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RECORD-BREAKING HOLLYWOOD

MEET ENDS Hollywood Park in Inglewood, Calif. closed its 55th spring/summer meeting Mon. with a record daily average handle of over \$8.1 million and with average attendance topping 30,000 for the second straight year. The daily average handle for the 68-day meet was well above the previous record of \$7.3 million, established in 1993 when Fri. night racing was conducted regularly for the first time. The record handle resulted in record daily purses of \$332,545. Propelled by a strong Fri. night promotional campaign, on-track attendance for the meeting averaged 12,457, up 2.4 percent from 1993. Combined attendance declined slightly, falling 1.6 percent to 30,002. "Friday night has once again been a popular attraction at Hollywood Park," said track Chairman R.D. Hubbard. "New people are attending and they're having a good time. We've seen a lot of young people--we're achieving our goal of introducing newcomers to horse racing." Simulcast wagering on races from Golden Gate helped boost total handle to \$552,500,988, while on-track handle of \$181,660,455 was down 1.1 percent from last year. Jockey Alex Solis captured his first Hollywood spring/summer riding title with 78 wins; Ron McAnally led all trainers with 24 victories.

HORSEMEN'S BLOODSTOCK SERVICES TO OFFER FLORIDA SALE

Horsemen's Bloodstock Services, LLC, announced yesterday that plans have been completed to conduct the company's first Florida-based selected two-year-olds in training sale. The sale will be held next spring in Ocala, Florida at The Classic Mile, owned by Mr. Domenic Martelli. "We plan to incorporate the ideas which have distinguished our Sept. yearling sale at Laurel into our Ocala sale, such as guaranteed payment to consignors within thirty days and video tape of each offering," said HBS President M.J. "Laddie" Dance.

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Today, Goodwood, England

SUSSEX S.-G1, \$195,802, 3yo/up, 8ft	HORSE (Wt./Age)	TRAINER	JOCKEY	ODDS
Barathea (133 lbs./4yo)	Cumani	Kinane	8-1	
Bigstone (133/4)	Lellouche	Peslier	9-2	
Bluegrass Prince(125/3)	Hannon	Thomson	20-1	
Distant View (125/3)	Cecil	Eddery	9-2	
First Trump (125/3)	Wragg	M. Hills	14-1	
Grand Lodge (125/3)	Jarvis	Dettori	5-1	
Mister Baileys (125/3)	Johnston	Weaver	4-1	
Redoubtable (125/3)	Hannon	T. Quinn	66-1	
Sayyedati (130/4)	Brittain	Swinburn	8-1	

Mister Baileys (GB) (Robellino), the early favorite, has won four of eight career starts, including the G1 British 2000 Guineas April 30 at Newmarket. In his most recent start, the June 1 Epsom Derby, he finished fourth, seven lengths behind winner Erhaab. That race was over 10 furlongs, however, and the colt should benefit from the shorter one-mile distance of the Sussex, a distance over which he is undefeated in two tries.

Today, Saratoga

SARATOGA BUDWEISER BREEDERS' CUP-GIII, \$150,000a, 3yo/up, f/m, 8.5ft

PP	HORSE	TRAINER	JOCKEY	Wt
2	Irish Linnet	O'Brien	Velazquez	117
3	Heed	Badgett	Chavez	110
4	Blazing Kadie	Toner	Samyn	111
5	Weekend Madness(IRE)	Kessinger	Sellers	115
1	Winnetka	Mott	Perret	112
6	Aquilegia	Schulhofer	Krone	114
7	You'd Be Surprised	Miller	Bailey	120
8	Saratoga Source	Sheppard	Santos	112
1a	Elizabeth Bay	Mott	Day	117

You'd Be Surprised (Blushing Groom {FR}), a graded stakes-winner on both turf and dirt, breezed five furlongs Sat. in a bullet 1:01.02 over Saratoga's Oklahoma Training Track. "I love her," said trainer Mack Miller. "She's the best I've had in my lifetime. Rarely do you see one that accommodates one surface as well as another." Austin Delaney's **Irish Linnet** (Seattle Song) took the June 19 Penn National Budweiser Breeders' Cup in her last outing. "She does very well in Saratoga," said trainer Leo O'Brien. "She won up here four years in a row, and she's won the Yaddo S. three years in a row, so that's where I'll probably go with her next, the Yaddo (August 17)."



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HASKELL FIELD TAKES SHAPE Four more horses have been invited to run in Sun.'s GI, \$500,000 Haskell Invitational H. at Monmouth. Invitations have been extended to **Love Song** (Private Terms), **Mr. Music Man** (Stop the Music), **Hold My Tongue** (Gate Dancer) and **Deputy Slew** (Deputy Minister). "All four of these three-year-olds are horses that have either won or finished second in their last starts," said Monmouth Director of Racing Mike Dempsey. Trainer Sonny Hine will send out multiple stakes-placed **Red Tazz** (Stalwart). "My horse is capable of beating some of the others," Hine said. "He's training good. We would be tickled to be on the board, but if things should go wrong, we'll be right there. You never win when you don't run." **Meadow Flight** (Meadowlake), winner of Monmouth's Long Branch Breeders' Cup in his last, went five furlongs in :59 2/5 handily in his last major Haskell prep yesterday. "In terms of running against Holy Bull, it's a tough assignment for any horse," said trainer Jim Ryerson. "And it will be really tough to beat him if there's no other speed in there. But we're confident in our horse's ability. We do expect him to run well." **Holy Bull** (Great Above) went back to the track yesterday morning after his sharp seven-furlong workout Sun. afternoon. "He was very sharp and played coming off the track like he usually does," said owner/trainer Jimmy Croll. "He galloped 1 1/2-miles today and will do the same tomorrow. Thurs. and Fri. he'll probably go about two miles, and I expect to blow him out 3/8ths of a mile Sat. morning, early. We weighed him again, and just as I predicted, he only lost about two pounds after that breeze," continued Croll, who noted that he had weighed 1,160 Sun. morning and was now 1,158. "I use the scale myself, and I'm even down a couple of pounds."

PASEANA WORKS TOWARDS RETURN Trainer Ron McAnally supervised a one-mile workout over Hollywood's fast main track Sat. morning for Sidney Craig's two-time Eclipse champion **Paseana** (ARG) (Ahmad), who was clocked in 1:39 2/5 handily under jockey Chris McCarron. McAnally had hoped to direct Paseana to the all-time money winning title for fillies and mares this season until she was sidelined with an injury. The plan was to retire her after that goal had been achieved this year. McAnally indicated there now is a chance Paseana could race beyond this year in quest of the money crown, but added, "That will be up to Mr. Craig." Paseana's earnings stand at \$2,813,303, fifth on the all-time list behind Dance Smartly (\$3,263,836).

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STAKES RESULTS:

PRIX MAURICE DE NIEUIL-G2, \$96,921, Maisons Laffitte, France, 7-26, 3yo/up, 12.5fT, 2:39 2/5, gd.
1--#**@ABOLINE**, c, 3, **Gone West--Constantina**, by **Petrone**. O-Mme. B. Lynam; B-Roland E. Thompson; T-John Hammond; J-C. Asmussen; \$57,013.

2--**Snurge** (IRE), h, 7, **Ela-Mana-Mou--Finlandia** (FR), by **Faraway Son**. O-M. Arbib; \$22,805.

3--**Zimzalabim** (GB), c, 4, **Damister--Galaxie Dust**, by **Blushing Groom** (FR). O-M. Abdulla; \$11,403.
Margins: 1/2, 1 1/2, 3/4.

Also ran (in order of finish): **Rubhahunish** (IRE), **Bahamian Sunshine**, **Vert Amante** (FR).

*Winner is 1/2 to **Amy Louise** (MSW, \$379,960, by **Jumping Hill**).

KING GEORGE S.-G3, \$72,682, Goodwood, England, 7-26, 3yo/up, 5fT, 0:57 1/5, gd/fm.

1--**LOCHSONG** (GB), m, 6, **Song** (GB)--**Peckitts Well** (GB), by **Lochnager** (GB). O-J.C. Smith; B-Littleton Stud; T-Ian Balding; J-L. Dettori; \$44,486.

2--**Mistertopogigo** (IRE), c, 4, **Thatching** (IRE)--**Decadence** (GB), by **Vaigly Great**. O-Giovanni Alessi; \$16,667.

3--**Splice** (GB), m, 5, **Sharpo** (GB)--**Soluce** (IRE), by **Junius**. O-Cheveley Park Stud; \$8,020.
Margins: 1 1/4, 3/4, neck.

Also ran (in order of finish): **Lake Coniston** (IRE), **Welsh Mist** (GB), **Sabre Rattler** (GB), **Master Planner** (GB), **Laurel Delight** (GB), **Millyant** (GB), **Bid For Blue** (GB), **Surprise Offer** (GB), **Ya Malak** (GB), **Inherent Magic** (IRE), **El Yasaf** (IRE) < **Palacegate Jack** (IRE).

Another fine wire-to-wire win for the mare **Lochsong**, whose only challenge came from **Mistertopogigo**. This marked the 2nd time **Lochsong** took the **King George S**.

GORDON S.-G3, \$50,752, Goodwood, England, 7-26, 3yo, 12fT, 2:35 1/5, gd/fm.

1--**BROADWAY FLYER**, c, 3, **Theatrical** (IRE)--**Serena** (SAf) (G1-SAf), by **Jan Ekels**. O-Mrs. S. Boshier; B-Stonereath Farms Inc., G. Player & A.E. Paulson; T-John Hills; J-M. Hills; \$30,602.

2--**Suplizi** (IRE), c, 3, **Night Shift--Sphinx** (GER), by **Alpenkonig** (GER). O-Scuderia Rencati SRL; \$11,316.

3--**Party Season** (GB), c, 3, **Shirley Heights--Dabbiana**, by **Fappiano**. O-R.M. Cyzer; \$5,423.
Margins: neck, 3 1/2, 3/4.

Also ran (in order of finish): **Alriffa** (GB), **Rudagi** (IRE), **Spot Prize**, **Run Softly**, **Sadler's Image** (IRE), **Khamaseen** (GB).

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OAK TREE S., \$45,034, Goodwood, England, 7-26, 3yo/up, f/m, 7fT, 1:26 2/5, gd/fm.
 1--**BLUE SIREN (GB)**, f, 3, **Bluebird--Manx Millenium (GB)**, by ***Habitat**. O-J.C. Smith; B-Littleton Stud; T-Ian Balding; \$29,900.
 2--**Elrafa Ah**, f, 3, Storm Cat--Bubbles Darlene, by Fappiano. O-Sheikh Hamdan al Maktoum; \$8,929.
 3--**Monaassabaat**, f, 3, Zilzal--It's In The Air, by Mr. Prospector. O-Shiekh Maktoum al Maktoum; \$4,268.
 Margins: 1 1/2, 1/2, 1 3/4.




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MONDAY'S RESULT:

10th-HOL, \$32,000, Msw, 7-25, 3yo/up, 5 1/2fT, 1:03 1/5, fm.
SMOOTH RUNNER (c, 3, Local Talent--Silken Ripples, by Roberto), off since a 2nd-place finish to eventual Gil winner Shepherd's Field in a Del Mar mdn. last Sept. 4, rallied from the back of the pack for a length victory under Corey Nakatani. Smooth Runner was a \$65,000 Barretts March 2yo. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$23,400.
 O-Herbert Allen. B-Gainesway Thoroughbreds Ltd. (KY). T-Richard Mettee.

LOCAL NEWS:

Trainer Ron McAnally said Verne Winchell's **Sea Cadet (Bolger)** came out of the Bel Air H. at Hollywood well enough except for a breathing problem which accounts for his getting beaten 26 lengths. "He couldn't get any air in his lungs turning for home," McAnally explained. "We'll have to put him through a little stress test before we scope him to try and resolve the problem, but he looks marvelous. He never had a breathing problem before."



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LOCAL NEWS:

For the first time in memory, Edmonton Northlands in Edmonton, Alberta, Canada has cancelled its scheduled thoroughbred program for Thursday due to lack of entries. The only previous cancellations have resulted from track conditions and the tornado in the late 1980's. "We might have been able to scrape by with a thin card," said Racing Secretary Phil Livingstone. "But we might have had to rob horses from the holiday weekend. It will be better to go with strong programs Friday through Monday."



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YESTERDAY'S RESULTS:

THE PARK HEIGHTS S., \$56,225, PIM, 7-26, 3yo/up, f/m, 5fT, :57 4/5, gd.
 1--**#SOMEBODY ELSE**, 119, f, 4, **Executive Pride (Ire)** --**Currituck**, by **Cyane**. O/T-John Alecci; B-Blue Ridge Farm (VA); J-M. Johnston; \$33,735. Lifetime Record: 24-7-4-2, \$135,575.
 2--**See Yu in Court**, 115, m, 5, Court Trial--**Yuki**.
 3--**Irish Ivor**, 117, f, 4, Sir Ivor Again--**Red Pennant**. Margins:1/2, 1 1/4, neck. Odds:6.70, 4.30, 11.00.
 Somebody Else, winner of her last 2 starts, both against alw. company, made it 3 in a row, closing from mid-pack for her 1st stakes victory. "She really wanted to run," said winning jockey Mark Johnston. "We found an opening and she kicked in." 5-2 favorite **OOPS I AM (I Am the Game)** finished 8th of 9.

10th-PIM, \$22,000, Alw, 3yo/up, 8.5f, 1:44 2/5, ft.
DYNAMIC BRUSH (c, 4, Broad Brush--Dynamic Star {MSW, \$237,755}, by Silent Screen), a GSP runner making his 2nd start back off a 2-month hiatus, sat just behind the pacesetter early before drawing off to win by 9 1/4 under Andrea Seefeldt. The 5-2 second choice, Dynamic Brush is 1/2 to Star Minister (Gil, \$458,650, by Deputy Minister). 8-5 favorite **CUP CHALLENGE (Mr. Prospector)** was 4th. Lifetime Record: 26-4-6-4, \$109,130.
 O/B-Robert E. Meyerhoff (MD). T-Richard Small.

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GREENER PASTURES

by: **William Leggett**

Over the Independence Day weekend Arlington International Race Course launched its innovative \$1 million Turf Triple Crown with the running of the \$300,000 Arlington Classic. How did it do? Just fine, thank you, in every aspect one might imagine. There were 11 starters, and six were shippers: two from Ireland, three from Churchill Downs, one from Calder and one from Hollywood Park. The total nationwide betting on the Classic was \$664,756, up \$37,000 from a year ago when the race was contested on dirt. Also, the favorite, Eagle Eyed beat the second choice, Mr. Angel, a head on the wire.

For years the Midwest has tried to conduct a "Triple" in varying forms and utilizing different surfaces and races. Tom Rolfe won the Mid-America Triple in 1965 and Buckpasser followed him a year later.

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**William Leggett, Continued.**

In recent years, though, the supposed series was more like a menu in a Chinese restaurant: two races from Column A (dirt) and one from Column B (grass).

The other two legs of the Turf Triple Crown are the \$300,000 American Derby at 1 3/16 miles, which was run Sunday, and the \$400,000 Secretariat, the 1 1/4 mile co-feature to the Arlington Million on Aug. 28. Obviously, all three races are for 3-year-olds.

By adding a bit of money along the way, Arlington now has something unique, and it is also the possessor of three of the five richest races for 3-year-olds on the grass, the other two being the \$400,000 Hollywood Derby and the \$300,000 Del Mar Derby. The Hollywood Derby, by the way, will get national exposure this year via a live ESPN telecast.

Compared to their dirt brethren, it has been inordinately difficult for turf 3-year-olds to make money. Weather, of course, makes scheduling difficult in the east. The NYRA has four grass races for 3-year-olds. The first of those, the \$75,000-added Hill Prince, was run June 25 and won impressively by December Hill Farm's Pennine Ridge, his third grass win from four starts on it. Pennine Ridge got \$50,925 for his victory compared to the \$180,000 Eagle Eyed got for taking Arlington's Classic. December Hill is owned by Allan Dragone, Chairman of NYRA. His trainer, David Donk, won last year's Secretariat with Awad.

At least on the surface it appears the racetracks virtually push the 3-year-old turf horses up against the older runners by either not having enough stakes for them or keeping the purses down. In the often bewildering era of simulcasting one good 3-year-old grass race may bring back five-fold what another of those four-field filly-and-mare events for from \$100,000-\$200,000 yield. If I were running a racetrack I'd make that 3-year-old grass division very exciting somehow.

No, a grass 3-year-old will not be as exciting as one of the winners of a Triple Crown race nor as discussed as a 3-year-old filly like Lakeway or Sardula. But the public is far, far brighter than most racetrack managements give it credit for being.

Two years ago, for instance, a couple of 3-year-olds ran 1-2 in the Breeders' Cup Mile at Gulfstream. The winner was Lure, one of the most intriguing horses in years because he is doing something different in this country. Do you remember the horse that was second? It was Paradise Creek, presently regarded as the nation's top grass horse.

People still talk about Miesque winning two Miles, the first of them at age 3. She won an Eclipse Award off just one 3-year-old race in this country. Manila did virtually everything imaginable as a 3-year-old in 1986. Sunshine Forever was absolutely brilliant in '88, and Itsallgreetome was the Turf Champion at 3 in '90. Don't forget Prized, either. He went on grass for the first time in a race in the \$2 million Breeders' Cup Turf and won. Actually, 3-year-olds have won seven of the 20 Breeders' Cup grass races.

Eagle Eyed, the winner of the Arlington Classic, was taking his third grass stake this year, the two previous ones being the \$61,060 Pirate Cove at Santa Anita and the \$100,000 Sausalito at Golden Gate. He is owned by the Juddmonte Farms and is trained by Bobby Frankel. If those credentials aren't enough try these: he is by Danzig from Razyana, a \$350,000 Saratoga Yearling. Her first foal was Danehill, the champion 3-year-old in England. Euphonic, a good winner abroad, was her second runner. Eagle Eyed is the third.

And while Eagle Eyed could do no better than fourth in Sunday's American Derby, the fans at Arlington were still treated to a fantastic finish, as Overbury (Ire), shipped in from Europe for the race, dead-heated with the lightly raced but highly promising Vaudeville, with Star Campaigner just another head back in the competitive 10-horse field.

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ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

7th-MTH, \$23,700, NJ-Breds, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11 1/5, ft.

PAPPA'S JEN (f, 3, Pappa Riccio--La Konga, by Tap Shoes) Lifetime Record: 6-3-2-0, \$50,428. O-Marca Racing Stable. B-John Beres III (NJ). T-Edwin Broome.

7th-PIM, \$20,000, 3/up, f/m, 1 1/8mT, 1:50 4/5, fm. YGERNE (f, 4, Salutely--One Smart Girl, by Smarten) Lifetime Record: 8-3-3-0, \$43,050. O/B-Mea Culpa Stable Inc. (MD). T-Ronald Cartwright.

9th-MTH, \$19,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/16fT, 1:46 1/5, ft. LLOYD'S SUMMER (c, 3, Summer Patriot--Baba Dancer, by Pas Seul) Lifetime Record: 6-3-1-0, \$24,900. O-R. Donaldson. B-L. & P. Cowne (VA). T-J. Servis.

MAIDEN WINNERS:

+ Mahryebo, g, 2, Batonnier--Mahryeah (Ire), by Thatch. SRX, 7-26, 5 1/2f, 1:05 1/5. B-Mr. & Mrs. Robert H. Walter (Ca).

Bea's Cielo, f, 2, Septieme Ciel--En Tiempo, by Bold Hour. ELP, 7-26, 6f, 1:13 4/5. B-Mrs. Emory A. Hamilton (Ky). *\$8,500 yrl '93 KEESEP; \$60,000 2yo '94 OBSMAR. **3rd winner for freshman sire.

Tweakster, c, 3, Gulch--Tweak (SW, \$148,597), by Secretariat. MTH, 7-26, 1 1/16fT, 1:47 1/5. B-Foxfield (Ky). *\$85,000 yrl '92 KEESEP.

Smooth Runner, c, 3, Local Talent--Silken Ripples, by Roberto. HOL, 7-25, 5 1/2fT, 1:03 1/5. B-Gainesway Thoroughbreds Ltd. (Ky). *\$65,000 2yo 1993 BESMAR.

Civil List, c, 3, Private Terms--Queen's Statue, by King's Bishop. PIM, 7-26, 6f, 1:11 3/5. B-Bayard Sharp (Md).