



# TDN

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## HEADLINE NEWS

### THE FUTURE IS NOW

When eight two-year-olds compete in the GI Hollywood Futurity at Hollywood Park this afternoon, they will be simultaneously putting the finishing touches on their juvenile seasons and positioning themselves for the long road to next year's Kentucky Derby. Going into the race, there are more questions than answers, most notably about The Thoroughbred Corporation's **Officer** (Bertrando), a \$700,000 BARMAR two-year-old who was proclaimed the best of his generation after he won his first five races, including the GI Champagne S. at Belmont Oct. 6. Officer disappointed in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Oct. 27, finishing fifth, then defied all expectations by first running in, then losing, the restricted Cal Cup Juvenile one week later. Trainer Bob Baffert waited until the last minute to decide to enter the colt here, tossing his name and that of stablemate **Mountain Rage** (Mecke), winner of the GIII Generous S. on the grass Nov. 24, in the hat for the race. "I just wanted to see how he was doing [before making a final decision]," he said, adding, "He looks good." Baffert goes for his fifth Futurity victory, and his third in a row after saddling Captain Steve to win in 1999 and Point Given to take the race last year. **Yougottawanna** (Candi's Gold), who took the Cal Cup Juvenile by 1 1/2 lengths, will be back for the Futurity, as will two of Officer's Breeders' Cup conquerors. **Siphonic** (Siphon {Brz}) and **Publication** (Petionville) make their first appearances since running third and fourth, respectively, in the BC Juvenile. Publication makes his first start under new silks in the Futurity; the gelding was purchased privately by Ernie Moody and the Mercedes Stable from Larry Washington earlier this week.

Saturday, Hollywood Park, post time: 4:37 p.m. PST

**HOLLYWOOD FUTURITY-GI**, \$460,750, 2yo, 1 1/16m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1	Brigadier Jones (Ire)	Emperor Jones	Walsh	30-1
2	Mountain Rage	Mecke	Baffert	12-1
3	Yougottawanna	Candi's Gold	Hollendorfer	8-1
4	Siphonic	Siphon (Brz)	Hofmans	8-5
5	Officer	Bertrando	Baffert	9-5
6	Labamta Babe	Skywalker	Frankel	10-1
7	Publication	Petionville	Knight	8-1
8	Fonz's	Out of Place	La Croix	8-1

### REALITY CHECK AT SAN ISIDRO

Although it's not the oldest, the G1 Gran Premio Carlos Pellegrini is the most important race in Latin America. Established in 1887, it is the race every South American owner would like to run in, despite the fact that the purse has been decreased due to the dire economic situation in Argentina. This year's devalued version of the Pellegrini, to be held this afternoon at San Isidro, still has attracted 16 entries, including horses from Brazil and Peru. **Second Reality (Arg)** (Hidden Prize), a multiple Group 1 winner from La Plata, has shown enough quality to earn him the role of favorite. This will be his first trip out of La Plata and first try on turf, but he proved that the distance was not a problem when he won the 2400-meter G1 Dardo Rocha by four lengths. **Ice Point (Arg)** (Roy), winner of the first two legs of the Argentine Triple Crown, is the choice of the three-year-olds entered. The colt skipped the final jewel in the Crown, the G1 Nacional, to await this race. Six-year-old **Gold Fire (Arg)** (Firery Ensign) won the G1 Copa de Oro by a short nose over **John Dual (Arg)** (Johnny's Prospect) over this track and distance. G1 Estrellas Classic winner **Mr. Mat (Arg)** (Numerous) may have something to say about the outcome as well.

Saturday, San Isidro, Argentina

**GRAN PREMIO CARLOS PELLIGRINI-INTERNACIONAL-G1**, \$140,000, 3yo/up, 2400mT

NO	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	Arthur (Arg)	Arturo P	Galdeano	132
2	Bat Ruizero (Arg)	Bat Atico (Arg)	Arana	119
3	Bergonzi (Arg)	Lode	Lavor	119
4	Camp Davis (Arg)	Lode	Valdivieso	119
5	Cayman (Arg)	Contested Bid	Paule	132
6	Desert Dancer (Arg)	Candy Stripes	Cardoso	119
7	Dusek (Arg)	Contested Bid	Mendez	119
8	Gold Fire (Arg)	Firery Ensign	Gramatica	135
9	Ice Point (Arg)	Roy	Falero	119
10	Insociable (Arg)	Interprete (Arg)	Caro	119
11	John Dual (Arg)	Johnny's Prospect	Noriega	135
12	Lac Azur (Arg)	Mutakkdim	Talaverano	119
13	Los Afortunados (Arg)	Interprete (Arg)	Torres	119
14	Mr. Mat (Arg)	Numerous	Herrera	132
15	Nessuno (Brz)	Nugget Point (Ire)	Rivero	132
16	Second Reality (Arg)	Hidden Prize	Hahn	119

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# HIGH YIELD



## ★ BRITAIN ★

### NATIONAL STUD APPOINTMENT

The Horserace Betting Levy Board has appointed Brian Chandler to the board of the National Stud for a three-year term, starting Jan. 1, 2002. Chandler has had a long-standing interest in breeding and was involved in the ownership of the good sprinter and sire Paris House and retains a share in that stallion at stud. He is a partner of KPMG, an accountancy firm which he joined in 1985. He is KPMG's national leader in the field of local government consulting. His consultancy work has involved racing, arranging the service level agreement between the British Horseracing Board and Weatherbys. Levy Board Chairman Robert Hughes said, "The Levy Board is delighted to appoint Brian Chandler to the National Stud board. He has had wide business experience and his financial skills should prove very valuable to the Stud as it moves forward into the future."

### MEETINGS UNDER THREAT

Today's big jumps meetings at Cheltenham and Haydock Park will have to pass inspections this morning in order for racing to proceed as planned at either venue. Both courses are threatened with a sharp frost and Cheltenham have organised a 7a.m. inspection. Clerk of the course Simon Claisse told *PA Sport*, "The meeting could all hinge upon how long the cold spell will last for. It was -4C here on Tuesday night for half an hour but there would have been no problems if we needed to race on Wednesday. The forecast is for it not to rise above 3C (today) but forecasts here are often wrong and I'm always optimistic." Cheltenham is set to stage a valuable seven-race card including the £100,000 G3 Tripleprint Gold Cup Chase and the £75,000 G2 Bula Hurdle. Haydock Park officials will stage a precautionary inspection, also at 7a.m., with the feature race on the card being the £45,000 G2 Tommy Whittle Chase. Clerk of the course Kirkland Tellwright told *PA Sport*: "We are going to have a look in the morning. We have no problems at the moment but it is forecast to get down to around -5C tonight."

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### WILLIAMSON RUES BAN

Irish jockey Norman Williamson will miss the lucrative post-Christmas period after incurring the wrath of the stewards at Cheltenham yesterday. He was banned for four days when found guilty of using his whip with excessive force aboard Mr Markham (Ire). The dates of the ban run from Dec. 26 through Dec. 29, when six G1 jumps events are scheduled to take place, including the G1 King George VI Chase. Williamson told viewers of *Channel 4 TV*, "With a circuit to go I wasn't traveling down by the water jump, which is a mile from home, and he wasn't going anywhere. I gave him a few smacks and that was it. I stood up after that. The horse is marked but we now have a new sheet of horses that mark easily so you can use a softer stick and you obviously don't hit them. You are always risking the chance of being done if you hit a horse and this horse is not on that list. We coasted up the straight and the horse came home as happy as Larry. Barring Cheltenham Festival week it's the biggest time of the season, it includes the King George and a lot at Leopardstown." The jockey will view a recording of the race with Jockeys' Association chairman Michael Caulfield before deciding whether or not to proceed with an appeal.

### MADAME FAILS RECORD ATTEMPT...AGAIN!

David Evans' tough six-year-old mare **Madame Jones (Ire)** (Lycius {USA}), racing for the fourth time in seven days, failed in her latest attempt to secure the all time British record for number of handicap wins in a season at Southwell yesterday. Her latest outing saw her finish a well beaten 13th in the one-mile Littlewoods Bet Direct Daily Special Offers H., her 57th start of the year. She runs again at Southwell today but not in handicap company. She will contest the Maguire and Batty Ltd Christmas Party Classified S., a one-mile conditions event. If successful, she will record her 13th win of the year, including 11 handicap wins, which will see her equal yet another record--the post-war record for the most wins in a season by a filly or mare.

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**Britain Report cont.**

**Yesterday's results:**

**1.55 Southwell, Bet Direct Premiership Singles Maiden S. (Class D), £4,200, 2yo, 7f (AWT), 1:30.00, stn. RIDLEY (IRE) (c, 2, Grand Lodge {USA}--Richly Deserved {Ire}), by Kings Lake {USA}), the 1-2 punters' choice, was rushed from the gate to hold second place as The Mog (GB) (Atraf {GB}) set a good pace. After taking over at halfway, he was sent into a clear lead at the quarter-mile pole, was further ahead at the distance and only needed to be pushed out to beat 3-1 second choice Mac's Jewel (GB) (Bijou D'Inde {GB}) by an easy 12 lengths. The winner was purchased for IR£30,000 as a GOFNOV weanling and 80,000gns as a TATOCT yearling. Lifetime Record: 5-1-4-0, £7,946. O-Gallagher Equine Ltd; B-Barronstown Stud; T-Brian Meehan; J-David McCabe.**

★ ITALY ★

**Yesterday's results:**

**4.00 Naples, Premio Atlantic City (Cond), L19,125,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/4mT, time: n/a, gd. SUCHITA (IRE) (f, 4, Alzao {USA}--Walliser {Ire} {MSP-Ire}), by Niniski {USA}) Lifetime Record: 25 starts, 5 wins, 8 places, L141,780,000. O-Velia Mancini; B-Airlie Stud; T-Gianluca Bietolini; J-Gabriele Bietolini.**

★ MAIDEN WINNERS ★

**Ridley (Ire), c, 2, Grand Lodge (USA)--Richly Deserved (Ire), by Kings Lake (USA). Southwell, Britain, 12-14, Bet Direct Premiership Singles Maiden S. (Class D), 2yo, 7f (AWT), £2,940 to winner. B-Barronstown Stud. \*IR£30,000 wnlg '99 GOFNOV; 80,000gns yrl '00 TATOCT.**

**Arrow Gold (Ger), c, 2, Java Gold (USA)--Abundantia (Ger), by Surumu (Ger). Naples, Italy, 12-14, Premio Washington (Mdn), 2yo, 5fT, L12,750,000 to winner. B-Gestut Ammerland.**

★ U.S. PREMIERES ★

**Saturday at Hollywood:**

**9<sup>th</sup> Race, Hollywood Futurity-GI, \$460,750, 2yo, 8.5f BRIGADIER JONES (IRE) (c, 2, Emperor Jones--Flight Right {Fr}), by Crystal Glitters) ran fourth in his debut at Newcastle on the turf Oct. 3 for trainer Hooman Akbary, but won by three lengths going six furlongs on the Southwell dirt track Oct. 18. Sent to California, he has been placed against some of the nations best two-year-olds for his North American debut and will most likely be sent off at odds greater than 50-1. O-Richard Duggan & James Vreeland. B-Patrick Stevens (Ire). T-Kathy Walsh.**

★ LEADERS ★

**LEADING EUROPEAN SIRES OF 2001 UNRESTRICTED SWS**

(THROUGH DEC. 9)

SIRE	COUNTRY	SWS
Sadler's Wells <i>(Northern Dancer)</i>	Ire	31
Danehill <i>(Danzig)</i>	Ire	22
Caerleon <i>(Nijinsky II)</i>	dead	14
Indian Ridge <i>(Ahonoora)</i>	Ire	13
Rainbow Quest <i>(Blushing Groom)</i>	Eng	12
In the Wings <i>(Sadler's Wells)</i>	Ire	11
Darshaan <i>(Shirley Heights)</i>	dead	10
Acatenango <i>(Surumu)</i>	Ger	8
Big Shuffle <i>(Super Concorde)</i>	Ger	8
Fairy King <i>(Northern Dancer)</i>	dead	8
Green Desert <i>(Danzig)</i>	Eng	8
Highest Honor <i>(Kenmare)</i>	Fr	8
Selkirk <i>(Sharpen Up)</i>	Eng	8
Alzao <i>(Lyphard)</i>	Ire	7
Grand Lodge <i>(Chief's Crown)</i>	Ire	7
Monsun <i>(Konigssthal)</i>	Ger	7
Barathea (Ire) <i>(Sadler's Wells)</i>	Ire	6
Halling <i>(Diesis)</i>	GB	6
Linamix <i>(Mendez)</i>	Fr	6
Unfuwain <i>(Northern Dancer)</i>	GB	6
Warning <i>(Known Fact)</i>	dead	6
Zafonic <i>(Gone West)</i>	Eng	6

*(Based on winners of European stakes that qualify for "black-type" by North American catalogue.) Compiled by Werk Thoroughbred Consultants Inc., specialists in assisting breeders in their stallion selection and buyers in their auction purchases. For more information call (510) 490-1111.*



☆ NEW YORK ☆

**Yesterday's Results:**

**7th-AQU, \$43,000, Alw, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:12 3/5, gd.**  
**BLINDED BY LOVE (f, 3, Not for Love--Running On Faith, by Assert {Ire})** started off her career with a trio of Monmouth wins against state-breds last summer, but fell back to earth with a thud in a poor showing while trying a route in a Meadowlands optional-claiming event Sept. 20. Back at her favorite distance in her next try Oct. 9, the filly tackled state-bred sprinters and finished second before winning by 2 1/4 lengths in restricted company at the Big M Nov. 6. Sent off the even-money favorite to beat open company, the bay rated just off the early pace, assumed command a furlong out and drew away willingly to score by 5 1/4 lengths. Lifetime Record: 7-5-1-0, \$158,140. O-New Farm. B-Rising Sun Farm Inc (NJ). T-B W Perkins Jr.

**2nd-AQU, \$42,000, Msw, 3yo/up, f/m, a1m70yd, 1:45 2/5, gd.**  
**POCUS HOCUS (f, 3, Quiet American--Cadabra Abra {MGSW, \$371,998}, by Al Hattab)**, off the board in two starts at two, came back after an eight-month layoff and out together a string of poor showings on turf and dirt at Belmont and Saratoga. The gray ran a pair of much-improved fourths while stretching beyond a mile for the first time in her two most recent starts over this track's turf Nov. 8 and Nov. 23. Switching back to the dirt, the \$95,000 KEENOV weanling purchase took the lead soon after the break, lengthened her advantage throughout and cruised home by an eye-popping 16 1/2 lengths as the 4-5 favorite. Lifetime Record: 8-1-0-0, \$31,470. O-S & J Moore. B-David Allen (KY). T-James A Jerkens.

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☆ EAST ☆


**Yesterday's Results:**

**6th-CRC, \$28,000, Msw, 1m, 1:41 1/5, ft.**  
**BRIDGE EDITION (f, 2, Editor's Note--Bridge to Cross, by Phone Trick)** ran a distant third in her Keeneland debut Apr. 22 and came home fourth in a Churchill sprint May 20. Following a six-month layoff, the \$40,000 FTKNOV weanling and \$65,000 OBSAUG yearling purchase ran sixth in a seven-furlong maiden event Nov. 17, but was looking to change her fortune attempting a route for the first time. Off at 3-1 odds, the chestnut remained close to the front early before taking over inside the eighth pole and drawing off to win by 1 3/4 lengths over favored Glamorous Life (Top Account). She becomes the 13th winner for her freshman sire (by Forty Niner). Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-1, \$23,815. O-Aliston Farms & Upson Downs Farm. B-McKathan Farms (KY). T-Kenneth McPeck.

**Suspect in Dual Homicide Moved to Psychiatric Facility:**

Wade Russell, the prime suspect in the dual slayings of his stepfather, trainer Robert Camac, and his mother Maryann, was transferred Wednesday afternoon to the Anne Kline Forensic Psychiatric facility in West Trenton, New Jersey. The decision to move the 36-year-old man was made after the suspect threatened to injure himself while in custody at Salem County Correctional Facility. County Sheriff John B. Cooksey told the *Sunbeam*, "They'll determine what needs to be done with him medically, if anything."

**STAKES CLOSINGS**  
**TODAY, SATURDAY, DECEMBER 15:**  
 12-29 \$150,000 *W.L. McKnight H.-II, Crc, 3yo/up, 12fT (150)*  
 12-29 \$150,000 *La Prevoyante H.-II, Crc, 3yo/up, f/m, 12fT (150)*



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East Report cont.

**Career Over for Phantom on Tour:**

Graded-stakes winner **Phantom On Tour** (Tour d'Or), runner-up in the 1997 GII Arkansas Derby and third in the 1998 GI Oaklawn H., has been retired--again--according to the *Thoroughbred Times* on-line. The seven-year-old, who won seven of 17 starts and \$717,515 during his first three seasons at the track, was first retired at the end of his four-year-old campaign and sent to stud at Irish Acres Farm in Florida. The Ohio-bred failed to sire a single foal, however, and was gelded, then adopted for use as a riding horse. That should have been the end of the story, but Phantom On Tour underwent surgery to have chips taken out of his right front ankle in January of 2000 and by March of 2001, he was back on the work tab at Penn National. He returned to the races in August, finishing eighth in an optional claiming race at that track, then was second in an allowance race at Charles Town Oct. 12. In his final outing, he ran sixth in an allowance test Oct. 31. But owner Ed Price told *Thoroughbred Times* that he was pressured into retiring the chestnut by parties he declined to identify. "I felt they backed me into a corner," Price said. "If something happened to him on the track, then I'd really be the bad guy." The Thoroughbred Retirement Foundation has agreed to find the Phantom a new home.

**Troubles for Eclipse Awards Ceremony Host:**

The Eclipse Awards ceremony, scheduled for Monday, Feb. 18, at the new \$800 million Westin Diplomat Resort & Spa in Hollywood, Florida, is getting perilously close to having to find another location. On Wednesday, Dec. 12, the Diplomat had yet another delay in its opening. A pipe burst and drenched conference rooms on the second and third floors while sprinklers doused furniture, electrical panels and ceiling tiles in the 1,000-room hotel. The project, originally scheduled to open Dec. 31, 1999, is more than two years behind schedule. Set for a Jan. 10, 2002 opening before the most recent setback, the ribbon-cutting has been rescheduled for Jan. 31, only three weeks before the Eclipse ceremony. The irony in the hotel's current problems is that the Diplomat is owned by the National Plumbers and Pipe Fitters Union. Peggy Hendershot, who handle PR for the National Thoroughbred Racing Association, said, "We are aware of the latest delay. We understand the Diplomat will be open in time for our awards banquet. We are currently exploring other venues in South Florida to hold the dinner if there is another delay."

**Deadline for Maryland Million Nominations:**

Owners and breeders have until Dec. 31 of this year to nominate their Maryland-sired yearlings and weanlings to the Maryland Million. The fee for yearlings who have not been previously nominated is \$600; the fee to fully nominate a weanling is \$250. The same deadline applies for stallions which will be standing in Maryland in 2002. The fee for nominating a stallion so that foals conceived next year will be eligible is the advertised stud fee, with a minimum of \$500.

☆ MIDWEST ☆

**Thursday's Late Result:**

**8th-TPX, \$20,800, Msw, 2yo, 1 1/16m, 1:46 1/5, sy.**  
 + **FORRER HALL (c, 2, Royal Academy--Adored Slew {MGSP-Fr}, by Seattle Slew)**, a \$32,000 KEESOP yearling, settled far back early, picked up the tempo while racing wide on the second turn and closed stoutly in the final furlong to score by 2 3/4 lengths over Crafty Beau (Crafty Prospector) as the 37-1 second-longest shot on the board. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$12,925. O-Summerplace Farm. B-Northwest Farms (KY). T-T Bergin.

**5th-TPX, \$20,600, Msw, 2yo, f, 6f, 1:13 3/5, sy.**  
 + **CANYONETTE (f, 2, Canyon Creek {Ire}--Exclusive Rosette, by Ecliptical)** pressed the pace while sitting third for a half, closed three wide to take the lead approaching the stretch and continued on to win by a 1 1/2-length margin over Chestnut Darling (Hennessy). This is the sixth winner for her freshman sire (by Mr. Prospector). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$12,800. O/B-Brereton C Jones (Ky). T-Wayne Mackey.

**Yesterday's Results:**

**9th-FGX, \$36,000, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$75,000), 3yo/up, 5 1/2f, 1:03 2/5, ft.**

**ALOHA BOLD (c, 3, Flying Chevron--Hawaiian Bold, by \*Hawaii)** followed his Oct. 6 debut score at Keeneland with a front-running allowance victory over that track Oct. 27 and made it three in a row in a Nov. 24 allowance over a sloppy Fair Grounds strip. The 3-5 chalk to remain undefeated, the dark bay once again went right to the lead, turned back a challenge from Bet On Joe (Unaccounted For) in the stretch and drew off again to beat that one by 1 1/2 lengths. Lifetime Record: 4-4-0-0, \$106,948.

O-Stewart Mather Madison. B-Jackie D Huckabay M.D. (KY). T-Thomas Amoss.



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**Midwest Report cont.**

**8th-FGX, \$32,000, Alw, 2yo, a1m40yd, 1:41 1/5, ft. EASYFROMTHEGITGO (c, 2, Dehere--Montera, by Easy Goer),** the runner-up in his first three starts, finally broke through with his maiden win going seven furlongs at Churchill Downs last time out Nov. 16. Trying two turns for the first time after a trip south, the bay pressed the pace, took control in the stretch and drew off to beat Robe (Pulpit) by 5 1/4 lengths as the 7-5 favorite. Lifetime Record: 5-2-3-0, \$68,925. O-James Cassels & Bob Zollars. B-Twilite Farms Inc (KY). T-Steven M Asmussen.

**2nd-FGX, \$30,000, Msw, 3&4yo, f, 5 1/2f (off turf), 1:04 2/5, ft.**

**INFORMATIVE STYLE (f, 3, Dayjur--North Colony, by Pleasant Colony),** second at Saratoga in her Aug. 8 debut, was given a break after a ninth-place showing Aug. 30, returning to finish third at Keeneland Oct. 7. The \$125,000 KEESEP yearling purchase almost made it to the winner's circle last time at Churchill Downs, leading until the final jumpin that Nov. 9 outing. Backed down to 4-5 favoritism to get the job done, the bay stayed in contact with early leader Burning Up (Gold Fever), moved inside for the final charge and ran away from that foe with enthusiasm in the late stages to score by an insurmountable 11 lengths. Lifetime Record: 5-1-2-1, \$39,260. O-Michael Rainier. B-Rutledge Farm (KY). T-Albert M Stall Jr.

**Asher Euthanized:**

**Asher** (Mountain Cat), a Grade III winner of \$392,242, was euthanized while undergoing colic surgery Tuesday. The four-year-old filly was sent to Rood and Riddle Equine Hospital after showing signs of colic, but surgeons discovered severe adhesions in her stomach during the operation and the decision was made to put her down. The winner of the GIII Gardenia H. at Ellis Park in August, Asher had seven victories, three seconds and five thirds from her 27 career starts.

**Derby Highlights Lone Star Calendar in 2002:**

The \$500,000 GIII Lone Star Derby, set for May 11, highlights a 30-race stakes schedule at Lone Star Park next year. Stakes purses totaling \$4.125 million will be on offer at the Grand Prairie, Texas track. "We continue to look for ways to attract the best racing product to Texas, and believe that's evident by the change we've made to the Lone Star Derby and other stakes on our schedule," President and General Manager Corey Johnsen said. The program will include a new stakes event next season, the \$150,000 Stonerside S. for three-year-old fillies. The seven-furlong race will be run May 25. The 2002 Lone Star racing season runs Apr. 4 through July 14.

☆ **S O. CALIFORNIA** ☆

**Yesterday's Results:**

**7th-HOL, \$62,540, Alw, 3yo/up, 7 1/2f, 1:29, wf.**  
 1--**STORMY JACK, 122, c, 4, Bertrando--Tiny Kristin, by Steelinctive (GB).** O/B-Jack H & Florence B Arnold (CA); T-Bob Baffert. Lifetime Record: MSW & GSP, 17-7-5-3, \$522,104. \*1/2 to Kinky Kinky (Prized), MSP, \$261,858.  
 2--**Casey Griffin, 117, h, 5, Gate Dancer--Doctor Hannahbaby, by Family Doctor.**  
 3--**Elaborate, 122, h, 6, Gilded Time--Jeanie's Gift, by Gulch.**  
 Margins: 1, NO, 2. Odds: 1.00, 12.40, 2.50.

The consistent Stormy Jack, winner of the restricted On Trust H. at this track and distance in his latest effort Nov. 22, crossed the half-million dollar mark in earnings with this victory over open company. Allowed to settle in fourth off a solid early pace, the Cal-bred drove to the lead inside the eighth pole and edged clear.

**Valenzuela Given the Go-ahead:**

Jockey Patrick Valenzuela received a conditional license yesterday from the California Horse Racing Board to resume riding again according to his attorney Don Calabria. The 39-year-old journeyman, who is scheduled to begin working horses today, is hoping to begin riding races when Santa Anita Park opens for its winter/spring meeting Dec. 26. "We are real pleased, and hope it goes well," Calabria told the *Blood-Horse*. "Pat wants his actions to speak for him. He doesn't want to talk about it anymore, he just wants to ride. He's so anxious to get back on a horse. He was born to do it." Valenzuela's license is dependent on his passing random drug tests, which Calabria said could occur at least twice a week. The rider, who has tested positive four times and was most recently suspended in February of this year, must also continue to attend substance abuse programs provided by the Winner's Foundation, a backstretch organization aimed at assisting track employees in their fight against drug addiction.

☆ **TRACK OPENING** ☆  
**TAMPA BAY DOWNS - Tampa Bay, FL**  
**Opens: Saturday, Dec. 15**  
**Closes: Sunday, May 5, 2002**  
**Racing Days: Thursday through Sunday & Tuesday**  
**Post Time: 12:30 p.m.; 12 noon Mar. 17 & May 4**  
**Stakes Schedule: 19 stakes worth \$1.31 million**  
**Highlights: \$200,000 Tampa Bay Derby & \$150,000 GIII Florida Oaks-Mar. 17**  
**Website: www.tampabaydowns.com**



☆ WEST ☆

**Just A Cat to Cal Mar Farm:**

Hill 'n' Dale Farm announced yesterday that freshman stallion **Just A Cat** (Storm Cat--Rita, by Alydar) has been sold and will stand the 2002 breeding season at Cal Mar Farm in Alberta, Canada. The winner of the GII Cowdin S. at two, the Pennsylvania-bred has sired six winners from his first crop. The seven-year-old will stand for an introductory fee of \$2,500 live foal.

**BREEDERS' EDITION**

**ALLOWANCE RESULTS:**

**8th-AQU, \$46,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:47 2/5, gd.**  
**SKIP A GRADE (c, 4, Honor Grades--Delicacy, by Pleasant Colony)** O-Marvin Delfiner & Morton Fink. B-Jorge R Jimenez (FL). T-Ben W Perkins Jr. Lifetime Record: GSP, 17-3-2-3, \$134,143. \*1/2 to Majestic Dy (Dynaformer), MSW & GSP, \$285,731.

**9th-AQU, \$43,000, (S), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:13, gd.**  
**BROCCO BOB (c, 3, Brocco--Inaruckus, by Bold Ruckus)** Lifetime Record: 10-2-1-2, \$73,620. O-Seven Pin Stables. B-Patricia Staskowski Purdy (NY). T-J Terranova II.

**3rd-GGX, \$34,160, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11 1/5, ft.**  
**NAVY R. N. (f, 3, Sea Hero--L. B.'s Girl, by Bold L. B.)** Lifetime Record: 8-2-2-1, \$51,960. O-Mark P Dedomenico. B-Doni Biggs (KY). T-Jerry Hollendorfer.

**6th-HAW, \$28,000, 3/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:48 4/5, sy.**  
**SING JUBILEE (f, 4, Track Rebel--Cidacape, by Procida)** Lifetime Record: 33-6-7-5, \$87,505. O-John A Camardo. B-L Thornton Denver (AR). T-Bruce Tassone. \*1/2 to Jeremiah Jack (Patton), SW, \$154,926.

**8th-CTX, \$26,000, 12-13, 3yo/up, 7f, 1:25 1/5, my.**  
**MAN THE SHIPP (g, 7, Cryptoclearance--Her Lady Shipp {MSW, \$225,765}, by Family Doctor)** Lifetime Record: MSW, 65-20-10-5, \$473,327. O-Springton Farm. B-Barry Shipp (IL). T-Julio R Cartagena.

**8th-CRC, \$23,500, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8mT, 1:49 2/5, fm.**  
**SAVANNAH CANON (f, 3, Shuailaan--Chanting Sea, by Sewickley)** Lifetime Record: SW, 11-3-1-4, \$71,430. O-F C Calabrese. B-Sue Pate (KY). T-W M Catalano.

**9th-TPX, \$22,400, 12-13, 2yo, f, 6 1/2f, 1:19 1/5, sy.**  
**PROUD LITTLE PHONY (f, 2, Phone Trick--Proud Lichi, by Proud Truth)** Lifetime Record: 8-2-2-1, \$41,517. O/T-Wayne Bearden. B-J D Squires (KY).

**8th-PHA, \$21,600, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:13 1/5, sy.**  
**MIO MINE (f, 3, Island Whirl--Premier Answer, by Premiership)** Lifetime Record: 7-2-3-2, \$43,290. O-Toby Roth. B-John Franks (FL). T-Scott A Lake.

**7th-PHA, \$21,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:12 3/5, sy.**  
**LEAH'S PROMISE (f, 3, Fit to Fight--Rainbow Promise, by Known Fact)** Lifetime Record: 12-3-1-3, \$72,580. O-William Shively & Dianne Walderon. B-Michael G Marenchic MD (KY). T-Maureen Stillwell.

**7th-CTX, \$20,500, 12-13, 3yo/up, f/m, 7f, 1:27 1/5, my.**  
**MISTY'S PRINCESS (f, 4, Corridor Key--Mistress Montague {SW, \$136,783}, by Gallant Romeo)** Lifetime Record: 27-5-6-3, \$57,933. O/B-John A Hartner (MD). T-Micheal Leaf.

**MAIDEN WINNERS:**

+ **Canyonette, f, 2, Canyon Creek (Ire)--Exclusive Rosette (SW), by Ecliptical.** TPX, 12-13, 6f, 1:13 3/5. B-Breton C Jones (Ky). \*Sixth winner for freshman sire (by Mr. Prospector).

+ **Passionate Pride, f, 2, Coastal Voyage--Passion and Pride, by Private Account.** PEN, 12-13, 5 1/2f, 1:05 4/5. B-Red Oak Farm (FI).

**Bonao, c, 2, Conveyor--Lemhi Pleasure, by Lemhi Gold.** PEN, 12-13, 1m, 1:44 4/5. B-Roberto Sanson (FI). \*\$1,500 2yo 2001 OBSAPR. \*\*1/2 to Cocktails And Lies (Saint Ballado), SW, \$205,925.

+ **Handsome Gent, c, 2, Dixie Brass--Ftnoflivingwaters, by Fountain of Gold.** AQU, 12-14, (S), 6f, 1:13. B-Robert J Terrill Sr (NY).

**Bridge Edition, f, 2, Editor's Note--Bridge to Cross, by Phone Trick.** CRC, 12-14, 1m, 1:41 1/5. B-Mckathan Farms (Ky). \*\$40,000 wlng '99 FTKNOV; \$65,000 yrl '00 OBSAUG. \* \*13<sup>th</sup> winner for freshman sire (by Forty Niner).

**Irish Decision, c, 2, Expensive Decision--Shouldbeirish, by Irish Tower.** PHA, 12-14, (C), 6f, 1:12 3/5. B-Jerry G Harris (Pa).

**Flying Fugitive, c, 2, Flying Continental--Run for My Life, by Fit to Fight.** HOL, 12-14, (C), 6f, 1:11 4/5. B-Nancy Yearsley & J Garvan Kelly (Ca). \*\$3,000 yrl '00 BESOCT.

**Thundershower, c, 2, Mr. Explosive--Passive Aggressive, by D'Accord.** SUF, 12-14, a1m70yd, 1:45 2/5. B-Lee R Christian & Ben Kerrigone (Pa).

**Tame Native, c, 2, Native Regent--Wild Aunty, by Wild Again.** CRC, 12-14, (C), 1m, 1:41 2/5. B-John Franks (FI). \*Sixth winner for freshman sire (by Vice Regent).

**Nip, f, 2, Out of Place--Little V., by Buckfinder.** PHA, 12-14, 1m, 1:43. B-John Shaw (Ky). \*Won by 5 1/2 lengths.

+ **Waggaman Road, c, 2, Reign Road--Pleasure Kitten, by Honest Pleasure.** HOU, 12-13, (S), 1m, 1:43 1/5. B-Joseph Zeringue Whitney (Tx).



+ **Forrer Hall**, c, 2, **Royal Academy**--Adored Slew (MGSP-Fr), by Seattle Slew. TPX, 12-13, 1 1/16m, 1:46 1/5. B-Northwest Farms (Ky). \*\$32,000 yrl '00 KEESep.

+ **Mirek**, c, 2, **Siyah Kalem**--Dinky Blinky, by Topsider. HOL, 12-13, (C), 6 1/2f, 1:19. B-Dr Michael Neumann (Ca).

**Trall County**, c, 2, **Tactical Advantage**--Viya in Paris, by Copelan. HOU, 12-13, 1m, 1:42 1/5. B-Heidie J Maikranz (Fl). \*\$15,500 yrl '00 FTKOCT; \$15,000 2yo 2001 TEXMAR.

**Vin's Golden Voice**, f, 2, **Tough Knight**--Windy Jenny (MSP), by Windy Tide. HOL, 12-14, (C), 6 1/2f, 1:19 3/5. B-Edwin T & Jean M G Welch (Wa). \*\$20,000 yrl '00 WASSEP.

**Tour's Energy**, f, 2, **Tour D'Or**--Potential Energy, by Rajab. HAW, 12-14, 6f, 1:14 2/5. B-Luann Baker (Fl).

**Cool Heavy Bull**, c, 2, **You and I**--Explosive Lee, by Explodent. AQU, 12-14, (C), a1m70yd, 1:47 4/5. B-Theodore A Aroney & Judy Hicks (Ky). \*\$40,000 wlng '99 KEENOV; \$80,000 yrl '00 FTKJUL; \$25,000 2yo 2001 FTMMAY.

**Thunderado**, c, 3, **A.P. Indy**--Victorian Village, by L'Emigrant. GGX, 12-14, (C), 1m, 1:36 4/5. B-Brereton C Jones (Ky). \*\$700,000 yrl '99 KEESep. \*\*1/2 to Yearly Tour (Half A Year), GSW & MGISP, \$573,848; Victor Avenue (Avenue Of Flags), MGSW, \$478,437; Jekyll And Hyde (Latin American), MSP, \$239,048.

**Tainted Chimes**, c, 3, **Chimes Band**--Tainted Angel (SW, \$122,280), by Roo Art. HOU, 12-13, 5 1/2f, 1:07 1/5. B-Mark S Smith (Ky). \*\$16,000 wlng '98 KEENOV; \$27,000 yrl '99 OBSAUG.

**Tijuana Brass**, f, 3, **Cozzene**--Feel the Motion (SP, \$112,293), by Polish Navy. TPX, 12-14, 1 1/16m, 1:48 2/5. B-Pacific Heritage Farm (Ky). \*\$100,000 yrl '99 KEESep.

**Informative Style**, f, 3, **Dayjur**--North Colony, by Pleasant Colony. FGX, 12-14, 5 1/2fT, 1:04 2/5. B-Rutledge Farm (Ky). \*\$125,000 yrl '99 KEESep.

**Restless One**, f, 3, **Dixieland Band**--Nomo Robbery, by No Robbery. FGX, 12-14, 1m (off turf), 1:40 4/5. B-Thomas C Mueller (Ky). \*1/2 to Yukon Robbery (Yukon), MSW & MGSP, \$456,321; and Chorwon (Cozzene), GSW & GISP, \$1,161,793.

**Heaven's Mist**, f, 3, **Horatius**--Too Much Heaven, by North Tower. CTX, 12-13, 1 1/8m, 1:57 1/5. B-Dan Westland (Md).

**Pocus Hocus**, f, 3, **Quiet American**--Cadabra Abra (MGSW, \$371,998), by Al Hattab. AQU, 12-14, a1m70yd, 1:45 2/5. B-David Allen (Ky). \*\$95,000 wlng '98 KEENOV.

**Golden Glimmer**, f, 3, **Rahy**--Glimmer of Gold, by Slew o' Gold. CRC, 12-14, 1 1/16mT, 1:43 3/5. B-Ljh Farm (Ky). \*\$180,000 yrl '99 KEESep. \*\*1/2 to Miss Ra He Ra (Rahy), GSW, \$302,833.

**Robyn's Pleasure**, c, 3, **Robyn Dancer**--Honest Lilly, by Honest Pleasure. DED, 12-13, 5f, 1:01 3/5. B-Ruben Galaviz (Fl). \*\$3,000 yrl '99 OBSOCT. \*\*1/2 to Honest Venture (Majestic Venture), MSP, \$312,234.



## FRESHMAN FOCUS

### First-crop progeny to watch: Saturday, Dec. 15

Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 1998 Fee, #2yos/Winners/SW

Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)

**ALPHABET SOUP** (Cozzene), Adena Springs, \$30K, 83/7/0  
6-AQU, Msw, 6f, +Chocolatemilksoup

**APPEALING SKIER** (Baldski), Walmac, \$5K, 21/8/0  
10-TAM, Stk, 6f, Biscay Appeal, \$11K OBS APR 2yo, 20-1

**CANYON CREEK (IRE)** (Mr. Prospector), Gardiner, \$3K, 35/6/0  
10-TAM, Stk, 6f, Norman Vincent, 5-1

**EXPENSE ACCOUNT** (Private Account), B-T, \$1000, 70/25/2  
8-SUN, Alw, 6f, Rockets Red, 20-1

8-HOU, Stk, 6f, Solingen, \$15K TEX MAR 2yo, 3-1

**GERI** (Theatrical {IRE}), Japan, \$20K, 50/2/0  
4-HOL, Msw, 6 1/2f, +B. Z. Jones, \$65K KEE SEP yrl

**HELMSMAN** (El Gran Senor), Pegasus, \$8K, 47/7/1  
11-TAM, Msw, 6f, +Hypothetical, \$15K OBS APR 2yo, 8-1

**JULES** (Forty Niner), Bridlewood, \$5K, 86/7/2  
10-PHA, Msw, 6f, Party to Party, \$130K FTK JUL yrl, 5-2

10-PHA, Msw, 6f, Julie's Tale, 5-2

**JUST A CAT** (Storm Cat), Hill 'n' Dale, \$4K, 39/6/0  
5-CT, Msw, 7f, Just a Priss, \$3K EAS OCT yrl, 15-1

**LOST SOLDIER** (Danzig), Franks, \$4K, 55/10/1  
2-CRC, Msw, 1 1/16mT, Soldier Bear

**LOUIS QUATORZE** (Sovereign Dancer), Ashford, \$20K, 130/11/1  
5-TP, Msw, 1 1/16m, Miss Renegade, \$10K KEE SEP yrl

**MATTY G** (Capote), Darby Dan, \$6K, 37/9/1  
10-PHA, Msw, 6f, +Magic Matty, 6-1

**OPEN FORUM** (Deputy Minister), Mockingbird, \$5K, 72/19/3  
9-CRC, Msw, 5 1/2f, Gray Forum, \$67K OBS FEB 2yo

**OUTFLANKER (Danzig)**, Cloverleaf, \$3K, 34/11/1  
9-CRC, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Military Man, \$7K OBS WIN yrl

4-CRC, Alw, 6f, Sure You Can

**SANDPIT (BRZ)** (Baynoun {IRE}), Vinery, \$5K, 88/8/1  
5-TP, Msw, 1 1/16m, Twilight Glow

**SIPHON (BRZ)** (Itajara), Airdrie, \$15K, 80/7/1  
9-HOL, Stk, 1 1/16m, Siphonic, \$210K KEE SEP yrl

**SUAVE PROSPECT** (Fortunate Prospect), Farnsworth, \$3K, 38/9/0  
4-CRC, Alw, 6f, Smooth Lover, \$20K OBS JUN 2yo

**TAMAYAZ** (Gone West), Northview, \$5K, 42/2/0  
5-CT, Msw, 7f, Lisa Is Smart, \$7K EAS MAY 2yo, 8-1

**VALID EXPECTATIONS** (Valid Appeal), Huisache, \$5K, 67/26/2  
9-CRC, Msw, 5 1/2f, May Expectations, \$62K OBS FEB 2yo

6-AQU, Msw, 6f, Psychic, \$125K OBS FEB 2yo

**VICTORY SPEECH** (Deputy Minister), Ashford, \$15K, 103/5/0  
8-GG, Stk, 1m, Rhetoric Express, \$34K BAR MAY 2yo



☆ SALES NEWS ☆

**DANEHILL COLT TOPS HONG KONG SALE**

Hong Kong owner Jacky Chan Cheung Ming and partners Mr. & Mrs. Sammy Chan Cheong Yuk outlasted four underbidders to secure a Danehill--Caraniya (Ire) (Darshaan {GB}) colt for a record HK\$4.5 million (US\$576,923) at the glittering Piaget Hong Kong International Sale Friday night. The half-brother to Cajarian (Shahrastani), a multiple Group winner in Ireland, was purchased by the Hong Kong Jockey Club (HKJC) for A\$650,000 at the Inglis Easter Yearling Sale in Sydney when offered by Coolmore Australia. He eclipsed the previous record of HK\$3.8 million paid last year for Green Century (Aus) (Danehill). That colt, who has banked HK\$700,000, accumulated the most earnings of any 2000 Piaget sales graduate and was awarded a HK\$1 million bonus. Of this year's topper, HKJC Executive Director Winfried Engelbrecht-Bresges said, "This was my favorite, I have to admit. I put my neck on the block because we were at first prepared to go to A\$500,000 but we loved this horse and we took the risk. [Agent] Bill Burns probably became a bit pale when we pushed further but he seems to be happy now." The colt will be trained by Hong Kong's second leading trainer, Francis Lui. A gelded son of Danehill--Spell on You (Irish River {Fr}) brought the second highest price of HK\$3.8 million. From 38 juveniles sold, the sale grossed a record HK\$56,350,000, which was up 14.8 percent over last year. However, the average of HK\$1,482,000 was down 30 percent from last year. "Last year prices went up too high and we wanted a correction," said Engelbrecht-Bresges. "Our main purpose is to provide our members with very good horses. Therefore even if we lose money, we would not be worried. We have probably broken even, but we are definitely on target."

**PIAGET HONG KONG INTERNATIONAL SALE  
TOP SIX TWO-YEAR-OLDS**

Hip	Sex	Sire	Dam	Price (HK\$)
29	c	Danehill	Caraniya (Ire)	\$4,500,000 (A\$650,000 yrl '01 INGEAS) Purchased by Jacky Chan Cheung Ming
18	g	Danehill	Spell on You	\$3,800,000 (NZ\$360,000 yrl '01 NZBFEB) Purchased by Edmund Yue Kwok Yin
6	g	Danehill	Darlya	\$2,500,000 (A\$400,000 yrl '01 INGEAS) Purchased by Moon Choy Ching
4	g	Entrepreneur (GB)	Trading Aces (GB)	\$2,000,000 (125,000gns yrl '00 TATOCT) Purchased by Po Fung Kok
11	g	Dynaformer	Irish Starlet	\$2,000,000 (\$180,000 yrl '00 KEESEP) Purchased by Fun Loving Syndicate
36	g	Polish Precedent	Mill Line (GB)	\$2,000,000 (80,000gns yrl '00 TATDEC) Purchased by Raymond Ng Wing Chiu

☆ PREVIEW ☆

**Saturday, Hollywood Park, post time: 2:35 p.m. PST**  
**BAYAKOA H.-GII**, \$150,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m

PP HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1a Tranquility Lake	Rahy	J Canani	8-5
2 Queenie Belle	Bertrando	Cecil	6-1
3 Beloved	Wild Again	Cerin	20-1
4 Tropical Lady	Roy	Inda	8-1
5 Critikola (Arg)	Tough Critic	Spawr	5-1
6 Minor Details	General Meeting	Baffert	12-1
7a Feverish	Pirate's Bounty	Hendricks	8-5
8 Starrer	Dynaformer	Hofmans	5-2
9 Cee Dreams	Cee's Tizzy	Eurton	12-1

**Tranquility Lake** tired badly in the Oct. 27 GI Breeders' Cup Distaff, finishing 17 lengths behind Unbridled Elaine in ninth, but is a perfect two-for-two at the Bayakoa distance on the dirt. The six-year-old, who has made 21 of her 27 career starts on the turf, captured the GII Clement L. Hirsch H. going 1 1/16 miles on the Del Mar main track Aug. 5. **Starrer** is also undefeated at 8 1/2 furlongs, taking the GII Princess S. at Hollywood in her only prior try at the route. The three-year-old was fifth, beaten 2 3/4 lengths in the Distaff, despite the fact that her jockey lost his whip at the quarter pole. Jerry Bailey has the mount on the filly for the first time.

PIAGET HONG KONG INTERNATIONAL SALE THURSDAY, DECEMBER 14, 2001		
TOTALS	2001	2000
No. Sold	38	23
Gross	HK\$56,350,000	HK\$49,100,000
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**Saturday, Hollywood Park, post time: 1:32 p.m. PST**

**DAHLIA H.-GII**, \$150,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1	Verruma (Brz)	Emmson (Ire)	Chapman	8-1
2	Be Fair (Brz)	Fast Gold	Mandella	20-1
3	Vencera (Fr)	Green Tune	Drysdale	6-1
4	Heads Will Roll (GB)	Ef시오 (GB)	Frankel	9-5
5	Casa's Kids	Theatrical (Ire)	Bray	30-1
6	Catz (Ire)	Catrail	Gallagher	30-1
7	Queen of Wilshire	Major Impact	Vienna	12-1
8	Kalatiara (Aus)	Metal Storm (Fr)	McAnally	6-1
9	Dancingonice	Robyn Dancer	Frankel	4-1
10	Apollo's Music	Apollo	Van Berg	30-1
11	Favorite Funtime	Seeking the Gold	Baffert	8-1

**Heads Will Roll** bids for her third straight after taking the Oct. 14 GIII Pebbles H. at Belmont Park and the Nov. 10 Matiara H. at Hollywood. The three-year-old, on the board in eight of nine starts, takes on her elders for the first time. **Dancingonice** came back after an eight-month layoff and was dropped in against high-priced claimers, but went wire-to-wire to win that Oct. 18 event by a length. She went right to the front in her latest try as well, the Nov. 4 GII Las Palmas H., but was caught in the final strides and had to settle for second.

**Saturday, Aqueduct, post time: 3:44 p.m. EST**

**GRAVESEND H.-GIII**, \$100,000, 3yo/up, 6f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	Peeping Tom	Eagle Eyed	Reynolds	120
2a	Run Kush Run	Concorde's Tune	Serey	110
3	Snow Ridge	Tabasco Cat	Lukas	113
4a	Say Florida Sandy	Personal Flag	Serey	120
5	Sassy Hound	Deerhound	Feliciano Jr.	114
6	Here's Zealous	Unreal Zeal	Dutrow Jr.	114

**Sunday, Hollywood Park**

**HOLLYWOOD STARLET-GI**, \$200,000, 2yo, f, 1 1/16m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	Talkeetna	Capote	Gomez	120
2	Renaissance Woman	Deputy Minister	Solis	120
3	You	You and I	Bailey	120
4	Habibti	Tabasco Cat	Espinoza	120
5	Tali'sluckybusride	Delineator	Valdivia Jr.	120

**You**, fourth in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies last time out, blew out three furlongs in :37.80 at Hollywood Friday morning.

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**Sunday, Sha Tin, Hong Kong**

**HONG KONG CUP-G1**, HK\$18,000,000, 3yo/up, 2000mT

**Terre A Terre (Fr)** (Kaldounevees {Fr}) reportedly pulled up lame after a morning workout yesterday, but after two subsequent veterinary examinations, she was pronounced fit for racing tomorrow. A pre-travel veterinary certificate stated that the filly was a bad mover; Dr. K. L. Watkins said that, apart from poor action at the trot, he saw no signs of a problem. Owner/breeder Antonia Devin said, "Terre A Terre has never been the best of movers and the going up the stands' side seemed plenty firm enough. We would ideally like some rain for her."

**Sunday, Sha Tin, Hong Kong**

**HONG KONG MILE-G1**, HK\$14,000,000, 3yo/up, 1600mT

Trainer Christophe Clement said yesterday he was pleased with the way **Forbidden Apple** (Pleasant Colony) had shipped. He believes that his charge will perform better at a mile than at 1 1/4 miles, which is the distance he negotiated when fourth in last year's Hong Kong Cup. "Forbidden Apple has a turn of foot which allows him to close strongly, but he maintains it a little better at eight furlongs than at 10," Clement said. "I'm really pleased with the way he looks, his action is excellent and he was really on his toes when he was taken around Sha Tin's all-weather surface this morning." Trainer John Gosden was present for the first time this week to watch his Mile candidate **Mount Abu (Ire)** (Foxhound) have a light workout under big race jockey Jimmy Fortune. Gosden reported, "I am very happy with him--he's had just a nice quiet canter, which is all I wanted. He looks in good shape."

CURRENCY CONVERSIONS

	Unit/US\$	Unit/GB£
British pound	1.45527	1.00
Hong Kong dollar	0.128204	0.0880959
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## WIN CITY TAKES TOP CANADIAN HONORS

**Win City** (Slew City Slew--Winsfordan, by Domasca Dan), who won six stakes races in Canada this year, was named the country's Horse of the Year at the 2th annual Sovereign Awards Gala in Toronto Friday night. The three-year-old was beaten a half-length by **Dancethruthedawn** (Mr. Prospector) in the Queen's Plate, but came back to take the second leg of the Canadian Triple Crown, the Prince Of Wales S. He also captured the GII Marine S. in May and ended the campaign with a 3/4-length score in the GIII Autumn H. at Woodbine Nov. 10. Dancethruthedawn earned honors as top three-year-old filly; she also became the second foal from her champion and Queen's Plate-winning dam **Dance Smartly** (Danzig--Classy 'n Smart, by Smarten) to take Canada's oldest and most prestigious race. The 13-year-old Dance Smartly, in turn, received the Sovereign Award as the year's top broodmare. Sam-Son Farms, which pocketed five awards last year, was once again named top owner and top breeder, while Patrick Husbands picked up his third straight Sovereign as champion jockey.

### 2001 SOVEREIGN AWARD WINNERS

Horse of the Year - **Win City** (Slew City Slew)  
 Ch. 2yo Filly - **Ginger Gold** (Golden Gear)  
 Ch. 2yo Colt - **Rare Friends** (Helmsman)  
 Ch. 3yo Filly - **Dancethruthedawn** (Mr. Prospector)  
 Ch. 3yo Colt - **Win City** (Slew City Slew)  
 Ch. Older Female - **Mountain Angel** (Mt. Livermore)  
 Ch. Older Male - **A Fleets Dancer** (Afleet)  
 Ch. Sprinter - **Mr. Epperson** (Cabrini Green)  
 Ch. Turf Female - **Sweetest Thing** (Candy Stripes)  
 Ch. Turf Male - **Numerous Times** (Numerous)  
 Outstanding Broodmare - **Dance Smartly** (Danzig)  
 Outstanding Jockey - **Patrick Husbands**  
 Outstanding Apprentice Jockey - **Chantal Sutherland**  
 Outstanding Trainer - **Robert Tiller**  
 Outstanding Owner - **Sam-Son Farms**  
 Outstanding Breeder - **Sam-Son Farms**  
 Outstanding Photograph - **Michael Burns, Sr.**  
 Outstanding Film/Video/Broadcast - **Tommy Wolski's Sport of Kings**  
 Outstanding Newspaper Story - **Curtis Stock**  
 Outstanding Feature Story - **Muriel Lennox**

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