



# BELMONT CHAMP SOVEREIGNTY WILL TARGET TRAVERSERS NEXT



**Bill Mott feeds Sovereignty a carrot Sunday morning**  
*Sarah Andrew*

*by Tim Wilkin*

SARATOGA SPRINGS, N.Y. - After a post-race visit for a beer and some hors d'oeuvres at the downtown Whitman Brewing Company, Hall of Fame trainer Bill Mott was home, conked out on the recliner.

"I must have slept in the chair for an hour," Mott said. "I turned the TV on and, at the count of three, I was gone. I woke up at midnight and went to bed."

And that is how Mott spent his night after his talented 3-year-old colt **Sovereignty** (Into Mischief) turned the 157th running of the GI Belmont Stakes into his personal playground. He stamped himself as the best of his division with an emphatic three-length win over **Journalism** (**Curlin**) in the finale of the 2025 Triple Crown.

Sovereignty, owned by Godolphin, also won the GI Kentucky Derby and has three wins in four starts this year.

"He is a top-notch horse," Mott said, standing outside Sovereignty's stall at the Oklahoma Training Track early Sunday morning. "I don't think there is any denying that now. I think we have seen enough. It didn't happen just one time. He has put in some good runs consistently."

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# DETERMINISTIC HOLDS ON FOR EMOTIONAL MANHATTAN VICTORY

In perhaps the most fitting end to a dramatic weekend of racing in upstate New York, **Deterministic** (Liam's Map) held on for a last-gasp victory in the GI Manhattan Stakes Sunday at Saratoga, giving Miguel Clement his first top-level victory just two weeks after taking over the stable following the passing of his father, longtime New York conditioner Christophe Clement.

"I'm very fortunate and very lucky we have a great team. Very much Dad's legacy," Clement said. "It is beyond emotional, the last two weeks, to be honest with you. Both professionally and personally. A massive emptiness to win this race without my Dad, but life goes on."

Deterministic, a \$625,000 Keeneland September graduate, had been purchased on behalf of St. Elias Stables by bloodstock agent Michael Wallace, who passed away Saturday. **Cont. p5**

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*Sovereignty (Into Mischief) snoozes in his stall at Saratoga the morning after winning the GI Belmont Stakes. | Sarah Andrew*

**7 | MICHAEL WALLACE PASSES AWAY**

*Michael Wallace, who served as Chief Operating Officer of the China Horse Club for eight years, and recently worked as an independent bloodstock agent with St. Elias Stable and Gandharvi Racing Stables, passed away suddenly on Saturday.*

**7 | AG BULLET EARNS BREEDERS' CUP BERTH WITH JAIPUR WIN**

*Ag Bullet (Twirling Candy) earned an automatic berth in the GI Breeders' Cup Turf Sprint with her dominant victory over the boys in the GI Jaipur Stakes Sunday at Saratoga.*

**8 | EAST AVENUE BACK IN THE WINNER'S CIRCLE**

*East Avenue (Medaglia d'Oro) returned to the winner's circle with a gutsy front-running victory in the Gill Matt Winn Stakes at Churchill Downs Sunday.*



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## Sovereignty to Target Travers (cont. from p1)

A steady stream of Sovereignty fans made their way to the grassy area in the barn area and snapped pictures of him.

The blanket of white carnations, which Sovereignty earned for the Belmont, were draped over a post in front of his stall.

The next major target for Sovereignty will be the GI Travers Stakes at Saratoga on Aug. 23. How he gets there is what Mott must figure out. He said he could either train him up to the race or, more likely, run him in the GII Jim Dandy Stakes at Saratoga on July 26.

“The immediate goal is to let the trainer rest a little bit,” Mott said with a laugh “Walk the trainer for a few days and get him back in the feed tub, then we’ll decide. Our goal will be to get [Sovereignty] to the Travers the best way we can.”

Mott reiterated Sunday what he said at his Belmont press conference Saturday night: he was not going to play the “what if” game when it came to the GI Preakness Stakes.

After Sovereignty beat Journalism in the Kentucky Derby, Mott and Michael Banahan, Godolphin USA’s Director of Bloodstock, wasted little time in adamantly announcing they would not run in the Preakness and have a go at the Triple Crown.

After winning the Belmont, he was not going to speculate that had Sovereignty run in Baltimore, he would now be celebrated as the sport’s 14th Triple Crown winner. Journalism won the Preakness, overcoming a rugged trip with some bumping in the stretch.

“No, that would be totally ridiculous to even consider it as far as I’m concerned,” he said. “We are pleased with the outcome. Who knows? What if we are at Pimlico and we got caught up in a logjam. You look back, you don’t know. Where would we have been when all that happened? Hey, it turned out good for us, it turned out good for the horse, it turned out good for the connections. No regrets.”

## Journalism Will Head West, But Could Come Back East

Just before 7 a.m. Sunday morning, trainer Michael McCarthy examined his war horse **Journalism** (**Curlin**), the runner-up in Saturday’s GI Belmont Stakes. The colt passed the test.

“He is very well,” McCarthy said outside at the Oklahoma Training Track.

Journalism finished second to Sovereignty (Into Mischief) in the Belmont and the GI Kentucky Derby. In both races, Journalism was the favorite. He did win the GI Preakness, also as the favorite.

After being on the road for the last six weeks, Journalism will head back home to California and McCarthy’s barn at Santa Anita on Tuesday. From there, McCarthy will figure out a plan for Journalism’s next start.

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The long-range goal for the year is the GI Breeders' Cup Classic at Del Mar on Nov. 1.

McCarthy said Journalism could have two starts before that. The GI Haskell Stakes at Monmouth on July 19, the GI Jim Dandy at Saratoga, the GI Travers Stakes, also at Saratoga, and the GI Pennsylvania Derby at Parx on Sept. 20 are options.

"Everything is on the table," McCarthy said. "I could see that scenario [three races] very easily. We will get him home, let him get his feet underneath him a little bit and have an easy week or 10 days and then get back in a rhythm with him."

Journalism, owned by Eclipse Thoroughbred Partners, Bridlewood Farm, Don Alberto Stable, Robert LaPenta, Elayne Stables Five, Mrs. John Magnier, Michael Tabor and Derrick Smith, has raced five times this year and has three wins and two seconds.

He was the only horse that ran in all three legs of the Triple

Crown.

Journalism has run at four different tracks--Santa Anita, Churchill Downs, Pimlico and Saratoga--in his last four starts.

"It takes a special horse to be able to go from venue to venue, racetrack to racetrack and not needing to take a particular kind of racetrack with him," McCarthy said. "Second in the Kentucky Derby with a little bit of a muddled trip early, an adventurous trip in the Preakness and getting the job done, and a third race in five weeks and showing up and bringing his 'A' game in the Belmont and nearly getting it done. There is a lot to like about that."

Journalism will head home with only one piece of the Triple

Crown and a pair of solid, but not special efforts.

McCarthy was proud of the efforts of his horse in the grueling series and expects he will be a tough foe for the rest of the division the second half of the year.



Journalism and Michael McCarthy | Sarah Andrew

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## NEW G1 WINNER

### DETERMINISTIC

Earned his 5th graded win and first G1 victory in the **G1 MANHATTAN S.** at Saratoga, making his sire one of 4 stallions with multiple G1 winners in 2025.

Congratulations to Miguel Clement on his first G1 win.

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# TWIRLING CANDY

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

## 10 G1 WINNERS

### NEW G1 WINNER AG BULLET

The multiple graded stakes winner earned her first G1 win, defeating males, in the **G1 JAIPUR S.**, a **"WIN AND YOU'RE IN"** for the **BREEDERS' CUP TURF SPRINT**, at Saratoga bringing her earnings to **\$1,616,328**.

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“He is a special horse that can take a heavy workload,” he said. “You don’t see many horses like him. So much is putting spacing into races and, I suppose, there is something to that. In this particular case, I thought he was a horse that could handle something like the Triple Crown, and I certainly think he did.”

## Shirreffs Puzzled With Baeza’s Belmont Performance

John Shirreffs, the trainer of GI Belmont Stakes third-place finisher **Baeza (McKinzie)**, was asked what he thought of his horse’s race.

After a long pause, Shirreffs smiled and asked the lone writer this:

“Does that cover it all?” he said.

Baeza, the 7-2 third choice in the eight-horse Belmont, was never a factor as he finished 6 1/2 lengths behind the winner Sovereignty (Into Mischief) and three lengths away from Journalism (Curlin), who was second.

Shirreffs came in with high hopes as Baeza had exited a solid showing in the GI Kentucky Derby where he was third, just a neck behind Journalism, who was second to Sovereignty.

“When [jockey] Flavien [Prat] asked him to go, it took him a long time to really engage and get going,” Shirreffs said outside Baeza’s stall at the Oklahoma Training Track. “He did not have that big kick at the end like he did in the Derby. I don’t know why. I am a little perplexed. Obviously, I thought he would run a lot better than he did.”

Shirreffs said his first thought was that Baeza may not have liked the drying out Saratoga track. Steady rain early in the day had made the Spa oval sloppy, but it was listed as good by the time the Belmont was run.

Shirreffs could find nothing wrong with Baeza, owned by C R K Stable LLC and Grandview Equine, on Sunday morning. The horse is scheduled to ship back to California on Tuesday and Shirreffs said a plan will be made for the next race moving forward.

The Belmont was Baeza’s sixth career start, and he only has a maiden win on his resume. After breaking his maiden in his third start, he was a solid second behind Journalism in the GI Santa Anita Derby and then had the impressive run in the Derby.

“I still think his future is bright,” he said. “Yesterday was just not his day. He has to figure things out, without a doubt.”

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## Deterministic Holds on For Emotional Manhattan Win *(cont. from p1)*

Sent off at 5-1, Deterministic broke sharply and was soon at the head of affairs. He was nudged along by **Tucson (Constitution)** through an opening quarter in :23.69 with his stablemate **Far Bridge** (English Channel) a close-up third. Deterministic had gained some separation through a half in :48.47 and he scampered further clear as the three-quarters went up in 1:12.99. Far Bridge rolled up to challenge his stablemate at the top of the lane and it looked to be a one-two finish for the Clement stable, but **Integration (Quality Road)** unleashed a furious late rally to just miss catching the pacesetter on the line. The time for the Manhattan, shortened from 1 3/16 miles to nine furlongs when it was moved to the inner turf course, was 1:48.93.

“Once I turned on the backside, I was in cruise control,” said winning rider Kendrick Carmouche, who was capturing his first Grade I at Saratoga. “He was relaxed and into his stride like I had him at Aqueduct. Just an amazing horse. Whenever I got to the top of the lane, I asked him to quicken, and he quickened right away. He heard those horses coming, but he was just floating along. He was just running, man.” **Cont. p6**

“I am just very happy for Miguel and the Clement family,” Carmouche continued. “They’ve been through a lot in the last couple weeks and last six months--whatever you want to call it--we’ve all been through that and it’s a hard thing to go through. But the good thing is, his daddy left him a legacy and he’s going to make sure he stays strong with it and keeps pushing hard. I’m just glad that I’m part of the team.”

The consistent--and versatile--Deterministic has now hit the board in 10 of 12 lifetime starts. He captured last year’s GIII Gotham Stakes over a sloppy Aqueduct main track in just his second start.

Transferred to the turf after off-the-board efforts in the GII Wood Memorial and GIII Peter Pan Stakes, the dark bay colt was second in the GIII Manila Stakes and third in the GI Saratoga Derby Invitational before winning the GIII Virginia Derby. Second in the GIII Jockey Club Derby Invitational in October, he ended 2024 with a win in the GIII Hill Prince Stakes Nov. 9.



**Deterministic holds off late-closing Integration** | Sarah Andrew

Deterministic was coming off a front-running, course-record setting, victory in the nine-furlong GII Fort Marcy Stakes in May.

Of the decision to move Deterministic to the turf, Clement said, “To be honest, when he ran poorly in the Wood Memorial, we were all devastated. Even before that, I had a small inclination because I took him on the infield and he moved like a dream, but there was no chance after winning the Gotham that we could tell someone, ‘hey, he actually moved remarkably well on the grass.’ Dad was already stereotyped and labeled as a turf trainer, so if I did that after the Gotham, before running in the Kentucky Derby potentially, it would have been the end of us, so I kept my mouth shut.”

Clement continued, “I thought his [Deterministic's] last work on the turf course was remarkable on the Oklahoma. He has handled all different surfaces, ground, distances--today was a very good race. Kendrick seems to be getting along with him. He has tactical speed, and speed is always dangerous on the turf.”

**Pedigree Notes:**

One of 13 graded winners for Liam’s Map, Deterministic is the stallion’s sixth winner at the top level. He is the ninth Grade I winner for his broodmare sire, Speightstown.

Deterministic is the only stakes winner out of Giulio’s Jewel, who died in 2022. The mare was a half-sister to graded-placed Duff One (Harlan’s Holiday).

Under the winner’s third dam, Amelia, are graded winners Assateague and Rainha Da Bateria, as well as Grade I-placed He’s Had Enough (Tapit).

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**Deterministic heads to Saratoga winner's circle** | Sarah Andrew



**Manhattan winner's circle** | Sarah Andrew



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**Sunday, Saratoga**

**RESORTS WORLD CASINO MANHATTAN S.-GI**, \$1,000,000, Saratoga, 6-8, 4yo/up, 1 1/8mT, 1:48.93, gd.

1--**DETERMINISTIC, 122, c, 4, by Liam's Map**

**1st Dam: Giulio's Jewel, by Speightstown**

**2nd Dam: Acadiana, by Tiznow**

**3rd Dam: Amelia, by Dixieland Band**

**1ST GRADE I WIN.** (\$625,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP). 'TDN Rising Star'. O-St. Elias Stable, Ken Langone, C. Steven Duncker, and Vicarage Stable; B-Hinkle Farms (KY); T-Miguel Clement; J-Kendrick Carmouche. \$550,000. Lifetime Record: 12-6-3-1, \$1,576,015. **Werk Nick Rating: A. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree or free Equine.com catalogue-style pedigree.**



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3--**Far Bridge, 124, h, 5, English Channel**--Fitpitcher, by Kitten's Joy. 'TDN Rising Star'. O-LSU Stables; B-Calumet Farm (KY); T-Miguel Clement. \$120,000.

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**MICHAEL WALLACE PASSES AWAY**

New Zealand's Ardsley Stud announced the sad news that bloodstock agent Michael Wallace, son of Ardsley Stud's Jim and Mary Wallace, passed away on Saturday night.

"It is with deep sadness we confirm the passing of Michael Wallace, son of Jim and Mary. Michael was a much-loved father, son, and brother. The family is requesting privacy," the press release stated.

Wallace served as Chief Operating Officer of the China Horse Club for eight years before stepping down in 2021. More recently, he worked as an independent bloodstock agent with Vinnie and Teresa Viola's St. Elias Stable in the United States, as well as with Kuldeep Singh Rajput's Gandharvi Racing Stables.

Wallace is survived by his wife, Kristi, and five children.

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1--**AG BULLET, 121, m, 5, by Twirling Candy**

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

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

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

**1ST GRADE I WIN.** (\$30,000 Wlg '20 KEENOV; \$220,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP). O-Calvin Nguyen and Joey C. Tran; B-H & E Ranch (KY); T-Richard Baltas; J-John R. Velazquez. \$275,000. Lifetime Record: 14-7-0-2, \$1,616,328. **Werk Nick Rating: A. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree. Click for the free Equine.com catalogue-style pedigree.**

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3--**Alogon, 120, g, 6, California Chrome**--Scamper, by Scat Daddy. **1ST G1 BLACK TYPE.** O/B-Charles T. Matses (KY); T-Edward T. Allard. \$60,000.

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Ag Bullet stamped her ticket to the GI Breeders' Cup Turf Sprint with a powerful victory over the boys in the GI Jaipur Stakes at Saratoga Sunday. The race had originally been scheduled for the loaded GI Belmont Stakes card, but was moved to Sunday after heavy rains hit the upstate track Saturday. The transfer allowed jockey John Velazquez to pick up the mount from Flavien Prat, who was in Kentucky to ride Final Gambit in the GIII Matt Winn Stakes Sunday.

Sent off at 5-2, Ag Bullet broke in tandem with Coppola (Into Mischief) just to her outside and she settled just off that foe through an opening quarter in :22.52. The gray mare rolled up to engage the longshot pacesetter entering the straight, surged to the lead with a furlong to run and sailed clear to the wire.

"Man, it was easy," Velazquez said. "She behaved so well in the gate. They told me she was a little bit nervous and bad at the gate. But man, she was so good, did everything perfect. Broke well, like we were expecting to break. One speed goes and I sat right off of them or third. She allowed me to sit right off of them and when I asked her to go, she was there for me. It was pretty easy."

Of the result, winning trainer Richard Baltas said, “Over the moon. It’s been an up and down thing with this filly. She was overachieving last year. We tried to get the Grade I and were second, third and third, and now she’s got a Grade I win and she’s a very valuable filly.”

Ag Bullet, winner of the GIII Monrovia Stakes down the hill at Santa Anita last April and the GII Kentucky Downs Ladies Turf Sprint in August, was a narrowly beaten third in last year’s GI Breeders’ Cup Turf Sprint before stretching out to a mile to finish third after setting the pace in the Dec. 1 GI Matriarch Stakes--both over the Del Mar course which will host the Breeders’ Cup in November.



Ag Bullet | Sarah Andrew

Ag Bullet was a troubled seventh in her lone previous 2025 outing in the May 2 GIII Unbridled Sidney Stakes.

“I’m going to run her in Kentucky Downs in the race she won last year,” Baltas said of a return to the GII Ladies Turf Sprint. “Maybe she is a five-and-a-half [furlong] horse. I always wanted to stretch her out to six and a half [or] a mile, but she might be better sprinting. We could run her one more time [other than Kentucky Downs before the Breeders’ Cup], but I’m not in any rush.”

**Pedigree Notes:**

One of 25 graded winners for **Twirling Candy**, Ag Bullet is the stallion’s 10th winner at the top level.



Ag Bullet | Sarah Andrew

Noble Grey has a 2-year-old colt by **Mendelssohn**, who sold for \$32,000 at last year’s Fasig-Tipton September California Yearling Sale, and she produced a filly by **Army Mule** this year. The mare was purchased by Elena and Hollie Crim’s **H & E Ranch** for \$70,000 at the 2013 Keeneland January sale.

The winner’s third dam, Peaceful Intention, produced the dam of graded winners Abraaj and Leelanau, as well as graded winner How About Now, the dam of graded winner Lovely Lil.

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**Sunday, Churchill Downs**

**MATT WINN S.-GIII**, \$387,000, Churchill Downs, 6-8, 3yo, 1 1/16m, 1:42.12, ft.

1--**EAST AVENUE, 123, c, 3, by Medaglia d'Oro**

**1st Dam: Dance Music, by Ghostzapper**

**2nd Dam: Dance Card, by Tapit**

**3rd Dam: Tempting Note, by Editor's Note**

'**TDN Rising Star**'. O/B-Godolphin (KY); T-B Walsh; J-Luis Saez. \$247,000. Lifetime Record: GISW & GISP, 7-3-1-0, \$901,395.

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3--**Coal Battle, 123, c, 3, Coal Front**--Wolfblade, by **Midshipman**. (\$70,000 Ylg '23 TTAYRL). O-Norman Stables LLC; B-Hume Wornall & Jay Adcock (KY); T-Lonnie Briley. \$40,000.

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Godolphin homebred East Avenue got back to winning ways with a gutsy wire-to-wire victory in the GIII Matt Winn Stakes Sunday at Churchill Downs. Facing just three rivals, the 7-5 favorite stepped right out to the early lead and was tracked by Coal Battle and Burnham Square through an opening quarter in :24.41 and a half in :47.66. Burnham Square, Coal Battle and second choice Final Gambit (**Not This Time**) lined up across the track behind him as East Avenue turned for home a length in front. Final Gambit's rally never materialized, leaving Coal Battle to box on to the pacesetter's outside as Burnham Square attempted to rally to his inside, but East Avenue refused to let either rival by, maintaining a half-length advantage to the wire.



East Avenue | Coady Media

“Our plan was to go to the lead,” said winning rider Luis Saez. “He broke well and got in a good rhythm down the backside. Turning for home, he had to fight back against [Burnham Square and Coal Battle]. I was impressed how he held them off.”

Winning trainer Brendan Walsh added, “I think the distance today was right in his wheelhouse. He’s a gutsy horse when he makes the lead like he did today. I was very impressed how he battled back against Burnham Square, who came up to his inside, and Coal Battle on his outside.”

Tabbed a **‘TDN Rising Star’** following his eight-length debut victory at Ellis Park last August, East Avenue was all-but awarded a championship after his dominating victory in the Oct. 5 GI Claiborne Breeders’ Futurity at Keeneland. But he was 13 1/4 lengths adrift of Citizen Bull (Into Mischief) after a stumble at the start of the GI Breeders’ Cup Juvenile and was soundly beaten while making his sophomore debut in the Feb. 15 GII Risen Star Stakes. He worked his way back into Kentucky Derby consideration when second, a nose short of Burnham Square, in

the Apr. 8 GI Toyota Blue Grass Stakes. He was eighth behind Sovereignty in the May 3 Derby last time out.

**Pedigree Notes:**

The unraced Dance Music, out of Grade I winner Dance Card (**Tapit**) and a half-sister to Horse of the Year Cody’s Wish (**Curlin**) and to multiple graded winner Endorsed (Medaglia d’Oro), has a 2-year-old colt by **Hard Spun** and a yearling filly by Authentic. She was bred back to **Not This Time** last spring.

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**Sunday, Saratoga**

**SOARING SOFTLY S.**, \$175,000, Saratoga, 6-8, 3yo, f, 5 1/2f (off turf), 1:04.00, ft.

1--**SATURDAY FLIRT, 118, f, 3, by Mendelssohn**

**1st Dam: Dragic (MSP, \$104,350), by Broken Vow**

**2nd Dam: Letgomyecho, by Menifee**

**3rd Dam: Echo Echo Echo, by Eastern Echo**

**1ST BLACK TYPE WIN.** O-Mrs. Fitriani Hay; B/T-Wesley Ward (KY); J-Junior Alvarado. \$96,250. Lifetime Record: 4-3-0-0, \$210,020.

2--**Cloe**, 120, f, 3, **Tiz the Law**--Nuhood, by Smart Strike. (\$80,000 Ylg '23 FTKJUL; \$145,000 RNA 2yo '24 OBSMAR). O-Lugamo Racing Stable LLC; B-Crosshaven Bloodstock (KY); T-Jose Francisco D'Angelo. \$35,000.

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3--**Spirited Boss**, 120, f, 3, Street Boss--Spirited Storm, by Stormy Atlantic. O/B-TAG Stables (FL); T-Jose Francisco D'Angelo. \$21,000.

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Also Ran: Yougottahavehope, Hey Bertie, Fortuna Mia. Scratched: Abientot, Brindi (Ire), Love Cervere, Make Haste (GB), Rojo Rita. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

Saturday Flirt, making her dirt debut, strode home a powerful winner of the off-turf and downgraded Soaring Softly Stakes at Saratoga Sunday. The 4-1 shot settled off the pace as favored Cloe pressed Yougottahavehope (**Twirling Candy**) through an opening quarter :22.36. Cloe took over at the top of the lane, but Saturday Flirt was finding her best stride down the center of the track with a furlong to run and inhaled the favorite under a hand ride before sailing clear to an effortless-looking victory.

“I had a beautiful trip,” said winning rider Junior Alvarado. “She broke good, sat off the pace a little bit. They were dueling on the lead a little bit. I was sitting in a perfect spot in there. When I starting picking it up, she was moving forward really nicely. I put her in the clear and she took off for home and did it very nicely.”

Of the surface change, winning trainer and breeder Wesley Ward said, “There’s always a worry. You never know until you do it. I decided she breezed so well at Keeneland on the dirt, that being her home track, a lot of my turf horses breeze good on the dirt. So, this was a little bit of an unknown, but I think the track’s got some moisture in it and that’s the reason why she got over it so well.”

A debut winner in Ward's colors at Keeneland last April, Saturday Flirt was 10th in the G2 Norfolk Stakes at the Royal Ascot meeting in June. She returned from 10 months on the sidelines to just get up for the win in a 5 1/2-furlong allowance over the Keeneland turf Apr. 16.



**Saturday Flirt** | Sarah Andrew

“We bought her last year before Royal Ascot and she just didn’t fire that day in what was a good race and it took her almost a year to get her back,” said Alex Cole, racing manager to owner Fitriani Hay. “Wesley begged me this year not to bring her to Royal Ascot so he could run in this race, which now qualifies her for the 3-year-old turf sprints at Kentucky Downs.”

Ward added, “We’re kind of looking at Kentucky Downs [G2 Music City], and looking at the conditions we needed some money. We needed a stakes win. There’s a 6 1/2 [furlong] race for 3-year-old fillies down there. She was meant to go to [Royal] Ascot to run in a listed race because the owner [Jim Hay], who I had on the phone, he’s in bed right now in England and he watched it from bed. [The owner] being from England, [Saturday Flirt] was meant to go there and after looking at the conditions of the race, we opted to stay here, which worked out for us. It doesn’t always, but it did today.”

#### **Pedigree Notes:**

Dragic, who is a half-sister to champion Echo Zulu (**Gun Runner**) and to Grade I winner **Echo Town** (Speightstown), produced a colt by **Gun Runner** in 2024 and a filly by that sire this year.

The mare was purchased by Wesley Ward for \$100,000 at the 2017 Keeneland September sale and was trained by Ward to third-place finishes in the 2018 Belmont Futurity and Kentucky Downs Juvenile Stakes for owner Steven Bell.

“I still have the dam,” Ward said. “I partnered with Goncalo Torrealba of Three Chimneys on a couple of Gun Runners, so that’s going to make him happy.”

Saturday Flirt is the 35th stakes winner for her sire **Mendelssohn** and the 55th stakes winner for her broodmare sire Broken Vow. Also by **Mendelssohn** out of a Broken Vow mare is this year’s Eclipse Overnight Stakes winner Wendelssohn.

## **SEVEN TAKEAWAYS FROM BELMONT STAKES SATURDAY AT THE SPA**



**Junior Alvarado celebrates aboard Sovereignty** | Sarah Andrew

#### *The Week in Review, by T.D. Thornton*

The 2025 Triple Crown season delivered something even more elusive than a sweep of the series by a single horse--a legitimately intriguing rivalry between two talented colts that could end up on par with the likes of Affirmed vs. Alydar or Sunday Silence vs. Easy Goer. The afterglow of the GI Belmont Stakes at Saratoga includes plenty of anticipation and speculation about when one-two finishers **Sovereignty** (Into Mischief) and **Journalism** (**Curlin**) might meet again.

In the meantime, here are seven takeaways from Saturday's card at the Spa.

**1) The Preakness Predicament:** Journalism had plenty of backers rooting for him from the “throwback” perspective of wanting to see a top-level horse rewarded for running in all three legs of the Triple Crown. If he had managed to beat Sovereignty in the Belmont Stakes, the win might have resonated as a theoretical victory for the idea that contenders who run in the GI Kentucky Derby don't necessarily need to sit out the GI Preakness Stakes.

Instead, the opposite happened: Sovereignty's connections opted out of the Preakness based on their belief that running back in two weeks would likely be too demanding. That decision ended up looking like precisely the right move when Sovereignty uncorked a no-doubt effort that clearly established him as the sophomore kingpin.

Journalism's connections bucked the current "less is more" training convention by racing him in all three Classics within five weeks. He went off favored in each of the Triple Crown races, finishing second in the Derby behind Sovereignty, winning the Preakness despite a troubled trip, and again running second-best behind Sovereignty in the Belmont Stakes.

The mindset of skipping the Preakness wasn't going to change the industry overnight if Journalism had bested Sovereignty in their return engagement. But it might have tilted that line of thinking in a slightly different direction.

Sovereignty's winning Derby-Belmont double, on the other hand, will only reinforce the reasoning that sending the Derby winner on to the Preakness is no longer the near-automatic "obligation" that it once was.

**2) Derby Deja Vu:** How often would you have guessed that in the roughly century and a half history of the Triple Crown races, the Belmont Stakes yielded the same 1-2-3 finishers as the Kentucky Derby?

It's actually happened only once before, in 1977.

Triple Crown champ Seattle Slew beat Run Dusty Run and Sanhedrin in the Derby 48 years ago, then polished them off again in that order of finish in the Belmont Stakes.

Not only was Saturday's trifecta of Sovereignty, Journalism and **Baeza (McKinzie)** a repeat of this year's Derby result, but it was remarkable how closely the tactics of the late stages of the race matched the performance five weeks ago when circumstances were very different in a 19-horse field at Churchill Downs.

In the Derby, the early speed unfolded more or less as it projected to, and Journalism was on the move from midpack while outside entering the far turn with Sovereignty shadowing him after being farther back. They turned for home as the obvious horses to beat, five wide and seven wide, respectively.

The frontrunners in the Belmont also came out of the gate true to form, but this time, in a smaller field, Sovereignty (from post two) and Journalism (after an inconsequential stumble at

the start) were parked closer to the pace, with Journalism outside and Sovereignty nearer to the fence, alternating heads third and fourth down the backside.

Journalism was the first to make his run at the leaders, sizing them up before pouncing nearing the quarter pole. Sovereignty got repositioned outside and never let Journalism out of striking range, building serious far-turn torque. They again turned for home together tipped toward the outside, clearly with more momentum than anyone in their wake. This time they were in paths four and five, with Journalism again inside and just in front of Sovereignty.

In the Derby, Sovereignty took over a furlong and a half from the wire, and he was emboldened when Journalism dug back in and fought him hard for another sixteenth before Sovereignty opened up in the run to the wire, winning by 1 ½ lengths.

In the Belmont, Sovereignty didn't take over until just outside the eighth pole. And while

Journalism once again responded to the challenge, this time his counter-kick was only for about three strides. The difference this time was that Sovereignty's move was more overpowering, doubling the margin of victory to three lengths.

The Beyer Speed Figures in the Derby for Sovereignty, Journalism and Baeza were 104, 102 and another 102.

In the Belmont, they were 109, 105 and 100.

In between, Journalism won the Preakness with a 98 Beyer.



Kentucky Derby finish | Horsephotos

**3) Did Rispoli Move Too Soon?** This question will be ripe for debate in the coming months as the sophomore season unfolds and the Journalism-Sovereignty rematch looms.

My opinion is no, he didn't--not in light of the circumstances of the Preakness.

You can even wind the discussion back further to Journalism's win in the GI Santa Anita Derby for deeper context. In that race, Umberto Rispoli absorbed some criticism for getting Journalism stuck on the rail three furlongs out in a five-horse field. The colt had to shoulder aside a rival to fight free, and he endured a more arduous trip than he should have in his final prep before the Kentucky Derby.

In Louisville, Rispoli seemed intent not to get trapped inside again, so he gave up a fair amount of ground on the turn before fully unwinding when he thought he could wait no longer. In that instance, Journalism got collared by a better colt who had executed a better-timed move.

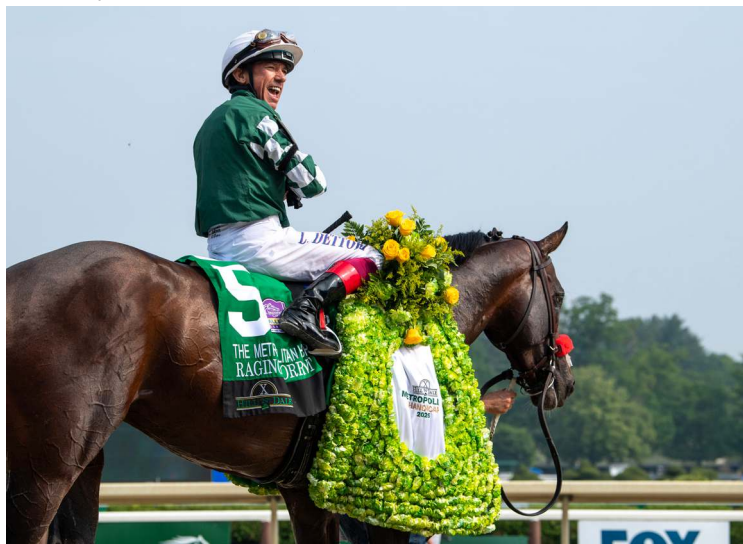
Even though the post-Preakness focus centered on Journalism overcoming a rowdy stretch run to snatch victory from the jaws of defeat in a visually arresting effort, Rispoli admitted post-win that he had a difficult time getting his colt interested down the backstretch and around the far turn, and that he “just didn't have the horse” at the quarter pole.

So it only made sense in the Belmont Stakes that Rispoli launched Journalism into full flight when he did. Even though he again got overtaken by a superior rival after reeling in his pacemaking targets, waiting any longer was not going to change the end result.

**4) California Is Dead--Long Live California!** For a circuit that has constantly been in the news as a racing region that is supposedly sliding off the grid, Southern California-based horses capped a productive Triple Crown season with a big day at the Spa on Saturday.

Horses from Santa Anita ran 2-3 in the Kentucky Derby, won the Preakness, and finished 2-3-4 in the Belmont Stakes.

In addition, the last two winners of the GI Metropolitan Handicap, the nation's most prestigious one-mile dirt stakes that is now slotted on the Belmont Stakes undercard, have both been SoCal-based. National Treasure captured the 2024 edition, while Raging Torrent (Maximus Mischief) wired the Met Mile on Saturday.



Raging Torrent | Sarah Andrew

**5) Juvy Champs Take It on the Chin:** Here's another historical oddity--the two most recent champion 2-year-old colts (and GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile winners) both lost separate races within two hours of each other on the same Saturday card at Saratoga.

'TDN Rising Star' **Fierceness** (City of Light), the 2023 juvenile male Eclipse Award champ, ran second as the 3-4 favorite behind Raging Torrent in the Met Mile.

**Citizen Bull** (Into Mischief), the 2024 juvenile champ, was fourth at 9-2 odds in the GI Woody Stephens Stakes.

Has this ever happened on the same card? *TDN* would welcome input from someone with access to a more robust database (or a better memory) than me.

**6) Big Day Overload:** It doesn't matter how much gravitas a Triple Crown race day carries, or how special Saratoga is. A marathon Saturday card that with a first race that goes off at 10:47 a.m. and ends with a final post time of 8:05 p.m. is simply too much.

We're talking nearly 9 1/2 hours here, a time frame that got stretched even more thinly when wet weather necessitated the cancellation of two grass stakes that got rescheduled for Sunday's card.

Running 12 races in a span allotted for 14 (with the feature race immovable because of national TV broadcast constraints) meant over an hour's wait between races at one point, with other gaps exceeding 50 minutes throughout the day.

**7) Looking Ahead:** Although the possibility exists that the under-construction Belmont Park could host a festival-style Belmont Stakes meet in 2026 before the revitalized track's planned grand opening in September of next year, the most likely Triple Crown scenario for '26 will see the Derby in its usual first-Saturday-in-May spot, followed by the Preakness at Laurel Park (while Pimlico also gets rebuilt), and the Belmont Stakes again at Saratoga while shortened to 10 furlongs instead of the traditional 12.

Think about this: By the time the Belmont Stakes reverts to its namesake track and historic distance in 2027, the third jewel of the Triple Crown will have been contested at the truncated distance of 1 1/4 miles four times within seven years.

One of those shortened Belmont Stakes was the 1 1/8-miles version in 2020 because of the pandemic. The 2024-26 editions at Saratoga got sliced to 10 furlongs because the New York Racing Association didn't want to start the race on the far turn over the Spa's nine-furlong main track configuration.

It will be interesting to see if the recent seasons of getting away from 12 furlongs for the final leg of the Triple Crown will be a catalyst for arguments in favor of permanently keeping the Belmont Stakes at 10 furlongs.

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## JOB OPENING

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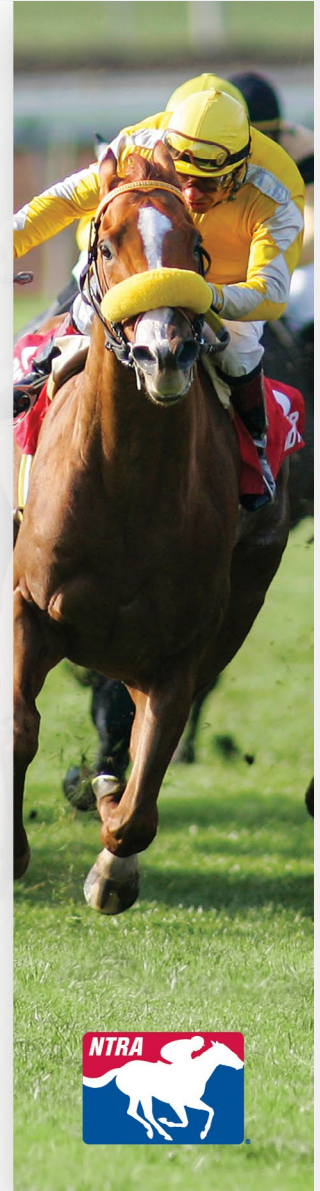
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## IF SOVEREIGNTY IS THIS GOOD, WHAT DOES THAT SAY ABOUT TAPPAN STREET?

by Bill Finley

**Sovereignty** (Into Mischief) is on top. He got there by winning two of the most important races on the calendar for 3-year-olds. With his wins in the GI Kentucky Derby and GI Belmont Stakes, he leads the way because this is a sport where they're always asking, "What have you done for me lately?"

But that doesn't necessarily mean that he's the best 3-year-old to have run this year.

The last time Sovereignty lost was in the Mar. 29 GI **Curlin** Florida Derby. He didn't have any excuses. He just wasn't as good as the winner, **Tappan Street** (Into Mischief). Prepping for the Kentucky Derby, Tappan Street suffered a condylar fracture to his right front leg in an Apr. 26 workout. His Triple Crown dream ended that day.

But what if?

If Sovereignty could win two legs of the Triple Crown but could not beat Tappan Street in the Florida Derby, does that not mean Tappan Street is the better horse? Things are never quite that simple in racing and it could be that Sovereignty matured and improved following the Florida Derby defeat? But it is a legitimate question.

Trainer Brad Cox has every right to complain about his bad luck, but that's not him.

He's got too much else to worry about and understands there's nothing to be gained by looking back.

"I think that Tappan Street is a very good horse and he showed he can compete at the Grade I level," said Cox, who trains Tappan Street for the partnership of WinStar Farm, CHC, Inc., and Cold Press Racing. "He obviously beat a very good horse in the Florida Derby in Sovereignty. It's different for me because I'm part of the Godolphin [the owners of Sovereignty] team, so I am happy for those guys. And Bill Mott is a class act. I don't really think about it. I'm trying to move forward with it. Hopefully, we can get our horse back at some point and maybe we could have a rematch with him. We obviously would have to be able to come back and show the good form where it makes sense to face him again."

Cox wasn't the least bit surprised that the top two performers in the Triple Crown series, Sovereignty and GI Preakness and GI Santa Anita Derby winner **Journalism** (**Curlin**), came out of

the Florida Derby and the Santa Anita Derby.

"We were zeroed in on the Triple Crown preps with several horses and I really felt like the Florida Derby and the Santa Anita Derby were by far the best two preps," he said. "Some speed figures didn't make the Florida Derby quite as fast as they did with some other races. I thought the top two horses in the Florida Derby were serious and obviously top two horses in the Santa Anita Derby were serious. It's kind of showing up now a couple months removed."

Cox said that Tappan Street's surgery went well and he looks forward to having him back on track at some point, maybe even later this year. He is currently rehabbing at WinStar Farm.

"I think his recovery will be typical of what you see with these kinds of injuries," Cox said. "Sixty days off and then probably some light exercise. The surgery went very, very well and we've had several horses in the past who have had surgery like this

that came back to compete at a higher level than before they were hurt. I'm pretty optimistic about him being able to come back and be a bigger, stronger horse."

Cox envisions a scenario where Tappan Street runs before the end of the year, but he won't be pushing him and will look to find a fairly easy spot for him to make his return.

"I wouldn't rule it out," Cox said when asked if Tappan Street will run again this year. "To say there's a Grade I this year that would make sense, I'd say probably not. I don't think we could get enough

foundation underneath him to be ready for something like that. We will just have to see."

Sovereignty is the leading candidate for the 3-year-old champion and by the time voters cast their ballots, the Florida Derby will be a distant memory. There are no such awards for the horse that beat the horse that beats everyone else.



**Tappan Street** | *Coglianes*

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**Deterministic** (*Liam's Map*) goes wire-to-wire in the *GI Manhattan Stakes*.

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## No Excuses for Good Cheer

Perhaps the biggest surprise of the Belmont-at-Saratoga meet was that **Good Cheer** (Medaglia d'Oro) finished up the track in the GI Acorn S. It was her first loss after winning her first seven starts. She was fifth.

"She came out of the race fine," Cox said. "I can't use the racetrack as a big excuse when she had performed well on a wet track before. You could tell at the half-mile pole that something wasn't right. Luis [Saez] started really pushing her along and she wasn't responding. She didn't quit, but she didn't pick off horses like she normally does when she is asked to. We'll keep her here in Saratoga for the near future. I'm not sure where she will land. We'll look around for spots and see what makes the most sense."

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## IMMERSIVE READIES FOR 2025 DEBUT

Godolphin's undefeated champion 2-year-old filly **Immersive** (**Nyquist**), off since winning last year's GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies, tuned up for her seasonal debut in next Saturday's Monomoy Girl Overnight Stakes with a four-furlong work in :49.20 (23/53) at Churchill Downs Sunday. The filly returned to the work tab at Churchill Downs in early May after being sidelined with bone bruising. Leading into the Monomoy Girl, she has posted six published workouts, including her latest move Sunday morning.

"We're looking forward to getting her started again," trainer Brad Cox said. "She's doing well since coming back to the string at Churchill and looks just as good as she did as a 2-year-old."

Under Cox's exercise rider Joel Osorio, Immersive began her Sunday move with an opening quarter-mile in :25.40 and galloped out five furlongs in 1:01.80.

In addition to her Breeders' Cup win, Immersive won last year's GI Spinaway Stakes and GI Darley Alcibiades Stakes.



**Immersive** | Sarah Andrew

The 1 1/16-mile Monomoy Girl will be the fifth of 11 races at Churchill Downs Saturday. Jockey Manny Franco, who has been aboard for all four of her starts, has the call on Immersive and will break from post position two in the field of six.

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2--**Vodka With a Twist**, 118, f, 3, Thousand Words--Bourbon and a Kiss, by **Sky Mesa**. (\$2,500 Ylg '23 FTKOCT; \$90,000 RNA 2yo '24 KEEAPR). O-BlackRidge Stables LLC, Medallion Racing, Schwing Thoroughbreds, Omar Aldabbagh and William Strauss; B-Pillar Property Services Inc (KY); T-Philip D'Amato. \$34,780.

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3--**Evanescence**, 118, f, 3, **Munnings**--Lovely Carina, by Pioneerof the Nile. (\$250,000 Ylg '23 KEESEP). O-Green Lantern Stables LLC; B-Stud TNT, LLC (KY); T-Eddie Kenneally. \$17,390.

Purchased by  **Patrick Masson Bloodstock**

Margins: 1 1/4, 5, 2 1/4. Odds: 8.04, 1.42, 2.98.

Also Ran: Eclatant, Bourbon Memory, Miss Martini. Scratched: Impulse Buy.



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A regular entry on the turf, Kilwin proved her versatility over the dirt when she captured the Leslie's Lady Overnight Stakes at Churchill Downs on Sunday.

Unveiled as a winner at Ellis Park last July, the filly netted the Untapable Stakes at Kentucky Downs before finishing a respectable fifth in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies Turf at Del Mar Nov. 1. Taking a break over the winter, Kilwin finished sixth in the Limestone Stakes at Keeneland Apr. 11 and was last seen as the runner-up in the GIII Mamzelle Stakes under the Twin Spires May 10.

The bay tracked just to the outside of Eclatant (Into Mischief) in the second flight as favorite Vodka With a Twist made the pace up the backstretch. With the leader cruising along into the far turn, Kilwin made a bold three-wide move and confronted the chalk as the pair entered the lane. The 3-year-old went right by her target past the sixteenth pole and got her picture taken.

A half-sister to GI Belmont Stakes champ Sir Winston (Awesome Again), the winner's unraced dam is responsible for 2-year-old colt Mojacar (**Essential Quality**) and a yearling filly by **Flightline**. Spanish Star was bred to **Cody's Wish** for this past spring.

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**JERSEY GIRL S.**, \$150,000, Saratoga, 6-8, 3yo, f, 6f, 1:09.70, ft.

1--**INDY BAY, 118, f, 3, by Take Charge Indy**

**1st Dam: Discovery Bay, by Speightstown**

**2nd Dam: Harmony Lodge, by Hennessy**

**3rd Dam: Win Crafty Lady, by Crafty Prospector**

(\$40,000 Wlg '22 KEENOV; \$19,000 Ylg '23 KEESep; \$19,000 RNA 2yo '24 TTAAPR). **1ST BLACK TYPE WIN.** O-C Two Racing Stable, Paul Braverman and Timothy Pinch; B-Frankfort Park Farm (KY); T-Saffie A. Joseph, Jr.; J-Irad Ortiz, Jr. \$82,500. Lifetime Record: 5-3-1-1, \$228,000.

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2--**Long Neck Paula, 122, f, 3, Uncle Mo--Take Charge Paula, by Take Charge Indy.** (\$325,000 Ylg '23 KEESep; \$500,000 2yo '24 OBSMAR). O-Will Stroud and Debra L. O'Connor; B-WinStar Farm, LLC (KY); T-Wesley A. Ward. \$30,000.

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3--**Beauty Reigns, 118, f, 3, Into Mischief--Ilsa, by Tapit. 1ST BLACK TYPE.** O-Tranquility Lake Farms LLC; B-Wygod Equine, LLC (KY); T-William I. Mott. \$18,000.

Margins: HD, 3/4, 2 3/4. Odds: 2.25, 3.05, 1.35.

Also Ran: Paula's a Star, Mila Candy, Italian Soiree, Nilo's Rose.

Since coming to Saffie Joseph's shedrow early this year, Indy Bay has sparked with a maiden-breaking win by two lengths at Gulfstream Park Mar. 1 and when she cleared an optional claimer at Oaklawn Park Apr. 25.

Shipping to the Spa, the 2-1 second choice here followed the lead up the backstretch of 'TDN Rising Star' Long Neck Paula. The 3-year-old pulled up alongside her opponent around the far turn and 'the race was on' entering the lane. Hoping to keep her winning streak alive, Indy Bay turned up the pressure and in the final jumps earned her first stakes trophy.

"Mark [Cornett] has a knack for finding these kinds of horses," said trainer Saffie Joseph. "She's exceeded our expectations. She won at Gulfstream, beat a good field. The number came back slow but the form was very good from that race. Then she went to Oaklawn and today she gutted it out again.

"After the Oaklawn race we felt very good, figure-wise," he said. "At the top of the stretch I didn't feel very good. I thought she was going backwards for a minute. At the wire I felt a lot better. She trained well and she just continues to improve. She's a gutsy filly and you can probably see her being in the Test. Her granddam is Harmony Lodge, who was a pretty good horse."

The winner's dam is responsible for a 2-year-old colt by More Than Ready and she was entered in Goldencents's book for this past season. As Indy Bay's trainer mentioned, her second dam is GI Ballerina Handicap heroine Harmony Lodge (Hennessy), who produced SW Armistice Day (Declaration of War), GSW Stratford Hill (A.P. Indy) and the dam of GIII Peter Pan Stakes victor We The People (**Constitution**).

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Indy Bay (center) | Sarah Andrew

**QUEENSTON S.**, C\$125,000, Woodbine, 6-8, (S), 3yo, 7f (AWT), 1:23.36, ft.

1--**NOTORIOUS GANGSTER, 122, c, 3, by Classic Empire**

**1st Dam: Sister Nova, by Verrazano**

**2nd Dam: Evita's Sister, by Candy Ride (Arg)**

**3rd Dam: Jealous Wildcat, by Forest Wildcat**

O/B-Mark Dodson (ON); T-Josie Carroll; J-Fraser Aebly. C\$75,000. Lifetime Record: 6-3-1-1, \$230,917.

**Scanlon Training Graduate**

2--**Regal Guest, 118, g, 3, Old Forester--Gladiator Queen, by Great Gladiator.** (C\$150,000 Ylg '23 CANSEP).

**1ST BLACK TYPE.** O-G. G. Racing Stables; B-John Carey (ON); T-Mark E. Casse. C\$25,000.

3--**Dewolf, 122, c, 3, Silent Name (Jpn)--Holy Cargo, by Holy Bull.** (\$185,000 Ylg '23 KEESep). O-X-Men Racing IV LLC, Canuck Racing Club, Madaket Stables LLC and SF Racing LLC; B-BHMFR, LLC (ON); T-Kevin Attard. C\$13,750.

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Margins: HF, 6 3/4, 1 1/4. Odds: 5.50, 9.80, 1.65.

Also Ran: Lucky Guest, Mansetti, Flirting With Fire, Forty N Five.

Notorious Gangster tacks on another stakes victory in the Queenston S. at Woodbine.



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**Notorious Gangster** | Michael Burns photo

This colt's first stakes win came in his last start as a 2-year-old on Nov. 30 in the Coronation Futurity, as he upset that group of juveniles at 10-1. In his 3-year-old debut, he was moved up into second after a disqualification of the unofficial runner-up in the Woodstock Stakes Apr. 27.

Looking for his first win of the season, Notorious Ganster found himself in a bit of a tight spot toward the rear of the field with rivals up the backstretch. Through opening fractions of :23.41 and :46.89, Notorious Gangster moved closer to the leaders, riding the rail and splitting rivals in the two path at the top of the stretch. Pacesetting Regal Guest looked to be getting away, but Notorious Gangster continued to come with his rally, nabbing the leader in the final strides at 5-1.

Sister Nova, a half-sister to GSW Money Supply (**Practical Joke**) and SW and MGSP Sister Nation (Into Mischief), has a trio of fillies in the pipeline--a 2023 filly by Yaupon, a 2024 filly by **Army Mule**, and a 2025 filly by **Complexity**. [Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.](#)

**AFFIRMED S.**, \$98,000, Santa Anita, 6-8, 3yo, 1 1/16m, 1:41.92, ft.

1--**GAMING**, 120, c, 3, by **Game Winner**

1st Dam: **So Stylish (SP-Ire)**, by **Johannesburg**

2nd Dam: **Tacha**, by **Mr. Prospector**

3rd Dam: **Savannah Dancer**, by **Northern Dancer**

(\$40,000 Ylg '23 KEESEP; \$250,000 2yo '24 OBSMAR).

O-Michael E. Pegram, Karl Watson, and Paul Weitman;

B-Mt. Brilliant Farm & Ranch, LLC (KY); T-Bob Baffert; J-Hector Isaac Berrios. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 8-3-2-2, \$771,000.

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2--**Nevada Beach**, 120, c, 3, Omaha Beach--Morrow Cove, by Yes It's True. (\$260,000 Ylg '23 KEESEP). **1ST BLACK TYPE.**

O-Michael E. Pegram, Karl Watson, and Paul Weitman; B-Paul Tackett Revocable Trust, Phil Tackett Estate & Christy Tackett (KY); T-Bob Baffert. \$20,000.

3--**Rank**, 120, c, 3, **Honor A. P.**--Fabulous Babe, by Touch Gold. (\$45,000 Wlg '22 KEENOV; \$80,000 Ylg '23 KEESEP).

**1ST BLACK TYPE.** O-Calumet Farm; B-Scott Pierce (KY); T-Doug F. O'Neill. \$12,000.

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Margins: 1 3/4, 3/4, 5HF. Odds: 1.50, 0.60, 13.60.

Also Ran: Westwood.

Gaming tallied his first stakes victory here since taking home the hardware in the GI Del Mar Futurity as a juvenile, securing the Listed Affirmed Stakes Sunday afternoon at Santa Anita.

Starting his season in the GIII Southwest Stakes Jan. 25, he rebounded from that eighth-place effort to run second Mar. 30 in Oaklawn's Hot Springs Stakes to Clever Again (**American Pharoah**). Last seen in the GII Pat Day Mile, where he would run third to Macho Music (**Maclean's Music**) and GISP Madaket Road (**Quality Road**), the public liked Gaming to the tune of 3-2 second favoritism to finally garner another victory.

Quick to the front of this short four-horse field, the Bob Baffert-trainee kept his rivals at a measured distance with Rank and stablemate Nevada Beach chasing him through :23.45, :47.10, and six furlongs in 1:10.35. Unchallenged as they swung for home, he turned away a brief challenge from Rank passing the eighth pole and stay clear to win by 1 3/4 lengths. The 3-5 favorite Nevada Beach overtook Rank for second as Westwood (Authentic) came in fourth.



**Gaming** | Benoit

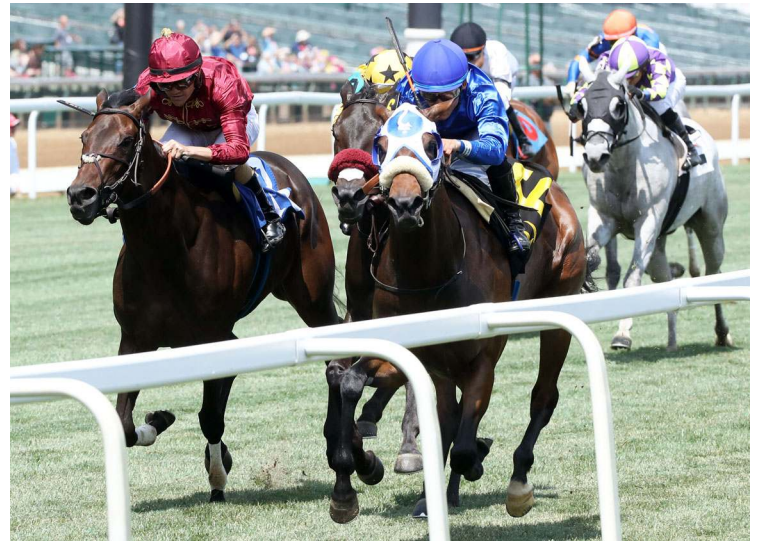
“It’s about what I thought might happen,” said co-owner Karl Watson. “It was what I was hoping, but I wasn’t sure how the end would come out. I didn’t know if he would or if Nevada [Beach] would run on by him in the end. He wasn’t able to today. The rail might’ve been a little bit of a factor but they both ran good and we are happy.”

Watson continued, “I don’t know what it would be like not to have horses with [Bob Baffert]. I have never been with anybody else, but he is great—he makes it fun. I’ve been with Paul and Mike for 20 years, I don’t know how long exactly, and we have always been with Bob. Bob takes care of us and every now and then we get lucky.”

Gaming is the most accomplished runner for his dam, whose offspring can be traced to several countries, but he is her first to garner any black-type. The most recent of racing age is a juvenile full-brother to the victor, but So Stylish has also produced a yearling colt by **Union Rags** and another full-brother to Gaming this year. Their dam is herself a half-sister to European champion juvenile colt, multiple Group 1 winner One Cool Cat (Storm Cat) as well as to the mare responsible for the branch which yielded MGSW Free Rose (**Munnings**). This is the immediate female family of MGISW Aragorn (Ire) (Giant's Causeway). **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

is GI Breeders' Cup heroine Desert Stormer (Storm Cat). Lucknow produced a filly by **Street Sense** last season and was bred back to **Maxfield**. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, \$121,413. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

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Dala winning at Churchill Downs Sunday | Coady

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**6th-Churchill Downs, \$115,629, Alw, 6-8, (NW1X), 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2ft, 1:03.08, fm, 1 length.**

**DALA (f, 4, Hard Spun--Lucknow, by Medaglia d'Oro)** broke her maiden in career start number one, showing sharp early speed and winning in front-running fashion on Mar. 7 at Turfway Park, then followed that victory with a change in tactics as she came from well off the pace to grab sixth on Apr. 16 at Keeneland. This time, Dala rocketed out of the gate and quickly found herself as the joint leader, taking the field to the far turn in a quarter of :22.04. Another speedy filly drew alongside around the far turn, while favored Mighty Eriu (Ire) (Inns Of Court {Ire}) took aim at the two leaders. The 5-2 choice lugged in and could not run by Dala, who won by a length as the 7-2 second choice. Dala, a half-sister of GSP Groveland (**Street Sense**), is out of Lucknow, herself a half-sister to dual Grade I winner and millionaire Better Lucky (Ghostzapper). The winner's third dam

**8th-Saratoga, \$95,000, (S), Alw, 6-8, (NW1\$X), 3yo/up, f/m, 1m (off turf), 1:38.01, ft, 7 lengths.**

**CARMEN'S CANDY JAR (f, 3, Vino Rosso--No Mo Shopping, by Uncle Mo)** placed in a trio of state-bred stakes last season, including a second Saratoga's six-furlong Seeking the Ante Stakes last August. This term, she was third in a Big A optional claimer over 6 1/2 furlongs in January before finishing in the same spot nest time over that track and trip Mar. 21. Back to a mile at that venue for her latest, she came home fourth and had blinkers come off while getting another try at the distance. Sent off the 3-5 choice here, she prompted the early pace set by 3-1 chance Chasing Daylight (Mr. Z), who cut out an opening quarter in :24.70. Inching closer to that rival turning for home, the favorite took over at the top of the lane and drew clear to cruise home a geared-down winner over the early pacesetter. No Mo Shopping, a daughter of Mike Repole's SW and GISP Stopshoppingmaria (More Than Ready), produced colts the past two seasons, the first by Bolt d'Oro and the most recent by **Up to the Mark**. Lifetime Record: MSP, 10-2-1-4, \$215,800.

Sales history: \$37,000 RNA Ylg '23 KESEP. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

O-Repole Stable; B-Repole Stable, Inc. (NY); T-Todd A. Pletcher.

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**Carmen's Candy Jar winning at Saratoga Sunday**  
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**5th-Woodbine, C\$55,890**, Ocl (C)/Opt. Clm (\$29,202), 6-8, 3yo/up, 6f (AWT), 1:10.61, ft, 3 1/4 lengths.

**SEDBURYS GHOST (g, 3, Shaman Ghost--Hurricane Mimi, by Sligo Bay {Ire})** debuted May of last year against local maidens and ran third against a short field of four which ultimately yielded SP War Signal (**War of Will**) and SP French Horn (**Complexity**). Graduating in his 2024 wrap in late June, he beat SP Coolcollected (**Collected**) and a next-out winner in the process. Gone almost a year, the lengthy layoff did not dissuade the betting public as Sedburys Ghost was given 2-1 favoritism by the time the gates opened. Traveling three off the fence from midpack in fifth, he began his march along the bend and came out four wide turning for home with a full head of steam. Finding his best strides inside the furlong marker, he stormed past his rivals in the final sixteenth and put 3 1/4 lengths on Shadow Realm (Signature Red) by the time they hit the wire. The victor is the fourth winning offspring in a row for Hurricane Mimi, whose most recent of racing age is a juvenile full-sister to Sedburys Ghost named Hurricane Amelia. She has a 2025 filly by Souper Speedy to her credit. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-1, \$81,320. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

O/B-Yawen Wu (ON); T-Barbara J. Minshall.



**7th-Santa Anita, \$65,000, Alw (C)/Opt. Clm (\$80,000)**, 6-8, 3yo/up, 1 1/8mT, 1:47.06, fm, nose.

**FINAL BOSS (c, 4, American Pharoah--Screaming Skylar, by Smart Strike)** made his second start of the year after an even fourth going six panels in the Siren Lure Stakes on May 10 at Santa Anita.

Breaking from the inside here, the colt took a clear lead as they crossed the wire for the first time while setting an opening quarter in :23.50. Final Boss continued to lead the group up the backstretch and into the far turn. The pacesetter, who was pressed by Genius Jimmy (Jimmy Creed), proved dead game as that rival assumed a momentary advantage, but soon got his nose down to win as the 2.2-1 favorite. A full-sister to GI Darley Alcibiades Stakes winner Bel Air Beauty (Smart Strike), Screaming Skylar s presented by a 2024 filly by **Epicenter** and a 2025 filly by Forte. Sales history: \$450,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: SW, 10-4-1-0, \$201,300. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.** O-By Talla Racing LLC and West Point Thoroughbreds; B-Rockingham Ranch (KY); T-John W. Sadler.

**5th-Gulfstream, \$46,180, Alw (NW1\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$75,000)**, 6-8, 3yo, f, 5fT, :54.77, fm, 3 lengths.

**LUNA LOUSKA (f, 3, Complexity--Jamaican Smoke {GISP, \$183,970}, by Latent Heat)**, after two failed attempts, got the job done while trying the synthetic for the first time at this venue May 1 and was given a 12-1 chance while trying the sod for the first time. On the engine early, she led throughout en route to a three-length score over Coco Abarrio (Yoshida {Jpn}). Sales history: \$140,000 Ylg '23 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-0, \$53,030. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

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**4th-Churchill Downs, \$117,750, Msw, 6-8, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:09.98, ft, 1/2 length.**

**PRINCESS PROUD (f, 3, Into Mischief--Ulele {MGSP, \$230,100}, by Candy Ride {Arg})** debuted in seventh place at Keeneland Apr. 24 and after some sharp works was installed as a 6-1 shot here. The 3-year-old came flying out of the blocks to lead up the backstretch and she proceeded to make every pole a winning one. Showing moxie down the lane, Princess Proud fended off a late rail charge from Ivory and Ebony (*Spun to Run*) to kneel for her maiden coronation. Ulele, who was acquired for \$300,000 by Cheyenne during the 2017 Fasig-Tipton Saratoga Select Yearling Sale, produced colt Manawa (*Not This Time*) who is currently a juvenile. The winner's dam foaled a colt by *Flightline* Jan. 17. Cheyenne purchased Ulele's half-sister Tapella (*Tapit*) for \$750,000 at the 2015 Fasig-Tipton Saratoga Select Yearling Sale.



Princess Proud | Coady Media

Tapella is herself responsible for GSW Hoosier Philly (Into Mischief) and Virginia Derby hero American Promise (*Justify*). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$70,375. **Click for the [Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#), sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

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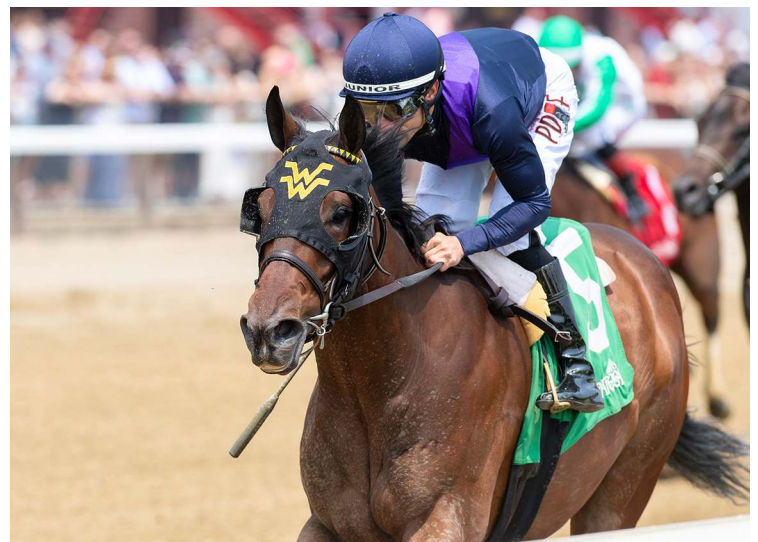
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**3rd-Saratoga, \$100,000, Msw, 6-8, 2yo, 5 1/2f, 1:04.65, ft, 3 1/4 lengths.**

**DIBLASI (g, 2, Win Win Win--One More Minute, by Istan)** was introduced to the races with a runner-up finish at 4 1/2 furlongs on Apr. 13 at Keeneland. Aided by the slow starting rivals to his inside this time, this gelding broke well and worked his way down to the rail, sitting off an early quarter in :22.28. While Diblasi bided his time, four rivals lined up at the top of the stretch, and with a seam opening down on the inside, jockey Junior Alvarado pushed the button and led the 9-5 favorite to the wire under confident handling. Pacesetting stablemate Gracie's Delight (*American Pharoah*) held on for second. One More Minute's half-sister My Indian (Indian Charlie) produced SW Chief Istan (Istan). One More Minute produced a full-sister to the winner last term, in addition to filly by *Highly Motivated* earlier this season. Sales history: \$100,000 Ylg '24 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$67,060. **Click for the [Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#), sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

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Diblasi | Sarah Andrew

**1st-Saratoga, \$90,000, (C), Msw, 6-8, 2yo, f, 5 1/2f, 1:05.25, ft, 4 lengths.**

**ANGEL GIFT (f, 2, Connect--Georgie's Angel {GSW, \$129,564}, by Bellamy Road)**, installed the 3-2 choice for this unveiling, settled off the fleet-footed favorite Gorrano Ranch (*War of Will*) and Nacho Problem (Waiting), who carved out an opening quarter mile in :22.44. With the top two still exchanging blows straightening for home, Angel Gift still had several lengths to make up but was picking up steam down the center of the track.





Angel Gift wins Saratoga's first race Sunday | Sarah Andrew

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Turning on the gas late, he blew by the pacesetter and drew clear to score by an eye-catching four lengths over the fast-closing Miss Magical (**Good Magic**). The winner is a half to MGISW Cave Rock (Arrogate), \$748,000. GSW Georgie's Angel, who sold for \$75,000 while carrying subsequent \$1.05 million OBSMAR purchase Assurbanipal (Arrogate) at Keeneland November in 2020, is also responsible for an unraced 3-year-old filly by Improbable and a yearling filly by **Flightline**. She was most recently bred to **Good Magic**. Sales history: \$300,000 Ylg '24 SARAUG. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$49,500. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

O-Repole Stable; B-Kathleen Burke Schweizer & Daniel J. Burke (NY); T-Todd A. Pletcher.

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**6th-Woodbine, C\$85,080, Msw, 6-8, 3yo/up, 6fT, 1:08.93, fm, 1/2 length.**

**HERE I GO (c, 3, Practical Joke--Duchess of Greeley, by Horse Greeley)** finished eighth in his career debut right here at Woodbine on Dec. 8 of last year. Breaking from the outside, the colt was eager to get the lead under a tight hold in a quarter of :23.14. Under subtle encouragement, a slight shake of the reigns had him widening his lead at the top of the lane. Proudly Hailed (GB) (Mehmas {Ire}) rallied late, but despite tiring in the stretch, Here I Go was able to upset at 15-1 odds. With this win, Duchess of Greeley's offspring are all winners, and her most recent foal is a 2024 colt by **Aloha West**. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$40,039.

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O/B-Gerry L. Gibbs (ON); T-Warren LeBlanc.

**3rd-Woodbine, C\$78,972, Msw, 6-8, 2yo, 5f (AWT), :58.05, ft, 3 1/2 lengths.**

**RUDE PROCEDURE (c, 2, Authentic--Madison Kat, by Discreetly Mine)** broke like a shot and scampered through an initial quarter in :22.87. Still in command turning, the flashy chestnut remained confidently clear to score by 3 1/2 lengths over Delta Force (**Hard Spun**) at the wire. A sister to Grade I winner Paola Queen (Flatter), Madison Cat produced a colt by **Speaker's Corner** last term. Sales history: \$72,000 RNA Ylg '24 KESEEP; \$50,000 RNA 2yo '25 OBSAPR. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$32,546. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

O-Roach, Linda B., Fetkin, Robert S. and Small Batch Thoroughbreds; B-Linda B Roach, Robert Fetkin & Small Batch Thoroughbreds (KY); T-Mark E. Casse.

**2nd-Monmouth, \$63,175, Msw, 6-8, 2yo, 4 1/2f, :53.81, ft, nose.**

**SIR NEWTONS LAWS (c, 2, Accelerate--Hotsy Totsy {Ire}, by Casamento {Ire})** broke a tad slow from the inside but quickly gathered himself and showed early foot to get to the lead. Heading into the far turn, a rival to the outside blitzed towards the leader and poked a head in front, but Sir Newtons Laws was up to the task and took command once again as they turned for home. The new threat was a green Thunder Chuck (**Good Magic**), who began to close the gap while lugging in, but Sir Newtons Laws was just able to hold on by a long nose as the 2-1 second choice. Lone sibling and 2024 colt Coastal Evacuation (Sea Wizard) is the most recent foal produced by Hotsy Totsy (Ire). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$44,100. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

O-Jersey Pride Racing LLC and Boardwalk Racing; B-Boardwalk Racing & Cameron Beatty (NJ); T-Eddie Owens, Jr.

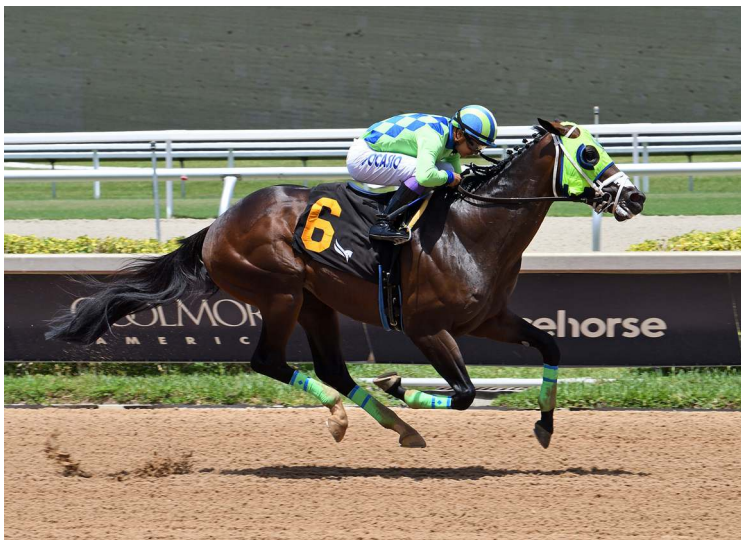


Authentic | Sarah Andrew

**9th-Santa Anita, \$62,500, Msw, 6-8, 3, 4, /5yo, f/m, 6fT, 1:09.21, fm, head.**

**EIFFEL (f, 3, City of Light--On the Good List, by Speightstown)** was given 7-1 odds to graduate on this debut and found herself behind a large pack up the backstretch as a 70-1 longshot led the field through an opening quarter of :22.37 and a half-mile in :44.99. Tight for space as her rivals grouped together for the homeward battle as they swung off the turn, she muscled her way to clear sailing but had Lady Chic (**Tapit**) to catch as that runner tried to give them all the slip. Closing the gap relentlessly and shifting to the inside of that leader, it took every inch but Eiffel got up in the final strides to nail her competition on the line. The victress is out of an unraced half-sister to GISW Dunbar Road (**Quality Road**). The pair hails from the immediate female family of MGSW Alumni Hall (A.P. Indy) and his full-sister, GI Kentucky Oaks victress Secret Status--dam of GI Belmont Stakes runner-up Dunkirk (Unbridled's Song). On the Good List produced a filly by **Practical Joke** in 2023 followed by a Mo Donegal filly last season. She was bred back to **Arcangelo**. Sales history: \$50,000 Ylg '23 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$36,000. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

O-Little Red Feather Racing and Johnston, Kellie L.; B-Repole Stable, Inc. (KY); T-Mike Puype.



Tres Coronas | Ryan Thompson

**4th-Gulfstream, \$50,830, Msw, 6-8, 3yo, 6f, 1:09.30, ft, 6 1/4 lengths.**

**TRES CORONAS (c, 3, Win Win Win--Lago Lindo, by High Cotton)**, just beaten a neck last time while going a sixteenth farther facing state-bred foes last August, was backed down to 8-5 favoritism trying open company here. Straight to the front, the Florida bred extended his advantage at every call and drew off to score by 6 1/4 lengths over Maximus Cat (Maximus Mischief). Lago Lindo foaled a filly by Adios Charlie in 2023. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$41,000. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

O-Smith Ranch Stables; B-Smith Ranch LLC (FL); T-Luis M. Ramirez.

**3rd-Lone Star, \$40,000, (S), Msw, 6-8, 2yo, f, 5f, 1:00.14, ft, 7 1/4 lengths.**

**BELLA'S GIRL (f, 2, Upstart--Perennial Song {GSP}, by Songandaprayer)** was content to track in midpack early but that was short lived as a four wide rush on the bend rocketed her into the lead, and she was well clear of the field as they entered the homestretch. Kicking away, it was 7 1/4 lengths back to Swiftliketaylor (Cinco Charlie) in second. The victress is a half-sister to SW Marfa Sky (Bradster), thus far the lone runner for Perennial Song to earn black-type. Bella's Girl is the last registered offspring for their dam after the mare did not produce a foal off a 2024 visit to Shoplifted. Sales history: \$6,000 Ylg '24 TTAYRL. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$23,940. **Click for the Equibase.com chart.**

O-Ron A. Stolich; B-Macassar Corporation (TX); T-H. Ray Ashford, Jr.



**IN HONG KONG:**

**Aeris Nova (Aus), c, 4, Justify--Fine Scent (Aus) (SP-Aus, \$111,612), by All Too Hard (Aus). Sha Tin, 6-8, Hcp., 1200mT, 1:08.98, gd. O-Tai Woon Shing. B-Watership Down Stud Australia (Aus). T-Benno Yung. \*GSP-Aus. \*\*A\$145,000 Wlg '21 INGMAY; A\$125,000 Ylg '22 INGFEV. VIDEO.**



**STAKES RESULTS:**

**LOUISIANA LEGENDS TURF DISTAFF S.**, \$100,000, Evangeline Downs, 6-7, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:36.55, fm.

**1--HIGHLY WICKED, 124, m, 5, Wicked Strong--Highly**

**Confused, by Rahy.** O/B-Earl Hernandez, Keith Hernandez & John Duvieilh (LA); T-Sam B. David, Jr.; J-Marcelino Pedroza, Jr. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 18-9-0-2, \$350,430.

**2--Grabiq, 120, f, 4, Munnings--Cosmic Emergency, by Any Given Saturday.** (\$150,000 Wlg '21 KEENOV). **1ST BLACK TYPE.**

O-Keith Plaisance; B-Coteau Grove Farms, LLC (LA); T-Joseph R. Felks. \$17,000.

**3--Tommie G, 118, f, 4, Court Vision--Adrienne G, by Indygo Shiner.** O/B-Thomas M. Galvin (LA); T-Patricia G. West. \$10,000.

Margins: HF, 1 1/4, 3 1/4. Odds: 0.70, 4.70, 3.50.

**LOUISIANA LEGENDS SOIREE S.**, \$100,000, Evangeline Downs, 6-7, (S), 3yo, f, 1m, 1:39.14, ft.

**1--WARRIOR'S JUSTICE, 116, f, 3, Justify--Warrior Maid, by Holy Bull. 1ST BLACK TYPE WIN.** O/B-Russell Welch (LA);

T-Abel Ramirez-Rodriguez; J-C.J. McMahon. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 9-3-3-1, \$164,976.

**2--Kalil, 118, f, 3, Practical Joke--Hatpin, by Smart Strike.** (\$57,000 Ylg '23 BSLY&M). **1ST BLACK TYPE.** O-Set-Hut LLC; B-Scott & Company Farm, LLC (LA); T-Jeff Delhomme. \$20,000.

**3--Lola and Rose, 119, f, 3, Peppered Cat--She's Got a Job, by Super Saver.** O-Dorothy Schexnider; B-Michael J Leger, David Tillson & Dr. Josh Ardoin (LA); T-Ricky Courville. \$11,000.

Margins: 2 1/4, 2, 1 3/4. Odds: 3.20, 8.90, 23.90.



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**LOUISIANA LEGENDS TURF S.**, \$100,000, Evangeline Downs, 6-7, (S), 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:43.40, fm.

**1--GOOD AND STOUT, 118, c, 4, Coal Front--Ready Witted, by More Than Ready.** (\$55,000 Ylg '22 OBSOCT; \$75,000 2yo '23 OBSAPR). O-Whispering Oaks Farm LLC; B-Adcock's Red River Farm, LLC & Hume Wornall (LA); T-Carrol Castille; J-Marcelino Pedroza, Jr. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 20-5-5-4, \$321,690.

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**2--Allnight Moonlight, 124, g, 5, Ransom the Moon--Gingertini, by Medaglia d'Oro.** (\$15,000 Ylg '21 TTAYHR). O-Roger G. Smith; B-Coteau Grove Farms, LLC (LA); T-Samuel Breaux. \$17,000.

**3--House Bourbon, 120, g, 4, Palace Malice--Bella Canzone, by Gio Ponti. 1ST BLACK TYPE.** O-Joe Alfredo Castillo; B-Craig Drago (LA); T-Cesar Govea. \$9,000.

Margins: 3/4, 1, NK. Odds: 2.20, 1.70, 9.40.

**LOUISIANA LEGENDS SPRINT S.**, \$100,000, Evangeline Downs, 6-7, (S), 3yo/up, 5 1/2f, 1:03.07, ft.

**1--HE'S JUST LUCKY, 118, g, 4, Breaking Lucky--Anea, by Unbridled's Song.** (\$50,000 Ylg '22 OBSWIN). **1ST BLACK TYPE WIN.** O-Baronne Farms LLC; B-4M Ranch & Blue Star Racing LLC (LA); T-Allen Landry; J-Jansen Melancon. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: SW, 13-5-0-2, \$185,820.

**2--Clear as a Bele, 118, g, 5, Clearly Now--My Friend Bele, by My Friend Max.** O-Dark Horse Investment LLC, Kevin Delahoussaye, and Lane Cortez; B-Delmar Caldwell (LA); T-David Terre. \$20,000.

**3--Black Sword, 118, g, 8, Awesome Sword--Black Mariah, by Devil His Due.** O-Treanor MD LLC; B-Margie Averett (LA); T-Juan A. Larrosa. \$10,000.

Margins: 6HF, 1, 1 1/4. Odds: 5.80, 0.80, 25.70.

**FRIENDLY LOVER H.**, (NB) \$88,400, Monmouth, 6-8, (S), 3yo/up, 1m, 1:38.81, ft.

**1--FOREVER CHOCOLATE, 117, g, 6, Boys At Tosconova--Chocolate Blush, by Fit to Fight.** O/B-Janet Laszlo (NJ); T-Rory K. Huston; J-Paco Lopez. \$51,000. Lifetime Record: 21-3-4-1, \$223,655.

**2--Last Romance, 119, g, 6, Tapiture--Fake Romance, by Not For Love.** O-Hope H. Jones; B-Hope Jones & Isabelle de Tomaso (NJ); T-Cathal A. Lynch. \$17,000.

**TD ANOTHER TRAVIS DURR GRADUATE**

**3--Great Navigator, 122, h, 5, Sea Wizard--All Even, by Stephen Got Even.** O/B-Holly Crest Farm (NJ); T-Eddie Owens, Jr. \$8,500.

**TD ANOTHER TRAVIS DURR GRADUATE**

Margins: 1 1/4, NK, 8 1/4. Odds: 8.20, 29.30, 1.20.

**TEXAS STALLION PAN ZARETA DIVISION S.**, \$75,000, Lone Star, 6-8, (C), 2yo, f, 5f, :58.70, ft.

1--**TEXAS SPEED QUEEN, 120, f, 2, by Cinco Charlie--Maquita Elaine, by Hard Spun. 1ST BLACK TYPE WIN.** O-Bradley Thoroughbreds LLC and Caldwell, J. R.; B-Brown Springs Farm, LLC (TX); T-J. R. Caldwell; J-Stewart Elliott. \$45,000. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$49,378.

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2--**Kiss My Dice, 121, f, 2, Competitive Edge--Lucky Dice, by Bayern.** (\$24,000 Ylg '24 TTAYRL). **1ST BLACK TYPE.** O-Indigo Racing; B-Douglas Scharbauer (TX); T-J. R. Caldwell. \$15,000.

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3--**Lovereignorme, 120, f, 2, Archwarrior--Mononoke, by Orientate. 1ST BLACK TYPE.** O-V Bar V Racing LLC; B-Jim Volk (TX); T-Joel H. Marr. \$8,250.  
Margins: HF, 11, 4 1/4. Odds: 2.10, 2.20, 10.70.

**WAYNE HANKS MEMORIAL S.**, \$75,000, Lone Star, 6-8, (S), 3yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:16.38, ft.

1--**TOO MUCH ACTION, 124, g, 6, Too Much Bling--Quatre Rose, by Candy Ride (Arg).** (\$23,000 Ylg '20 KEESEP; \$92,000 4yo '23 FTKHRA). O-Jeff Scott, Penny Scott, Bradley Thoroughbreds LLC, Danielle Ferguson and Parker Ferguson; B-Mike G. Rutherford (TX); T-J. R. Caldwell; J-Rene Diaz. \$45,000. Lifetime Record: 28-11-4-4, \$445,301.

 **LEGACY Bloodstock SALES GRAD** 

2--**Turn North, 122, g, 4, Classic Empire--Al's Rosie, by Harlan's Holiday.** O-Russell Welch; B-Russell Welch (TX); T-Abel Ramirez-Rodriguez. \$15,000.

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3--**Tx Code, 122, g, 4, Honor Code--Academy Road, by Lemon Drop Kid.** (\$77,000 Ylg '22 TTAYRL). **1ST BLACK TYPE.** O-Mansfield Ra.; B-C Upham (TX); T-W. Bret Calhoun. \$8,250.  
Margins: 5HF, 1, 1. Odds: 0.80, 4.90, 7.60.

**LANE'S END DANNY SHIFFLETT SCHOLARSHIP S.**, \$75,000, Lone Star, 6-8, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 7 1/2ft, 1:27.54, fm.

1--**SKY ROCKER, 121, m, 5, Sky Kingdom--Special Rockstar (MSW, \$177,655), by Special Rate. 1ST BLACK TYPE WIN.** O-Star Bright Thoroughbreds; B-Star Bright Thoroughbreds (TX); T-Mindy J. Willis; J-Alfredo J. Juarez, Jr. \$40,950. Lifetime Record: 19-5-1-3, \$175,361.

2--**Blue Heavenly, 120, f, 4, Enticed--Cannonballcupcake, by Lemon Drop Kid. 1ST BLACK TYPE.** O-Joe Alfredo Castillo; B-Joe Alfredo Castillo (TX); T-Cesar Govea. \$13,650.

3--**Ruby Cantu, 119, f, 4, Keep Up--Sweet Ava Jane, by Early Flyer. 1ST BLACK TYPE.** O-Horsefly Racing, LLC; B-Jones Alto Colorado Ranch, LLC (TX); T-Matt Hebert. \$7,507.

Margins: 5HF, 1, 3/4. Odds: 6.00, 27.60, 12.70.

**TEXAS HORSE RACING HALL OF FAME S.**, (NB) \$75,000, Lone Star, 6-8, (S), 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:40.76, fm.

1--**MOR VICTORY, 120, g, 5, Mor Spirit--Deputy Sarah, by Deputy Commander.** (\$25,000 Wlg '20 KEENOV; \$25,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP). O-Norman Stables LLC; B-Susan Bedwell (TX); T-Jayde J. Gelner; J-Isaiah Wiseman. \$45,000. Lifetime Record: 28-8-2-5, \$268,271. \*1/2 to Jakesam (Smoke Glacken), GSP, \$159,102.

 **LEGACY Bloodstock SALES GRAD** 

2--**Proven Advocate, 124, g, 4, Not This Time--Song of Melody, by Flat Out.** (\$87,000 Ylg '22 KEEJAN; \$320,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP). O-Rene Lavergne; B-Jeff Kerber (TX); T-Jayde J. Gelner. \$15,000.

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3--**Regal Terka, 124, g, 4, Eagle--Pinetop, by Summer Bird.** O-John Wilke; B-John W Wilke (TX); T-Mindy J. Willis. \$8,250.  
Margins: 2 3/4, 2, HF. Odds: 3.60, 5.00, 5.20.

**ED SKINNER S.**, (NB) \$62,250, Prairie Meadows, 6-8, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:09.39, ft.

1--**GLENGARRY, 125, c, 4, Maximus Mischief--L. A. Way, by Tizway.** (\$55,000 Ylg '22 FTKJUL; \$150,000 2yo '23 EASMAY). O-Aaron Kennedy, Toby Joseph and Doug Anderson; B-Highpoint Bloodstock (IA); T-Doug L. Anderson; J-Tyler W. Bacon. \$42,875. Lifetime Record: 11-5-5-0, \$553,811.

 **B-W/CROW 2YO Purchase**   
 **CLIFTON FARM** **Raised & Sold** 

2--**Diamond Rim, 119, h, 6, Not This Time--Nurse Donna, by Vindication.** (\$135,000 Ylg '20 KEESEP). O-Patti Earnhardt and Hal J. Earnhardt III; B-Brandywine Farm (Jim & Pam Robinson) (KY); T-Dan L. McFarlane. \$10,624.

 **BRANDYWINE FARM (Jim & Pam Robinson)** 

3--**Katar, 121, h, 5, Rocky Bar--Openshaft, by Mineshaft.** O/B-Triple AAA Ranch (AZ); T-Ryan Kenney. \$5,625.  
Margins: 2 1/4, 12HF, 1HF. Odds: 0.50, 2.20, 5.80.

**LADY SLIPPER S.**, \$55,000, Canterbury, 6-7, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10.60, ft.

1--**RETIRED KATHY, 120, f, 4, Firing Line--Shawl, by Medallist.** O/B-Pete Mattson (MN); T-David VanWinkle; J-Chad Lindsay. \$33,000. Lifetime Record: 18-7-3-3, \$199,095.

2--**Thunders Rocknroll, 119, m, 5, Maclean's Music--Thunder and Honey, by Thunder Gulch.** (\$68,000 RNA Ylg '21 KEESEP). O/B-Robert E. Lindgren (MN); T-Wade Rarick. \$11,000.

3--**O'Babe, 118, m, 6, Danza--Myrtle's Gray, by Oratory.** O-Kaiser, Robyn and Road Trip Racing, Inc.; B-Jeff Zlonis (MN); T-Gary M. Scherer. \$5,550.

 **BROWNSTEAD STARTED** 

Margins: 1, 4 1/4, 3/4. Odds: 3.80, 4.60, 14.20.

**PANTHERS S.**, \$50,000, Prairie Meadows, 6-7, 3yo, f, 1m, 1:38.67, ft.

**1--A THOUSAND MILES, 118, f, 3, Thousand Words--Swiss Army Wife (SP), by Colonel John.** (\$15,000 Ylg '23 KEESEP; \$27,000 2yo '24 OBSMAR). O-Bryon Seymore; B-John Hess & Riley Hess (KY); T-Bart G. Hone; J-Glenn W. Corbett. \$30,200. Lifetime Record: 9-4-2-2, \$115,860.

### THINK INDIAN CREEK

**2--Caliente Star**, 117, f, 3, Tapiture--Caliente Candy, by Sidney's Candy. O-Jama T. Lopez; B-Laurence Jones (AR); T-Tammy Hornsby. \$10,200.

**3--Kerry's Kiss**, 116, f, 3, Vino Rosso--Abuntia, by Olmodavor. (\$27,000 RNA Wlg '22 KEENOV; \$22,000 RNA Ylg '23 FTKOCT).

**1ST BLACK TYPE.** O-Burl D. McBride and Gerald E. Marr; B-Virginia Moore & Malia Hopkins (KY); T-Tammy Hornsby. \$5,200.

### LEGACY Bloodstock SALES GRAD

Margins: 4, 3/4, NO. Odds: 3.00, 1.00, 5.90.

**JIM AND SANDRA RASMUSSEN S.**, \$50,000, Prairie Meadows, 6-7, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:42.23, ft.

**1--WARRIOR JOHNNY, 126, g, 6, Cairo Prince--Warrior Girl (GSP, \$154,942), by War Chant.** (\$30,000 Ylg '20 KEEJAN; \$200,000 Ylg '20 KEESEP; \$290,000 RNA 2yo '21 FTFMAR). O-Rigney Racing LLC; B-William L. Pape (KY); T-Philip A. Bauer; J-Alex Birzer. \$30,200. Lifetime Record: 29-6-3-6, \$584,634. \*1/2 to Los Ojitos (Mr. Greeley), GSP, \$171,590.

**2--Cornishman**, 120, g, 4, Curlin--Penwith, by Bernardini. (\$80,000 3yo '24 KEENOV). **1ST BLACK TYPE.** O-Joseph A. Schumer; B-Godolphin (KY); T-Dan L. McFarlane. \$10,200.

**3--Secret Chat**, 122, c, 4, Union Rags--La Vie Ross, by Medaglia d'Oro. B-Gelfenstein Farm (FL); O/T-Michael J. Maker. \$5,200. Margins: HF, 1 3/4, 4 3/4. Odds: 2.70, 2.70, 1.40.

**PRAIRIE MILE S.**, (NB) \$50,000, Prairie Meadows, 6-7, 3yo, 1m, 1:36.36, ft.

**1--MICKSWAGGER, 116, c, 3, Volatile--Malibu Prayer (GISW, \$618,026), by Malibu Moon.** (\$150,000 Ylg '23 KEESEP; \$100,000 2yo '24 OBSOPN). O-Masino Racing Stable, Bruce Maller, and Tom Arndt; B-Three Chimneys Farm, LLC (KY); T-Bart G. Hone; J-Elvin Gonzalez. \$29,700. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-1, \$52,740.

**2--Maverama**, 116, g, 3, Cairo Prince--Sadie Be Good, by Big Drama. (\$13,000 Ylg '23 FTKOCT). B-Rustlewood Farm, Inc. (FL); O/T-Todd James Jordan. \$9,900.

**3--Time to Fly**, 116, g, 3, Lotsa Mischief--Smarty B, by Smarty Jones. (\$16,000 Ylg '23 ARZNOV). O-Kevin Eikleberry, Reunion Racing Stables LLC and William Matthews; B-Fleming

Thoroughbred Farm LLC, William Matthews & Filippo Santoro (AZ); T-Kevin Eikleberry. \$4,950.

Margins: 3, 1 1/4, 5. Odds: 6.80, 15.90, 2.50.

**WESTERN CANADA S.**, (NB) C\$49,000, Century Mile, 6-7, 3yo, 6f, 1:10.97, ft.

**1--WOOD CEILING, 121, c, 3, Gun Runner--Responsibleforlove (Ire) (SW-Itly, SW & GISP-USA, \$216,879), by Duke of Marmalade (Ire).** (\$340,000 RNA Wlg '22 KEENOV; \$190,000 RNA Ylg '23 KEESEP; \$110,000 2yo '24 OBSOPN). O-Norman Tremblay and Janet Kropp; B-Pursuit of Success LLC (KY); T-Robertino Diodoro; J-Rasheed Hughes. C\$30,000. Lifetime Record: 6-2-1-1, \$68,453. \*1/2 to Elyabri (**American Pharoah**), MSP-UAE, \$165,641.

**2--Puttingonthefoil**, 124, g, 3, Counterforce--Chilli Chines, by Katowice. (C\$46,000 Ylg '23 ALBMIX). O-Curtis Landry; B-White House Stables & George Robbins (BC); T-Gonzalo Anderson. C\$10,000.

**3--Who Is**, 120, g, 3, Ralis--Lost Humor, by Langfuhr. (C\$25,000 Ylg '23 BRCSEP). O-Willow Creek Farms; B-Anne Alendal & Jim Alendal (BC); T-Robert Henson. C\$5,000.

Margins: 1HF, 3HF, 4 3/4. Odds: 6.35, 3.50, 7.10.

#### HANDICAP RESULTS:

**9th-Gulfstream, \$67,400, Hcp**, 6-8, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:43.05, ft, 1 length.

**LURE HIM IN (g, 8, Khozan--Alluring Lady, by Indygo Shiner)** Lifetime Record: Sw & GSP, 52-11-10-8, \$672,513. O-C2 Racing Stable LLC, Double B Racing Stables, Braverman, Paul, Pinch, Timothy and Mach 1 Racing; B-Stonehedge LLC (FL); T-Sam Wilensky. \*Full to Big Daddy Dave, MSP, \$282,340.

#### ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

**9th-Churchill Downs, \$137,915, (NW2\$X)/Opt.** Clm (\$80,000), 6-8, 3yo/up, 1 3/8mT, 2:15.47, fm, nose.

**SAFE TRIP HOME (g, 5, More Than Ready--Dido {GSP-Can, MSP-USA, \$165,592}, by Bernstein)** Lifetime Record: 9-3-1-0, \$204,867. O-PTK LLC; B-Jack Swain (KY); T-William D. Cowans. \*\$95,000 RNA Ylg '21 KEESEP; \$95,000 Ylg '21 FTKOCT.

**4th-Saratoga, \$110,000, (NW1\$X)/Opt.** Clm (\$50,000), 6-8, 3yo/up, 1m (off turf), 1:36.74, ft, 1/2 length.

**LIGHT THE WAY (g, 5, Justify--By the Light {MSW & GISP, \$885,632}, by Malibu Moon)** Lifetime Record: 18-4-2-6, \$229,489. O-Robert Pezzuti; B-Samantha Siegel (KY); T-Linda Rice. \*1/2 to By the Moon (Indian Charlie), MGISW, \$1,552,940 and Wonderful Light (Tiz Wonderful), GSP, \$305,955.

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**11th-Saratoga, \$110,000, (NW1\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$50,000), 6-8, 3yo/up, 5 1/2f (off turf), 1:03.63, ft, 3/4 length.**  
**ACOUSTIC AVE (g, 5, Maclean's Music--Rock Ave. Road, by Street Boss)** Lifetime Record: MSW, 20-7-2-5, \$511,710. O-A. Bianco Holding Limited; B-Chester & Mary R. Broman (NY); T-Linda Rice. \*\$200,000 2yo '22 OBSAPR.

**6th-Saratoga, \$100,000, (S), (NW2\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$45,000), 6-8, 3yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:16.41, ft, 1 length.**  
**CALDO CANDY (g, 5, Candy Ride {Arg}--Tanglewood Tale, by Tale of the Cat)** Lifetime Record: 12-3-3-1, \$213,598. O/B-Avanti Stable (NY); T-H. James Bond.

**10th-Saratoga, \$95,000, (S), 6-8, (NW1\$X), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:09.35, ft, 5 lengths.**  
**I'M WIDE AWAKE (g, 5, Laoban--Stella Performance, by Trappe Shot)** Lifetime Record: 33-8-5-4, \$351,132. O-AJ Suited Racing Stable LLC, July Cavalry Racing, Turman, Frank and Blieden, Mark; B-Southern Equine Stables, LLC (NY); T-Norm W. Casse. \*Full to Antonio of Venice, MSW, \$563,694.

**7th-Woodbine, C\$90,018, (NW1X)/Opt. Clm (\$21,902-\$23,362), 6-8, 3yo/up, 6f (AWT), 1:09.74, ft, 3 1/4 lengths.**  
**WESTERN WHIRL (g, 4, Twirling Candy--Western Rose, by Gone West)** Lifetime Record: SP, 12-2-3-3, \$156,169. O-Chiefswood Stables Limited; B-Chiefswood Stables Limited (ON); T-Stuart C. Simon.

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**8th-Monmouth, \$62,500, (S), (NW1X)/Opt. Clm (\$15,000), 6-8, 3yo/up, 5 1/2fT, 1:04.50, gd, 1/2 length.**  
**PEALING LAD (g, 4, Golden Lad--Bells Irish Fancy, by Dunkirk)** Lifetime Record: 8-2-0-1, \$68,986. O-Angelinos Racing LLC; B-Leo Holt Angelinos Racing (NJ); T-Benjamin W. Perkins, Jr.

**2nd-Santa Anita, \$61,000, (S), (NW1\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$50,000), 6-8, 3yo, 6f, 1:09.70, ft, 1/2 length.**  
**CHECK'S ON THE WAY (g, 3, Mrazek--Taffeta, by Scat Daddy)** Lifetime Record: 8-3-1-1, \$101,540. O/B-Reddam Racing, LLC (CA); T-Simon Callaghan. \*1/2 to Dont Fight the Fed (Nyquist), MSP, \$208,830; 1/2 to Madison Rae (Pavel), SW, \$148,220.

**1st-Lone Star, \$40,500, (S), (NW2L)/Opt. Clm (\$50,000), 6-8, 3yo, 6 1/2f, 1:16.97, ft, neck.**  
**RAISE THE BAR (c, 3, Maclean's Music--Paschali, by Bernardini)** Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-0, \$61,606. O/B-Douglas Scharbauer (TX); T-Steven M. Asmussen.

**2nd-Lone Star, \$39,000, (S), 6-8, 3yo/up, f/m, 5fT, :56.23, fm, 3/4 length.**  
**UPTOWNBLINGITHOME (m, 8, Too Much Bling--Island Artist, by Artie Schiller)** Lifetime Record: 27-7-9-1, \$275,786. O-Hutka, Marcus D. and Henningsgard, Jon R.; B-Jon Henningsgard & Dr. Marcus Hudka DVM (TX); T-Carlos A. Padilla.

**5th-Prairie Meadows, \$38,340, 6-8, (NW1\$X), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:11.56, ft, 1 3/4 lengths.**  
**GREY STORM (h, 7, Tapit--Zardana {Brz} {GSW & GISP-USA, SW-Brz, \$512,276}, by Crimson Tide {Ire})** Lifetime Record: 37-3-7-9, \$149,661. O-Erin Gonzalez; B-Arnold Zetcher LLC & Tapit Syndicate (KY); T-Jose R. Gonzalez, Jr. \*\$105,000 Ylg '19 FTKOCT. \*\*1/2 to Sonneman (Curlin), MGSP, \$524,260; 1/2 to Smart Transition (Smart Strike), SW, \$210,350.

**8th-Prairie Meadows, \$37,190, 6-7, (NW1\$X), 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:03.42, ft, neck.**  
**ALEXANDRA ELAINE (f, 3, Munnings--Piccadilly Line, by Air Force Blue)** Lifetime Record: SP, 5-2-2-1, \$51,840. O-Holly and David Wilson; B-Mike Abraham II (KY); T-Bart G. Hone. \*\$75,000 Wlg '22 FTKNOV; \$70,000 Ylg '23 KESEPE; \$250,000 2yo '24 OBSOPN.

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**7th-Charles Town, \$32,900**, 6-7, 3yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:17.32, ft, 1/2 length.

**O'CONNER SUNSET (h, 5, Curlin--Miss Sunset {GSW & GISP, \$891,895}, by Into Mischief)** Lifetime Record: 32-7-6-5, \$235,371. O-Arkofa Farm; B-Breeze Easy, LLC (KY); T-Michael E. Jones, Jr. \*1/2 to Track Phantom (**Quality Road**), GSW, \$453,050.

**4th-Hawthorne, \$32,000**, 6-8, (NW1\$X), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10.72, gd, 6 1/4 lengths.

**MONDOGETSBUCKETS (g, 4, Omaha Beach--My Miss Chiff {MSW & GSP, \$194,026}, by Into Mischief)** Lifetime Record: 5-2-1-0, \$45,806. O/B-Town & Country Horse Farms, LLC (KY); T-Chris M. Block. \*\$165,000 RNA Ylg '22 KEESEP.

**4th-Charles Town, \$29,800, (S)**, 6-7, (NW3L), 3yo/up, f/m, 4 1/2f, :52.01, ft, 3/4 length.

**BOSS LADY K P (f, 3, Juba--Landon Did It {MSP, \$122,562}, by Personal First)** Lifetime Record: SP, 11-2-3-0, \$68,783. O-KP Racing Stables, LLC; B/T-Kristy Petty.

**5th-Charles Town, \$29,800**, 6-7, (NW3LX), 3yo/up, 7f, 1:25.04, ft, head.

**XCELLENT START (g, 5, Upstart--Conquest Ms Curlin, by Curlin)** Lifetime Record: SP, 32-9-8-1, \$205,812. O-Regulator Racing Stable; B-Williams Racing Corp (WV); T-Wade S. Sanderson.

**6th-Charles Town, \$28,800**, 6-7, (NW1X), 3yo/up, f/m, 7f, 1:25.17, ft, 3 3/4 lengths.

**LADY SERENITY (m, 5, McCracken--Stay Composed, by Bernstein)** Lifetime Record: 40-6-4-5, \$188,072. O-Nicole and Ronney Brown; B-Apache Farm LLC (NY); T-Ronney W. Brown. \*\$5,000 Ylg '21 EASOCT; \$25,000 2yo '22 EASMAY.

**5th-Canterbury, \$28,500, (S)**, 6-8, (NW2L), 3yo/up, 5 1/2f, 1:05.54, ft, 2 lengths.

**FIRST TAKELA (g, 4, March Twelfth--Ta Kela Warning {SP, \$108,829}, by Kela)** Lifetime Record: 5-2-1-0, \$39,814. O-Briannah McDaniel; B-Briannah Mollie McDaniel (MN); T-Briannah McDaniel.

**4th-Canterbury, \$24,650**, (NW2X)/Opt. Clm (\$20,000), 6-8, 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:36.16, fm, 1/2 length.

**LLOYDS LOGIC (h, 5, The Factor--La Grange {SW & GSP, \$107,200}, by Curlin)** Lifetime Record: SW, 15-3-3-2, \$104,575. O-George Todaro; B-Nicholas M. Lotz (KY); T-Wade Rarick. \*\$22,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP.

**8th-Canterbury, \$24,150**, (NW1X)/Opt. Clm (\$12,500), 6-7, 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:36.63, fm, neck.

**GRACE DARLING (IRE) (m, 5, Kingman {GB}--Stormfly {Ire} {GSW-Ire}, by Dark Angel {Ire})** Lifetime Record: 12-3-0-1, \$81,410. O-Turks Head Turf; B-Springbank Way Stud (IRE); T-Joel Berndt. \*\$33,000 5yo '25 KEEJAN.

**7th-Emerald Downs, \$24,000**, (NW1\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$40,000), 6-8, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:08.36, ft, 2 3/4 lengths.

**LISTENTOTHEMUSIC (g, 5, Maclean's Music--Cleopatra's Finest, by Smart Strike)** Lifetime Record: 7-3-1-0, \$96,290. O-David A. Bernsen LLC; B-Sam Henderson (KY); T-Justin R. Evans. \*\$80,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP; \$40,000 4yo '24 FTDJUN. \*\*1/2 to Cleopatras Charge (Will Take Charge), SW, \$240,765.



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**1st-Canterbury, \$23,500**, 6-8, (C), 3yo/up, 5 1/2f, 1:05.75, ft, 2 lengths.

**R N R AUDIBLE (g, 3, Audible--Alluring Squall, by Bernardini)** Lifetime Record: 8-2-1-1, \$47,610. O-Mike Hellendrung, Courtney Padilla and Tim P. Padilla; B-Lothenbach Stables Inc (KY); T-Tim P. Padilla. \$9,000 2yo '24 OBSMAR.

**5th-Hastings Racecourse, C\$21,120**, 6-8, (NW2L), 3yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:16.92, ft, 3/4 length.

**BLUEGRASS LENT (g, 4, Lent--Bluegrass Gin, by Bluegrass Cat)** Lifetime Record: 5-2-0-3, \$21,261. O-Russo, Joe and Russo, Gloria; B-James Barry Doud (BC); T-Patty Leaney. \*C\$21,000 Ylg '22 BRCSEP.

#### ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

**Lila**, f, 3, **Audible**--Lucy De (SP, \$250,133), by Decarchy. Santa Anita, 6-7, 1mT, 1:36.20. Lifetime Record: 5-1-2-0, \$61,000. B-GGG Stables (KY).

**Vintage Port**, f, 3, **Classic Empire**--Portwenn, by Ghostzapper. Canterbury, 6-8, (S), 7 1/2fT, 1:32.27. Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-2, \$27,288. B-Almar Farm, LLC (MN). \*\$20,000 Ylg '23 MNSAUG.

**Taunting**, c, 3, **Daredevil**--Rendition, by A.P. Indy. Hawthorne, 6-8, 1mT, 1:37.06. Lifetime Record: 5-1-2-0, \$33,650. B-KiCourt (KY). \*\$80,000 RNA Ylg '23 FTKJUL. \*\*1/2 to Black Ops (**Hard Spun**), MSW, \$279,634.

**Arjun for Karz**, g, 3, **Eye of the Leopard**--Simran (SW, \$105,345), by Joey Franco. Canterbury, 6-8, (S), 7f, 1:26.46. Lifetime Record: 12-1-1-1, \$40,169. B-Dhanmatie Gaitri Rampadarat (MN).



**High Probability**, g, 3, **Improbable**--Ruth and Neva (MSP), by Cherokee Run. Prairie Meadows, 6-7, 6f, 1:10.14. Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-2, \$28,010. B-Susan King (KY). \*\$150,000 Ylg '23 FTKJUL; \$190,000 RNA 2yo '24 OBSMAR; \$95,000 RNA 2yo '24 OBSOPN.

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**Time to Shine**, f, 3, **Not This Time**--Glorified (GISP, \$166,850), by Honour and Glory. Santa Anita, 6-8, (C), (C), 1m, 1:38.94. Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-0, \$25,900. B-Ken Page (KY). \*\$200,000 Wlg '22 KEENOV; \$185,000 RNA Ylg '23 KEESEP; \$190,000 Ylg '23 FTKOCT. \*\*1/2 to Anythingyoucando (Curlin), SW, \$145,307; 1/2 to Lastchanceatglory (Goldencents), Ch. Older Horse-PR, MSW-PR, \$502,998.

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**Some Performance**, c, 3, **Oscar Performance**--Princely Sum, by Lemon Drop Kid. Churchill Downs, 6-8, 1 1/8mT, 1:50.02. Lifetime Record: 5-1-0-1, \$78,525. B-Jory Sherman & Don Blowe (KY). \*\$35,000 Ylg '23 KEESEP.

**Go Go Prancer**, g, 3, **Sir Prancealot (Ire)**--Silky Slew, by Slew's Tiznow. Santa Anita, 6-8, (S), (C), 6f, 1:10.32. Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-1, \$42,840. B-Eagle Ridge Racing, LLC & Dr. Stacy Potter (CA). \$25,000 2yo '24 CTBAJA.

**Social Triumph**, f, 3, **Social Inclusion**--Enthusiastic Gal, by Ecclesiastic. Monmouth, 6-8, (C), 1 1/16mT, 1:45.02. Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-1, \$20,540. B-Joseph Mark Imbesi (FL).

**Dontgobackonurword**, c, 3, **Vekoma**--Make a Promise, by Mr. Greeley. Woodbine, 6-8, (C), 6f (AWT), 1:10.74. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$18,792. B-E. H. Beau Lane (KY). \*\$6,500 2yo '24 OBSOPN. \*\*1/2 to Victor Kalejs (Spring At Last), MSW-Swe, SP-Nor, \$290,636.\*\*\*1ST-TIME STARTER.

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**Westminster**, g, 4, **Bolt d'Oro**--Shanghai Beauty, by Munnings. Woodbine, 6-8, (C), 6f (AWT), 1:10.89. Lifetime Record: 7-1-1-1, \$32,568. B-Nathan McCauley (KY). \*\$260,000 Wlg '21 KEENOV; \$275,000 RNA Ylg '22 KEESEP; \$17,000 2yo '23 KEENOV.

**Ario**, g, 4, **Bolt d'Oro**--Infliction, by Stormy Atlantic. Emerald Downs, 6-8, 6f, 1:09.63. Lifetime Record: 7-1-1-0, \$35,630. B-Hunter Valley Farm, Adrian Regan, Pat Barrett, Keith Lazarz & Richi (KY). \*\$55,000 Ylg '22 FTKOCT; \$150,000 2yo '23 OBSMAR; \$9,500 RNA 3yo '24 FTDAUG.

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**Davyjonz**, c, 4, **Bourbon Courage**--Forest Diva, by Forestry. Laurel, 6-8, 5 1/2fT, 1:02.15. Lifetime Record: 6-1-1-2, \$56,045. B-Lady Olivia at North Cliff, LLC (MD). \*\$5,000 Ylg '22 EASOCT; \$17,000 2yo '23 FTJUNE.

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**Swan**, f, 4, **Peace and Justice**--Venom Girl, by Stevie Wonderboy. Charles Town, 6-7, 4 1/2f, :53.67. Lifetime Record: 16-1-5-2, \$60,481. B-A1A Racing (PA). \*\$7,500 3yo '24 WMJAD.

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**Accelerate**, Sir Newtons Laws, c, 2, o/o Hotsy Totsy (Ire), by Casamento (Ire). MSW, 6-8, Monmouth

**American Pharoah**, Final Boss, c, 4, o/o Screaming Skylar, by Smart Strike. AOC, 6-8, Santa Anita

**Audible**, Lila, f, 3, o/o Lucy De, by Decarchy. MSW, 6-7, Santa Anita

**Audible**, R N R Audible, g, 3, o/o Alluring Squall, by Bernardini. ALW, 6-8, Canterbury

**Authentic**, Rude Procedure, c, 2, o/o Madison Kat, by Discreetly Mine. MSW, 6-8, Woodbine

**Bolt d'Oro**, Ario, g, 4, o/o Infliction, by Stormy Atlantic. MSW, 6-8, Emerald Downs

**Bolt d'Oro**, Westminster, g, 4, o/o Shanghai Beauty, by Munnings. MOC, 6-8, Woodbine

**Bourbon Courage**, Davyjonz, c, 4, o/o Forest Diva, by Forestry. MSW, 6-8, Laurel

**Boys At Tosconova**, Forever Chocolate, g, 6, o/o Chocolate Blush, by Fit to Fight. Friendly Lover H., 6-8, Monmouth

**Breaking Lucky**, He's Just Lucky, g, 4, o/o Anea, by Unbridled's Song. Louisiana Legends Sprint S., 6-7, Evangeline

**Cairo Prince**, Warrior Johnny, g, 6, o/o Warrior Girl, by War Chant. Jim and Sandra Rasmussen S., 6-7, Prairie Meadows

**Candy Ride (Arg)**, Caldo Candy, g, 5, o/o Tanglewood Tale, by Tale of the Cat. AOC, 6-8, Saratoga

**Cinco Charlie**, Texas Speed Queen, f, 2, o/o Maquita Elaine, by Hard Spun. Texas Stallion Pan Zareta Division S., 6-8, Lone Star



**City of Light**, Eiffel, f, 3, o/o On the Good List, by Speightstown. MSW, 6-8, Santa Anita

**Classic Empire**, Notorious Gangster, c, 3, o/o Sister Nova, by Verrazano. Queenston S., 6-8, Woodbine

**Classic Empire**, Vintage Port, f, 3, o/o Portwenn, by Ghostzapper. MSW, 6-8, Canterbury

**Coal Front**, Good and Stout, c, 4, o/o Ready Witted, by More Than Ready. Louisiana Legends Turf S., 6-7, Evangeline

**Complexity**, Luna Louska, f, 3, o/o Jamaican Smoke, by Latent Heat. AOC, 6-8, Gulfstream

**Connect**, Angel Gift, f, 2, o/o Georgie's Angel, by Bellamy Road. MSW, 6-8, Saratoga

**Curlin**, O'Conner Sunset, h, 5, o/o Miss Sunset, by Into Mischief. ALW, 6-7, Charles Town

**Daredevil**, Taunting, c, 3, o/o Rendition, by A.P. Indy. MSW, 6-8, Hawthorne

**Eye of the Leopard**, Arjun for Karz, g, 3, o/o Simran, by Joey Franco. MSW, 6-8, Canterbury

**Game Winner**, Gaming, c, 3, o/o So Stylish, by Johannesburg. Affirmed S., 6-8, Santa Anita

**Golden Lad**, Peeling Lad, g, 4, o/o Bells Irish Fancy, by Dunkirk. AOC, 6-8, Monmouth

**Gun Runner**, Wood Ceiling, c, 3, o/o Responsibleforlove (Ire), by Duke of Marmalade (Ire). Western Canada S., 6-7, Century Mile

**Hard Spun**, Dala, f, 4, o/o Lucknow, by **Medaglia d'Oro**. ALW, 6-8, Churchill Downs

**Improbable**, High Probability, g, 3, o/o Ruth and Neva, by Cherokee Run. MSW, 6-7, Prairie Meadows

**Into Mischief**, Princess Proud, f, 3, o/o Ulele, by **Candy Ride (Arg)**. MSW, 6-8, Churchill Downs

**Juba**, Boss Lady K P, f, 3, o/o Landon Did It, by Personal First. ALW, 6-7, Charles Town

**Justify**, Light the Way, g, 5, o/o By the Light, by Malibu Moon. AOC, 6-8, Saratoga

**Justify**, Warrior's Justice, f, 3, o/o Warrior Maid, by Holy Bull. Louisiana Legends Soiree S., 6-7, Evangeline

**Khozan**, Lure Him In, g, 8, o/o Alluring Lady, by Indygo Shiner. HCP, 6-8, Gulfstream

**Kingman (GB)**, Grace Darling (Ire), m, 5, o/o Stormfly (Ire), by Dark Angel (Ire). AOC, 6-7, Canterbury

**Laoban**, I'm Wide Awake, g, 5, o/o Stella Performance, by Trappe Shot. ALW, 6-8, Saratoga

**Lent**, Bluegrass Lent, g, 4, o/o Bluegrass Gin, by Bluegrass Cat. ALW, 6-8, Hastings

**Liam's Map**, Deterministic, c, 4, o/o Giulio's Jewel, by Speightstown. GI Resorts World Casino Manhattan S., 6-8, Saratoga

**Maclean's Music**, Acoustic Ave, g, 5, o/o Rock Ave. Road, by Street Boss. AOC, 6-8, Saratoga

**Maclean's Music**, Listentothemusic, g, 5, o/o Cleopatra's Finest, by Smart Strike. AOC, 6-8, Emerald Downs

**Maximus Mischief**, Glengarry, c, 4, o/o L. A. Way, by Tizway. Ed Skinner S., 6-8, Prairie Meadows

**Maclean's Music**, Raise the Bar, c, 3, o/o Paschali, by Bernardini. AOC, 6-8, Lone Star

**March Twelfth**, First Takela, g, 4, o/o Ta Kela Warning, by Kela. ALW, 6-8, Canterbury

**McCraken**, Lady Serenity, m, 5, o/o Stay Composed, by Bernstein. ALW, 6-7, Charles Town

**Medaglia d'Oro**, East Avenue, c, 3, o/o Dance Music, by Ghostzapper. GIII Matt Winn S., 6-8, Churchill Downs

**Mendelssohn**, Saturday Flirt, f, 3, o/o Dragic, by Broken Vow. Soaring Softly S., 6-8, Saratoga

**Mor Spirit**, Mor Victory, g, 5, o/o Deputy Sarah, by Deputy Commander. Texas Horse Racing Hall of Fame S., 6-8, Lone Star

**More Than Ready**, Safe Trip Home, g, 5, o/o Dido, by Bernstein. AOC, 6-8, Churchill Downs

**Mrazek**, Check's On the Way, g, 3, o/o Taffeta, by Scat Daddy. AOC, 6-8, Santa Anita

**Munnings**, Alexandra Elaine, f, 3, o/o Piccadilly Line, by Air Force Blue. ALW, 6-7, Prairie Meadows

**Not This Time**, Time to Shine, f, 3, o/o Glorified, by Honour and Glory. MOC, 6-8, Santa Anita

**Omaha Beach**, Mondogetsbuckets, g, 4, o/o My Miss Chiff, by Into Mischief. ALW, 6-8, Hawthorne

**Oscar Performance**, Some Performance, c, 3, o/o Princely Sum, by Lemon Drop Kid. MSW, 6-8, Churchill Downs

**Practical Joke**, Here I Go, c, 3, o/o Duchess of Greeley, by Horse Greeley. MSW, 6-8, Woodbine



**I'm Wide Awake** | Sarah Andrew

**Shaman Ghost**, Sedburys Ghost, g, 3, o/o Hurricane Mimi, by Sligo Bay (Ire). OCL, 6-8, Woodbine

**Sir Prancealot (Ire)**, Go Go Prancer, g, 3, o/o Silky Slew, by Slew's Tiznow. MCL, 6-8, Santa Anita

**Sky Kingdom**, Sky Rocker, m, 5, o/o Special Rockstar, by Special Rate. Lane's End Danny Shifflett Scholarship S., 6-8, Lone Star

**Social Inclusion**, Social Triumph, f, 3, o/o Enthusiastic Gal, by Ecclesiastic. MCL, 6-8, Monmouth

**Take Charge Indy**, Indy Bay, f, 3, o/o Discovery Bay, by Speightstown. Jersey Girl S., 6-8, Saratoga

**Tapit**, Grey Storm, h, 7, o/o Zardana (Brz), by Crimson Tide (Ire). ALW, 6-8, Prairie Meadows

**The Factor**, Lloyds Logic, h, 5, o/o La Grange, by Curlin. AOC, 6-8, Canterbury

**Thousand Words**, A Thousand Miles, f, 3, o/o Swiss Army Wife, by Colonel John. Panthers S., 6-7, Prairie Meadows

**Too Much Bling**, Too Much Action, g, 6, o/o Quatre Rose, by Candy Ride (Arg). Wayne Hanks Memorial S., 6-8, Lone Star

**Too Much Bling**, Uptownblingithome, m, 8, o/o Island Artist, by Artie Schiller. ALW, 6-8, Lone Star

**Twirling Candy**, Ag Bullet, m, 5, o/o Noble Grey, by Forestry. GI Jaipur S., 6-8, Saratoga

**Twirling Candy**, Kilwin, f, 3, o/o Spanish Star, by Blame. Leslie's Lady Overnight S., 6-8, Churchill Downs

**Twirling Candy**, Western Whirl, g, 4, o/o Western Rose, by Gone West. AOC, 6-8, Woodbine

**Upstart**, Bella's Girl, f, 2, o/o Perennial Song, by Songandaprayer. MSW, 6-8, Lone Star

**Upstart**, Xcellent Start, g, 5, o/o Conquest Ms Curlin, by Curlin. ALW, 6-7, Charles Town

**Vekoma**, Dontgobackonurword, c, 3, o/o Make a Promise, by Mr. Greeley. MOC, 6-8, Woodbine

**Vino Rosso**, Carmen's Candy Jar, f, 3, o/o No Mo Shopping, by Uncle Mo. ALW, 6-8, Saratoga

**Volatile**, Mickswagger, c, 3, o/o Malibu Prayer, by Malibu Moon. Prairie Mile S., 6-7, Prairie Meadows

**Wicked Strong**, Highly Wicked, m, 5, o/o Highly Confused, by Rahy. Louisiana Legends Turf Distaff S., 6-7, Evangeline

**Win Win Win**, Diblasi, g, 2, o/o One More Minute, by Istan. MSW, 6-8, Saratoga

**Win Win Win**, Tres Coronas, c, 3, o/o Lago Lindo, by High Cotton. MSW, 6-8, Gulfstream



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Goliath | Scoop Dyga

By Tom Frary

Returning to domestic duty after his Far Eastern ventures, last year's King George hero **Goliath** (Adlerflug) cruised to a welcome facile win in Sunday's G3 La Coupe at ParisLongchamp. Sauntering to the front from the outset under Christophe Soumillon, the 9-10 favourite only had to stretch inside the last two furlongs to dispatch the filly Grand Stars (**Sea The Stars**) by 1 3/4 lengths.

"We decided not to fight with him and let him be comfortable and when he's like that he's very good," trainer Francis-Henri Graffard said of Resolute Bloodstock and Philip Baron Von Ullmann's flagbearer, who had run a rare tame race in the G1 QEII Cup in April.

"He can quicken off any pace, he just needs to be relaxed as he is a horse that can be very tense. That's why he ran so poorly at Sha Tin, so I'm very happy and we can re-start with him. This race will do him good and I have to discuss with the entourage, but we will target the big races again."

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## MARANOA CHARLIE BACK TO HIS DOMINANT BEST IN THE MOUSSAC

By Tom Frary

Fast but not quite fast enough for six furlongs, **Maranoa Charlie** (**Wootton Bassett**) was back in his comfort zone on Sunday and back in the winner's enclosure at the end of ParisLongchamp's G3 Prix Paul de Moussac. Let loose from the outset of the seven-furlong G1 Prix Jean Prat prep by Aurelien Lemaitre, the 19-10 favourite who was fourth in Chantilly's G3 Prix Texanita speed test last month relished the opportunity to dominate from an early point.

Chased to the line by the Wertheimers' **Silius** (Dubawi) as he had been when staging a successful comeback in the G3 Prix Djebel in April, Peter Maher's colour-bearer kept rolling for a two-length verdict, with another Wertheimer homebred 2 1/2 lengths away in third in the filly **Polyvega** (Lope De Vega).

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### TRAVERS CONFIRMED AS TARGET FOR SOVEREIGNTY

The next major target for Sovereignty will be the GI Travers Stakes at Saratoga in August, Bill Mott confirmed on Sunday.

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*Colin Keane has accepted the role of retained rider for Juddmonte Farms, The Irish Field reported on Sunday. [Click here](#) for the story. | [Racingfotos.com](http://Racingfotos.com)*

**5 | LADY CHARLOTTE REMAINS UNBEATEN**

*The Andreas Wohler-trained Lady Charlotte enhanced her Classic prospects with a determined victory in Sunday's G3 Diana-Trial at Hoppegarten.*

**7 | HAMISH DOES IT AGAIN FOR HAGGAS TEAM**

*The popular veteran Hamish gained the 10th black-type win of his career when coming out on top in the Listed Tapster Stakes at Goodwood on Sunday.*

**8 | GRAFFARD DREAMING BIG WITH DARYZ**

*The G1 Grand Prix de Paris could be next for Daryz after he made it three from three in the Listed Prix Ridgway at ParisLongchamp on Sunday.*

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**Pedigree Notes**

Goliath's Listed-winning dam Gouache (Shamardal) is a granddaughter of Monsun's G1 Oaks d'Italia heroine Guadalupe which links the winner to some solid German Group-race performers like Guardini (Dalakhani), Guignol (Cape Cross) and Guiliani (Tertullian). Gouache's 2-year-old filly by Magna Grecia is named Grande Merci, while she also has a yearling filly by **Blackbeard**.

**Sunday, ParisLongchamp, France**

**LA COUPE-G3**, €80,000, ParisLongchamp, 6-8, 4yo/up, 10fT, 2:08.62, sf.

1--**GOLIATH (GER), 126, g, 5, by Adlerflug (Ger)**

**1st Dam: Gouache (Ger) (SW-Ger), by Shamardal**

**2nd Dam: Guantana (Ger), by Dynaformer**

**3rd Dam: Guadalupe (Ger), by Monsun (Ger)**

O-Resolute Bloodstock & Baron Philip Von Ullmann; B-Gestut Schlenderhan; T-Francis-Henri Graffard; J-Christophe Soumillon. £40,000. Lifetime Record: G1SW-Eng, 13-7-2-0, €1,370,137. **Werk Nick Rating: F.**

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2--**Grand Stars (Ire), 122, f, 4, Sea The Stars (Ire)**--Queen Guenevere (Ire), by **Camelot (GB)**. (€260,000 Ylg '22 ARQAug; €800,000 HRA '24 ARQDEC). O-Newsells Park Stud; B-Ballylinch Stud & Ecurie des Charmes; T-Gerald Mosse. €16,000.

3--**Augustus (Ger), 126, c, 4, Soldier Hollow (GB)**--Andraxt (Ger), by Lord Of England (Ger). O-Stall Lucky Owner; B-Klaus Hofmann; T-Waldemar Hickst. €12,000.

Margins: 1 3/4, 2HF, SHD. Odds: 0.90, 6.60, 22.00.

Also Ran: Iresine (Fr), Casapueblo (Ire), Wakaburn (Fr), Saint Etienne (GB).

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**Prix Paul de Moussac cont. from p1**

"I can't wait to see him in the Jean Prat next time," trainer Christopher Head said. "He's showing that he's not a sprinter or a miler, he's in between. These Wootton Bassetts are really incredible--he can also do well in soft ground and he keeps surprising us."

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**Pedigree Notes**

Representing the established **Wootton Bassett**-Galileo cross, Maranoa Charlie is the second of two foals out of Koubalibre who raced for Freddy Head and is a half to Kodiak's G1 Cheveley Park Stakes and G2 Lowther Stakes winner Tiggy Wiggy. She produced the ill-fated Galileo colt Year Of The Tiger, who was third in the G1 Futurity Trophy, while the family also features Mehmas's G1 Del Mar Oaks heroine Going Global.

**Sunday, ParisLongchamp, France**

**PRIX PAUL DE MOUSSAC-G3**, €80,000, ParisLongchamp, 6-8, 3yo, 7fT, 1:20.27, sf.

1--**MARANOA CHARLIE (FR)**, 128, c, 3, by **Wootton Bassett (GB)**

1st Dam: Koubalibre (Ire), by Galileo (Ire)

2nd Dam: Kheleyf's Silver (Ire), by Kheleyf

3rd Dam: Silver Arrow, by Shaded

**TDN Rising Star.** (€220,000 Ylg '23 ARQAUG). O-Peter Maher, Carl Fitzgerald & John Baxter; B-Haras d'Etream, Riviera Equine SARL & Gestut Zur Kuste AG; T-Christopher Head; J-Aurelien Lemaitre. €40,000. Lifetime Record: 7-5-0-0, €239,275. **Werk Nick Rating: A+++ \*Triple Plus\***.

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2--**Silius (Ire)**, 126, c, 3, Dubawi (Ire)--Silasol (Ire), by Monsun (Ger). O/B-Wertheimer et Frere; T-Christophe Ferland. €16,000.

3--**Polyvega (Ire)**, 122, f, 3, Lope De Vega (Ire)--Polydream (Ire), by **Oasis Dream (GB)**. **TDN Rising Star.** O/B-Wertheimer et Frere; T-Christophe Ferland. €12,000.

Margins: 2, 2HF, NK. Odds: 1.90, 2.80, 6.50.

Also Ran: Reach The Sky (Fr), Burhan (GB), Houquetot (Ire), Dos Mukasan (Fr), Afogado (Ire). Scratched: Selenien (Fr).

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## GOLDEN HORN'S LADY CHARLOTTE REMAINS UNBEATEN AFTER SNAGGING HOPPEGARTEN FEATURE

*By Sean Cronin*

The hitherto unbeaten Andreas Wohler trainee **Lady Charlotte** (Golden Horn) leapt to head of the ante-post betting market for August's G1 Preis der Diana (German Oaks) after producing a determined effort to prevail in Sunday's G3 Diana-Trial over 10 furlongs at Hoppegarten.

She had previously registered two wins in Poland for former trainer Maciej Janikowski last term and annexed Hannover's Listed Preis der Neuen Bult in her German debut last month.

The 11-5 second favourite settled off the pace with one behind in sixth after a slick getaway and eased into fifth after a half-mile had elapsed. Bustled along to reduce arrears at the top of the home straight, she went second entering the final furlong and quickened smartly under a late drive to deny last month's G2 Karin Baronin von Ullmann Schwarzgold-Rennen victrix **Nicoreni** (Brametot) by a neck in the dying strides. Fantastic Moon's half-sister **Fire And Ice** (Masar) fared best of the remainder and finished two lengths adrift in third.

"She most definitely relished the [soft] going and the step up in trip," said winning jockey Adrie de Vries. "On good going it might have been more difficult for us, but she really is a great filly and 2000 metres is the minimum trip for her. She only ever does as much as necessary and, as long as she keeps doing that, we can keep dreaming."

### Pedigree Notes

Lady Charlotte, who becomes the 11th pattern-race winner for her sire, is the third of five foals and one of two scorers out of a half-sister to G2 Blandford Stud Stakes victrix Monturani (Indian Ridge), dual stakes-winning G3 Prix de Seine-et-Oise runner-up Monnavanna (Machiavellian) and Listed Noel Murless Stakes victrix Mill Springs (Shirocco). Monturani is the second dam of dual Group 2-winning G3 Premio Parioli (Italian 2000 Guineas)

hero Anda Muchacho (Helmet) and G3 Firth Of Clyde Stakes runner-up Parsley (Zebedee). The February-foaled bay's second dam is stakes-winning G1 Oaks third Mezzogiorno (Unfuwain). Lady Charlotte, who hails from the family of G1 2000 Guineas hero Mystiko (Secreto), is a half-sister to the 2-year-old filly Lady Evi (Masar). Her yearling full-sister died last year.

### Sunday, Hoppegarten, Germany

**DIANA-TRIAL DER BEST PLACE IMMOBILIEN-G3**, €55,000, Hoppegarten, 6-8, 3yo, f, 10fT, 2:08.90, sf.

1--**LADY CHARLOTTE (GB)**, 128, f, 3, by Golden Horn (GB)

1st Dam: **Middle Creek (GB)**, by Poet's Voice (GB)

2nd Dam: **Mezzogiorno (GB)**, by Unfuwain

3rd Dam: **Aigue (GB)**, by High Top (Ire)

**1ST GROUP WIN.** (20,000gns Ylg '23 TATOCT). O-Westminster Stud GmbH; B-Rebecca Philipps (GB); T-Andreas Wohler; J-Adrie de Vries. €32,000. Lifetime Record: 4-4-0-0, €52,932.

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

2--**Nicoreni (Ger)**, 128, f, 3, Brametot (Ire)--Nouvelle Neige (Ger), by Big Shuffle. O/B-Gestut Ebbesloh; T-Peter Schiergen. €12,000.

3--**Fire And Ice (Ger)**, 128, f, 3, Masar (Ire)--Frangipani (Ger), by Jukebox Jury (Ire). **1ST GROUP BLACK TYPE.** (€470,000 RNA Ylg '23 GOFORB). O/B-Graf & Gräfin von Stauffenberg (GER); T-Sarah Steinberg. €6,000.

**STAUFFENBERG BLOODSTOCK**  
 Margins: NK, 2, NK. Odds: 2.20, 1.50, 5.70.

Also Ran: Venedig (Ger), Merveilleux Lapin (Ire), Starlight Lips (Ger), Stugardia (Ger).

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**Monday, June 9, 2025:**

## UNITED KINGDOM

**A'Ali (Ire)** (Society Rock {Ire}), Newsells Park Stud  
75 foals of racing age/3 winners/0 black-type winners  
14:57-BRIGHTON, 5.25f, **Dazzling Haze (GB)**  
£130,000 Goffs UK Premier Yearling Sale 2024

**Bangkok (Ire)** (Australia {GB}), Chapel Stud  
22 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners  
18:00-WINDSOR, 6f, **Caitlin G (GB)**  
1,000gns Tattersalls February Mixed Sale 2024

**Palace Pier (GB)** (Kingman {GB}), Dalham Hall Stud  
113 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners  
18:00-WINDSOR, 6f, **Miss Kim (GB)**

**Supremacy (Ire)** (Mehmas {Ire}), Yeomanstown Stud  
130 foals of racing age/3 winners/1 black-type winner  
18:00-WINDSOR, 6f, **Country Artiste (Ire)**  
50,000gns Tattersalls Somerville Yearling Sale 2024  
18:00-WINDSOR, 6f, **Gnocchi (Ire)**  
€85,000 Goffs Orby Yearling Sale (Book 1) 2024; 60,000gns  
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## FRANCE

**Space Blues (Ire)** (Dubawi {Ire}), Kildangan Stud  
113 foals of racing age/3 winners/0 black-type winners  
7-SALON PROVENCE, 1100m, **Amelia (Fr)**

# BRITAIN

## Sunday's Results:

**WEATHERBYS / BRITISH EBF AGNES KEYSER FILLIES STAKES-**  
**Listed**, £70,000, Goodwood, 6-8, 3yo, f, 9f 197yT, 2:11.58, sf.  
1--**WAARDAH (IRE)**, 128, f, 3, by **Postponed (Ire)**

**1st Dam: Neesaan (GB)**, by **New Approach (Ire)**

**2nd Dam: Red Dune (Ire)**, by **Red Ransom**

**3rd Dam: Desert Beauty (Ire)**, by **Green Desert**

**1ST BLACK TYPE WIN.** O-Sheikh Ahmed Al Maktoum;  
B-Godolphin; T-Owen Burrows; J-Callum Rodriguez. £39,697.  
Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-0, \$64,512.

2--**Anna Swan (GB)**, 128, f, 3, Almanzor (Fr)--Vivionn (GB), by  
Dubawi (Ire). **1ST BLACK TYPE.** O-Cheveley Park Stud;  
B-Cheveley Park Stud Limited; T-William Haggas. £15,050.  
3--**Tattycoram (GB)**, 128, f, 3, **Camelot (GB)**--Illaunmore, by  
Shamardal. **1ST BLACK TYPE.** O/B-Chasemore Farm; T-Ralph  
Beckett. £7,532.

Margins: 2 3/4, NK, 3/4. Odds: 7.00, 4.50, 3.50.

Also Ran: Modern Utopia (Ire), Quebella (GB), Janey Mackers  
(Ire), Bowerchalke (GB), Rhapsody (Ire), El Budoor (GB), Queen  
Of Thieves (GB). Scratched: Miss Tonnerre (Ire), Purple Rainbow  
(GB).

Relishing the step up from a mile, Waardah, whose previous  
best had been a fifth in the Listed Montrose Fillies' Stakes at  
Newmarket in November, stamped her authority on this  
seemingly open affair.

Always travelling notably strongly halfway down the field, the  
homebred brushed aside the long-time leader Anna Swan inside  
the final furlong en route to a convincing black-type  
breakthrough.

"She's always been a filly we liked and hoped she could do  
something like that," trainer Owen Burrows said. "I think soft  
ground is probably important to her. Callum said he struggled to  
pull her up, so I wouldn't be surprised if we go a bit further  
again at some stage. We'll just have to see what our summer  
weather does, but she's certainly one that going into the  
autumn we should have a bit of fun with."

The dam, whose 2-year-old filly is by Space Blues and who also  
has a yearling daughter of Dandy Man, hails from the esteemed  
Ballymacoll family of Sadler's Wells's Islington and Greek Dance.  
It includes New Approach's Aaddeey, who proved a particularly  
strong stayer who was second in the Listed Esher Stakes.



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**BETGOODWIN TAPSTER STAKES-Listed**, £70,000, Goodwood, 6-8, 4yo/up, 11f 218yT, 2:41.60, sf.

1--**HAMISH (GB)**, 132, g, 9, **Motivator (GB)**--**Tweed (GB)**, by **Sakhee**. O-The Hamish Partnership; B-J B Haggas; T-William Haggas; J-Tom Marquand. £39,697. Lifetime Record: MGSW & G1SP-Eng, SW & G1SP-Ire, GSP-Fr, 25-13-6-1, \$1,107,825.

2--**Military Academy (GB)**, 132, g, 4, **Fastnet Rock (Aus)**--**Sovereign Parade (Ire)**, by **Galileo (Ire)**. O/B-Isa Salman & Abdulla Al Khalifa; T-John & Thady Gosden. £15,050.

3--**Palladium (Ger)**, 129, c, 4, **Gleneagles (Ire)**--**Path Wind (Fr)**, by **Anabaa**. (€80,000 Ylg '22 BBAGS; €1,400,000 3yo '24 ARARC). O-Lady Bamford; B-Stiftung Gestut Fahrhof; T-John & Thady Gosden. £7,532.

Margins: NK, HD, 7HF. Odds: Evens, 2.25, 11.00.

Also Ran: **Bolster (GB)**, **Galashiels (Ire)**. Scratched: **Raja Raja (GB)**.

Making the most of a break in the weather to get his favoured easy ground, Hamish made it 10 black-type wins as he made a successful seasonal debut for the fourth consecutive time. Just over a year after he had pushed Luxembourg close in Epsom's G1 Coronation Cup, the beloved stalwart of Somerville Lodge had to work hard to see off two relative minnows from Clarehaven but ultimately produced the goods.

"We introduced a pony after he ran at Goodwood two years ago and he's been pretty good everywhere until today, where he was absolutely appalling again!" Maureen Haggas explained.

"The tack fell off about four times, eventually we managed to get it on and keep it on and once he was moving he was fine. He was pretty naughty at the start, but he has been crying out for a race for a long time and he needs soft ground. He's been ready to go since the John Porter which was the middle of April, so he's just pretty bored now and needed a day out."

"He likes routine, but he has got a little bit bored and he's not the sort you can take for a day out either as that blows his brains," she added. "I ride him every day and he doesn't feel like a nine-year-old, just the last two weeks you can see him looking at me saying 'what on earth are we doing this for?'. It's good he's had a day out to remind him what it's all about."

Hamish's dam Tweed, a full-sister to the Listed Lingfield Oaks Trial winner Vow and half to the G1 Doomben Cup hero Beaten Up and the G3 John Porter Stakes scorer Harris Tweed, also has a 2-year-old filly by Ulysses named Katell Golett, a yearling filly by Cracksman and a colt foal by Nathaniel.

**2nd-Goodwood**, £22,000, **Novice**, 6-8, 2yo, 6fT, 1:13.50, sf.

**JEL PEPPER (IRE) (c, 2, Inns Of Court {Ire}--Kasalla {Ire}, by Footstepsinthesand {GB})**, sent off the 2-1 favourite, showed why with a professional attitude travelling strongly as he pressurised the leader. In command approaching the final furlong, the half-brother to Camacho's Listed Doncaster Stakes winner and G2 Richmond Stakes runner-up Ballymount Boy surged on to record a 3 1/2-length success from Victorious One (**Siyouni**). The winner is currently the last known foal out of the dam, a relative of Big Shuffle's G2 German 2,000 Guineas winner Precious Boy (Big Shuffle) and the GII Nassau Stakes winner Crystal Cliffs by Canford Cliffs. Sales history: €44,000 Wlg '23 GOFNOF; 85,000gns Ylg '24 TATOCT. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$15,589.

O-Valmont; B-Fontstown Stud Ltd; T-Paul & Oliver Cole.

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## FRANCE

## Sunday's Results:

**PRIX RIDGWAY-Listed**, €55,000, ParisLongchamp, 6-8, 3yo, c/g, 10fT, 2:08.75, sf.

1--**DARYZ (FR)**, 123, c, 3, by **Sea The Stars (Ire)**

**1st Dam: Daryakana (Fr) (G1SW-HK, GSW & G1SP-Fr, \$1,372,923), by Selkirk**

**2nd Dam: Daryaba (Ire), by Night Shift**

**3rd Dam: Darata (Ire), by Vayrann (Ire)**

**1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN.** O/B-Aga Khan Studs; T-Francis-Henri Graffard; J-Mickael Barzalona. €27,500. Lifetime Record: 3-3-0-0, €55,000.

2--**Poschiavo (Fr)**, 123, g, 3, Mehmas (Ire)--Gradara (GB), by Montjeu (Ire). (€60,000 Ylg '23 ARQOCT). O-Lutz Bongen; B-Haras de la Perelle; T-Markus Nigge. €11,000.

3--**Phineas (GB)**, 123, c, 3, Lope De Vega (Ire)--Romanciere (Ire), by Dansili (GB). **1ST BLACK TYPE.** O/B-Wertheimer & Frere; T-Andre Fabre. €8,250.

Margins: 4HF, 3/4, 4HF. Odds: 0.80, 7.30, 1.60.

Also Ran: Pacifiste (Fr), Stormy Donald (Fr).

Francis Graffard trainee Daryz, a G1 Grand Prix de Paris and G1 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe entry, backed up wins at this venue in April and May with a career high to maintain his unblemished record in this black-type debut. Accepting a tow in second after breaking on the lead from the outside stall, he eased to the front passing the quarter-mile pole and extended clear in style thereafter to easily account for Poschiavo by 4 1/2 lengths.

"It was a very nice race for him, he had the perfect run behind the leader and he quickened nicely in the straight. We have always liked him, but we decided to take it step by step," commented Graffard.



Daryz | Scoop Dyga

"He has never stopped improving and I think there's more improvement to come. I shall speak with the entourage, but I think the plan is to take him to the Grand Prix de Paris."

Daryz, who becomes the 138th stakes winner for his sire, is the 10th of 11 foals and one of six scorers out of G1 Hong Kong Vase victrix and G1 Grand Prix de Saint-Cloud third Daryakana (Selkirk). The May-foaled homebred bay, whose dam is out of G1 Prix de Diane and G1 Prix Vermeille heroine Daryaba (Night Shift), is a half-brother to five stakes winners including G1 Prix Ganay-winning sire Dariyan (Shamardal), GII Knickerbocker Stakes and GIII Monmouth Stakes winner Devamani (Dubawi) and G2 T von Zastrow Stutenpreis victrix Darkaniya (Frankel). Daryz is also kin to the unraced 2-year-old colt Daryzan (Zarak).

## FIRST STAKES WINNER FOR SIRE

## Sunday, ParisLongchamp, France

**PRIX MELISANDE-Listed**, €55,000, ParisLongchamp, 6-8, 3yo, f, 10fT, 2:06.54, sf.

1--**SAFIA (FR)**, 123, f, 3, by **Sottsass (Fr)**

**1st Dam: Stay Home (Fr), by Le Havre (Ire)**

**2nd Dam: Sefroua, by Kingmambo**

**3rd Dam: Sophisticat, by Storm Cat**

**TDN Rising Star. 1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN.** O-Ecurie David R Layani Famille, Haras d'Etream, Riviera Equine SARL & Craig Bernick; B-Haras d'Etream, Glen Hill Farm & Riviera Equine SARL; T-Fabrice Chappet; J-Cristian Demuro. €27,500. Lifetime Record: 4-3-0-0, €70,500.

2--**Ilda Rosa (GB)**, 123, f, 3, Lope De Vega (Ire)--Zhukova (Ire), by Fastnet Rock (Aus). O/B-Godolphin; T-Henri-Alex Pantall. €11,000.

3--**La Bonne Etoile (Ire)**, 123, f, 3, Sea The Moon (Ger)--Newsletter (Ire), by Sir Percy (GB). **1ST BLACK TYPE.** (€50,000 RNA Wlg '22 GOFNOV; €110,000 Ylg '23 GOFORB). O-Alexis Adamian; B-Ballylinch Stud; T-Nicolas Clement & Flo Hermans. €8,250.

Margins: 1HF, HD, HD. Odds: 1.20, 2.60, 10.00.

Also Ran: Badie (Fr), La Brodeuse (GB), Champagne Dancer (Fr), Bintabuha (Ire). Scratched: Zawan (Fr).

Safia, a debut scorer at this track in October, opened this year with a **TDN Rising Star** performance at Saint-Cloud in March and bounced back off a fifth in a hot renewal of April's G3 Prix de la Grotte here to secure a career high in this second stakes outing. Employing waiting tactics in fifth until turning for home, she careered forward to seize control with 300 metres remaining and was ridden out in the closing stages to defeat Ilda Rosa and La Bonne Etoile by 1 1/2 lengths and a head. Safia becomes the first stakes winner for her sire, who now stands at the Shizunai Stallion Station in Japan. **Cont. p9**



Safia | Scoop Dyga

**Prix Melisande cont.**

“She’s a very nice filly who won well first time out in October and she won again first time out this year,” said trainer Fabrice Chappet. “We knew from the start she would have no problem staying a mile-and-a-quarter. We skipped the [G1 Poule d’Essai des] Pouliches because going one mile on fast ground against the best fillies would have been tough. She could now go for the [G3] Prix de Psyche at Deauville.”

Safia is the first of two foals and lone scorer out of an unraced half-sister to G3 Prix Chloe victrix Suphala (**Frankel**) and the stakes-winning G3 Prix du Calvados third Sivoliere (**Sea The Stars**). The latter produced the dual stakes-placed Doctor Carl (Fastnet Rock). The February-foaled bay’s second dam, Listed Prix de Lieurey victrix and GIII Noble Damsel Handicap third Sefroua (Kingmambo), is a half-sister to G1 Cheveley Park Stakes third Pursuit Of Glory (Fusaichi Pegasus) out of G1 Coronation Stakes heroine Sophisticat (Storm Cat). Sophisticat is a daughter of celebrated US champion Serena’s Song (Rahy), who struck gold 11 times at the highest level. Safia is a half-sister to the unraced 2-year-old colt Noble Memory (**Zarak**).

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**PRIX VOLTERRA-Listed**, €55,000, ParisLongchamp, 6-8, 3yo, f, 8fT, 1:41.66, sf.

1--**TROIA (GB)**, 123, f, 3, by **Kingman (GB)**

1st Dam: Umniyah (Ire), by Shamardal

2nd Dam: Desert Frolic (Ire), by Persian Bold (Ire)

3rd Dam: Try To Catch Me, by Shareef Dancer

**1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN.** (44,000gns RNA Ylg ‘23 TATOCT).

O/B-Fittocks Stud & Andrew Bengough; T-Ed Walker; J-Kieran Shoemark. €27,500. Lifetime Record: SP-Eng, 5-3-0-1, €52,933.

2--**Medusa Merger (Fr)**, 123, f, 3, Kendargent (Fr)--Morning Dust (Ire), by Invincible Spirit (Ire). **1ST BLACK TYPE.** (€72,000 Ylg

‘23 ARQOCT). O-Ahmed Mouknass; B-Haras de la Perelle; T-Mauricio Delcher Sanchez. €11,000.

3--**Epson Blue Cen (Ire)**, 123, f, 3, Blue Point (Ire)--Epsom Icon (GB), by Sixties Icon (GB). O/B-Yeguada Centurion SLU; T-Henri-Francois Devin. €8,250.

Margins: 3/4, HD, HD. Odds: 2.30, 3.80, 1.90.

Also Ran: Motu Proprio (Ire), Whataboutism (Fr), Stupor Mundi (Fr), Lips Vega (Ire). Scratched: Honeyflower (GB).

Troia, who ran fourth in last term’s G3 Oh So Sharp Stakes, lined up for this third black-type start coming back off a third in last month’s Listed Michael Seely Memorial at York and stepped forward to make a stakes breakthrough in game fashion here. Stalking the tempo in second after an alert getaway, she came under pressure to launch her bid with a quarter-mile remaining and was driven out once inching ahead approaching the furlong pole to defeat Medusa Merger by 3/4-of-a-length for a career high.

Troia, who becomes the 95th stakes winner for her sire, is the fifth of six foals and leading performer from four winners out of a full-sister to G3 Killavullan Stakes and G3 Strensall Stakes winner Dubai Prince (Shamardal). Her dam Umniyah is also kin to the stakes-placed Cadre (King’s Best) and Listed Blue Wind Stakes third Jakarta Jade (Royal Abjar), herself the dam of G3 Noblesse Stakes third Jakarta Jazz (Marju). Descendants of the April-foaled bay’s second dam Desert Frolic (Persian Bold), who is a half-sister to dual Grade I-winning G1 Champion Stakes hero Storming Home (Machiavellian), also include Group 3-winning G1 Cheveley Park Stakes third Umm Kulthum (Kodiac) and GII Santa Ana Stakes victrix Tuttipaesi (Clodovil). Troia, who is a half-sister to the unraced 2-year-old filly Accademia (St Mark’s Basilica), hails from the family of G1 Poule d’Essai des Pouliches heroine Musical Chimes (In Excess), multiple Grade I winner Music Note (A.P. Indy) and the latter’s G1 Dubai World Cup-winning son **Mystic Guide** (Ghostzapper).



Troia | Scoop Dyga

**ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**

**Elfenn (Fr)**, f, 3, **Attendu (Fr)**--Realite (Fr), by Intello (Ger). Le Lion d'Angers, 6-8, 10fT, 2:14.89. B-Haras du Quesnay. \*€3,500 Wlg '22 ARQDEC.

**Got Sea (Fr)**, g, 4, **Birchwood (Ire)**--Essonite (Ire), by **Sea The Stars (Ire)**. Le Lion d'Angers, 6-8, 15fT, 3:22.82. B-Haras de Trelis. \*€10,000 RNA Ylg '22 ARQSEP.

## GERMANY

**Sunday's Results:**

**3rd-Hoppegarten**, €10,000, **Mdn**, 6-8, 3yo, 8fT, 1:42.27, sf. **WINNYZIA (IRE)** (f, 3, **Sottsass {Fr}**--**Wierland {Ger}**), by **Cape Cross {Ire}**), sent off the 17-10 favourite, tanked along behind the front trio throughout the early stages. Joining Vicky (Dabirsim) with 300 metres remaining, the homebred dug in to prevail by a head. The dam is a half to the G3 Prix Cleopatre-placed World Peace by **Camelot**, with the second dam being Big Shuffle's G2 German 1,000 Guineas runner-up Wolkenburg. Related to the G1 Deutsches Derby-placed Weracruz (Cracksman), her 2-year-old colt by **Gleneagles** is named Waladares while she also has a filly foal by Weracruz's sire. Sales history: €49,000 Ylg '23 BBAOCT. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, €6,000. O/B-Gestut Ebbesloh; T-Peter Schiergen.

**ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**

**Konigin Marika (Ger)**, f, 3, **Isfahan (Ger)**--Koenigin Turf (Fr), by Big Shuffle. Krefeld, 6-8, 8 1/2fT, 1:49.80. B-Gestut Elsetal.

**Westminster Eagle (Ire)**, c, 3, **Maxios (GB)**--Montfleur (GB), by Sadler's Wells. Hoppegarten, 6-8, 11fT, 2:21.98. B-Robert John Moyles. \*€24,000 Ylg '23 GOFORB. \*\*1/2 to Mawingo (Ger) (Tertullian), G1SW-Aus, GSW-Ger, G1SP-Sin, \$992,288.

## ITALY

**Sunday's Results:**

**Taany (Ire)**, m, 5, **Teofilo (Ire)**--Aghaany (GB), by Dubawi (Ire). Milan, 6-8, G3 Premio del Giubileo, 2000mT, 2:01.30, gd. O-Sc Genets Srl. B-Shadwell Estate Company Limited (Ire). T-Luciano Vitabile. J-Alberto Sanna. \*€55,000 Ylg '21 GOFJAN. **VIDEO**.

**Bright Filly (Ire)**, f, 2, **Ten Sovereigns (Ire)**--Nazli (Ire), by Invincible Spirit (Ire). Milan, 6-8, Listed Premio Mario E Vittorio Crespi, 1200mT, 1:10.10, gd. O-Sc La Rosa Blu. B-La Fabbrica Delle Candele Sas (Ire). T-Elisa Castelli. J-Mario Sanna.

**\*1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN.** \*\*€35,000 RNA Ylg '24 GOFOCT. \*\*\*1/2 to Fast Spirit (Ire) (Make Believe {GB}), MSW & MGSP-Ity. **VIDEO**.

**Grand Son Of Dark (Ire)**, c, 2, **Dark Angel (Ire)**--Chica Bonita (GB), by Lope De Vega (Ire). Milan, 6-8, Listed Premio Bimbi, 1200mT, 1:09.60, gd. O-Fabio Manservigi. B-Alexander Bloodstock (Ire). T-Giovanni Colella. J-Alessio Satta. **\*1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN.** \*\*£52,000 Ylg '24 GOF AUG. **VIDEO**.

**Love Tonight (Ire)**, m, 5, **Footstepsinthesand (GB)**--Young Americans (Ire), by Nayef. Milan, 6-8, Premio Xcvi Royal Mares, 1600mT, 1:36.90, gd. O-Michele Solbiati. B-Effevi SRL (Ire). T-Endo Botti. J-Alessio Satta. **\*1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN.** \*\*1/2 to Only Time (Ire) (Requinto {Ire}), MSW & GSP-Ity, \$171,965; and Midnight Season (Ire) (War Command), MSP-Ity. **VIDEO**.

## SPAIN

**CONDITIONS RESULTS:**

**5th-La Zarzuela (Madrid)**, €59,500, **Cond. (Derby Espanol)**, 6-8, 3yo, 12fT, 2:30.48, gd.

**ESTRAUNZA (FR)** (g, 3, **Le Havre {Ire}**--**Tsarine {Fr}**), by **Fuisse {Fr}**) Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-0, €44,800. O-Cuadra Becares; B-Haras du Quesnay; T-Christian Delcher Sanchez. \*€5,000 Wlg '22 ARQDEC.



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**IN HONG KONG:**

**Ruby Sailing (Aus)**, g, 4, **Starspangledbanner (Aus)**--Mutate (Aus) (SW-Aus, \$120,641), by Octagonal (NZ). Sha Tin, 6-8, Hcp., 1200mT, 1:09.19, gd. O-Michael Chan Se Ping & Law Lai Wan. B-Mr. T Corstens (Aus). T-Manfred Man. \*A\$60,000 Ylg '22 MMMAR. \*\*1/2 to My Amici (Aus) (Anabaa), SP-Aus; and Costly Commitment (Aus) (Encosta de Lago {Aus}), SP-Aus. **VIDEO**.

**Cheval Valiant (NZ)**, g, 6, **Charm Spirit (Ire)**--Folies Bergere (NZ), by O'Reilly (NZ). Sha Tin, 6-8, Hcp., 1000mT, 0:55.88, gd. O-Cheval Syndicate. B-R L Orr (NZ). T-Douglas White. \*NZ\$0 RNA Ylg '20 NZJAN. \*\*1/2 to Khanshe (NZ) (Mongolian Khan {Aus}), SW-NZ. **VIDEO**.

# WORLDWIDE NEWS

## JANTAR MANTAR RETURNS IN STYLE WITH YASUDA KINEN STRIKE



Jantar Mantar | Horsephotos

**Jantar Mantar** kicked off his four-year-old campaign in the best possible fashion when running out a comfortable winner of Sunday's G1 Yasuda Kinen at Tokyo, a 'Win and You're In' for the G1 Breeders' Cup Mile.

Sidelined since a down-the-field finish in December's G1 Hong Kong Mile at Sha Tin, the son of Palace Malice showed no signs of rustiness on his belated return with a sharp exit from the stalls in the hands of Yuga Kawada. Never far away from the pace set by **Mad Cool** (Dark Angel), the smooth-travelling Jantar Mantar moved up to challenge the long-time leader entering the final furlong and from there he quickly skipped clear to win by a length and a half from longshot **Gaia Force** (Kitsan Black). Race favourite **Soul Rush** (Rulership), reappearing after his G1 Dubai Turf defeat of Romantic Warrior back in March, was a neck further back as he finished third for the second consecutive year, with the same distance back to **Brede Weg** (Lord Kanaloa) in fourth.

"The colt broke well and was in a good position in third to start, but then he got a little overexcited as horses came from behind so I got a little worried," Kawada said of his fourth Yasuda Kinen winner. "I was still in doubt as to how he would respond at the stretch, but considering the circumstances, he really put in a good performance in the end and really exceeded my expectations as to how strong he is. He was unable to race to his standard at all last time, but I'm glad that he was able to show his true form today.

"I knew he would become a potential miler when he won the Asahi Hai as a two-year-old and was certain he was the best miler in Japan when taking the NHK Mile Cup title."

Trained by Tomokazu Takano, Jantar Mantar was named Japan's champion two-year-old colt of 2023 after winning each of his three starts, culminating with his maiden top-level victory in the Asahi Hai Futurity Stakes. Having kicked off his three-year-old season with back-to-back defeats, including a third-place finish in the G1 Satsuki Sho (Japanese 2,000 Guineas), he then doubled his Group 1 tally with a commanding performance in the NHK Mile Cup.

On Sunday, the Shadai homebred became the first NHK Mile Cup winner to also land the Yasuda Kinen, further enhancing an excellent record which has seen him miss the frame just once in eight starts, having clearly not been himself when well beaten at Sha Tin.

### Pedigree Notes

India Mantuana, the dam of Jantar Mantar, produced the best effort of her career when winning the GIII Red Carpet Handicap at Del Mar in 2018. She was led out unsold on a bid of \$145,000 at the 2019 Fasig-Tipton November Sale, before being purchased by Shadai for \$100,000, pregnant to Accelerate, at Keeneland January in 2020. [Cont. p12](#)

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**Yasuda Kinen cont.**

She unfortunately aborted that foal and was bred to Palace Malice prior to her export to Japan, where she slipped her Kizuna foal in 2022. She was bred to Palace Malice again in 2024, with a two-year-old filly by Pyro and a yearling filly by Isla Bonita already on the ground.



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**Sunday, Tokyo, Japan**

**YASUDA KINEN-G1**, ¥347,460,000, Tokyo, 6-8, 3yo/up, 1600mT, 1:32.70, fm.

1--**JANTAR MANTAR (JPN)**, 128, c, 4, by Palace Malice

1st Dam: India Mantuana (GSW-US, \$223,100), by Wilburn

2nd Dam: Speed Wagon, by Tomorrows Cat

3rd Dam: Rajica, by El Baba

O-Shadai Race Horse; B-Shadai Farm (Jpn); T-Tomokazu Takano; J-Yuga Kawada; ¥183,822,000. Lifetime Record: Ch. 2yo Colt-Jpn, 8-5-1-1, ¥504,350,000. **Werk Nick Rating: A+++ \*Triple Plus\***. **Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.**

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2--**Gaia Force (Jpn)**, 128, h, 6, Kitanan Black (Jpn)--Natale (Jpn), by Kurofune. (¥30,000,000 Wlg '19 JRHJUL). O-KR Japan; B-Oiwake Farm (Jpn); ¥73,092,000.

3--**Soul Rush (Jpn)**, 128, h, 7, Rulership (Jpn)--Broad Street (Jpn), by Agnes Tachyon (Jpn). O-Tatsue Ishikawa; B-Shimokobe Farm (Jpn); ¥45,546,000.

Margins: 1HF, NK, NK. Odds: 4.30, 32.20, 3.30.

Also Ran: Brede Weg (Jpn), Win Marvel (Jpn), Champagne Color (Jpn), Ecoro Walz (Jpn), Sakura Toujours (Jpn), Water Licht (Jpn), Mad Cool (Ire), Jun Blossom (Jpn), Sixpence (Jpn), Long Run (Jpn), Daddy's Vivid (Jpn), Red Mon Reve (Jpn), Gratias (Jpn), Trovatore (Jpn), Ho O Reality (Jpn). **Click for the JRA chart & video.**

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**SPARKASSE KOLNBONN - 190TH UNION-RENNEN-G2**, €70,000, 3yo, 11FT

| SC | PP | HORSE           | SIRE                 | TRAINER    | JOCKEY        | WT  |
|----|----|-----------------|----------------------|------------|---------------|-----|
| 1  | 8  | Abando (Ger)    | Adlerflug (Ger)      | Hickst     | Ganbat        | 128 |
| 2  | 3  | Amico (Ger)     | Camelot (GB)         | Grewé      | Wolff         | 128 |
| 3  | 1  | Enzian (Ger)    | Zarak (Fr)           | Grewé      | Hammer-Hansen | 128 |
| 4  | 4  | Hochkonig (Ger) | Polish Vulcano (Ger) | Almenrader | Baltromei     | 128 |
| 5  | 7  | Rekabet (Ger)   | Ito (Ger)            | Massaad    | Weber         | 128 |
| 6  | 6  | Sedano (Fr)     | Lope De Vega (Ire)   | Hickst     | Madamet       | 128 |
| 7  | 2  | Warasch (Ger)   | Galiway (GB)         | Scr        | Scr           | Scr |
| 8  | 5  | Zuckerhut (Ger) | Almanzor (Fr)        | Schiergen  | Starke        | 128 |

Deutsches Derby dreams either stay alive or die here, with the G3 Bavarian Classic fourth **Zuckerhut** setting an achievable standard. Eckhard Sauren's Hanover winner **Enzian** and Stall Grafenberg's clear-cut Lyon-Parilly scorer **Sedano** appeal as likely types. [Tom Frary].

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