



## HEADLINE NEWS

### SEVEN DASH FOR THE CASH

The Maryland Jockey Club took a chance by rescheduling the GI Frank J. DeFrancis Memorial Dash from July to November, explaining at the time that the goal was to attract Breeders' Cup Sprint combatants. Mission accomplished. Four participants from the Sprint, including superfilly **Xtra Heat** (Dixieland Heat) and **Caller One** (Phone Trick), second and third respectively behind Squirtle Squirt at Belmont Park, and defending Eclipse Award-winning sprinter **Kona Gold** (Java Gold), head up a field of seven that will face the starter Saturday afternoon. That trio is joined by sixth-place finisher **Delaware Township** (Notebook), who retires to stud following the DeFrancis. The connections of Xtra Heat turned down \$1.06 million earlier this year for the fleet filly and she has rewarded them richly for that decision, with a Grade I victory and nine overall in stakes company this season. With one more win, she is certain garner her share of year-end votes as champion sprinter and/or champion three-year-old filly. She comes into this event undefeated in the state of Maryland and four-for-four at Laurel. Seventh, beaten four lengths in the Sprint, Kona Gold has worked twice since his return to California, covering a total of six furlongs in 1:07 2/5, but must shoulder co-high weight of 125 pounds and breaks from the outside post. Caller One, winner earlier this year of the G1 Dubai Golden Shaheen, has also retained his form, drilling a bullet four furlongs in :47 on November 10 and will be ridden for the first time on Saturday by jockey David Flores. Making his return to the races is **Early Flyer** (Gilded Time). The winner of the GII San Vicente S. in March, the Ron McAnally trainee is unraced since a 3/4-length win in the GIII Laz Barrera S. at Hollywood Park May 28.

### Saturday, Laurel Park

#### FRANK J. DEFRANCIS MEMORIAL DASH-GI,

\$300,000, 3yo/up, 6f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	Say Florida Sandy	Personal Flag	Dominguez	122
2	Xtra Heat	Dixieland Heat	No rider	117
3	Delaware Township	Notebook	Bailey	125
4	Early Flyer	Gilded Time	McCarron	117
5	Caller One	Phone Trick	Flores	122
6	Boots On Sunday	Pine Bluff	Chapa	118
7	Kona Gold	Java Gold	Solis	125

### FANTASTIC LIGHT EARNS CARTIER AWARD

At last night's 11th Cartier Racing Awards at the Four Seasons Hotel in London, Godolphin's world-travelling superstar **Fantastic Light** (Rahy) was named Horse of the Year. Before ending his racing career with a victory in the Breeders' Cup Turf, Fantastic Light defeated dual Derby winner **Galileo (Ire)** (Sadler's Wells) in the G1 Irish Champion S. at Leopardstown. He also won the Older Horse Award over stablemate and Arc winner **Sakhee** (Bahri), while Galileo, who defeated Fantastic Light in the G1 King George VI and Queen Elizabeth Diamond S. was named the top three-year-old. **Johannesburg** (Hennessy), who ended his undefeated juvenile campaign with a victory in the Breeders' Cup Juvenile, captured the two-year-old colt award. The unbeaten juvenile filly **Queen's Logic (Ire)** (Grand Lodge), a seven-length winner of the G1 Cheveley Park S., received the two-year-old filly Award. Five of the seven equine Cartier Award winners raced in this year's Breeders' Cup at Belmont Park, including **Banks Hill (GB)** (Danehill), who landed the Breeders' Cup Filly And Mare Turf by 5 1/2 lengths, and captured the Cartier three-year-old filly award and sprinter award winner **Mozart (Ire)** (Danehill), who won the G1 July Cup and G1 Nunthorpe S. Three of the award winners were victorious in Breeders' Cup races. Harry Herbert, Cartier's racing consultant, said, "We have enjoyed a brilliant and very high-quality season with a whole host of top-class performers." *The Daily Telegraph* Award of Merit, presented to the person who has done the most for European racing and or breeding, was given to John Magnier of Coolmore Stud. This season alone Magnier's horses, trained by Aidan O'Brien, have won 23 Group/Grade 1 races. Jeremy Deedes, Managing Director of *The Daily Telegraph*, said, "I am delighted to present this award to John Magnier in recognition of all that he has done for European racing and breeding. John has enjoyed many years of success within the industry but it is wholly appropriate that we recognise his contribution this evening following such an outstanding season." The Cartier Award winners are determined by: points earned in Pattern races (50 percent), votes from leading journalists of *Telegraph*, *Racing Post* and *The Times* (25 percent), and votes from *Telegraph* readers (25 percent).



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## Great Milers make Great Sires.

Brilliant miler **EL CORREDOR**, winner of the **GI Cigar Mile**, seven races and a second in 10 starts, retires to Hill 'N' Dale. "He is the best looking yearling I have bought to date..." said J.B. McKathan, who selected El Corredor as a yearling. **We encourage you to visit him at the farm.**



## GRAHAM ROCK DIES

Leading racing journalist Graham Rock died on Tuesday night after a long illness. Rock, who was 56, was writing for *The Observer* and the BBC racing team at the time of his death. He was also the founding editor of the *Racing Post* and had worked for *Timeform* and the *Sporting Chronicle*. He had notable success as an owner, having witnessed Sir Mark Prescott pull off one of the biggest coups in betting history when his Pasternak (GB) won the 1997 Cambridgeshire H. at Newmarket. Pasternak also won the Magnet Cup at York earlier that summer. Rock was agent to Michael Roberts when he won the British jockeys' championship in 1992. He was to be awarded the George Ennor Trophy for lifetime achievement at the Horserace Writers' and Photographers' Association lunch Dec. 10.

## DERBY AWARDS NOMINATIONS ANNOUNCED

Nominations for the 2001 Derby Awards, organised by the British Horserace Writers' and Photographers' Association, have been announced. Owner of the Year will be decided between Godolphin, whose **Fantastic Light (USA)** (Rahy {USA}) and **Sakhee (USA)** (Bahri {USA}) won six Group or Grade 1 races between them; Gerald Leigh, whose **Gossamer (GB)** (Sadler's Wells {USA}) and **Act One (GB)** (In The Wings {GB}) each won a juvenile Group 1 contest; Michael Tabor and Susan Magnier, who owned all 23 of Aidan O'Brien's Group 1 winners in 2001; and Grand National-winning owner/trainer Norman Mason. The Flat Trainer of the Year Award rests between Saeed bin Suroor, Aidan O'Brien, Milton Bradley and Sir Michael Stoute, while Flat Jockey of the Year will be won by Kevin Darley, Kieren Fallon, Michael Kinane or Frankie Dettori. The winners of the Derby Awards will be announced Dec. 10.

## GOLAN AND PAOLINI FLY THE FLAG

**Golan (Ire)** (Spectrum {Ire}) and **Paolini (Ger)** (Lando {Ger}) were the sole European nominations at yesterday's stage for the G1 Japan Cup in Tokyo Nov. 25. Sir Michael Stoute's Golan, who took the G1 2000 Guineas at Newmarket May 6, will be ridden by Johnny Murtagh in the 11th leg of the Emirates World Series Racing Championship, while Andreas Wohler's Paolini is likely to be partnered by Andreas Suborics, who rode him to success in the G1 Gran Premio di Milano June 17.

## ★ FRANCE ★

### Yesterday's Results:

**PRIX CONTESSINA-Listed**, FF260,000, Maisons-Laffitte, 11-14, 3yo/up, 6fT, 1:18.50, hy.

- 1--**#CHERCHEUSE (USA)**, 120, f, 3, by **Seeking the Gold (USA)**  
**1st Dam: Sassy Bird (USA)**, by **Storm Bird (Can)**  
**2nd Dam: Tash (USA)**, by **Never Bend (USA)**  
**3rd Dam: Natashka (USA)**, by **Dedicate (USA)**  
 (\$525,000 wnlg '98 KEENOV). O-Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid al Maktoum; B-E A Cox Jr; T-Henri-Alex Pantall; J-Goulven Toupel; FF140,000. Lifetime Record: 11 starts, 4 wins, 6 places, FF494,323.
- 2--**Marchand Volant (Fr)**, 123, c, 3, Marchand de Sable (USA)--Baronne Volant (Ire), by Fairy King (USA). FF48,000.

3--**Indaba (Ire)**, 120, f, 3, Indian Ridge (Ire)--Sedulous (Ire), by Tap On Wood (Ire). FF36,000.

Margins: 1HF, 3, 3/4. Odds: 10.50, 9.50, 3.50. Also ran: Lethal Agenda (USA), Search for Light (Fr), Marsad (Ire), Technicolor Lover (USA), Festivalier (Fr), Sandokar (Ire), Private Collection (Ire). Also ran (not classified): Balachova (Fr), Crackchope (Fr).

Owner Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid al Maktoum and trainer Henri-Alex Pantall started the French racing season with a vengeance thanks to the exploits of Quarter Note (USA), Earlene (Ire) and Magna Graecia (Ire) and the signs are that they are ready to end the year on a similar note. Chercheuse is an admirably consistent filly, starting out for the 11th time here in a campaign that has stretched from March to November. Although she took a while to get off the mark, as soon as she had won a conditions event at Fontainebleau May 7 she was aimed high, running with great credit to finish three lengths third behind stable companion Do The Honours (Ire) in the Listed Prix du Cercle at Deauville Aug. 2. Having finished a fair fourth in the Listed Prix de Saint-Cyr here Oct. 16, Pantall found an opportunity to get the filly off the mark in stakes company and she made no mistake. Held up in fifth early as Marchand Volant blazed the trail in the centre of the track under Alain Junk, she made rapid headway to challenge inside the final furlong before grabbing the lead with 150 yards remaining. Driven out from there, she had too much for the game longtime leader and the determined Indaba and Darryll Holland, who stayed on well for third.



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**1.30 Maisons-Laffitte, Prix Tanerco (Cond.) (Class C),** FF164,000, 2yo, c/g, 1 1/4mT, 2:21.00, hy.  
**SECRET SINGER (FR) (c, 2, Singspiel {Ire}--Secret Dancer {USA}, by Fabulous Dancer {USA}),** sent off the favourite at odds of over 6-4, was held up towards the rear early as Palatinat (Fr) (Octagonal {NZ}) cut out the running. Travelling well in the straight, he crept closer to the lead before being asked to quicken with 1 1/2 furlongs remaining. Hitting the front with a furlong left, he was sent clear for a convincing 2 1/2-length success. The colt, a half brother to Secret Quest (GB) (Rainbow Quest {USA}, GSW & G1SP-Fr, \$120,062), became the seventh winner for his freshman sire (by In the Wings {GB}). He was a FF320,000 DEAAUG yearling. Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 1 win, 1 place, FF101,600.  
 O-Y Shen; B-Petra Bloodstock Agency Ltd; T-Freddie Head; J-Davy Bonilla.

**2.00 Maisons-Laffitte, Prix Esmeralda (Cond.) (Class C),** FF164,000, 2yo, f, 1 1/4mT, 2:23.70, hy.  
**TRUMBAKA (IRE) (f, 2, In The Wings {GB}--Questina {Fr}, by Rainbow Quest {USA}),** sent off at odds of 9-1, was held up in seventh early. Kept to the outside in the straight, she accelerated into the lead at the furlong marker before going clear for an impressive 2 1/2-length success. Lifetime Record: 4 starts, 2 wins, 1 place, FF159,800.  
 O/B-Wertheimer et Frere; T-Criquette Head-Maarek; J-Roman Thomas.

**GOFFS AUTUMN MIXED SALE STARTS TODAY**

The Goffs France Autumn Mixed Sale begins today at Saint Cloud. Beginning at 1 p.m., Goffs will sell 150 Horses in Training, Fillies in and out of Training and National Hunt prospects. Friday's second session gets underway at 12 noon with 150 National Hunt two-year-olds, yearlings, foals and mares on offer. Among the lots scheduled to go through the ring are horses from the yards of HH The Aga Khan, Pascal Bary (Niarchos Family and Juddmonte), Nicolas Lément, John Hammond, Criquette Head, Eric Libaud, Peter Schiergen, Stephane Wattel and Maurice Zilber.

★ **MAIDEN WINNERS** ★

**Secret Singer (Fr), c, 2, Singspiel (Ire)--Secret Dancer (USA), by Fabulous Dancer (USA).** Maisons-Laffitte, France, 11-14, Prix Tanerco (Cond.) (Class C), 2yo, c/g, 1 1/4mT, FF82,000 to winner. B-Petra Bloodstock Agency Ltd. \*Seventh winner for freshman sire (by In the Wings {GB}). \*\*1/2 to Secret Quest (GB) (Rainbow Quest {USA}), GSW & G1SP-Fr, \$120,062. \*\*\*FF320,000 yrl '00 DEAAUG.

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**WHAT'S DOING DOWN UNDER**  
 By **BRONWYN FARR**



**MESSARA WEIGHS IN ON AI DEBATE**

Introducing artificial insemination (AI) in Thoroughbreds could have disastrous long-term genetic and commercial consequences, Aushorse chairman John Messara warned in a speech this week at the Asian Thoroughbred Breeders' Conference in Bangkok. Participating in an international panel on the contentious issue, Messara acknowledged that, while at first glance it appeared there were advantages in AI, such as greater efficiency of stallion use and control of venereal disease, these are presently outweighed by disadvantages.

As it is impossible under current law to enforce a limitation on the number of mares a stallion could inseminate each season, Messara argued AI would put the Thoroughbred breed in a precarious position through inevitable genetic narrowing.

"Australia has a Thoroughbred mare population of some 30,000, but only an estimated 11,000 mares are commercially viable, and these are the mares who visited stallions standing at a fee of A\$5,000 or more in the 2000 breeding season," Messara told the conference.

"Imagine if one dominant stallion inseminated 500-plus mares in a season and five or six of his best sons were similarly prolific. This would lead to a significant proportion of our commercial broodmare population being inseminated by one sire line, causing a serious narrowing of the gene pool.

"This is not a far-fetched scenario. Even without AI, I fear this very thing is happening in Australia right now, due to the resounding success of the Danzig sire line via Danehill and sons of Danehill."

Messara said there were currently 46 sons of Danehill at stud in Australia including the trio at his own Arrowfield stud--Flying Spur, Danzero and Redoute's Choice.

"The fact is that the owners of the commercial broodmare band of, say, 11,000 mares, have used 32 Danzig/Danehill line stallions in the year 2000 and between them they covered one-third of the commercial broodmare band," he said.

"Thus, due to the success of the Danzig/Danehill sire line, you can see that even on the basis of an average southern hemisphere stallion book of around 100, with the maximum single book last season being 181 mares, we are already in the advanced stages of compromising the diversity of our gene pool in Australia, simply through market forces, despite the limitation imposed by a regime of natural service."

He said the advent of AI would only exacerbate what is already a precarious situation.



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"The integrity of our gene pool would be seriously put at risk if AI were introduced without a restriction on numbers per stallion with a serious loss of hybrid vigour, and other negative effects which may not be exposed for a number of years," Messara said.

He added that legal advice was that such limitations would be a restraint of trade and therefore open to challenge, unless it could be firmly proven that such a restriction was reasonable and that the purpose of such a restriction was to protect the genetic integrity of the Thoroughbred breed.

Aushorse is a peak industry association representing commercial Thoroughbred breeders of Australia, with membership of some 50 studs, including all major commercial Thoroughbred breeding operations in the country.

## ★ AUSTRALASIA ★

### VALDA THOMPSON DIES

The well-known matriarch of Widden Stud, Valda "Granny" Thompson, died Sunday at Tarigal Glen on the NSW Central Coast. She was 86. She married Frank Thompson of Widden Stud in April 1963. A keen racegoer, she regularly attended meetings while her husband was a member of the Australian Jockey Club committee. Frank Thompson died in 1974. Granny left Widden in 1997 after a serious fall and moved to Tarigal House at Erina on the central coast. She left an indelible impression on all who met her as a true countrywoman. A funeral service will be held at St. Luke's Church at Widden Stud, in the NSW Hunter Valley, on Monday 19 November at 11 a.m.



## WRITERS UP

### BLAME IT ON RIO

*By Tom Frary*

When the panel of international handicappers have finished discussing the merits of **Johannesburg (USA)** (Hennessy {USA}) and **Queen's Logic (Ire)** (Grand Lodge {USA}), they will have to get to work on the rating of **Captain Rio (GB)** (Pivotal {GB}). They will have to dissect that colt's remarkable performance in winning the G2 Criterium de Maisons-Laffitte Oct. 25 by eight lengths from War Zone (USA). That is the same War Zone that was beaten five lengths by Johannesburg in the G1 Prix Morny at Deauville Aug. 26. Further back in fifth, 11 3/4 lengths adrift, was Highdown (Ire), who

was beaten 10 lengths by Johannesburg in the G1 Pheonix S. at Leopardstown Aug. 12.

The problem is Captain Rio is trained by Richard Whitaker, famous for Clantime (GB) but not for juveniles that top the International Classifications. Add to that the fact that, apart from a couple of fine efforts in hot conditions company, Captain Rio had looked just Listed class previously. For Matthew Tester, official handicapper of two-year-olds in Britain, it is a huge spanner in the works. He says: "Captain Rio is without a doubt my biggest problem as the maths tell you something, yet your gut instincts tell you something else. That performance at Maisons-Laffitte puts him up there with the best and I've no idea just how brave we can be. There has to be a point where you go along with what you believe but when you do that and deny a horse their true rating, you are on shaky ground. Where are the flaws? If you take it down to it's lowest common denominator and start at the point that everything in the race disappointed then you still get the view that Captain Rio has produced a very high rating. Having said that, we have been caught out by impressive soft ground performances at the end of a season before. There is no doubting that Captain Rio was the best horse in the race, but the question is how did he do that? He looked progressive beforehand but did not hint at anything like that. That was the best performance by a British-trained colt but what we'll do is give Captain Rio a rating that keeps an eye on the likes of Dubai Destination."

Whitaker, who trains just north of Leeds, is not fazed by the handicappers' decision. When asked whether he believed Captain Rio would top the Classifications, he remarked, "They are not going to give a small trainer in Yorkshire that are they," before adding that, "The rating doesn't matter at all--the horse doesn't know his rating." So what has Whitaker got on his hands? "He's quite a good horse but we knew he just had to learn," Whitaker said. "We went over to France with a bit of confidence as we'd heard that the French sprinters weren't too good and knew he liked a bit of cut in the ground. The fastest filly I've trained was Orient who still holds the five-furlong course record at Ascot and he has similar speed to her, so I've just nominated him for the Golden Shaheen at Nad al Sheba in March and I'm thinking of going over for the UAE 2000 Guineas there in February first, which might be a way of finding out if he stays a mile. Whatever happens in the sprint we could go for the 2000 Guineas in Newmarket. I look at it as a lifetime achievement to have a horse as good as this and I always say tomorrow never comes so I'm going to get going with him now--I never look back and we'll go there with our heads held high."

**A #** will distinguish first-time stakes-winners, a **@** will indicate first-time graded stakes-winners, a **▲** will denote a first-time Grade/Group 1 winner, a **+** will



denote winners who are first-time starters. Post times are listed in local time.



**CHAMPION MY JULIET DIES** *My Juliet* (Gallant Romeo--My Bupers, by Bupers) has passed away at the age of 29. A graded-stakes winner at six different racetracks, the dark bay mare was named champion sprinter in 1976, the most important of her six victories that season coming in the GII Vosburgh H. when she defeated Bold Forbes. Blessed with tremendous speed and a long-time track-record holder at Philadelphia (Keystone) Park at 6 1/2 furlongs (1:14 3/5), *My Juliet* also possessed enough stamina to become a graded-stakes winner around two turns, including a win in the GII Michigan Mile-and-One-Eighth in 1977. Her siblings consistently sold extremely well at auction, including her half brother *Snaafi Dancer* (Northern Dancer), who sold for a then record \$10.2 million at the 1983 Keeneland July Yearling Sale. As a producer, *My Juliet* was the dam of GI Shuvee H. winner *Tis Juliet* (Alydar) as well as MGISW *Stella Madrid* (Alydar). Her last foal, *Valiant Victory* (Valiant Nature), is a three-year-old of 2001 and has three wins to his credit. "I was truly saddened when I heard the news of her death," said jockey Tony Black, who rode the filly on several occasions. "I have never ridden a sprinter better than her. She was as powerful, as willing, and as fast as any horse I have been on...ever."

**CAME HOME DOUBTFUL FOR FUTURITY** Trainer Paco Gonzalez told the *Daily Racing Form* that GI Hopeful S. winner **Came Home** (Gone West) is unlikely to run in the GI Hollywood Futurity Dec. 15, foregoing a potential clash of the West Coast's top three juveniles. "I don't think he's going to run the way the owners are talking," Gonzalez told the *Form*. "It's too bad, because it's going to be a small field." Owned by John Toffan, Trudy McCaffery, Will Farish and John Goodman, *Came Home* was seventh to Johannesburg in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Oct. 27. The Futurity, which was to have been the first try around two turns for *Came Home*, is also expected to attract Breeders' Cup Juvenile third-place finisher **Siphonic** (Siphon {Brz}) and beaten favorite **Officer** (Bertrando).

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☆ MIDWEST ☆

**Yesterday's Results:**  
**8th-CDX, \$45,500, Alw, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:08 4/5, ft.**  
**LUCKY BALDWIN** (c, 3, **Crafty Prospector--Letty's Pennant {SP}**, by **Bold Forbes**) earned a 102 Beyer when romping by 8 1/2 lengths over course and distance Oct. 30. The even-money chalk to duplicate that effort, he had it a bit tougher this time, but set a hot pace and held off GSP *Tarek* (West by West) to win by a neck. The winner is a 1/2 to *Pennant Fever* (Seattle Slew), GSP. Lifetime Record: 9-3-2-1, \$96,800. O-Amerman Racing Stables. B-Foxfield (KY). T-Paul J McGee.

**3rd-CDX, \$44,200, Alw, 2yo, f, 1 1/16m, 1:44 3/5, ft.**  
**CHARMED GIFT** (f, 2, **A.P. Indy--Potridee {Arg} {Ch. 2yo Filly-Arg, MG1SW-Arg & GISW-US, \$379,000-US}**, by **Potrillazo**) tried two turns for the first time at Keeneland Oct. 26 and promptly broke her maiden despite rallying six wide. The chestnut filly broke from the outside and rated several lengths off the pace while three wide. Angling out a bit in the stretch, the 5-2 second choice put a head in front near the eighth pole and pulled away by 2 3/4 lengths over the dead-heating duo *Jeanie Sue* (Level Sands) and *Emeraldforajudge* (Judge T C). Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-0, \$67,982. O-Mrs William S Kilroy. B-W S Kilroy (KY). T-Neil J Howard.

**1st-CDX, \$39,680, Msw, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:36 1/5, ft.**  
**CAT AND THE HAT** (f, 3, **Storm Cat--Low Tolerance {MGSW, \$353,995}**, by **Proud Truth**) had a rough trip when third in her career opener on Halloween at Churchill going 6 1/2 furlongs. Getting Lasix for her first try at a route, the 1/2 to *Sazarac Jazz* (Dixieland Band), MSW & MGSP, \$298,837, was sent off as the 6-5 favorite. The dark bay bobbed at the start and was forced to go five wide, but ran down *Our Majestic Cat* (Tabasco Cat) in deep stretch to win by 1 1/4 lengths. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$30,110. O-Darby Dan Stable Ltd. B-Darby Dan Stables (KY). T-Carl A Nafzger.

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**Yesterday's Results:**

**2nd-HOL, \$46,000, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$100,000),**  
3yo/up, 7 1/2f, 1:28, ft.

1--**WOODEN PHONE, 118, g, 4, Pick Up the Phone--**  
**Teaksberry Road, by High Honors.** O-Tom Durant & Marilyn & James E Helzer; B-T Wynn & Mary Jolley (FL); T-Bob Baffert. Lifetime Record: GSW & MGISP, 13-4-3-3, \$710,236.

2--**Pie N Burger, 118, g, 3, Twining--Abarca, by Topsider.**  
3--**Jorrocks, 118, g, 7, Rubiano--Perla Fina, by \*Gallant Man.**

Margins: HF, 7, 4. Odds: 0.60, 2.90, 6.40.

Wooden Phone defeated Tiznow in the Gil Strub S. at Santa Anita Feb. 3 before finishing second to the dual Breeders' Cup Classic hero in the Big 'Cap a month later. After getting caught in a speed duel in the GI Oaklawn H. Apr. 7, he hung on for third, but had nothing left for the GIII Texas Mile Apr. 28 at Lone Star, checking in a tired fourth. Odds-on for his return, the Florida-bred bay went up to set the pace from his rail post, turned back a challenge from stablemate Pie N Burger at the top of the lane and edged clear late.

**4th-HOL, \$38,000, Msw, 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:43, fm.**  
**RAFID (c, 4, Rahy--My True Lady {MSW, \$108,724}, by Seattle Slew)** returned from a 13-month layoff in June with mixed success, missing by a head over the Del Mar lawn Aug. 26, but finishing seventh last out at Santa Anita Oct. 28. The 4-1 second choice stalked the pace from the rail, angled out on the far turn, hooked even-money Soud (Mr. Prospector) at the top of the stretch and outbattled that rival to the wire by a head. Lifetime Record: 9-1-2-2, \$54,320.  
O/B-The Thoroughbred Corp (KY). T-John Shirreffs.

☆ E A S T ☆

**Yesterday's Results:**

**5th-CRC, \$21,000, Msw, 3&4yo, 8.5fT, 1:43 2/5, fm.**  
**SONDEO (c, 3, Stack--Flor Imperial, by Imperial Fling)** didn't make much of an impact in a main-track route at Calder Oct. 25, finishing sixth in his career bow. Trying the turf this time, the 12-1 shot switched to the outside leaving the far turn, hit the front in midstretch and earned a 3/4-length success over favored Emmanuel (Theatrical {Ire}). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$13,940.  
O/B-Santa Cruz Ranch Inc (FL). T-Juan Rizo.

**Tuesday's Late Results:**

**8th-MNR, \$37,800, Alw, 3yo, 6f, 1:10 2/5, ft.**  
**MEADOWMINER (c, 3, Meadowlake--Jill Miner {SW & GSP, \$199,036}, by Maudlin)** captured the Sauce Boat S. at Arlington Sept. 30, but saw his unbeaten record snapped when sixth in an optional claimer at the Illinois oval Oct. 20. Breaking from the outside, the bay colt settled off the pace and put in a strong late run to prevail by a head over Gold Star (Gold Legend) as the 6-5 chalk. Lifetime Record: MSW, 6-5-0-0, \$118,524.  
O-Frank Carl Calabrese. B-Stronach Stables (ON). T-Wayne M Catalano.

**6th-MNR, \$22,700, Alw, 2&3yo, 5 1/2f, 1:05 2/5, ft.**  
**DOUBLE TERLINGUA (c, 3, Wheaton--Telling Storm, by Future Storm)** opened his account with a victory at Thistledown June 20 and came back to miss by a neck over the same track July 13. The 9-5 favorite sat in second early, took command at the quarter pole and came home a 2 1/2-length winner. Lifetime Record: 3-2-1-0, \$20,866.  
O-Jose Atala & Sergio Calixto. B-John S Scott (FL). T-Jose Atala.

☆ W E S T ☆

**Lawsuit Filed in Golden Gate Incident:**

The connections of a filly who was forced to wait 30 minutes before being euthanized following a catastrophic injury Jan. 11 have filed suit against Golden Gate Fields. After suffering a shattered and dislocated knee in a maiden special weight event, Silicon Sally was pulled up and held by jockey Frank Alvarado while awaiting the equine ambulance. The tractor attached to the ambulance would not start, however, and the ambulance could not be detached from the tractor. An attempt was made to attach a second tractor to the first and eventually arrived on the scene, but the filly could not be loaded onto the ambulance. With no means of removing the body, the filly was forced to walk 100 yards to an open area before being euthanized.

**A # will distinguish first-time stakes-winners, a @ will indicate first-time graded stakes-winners, a ▲ will denote a first-time Grade/Group 1 winner, a + will denote winners who are first-time starters, an (S) will be used for state-bred races, a (C) will be used for maiden-claiming races and an (R) will be used for other restricted races. Purses for Canadian races are in Cana-**



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**AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS IN FRANCE:**

**Le Carre**, c, 3, **Miswaki--Dibs** (SW, \$165,643), by Spectacular Bid. Maisons-Laffitte, 11-14, Prix de Medecis (Hcp), 3yo, 2500mT, \$10,100 to winner. O-J R Aragao Bozano; B-Haras Santa Maria de Araras; T-Alain de Royer-Dupre.

**\*#Chercheuse**, f, 3, **Seeking the Gold--Sassy Bird**, by Storm Bird. Maisons-Laffitte, 11-14, Prix Contessina-Listed, 3yo/up, 6fT, \$18,853 to winner. O-Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid al Maktoum; B-E A Cox Jr; T-H-Alex Pantall. \*\$525,000 wnl '98 KEENOV.

**BREEDERS' EDITION**

**ALLOWANCE RESULTS:**

**7th-HOL, \$54,280**, Opt. Clm. (\$80,000), 3yo/up, 1 1/2mT, 2:27 3/5, fm.

**CONTINENTAL RED (h, 5, Flying Continental--Sharp Looking Lady, by Glaros {Fr})** Lifetime Record: MSP, 36-4-5-8, \$290,853. O-Sharon M Fitzpatrick. B-Mr & Mrs Weston L Fitzpatrick (CA). T-Ian P D Jory.

**3rd-GGX, \$36,040**, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:08 3/5, ft.

**KINETIC BEND (c, 4, Yankee Fan--Miss Benders, by Barrera)** Lifetime Record: 17-5-4-3, \$127,950. O-Seven Pins Stables. B-Mary Hagge (NE). T-Summer Mayberry.

**7th-GGX, \$32,720**, 2yo, f, 6f, 1:08 3/5, ft.

**GLORIOUSLY GOLDEN (f, 2, Gold Fever--Graceful Glory, by Hero's Honor)** Lifetime Record: 9-3-1-2, \$50,230. O-JMJ Racing Stables. B-R L Toffolon (NY). T-J Bonde.

**4th-HAW, \$32,000**, Opt. Clm. (\$32-28,000), 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:47, my.

**GOOD HUMOR (f, 3, Smart Strike--Venetian Red, by Blushing Groom {Fr})** Lifetime Record: 10-4-1-0, \$89,555. O-Richard L Duchossois. B-Highland Farms Inc (KY). T-Chris M Block. \*Won by 6 1/2 lengths.

**3rd-HAW, \$28,000**, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:48 2/5, my.

**TOUR JAPAN (f, 3, Tour d'Or--So Spicy, by Mr. Leader)** Lifetime Record: 7-2-0-3, \$36,655. O/B-Irish Acres Farm (IL). T-P Noel Hickey.

**6th-LRL, \$26,000**, 3yo/up, 5 1/2fT, 1:06, fm.

**SKIPJACK COVE (c, 3, Concern--Truly Nautical, by Believe It)** Lifetime Record: 14-3-3-2, \$65,550.



O-Robert L Cole Jr. B-Milton P Higgins III & Dr & Mrs T Bowman (MD). T-Scott A Lake.

**7th-LRL, \$26,000, 3yo/up, 7f, 1:24 3/5, ft.**

**WHATA GUY (c, 3, Lite the Fuse--What a Gaylord {SW}, by Lord Gaylord)** Lifetime Record: 14-2-3-4, \$59,508. O-John A Guest. B-John A Guest & Barbara A Anderson (PA). T-Dove P Houghton.

**7th-MNR, \$25,600, 11-13, 3/up, f/m, 6f, 1:12 1/5, ft.**

**BOW BOW (m, 5, Believe the Queen--Rebow, by Re-launch)** Lifetime Record: 24-7-3-3, \$111,381.

O-Richard A Englander. B-Mrs R C DuPont (MD). T-John W Baird.

**MAIDEN WINNERS:**

**Darby Creek Doc, c, 2, Muhtafal--Darby's Explosion, by Explodent.** MNR, 11-13, 5f, :59 3/5. B-Dr Paul R Gutheil (Oh).

**Three Ladies Man, c, 2, Pembroke--Seattle Smiles, by Smile.** CDX, 11-14, (C), 6f, 1:11 3/5. B-Neal Schneckner (Oh).

**Watery Wager, c, 2, Valid Wager--Curled Waters, by Ends Well.** CDX, 11-14, (C), 6f, 1:11 3/5. B-Mockingbird Farm Inc (Fl). \*\$17,000 yrl '00 OBSAUG.

**Marquetup, f, 3, Marquetry--Loyal Secretary (SP), by Secretary of War.** LRL, 11-14, 7f, 1:26 4/5. B-Emerald Pastures Corp Inc (Fl). \*\$40,000 wlng '98 OBSOCT.

**Sondeo, c, 3, Stack--Flor Imperial, by Imperial Fling.** CRC, 11-14, 1 1/16mT, 1:43 2/5. B-Santa Cruz Ranch Inc (Fl).

**Cat and the Hat, f, 3, Storm Cat--Low Tolerance (MGSW, \$353,995), by Proud Truth.** CDX, 11-14, 1m, 1:36 1/5. B-Darby Dan Stables (Ky). \*1/2 to Sazarac Jazz (Dixieland Band), MSW & MGSP, \$298,837.

**Tracethe Call, c, 3, Twining--Senora Tiara, by Chief's Crown.** SUF, 11-14, 1m, 1:45 3/5. B-Jayeff B Stables (Ky). \*\$33,000 yrl '99 KEESEP.

**Rafid, c, 4, Rahy--My True Lady (MSW, \$108,724), by Seattle Slew.** HOL, 11-14, 1 1/16mT, 1:43. B-The Thoroughbred Corp (Ky).

8-LRL, Msw, 7f, +Corella, \$60K KEE SEP yrl, 5-1

**RUN SOFTLY** (Deputy Minister), Hill 'n Dale, \$5K, 36/2/0

8-LRL, Msw, 7f, +Northern Run, 12-1



*FRESHMAN FOCUS*

**First-crop progeny to watch: Thursday, Nov. 15**

**Sire** (Sire's Sire), Fam, 1998 Fee, #2yos/Winners/SW  
Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)

**CAPTAIN BODGIT** (Saint Ballado), Margaux, \$10K, 71/8/0  
3-AQU, Msw, 1 1/16mT, Ms. Dowden

**HELMSMAN** (El Gran Senor), Pegasus, \$8K, 47/7/1  
6-AQU, Msw, 5 1/2f, At the Wheel, \$18K OBS OCT wnl

**PULPIT** (A.P. Indy), Claiborne, \$35K, 53/8/1



☆ NEWS TODAY ☆

**KING CUGAT TO LANE'S END** Centennial Farms' **King Cugat** (Kingmambo--Tricky Game, by Majestic Light) has been retired from racing and will enter stud at William Farish's Lane's End Farm in Versailles, Kentucky. Purchased for \$110,000 at the Fasig-Tipton Saratoga Sale in 1998, the bay was a stakes winner at two and continued to improve as a sophomore, winning a trio of graded stakes, including the GII Arlington Classic and GII Jamaica H., sandwiched around a runner-up finish in the GI Secretariat S. Trained by Bill Mott, he won the 2001 GII Bowling Green H. and was second in four Grade I events, including the GI Turf Classic in his final start at Belmont Park Sept. 29. Out of a half sister to Seeking the Gold and Fast Play, the four-year-old retires with a record of 16-7-7-1 and earnings of \$1,293,782. He will stand his first year at a fee of \$10,000.

**PAIR OF SIX-FIGURE HORSES AT KEENELAND**

A weanling colt by Maria's Mon sold for \$152,000 to top yesterday's penultimate session of the Keeneland November Sale in Lexington. Consigned by Millennium Farms, the gray was purchased by JEC Equine. By the sire of 2001 Kentucky Derby winner Monarchos, the colt is out of Forever Fun, a half sister to GSW & GISP Devil's Cup. Joss Collins of Blandford Bloodstock went to \$150,000 to acquire the highest-priced broodmare of the session. He signed the ticket on hip 3378, the four-year-old filly Affirmed Lane (Affirmed), who sold in foal to Storm Creek. Consigned to the sale by John Williams, agent, the gray is a full sister to GSW & GISP Lady Affirmed. Keeneland reported 236 horses as sold for gross receipts of \$2,370,800 and an average of \$10,046. The sale concludes today with bidding set for at 10 a.m.



**KEENELAND SEPTEMBER STATISTICS  
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 2001**

TOTALS	Session 10	Cumulative
No. Sold	236	2,286
Gross	\$2,370,800	\$178,313,000
Average	\$10,046	\$78,002
Median	\$6,500	\$25,000

☆ RESULTS ☆

**Wednesday, Riccarton, New Zealand**  
**NEW ZEALAND TWO THOUSAND GUINEAS-G1**, NZ\$200,000, Riccarton (Canterbury), 11-14, 1mT, 3yo, 1:34.61, fm.  
 1--▲#@**MASTER BELT (NZ)**, 122, g, 3, by **Masterclass**  
     **1st Dam: Lady Di (NZ)**, by **Star Of Luskin (Aus)**  
     **2nd Dam: Princess Diana (NZ)**, by **Heir Apparent**  
     **3rd Dam: Charlie Girl (NZ)**, by **Serenader (Ire)**  
     O/B-K & Mrs K A Gray; T-Kevin Gray; J-Brian Hibberd; NZ\$125,000.  
 2--**San Luis (Aus)**, 122, c, 3, Flying Spur (Aus)--Star Style Girl (Aus), by Without Fear (Fr). O-November Syndicate; B-Planette Thor Trading Pty Ltd; NZ\$40,000.  
 3--**Leica Guv (NZ)**, 122, g, 3, Deputy Governor--Leica Or Not (Aus), by Kendor (Fr). O-R A & Mrs R J Scarborough; B-Mr R A Scarborough; NZ\$20,000.  
 Margins: 1, LNK.

**2001 CARTIER AWARD WINNERS**

**TWO-YEAR-OLD COLT**

**Johannesburg** (*Hennessy--Myth*, by *Ogygian*)  
 O-Michael Tabor & Sue Magnier; T-A O'Brien

**TWO-YEAR-OLD FILLY**

**Queen's Logic** (*Ire*) (*Grand Lodge--Lagrimon*, by *Diesis* {GB})  
 O-Jaber Abdullah; T-Mick Channon

**THREE-YEAR-OLD COLT**

**Galileo** (*Ire*) (*Sadler's Wells--Urban Sea*, by *Miswaki*)  
 O-Sue Magnier & Michael Tabor; T-A O'Brien

**THREE-YEAR-OLD FILLY**

**Banks Hill** (*GB*) (*Danehill--Hasili*, by *Kahyasi*)  
 O-Prince Khalid Abdullah; T-Andre Fabre

**STAYER**

**Persian Punch** (*Ire*) (*Persian Heights--Rum Cay*, by *Our Native*)  
 O-Jeff Smith; T-David Elsworth

**SPRINTER**

**Mozart** (*Ire*) (*Danehill--Victoria Cross*, by *Spectacular Bid*)  
 O-Michael Tabor & Sue Magnier; T-A O'Brien

**OLDER HORSE/HORSE OF THE YEAR**

**Fantastic Light** (*Rahy--Jood*, by *Nijinsky II*)  
 O-Godolphin; T-Saeed bin Suroor

**DAILY TELEGRAPH AWARD OF MERIT**

John Magnier

**OPEN FORUM, Deputy Minister – Agretta**

**NEW STAKES WINNER: Mountain Forum captures the \$60,000 Fabulous Frolic S.**

**Second-leading freshman sire**



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