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**KEENELAND RAISES OVERNIGHT PURSES** The average daily purse distribution at the 1996 Keeneland Spring Meet will be \$466,433, up approximately 20 percent from last spring's \$386,000. Total purses for the 15-date meet, which will run from April 5 through April 26, are \$6,996,000, up from approximately \$5,790,000 last year. There will be six races for two-year-olds and six for two-year-old fillies--all will be at 4½-furlongs for purses of \$35,000. The minimum purse at the meet, \$7,000, is for \$5,000 claimers ages four and up sprinting, and the minimum stakes purses are \$65,000-added.

**SALUTER NAMED VIRGINIA-BRED HORSE OF THE YEAR** *Saluter* (Salutely), bred by Mrs. Rose M. Estes, was named both 1995 Virginia-Bred Horse of the Year and Virginia-Bred Horse of the Year Over Fences at the Virginia Thoroughbred Association's 19th Annual Awards Luncheon, held Feb. 18. The other awards presented were as follows: VTA Award of Distinction--Mr. George Rowand; Virginia Stallion Stakes Nominator Award--**Quadratic** (Quadrangle); *Thoroughbred Times'* Virginia Leading Freshman Sire Award--**Magic Prospect** (Mr. Prospector); *The Blood-Horse* Virginia Breeder Award to the breeder of the most stakes-winners in 1995--Audley Farm Inc.; Harold E. Jackson Broodmare Award--**Homewrecker** (Buckaroo); Virginia Equine Hall of Fame--**Hansel** (Woodman); Experimental Free Handicap Award (Filly)--**Gold Sunrise** (Forty Niner); Champion Virginia-Bred Sprinter--**Lilly Capote** (Capote); Champion Virginia-Bred Male Three-Year-Old and Up--**Boyce** (Lord Avie); Champion Virginia-Bred Female Three-Year-Old and Up--**Dixieland Gold** (Dixieland Band).

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## W • E • E • K • E • N • D P R E V I E W

Saturday, Gulfstream Park:

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1	Unbridled's Song (Unbridled)	Ryerson	Smith	119
2	Gator Dancer (Pleasant Colony)	P. Kelly	Maple	117
3	Louis Quatorze (Sovereign Dancer)	Zito	Davis	112
4	Gold Fever (Forty Niner)	McGaughey	Day	114
5	Built for Pleasure (Homebuilder)	Heard Jr.	Boulanger	112
6	Appealing Skier (Baldski)	Perkins	Wilson	117
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The first three finishers in the Feb. 4 GII Hutcheson S. at seven furlongs--**Appealing Skier**, **Unbridled's Song** and **Gold Fever**--will be stretching out to 1 1/16-miles in Saturday's Fountain of Youth. Prepping for the GII event, last year's Breeders' Cup Juvenile winner Unbridled's Song drilled a half-mile in :47 4/5 at Gulfstream Tuesday. "It is a nice group of horses in there," said Unbridled's Song's trainer Jim Ryerson of the Fountain of Youth field. "I'm hopeful he will adapt to two turns. If he does that, I'm sure he is going to run good."

### STAKES CLOSINGS

**TODAY, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 22:**

3-2 \$150,000a **San Carlos H.-GII, SA**, 4yo/up, 7f (\$50)

3-2 \$200,000a **San Rafael S.-GII, SA**, 3yo, 8f (\$100)

3-2 \$125,000a **Buena Vista H.-GII, SA**, 4yo/up, f/m, 8fT (\$50)

3-3 \$150,000a **Arcadia H.-GII, SA**, 4yo/up, 8fT (\$50)

**TOMORROW, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 23:**

3-2 \$1,000,000g **Santa Anita H.-GI, SA**, 4yo/up, 10f (\$25,000s)





## News Continued.

**DUBAI DRUG DQ'S** The leading trainer in Dubai, Dhruva Selvaratnam, is expected to have three horses disqualified after they tested positive for prohibited caffeine. Selvaratnam, formerly assistant to Vincent O'Brien and Ian Balding, has notched 44 wins in the Middle East this season. Three of those wins are in jeopardy. **Afwan** (Forty Niner), **Airport** (Lear Fan) and **Sharjah** (Nijinsky II), all previously based in Britain, are on the verge of disqualifications as a result of an inquiry currently underway at the Emirates Racing Association. No suggestions of impropriety are being suggested and it is expected the banned substance will be attributed to feed shipped in from Ireland. Selvaratnam, 45, said, "It came as a complete shock. They are three of my best horses and do not need any additional help. But, under the rules, I expect to lose the races."

**BOWDEN JOINS BRADLEY TB BROKERAGE**

Neil Bowden of Bowden Bloodstock Consultancy in Sydney, Australia, has joined the Lexington, Kentucky-based Bradley Thoroughbred Brokerage as a partner, it was announced yesterday by Peter Bradley. The new venture will be called Bradley and Bowden, LLC. "I have worked extensively with Neil over the last 10 years and we have been very successful in selling mares and placing stallions in Australia and New Zealand," said Bradley. "With the evolution in the Thoroughbred business taking place, we felt our clients would be better served, both domestically and internationally, by combining our efforts."

## ◆ WEST ◆

## Yesterday's Result:

**4th-BMX, \$35,000, Alw, 4yo/up, 6f, 1:08 4/5, sy.** **HORNITOS (g, 6, Naevus--Battere, by \*Forli)**, winner of five stakes from ages three to five, rallied late to be 2nd in the \$35,385 Rancho Del Charro H. at Bay Meadows in his last start Jan. 26. Sent off at 5-2 here, the chestnut gelding dueled for the lead while inside from the start, shook clear at the top of the stretch and held on to win by 1 1/2-lengths. The 7-5 favorite, nine-year-old veteran **GUNDAGHIA** (Old Bob Bowers), stalked the leaders early then tired to be 6th and last. Lifetime Record: MSW, 27-10-5-3, \$247,775.

O-Leroy Krum. B-Indian Creek (KY). T-Charles J. Jenda.

## ◆ FLORIDA ◆

## Yesterday's Results:

**10th-GPX, \$50,000, Alw, 4yo/up, f/m, a1 1/8mT, 1:48 2/5, fm.**

1--**MAJESTIC DY, 116, f, 4, Dynaformer--Delicacy, by Pleasant Colony.** O-W.W. Brown & D. Connors; B-Peter Fuller (FL); T-Martin D. Wolfson. Lifetime Record: MSW, 21-5-3-2, \$153,559.

2--**Aucilla, 113, m, 5, Relaunch--My Cherie Amour, by Sham.**

3--**Irving's Girl, 114, m, 6, Badger Land--Card Table, by Bold Bidder.**

Margins: NO, NK, 1HF. Odds: 1.90, 8.20, 4.40.

Majestic Dy, winner of the Francis A. Genter Breeders' Cup H. over the Calder turf last Nov., was third last time out in the GIII Suwannee River H. Feb. 7. The filly was well back in the early stages here before rallying leaving the backstretch. She challenged for the lead in midstretch and was all out to hold off Aucilla at the wire.

**8th-GPX, \$33,000, Alw, 4yo/up, a1 1/16mT, 1:41 3/5, fm.**

**EL GRAN FERNANDO (c, 4, Ferdinand--Forliwan, by \*Forli)** was third in an off-the-turf affair last time out Feb. 3. Lightly regarded here at 10-1, the colt was up close early and went after the lead with a seven wide run on the final turn to outfinish **CRIMSON GUARD** (Danzig) for a 3/4-length win. 9-5 favorite **CINCH** (Temperence Hill) rallied late to grab the show spot. Lifetime Record: SP, 26-6-2-4, \$83,742.

O-Dianna-Andrea Stable. B-Mrs. Gloria Calderon (FL). T-Roberto P. Barcala.

**7th-GPX, \$26,000, Msw, 4yo, 1 1/16m, 1:46 2/5, ft.**

**SECRET SOCIETY (c, 4, Private Account--Nalees Flying Flag, by Hoist the Flag)** had started only once before, rallying late to be 4th in a one-mile Aqueduct maiden Nov. 17. Fresh here from his three-month hiatus, the bay colt came from off-the-pace for a 3 1/2-length score over 3-5 favorite **COUNT ME IN** (Afleet). Sent off the 9-2 third choice, the winner is 1/2 to **Far Flying** (MSW, \$278,226, by Far North), **Johns Treasure** (MGSP, \$304,436, by Exclusive Native) and **Sacahuista** (Ch. Three-Year-Old Filly, MGI, \$1,298,842, by Raja Baba). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$17,400.

O-Farish & Firman & G.W. Humphrey Jr. B-G. Watts Humphrey Jr. & William S. Farish (KY). T-George R. Arnold II.

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**American-Bred Winner in England:**

**Northern Union**, h, 5, **Alwasmi**--Loving Cup, by Big Spruce. Wolverhampton, 2-21, Northern Town H., 12f (all-weather), 4yo/up, \$8,216 to winner. O-Mrs. Anita Green; B-Kinghaven Farms Limited; T-M A Jarvis. \*\$48,000 yrlg '92 KEESEP. \*\*1/2 to Duke's Cup (SW, \$240,457, by Majesty's Prince).

**Local News, Dubai:**

**Moonshell (Ire)** (Sadler's Wells), winner of two of her three lifetime starts, including last year's G1 Epsom Oaks, will make her next start Sunday at Nad Al Sheba Racecourse in Dubai. The filly will pass up the second round of the Maktoum Challenge, which will also be run at Nad Al Sheba Sunday, and will instead be one of four runners in a mile event. She will be joined by 1995 Doncaster Mile winner **Airport** (Lear Fan), **Dancing Beggar** (Nureyev) and **Jumilla** (El Gran Senor). The race is expected to be a prep for the March 27 Dubai World Cup for the lightly raced Moonshell.

**Local News, Hong Kong:**

Jockey Walter Swinburn, injured in a spill at Sha Tin Racecourse in Hong Kong 11 days ago, has been released from intensive care. Bernard Hargreaves, a senior steward of the local Jockey Club, said, "Walter is in good order and is starting to get frustrated with the whole thing, which is a good sign." The 34-year-old British rider is expected to need a two-month recovery period and doctors have estimated he will not be back in the saddle until sometime in early summer.

**TRACK ABBREVIATIONS:**

AQU	Aqueduct	BMX	Bay Meadows
CTX	Charles Town	DET	Ladbroke DRC
FGX	Fair Grounds	FLX	Finger Lakes
GPX	Gulfstream Park	GSX	Garden State Park
HOU	Sam Houston	LRL	Laurel Park
OPX	Oaklawn Park	PEN	Penn National
PHA	Philadelphia Park	RPX	Remington Park
SAX	Santa Anita	SPT	Sportsman's Park
SUF	Suffolk Downs	TAM	Tampa Bay Downs
TPX	Turfway Park	TRM	Trinity Meadows
TUP	Turf Paradise	YMX	Yakima Mdws

**1995 THOROUGHBRED RACING LEADERS**

(as of February 18, 1996)

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<u>Jockeys</u>	<u>Mounts/Wins</u>	<u>Purses</u>
Jerry Bailey	222/62	\$1,618,660
Gary Stevens	146/33	\$1,501,475
Alex Solis	219/32	\$1,498,275
Corey Nakatani	168/40	\$1,393,625
Chris McCarron	124/22	\$1,273,100
Pat Day	222/38	\$1,103,265
Chris Antley	142/20	\$1,031,200
Shane Sellers	259/64	\$ 994,025
Mike Smith	214/36	\$ 963,060
Kent Desormeaux	135/23	\$ 950,075

<u>Trainers</u>	<u>Starts/Wins</u>	<u>Purses</u>
William Mott	102/30	\$977,822
D. Wayne Lukas	103/21	\$915,540
Wallace Dollase	22/9	\$819,975
Richard Mandella	48/11	\$759,650
Jerry Hollendorfer	120/27	\$507,210
Robert Frankel	29/9	\$498,318
David Hofmans	28/5	\$492,599
Gasper Moschera	80/18	\$490,666
Rodney Rash	37/5	\$406,585
Jenine Sahadi	33/9	\$379,050

<u>Horses</u>	<u>Starts/Wins</u>	<u>Purses</u>
Helmsman	2/2	\$434,500
Alphabet Soup	2/2	\$315,000
Jewel Princess	2/2	\$208,700
Lit de Justice	2/2	\$199,350
Serena's Song	2/2	\$192,600
Cigar	1/1	\$180,000
Lottsa Talc	3/1	\$138,830
The Vid	2/2	\$120,000
Celtic Arms (Fr)	2/1	\$110,880
Cavonnier	1/1	\$110,550

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### ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

**8th-SPT, \$37,422, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:38 3/5, ft.**  
**BMYONE AND HOLY (g, 5, Akureyri Kid--Bbymyside, by Exuberant)** Lifetime Record: 30-4-4-5, \$92,569.  
 O/B-Holy Haven Farm (IL). T-George L. Weir.

**9th-SPT, \$25,000, (S), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10 4/5, ft.**  
**YAKTAM (g, 4, Geiger Counter--Real Babe, by The Axe II)** Lifetime Record: 14-3-4-2, \$62,820.  
 O/B-Crown's Way Farm & Regal Five Stable (IL).  
 T-Gene A. Cilio. \*1/2 to Al Bing (MSW, \$185,695, by Cormorant).

### MAIDEN WINNERS:

**Magi's Mira, g, 3, Batonnier--Three Flights Up (SW),**  
 by Topsider. BMX, 2-21, 6f, 1:10. B-Robert H.  
 Walter & Barbara A. Walter (Ca).  
 + **Patty Babe, c, 3, Exuberant--Just Dreaming (SP),** by  
 Lord Rebeau. GPX, 2-21, 6f, 1:11 3/5. B-Mr. &  
 Mrs. S.H. Rogers Jr. (Fl). \*\$14,500 yrl '94  
 OBSAUG.

**Java Talk, f, 3, Java Gold--Talk About Home (SW),**  
 by Elocutionist. GPX, 2-21, 7f, 1:27. B-Wafare  
 Farm & Roger & Duane Kilbride (Ky).

**Enhancer, g, 3, Turnbuckle--All Cherished, by**  
 Apalachee. SPT, 2-21, (S), 1m, 1:40. B-Jake E.  
 Bryant (Il). \*Full to Roundturn (MSP, \$110,620).

**Thisbabyhascourage, g, 4, Iron Courage--Watties**  
 Baby, by Watties Rock (GB). SPT, 2-21, (S), 6f,  
 1:11 4/5. B-Bob Lothenbach (Il). \*Won off 2-month  
 layoff.

**Secret Society, c, 4, Private Account--Nalees Flying**  
 Flag, by Hoist the Flag. GPX, 2-21, 1 1/16m, 1:46  
 2/5. B-G. Watts Humphrey Jr & William S. Farish  
 (Ky). \*1/2 to Far Flying (MSW, \$278,226, by Far  
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A # will distinguish first-time stakes-winners, a @ will  
 indicate first-time graded stakes-winners, a + will de-  
 note winners who are first-time starters, an (S) will be  
 used for state-bred races and an (R) will be used for  
 other restricted races.

### FOALING NEWS:

**FUN TALK, 9, Honest Pleasure--Tellarm (Tell)**  
 Foal born 2/3/96, a colt by Lil E. Tee.  
 Will be bred back to Lil E. Tee.  
 Owned by Daniel Beresford.  
 Boarded at Old Frankfort Stud in Lexington, Ky.  
 Accomplishments: MSP winner of \$86,832.

**DARK LOMOND (IRE), 11, Lomond--Arkadina (\*Ribot)**  
 Foal born 2-8-96, a filly by Mr. Prospector.  
 Will be bred back to Mr. Prospector.  
 Owned by Brushwood Stable.  
 Boarded at Plum Lane Farm in Lexington, Ky.  
 Accomplishments: G1SW-Ire of \$220,682; dam of  
 Gothic Dream (Ire) (GSP-Ire, Eng & Ger, by Nashwan).

**FAIRY HEIGHTS (IRE), 5, Fairy King--Commanche Belle**  
 (GB) (Shirley Heights {GB})  
 Foal born 2-8-96, a filly by Red Ransom.  
 Will be bred back to Seeking the Gold.  
 Owned by Brushwood Stable.  
 Boarded at Plum Lane Farm in Lexington, Ky; foaled at  
 Brushwood Stable in Malvern, Pa.  
 Accomplishments: G1SW-Eng of \$209,664; first foal.

**GOLDEN BIMMER, 7, Gold Meridian--Song of Peace**  
 (Hold Your Peace)  
 Foal born 2-9-96, a colt by Dehere.  
 Will be bred back to Dehere.  
 Owned by Eugene Hauman and Ernest Dahlman.  
 Foaled at Stonewall Farm in Granite Springs, NY.  
 Accomplishments: Stakes-winner of \$252,320.

**LUCKY ASSET, 8, Lucky North--Sheila Tequila (Indefati-**  
 gable)  
 Foal born 2-9-96, a bay colt by Roanoke.  
 Will be bred back to Talkin Man.  
 Owned by John Franks.  
 Boarded at Old Frankfort Stud in Lexington, Ky.  
 Accomplishments: MSP winner of \$111,229; first foal.

**PUZLA (IRE), 8, Persian Bold (Ire)--Madame du Barry (Fr)**  
 (Wollow {Ire})  
 Foal born 2-9-96, a colt by Shadeed.  
 Will be bred back to Cozzene.  
 Owned by Barry K. Schwartz.  
 Boarded at Stonewall Farm in Granite Springs, NY.  
 Accomplishments: SP-N.A. & Ire, \$104,487.

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