



# HILL ROAD OVERCOMES SLOW START TO WIN PETER PAN, STAMPS TICKET TO THE BELMONT



**Hill Road** | *Chelsea Durand*

by *Patrycja Szpyra*

Closing relentlessly after a slow start, **Hill Road** (**Quality Road**) ran down the Rick Dutrow Jr. pair on the lead to win the GIII Peter Pan Stakes and stamp his ticket for a date with the final jewel of the Triple Crown in June.

First **profiled by our colleagues in TDN Europe** after a sparkling debut in Ireland for trainer Adrian Murray last year, which snagged him 'TDN Rising Star' honors, the connections stepped him up into elite company in mid-September when his next start came in the G1 Vincent O'Brien National Stakes at the Curragh. While it wasn't his day, he would finish seventh behind a salty field which included the likes of 'TDN Rising Star' GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Turf winner Henri Matisse (Ire) (**Wootton Bassett** {GB}); G1SW-Ire Scorthy Champ (Ire) (Mehmas {Ire}); G1SP-Ire Seagulls Eleven (Ire) (Galileo Gold {GB}); and GSW-HK & GISP Aomori City (Fr) (**Oasis Dream** {Ire}). In his first start on the dirt track in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile, he put forward a strong rally to snag third behind champion juvenile, 'Rising Star' MGISW Citizen Bull (Into Mischief) and GISW Gaming (**Game Winner**). **Cont., p3**

## ARKANSAS DERBY CHAMP SANDMAN ENTERS PREAKNESS FRAY

The winner of the GI Arkansas Derby and seventh place finisher in the GI Kentucky Derby, **Sandman** (**Tapit**--Distorted Music, by Distorted Humor) will enter next Saturday's GI Preakness Stakes at Pimlico, according to a press release sent out by 1/ST Racing.

Co-owned by D. J. Stable LLC, St. Elias Stable, West Point Thoroughbreds, CJ Stables and influencer Griffin Johnson, the 3-year-old has remained at Churchill Downs where he took a spin over the main track on Friday.

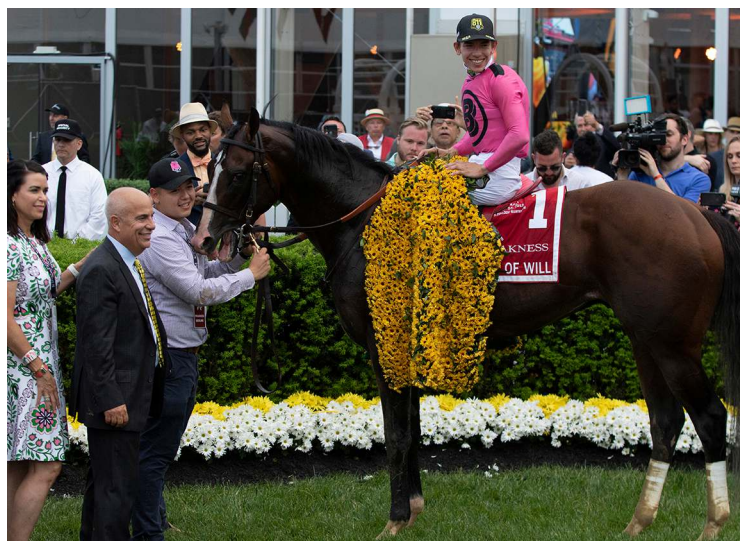
"We wanted to see how he came back. He's an extremely happy horse right now. It looks like the race might set up nice for him. It looks like there's a fair amount of speed," said trainer Mark Casse, who saddled eventual victor **War of Will** in 2019.

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### NIGHT OF THUNDER COLT LIGHTS UP ARQANA

Cormac Farrell was left flabbergasted after bringing the Arqana May Breeze-up Sale-topping figure of €1.9 million for a Night Of Thunder colt, who went the way of Godolphin, and summed up the outstanding piece of business as "the stuff of dreams". Brian Sheerin and Emma Berry have the report.



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*The next generation of racing fans was spotted at Monmouth Park on opening day taking notes and learning the ropes from the experienced ones. | Bill Denver/EQUI-PHOTO*

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*The GI Joe Hirsch Turf Classic victor returned to the scene of his elite-level triumph to stamp his authority on Saturday's GI Man O' War Stakes at Aqueduct by a deceptively easy margin.*

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With those efforts under his belt, he was moved to the barn of Chad Brown for a 2025 campaign and ran a credible third in his first jump for the operation in the GIII Tampa Bay Derby behind Owen Almighty (Speightstown)--who recently ran fifth in the GI Kentucky Derby--and **'TDN Rising Star'** MGISW Chancer McPatrick (**McKinzie**). He finished ahead of **'Rising Star'** Patch Adams (Into Mischief) in that race, who decisively won an allowance on the Derby undercard, and GISP Filoso (**City of Light**).

Made the 2-1 second choice here, Hill Road wasn't the fastest off the blocks and was outkicked early by the speed to his outside. Captain Cook was intent on the lead and so he got it, rolling through :23.36, :47.26, and 1:11.57 splits as **McAfee** (Cloud Computing) eventually overtook **Vassimo** (**Nyquist**) to stalk him from second. Not in any rush to join the fray, Hill Road watched it all unfold near the rear of the field going up the backstretch and was asked to improve his position through the far bend. Four wide and with a full head of steam entering the lane, he set his sights on McAfee and Captain Cook as those two were locked in battle entering the final furlong. Up in time, Hill Road overhauled Thorpedo Anna's little brother for the win by three-quarters of a length as that one finally got the best of Captain Cook, who had to settle for third.



Hill Road with Flavien Prat in the irons | Dom Napolitano

"I was concerned about the pace on paper, but a little bit of pace developed, and the horse ran great," said Chad Brown. "He wasn't out the back; he had a few horses beat early and then down the backside he seemed pretty tractable. He made a middle move and kind of moved up into a tight spot and paused and then came again."

"I know he didn't switch leads, so we have some work to do there." **Cont.**



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“Flavien [Prat] had him running fairly straight the last part of the race, so that was good. It's something we can work with, and he [Prat] said it's something we can work on and isn't a big deal.”

When asked about a start in the final jewel of the Triple Crown, the GI Belmont Stakes June 7, Brown said, “Absolutely. This horse really wants to go a mile and a quarter--we felt that after the Tampa race [3rd, GI Tampa Bay Derby]. Tyler Gaffalione rode him and was quite excited about the horse in the days after, checking in on him because he considered [Hill Road] as one of his Derby mounts and he wasn't quite sure who he wanted to go with. He was considering coming to the Wood, that's how much Tyler thought of him.”

Trainer Rick Dutrow Jr. was pleased with his duo but did believe that he had some figuring out to do with Captain Cook while his other runner, McAfee, put in a huge effort.

“They both ran big. There wasn't much other speed in the race, our horse [No. 8, Captain Cook] broke good and he was right there. Manny [Franco] could have sat off Irad [Ortiz, Jr., aboard No. 1, Vassimo] on the inside but I don't know that the outcome would have been any different.”

“I can't complain about anything with the race. It looks like Captain Cook doesn't want to go quite this far with the better ones and McAfee ran huge. We need to find Captain Cook's best game. I'm not saying this might not be it at the end of the day, but he ran big.”


#### Pedigree Notes:

Hill Road is the first winner for his dam--an Argentinian-campaigned, stakes-placed half-sister to MGISW **City of Light** (**Quality Road**). Exotic Notion has had back-to-back colts by Uncle Mo since this winner, a juvenile and a yearling, and is due to **Practical Joke** for 2025.

In addition to her supremely talented brother, who has become a strong sire in his second career, the dam is also a half-sister to Lough Derg (Lemon Drop Kid), who claims GSP Liam's Journey (**Liam's Map**) to her credit.

This is the immediate family of GISW Fabulously Fast (Deputy Minister), who produced French stakes-placed Humungosaur (GB) (Red Ransom), and her half-sister Paris Rose (Accelerator), the dam of GSW Decelerator (Dehere). Through that daughter, she's the granddam of GSW Stoltz (Aus) (More Than Ready) and MGSW & MG1SP-SAf Nafaayes (Aus) (Exceed And Excel {Aus}). Her line also yielded 2024 Australian Group-placed Hedged (Aus) (Capitalist {Aus}).

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**PETER PAN S.-GIIL**, \$200,000, Belmont The Big A, 5-10, 3yo, 1 1/8m, 1:49.22, ft.

1--**HILL ROAD**, 118, c, 3, by **Quality Road**

1st Dam: **Exotic Notion (SP-Arg)**, by **Lemon Drop Kid**

2nd Dam: **Paris Notion**, by **Dehere**

3rd Dam: **Fabulous Notion**, by **Somethingfabulous**

'TDN Rising Star'. **1ST BLACK TYPE WIN, 1ST GRADED STAKES WIN.** (\$350,000 Ylg '23 KEESEP). O-Amo Racing USA; B-Lynch Bages LTD & Camas Park Stud (KY); T-Chad C. Brown; J-Flavien Prat. \$110,000. Lifetime Record: 5-2-0-2, \$336,496. **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--**McAfee**, 118, c, 3, Cloud Computing--Sataves, by Uncle Mo.

**1ST BLACK TYPE, 1ST GRADED BLACK TYPE.** (\$40,000 Ylg '23 KEESEP). O-Black Type Thoroughbreds, Swinbank Stables LLC, Judy B. Hicks and Scott C. Rice; B-Judy Hicks (KY); T-Richard E. Dutrow, Jr. \$40,000.

**Consigned by Grovendale**

3--**Captain Cook**, 120, c, 3, **Practical Joke**--Pow Wow Wow, by Indian Charlie. **1ST GRADED BLACK TYPE.** (\$410,000 2yo '24 KEENOV).

O-St. Elias Stable; B-Marylou Whitney Stables, LLC (KY); T-Richard E. Dutrow, Jr. \$24,000.

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Margins: 3/4, HF, 2HF. Odds: 2.05, 7.70, 1.45.

Also Ran: Surfside Moon, Vassimo, Uncaged, Happily Delusional, Brereton's Baytown, First Pitch. Scratched: Lordship.

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## Sandman to Preakness, cont. from p1

"I always quote Allen Jerkens, 'Run 'em when they're good,' and he's good right now. We were planning on waiting for the Belmont, but a lot of things can happen in between. He's telling us he's happy so we're going to go with it."

Casse continued, "I knew when he went by us the first time that we were in big trouble. He obviously wasn't handling the track very well, and you just don't know how that affects them late in the race. He made a middle run but did flatten out a little bit. I think **War of Will** ran seventh in the Derby and won the Preakness, so we're going with that."

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The grey, who was pointing to the GI Belmont Stakes, joins **'TDN Rising Star' Goal Oriented (Not This Time)** who was also confirmed for the barrier this week. A jockey has yet to be announced and Sandman is scheduled to ship to Pimlico Monday.

The Preakness draw is scheduled for 6 p.m. ET on Monday, May 12.

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## Saturday, Belmont At The Big A

**MAN O' WAR S.-GII**, \$388,000, Belmont The Big A, 5-10, 4yo/up, 1 3/8mT, 2:17.24, gd.

1--**FAR BRIDGE**, 124, h, 5, by English Channel

1st Dam: Fitpitcher, by Kitten's Joy

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

3rd Dam: Pleasant Temper, by Storm Cat

**'TDN Rising Star'**. O-LSU Stables; B-Calumet Farm (KY); T-Christophe Clement; J-Joel Rosario. \$220,000. Lifetime Record: MGISW, 16-8-3-2, \$2,142,980. **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--**Anglophile**, 118, h, 5, English Channel--Trustmore Lovemore, by Kitten's Joy. O-Michael Thomas Paradis; B-Upson Downs Farm & Louie W. Wright (KY); T-Brian A. Lynch. \$80,000.

3--**Padiddle**, 118, g, 5, Empire Maker--Belle Chaussee, by Giant's Causeway. (\$205,000 Wlg '20 FTKNOV; \$250,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP). O-Imaginary Stables; B-Frankfort Park Farm (KY); T-Fernando Abreu. \$48,000.

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Margins: 1, 5, 5 1/4. Odds: 0.30, 4.30, 12.00.

Also Ran: Capture the Flag, Decanted.

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Returning to the scene of his victory in last year's GI Joe Hirsch Turf Classic, LSU Stables' **'TDN Rising Star'** Far Bridge stamped his authority on Saturday's GII Man o' War Stakes at Aqueduct, defeating his chief market rival Anglophile by a deceptively easy margin.

The prohibitive favorite was given a dig away from the stalls by Joel Rosario to open up his early options, but when longshot Decanter (Kitten's Joy) and Capture the Flag (**Quality Road**) elected to go on with it, Far Bridge was able to slot in from a midfield third to enjoy the shortest way around.



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Continuing to stalk the top two in hand from a few lengths in arrears down the back of the track, Far Bridge was asked for an early run to take a gap at the fence four furlongs out and make the Man o' War a test of stamina. Held together on the swing for home as Anglophile was finding his best stride from the back, Far Bridge responded when asked, pinched a break and was never in danger as Anglophile closed inches to complete a middle-distance 1-2 for the late English Channel.

"Very tactical, short field. Joel [Rosario] rode a great race," said trainer Christophe Clement, winning the Man o' War for the first time since Gio Ponti (Tale of the Cat) successfully defended his title in 2010. "The plan was the two [horses] on the inside were slow and the speed was on the outside--work it out, field of five, it can't be that difficult. He did it, well done.

"To train, he has never been an issue, but in his races, he seems to be more mature [this year]. Going up the inside, he has the rail and if he has the rail to help him, he's always good. It's when he's in the middle of something [there can be an issue], but when he's on the rail, no problem."

Clement said that the GI Resorts World Casino Manhattan Stakes on the Belmont undercard at Saratoga June 7 would be next on the agenda for Far Bridge, who could be joined by stablemates Carson's Run (Cupid) and/or fellow **'Rising Star'** Deterministic (**Liam's Map**).

Third to the late Measured Time (GB) (**Frankel {GB}**) in last year's Manhattan, Far Bridge was a disappointing ninth in the GII United Nations Stakes, then was enterprisingly ridden to make all the running en route to an 8-1 surprise in the GI Sword Dancer Invitational Stakes back at the Spa in August. **Cont.**



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#### Pedigree Notes:

The late English Channel has now sired the winners of three of the last six runnings of the Man o' War--Channel Maker in 2019 and Channel Cat in 2021. Far Bridge is one of just two winners from three to race from Fitpitcher, a granddaughter of the talented Pleasant Temper, whose 12 victories included a front-running score in the 1999 GIII Ballston Spa Breeders' Cup Handicap at Saratoga. Fitpitcher sadly passed away in 2021.

The cross of champion turf horses English Channel and Kitten's Joy has resulted in 35 individual winners, six of those at the black-type level, including the aforementioned Channel Cat and fellow graded stakes winners Spooky Channel, English Bee and Admiralty Pier. --ALC

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## JODY'S PRIDE RETURNS TO NEW YORK FOR RUFFIAN VICTORY

Having largely run on appointment only for the last three years, **Jody's Pride** (**American Pharoah**) stepped up gamely to return to the winner's circle in the GII Ruffian Stakes.

Grade I-placed as a juvenile when she missed winning the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies by a neck to Just F Y I (**Justify**), the daughter of the 2015 Triple Crown winner had not won a race since 2024 when she took home the Busher Invitational Stakes at this track by 2 1/4 lengths.



Jody's Pride and her happy connections | *Susie Raisher*

That field included names such as MSW Carmelina (Maximus Mischief); GSW Gin Gin (Hightail); MSW Aoife's Magic (Smarty Jones); GI Kentucky Oaks placed Regulatory Risk (Omaha Beach); and SP Princess Mayfair (West Coast). She kicked off her 2025 campaign Jan. 25 running third in the GII Inside Information Stakes at Gulfstream and finished fifth last out Mar. 8 at Oaklawn Park in the GII Azeri Stakes behind 2024 Horse of the Year MGISW Thorpedo Anna (Fast Anna).

Sent away here at 7-1 odds, she recovered well after brief contact after the jump and was taken in hand early to race from midpack as the frontrunner clicked off :23.62, :46.40, and 1:10.43 splits. Racing in cover through the final bend, she made herself some running room passing the quarter pole and was on the march entering the lane. Taking the lead inside the furlong grounds, she safely kept **Sterling Silver** (Cupid) at bay on the wire as **My Mane Squeeze** (**Audible**) held on for third.

"Good trip. I was inside there for a little bit," said Joel Rosario. "I was enjoying when it opened up turning for home, but she looked like she wanted to be up there. She liked to fight and that showed at the end."

"She jumped really well and I could go to the lead, but [trainer] Jorge [Abreu] told me just sit second or third. I was just trying to play it out like he told me."

When asked about a next start for his filly, Abreu said, "I want to keep her one-turn, so probably the [seven-furlong, GII] Bed o' Roses at Saratoga [during the Belmont Stakes Racing Festival June 6].

#### Pedigree Notes:

The second winner for her dam, Jody's Pride is Jody's Song's only offspring to garner black-type of any kind. She has two full-brothers--unplaced 3-year-old Moreperfection and juvenile Democracy Defender. The mare did not produce a foal after a 2024 visit to **Epicenter** and has no breeding on record for 2025.

Jody's Song is a half-sister to MSW & GISP Make Mischief (Into Mischief) as well as SP Speightful Lily (**Union Rags**). Her full-sister Crescent Lady is the dam of MSP Surfside Moon (Malibu Moon). This is the immediate female family of MSW & MGSP Five Star Momma (Five Star Day).



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**RUFFIAN S.-GII**, \$200,000, Belmont The Big A, 5-10, 4yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:35.04, ft.

1--**JODY'S PRIDE**, 120, f, 4, by **American Pharoah**

1st Dam: Jody's Song, by Scat Daddy

2nd Dam: Speightful Lady, by Speightstown

3rd Dam: England's Rose, by Nureyev

**1ST GRADED STAKES WIN.** O-Parkland Thoroughbreds and Sportsmen Stable; B-Mr. Steve Weston (KY); T-Jorge R. Abreu; J-Joel Rosario. \$110,000. Lifetime Record: GISP, 9-4-1-1, \$754,250. **Werk Nick Rating: A++.**

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2--**Sterling Silver**, 118, m, 6, Cupid--Sheet Humor, by Distorted Humor. (\$13,000 Ylg '20 FTKSEL). O-Mark T. Anderson; B-Mallory & Karen Mort (NY); T-William I. Mott. \$40,000.

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3--**My Mane Squeeze**, 124, f, 4, **Audible**--In Spite of Mama, by Speightstown. O-William J. Butler and WinStar Farm LLC; B-William Butler (NY); T-Michael J. Maker. \$24,000.

Margins: 3/4, 2HF, 3. Odds: 7.80, 3.20, 1.30.

Also Ran: Morning Matcha, Headline Numbers, Gun Song, Here's the Kicker. Scratched: Catherine Wheel, Claret Beret, Dazzling Move, Takethemoneyhoney.

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## SHISOSPICY STAYS PERFECT ON THE LAWN IN THE MAMZELLE *by Alan Carasso*

Morplay Racing's 'TDN Rising Star' Shisospicy remained unbeaten in three starts in turf sprints, streaking away through the final sixteenth of a mile to post a decisive and impressive victory in Saturday's GIII Mamzelle Stakes at Churchill Downs, her first success at the graded level.

An all-the-way winner of the Limestone Stakes at Keeneland on Apr. 11, Shisospicy was one of the first to break the line, but Dreamaway (**Flameaway**), who ran on nicely to round out the exacta over ground that was still retaining some moisture after those heavy early-April rains in Fayette County, was ridden aggressively by Joe Bravo and outfooted the favorite to the front, covering the first couple of furlongs in :21.72 over this much sounder surface.

The gray filly was working hard to stay on top, with Shisospicy hounding her every move, and when Jose Ortiz said go, the response was instantaneous, as she widened at will to solidify her position at the top of this specialist division.



Shisospicy | Coady Media

Kilwin, a good fourth after covering stacks of ground from the outside post in the Limestone, closed stoutly at the fence for second on Saturday, while Mechaya flew home down the center to round out the triple on her seasonal debut.

"In her last start the ground was soft and today the track was a lot better for her," said winning trainer Jose D'Angelo, who ruled out a shot at the G1 Commonwealth Cup at Royal Ascot. "In her last workout, I tried to relax her a little bit and close. She was able to do that today--relax and close hard. Our plan now is to go to Saratoga with her."

Added Morplay's Rich Mendez: "Our goal is always to have fun and this was a lot of fun. We knew after the Limestone we had a lot of confidence with her moving forward. She's run so well in all of her starts. Her performance today really solidified that."

Having graduated by better than 16 lengths on debut to earn 'Rising Star' honors at Gulfstream Park last October, Shisospicy was placed in the Nov. 30 Fern Creek Stakes at Churchill and in the Jan. 4 Mockingbird Stakes at Oaklawn before trying her hand on the turf. A wire-to-wire winner back at Gulfstream Feb. 5, she made all the running in the Limestone, holding off Dreamaway by a half-length, with a similar margin back to Abientot (**Not This Time**) in third. **Cont.**

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# TALKIN' GRADED WINS

## WHATCHATALKINABOUT

won three-horse fight to the wire to capture his Graded stakes debut in Saturday's **\$175,000 John A. Nerud (G3)**, completing the 6 furlongs in **1:09.03**.

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Trainer: Wesley Ward



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## Pedigree Notes:

Shisospicy is the fifth winner at the graded level for her Spendthrift-based stallion. The winner's dam was a \$90,000 purchase by Mitole owners Bill and Corinne Heiligbrodts out of the 2017 OBS January Sale and was never out of the money in her seven career appearances. The second of two winners produced by Mischief Galore, Shisospicy has a 2-year-old half-brother by the Heiligbrodts' Yaupon, who was a \$75,000 KEENOV weanling turned \$175,000 FTKOCT yearling, and her foal of 2024 is a filly by the same stallion. Mischief Galore was most recently covered by Early Voting.

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## Saturday, Churchill Downs

**MAMZELLE S.-GIII**, \$224,625, Churchill Downs, 5-10, 3yo, f, 5 1/2fT, 1:01.46, fm.

1--**SHISOSPICY**, 120, f, 3, by Mitole



1st Dam: Mischief Galore, by Into Mischief

2nd Dam: Maren's Melody, by Unbridled's Song

3rd Dam: Maren's Meadow, by Meadowlake

'TDN Rising Star'. **1ST GRADED STAKES WIN.** (\$100,000 Ylg '23 KEEJAN; \$200,000 Ylg '23 FTKJUL; \$300,000 RNA 2yo '24 OBSAPR). O-Morplay Racing LLC; B-Bill & Corinne Heiligbrodts (KY); T-Jose Francisco D'Angelo; J-Jose L. Ortiz. \$129,820. Lifetime Record: 6-4-1-1, \$415,370. **Werk Nick Rating: C+.**

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2--**Kilwin**, 118, f, 3, **Twirling Candy**--Spanish Star, by **Blame**.

**1ST GRADED BLACK TYPE.** (\$225,000 Ylg '23 KEESEP; \$575,000 RNA 2yo '24 KEECHA). O-BBN Racing LLC; B-Gilder-Schwarz Farms LLC (KY); T-George R. Arnold II. \$42,200.

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3--**Mechaya**, 118, f, 3, **Liam's Map**--Malibu Rainbow, by Malibu Moon. **1ST BLACK TYPE, 1ST GRADED BLACK TYPE.** (\$70,000 RNA Ylg '23 KEESEP; \$60,000 Ylg '23 OBSOCT; \$150,000 2yo '24 OBSMAR). O-Doubledown Stables, Inc.; B-Maple Lane Farm (KY); T-James P. DiVito. \$21,100.

**Halcyon Hammock Graduate**

Margins: 4 1/4, 2 1/4, HF. Odds: 1.40, 3.04, 26.60.

Also Ran: Dreamaway, Laurice, Bunratty Manor (Ire), It Ain't Two (GB), Civetta, Abientot, Mighty Eriu (Ire), Bonne Fille, Anakarina, Stay Classy. Scratched: Hey Bertie, Lovely Emma, Me Governor, Serving Time (GB).

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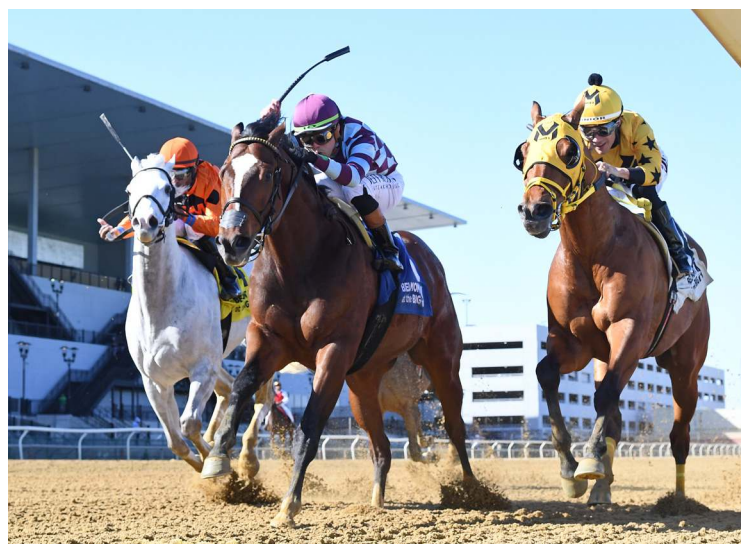
## WHATCHATAALKINABOUT FENDS OFF CHALLENGES ON ALL SIDES, TAKES JOHN A. NERUD

There come some lofty expectations when you win a six-furlong race by eight lengths and garner a 106 Beyer figure to start your year, but **Whatchataalkinabout** (**Dialed In**) proved they were warranted when he fought off simultaneous challenges to win the GIII John A. Nerud Stakes.

A stakes winner as a juvenile, he was gone over a year from that New York Breeders' Futurity and resurfaced last October to run second against optional claimers at this venue. He was denied by a neck Nov. 30 at that condition, but broke through last out Jan. 16 when he rolled away from the field to return to the winner's enclosure in style.

On the back of that effort, the betting public hammered him down to even-money favoritism and right from the jump, the race was on. Pushing along **Silver Slugger** (**Cairo Prince**) as they dueled through splits of :21.89, and four furlongs in :44.84, the pair was clear of the traffic when 2-1 second choice **Anarchist** (Distorted Humor) went wrong passing the half-mile marker. As that one was guided to the outside fence to be attended by the veterinary team, **Surveillance** (**Constitution**) had inched up through the bend to make it three in a line as they swung for home and the race was on. As they challenged him from both sides, Whatchataalkinabout refused to yield and got his head down on the bob over Silver Slugger on the rail. Surveillance was a neck back in third.

In regards to Anarchist, trainer Doug O'Neill released a statement which read, "Anarchist injured his right front while racing in the GIII John A Nerud Stakes today at Aqueduct. He will have surgery at Cornell Ruffian Equine Specialists tomorrow morning. Currently, the prognosis for a long and happy life off the racetrack is good." **Cont.**



Whatchataalkinabout (center) | Coglianese



Wesley Ward | Horsephotos

The statement continued, “We are extremely grateful for Joel Rosario. He displayed incredible horsemanship in getting Anarchist pulled up so quickly. We also greatly appreciate the NYRA veterinary staff for their immediate response. We're grateful to Anarchist's owner Angelo Freda for always putting the health and safety of the horse, first.”

“He’s a good horse, talented,” said trainer Wesley Ward. “He ran a gutsy race. I was proud of him. That horse on the inside [No. 2, Silver Slugger] ran a big one and also the grey horse on the outside [No. 4, Surveillance]--to be in the middle of those two and for him to gut through it really showed something.”

“I was supposed to ride him last time and we scratched at the gate [Grade 3 Commonwealth on April 8 at Keeneland],” said jockey Irad Ortiz Jr. “He was much better at the gate. That helped, we broke so good, he put me right in the race, and after that I was closer than I thought, and I go from there.”

“He was game at the end. He felt the outside horse [No. 4, Surveillance] and fought. Then the inside horse [No. 2, Silver Slugger] came back, and he fights back and by the time we hit the wire, he had his head in front. He was game, he was fighting.”

#### Pedigree Notes:

Whatchatalkinabout is the most accomplished for his dam by far, and is Super Savvy's second multiple winner behind elder brother Prince James (Tiznow), who has 10 pictures on his wall. They have an unraced 3-year-old half-brother Super **McKinzie** (**McKinzie**) as well as a juvenile half-brother named Hamilton's Reason (Sharp Azteca). The mare, a daughter of GSW & GISP Don't Forget Gil (Kafwain), has a 2025 colt by **Maxfield** at foot.

Said second dam is not only placed at the elite level, but is a half-sister to a multiple Grade I winner as Sweet Reason (**Street Sense**) appears beneath the third dam as well.

That sister was purchased by Japanese interests and claims SW & MGSP-Jpn Diastima (Jpn) (Deep Impact {Jpn}) as her first offspring. She has two active runners in 2025 as daughter Sympatheia (Jpn) (Lord Kanaloa {Jpn}) is on a four-race win streak and 3-year-old Ho O Atman (Jpn) (Duramente {Jpn}) recently ran fifth in a Group 3 contest.

This is the immediate female family of G1 Dubai Golden Shaheen victor Zenden (Fed Biz).

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#### Saturday, Belmont At The Big A

**JOHN A. NERUD S.-GIII**, \$169,750, Belmont The Big A, 5-10, 4yo/up, 6f, 1:09.03, ft.

1--**WHATCHATALKINABOUT**, 118, g, 4, by **Dialed In**



**1st Dam: Super Savvy, by Super Saver**

**2nd Dam: Don't Forget Gil, by Kafwain**

**3rd Dam: Livermore Leslie, by Mt. Livermore**

**1ST GRADED STAKES WIN.** (\$38,000 RNA Ylg '22 FTKFEB; \$82,000 Ylg '22 FTKOCT). O-Ice Wine Stable; B-Newtownanner Stud Farm (NY); T-Wesley A. Ward; J-Irad Ortiz, Jr. \$96,250. Lifetime Record: 7-4-2-1, \$335,328. **Werk Nick Rating: A.** [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#) [Click for the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.](#)

#### NEWTOWNANNER STUD BRED & RAISED

2--**Silver Slugger**, 118, g, 5, **Cairo Prince**--One More Wild Ride, by Wildcat Heir. **1ST BLACK TYPE, 1ST GRADED BLACK TYPE.** (\$35,000 Wlg '20 FTKNOV; \$90,000 Ylg '21 FTKOCT). O-Victoria's Ranch; B-Frankfort Park Farm (KY); T-Juan Carlos Avila. \$35,000.



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3--**Surveillance**, 124, g, 8, **Constitution**--Majorelle, by Mizzen Mast. (\$40,000 Wlg '17 KEENOV; \$25,000 Ylg '18 KEESEP). O-Winning Move Stable; B-Kendall E. Hansen, M.D. Racing, LLC (KY); T-Linda Rice. \$21,000.



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Margins: HD, NK, 2 1/4. Odds: 1.00, 12.30, 8.20.

Also Ran: Full Moon Madness, O'Conner Sunset, Anarchist.

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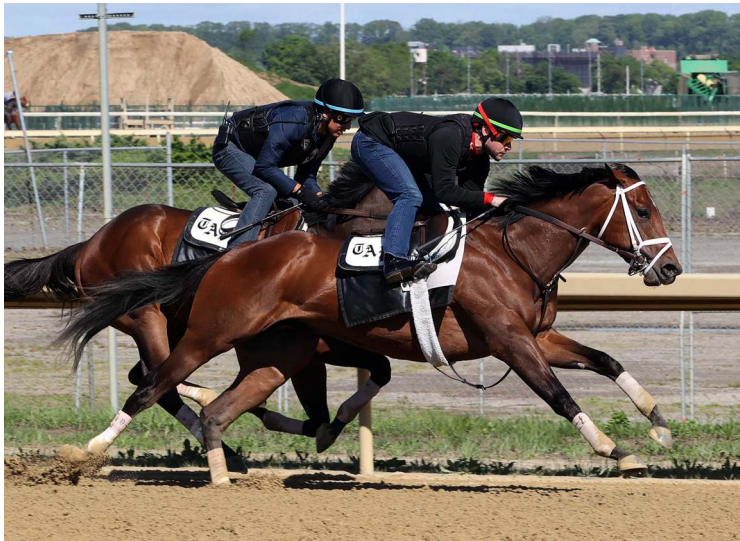
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## PREAKNESS UPDATES: RIVER THAMES BREEZES AT BELMONT, BRENDAN WALSH GREEN LIGHTS GOSGER



River Thames | Susie Raisher

Breezing Saturday morning over the Belmont Park training track, 'TDN Rising Star' GISP River Thames (Maclean's Music) put in another half-mile move in advance of his anticipated start in the GI Preakness Stakes May 17 at Pimlico.

In company with MSP Trust Fund (Practical Joke), the New York-bred went a half-mile in :48.25 (9/37) with exercise rider Fernando Rivera in the irons. He began the work to the outside and just off of his workmate and ended it along the rail and at least a length in front. Trainer Todd Pletcher said he clocked the gallop out in 1:01 and 1:15, and was happy with what he saw from his charge.

"He went very well, in hand throughout," said Pletcher. "He put in a nice half-mile in 48 [seconds] and change. He galloped out around the turn strongly and looked good. They followed the instructions perfectly."

He continued, "We are happy with his condition. He has bounced out of the Blue Grass well. He has been training consistently here. He has put on a few pounds, so we are happy with the way he is coming into [The Preakness]."

River Thames will be looking to claim Pletcher's first victory in the middle jewel of the Triple Crown. The conditioner is a two-time Derby and four-time Belmont Stakes winner.

"I'd love to check that box, we will give it a try."

### Gosger gets the Green Light for Preakness after Keeneland Work

Working in company with Godolphin's Paris Lily (City of Light), who is being pointed to Friday's GII Black-Eyed Susan Stakes, Gosger (Nyquist) and the filly breezed five furlongs in 1:00.60,

making the pair's move the fastest of 14 at the distance at Keeneland that morning. Carrying the colors of the late Harvey A. Clarke, the grey will attempt to collect his third straight win after he claimed the GIII Stonestreet Lexington Stakes Apr. 12 at the venue.

"He worked really well," Walsh said. "He worked good; so, we're a go. I think he's ready to take a step forward again off the last race."

Walsh will be trying for his first Preakness win with Gosger's entry.

### Heart of Honor Set to Clear Quarantine Earlier, On Track Tuesday

G2 UAE Derby runner-up Heart of Honor (GB) (Honor A.P.) is now set to clear quarantine at Churchill Downs Sunday and will make his first appearance on track at Pimlico Tuesday after vanning over the day prior.

Trainer Jamie Osborne has earlier confirmed his daughter Saffie Osborne will have the Preakness mount. The elder Osborne has sent prior runners who competed in the UAE Derby to the States and enjoyed great success, but a win on the Triple Crown trail would be a first for Heart of Honor's connections.

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## MOMS IN HORSE RACING: SHAPING THE SPORT ON AND OFF THE TRACK

by Katie Petrunyak

In a sport built on speed and stamina, the people behind the scenes rarely stop moving. And for the horsewomen who are also mothers, the pace is even demanding—but so is the purpose.

They're used to remarks like, "I don't know how you do it all," "Do you ever sleep?" and "You're like superwoman!"

"I'm definitely not superwoman," Tessa Walden responded when that last one was posed to her. "Being a stay-at-home mom is probably even harder than being a working mom. But I do think moms are kind of unsung heroes. I have a new respect for mine while I'm doing this, let's put it that way."

By "doing this," Walden means raising a 2-year-old son and a 6-month-old daughter with her husband, trainer Will Walden, while also working as an assistant for Brad Cox Racing Stable. She oversees tasks like nominations and payroll and helps out during morning training. Walden also runs her own digital consignment business, Evergreen Equine.

A younger version of herself never would have imagined being where she is now.

Cont.



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"I did not want to be a mom at all," Walden admitted. "All I wanted to do was ride horses. I felt like I wouldn't be able to do my job with kids. It's a struggle enough without kids, so I really didn't think it would be possible to have a family and do the job at the level I was doing it. Work has just always been really important to me."

Walden knows the reality that oftentimes the racing industry is less than accommodating for new moms, but looking back now, she considers herself lucky to have had a positive experience.

"I thought that if I had a child, I would be fired, literally," she said. "But that couldn't have been further from the truth."

Still, the transition came with challenges. Walden was back at the barn about a week after having her first child and she stayed in her full-time assistant role until the birth of her daughter last year. Her role has since shifted more toward the office, but she is still on the backside at Keeneland or Turfway Park most mornings, legging up a rider or watching breezes with her daughter Hailey tucked snug in her carrier.

Walden doesn't consider herself a role model, but she hopes that her story, along with others like hers, can serve as a source of inspiration.

"Being a mom in racing to me means creating an example for other women that they can do it," she said. "They can have a family and still be involved in the industry in whatever way they want."

Sophie Doyle had always assumed that motherhood would mark the end of her career as a jockey. She found out she was pregnant just two weeks after riding in the Breeders' Cup and struggled with the thought of stepping away at the peak of her career. But a few months after having her daughter Emilie, Doyle felt the pull of being back in the saddle and she started exercise riding for her husband Chris Davis.

Together, they managed to work out a schedule for Emilie's feeding and naps around morning sets.

Last year, Doyle had the chance to return to race riding.

"It was nice to be able to come back and just enjoy it and have fun and have your daughter there on the sidelines cheering for you," explained Doyle. "It was something that I can't believe that I ever said I would never do. I don't know why I ever doubted myself."

Just this week, Doyle rode Chambourcin (Copper Bullet) to a maiden win at Churchill Downs for John Ennis, one of the trainers who encouraged her return to the saddle.

Oftentimes, Doyle and her daughter hang out in between races in the women's jock's room. Since Doyle usually has the space to herself, crayons and stuffed animals are scattered amongst jockey silks and riding crops.

While Emilie enjoys the racing scene now, Doyle admitted that there was an adjustment period for both mother and daughter when she picked up her tack again.

"With most jockeys being males, kids usually want their mom the majority of the time so it's okay when they take them away from their dad so they can go and take care of their job," said Doyle. "When you've got a daughter wanting her mom who has to go into their profession, I can tell you there were a few hairy moments in the Belterra paddock. It took a few months for her to understand that her mom needs to go and do her job right now, but she got into enjoying watching me go out and ride and cheering for me on the sideline. I remember one day I was in the starting gate at Belterra and I could hear Emilie saying, 'Go Mommy! Come on Mommy! You gotta win this!' I started getting teary-eyed and said to myself, 'Alright, you've gotta be a jockey now Mom.'"

**Cont.**



**Mare and foal at Mill Ridge Farm | Katie Petrunyak**



Jordan Hattaway is the owner of Hattaway Farms, a full-service boarding facility that offers foaling, breaking, prepping and rehabbing, and she is also an exercise rider for Eddie Kenneally. Two years ago, she had her son Jude.

"At first my husband and I were like, 'How are we going to do all of this and have a baby?'" she recalled. "But honestly, he kind of just fit into our lives. I'm not going to say it was seamless--there has been a lot of trial and error and a lot of having to get creative--but I'm still able to do all the same things I was doing before, just with a little bundle of joy running around with me."

While Hattaway meets with the vet and checks on mares, Jude plays with his baby chicks. When she oversees an afternoon breaking session, her son hangs out with his pony Pongo or zooms around the indoor riding arena between sets.

"Ultimately I think that it's really fun to be able to bring your child around with you," she said. "I think watching a little boy love animals, love the farm and love the track and watching him have such a happy, fun childhood is really rewarding. Being able to be there with him for most of it is really cool."

Walden and Doyle often visit Hattaway at her farm, hanging out together as their children play in the green grass and open air. They say it's all part of the community that makes it work. Around every mother in racing is a web of support--fellow moms and horsewomen, barn friends, partners, mentors--who help make the impossible feel manageable.

"Yes, it's challenging," reflected Hattaway. "But it is so rewarding at the same time."

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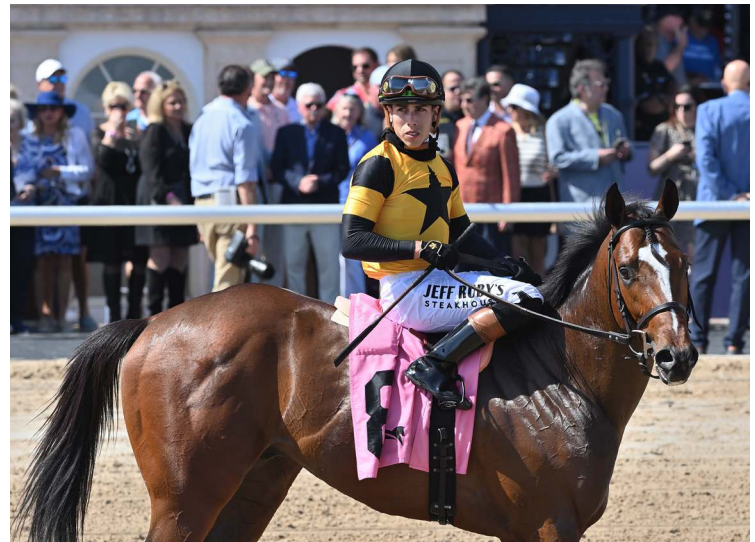
## SORCERER'S SILVER UNDERGOES SUCCESSFUL SURGERY AT ROOD & RIDDLE

**Sorcerer's Silver** (*Good Magic*), a 3-year-old colt who suffered a sesamoid injury on the Kentucky Derby day undercard, is recovering from surgery at Rood & Riddle Equine Hospital, according to a [story posted on the NBC Lexington affiliate website](#) on Friday afternoon.

Pulled up by jockey Irad Ortiz, Jr. halfway through the third race, the dark bay trained by Dale Romans was transported to Rood & Riddle in Lexington.

"The problem with the sesamoid injury is, they don't show much," said Rood & Riddle's Dr. Larry Bramlage. "Sesamoids are the two little bones in the back of the horse's fetlock joint where when they move and up down, they're the bones that support their weight. They're sort of like our kneecaps only in reverse."

After a three-hour fusion surgery Monday, X-rays showed Sorcerer's Silver was doing well, even though his racing days are over.



**Sorcerer's Silver** | Angelo Lieto

"He's gonna live 25 years," Dr. Bramlage said.

Owned by West Point Thoroughbreds and Domeyko Taylor, the colt debuted a winner at Gulfstream Park Feb. 1 and then cleared an optional claimer over the same surface Mar. 27.

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## COPING WITH HIGH HEAT, SANTA ANITA INSTITUTES SAFETY PROTOCOLS

With continued heat advisories in the region, and a forecasted high of 98 degrees Saturday, officials at Santa Anita Park have instituted a series of safety measures for people and horses.

With the weather reaching a scorching 100 in some places and Sunday calling for 91 degree heat before the temperatures return to the low 70s Monday, racing officials have included in the heat protocols ice buckets and hoses throughout the grounds for convenient access. Riders will be legged up in the saddling barn and horses will go directly to the track afterwards. The post parades will also be shortened. The first post for Sunday's nine-race Mother's Day card is 1:00 p.m. PST.

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## NEW YORK KNIGHTS CAPTURE NATIONAL THOROUGHBRED LEAGUE'S PIMLICO CUP

The National Thoroughbred League (NTL) season kicked off at Pimlico with the New York Knights claiming the Pimlico Cup Saturday afternoon. **Cont.**



**King's River, one of the winning horses during the NTL's Pimlico Cup contest | Jim McCue**

The Knights won the first heat of the three-race competition when Addy's Laddy TNT (Golden Lad) won the sixth race over Remembering Wilbur (Golden Lad), who was competing for Team **Nashville** Dreams. Minister for Magic (Malibu Moon), part of the Phoenix Mustangs roster, finished third.

The Dream would turn the tables in the seventh race when King's River (Irish War Cry) rallied late to win with the Knights finishing second via Kendama (Uncle Mo).

Prince Khozan (Khozan) for Team Philadelphia Stallions won the photo for third. Tied with one win and one second apiece, the Knights and the Dreams entered the final NTL race behind the betting favorite, who ultimately won the day for the Miami Thunderbolts. However, with the Knights' Boss Is a Pal (Street Boss) running second while **Nashville's** Monster Mason (Animal Kingdom) finished in eighth, the former claimed victory in the first league competition of the season.

Jockey Ismerio Villalobos was named the NTL MVP for winning the last two races in the competition aboard King's River and Cactus (**Twirling Candy**) in the eighth race.

The three NTL races, each worth \$75,000 in purse money,

featured 3-year-olds and upward who had started for a claiming price of \$8,000 or less in their last three starts or were offered for a claiming price range between \$12,500 and \$10,000. All ten teams entered one horse from their roster in each participating race. Teams competed for 3,000 points. The team with the most points on the day won the Pimlico Cup, and the team with the most points for the year wins the overall NTL Championship.

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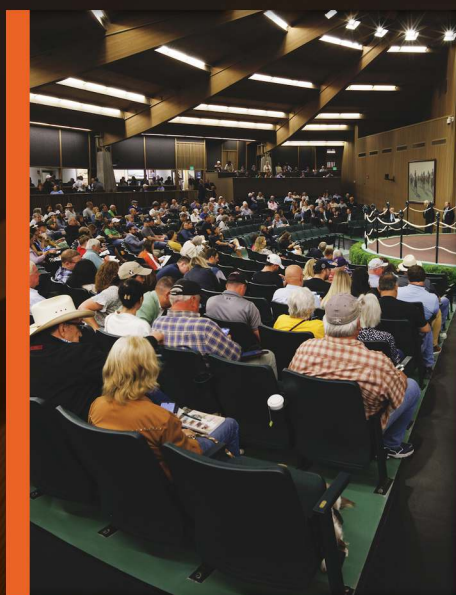
**LOUISVILLE S.-GIII, \$250,000, 4yo/up, 1 1/2mT**

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4	Tapit Shoes	Tapit	Steve Moger	Moger, Jr.	Bejarano	118
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## SUNDAY INSIGHTS: WELL-CONNECTED MAIDENS KICK OFF THE CARD IN NEW YORK

by Alan Carasso



**Maclean's Music** | Lee Thomas

**1st-BAQ, \$85k, Msw, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10 p.m. ET**

**FULLY BOOKED** (**Maclean's Music**) debuts for Chad Brown and Klaravich Stables, who gave \$460,000 for the March foal at the 2023 Keeneland September Sale. Stonestreet acquired dam Si Si Tequila (Yes It's True) for \$155,000 at Fasig-Tipton July in 2017 and campaigned her to a runner-up effort in the Glorious Song Stakes during her juvenile season. A half-sister to GII Best Pal Stakes winner and GI Del Mar Futurity third Run Away (Run Away and Hide), Si Si Tequila is also responsible for a 2-year-old **Street Sense** colt that Spendthrift purchased for \$375,000 at Fasig-Tipton Saratoga last summer. Klaravich, of course, campaigned **Maclean's Music**'s GI Futurity Stakes victor **Complexity**. Repole Stable has had a fair bit of success with the offspring of **Curlin** and the Siena Farm-bred **Be Real** looks to open his account here from the rail as the 4-5 morning-line pick. A son of GII Forward Gal Stakes runner-up Island Saint (Speightstown) and a maternal grandson of GSW & GISP Prospective Saint (Saint Ballado), the \$300,000 KEESEP acquisition is a half-brother to SP Swiftsure (Uncle Mo). The juvenile half-brother by **Gun Runner** fetched \$450,000 at this year's OBS April Sale, a nice profit on the \$75,000 paid for him at Fasig-Tipton October last fall. **TJCIS PPs**

**9th-BAQ, \$85k, Msw, 3yo/up, f/m, 6fT, 5:16 p.m. ET**

Blue Devil Racing Stable homebred **LAYLANI LOU (Malibu Moon)** lures the services of John Velazquez and also has pole position for this first go. One of a reported 55 foals from the final crop of her much-missed stallion, the March 29 foal is a

daughter of the stakes-placed Miss Luann (Unbridled's Song), also the dam of 2017 G3 UAE Oaks heroine Nomorerichblondes (**Hard Spun**), the late SW Sharp Kitty (Kitten's Joy) and the unraced Legal Tender (Giant's Causeway), whose 3-year-old son Maui Strong (Kitten's Joy) has placed three times in grass stakes, including a third in the last month's GIII Transylvania Stakes at Keeneland. **TJCIS PPs**

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### IN ORDER OF PURSE:

**TAKE THE A TRAIN S.**, \$150,000, Belmont The Big A, 5-10, 3yo, f, 6fT, 1:10.25, gd.

**1--LOVE CERVERE, 118, f, 3, by Into Mischief**

**1st Dam: Panther Strike (SP), by Black Minnaloushe**

**2nd Dam: Preemptive Attack, by Smart Strike**

**3rd Dam: Bold Ruritana, by Bold Ruckus**

**1ST BLACK TYPE WIN.** O-Seltzer, Edward A., Anderson, Beverly and Reeves Thoroughbred Racing; B-Edward Seltzer & Beverly Seltzer (KY); T-Christophe Clement; J-Joel Rosario. \$82,500. Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-0, SP, \$164,775. \*1/2 to Chapalu (Flutter), GSW, \$167,615.

**2--Hey Bertie, 118, f, 3, Kantharos--Believe in Bertie, by Langfuhr. 1ST BLACK TYPE.** O/B-Klein Racing (KY); T-Cherie DeVaux. \$30,000.

 **Foaled & Raised at Clarkland Farm for Klein Racing** 

**3--Disco Star, 118, f, 3, Disco Partner--Sky Gazer, by Sky Mesa.** (\$35,000 Ylg '23 KEEJAN; \$75,000 Ylg '23 SARAUG). O-Peter Deutsch; B-Patricia Generazio (NY); T-Mark E. Casse. \$18,000.

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Margins: NK, HF, NO. Odds: 5.00, 4.40, 8.20.

Also Ran: Annascaul, Warming, Marvelous Madison, Gata Brazil, Wisconsin Gal, Lovely Emma. Scratched: Bunratty Manor (Ire), Serving Time (GB).

Love Cervere, second behind Nitrogen (**Medaglia d'Oro**), MGSW & GISP, \$844,400, in Gulfstream Park's Ginger Brew Stakes over one mile Jan. 4, turned back to six furlongs and remained undefeated over track and trip. Last seen finishing fifth in Gulfstream Park's Sanibel Island Stakes Mar. 29, she made a welcome return to the sight of her debut win Nov. 1. Ridden by Joel Rosario, the 5-1 shot bumped Disco Star leaving the gate before setting well at the rear of the nine-horse field.



She commenced her bid on the turn before circling foes while six-wide into the stretch. Showing a good turn of foot, she rallied strongly and prevailed in a blanket finish over the strong inside bid of Hey Bertie by a neck.

She is a half-sister to Chapalu (Flatter), GSW-Can, victorious in the 2019 GIII Grey Stakes at Woodbine as a 2-year-old. Her winning dam Panther Strike (Black Minnaloushe), SP, \$59,868, is out of Preemptive Attack (Smart Strike), dam of both Sky Treasure (**Sky Mesa**), MGSW, \$492,426 and Surgical Strike (Red Giant), GSW, \$428,049. Panther Strike has an unnamed yearling colt by Vino Rosso and recently foaled a **Take Charge Indy** filly.

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Love Cervere | Joe Labozzetta

**LONG BRANCH S.**, \$102,000, Monmouth, 5-10, 3yo, 1m 70y, 1:41.06, ft.

1--**KENTUCKY OUTLAW**, 117, c, 3, by **Outwork**

1st Dam: **Fend**, by **Street Sense**

2nd Dam: **Goaltending**, by **A.P. Indy**

3rd Dam: **Game Face**, by **Meniffee**

(\$10,000 Wlg '22 KEENOV; \$10,000 Ylg '23 OBSOCT; \$12,000 2yo '24 OBSOPN). **1ST BLACK TYPE WIN**. O/T-Felissa Dunn; B-Daniel Thomas Kjorsvik (KY); J-Paco Lopez. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 4-3-0-0, \$124,500.

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2--**Cool Intentions**, 117, c, 3, **Authentic--Intentional Cry**, by **Street Cry** (Ire). (\$285,000 Ylg '23 KEESEP). **1ST BLACK TYPE**. O-Amo Racing USA; B-Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC (KY); T-Jorge Delgado. \$20,000.

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3--**Pascaline**, 117, c, 3, **Upstart--Tres Chic**, by **Harlan's Holiday**. (\$37,000 RNA Wlg '22 KEENOV; \$40,000 Ylg '23 KEESEP;

65,000gns 2yo '24 TATBRE). O-West Point Thoroughbreds, Jimmy Kahig LLC, CJ Stables and Edwin S. Barker; B-James Franklin Miller (WV); T-Arnaud Delacour. \$10,000.

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Margins: 1HF, NK, 4HF. Odds: 1.80, 5.40, 2.00.

Also Ran: Lordship, Baby Dukes, Dear Chairman, Harrigan.

Scratched: Happily Delusional. Click for the **Equibase.com** chart or **VIDEO**, sponsored by **FanDuel TV**.

A winner of his first two starts in impressive fashion at Parx, Kentucky Outlaw stepped up to contest the Federico Tesio Stakes at Laurel last time out and ran fifth behind probable GI Preakness Stakes starter Pay Billy (Improbable) Apr. 19. Stepping back down in distance from the 1 1/8-mile trip at Laurel and adding the blinkers Saturday, the 9-5 favorite returned to his winning ways. Drawn outside, he was quickly into stride to sit a close-up third behind Dear Chairman (**Spun to Run**). Keen to go on with it, Kentucky Outlaw tugged his way down the backstretch before hitting the front around the far turn and sustaining his drive down the lane to earn his first stakes win.

"I'm happy," said winning trainer Felicia Dunn. "He ran like he did his first two races. He broke slowly, caught up with the field and then he just wanted to go. I think his last race was a little tough for him, plus he broke poorly and then got rushed. I'm hoping he will continue to get better with time. My husband (John) will decide where we go next. That way I can focus on the other six horses I have."

The 15th stakes winner for Outwork, Kentucky Outlaw is out of a half-sister to GSW Turnerloose (**Nyquist**). That first dam, Fend, sold for \$200,000 at KEENOV in 2022. She has since produced a 2-year-old **Not This Time** colt and a yearling **Nyquist** filly while she was barren this year to **Olympiad**.



Kentucky Outlaw | Bill Denver/Equi-photo



**Sandal's Song** | Ryan Thompson

**ROYAL PALM JUVENILE S.**, \$100,000, Gulfstream, 5-10, 2yo, 5fT, :56.30, fm.

1--**SANDAL'S SONG**, 118, c, 2, by **Mendelssohn**

1st Dam: Sandal, by **Munnings**

2nd Dam: Flip Flop (Fr), by Zieten

3rd Dam: Flaponny, by Vernon Castle

(\$80,000 Wlg '23 KEENOV; \$75,000 RNA Ylg '24 KEESEP; \$75,000 Ylg '24 FTKOCT). **1ST BLACK TYPE WIN.** O-Dew Sweepers; B-Hunter Valley & T. Hegarty (KY); T-G. Weaver; J-L. Panici. \$49,000. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$49,000.

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2--**Squire**, 121, c, 2, Leinster--Saudi Chroma, by Lucky Pulpit.

**1ST BLACK TYPE.** O-Patrick Biancone Racing and Amy Dunne; B-Amy E. & Ciaran G. Dunne (FL); T-Patrick Biancone. \$21,560.

3--**Arkadelphia**, 118, g, 2, Halladay--Chili Petin, by City Zip.

(\$27,000 RNA Ylg '24 NCAAU). **1ST BLACK TYPE.** O-Harrell Ventures LLC; B-HV Bloodstock (CA); T-Luis Mendez. \$11,760. Margins: 1HF, 5HF, HD. Odds: 7.90, 0.90, 23.40.

Also Ran: Beers On Me, Chasing My Dream, Win N Juice, I Think I Can (Ire), Cadenced. Scratched: Ciborio, Fear, Fuzzy Stare, Hotter Than Dem, Skipping Stars, Tully Road.

Sandal's Song booked his ticket to the Royal Meeting and earned a \$25,000 voucher for the trip with a late-running score in the Palm Juvenile Stakes at Gulfstream Park on Saturday.

Making his debut as a 7-1 shot here the colt chased a pair of pacesetters up the backstretch in favorite Squire and Beers On Me (Catalina Cruiser). The chestnut tipped off the rail around the far turn with a three-wide move. Showing plenty of zip down the lane, the 2-year-old cleared inside the final furlong and earned his keep. Squire was the runner-up. The trainer of Sandal's Song, George Weaver, won the inaugural Royal Palm Juvenile with No Nay Mets (Ire) (**No Nay Never**) in 2023.

"He [Sandal's Song] was able to get up in a nice position before they hit the turn," said Weaver. "I don't really hone on my first time starters. He'd done enough. I knew he was fast. Good horses go out there and do what they're supposed to do. I never worked him on the grass, but he had some turf in his pedigree. If he comes out of this race well I'd like to take him there [Ascot]. I see no reason not to. I feel comfortable he's the caliber who should go if he's doing well."

The second to the races for his dam, the winner's older half-sister is filly in-training Flip Flops (**War of Will**), who also got her picture taken at two. Herself a half-sister to MGISP Qurbaan (Speightstown) and UAE group stakes hero Qareeb (Speightstown), Sandal is responsible for a yearling colt by Omaha Beach and she foaled a colt by **War of Will** Apr. 10. Sandal's Song counts GISP Flip Flop (Fr) as his second dam.

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**ROYAL PALM JUVENILE FILLIES S.**, \$100,000, Gulfstream, 5-10, 2yo, f, 5fT, :56.99, fm.

1--**LENNILU**, 121, f, 2, by Leinster

1st Dam: Lulu's Pom Pom, by Pomeroy

2nd Dam: Lulu's Number, by Numerous

3rd Dam: Mary Lou's Magic, by Concorde's Tune

(\$23,000 Ylg '24 OBSWIN). **1ST BLACK TYPE WIN.** O-Amy & Caitlin Dunne, Brenda Miley, Jean Wilkinson, Hoffman Family Racing LLC, Tranquility Lake Farm LLC, Maury & Christopher K. Harrington; B-Helen & Joseph Barbazon (FL); T-Patrick L. Biancone; J-Luis Saez. \$47,500. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$81,615. \*First black-type winner for freshman sire (by Majestic Warrior).

2--**Bibi Dahl**, 118, f, 2, **American Pharoah**--Just Louise, by Five Star Day. (\$1,350,000 Ylg '24 KEESEP). **1ST BLACK TYPE.** O-Amo Racing USA; B-Springhouse Farm (KY); T-Jorge Delgado. \$20,900.

3--**Strada Del Sogno**, 118, f, 2, Street Boss--Line Up, by **Violence**. (\$25,000 Ylg '24 KEESEP). **1ST BLACK TYPE.** O-Sport of Kings Racing Partners LLC & Nelson Soracco; B-Joe B. Mulholland Jr., John P. Mulholland & Karen Mulholland (KY); T-Tareq Moubarak. \$11,400.



**Sold by Mulholland Springs**



Margins: 3 3/4, 5 1/4, NO. Odds: 0.80, 7.20, 90.20.

Also Ran: Authentic Guitar, Bohemian, Royal Testament, Kitty Cleo (Ire), Le Sunshine, Divinely Inspired, Satisfied Mind, Just a Little Bit. Scratched: Emerald Ember, Nonna's Love, Rumpus in Paradise. Click for the **Equibase.com** chart or **VIDEO**, sponsored by **FanDuel TV**.



Lennilu, who beat both Kadabra (**Good Magic**) and Chambourcin (Copper Bullet), both return winners in recent days, in her Apr. 6 Keeneland slop debut took another step forward in her stakes debut over this turf course. Partnered by Luis Saez, she bumped into Satisfied Mind (**First Samurai**) leaving the gate before forcing the pace in the early stages. The 4-5 favorite in a field of 11 took over from Satisfied Mind turning for home and readily kicked clear from the rallying debutante Bibi Dahl to prevail by 3 3/4 lengths. By winning this, she punched a ticket to her connections choice of six juvenile races at June's Royal Ascot Meeting. Her automatic berth includes a \$25,000 travel stipend.



**Lennilu** | *Lauren King*

"Luis loved her from the day he rode her at Keeneland. He said he wanted to ride her at Ascot and I said, 'Easy, we have to do one stop at Gulfstream first,'" said winning trainer Patrick Biancone. "She's a machine. She's very relaxed. She traveled to Keeneland, it was bad weather. She shed-rowed two days, jogged one day and ran like a monster. The plan all along was to get to Ascot. That's why so many partners joined in for that trip."

Saez added: "She's a very nice filly. She broke from there well [and] put herself in a good position. At the top of the stretch she was a little green first time on turf, but she's got a lot of ability. I had a lot of horse at the end. I was pretty confident after I rode at Keeneland. She won that race very professionally. I had a lot of horse left that day, too. Now I'm looking forward to going to Ascot. That's why we came here today."

Lennilu is one of two early season winners and the first stakes winner for her freshman sire Leinster (Majestic Warrior), who set the course record over 5 1/2 furlongs on the Keeneland turf when taking the 2020 GII Shakertown Stakes. Lulu's Pom Pom was bred to Magic On Tap for this term.

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**8th-Churchill Downs, \$137,783, Alw (NW2\$X), Opt. Clm** (\$80,000), 5-10, 3yo/up, 1 1/8mT, 1:46.35, fm, 1 1/4 lengths.  
**CORRUPTION** (g, 4, **Medaglia d'Oro**--Thundering Sky {MSW & MGSP-US, MGSP-Can, \$498,160}, by **Sky Mesa**) took a \$50,000 starter-allowance going a mile at Gulfstream Jan. 26 and made his two most recent appearances over 12 furlongs, annexing a first-level allowance by a neck Mar. 2 before just being touched off by Saturday's GII Man o' War Stakes hero Far Bridge (English Channel) after making nearly every yard in the GIII Pan American Stakes Mar. 29. Favored at 9-5 in this considerably easier--albeit shorter--contest, the dark bay made the lead with a minimum of fuss and went well within himself through three-quarters in 1:11.04. Asked to sprint approaching the stretch, he carried a daylight advantage into the final furlong and held off Johnny's Fireball (**Tonalist**) for the victory. Spendthrift Farm acquired the dual stakes-winning and seven-times graded-placed Thundering Sky for \$500,000 at Fasig-Tipton November and have bred two winners from two to the races from her. The mare's current 2-year-old, a colt by Bolt d'Oro, fetched \$200,000 from Katsumi Yoshida at this year's OBS March Sale and she is also responsible for a yearling Jackie's Warrior filly and a filly by Taiba. Sales history: \$220,000 RNA Ylg '22 KEESEP; \$220,000 2yo '23 OBSAPR. Lifetime Record: GSP, 7-4-1-0, \$203,525. **Click for the [Equibase.com chart](#) or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.** O-Eclipse Thoroughbred Partners & Harry Colburn; B-Spendthrift Farm LLC (KY); T-Mark E Casse.



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**9th-Churchill Downs, \$121,975, Alw, 5-10, (NW1X), 3yo/up, 1 3/16m, 1:55.93, ft, 1 1/4 lengths.**

**ORIZZONTE (g, 4, Union Rags--Brownie Points {GSW & GISP, \$951,230}, by Forest Wildcat),** who broke his maiden Jan. 4 at Fair Grounds before finishing a well-beaten second behind Just a Touch (**Justify**), an impressive winner of an Apr. 19 Keeneland allowance race, resumed winning ways in his first try over the 1 3/16th miles distance. Under Edgar Morales, the 9-5 second choice in a field of six raced forwardly before cruising past Welaka (Malibu Moon) and the pacesetter Itsinmyblood (**Gift Box**) leaving the far turn. He asserted to open up a two-length lead over favored Gun Party (**Curlin**) at the eighth pole and stayed on to hold that foe safe for a 1 1/4 lengths tally. His accomplished dam Brownie Points won Lone Star Park's GIII Ouija Board Distaff Stakes and finished second behind Zenyatta in Oaklawn Park's GI Apple Blossom Handicap. Brownie Points has also produced Synchrony (**Tapit**), GSW-Can, MGSW & GISP-USA, \$956,652, Chocolate Kisses (**Candy Ride {Arg}**), GSW, \$382,206 and Point System (Broken Vow), SW, \$164,850. She recently foaled a **Liam's Map** colt. Sales History: \$25,000 Wlg '21 PENOAK; \$45,000 RNA Ylg '22 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 5-2-1-0, \$125,060. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

O-Tiffany Raimonde; B-Pin Oak Stud, LLC (KY); T-Paul J. McGee.

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**9th-Woodbine, C\$93,312, Alw (NW2X)/Opt. Clm (\$34,077-\$35,871), 5-10, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m (AWT), 1:43.09, ft, 5 1/4 lengths.**

**ESSEX SERPENT (g, 4, Honor Code--Eileen's Girl, by Medaglia d'Oro),** winner of the GIII-Can Marine Stakes last Jun. 29 over track and trip, reversed his form after dull tenth place efforts in both the Aug. 23 Kings Plate here and Fort Erie's Sept. 10 Prince

Of Wales Stakes. Making his 2025 debut, he seized command from the outset under Patrick Husbands and gradually increased his advantage thereafter to score as the 2-1 second choice in a field of five. Favored Roscar (**Oscar Performance**) held second, 5 1/4 lengths behind Essex Serpent. His winning dam has an unnamed 2-year-old **Cairo Prince** filly and no reported foals since. Lifetime Record: 6-3-1-0, GSW-Can, \$179,372. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.** O-Manfred and Penny Conrad; B-Conrad Farms (ON); T-Mark E. Casse.

**1st-Prairie Meadows, \$46,519, (S), Alw, 5-10, (NW1\$X), 3yo, 5 1/2f, 1:03.67, ft, 8 1/4 lengths.**

**JACK'S TIME (c, 3, Not This Time--Msbrooklynbrawler {SW}, by Into Mischief)** won by 10 3/4 lengths on debut over the local strip last August before he was well-beaten in the GIII Iroquois Stakes at Churchill Downs in mid-September. The colt was last seen finishing third against optional claimers at Keeneland Oct. 19. Rested for his 3-year-old bow and hammered at the windows to a nickel on the dollar, the favorite raced three wide up the backstretch. Jack's Time put away his rivals around the far turn and proceeded to run up the score by 8 1/4 lengths. On a Hunch (Alteration) was the runner-up. The winner's dam is responsible for a 2-year-old filly by Thousand Words and a yearling colt by **Upstart**. Msbrooklynbrawler visited **Mage** for this term. Sales History: \$325,000 RNA Ylg '23 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-1, \$65,283. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

O-Brain Hall, Jason Loutsch, Justin Loutsch, Jason Cline and Nick Jensen; B-Albaugh Family Stables (IA); T-Kelly R. Von Hemel.

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**5th-Churchill Downs, \$96,118, Msw, 5-10, 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:36.24, fm, 1 1/2 lengths.**

**WEDDING MOOD (IRE) (f, 3, Wootton Bassett {GB}--Snow {Ire} {GSW-Ire, GSP-Eng}, by Galileo {Ire})** debuted in France, hitting the board in her last start at Deauville late last year before shipping to North America. Second in her unveiling for Brian Lynch at Keeneland Apr. 12 going a 1/16th of a mile further, Saturday's 2-1 favorite cut back to the flat mile and was slow from the blocks to trail the field early. In no hurry to make progress up the backstretch, she rode the rail past the half-mile



pole in :48.77 before fanning out to rally down the center of the course and clear off late, defeating In the Stars (Into Mischief) by 1 1/2 lengths. Coolmore's M.V. Magnier picked up Snow for 1,200,000gns as a yearling out of Tattersalls Book 1 October Sale in 2018. A daughter of G1SW Chelsea Rose, Snow is a full-sister to MG1SW Kew Gardens (Ire) and a half to GSW/G1SP Thawaany (Ire) (Tamayuz {GB}). Her dam's first foal, Wedding Mood has a pair of half-siblings both by Siyouni (Fr) (a 2-year-old half-sister and a yearling half-brother) while Snow went to **Justify** for 2025. Sales History: €240,000 Ylg '23 ARAUG. Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-1, \$61,824. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

O-Epic Horses LLC; B-Coolmore (IRE); T-Brian A. Lynch.

**6th-Santa Anita, \$61,000, Msw, 5-10, 3, 4, /5yo, 6 1/2f, 1:14.98, ft, 1 1/4 lengths.**

**SOUTHERN GENTLEMAN (r, 3, Mitole--Midnight Magic, by Midnight Lute),** a \$250,000 yearling turned \$750,000 2-year-old, faced older rivals Saturday on debut for Bob Baffert including well-met stablemate Sierra Silver (**Game Winner**) who was last third behind 'TDN Rising Star' and GI Preakness Stakes entrant Goal Oriented (**Not This Time**). Showing speed from an outside draw, the 7-2 second choice led from the first jump, rationing his speed ahead of his stablemate through fractions of :22.08 and :44.79. That pair turned for home one-two and stayed that way to the line as Southern Gentleman kept finding on the lead to outrun Sierra Silver by 1 1/4 lengths. Midnight Magic, already the dam of both Midnight Stroll (**Not This Time**), GSW, \$447,142 and Atthecrossroads (**Practical Joke**), SP, \$159,280, sold to Clarkland Farm last year for \$300,000 at KEENOV in foal to Forte. She foaled that colt earlier this season. Sales History: \$250,000 Ylg '23 OBSOCT; \$725,000 2yo '24 OBSMAR. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$36,000. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.** O-Speedway Stables LLC; B-Carolin Von Rosenberg (FL); T-Bob Baffert.

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**4th-Monmouth, \$45,825, Msw, 5-10, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m (off turf), 1:44.63, ft, head.**

**WISE UP (c, 3, Lookin At Lucky--Five Diamonds {SW, \$208,060}, by Flatter),** a well-beaten eighth on debut going seven furlongs at Tampa Mar. 8, was adding blinkers and entered for main track only here. Favored at 6-5 in this scratched-down, off the turfer, he raced in an inside fourth through a half mile in :47.87. Under a ride at the top of the stretch, he finally got going down the center and came charging to nail Three Percent (**Audible**) on

the line by a head. Wise Up is a half to Nimitz Class (**Munnings**), MSW & GSP, \$771,870; and Kaylasaurus (**Munnings**), MSW, \$350,683. Five Diamonds has also produced the 2-year-old colt Respighi (**Mendelssohn**); a yearling filly named Six of Spades (**Jack Christopher**). Sales history: \$65,000 Ylg '23 KEESEP; \$120,000 2yo '24 OBSOPN. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$28,820.

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O-Wise Racing LLC; B-Arrowwood Farm (PA); T-Chad C. Brown..

 **NBS SUCCESS** 

**1st-Gulfstream, \$43,210, Msw, 5-10, 3yo, 1mT, 1:33.35, fm, 1/2 length.**

**GOLDEN CHANNEL (c, 3, English Channel--Golden Review, by Medaglia d'Oro)** found his sweet spot Saturday after prior attempts at both longer and shorter distances and a Tapeta debut effort. The 4-5 favorite trying the mile for the first time, he enjoyed a ground-saving trip from the rail while setting a comfortable tempo up front and left something in reserve to keep a closing Eleven Bravo (Uncle Mo) and Abuelo (**Audible**) at bay to graduate by a half-length in a driving finish. A half to Prince of Jericho (**Munnings**), MSW & MGSP, \$527,450, Golden Channel's dam sold for \$295,000 at KEENOV last season listed in foal to **Munnings**. Golden Review has a 2-year-old **Take Charge Indy** colt and a yearling colt by Speightstown. Sales History: \$110,000 2yo '24 OBSOPN. Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-0, \$42,600.

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O-Gatsas Stables and R. A. Hill Stable; B-Edward Seltzer (KY); T-George Weaver.



**Southern Gentleman | Benoit**

**IN RUSSIA:****FIRST WINNER FOR FRESHMAN SIRE**

**Barollo Bars**, c, 2, **Beau Liam**--Malocchio (SP), by Orb.  
Pavlovskiy, 5-10, Allowance, 1000m. B-Brereton C Jones (KY).  
\*First winner for freshman sire (by **Liam's Map**). \*\*\$60,000 Ylg '24 KEESEP.

**IN AUSTRALIA:**

**Cleo Cat (Aus)**, m, 4, **American Pharoah**--Angel Face (Aus), by Fastnet Rock (Aus). SAJC, 5-10, G3 Proud Miss Stakes, 1200mT, 1:10.06, gd. B-Mr. C Santry (Aus). \***1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN, 1ST GROUP WIN**. \*\*A\$50,000 Ylg '22 INGMAY.

**Just Too Fly (Aus)**, c, 2, **Justify**--Ephemera (Aus) (SP-Aus), by More Than Ready. WATC, 5-10, G3 WA Sires' Produce Stakes, 1400mT, 1:23.72, gd. B-Waratah Thoroughbreds Pty Ltd (Aus). \***1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN, 1ST GROUP WIN**. \*\*A\$210,000 Ylg '24 INGFEb. \*\*\*1/2 to Commander (Aus) (Pierro {Aus}), SW-Aus, \$211,708.

**SECOND-CROP STARTERS TO WATCH: SUNDAY, MAY 11***2025 Stud Fees Listed*

**Authentic** (Into Mischief), Spendthrift Farm, \$15,000  
295 foals of racing age/41 winners/2 black-type winners  
9-Gulfstream, 5:09 p.m. EDT, Msw 1mT, Le Touche, 6-1  
\$55,000 KEE SEP yrl

**Bravazo** (Awesome Again), Calumet Farm, \$5,000  
19 foals of racing age/5 winners/0 black-type winners  
7-Churchill Downs, 3:50 p.m. EDT, Msw 1mT, Gearing Up, 6-1

**Complexity** (**Maclean's Music**), Airdrie Stud, \$25,000  
202 foals of racing age/39 winners/7 black-type winners  
4-Pimlico, 1:51 p.m. EDT, Aoc 1 1/16m, Hot Stott, 10-1  
\$23,000 KEE NOV wnl; \$15,000 OBS OCT yrl

**Curlin's Honor** (**Curlin**), Pleasant Acres Stallions, \$2,500  
70 foals of racing age/9 winners/1 black-type winner  
1-Woodbine, 1:05 p.m. EDT, Msw 4 1/2f, Judy Chop, 6-1

**Cutting Humor** (**First Samurai**), McDowell Farm  
30 foals of racing age/2 winners/0 black-type winners  
9-Lone Star, 6:19 p.m. EDT, Msw 7 1/2fT, Missy Gurl, 9-2  
\$19,000 TTA YRL yrl; \$47,000 RNA TTA APR 2yo

**Earthlight** (**Ire**) (Shamardal), Kildangan Stud, \$12,500  
180 foals of racing age/31 winners/1 black-type winner  
7-Churchill Downs, 3:50 p.m. Msw 1mT, Mary's Lad (Ire), 15-1  
€57,000 GOF NO1 wnl; €140,000 GOF OR yrl

**Game Winner** (**Candy Ride {Arg}**), Lane's End Farm, \$20,000  
202 foals of racing age/21 winners/3 black-type winners  
7-Santa Anita, 7:08 p.m. EDT, \$100K Cinema S., 1mT, Game Warrior, 8-1 \$52,000 KEE SEP yrl; \$200,000 OBS MAR 2yo

**Gift Box** (**Twirling Candy**), Lane's End Farm, \$5,000  
135 foals of racing age/20 winners/2 black-type winners  
6-Pimlico, 2:55 p.m. EDT, Aoc 6f, Grayson's Girl, 5-2  
\$50,000 EAS OCT yrl

**Gunnevera** (**Dialed In**), Pleasant Acres Stallions, \$6,000  
84 foals of racing age/9 winners/0 black-type winners  
1-Woodbine, 1:05 p.m. EDT, Msw 4 1/2f, Hot Potato, 4-1  
\$5,000 OBS OCT yrl

**Higher Power** (**Medaglia d'Oro**), Darby Dan Farm, \$5,000  
157 foals of racing age/14 winners/0 black-type winners  
10-Churchill Downs, 5:26 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Cool Lucky Lady, 12-1 \$19,000 RNA BSL Y&M yrl; \$30,000 TTA APR 2yo

**Improbable** (City Zip), WinStar Farm  
221 foals of racing age/33 winners/6 black-type winners  
7-Hawthorne, 6:13 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Semper Primus, 5-1  
\$125,000 KEE SEP yrl; \$475,000 OBS MAR 2yo

**Killybegs Captain** (Mizzen Mast), Mill Creek Farm  
18 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners  
5-Belmontthe Big A, 3:06 p.m. Msw 1 1/16mT, Fresh Start, 10-1





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**King Zachary (Curlin)**, Solitude Thoroughbreds, \$3,000  
16 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners  
4-Lone Star, 3:59 p.m. EDT, Msw 6 1/2f, Drama King, 5-1

**McKinzie (Street Sense)**, Gainesway Farm, \$75,000  
301 foals of racing age/36 winners/3 black-type winners  
2-Churchill Downs, 1:14 p.m. EDT, Alw 1 1/8m, Mizmalice, 15-1  
\$35,000 KEE NOV wnl; \$27,000 KEE SEP yrl

**Seeking the Soul (Perfect Soul {Ire})**, Ocala Stud  
42 foals of racing age/3 winners/0 black-type winners  
1-Woodbine, 1:05 p.m. EDT, Msw 4 1/2f, Seeking Magic, 8-1

**Spun to Run (Hard Spun)**, Gainesway Farm, \$10,000  
142 foals of racing age/31 winners/0 black-type winners  
1-Belmontthe Big A, 1:10 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Hot Spun, 9-2  
\$44,000 FTK FEB wnl; \$8,000 FTK OCT yrl; \$10,000 FTJ UN 2yo

**Tom's d'Etat (Smart Strike)**, WinStar Farm, \$5,000  
136 foals of racing age/26 winners/2 black-type winners  
10-Churchill Downs, 5:26 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Order Restored, 7-2  
7-Churchill Downs, 3:50 p.m. EDT, Msw 1mT, Zap d'Etat, 20-1  
\$15,000 KEE NOV wnl; \$7,000 KEE SEP yrl

**Vekoma (Candy Ride {Arg})**, Spendthrift Farm, \$35,000  
288 foals of racing age/73 winners/10 black-type winners  
8-Monmouth, 4:17 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, Hydrus, 3-1  
\$77,000 FTK FEB wnl; \$60,000 FTK OCT yrl; \$55,000 RNA OBS  
APR 2yo; \$150,000 FTJ UN 2yo  
7-Churchill Downs, 3:50 p.m. EDT, Msw 1mT, Steel Venom, 10-1

**War of Will (War Front)**, Claiborne Farm, \$15,000  
204 foals of racing age/28 winners/1 black-type winner

8-Woodbine, 5:00 p.m. EDT, Aoc 7f, Ready to Battle, 8-1  
4-Pimlico, 1:51 p.m., Aoc 1 1/16m, Top Blood, 8-1 \$50,000 FTK  
OCT yrl; \$42,000 RNA OBS APR 2yo; \$15,000 FTJ UN 2yo  
7-Churchill Downs, 3:50 p.m. EDT, Msw 1mT, War Legend, 9-2

**Win Win Win (Hat Trick {Jpn})**, Ocala Stud, \$8,500  
97 foals of racing age/18 winners/2 black-type winners  
4-Lone Star, 3:59 p.m. EDT, Msw 6 1/2f, Win's Image, 15-1



#### STAKES RESULTS:

**SIREN LURE S.**, \$98,000, Santa Anita, 5-10, 4yo/up, 6fT, 1:08.50, fm.

1--**LOVESICK BLUES, 122, g, 7, Grazen--Queenofhercastle, by Ministers Wild Cat. 1ST BLACK TYPE WIN.** O-Mia Familia Racing Stable; B-Nick Alexander (CA); T-Librado Barocio; J-Geovanni Franco. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: MGSP, 39-8-10-8, \$524,000. \*1/2 to Speedy Wilson (Tough Sunday), SW, \$156,150.

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2--**Bran (Fr)**, 124, g, 7, Muhaarar (GB)--Best Intent (GB), by King's Best. (€36,000 Ylg '19 AROYRG; €80,000 3yo '21 ARARC). O-Hronis Racing LLC; B-Lordship Stud (FR); T-John W. Sadler. \$20,000.

3--**Air Force Red**, 124, r, 7, Air Force Blue--Mesana, by Mizzen Mast. O-Eclipse Thoroughbred Partners and Holly Golightly; B-Stephen B. Weissman Living Trust (KY); T-Leonard Powell. \$12,000.

Margins: HF, HF, 3/4. Odds: 2.00, 1.40, 2.30.



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**ALLOWANCE RESULTS:**

**8th-Woodbine, C\$91,017**, (NW2L)/Opt. Clm (\$35,871), 5-10, 3yo/up, 7f (AWT), 1:24.00, ft, nose.

**FORTY N FIVE (c, 3, Uncle Mo--Five N Forty, by Distorted Humor)** Lifetime Record: 7-2-2-0, \$115,002. O/B-Chiefswood Stables Limited (ON); T-Josie Carroll. \*1/2 to Ghostly Presence (Ghostzapper), SW-USA, MSW-Can, \$373,277; 1/2 to Causin' Mayhem (Into Mischief), SP, \$172,508.

 **Broken and Trained by Randy Bradshaw** 

**4th-Belmont The Big A, \$85,360**, (NW1\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$50,000), 5-10, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:35.70, ft, 3/4 length.

**QUICK TO ACCUSE (h, 5, Accelerate--Speightful Affair {GSP, \$142,182}, by Speightstown)** Lifetime Record: SP, 17-5-4-2, \$361,890. O-PlayingTheField Racing, Final Turn Racing Stable, DelPo and The Boys Racing and Acqua Nova Stable; B-Chester & Mary Broman (NY); T-M Giangiulio. \*\$200,000 2yo '22 OBSMAR. \*\*1/2 to Mr. Buff (Friend Or Foe), MSW & GSP, \$1,403,536

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**7th-Santa Anita, \$66,268**, (NW2\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$80,000), 5-9, 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:35.37, fm, 3/4 length.

**OMNIPONTET (BRZ) (m, 5, Hat Trick {Jpn}--Believable Winner {Brz}, by Put It Back)** Lifetime Record: G1SW-Brz, 10-3-3-1, \$69,538. O-R Unicorn; B-Haras Springfield (BRZ); T-P. D'Amato. \*1/2 to Life Is Beautiful (Brz) (Wild Event), SW & MG1SP-Brz.

**5th-Santa Anita, \$61,500**, (S), (NW1\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$20,000), 5-9, 3yo/up, f/m, 6fT, 1:09.64, fm, 1 1/4 lengths.

**DANZINGWITH MAXINE (f, 4, Danzing Candy--Melanistic {SP, \$375,674}, by Ministers Wild Cat)** Lifetime Record: 7-3-0-1, \$108,260. O/T-Clifford W Sise Jr; B-Halo Farms (CA). \*Full to Youteyourhonor, SP, \$259,786.

 **Dam purchased by** **Gayle Van Leer** *Thoroughbred Services*

**1st-Monmouth, \$48,900**, 5-10, (NW1\$X), 3yo/up, f/m, 1m (off turf), 1:36.47, ft, 4 1/4 lengths.

**CONCRETE FAZE (f, 4, Super Ninety Nine--Faze the Nation {SP, \$226,295}, by Cal Nation)** Lifetime Record: 20-5-2-3, \$159,192. O-Madison Avenue Racing Stable, Inc., Morris E. Kernan, Jr. and Jagger, Inc.; B-Linda M. Walls (MD); T-Jamie Ness.

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**5th-Pimlico, \$48,900**, (C), 5-10, (NW1BX), 3yo/up, 5fT, :57.17, fm, head.

**BENNY HAVENS (g, 8, Outflanker--Saucy Countess, by Tabasco Cat)** Lifetime Record: 43-2-2-6, \$155,851. O-A. Aguirre, Jr.; B-Little Man (MD); T-A. Aguirre, Jr. \*\$1,500 Ylg '18 EASOCT. \*\*Full to Tidewater, MSP, \$180,400 and 1/2 to Lotsa Mischief (Into Mischief), SW, \$135,270.

**6th-Woodbine, C\$47,200**, (C)/Opt. Clm (\$28,697), 5-10, 3yo/up, 7f (AWT), 1:25.48, ft, 2 1/2 lengths.

**ITSASTORMYMONDAY (g, 3, Get Stormy--Heir of Light, by The Factor)** Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, \$38,070. O-La Huerta, Inc.; B-Pope McLean, Marc McLean & Pope McLean Jr. (KY); T-Donald C. MacRae.

**6th-Prairie Meadows, \$46,426**, (S), 5-9, (NW1\$X), 3yo, f, 5 1/2f, 1:04.83, ft, 2 1/4 lengths.

**SKYBOOM (f, 3, Sky Mesa--Adari, by Graydar)** Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$54,320. O-Doug Anderson, Aaron Kennedy, Toby Joseph & Poindexter Thoroughbreds LLC; B-H Allen Poindexter (IA); T-Doug L Anderson. \*\$50,000 Ylg '23 KEESEP.

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**9th-Gulfstream, \$45,420**, (NW2\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$62,500), 5-10, 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:32.86, fm, 3 lengths.

**DO GOODER (f, 4, Good Samaritan--Comare, by Street Boss)** Lifetime Record: 10-3-1-1, \$147,772. O-Copper Thoroughbreds; B-Suzanne Sackleh & Michael Masters (KY); T-Jena M. Antonucci.

**7th-Prairie Meadows, \$40,788**, 5-9, 4yo/up, 5 1/2f, 1:03.26, ft, 3/4 length.

**DEVIL'S TOWER (g, 7, Into Mischief--Quatrefoil, by Distorted Humor)** Lifetime Record: SW, 43-19-5-2, \$614,980. O-Antonio Donato; B-Shortleaf Stable (KY); T-Armando Hernandez.

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**6th-Lone Star, \$40,500**, (S), 5-9, (NW1X), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11.73, ft, 2 1/2 lengths.

**GOLLY HOLLY (f, 4, Aikenite--Strong American, by Quiet American)** Lifetime Record: 6-2-0-3, \$61,668. O-Tyree J Wolessensky; B-Leadem Farm (TX); T-Sтивен M Asmussen.

**4th-Penn National, \$39,000**, (S), 5-9, (NW1BX), 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:48.16, sy, 3/4 length.

**DANCING CHIME (f, 4, Hoppertunity--Outlaw Dancer {MSW, \$183,260}, by Bowman's Band)** Lifetime Record: 15-3-4-3, \$72,516. O-Jose Guadalupe Salazar; B-Elizabeth R Houghton (PA); T-Konstantinos Harigeorgiou.

**1st-Lone Star, \$33,500**, 5-9, (NW1X), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10.92, ft, 1 1/4 lengths.

**TURN NORTH (g, 4, Classic Empire--Al's Rosie, by Harlan's Holiday)** Lifetime Record: SP, 17-5-5-3, \$183,046. O/B-Russell Welch (TX); T-Abel Ramirez-Rodriguez.

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**8th-Lone Star, \$33,500**, 5-10, (NW1X), 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:18.85, ft, nose.

**BLING BABY (f, 4, Too Much Bling--Glow Girl, by Golden Shine)** Lifetime Record: 10-4-2-2, \$118,744. O/B-Tom W. & Linda Thurman (TX); T-Karen E. Jacks.

**6th-Evangeline Downs, \$31,000**, (NW1X)/Opt. Clm (\$12,500), 5-9, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m (off turf), 1:40.43, sy, nose.

**MAX'S REDEMPTION (f, 3, Maximum Security--Time to Play, by Medaglia d'Oro)** Lifetime Record: 6-3-1-0, \$55,820. O-Stafford Champagne; B-Gary & Mary West Stables (KY); T-Brent Touns.

**6th-Century Mile, C\$21,005**, (NW3L)/Opt. Clm (\$12,569), 5-9, 3yo/up, f/m, 5f, :58.05, ft, 1 1/4 lengths.

**MOHAYMEN DAY (m, 6, Mohaymen--Weeks {SW, \$298,504}, by Ghazi)** Lifetime Record: 28-10-2-7, \$89,144. O-Lucky Diamonds Racing, Lesley Hardy & Jerri R Robertson; B-Veloce LLC (KY); T-Jerri R Robertson. \*\$6,500 Ylg '20 KEEJAN; \$37,000 RNA Ylg '20 FTKOCT; \$17,000 RNA 2yo '21 OBSOPN.

**4th-Hastings Racecourse, C\$18,800**, (NW3L)/Opt. Clm (\$11,479-\$12,555), 5-10, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10.98, ft, nose.

**WHAT'S SHAKIN (g, 4, Ralis--Omi {SP}, by Rosberg)** Lifetime Record: SP-Can, 8-2-3-0, \$33,551. O-Dennis Spence; B-Elton H. Gunther (BC); T-Cindy Krasner. \*C\$33,000 Ylg '22 BRCSEP.

#### ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

**Sip and Go, g, 2, Cinco Charlie--Frisco Art Teacher, by King of Scat.** Lone Star, 5-10, (S), 4 1/2f, :52.97. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$24,000. B-D. Fronterhouse (TX). \*1ST-TIME STARTER.

**Humor Me Brother, f, 3, Brethren--Alexandra Rylee (SW, \$111,320), by Afleet Alex.** Gulfstream, 5-10, 7f, 1:26.87. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$42,440. B-Arindel (FL). \*\$75,000 2yo '24 OBSAPR. \*\*Full to Knox, SP, \$177,850 and Clapton, MGSW-USA, G1SP-UAE, \$978,116.

**Ainad Temple, f, 3, Cloud Computing--Bell's Temple, by Temple City.** Fairmount, 5-10, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:08.40. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$16,000. B-Scott Becker & Charles W. Ritter (IL). \*1ST-TIME STARTER.

**Ivyleaguedropout, f, 3, Denis of Cork--Celestial Haze, by Utopia (Jpn).** Charles Town, 5-9, (S), 6 1/2f, 1:20.52. Lifetime Record: 5-1-1-0, \$21,168. B-Taylor Mountain Farm (WV).

**Willisau, c, 3, Empire Way--Jen's Rules, by Street Sense.** Santa Anita, 5-9, (S), (C), 6 1/2f, 1:17.44. Lifetime Record: 5-1-0-0, \$23,520. B-Heinz J Steinmann (PA).

**He's a Striker, c, 3, Goldencents--Strike Accord (SP, \$263,523), by Smart Strike.** Lone Star, 5-10, 7 1/2f, 1:30.53. Lifetime Record: 8-1-1-1, \$29,258. B-Frankfort Park Farm (KY). \*\$3,000 Ylg '23 FTKOCT.

**Texian Devil, c, 3, Honor A. P.--Luckycall, by Itsmyluckyday.** Lone Star, 5-10, 1m, 1:39.17. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-1, \$28,616. B-Mike G Rutherford (KY). \*\$130,000 RNA Ylg '23 FTSAUG.

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**Redacted, c, 3, Honor Code--Delicatus, by Distorted Humor.** Churchill Downs, 5-10, 6f, 1:10.23. Lifetime Record: 8-1-2-0, \$95,008. B-Briland Farm, Robert Mitchell & Stacy Mitchell (KY). \*RNA Ylg '23 KEESEP.

#### IT'S IN THE WATER

**Fanny M, f, 3, Mendelssohn--Dance Thewayyouare, by Mineshaft.** Woodbine, 5-10, (WC), 5 1/2f (AWT), 1:05.78. Lifetime Record: 9-1-4-0, \$33,523. B-Track West Racing Inc. (ON). \*C\$23,000 RNA Ylg '23 CANSEP.

**Sunset for Sandra, f, 3, Mor Spirit--Aprise (SP), by Commissioner.** Prairie Meadows, 5-9, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:03.26. Lifetime Record: 5-1-1-1, \$43,806. B-H. Allen Poindexter & River Ridge Ranch (IA). \*\$12,000 Ylg '23 IOWOCT.

**Bright Sunshine, f, 3, War of Will--Glowing Sunset, by Street Sense.** Woodbine, 5-10, (C), 7f (AWT), 1:25.44. Lifetime Record: 5-1-0-0, \$27,043. B-Red Tail Investment Inc. (ON). \*\$80,000 Ylg '23 KEESEP.

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**Come Prima, g, 3, Well Spelled--My Sonata, by Noble Causeway.** Penn National, 5-9, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:05.12. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-2, \$27,028. B-Godstonefarm LLC (PA). \*1/2 to Market Maven (Super Ninety Nine), MSP, \$295,785.

**No Brake Needed, g, 4, Accelerate--No Name Needed, by Medaglia d'Oro.** Charles Town, 5-9, 7f, 1:27.03. Lifetime Record: 17-1-5-2, \$58,927. B-McCann Bloodstock, E D Richards, Bradley J Scott & Mark Kelder (KY). \*\$27,000 RNA Ylg '22 KEESEP; \$5,000 Ylg '22 FTIDEC. \*\*1/2 to Jackstown (Speightstown), GISP, \$129,000.

**Molly's a Bullet, f, 4, Army Mule--Milaya, by Eskendereya.** Monmouth, 5-10, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:04.80. Lifetime Record: 10-1-1-1, \$58,316. B-ARM Consulting (NJ). \*Full to Bel Pensiero, MSP, \$342,537.

**Van Vollenhoven, g, 4, Big Brown--Ducasa, by Discreet Cat.** Belmont The Big A, 5-10, (S), 6f (off turf), 1:10.88. Lifetime Record: 5-1-1-0, \$67,915. B-Mark Bellard (NY).

**Fiveo'clockcharlie, g, 4, Cinco Charlie--Z Z Pop, by Brahms.** Fairmount, 5-10, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:06.86. Lifetime Record: 6-1-0-0, \$18,008. B-Cynthia Rush & Jim Watkins (IL).

**Allison Park, m, 5, First Samurai--Mary n' Eileen (MSW, \$228,979), by Indy King.** Monmouth, 5-10, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:04.85. Lifetime Record: 5-1-1-1, \$59,687. B-ABL Stable (NJ).

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**Accelerate**, No Brake Needed, g, 4, o/o No Name Needed, by **Medaglia d'Oro**. MSW, 5-9, Charles Town

**Accelerate**, Quick to Accuse, h, 5, o/o Speightful Affair, by Speightstown. AOC, 5-10, Belmont The Big A

**Aikenite**, Golly Holly, f, 4, o/o Strong American, by Quiet American. ALW, 5-9, Lone Star

**American Pharoah**, Jody's Pride, f, 4, o/o Jody's Song, by Scat Daddy. GII Ruffian S., 5-10, Belmont The Big A

**Army Mule**, Molly's a Bullet, f, 4, o/o Milaya, by Eskendereya. MSW, 5-10, Monmouth

**Big Brown**, Van Vollenhoven, g, 4, o/o Ducasa, by Discreet Cat. MSW, 5-10, Belmont The Big A

**Brethren**, Humor Me Brother, f, 3, o/o Alexandra Rylee, by Afleet Alex. MSW, 5-10, Gulfstream

**Cinco Charlie**, Fiveo'clockcharlie, g, 4, o/o Z Z Pop, by Brahms. MSW, 5-10, Fairmount

**Cinco Charlie**, Sip and Go, g, 2, o/o Frisco Art Teacher, by King of Scat. MSW, 5-10, Lone Star

**Classic Empire**, Turn North, g, 4, o/o Al's Rosie, by Harlan's Holiday. ALW, 5-9, Lone Star

**Cloud Computing**, Ainad Temple, f, 3, o/o Bell's Temple, by Temple City. MSW, 5-10, Fairmount

**Danzing Candy**, Danzingwith Maxine, f, 4, o/o Melanistic, by Ministers Wild Cat. AOC, 5-9, Santa Anita

**Denis of Cork**, Ivyleaguedropout, f, 3, o/o Celestial Haze, by Utopia (Jpn). MSW, 5-9, Charles Town

**Dialed In**, Whatchatalkinabout, g, 4, o/o Super Savvy, by Super Saver. GIII John A. Nerud S., 5-10, Belmont The Big A

**Empire Way**, Willisau, c, 3, o/o Jen's Rules, by **Street Sense**. MCL, 5-9, Santa Anita

**English Channel**, Far Bridge, h, 5, o/o Fitpitcher, by Kitten's Joy. GII Man o' War S., 5-10, Belmont The Big A

**English Channel**, Golden Channel, c, 3, o/o Golden Review, by **Medaglia d'Oro**. MSW, 5-10, Gulfstream

**First Samurai**, Allison Park, m, 5, o/o Mary n' Eileen, by Indy King. MSW, 5-10, Monmouth

**Get Stormy**, Itsastormymonday, g, 3, o/o Heir of Light, by **The**

**Factor**. OCL, 5-10, Woodbine

**Goldencents**, He's a Striker, c, 3, o/o Strike Accord, by Smart Strike. MSW, 5-10, Lone Star

**Good Samaritan**, Do Gooder, f, 4, o/o Comare, by Street Boss. AOC, 5-10, Gulfstream

**Grazen**, Lovesick Blues, g, 7, o/o Queenofhercastle, by Ministers Wild Cat. Siren Lure S., 5-10, Santa Anita

**Hat Trick (Jpn)**, Omnipontet (Brz), m, 5, o/o Believable Winner (Brz), by Put It Back. AOC, 5-9, Santa Anita

**Honor A. P.**, Texian Devil, c, 3, o/o Luckycall, by Itsmyluckyday. MSW, 5-10, Lone Star

**Honor Code**, Essex Serpent, g, 4, o/o Eileen's Girl, by **Medaglia d'Oro**. AOC, 5-10, Woodbine

**Honor Code**, Redacted, c, 3, o/o Delicatus, by Distorted Humor. MSW, 5-10, Churchill Downs

**Hoppertunity**, Dancing Chime, f, 4, o/o Outlaw Dancer, by Bowman's Band. ALW, 5-9, Penn National

**Into Mischief**, Devil's Tower, g, 7, o/o Quatrefoil, by Distorted Humor. ALW, 5-9, Prairie Meadows

**Into Mischief**, Love Cervere, f, 3, o/o Panther Strike, by Black Minnaloushe. Take The A Train S., 5-10, Belmont The Big A

**Juba**, Wish On Juba, g, 3, o/o Windsor's Wish, by Windsor Castle. MSW, 5-9, Charles Town

**Leinster**, Lennilu, f, 2, o/o Lulu's Pom Pom, by Pomeroy. Royal Palm Juvenile Fillies S., 5-10, Gulfstream

**Lookin At Lucky**, Wise Up, c, 3, o/o Five Diamonds, by Flatter. MSW, 5-10, Monmouth

**Maximum Security**, Max's Redemption, f, 3, o/o Time to Play, by **Medaglia d'Oro**. AOC, 5-9, Evangeline

**Medaglia d'Oro**, Corruption, g, 4, o/o Thundering Sky, by **Sky Mesa**. AOC, 5-10, Churchill Downs

**Mendelssohn**, Fanny M, f, 3, o/o Dance Thewayyouare, by **Mineshaft**. WMC, 5-10, Woodbine

**Beau Liam** had his first winner in Russia | Sarah Andrew



**Mendelssohn**, Sandal's Song, c, 2, o/o Sandal, by **Munnings**.

Royal Palm Juvenile S., 5-10, Gulfstream

**Mitole**, Shisospicy, f, 3, o/o Mischief Galore, by Into Mischief.

GIII Mamzelle S., 5-10, Churchill Downs

**Mitole**, Southern Gentleman, r, 3, o/o Midnight Magic, by

Midnight Lute. MSW, 5-10, Santa Anita

**Mohaymen**, Mohaymen Day, m, 6, o/o Weeks, by Ghazi. AOC,

5-9, Century Mile

**Mor Spirit**, Sunset for Sandra, f, 3, o/o Aprise, by Commissioner.

MSW, 5-9, Prairie Meadows

**More Than Ready**, Get Out the Vote, m, 5, o/o Golden State, by

Elusive Quality. WMC, 5-10, Woodbine

**Not This Time**, Jack's Time, c, 3, o/o Msbrooklynbrawler, by Into

Mischief. ALW, 5-10, Prairie Meadows

**Outflanker**, Benny Havens, g, 8, o/o Saucy Countess, by Tabasco

Cat. ALW, 5-10, Pimlico

**Outwork**, Kentucky Outlaw, c, 3, o/o Fend, by **Street Sense**. Long

Branch S., 5-10, Monmouth

**Quality Road**, Hill Road, c, 3, o/o Exotic Notion, by Lemon Drop

Kid. GIII Peter Pan S., 5-10, Belmont The Big A

**Ralis**, What's Shakin, g, 4, o/o Omi, by Rosberg. AOC, 5-10,

Hastings

**Sky Mesa**, Skyboom, f, 3, o/o Adari, by Graydar. ALW, 5-9,

Prairie Meadows

**Super Ninety Nine**, Concrete Faze, f, 4, o/o Faze the Nation, by

Cal Nation. ALW, 5-10, Monmouth

**Too Much Bling**, Bling Baby, f, 4, o/o Glow Girl, by Golden Shine.

ALW, 5-10, Lone Star

**Uncle Mo**, Forty N Five, c, 3, o/o Five N Forty, by Distorted

Humor. AOC, 5-10, Woodbine

**Union Rags**, Orizzonte, g, 4, o/o Brownie Points, by Forest

Wildcat. ALW, 5-10, Churchill Downs

**War of Will**, Bright Sunshine, f, 3, o/o Glowing Sunset, by **Street**

**Sense**. MOC, 5-10, Woodbine

**Well Spelled**, Come Prima, g, 3, o/o My Sonata, by Noble

Causeway. MSW, 5-9, Penn National

**Wootton Bassett (GB)**, Wedding Mood (Ire), f, 3, o/o Snow (Ire),

by Galileo (Ire). MSW, 5-10, Churchill Downs

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## FARRELL'S €1.9M NIGHT OF THUNDER COLT LEADS ARQANA RECORD TRADE



Anthony Stroud and Cormac Farrell | Zuzanna Lupa

By Brian Sheerin and Emma Berry

Cormac Farrell was left flabbergasted after bringing the Arqana Breeze-up Sale-topping figure of €1.9 million for a Night Of Thunder colt who went the way of Godolphin and summed up the outstanding piece of business as “the stuff of dreams”.

Out of Date With Destiny, the only foal that the chronically subfertile George Washington sired, the Night Of Thunder colt was picked up by Farrell for 90,000gns at Book 1 of the Tattersalls October Yearling Sale.

Speaking of the monumental profit, he said, “It’s the stuff of dreams. Will I ever sell a horse for that sort of money ever again? Probably not.”

He added, “You just never know if it’s all going to happen but it has and Anthony Stroud turned up on behalf of Godolphin, and Coolmore were very strong as underbidders, so a big thanks goes to the buyers. I can’t believe it. It’s just amazing stuff and I’d like to thank the whole team around me.

“He was just a very nice yearling. We never imagined that we’d be able to afford him to be honest. It’s worked out. The stallion is exceptional—he couldn’t be going any better. They all breeze very fast and obviously go on to be very good racehorses as well.” **Cont. p3**

## WOOTTON BASSETT'S ALBERT EINSTEIN DISPLAYS HIS CREDENTIALS WITH TDN RISING STAR DEBUT AT NAAS

By Sean Cronin

Coolmore and Westerberg’s hitherto unraced **Albert Einstein** (Wootton Bassett) had received favourable reports in recent dispatches from Ballydoyle and justified his lofty reputation with a **TDN Rising Star** performance going just shy of six furlongs in Saturday’s Irish Stallion Farms EBF Maiden at Naas.

The January-foaled bay’s potential was reflected in the betting market and he headed postward as a rock-solid 1-2 favourite for this Royal Ascot stepping stone. Shadowing the pace set by 9-4 market rival **Evening Blues** (Blue Point) after a professional exit, he quickened smartly to challenge that rival entering the final furlong and easily asserted superiority under minimal urging to hit the line with 1 1/4 lengths to spare. The runner-up finished a whopping 12 lengths clear of the remainder. **Cont. p8**

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*Hollie Doyle became Britain's most prolific female jockey of all time when partnering Brindavan to victory at Ascot on Saturday. See p10 for details. | [Racingfotos.com](http://Racingfotos.com)*

## 9 | GREAT GENERATION DOUBLES UP IN THE CHARTWELL

*Holy Roman Emperor's Great Generation returned in sparkling form to defend her crown in Saturday's G3 Chartwell Fillies' Stakes at Lingfield.*

## 10 | PUPPET MASTERS STABLE-MATE

*Ballydoyle's form in the Classic trials maintained its formidable momentum on Saturday with a one-two in the Listed Lingfield Derby Trial.*

## 11 | GISELLE MAKES CLASS TELL

*Ballydoyle also struck at Lingfield with Giselle, an effortless winner of the Listed Oaks Trial Fillies' Stakes.*



Lot 40, the Night Of Thunder colt out of Date With Destiny  
Zuzanna Lupa

### Arqana cont. from p1

Only Willie Browne had a better day at the office than Farrell. The latter, who is based in Kildare, cleared a whopping €2.8 million for six horses sold and enjoyed major profit with a **Gun Runner** colt that went the way of Justin Casse for €450,000 and a Harry Angel filly that sold to Highclere for €230,000. They were sourced for \$145,000 and 45,000gns respectively.

As for Stroud, who held off the persistent challenge of Coolmore to sign the winning docket on the top lot, he commented, "The really good horses like him, and others, that's what people are focusing on. The valuations at times can be difficult but, if you really like one, you've got to go for it."

The Night Of Thunder colt led home what was another record-breaking trade at a breeze-up sale. Turnover climbed 24% to €27,444,500 while the average was also on the rise by a massive 21% to €201,798 and the median by 20% to €120,000. The clearance rate also rested at an extremely healthy 87%.

### Williamson Does It Again

It was very much a case of that man again early in the session after Norman Williamson, who sold recent 2,000 Guineas winner Ruling Court at this breeze-up sale 12 months ago, set the tempo when his **Maxfield** colt went the way of Godolphin for a cool €1 million.

It proved to be another shrewd piece of business for the man behind Oak Tree Farm given that he sourced the colt at the Keeneland September Yearling Sale for just \$70,000 last year. Anthony Stroud, who signed for lot 5 on behalf of Godolphin, confirmed that the colt would be trained by Charlie Appleby.

A delighted Williamson said, "I wasn't expecting a result like that but he is a beautiful horse. Everybody who saw him absolutely loved him and the sire has been selling so well in America."

Asked how he managed to buy the **Maxfield** colt for just \$70,000 at Keeneland, Williamson quipped, "That's our job, isn't it? I bought him with a view towards him being an early two-year-old because he was strong but he wasn't very big. Come Christmas, he just transformed. He grew and looked like a totally different horse. You need a bit of luck."

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The Glending Stables filly ex **Brioniya** sold to **Stroud Coleman Bloodstock** at Arqana Breeze Up!

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## Arqana cont.

It proved to be another profitable trip to sunny Deauville for Williamson who cleared €1.84 million on four horses sold on the day. On the buying front, it was nothing short of a dominant performance from Stroud at the top end of the market. And was it any surprise? The leading bloodstock agent added a second Classic winner sourced from the breeze-ups to his CV when Ruling Court followed on from Native Trail and he summed up the past week as being “fantastic”.

He commented, “It was great for Norman and great for the breeze-ups. It was also excellent for Coolmore with Ruling Court being by **Justify**. Very good for Godolphin, also.”

## Glending Rings the Million Bell

Roderic Kavanagh and Cormac O’Flynn have wasted no time in ensuring that the name of their Glending Stables has been in lights from the early days of their consigning business.

Vandeek--now a stallion at Cheveley Park Stud--was the first to advertise their pinhooking and pre-training talents when topping the Tattersalls Craven Sale two years ago before going on to win the G1 Prix Morny and G1 Middle Park Stakes. At Goffs UK recently they pulled off another triumph when selling a Too Darn Hot filly for £320,000 after giving 35,000gns for her as a yearling.

But that paled into insignificance alongside Saturday’s sale of a **Sioux Nation** filly (lot 25) from the family of dual Listed winner Bahia Breeze for €1 million--a staggering mark-up from her yearling price at the V.2 sale at Arqana last autumn of €48,000.

Kavanagh and O’Flynn, in the company of their partners Teresa Magalhaes and Serena O’Flynn, both of whom play key roles in the operation, stood transfixed ringside as the filly’s price soared way beyond expectations. Anthony Stroud, acting on behalf of KHK Racing, had the final bid after a lengthy duel with an online bidder.

Stroud was not impressed by the tardy bidding process, with an online bidder pushing up the price in €10,000 increments. He said, “I don’t know how long it went on for but bidding in



The **Sioux Nation** filly offered as lot 25 | Zuzanna Lupa

increments of €10,000 when the horse has gone beyond half a million slows the whole thing down. I think it probably needs to be reviewed. It’s hard for the auctioneer but it’s also very hard when you have somebody on the other end of the telephone and they don’t really understand how it is going up in increments of €10,000. It slows the whole auction up, too. Who knows who you are bidding against when it is online but I happened to know who I was bidding against.”

He added, “That is some sort of satisfaction. We bought Vandeek from this vendor. This filly did a very good time and looked very well.”

After the hammer eventually fell, a stunned Kavanagh said, “The top of the market is so fruitful. They want a premium product and she is--hopefully she will go on to be one. It was amazing. You couldn’t in your wildest dreams predict that.”

O’Flynn added, “The ticker was going some. We may have looked cool on the outside but on the inside we were bubbling. Anthony Stroud has bought a good few from us in recent years and we can’t thank him and his clients enough, not just for supporting us but for the whole industry. It keeps us all going for the rest of the year.” **Cont. p5**

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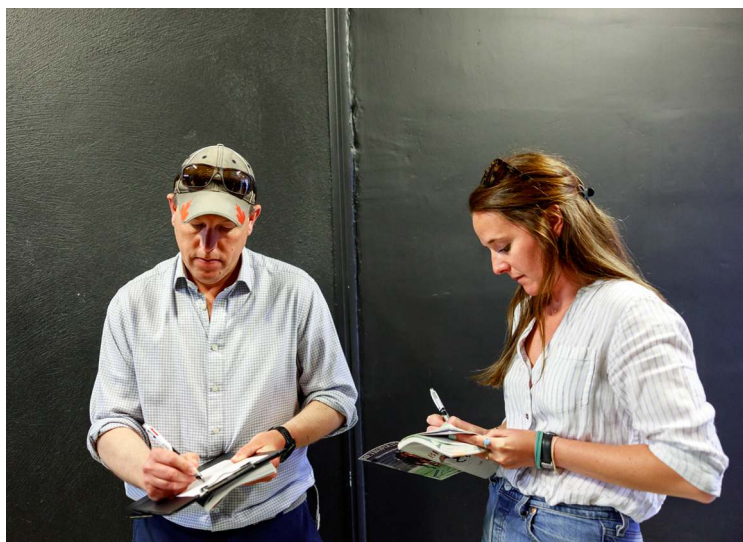
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Richard Brown signs for lot 185 | Zuzanna Lupa

## Blandford's Brown Comes Away With Nine Horses Despite 'Frustrating' Day

Richard Brown admitted to feeling the frustration about not being able to rival Anthony Stroud at the very top of the market despite the fact the Blandford Bloodstock agent left Arqana with nine juveniles sourced for various different clients.

But the one Brown was really waiting on was Tally-Ho Stud's Mitole half-sister to Royal Ascot hero Valiant Force (lot 185) on which the hammer fell at €800,000.

Brown said, "It has been a very frustrating day but this has made it. The market has been extremely strong. We have been on what we perceive to be the best horses here but it has been tough. It has been extraordinary trade but she was the one. She makes the difference. I just think she is a beautiful filly. An outstanding athlete.

"The vendor and I disagree on whether she is mature or needs time. She's a big filly and, the more I look at her the more I come around to his [Roger O'Callaghan's] way of thinking in that she is big and mature. We will get her back and she'll get some time off before we figure out if we shoot for Ascot or not. The nice

thing is, if we shoot for Ascot, she's a big filly. We won't put any pressure on her."

He added, "We have bought nine horses today. I shouldn't moan but it has been frustrating. I think there is more depth to the market than normal. I had a couple smaller orders at the Guineas Sale last week but I got blown out. I filled those orders earlier today instead. This is an elite, select sale but, like everything, I am sure there are guys who have had tough days and I feel for them. It's hard when you have had a tough day and all of this is going on around you. But you can't say anything other than it was a pretty extraordinary breeze-up season. The top has never been healthier."

## Breeze-up King--or Pope--Bags Second Seven-Figure Sale of Season

Willie Browne is widely known as the breeze-up king but French bloodstock agent Laurent Benoit christened him the new Pope of the breeze-up game and, you know what, it might just stick. The legend behind Mocklershill sold his second seven-figure lot of the season when his **Siyouni** colt was knocked down to Coolmore's MV Magnier for €1 million.

Showering the colt with praise, Browne said, "I have consigned a lot of horses down through the years but I don't think I have consigned a better-looking horse. If you were any kind of a connoisseur of a horse, for me, he was nearly the perfect kind of horse. I was hoping that he'd gallop well and he did. I think he's worth it. I do. I loved the horse. When you get that kind of money you want them to be good and I'm assuming he'll go to Aidan [O'Brien]."

Browne also sold an Acclamation colt for 1.4 million gns at the Craven Breeze-Up Sale last month and, speaking on the market, he said, "Well it's very time-related. I haven't been watching it too closely today but they tell me there are still some soft patches. Luckily enough, I've sold every horse I brought here bar one. But as I said before, you need a fast horse."

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## Americans in Action

President Trump's announcement--and subsequent partial climbdown--on trade tariffs had cast some uncertainty over the participation of American buyers at the breeze-up sales but there was still some evidence of support from across the Atlantic at Arqana.

Agent Kerri Radcliffe has long had strong links with American buyers and she signed for lot 118, a colt by **Justify**, at €725,000 on behalf of an Memo Racing, a new hedge fund-backed partnership. He will be returning to his place of birth, where the half-brother to three black-type runners had originally been bought at Keeneland by Eddie O'Leary and Mags O'Toole for \$150,000.

"He's by **Justify**, so it doesn't get much better, and he'll go to America, Radcliffe said. "I don't know who's going to train him yet but we'll figure that one out as we go along. He's got a great pedigree and is a gorgeous horse, and we all know what happened with a **Justify** from this sale last weekend."

On a memorable day for Cormac Farrell, his CF Bloodstock draft sold a **Gun Runner** half-brother to two Grade III winners, including the Tampa Bay Derby runner-up Sole Volante, to Justin Casse for €450,000. With yet more equine arimiles being clocked up, he too will be returning to America.

Major owner-breeder Mike Repole, one of the stars of Netflix's Race for the Crown, is another regular American buyer at Arqana, and he was back on the scoresheet on Saturday as the purchaser of lot 105. Sherborne Lodge's filly by **Sioux Nation**, from the further family of Lady Carla, was knocked down at €145,000, having been a 24,000gns Tattersalls Somerville yearling.

Repole later picked up lot 135, a **Siyouni** filly out of a half-sister to Group 1 winner Feed The Flame, for €200,000 through Alex Solis and Jason Litt.

Ramiro Restrepo's Marquee Bloodstock was also active and bought the **Wootton Bassett (GB)** half-sister to Group 2 winners Royal Dornoch and Hawksmoor for €280,000. The filly, however, represented the stark contrast of returns in the breeze-up sector as she had been signed for last August by trainer Satoshi Kobayashi for €360,000.

## 'Doing Right by the Horse' Leaves O'Callaghans In Clover

The sale of Yeomanstown Stud's Blue Point colt to Anthony Stroud on behalf of KHK Racing for €900,000 proved a timely reminder of all the hoops these horses must jump through. Initially bought as a foal for 170,000gns to pinhook as a yearling, the Blue Point colt missed his engagement at Book 1 of the Tattersalls October Yearling Sale for whatever reason.

The O'Callaghan family at Yeomanstown Stud have a thriving stud business, are masters of the pinhooking craft, breeze horses and even have some in training. In short, they turn their hand to everything. And in this instance, being able to stand back and do right by the colt paid off in the long run.

David O'Callaghan said, "He is a great horse by a top stallion and he breezed very well. He was very well-liked by everyone on the sales ground and had a lot of admirers. I am glad that Anthony Stroud bought him and he is going to Roger Varian who will do a very good job with him. We bought him as a foal from Michael Gaffney and brought him back to Book 1 but had to withdraw him there. We decided that we'd bring him back here and he has been very straightforward ever since."

He added, "We're in the horse business. We're horse traders and do whatever we have to do in order to do right by the horses. We are fortunate to be able to do several different pieces. He actually made what I thought he would make and I even felt he had a chance of breaking the million-euro mark, which you don't say too often. All the right people were lining up and, even if the top three buyers didn't turn up, there were plenty of others just below that."

## Talking Points

- Bloodstock agent Alessandro Marconi, who sourced Poule d'Essai des Poulains winner Metropolitan as a yearling, has been an increasingly active figure at the breeze-up sales in Europe this season and struck for the Brown Island Stables-consigned New Bay filly for €450,000. The New Bay filly put in one of the most impressive breezes and hails from the family of Classic winner Ervedya.

- Brighton & Hove Albion footballer Georginio Rutter continues to be a regular face at bloodstock sales across Europe. Having been spotted at Goffs UK last year, he was at Arqana on Saturday alongside Xavier Blanchet. The French native has the four-time winner Quasar in training with Blanchet and is also a partner in Nuit De Gala, a winner from the first crop of Without Parole who is in training with Jean-Claude Rouget.
- Proof that two Eds are better than one came in the sale late in the day of lot 193 for €820,000. Ed Sackville conducted the bidding on behalf of an existing client of Ed Walker, and the huddle of people let out a collective whoop when the hammer fell in their favour. Sold by Roger Marley's Church Farm Stables, the daughter of **Wootton Bassett** is out of the Australian Group 3 winner Zargos (Shamardal). She had been bought for €125,000 in the same ring last August by Grove Stud.
- A total of 13 horses sold for €500,000 or more compared to six last year. Meanwhile, the four seven-figure lots that sold on Saturday brings the total number of millionaires this breeze-up season to seven.

### Thought for the Day

Anthony Stroud was rightly peeved after signing for the €1 million **Sioux Nation** filly after the underbidder, who was playing online, was able to place bids in increments of €10,000 despite the fact the filly was rocking and rolling at six figures. Lest we forget that the same thing happened when Yulong bought Place Du Carrousel at the December Mares Sale here in 2023 for the unusual sum of €4,025,000 after the filly had been in the ring for a yawning amount of time. It's a glitch in the system that needs to be changed. There's no way an online bidder should be allowed to go up in tens of thousands when a horse is making a certain figure in the ring when that same privilege is not afforded to bidders in the ring.

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## SALES TOPPERS

### ARQANA MAY BREEZE-UP SALE

Lot	Sex	Sire   Dam	Price (€)
40	colt	<b>Night Of Thunder--Date With Destiny</b> (90,000gns Ylg '24 TATOCT) <i>Bred by Newsells Park Stud (GB)</i> <i>Consigned by C. F. Bloodstock</i> <i>Purchased by Godolphin</i>	1,900,000

5	colt	<b>Maxfield--American Victory</b> (\$70,000 Ylg '24 KEESEP) <i>Bred by Sycamore Hall Thoroughbreds, LLC (MD)</i> <i>Consigned by Oak Tree Farm</i> <i>Purchased by Godolphin</i>	1,000,000
25	filly	<b>Sioux Nation--Brioniya</b> (€48,000 Ylg '24 ARQAUG) <i>Bred by V. Tymoshenko &amp; A. Milovanov (Fr)</i> <i>Consigned by Glending Stables</i> <i>Purchased by Stroud Coleman Bloodstock</i>	1,000,000
164	colt	<b>Siyouni--Soteria</b> (€290,000 Ylg '24 ARQOCT) <i>Bred by China Horse Club International (Fr)</i> <i>Consigned by Mocklershill</i> <i>Purchased by MV Magnier</i>	1,000,000
68	colt	<b>Blue Point--Glowing Star</b> (170,000gns Wlg '23 TATNOV) <i>Bred by Churchtown House Stud &amp; Liam Butler (Ire)</i> <i>Consigned by Yeomanstown Stud</i> <i>Purchased by Stroud Coleman Bloodstock</i>	900,000
193	colt	<b>Wootton Bassett--Zargos</b> (€170,000 RNA Ylg '24 ARQAUG) <i>Bred by Monceaux / Limerick Lanepty Ltd (Ire)</i> <i>Consigned by Church Farm Stables</i> <i>Purchased by Sackville Donald</i>	820,000
185	filly	<b>Mitole--Vigui's Heart</b> (\$300,000 Wlg '23 FTKNOV; \$525,000 Ylg '24 FTNAUG) <i>Bred by Mr. &amp; Mrs. Ramon Horta Rangel Jr. (KY)</i> <i>Consigned by Tally-Ho Stud</i> <i>Purchased by Blandford Bloodstock</i>	800,000
118	colt	<b>Justify--Oaks Lily</b> (\$310,000 Wlg '23 KEENOV; \$150,000 Ylg '24 KEESEP) <i>Bred by Kings and Queens Farm (KY)</i> <i>Consigned by Lynn Lodge Stud</i> <i>Purchased by Kerri Radcliffe</i>	725,000
183	colt	<b>Practical Joke--Untraveled</b> (\$62,000 Ylg '24 FTKOCT) <i>Bred by Erv Woolsey &amp; Ralph Kinder (KY)</i> <i>Consigned by Ballybush Stables</i> <i>Purchased by Godolphin</i>	650,000





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• Catalogued	196	207
• Number Offered	157	174
• Number Sold	136	139
• Not Sold	21	35
• Clearance Rate	87%	74%
• No. €500K+	13	6
• High Price	€1,900,000	€2,300,000
• Gross	€27,444,500 (+24%)	€22,070,500
• Average (% change)	€201,798 (+21%)	€166,775
• Median (% change)	€120,000 (+20%)	€100,000

Albert Einstein cont. from p1

Albert Einstein becomes his sire's 12th **TDN Rising Star** and joins an honour roll which includes recent Naas winner Simply

Astounding and last year's juvenile Group 1 winners Camille Pissarro and Twain. "He was never away and that's the first time he's come off the bridle," said Aidan O'Brien. "You can see his size and power and we're delighted with him. He learned a bit today, Ger Lyons's horse [Evening Blues] had a very good run the first day, and we'll see where he fits in. We always thought he was a [G2] Coventry horse and you'd like to get another run into him before [Royal] Ascot."

Albert Einstein, whose yearling full-brother died last year, is the first foal produced by G2 Airlie Stud Stakes runner-up Yet (**War Front**), herself a half-sister to G3 Ballylinch Stud 2000 Guineas Trial third Carracci (**Quality Road**) out of the dual Group 3-placed Butterflies (Galileo). Butterflies is one of eight black-type performers thrown by dual Grade II and multiple Grade III-winning matriarch Mariah's Storm (Rahy) headed by multiple Group 1-winning sire Giant's Causeway (Storm Cat). Mariah's Storm is also the ancestress of elite-level winners **Gleneagles** (Galileo), Happily (Galileo), Marvellous (Galileo), Joan Of Arc (Galileo), Decorated Knight (Galileo) and Above The Curve (**American Pharoah**). Yet was bred to **Justify** last year.

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Albert Einstein on his way to victory at Naas | [Racingfotos.com](#)

## NEW TDN RISING STAR

**3rd-Naas, €18,000, Mdn, 5-10, 2yo, 5f 205yT, 1:12.05, gd.**

**ALBERT EINSTEIN (IRE), c, 2, by Wootton Bassett (GB)**

**1st Dam: Yet (GSP-Ire), by War Front**

**2nd Dam: Butterflies (Ire), by Galileo (Ire)**

**3rd Dam: Mariah's Storm, by Rahy**

Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$12,149. **Click for the**

**free EquineLine.com catalogue-style pedigree.**

O-Derrick Smith, Mrs John Magnier, Michael Tabor & Westerberg; B-Coolmore (IRE); T-Aidan O'Brien; J-Wayne Lordan.

## GREAT GENERATION DOUBLES UP IN THE CHARTWELL *By Tom Frary*



Great Generation (blue) | *Racingfotos.com*

Twelve months on from her breakthrough moment in Lingfield's G3 Chartwell Fillies' Stakes, **Holy Roman Emperor's Great Generation** returned to the scene to record back-to-back successes under a three-pound penalty. Acquired by Cayton Park Stud following her win in Doncaster's G3 Sceptre Fillies' Stakes in September, the Marco Botti-trained 11-2 shot was reserved in rear early by Marco Ghiani and delivered with perfect timing to overhaul **Jabaara** in the final yards for a neck verdict.

"This is the ground she wants--the plan was to take our time, as she really has that final burst and final turn of foot," Botti said. "She tries very hard, but she will come on for this race hopefully. It could be a possibility to drop her back to six furlongs, but let's see how she comes out of it and then regroup. With fillies from three to four, you like to see them strengthen up and she has definitely got stronger."

"I keep saying one race that would suit her is the July Cup, as the stiff finish at the July Course will suit her down to the ground," he added.

"I would love to run her there, but there is Ascot as well. There are a few options over seven furlongs for her in August at York and there is also the Hungerford Stakes."

### Pedigree Notes

Great Generation's dam Adutchgirl by Dutch Art is a daughter of the G3 Hamburger Stutenpreis winner Anna Thea, whose leading performer is the five-times Group winner Aspectus and who is the ancestress of 16 other Stakes winners headed by last year's G1 Grosser Preis von Bayern hero Assistent by Sea The Moon. From the dynasty of the G2 Preis der Diana-winning blue hen Anna Paola, whose multiple Group 1-winning descendants include **Frankel's** Derby hero Adayar, Adutchgirl's 2-year-old Kodi Bear colt Raise The Point was a 80,000gns purchase by Chantilly Bloodstock Agency at Tattersalls October Book 2.

### Saturday, Lingfield, Britain

**WILLIAM HILL CHARTWELL FILLIES' STAKES-G3, £90,000,**  
Lingfield, 5-10, 3yo/up, f/m, 7fT, 1:20.66, g/f.

**1--GREAT GENERATION (IRE), 135, f, 4, by Holy Roman Emperor (Ire)**

**1st Dam: Adutchgirl (Ger), by Dutch Art (GB)**

**2nd Dam: Anna Thea (Ire), by Turfkonig (Ger)**

**3rd Dam: Anstandige (Ger), by Star Appeal**

(39,000gns Ylg '22 TATOCT). O-Cayton Park Stud Limited; B-A Dutch Girl Partnership; T-Marco Botti; J-Marco Ghiani.

£51,039. Lifetime Record: 10-5-1-0, \$240,709. **Werk Nick**

**Rating: A. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree, or the free EquineLine.com catalogue-style pedigree.**

**2--Jabaara (Ire), 132, f, 4, Exceed And Excel (Aus)--Baheeja (GB),**  
by Dubawi (Ire). O-Sheikh Ahmed Al Maktoum; B-Godolphin;  
T-Roger Varian. £19,350.

**3--Spiritual (Ire), 132, f, 4, Invincible Spirit (Ire)--Wild Irish Rose**  
(Ire), by Galileo (Ire). **1ST GROUP BLACK TYPE.** (€280,000 Ylg  
'22 ARAUG). O-George Strawbridge; B-Ballylinch Stud (IRE);  
T-John & Thady Gosden. £9,684.

Margins: NK, HF, 1 1/4. Odds: 5.50, 2.75, 9.00.

Also Ran: Cathedral (GB), Ziggy's Dream (Ire), Fair Angelica (GB).



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## EUROPEAN NEWS

### HOLLIE DOYLE BECOMES BRITAIN'S MOST PROLIFIC FEMALE JOCKEY

Hollie Doyle enjoyed another landmark victory when claiming the outright record for most winners by a female rider in Britain by striking on Brindavan at Ascot.

Doyle had moved alongside Hayley Turner at Chelmsford on Thursday and took the lead on her own with win number 1,023 on the Sean Woods-trained 8-1 chance in the Carey Group Handicap.

She told Sky Sports Racing, "It's good and, like I've said in the past, I've got to kind of pinch myself to believe that I've done this well. It's a great milestone to have reached and I'll keep kicking."

Asked to name the pick of her many highlights so far, Doyle opted for her Prix de Diane success aboard Nashwa.

"It probably would be my first Classic on Nashwa in Chantilly," she added. "That was special."

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## BRITAIN

#### Saturday's Results:

**WILLIAM HILL LINGFIELD DERBY TRIAL STAKES-Listed**, £60,000, Lingfield, 5-10, 3yo, c/g, 11f 133yT, 2:27.43, g/f.

1--**PUPPET MASTER (IRE)**, 128, c, 3, by **Camelot (GB)**

1st Dam: **Realtra (Ire)** (GSW-Eng, MGSW-Ire, SW-Fr, \$466,246), by **Dark Angel (Ire)**

2nd Dam: **Devious Diva (Ire)**, by **Dr Devious (Ire)**

3rd Dam: **Dawn Chorus (Ire)**, by **Mukaddamah**

**1ST BLACK TYPE WIN.** O-Derrick Smith, Mrs John Magnier & Michael Tabor; B-Barronstown Stud; T-Aidan O'Brien; J-Ryan Moore. £34,026. Lifetime Record: 5-2-1-0, \$71,971.

2--**Stay True (Ire)**, 128, c, 3, **Galileo (Ire)**--**Bounce (GB)**, by Bahamian Bounty (GB). **1ST BLACK TYPE.** (400,000gns Wlg '22 TADEWE). O-Westerberg, Mrs J Magnier, M Tabor, D Smith; B-Newstead Breeding; T-Aidan O'Brien. £12,900.

3--**Nighttime Dancer (Ire)**, 128, c, 3, **Ghaiyyath (Ire)**--**Stella D'Italia (GB)**, by **Sea The Stars (Ire)**. **1ST BLACK TYPE.** (110,000gns Wlg '22 TADEWE). O-Stall Perlen AB; B-GCE Farm Ltd; T-Richard Hannon. £6,456.

Margins: SHD, 3HF, 4. Odds: 0.80, 2.50, 9.00.

Also Ran: **Our 'enary (Ire)**, **Prince Of The Seas (Ire)**, **Rogue Impact (GB)**. Scratched: **Rahiebb (GB)**.



**Puppet Master (right)** | [Racingfotos.com](#)

Ballydoyle's form in the Classic trials maintained its formidable momentum on Saturday with a one-two in the Listed Lingfield Derby Trial. At the line, the 4-5 favourite and Ryan Moore's pick **Puppet Master** had a short head to spare over **Stay True** in the extended 11-furlong contest, with neither stablemate giving an inch.

**Camelot's** Puppet Master, who had been fourth in the G2 Royal Lodge Stakes and in the G3 Ballysax Stakes on his return, had been forced to battle his way past Stay True, one of the last crop of Galileo, inside the last two furlongs as they pulled 3 1/2 lengths clear of Ghaiyyath's **Nighttime Dancer**.

Paul Smith was on hand to give the lowdown. "They are two lovely horses that hit the line hard, so they get the trip well," he said. "Puppet Master relaxed well. He is quite an uncomplicated horse and Ryan was very happy with him."

"As for the other one, he is in the mix for the big races going forward. We will see what happens in Ireland on Sunday and with The Lion In Winter at York. There are other possibilities like the Irish Derby and races at Royal Ascot, so we can spread them around."

"Richard [Kingscote] was very happy with Stay True," he added. "He is still a big baby and that was only his second run so he will come on a lot for it. He hit the line very well and he will get a trip nicely so all routes point for a Derby for him as well."

Puppet Master's dam is Dark Angel's triple Group 3 winner Realtra, whose half-sister Starlite Sienna was responsible for El Kabeir's G1 Fillies' Mile third Bright Diamond and the stable's promising juvenile Neolithic by **Sioux Nation**. From the family of the G1 Racing Post Trophy hero Seattle Rhyme, her 2-year-old full-sister to the winner is named Emmeleia while she also has a yearling colt by Baaeed who was a 270,000gns purchase by Yeomanstown Stud at the Tattersalls December Foal Sale.

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**WILLIAM HILL OAKS TRIAL FILLIES' STAKES**-Listed, £60,000, Lingfield, 5-10, 3yo, f, 11f 133yT, 2:31.16, g/f.

1--**GISELLE (IRE)**, 128, f, 3, by **Frankel (GB)**

1st Dam: **Newspaperofrecord (Ire)** (MGISW-US, \$1,122,250), by **Lope De Vega (Ire)**

2nd Dam: **Sunday Times (GB)**,

by **Holy Roman Emperor (Ire)**

3rd Dam: **Forever Times (GB)**, by **So Factual**

**1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN.** O-Michael Tabor, Derrick Smith, Mrs John Magnier, Westerberg & Peter M Brant; B-Coolmore & White Birch Farm SC (IRE); T-Aidan O'Brien; J-Ryan Moore. £34,026. Lifetime Record: GSP-Ire, 4-2-1-1, \$67,118.

2--**Harpisichord (GB)**, 128, f, 3, Ribchester (Ire)--Halay (GB), by Dansili (GB). **1ST BLACK TYPE.** O-Rabbah Racing; B-Godolphin (GB); T-Simon & Ed Crisford. £12,900.

3--**Love Talk (Ire)**, 128, f, 3, Ten Sovereigns (Ire)--Lovelocks (Ire), by High Chaparral (Ire). (€25,000 Ylg '23 TATIRY). **1ST BLACK TYPE.** O-Nick Bradley Racing 19 & Partner; B-Glenvale Stud & Edgeridge Ltd (IRE); T-Grant Tuer. £6,456.

Margins: 9, 2 1/4. Odds: 0.30, 4.00, 10.00.

With just two overmatched rivals in opposition, Aidan O'Brien trainee **Giselle's** superior form and class told as the daughter of **Frankel** overcame Lingfield's Epsom-style intricacies, delivering a facile nine-length success in the track's William Hill-sponsored Listed Oaks Trial on Saturday.

Last term's G3 Staffordstown Stud Stakes third and 3-10 pick was a shade keen racing third in a first-time hood through the initial stages of this seasonal debut. Negotiating the downhill section and taking closer order in the home straight, she seized control approaching the quarter-mile marker and bounded clear thereafter to easily outclass **Harpisichord** (Ribchester) by daylight for a career high. O'Brien's two previous winners of the contest include subsequent G1 Irish Oaks and G1 Yorkshire Oaks heroine Seventh Heaven (Galileo).



Giselle | Racingfotos.com

"I was afraid she'd be too keen, because she had been keen, and it was a good experience for her," said O'Brien. "I don't know what was in her head this year when she started back, she was just very on the bridle and, hopefully, that will settle her."

Coolmore's Kevin Buckley added, "Ryan [Moore] said she was a little unsettled for a time and was keen enough, but she got the job done nicely. We put the hood on her for the first time, which was okay considering they went steady. She has a fantastic pedigree and we have a lot to look forward to."

Giselle, who becomes the 155th stakes winner for her sire, is the first foal out of GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies Turf and GI Just A Game Stakes heroine Newspaperoftherecord (Lope De Vega), whose Group 3-winning dam Sunday Times (**Holy Roman Emperor**) ran second in the G1 Cheveley Park Stakes. Sunday Times, who is also the dam of Listed Cecil Frail Stakes winner Classical Times (Lawman {Fr}), is kin to Listed Bosra Sham Fillies' Stakes runner-up Question Times (Shamardal), herself the dam of three black-type winners headed by **Camelot's** G1 Irish Derby hero Latrobe and multiple Group 1-placed Listed Salsabil Stakes victrix Pink Dogwood. The April-foaled bay's third dam Forever Times (So Factual) is a half-sister to multiple Group-winning dual G1 Prix de la Foret runner-up Welsh Emperor (Emperor Jones), the stakes-winning Majestic Times (Bluebird) and the Group 3-placed Brave Prospector (**Oasis Dream**). Newspaperoftherecord, who was bred to **Justify** last year, has the winner's 2-year-old full-brother Benvenuto Cellini and a yearling full-sister to come.

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**PERTEMPS NETWORK SPRING TROPHY STAKES**-Listed, £40,000, Haydock, 5-10, 3yo/up, 6f 212yT, 1:26.81, g/f.

1--**ALYANAABI (IRE)**, 136, g, 4, Too Darn Hot (GB)--**Alyamaama, by Kitten's Joy.** O/B-Shadwell Estate Company Limited; T-Owen Burrows; J-Jim Crowley. £22,684. Lifetime Record: GSW & G1SP-Eng, 9-3-1-0, \$264,405.

2--**Tiber Flow (Ire)**, 136, g, 6, Caravaggio--Malabar (GB), by Raven's Pass. O/B-Jon and Julia Aisbitt; T-William Haggas. £8,600.

3--**Annaf (Ire)**, 136, h, 6, Muhaarar (GB)--Shimah, by Storm Cat. (16,000gns 2yo '21 TATAHI). O-Fosnic Racing; B-Shadwell Estate Company Limited; T-Michael Appleby. £4,304.

Margins: 1 1/4, 3/4, SHD. Odds: Evens, 2.50, 14.00.

Also Ran: Kikkuli (GB), Array (Ire).

Successful in Newmarket's G3 Tattersalls Stakes and runner-up in the G1 Dewhurst Stakes at two, Alyanaabi may have been under-performing a touch in his four starts last term despite finishing fifth in the G1 2,000 Guineas and G1 St James's Palace Stakes. Gelded in the winter, the more-focused homebred looked a different proposition allowed to bowl along in front and after mastering some smart peers looks as if he could have a profitable campaign. [Cont. p12](#)



### Spring Trophy Stakes cont.

“He was a smart two-year-old, ran well in the Guineas and the St James’s Palace but we lost him in the second half of the season,” trainer Owen Burrows said. “Jim was able to set his own fractions. Where we go next, I’m not sure, maybe back here for the [G3] John O’Gaunt. If he does fall in that seven-furlong category there aren’t many options. Jim would love to try him over a stiff six.”

Alyanaabi is the second foal out of Kitten’s Joy’s unraced Alyamaama, a half to Giant’s Causeway’s G1 1,000 Guineas and G1 Coronation Stakes heroine Ghanaati who in turn produced Invincible Spirit’s triple Group 2 winner Mutasaabeq and the G3 Mahab Al Shimaal winner Wafy from a mating with Too Darn Hot’s sire Dubawi. She is also kin to Danzig’s G3 Cumberland Lodge Stakes-winning sire Mawathee and Rahy’s Oaks third Rumoush whose four black-type progeny include Dubawi’s dual Group winner Muntazah.

Also connected to last year’s G3 Weld Park Stakes winner Heavens Gate by Churchill, Alyamaama is a granddaughter of the iconic Height Of Fashion which links her to Nashwan, Nayef and Unfuwain. Her 2025 foal is a full-sister to Alyanaabi.

**1st-Ascot, £22,000, Nov, 5-10, 2yo, 5fT, :59.26, g/f.**

**MILITARY CODE (GB) (c, 2, Wootton Bassett {GB}--Wishfully {Ire} {MSP-Ger & SP-Fr}, by Invincible Spirit {Ire})**, who incurred a six-pound penalty for annexing his Apr. 17 debut over this trip at Newmarket last time, broke sharply and raced on the front end from flagfall. Shaken up when tackled approaching the final furlong, the 8-11 favourite refused to yield in the latter stages and was ridden out to prevail by a neck from Fitzella (Too Darn Hot). Amo Racing’s 1.75-million guineas Craven Breeze-Up sensation Celestial King (Havana Grey) showed up well through halfway, but lacked the necessary boot at the business end and finished just under six lengths adrift of the winner in fourth. “He had a penalty and we thought it was a warm race on paper with good pedigrees and expensive horses,” reflected William Buick. “With a penalty it is never easy, but he’s got a lovely attitude and used his experience to fight them off one by one. I think he’s going to improve and it’s going to be interesting to see where his next step is, whether it be five or six furlongs. You’d have to think that the Royal meeting will come under consideration for him. I think he’s got plenty of speed for five and I think he will stay six. In those two-year-old races here over five furlongs, it’s nice to have that bit of stamina in your locker.” Military Code is the second of three foals and lone scorer out of the multiple stakes-placed Wishfully (Invincible Spirit), who is a full-sister to the dam of Listed Upavon Fillies’ Stakes victrix High Spirited (Belardo). Wishfully is out of a half-sister to G1 Irish 1000 Guineas heroine Nighttime (Galileo), herself the dam of

multiple Group 1-winning sire Ghaiyyath (Dubawi) and GI Man O’ War Stakes victrix Zhukova (Fastnet Rock). The March-foaled homebred bay is half to a yearling colt by Too Darn Hot. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$22,630.

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

**1st-Leicester, £7,000, Mdn, 5-10, 2yo, 5fT, :59.09, g/f.**

**SHAMAN CHAMPION (IRE) (c, 2, Shaman {Ire}--Angel Bright {Ire}, by Dark Angel {Ire})**, sent off the 4-1 second favourite behind Ardad’s Calafiori, tanked along on the wing behind the early leaders. Arriving on the front end inside the last two furlongs, the newcomer surged to the line to record an impressive four-length success from that market-leader. The dam, whose first foal was the listed scorer Castle Hill Cassie by Casamento, is a half to Desert Style’s dual listed-winning and G2 Flying Childers Stakes and G3 Molecomb Stakes-placed Mister Manannan and Stakes scorer Shermeen. The latter is in turn the dam of Henrythenavigator’s G1 Phoenix Stakes hero Sudirman and Galileo’s Listed Dee Stakes scorer Star Of India, while another half-sibling Transcendence produced another smart Ballydoyle performer in **Wootton Bassett’s** G2 Coventry Stakes winner and G1 Irish 2,000 Guineas third River Tiber. Also related to Dandy Man, Angel Bright’s yearling colt is by Supremacy. Sales history: 13,000gns Ylg ‘24 TATOCT. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$4,875.

O-Jaber Abdullah; B-Yeomanstown Stud; T-Richard Hughes.

**2nd-Ascot, £50,000, Hcp, 5-10, 3yo/up, f/m, 8fT, 1:38.46, g/f.**

**RAINBOWS EDGE (GB) (f, 4, Night Of Thunder {Ire}--Memory {Ire} {MGSW-Eng, \$127,136}, by Danehill Dancer {Ire})**, runner-up in August’s Listed Upavon Fillies’ Stakes at Salisbury when last seen, was positioned under cover in a handy fourth through halfway in this straight one-mile test. Nudged along to challenge between rivals passing the quarter-mile marker, the 10-3 chance inched ahead approaching the final furlong and was driven out to deny Arisaig (Harry Angel) by 3/4-of-a-length. Rainbows Edge is the eighth of 11 foals and one of four black-type performers, from six winners, produced by G2 Cherry Hinton Stakes and G3 Albany Stakes victrix Memory (Danehill Dancer), herself a half-sister to G3 Tyros Stakes victrix Remember Alexander (Teofilo) out of GIII Miesque Stakes third Nausicaa (Diesis). The April-foaled chestnut is a half-sister to G3 Acomb Stakes-winning sire Recorder (Galileo), GII Belmont Gold Cup Invitational-winning sire Call To Mind (Galileo) and G3 Stockholms Stora Pris victor Learn By Heart (**Frankel**). Her 2023 half-sister by Palace Pier died last year and she is also kin to a weanling colt by Baaeed. Lifetime Record: SP-Eng, 4-3-1-0, \$62,189.

O-HM The King & HM The Queen; B-The Queen (GB); T-John & Thady Gosden.

**HANDICAP RESULTS:**

**3rd-Ascot, £100,000, 5-10, 4yo/up, 7fT, 1:23.66, g/f.**

**HICKORY (IRE) (g, 7, Free Eagle {Ire}--Badr Al Badoor {Ire}, by Acclamation {GB})** Lifetime Record: 18-4-4-1, \$172,697.

O-Martyn and Elaine Booth; B-Anne Coughlan; T-Jamie Osborne.

\*125,000gns Ylg '19 TAOCT; 26,000gns HRA '24 TATAHI.

**ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**

**Dark Tornado (Ire), g, 4, Dark Angel (Ire)--Snowy Peak (GB), by Pivotal (GB).** Leicester, 5-10, 7fT, 1:24.62. Lifetime Record: 6-1-2-1, £19,450. B-Denis Noonan. \*62,000gns Ylg '22 TATOCT.

## IRELAND

**Saturday's Results:**

**DARLEY IRISH EBF NAAS OAKS TRIAL STAKES-Listed, €55,000, Naas, 5-10, 3yo, f, 10fT, 2:15.05, gd.**

**1--GARDEN OF EDEN (IRE), 128, f, 3, by Saxon Warrior (Jpn)**

**1st Dam: Komedly (Ire), by Kodiak (GB)**

**2nd Dam: Dancing Jest (Ire), by Averti (Ire)**

**3rd Dam: Mezzanine (GB), by Sadler's Wells**

**1ST BLACK TYPE WIN.** (€160,000 Wlg '22 GOFNO1; €200,000 Ylg '23 GOFOR). O-Mrs John Magnier & Michael Tabor & Derrick Smith; B-Mark Hanly & Stephanie Hanly; T-Aidan O'Brien; J-Ben Coen. €33,000. Lifetime Record: 8-2-1-0, \$75,120.

**2--Jaliyah (Ire), 128, f, 3, Mehmas (Ire)--I'm Donna (Ire), by Frankel (GB). 1ST BLACK TYPE.** (80,000gns Ylg '23 TATOCT).

O-Giselle De Aguiar & AMO Racing Limited; B-Corduff Stud & Farmleigh Bloodstock Ltd; T-Adrian Murray. €11,000.

**3--Island Hopping (Ire), 128, f, 3, Wootton Bassett (GB)--Heaven Of Heavens (Ire), by Galileo (Ire).** O-Michael Tabor & Derrick Smith & Mrs John Magnier; B-Coolmore; T-Aidan O'Brien. €5,500.



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Margins: 1, 3/4, 3. Odds: 6.00, 6.00, 1.75.

Also Ran: Medici Venus, Tamam Desert (Ire), Hollys Graces (Ire), Gotomylovely (Ire), Kalixa (Ire).

Continuing Ballydoyle's clean sweep of the week's Derby and Oaks trials, **Saxon Warrior's Garden Of Eden** stepped up to the mark in Saturday's Listed Darley Irish EBF Naas Oaks Trial Stakes. Up from a mile for the first time, last year's Listed Ingabelle Stakes runner-up relished the extra two furlongs and 84 yards as she swooped inside the final furlong under Ben Coen to score by a length from Mehmas's **Jaliyah**.

"Obviously I was running her over the wrong trip, she wanted to go further," Aidan O'Brien said. "Saxon Warrior is doing very well and obviously they are middle-distance horses and Ben even said she'd get a mile-and-a-half. She has a little bit of class and I'd say she loved the ground. All those races are open to her now, she's in that picture now."

Garden Of Eden's dam Komedly by Kodiak, who is also responsible for Acclamation's G3 Molecomb Stakes-placed Internationaldream, is a full-sister to the dual listed scorer and G3 Sweet Solera Stakes-placed On Her Toes and a half to the listed winner and dual Group-placed Jane's Memory by Captain Rio. Her yearling full-brother to Garden Of Eden was a €250,000 purchase by Jamie McCalmont Bloodstock at the Goffs November Foal Sale.

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**1st-Naas, €18,000, Mdn, 5-10, 2yo, 5fT, 1:00.54, gd.**

**FIRST APPROACH (IRE) (c, 2, No Nay Never--Alphabet {GB} {MGSP-Ire, \$110,178}, by Lawman {Fr}),** who hit the board over five furlongs at Dundalk in his Apr. 11 debut last time, recovered from a hesitant getaway to stalk the pace in a handy fourth after the initial strides of this return. Shaken up to launch his bid with a quarter-mile remaining, the 5-2 second choice came under sterner urging in the closing stages and was ridden out to defeat Amiata (Dark Angel) by an ultimately comfortable 1 1/4 lengths. "He came forward from Dundalk and we're delighted," said Aidan O'Brien. "Wayne [Lordan] said he was green enough still for a horse that had a run, but he won grand. He also said he's not short of speed and five or six [furlongs] is not a problem. When he got into him he found plenty. He could be an Ascot horse, we might give him another run somewhere if we can get one into him." First Approach, full-brother to a yearling colt, is the third foal and scorer out of multiple Group-placed G2 Flying Five runner-up Alphabet (Lawman), herself kin to the stakes-winning duo Mirage (**Oasis Dream**) and Amnesia (Invincible Spirit). **Cont. p14**



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**1st-Naas cont.**

Descendants of the January-foaled bay's second dam Applauded (Royal Applause), herself kin to G1 Irish 2000 Guineas hero Power (**Oasis Dream**) and GI E P Taylor Stakes victrix Curvy (Galileo), include G2 Golden Fleece Stakes victor and recent G1 2000 Guineas sixth Green Impact (**Wootton Bassett**). Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$16,181.

O-Mrs John Magnier, Michael Tabor & Derrick Smith; B-Coolmore (IRE); T-Aidan O'Brien.

**7th-Naas, €16,000, Cond, 5-10, 3yo, 10f 84yT, 2:12.92, gd. GALVESTON (GB) (c, 3, Frankel {GB})--Bizzarria {GB}, by Lemon Drop Kid),** blinkered following his return seventh in a Leopardstown handicap in March, showed a willingness from the start and after two furlongs as he landed in front the headgear was clearly working. Staying on strongly up the straight, the 7-2 second favourite hit the line with 1 3/4 lengths to spare over **Camelot's** well-connected 6-4 market-leader Heather. "He's a hardy horse and he'll stay further," Aidan O'Brien said of the 2million gns 2023 Tattersalls October Book 1 topper. "He's lazy, that's why we put the blinkers on him to wake him up. That was a conditions, so he'll have to go to a Stakes race now. He could go to something like the [G3] Gallinule." The winner is the fourth foal out of the dam, a full-sister to the GI Canadian International hero Cannock Chase and the G2 Prix Eugene Adam winner Pisco Sour and a half to the triple Group 1-winning Irish Oaks heroine Star Catcher by **Sea The Stars**. Also related to the multiple Stakes-winning Lord Admiral and the Breeders' Cup winners Action This Day and Drefong, Bizzarria has a 2-year-old Cracksman colt and a yearling son of **Bated Breath** to follow. Sales history: 2,000,000gns Ylg '23 TATOCT. Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-0, \$22,295. O-Mrs John Magnier & Michael Tabor & Derrick Smith & Peter M Brant; B-Hascombe & Valiant Stud Ltd; T-Aidan O'Brien.



Galveston as a yearling | Alisha Meeder/Tattersalls

**ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**

**Calrissiana (GB), f, 3, Too Darn Hot (GB)--Calyxa (GB) (GSW & G1SP-Ger, MG1SP-Itly, \$260,994), by Pivotal (GB).** Naas, 5-10, 8fT, 1:42.95. Lifetime Record: 7-1-0-2, \$12,179. B-Gestut Haus Ittlingen. \*€60,000 2yo '24 TATBRU.

## FRANCE

**Saturday's Results:**

**3rd-Compiegne, €27,000, Mdn, 5-10, 3yo, f, 12fT, 2:39.03, g/s. CALAMANDRA (FR) (f, 3, New Bay {GB})--Calayana {Fr} {GSP-Fr}, by Sinndar {Ire})** employed patient tactics from flagfall and raced off the pace in ninth for most of this unveiling. Urged forward off the home turn, the 10-3 second favourite joined the front rank with 300 metres remaining and kept on strongly to defeat Seine (Le Havre), herself a granddaughter of three-time G1 Nassau Stakes heroine Middy (**Oasis Dream**), by a length in ultimately snug fashion. Calamandra is the third foal and scorer produced by G3 Prix Minerve runner-up Calayana (Sinndar), herself the leading performer out of a winning half-sister to GI Belmont Derby Invitational second and G2 Prix Hocquart third Canndal (Medicean). Descendants of the winner's G2 Prix de l'Opera-winning fourth dam Clodora (Linamix) include G1 Poule d'Essai des Poulains-winning sire Clodovil (Daneshill), GI Arlington Million third Colombian (Azamour), G1 SA Derby hero Aragosta (Rafeef) and G1 South African Fillies Sprint runner-up Mrs Browning (Rafeef). The February-foaled homebred bay is a half-sister to multiple Group-winning G1 Champion Stakes, G1 Juddmonte International and G1 Dubai Sheema Classic runner-up Calandagan (**Gleneagles**), a 2-year-old filly by **Zarak** and a yearling filly by Palace Pier. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, €13,500. O/B-Aga Khan Studs (FR); T-Francis-Henri Graffard.

**CONDITIONS RESULTS:**

**2nd-Compiegne, €27,000, Cond, 5-10, 4yo/up, 12fT, 2:43.67, g/s. GOLDEN CALL (FR) (g, 6, Havana Gold {Ire})--Bugle Call {Ire}, by Shamardal)** Lifetime Record: MSP-Fr, 32-9-5-1, €226,050. O/T-Henri-Alex Pantall; B-Henri-Alex Pantall & Mme Yvette Pantall (FR).

**ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**

**Messe De Minuit (Fr), f, 3, Cokoriko (Fr)--Grand Messe (Fr), by Network (Ger).** Moulins, 5-10, 14fT, 3:01.90. B-Haras de Saint-Voir (FR).

**Alem (Fr), g, 3, Golden Horde (Ire)--Allucination (GB), by Lope De Vega (Ire).** Moulins, 5-10, 5fT, :56.90. B-Sumbe (FR).

**Paris Babe (Fr), f, 3, Mehmas (Ire)--Stay In Paris (Fr), by Olympic Glory (Ire).** Compiegne, 5-10, 7fT, 1:23.88. B-Al Shaqab Racing & Ecurie de Castillon (FR). \*€45,000 Ylg '23 ARQOCT.

**La Bonne Etoile (Ire)**, f, 3, **Sea The Moon (Ger)**--Newsletter (Ire) (SW & GSP-Eng, GSP-Ire), by Sir Percy (GB). Compiègne, 5-10, 9fT, 1:47.95. B-Ballylinch Stud (IRE). \*€50,000 RNA Wlg '22 GOFNOV; €110,000 Ylg '23 GOFORB.

**Silham (Ire)**, f, 4, **Wootton Bassett (GB)**--Shotgun Gulch (GISW-US, \$528,976), by Thunder Gulch. Moulins, 5-10, 7fT, 1:31.10. B-Al Shaqab Racing (IRE). \*€60,000 4yo '25 ARQFEB. \*\*1/2 to Watan (GB) (Tornado {Ire}), GSP-Eng; and Rabdan (GB) (**Frankel {GB}**), SP-Fr.

## GERMANY

### ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

**Mister Phoenix (GB)**, c, 3, **Territories (Ire)**--Natsovia (GB), by Nathaniel (Ire). Halle, 5-10, 8 3/4fT, 1:47.10. B-Moor Park Stud (GB). \*6,000gns Wlg '22 TATFOA; €24,000 Ylg '23 GOFORB.

## ITALY

### Saturday's Results:

**Lope Spirit (Ire)**, c, 2, **Lucky Vega (Ire)**--Dundel's Spirit (Ire), by Invincible Spirit (Ire). Siracusa, 5-10, Mdn., 1200mT, gd. O-Rosario Trainito. B-Con Harrington (Ire). T-Salvatore Scalora. J-Daniele Scalora. \*€15,000 Ylg '24 TATSEP. \*\*1/2 to Isaan Queen (Ire) (War Command), SW-Eng. **VIDEO**.



### IN AUSTRALIA:

**Bosustow (Aus)**, c, 3, **Blue Point (Ire)**--Bumbasina (Ire) (MSP-Ire), by Canford Cliffs (Ire). GCTC, 5-10, G3 Gold Coast Guineas, 1200mT, 1:10.72, hy. B-Amelia Park Racing & Breeding Pty Ltd (Aus). \***1ST GROUP WIN**. \*\*A\$900,000 Ylg '23 MAGJAN. \*\*\*1/2 to Amelia's Jewel (Aus) (**Siyouni {Fr}**), G1SW-Aus, \$2,740,647.

**Rockribbed (Aus)**, g, 7, **Night Of Thunder (Ire)**--Seattle Lass (Aus) (SP-Aus, \$133,111), by Fraar. GCTC, 5-10, Listed Australian Turf Club Trophy, 1200mT, 1:30.39, hy. B-Bridsan Bloodstock (Aus). \***1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN**. \*\*A\$14,000 Ylg '19 INGAPR.

## AUSTRALASIA

### RESERVE BANK STEPS UP TO PLATE IN THE GOODWOOD *By Kit Gow/TTR AusNZ*



Jamie Melham: partnered Reserve Bank to victory | Bronwen Healy

**Reserve Bank** (Capitalist) may have been the baby of the field, but there is no doubting his ability now as the three-year-old colt made it three stakes wins in a row on Saturday when causing an upset in the G1 The Goodwood. Winning the Listed Redelva Stakes, followed by the G3 Tobin Stakes a fortnight ago, the Mick Price and Michael Kent Jnr-trained colt was only at start number nine when lining up at Morphettville.

He swiftly justified his place in an elite field when rocketing home under Jamie Melham from the back to score by a length and three-quarters from local galloper **Sir Sway** (Sir Prancealot), with ante-post favourite **Giga Kick** (Scissor Kick) a whisker away in third. Melham was claiming back-to-back Goodwoods, having guided Benedetta (Hellbent) to Group 1 glory in her home state last year.

"Nothing went to plan," she said. "He reared out the gates, missed the start, but I just got a dream run. Giga Kick was on our outside, and I thought if I drag back now and get on his backside, he's going to be too sharp, so we just rode for luck.

"The gaps came and I was just a passenger. Mick's [Price] got this horse absolutely flying. That was a very impressive win."

"I was a bit concerned in the run, where he was," said Price. "I did say to her [Melham], 'He's a nice flow-along sort of horse, he doesn't like the mixed messages and don't drag him back'. But thankfully they ran along and he was allowed to use his big stride late and he took off." **Cont. p16**



**Goodwood cont.**

"He just needs a bit of room," Price added. "As the race worked out, you know, it was probably a good spot for him to be. There was a bit of argy-bargy going on up in front, wasn't there? He's a lovely colt and he's won a Group 1. Fantastic."

**Pedigree Notes**

A \$410,000 Inglis Melbourne Premier Sale purchase for his trainers, Reserve Bank is the second Group 1 winner for his **Newgate** Farm-based sire Capitalist, who will stand for A\$44,000 (inc GST) this season. He is also the first three-year-old colt this season to capture a Group 1 in open company. He is the first stakes winner from Our Songbird (Fastnet Rock), who visited Capitalist again in the spring. She is a half-sister to the Listed winners Corsaire (Anabaa) and Debonairly (Snitzel).

Yulong Investments share in the ownership of Reserve Bank. Possibly, in the future, he could be one to carry on the sire line of Written Tycoon, being a grandson of Yulong Stud's outstanding sire.

**Saturday, Morphettville, Australia**

**GOODWOOD HANDICAP-G1**, A\$1,000,000, SAJC, 5-10, 3yo/up, Open Set Weight, 1200mT, 1:09.72, gd.

1--**RESERVE BANK (AUS)**, 54.5, c, 3, by **Capitalist (Aus)**

1st Dam: **Our Songbird (Aus)**, by **Fastnet Rock (Aus)**

2nd Dam: **Crystal Choir (GB)**, by **Singspiel (Ire)**

3rd Dam: **Crystal Ring (Ire)**, by **Kris (GB)**

**1ST GROUP 1 WIN.** (A\$410,000 Ylg '23 INGMAR). O-S Tsalikidis, C Cortese, N S Psaltis, Mrs G C Psaltis, Peake Racing, Dr B A Boan, S Dougan, Yu Long Investments, J M MacLean, Mrs A J MacLean, D J Maclean, T Clark, Synergy Racing & G1G Colts & Breeding Pty Ltd; B-Segenhoe Thoroughbreds Australia Pty Ltd (NSW); T-M Price & M Kent Jnr; J-Jamie Kah; A\$549,190. Lifetime Record: 9-5-1-0, A\$884,800.

**Werk Nick Rating: A+++ \*Triple Plus\*. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree. Click for the free Arion.co.nz catalogue-style pedigree.**

2--**Sir Sway (Aus)**, 55.5, g, 4, Sir Prancealot (Ire) --Silent Sway (Aus), by **Commands (Aus)**. **1ST GROUP BLACK TYPE. 1ST GROUP 1 BLACK TYPE.** O-Send The Fleet, Good Fourth Racing, M J Donovan, D M White, P E Walters, Mrs L J Mark & N J Mark; B-Mr BR Jaensch (SA); T-S & J Jaensch; J-Jake Toeroek; A\$177,000.

3--**Giga Kick (Aus)**, 55.0, g, 5, Scissor Kick (Aus)--Rekindled Applause (GB), by Royal Applause (GB). O-Pinecliff Racing (Mgr: J B Munz); B-G S A Bloodstock Pty Ltd (VIC); T-Clayton Douglas; J-M Zahra; A\$88,250.

Margins: 1 1/4, NS, NK. Odds: 5.50, 61.00, 2.10.

Also Ran: Aameena (Aus), Generosity (Aus), Climbing Star (NZ), Watchme Win (Aus), Prairie Flower (Aus), Sghirripa (Aus), Volcanic Express (Aus), Stretan Angel (Aus), Press Down (Aus), Charm Stone (Aus). **Click for the Racing Australia chart. VIDEO.**

**ASIA****Saturday, Kyoto, Japan**

**KYOTO SHIMBUN HAI-G2**, ¥104,560,000, Kyoto, 5-10, 3yo, 2200mT, 2:14.70, gd.

1--**SHOHEI (JPN)**, 126, c, 3, by **Saturnalia (Jpn)**

1st Dam: **Oro Trajet (Jpn)**, by **Orfevre (Jpn)**



2nd Dam: **Musical Way (Fr)**, by **Gold Away (Ire)**

3rd Dam: **Mulika (Fr)**, by **Procidia**

**1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN. 1ST GROUP WIN.** O-Tatsue Ishikawa; B-Northern Farm (Jpn); T-Yasuo Tomomichi; J-Yuga Kawada; ¥54,742,000. Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-0, ¥69,342,000. **Werk Nick Rating: A+++ \*Triple Plus\*. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree. Click for the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.**

2--**M's (Jpn)**, 126, c, 3, Duramente(Jpn)--Life For Sale (Arg), by Not For Sale (Arg). **1ST BLACK TYPE. 1ST GROUP BLACK TYPE.** O-M's Racing; B-Northern Farm (Jpn); ¥22,212,000.

3--**Del Avar**, 126, c, 3, by **Frankel (GB)**--Amour Briller, by Smart Strike. **1ST BLACK TYPE. 1ST GROUP BLACK TYPE.** O-Koji Maeda; B-North Hills Co. (Jpn); ¥14,106,000.

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Margins: 2HF, HF, NK. Odds: 10.70, 6.00, 14.40.

Also Ran: Toppi Born (Jpn), Nebra Disk (Jpn), Naglfar (Jpn), Coachella Valley (Jpn), L'Ottobrata (Jpn), King Squall (Jpn), O Shin Es (Jpn). **Click for the JRA chart & video.**

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**Saturday, Tokyo, Japan**

**EPSOM CUP-G3**, ¥82,730,000, Tokyo, 5-10, 3yo/up, 1800mT, 1:43.90 (NTR), gd.

1--**SEIUN HADES (Jpn)**, 126, h, 6, by **Silver State (Jpn)**

1st Dam: **High Knowledge (Jpn)**, by **Manhattan Cafe (Jpn)**

2nd Dam: **Gold Grace (Jpn)**, by **Helissio (Fr)**

3rd Dam: **Grace Woman (Jpn)**, by **Maruzensky (Jpn)**

O-Shigeyuki Nishiyama; B-Keiichi Samekawa (Jpn); T-Shinsuke Hashiguchi; J-Hideaki Miyuki; ¥43,651,000. Lifetime Record: 14-5-2-0, ¥174,035,000. **Werk Nick Rating: D+**. [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree](#). [Click for the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree](#).

2--**Douradores (Jpn)**, 126, h, 6, Duramente (Jpn)--Roca (Jpn), by Harbinger (GB). O-Katsumi Yoshida; B-Northern Farm (Jpn); ¥17,186,000.

3--**Tosen Ryo (Jpn)**, 126, h, 6, Deep Impact (Jpn)--Cambina (Ire), by Hawk Wing. (¥200,000,000 Ylg '20 JRHJUL). **1ST GROUP BLACK TYPE**. O-Takaya Shimakawa; B-Shadai Farm (Jpn); ¥11,093,000.

Margins: 1 3/4, 1HF, HD. Odds: 13.20, 3.70, 28.90.

Also Ran: **Cruzeiro do Sul (Jpn)**, **Contrapposto (Jpn)**, **Danon Ayers Rock (Jpn)**, **Deep Monster (Jpn)**, **Echt (Jpn)**, **David Barows (Jpn)**, **Karate (Jpn)**, **Top Knife (Jpn)**, **Corepetiteur (Jpn)**, **Strauss (Jpn)**, **Kyoei Brisa (Jpn)**, **La Quemada (Jpn)**, **June Take (Jpn)**, **Be Astonished (Jpn)**, **Meisho Titan (Jpn)**. [Click for the JRA chart & video](#).



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**Sunday, ParisLongchamp, France, post time: 16:25**

**EMIRATES POULE D'ESSAI DES POULAINS-G1**, €650,000, 3yo, c, 8fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	5	Ridari (Fr)	Churchill (Ire)	Delzangles	Barzalona	128
2	13	Sahlan (Ire)	Wootton Bassett (GB)	Graffard	Guyon	128
3	14	Selenien (Fr)	Mehmas (Ire)	Guillemin	Madamet	128
4	3	Misunderstood (Fr)	Hello Youmzain (Fr)	Baratti	Pouchin	128
5	18	Dos Mukasan (Fr)	Golden Horde (Ire)	C Head	Demuro	128
6	8	Aomori City (Fr)	Oasis Dream (GB)	C Appleby	Buick	128
7	4	Reach The Sky (Fr)	Calyx (GB)	Cottier	Mendizabal	128
8	9	Detain (Ire)	Wootton Bassett (GB)	J&T Gosden	Keane	128
9	12	Jonquil (GB)	Lope De Vega (Ire)	Balding	O Murphy	128
10	10	Heybetli (Ire)	Showcasing (GB)	Karkosa	Pasquier	128
11	7	Zarra (Fr)	Zarak (Fr)	Karkosa	Marie	128
12	6	Henri Matisse (Ire)	Wootton Bassett (GB)	A O'Brien	R Moore	128
13	16	Luther (GB)	Frankel (GB)	Fellowes	Shoemark	128
14	17	Tipinso (Fr)	Pinatubo (Ire)	Rouget	Eyquem	128
15	11	Houquetot (Ire)	Wootton Bassett (GB)	C Head	Lemaitre	128
16	2	Hotazhell (GB)	Too Darn Hot (GB)	Harrington	Foley	128
17	1	Serengeti (Fr)	Wootton Bassett (GB)	A O'Brien	Levey	128
18	15	Camille Pissarro (Ire)	Wootton Bassett (GB)	A O'Brien	Soumillon	128

Ballydoyle look to get off the mark in the 2025 Classics and will be buoyed by the news on Friday that **Henri Matisse** has received a highly favourable draw in six for this turning test. Kept back for this following his success in the G3 Ballylinch Stud Red Rocks Stakes in March, the experienced son of Immortal Verse has all boxes ticked with Ryan Moore on board despite the presence of last year's G1 Prix Jean-Luc Lagardere winner **Camille Pissarro**. Drawn in 15, that stablemate will have to navigate the crowd to overcome a terrible post position, but at least he is a hold-up merchant and Christophe Soumillon clicked on him here on Arc day. Another Irish challenger to do well in the draw is the G1 Futurity Trophy and G2 Beresford Stakes winner **Hotazhell**, but he has a length to find on Henri Matisse on their G2 Futurity Stakes meeting last summer and will need to be sharp to win this on his seasonal bow. First and second in the course-and-distance G3 Prix de Fontainebleau, **Ridari** and **Sahlan** have fared contrastingly with the draw and that has probably killed the chance of the latter, while Juddmonte's G3 Greenham Stakes winner **Jonquil** has a tricky stall in 12 so Oisin Murphy will be in full analysis mode in the lead-up. [Tom Frary].

**Sunday, ParisLongchamp, France, post time: 17:05**

**EMIRATES POULE D'ESSAI DES POULICHES-G1**, €550,000, 3yo, f, 8fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	1	Mandanaba (Fr)	Ghaiyyath (Ire)	Graffard	Guyon	126
2	7	Zarigana (GB)	Siyouni (Fr)	Graffard	Barzalona	126
3	11	Ghoufrann (Ire)	Oasis Dream (GB)	Ghabri	Madamet	126
4	6	Shes Perfect (Ire)	Sioux Nation	Fellowes	Shoemark	126
5	13	Godspeed (Fr)	Hello Youmzain (Fr)	C&Y Lerner	Thomas	126
6	9	Bedtime Story (Ire)	Frankel (GB)	A O'Brien	Keane	126
7	8	Exactly (Ire)	Frankel (GB)	A O'Brien	R Moore	126

8	10	Merrily	No Nay Never	A O'Brien	Buick	126
9	3	Daylight (Fr)	Earthlight (Ire)	Cottier	Demuro	126
10	5	Mimos (Fr)	City Light (Fr)	Le Roch	Piccone	126
11	4	Better Together (GB)	Oasis Dream (GB)	Fabre	Pouchin	126
12	12	Heavens Gate (Ire)	Churchill (Ire)	A O'Brien	Levey	126
13	2	Celestial Orbit (GB)	No Nay Never	Sangster	J Spencer	126

Francis-Henri Graffard has the draw gods to thank for the mercy shown to his star duo **Zarigana** and **Mandanaba** and their showdown greatly enhances this renewal. Preference is for the former, who bids to erase the memory of her painful course-and-distance defeat in the G1 Prix Marcel Boussac on Arc day with her stablemate perhaps more one for the Diane next month. **Better Together** represents the G3 Prix Imprudence form and she will love this mile, while the main Ballydoyle hopes **Exactly** and **Bedtime Story** are fascinating contenders. Exactly was bang there with Zarigana at the end of the Marcel Boussac and could just have improved more, while the latter was only fifth there as she staged a meek retreat into the shadows having looked champion material earlier in the season. Few will ever forget her sensational Royal Ascot display last June, when the thought of Ryan Moore not even choosing her for a Pouliches would have been unimaginable and from stall nine she will be hunted around by Colin Keane in what could be the start of a process of re-education. Outside **Godspeed** is not out of things, having impressed with her effort behind Zarigana in the G3 Prix de la Grotte, while Ollie Sangster looks to get heavily involved in a second fillies' Classic in the space of eight days with the classy **Celestial Orbit**. [Tom Frary].

#### Sunday, Tokyo, Japan, post time: 15:40

**NHK MILE CUP-G1**, ¥253,400,000, 3yo, c/f, 1600mT

SC	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Mondo Dell'Amore (Jpn)	World Ace (Jpn)	Chiba	Tosaki	125
2	Shonan Xanadu (Jpn)	Kizuna (Jpn)	Matsushita	Ikezoe	121
3	Cerbiatto (Jpn)	Lord Kanaloa (Jpn)	Takano	Dee	121
4	Yankee Barows (Jpn)	Epiphaneia (Jpn)	Uemura	Iwata	125
5	Lance Of Chaos (Jpn)	Silver State (Jpn)	Okumura	Yoshimura	125
6	Immigrant Song (Jpn)	Makfi (GB)	Tsuji	Lemaire	125
7	Total Clarity (Jpn)	Bago (Fr)	Ikezoe	Kitamura	125
8	Admire Zoom (Jpn)	Maurice (Jpn)	Tomomichi	Kawada	125
9	Meiner Ticket (Jpn)	Danon Ballade (Jpn)	Miya	Yokoyama	125
10	Magic Sands (Jpn)	Kizuna (Jpn)	Sugai	Take	125
11	Panja Tower (Jpn)	Tower Of London (Jpn)	Hashiguchi	Matsuyama	125
12	Ma Puce (Jpn)	Mind Your Biscuits	Wada	Tanabe	121
13	Mini Transat (Jpn)	Epiphaneia (Jpn)	Sugiyama	Sameshima	125
14	Tiratore (Jpn)	Real Steel (Jpn)	Maki	Kowata	121
15	Arte Veloce (Jpn)	Maurice (Jpn)	Sugai	Sasaki	125
16	Satono Carnaval (Jpn)	Kitasan Black (Jpn)	Hori	Lane	125
17	Voulezvous (Jpn)	Satono Crown (Jpn)	Take	Hamanaka	121
18	Caught Alliciant (Jpn)	Saturnalia (Jpn)	Ito	Sugawara	121

**Breeders:** 1-Shunsuke Yoshida, 2-Northern Farm, 3-Northern Racing, 4-Tomita Bokujo, 5-Fujiwara Farm, 6-Northern Farm, 7-Northern Farm, 8-Shadai Farm, 9-Big Red Farm, 10-Northern Racing, 11-Champions Farm, 12-Shadai Farm, 13-Shadai Farm, 14-Tsunebumi Yoshihara, 15-Northern Farm, 16-Northern Racing, 17-Northern Farm, 18-Shadai Farm.

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**Sunday, Hoppegarten, Germany, post time: 14:00****COMER GROUP INTERNATIONAL 54TH OLEANDER-RENNEN-G2**, €130,000, 4yo/up, 16fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	2	Lordano (Ger)	Adlerflug (Ger)	Weiss	Piechulek	128
2	5	Alpenjager (Ger)	Nutan (Ire)	Schiergen	Vogt	126
3	4	Flatten The Curve (Fr)	<b>Zarak (Fr)</b>	Grewe	Hammer-Hansen	126
4	6	Sir Siljan (Fr)	Cloth Of Stars (Ire)	Pantall	de Vries	126
5	3	Waldadler (Ger)	Adlerflug (Ger)	Vovcenko	Pedroza	126
6	1	Atlantica (GB)	Mastercraftsman (Ire)	Bocskai	Berge	122
7	8	Enfranchise (Ire)	Invincible Spirit (Ire)	McCreery	N Crosse	122
8	7	Nastaria (GB)	Outstrip (GB)	Schleusner-Fruhriep	Byrne	122
9	9	Partnun (Ger)	The Grey Gatsby (Ire)	Hickst	Abik	122

Multiple Group winner **Lordano** is back up to a staying trip, having looked more than comfortable in this sphere when dominating the 15-furlong G3 Silbernes Pferd in 2023. French challenger **Sir Siljan** is an unexposed stayer from a stable that has to be respected on their German forays. [Tom Frary].

**Sunday, ParisLongchamp, France, post time: 14:33****AUGUSTE RODIN COOLMORE PRIX SAINT-ALARY-G2**, €130,000, 3yo, f, 10fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	3	Audubon Park (Fr)	Dubawi (Ire)	Graffard	Soumillon	126
2	4	Jones (Fr)	Elarqam (GB)	Cerulis	Lemaitre	126
3	2	Flaming Stone (GB)	<b>Kingman (GB)</b>	Devin	Pouchin	126
4	1	Gezora (Fr)	Almanzor (Fr)	Graffard	Barzalona	126

Just four in this former Group 1 which now takes on more of the guise of a Diane trial, but it's a tight affair.

**Audubon Park** didn't achieve anything out of the ordinary on the formbook despite winning Saint-Cloud's Listed Prix Rose de Mai by four lengths, but she hails from a Wertheimer family that seems to get top-class middle-distance fillies year upon year. **Flaming Stone** split this card's leading G1 Poule d'Essai des Pouliches hope Mandanaba and **Gezora** in the G3 Prix Vanteaux here last month and is probably the one to beat on that evidence. [Tom Frary].

**Sunday, ParisLongchamp, France, post time: 13:58****PRIX DE SAINT-GEORGES-G3**, €80,000, 3yo/up, 5fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	2	Keran (Fr)	Blue Point (Ire)	Graffard	Barzalona	129
2	6	Kylian (Ire)	Invincible Spirit (Ire)	A Watson	Morris	129
3	7	Zorken (Fr)	Goken (Fr)	Janackova Koplikova	Bachelot	129
4	5	Ponntos (Ire)	Power (GB)	Nieslanik	Cosgrave	129
5	1	Ciao Pa' (Fr)	Shamalgan (Fr)	C Boutin	H Boutin	129
6	8	Lesslepasser (Fr)	Penny's Picnic (Ire)	Lanslots	Valle Skar	129
7	4	Pradaro (Fr)	Penny's Picnic (Ire)	Lanslots	Lemaitre	129
8	3	Mgheera (GB)	Zoustar (Aus)	Walker	O Murphy	126
9	9	Electric Storm (Ire)	Night Of Thunder (Ire)	Tate	Soumillon	126

**Ponntos** bids for a third renewal, having conquered in 2022 and last year, but has the progressive mare **Electric Storm** to contend with as well as The Aga Khan Studs' unexposed **Keran**. He gave the impression when second in the Listed Prix Cor de Chasse at Deauville last month that he has a lot more to give. [Tom Frary].

**Sunday, Leopardstown, post time: 15:30****CASHEL PALACE HOTEL DERBY TRIAL STAKES-G3**, €60,000, 3yo, 10fT

SC	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Acapulco Bay (Ire)	Dubawi (Ire)	Westerberg,Mrs J Magnier,M Tabor,D,Smith	A P O'Brien	W J Lee	131
2	Delacroix (Ire)	Dubawi (Ire)	Derrick Smith & Mrs John Magnier & Michael Tabor	A P O'Brien	W M Lordan	131
3	Purview (GB)	Kingman (GB)	Juddmonte	D K Weld	C D Hayes	131
4	Rock Of Cashel (Ire)	Wootton Bassett (GB)	Michael Tabor & Derrick Smith & Mrs John Magnier	A P O'Brien	G M Ryan	131
5	Tennessee Stud (Ire)	Wootton Bassett (GB)	Westerberg,Tabor,Magnier,Smith	Joseph Patrick O'Brien	D McMonagle	131

Breeders: 1-Westerberg, 2-Tepin Syndicate, 3-Juddmonte Farms (East) Ltd, 4-Coolmore, 5-Mrs Ann Marie O'Brien

**Delacroix** looks the obvious one here, based not only his smart 2-year-old form but also on his course-and-distance G3 Ballysax Stakes success which has been boosted by the two stablemates he had in arrears. At this rate, it is almost inconceivable that Ballydoyle could lose one of these but if there is one who can put something in the spokes it is Joseph O'Brien's **Tennessee Stud**. Closely matched with the favourite on last year's form lines, the G1 Criterium de Saint-Cloud winner is joined by fellow Westerberg colour-bearer **Acapulco Bay**, an intriguing back-up for Ballydoyle who we haven't seen anywhere near the best of yet. [Tom Frary].

**Sunday, Leopardstown, post time: 14:20****AL SHIRA'AA RACING 'MUTAMAKINA' STAKES-G3**, €36,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 7f 53yT

SC	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Elinor Dashwood (Ire)	Kodi Bear (Ire)	Mrs C Cashman	Adrian McGuinness	Adam Caffrey	135
2	Vera's Secret (Ire)	Epaulette (Aus)	J Browne	John James Feane	J A Heffernan	135
3	Vespertilio (Fr)	Night of Thunder (Ire)	Al Shira'aa Racing	W McCreery	D McMonagle	135
4	Bella Isabella (Ire)	Wootton Bassett (GB)	Moyglare Stud Farm	D K Weld	C D Hayes	123
5	Chantez (Ire)	Wootton Bassett (GB)	Newtown Anner Stud Farm Ltd	G M Lyons	J J G Ryan	123
6	Easy Mover (Ire)	Wootton Bassett (GB)	Derrick Smith & Mrs John Magnier & Michael Tabor	A P O'Brien	G M Ryan	123
7	Fiery Lucy (GB)	Without Parole (GB)	Lindsay Laroche/Dunphy Family Syndicate	Gavin Cromwell	G F Carroll	123
8	Sweet Chariot (Ire)	Wootton Bassett (GB)	Mrs John Magnier & Michael Tabor & Derrick Smith	A P O'Brien	W M Lordan	123

Breeders: 1-Thomas Whelan & Amanda Brudenell, 2-Kilnamoragh Stud, 3-Ecurie Des Monceaux & Ecurie Skymarc Farm, 4-Moyglare Stud Farm, 5-B. V. Sangster, 6-Coolmore, 7-Whatton Manor Stud, 8-Coolmore

This sees the return of the hardy campaigner **Fiery Lucy**, who brings the most exciting form to the table having been fourth when last seen in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies Turf. Last year's Listed Ingabelle Stakes winner **Chantez** faces a quick turnaround following her disappointing effort in Monday's G3 Athasi Stakes, while the fact that Dermot Weld asks a fairly big question of his Cork maiden winner **Bella Isabella** can only be a positive given how intimately connected he is with her esteemed family tree. [Tom Frary].

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