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SIERRA LEONE STAMPS HIS AUTHORITY ON THE TOYOTA BLUE GRASS



Sierra Leone (left) | Coady

by Alan Carasso

He wasn't the most cooperative at the stalls and he left himself plenty to do over a Keeneland main track that was playing kind to speed over the course of the afternoon, but **'TDN Rising Star'** **Sierra Leone** (c, 3, **Gun Runner--Heavenly Love, by Malibu Moon**) saved his best for last and cemented his status as one of the top couple of contenders for the GI Kentucky Derby with a fast-finishing victory in the 100th running of the GI Toyota Blue Grass S. Saturday afternoon.

The victory, on the back of an equally decisive score in the GI Risen Star S. at the Fair Grounds Feb. 17, sets up a titanic clash of **'TDN Rising Stars'** in the \$5-million GI Kentucky Derby in a month's time with Eclipse champion 2-year-old Fierceness (**City of Light**), a far handier sort possessed of a high cruising speed that can be difficult to reel in.

Sierra Leone was to be the last to load in gate 10, but he proved a bit difficult to handle, delaying the start of the Blue Grass by about three minutes. A bit easy in the market, having touched 6-5 before leaving the gates at odds just north of 8-5, the \$2.3-million topper from the 2022 Fasig-Tipton Saratoga Sale was perhaps a half-step slow to begin, but slid down to race one off the inside and last but one into the first turn.

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STRONGHOLD CAPTURES IMAGINATION IN SANTA ANITA DERBY

by Alan Carasso

Sent off as the 11-5 second choice, Rick and Sharon Waller's **Stronghold** (**Ghostzapper**) outbattled even-money favorite **Imagination** (Into Mischief) through the final eighth of a mile to take Saturday's GI Santa Anita Derby, earning 100 points towards the GI Kentucky Derby.

The last-out winner of the GIII Sunland Derby, the homebred was beaten for speed and settled just off the pace in fourth as **Tapalo** (**Tapiture**) set the pace from **Imagination** and **E J Won the Cup** (Omaha Beach). Content to allow those up front to do the dirty work as they went a good gallop, Stronghold was held together on the turn by Antonio Fresu, who went for his mount in earnest at the quarter pole and split horses in upper stretch. As E J Won the Cup and Tapalo began to back out of it, **Imagination** and **Stronghold** were left to settle it, and though neither gave an inch, Stronghold surged by in the shadow of the wire. **Cont. p5**

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GUN RUNNER (c. by Candy Ride (ARG)). 12 wins in 18 starts, 2 to 5, 2018, \$15,988,500, in N.A./U.S., horse of the year, champion older dirt male, Pegasus World Cup Invitational S. [G1] (GP, \$7,000,000), Breeders' Cup Classic [G1] (CD, \$500,000), Woodward S. [G1] (CD, \$400,000), Travers S. [G1] (SAR, \$294,500), Kentucky Derby [G1] (CD, \$200,000), Travers S. [G1] (SAR, \$250,000), Matt Winn S. [G3] (CD, \$61,380), 2nd Las Vegas Breeders' Mile [G1] (SA, \$170,000), Pennsylvania Derby [G2] (PRX, \$250,000), Kentucky Derby [G1] (CD, \$200,000), Travers S. [G1] (SAR, \$250,000). Placed in 1 start at 4, 7,344,840 dirhams, in U.A.E., 2nd Emirates World Cup [G1]. (Total: \$15,988,500).

Congratulations to Sierra Leone's connections:

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Derrick Smith, Westerberg & Brook T. Smith

Breeder: Debby Oxley

Trainer: Chad Brown

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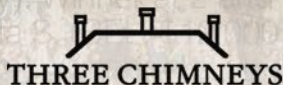
et American. 6 wins, 2 to 4, \$224,240, Gala Lil S.-R
d Demoiselle S. [G2]. Dam of 12 winners, including--
saint Ballado). 9 wins, 3 to 5, \$4,456,995, horse of the
lder horse, Breeders' Cup Classic [G1] (BEL, \$2,433,-
er H. [G1] (CD, \$513,360), Donn H. [G1] (GP, \$300,-
48 2/5, Woodward S. [G1] (BEL, \$300,000), etc. Sire.

more Than Ready). 4 wins at 3 and 4, 2018, \$409,943, in
ed Nations S. [G1] (MTH, \$180,000), etc. (Total: \$410,711).

by Giant's Causeway). Black-type winner, above.

NALHONOR (c. by Forestry). 2 wins at 3, \$112,413, Bay
adow Derby [G3] (BM, \$55,000). Sire

by A.B. Indy). Winner at 2 and 3, \$123,570, Busanda
2007, 2nd Wanda S. [G3] (BM, \$55,000), etc. Produce



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The connections of Where's My Ring (Twirling Candy) celebrate in the winner's circle after Saturday's Gill Gazelle S. | Sarah Andrew

ALVA STARR TURNS TABLES IN MADISON

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Alva Starr (Lord Nelson) was taken out of her best game, but pounced on the leaders at the quarter pole and turned back a late challenge from Vahva (Gun Runner) in the GI Resolute Racing Madison S. at Keeneland.

RESILIENCE ROLLS HOME IN THE WOOD

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Resilience (Into Mischief) became the 71st graded winner for his sire with a good-looking victory in Saturday's Gill Wood Memorial S.

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Sierra Leone Wins The Blue Grass cont. from p1

His stablemate **Top Conor (Twirling Candy)**--himself a \$1-million OBS March breezer--cut out sharp fractions of :23.15 and :46.48 while tracked intently by recent GIII Gotham S. runner-up **Just a Touch (Justify)**. Unhurried and patiently handled at the tail by Tyler Gaffalione, Sierra Leone raced well out into the track while taking plenty of dirt down the backstretch and still had a double-digit gap to bridge as the Blue Grass field entered the final half-mile.



Wisely angled back down towards the inside for a two-path run around the far turn, Sierra Leone began pick off rivals and was steered outside of **Be You (Curlin)** and about five deep into the lane. Just a Touch hit the front in upper stretch as inexperience caught up with Top Conor, but the lead was short-lived, as Sierra Leone gathered him up with relative ease while lugging in a bit entering the final sixteenth of a mile and strode clear.

Epic Ride (Blame), a latest runner-up in the John Battaglia S. Mar. 2 and trying the dirt for the first time in his five-race career, was a very good third, while **Dornoch (Good Magic)**

failed to capitalize on a box-seat trip and was an even fourth, 6 1/2 lengths behind Sierra Leone, who he had famously beaten a nose in last year's GII Remsen S.

"He didn't break the sharpest, but it actually gave me time to get over and save some ground into the first turn," said Gaffalione. "He took the dirt just fine. Down the backside he got into a great rhythm. From the five-eighths pole on, he was moving like a winner. I was able to save some ground into the

second turn, pop him out, and he just has so much talent."

Added trainer Chad Brown, winning a third Blue Grass: "We're just trying to maintain pretty much the way he's been his whole life, a special horse. I don't know if they ever fully figure it out, but he's only had a handful of starts.

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But there's such good chemistry with Tyler and Sierra Leone his last two starts. You can see he wants to lean in a little bit, but it's never too bad. He's still polishing off his experience and his skills, and I just think a mile-and-a-quarter won't be a problem going forward. We're looking forward to it."

Trainer Danny Gargan is far from willing to give up on Dornoch, the full-brother to last year's Derby winner **Mage**.

"He went really well. He got in there behind," the trainer said. "It's his first time really getting a lot of dirt like that, he resented it a little bit early, [jockey] Luis [Saez] said. He said he kind of ran away from the horses. Next time, we'll break him out of [the starting gate on the lead] and keep his face clean, and he'll run better next time.

Accorded **'Rising Star'** status after overcoming an eventful journey to graduate over Aqueduct's one-turn mile at first asking on Breeders' Cup Saturday, Nov. 4, Sierra Leone looked all but home after a heroic rally in the Remsen, only to have Dornoch come back on him at the post. Opting for the long Fair Grounds stretch for his sophomore debut in the Risen Star, he was as many as 10 off the inside in upper stretch and powered home to best Track Phantom (**Quality Road**) and next-out GII Louisiana Derby winner Catching Freedom (**Constitution**) by a half-length with blinkers on for the first time.



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Pedigree Notes:

Sierra Leone is the eighth elite-level winner for his leading fourth-crop sire and is the only winner from his dam, who carried the silks of breeder Debby Oxley to victory in this track's GI Darley Alcibiades S. in 2017.

Heavenly Love is a daughter of Darling My Darling, a \$300,000 Keeneland September purchase by John Oxley in 1998 who won the Doubledogdare S. and Raven Run S. in Lexington while also placing in the GI Frizette S. and GI Matron S. Darling My Darling is also the dam of 2016 GII Santa Ynez S. winner Forever Darling (Congrats), whose son Forever Young (Jpn) (Real Steel {Jpn}) is the top 3-year-old dirt horse in Japan and followed up on a narrow victory in the G3 Saudi Derby Feb. 24 with success in the Mar. 30 G2 UAE Derby for trainer Yoshito Yahagi, stamping his own ticket to Louisville. Sierra Leone's Grade I-winning third dam also produced Japanese Horse of the Year Zenno Rob Roy (Jpn) (Sunday Silence).

Heavenly Love foaled a colt by **Nyquist** in 2022 and produced a full-sister to Sierra Leone Feb. 11.

Saturday, Keeneland

TOYOTA BLUE GRASS S.-GI, \$995,782, Keeneland, 4-6, 3yo, 1 1/8m, 1:50.08, ft.

1--**SIERRA LEONE, 123, c, 3**, by **Gun Runner**



1st Dam: Heavenly Love (GISW, \$346,200), by Malibu Moon

2nd Dam: Darling My Darling, by Deputy Minister

3rd Dam: Roamin Rachel, by Mining

1ST GRADE I WIN. (\$2,300,000 Ylg '22 FTSAUG). **'TDN Rising Star'**. O-Peter M. Brant, Mrs. John Magnier, Michael Tabor, Derrick Smith, Westerberg and Brook T. Smith; B-Debby M. Oxley (KY); T-Chad C. Brown; J-Tyler Gaffalione. \$581,250.

Lifetime Record: 4-3-1-0, \$918,000. **Werk Nick Rating: A+++.**


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2--**Just a Touch**, 123, c, 3, **Justify**--Touching Beauty, by **Tapit**.

1ST G1 BLACK TYPE. (\$170,000 RNA Ylg '22 KEESEP; \$125,000 Ylg '22 FTKOCT; \$300,000 2yo '23 OBSAPR). O-Qatar Racing, LLC, Resolute Racing and Marc Detampel; B-Don Alberto Corporation (KY); T-Brad H. Cox. \$187,500.

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3--**Epic Ride**, 123, c, 3, **Blame**--Pick a Time, by Gio Ponti.

1ST GRADED BLACK TYPE, 1ST G1 BLACK TYPE. (\$160,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP). O-Welch Racing LLC; B-Fred W. Hertrich (KY); T-John Ennis. \$93,750.

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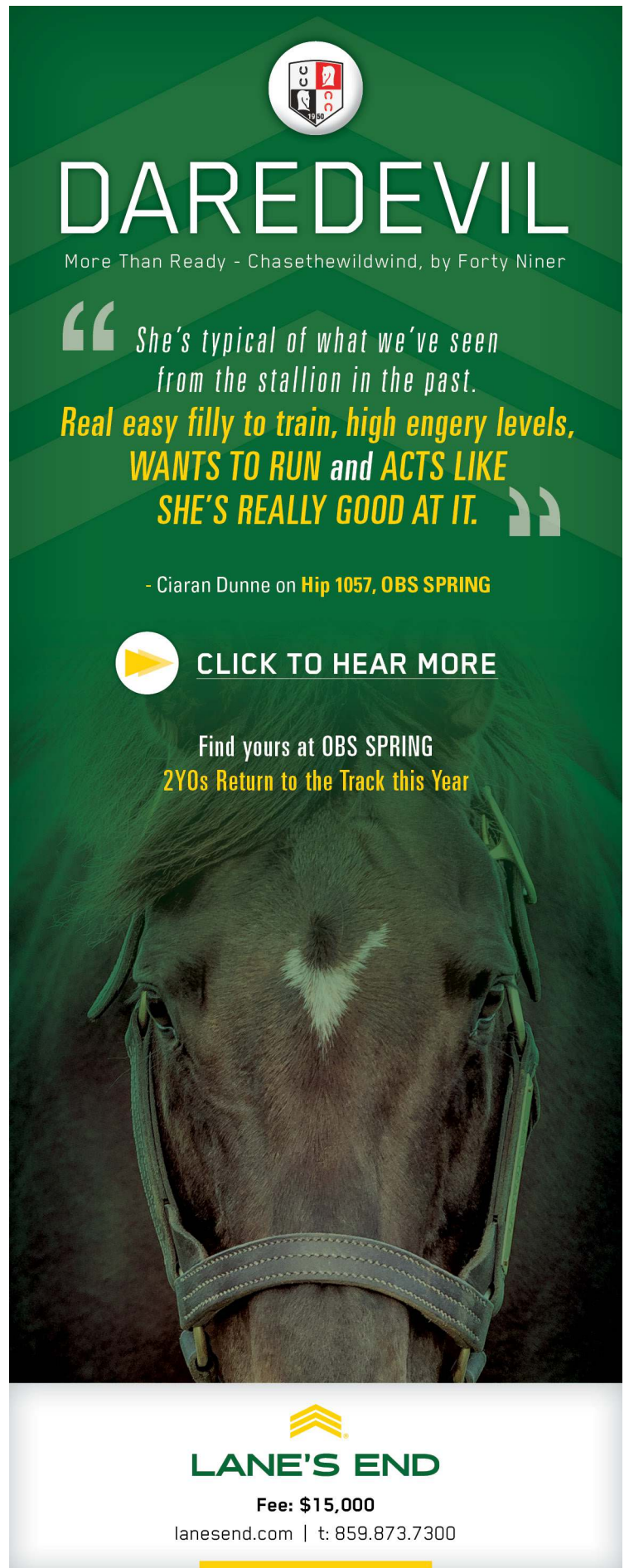
“We thought we needed a top three performance to get to the Kentucky Derby,” winning trainer Phil D’Amato said. “We were definitely hoping to get on the winning end here. I think this was a great education for him, and a nice test that he’s going to need to win a race like the Kentucky Derby.”

The win was the first at Grade I level in America for Antonio Fresu.

“I loved the way Phil D’Amato was training him the last couple of works,” the Italian said. “The horse was getting so much confidence and he was getting so much better than before. Today he proved to be a very good horse. Still, when he hit the front, he didn’t want to stay alone, he was waiting for some company. He got the job done and I want to dedicate this to my friend that passed away. I felt like he was there with me today. Stefano Cherchi was an amazing guy and I want to dedicate this to him.”

A maiden winner at second asking going Churchill’s one-turn mile Oct. 1, Stronghold was a distant runner-up to **TDN Rising Star** Nysos (**Nyquist**) in the GIII Bob Hope S. at Del Mar Nov. 19 before just getting reeled in late by **Wynstock** (Solomini) in the GII Los Alamitos Futurity Dec. 16. Sent to the Land of Enchantment for his sophomore debut, Stronghold proved too strong for his rivals at Sunland Park, taking that track’s repositioned Derby by 2 1/2 widening lengths Feb. 18.

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Pedigree Notes:

Hill 'n' Dale's **Ghostzapper**, the veteran son of Awesome Again out of Broodmare of the Year Baby Zip, may be among the elder statesmen in Kentucky's sire ranks, but he still cranks out top horses, among them 55 graded winners and 100 black-type winners worldwide. While Stronghold marks his only stakes winner of 2024 to date, **Ghostzapper's** other best runners most recently have included 2022-23 Eclipse champion female sprinter Goodnight Olive, 2022 Canadian Horse of the Year Moira, 2021 G1 Dubai World Cup winner **Mystic Guide**, and triple Grade I winner Guarana. No fewer than nine of **Ghostzapper's** stakes winners are out of Distorted Humor mares, with GISWs Guarana and Molly Morgan, as well as 2023 GSWs Rhyme Schemes and Two Ghosts, all bred on the same cross as Stronghold, who is the first stakes winner for Distorted Humor's son Jimmy Creed as a broodmare sire. Jimmy Creed stands at Spendthrift.

Stronghold is a fourth-generation homebred for the Waller family. Eric and Sharon Waller lost his dam, Spectator, after she foaled Stronghold--her only produce--in 2021. They had sold her dam, the unraced Diva's Tribute, to Richard Barton Enterprises in 2015 at Keeneland November for just \$4,700. After Spectator won the 2017 GII Sorrento S. and placed twice in Grade Is, Diva's Tribute went through Keeneland's ring again in 2022 and hammered for \$175,000 to Calvin Nguyen. She produced a **Maxfield** filly last year for Nguyen and partner Joey Tran before being bred to **Idol** for 2024. --Jill Williams

Saturday, Santa Anita

SANTA ANITA DERBY-GI, \$751,500, Santa Anita, 4-6, 3yo, 1 1/8m, 1:49.98, ft.

1--**STRONGHOLD, 124, c, 3, by Ghostzapper**

1st Dam: Spectator (GSW & MGISP, \$323,551), by Jimmy Creed

2nd Dam: Diva's Tribute, by Henny Hughes

3rd Dam: Swiss Diva, by Swiss Yodeler

1ST GRADE I WIN. O/B-Eric & Sharon Waller (KY); T-Philip D'Amato; J-Antonio Fresu. \$450,000. Lifetime Record: 6-3-3-0, \$827,200. **Werk Nick Rating: A+++.** *Triple Plus*

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2--**Imagination, 124, c, 3, Into Mischief--Magical Feeling**, by Empire Maker. **1ST G1 BLACK TYPE.** (\$1,050,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP). O-SF Racing LLC, Starlight Racing, Madaket Stables LLC, Stonestreet Stables LLC, Dianne Bashor, Robert E. Masterson, Waves Edge Capital LLC, Catherine Donovan and

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3--E J Won the Cup, 124, c, 3, Omaha Beach--Firsthand Report, by **Blame**. **1ST BLACK TYPE, 1ST GRADED BLACK TYPE, 1ST G1 BLACK TYPE.** (\$150,000 Wlg '21 KEENOV; \$95,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP). O-Superfecta King Stable (Margolis); B-Hoolie Racing Stable, LLC (KY); T-Doug F. O'Neill. \$90,000.

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ALVA STARR GAINS REVENGE ON VAHVA IN MADISON by Alan Carasso



Alva Starr | Coady

Dale Ladner's **Alva Starr** (Lord Nelson) was run down by **Vahva** (**Gun Runner**) in the shadow of the winning post and dropped a narrow decision in the GII Lexus Raven Run S. during last year's fall meeting at Keeneland. But the speedy bay--favored by about \$9,000 when all was said and done in the GI Resolute Racing Madison S.--managed to reverse form by a similar margin Saturday, even as she was forced to show a new dimension.

In the vanguard early, Alva Starr was eased back into a wide fourth to sit just off the pace into the turn as **Red Carpet Ready** (**Oscar Performance**) sped through from her inside draw to duel with **Hot And Sultry** (Speightster) through an opening quarter in :21.98. Consigned to a four-deep run around the turn, a stark contrast to normal front-running ways, Alva Star nevertheless rolled up outside, easily claimed Red Carpet Ready at the three-sixteenths pole and set sail for the wire. Still clear into the final furlong, Alva Starr was able to hold sway as Vahva was taking ground off of her with every stride.

Winning jockey Tyler Gaffalione admitted that the race did not unfold precisely as planned.

"No, [coming from off the pace wasn't the plan], but there was a lot of speed up there and I didn't want to get into a four-way battle," he said. "She relaxed for me and when I called on her, she responded for me. I peeked over at the screen at about the eighth pole and I saw somebody [Vahva] was to my outside, but my filly was still running at that point and I was fairly confident we were going to be able to get the job done."

Runner-up in allowance company in her first two starts at three at Oaklawn and Churchill, Alva Starr dominated older females in the July 8 Dashing Beauty S. at Delaware Park, then bossed her peers by 8 3/4 lengths in the GII Prioress S. at Saratoga Sept. 2. Beaten a half-length at 9-10 in the Raven Run, Alva Starr resumed with a smooth 3 1/2-length tally in a muddy renewal of the Feb. 3 American Beauty S. in Hot Springs.

Pedigree Notes:

Dale Ladner paid \$30,000 for a first-crop filly from the first crop of Into Mischief at the 2011 Breeders' Sales Company of Louisiana's September Yearling Sale, and Sittin At the Bar would go on to win 11 of 19 starts--nine in stakes company--and over \$700,000 while under the care of Brett Brinkman.

Sittin At the Bar has been even more successful in her second career, as each of her four sons and daughters to make the races are black-type winners, including Alva Starr's half-sister Cilla, who won the 2021 Prioress S.

Sittin At the Bar is also the dam of the 2-year-old filly Walkinaftermidnite, a yearling **Gun Runner** filly and was most recently bred to Cyberknife. **Cont. p8**

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Saturday, Keeneland

RESOLUTE RACING MADISON S.-GI, \$591,050, Keeneland, 4-6, 4yo/up, f/m, 7f, 1:23.36, ft.

1--**ALVA STARR**, 123, f, 4, by Lord Nelson

1st Dam: **Sittin At the Bar (MSW & GSP, \$705,896)**, by Into Mischief

2nd Dam: **Fast Laner**, by Mutakddim

3rd Dam: **Lois Laner**, by Cutlass Reality

1ST GRADE I WIN. O-P. Dale Ladner; B-Brett A. Brinkman & P. Dale Ladner (KY); T-Brett A. Brinkman; J-Tyler Gaffalione. \$358,050. Lifetime Record: 8-5-3-0, \$778,450. *1/2 to Cilla (California Chrome), GSW & GISP, \$509,000; 1/2 to Jack the Umpire (Bodemeister), SW, \$193,435; and Club Car (Malibu Moon), SW & MGSP, \$677,265. **Werk Nick Rating: A+++.**

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2--**Vahva**, 123, f, 4, by **Gun Runner**

1st Dam: **Holiday Soiree (SW & GISP, \$405,642)**, by Harlan's Holiday

2nd Dam: **Try to Remember**, by Include

3rd Dam: **Casanova Striker**, by Smart Strike

1ST G1 BLACK TYPE. (\$280,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP). O-Belladonna Racing, LLC, Edward J. Hudson, Jr., West Point Thoroughbreds,

LBD Stable LLC, Nice Guys Stables, Manganaro Bloodstock, Runnels Racing, Hornstock, Steve and Twin Brook Stables; B-Woodford Thoroughbreds, LLC (KY); T-Cherie DeVaux. \$115,500.

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3--**Red Carpet Ready**, 123, f, 4, by **Oscar Performance**

1st Dam: **Wild Silk**, by **Street Sense**

2nd Dam: **Spun Silk**, by A.P. Indy

3rd Dam: **Spunoutacontrol**, by Wild Again

1ST G1 BLACK TYPE. (\$180,000 Ylg '21 FTSAUG; \$100,000 RNA 2yo '22 OBSAPR). O-Ashbrook Farm and Upland Flats Racing; B-Lynn B. Schiff (KY); T-George R. Arnold, II. \$57,750.

Margins: HF, 4HF, 1. Odds: 2.16, 2.38, 4.88.

Also Ran: Sterling Silver, Maryquitecontrary, Hot and Sultry, Big Pond, Icicles. **Click for the Equibase.com chart and the TJCS.com PPs. VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

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Breeder: Debby M. Oxley

Trainer: Chad C. Brown

2nd - JUST A TOUCH

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Candy Ride (ARG) - House of Danzing, by Chester House

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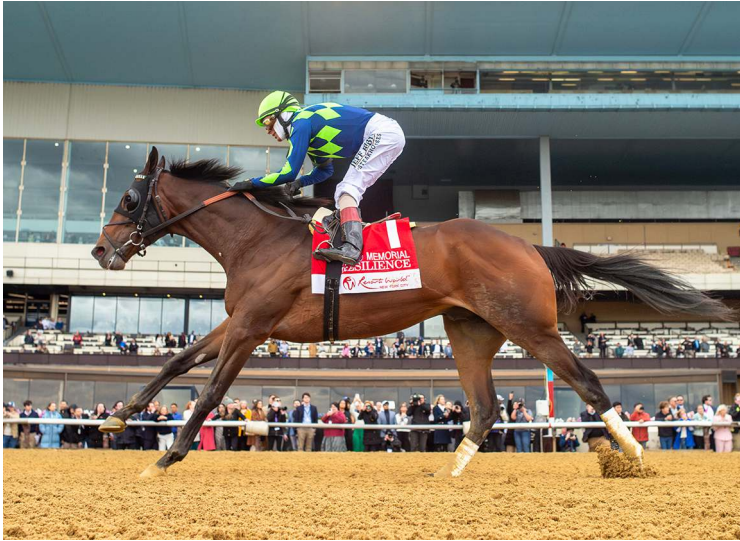
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RESILIENCE WINS SPILL-MARRED WOOD MEMORIAL



Resilience | Sarah Andrew

Emily Bushnell and Ric Waldman's **Resilience** (Into Mischief) punched his ticket to the GI Kentucky Derby for Hall of Famer Bill Mott in an eventful renewal of Saturday's GII Wood Memorial S. at Aqueduct.

Last out Aqueduct maiden winner **Society Man** (**Good Magic**), off at boxcar odds of 106-1, was second. Another longshot **Protective** (**Medaglia d'Oro**), a maiden of two starts, was third at 38-1.

The race was marred by a spill in the stretch when the Uriah St Lewis owned/trained-longshot **Deposition** (**Constitution**) appeared to clip heels while racing in traffic inside the three-sixteenths marker and unseated jockey Dexter Haddock.

Dr. Sarah Hinchliffe, NYRA's Veterinary Department Director, reported that Deposition stood up under his own power and walked onto the equine ambulance and was transported to the Cornell Ruffian Equine Specialists clinic for further evaluation. Haddock was transported to a local hospital for further evaluation.

The rail-drawn Resilience, off as the third choice at odds of 9-2, sat a dream trip beneath John Velazquez in third while racing with first-time blinkers through fractions of :23.45 and :47.49. He revved up three deep approaching the quarter pole, hit the front as they turned for home and kept on rolling down the stretch despite drifting late to win by 2 1/4 lengths.

Resilience, a maiden winner at fourth asking at Gulfstream Park Jan. 1, finished a respectable fourth in a key renewal of the GII Risen Star S. in the Fair Grounds slop Feb. 17. The winner that day 'TDN Rising Star' Sierra Leone (**Gun Runner**) returned to impressively capture Saturday's GI Blue Grass S. at Keeneland. Risen Star third-place finisher Catching Freedom (**Constitution**) followed up with a win in the GII Louisiana Derby. **Cont. p10**



TWIRLING CANDY

Candy Ride (ARG) - House of Danzing, by Chester House

NEW GSW AG BULLET

Earned her third stakes win and her first graded stakes win in the **G3 MONROVIA S.** at Santa Anita.

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Wood Memorial cont.

"He ran very well," Mott said. "[Assistant trainer] Leana [Willaford] did a great job with him. It was a similar trip to what we were hoping for. The blinkers didn't hurt, did they."

Resilience is campaigned in partnership by Thoroughbred consultant Ric Waldman, who oversaw the stallion career of the legendary Storm Cat, and Emily Bushnell, daughter of longtime owner/breeders Marty and Pam Wygod.



Ric Waldman and Emily Bushnell | Sarah Andrew

"We weren't confident, but hopeful," Waldman said. "His race in the Risen Star was better than it appeared and he gave up a lot. Bill [Mott] taking him back to Payson Park and training him for these weeks, he had him just picture perfect for this race."

Waldman continued, "He broke well and he was in great position as you'd want him to be. And John [Velazquez] just bided his time, stayed covered up, and when he saw an opening, he moved him out and the rest you saw yourself."

"It's our first Derby. I grew up in Louisville and I cut my teeth cutting school and going to Churchill Downs. It means a lot."

Bushnell added, "We're just so excited. He showed up, and Bill has done such an amazing job with him. Johnny rode him perfectly, and we're just so happy. I feel so lucky to be part of this incredible horse. He has brought my family's breeding program full circle. My father's [Marty Wygod] dedication and love for the Thoroughbred industry has spanned multiple years and Resilience is the product of a broodmare line he has nurtured and it is so exciting to see him succeed at this level."

Previously unbeaten 'TDN Rising Star' and GIII Gotham S. winner **Deterministic (Liam's Map)**, off as the 4-5 favorite, and the two-for-two second-choice **Tuscan Sky (Vino Rosso)**, both disappointed, finishing eighth and seventh, respectively.

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Pedigree Notes:

Resilience becomes the 71st graded winner for the all-conquering Into Mischief. He was represented by his 21st Grade I winner via Leslie's Rose in Friday's GI Ashland S. at Keeneland. Two-time winner Meadowsweet, a daughter of the Wygod family's MGISW Tranquility Lake (Rahy), is also represented by the 2-year-old colt Capitol Hill (Into Mischief) and an Into Mischief filly of 2024. Tranquility Lake is also the dam of MGISW After Market (Storm Cat) and GISW and GI Breeders' Cup Mile runner-up Courageous Cat (Storm Cat).

Saturday, Aqueduct

WOOD MEMORIAL S. PRESENTED BY RESORTS WORLD CASINO-GII, \$750,000, Aqueduct, 4-6, 3yo, 1 1/8m, 1:50.28, ft. 1--**RESILIENCE**, 123, c, 3, by Into Mischief

- 1st Dam: Meadowsweet, by Smart Strike
- 2nd Dam: Tranquility Lake, by Rahy
- 3rd Dam: Winters' Love, by Danzig

1ST BLACK TYPE WIN, 1ST GRADED STAKES WIN. O-Emily Bushnell and Ric Waldman; B-Pam & Martin Wygod (KY); T-William I. Mott; J-John R. Velazquez. \$400,000. Lifetime Record: 6-2-1-1, \$494,630. **Werk Nick Rating: A+++.** *Triple Plus* Click for the [eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree](#). Click for the free [Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree](#).

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2--**Society Man**, 123, g, 3, **Good Magic**--You Cheated, by Colonel John. **1ST BLACK TYPE, 1ST GRADED BLACK TYPE.** (\$85,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP). O-West Paces Racing LLC, Danny Gargan and GMP Stables LLC; B-SF Bloodstock LLC (KY); T-Danny Gargan. \$140,000.

Hartwell Farm Graduate

3--**Protective**, 123, c, 3, **Medaglia d'Oro**--Grace Hall, by Empire Maker. **1ST BLACK TYPE, 1ST GRADED BLACK TYPE.** (\$250,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP). O-Repole Stable; B-Alpha Delta Stables, LLC (KY); T-Todd A. Pletcher. \$75,000.

Broken & Trained by **KARL KEEGAN, LUCAN BLOODSTOCK**

LANE'S END SALES GRADUATE

Margins: 2 1/4, 1HF, 3 3/4. Odds: 4.50, 106.75, 38.00.
 Also Ran: Lonesome Boy, Uncle Heavy, Elysian Meadows, Tuscan Sky, Deterministic, Evening News, Merit, Gettysburg Address, Deposition. Scratched: El Grande O.
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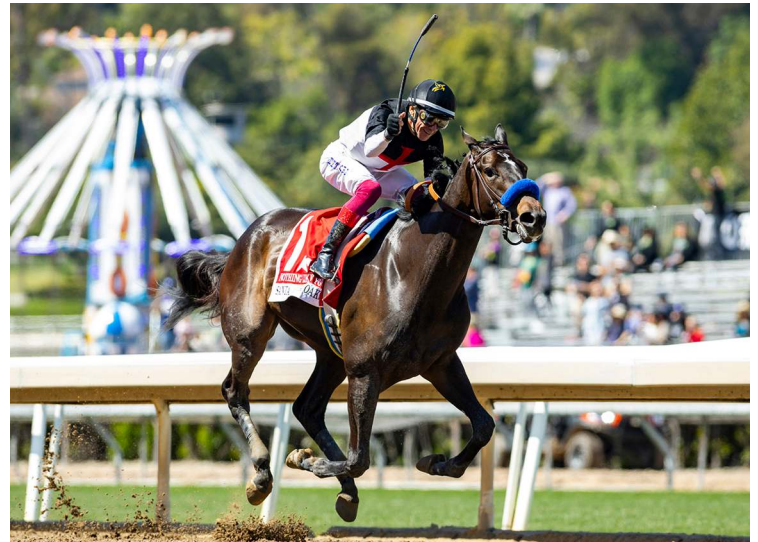
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NOTHING LIKE DETTORI, WHO WINS SANTA ANITA OAKS ON NOTHING LIKE YOU IN SIX-WIN STREAK *by Jill Williams*

In an event billed almost as a match race between California star fillies **Kinza** (Carpe Diem), a MGSW and 'TDN Rising Star' for Hall of Famer Bob Baffert, and **Kopion** (Omaha Beach), a GSW for Hall of Famer Richard Mandella, it was Baffert's other entrant, **Nothing Like You** (Malibu Moon) who upended the GII Santa Anita Oaks in Arcadia and reported home an eased-up 7 1/2-length victress. Kinza was second, giving Baffert the exacta but suffering her first career loss, and last-out maiden winner **Corposo** (Vino Rosso) was third, while Kopion weakened to fourth.

Kentucky Oaks points were on the line in the Santa Anita Oaks and were offered on a scale of 100-50-25-15-10; however, both Nothing Like You and Kinza are ineligible to earn points as Baffert's horses continue to be prohibited from racing at Churchill Downs.

Winning jockey Frankie Dettori captured his fifth consecutive race of the day in the Santa Anita Oaks, which was carded as the sixth race Saturday. After finishing sixth in Race 1, Dettori gave a master class by winning Races 2-6, but he didn't stop there, taking Race 7 after the Oaks to make it six in a row.



Nothing Like You and Frankie Dettori | *Benoit*

He didn't have a mount in Race 8 and finished third in Race 9, the GIII Monrovia S., and second in Race 10, the GI Santa Anita Derby. While six consecutive wins might be a career highlight for most riders, it's just another day in the iconic career of Dettori, who has been a household name since his "Magnificent Seven" in 1996, when he won all seven races on the Ascot card, including the GI Queen Elizabeth II S.

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Dettori and Nothing Like You broke from the rail in the Santa Anita Oaks, immediately settling into a comfortable rhythm while a joint third as Kinza tallied early fractions of :23.42 and :46.88 up front with Kopion glued to her flank. Shuffled back to fourth at the top of the stretch, Dettori continued to bide his time until room opened on the rail and he shot through with Nothing Like You in the blink of an eye. Dettori stayed busy on the bay until the last sixteenth, when it was clear the pair would be uncatchable. They covered the 1 1/6 miles in 1:43.21.

"I was fully loaded at the quarter pole," said Dettori. "I just needed a little bit of room and she took off. What can you say about Baffert? He's a genius. We have a good working relationship. He trains them and I ride them."



Well clear in the Santa Anita Oaks | Benoit

Baffert added, "Without the horse, the jockey doesn't matter, but Dettori kept this filly as clean as possible... Unfortunately, when you use Dettori, you can't blame it on the jockey. He's just a phenom. He is world class and has brought his talent to every stage. He's just that good, but you have to give him the horse. And he had the horse to do it."

Dettori first rode Nothing Like You in the Feb. 10 Gill Las Virgenes S., a race in which she was fourth behind Kinza and Kopion. Dettori specifically said the filly did not appreciate the kickback that day and he took care of keep her out of it Saturday. She had previously won three in a row, including the Desi Arnaz S. at Del Mar in November and the GII Starlet S. at Los Alamitos in December.

Pedigree Notes:

The bedrock of the modern Spendthrift goes down to Malibu Moon, who died in 2021 of an apparent heart attack at age 24. Nothing Like You is one of 55 graded winners and 138 black-type winners for the son of A.P. Indy, but only the third for 2006 GI Santa Anita Derby winner Brother Derek as a broodmare sire.

The latter was last reported to be standing in Saudi Arabia.

It's a pretty safe bet to surmise not too many Hastings Racecourse runners find their foals winning graded stakes at Santa Anita, but Nothing Like You's dam, Miss Derek, was a three-time stakes winner at Hastings in Canada. Wolverton Mountain Farm, co-breeder of the Oaks winner, picked her up for \$30,000 at the Fasig-Tipton Winter Mixed Sale in 2015. She produced Aqueduct's 2018 Tepin S. winner South of France (**Quality Road**) as her first foal, while Nothing Like You is her most recent produce. John Rogitz, part of Nothing Like You's ownership group, picked up the Oaks winner for \$190,000 at the 2023 OBS April sale after she worked a furlong in :10.

Saturday, Santa Anita

SANTA ANITA OAKS-GII, \$300,000, Santa Anita, 4-6, 3yo, f, 1 1/16m, 1:43.21, ft.

1--**NOTHING LIKE YOU**, 124, f, 3, by **Malibu Moon**

1st Dam: Miss Derek (MSW-Can, SP-USA, \$159,610), by Brother Derek

2nd Dam: Quick Text, by Tiznow

3rd Dam: Super Seniorita, by El Baba

(\$67,000 Wlg '21 KEENOV; \$20,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP; \$190,000 2yo '23 OBSAPR). O-Georgia Antley Hunt, Jeff Giglio and John L. Rogitz; B-Notch Hill Farm, Wolverton Mountain Farm & Spendthrift Stallions, LLC (KY); T-Bob Baffert; J-Lanfranco Dettori. \$180,000. Lifetime Record: 8-4-1-0, \$423,160.

*1/2 to South of France (**Quality Road**), SW, \$156,005. **Werk**

Nick Rating: B. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.

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2--**Kinza**, 124, f, 3, Carpe Diem--Secret Wonder, by **Quality Road**.

'**TDN Rising Star**'. (\$17,000 Wlg '21 FTNMIX; \$30,000 Ylg '22 OBSOCT; \$350,000 2yo '23 EASMAY). O-Michael Lund Petersen; B-JD Business Ventures LLC, Brushy Hill Stable & Carpe Diem Syndicate (NY); T-Bob Baffert. \$60,000.

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3--**Corposo**, 124, f, 3, Vino Rosso--Manki, by Arch. **1ST BLACK TYPE, 1ST GRADED BLACK TYPE**. O-Madaket Stables LLC and Slam Dunk Racing; B-Nick Cosato (KY); T-Peter Eurton. \$36,000.

Margins: 7HF, HF, 8. Odds: 7.20, 0.50, 12.30.

Also Ran: Kopion, Ifuaintfirsturlast.

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Saturday, Keeneland**APPALACHIAN S. PRESENTED BY JAPAN RACING**

ASSOCIATION-GII, \$386,888, Keeneland, 4-6, 3yo, f, 1mT, 1:36.36, gd.

1--**BUCHU**, 120, f, 3, by **Justify**

1st Dam: Flowering Peach (Ire), by Galileo (Ire)

2nd Dam: Naples Bay, by Giant's Causeway

3rd Dam: Cappucino Bay, by Bailjumper

(\$275,000 RNA Ylg '22 KESEEP). O/B-Rigney Racing, LLC (KY); T-Philip A. Bauer; J-Martin Garcia. \$226,300. Lifetime Record: 7-3-0-2, \$541,255. **Werk Nick Rating: A+++**. ***Triple Plus***.

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2--**Mo Fox Givin**, 118, f, 3, **Mo Town--Givine (Fr)**, by Blackdown (Fr). **1ST GRADED BLACK TYPE**. (\$2,000 Ylg '22 FTKOCT). O-Woo Pig Stables; B-Liberty Road Stables (KY); T-Leonard Powell. \$73,000.

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3--**Dancing N Dixie**, 118, f, 3, Neolithic--Foolhearted Woman, by Uncaptured. (\$35,000 2yo '23 OBSOPN). O-Quintessential Racing Florida LLC, Rocky Top Stable (Ventura) and LEMB Stables; B-Freddie Hyatt (FL); T-Mark E. Casse. \$27,375. Margins: HF, NK, 3. Odds: 6.52, 58.91, 10.77.

Also Ran: Simply in Front, Poolside With Slim (Ire), Austere, Living Magic, Grecian Goddess, Kairyu (Ire), Crown Imperial, Pounce, Dozen Diamonds.

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Buchu | Coady/Renee Torbit

Rigney Racing homebred Buchu, winner of the GII Jessamine S. over this course last year at two, made her 3-year-old debut a winning one and kept her Keeneland record perfect with a late-closing score in the \$400,000 GII Appalachian S. Saturday. California shipper Mo Fox Givin and last-out GIII Florida Oaks third Dancing N Dixie chased her home in second and third, respectively.

Buchu broke smoothly from the nine hole and quickly settled into a midpack spot on the outside, rating throughout while in the clear as Poolside With Slim (Ire) (**Churchill {Ire}**) set fractions of :22.88 and :47.25 and favorite Pounce (Lookin At Lucky) tracked from third. Midway on the turn, Buchu unfurled a sharp turn of foot as she circled the field while five wide and hit the front in a no-nonsense effort despite bobbling in the last sixteenth. Mo Fox Givin and Dancing N Dixie, both longshots who were 11th and 12th at the first call, got within a half-length and a neck, respectively, but couldn't catch the winner. The final time for the one mile was 1:36.36.

"We came over here knowing she had run well," said winning trainer Phil Bauer. "But this was a pretty good test and you don't expect those efforts. I was a little worried maybe she hit the front too early, but she's game and hung on. So it's a pretty special feeling to be out here for the second time [after winning the Jessamine last year]. You come here as a kid and dream about it, and it's pretty surreal."

Buchu had an exceptional fall last year as a juvenile. After initial tries at Ellis Park and Saratoga, she broke her maiden by daylight in her second try on the lawn and first time at Churchill. A powerful performance in the Jessamine followed before an off-the-board finish in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies Turf. Freshened since that effort, she has worked consistently during the last month at Churchill, including a bullet four furlongs in :48 1/5 (1/20) over the training track Mar. 22 and a :47 1/5 half (4/30) Mar. 29 on the main track.

Pedigree Notes:

Hailing from the same family as MGSW **Medaglia d'Oro**, dam Flowering Peach (Ire) is out of MGSW Naples Bay, a half-sister to that stellar Darley sire and who herself brought \$3.6 million to the bid of M. V. Magnier at the 2014 Keeneland November sale. Flowering Peach is a full-sister to French GSW First Minister (Ire) and has produced two foals following Buchu: a now-yearling colt by **Uncle Mo** and a **Golden Pal** filly born Feb. 10. Buchu is one of 323 stakes winners out of a daughter of Galileo (Ire).

The Appalachian winner is also one of 18 graded winners and 26 black-type winners worldwide for 2018 Horse of the Year **Justify**, who stands at Coolmore America and was the leading second-crop sire of 2023.

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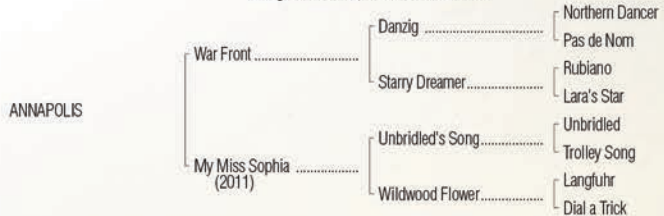
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LESLIE'S ROSE
Ashland S. (G1) - o/o half-sister to
MATERIALITY and **MY MISS SOPHIA**

ANNAPOLIS Bay Horse; foaled 2019



By **WAR FRONT** (2002). Black-type winner of \$424,205, Alfred G. Vanderbilt Breeders' Cup H. [G2] (SAR, \$124,920), etc. Among the leading sires, sire of 15 crops of racing age, 1047 foals, 807 starters, 115 black-type winners, 3 champions, 595 winners of 1671 races and earning \$98,487,-008, including Lines of Battle [G1] (champion in Hong Kong, \$2,647,223).

1st dam

MY MISS SOPHIA, by Unbridled's Song. 3 wins at 3 and 4, \$605,040, Gazelle S. [G2] (AQU, \$180,000), 2nd Longines Kentucky Oaks [G1] (CD, \$186,000), 3rd First Lady S. [G1] (KEE, \$40,000), Ketel One Ballston Spa S. [G2] (SAR, \$48,000). Dam of 3 foals, 2 winners--

ANNAPOLIS (c. by War Front). Subject stallion.

Nevisian Sunrise (f. by War Front). Winner at 3 and 4, \$208,180, 3rd Wild Applause S. [L] (BEL, \$12,000), Osunitas S.-R (DMR, \$12,000).

2nd dam

WILDWOOD FLOWER, by Langfuhr. 3 wins at 2, \$109,916, Piedmont S. (GG, \$33,550), 3rd Stonerside Beaumont S. [G2] (KEE, \$25,000), etc. Dam of--

MATERIALITY (c. by Afleet Alex). 3 wins in 5 starts at 3, \$686,028, Besilu II Stables Florida Derby [G1] (GP, \$595,200).

MY MISS SOPHIA (f. by Unbridled's Song). Black-type winner, above.

Lilies So Fair. Winner at 3, \$21,809. Dam of 9 foals, 6 winners, including--
Grand Mo the First (c. by Uncle Mo). 2 wins in 3 starts at 2, \$74,400, 3rd Zuma Beach S. [G3] (SA, \$24,000).

Palladium (g. by Graydar). 6 wins, 2 to 4, \$122,291, 2nd Gottstein Futurity (EMD, \$9,400).

3rd dam

DIAL A TRICK, by Phone Trick. Unraced. Half-sister to **FIGHTING FANTASY** [G3] (\$572,820), **Snow Forest** [L], **Filet** [L]. Dam of 7 winners, incl.--

EYE OF THE TIGER. 5 wins, 2 to 4, \$535,679, Washington Park H. [G2] II (AP, \$210,000), Affirmed H. [G3] (HOL, \$63,120), etc. Sire.

WILDWOOD FLOWER. Black-type winner, above.

Expansive. 2 wins, \$70,315, 3rd Ellis Park Debutante S. [L] (ELP, \$10,750). Dam of **AFLEET EXPRESS** (\$835,140), **Travers S.** [G1] (SAR, \$600,000) etc., sire)

EMBELLISH THE LACE (\$441,540, Alabama S. [G1] (SAR, \$360,000), producer), **REPORTING FOR DUTY** [L] (Total: \$471,453).

ACE RECORD: At 2, two wins (Pilgrim S. [G2] (BEL, \$110,000)) in 2 starts; at 3, three wins (Coolmore Turf Mile S. [G1] (KEE, \$573,500), Saranac S. [G3] (SAR, \$110,000), Manila S. [L] (BEL, \$55,000)), twice 2nd (Caesars Saratoga Derby Invitational S. [G1] (SAR, \$185,000), Penn Mile S. [G2] (PEN, \$77,600)) in 6 starts; at 4, one win (Opening Verse S. [L] (CD, \$175,270)), twice 2nd (Furst and Love H. [G1] (SAR, \$100,000), Yocco S. [G3] (SAR, \$35,000)). Total wins: 4; total earnings: \$1,510,770.

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Saturday, Keeneland

SHAKERTOWN S.-GII, \$337,969, Keeneland, 4-6, 3yo/up, 5 1/2ft, 1:02.93, gd.

1--**ARZAK**, 124, h, 6, by **Not This Time**

1st Dam: Delightful Melody, by Tapit

2nd Dam: Bending Strings, by American Chance

3rd Dam: Straight South, by Hail the Pirates

(\$85,000 Ylg '19 KEESEP; \$575,000 2yo '20 OBSAPR). O-Sonata Stable; B-John C. Oxley (KY); T-Michael J. Trombetta; J-Irad Ortiz, Jr. \$198,013. Lifetime Record: 25-8-3-1, \$824,019.

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

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2--**Mischief Magic (Ire)**, 122, c, 4, Exceed And Excel (Aus)--Veil of Silence (Ire), by Elusive Quality. O/B-Godolphin (IRE); T-Charles Appleby. \$54,750.

3--**Eamonn**, 122, h, 6, Pioneerof the Nile--Super Espresso, by **Medaglia d'Oro**. **1ST GRADED BLACK TYPE**. (\$190,000 RNA Ylg '19 KEESEP). O-Robert Cotran; B-B. Flay Thoroughbreds (KY); T-Joseph F. Orseno. \$31,938.

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Margins: 1, HD, NK. Odds: 3.62, 2.21, 21.65.

Also Ran: Our Shot, Bad Beat Brian, Panther Island, Let My People Go, Yes I Am Free, Coppola, Beer Can Man, Sosua Summer, Front Run the Fed. Scratched: Mark of the Z.

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Arzak | Coady

Making his seasonal bow Saturday, last year's GII Woodford S. winner Arzak stayed perfect over the Keeneland turf course and picked up another graded stake in the GII Shakertown S. Sixth but beaten just two lengths last out in the GI Breeders' Cup Turf Sprint at Santa Anita last November, the Michael Trombetta trainee returned to Kentucky where his first try over course and distance netted him the Woodford upset at 11-1 odds and a career-best 101 Beyer Speed Figure. Jumping at 7-2 Saturday, the \$575,000 OBS April grad ran with the front flight and sat just off the rail from fourth as Yes I Am Free (Uncaptured) and Coppola (Into Mischief) paced the field into the turn through a quarter in :21.61. Perfectly positioned just off the speed, Arzak was poised to strike at the furlong pole and closed well once he swapped leads, building enough separation to hold off a trio of closing challengers for the win.

"We gave him a little vacation after the Breeders' Cup," said Trombetta. "They sent him to Ocala to winter. We brought him up to Fair Hill pretty early, like in February, so we could get him started. Fortunately the weather cooperated and we didn't miss any works. He's trained brilliantly all winter. His last three races are as good as anything he's ever done. I was a little worried coming off the layoff, that he'd be ready, but he showed up and did what he needed to do. It's hard to do [win two stakes at Keeneland, this one following the Woodford-G2 last fall], so I hope to be back here in the fall with him."

Pedigree Notes:

One of 34 stakes winners for **Not This Time**, Arzak impressed at OBS April in 2020 when selling for \$575,000 to Marc Tacher. Dam Delightful Melody, out of MGSW/MGISP Bending Strings, has produced four winners from five to race and herself brought \$500,000 as a yearling at Saratoga when selling to Marc Casse at FTSAUG in 2013. The winner has a yearling half-brother by **Flameaway** and Delightful Melody visited **Girvin** for this year.



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Saturday, Aqueduct

CARTER H. PRESENTED BY NYRA BETS-GII, \$279,000, Aqueduct, 4-6, 4yo/up, 7f, 1:24, ft.

1--**POST TIME, 120, c, 4, by Frosted**



1st Dam: Vielsalm (SW & GSP, \$329,285), by Fairbanks

2nd Dam: Merriweather, by Opening Verse

3rd Dam: Satin Lilly, by Affirmed

(\$85,000 Ylg '21 EASOCT). O-Hillwood Stable LLC; B-Dr. & Mrs. Thomas Bowman, Dr. Brooke Bowman & Milton P Higgins III (MD); T-Brittany T. Russell; J-Sheldon Russell. \$165,000.

Lifetime Record: 9-8-0-1, \$582,910. **Werk Nick Rating: A. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree. Click for the free Equine.com catalogue-style pedigree.**

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2--**Castle Chaos**, 118, g, 6, Palace Malice--Queen Victoria, by Flatter. O-Sanford J. Goldfarb, Nice Guys Stables and Robert N. Falcone, Jr.; B-Dragon Slayer Stable (KY); T-Robert N. Falcone, Jr. \$60,000.

3--**Super Chow**, 120, c, 4, Lord Nelson--Bonita Mia, by Warrior's Reward. (\$70,000 Ylg '21 FTKJUL; \$75,000 2yo '22 OBSAPR). O-Lea Farms, LLC; B-Spendthrift Farm LLC (KY); T-Jorge Delgado. \$36,000.

Sold as a Yearling by SCOTT MALLORY, agent

Margins: NK, 1 1/4, 2. Odds: 0.80, 8.00, 1.40.

Also Ran: Whittington Park. Scratched: Petulante.

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Post Time, a last-out winner of Laurel's GIII General George S. Feb. 17, came rolling down the stretch to capture his fourth straight victory.

Favored at 4-5 in this scratched-down field of four, Post Time trailed the quartet as Super Chow showed the way through easy fractions of :24.38 and :48.18. Post Time began to get going while four wide beneath Sheldon Russell approaching the quarter pole.

Super Chow kicked for home in control, but, just as he did in his win in the local GIII Tom Fool H. Mar. 2, began to drift badly down the stretch. Undeterred despite getting carried out in the final furlong, Post Time rallied down the center as Super Chow continued to wander.

Castle Chaos, meanwhile, enjoyed a dream run along the inside and hit the front as Super Chow packed it in. Post Time, however, just kept on coming on the outside and nailed Castle Chaos on the money to keep his winning streak alive.

Post Time has been perfect in four attempts since finishing a good third in Keeneland's Perryville S. Oct. 21. The gray won Laurel's Jennings S. going a mile Jan. 28 and General George at

the Carter distance with Beyer Speed Figures of 104 and 103, respectively.

Winning trainer Brittany Russell also won last year's Carter, contested then as a Grade I, with Doppelganger (Into Mischief).

"You know that [he drifts out] if you watch Super Chow's races and we talked about it, but look it is just sort of how things set up," Russell said. "I mean Sheldon [Russell] even kind of got a little wide on the turn there, too. I was kind of like 'Oh geez,' but look, he's a good horse and he got the job done."

She continued, "He's a good horse. We suspected that, but he also had to step up outside home. Credit to Super Chow, he's a tough horse. I'm really proud of him."



Brittany Russell and Ellen Charles | Sarah Andrew

Pedigree Notes:

Tapit's Frosted is the sire of Post Time and 25 other black-type winners worldwide. Post Time, a third-generation Maryland-bred for the Bowman family, sold to Cary Frommer at the 2021 Fasig-Tipton Midlantic Eastern Fall Yearling sale for \$85,000. His SW & GSP dam Vielsalm has a 2-year-old **McKinzie** filly named Field Song, who hammered for \$80,000 to Mouse at the 2023 edition of that sale. She was bred to **Nyquist** for 2024. The mare is one of two daughters of Fairbanks, a son of Giant's Causeway, to produce a stakes winner.

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Saturday, Keeneland

COMMONWEALTH S.-GIII, \$294,500, Keeneland, 4-6, 4yo/up, 7f, 1:22.94, ft.

1--**BO CRUZ, 118, c, 4, by Creative Cause**

1st Dam: Quick Breeze, by Ghostzapper

2nd Dam: Quick Temper, by A.P. Indy

3rd Dam: Halo America, by Waquoit

'TDN Rising Star' **1ST BLACK TYPE WIN, 1ST GRADED STAKES WIN.** (\$45,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP). O-Roger Cettina, Brian Pagano, Patrick Grippo, Peter Martine and Bruno De Julio; B-Douglas Scharbauer (KY); T-Albert M. Stall, Jr.; J-Jose L. Ortiz. \$181,350. Lifetime Record: 7-3-1-2, \$340,550. **Werk Nick Rating: C+.**

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2--**Minnesota Ready, 118, g, 5, More Than Ready--Eden Prairie,** by Mizzen Mast. **1ST GRADED BLACK TYPE.** (\$380,000 5yo '24 PEDLOT). O-Richard C. Colton, Jr.; B-Lothenbach Stables Inc (KY); T-Thomas M. Amoss. \$58,500.

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 3--**Wico (Ire), 118, c, 4, No Nay Never--Mundus Novus,** by Unbridled's Song. **1ST GRADED BLACK TYPE.** (\$440,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP). O-Andrew Farm and For the People Racing Stable LLC; B-Lynch Bages Ltd & Rhinestone B/Stock (IRE); T-Wesley A. Ward. \$24,375.
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Margins: 2HF, 2, NK. Odds: 6.06, 2.54, 1.99.
 Also Ran: Call Me Fast, Raise Cain, Richiesonaroll, Frat Pack.
 Scratched: Here Mi Song, Manny Wah.
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Cutting back to one turn for the first time since finishing a debut second at the Fair Grounds in February 2023, Bo Cruz sat a pace-pressing trip and kicked on nicely in the final furlong for a breakthrough victory at the graded level in Saturday's GIII Commonwealth S. at Keeneland.

Bet in half from his morning line of 12-1, the \$45,000 Keeneland September graduate hit the ground running from the middle of the gate and led early before allowing Richiesonaroll (Gone Astray) to take over as second choice Minnesota Ready chased from deeper out. Hounding the front-runner's every move into the turn, Bo Cruz was allowed to stride into the lead with a bit more than five-sixteenths of a mile to race and when asked to sprint in upper stretch by Jose Ortiz, he responded gamely and was always holding Minnesota Ready in the run to

the line. Favored Wico plugged on for third while no real menace to the top pair.

"It was an experiment [cutting back to seven furlongs], obviously, but it worked," said trainer Al Stall, Jr., winning his first graded stakes since the 2022 GIII Cardinal S. "We just had a gut feeling, watching him train and the way he's built, that nine furlongs might not be his game, so let's go all the way back. There's a lot of opportunities in this neck of the woods all summer long--seven-eighths and one-turn miles--so we took a chance. We learned a lot, and the experiment really worked well for us."

Named a 'TDN Rising Star' after graduating by over a dozen lengths when tried over a distance of ground for the first time last March, the gray colt added a Churchill allowance victory ahead of a low-odds third in the GIII Matt Winn S. in June. Sidelined off a distant eighth as the 9-5 chalk in the July 8 Iowa Derby, Bo Cruz finished up nicely to be a close third going an extended mile in Fair Grounds allowance company Feb. 12.



Bo Cruz | Coady

Pedigree Notes:

Bo Cruz is the 26th stakes winner for his sire, who stood at Airdrie Stud before being sold at the back end of 2023 to continue his career at Marjorie Farms in Texas.

A half-brother to the dam of the stakes-winning Dana's Beauty (**Not This Time**), Bo Cruz is out of a winning daughter of MGSP Quick Temper, also the dam of 2017 GI Preakness S. hero Cloud Computing (**Maclean's Music**) and four other winners. Third dam Halo America was among the leading distaffers of her generation, carrying the silks of the late John Franks to 15 victories, including a four-length defeat of champion Jewel Princess (Key to the Mint) in the 1997 GI Apple Blossom H.

Quick Breeze is also responsible for the New Jersey-bred 3-year-old filly Beachfront Breeze (Coal Front), a maiden winner at first asking last summer at Monmouth Park.

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There's never a bad day to win your first race but **Where's My Ring** (**Twirling Candy**) sure picked an opportune day to do it, breaking her maiden and earning 100 points on the Road to the Kentucky Oaks with a dominant effort in the GIII Gazelle S. at Aqueduct Saturday.

A career maiden through seven starts, the \$100,000 Keeneland September grad could perhaps be forgiven for running behind the likes of MGSW Dreamfyre (**Flameaway**), champion Just F Y I (**Justify**) in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies and not once but twice to 'TDN Rising Star' Kinza (Carpe Diem). Five lengths behind in second to that runner last out in the GIII Santa Ysabel S. March. 9, trainer Val Brinkerhoff opted to ship Where's My Ring to Aqueduct after scratching his runner from last week's GI Fantasy S. at Oaklawn. Favored at 5-2 on the last day to earn qualifying points towards the first Friday in May, Where's My Ring broke with some speed from the inside gate but was quickly headed by **Carmelina** (Maximus Mischief) to her outside on the run into the first turn. Content to sit off that runner, the favorite was swarmed by a trio of runners and managed to hold third as the top five separated themselves from the second flight. Still glued to the fence around the far turn, Where's My Ring tipped outside of the dueling duo on the lead and ran them both down strongly, surging past 19-1 longshot **Regulatory Risk** (Omaha Beach) to graduate with her ears pricked on the line.

"It's not about breaking the maiden, we wanted to be in the Oaks, that was our goal," admitted winning owner Michael McMillan. "I just got into horse racing, I met Val and Kelly Brinkerhoff and I told them 'I'm not in this for little races, we are in it for the big races.' I told them it was going to be the Kentucky Oaks. Everyone was shocked that we came here, but our whole team figured out the best race for us. It was a huge team effort."

"I'm ecstatic to get a chance like this," added Brinkerhoff. "I come from the bush tracks in Utah and to get to do this is pretty awesome. It's his [Michael McMillan's] first horse and I've had one in the Breeders' Cup where we ran third [Restrainedvengeance in the 2021 Dirt Mile], but this filly has a lot of potential. It's been a long time getting to here and she's getting better and better, so hopefully by the Oaks, we'll be even better."

Pedigree Notes:

Twirling Candy is now represented by his 48th stakes winner and 18th graded winner. The first foal from her dam, Where's My Ring is out of a half to SW Merlazza (**Medaglia d'Oro**) and MGSP Gold Standard (**Medaglia d'Oro**).

She is also similarly related to Saturday's GIII Distaff S. winner Shidabhuti (**Practical Joke**) as third dam Crystal Current, a \$3.1m FTKNOV broodmare in 2008, is a daughter of Shidabhuti's third dam MGSIW Dream Supreme. Mapit had her 2-year-old **McKinzie** colt bring \$300,000 from Klaravich Stable at the 2023 FTSAUG sale and she reported another colt by **McKinzie** this spring.



Where's My Ring | Coglianese/Joe Labozzetta

Saturday, Aqueduct

GAZELLE S.-GIII, \$200,000, Aqueduct, 4-6, 3yo, f, 1 1/8m, 1:50.33, ft.

1--**WHERE'S MY RING**, 118, f, 3, by **Twirling Candy**

1st Dam: Mapit, by **Tapit**

2nd Dam: Mi Vida, by **Distorted Humor**

3rd Dam: Crystal Current, by **A.P. Indy**

1ST BLACK TYPE WIN, 1ST GRADED STAKES WIN. (\$100,000

Ylg '22 KESEEP). O-Michael McMillan; B-Don Alberto

Corporation (KY); T-Val Brinkerhoff; J-Jose Lezcano.

\$110,000. Lifetime Record: 8-1-3-1, \$202,620.

Werk Nick Rating: A+++. *Triple Plus*

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2--**Regulatory Risk**, 118, f, 3, Omaha Beach--

Walkwithapurpose, by **Candy Ride (Arg)**. **1ST BLACK TYPE, 1ST GRADED BLACK TYPE.** (\$235,000 Ylg '22 KESEEP).

O-Klaravich Stables, Inc.; B-Upson Downs Farm & Louis W. Wright (KY); T-Chad C. Brown. \$40,000.

3--**Gin Gin**, 120, f, 3, Hightail--Before You Know It, by **Hard**

Spun. 1ST GRADED BLACK TYPE. O/B-Calumet Farm;

T-Brad H. Cox. \$24,000.

Margins: 4 1/4, 5 1/4, HF. Odds: 2.55, 19.20, 6.80.
 Also Ran: Whocouldaskformo, Life Talk, Barbratina, Carmelina, Princess Vino, Munny Grab. Scratched: Six Pack Seniorita.
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Saturday, Aqueduct

DISTAFF S.-GIII, \$169,750, Aqueduct, 4-6, 4yo/up, f/m, 7f, 1:23.86, ft.

1--**SHIDABHUTI, 118, f, 4, by Practical Joke**

1st Dam: A. P. Candy, by Candy Ride (Arg)

2nd Dam: A. P. Dream, by A.P. Indy

3rd Dam: Dream Supreme, by Seeking the Gold

1ST GRADED STAKES WIN. (\$77,000 Wlg '20 KEENOV; \$310,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP). O-Peter M. Brant; B-Gabriel Duignan & Gerry Dilger (KY); T-Chad C. Brown; J-Dylan Davis. \$96,250. Lifetime Record: 7-4-1-1, \$339,350. **Werk Nick Rating: A++.**
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2--**Ain't Broke, 118, m, 5, Dialed In--Vousoir, by Arch.**

1ST GRADED BLACK TYPE. O-Ronald P. Stewart; B-John Kerber (KY); T-Linda Rice. \$35,000.

3--**Fingal's Cave, 118, m, 5, Carpe Diem--Barbie On a Budget, by Mineshaft.** (\$75,000 2yo '21 OBSAPR). O-Alifye Racing, LLC and Mo Speed Racing; B-Chester & Mary R. Broman (NY); T-David G. Donk. \$21,000.

Purchased as a 2YO by Marette Farrell

Margins: HF, 2 3/4, 1. Odds: 8.50, 2.35, 2.60.
 Also Ran: Apple Picker, Hot Fudge. Scratched: Royal Poppy.
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Margins: HF, 2 3/4, 1. Odds: 8.50, 2.35, 2.60.
 Also Ran: Apple Picker, Hot Fudge. Scratched: Royal Poppy.
 A consistent 3-year-old runner at both Monmouth and Aqueduct, Shidabhuti won her first three races by a combined 10 1/2 lengths, picking up a stakes win along the way when upsetting the Busher Invitational S. over a muddy Big A course last March. On the board in the GIII Gazelle S. and the Boiling Springs S., the daughter of **Practical Joke** was empty and never a factor when a disappointing ninth last out at Monmouth in July. Unraced since that effort, the now 4-year-old made a triumphant return to the races Saturday on the cutback in distance with a come-from-behind win in the GIII Distaff S.

Drawn widest of the five-horse field, the 8-1 shot was outrun early by a pair of rivals content on the lead. Comfortably positioned in a share of third up the backstretch and angled down to ride the rail, Shidabhuti faced a wall of runners in front of her off the turn and, needing room to close into, tipped back out to come four wide inside the final furlong. With only a few left-handed reminders from Dylan Davis, Shidabhuti kicked on and won going away from Ain't Broke.

"She ran great," said winning trainer Chad Brown. "She had a bit of a duel in front of her which really helped her late run there. I was really proud of the horse off the layoff. I thought maybe she needed a race and we could get a nice piece of this and move forward off of it, but as the duel developed it became clear she had a chance to win. It was a good set up for her and she ran great. My team did a great job with her."



Shidabhuti | Janet Napolitano

Pedigree Notes:

One of 37 stakes winners for Coolmore's **Practical Joke**, Shidabhuti went for \$310,000 as a yearling at Keeneland September in 2021. Dam A.P. Candy, herself a half to English stakes winner and MGSP Wind Fire (Distorted Humor), is also responsible for stakes placed Knox Court (**Hard Spun**). Further back in the family, second dam A.P. Dream was a \$2,395,000 RNA as a 2-year-old sold at Keeneland's April 2-Year-Old sale, a price that would have easily topped the auction, and third dam MGISW Dream Supreme produced GISW and sire Majestic Warrior. One of only four reported foals from her dam, the winner's only younger sibling is a 2-year-old **McKinzie** filly while A.P. Candy visited both Authentic and **Mandaloun** for 2024.



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Saturday, Santa Anita

MONROVIA S.-GIII, \$101,000, Santa Anita, 4-6, 4yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2fT, 1:12.67, fm.

1--**AG BULLET**, 122, f, 4, by **Twirling Candy**

1st Dam: **Noble Grey**, by **Forestry**

2nd Dam: **Never Fail**, by **Holy Bull**

3rd Dam: **Peaceful Intention**, by **Hold Your Peace**

1ST GRADED STAKES WIN. (\$30,000 Wlg '20 KEENOV; \$220,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP). O-Calvin Nguyen and Joey C. Tran; B-H & E Ranch (KY); T-Richard Baltas; J-Umberto Rispoli.

\$60,000. Lifetime Record: 6-4-0-0, \$230,300. **Werk Nick**

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2--**Miss Lizzy**, 120, f, 4, **Classic Empire**--**Caradini**, by **Bernardini**.

1ST GRADED BLACK TYPE. O-Glenn Sorgenstein WC Racing Inc. and Wonderland Racing Stables, LLC; B-Glenn Sorgenstein (KY); T-Doug F. O'Neill. \$20,000.

3--**Getthemoney**, 120, f, 4, **Midnight Lute**--**Sailing Shiksa**, by **Bernstein**. **1ST BLACK TYPE, 1ST GRADED BLACK TYPE.**

(\$90,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP; \$230,000 2yo '22 OBSAPR). O-Alan P. Klein, Philip Lebherz and Janet Lyons; B-Twin Magnolia Farm (KY); T-Brian J. Koriner. \$12,000.

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Margins: 1HF, HD, NK. Odds: 1.50, 13.20, 3.30.

Also Ran: **Lucky Girl** (Ire), **Gracelund Gray**, **Chismosa**, **Comanche Country** (Ire). Scratched: **Ice Dancing**.

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Monrovia S. cont.

Ag Bullet proved how much she relishes a go at the Hillside Turf Course at Santa Anita as she took home her first graded stakes win in the GIII Monrovia S. on Saturday afternoon.

A former charge of George Papaprodromou, the filly broke her maiden under him as an early 3-year-old over the same course at second asking, and then won stretching out in Arcadia's mid-February running of the Lady of Shamrock S. However, Ag Bullet was a well-beaten fifth while trying the Tapeta in the Bourbonette Oaks at Turfway in March. Taking a break, the filly switched barns to Richard Baltas, and returned to the hill and the winner's circle as a 4-year-old in the Wishing Well S. at 'The Great Race Place' Feb. 25.

Well-backed at the windows as the 3-2 choice here, the gray burst out of the gates and used her outside post position to challenge an inside longshot for the early lead down the slope. Waiting patiently for the word from Umberto Rispoli, the Ag Bullet was given her command around the far turn, she traversed the dirt like a pro and cruised home a decisive winner.

"[Umberto] Rispoli knows Ag Bullet and had a great handle on the horse from start to finish," said trainer Richard Baltas. "Once they broke away, they took it home effortlessly in the final stretch. Rispoli held her pace as long as possible, and that was the key. I hope to have her running a mile soon."

Pedigree Notes:

This is **Twirling Candy's** 20th graded stakes winner and his 48th overall stakes winner. The sire also celebrated earlier in the afternoon when Where's My Ring took home the GIII Gazelle S. at Aqueduct. Noble Grey, dam of 10 foals who counts eight winners out of as many to race, is responsible for a 2-year-old filly by Classic Empire and a yearling colt by **Mendelssohn**. She visited **Army Mule** for this season. Ag Bullet's extended female family includes GII Go for Wand S. heroine Lovely Lil (Tiznow) and GII Alfred G. Vanderbilt H. champ Abraaj (Carson City).

ENDLESSLY GOES EASY HALF-MILE AT CHURCHILL

Amerman Racing's **Endlessly** (**Oscar Performance**) breezed an easy four furlongs in :49.60 (78/111) over the Churchill Downs main track Saturday morning, his first move since taking the GIII Jeff Ruby Steaks at Turfway Park Mar. 23. The homebred could make his next appearance in the \$5-million GI Kentucky Derby on May 4, which would mark his first start on the dirt.

Working outside of his multiple stakes-placed stablemate Blue Eyed George (**Flameaway**) and with exercise rider Walter Davila in the irons, Endlessly remained on even terms for the majority of the breeze, easing clear on the gallop out.



Endlessly (nearest) | Coady

He pulled up five furlongs in 1:02.80, according to Churchill Downs clocker John Nichols.

In the immediate aftermath of the Jeff Ruby Steaks, a victory which took his record to five wins from six starts, connections announced their intentions to point for the GII American Turf S., but reversed course a few days later, with the Derby a possible target.

"After the Jeff Ruby, Mr. Amerman and I talked and we're going to leave all of our options open," trainer Michael McCarthy said. "We still have a few weeks to train here and have some time to make a final decision as to what we do next."

In 2011, Animal Kingdom won the GIII Spiral S. before causing a 20-1 upset in the Derby in his first start on the main track.

Earlier Saturday, GII Rebel S. runner-up **Common Defense** (**Karakontie {Jpn}**) went a half-mile in :47.80 (3/111) outside of his Grade II-placed stable companion Real Men Violin (**Mendelssohn**). Common Defense covered his opening two furlongs in :24.60 and was out five-eighths in 1:01.40.

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NO MORE TIME BREEZES FOR POTENTIAL START IN KENTUCKY DERBY

Morplay Racing's **No More Time** (**Not This Time**), winner of the GIII Sam F. Davis S. and narrow runner-up in the GIII Lambholm South Tampa Bay Derby, breezed a half-mile in :48.60 (8/52) Saturday morning at Palm Meadows Training Center in preparation for a planned start in the GI Kentucky Derby.

"He worked by himself. He went good and also had a strong gallop-out," trainer Jose D'Angelo said. "Everything's good. We're hoping to get into the Kentucky Derby." **Cont. p22**

Prior to Saturday's three major prep races at Santa Anita, Keeneland, and Aqueduct, No More Time, who has collected 45 qualifying points for the Kentucky Derby, was sitting 15th in the standings that will determine the 20-horse field for the first leg of the Triple Crown at Churchill Downs.

"We're not just going to just run a horse there. We have a horse with a chance to win the race," D'Angelo said.

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HADES TO RUN IN LEXINGTON STAKES

by Alan Carasso



Hades | Coglianesse

Hades (Awesome Slew), upset winner of the GIII Holy Bull S. in January and a latest fifth to champion **'TDN Rising Star'** Fierceness (**City of Light**) in the GI **Curlin** Florida Derby Mar. 30, will back up on two weeks' rest for the GIII Stonestreet Lexington S. at Keeneland Apr. 13, co-owner Jon Green of D J Stable said in a text message Saturday morning.

"We are entering Hades in the Lexington and have Jose Ortiz in the irons," Green texted. "Hades is doing great, is sound and ready to ship to KEE on Tuesday."

Owned in partnership with Robert Cotran and trained by Joe Orseno, Hades won his first three trips to the post including a two-length defeat of Domestic Product (**Practical Joke**) in the Holy Bull, as Fierceness failed to fire at long odds-on. He was bumped at the start of the Florida Derby as a 17-5 chance and endured a wide trip before finishing 19 3/4 lengths adrift of the romping Fierceness.

"He got sawed off and never leveled off until he pulled himself back to last," Green explained via text.

Hades has amassed 30 points on the Road to the Kentucky Derby, good for 18th in the standings prior to the running of Saturday's 100-point preps. The Lexington is the final Derby points race on a scale of 20-10-6-4-2.

Also headed to the Lexington is **Encino** (**Nyquist**), who was scratched from Saturday's GI Toyota Blue Grass S. The Godolphin homebred, last-start winner of the John Battaglia Memorial S. Mar. 2, had drawn widest in the field of 11 in the Blue Grass.

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PLETCHER SOPHOMORE FILLIES HEADED DOWN SEPARATE PATHS



Leslie's Rose | Coady

Trainer Todd Pletcher reported that both of his fillies that contested Friday's GI Central Bank Ashland S. emerged from the efforts none the worse for wear, but are likely to part company for the time being.

'TDN Rising Star' **Leslie's Rose** (Into Mischief) atoned for her third in the GII Davona Dale S. with a good-looking three-length victory in the Ashland, earning herself a ticket to the May 3 GI Kentucky Oaks in the process.

"We are trying to sort things out, and we will let the dust settle from today," Pletcher said. "The Oaks and Derby horses have to be on the grounds by 11 a.m. on Apr. 27."

While that \$1.15-million Keeneland September purchase will head over to Churchill Downs, Eclipse Thoroughbred Partners' **Candied** (**Candy Ride** {**Arg**}) is unlikely to make the field for the Oaks after finishing fourth as the favorite on Friday. Her 34 points are good for 18th place on the leaderboard, but the race is limited to 14 starters.

"It is too early to say on her, but she is pretty far down the list with two races to go today," Pletcher said. "The [GII \$300,000 George E. Mitchell] Black-Eyed Susan [at Pimlico May 17] or the [GI DK Horse] Acorn S. [June 7] are possible. The Acorn is at Saratoga this year, and it is a mile and an eighth."

Ashland Recap cont.

Champion 2-year-old filly **Just F Y I (Justify)**, a sound second on seasonal debut in the Ashland, returned to the barn of Bill Mott at Churchill Friday evening.

Glengarry Remaining At KEE Following Lafayette

Glengarry (Maximus Mischief) was originally supposed to return to the Oaklawn Park barn of trainer Doug Anderson after participating in Friday's Lafayette S. at Keeneland, but he will instead remain at Keeneland to train up to the \$600,000 Gil Pat Day Mile at Churchill Downs May 4.

"He ran huge off a four-month layoff," Anderson said of Glengarry's 3 1/2-length victory. "When they didn't get him at the three-eighths, it was 'Katie bar the door.' He put everything into it and came back great. We are tickled pink.

"Little guys don't get many shots like this," Anderson added. "We talked it over at dinner last night, and it didn't make any sense to haul him back to Oaklawn and then haul him back [to Kentucky]. He loves this track to train, so we will see what we can get done."

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OBS SPRING UNDER-TACK SHOW BEGINS SUNDAY

The under-tack show for the Ocala Breeders' Sales Company's Spring 2-Year-Olds in Training Sale begins Sunday morning and continues through Saturday. Sessions begin each day at 8 a.m. Hips one through 173 are scheduled to work Sunday, followed by: hips 174-345 on Monday; hips 346-518 on Tuesday, hips 519-690 on Wednesday; hips 691-863 on Thursday; hips 864-1035 on Friday; and hips 1036-1208 on Saturday.

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Breeder: Debby Oxley
Trainer: Chad Brown

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KEE SEPT. '22 - \$1,150,000
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Owner: Whisper Hill Farm
Breeders: John Gunther & Eurowest Bloodstock Services
Trainer: Todd Pletcher

Kentucky-breds dominated this week's Grade 1 events: **SIERRA LEONE** won the \$1 million **Blue Grass S. (G1)** and earned 100 points on the Road to the Kentucky Derby leaderboard; **LESLIE'S ROSE** scored in the \$600,000 **Ashland S. (G1)** and picked up 100 Kentucky Oaks points; **ALVA STARR** captured the \$600,000 **Madison S. (G1)** at Keeneland; and **STRONGHOLD** won the \$750,000 **Santa Anita Derby (G1)**, earning 100 qualifying points.

ALVA STARR

Owner: P. Dale Ladner
Breeders: Brett Brinkman & P. Dale Ladner
Trainer: Brett Brinkman

STRONGHOLD

Owners: Eric & Sharon Waller
Breeders: Eric & Sharon Waller
Trainer: Phil D'Amato



Also on Saturday, **RESILIENCE** won the **Wood Memorial (G2)**, earning 100 Derby points; **WHERE'S MY RING** won the **Gazelle S. (G3)** at Aqueduct, earning 100 Oaks points; and **NOTHING LIKE YOU** won the **Santa Anita Oaks (G2)**, earning 100 Oaks points. At Keeneland, **BUCHU** won the **Appalachian S. (G2)**, **ARZAK** won the **Shakertown S. (G2)**, and **BO CRUZ** won the **Commonwealth S. (G3)**.

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Sunday, Keeneland #8, post time: 4:44 p.m. EDT

MIDDLEGROUND CAPITAL BEAUMONT S.-GII, \$400,000, 3yo, f, 7f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Denim and Pearls	Into Mischief	Red White and Blue Racing LLC	Cox	Prat	118
2	Harbor Springs	Lookin At Lucky	Donamire Farm	Foley	Ortiz, Jr.	118
3	Tipsy Tammy 🌿	Arrogate	Rigney Racing, LLC	Bauer	Velazquez	118
4	Chi Chi	Audible	Ernest C. Frohboese	Wilensky	Alvarado	118
5	Vicountess 🌿	Lord Nelson	Commonwealth New Era Racing	Beattie	Ortiz	118
6	Youalmosthadme 🌿	Oxbow	Resolute Racing	Cox	Gaffalione	118

Breeders: 1-Town & Country Horse Farms, LLC, 2-Donamire Farm, 3-Sierra Farm, 4-France Weiner, 5-Monticule, 6-Pope McLean, Marc McLean & Pope McLean Jr.

Friday, Keeneland #9, post time: 5:16 p.m. EDT

MAKER'S MARK MILE S.-GI, \$600,000, 4yo/up, 1mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Equitize (GB)	Kingman (GB)	Klaravich Stables, Inc.	Brown	Ortiz	123
2	Emmanuel 🌿	More Than Ready	Siena Farm LLC and WinStar Farm LLC	Pletcher	Ortiz, Jr.	123
3	Naval Power (GB)	Teofilo (Ire)	Godolphin, LLC	Appleby	Gaffalione	123
4	Master of The Seas (Ire)	Dubawi (Ire)	Godolphin, LLC	Appleby	Buick	123
5	Kubrick (Ire)	Dubawi (Ire)	Peter M. Brant	Brown	Prat	123
6	Shirl's Speight	Speightstown	Charles E. Fipke	Attfield	Saez	123
7	Du Jour 🌿	Temple City	Baffert, Natalie J. and Lanni, Debbie	Baffert	Velazquez	123
8	Integration	Quality Road	West Point Thoroughbreds & Woodford Racing	McGaughey III	Dettori	123

Breeders: 1-Newsells Park & Ammerland GmbH & Co.KG, 2-Helen K. Groves Revocable Trust, 3-Godolphin, 4-Godolphin, 5-White Birch Farm, SC, 6-Charles Fipke, 7-Woods Edge Farm, LLC, 8-Larkin Armstrong

Saturday, Keeneland #9, post time: 5:16 p.m. EDT

JENNY WILEY S.-GI, \$600,000, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Walkathon	Twirling Candy	Whitham Thoroughbreds LLC	Wilkes	Leparoux	123
2	Fluffy Socks	Slumber (GB)	Head of Plains Partners LLC	Brown	Ortiz, Jr.	123
3	Elusive Princess (Fr)	Martinborough (Jpn)	LNJ Foxwoods, Elusive LLC, NK Racing and Church Street Stable	Delacour	Alvarado	123
4	Embrace Me 🌿	Candy Ride (Arg)	Mark T. Anderson	Rutledge	Corrales	123
5	English Rose (Ire)	Frankel (GB)	Godolphin, LLC	Appleby	Buick	123
6	Gina Romantica 🌿	Into Mischief	Peter M. Brant	Brown	Gaffalione	123
7	Surge Capacity	Flintshire (GB)	Klaravich Stables, Inc.	Brown	Rosario	123
8	Star Fortress (Ire)	Sea The Stars (Ire)	Gunther, John D. & Eurowest Bloodstock Services	DeVaux	Saez	123
9	Didia (Arg)	Orpen	Merriebelle Stable	Correas, IV	Ortiz	123
10	Beaute Cachee (Fr)	Literato (Fr)	Madaket Stables LLC, Dubb, Michael and Louis Lazzinnaro LLC	Brown	Dettori	123

Breeders: 1-Whitham Thoroughbreds, LLC, 2-Head Of Plains Partners, 3-Mr. Jean-Philippe Dubois, 4-Stone Farm, 5-Godolphin, 6-Machmer Hall, Carrie Brogden & Craig Brogden, 7-Klaravich Stables, 8-Sahara Group/Eurowest/Sunderland Hldgs, 9-La Manija, 10-Gregor Vischer

Saturday, Keeneland #10, post time: 5:48 p.m. EDT

STONESTREET LEXINGTON S.-GIII, \$400,000, 3yo, 1 1/16m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Secret Chat	Union Rags	Gelfenstein Farm	Rodriguez	Rosario	118
2	The Wine Steward	Vino Rosso	Paradise Farms Corp. and Staudacher, David	Maker	Saez	118
3	Dilger (Ire)	Lope de Vega (Ire)	Michael J. Ryan	Joseph, Jr.	Gaffalione	118
4	Footprint	Dialed In	Greg McDonald	McPeek	Hernandez, Jr.	118
5	Hades	Awesome Slew	D. J. Stable LLC and Cotran, Robert	Orseno	Ortiz	120
6	How's Ur Attitude 🦿	Street Sense	Welch Racing LLC	Ennis	Beschizza	118
7	Everdoit	Gary D	Donald L. Ming	Rice	Concepcion	118
8	Encino	Nyquist	Godolphin, LLC	Cox	Geroux	118
9	Liberal Arts	Arrogate	Ferraro, Evan and Ferraro, Stephen	Medina	Ortiz, Jr.	118
10	Lucky Jeremy 🦿	Lookin At Lucky	Jeremy Ramsland	Morey	Corrales	118

Breeders: 1-Gelfenstein Farm, 2-Sequel Thoroughbreds LLC, Lakland Farm & Mark Toothaker, 3-Demers Bloodstock, 4-Greg B. McDonald, 5-Ocala Stud, Joseph M. O'Farrell III, David O'Farrell, et al., 6-Malibu Farm, LLC, 7-Don Ming, 8-Godolphin, 9-Stephen Ferraro & Evan Ferraro, 10-Mr. & Mrs. Craig L Minten

Saturday, Keeneland #7, post time: 4:12 p.m. EDT

GIANT'S CAUSEWAY S.-GIII, \$300,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2ft

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Play the Music 🦿	Mo Town	Glassman Racing LLC	Casse	Ortiz	122
2	Bling 🦿	American Pharoah	G. Watts Humphrey, Jr.	Oliver	Velazquez	122
3	Jill Jitterbug	Cross Traffic	Shagbark Farm, LLC	Walsh	Machado	122
4	Oeuvre	Shackleford	Richard Perkins	Block	Loveberry	122
5	B G Warrior	Run Away and Hide	Keith Grass	Andrade	Jimenez	122
6	Secret Money 🦿	Good Samaritan	Fortune Farm LLC, Hahn, Robert G. and Hand, Matthew	Walsh	Gaffalione	124
7	Port Townsend	Uncle Mo	Blue Heaven Farm	DeVaux	Hernandez, Jr.	122
8	Roses for Debra 🦿	Liam's Map	Cheyenne Stable LLC and O'Meara, John	Clement	Ortiz, Jr.	124
9	Kissed by Fire	Friesan Fire	Commonwealth Thoroughbreds LLC, Exline-Border Racing LLC, Ocean Reef Racing & Aaron Kennedy	Eurton	Smith	122
10	Breeze Easy (GB)	Bated Breath (GB)	It's All About The Girls Stable LLC	Catalano	Leparoux	122
11	Elm Drive	Mohaymen	Little Red Feather Racing	D'Amato	Saez	122
12	Love Reigns (Ire)	U S Navy Flag	Stonestreet Stables LLC	Ward	Rosario	122
Also Eligible						
13	High Class 🦿	Into Mischief	Courtlandt Farms	Asmussen	Hernandez, Jr.	122

Breeders: 1-Laura McKinney, 2-Clarkland Farm LLC, 3-Ryan D. Walsh, 4-Richard Perkins, 5-Lou Dunn Diekemper Trust, 6-WinStar Farm, LLC, 7-Blue Heaven Farm, 8-Blackstone Farm LLC, 9-Barak Farm & Sharon Dodgen, 10-Lofts Hall Stud & B. Sangster, 11-Kenneth D'Oyen, 12-Patrick Grogan, 13-SF Bloodstock LLC

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Sunday, Keeneland, post time: 4:12 p.m. EDT

PALISADES S., \$250,000, 3yo, 5 1/2fT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Mattingly	Bucchero	Ironhorse Racing Stable LLC and Harlow Stables LLC	Orseno	Lopez	120
2	Coin Miner	Cloud Computing	Rocker O Ranch, LLC	Desormeaux	Graham	118
3	Mansa Musa (Ire)	Ten Sovereigns (Ire)	Team Valor International LLC and Gary Barber	Mott	Alvarado	118
4	No Nay Mets (Ire)	No Nay Never	Bregman Family Racing LLC, WWBD LLC and Edge Racing	Weaver	Ortiz, Jr.	123
5	Silent Heart	Heart to Heart	Terry Hamilton	Lynch	Velazquez	118
6	Fandom (GB)	Showcasing (GB)	Stonestreet Stables LLC	Ward	Ortiz	118
7	Ceepeegee	Army Mule	Keith F. Johnston, and William S. Sparks	Moquett	Dettori	118
8	My Boy Prince	Cairo Prince	Gary Barber	Casse	Rosario	123
9	Committee of One	Mendelssohn	J. Kirk and Judy Robison	Asmussen	Hernandez, Jr.	123
10	Shards	Bucchero	Crown's Way Racing LLC, NBS Stable and Kevin Marko	Danner	Beschizza	118
11	Aspenite	Constitution	Winchell Thoroughbreds LLC	Asmussen	Gaffalione	123
12	Refuel	Hard Spun	Repole Stable and St. Elias Stables LLC	Pletcher	Saez	118
13	Sketch (Ire)	Showcasing (GB)	Riverside Bloodstock, LLC, Falcon Thoroughbreds LLC, Barry Golden, Dan Beaty, and Keith Myrick	Murphy	Prat	118
14	Works for Me	Daddy Long Legs	KatieRich Stables LLC, Christopher G. Connors and Lawrence J. Appel	Lee	Cheminaud	118

Breeders: 1-Lance Colwell, 2-Spendthrift Farm, LLC, 3-Middlelane Farm, 4-Coolmore, 5-Terry Hamilton, 6-Chasemore Farm, 7-William S. Sparks, 8-Murray Graham Smith, 9-Gatewood Bell, Ken Donworth & Ike VanMeter, 10-Craig L. Wheeler, 11-Glen Hill Farm, 12-Spendthrift Farm LLC, 13-Ballyphilip Stud, 14-KatieRich Farms, Chris Connors & LarryAppel

Sunday, Sunland, post time: 5:32 p.m. EDT

SUNLAND PARK H., \$200,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/8m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Holland	Into Mischief	Filiberto Quiroz	Quiroz	Rodriguez	116
2	Presidential	Pioneerof the Nile	Courtlandt Farms	Asmussen	Fuentes	122
3	Loco Luna	Ransom the Moon	Marcos Ordonez	Gonzalez	Medellin	120
4	Bender	Curlin	Alfred Alvarado	Valdez-Cabral, Jr.	Ramos	120
5	Justice Department	Gun Runner	Judge Lanier Racing, LLC	Cappellucci	Gomez	117
6	Mine That Star	Pioneerof the Nile	Judge Lanier Racing, LLC	Cappellucci	Tohill	124
7	Tulane Tryst	Into Mischief	Jeremy Ramsland	Hernandez	Juarez, Jr.	120

Breeders: 1-Buck Pond Farm, Inc., 2-Three Chimneys Farm, LLC, 3-Calumet Farm, 4-Claiborne Farm, 5-Thor-Bred Stables, LLC, 6-Phil & Judy Needham, Bena Halecky & WinStar Farm LLC, 7-Machmer Hall



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Sunday, Santa Anita, post time: 8:00 p.m. EDT

ANGELS FLIGHT S., \$100,000, 3yo, f, 6 1/2fT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	She Is Romantic	Blame	C R K Stable LLC	Eurton	Herrera	120
2	Rascality	Into Mischief	Legacy Ranch, Inc.	Mandella	Smith	120
3	Alluring	Ghostzapper	Bass II, Perry R. and Bass, Ramona S.	Mandella	Rispoli	120
4	Avoir	More Than Ready	Peter Redekop B. C., Ltd.	Miller	Ayuso	120
5	Invincible Molly (GB)	Invincible Army (Ire)	Keith F. Johnston	Mullins	Kimura	122
6	Zona Verde (Ire)	Calyx (GB)	Benowitz Family Trust, CYBT, McLean Racing Stables and Nentwig, Michael	D'Amato	Hernandez	124
7	Laulne (Fr)	Starspangledbanner (Aus)	Madaket Stables LLC, Panic Stable LLC, Gerard Augustin-Normand, Robert V. LaPenta and William Strauss	D'Amato	Fresu	124
8	Antifona (Fr)	Recoletos (Fr)	Hronis Racing LLC	Sadler	Berrios	124
9	Girl of My Dreams	Kantharos	Helm Racing Stable, Barbara Evenson and Jeffrey Lambert	O'Neill	Maldonado	120

Breeders: 1-Hidden Brook Farm & Steven Friedfertig, 2-KatieRich Farms, 3-Bass Stables, LLC, 4-Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC, 5-Gigginstown House Stud, 6-Knockainey Stud, 7-Franklin Finance S.A., 8-SARL Darpat France, 9-Brookstone Farm & Lee Mauberret



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Discreet Mischief | Coady

Discreet Mischief (c, 3, Into Mischief--Brushwork, by Discreet Cat), a very solid second sprinting on debut with an 89 Beyer Speed Figure behind the highly regarded Drip (**Good Magic**) over a sloppy track at Fair Grounds Feb. 17, delivered a '**TDN Rising Star**' performance for trainer Brad Cox to graduate impressively at second asking at Keeneland Saturday.

The 4-5 favorite jumped well and secured a perfect spot pressing in an outside second through fractions of :22.47 and :45.54. He took over on the turn for home, was in complete control as they straightened and ran up the score in the stretch to win for fun by 8 1/4 lengths. **Timeout** (**Curlin**) was second.

Discreet Mischief, a homebred for Oussama Aboughazale's Sumaya U.S. Stable, becomes the 44th '**TDN Rising Star**' for the mighty Into Mischief. The unraced Darley-bred Brushwork, a daughter of MGISW Manistique (Unbridled), is also responsible for Kitten's Cat (Kitten's Joy), MSW & MGSP, \$573,545; an Authentic colt of 2022 (\$475,000 RNA KEESEP); and a **Gun Runner** colt of 2023. Brushwork brought \$150,000 from International Equities Holding in foal to Kitten's Joy at the 2017 Keeneland January sale.



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3rd-Keeneland, \$99,588, Msw, 4-6, 3yo, 7f, 1:23.27, ft, 8 1/4 lengths.

DISCREET MISCHIEF, c, 3, by Into Mischief

1st Dam: Brushwork, by Discreet Cat

2nd Dam: Manistique, by Unbridled

3rd Dam: Astaire Step, by Nureyev

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SUNDAY'S RACING INSIGHTS: 'TDN RISING STAR' RETURNS ON KEENELAND SUNDAY

CARD by Stefanie Grimm

4th-KEE, \$110K, OC, 3yo, f, 1 1/16m, 2:36 p.m.

Unraced since her '**TDN Rising Star**' debut at Churchill Downs last September, **TWIRLING GOOD TIME** (**Twirling Candy**) returns to the races Sunday for Rigney Racing and trainer Phillip Bauer. Stretching out from 5 1/2 furlongs to 1 1/16 miles, the \$250,000 KEESEP grad will look to carry the speed that saw her go nearly gate-to-wire in her four-length win while posting an 86 Beyer Speed Figure. **Cont.**



'TDN Rising Star' Twirling Good Time returns to the races Sunday

Coady Photography

Out of Celebrategoodtimes, a Harlan's Holiday mare who has produced five foals and as many winners, Twirling Good Time counts both GISW and sire Street Boss (Street Cry {Ire}) and MGISW and sire **Jack Christopher (Munnings)** as extended family members. **TJCS PPS**

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IN ORDER OF PURSE:

BAY SHORE S., \$150,000, Aqueduct, 4-6, 3yo, 7f, 1:24.35, ft.

1--**REASONED ANALYSIS**, 118, c, 3, by **Upstart**

1st Dam: We Love Lucy, by Majesticperfection

2nd Dam: Psych, by Mazel Trick

3rd Dam: Tobie Ruckus, by Bold Ruckus

(\$100,000 Ylg '22 KEEJAN). **1ST BLACK TYPE WIN.** O-Klaravich Stables, Inc.; B-Jack Miller & **Upstart** Syndicate (KY); T-Chad C. Brown; J-Eric Cancel. \$82,500. Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-0, \$135,300.



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2--**Maximus Meridius**, 118, c, 3, Maximus Mischief--Quiet Virtue, by Quiet American. **1ST BLACK TYPE.** O-LC Racing LLC, Cash is King LLC and Robert E. Reid, Jr.; B-Westerly Farm (PA); T-Robert E. Reid, Jr.. \$30,000.

3--**Eliminate**, 118, c, 3, **Curlin**--I'm a Looker, by Henny Hughes. (\$525,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP). **1ST BLACK TYPE.** O-Spendthrift Farm LLC and Repole Stable; B-Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC (KY); T-Todd A. Pletcher. \$18,000.

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Margins: 3 1/4, 2 1/4, HF. Odds: 15.50, 2.40, 5.20.

Also Ran: Mission Beach, Augustine Red, Yo Yo Candy, Proprietary Trade, Ridgewood Runner, Classic Joke, Shea D World.

Reasoned Analysis outran his odds to take home his first black-type at the Big A on Saturday afternoon. The bay broke his maiden by half a length at third asking going a mile in Ozone Park Feb. 25.

Overlooked as a 15-1 shot here in favor of his stablemate Proprietary Trade (**Practical Joke**), the 3-year-old looked out of the race early as the leaders bolted away. Getting into the action around the far turn, Reasoned Analysis fanned to the outside and found his best stride running down the center of the course, driving past Maximus Meridius at the sixteenth pole to ultimately win the day.

"The horse [Reasoned Analysis] ran super," said Brown. "My assistant, Dan Stupp, deserves a lot of credit. He was telling me how well this horse was training up there. It was a last minute entry when it looked like there was going to be a lot of pace in the race. We threw him in there to complement the other one and it worked out. Proprietary Trade never really looked comfortable when he couldn't get to the lead, but Eric Cancel [aboard Reasoned Analysis] was patient and timed it just right to start his run. I'm really impressed with the horse, my team up in New York and Eric, who is 2-for-2 on this horse. Eric has a high-percentage with us and is riding really well."

Reasoned Analysis is her dam's first registered foal. We Love Lucy produced a colt by **Preservationist** who is now a 2-year-old, foaled a colt by **Complexity** last year, and was not bred for this season. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**



Reasoned Analysis | Sarah Andrew

EVENING JEWEL S., \$125,500, Santa Anita, 4-6, (S), 3yo, f, 6 1/2f, 1:16.83, ft.

1--**ROBERTA'S LOVE**, 120, f, 3, by **Collected**

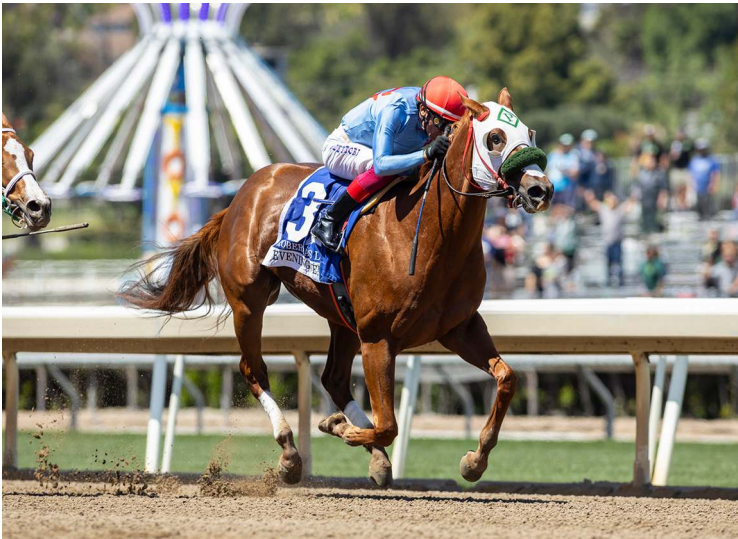
1st Dam: West Coast Gal, by Broken Vow

2nd Dam: North Cork, by Doneraile Court

3rd Dam: Known Romance, by Known Fact

(\$30,000 Ylg '22 FTCAZR). **1ST BLACK TYPE WIN.** O-BG Stables and Royalty Stable; B-Richard Barton Enterprises (CA); T-Hector O. Palma; J-Lanfranco Dettori. \$75,000. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-1, \$121,800. *1/2 to Yesterday's News (New Year's Day), GISP, \$125,245.

2--**Safa**, 120, f, 3, Grazen--Hadarra, by Harlan's Holiday. (\$9,000 RNA Ylg '22 FTCAZR; \$23,000 2yo '23 CTBAJA). **1ST BLACK TYPE.** O-Souheil Bisharat and Khalil Khoury; B-Derek Lawson (CA); T-Gary Stute. \$25,000.



Roberta's Love | Benoit

3--**Clubhouse Bride**, 122, f, 3, Clubhouse Ride--Lets Get Frisky, by Marino Marini. **1ST BLACK TYPE**. O-Mary Ellen McKee, J. Eric Kruljac, Rebekah Lawless and Frank and Karen Lewkowitz; B-Eric Kruljac, Tom & Rebekah Lawless (CA); T-J. Eric Kruljac. \$15,000.

Margins: 3/4, 1 3/4, 2HF. Odds: 9.80, 2.20, 15.60.

Also Ran: Quick Kate, Mirinda, Grease Missile.

Roberta's Love broke her maiden at second asking in her second straight try over six furlongs at Santa Anita Mar. 17 after being third on debut. Stepping into restricted stakes company for the first time, the 9-1 shot jumped right to the front from the break, turned back rival Clubhouse Bride and dug in gamely to keep a late run from Safa at bay and pick up the win.

"I was surprised, she jumped like a rocket and within 50 yards we were clear of the field and at the rail," said winning rider Frankie Dettori. "I thought if nobody hassled with me, I'd be very hard to catch and that was the case. We went right up to the line."

The 12th stakes winner for **Collected**, Roberta's Love is a half to GI Starlet S. runner up Yesterday's News. **West Coast** Gal has a yearling **Game Winner** colt but lost her Tap Back foal this year. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

RUNNING BEE (h, 5, **English Channel--Our Joy {SP}**, by **El Prado {Ire}**) dropped out of graded-stakes company for the first time since November off a second in the GIII Tampa Bay S. Feb. 3. The 3-2 favorite hugged the fence around the far turn, kicked in from fourth and engaged pacesetter Dominican Pioneer (Pioneerof the Nile) late, just getting by that rival to win by a half-length. Running Bee is his dam's last reported foal. Sales History: \$19,000 Ylg '20 FTKFEB. Lifetime Record: GSP, 9-4-3-0, \$327,068. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

O-Calumet Farm; B-English Channel Co-Owners & Gordon Gilliam (KY); T-Chad C. Brown.

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2nd-Keeneland, \$108,934, Alw (NW1X)/Opt. Clm (\$100,000), 4-6, 3yo, 6f, 1:10.53, ft, 2 lengths.

BILLAL (c, 3, **Street Sense--Bambalina, by Bernardini**) contested the Nashua S. in his third start after breaking his maiden at second asking last season, finishing third, and closed his 2023 in eighth Dec. 2 against a GII Remsen S. field which included MGSW Dornoch (**Good Magic**), Saturday's GI Toyota Bluegrass winner Sierra Leone (**Gun Runner**), and SW & GSP Drum Roll Please (**Hard Spun**). Fading to fourth in his seasonal bow last out Feb. 3 in the Swale S., the 7-2 third choice was making his first appearance at Keeneland and on first-time Lasix. Vying with GSP Scatify (**Justify**) for the lead, the pair put up :22.47 and :45.71 splits before Billal eventually put that one away, grinding home to win by two lengths. Returning 'Insights' runner GSP Pirate (Omaha Beach), half-brother to MGSW National Treasure (**Quality Road**), finished fourth in his seasonal bow. Billal is the first to the races for his dam, who has since produced three colts by **Uncle Mo**--a 2-year-old, a yearling, and a 2024 foal.

Bambalina is a half-sister to runners like GSW Smart Sting (Smart Strike), GSP Perfect Bullet (El Prado {Ire}), and the dam of GSP Seeking Albert (Enstein {Brz}). Sales history: \$725,000 Ylg '22 KESEEP. Lifetime Record: 6-2-0-2, \$155,073. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.** O-Kaleem Shah, Inc.; B-Repole Stables (KY); T-William I. Mott.

7th-Aqueduct, \$82,000, Alw, 4-6, (NW1\$X), 3yo/up, 1m, 1:36.88, ft, head.

BENDOOG (h, 5, **Gun Runner--Nellie Cashman {GSW, \$349,839}**, by **Mineshaft**), under the care of Bhupat Seemar in Dubai, was runner-up last year in the G2 Al Maktoum Challenge Round 2 and again in the G1 Al Maktoum Challenge Round 3. The bay was sixth in the G1 Dubai World Cup before shifting to Bill Mott's shedrow. He made his U.S. debut at the Big A last November and finished third. **Cont.**

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11th-Keeneland, \$135,515, Alw, 4-6, (C), 4yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:42.96, gd, 1/2 length.

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Bendoog (left) | Sarah Andrew

Off since then, the 2-1 choice here was fitted with blinkers and with Lasix to kick start his new campaign. Bendoog was shuffled towards the rear of the field at the bell, but he started to make headway before the far turn. Given his cue, he ranged up on the leaders to take over at the top of the lane, was challenged by Cascais (Into Mischief) with a furlong left and won by a head. The winner's dam is responsible for 3-year-old filly She Be Boss (*City of Light*) and 2-year-old filly Cassiar (*City of Light*), who went to W.S. Farish for \$400,000 at last year's Fasig-Tipton Saratoga Yearling Sale. Nellie Cashman visited Mitole for this term. Lifetime Record: G1SP-UAE, 12-3-3-3, \$581,616. **Click for the [Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#), sponsored by FanDuel TV.** O-Mohammed Khaleel Ahmed; B-Calumet Farm (KY); T-William I. Mott.

7th-Santa Anita, \$70,902, Alw (NW1\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$50,000), 4-6, 4yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:34.19, fm, 2 lengths.

ROYAL CHARTER (GB) (f, 4, Expert Eye {GB}--Queen's Charter {GB}, by Oasis Dream {GB}) has done all of her prior racing overseas, earning a pair of wins in England and last finishing eighth in a stakes at ParisLongchamp in the summer before joining Leonard Powell's barn at Santa Anita. Utilizing Lasix for the first time, the 4-1 shot came from mid pack with a big run up the backstretch to place herself into contention off the turn. Irresistible Force (*Mendelssohn*) chased her home but was two lengths behind on the wire. Queen's Charter, herself a half to English highweight older mare and GI Breeders' Cup Filly and Mare Turf winner Queen's Trust (GB)(*Dansili* {GB}), has both a 2-year-old and a yearling by *Bated Breath* (GB). Sales History: 85,000gns Ylg '21 TADEY; €240,000 2yo '22 ARQMAY. Lifetime Record: 6-3-1-0, \$61,425. **Click for the [Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#), sponsored by FanDuel TV.** O-Apple Tree Stud; B-Biddestone Stud Ltd (GB); T-Leonard Powell.

8th-Gulfstream, \$49,000, Alw (NW1X)/Opt. Clm (\$75,000), 4-6, 3yo, f, 1 1/16mT, 1:40.41, fm, neck.

(DH) WATCHTOWER (f, 3, Demarchelier {GB}--Zloty {MSP, \$131,634}, by Exchange Rate) Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-1, \$48,660. O-Peter M. Brant; B-White Birch Farm, Inc. (KY); T-Chad C. Brown.

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(DH) DE REGRESO (f, 3, Audible--Texas Gem, by Tiznow) Sales history: \$80,000 Ylg '22 KEESPE; \$105,000 RNA 2yo '23 OBSMAR. Lifetime Record: 8-2-1-2, \$75,772. O-Cairol Racing Stable and Magic Stables, Inc.; B-Baron Thoroughbreds, LLC (KY); T-Antonio Sano.

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De Regreso stepped out to first press the pace while Watchtower settled near the rear of the field. De Regreso was among runners in the top flight until they swung off the far turn, where she'd taken a clear lead, but the calvary charge was rolling from the back, led by Watchtower. The fillies were on even terms in the final strides, and hit the line together, inseparable in the photo.

De Regreso was picking up her second lifetime win after breaking her maiden last season over Gulfstream's synthetic track and subsequently hitting the board in the Our Peggy Sue S. The 15-1 shot was last seen running second over that same course Mar. 9 against optional claiming company. De Regreso has a 2-year-old half-sister Paamul (Yoshuida {Jpn}) as well as a 2024 half-sister by *Independence Hall*.

Watchtower picked up her second victory in a row here after her 1 1/2-length graduation last out Jan. 20 at Tampa Bay Downs in a mile maiden event. Out of a multiple stakes-placed mare, she is the fourth winner from as many to the races and has a yearling half-brother by Basin as well as a 2024 half-brother by Tap Back. **Click for the [Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#), sponsored by FanDuel TV.**



De Regreso (right) and Watchtower (left) | Ryan Thompson

2nd-Sam Houston Race, \$34,500, Alw, 4-6, (NW1X), 3yo/up, f/m, 5fT, :58.10, fm, 2 1/2 lengths.

GO BETTY JO (f, 4, Tapwrit--Party Smart, by Smart Strike), never off the board in her career, gamely notched a second win to her tally here via a stalk and pounce trip where she turned away challengers in the early stretch to score by 2 1/2 lengths over 26-1 longshot SP Canada Candy (Vancouver {Aus}). She'd last been seen running second in a first-level allowance over this course Mar. 17. A half-sister to Time to Party (Kantharos), SP, \$246,364, Go Betty Jo is the third winner for their dam from as many to make the races. She has a 2-year-old full-brother Wondaehan Kkum who was exported to race in South Korea as well as a yearling half-sister by Spun to Run. Party Smart is due to Dialed In for 2024. Sales history: \$70,000 Ylg '21 FTKOCT. Lifetime Record: 5-2-2-1, \$56,893. **Click for the Equibase.com chart.**

O-Carl R. Moore Management LLC; B-Gainesway Thoroughbreds LTD & Bridlewood Farm, LLC (KY); T-Karen E. Jacks.

Sales History: \$50,000 Wlg '21 FTKNOV; \$180,000 Ylg '22 FTKJUL. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$66,720. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

O-Three Chimneys Farm, LLC (Goncalo B. Torrealba) and Fern Circle Stables; B-William Humphries & Altair Farms LLC (KY); T-Kenneth G. McPeck.



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1st-Keeneland, \$100,000, Msw, 4-6, 3yo, 1 1/16m, 1:45.82, ft, head.

ELEPHANTS EAR (c, 3, Vino Rosso--Sunbury, by Speightstown) outran his 16-1 odds to be third behind a pair of heralded runners at Fair Grounds on debut Mar. 16. Kept at the same 1 1/16-mile distance Saturday, the 3-1 third choice broke nicely and enjoyed an inside trip early but needed to alter course into the backstretch to find running room. Mid pack through a half in :48.80, he began to make up ground while still caught out around the turn, came widest of the field past the quarter marker and got the best of a pair of inner challengers to prevail by a head. Bourbon Society (Bernardini) held second narrowly over Batten Down (Tapit). Out of a daughter of MGSW/MGISP Centring, Elephants Ear has an Omaha Beach 2-year-old half-sister while Sunbury has produced back-to-back foals both by Authentic in 2023 and 2024 respectively.

5th-Keeneland, \$99,588, Msw, 4-6, 3yo, 1 3/16mT, 1:57.75, gd, 2 lengths.

WHITE PALOMINO (c, 3, Kitten's Joy--Wolf Gourmet, by Flatter), a solid third in his sole start going 8 1/2 furlongs over Gulfstream's lawn Jan. 20, has since delivered nine works at Payson and was sent postward here at just north of 7-2. He left the two hole forwardly, settling kindly just off the pace. Tucked in a joint third on the rail through :22.63 and :46.61 early fractions, he held his spot until a massive seam opened for him in the lane. White Palomino burst through and quickly cleared the field by two lengths with a sharp turn of foot as El Rezeen (English Channel) closed to chase him home. The winner's dam, a half to GSW Cowboy Culture (Quality Road), was a \$45,000 Keeneland November purchase by Triple T. Ranch in 2021.

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She was shipped to the Philippines where she delivered a filly by Exaggerator in 2022. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$63,575. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

O-James J. Bakke and Gerald Isbister; B-Bakster Farms (KY); T-Chad C. Brown.

5th-Aqueduct, \$70,000, (S), Msw, 4-6, 3yo, f, 6f, 1:11.88, ft, 4 lengths.

AL'S RUBY (f, 3, City of Light--Dr. Diamonds Prize {SW-USA, GSP-Can, \$240,903}, by Pure Prize) debuted with Lasix as a 3-1 shot here. The homebred broke alertly, but was challenged by a longshot up the backstretch. Making headway into the far turn, the filly was assailed by a sudden burst to her inside from favorite Focus Pocus (Bourbon Courage). In the role of chaser, the 3-year-old kept to the task of running down the new leader and did so in the final sixteenth to win by four lengths. Dr. Diamonds Prize was purchased for \$100,000 by Buttonwood Farm at the 2021 Keeneland January Sale while Al's Ruby--her last registered foal--was in-utero. The winner's second dam produced MSW Miss Red Delicious (Empire Maker), the dam of GSW Nootka Sound (Lonhro {Aus}), and MGSW Lady Apple (Curlin). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$38,500. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

O/B-Albert Fried (NY); T-Christophe Clement.



11th-Aqueduct, \$70,000, (S), Msw, 4-6, 3yo, f, 6f, 1:12.44, ft, 1 3/4 lengths.

PEONY (f, 3, Mendelssohn--Flower Mart {SP, \$119,489}, by Street Sense), in the money in both of her prior starts over both six and seven furlongs, came back to the six panels Saturday facing state bred. The 9-5 favorite was well-positioned off the speed in third, came wide past the quarter pole and easily took

over from pacesetter Granadilla (**Practical Joke**) to graduate at third asking by 1 3/4 lengths. Peony has a 2-year-old Caravaggio half-sister and a yearling half-brother by **Mendelssohn**. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-2, \$55,300. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

O/B-Merrylegs Farm North LLC (NY); T-Christophe Clement.

5th-Santa Anita, \$67,500, Msw, 4-6, 3yo, f, 1mT, 1:33.35, fm, 1 3/4 lengths.

KATHYNMARISSA (f, 3, American Pharoah--La Dalila {Chi} {G1SW-Chi}, by Milt's Overture) found no success over the main track in two starts in New York, but has found California grass to her liking, placing third last out Feb. 17 at a mile over this course. Breaking a touch flat footed here but hustled to claim a forward position, she stalked Tahini (**American Pharoah**) as that one put up the fractions. Three wide and rolling into the lane under a full head of steam, she swallowed up that longtime leader as that one faded and picked up Frankie Dettori's fourth win on the card from a six-win day. Loterie (Ire) (**Ten Sovereigns {Ire}**) closed to claim second. A half-sister to accomplished Chilean runner La Poetisa (Empire Maker), Ch. 3-year-old Filly-Chi, G1SW-Chi, Kathynmarissa is the most recent winner to the races for the dam. She has a 2-year-old Caravaggio half-sister and La Dalila is due to to **Mandaloun** for 2024. Sales history: \$200,000 Ylg '22 KEESep. Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-1, \$55,000. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

O-Michael Dubb; B-Don Alberto Corporation (KY); T-Richard E. Dutrow, Jr..



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2nd-Santa Anita, \$66,000, Msw, 4-6, 3yo, 6f, 1:08.79, ft, 1 1/2 lengths.

BALL DON'T LIE (c, 3, Blame--Real Clever Trick, by Yes It's True) finished in third place in what was his first start in Arcadia Mar. 9. Sent off as the 2-1 second choice behind stablemate Santarena (Omaha Beach), the 3-year-old chased the chalk up the backstretch. Taking aim at his race rival around the far turn, the colt put him away past the eighth pole to graduate by 1 1/2 lengths. The winner is a half-brother to Vexor (Wildcat Heir), GSW, \$195,260. Unraced dam Real Clever Trick is responsible for a yearling colt by Flatter and she was bred to **Mind Control** for this spring. Sales History: \$37,000 RNA Ylg '22 KEEJAN; \$65,000 Ylg '22 SARAUG; \$165,000 2yo '23 EASMAY. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$46,800. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

O-Muir Hut Stables, LLC and Saints or Sinners; B-River Valley Farm & Hidden Lake Farm, LLC (NY); T-Mark Glatt.

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5th-Laurel, \$53,345, Msw, 4-6, 3yo, f, 1m, 1:39.81, ft, 2 3/4 lengths.

DETERMIND PRINCESS (f, 3, Ghostzapper--Bohemian Queen, by Animal Kingdom) was second on her unveiling Mar. 15 over this main track, and successfully stretched out to the mile at second asking here. Stalking the leading flight as the loose leader put up the early fractions, she'd collared that one from the overland route nearing the three sixteenths marker and put 2 3/4 lengths on Amie's Symphony (**Mendelssohn**) on the wire, who recovered to claim the minors after stumbling out of the gate. The first to the races for Bohemian Queen, Determined Princess has a 2-year-old half-brother Maclean's Rook (Maclean's Music) as well as a yearling half-sister by **Gift Box**.

Their dam is due to **Olympiad** for 2024. Sales history: \$120,000 RNA Ylg '22 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$41,860. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.** O-D Hatman Thoroughbreds; B-Determined Stud (MD); T-Phil Schoenthal.

4th-Sam Houston Race, \$33,000, Msw, 4-6, 3, 4, /5yo, 6f, 1:11.79, ft, 1 1/2 lengths.

UNCLE HAPPY (g, 3, Runhappy--Vexed {GSW, \$143,718}, by Arch) made one start in 2023, a seventh place effort for Tom Amoss Aug. 6 at Ellis Park, before going to the bench for almost nine months. Sent to Bret Calhoun and returning here as a first-time gelding as well as on Lasix, he was bumped at the break but recovered well enough to lock horns with firster C F Cantgoforthat (**Girvin**), putting up :22.24 and :45.68 splits. When that one threw up the white flag, Flash Humor (Flashback) took over but the eventual winner had already built up a margin turning for home, gamely scoring by 1 1/2 lengths. Uncle Happy has a 2-year-old half-brother by **Catholic Boy** as well as a yearling half-brother Rascal (Waiting). Vexed returned to Waiting for 2024. Sales history: \$50,000 Ylg '22 FTKOCT; \$70,000 2yo '23 OBSAPR. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$19,560. **Click for the Equibase.com chart.**

O-CJ Thoroughbreds; B-Claiborne Farm & Adele B. Dilschneider (KY); T-W. Bret Calhoun.

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3rd-Tampa Bay Downs, \$32,000, Msw, 4-6, 3yo, 1 1/8mT, 1:48.13, gd, 3 1/2 lengths.

GALLIC CHARM (c, 3, Demarchelier {GB}--Dolly Madison {Ire}, by Galileo {Ire}) dueled over this course and then had to re-rally on debut Jan. 21 to claim third but put it all together here to graduate. Sent away with 6-5 favoritism, he set a pressured pace of :23.05 and :47.39 early as eventual runner-up Noble Factor (**The Factor**) took up the chase from a tiring rival in the late stages. In control through the final bend, Gallic Charm cleared away by 3 1/2 lengths on the wire. The first to the races for the dam, the victor has a yearling half-brother named Afghanistan (**War Front**) and their dam is due to Omaha Beach for 2024. This is the extended female family of multiple Group 1-placed Cliffs of Moher (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}), globetrotting multiple Group winner Francis of Assisi (Ire) (Daneshill Dancer {Ire}) and multiple Group 1-winning Henrythenavigator (Kingmambo). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$22,400. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

O-Peter M. Brant; B-White Birch Farm, Inc. (KY); T-Chad C. Brown.

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**IN AUSTRALIA:**

Bustling (Aus), g, 2, **Frosted**--Busimiss (Aus) (MSP-Aus, \$131,679), by Key Business (Aus). Ascot, 4-6, Listed Perth S., 1100mT, 1:03.86, gd. B-Oakland Park Stud (WA). ***1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN.**

Riff Rocket (Aus), g, 3, **American Pharoah**. See "Worldwide".

Nefertiti (Aus), f, 3, **American Pharoah**--Downloads (Aus), by Fastnet Rock (Aus). Avoca, 4-6, Maiden, 1100mT, 1:07.66. B-Lime Country Thoroughbreds, Healey Bloodstock, Matrix Bloodstock (NSW). *A\$70,000 Ylg '22 INGFEF.

Legacies (Aus), f, 3, **Justify**--Abyssinie (Ire), by Danehill Dancer (Ire). Caulfield, 4-6, Hcp., 1600mT, 1:38.02. B-Rosemont Stud (Vic). *SW & GSP-Aus.

The Boss Lady (Aus), f, 3, **Street Boss**--Top Of The Class (Aus) (MSP-Aus), by Star Witness (Aus). Ascot, 4-6, Hcp., 1000mT, :57.58. B-Canal Enterprise Syndicate (WA).

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\$45,000 KEE SEP yrl

Thousand Words (Pioneerof the Nile), Spendthrift Farm, \$5,000
123 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners
1-Keeneland, 1:00 p.m. EDT, Msw 4 1/2f, The Queens M G, 20-1
\$3,500 FTK OCT yrl

SECOND-CROP STARTERS TO WATCH: SUNDAY, APRIL 7

2024 Stud Fees Listed

Advertise (GB) (Showcasing {GB}), Manton Park Stud, £10,000
190 foals of racing age/21 winners/0 black-type winners
11-Santa Anita, 9:00 p.m. EDT, Msw 1mT, Siennesis (Ire), 6-1
€50,000 GOF OR yrl

Audible (Into Mischief), WinStar Farm, \$15,000
261 foals of racing age/37 winners/3 black-type winners

9-Hawthorne, 7:24 p.m. EDT, Msw 1m, Absolute Miracle, 10-1
\$110,000 KEE SEP yrl
8-Keeneland, 4:44 p.m. EDT, \$400K GII MiddleGround Capital
Beaumont S., 7f, Chi Chi, 20-1
\$47,000 RNA OBS WIN wnl
5-Tampa Bay Downs, 2:28 p.m. EDT, Aoc 1 1/16mT, Nikitis, 2-1
\$110,000 KEE NOV wnl; \$180,000 RNA KEE SEP yrl; \$100,000
FTK OCT yrl; \$535,000 OBS APR 2yo
4-Gulfstream, 2:46 p.m. EDT, Msw 1m, Tape Runner, 5-1
\$70,000 FTK OCT yrl; \$65,000 OBS OPN 2yo
11-Santa Anita, 9:00 p.m. EDT, Msw 1mT, Triple Pass, 15-1
\$160,000 KEE NOV wnl; \$275,000 FTS AUG yrl

Calyx (GB) (Kingman {GB}), Coolmore Stud, €12,500
164 foals of racing age/29 winners/3 black-type winners
9-Santa Anita, 8:00 p.m. EDT, \$100K Angels Flight S., 6 1/2f,
Zona Verde (Ire), 3-1
30,000gns RNA TAT OCT yrl

Catalina Cruiser (Union Rags), Lane's End Farm, \$10,000
173 foals of racing age/22 winners/0 black-type winners
1-Keeneland, 1:00 p.m. EDT, Msw 4 1/2f, Island Ride, 15-1
\$14,000 RNA FTK OCT yrl

Catholic Boy (More Than Ready), Claiborne Farm, \$10,000
161 foals of racing age/21 winners/1 black-type winner
7-Sunland, 5:04 p.m. EDT, \$125K Mine That Bird Derby, 1
1/16m, Young Pope, 20-1
\$300,000 KEE SEP yrl; \$9,000 I '23 KEE NOV

Enticed (Medaglia d'Oro), Darley, \$5,000
157 foals of racing age/32 winners/1 black-type winner
4-Keeneland, 2:36 p.m. EDT, Aoc 1 1/16m, Fourfiftyseven, 30-1
\$32,000 RNA KEE SEP yrl; \$47,000 OBS APR 2yo

Force the Pass (Speightstown), Sau
37 foals of racing age/6 winners/0 black-type winners
4-Laurel, 1:53 p.m. EDT, Aoc 5 1/2f, Had to Have Him, 15-1
\$36,000 FTJ UNE 2yo

Heart to Heart (English Channel), Crestwood Farm
60 foals of racing age/7 winners/0 black-type winners
7-Keeneland, 4:12 p.m. EDT, \$250K Palisades S., 5 1/2fT, Silent
Heart, 6-1

Invincible Army (Ire) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}), Yeomanstown Stud,
€5,000
173 foals of racing age/18 winners/1 black-type winner
9-Santa Anita, 8:00 p.m. EDT, \$100K Angels Flight S., 6 1/2f,
Invincible Molly (GB), 8-1
7,000gns TAD EWE wnl; 18,000gns TAD EY yrl; 55,000gns TAT
BRG 2yo; 85,000gns TAT AHI 2yo

Kentucky Wildcat (Tapit)

23 foals of racing age/3 winners/1 black-type winner
6-Sunland, 4:37 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, Kentucky Gold, 4-1

Maximus Mischief (Into Mischief), Spendthrift Farm, \$25,000

231 foals of racing age/42 winners/3 black-type winners
5-Tampa Bay Downs, 2:28 p.m. EDT, Aoc 1 1/16mT, Escape Room, 6-1
\$45,000 FTK NOV wnl; \$35,000 KEE SEP yrl
5-Santa Anita, 6:00 p.m. EDT, \$100K John Shear S., 6 1/2f, Raging Torrent, 6-1
\$27,000 RNA KEE SEP yrl; \$75,000 OBS APR 2yo
3-Aqueduct, 2:23 p.m. EDT, Aoc 1m, Thirteen Red Flags, 8-1
\$32,000 FTN MIX wnl; \$70,000 FTK JUL yrl; \$19,000 EAS MAY 2yo; \$5,500 FTD OCT 2yo

Om (Munnings), Harris Farms

91 foals of racing age/3 winners/0 black-type winners
3-Santa Anita, 5:00 p.m. EDT, Alw 6 1/2f, Headed for Om, 4-1

Omaha Beach (War Front), Spendthrift Farm, \$40,000

291 foals of racing age/35 winners/4 black-type winners
5-Santa Anita, 6:00 p.m. EDT, \$100K John Shear S., 6 1/2f, Charge for Gold, 12-1
\$55,000 RNA KEE NOV wnl; \$60,000 OBS APR 2yo
4-Keeneland, 2:36 p.m. EDT, Aoc 1 1/16m, Landed, 3-1
\$220,000 FTK NOV wnl; \$500,000 FTS AUG yrl
11-Santa Anita, 9:00 p.m. EDT, Msw 1mT, Le Mans, 8-1
\$300,000 FTK OCT yrl

Pavel (Creative Cause), Ocean Breeze Ranch

29 foals of racing age/6 winners/1 black-type winner
7-Santa Anita, 7:00 p.m. EDT, Msw 6fT, Have Patience, 12-1

Preservationist (Arch), Airdrie Stud, \$5,000

103 foals of racing age/22 winners/1 black-type winner
5-Tampa Bay Downs, 2:28 p.m. EDT, Aoc 1 1/16mT, Beira, 12-1
\$32,000 KEE NOV wnl; \$27,000 KEE SEP yrl; \$12,000 OBS OPN 2yo

Rumpus Cat (Street Sense), Daehling Ranch

20 foals of racing age/2 winners/0 black-type winners
5-Golden Gate Fields, 8:15 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Elwood Road, 9-5
\$5,000 NCA AU yrl

Solomini (Curlin), McMahon of Saratoga Thoroughbreds, \$7,500

142 foals of racing age/18 winners/3 black-type winners
1-Sunland, 2:25 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, El Keczal, 15-1
\$9,000 OBS OCT yrl; \$5,000 RNA OBS OPN 2yo

Sporting Chance (Tiznow), A & A Ranch

45 foals of racing age/4 winners/0 black-type winners
6-Sunland, 4:37 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, Chance to Dream, 15-1

Ten Sovereigns (Ire) (No Nay Never), Coolmore Stud, €17,500

237 foals of racing age/34 winners/3 black-type winners
7-Keeneland, 4:12 p.m. EDT, \$250K Palisades S., 5 1/2fT, Mansa Musa (Ire), 15-1
60,000gns TAD EWE wnl; 55,000gns TAT OCT yrl; €49,383 RNA GOF FDU 2yo

Tough Sunday (Grazen), Tommy Town Thoroughbreds

11 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners
7-Santa Anita, 7:00 p.m. EDT, Msw 6fT, Nanci Griffith, 15-1

Vino Rosso (Curlin), Spendthrift Farm, \$20,000

309 foals of racing age/42 winners/2 black-type winners
4-Gulfstream, 2:46 p.m. EDT, Msw 1m, Luna Love, 9-2
\$55,000 RNA KEE NOV wnl; \$50,000 KEE SEP yrl

World of Trouble (Kantharos), Hill 'n' Dale at Xalapa, \$5,000

129 foals of racing age/24 winners/1 black-type winner
7-Sunland, 5:04 p.m. EDT, \$125K Mine That Bird Derby, 1 1/16m, No Trouble, 8-1
\$20,000 KEE NOV wnl

Yoshida (Jpn) (Heart's Cry {Jpn}), Darley Japan, ¥1,500,000

164 foals of racing age/23 winners/1 black-type winner
4-Gulfstream, 2:46 p.m. EDT, Msw 1m, Day Away, 15-1
\$25,000 KEE SEP yrl; \$20,000 FTJ UNE 2yo



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RAINBOW MISS S., \$150,000, Oaklawn, 4-6, (S), 3yo, f, 6f, 1:10.92, ft.

1--**HUSH IT HONEY, 119, f, 3, Too Much Bling--Waters Fine, by Paynter. 1ST BLACK TYPE WIN.** O-Randy Patterson and Randy L. Morse; B-Monica Yarbrough & Flurry Racing Stables (AR); T-Randy L. Morse; J-Rafael Bejarano. \$85,500. Lifetime Record: 7-4-0-1, \$222,000.

2--**Haulin Ice, 122, f, 3, Coal Front--She's Smoke, by Half Ours. 1ST BLACK TYPE.** O-J J Thoroughbreds; B-Eugenia Thompson -Benight (AR); T-Lindsay Schultz. \$28,500.

3--**Sthenic, 122, f, 3, Texas Chrome--Halfandtwoquarters, by Half Ours. 1ST BLACK TYPE.** O-Keene Thoroughbreds LLC; B-Keene Thoroughbreds, LLC (AR); T-Brett Creighton. \$14,250. Margins: 3/4, 15 1/4, HF. Odds: 1.20, 0.90, 15.00.

RAINBOW S., \$150,000, Oaklawn, 4-6, (S), 3yo, 6f, 1:11.88, ft.

1--**PATTON'S TIZZY, 117, g, 3, Paynter--Uncomplicated, by Half Ours.** (\$40,000 Ylg '22 TTAYRL). **1ST BLACK TYPE WIN.** O-Steve Landers Racing LLC; B-James H. Glover (AR); T-Brad H. Cox; J-Martin Chuan. \$78,750. Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-1, \$120,000.

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2--**Landlord, 117, g, 3, Lord Nelson--Vivian Da Bling, by Too Much Bling. 1ST BLACK TYPE.** O/B-JRita Young Thoroughbreds, LLC (AR); T-Ron Moquett. \$26,250.

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3--**Chez Whiz, 118, g, 3, Texas Chrome--Torri's On My Mind, by Corfu. 1ST BLACK TYPE.** O/B-Keene Thoroughbreds, LLC (AR); T-Ronnie E. Cravens, III. \$13,125.

Margins: NO, 3/4, 1 3/4. Odds: 11.10, 3.50, 43.90.

ACADIANA S., \$60,000, Evangeline Downs, 4-5, 3yo, f, 6f, 1:11.92, ft.

1--**GUITAR SOLO, 119, f, 3, Star Guitar--Tory's Triumph (SP), by Grand Appointment.** O/B-World War IV Racing (LA); T-Allen Landry; J-Devin H. Magnon. \$36,000. Lifetime Record: 5-3-0-1, \$133,800.

2--**Fibber, 119, f, 3, Frosted--Devious Intent, by Dixie Union.** (\$55,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP). O-Kat Kirk and Wayne R. Sanders; B-Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC (KY); T-W. Bret Calhoun. \$12,000.

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3--**Nana's Corn Muffin, 119, f, 3, Oscar Performance--Nothing But Netta, by Will Take Charge.** (\$11,000 Ylg '22 OBSWIN). **1ST BLACK TYPE.** O/B-Ellen Epstein (FL); T-Allen Landry. \$6,000.

Margins: 1, 2 3/4, 3HF. Odds: 1.20, 1.70, 10.40.

SPOTTED HORSE S., (NB) \$60,000, Evangeline Downs, 4-5, 4yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:39.57, ft.

1--**TRYINMYHEARTOUT, 119, f, 4, Into Mischief--Miss Hollywood (SW, \$151,430), by Malibu Moon.** (\$400,000 Ylg

'21 FTSAUG; \$625,000 RNA 2yo '22 OBSOPN). O-Brittlyn Stable, Inc.; B-Brinker Hill Farm, Inc. (KY); T-Shane Wilson; J-Jose Andres Guerrero. \$36,000. Lifetime Record: MSP, 15-4-1-1, \$211,950.

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2--**Crypto Mo, 116, f, 4, Mohaymen--Forty Winds, by Forty Tales.** (\$20,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP; \$500,000 3yo '23 FTKHRA). O-Qatar Racing; B-Buck Pond Farm, Inc. (KY); T-Brad H. Cox. \$12,000.

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3--**Perfect Wish, 117, f, 4, Midshipman--Can You Talk, by Tale of the Cat.** (\$70,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP). O-Norman Stables, LLC; B-Stonehaven Steadings (KY); T-Jayde J. Gelner. \$6,000.

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Margins: 5HF, 5HF, 5 3/4. Odds: 1.80, 1.10, 3.30.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

11th-Oaklawn, \$140,000, 4-6, (NW1\$X), 4yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11.10, ft, 3 1/4 lengths.

KANT BELIEVE IT (m, 5, Kantharos--Royal Taat {Nz} {GSP-NZ, MSP-USA, \$151,498}, by Faltaat) Lifetime Record: SP, 12-3-3-2, \$284,431. O/B-Doubledown Stables, Inc. (KY); T-James P. DiVito. *1/2 to Game Time Decision (Put It Back), MSP, \$261,623.

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9th-Oaklawn, \$140,000, 4-6, (NW1\$X), 4yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10.71, ft, nose.

PISTOL (m, 5, Gun Runner--Wild Bout Tiffany {SW, \$238,505}, by Wildcat Heir) Lifetime Record: 20-4-4-2, \$259,947. O-Lewis E. Mathews, Jr.; B-Clearsky Farms (KY); T-Thomas L. Van Berg. *\$100,000 Ylg '20 KEESEP.

4th-Keeneland, \$127,904, (C)/Opt. Clm (\$100,000), 4-6, 4yo/up, 6f, 1:10.00, ft, 6 1/2 lengths.

PREVALENCE (g, 6, Medaglia d'Oro--Enrichment, by Ghostzapper) Lifetime Record: GSW, 16-5-1-0, \$408,935. O/B-Godolphin (KY); T-Brendan P. Walsh. *\$140,000 RNA 5yo '23 FTKHRA. **1/2 to Libreta (Girolamo), SW, \$128,660; 1/2 to Loyal Company (Frosted), MSP, \$185,679; 1/2 to Estihdaaf (Arch), GSW-UAE, \$183,491.

2nd-Aqueduct, \$72,000, (S), 4-6, (NW1\$X), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:11.76, ft, 3 lengths.

LITTLE LUCA (g, 4, Competitive Edge--She's Always Ready, by More Than Ready) Lifetime Record: 9-3-1-2, \$99,940. O-Krakow Racing, LLC and S.O.K. Racing; B-Mr Amore Stables (NY); T-Mertkan Kantarmaci.

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8th-Santa Anita, \$69,000, (S), (NW1\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$20,000), 4-5, 4yo/up, 1m, 1:37.88, ft, 3 1/4 lengths.

DONT FIGHT THE FED (c, 4, Nyquist--Taffeta, by Scat Daddy)
Lifetime Record: 6-2-1-0, \$113,980. O/B-Reddam Racing, LLC (CA); T-Antonio C. Garcia. *1/2 to Madison Rae (Pavel), SW, \$122,440.

3rd-Santa Anita, \$69,000, (NW1\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$50,000), 4-6, 4yo/up, f/m, 6fT, 1:08.31, fm, 1 1/4 lengths.

RECINTO ROMPERE (f, 4, Karakontie {Jpn}--Starlight Tiara, by More Than Ready) Lifetime Record: 9-2-2-0, \$119,178.
O-Eclipse Thoroughbred Partners; B-Gaineway Thoroughbreds Ltd. (KY); T-Leonard Powell. *\$95,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP. **1/2 to Surfside Tiara (Scat Daddy), SW, \$109,125.

8th-Santa Anita, \$68,000, (S), (NW1\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$20,000), 4-6, 4yo/up, 6f, 1:10.05, ft, 2 1/4 lengths.

LEFT HAND MAN (c, 4, Cat Burglar--Moonie, by Square Eddie)
Lifetime Record: 5-2-0-1, \$97,940. O/B-Richard Barton Enterprises (CA); T-Mark Glatt. *\$39,000 RNA Ylg '21 FTCA YR.

8th-Laurel, \$56,000, (C)/Opt. Clm (\$44,000-\$55,000), 4-6, 3yo/up, 5 1/2f, 1:03.71, ft, head.

THREES OVER DEUCES (g, 9, Flat Out--Cruelmore, by Forestry)
Lifetime Record: MGSP, 65-10-23-10, \$809,277. O-Pocket 3's Racing LLC; B-Machmer Hall & Montese LLC (KY); T-Gary Capuano. *\$30,000 Ylg '16 KEESEP.

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9th-Laurel, \$53,710, (NW1X)/Opt. Clm (\$50,000-\$62,500), 4-6, 3yo, f, 1m, 1:40.85, ft, 2 1/2 lengths.

SOCIETY BALL (f, 3, Great Notion--Jump for Love {SP}, by Jump Start) Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-1, \$82,225. O-Squire Thoroughbreds LLC; B-Sycamore Hall Thoroughbreds, LLC & Ellen Charles (MD); T-Lacey Gaudet. *\$15,000 Ylg '22 EASOCT.

2nd-Sam Houston Race, \$40,000, (S), 4-5, (NW1X), 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:38.95, fm, nose.

WITT AMERICA (g, 5, Drums of Thunder--Expect Michelle, by Valid Expectations) Lifetime Record: 30-2-4-6, \$73,816. O-Henry S. Witt, Jr.; B-Henry S. Witt (TX); T-Sarah Nicole Davidson.

11th-Sam Houston Race, \$40,000, (S), 4-6, (NW1X), 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:39.77, fm, 1 1/2 lengths.

CAFEZINHO (f, 4, Noble Mission {GB}--Senora Acero {SP}, by The Factor) Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-1, \$51,887. O/B-Richard P. Chandler (TX); T-Mindy J. Willis.

6th-Evangeline Downs, \$35,000, (S), 4-5, (NW1X), 4yo/up, 1m, 1:41.22, ft, 3/4 length.

NORTHERNREFLECTION (g, 5, Northern Afleet--Mecke's Reflection, by Mecke) Lifetime Record: 23-6-0-1, \$86,755.
O-Jeansonne, Justin, Virgadamo, Rodney and Bonura, Keith; B-Roger D. Scruggs & Summer Hill Farm (LA); T-Justin Jeansonne. *\$7,000 RNA Ylg '20 OBSOCT.

5th-Hawthorne, \$35,000, (S), 4-6, (NW1BX), 3yo/up, 5f, :57.63, ft, 3/4 length.

GOOD APPLE (g, 4, Shackleford--Missalaney {MSP}, by Badge of Silver) Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, \$41,400. O/B-Richard Perkins (IL); T-Chris M. Block.

6th-Sam Houston Race, \$34,500, 4-5, (NW1X), 3yo/up, 5fT, :57.94, fm, 1/2 length.

TWENTYONE N CHANGE (g, 5, Tavasco--Summer Nights, by Siberian Summer) Lifetime Record: SP, 24-7-3-6, \$144,365.
O-Silva Racing LLC; B/T-Miguel Angel Silva (OK).

8th-Hawthorne, \$34,140, 4-6, (NW1\$X), 3yo/up, 1m 70y, 1:41.27, ft, 7 lengths.

CAMP DADDY (g, 5, Distorted Humor--Circle of Rossetti, by Bernardini) Lifetime Record: 19-4-5-2, \$155,723. O-Antonio Donato; B-Rose Hill Farm & TNIP LLC (KY); T-Armando Hernandez. *\$49,000 RNA Ylg '20 KEESEP.

5th-Tampa Bay Downs, \$32,500, 4-6, (NW1X), 4yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:35.80, gd, nose.

CLASSIC VINYL (f, 4, Maclean's Music--Delta Weekend, by Jump Start) Lifetime Record: 8-2-1-1, \$62,560. O-Haphazard Racing, Inc, Jeremy Sussman, and Cory Moelis Racing LLC; B-Chance Farm (VA); T-H. Graham Motion. *\$95,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP; \$45,000 3yo '23 KEENOV. **1/2 to Altamura (Artie Schiller), MSW, \$157,400.



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3rd-Charles Town, \$27,400, (S), 4-5, (NW1X), 3yo/up, f/m, 7f, 1:28.94, ft, head.

PRINCESS MARGARET (f, 4, Kobe's Back--Princessoftheland, by El Corredor) Lifetime Record: 10-3-0-2, \$45,208. O-Patricia Becraft; B-Mark Becraft (WV); T-Timothy C. Grams.

7th-Charles Town, \$27,400, 4-5, (NW2LX), 3yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:20.31, ft, 1 1/4 lengths.

PENGUIN PARADE (h, 5, Cupid--Said in Silence, by Bernstein) Lifetime Record: 23-4-7-2, \$135,542. O-David M. Raim; B-Maurice F. Casey (WV); T-Jeff C. Runco.

4th-Golden Gate Fields, \$27,100, 4-5, 4yo/up, 1m (AWT), 1:36.30, ft, 2 lengths.

LAMMAS (GB) (g, 7, Heeraat {Ire}--Spate Rise {GB}, by Speightstown) Lifetime Record: GSW, 29-9-6-4, \$237,618. O-Ronald L. Charles and Samuel Gordon; B-Peter Onslow (GB); T-Manuel Badilla. *\$10,000gns RNA Wlg '17 TATFOA; £1,800 RNA Ylg '18 GOHITY; 42,000gns 5yo '22 TATBRG.



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ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Ang N Ash, f, 3, Audible--Chestnut Street, by Scat Daddy. Santa Anita, 4-5, (C), 6fT, 1:09.50. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-1, \$26,030. B-Stoneriggs Farm (KY). *\$105,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP; \$30,000 2yo '23 OBSOPN.

Candy Man Can, g, 3, Candygram--Three Arch Bay, by Archarcharch. Charles Town, 4-5, (S), 7f, 1:28.43. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$17,915. B-James Casey, D.V.M. (WV).

Moment's Pleasure, f, 3, Clubhouse Ride--Lamazone, by Lemon Drop Kid. Santa Anita, 4-6, (S), 6fT, 1:09.55. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, \$57,920. B-Rainmaker Racing LLC, Ben & Sally Warren & Bret Lewis (CA).

Bet the Line, c, 3, Exaggerator--Artistic, by Scat Daddy. Laurel, 4-6, 1m, 1:39.30. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$31,450. B-G.

Watts Humphrey Jr. & Vicki Oliver (KY). *\$29,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP; \$80,000 2yo '23 OBSMAR.

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Special Stormy, c, 3, Get Stormy--Head for Home, by Whiskey Wisdom. Evangeline Downs, 4-5, 1 1/16mT, 1:46.49. Lifetime Record: 5-1-1-0, \$31,462. B-Columbiana Farm LLC (KY). *\$15,000 Ylg '22 FTKOCT; \$25,000 2yo '23 OBSOPN. **1/2 to Race Home (Race Day), SW, \$219,750.

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Laser Sharp, c, 3, Sharp Azteca--Maisie, by Stay Thirsty. Aqueduct, 4-6, 6 1/2f, 1:18.93. Lifetime Record: 4-1-3-0, \$85,000. B-Highclere, Inc. (KY). *\$12,000 RNA Ylg '22 KEEJAN; \$60,000 Ylg '22 FTKOCT.

Ride the Brand, g, 3, Super Ninety Nine--Sweetest Memory, by Outflanker. Charles Town, 4-5, (S), 6 1/2f, 1:21.62. Lifetime Record: 7-1-2-1, \$30,958. B-Leslie Cromer (WV).

Cheyenne Moon, f, 3, Tonalist--Tetherball (SP, \$138,236), by Proud Citizen. Oaklawn, 4-6, (C), 1 1/16m, 1:47.70. Lifetime Record: 5-1-0-0, \$47,840. B-Simpson Enterprises (KY). *\$40,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP.

Texas Star, f, 3, Too Much Bling--Foxy Boss, by Street Boss. Sam Houston Race, 4-6, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:05.75. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$23,800. B-Ronald Ellerbe & Margaret Ellerbe (TX). \$51,000 Ylg '22 TTAYRL. *1/2 to No Mas Tequila (Northern Afleet), MSW, \$417,577 and Imaluckycharm (My Golden Song), MSW, \$338,955.

Without a Trace, g, 4, Bernardini--Tracings, by Indian Charlie. Sam Houston Race, 4-6, 1m 70y, 1:44.55. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-1, \$23,509. B-Godolphin (KY). *\$14,000 3yo '23 FTDOCT.

Millers Rite, g, 4, Cairo Prince--Romantic Frolic, by Vindication. Oaklawn, 4-6, 6f, 1:11.66. Lifetime Record: 13-1-1-3, \$132,805. B-Hidden Brook Farm & Steven Friedfertig (KY). *\$40,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP; \$290,000 RNA 2yo '22 TTAAPR. **1/2 to Bode's Maker (Bodemeister), SP, \$470,834.

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Fiesta Besta, f, 4, Hard Spun--Fiesta (SW, \$181,575), by Speightstown. Sam Houston Race, 4-6, 5fT, :58.47. Lifetime Record: 6-1-1-1, \$41,790. B-Diamond Fields Farm (KY). *\$200,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP.

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Curlin's Kitten, g, 4, Kitten's Joy--Curlin's Mistress, by Curlin. Gulfstream, 4-6, (S), 1mT, 1:35.90. Lifetime Record: 5-1-2-1, \$51,230. B-Happy Alter & Kitten's Joy Syndicate (FL).

Maman Joon (Ire), f, 4, Sea The Stars (Ire)--Dorcas Lane (GB) (SW & MGSP-Eng, GSP-Fr, \$120,205), by Norse Dancer (Ire). Tampa Bay Downs, 4-6, 1 1/16mT, 1:42.85. Lifetime Record: 6-1-1-1, \$68,188. B-Barnane Stud Ltd (IRE). *400,000gns Ylg '21 TATOCT. **1/2 to Atty Persse (Ire) (Frankel {GB}), SP-Spa, \$206,322; 1/2 to Candleford (Ire) (Kingman {GB}), SW & MGSP-Eng, \$208,706.

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American Pharoah, Kathynmarissa, f, 3, o/o La Dalila (Chi), by Milt's Overture. MSW, 4-6, Santa Anita

Audible, Ang N Ash, f, 3, o/o Chestnut Street, by Scat Daddy. MCL, 4-5, Santa Anita

Audible, De Regreso, f, 3, o/o Texas Gem, by Tiznow. AOC, 4-6, Gulfstream

Bernardini, Without a Trace, g, 4, o/o Tracings, by Indian Charlie. MSW, 4-6, Sam Houston

Blame, Ball Don't Lie, c, 3, o/o Real Clever Trick, by Yes It's True. MSW, 4-6, Santa Anita

Cairo Prince, Millers Rite, g, 4, o/o Romantic Frolic, by Vindication. MSW, 4-6, Oaklawn

Candygram, Candy Man Can, g, 3, o/o Three Arch Bay, by Archarcharch. MSW, 4-5, Charles Town

Cat Burglar, Left Hand Man, c, 4, o/o Moonie, by Square Eddie. AOC, 4-6, Santa Anita

City of Light, Al's Ruby, f, 3, o/o Dr. Diamonds Prize, by Pure Prize. MSW, 4-6, Aqueduct

Clubhouse Ride, Moment's Pleasure, f, 3, o/o Lamazone, by Lemon Drop Kid. MSW, 4-6, Santa Anita

Collected, Roberta's Love, f, 3, o/o **West Coast** Gal, by Broken Vow. Evening Jewel S., 4-6, Santa Anita

Competitive Edge, Little Luca, g, 4, o/o She's Always Ready, by More Than Ready. ALW, 4-6, Aqueduct

Creative Cause, Bo Cruz, c, 4, o/o Quick Breeze, by **Ghostzapper**. GIII Commonwealth S., 4-6, Keeneland

Cupid, Penguin Parade, h, 5, o/o Said in Silence, by Bernstein. ALW, 4-5, Charles Town

Demarchelier (GB), Gallic Charm, c, 3, o/o Dolly Madison (Ire), by Galileo (Ire). MSW, 4-6, Tampa Bay

Demarchelier (GB), Watchtower, f, 3, o/o Zloty, by Exchange Rate. AOC, 4-6, Gulfstream

Distorted Humor, Camp Daddy, g, 5, o/o Circle of Rossetti, by Bernardini. ALW, 4-6, Hawthorne

Drums of Thunder, Witt America, g, 5, o/o Expect Michelle, by Valid Expectations. ALW, 4-5, Sam Houston

English Channel, Running Bee, h, 5, o/o Our Joy, by El Prado (Ire). ALW, 4-6, Keeneland

Exaggerator, Bet the Line, c, 3, o/o Artistic, by Scat Daddy. MSW, 4-6, Laurel

Expert Eye (GB), Royal Charter (GB), f, 4, o/o Queen's Charter (GB), by **Oasis Dream (GB)**. AOC, 4-6, Santa Anita

Flat Out, Threes Over Deuces, g, 9, o/o Cruelmore, by Forestry. AOC, 4-6, Laurel

Frosted, Post Time, c, 4, o/o Vielsalm, by Fairbanks. GII Carter H. Presented by NYRA Bets, 4-6, Aqueduct

Get Stormy, Special Stormy, c, 3, o/o Head for Home, by Whiskey Wisdom. MSW, 4-5, Evangeline

Ghostzapper, Determind Princess, f, 3, o/o Bohemian Queen, by Animal Kingdom. MSW, 4-6, Laurel

Ghostzapper, Stronghold, c, 3, o/o Spectator, by Jimmy Creed. GI Santa Anita Derby, 4-6, Santa Anita

Great Notion, Society Ball, f, 3, o/o Jump for Love, by Jump Start. AOC, 4-6, Laurel

Gun Runner, Bendoog, h, 5, o/o Nellie Cashman, by **Mineshaft**. ALW, 4-6, Aqueduct

Gun Runner, Pistol, m, 5, o/o Wild Bout Tiffany, by Wildcat Heir. ALW, 4-6, Oaklawn

Gun Runner, Sierra Leone, c, 3, o/o Heavenly Love, by Malibu Moon. GI Toyota Blue Grass S., 4-6, Keeneland

Hard Spun, Fiesta Besta, f, 4, o/o Fiesta, by Speightstown. MSW, 4-6, Sam Houston

Heeraat (Ire), Lammas (GB), g, 7, o/o Spate Rise (GB), by Speightstown. ALW, 4-5, Golden Gate

Into Mischief, Discreet Mischief, c, 3, o/o Brushwork, by Discreet Cat. MSW, 4-6, Keeneland

Into Mischief, Resilience, c, 3, o/o Meadowsweet, by Smart Strike. GII Wood Memorial S. Presented by Resorts World Casino, 4-6, Aqueduct

Into Mischief, Tryinmyheartout, f, 4, o/o Miss Hollywood, by Malibu Moon. Spotted Horse S., 4-5, Evangeline

Justify, Buchu, f, 3, o/o Flowering Peach (Ire), by Galileo (Ire). GII Appalachian S. Presented by Japan Racing Association, 4-6, Keeneland

Kantharos, Kant Believe It, m, 5, o/o Royal Taat (Nz), by Faltaat. ALW, 4-6, Oaklawn

Karakontie (Jpn), Recinto Rompere, f, 4, o/o Starlight Tiara, by More Than Ready. AOC, 4-6, Santa Anita

Kitten's Joy, **Curlin's** Kitten, g, 4, o/o **Curlin's** Mistress, by **Curlin**. MSW, 4-6, Gulfstream

Kitten's Joy, White Palomino, c, 3, o/o Wolf Gourmet, by Flatter. MSW, 4-6, Keeneland

Kobe's Back, Princess Margaret, f, 4, o/o Princessoftheland, by El Corredor. ALW, 4-5, Charles Town

Lord Nelson, Alva Starr, f, 4, o/o Sittin At the Bar, by Into Mischief. GI Resolute Racing Madison S., 4-6, Keeneland

Maclean's Music, Classic Vinyl, f, 4, o/o Delta Weekend, by Jump Start. ALW, 4-6, Tampa Bay

Malibu Moon, Nothing Like You, f, 3, o/o Miss Derek, by Brother Derek. GII Santa Anita Oaks, 4-6, Santa Anita

Medaglia d'Oro, Prevalence, g, 6, o/o Enrichment, by Ghostzapper. AOC, 4-6, Keeneland

Mendelssohn, Peony, f, 3, o/o Flower Mart, by **Street Sense**. MSW, 4-6, Aqueduct

Noble Mission (GB), Cafezinho, f, 4, o/o Senora Acero, by **The Factor**. ALW, 4-6, Sam Houston

Northern Afleet, Northernreflection, g, 5, o/o Mecke's Reflection, by Mecke. ALW, 4-5, Evangeline

Not This Time, Arzak, h, 6, o/o Delightful Melody, by **Tapit**. GII Shakertown S., 4-6, Keeneland

Nyquist, Dont Fight the Fed, c, 4, o/o Taffeta, by Scat Daddy. AOC, 4-5, Santa Anita

Paynter, Patton's Tizzy, g, 3, o/o Uncomplicated, by Half Ours. Rainbow S., 4-6, Oaklawn

Paynter, Payne, g, 9, o/o Vertical Vision, by Pollard's Vision. STR, 4-6, Oaklawn

Practical Joke, Shidabhuti, f, 4, o/o A. P. Candy, by **Candy Ride (Arg)**. GIII Distaff S., 4-6, Aqueduct

Runhappy, Uncle Happy, g, 3, o/o Vexed, by Arch. MSW, 4-6, Sam Houston

Sea The Stars (Ire), Maman Joon (Ire), f, 4, o/o Dorcas Lane (GB), by Norse Dancer (Ire). MSW, 4-6, Tampa Bay

Shackleford, Good Apple, g, 4, o/o Missalaney, by Badge of Silver. ALW, 4-6, Hawthorne

Sharp Azteca, Laser Sharp, c, 3, o/o Maisie, by Stay Thirsty. MSW, 4-6, Aqueduct

Star Guitar, Guitar Solo, f, 3, o/o Tory's Triumph, by Grand Appointment. Acadiana S., 4-5, Evangeline

Street Sense, Billal, c, 3, o/o Bambalina, by Bernardini. AOC, 4-6, Keeneland

Super Ninety Nine, Ride the Brand, g, 3, o/o Sweetest Memory, by Outflanker. MSW, 4-5, Charles Town

Tapwrit, Go Betty Jo, f, 4, o/o Party Smart, by Smart Strike. ALW, 4-6, Sam Houston

Tavasco, Twentyone N Change, g, 5, o/o Summer Nights, by Siberian Summer. ALW, 4-5, Sam Houston

Tonalist, Cheyenne Moon, f, 3, o/o Tetherball, by Proud Citizen. MCL, 4-6, Oaklawn

Too Much Bling, Hush It Honey, f, 3, o/o Waters Fine, by Paynter. Rainbow Miss S., 4-6, Oaklawn

Too Much Bling, Texas Star, f, 3, o/o Foxy Boss, by Street Boss. MSW, 4-6, Sam Houston

Twirling Candy, Ag Bullet, f, 4, o/o Noble Grey, by Forestry. GIII Monrovia S., 4-6, Santa Anita

Twirling Candy, Where's My Ring, f, 3, o/o Mapit, by **Tapit**. GIII Gazelle S., 4-6, Aqueduct

Upstart, Reasoned Analysis, c, 3, o/o We Love Lucy, by Majesticperfection. Bay Shore S., 4-6, Aqueduct

Vino Rosso, Elephants Ear, c, 3, o/o Sunbury, by Speightstown. MSW, 4-6, Keeneland

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'WE BREED THEM TOUGH HERE' - MARNANE BREWS UP A STORM AT BANSHA BBQ



Amy Marnane, Mike O'Brien and Con Marnane at the Bansha House Open Morning on Saturday | *Brian Sheerin*

By Brian Sheerin

Dozens of flights were cancelled, 34,000 homes were left without power, roads were closed due to fallen trees and race meetings were lost as Storm Kathleen raged across Ireland.

Only Con Marnane could organise a BBQ in the middle of one of the worst storms the country has faced in months and it be deemed a success.

The plan to stage Saturday's open morning at Bansha House Stables was first hatched when the Marnane family visited the Magic Millions Sale in Australia and, despite the weather in Tipperary, Con couldn't have been happier with how the idea was received by buyers and racing fans alike.

He said, "We're absolutely thrilled with how the day went. Weather-wise, it was the worst day we've had all year. People were ringing me at seven o'clock this morning wondering if it was going to go ahead or not but I told them that they are bred tough down here. We had about 500 people here this morning and, while the weather was horrendous, we had a lovely time."

Marnane added, "I was at the Magic Millions Sale in January and they looked after us so well over there--I was blown away by the generosity of the sales company." **Cont. p3**

CLASSIC DREAMS IN THE BALANCE ON SUNDAY *by Tom Frary*

Sunday sees a swing in the momentum towards the more meaningful Flat action of 2024, with Leopardstown--which has to survive an early-morning inspection--and ParisLongchamp staging a host of Classic trials. Ballydoyle's wheels are really set in motion at the former venue, with several of their promising 3-year-olds ready to be unleashed in the card's trio of preps including the 10-furlong G3 P.W. McGrath Memorial Ballysax S.

It is in that early Derby pointer that Rosegreen's G1 Criterium de Saint-Cloud third **Illinois (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}) and impressive course maiden-winning **TDN Rising Star Ocean Of Dreams (Ire)** (Fastnet Rock {Aus}) look to add to the stable's Blue Riband team taking on Vimal Khosla's G2 Beresford S. winner **Deepone (GB)** (Study Of Man {Ire}) from the Paddy Twomey stable.

"He has a five-pound penalty for his win in the Beresford S. last season, but we're looking forward to running him on Sunday," Twomey said. **Cont. p6**

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SIERRA LEONE STRIKES IN THE BLUE GRASS

Saturday marked the GI Blue Grass S., and **Sierra Leone (Gun Runner)** prevailed during the second day of the Keeneland Spring Meet.

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Frankie Dettori, winning the GII Santa Anita Oaks with Nothing Like You (Malibu Moon), turned in a master class of riding on Santa Anita Derby Day, winning races two through seven consecutively on the 12-race card. | Benoit Photo

LABEO TRUCK: MOBILE VETERINARY LAB BEGINS 4

The LABEO Truck, a mobile veterinary lab, is the first of its kind in Europe. Sue Finley finds out more.

ANOTHER RISING STAR FOR DUBAWI 6

Notable Speech (GB) (Dubawi {Ire}) is the latest 'TDN Rising Star' for his Darley sire, after easily winning at Kempton.

THE CHAMPIONSHIPS HELD AT RANDWICK 12

The first of two weekends of The Championships was held at Royal Randwick on Saturday, despite heavy rains before racing began.

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He continued, "I said to myself when I came home that we are not doing enough to promote our own industry here which is why I decided to have an open day with a nice BBQ and drink for whoever wanted to visit us. About 20 people--agents and trainers--came over from England and I very much appreciate them giving us their time."

John and Sean Quinn, Dylan Cunha, Jamie Piggott and Jeremy Brummit are just a few of those who made the trip across the Irish Sea. It was actually the latter, who, in showering Marnane with praise, said, "It's just a pity more British trainers didn't make the trip to see how it's done because the majority of people with a training licence in Britain wouldn't have been able to pull off what Con has done today. It's a bloody credit to him."

South African native Cunha was happy to have returned to the man who provided him with his big hope for the season. The Newmarket-based handler's El Bufalo (GB) (Havana Grey {GB}) was led out unsold at the Tattersalls Craven Breeze-Up Sale by Marnane's Bansha House Stables 12 months ago at 22,000gns. Fast forward to this spring, and the Wolverhampton maiden winner holds an entry for the 2,000 Guineas, albeit he is a 100-1 shot for the early-season Classic.

Cunha explained, "We bought El Bufalo from Bansha House last year. It's a very good farm. El Bufalo is still in the Guineas and is a horse we like a lot. We got a nice **Ten Sovereigns** from Con and he is very nice as well. We bought three horses from the breeze-ups last year and they have all done well so we're hoping to buy more this year."



Group 3 winner Tiger Belle | Scoop Dyga

The trainer continued, "We don't have a big owner behind us so we are trying to find value. Basically, we don't look at the times. We just look for the ones who move nicely. We have to be shrewd--El Buffalo hung in his breeze because he cut his mouth. But we liked how he moved and we ended up buying him pretty cheaply. Hopefully we can find another."

Cunha was not the only man returning to Marnane in search of more big-race riches. Trainer Ado McGuinness, who snapped up Rush Queen (Ire) (Ardad {Ire}) and Tiger Belle (Ire) (Cotai Glory {GB}) from Marnane last year, was busy scouting the barns.

Meanwhile, bloodstock agent Hubie de Burgh, who looks after the interests of Bronson Racing, the buyer of Givemethebeatboys (Ire) (Bungle Inthejungle {GB}), was also making the most of the occasion.

De Burgh said, "Con is the best in the business at this sort of thing. But, at the end of the day, the results speak for themselves and buyers will return to a place that is having results on the track. We've been working with Con for

years and he just keeps coming up with good horses."

He added, "What's also so impressive about Con is, he doesn't have success by buying a lovely Dubawi (Ire) or something, he does it by going out and buying a bloody good-looking horse by a lesser stallion. We're involved in some small little way with Givemethebeatboys but how on earth did Con buy that horse for what he did as a yearling? I have no idea.

"Not only that but, we're down here in the middle of a hurricane, and not one of those young horses looked like they were going to buck their rider off. I don't know how he does it but it's just pure professionalism and the horses are a credit to him. Long may it last." [Cont. p4](#)

DOUBLE DAY FOR DURCAN BLOODSTOCK

BRACKEN'S LAUGH (IRE) wins the Woodford Reserve Cardinal Conditions Stakes at Chelmsford

Purchased at Tattersalls

CEMHAAN (GB) wins the Virgin Bet Every Saturday Money Back Rosebery Handicap at Kempton Park

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Bansha House Stud BBQ Cont.

McGuinness was similarly impressed by the professionalism on show, describing the four or five lots of two-year-olds that were put through their paces as "similar to old handicappers" given how not one of the youngsters as much as turned a hair.

But we'd all be kidding ourselves if we came away from the morning without acknowledging the huge degree of poignancy in the air given it is just five months since Theresa, Con's wife, passed away aged 61.

McGuinness said, "We've dealt with Con these past few years and have been successful. When you get results working with somebody, you're always more likely to come back. He's just a great guy.

"Man, he hasn't had an easy year but he's just a top-class man. To be able to pull this all together given what they have all been through in the past few months is incredible. Fair play to them."

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THE LABEO TRUCK: MOBILE VETERINARY LAB THE FIRST OF ITS KIND IN EUROPE

by Sue Finley

CAEN, France--For years, laboratory testing for equine diseases has worked about the same way. Draw a sample, send it off to the lab, and in just a few days, depending upon the mail, you'll have your result.

But of course, in a world that has sped up to the point where a few days seems absolutely archaic, it wasn't going to be long until someone brought the lab to you.

Those people were LABEO, the Normandy Interdepartmental Analysis and Research Centre, whose new LABEO Truck was first deployed last year at the European Eventing Championships, and at this February's Arqana Sale. It's the first of its kind in Europe, and quite possibly the world.



The LABEO Truck | Sue Finley photo

With nearly 400 pharmacists, engineers, biologists, and more on staff, LABEO is one of the largest Public Interest Groups in France, processing approximately 1,250,000 samples and conducting research each year for 80,000 clients in France and abroad in the areas of animal health, water, and food products.

The truck not only looks like but is named after a food truck (and in case you're wondering what the French word for that is, it's *'food truck,'* said with a French accent.) The idea behind it is that in environments where you may be testing groups of horses whose proximity to one another could have serious health implications, it makes more sense to get the test results quickly, with the same precision of accuracy and standards as in the lab. The machines have been tested to ensure that even after driving over bumpy Norman roads, they maintain the same level of integrity as they do in the lab. "If we want to be credible, people have to know that if they call us, we will have the same level of service and we are the same people doing the analysis in the field as here in the lab," said Pierre-Hugues Pitel, the head of the Health and R&D departments at LABEO.

[To view a 3D model of the truck, click here.](#)

The team at LABEO stresses that testing integrity. These aren't do-it-yourself rapid tests that you pick up at the pharmacy or at the vet. This is the entire laboratory, with its quality standards, brought to you, with the experts aboard to process and read the results, and to make recommendations.

Pitel emphasized the essence of detection time at the beginning of an outbreak. "Sometimes it's 12 hours to 20 hours to get results back, and in the case of an emergency at a track or big show jumping event, 24 hours just for delivery of samples is a bit long," said Pitel. "So that was the first impetus for the truck, and the second was the EHV1 crisis in Valencia in February 2021." That outbreak in Spain resulted in the death of 18 horses, and spread to horses in 10 countries. "We received 200 nasopharyngeal swabs back at the lab and we thought how much more efficient it would have been to do this in front of the show-jumping arena."

Camille Vercken, well-known in the Thoroughbred industry as the former head of the Syndicat des Eleveurs in France and the owner and founder of the equine biosecurity company Equiways, is the head of LABEO's Equine Industry Business Unit. She said that the truck is fitted with solar panels on the roof so that it can truly be independent if it is called to an event where there is no power. Those panels power refrigerators, freezers, stoves, and heating implements along with computers. It is also equipped with WiFi.

"You could park the truck at a racetrack, and offer owners the opportunity to do a full assessment of a horse who under-performed," said Vercken. "You can take the blood and have the results before he leaves the track that day." [Cont. p5](#)



Pronost and Toquet working in the truck | Sue Finley

LABEO Truck Cont.

Stephane Pronost, one of the world's foremost virologists, is the Deputy Research Director for LABEO and a molecular biologist. He explained the importance of performing on-site Polymerase Chain Reaction or PCR tests. A simple test can detect a horse with a heavy viral load, but the PCR test can detect an early-stage virus by amplifying the DNA to study it in greater detail.

"I think today, it's very easy to explain what is PCR because of COVID," said Pronost. "And it's exactly the same for horses, with a nasal swab. If there is an equestrian event and there is an alert with one of the horses, the practitioner or the owner can come to the truck and ask for virus detection, and we can give an answer after only two hours. It's one of the most important aspects of the truck--to go directly on the racetrack or to events and to be able to very quickly detect the presence of a pathogen."

Pitel said there were three major aims for the truck. "First, prevention," he said. "To ensure that horses who come to perform are safe. Second, an emergency. When there is a flu or EHV1 outbreak that begins, we can come and do emergency testing. And the third is if you are a stud manager and you would like to check all of the animals for flu, EHV, parasites, sending the truck makes it quicker and easier to do them all at once."

Marie Pierre Toquet, a research assistant at LABEO, displayed a menu of the tests offered to clients, which looks much like one in a restaurant (or food truck), but includes fitness or inflammation assessments, tests for rhinopneumonia, influenza, strangles, EVA, piroplasmiasis, EHV 1 2 and 4, and a complete parasitological assessment, all within two hours.

The purpose of the truck is not to do drug testing at the races or sales; that is handled by the French national lab.

Arqana had the truck on hand at this year's February Sale, and will offer it at sales going forward, said Arthur Serres, the sales company's technical director, who said that it was an extra layer of service that they can provide both the vendor and the buyer. "In 2024, it's a valuable service to be able to offer," said Serres. "Horses move around a lot, and this is a comforting option to have for people on the sales grounds."

Serres said that a typical usage at the sales could be post-sale testing before a horse leaves the grounds to make sure he's free of any pathogen before heading off to the new owner's stud farm. He also said that while Coggins tests were required before a horse arrives at the sale, from time to time there were problems with the vendors not having received the paperwork by the time they arrive.

"Right now, we ask for a quick test at LABEO, but going forward, with the truck, we can ask for the tests directly on the sales grounds and have the results in two hours. So we gain a lot of time and it's important because if not, the horse has to stay on the van or in another yard in Deauville and miss out on time when he could be being shown to potential buyers."

Vercken points out that the on-site nature of the machine means that a collaboration between the farm manager, the vet, and the lab tech is possible, moving horses quickly into or out of quarantine or from one field to another as results are released. The same goes for horses about to be exported. It can also quickly detect and stop the spread of a larger outbreak at a training centre helping to save money by limiting scratches and keeping racing going.

The truck is cleaned and restocked before each use to ensure that the conditions inside are exactly like a lab, and it is small enough that anyone with a regular driver's licence can drive it.

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Arthur Serres | Zuzanna Lupa

LABEO Truck Cont.

It was deliberately modeled after the food truck that LABEO workers see in their parking lot every day, but with a glass window instead of an open one to maintain the indoor temperatures and secure environment, while allowing transparency.

For LABEO, it also allows their employees some much-appreciated contact with their regular test subject--the horse--and seeing the economic effect that something like a piroplasmosis positive has on an auction price helps them to understand their work more fully.

"It's not why we built the truck, but it has been a secondary benefit," said Pitel. "It gives meaning to their work."

For inquiries regarding the LABEO truck, contact Camille Vercken at camille.vercken@laboratoire-labeo.fr.

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RACE PREVIEWS 

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He added, "I think stepping up in trip will play to his strengths, I think a mile and a quarter to a mile and a half should be well within his compass."

Leopardstown also stages the seven-furlong G3 Ballylinch Stud "Red Rocks" S., where Ballydoyle again have two fascinating maiden winners in **Samuel Colt (Ire) (No Nay Never)** and **The Liffey (Ire) (No Nay Never)**. Both have to meet the standard set by the G3 Killavullan S. one-two **Atlantic Coast (Ire) (Kodiac {GB})** and **Bright Stripes (Ire) (Starspangledbanner {Aus})**.

The fillies take part in the G3 Ballylinch Stud "Priory Belle" S., where Ballydoyle's course-and-distance maiden winner **Buttons (Ire) (Kingman {GB})** is the pick of Ryan Moore tackling Deepone's unbeaten stablemate **A Lilac Rolla (Ire)** (Harry Angel {Ire}).

It was in August at The Curragh when A Lilac Rolla managed to upstage the subsequent G1 Prix Marcel Bousac heroine Opera Singer (**Justify**) and Twomey is hoping that she can restart where she left off. "She beat a very good filly in Opera Singer, she's wintered well and is ready to start," he said. "The ground conditions may not be ideal, but she's in a good place and this is a good starting point for the season ahead."

At ParisLongchamp, Guy Pariente, Thomas Lines and Qatar Racing's G1 Criterium International hero **Sunway (Fr)** (Galiway {GB}) returns in the nine-furlong G3 Prix la Force. Trainer David Menuisier said, "It is famous last words, but the ground shouldn't be an issue. It will be hard on the horses, but we feel ours goes on it quite good and the trip shouldn't be a problem, so we go there quite positive. Later down the line, we would like to aim at the Prix du Jockey Club, but we need to take races one

by one, obviously. We could drop back in trip to run in one of the Guineas or we could go up in trip to run in a Derby trial next month. It will all depend on what happens this weekend and what Oisin and the owners think--and then we will take it from there."

Also over that trio is the G3 Al Shira'aa Racing Prix Vanteaux for the fillies, where the Head Family's nine-length Saint-Cloud winner **La Mandala (Fr)** (City Light {Fr}) is tested against some proven peers, while the feature is the G2 Prix d'Harcourt where Ecurie Jean-Louis Bouchard's G1 Grand Prix de Paris hero **Feed The Flame (GB) (Kingman {GB})** takes on Gousserie Racing's multiple group winner and G1 Champion S. third **Horizon Dore (Fr)** (Dabirsim {Fr}).

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NOTABLE SPEECH A NEW RISING STAR

by Tom Frary

Godolphin's **Notable Speech (GB) (Dubawi {Ire}--Swift Rose {Ire}, by Invincible Spirit {Ire})** entered the old Easter S. at Kempton on Saturday with a two-for-two record and a glowing reputation and exited as a **TDN Rising Star** with a performance that oozed class.

Held up last of the quintet early by a confident William Buick, the 4-7 favourite was slipped through the gaps to overwhelm Ralph Beckett's Derby entry **Valvano (Ire)** (Night Of Thunder {Ire}) inside the final furlong and surge to a two-length success. The Hannon runner **Persica (Ire)** (New Bay {GB}) was a further half a length away in third.

"Today was a warm race with a few unexposed types and he gave away weight to all of them, so I'm delighted," Buick said after the Virgin Bet Best Odds Daily British EBF Conditions S., which formerly carried listed status when known as the Easter.

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'TDN Rising Star' Cont.

He added, "I was very pleased with how he has done physically since the last time I rode him--he has really filled out and I feel like he has grown a bit as well, which is always nice to see from a horse who has had two runs. I couldn't be more happy with him and I tested him a little bit today and he quickened up in a stride."

Charlie Appleby has entered the son of the G3 UAE Oaks runner-up Swift Rose, who beat the subsequent listed scorer Cuban Tiger (GB) (Havana Grey {GB}) in the European Road To The Kentucky Derby Conditions S. here in February, in the 2000 Guineas and Buick was not ruling that out as a valid objective.

"I just had to pick a path and he's such a genuine, easy horse to deal with," he added. "He's got a bright future ahead of him. It's so wet, so it was a nice opportunity for him to come here and run again on this surface. I think he would handle a little bit of cut in the ground, but he's a very fast horse with a low action, so I think he would want a bit of decent ground. He's opened up a few options there, but he's a speedy miler."

Notable Speech, the 39th TDN Rising Star for Dubawi, is the first foal out of the aforementioned Swift Rose who is a daughter of the ill-fated Listed Prix Ceres winner and G3 Prix du Palais-Royal and G3 Prix de Meautry runner-up Tulips (Ire)

(Pivotal {GB}). Before her death in 2022, she also produced Dubawi's G3 Burj Nahaar winner Desert Wisdom (GB) and also the GI Natalma S. and G3 Fred Darling S. scorer Wild Beauty (GB) (Frankel {GB}). Swift Rose's yearling is a daughter of Pinatubo (Ire). Dubawi's TDN Rising Star tally includes the high-achieving Too Darn Hot (GB), In Italian (GB), Space Blues (Ire) and Zarak (Fr).

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NEW

TDN  **RISING STAR**

6th-Kempton, £30,000, Cond, 4-6, 3yo, c/g, 8f (AWT), 1:40.25, st/sl.

NOTABLE SPEECH (GB), c, 3, by Dubawi (Ire)

1st Dam: Swift Rose (Ire) (GSP-UAE, \$135,326),

by Invincible Spirit (Ire)

2nd Dam: Tulips (Ire), by Pivotal (GB)

3rd Dam: Hint Of Spring (GB), by Seeking The Gold

Lifetime Record: 3-3-0-0, \$63,378. **Click for the free**

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O/B-Godolphin (GB); T-Charlie Appleby.



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OBSERVATIONS

on the European racing scene

DAUGHTER OF HYDRANGEA DEBUTS AT LEOPARDSTOWN

13.45 Leopardstown, Mdn, €15,000, 3yo, f, 8fT

WINGSPAN (IRE) (Dubawi {Ire}) is a notable newcomer from Ballydoyle, as the second foal out of the G1 British Champions Fillies & Mares S. and G1 Matron S. heroine Hydrangea (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) from the illustrious family of Hermosa (Ire) and The United States (Ire). She encounters a dozen peers, including Diane Nagle, Susan Magnier and Linda Shanahan's fellow debutante **It'sonlyjustbegun (Ire) (Churchill {Ire})**, a Jessie Harrington-trained half-sister to the G3 Prix d'Arenberg-placed Flaming Princess (Ire) (Hot Streak {Ire}).

13.58 ParisLongchamp, Debutantes, €27,000, 3yo, c/g, 10 1/2fT

QUANTUM MECHANICS (IRE) (Saxon Warrior {Jpn}) starts out for Flaxman Stables and Pascal Bary, who combined with his G1

Prix du Jockey Club-winning half-brother Study Of Man (Ire) by **Saxon Warrior's** sire Deep Impact (Jpn). He meets two Jean-Claude Rouget trainees in Gilles Forien's homebred **Royal Cadeau (Fr) (Churchill {Ire})**, a half-brother to the Derby hero Wings Of Eagles (Fr) (Pour Moi {Ire}); and **Delius (GB) (Frankel {GB})**, Coolmore and Westerberg's 675,000gns Tatts December Foal Sale graduate who is a half-brother to the listed scorer and multiple group-placed Juan Elcano (GB).

HOW THEY FARED

15.30 Chelmsford, Cond, £100,000, 3yo, 8f (AWT)

Aidan O'Brien trainee **Capulet (Ire) (Justify)**, who hit the board in last term's G2 Golden Fleece S. and G2 Royal Lodge S., was one of the first under pressure and ran on well for continued urging in the straight to finish 3 1/4 lengths behind he winner in third.

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Adelaide (red and green) won the Listed Snowdrop Fillies S. at Kempton on Saturday. | [Racingfotos.com](https://www.racingphotos.com)

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Saturday's Results:

VIRGIN BET DAILY PRICE BOOSTS SNOWDROP FILLIES S.-Listed, £55,000, Kempton, 4-6, 4yo/up, f, 8f (AWT), 1:40.10, st/sl.

1--**ADELAISE (IRE), 128, m, 5, Lawman (Fr)--Adelasia (Ire), by Iffraaj (GB). 1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN.** (45,000gns Ylg '20 TATOCT; 75,000gns HRA '22 TTJULY). O-Flexford Two & Kieran Leavy Partnership; B-John O'Connor (IRE); T-Joseph O'Brien; J-William Buick. £31,191. Lifetime Record: 13-2-2-1, \$78,740.

2--**Choisya (GB), 128, f, 4, Night Of Thunder (Ire)--Fragrancy (Ire), by Singspiel (Ire). 1ST BLACK TYPE.** O-Mohammed Al Nabouda; B-Rabbah Bloodstock Limited (GB); T-Simon & Ed Crisford. £11,825.

3--**Rose Prick (Ire), 128, f, 4, No Nay Never--Ornelia Ruee (Fr), by Sea The Stars (Ire). 1ST BLACK TYPE.** (€150,000 Ylg '21 GOFOR; 38,000gns RNA HRA '23 TATAHI). O-David Ward; B-Viktor Tymoshenko & Andrey Milovanov (IRE); T-Ed Walker. £5,918.

Margins: HD, 1 1/4, NO. Odds: 3.30, 2.50, 50.00.

Also Ran: Julia Augusta (GB), Zouky (GB), Mystic Pearl (Fr), Many Tears (Ire), Mother Mary (Ire), Enola Grey (Ire), Mysterious Love (Ire).

Fourth in the Listed Prix Dahlia at Saint-Cloud in September and fifth in the Listed Prix Casimir Delamarre at ParisLongchamp the following month, Adelaïse returned with an improved performance dropping back in trip to gain vital black-type in this competitive prize. Able to draft easily throughout the early stages, she was tenacious when gaining the lead inside the last 100 yards and needed to be as Choisya fought to the line.

"We didn't go overly quick and I knew she would stay all the way to the line," jockey William Buick said. "She definitely got headed, so she had to show true grit. I think a mile is her trip and she may get a little bit further, but we will see."

The dam, who is also responsible for the dual-winning 3-year-old colt Royal Supremacy (Ire) (Make Believe {GB}) and a yearling colt by Waldgeist (GB), is a half to the G2 Euro-Cup winner Fight Club (Ger) (Lavrco {Ger}) and G3 Albert von Metzler-Rennen scorer Flambo (Ger) (Platini {Ger}). Another half-sibling Legal Lyric (Ire) (Lawman {Fr}) produced Haqeeqy (Ire) (Lope De Vega {Ire}), winner of the HH The President Cup.

2nd-Chelmsford City, £100,000, Cond, 4-6, 3yo, 8f (AWT), 1:38.26, st.

BRACKEN'S LAUGH (IRE) (c, 3, Zoffany {Ire}--Guardia {Ger} {SP-Ger}, by Monsun {Ger}) backed up a Sept. 22 debut success in Newbury's storied Haynes, Hanson & Clark novices' heat with a fifth in the following month's G1 Criterium de Saint-Cloud last

time and tracked the leaders in fifth for most of this £100,000 Woodford Reserve Cardinal Conditions test, which is part of the "Road To The Kentucky Derby" series. Inching forward off the home turn, the 9-1 chance swooped for control passing the furlong pole and quickened clear in the closing stages to easily account for Orne (Ire) (Acclamation {GB}) by 2 3/4 lengths.

Bracken's Laugh is the ninth of 10 foals and one of seven scorers out of Listed Japan Racing Association Trophy third Guardia (Ger) (Monsun {Ger}), herself a full-sister to dual Group 1-winning sire Getaway (Ger) and G1 Oaks d'Italia-winning matriarch Guadalupe (Ger). Guadalupe is the dam of Group 1-winning sires Guignol (Ger) (Cape Cross {Ire}) and Guiliani (Ire) (Tertullian). The April-foaled bay is a half-brother to the dual Group 3-placed Guiri (Ger) (Motivator {GB}) and a yearling colt by **Gleneagles (Ire)**. Sales history: €35,000 Wlg '21 GOFNO1; €55,000 Ylg '22 TATIRY; 200,000gns 2yo '23 TATBRG. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, \$92,632.

O-Bernardine & Sean Mulryan; B-Guardia Partnership (IRE); T-Richard Hughes.

5th-Kempton, £30,000, Cond, 4-6, 3yo, f, 8f (AWT), 1:40.94, st/sl.

DEVOTED QUEEN (GB) (f, 3, Kingman {GB}--Fintry {Ire} {MGSW-Fr, GSW & G1SP-Eng, \$327,127}, by Shamardal), off the mark on debut at Newmarket in October, was sent off the 1-2 favourite for this prize which used to carry listed status and be known as the Masaka S. Keen early restrained in fourth, the homebred worked her way to the front passing the furlong pole and needed the line as Marcella (Ger) (Areion {Ger}) lunged to narrow the winning margin to a neck. "She's very inexperienced and she needs to work on a few things," jockey William Buick said. "I'm sure she will get there and today was a new experience for her, she was a bit fresh early but got there in the end. She is the type of filly, with the way she is built, that will keep improving and progressing and I'm sure there is plenty to look forward to with her." The dam, who captured the G2 Prix de Sandringham, G3 Atalanta S. and G3 Prix Bertrand du Breuil and was third in the G1 Sun Chariot S., has produced the stable's G3 Autumn S. winner and G1 Futurity Trophy runner-up One Ruler (Ire) (Dubawi {Ire}). A daughter of the G3 Prix Vanteaux scorer and GI Garden City Breeders' Cup H. third Campsie Fells (UAE) (Indian Ridge {Ire}), her 2-year-old filly is by Masar (Ire). Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$26,115.

O/B-Godolphin (GB); T-Charlie Appleby.

4th-Chelmsford City, £8,000, Mdn, 4-6, 3yo/up, 5f (AWT), :59.30, st.

CAPO VATICANO (IRE) (f, 3, Calyx {GB}--Mia Divina {GB}, by Exceed And Excel {Aus}) broke sharply from the inside gate and seized instant control of this unveiling. **Cont. p10**

4th-Chelmsford City Cont.

Holding sway throughout, the 7-4 second choice kicked on off the home turn and kept on well under mild urging inside the final furlong to prevail by 1 1/4 lengths Fahrenheit Seven (GB) (Showcasing {GB}). Capo Vaticano is the seventh of eight foals and sixth scorer from as many runners produced by an unraced half-sister to four black-type performers headed by G3 Premio Regina Elena (Italian 1000 Guineas) heroine Mi Raccomando (GB) (Poet's Voice {GB}) and dual stakes-winning G3 Premio Dormello third Mia Diletta (GB) (Selkirk). The latter, in turn, is the dam of MGSW G3 Premio Parioli (Italian 2000 Guineas) hero Poeta Diletto (GB) (Poet's Voice {GB}). The March-foaled chestnut is kin to Listed Prix Ronde de Nuit victrix Hastalavistababy (Fr) (Dandy Man {Ire}), Listed Blenheim S. third Mia Mento (Ire) (Casamento {Ire}) and a 2-year-old filly by Mehmas (Ire). Sales history: 82,000gns RNA Wlg '21 TADEWE; 145,000gns Ylg '22 TATOCT. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$5,292. O-Tony Bloom & Ian McAleavy; B-Con Marnane (IRE); T-Andrew Balding.

HANDICAP RESULTS:

3rd-Kempton, £100,000, 4-6, 4yo/up, 10f 219y (AWT), 2:21.53, st/sl.

CEMHAAN (GB) (g, 7, Muhaarar {GB}--Shalwa {GB}, by Galileo {Ire}) Lifetime Record: 27-7-4-1, \$200,991. O-PJL Racing; B-Essafinaat UK Ltd (GB); T-George Baker. *£32,000 HRA '20 GOFSP.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Auric (Ire), c, 3, Havana Gold (Ire)--Dime A Dance (Ire), by Art Connoisseur (Ire). Kempton, 4-6, 6f (AWT), 1:12.96. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$13,942. B-Skymarc Farm (IRE). *€8,000 Wlg '21 GOFNO1; €8,000 Ylg '22 TATIRY; £20,000 2yo '23 GOUKB.

FRANCE**CONDITIONS RESULTS:**

4th-Lyon-la-Soie, €38,000, 4-6, 4yo/up, 9f (AWT), 1:51.09, st.
RUSSIPANT FAL (MOR) (h, 5, Russian Cross {Ire}--Pantherii, by Forest Wildcat) Lifetime Record: MSW & GSP-Fr, 20-9-2-1, €191,213. O/B-Azeddine Sedrati (MOR); T-Joel Boisnard.

4th-Nantes, €22,000, Cond, 4-6, 4yo/up, 15 1/2ft, 3:41.32, vhy.
ALWAYS WELCOME (FR) (g, 7, Manduro {Ger}--Around Me {Ire} {SP-Fr}, by Johannesburg) Lifetime Record: MSP-Fr, 43-8-7-6, €217,900. O/T-Louis Baudron; B-Herald Bloodstock Ltd (FR). *Nice To See You (Fr) (Siyouni {Fr}), MSW & GSP-Fr, \$401,045; and Against Rules (Fr) (Aussie Rules), MSW & GSP-Fr, \$338,850.

5th-Lyon-la-Soie, €15,000, 4-6, 3yo, 9f (AWT), 1:52.72, st.
DALKAVA (FR) (f, 3, Ten Sovereigns {Ire}--Zahiya {GB}, by Invincible Spirit {Ire}) Lifetime Record: 12-2-1-1, €23,400. O-Guy Pariente Holding & Ecurie Friedrider; B-Al Shaqab Racing & Ecurie de Castillon (FR); T-Fabrice Vermeulen. *€30,000 RNA Wlg '21 ARQDEC; €33,000 Ylg '22 ARQSEP.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Starecto (Fr), g, 3, Ectot (GB)--Starsic (Fr) (SP-Fr), by Sageburg (Ire). Bordeaux-Le Bouscat, 4-6, 9 1/2ft, 2:18.02. B-Sylvain Vidal (FR). *€3,000 Ylg '22 ARQOCT.

Red Countess (Fr), f, 3, Elvstroem (Aus)--Red Shot (Fr), by Gentlewave (Ire). Nantes, 4-6, 8ft, 1:49.94. B-Appapays Racing Club (FR).

Delphine (Fr), f, 3, Literato (Fr)--Alacrite (Fr), by Dr Fong. Marseille-Pont-de-Vivieux, 4-5, 7 1/2f (AWT), 1:30.58. B-Ecurie la Vallee Martigny EARL (FR).

Eridita Dover (Fr), f, 3, Whitecliffsofdover--Etatinka (Fr), by Vision D'Etat (Fr). Nantes, 4-6, 11ft, 2:44.87. B-Mme Victoria Gadbin, Ludovic Gadbin, Mlle Louise Gadbin & Charles Gadbin (FR).

**IN AUSTRALIA:**

Circle Of Fire (GB), c, 4, Almanzor (Fr)--Fiery Sunset (GB), by Galileo (Ire). Royal Randwick, 4-6, G2 Chairman's H., 2600mT, 2:46.12, hy. B-The Queen (GB). ***1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN. 1ST GROUP WIN.** **MSP-Eng. ***1/2 to Evening Sun (GB) (Muhaarar {GB}), GSW-US, \$271,661.

**IN AUSTRALIA:**

Lincolnshire (Aus), f, 2, Starspangledbanner (Aus)--Furnival, by Street Cry (Ire). Morphettville, 4-6, Listed Dequetteville S., 1000mT, :59.03, gd. B-Rosemont Stud (Vic). ***1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN.** **1/2 to Rampant Lion (Aus) (Frankel {GB}), MSP-Aus.



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WORLDWIDE NEWS

ONE-TWO FOR DAIWA MAJOR IN NEW ZEALAND TROPHY *by Heather Anderson*

Pensioned Shadai Stallion Station resident Daiwa Major (Jpn) sired the first two home in the G2 New Zealand Trophy S. over 1600 metres at Nakayama on Saturday, with **Ecoro Bloom (Jpn)** edging filly **Bond Girl (Jpn)** by three-quarters of a length. Both the first and second were bred by Northern Farm.

Sent off at 37-10, Ecoro Bloom soon cruised up to sit in third behind **Yukino Royal (Jpn)** (Dee Majesty {Jpn}) and **Clean Air (Jpn)** (Real Impact {Jpn}) before drifting back a bit to the fence while saving ground. Full of run with 600 metres left, he ranged up to within a length of the leaders, but was forced to alter course in early stretch as a hole closed. A gap opened a few strides later and Takeshi Yokoyama directed the colt through, before the duo kicked past a stubborn Yukino Royal, who lost the battle for second with Bond Girl by a head.

Third on debut over soft ground going this trip at Tokyo in October, the chestnut claimed a similar affair at that course over a firm surface in November. Making his 2024 bow, Ecoro Bloom was a close second in the G3 Nikkan Sports Sho Shinzan Kinen at Kyoto on Jan. 8.



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Pedigree Notes

The winner is the 47th stakes winner for his sire, who was pensioned after breeding a handful of mares in 2023.

American threads run through the dams of both Ecoro Bloom

and Bond Girl, as the former's dam, Sugar Shock, a winner of the 2014 GIII Fantasy S., was picked up for \$360,000 out of the Fasig-Tipton November Sale in 2015 by Katsumi Yoshida. Stakes winner Coasted (Tizway), the 2016 GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies Turf runner-up and the dam of Saturday's runner-up, was sent to Japan after making \$1.3 million at that same sale two years later, also on the bid of Yoshida.

At stud, Sugar Shock delivered the winning Admire Metis (Jpn) (Deep Impact {Jpn}) as her first foal. Four more winners followed, including G3 Kisaragi NKH Sho hero Lagom (Jpn) (Orfevre {Jpn}) and Saturday's victor. After foaling the New Zealand Trophy hero, she produced a 2-year-old filly to the cover of dual Saturnalia (Jpn), a yearling full-brother to Lagom and she visited Kizuna (Jpn) last spring.

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Saturday, Nakayama, Japan

NEW ZEALAND TROPHY-G2, ¥105,100,000, Nakayama, 4-6, 3yo, c/f, 1600mT, 1:34.40, gd.

1--**ECORO BLOOM (JPN)**, 126, c, 3, Daiwa Major (Jpn)

1st Dam: Sugar Shock (GSW-US, \$475,619), by Candy Ride (Arg)

2nd Dam: Enthusiastically, by Distorted Humor

3rd Dam: Unbridled Hope, by Unbridled

1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN. 1ST GROUP WIN. (¥84,000,000 Ylg '22 JRHAJUL). O-Masatoshi Haramura; B-Northern Farm (Jpn); T-Yukihiko Kato; J-Takeshi Yokoyama; ¥55,120,000. Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-1, ¥78,606,000. *1/2 to Lagom (Jpn) (Orfevre {Jpn}), GSW-Jpn, \$1,287,497. **Click for the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree. Werk Nick Rating: C+. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.**

2--**Bond Girl (Jpn)**, 121, f, 3, Daiwa Major (Jpn)--Coasted, by Tizway. (¥210,000,000 Ylg '22 JRHAJUL). O-Susumu Fujita; B-Northern Farm (Jpn); ¥22,320,000.

3--**Yukino Royal (Jpn)**, 126, c, 3, Dee Majesty (Jpn)--Yukino Queen (Jpn), by Taiki Shuttle. **1ST BLACK TYPE. 1ST GROUP BLACK TYPE.** O-Motoyuki Inoue; B-Hattori Farm (Jpn); ¥14,160,000.

Margins: 3/4, HD, HF. Odds: 3.70, 2.20, 36.50.

Also Ran: Kazu Mikulase (Jpn), Dreaming Up (Jpn), Clean Air (Jpn), Aim For Ace (Jpn), Awesome Stroke (Jpn), Enya Love Faith (Jpn), Spark Richard (Jpn), Rouge Suerte (Jpn), Shines On You (Jpn), Satomino Kirari (Jpn), David Tesoro (Jpn), Bright Man (Jpn), Captaincy (Jpn). **Click for the JRA chart & video.**

Saturday, Hanshin, Japan

SANKEISPORTS HAI HANSHIN HIMBA S.-G2, ¥105,900,000, Hanshin, 4-6, 4yo/up, f, 1600mT, 1:33.00, fm.

1--**MASKED DIVA (JPN)**, 123, f, 4, by Rulership (Jpn)

1st Dam: Mask Off (Jpn), by Deep Impact (Jpn)

2nd Dam: Behind the Mask (Jpn), by White Muzzle (GB)

3rd Dam: Vain Gold, by Mr. Prospector

O-Shadai Race Horse; B-Shadai Farm (Jpn); T-Yasuyuki Tsujino; J-Joao Moreira; ¥55,770,000. Lifetime Record: G1SP-Jpn, 7-4-1-0, ¥168,292,000. *1/2 to To Face (Jpn) (Maurice {Jpn}), SP-Jpn, \$913,165. **Click for the**

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2--**Umbrail (Jpn)**, 121, f, 4, Lord Kanaloa (Jpn)--L'Archetto (Jpn), by Falbrav (Ire). O-Sunday Racing; B-Northern Farm (Jpn); ¥22,220,000.

3--**Moryana (Jpn)**, 123, f, 4, Epiphaneia (Jpn)--Garder le Sourire (Jpn), by Daiwa Major (Jpn). (¥30,000,000 Wlg '20 JRHAJUL). O-Fumio Takahashi; B-Northern Farm (Jpn); ¥14,110,000.

Margins: HF, 1 1/4, NS. Odds: 0.70, 8.10, 8.00.

Also Ran: Sing That Song (Jpn), Doe Eyes (Jpn), Ten Happy Rose (Jpn), Mozu Gold Barrel, Gold Eclipse (Jpn), Sublime Anthem (Jpn), Lilac (Jpn), Speedy Kick (Jpn).

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ASIA

Saturday, Kranji, Singapore**SINGAPORE THREE-YEAR-OLD SPRINT-(Sin-G3, Listed),**

S\$110,000, Kranji, 4-6, 3yo, 1200mT, 1:09.57, gd.

1--**ACE OF DIAMONDS (NZ)**, 126, g, 3, **Swiss Ace (Aus)**--**Go Kate Go (Aus)**, by **More Than Ready**. **1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN.**

(A\$100,000 Ylg '22 MMJUN). O-Leonardo Jr Morales Javier; B-G Harvey; T-Ricardo Le Grange; J-Bruno Queiroz; S\$65,450. Lifetime Record: 9-4-3-0, S\$206,944. *1/2 to Moeraki (NZ) (El Roca {Aus}), GSP-NZ, \$329,094.

2--**Artillery (Aus)**, 126, g, 3, Smart Missile (Aus)--Lycra Lass (Aus), by Shamardal. (A\$67,500 Ylg '22 MMJUN). O-Te Akau Racing Stable; B-J A Keough (NSW); T-Donna Logan; J-Vitor Espindola; S\$23,375.

3--**Bakeel (Aus)**, 126, g, 3, **Sioux Nation**--Top Peak (Aus), by Artie Schiller. (A\$95,000 Ylg '22 INGFE). **1ST BLACK-TYPE.** O-Al-Arabiya Stable; B-A Sangster (Vic); T-Steven Burridge; J-Manoel Nunes; S\$11,825.

Margins: 1, HD, HD. Winner's Odds: 1.80.

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LEGEND CLAIMS DONCASTER

by Renee Geelen & Keely Mckitterick

Arrowfield Stud's Dundee (NZ) sired the first and third in Saturday's G1 Doncaster H. when his son **Celestial Legend (Aus)**

came with a blistering run on the outside to deny **Pericles (Aus)** (Street Boss) and his paternal half-brother **Militarize (NZ)** in the time-honoured Randwick mile.

The Les Bridge-trained and Bon Ho-owned Celestial Legend has won two Group 1 contests from only eight starts, having claimed the G1 Randwick Guineas in March. The handsome grey also provided further updates to his half-brother, by Maurice (Jpn), set to be offered by Arrowfield Stud as **lot 260** at the 2024 Inglis Australian Easter Yearling Sale.

Veteran trainer, Bridge had words of praise for the son of Dundee, who he describes as "the best horse he has trained". It was also a monumental moment for jockey Tyler Schiller, who wasted to 49 kg to partner Celestial Legend.

"This horse [Celestial Legend] is unbelievable. He's some horse," Bridge proclaimed to *Sky Racing*.

"I've had some good horses, but this guy is unreal. I didn't think he could win during the run, and I started to give up--they just don't do what he did.

"He's a superstar. I just love Celestial Legend, I never thought I'd get another good horse after Classique Legend, but I keep getting them!"

Schiller added, "Geez he's got a great turn-of-foot. He just surges underneath you. I didn't think I was going to get out but thankfully he was brave enough to get a grab. He's one in a million."

Pedigree Notes

The Arrowfield Stud-bred colt was an A\$220,000 purchase by Legend Racing and Avenue Bloodstock from the draft of Arrowfield Stud at the 2022 Inglis Classic Yearling Sale. He is one of eight Group 1 winners and 26 stakes winners for his Arrowfield based sire. **Cont. p13**



Celestial Legend | Bronwen Healy

G1 Doncaster H. Cont.

He is the first foal produced by the unraced Sarraqa (Snitzel) whose second foal National Code (Aus) (Written Tycoon {Aus}) was purchased by MDK International/Griffiths de Kock Racing for A\$160,000 at last year's Inglis Melbourne Premier.

Again served last spring by Dundee having missed to his son Castelvechio (Aus) the previous season, Sarraqa has a yearling colt by Maurice (Jpn).

Sarraqa is a daughter of the outstanding mare National Colour (SAF) (National Assembly)--a triple Group 1 winner in South Africa who also raced well in Dubai and England. Five of her six foals to race are winners including the Australian-bred, South African-based Group 1 sprinters Rafeef (Aus) and Mustaaqem (Aus)--both sons of Redoute's Choice (Aus). Also granddam of the Group 3 winner Full Velocity (SAF) (Philanthropist), National Colour is out of the listed winner Rainbow Cake (SAF) (Mr Eats {Ire}).

Saturday, Royal Randwick, Australia

DONCASTER H.-G1, A\$4,000,000, ATC, 4-06, 3yo/up, Open Handicap, 1600mT, 1:35.27, hy.

1--**CELESTIAL LEGEND (AUS)**, 49.0, c, 3, by Dundee (NZ)

1st Dam: Sarraqa (Aus), by Snitzel (Aus)

2nd Dam: National Colour (SAF), by National Assembly

3rd Dam: Rainbow Cake (SAF), by Mr Eats (Ire)

(A\$220,000 Ylg '22 INGFEb). O-Legend Racing (Mgr: K K Ho); B-Arrowfield Pastoral Pty Ltd (NSW); T-L J Bridge; J-Tyler Schiller; A\$2,439,250. Lifetime Record: 8-4-2-0, A\$3,390,825.

Click for the [free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree](#).

Werk Nick Rating: A+++. *Triple Plus*. Click for the [eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree](#).

2--**Pericles (Aus)**, 54.5, g, 4, Street Boss--Accessories (GB), by Singspiel (Ire). O-Godolphin; B-Godolphin Australia (Vic); T-James Cummings; J-B Shinn; A\$750,000.

3--**Militarize (NZ)**, 54.0, c, 3, Dundee (NZ)--Amerindia (GB), by Dubawi (Ire). (A\$550,000 Ylg '22 MMLJAN). O-Newgate Bloodstock, China Horse Club Racing Pty Ltd, Trilogy, Newgate S F, Horse Ventures, Go Bloodstock Australia, Arrowfield Pastoral Pty Ltd, Grant Bloodstock Pty Ltd, Carpe Diem, Aston Bloodstock, Nick Vass Bloodstock, G1g Colts & Breeding Pty Ltd & Aristia Park Bloodstock Pty Ltd; B-GSA Bloodstock Pty Ltd, (NZ); T-C J Waller; J-Z Purton; A\$375,000.

Margins: 3/4, NS, NS. Odds: 5.50, 40.00, 10.00.

Also Ran: Nugget (GB), Hinged (Aus), Detonator Jack (NZ), Another Wil (Aus), Democracy Manifest (Aus), Kovalica (NZ), Rustic Steel (Aus), Think About It (Aus), Loch Eagle (Aus), Obamburumai (Jpn), Berkshire Shadow (GB), Lindermann (Aus), Palmetto (NZ), Navajo Peak (Aus), Lady Laguna (Aus), Phearson (Aus). Click for the [Racing Australia chart](#). **VIDEO**.

LIGHTNING GOLD COAST BOUND

by Renee Geelen & Keely Mckitterick

Five-year-old mare **Chain Of Lightning (Aus)** (Fighting Sun {Aus}) delivered an exceptional finish in the G1 TJ Smith S. at Randwick on Saturday, beating an elite field. Chain Of Lightning stuck to the rail, leading most of the way down the straight and held on as several horses swamped the finish line.

Bella Nipotina (Aus) (Pride Of Dubai {Aus}) ran second only 0.3l behind, with **I Wish I Win (NZ)** (Savabeel {Aus}) in third. Favourite **Imperatriz (Aus)** (I Am Invincible {Aus}) was fourth, with **Sunshine In Paris (Aus)** (Invader {Aus}) and **Espiona (Aus)** (Extreme Choice {Aus}) all within a length of the winner.

Chain Of Lightning's breeder, Stuart Ramsey, confirmed the star mare will head to the Gold Coast for next month's Magic Millions National Broodmare Sale. She will be consigned by Kenmore Lodge, as agent for Turangga Farm.

Ramsey told *The Thoroughbred Report*, "Regardless of Saturday's result we had Chain Of Lightning entered for the 2024 Magic Millions National Broodmare Sale.

"I have a lot of starving grandchildren to feed," he proclaimed.

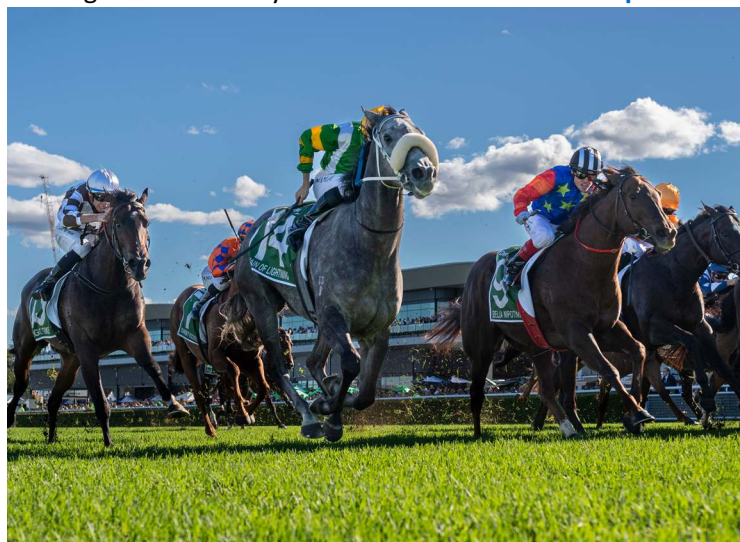
"In all seriousness we own a stud farm and we're in the business of making money. Hopefully she is well received."

Winning hoop, Damian Lane told *Sky Racing*, "Chain Of Lightning came into Saturday in really good form and peaking at the right time.

"She can also handle the ground. So, she ticked a lot of boxes but of course, you can never be too confident when you face a field like that.

"During the run I always felt the winner, but I thought maybe I had hit the front too soon, thankfully she really gritted her teeth and got her down."

Owned by Ramsay Pastoral and trained by Peter Moody and Katherine Coleman, she won six of her first seven starts, then went nearly 18 months (and 12 starts) without a win before winning the G3 Birthday Card S at her last start. [Cont. p14](#)



Chain Of Lightning | Bronwen Healy

G1 TJ Smith S. Cont.

The G1 TJ Smith is her first Group 1 win, and her second win in succession, bringing her record to eight wins from 21 starts and earnings over A\$2.6 million.

Pedigree Notes

She is the first Group 1 winner for Fighting Sun, a group winning son of Northern Meteor (Aus), who died from colic in 2020 leaving five stakes winners from 420 named foals.

Chain Of Lightning is one of two winners for her winning dam Magic Art (Aus) (Perugino) with the other being Chain Of Lightning's full sister Magic Sunset (Aus). Magic Art is out of G2 Magic Night S. winner Mardi's Magic (Aus) (Kenny's Best Pal {Aus}) from the family of Group 1 winner Racing To Win (Aus) (Encosta De Lago {Aus}) and top sprinters Classique Legend (Aus) (Not A Single Doubt {Aus}) and Aethero (Aus) (Sebring {Aus}).

Magic Art has a yearling filly by Better Land (Shamardal) while her 2-year-old gelding Jaddaf (Aus) (**Magna Grecia {Ire}**) is unraced. She was served last spring by Jacquinot (Aus).

Magic Art's dam is the G2 Magic Night S. winner Mardi's Magic (Aus) (Kenny's Best Pal {Aus}) whose full-sister Surrealist (Aus) produced the multiple Group 1 winner Racing To Win (Aus) (Encosta de Lago {Aus}) and the G3 Caulfield Guineas Prelude winner Purrealist (Aus) (Tale Of The Cat)--as well as the dam of the Group 2 winning sprinters Classique Legend (Aus) (Not A Single Doubt {Aus}) and Aethero (Aus) (Sebring {Aus}). Mardi's Magic is also the grandam of Glint Of Silver (Aus) (Rubick {Aus}) who won last year's G2 Autumn S.

A descendant of the great mare La Troienne (Fr) (Teddy {Fr}), Chain Of Lightning boasts an interesting pedigree with her dam sire Perugino hailing from the same prolific Rough Shod II (GB) (Gold Bridge {Fr}) family as Fighting Sun's sire Northern Meteor, his great grandsire Fairy King and his second dam sire Geiger Counter.

Saturday, Royal Randwick, Australia

TJ SMITH S.-G1, A\$3,000,000, ATC, 4-06, Open wfa, 1200mT, 1:10.40, hy.

1--**CHAIN OF LIGHTNING (AUS)**, 56.5, m, 5, by **Fighting Sun (Aus)**

1st Dam: Magic Art (Aus), by Perugino

2nd Dam: Mardi's Magic (Aus), by **Kenny's Best Pal (Aus)**

3rd Dam: Sunset Beach (Aus), by **Kenmare (Fr)**

1ST GROUP 1 WIN. O-Ramsey Pastoral Pty Ltd (Mgr: S B Ramsey); B-Ramsey Pastoral Pty Ltd (NSW); T-P G Moody & Katherine Coleman; J-Damian Lane; A\$1,839,500. Lifetime Record: 21-8-0-3, A\$2,677,355. **Click for the free EquineLine.com catalogue-style pedigree.** Werk Nick

Rating: A++. **Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.**

2--**Bella Nipotina (Aus)**, 56.5, m, 6, Pride of Dubai (Aus)--Bella Orfana (Aus), by Star Witness (Aus). (A\$80,000 Ylg '19 INGMAR). O-M Christian, Ms S Miller, Mrs P Christian, A Ingersole, M Johnston, Porter Pelchen Bloodstock (Mgr: W Pelchen) & B Christian; B-Saconi Thoroughbreds (Vic); T-C Maher; J-Craig Williams; A\$560,000.

3--**I Wish I Win (NZ)**, 58.5, g, 5, Savabeel (Aus)--Make a Wish (NZ), by Pins (Aus). O-M J Chittick & P G Moody; B-Waikato Stud Ltd, Waikato, (NZ); T-P G Moody & Katherine Coleman; J-J B Mc Donald; A\$280,000.

Margins: NK, NS, HD. Odds: 20.00, 10.00, 3.20.

Also Ran: Imperatriz (Aus), Sunshine in Paris (Aus), Espiona (Aus), Magic Time (Aus), Johnny Rocker (Aus), Buenos Noches (Aus), Willinga Beast (Aus), Mazu (Aus), Aft Cabin (Aus), Coal Crusher (Aus). **Click for the Racing Australia chart.** **VIDEO.**

ROCKET FOURTH HORSE TO TAKE BOTH

DERBYS by Renee Geelen & Keely Mckitterick

Only very special horses win both the G1 Victoria Derby and the G1 Australian Derby and on Saturday at Randwick, **Riff Rocket (Aus)** (**American Pharoah**) added his name to the list.

Riff Rocket came into the race as the winner of the G1 Rosehill Guineas at his last start and was sent out as the A\$2.20 favourite by punters. **Glad You Think So (Aus)** (So You Think {NZ}) led the race setting a strong pace for jockey Rachel King, and dug deep to stick on for third, while Riff Rocket threaded through traffic to sprint to victory up the centre of the track.

Second placed **Ceolwulf (NZ)** (Tavistock {NZ}) flew late down the outside and almost nabbed the favourite on the line, but Riff Rocket held on to win by 0.34l.

Trainer Chris Waller told *Sky Racing*, "It's pretty special to win my first Australian Derby and especially for the Kepitis family, who were with me before I had my first Group 1 winner.

"It's very fitting. I don't cry as much as I used to, but this victory is so special. The team at Randwick have done a fantastic job for us to be racing today (Saturday)."

Pedigree Notes

A homebred for Woppitt Bloodstock, 3-year-old gelding Riff Rocket now has seven wins from 11 starts, including three Classic races, with earnings over A\$3.5 million. One of eight Group 1 winners for his sire **American Pharoah** who was an American Triple Crown winner, Riff Rocket is the second foal of stakes-placed city winner Missile Coda (Aus) (Smart Missile {Aus}). Missile Coda has an unraced 2-year-old filly named Codetta (Aus) (Nicconi {Aus}). **Cont. p15**

G1 Australian Derby Cont.

The other dual Victoria/Australian Derby winners are Hitotsu (Aus), Mahogany (Aus) (Last Tycoon {Ire}) and Dulcify (NZ) (Decies {GB}) with the Australian Derby run in the autumn. Prior to 1977, the Australian Derby was run in the spring and 37 of the 124 winners won both Derbies.

And for a trivia question, Fireworks (Aus) (Kelpie {GB}) is the only horse to win the Victoria Derby twice, as the Victoria Derby was moved to the autumn for one season in 1867/68, and he also won the spring Australian Derby in 1867.

Missile Coda is out of the triple city winner Rain Melody (Lonhro {Aus}), a half sister to the Listed Toy Show H. winner Walk Alone (Aus) (Honour And Glory) from the family of the stakes winners Rain Affair (Aus) (Commands {Aus}), Ranges (Aus) (Shooting To Win {Aus}) and Wayupinthesky (Aus) (Snitzel {Aus}).

A descendant of the 1945 G1 Melbourne Cup winner Rainbird (Aus) (The Buzzard {GB}), Riff Rocket boasts a cross of the terrific mare Crimson Saint (Crimson Satan) via her grandson Storm Cat and son Royal Academy.



Riff Rocket | Bronwen Healy

Saturday, Royal Randwick, Australia

AUSTRALIAN DERBY-G1, A\$2,000,000, ATC, 4-06, 3yo, Open Set Weight, 2400mT, 2:33.45, hy.

1--**RIFF ROCKET (AUS)**, 56.5, g, 3, by **American Pharoah**

**1st Dam: Missile Coda (Aus) (SP-Aus, \$138,140),
by Smart Missile (Aus)**

2nd Dam: Rain Melody (Aus), by Lonhro (Aus)

3rd Dam: Rain in Spain (Aus), by Marauding (NZ)

O-Woppitt Bloodstock (Mgr: Mrs D N Kepitis); B-Woppitt Bloodstock Pty Ltd (NSW); T-C J Waller; J-J B Mc Donald; A\$1,292,500. Lifetime Record: 11-7-2-1, A\$3,508,625. **Click for the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.** Werk Nick

Rating: A+. **Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.**

2--**Ceolwulf (NZ)**, 56.5, c, 3, Tavistock (NZ)--Las Brisas (GB), by Shamardal. (NZ\$170,000 2yo '22 NZBR2R). O-W M Shelton, Mrs S E Shelton, P A Young, A J Rix, B D Playford, D Perkins, L J Howl, N J Pinner, Team T S A No. 2 (Mgr: Ms S Jones) & Ungar Family (Mgr: T M Ungar); B-B J Lindsay MNZM & Mrs J E A Lindsay, Auckland, (NZ); T-Joseph Pride; J-B Shinn; A\$380,000.

3--**Glad You Think So (Aus)**, 56.5, c, 3, So You Think (NZ)--Gladwell (Aus), by Anabaa. **1ST BLACK TYPE. 1ST GROUP BLACK TYPE. 1ST GROUP 1 BLACK TYPE.** (A\$400,000 Ylg '22 INGAPR). O-Think Big Stud (Mgr: D G Ramage), Westcode Pty Ltd (Mgr: D G Ramage), J G Sargent, D C Hall Am, S P Sutcliffe, Mrs L A Sutcliffe, P Burke, Dr A Burke, R J Ryan, H Blend & J A Brennan; B-Taghadoe Stud (NSW); T-J G Sargent; J-Rachel King; A\$195,000.

Margins: NK, 4 1/4, 3/4. Odds: 1.20, 6.00, 90.00.

Also Ran: Tom Kitten (Aus), Immediacy (NZ), Cap Ferrat (Aus), Wymark (NZ), Noisy Boy (Aus), Ganbare (Aus), Adagio (Aus), Zenmaster (Aus), Hooligan Tommy (NZ).

Click for the Racing Australia chart. VIDEO.

MANAAL SALUTES IN INGLIS SIRES'

by Renee Geelen & Keely Mckitterick

After a less than ideal trip in the G1 Golden Slipper, the Michael Freedman-trained **Manaal (Aus)** (Tassort {Aus}) made amends in the G1 Inglis Sires' beating a high-class field in the 1400-metre feature at Randwick.

It wasn't smooth sailing. Manaal, ridden by Jason Collett, had to chase down a game **Traffic Warden (Aus)** (Street Boss) and hold off the G1 Golden Slipper placegetter **Coleman (Aus)** (Pierata {Aus}). Meanwhile, race-favourite **Storm Boy (Aus)** (**Justify**) failed to fire his best shot finishing fourth.

Manaal's victory furthered the dominance by 2-year-old fillies in the Group 1 juvenile races this season--Hayasugi (Aus) (Royal Meeting {Ire}) won the G1 Blue Diamond and Lady Of **Camelot (Aus)** (Written Tycoon {Aus}) saluted in the G1 Golden Slipper.

Freedman told *Sky Racing*, "Manaal is just an outstanding filly. She won the G3 Gimcrack S. on debut and then won the G2 Sweet Embrace S. in the autumn.

"She was a bit stiff in the G1 Golden Slipper, and now she's won the Slipper. I am just full of praise for Manaal. It is wonderful to train a Group 1 winner for Emirates Park and Hussain (Lootah).

"Hussain owns a share in the stallion, Tassort. He is an exciting stallion and hopefully we can get a few more in the stable.

"It's just fantastic because I walked away from the Golden Slipper a little bit disappointed. I've always had faith in Manaal. I think she will run a mile whether that's in the Champagne S. we'll just let the dust settle." **Cont. p16**

Pedigree Notes

An Emirates Park home-bred who was also Tassort's first runner, she is out of the imported Listed winner Red Lodge (**Midshipman**) whose first two foals are both winners - Fightertown (Aus) (Snitzel {Aus}) breaking his maiden for the Chris Waller stable at Warwick Farm late winter whilst Badr (Kitten's Joy) is a four times winner in Saudi Arabia.

Red Lodge--who was served last spring by **Justify** after foaling a Zoustar (Aus) filly (and an I Am Invincible {Aus} filly the year before)--is a half-sister to the Listed Deville S. winner Good Like Magic (**Good Magic**). Her granddam is the dual Group 1 winner Memories Of Silver (Silver Hawk) whose five winners include the dual Grade I winner Winter Memories (El Prado {Ire}), the Grade III winner La Cloche (**Ghostzapper**) and the Storm Cat Listed winners British Blue and War Trace.

Manaal has no male duplications within six generations of her pedigree but within seven is line-bred to the outstanding mares My Charmer (Poker) and Flower Bowl (Alibhai {GB})--the former appearing via her sons Lomond and Seattle Slew and the latter via her sons (and full-brothers) His Majesty and Graustark.



Manaal | Bronwen Healy

Saturday, Royal Randwick, Australia

SIRES' PRODUCE S.-G1, A\$1,000,000, ATC, 4-06, 2yo, Open Set Weight, 1400mT, 1:24.33, hy.

1--**MANAAL (AUS)**, 54.5, f, 2, by Tassort (Aus)

1st Dam: Red Lodge (SW-US), by **Midshipman**

2nd Dam: Star Silver, by Aldebaran

3rd Dam: Memories of Silver, by Silver Hawk

1ST GROUP 1 WIN. O-Emirates Park (Mgr: N A H Lootah); B-Emirates Park Pty Ltd (NSW); T-Michael Freedman; J-J R Collett; A\$694,500. Lifetime Record: 5-3-1-0, A\$1,238,750.

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Werk Nick Rating: F. Click for the

eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.

2--**Traffic Warden (Aus)**, 56.5, c, 2, Street Boss--Efficiently (Aus), by Exceed and Excel (Aus). **1ST GROUP 1 BLACK TYPE.**

O-Godolphin; B-Godolphin Australia (Vic); T-James Cummings; J-Jamie Kah; A\$190,000.

3--**Coleman (Aus)**, 56.5, c, 2, Pierata (Aus)--Sboog (Aus), by Redoute's Choice (Aus). (A\$550,000 Ylg '23 MMLJAN). O-Carringbush Park (Mgr: M Laurie), Mrs S Cummings, Mrs J Groves, R L Smith, Mrs C M Smith, F D Brown, Trilogy (Mgr: Mrs M Stenning), Mrs C A Dingwall, D V Mustica, Mrs L Mustica, P S Mustica, Mrs J Mustica, M D Laurie, Mrs J Koscielcki, S Gilbert & Mrs S L Gilbert; B-Kulani Park Pty Ltd (Vic); T-M W Laurie; J-Damian Lane; A\$96,000.

Margins: NS, 1, 1 3/4. Odds: 4.50, 6.50, 7.00.

Also Ran: Storm Boy (Aus), Prost (Aus), Fearless (Aus), Anode (Aus), Duvana (Aus), Vianarra (Aus). **Click for the [Racing Australia chart](#). VIDEO.**

VINNIE & TE AKAU STRIKE GOLD

by Renee Geelen & Keely Mckitterick

Te Akau Racing has achieved much success with the progeny of Australia's champion sire I Am Invincible (Aus). The Yarraman Park Stud-based stallion is the sire of the tangerine army's 10-time Group 1 winner Imperatriz (Aus).

On Saturday, Te Akau Racing and 'Vinnie' combined again with **Move To Strike (Aus)**, who upset the applecart when winning the G1 Manawatu Sires' Produce S. for Mark Walker and Sam Bergerson.

The colt, ridden by Wiremu Pinn, avoided trouble and congestion that befell on the race favourite **Velocious (Aus)** (Written Tycoon {Aus}). Finishing second behind Move To Strike was **Red Sea (Aus)** (Pierata {Aus}) and the colt's stablemate **Captured By Love (Aus)** (Written Tycoon {Aus}).

Move To Strike was a A\$525,000 purchase by David Ellis CNZM (BAFNZ) from the draft of Baramul Stud at the 2023 Magic Millions Gold Coast Yearling Sale. Baramul Stud's graduates enjoyed a sensational time on Saturday. In addition to Move To Strike, the farm also provided the G3 Kindergarten S. winner Espionage (Aus) (Zoustar {Aus}) and the smart Eagle Farm winner Gin And Tonic (Aus) (Better Than Ready {Aus}).

Pedigree Notes

The colt is from the Shamardal mare No Evidence Needed (Aus). She won six races, including the G2 Let's Elope S. and the G3 Southern Cross S. Additionally, No Evidence Needed was placed in the G1 Sir Rupert Clarke S. and the G1 Schweppes Oaks.

Move To Strike is the 106th stakes winner for I Am Invincible and his 15th Group 1 winner. **Cont. p17**

G1 Sires' Produce S. Cont.

The champion sire has 38 yearlings to be offered for sale at Inglis Easter.

Served last spring by Dundeel (NZ) having missed the previous season, No Evidence Needed is also dam of the Group 2 placed Discharged (Aus) (Snitzel {Aus}). Her dam is the stakes placed Generosa (NZ) (Generous {Ire}), half-sister to the Listed Hawkesbury Guineas winner Related (Aus) (Elusive Quality).



Move To Strike | Race Images PN

Saturday, Trentham, New Zealand

MANAWATU SIRES PRODUCE S.-G1, NZ\$450,000, Manawatu RC, 4-06, 2yo, Open4 Set Weight, 1400mT, 1:23.69, sf.

1--**MOVE TO STRIKE (AUS)**, 57.0, c, 2, by I Am Invincible (Aus)

1st Dam: No Evidence Needed (Aus) (MGSW & MG1SP-Aus, \$602,583), by Shamardal

2nd Dam: Generosa (NZ), by Generous (Ire)

3rd Dam: Cousins (Aus), by Danehill

1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN. 1ST GROUP WIN. 1ST GROUP 1 WIN.

(A\$525,000 Ylg '23 MMLJAN). O-Te Akau 2023 Stallion Breeding Syndicate (Mgr: Karyn Fenton-Ellis Mnmz); B-Mr G Harvey (NSW); T-Mark Walker & Sam Bergerson; J-W F Pinn; NZ\$258,750. Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-0, NZ\$340,250. *1/2 to Discharged (Aus) (Snitzel {Aus}), GSP-Aus, \$348,513. **Click for the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree. Werk Nick Rating: A. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.**

2--**Red Sea (NZ)**, 57.0, c, 2, Pierata (Aus)--Egyptian Cross (Aus), by Commands (Aus). **1ST BLACK TYPE. 1ST GROUP BLACK**

TYPE. 1ST GROUP 1 BLACK TYPE. O-Brendan Lindsay Mnmz & Mrs J E A Lindsay; B-B J Lindsay MNZM & Mrs J E A Lindsay, Auckland, (NZ); T-Andrew Forsman; J-W B Kennedy; NZ\$83,250.

3--**Captured by Love (Aus)**, 55.0, f, 2, Written Tycoon (Aus)--

Moldova (Aus), by Snitzel (Aus). (A\$525,000 Ylg '23 MMLJAN). O-Te Akau 2023 Magic Fillies' Breeding Syndicate (Mgr: Karyn Fenton-Ellis Mnmz); B-Makybe Racing & Breeding (Vic); T-Mark Walker & Sam Bergerson; J-C J Grylls; NZ\$40,500.

Margins: 1, HF, HF. Odds: 13.10, 12.90, 3.00.

Also Ran: Archaic Smile (Aus), Sergeant Major (NZ), Savaglee (NZ), Velocious (Aus), Unbridled Joy (Aus), Full Force (Aus), Lavender Haze (Aus). **Click for the NZ Racing chart. VIDEO.**

Saturday, Turffontein, South Africa

WORLD POOL PREMIER'S CHAMPIONS CHALLENGE-G1,

R2,000,000, Turffontein, 4-6, 3yo/up, 10fT, 2:07.68, g/s.

1--**ROYAL VICTORY (SAF)**, 132, g, 4, by Pathfork

1st Dam: Kailani (SAF), by Kahal (GB)

2nd Dam: Coastal Relative (SAf), by Coastal

3rd Dam: Royal Relation (Ire), by Lord Gayle

(R170,000 Ylg '23 MMLJAN). O-P J Victor, B J Wiese & Natasha Sturdy; B-Dr M Thomson, Ambiance Stud (SAF); T-Nathan Kotzen; J-Muzi Yeni. R1,200,000. Lifetime Record: 17-5-4-2, R4,845,250. **Click for the**

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

2--**Winchester Mansion (SAf)**, 132, g, 5, Trippi--Sea Point (SAf), by Spectrum (Ire). O/B-Drakenstein Stud (Nom: Mrs G A Rupert) (SAF); T-Brett Crawford. R400,000.

3--**Aragosta (SAf)**, 132, g, 5, Rafeef (Aus)--Miss Galidora (Ire), by Galileo (Ire). (R220,000 Ylg '20 BSAUG). O-M F de Kock, M Makepeace, L M Nestadt, J R van der Linden & Mrs N P Malherbe; B-Wilgerbosdrift & Mauritzfontein (SAF); T-Mike de Kock. R200,000.

Margins: HF, 2 1/4, 1HF. Odds: 4.00, 6.00, 40.00.

Also Ran: Dave The King (SAf), Safe Passage (SAf), Future Pearl (SAf), Litigation (SAf), Zeus (SAf), Puerto Manzano (Arg), Meridius (SAf), Street Art (SAf), Son Of Raj (SAf), Cousin Casey (SAf). Scratched: Without Question (SAf). **Click for the video.**

Saturday, Turffontein, South Africa

TAB SA DERBY-G1, R1,250,000, Turffontein, 4-6, 3yo, 12 1/4fT, 2:40.38, g/s.

1--**PURPLE PITCHER (SAF)**, 132, c, 3, by New Predator (Aus)

1st Dam: Heliantha (SAf), by Count Dubois (GB)

2nd Dam: Tropical Garden (SAf), by Roland Gardens (Ire)

3rd Dam: Hot Ash (SAf), by Noble Chieftain (Ire)

O-S S Pooe; B-Bush Hill Stud (SAF); T-Robyn Klaasen; J-Kabelo Matsunyane. R781,250. Lifetime Record: 12-7-0-1, R2,536,250. *1/2 to Miss Daisy (SAf) (Crusade), GSW-Saf. **Click for the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree. Werk Nick Rating: A+++ *Triple Plus*. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.**

2--**Pure Predator (SAf)**, 132, g, 3, New Predator (Aus)--Little Sparrow (SAf), by Var. **1ST BLACK TYPE. 1ST GRADED BLACK TYPE. 1ST GRADE 1 BLACK TYPE.** O-J F Wernars, L M F Wernars & Mrs T J Wernars; B-L M F Wernars (SAf); T-Fanie Bronkhorst. R250,000.

3--**Mondial (SAf)**, 132, g, 3, Flower Alley--Amur Affair (SAf), by Tiger Ridge. **1ST BLACK TYPE. 1ST GRADED BLACK TYPE. 1ST GRADE 1 BLACK TYPE.** O-Trevelen Pillay, Kovilan Padayachee, Deven Govender, Brian Peerimal & Power Of 5 Syndicate (Nom: Trevelen Pillay); B-Wilgerbosdrift & Mauritzfontein (SAf); T-Mike Azzie & Adam Azzie. R125,000.

Margins: NK, HD, 2. Odds: 2.00, 6.00, 8.00.

Also Ran: Hotarubi (SAf), Taxhaven (SAf), Marauding Horde (SAf), Viva Brazil (SAf), Shoot The Rapids (SAf), Presley (SAf), Atarime (SAf), Twenty Drachma's (SAf), Thunee Playa (SAf), George Handel (SAf). **Click for the [video](#).**

Saturday, Turffontein, South Africa

TAB EMPRESS CLUB S.-G1, R1,000,000, Turffontein, 4-6, 2yo/up, f/m, 8fT, 1:40.43, g/s.

1--**GIMME A NOTHER (SAf)**, 127, f, 3, by **Gimmethelight (Aus)**

1st Dam: Nother Russia (SAf) (Ch. Older Mare-SAf, MG1SW-SAf, \$220,021), by Tiger Ridge

2nd Dam: Mother Russia (SAf), by Windrush

3rd Dam: Russian Muse (SAf), by Russian Fox

O-Mauritzfontein (Pty) Ltd (Nom: Mrs J B Jell); B-Wilgerbosdrift & Mauritzfontein (SAf); T-Mike de Kock; J-Juan Paul van der Merwe. R625,000. Lifetime Record: 7-7-0-0, R2,525,000. **Click for the**

free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree. Werk Nick Rating: C+. Click for the [eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree](#).

2--**Humdinger (SAf)**, 132, m, 5, What A Winter (SAf)--Himalayan Hill (SAf), by Fort Wood. (R50,000 Ylg '20 CAPJAN; R180,000 2yo '20 BSANOV). O-International Racing Club (Nom: J da Mata) & M F de Kock; B-Ridgemont Highlands (SAf); T-Mike de Kock. R200,000.

3--**Mrs Geratrix (SAf)**, 127, f, 3, Vercingetorix (SAf)--Velvet Glove (SAf), by Kahal (GB). O-Magical Lady Syndicate (Nom: Natalie Turner); B-Clifton Stud (SAf); T-Sean Tarry. R100,000.

Margins: 1HF, 3HF, 1 1/4. Odds: 0.36, 13.50, 5.00.

Also Ran: Gilded Butterfly (SAf), Perfect Witness (SAf), Bavarian Beauty (SAf), Emirate Gina (SAf). Scratched: Lady Of Power (SAf). **Click for the [video](#).**

Saturday, Turffontein, South Africa

JONSSON WORKWEAR COMPUTAFORM SPRINT-G1, R1,000,000, Turffontein, 4-6, 2yo/up, 5fT, :57.46, g/s.

1--**THUNDERSTRUCK (SAf)**, 132, c, 4, by **Rafeef (Aus)**

1st Dam: Varikate (SAf) (GSW-SAf), by Var

2nd Dam: Katies Star (SAf), by Modern Day

3rd Dam: Five Star Suite (SAf), by Badger Land

O-Wilgerbosdrift (Pty) Ltd (Nom: Mrs M Slack); B-Avontuur Thoroughbred Farm (SAf); T-Sean Tarry; J-Richard Fourie. R625,000. Lifetime Record: 17-7-4-2, R2,466,938. **Click for the [free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree](#). Werk Nick Rating: A+++.** *Triple Plus*. **Click for the [eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree](#).**

2--**Golden Sickle (SAf)**, 122, f, 3, Vercingetorix (SAf)--Victorian Secret (SAf), by Captain Al (SAf). **1ST GRADED BLACK TYPE. 1ST GRADE 1 BLACK TYPE.** O-Mrs S Viljoen; B-Varsfontein Stud (SAf); T-Tony Peter. R200,000.

3--**Rulership (SAf)**, 132, g, 4, William Longsword (SAf)--Clear Sailing (SAf), by Argonaut (SAf). **1ST GRADE 1 BLACK TYPE.** O-C Baitz; B-Dr G Baitz & C Baitz (SAf); T-Tony Peter. R100,000.

Margins: NK, 1 3/4, 1 1/4. Odds: 1.80, 3.50, 8.00.

Also Ran: Kiss Me Captain (SAf), Iphiko (SAf), Ziyasha (SAf), Pray For Rain (SAf), Mover And Shaker (SAf), Dyce (SAf), Ready To Charge (SAf). Scratched: William Robertson (SAf), Sheldon (SAf). **Click for the [video](#).**

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

OKA SHO (JAPANESE 1000 GUINEAS)-G1, ¥266,000,000, 3yo, f, 1600mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	Wide Latour (Jpn)	California Chrome	Y. Kitamura	Fujiwara	121
2	Queen's Walk (Jpn)	Kizuna (Jpn)	Kawada	Nakauchida	121
3	Ipheion (Jpn)	Epiphaneia (Jpn)	Nishimura	Sugiyama	121
4	Catfight (Jpn)	Discreet Cat	Matsuyama	Uehara	121
5	Chicago Sting (Jpn)	Logotype (Jpn)	Hamanaka	Shono	121
6	Hawaiian Tiare (Jpn)	Lord Kanaloa (Jpn)	Ikezoe	Matsunaga	121
7	Sweep Feet (Jpn)	Suave Richard (Jpn)	Take	Shono	121
8	Corazon Beat (Jpn)	Suave Richard (Jpn)	Yokoyama	Kato	121
9	Ascoli Piceno (Jpn)	Daiwa Major (Jpn)	H. Kitamura	Kuroiwa	121
10	Sekitoba East (Jpn)	Declaration Of War	Y. Fujioka	Shii	121
11	Light Back (Jpn)	Kizuna (Jpn)	Sakai	Chaki	121
12	Stellenbosch (Jpn)	Epiphaneia (Jpn)	Moreira	Kunieda	121
13	Teumessa (Jpn)	Harbinger (GB)	M. Iwata	Kanari	121
14	Shonan Manuela (Jpn)	Just A Way (Jpn)	Y. Iwata	Takano	121
15	Etes Vous Prets (Ire)	Too Darn Hot (GB)	K. Fujioka	Fujioka	121
16	Cecilie Plage (Jpn)	Bricks And Mortar	Demuro	Nakamura	121
17	Mask All Win (Jpn)	Drefong	Tsumura	Maki	121
18	Cervinia (Jpn)	Harbinger (GB)	Murzabayev	Kimura	121

Breeders: 1-Masanobu Habata, 2-Northern Racing, 3-Shadai Farm, 4-Godolphin, 5-Shadai Farm, 6-Nagoyayuhō Co. Ltd., 7-Seishindai Stud Ranch, 8-Big Red Farm, 9-Northern Farm, 10-Taihei Stud Farm Co. Ltd., 11-Lake Villa Farm, 12-Northern Farm, 13-Northern Racing, 14-Tetsuhide Kunimoto, 15-Godolphin, 16-Shadai Farm, 17-Shadai Farm, 18-Northern Farm.

Sunday, ParisLongchamp, France, post time: 17:00

PRIX D'HARCOURT-G2, €130,000, 4yo/up, 10fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	5	Horizon Dore (Fr)	Dabirsim (Fr)	Cottier	Grandin	128
2	6	Zarakem (Fr)	Zarak (Fr)	Reynier	Guyon	126
3	2	Feed The Flame (GB)	Kingman (GB)	Bary	Demuro	126
4	4	Military Order (Ire)	Frankel (GB)	Appleby	Buick	126
5	7	Birr Castle (Fr)	Cloth Of Stars (Ire)	Fabre	Barzalona	126
6	1	Mansour (Ger)	Tai Chi (Ger)	Vovcenko	Velon	126
7	3	Gryphon (Ire)	Vadamos (Fr)	Karkosa	Boisseau	126

Sunday, ParisLongchamp, France, post time: 15:50

AL SHIRA'AA RACING PRIX VANTEAUX-G3, €80,000, 3yo, f, 9fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	7	Survie (Ire)	Churchill (Ire)	Clement	Pasquier	126
2	2	Mlle Moliere (Ire)	Kingman (GB)	Fabre	Barzalona	126
3	4	Almara (Fr)	Almanzor (Fr)	C&Y Lerner	Thomas	126
4	6	Around The World (Fr)	Almanzor (Fr)	Blanchet	Piccone	126
5	5	Shiffrin (Ire)	Olympic Glory (Ire)	Le Roch	Planque	126
6	1	La Mandala (Fr)	City Light (Fr)	V Head	Boisseau	126
7	8	Dare To Dream (Fr)	Camelot (GB)	Hernon	Pouchin	126
8	10	Molten Rock (Ire)	Fascinating Rock (Ire)	Burke	James	126
9	3	Blush (Ire)	Kingman (GB)	Laffon-Parias	Guyon	126
10	9	The First Dance (Fr)	Dariyan (Fr)	Chappet	Demuro	126

Sunday, ParisLongchamp, France, post time: 16:25**PRIX LA FORCE-G3**, €80,000, 3yo, c/g, 9fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	2	Saganti (Fr)	Zarak (Fr)	Delzangles	Mosse	128
2	3	Mondo Man (GB)	Mondialiste (Ire)	P&J Brandt	Ruis	128
3	1	First Look (Ire)	Lope De Vega (Ire)	Fabre	Barzalona	128
4	6	Sunway (Fr)	Galiway (GB)	Menuisier	O Murphy	128
5	4	Atlast (Fr)	Farhh (GB)	Ferland	Guyon	128
6	5	De Sica (Fr)	Demarchelier (GB)	Rouget	Demuro	128

Sunday, Leopardstown, Ireland, post time: 14:20**BALLYLINCH STUD 'RED ROCKS' S.-G3**, €33,000, 3yo, Open, 7f 30y

SC	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Atlantic Coast (Ire)	Kodiac (GB)	Al Shira'aa Farms	Joseph Patrick O'Brien	D McMonagle	131
2	Battle Cry (Ire)	No Nay Never	Mrs J Magnier,M Tabor,D Smith,Westerberg	A P O'Brien	R L Moore	131
3	Bright Stripes (Ire)	Starspangledbanner (Aus)	Paul Hardy	A Oliver	W J Lee	131
4	Chicago Critic (GB)	Night of Thunder (Ire)	Sam Mencoﬀ & Tony Smurfit	John Patrick Murtagh	B M Coen	131
5	My Mate Alfie (Ire)	Dark Angel (Ire)	A K Whelan	G M Lyons	C T Keane	131
6	Samuel Colt (Ire)	No Nay Never	Westerberg,Mrs J Magnier,M Tabor,D Smith	A P O'Brien	G M Ryan	131
7	Take Me To Church (Ire)	Churchill (Ire)	David Byrne & Partners	Jack W Davison	R P Whelan	131
8	The Liffey (Ire)	No Nay Never	Mrs John Magnier & Michael Tabor & Derrick Smith	A P O'Brien	W M Lordan	131

Breeders: 1-Al Shira'aa Farms S.A.R.L., 2-Lynch Bages Ltd, 3-Diomed Bloodstock Ltd, 4-Forenaghts Stud, 5-Bt Bloodstock & P. O'Callaghan, 6-Camas Park & Lynch Bages, 7-Magnell Limited, 8-Coolmore

Sunday, Leopardstown, Ireland, post time: 14:55**BALLYLINCH STUD 'PRIORY BELLE' S.-G3**, €33,000, 3yo, Open, 7f 30y

SC	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	A Lilac Rolla (Ire)	Harry Angel (Ire)	Mutual Admiration Society Partnership	P Twomey	W J Lee	128
2	Alpheratz (Ire)	Phoenix of Spain (Ire)	Gerard Kervick & Crampscastle Bloodstock Ltd	Joseph G Murphy	G F Carroll	128
3	Buttons (Ire)	Kingman (GB)	Westerberg,Mrs J Magnier,M Tabor,D Smith	A P O'Brien	R L Moore	128
4	Cherry Blossom (Ire)	No Nay Never	Westerberg,Mrs J Magnier,M Tabor,D Smith	A P O'Brien	D McMonagle	128
5	Finsceal Luas (Ire)	Camelot (GB)	M A Ryan	J S Bolger	R P Cleary	128
6	Greenfinch	Justify	Mrs J Magnier,M Tabor,D Smith,Westerberg	A P O'Brien	W M Lordan	128
7	Kitty Rose (GB)	Invincible Army (Ire)	Tim Porter	Natalia Lupini	J A Heffernan	128
8	Lexington Belle (Ire)	Belardo (Ire)	Middleham Park Racing CXIII	Alice Haynes	J M Sheridan	128
9	Money Dancer (Ire)	Belardo (Ire)	Don't Let The Old Man In Syndicate	Noel Meade	J A Powell	128
10	Mysteries (Ire)	No Nay Never	Flaxman Stables Ireland Ltd & Mrs John Magnier & M	Donnacha Aidan O'Brien	G M Ryan	128
11	Sweetest (Ire)	Blue Point (Ire)	Westerberg,Mrs J Magnier,M Tabor,D Smith	A P O'Brien	D P McDonogh	128
12	Wendla (GB)	Ulysses (Ire)	Juddmonte	G M Lyons	C T Keane	128

Breeders: 1-John Cullinan, 2-Lynn Lodge Stud, 3-Wonder Of Wonders Syndicate, 4-Barronstown Stud, 5-Micheal D. Ryan, 6-Orpendale/Chelston/Wynatt, 7-Carmel Stud, 8-Rigsdale Stud, 9-Blackberry Stud Ltd., 10-Flaxman Stables Ireland Ltd, 11-Mrs T. Mahon, 12-Juddmonte Farms Ltd

Sunday, Leopardstown, Ireland, post time: 15:30**P.W. MCGRATH MEMORIAL BALLY SAX S.-G3**, €33,000, 3yo, Open, 10f 0y

SC	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Deepone (GB)	Study of Man (Ire)	Vimal Khosla	P Twomey	W J Lee	136
2	Dallas Star (Fr)	Cloth of Stars (Ire)	AMO Racing Limited	Adrian Murray	J A Heffernan	131
3	Illinois (Ire)	Galileo (Ire)	Derrick Smith & Mrs John Magnier & Michael Tabor	A P O'Brien	R L Moore	131
4	Ocean of Dreams (Ire)	Fastnet Rock (Aus)	Mrs John Magnier & Michael Tabor & Derrick Smith	A P O'Brien	W M Lordan	131
5	The Euphrates (GB)	Frankel (GB)	Brant,Magnier,Tabor,Westerberg,Smith	A P O'Brien	D McMonagle	131

Breeders: 1-Andreas Bezzola, 2-6mme 1eliane Dieuaide & 1 0s.A.S. Domain e Billard Pere Et Fils, 3-Coolmore, 4-Coolmore, 5-B. Flay Thoroughbreds

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