong Derby winner **Voyage Bubble (Aus)** (Deep Field {Aus}) went up outside to apply the pressure entering the final half-mile, and Purton had Beauty Eternal in his slipstream, with Beauty Joy last. Eased out to deliver his challenge outside Voyage Bubble at the top of the straight, Beauty Eternal--carrying the Beauty Generation (NZ) colours--looked like he might run away from them, but Derek



Beauty Eternal beats Beauty Joy | HKJC photo

Leung, who needed to resort to slaps down the neck of Beauty Joy with his hand after his whip went flying, kept after his mount and just missed in a tight photo.

"It's probably the first time he's had to dig deep when something has come at him like that and find and he'll take some confidence out of it," said Purton, also the regular rider of Beauty Generation.

John Size, who won four on the program including a landmark 1,500th in Hong Kong, said: "They went a decent tempo and he came into the race nicely. He had no horse to run at and he was there to get shot down. To his credit, he was able to kick and win the race. He probably learned a bit more about racing today."

Sunday, Sha Tin, Hong Kong

BOCHK PRIVATE WEALTH JOCKEY CLUB MILE-G2,

HK\$5,350,000, Sha Tin, 11-19, 3yo/up, 1600mT, 1:33.04, gd.

1--**BEAUTY ETERNAL (AUS)**, 123, g, 5, by Starspangledbanner (Aus)

1st Dam: Ithacan Queen (NZ), by Savabeel (Aus)

2nd Dam: Bering Island (Ire), by Bering (GB)

3rd Dam: Wiener Wald, by Woodman

(A\$90,000 Ylg '20 INGFE). O-Patrick Kwok Ho Chuen; B-P Raftopoulous (Vic); T-John Size; J-Zac Purton; HK\$2,996,000. Lifetime Record: 12-8-1-3, HK\$18,157,825. *1/2 to Love Sensation (Aus) (Night of Thunder {Ire}), GSP-Aus, \$170,606.

Werk Nick Rating: A. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree. Click for the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.

2--**Beauty Joy (Aus)**, 123, g, 7, Sebring (Aus)--Impressive Jeune (Aus), by Jeune (GB). O-Eleanor Kwok Law Kwai Chun & Patrick Kwok Ho Chuen; B-Impressive Racing Pty Ltd (WA); T-Derek Leung; J-Tony Cruz; HK\$1,123,500.

3--**Voyage Bubble (Aus)**, 123, g, 5, Deep Field (Aus)--Raheights (Aus), by Rahy. (A\$380,000 Ylg '20 INGFEb). O-Sunshine and Moonlight Syndicate; B-Torryburn Stud (NSW); T-Ricky Yiu; J-Alexis Badel; HK\$615,250.

Margins: SHD, 4HF, NK. Odds: 3-2, 10-1, 9-1.

Also Ran: California Spangle (Ire), Healthy Happy (Aus).

Click for the HKJC chart, PPs and sectional timing. VIDEO.

'Arron' Validates Fownes's Confidence in JC Cup

Trainer Caspar Fownes has long been of the opinion that **Straight Arron (Aus)** (Fastnet Rock {Aus}) was capable of achieving a rating in the vicinity of 120 in Hong Kong, a number that would put him among the top three middle-distance runners locally. His current mark of 106 is set for a significant hike after a visually impressive victory in a slowly run renewal of the G2 BOCHK Jockey Club Cup.

Second-last out of the straight for the first time, Straight Arron raced in the company of champion stayer **Russian Emperor (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}) at the tail as **Money Catcher (NZ)** (Ferlax {NZ}) did his thing up front. When **Glorious Dragon (Ire)** (Teofilo {Ire}) went for an early run 1300 metres out in an attempt to inject some pace into an otherwise paceless affair, Vincent Ho followed suit aboard Straight Arron to race just behind centerfield into the final half-mile. Pulled out and around Glorious Dragon with 500 metres to travel, Straight Arron came five wide into the straight and motored past soft-trip favourite **Sword Point (Aus)** (**American Pharoah**) for a breakthrough Hong Kong success.

A Group 3 winner in Australia for Chris Waller, Straight Arron still has plenty to find with the likes of Romantic Warrior (Ire) (Acclamation {GB}), whom he'll face in the G1 Longines Hong Kong Cup in three weeks' time. **Cont.**



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Straight Arron | HKJC photo

At a minimum, Fownes is pleased with the current trajectory. "This horse is a quality animal and he's just getting to where he should be now," said Fownes. "That was a good result for us and it gives us a chance to get into the big race, which is always tough against the top stayers in the world."

Straight Arron is a second pattern winner in Hong Kong and one of 122 such winners worldwide for Fastnet Rock.

Sunday, Sha Tin, Hong Kong

BOCHK JOCKEY CLUB CUP-G2, HK\$5,350,000, Sha Tin, 11-19, 3yo/up, 2000mT, 2:01.84 gd.

1--**STRAIGHT ARRON (AUS)**, 123, g, 5, by Fastnet Rock (Aus)
 1st Dam: Imperial Lass (NZ) (MSP-Aus), by Tavistock (NZ)
 2nd Dam: Tricia Ann (NZ), by Zabeel (NZ)
 3rd Dam: My Tricia (NZ), by Hermes (GB)
 (A\$270,000 Ylg '20 INGEAS). O-Karen Lo Ki Yan; B-Torryburn Stud (NSW); T-Caspar Fownes; J-Vincent Ho; HK\$2,996,000. Lifetime Record: GSW-Aus, 16-6-1-1, HK\$.12,762,270. **Werk Nick Rating: B+**. Click for the **eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree**. Click for the **free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree**.

2--**Sword Point (Aus)**, 123, g, 5, **American Pharoah**--Jazz Song (Aus), by Fastnet Rock (Aus). (A\$750,000 Ylg '20 MMGCYS). O-Li Chi Pong; B-Morning Rise Stud (Vic); T-Frankie Lor; J-Zac Purton; HK\$1,123,500.

3--**Money Catcher (NZ)**, 123, g, 6, Ferlax (NZ)--Warren's Sister (NZ), by Savabeel (Aus). (NZ\$13,000 Wlg '19 NZBMAY; NZ\$60,000 2yo '19 NZBRTR). O-The Sunflower Syndicate; B-Haunui Bloodstock Ltd; T-Frankie Lor; J-Derek Leung; HK\$615,250.

Margins: 3/4, NK, NO. Odds: 47-10, 13-10, 33-5.

Also Ran: Nimble Nimbus (NZ), Senor Toba (Aus), La City Blanche (Arg), Five G Patch (Ire), Russian Emperor (Ire), Glorious Dragon (Ire). **Click for the HKJC chart, PPs and sectional timing. VIDEO.**



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