

HEADLINE NEWS

STOUTE HAS BIG HOPES FOR BALAKHERI

Aidan O'Brien will saddle almost half of the field for Sunday's G1 Budweiser Irish Derby, headed by G1 Epsom Derby winner **High Chaparral (Ire)** (Sadler's Wells). Quoted as the 1-3 favourite by Cashmans this morning, he bids to become the 10th odds-on favourite since 1970 and the fifth consecutive favourite to win this Classic. Of his stable companions, **Ballingarry (Ire)** (Sadler's Wells), runner-up in the G1 Derby Italiano in Rome May 26 last time, appears the second string on jockey bookings. Sir Michael Stoute offers the chief overseas threat to the home team, with **Balakheri (Ire)** (Theatrical {Ire}) his main hope. Having won the G2 King Edward VII S. at Royal Ascot last Friday, he bids to provide his trainer with his fourth Irish Derby success. Stoute said yesterday, "He's a tough horse and he came out of the King Edward VII so well that we are very happy to go and take our chance. He became a little bit unbalanced on the bend there because we were challenging wide but once he got into a rhythm he won well--the opposition is a bit sterner on Sunday but I think he'll run well. I think High Chaparral is a very good horse but you've got to take one on. The ground will suit and he seems to be bouncing."



High Chaparral
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GIANT REPLACES DANEHILL DOWN UNDER

Super sire **Danehill** (Danzig--Razyana, by His Majesty) will not shuttle to Australia for the Southern Hemisphere's 2002 breeding season. The 16-year-old Coolmore stallion has been shuttling to Australia since 1990, but will be rested this year. Taking his place in the Southern Hemisphere is Coolmore's MG1SW **Giant's Causeway** (Storm Cat--Mariah's Storm, by Rahy). "We believe Giant's Causeway is sure to appeal to breeders as a very worthy and viable alternative to Danehill for the coming season," said Coolmore Australia manager Michael Kirwan. "Danehill's progeny are best known for their ability and toughness and Giant's Causeway was one of the best and toughest horses ever to have raced in Europe." Giant's Causeway will stand for \$137,500.

☆ IRISH DERBY ☆

Sunday, The Curragh, Ireland, post time: 4:00 p.m.

BUDWEISER IRISH DERBY-G1, €1,300,000, 3yo, c/f, 1 1/2mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE
1	7	BALAKHERI (IRE)	Theatrical (Ire) O-H H The Aga Khan; B-H H The Aga Khan's Studs SC; T-Sir Michael Stoute; J-Pat Eddery. Lifetime Record: 6-3-1-1, €179,840.
2	2	BALLINGARRY (IRE)	Sadler's Wells O-Susan Magnier; B-Orpendale; T-Aidan O'Brien; J-Seamus Heffernan. Lifetime Record: 7-3-1-1, €438,113.
3	8	DELLA FRANCESCA	Danzig O-Michael Tabor, Susan Magnier & Betty Maxwell-Moran; B-Brushwood Stable; T-Aidan O'Brien; J-Colm O'Donoghue. Lifetime Record: 7-2-2-2, €130,370.
4	4	HIGH CHAPARRAL (IRE)	Sadler's Wells (270,000gns yrl '00 TATHOU) O-Michael Tabor & Susan Magnier; B-Sean Coughlan; T-Aidan O'Brien; J-Michael Kinane. Lifetime Record: 6-5-1-0, €1,603,164.
5	3	IN TIME'S EYE (GB)	Singspiel (Ire) O/B-Moyglare Stud Farm Ltd; T-Dermot Weld; J-Pat Smullen. Lifetime Record: 2-M-2-0, €22,047.
6	6	JAZZ BEAT (IRE)	Darshaan (GB) O/B-Moyglare Stud Farm Ltd; T-Dermot Weld; J-Pat Shanahan. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, €29,686.
7	1	NYSAEAN (IRE)	Sadler's Wells (FF6,000,000 yrl '00 DEAAUG) O-Jeffen Racing; B-Mme L Ades; T-Richard Hannon; J-Richard Hughes. Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-2, €25,474.
8	5	PRINCELY VENTURE (IRE)	Entrepreneur (GB) O-Lord Weinstock; B-Ballymacoll Stud Farm Ltd; T-Sir Michael Stoute; J-Kieren Fallon. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, €7,788.
9	9	SHOLOKHOV (IRE)	Sadler's Wells O-Susan Magnier; B-Jim Bolger; T-Aidan O'Brien; J-Paul Scallan. Lifetime Record: 5-2-1-1. €240,337.

All carry 126 pounds.

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☆ PREVIEW ☆

Saturday, Belmont Park, post time: 5:42 p.m. EDT

MOTHER GOOSE S.-GI, \$250,000, 3yo, f, 1 1/8m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1	Seba (GB)	Alzao	McLaughlin	12-1
2	Belterra	SCRATCHED	SCRATCHED	SCR
3	Dust Me Off	With Approval	A Jerkens	9-2
4	Chamrousse	Peaks and Valleys	O'Callaghan	7-5
5	Nonsuch Bay	Mr. Greeley	Alexander	9-2

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Trainer Carl Nafzger was forced to scratch **Belterra** (Unbridled) yesterday when the filly came down with a fever, leaving a short field of four for this affair. Niall O'Callaghan will saddle **Chamrousse** in her attempt to win a second straight graded event. While facing top company, the filly was third in the GIII Silverbulletday, GII Fair Grounds Oaks and GII Fantasy before breaking through in the graded stakes ranks with a confident 2 1/4-length victory in the May 17 GII Black-Eyed Susan at this distance. **Seba**, third behind Imperial Gesture over the Nad al Sheba turf in the Apr. 13 UAE Oaks, returned to run third in an off-the-turf allowance at Belmont June 7. **Dust Me Off**, winner of the GII Bonnie Miss at this distance in March, tired after a troubled trip and finished a well-beaten fifth behind You in the June 7 GI Acorn last time out. She gets blinkers today.

Saturday, Hollywood Park, post time: 4:18 p.m. PDT

BEVERLY HILLS H.-GI, \$250,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/4mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1	Canzone (Brz)	Westheimer	Inda	20-1
2	Smokin' Charlotte	Red Bishop	Sadler	30-1
3	Peu a Peu (Ger)	Dashing Blade (GB)	Frankel	9-2
4	Racene	Miner's Mark	Sahadi	30-1
5	Crazy Ensign (Arg)	Firery Ensign	Mandella	12-1
6	Astra	Theatrical (Ire)	de Seroux	3-5
7	Snowflake (Ire)	Caerleon	McAnally	8-1
8	Karasavina (Ire)	Sadler's Wells	Frankel	8-1
9	Blushing Bride (GB)	Distant Relative (Ire)	N Canani	15-1

Defending Beverly Hills champ **Astra**, four-for-six at this distance, is coming off wins in the Apr. 20 GII Santa Barbara H. and the May 27 GI Gamely Breeders' Cup H. **Snowflake** ran second behind Lailani in the G1 Nassau S. last August while still a maiden. Transplanted to the U.S., the Irish-bred filly has won four straight, including, most recently, a 1 1/16-miles optional claimer at Hollywood May 9. **Karsavina**, third in last year's G1 Irish Oaks, won over this course and distance in her American bow, a May 22 optional claimer.

Saturday, Monmouth Park, post time: 5:25 p.m. EDT
MOLLY PITCHER BREEDERS' CUP H.-GII, \$300,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1	Atelier	Deputy Minister	McGaughey	6-1
2	Spain	Thunder Gulch	Lukas	6-5
3	Southern Fiction	Brocco	Oliver	12-1
4	Extend	Unbridled's Song	Attfield	15-1
5	Summer Colony	Summer Squall	Hennig	1-1

When **Summer Colony** crossed the wire a length to the good of Azeri in the Feb. 9 GII La Canada S. at Santa Anita, one had the impression that these were two of the best distaffers in training. Azeri has certainly done her part with four consecutive Grade I victories and this afternoon, her La Canada conqueress has the chance to cement her position near the top. The winner of the May 17 GII Pimlico Breeders' Cup Distaff in her most recent effort, Summer Colony will have to deal with all-time money distaff earner **Spain**, who comes into this in perhaps the best form of her career. Fourth to Azeri in the GI Apple Blossom H. three back, the 122-pound highweight took the GII Louisville Breeders' Cup H. May 3 and added the GII Fleur de Lis H. June 15.

Saturday, Arlington Park, post time: 4:30 p.m. CDT

ARLINGTON CLASSIC-GII, \$175,000, 3yo, 1 1/16mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1	Jeremiah Jack	Patton	Amoss	9-2
2	Robin Zee	Robin des Pins	Brueggemann	20-1
3	Mr. Mellon	Red Ransom	Walden	7-2
4	February Storm	Storm Cat	Lukas	6-1
5	Stonemason	Nureyev	W Dollase	12-1
6	Seainsky	Sea Hero	Hawley	20-1
7	Scooter Roach	Mi Cielo	Gore	12-1
8	Doc Holiday (Ire)	Dr Devious (Ire)	W Dollase	5-2
9	Cappuchino	Capote	Hollendorfer	3-1

Mr. Mellon was an impressive winner of the Rushaway S. on the Spiral S. undercard Mar. 23, before finishing sixth as the favorite in the GII Arkansas Derby Apr. 13. The colt returned from a breather to be an excellent second in his turf bow in the GIII Jefferson Cup at Churchill June 8. He was an \$8,000 supplemental nominee to this event and will be piloted by underrated turf rider Rene Douglas. California shipper **Doc Holiday** should contribute to a strong pace this afternoon. "Doc Holiday is a free-running colt," trainer Wally Dollase confirmed. "He has natural speed so we try to let him do what he wants to do and not discourage him." **Jeremiah Jack**, sixth in the GIII Lone Star Derby on the main track May 11, broke his turf maiden impressively last out.

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Saturday, The Curragh, Ireland, post time: 3:45 p.m.

HUNSTON FINANCIAL PRETTY POLLY S.-G2,

€130,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/4mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	3	Spring Oak (GB)	Mark of Esteem (Ire)	bin Suroor	131
2	5	Tarfshi (GB)	Mtoto (GB)	M Jarvis	131
3	7	Fraulein (GB)	Acatenango (Ger)	E Dunlop	119
4	1	Kournakova (Ire)	Sadler's Wells	A O'Brien	119
5	6	Margarula (Ire)	Doyoun (Ire)	Bolger	119
6	2	Pietra Dura (GB)	Cadeaux Genereux (GB)	A O'Brien	119
7	4	Wrong Key (Ire)	Key of Luck	Prendergast	119

Three-year-olds have dominated this contest recently, with five of the last six renewals falling to a sophomore. In all probability, the Classic generation will hold sway here against a small but select team of elders. Connections of **Fraulein** decided to sidestep the G1 Epsom Oaks June 7 after her fourth in the G3 Musidora S. at York May 15 and therefore avoided that slog in the mud. Subsequently she was an unlucky third behind Bustan (Ire) in the Listed Fairway S. at Newmarket July 1 before appearing not to stay 1 1/2 miles when fourth in the G2 Ribblesdale S. at Royal Ascot last Thursday. Aidan O'Brien has yet to win this race and his duo of **Kournakova** and **Pietra Dura** will have to improve to figure here, although the latter was a fair second in the Listed Victor McCalmont Memorial S. at Gowran Park June 6 last time and may have more scope than her stable companion. Heading the older generation is Godolphin's **Spring Oak**, who bids to provide connections with their second renewal after Flagbird in 1995. She will need to reverse the form of the Listed Dahlia S. at Newmarket May 3, in which she was runner-up to **Tarfshi**.

Saturday, Churchill Downs, post time: 5:21 p.m. EDT

ARISTIDES H.-GIII, \$100,000, 3yo/up, 6 1/2f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	U.S. Jets	Salem Drive	Holthus	114
2	Orientate	Mt. Livermore	Lukas	118
3	No Armistice	Unbridled	Ellis	116
4	Binthebest	Binalong	Nafzger	114
5	Bet On Sunshine	Bet Big	McGee	121
6	Twilight Road	Cahill Road	McGee	113

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 listed in local time.

Saturday, Belmont Park, post time: 3:04 p.m. EDT

TREMONT S.-GIII, \$100,000a, 2yo, 5 1/2f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER
1	Desert Warrior	Deputy Minister	Lukas
2	Hussar	Silver Deputy	Pletcher
3	Windsor Lodge	Phone Trick	Pletcher
4	White Mercedes	Unbridled's Song	Leigh-Pedersen
5	Zavata	Phone Trick	Biancone

All carry 114 pounds.

Saturday, The Curragh, Ireland, post time: 2:45 p.m.

IAWS CURRAGH CUP-G3, €75,000, 3yo/up, 1 3/4mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	1	Boreas (GB)	In the Wings (GB)	Cumani	136
2	6	Chimes at Midnight	Danzig	Comer	136
3	3	Daliapour (Ire)	Sadler's Wells	Stoute	136
4	5	Murghem (Ire)	Common Grounds (GB)	Johnston	136
5	7	Quality Team	Diesis (GB)	Weld	136
6	4	Crimphill (Ire)	Sadler's Wells	Grassick	133
7	2	L'Evangile (GB)	Danehill	J Hills	133

Saturday, Newmarket, Britain, post time: 3:00 p.m.

ANTEC INTERNATIONAL CRITERION S.-G3, £35,000,

3yo/up, 7fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	5	Atavus (GB)	Distant Relative (Ire)	Margarson	128
2	4	Tillerman (GB)	In The Wings (GB)	Perrett	128
3	2	Umistim (GB)	Inchinor (GB)	Hannon	128
4	1	King of Happiness	Spinning World	Stoute	124
5	6	Mister Cosmi (GB)	Royal Applause (GB)	Johnston	119
6	3	Lady Lindsay (Ire)	Danehill Dancer (Ire)	Guest	116

Saturday, Newcastle, Britain, post time: 2:10 p.m.

JOHN SMITH'S EXTRA SMOOTH CHIPCHASE S.-G3,

£35,000, 3yo/up, 6fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	2	Hurricane Floyd (Ire)	Pennekamp	Nicholls	128
2	3	Indian Spark (GB)	Indian Ridge (Ire)	Goldie	128
3	8	Misraah (Ire)	Lure	Stoute	128
4	4	Tedburrow (GB)	Dowsing	Alston	128
5	7	Vision of Night (GB)	Night Shift	J Dunlop	128
6	1	Just James (GB)	Spectrum (Ire)	Nosedata	125
7	6	Marika (GB)	Marju (Ire)	Wragg	125
8	5	Ashdown Express (Ire)	Ashkalani (Ire)	Wall	121

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Saturday, Hamburg, Germany, post time: 5:40 p.m.

DEUTSCHER HEROLD-PREIS-G3, €65,000, 3/up, 1mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	12	Iberus (Ger)	Monsun (Ger)	Schiergen	132
2	2	Skoozi (NZ)	Prince of Praise (NZ)	Smith	132
3	7	Touch Down (Ger)	Dashing Blade (GB)	Richardson	132
4	5	Up and Away (Ger)	Le Glorieux (GB)	Mader	132
5	6	Arc Royal (Ger)	Big Shuffle	Sprengel	128
6	4	Chagall (GB)	Fraam (GB)	Hellier	128
7	8	Denaro (Ger)	Dashing Blade (GB)	Hofer	128
8	14	Pardus (Fr)	Unfuwain	Hofer	128
9	13	Sign of Nike (GB)	Mistertopogigo (Ire)	Richardson	128
10	10	Horeion Directa (Ger)	Big Shuffle	Lowe	121
11	11	Karlsson (Ger)	Second Set (Ire)	Blume	121
12	9	Peppershot (Ger)	Big Shuffle	Ostmann	121
13	1	Sambaprinz (Ger)	Big Shuffle	Horwart	121
14	3	Zarewitsch (Ire)	Night Shift	Schiergen	121

Sunday, Saint-Cloud, France

GRAND PRIX DE SAINT-CLOUD-G1, €350,000,

3yo/up, 1 1/2mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY
1	3	Polish Summer (GB)	Polish Precedent	Peslier
2	4	Ange Gabriel (Fr)	Kaldounevees (Fr)	Jarnet
3	5	Virginian (Ire)	In the Wings (GB)	Coffigny
4	1	Califet (Fr)	Freedom Cry (GB)	Bonilla
5	6	Anabaa Blue (GB)	Anabaa	Soumillon
6	2	Aquarelliste (Fr)	Danehill	Boeuf

All carry 134 pounds except Aquarelliste, 131 pounds.

Sunday, Saint-Cloud, France, post time: 3:50 p.m.

PRIX DE MALLERET-G2, €95,000, 3yo, f, 1 1/2mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY
1	6	Bustling (GB)	Danehill	Take
2	8	Ana Marie (Fr)	Anabaa	Bonilla
3	3	Marie du Val (Fr)	Valanour (Ire)	Jarnet
4	2	Mer de Corail (Ire)	Sadler's Wells	Boeuf
5	1	Really (Ire)	Entrepreneur (GB)	Scratched
6	5	Lia (Ire)	Desert King (Ire)	Gillet
7	7	Melody Blue (Fr)	Poliglote (GB)	Peslier
8	4	Pearly Shells (GB)	Efisio (GB)	Soumillon

All carry 121 pounds.

☆ RESULTS ☆

Friday, Chantilly, France

PRIX DU BOIS-G3, €66,000, Chantilly, 6-28, 2yo, 5fT, 1:00.30, gd.

1--#@ELA MERICI (FR), 120, f, 2, by Beudelaire

1st Dam: Eternalsplendor, by Miswaki

2nd Dam: Promising Belle, by *Vaguely Noble

3rd Dam: Belles Promise, by *Gallant Man

O/T-Corine Barbe; B-M and Mme G Sandor; J-Vincent Vion; €33,000. Lifetime Record: 3 starts, 3 wins, €62,000.

2--Zinziberine, 120, f, 2, Zieten--Amenixa (Fr), by

Linamix (Fr). O-Andre Fabre; B-F B McEntee;

€13,200.

3--On Line (Fr), 123, c, 2, Green Tune--Odwalla (GB),

by Kaldoun (Fr). O-Mme P Le Blan; B-W Trichter;

€9,900.

Margins: 1, 3/4, HF. Odds: 11.00, 9.10, 10.20.

Also ran: Petite Histoire (Ire), Trevisse (Fr), Inner Temple, Softshoe (Ire), Son Premier (Fr), Inya (Ger).

Ela Merici took her unbeaten record to a perfect three-for-three as she proved too strong for the game front-running Petite Histoire (Ire) (Desert Story {Ire}) in the closing stages. Racing in fourth early as that filly blazed the trail in front, Ela Merici responded to Vincent Vion's urgings to challenge inside the final quarter-mile as most of her rivals struggled to stay on terms with the leader. Passing that filly with a furlong remaining, she was pushed out to assert as Zinziberine and On Line stayed on past the long-time leader. Ela Merici has only raced at Chantilly thus far, scoring in two conditions events Apr. 23 and May 21, beating On Line by a neck in the latter.

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☆ ESTRELLAS ☆

IT'S ESTRELLAS DAY IN BUENOS AIRES The South American equivalent of the Breeders' Cup is set for this afternoon in Buenos Aires, Argentina. The six-race Estrellas series is headed by the \$272,000 G1 Classic, which has drawn a field of 12. **Oh Take (Arg)** (Latin American), winner of the G2 Clasico Otono June 8, could go off a slight favorite over **Miss Carry (Arg)** (Numerous), hero of the G1 Gran Premio 25 de Mayo at San Isidro. Recently purchased by Nelson Bunker Hunt, three-year-old Oh Take has previous Estrellas experience, having finished second in last year's G1 Juvenile. The race has also attracted defending champion **Mr. Mat (Arg)** (Numerous) and **Star Cross (Arg)** (Southern Halo), runner-up in the 2001 G1 Sprint. **Rocking Trick (Arg)** (Phone Trick), winner of the G1 Juvenile in 2000, will try to outgun favored **Sebi Halo (Arg)** (Southern Halo) and **Imperial Roy (Arg)** (Roy) in the G1 Sprint over 1000 meters. Other races include the Junior Sprint for two-year-olds, the Juvenile Fillies, and the Distaff.

Saturday, Palermo, Argentina, post time: 4:45 p.m.
GRAN PREMIO ESTRELLAS CLASSIC-G1, \$272,000,
 3yo/up, 2000m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	Climay (Arg)	Ocean Falls (Ire)	Gaitan	132
2	Fire Storm (Arg)	Hidden Prize	Neer	127
3	Important Ride (Arg)	Ride The Rails	Dulom	127
4	Miss Carry (Arg)	Numerous	Garcia	120
5	Mr. Mat (Arg)	Numerous	Romero	132
6	Oh Take (Brz)	Latin American	Alves	127
7	Potroreal (Arg)	Potrillon (Arg)	Gonzalez	132
8	Purvis (Arg)	Ride The Rails	Bianchi	132
9	Rapax (Arg)	Candy Stripes	Sueldo	127
10	Rodion (Arg)	Ride The Rails	J Etchechoury	127
11	Star Cross (Arg)	Southern Halo	Pellegata	132
12	Vogue Sunset (Arg)	Halo Sunshine	Pascual	127

Saturday, Palermo, Argentina, post time: 6:45 p.m.
GRAN PREMIO ESTRELLAS DISTAFF-G1, \$68,000,
 3yo/up, f/m, 2000m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	Artemisa	Mutakddim	Rodriguez	127
2	Berry's Dream	Engrillado (Arg)	Ferro	127
3	D'Ohana	Candy Stripes	Gaitan	127
4	Forty Fusa	Roar	Bullrich	127
5	Hopetown	Southern Halo	J Etchechoury	132
6	Kiss Me Sweet	Lode	C Etchechoury	127
7	Luna Parade	Parade Marshal	J Etchechoury	132
8	Salzurita	Interprete (Arg)	Pavarini	127
9	Seras Reina	Interprete (Arg)	Maldotti	127
10	Tanganyika	Interprete (Arg)	Maldotti	132

Saturday, Palermo, Argentina, post time: 5:45 p.m.
GRAN PREMIO ESTRELLAS SPRINT-G1, \$34,000,
 3yo/up, 1000m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	Adriana Il Capo (Arg)	Capo Maximo (Arg)	Ser	Ser
2	Amor Salado (Arg)	Bombazo Toss (Arg)	Chirino	128
3	Forli's Talk (Arg)	Confidential Talk	Ramos	131
4	Forty Editado (Arg)	Roar	J Etchechoury	128
5	Gagnante (Arg)	Equalize	Rodriguez	124
6	Imperial Roy (Arg)	Roy	Maldotti	128
7	Mister Phone (Arg)	Speakerphone	Bullrich	131
8	Power (Arg)	Mutakddim	Cima	128
9	Rocking Trick (Arg)	Phone Trick	Maldotti	131
10	Sebi Halo (Arg)	Southern Halo	Romero	128
11	Superpower (Arg)	Southern Halo	Toscano	131
12	Symbolic (Arg)	Mutakddim	Yalet	121
13	Talk Me Again (Arg)	Mutakddim	C Etchechoury	121

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Saturday, Palermo, Argentina, post time: 3:10 p.m.
GRAN PREMIO ESTRELLAS JUVENILE FILLIES-G1,
 \$108,800, 2yo, f, 1600m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER
1	Carlinha (Arg)	Lode	C Etchehoury
2	Desejada (Arg)	Southern Halo	Alves
3	Hipersonica (Arg)	Roy	Alves
4	Flager (Arg)	Southern Halo	J Etchehoury
5	Optativa (Arg)	Mutakddim	Yalet
6	La Danzadora (Arg)	El Sembrador (Arg)	Pellegata
7	La Presidenta (Arg)	Candy Stripes	Pradere
8	Luna Local (Arg)	Equalize	Maldotti
9	Miss Terrible (Arg)	Numerous	Garcia
10	Virginia Fitz (Arg)	Fitzcarraldo (Arg)	Garcia

All carry 121 pounds.

Saturday, Palermo, Argentina, post time: 3:45 p.m.
GRAN PREMIO ESTRELLAS JUVENILE-G1, \$108,800,
 2yo, 1600m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER
1	All Winner (Arg)	Hidden Prize	Torres
2	Don Ibar (Arg)	Fadeyev	Lofiego
3	Don Inca (Arg)	Candy Stripes	Pellegata
4	Monsieur Rose (Arg)	Louis Quatorze	Pellegata
5	Don Manolo (Arg)	Southern Halo	Pellegata
6	Eclipse West (Arg)	Westbridge	Pavarini
7	Equal Stripes (Arg)	Candy Stripes	Martucci
8	Freddy (Arg)	Roy	Alves
9	Hip Prospector (Arg)	Numerous	Gomez
10	Mirror Yev (Arg)	Fadeyev	Torres
11	Pretty Prince (Arg)	Louis Quatorze	J Etchehoury
12	Rodeno (Arg)	Roy	Maldotti
13	Roi Borbon (Arg)	Louis Quatorze	Etchart

All carry 121 pounds.

Saturday, Palermo, Argentina, post time: 2:10 p.m.
GRAN PREMIO ESTRELLAS JUNIOR SPRINT-G1,
 \$47,600, 2yo, 1000m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	American Hero (Arg)	Southern Halo	Maldotti	121
2	Chollo (Arg)	Roy	Pellegata	121
3	Dona Polenta (Arg)	Candy Stripes	C Etchehoury	117
4	El Stone (Arg)	Mutakddim	Velazco	121
5	Jacky Halo (Arg)	Southern Halo	Romero	117
6	Potrerito Toss (Arg)	Orient Toss (Arg)	Hahn	121
7	Real Guard (Arg)	Southern Halo	Pellegata	121
8	Shine Bridge (Arg)	Westbridge	Pavarini	117
9	Vacacionado (Arg)	Roy	Maldotti	121

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THIS WEEK IN HISTORY...

June 29, 1968...Jockey **Eddie Delahoussaye** won his first race, riding Brown Shill to victory at Evangeline Downs.

June 29, 1968...**Gamely, Princessnesian and Desert Law**--all owned by William Haggin Perry and trained by Jim Maloney--finished first, second and third respectively in the Vanity H. at Hollywood Park.

June 29, 1983...Jockey **Angel Cordero Jr.** won his 5,000th career race aboard Another Rodger in the ninth race at Belmont Park. He was the fourth rider in history, behind John Longden, Bill Shoemaker and Laffit Pincay Jr., to hit that mark.

June 30, 1973...Three weeks after sweeping the Triple Crown with a 31-length win in the Belmont S., **Secretariat** took the Arlington Invitational S. by nine lengths. He was bet down to 1-20 for the first time in his career.

June 30, 1978...**Spectacular Bid** broke his maiden at Pimlico, winning by 3 1/4 lengths.

June 30, 1990...Hall of Fame jockey **Bill Shoemaker** won his first race as a trainer with two-year-old Tempest Cloud, who broke her maiden at Hollywood Park.

June 30, 1991...One year after his first victory as a trainer, **Bill Shoemaker** picked up his first Grade I win with Alcando in the Beverly Hills H. at Hollywood Park.

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R&R FOR REPENT GII Louisiana Derby winner **Repent** (Louis Quatorze), a leading candidate for the Kentucky Derby before suffering a leg injury a month before the race, will get a couple of weeks on the farm before resuming training. The colt underwent surgery in April to remove a chip from his left front ankle and has been back in training for a couple of weeks, although he has not breezed. "He'd been having some trouble with his shoulders--he was a little bit muscle sore," explained trainer Ken McPeck. "I wanted to get him in a round pen where he could roll and work out some kinks on his own. He'd been doing really well and the leg has been doing great. But being in the stall as long as he was, I think he just needed to work out some kinks." McPeck hopes to have Repent ready to race by September. The Select Stable colt will join stablemate **Take Charge Lady** (Dehere) at Longfield Farm in Goshen, Kentucky. The filly is getting a month off before gearing up for a fall campaign.

☆ **NEW YORK** ☆

Gap Widens Between State-Bred, Open Races:

The New York Racing Association has decided to widen the gap between purse levels for open and state-bred maiden and allowance races, effective with the beginning of the Saratoga meet July 24. Currently, a \$2,000 difference exists between open company versus New York-bred races, but that will widen to \$4,000 once Saratoga opens. As an incentive to compete in open company, New York-bred horses will be in receipt of a three-pound weight allowance. "We have to breed better horses in the state and I think we are breeding a lot of good horses," NYRA Chairman and CEO Barry K. Schwartz told *The Blood-Horse*. "If the trainers want the purses, let them run open. I run my horses open, when I can convince my trainer. It's a battle with him also." Schwartz campaigns a large stable comprised mostly of New York-breds. Dennis Brida, executive director of the New York Thoroughbred Breeders, expressed his organizations dismay with the decision. "The breeders were definitely disappointed that they created the two-tiered system and we voiced that concern to Barry," he told *Blood-Horse*. "It's something we wish they would reconsider."

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STAKES CLOSINGS

TODAY, SATURDAY, JUNE 29:

07-13 \$400,000 **Smile Sprint H., Crc, 3yo/up, 6f (400)**

07-13 \$400,000 **Princess Rooney H.-II, Crc, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f (400)**

07-13 \$250,000 **Carry Back, Crc, 3yo, 6f (250)**

07-13 \$175/75,000a **Azalea Breeders' Cup-III, Crc, 3yo, f, 6f (250)**

07-13 \$150,000 **Bowling Green H.-II, Bel, 3yo/up, 11fT (150)**


07-13 \$100,000a **Long Branch Breeders' Cup-III, Mth, 3yo, 8.5f (100)**

TOMORROW, SUNDAY, JUNE 30:

07-13 \$500,000 **Virginia Derby, Cnl, 3yo, 10fT (500)**

07-13 \$100/50,000a **All Along Breeders' Cup-III, Cnl, 3yo/up, f/m, 9fT (100)**

07-14 \$750,000 **Hollywood Gold Cup-I, Hol, 3yo/up, 10f (12500s)**



Yesterday's Results:

8th-BEL, \$50,000, Alw, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:35 2/5, ft.

1--**PREFERRED OPTION, 110, f, 3, [Belong to Me--Ayanka](#) (SW, \$197,883), by Jade Hunter. O/B-J V Shields Jr (FL); T-H Allen Jerkens. Lifetime Record: 9-4-2-0, \$121,180. *1/2 to Shooting Party (Sky Classic), GISP, \$215,616.**

2--**Saskya, 121, f, 4, Maria's Mon--August Days, by In Reality.**

3--**Royal Fact, 121, f, 4, Known Fact--Royal Linkage, by Linkage.**

Margins: 4 1/4, 1 1/4, 5 1/4. Odds: 1.30, 6.50, 4.40.

Preferred Option scored in consecutive allowance tests in mid-May and early June at this track, convincing trainer H. Allen Jerkens to give her a shot at the graded stakes level. She cut out the running in her first effort on the turf in the GIII Sands Point June 16, but faltered badly and faded to 10th. Returning here to the dirt and to allowance foes, the bettors' choice broke sharply and immediately gained a daylight advantage on the field. She cruised through sharp fractions and needed only a few taps of the whip through the stretch to secure the open-length win.

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- 6/15 – **HOSTILITY** wins Time to Leave S. – 3rd start.
- 6/22 – **DELRAY DEW** wins Wild Rose H. by 6 lengths.
- 6/23 – **DEVIL TIME** wins S. Gendelman Mem. H.



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7th-BEL, \$46,000, Alw, 3yo/up, 1 1/4mT, 2:02, gd. GYRFALCON (GB) (c, 4, **Zafonic--Monroe {GSW & G1SP-Ire}, by Sir Ivor), a full brother to champion Xaar (GB) (Hwt. 2yo-Fr & Eng, Hwt. 3yo-Fr, Eng & Ire at 9.5-11f, G1SW-Eng & Fr, G1SP-Ire, \$593,956), was a debut winner at Deauville in August 2000, but failed to hit the board in two 2001 outings in France before being transferred to the U.S. Most recently third over Belmont's main track in a June 7 allowance, the well-related colt was sent off the 5-2 favorite back on the turf here. He raced within striking distance, took over with a three-wide move turning for home and inched clear to win by one length. The winner is a half brother to Ile de Jinsky (Ile de Bourbon, MSW & GSP, \$134,841), Masterclass (The Minstrel, GSW & G1SP-Fr, SP-US, \$262,600) and Diese (Diesis {GB}, GSW-Fr, \$110,366). Lifetime Record: 10-2-1-2, \$71,158. O-Juddmonte Farms Inc. B-Juddmonte Farms (GB). T-Robert Frankel.**

5th-BEL, \$44,000, Msw, 3/up, f/m, 10fT, 2:02 2/5, gd. SHOWLADY (f, 3, **Theatrical {Ire}--Claxton's Slew {MSW & MGSP-Ire}, by Seattle Slew), sold for a jaw-dropping \$4 million as a KEESEP yearling, had a troubled start in her bow, but recovered to race evenly thereafter and finished fourth going 1 1/8 miles May 31. Adding distance here, the bay filly was kept close to the pace by jockey Jerry Bailey, edged clear on the far turn and proved much the best for the confident 3 1/4-length maiden-breaker. Showlady is a full sister to Humbel, GSW-Ire, \$162,974 and a half to Escena (Strawberry Road {Aus}), Ch. Older Mare, MGISW, \$2,962,639. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$29,040. O-Mohammed Bin Rashid Al Maktoum. B-Allen E Paulson (KY). T-Kiaran P McLaughlin.**

3rd-BEL, \$43,000, Msw, 2yo, 5 1/2f, 1:04 3/5, ft. + TITLE CONTENDER (c, 2, **Way West {Fr}--Star North, by Far North), a half to Relentless Star (West Coast Scout), SW & GSP, \$242,188, debuted with Lasix at odds of 5-2. The dark bay, going against five other unraced colts, was well wide in the early going in fourth, responded when asked at the top of the lane and kept on driving to win by 1 3/4 lengths despite jockey Robbie Davis losing his whip in deep stretch. The winner was a \$10,000 OBSAUG yearling and a \$50,000 OBSAPR two-year-old. Alton Bay (Smoke Glacken), who led briefly as they turned for home, held for second. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$25,800. O-Team Canonie Stable, Stanley M Hough & John Pastorek. B-Sandra's Bent Tree Farm (FL). T-S Hough.**

6th-BEL, \$41,000, Msw, (S), 2yo, 5f, :59, ft. + CHIEF CAT (c, 2, **Tomorrows Cat--Mistain, by Chief-tain), in providing his freshman sire (by Storm Cat) his first winner, vied for the early lead, gained the advantage at the top of the lane and was under a drive to score by 3 3/4 lengths as the prohibitive 2-5 chalk. The winner is a half to Chief Whitehair (Rare Performer), SW, \$123,143; Chart Topper (Groovy), MSW, \$239,584; Coup (Badger Land), MSP, \$181,424; and Jimie Son (The Name's Jimmy), SW, \$160,938. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$24,600. O/B-Donald S & R Mary Zuckerman (NY). T-Todd A Pletcher.**

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AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS IN BRITAIN:

* + **Russian Rhythm**, f, 2, **Kingmambo--Balistroika**, by Nijinsky II. Newmarket, 6-28, Villas at Stonehaven Tobago EBF Maiden Fillies' S., 2yo, f, 6fT, \$7,265 to winner. O-Cheveley Park Stud; B-Brushwood Stable; T-Sir Michael Stoute. *\$370,000 wnl '00 KEENOV; \$683,320 yrl '01 TATHOU.

Scramble, g, 4, **Gulch--Syzygy** (Arg) (MG1SW-Arg), by Big Play. Newcastle, 6-28, Bollinger Champagne Challenge Series H. (Class E) (Amateurs), 4yo/up, 10f 32ydsT, \$5,250 to winner. O-Keith Middleton; B-Stonerside Stable Ltd; T-Brian Ellison. *\$12,213 HRA '01 TATAUT.

AMERICAN-SIRED WINNER IN FRANCE:

* + **Sporazene (Ire)**, c, 3, **Cozzene--Sporades** (GSW-Fr), by *Vaguely Noble. Chantilly, 6-28, Prix de l'Hermitage (Debutantes) (Class F), 3yo, 1 3/8mT, \$8,417 to winner. B-Haras du Mezeray S A. *1/2 to Leave Us Leap (Summer Squall), GSP-Fr, \$114,742.

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\$2.9 Million Earmarked for Lone Star Improvements:

Grand Prairie Mayor Charles England signed an agreement Friday with Lone Star Park to grant the North Texas track \$2.9 million for facility improvements in order to host a future Breeders' Cup championship. "To stage a championship of this magnitude, it's imperative to have strong local and statewide support," said the track's President and General Manager Corey Johnsen. "We are grateful that both the city of Grand Prairie and the state of Texas have shown tremendous support for Lone Star Park and the sport of horse racing." Lone Star's capital improvement plan will enable the race-track to expand its seating capacity from approximately 10,000 to more than 50,000. The project could begin as early as this fall.

Yesterday's Results:

7th-CDX, \$44,030, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$80,000), 3yo, f, 6f, 1:09 4/5, ft.

GILDED WINGS (f, 3, Gilded Time--Bibical Sense, by Blushing Groom {Fr}), a half sister to Sense of Duty (Meadowlake), SW, \$313,967, ripped off two straight last autumn before taking a two-month vacation. Since making her sophomore bow in February, she's thrice notched seconds against minor stakes company, including her last, the Stonerside S. at Lone Star May 25. Sent off here as the heavy 3-5 choice, the chestnut dueled between foes and showed admirable determination in the final stages as she rebuffed the challenge of Savorthetime (Gilded Time) to prevail by a neck. Lifetime Record: MSP, 7-3-3-0, \$128,490. O/B-Pin Oak Stable (KY). T-Steven M Asmussen.

6th-APX, \$38,080, Msw, 2yo, 4 1/2f, :51 3/5, ft.

BOLD AMERICA (c, 2, American Chance--Dash for Love, by Jade Hunter) bled in his debut, but still managed to get second in a large field of 12. Adding Lasix here, the 3-1 second choice sped out to an early two-length advantage and never looked back, prevailing by an expanding sixth-length margin at the wire. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$31,360. O/B-Ben Barnow (IL). T-Richard P Hazelton.

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.

☆ INDUSTRY INFO ☆

TVG to Air Keeneland July Sale:

TVG will air live coverage and analysis of the Keeneland July Selected Yearling Sale, scheduled for July 15 and 16 at the Keeneland Sales Pavilion in Lexington, Kentucky. During the sale, TVG's coverage will start at 7 p.m. and end at 10:30 p.m. TVG will also air a two-hour preview of the sale Sunday beginning at 10 a.m. The preview will be rebroadcast July 3 (10:30 a.m.), July 4 (10 a.m.), July 6 (10 a.m.), July 10 (10:30 a.m.), July 11 (10:30 a.m.), July 13 (10 a.m.) and July 15 (9 a.m.). All times ET.

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ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

1st-WOX, \$63,500, 3yo, f, 6f, 1:11 1/5, ft.

MISS GRINDSTONE (f, 3, Grindstone--Dancing in Seattle, by Seattle Song) Lifetime Record: 5-3-0-1, \$92,958. O/T-J Cardella. B-Dancing in Seattle LLC (KY).

9th-CDX, \$49,140, Opt. Clm. (\$62,500), 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:36, fm.

NATURALLY WILD (m, 5, Wild Again--Nat's Lea {MSW, \$244,375}, by L'Natural) Lifetime Record: SP, 19-4-6-2, \$184,320. O-Ashby Thoroughbreds. B-St George's Farm (KY). T-David Carroll.

3rd-CDX, \$47,970, Opt. Clm. (\$62,500), 3yo/up, 7 1/2f, 1:28 4/5, ft.

MOUNTAIN GENERAL (c, 4, Mountain Cat--Tulira, by General Assembly) Lifetime Record: 14-4-4-1, \$156,195. O-Keith A Asmussen. B-Curtis Green (KY). T-Steven M Asmussen.

8th-CDX, \$44,030, 3yo/up, 5 1/2f, 1:03 2/5, ft.

ALYDELTA (c, 4, Battle Creek--Delta Mary {MSW}, by Delta Oil) Lifetime Record: 12-3-1-4, \$103,635. O-Thorobeam Farm. B-Milbert Collins (KY). T-T Amoss.

2nd-BEL, \$43,000, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11 1/5, ft.

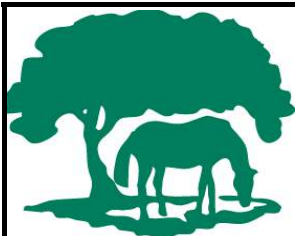
TU Z POTTS (f, 3, Gold Case--Box Office Gold {GSW, \$211,801}, by Dixieland Band) Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, \$50,400. O-Trinacria USA Stable. B-Belvedere Stables Inc (NY). T-Del W Carroll II. *1/2 to Basic Concern (Concern), SW, \$116,815.

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9th-PLN, \$41,090, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10, ft.
HIGH BOLLY (f, 4, Saros {GB}--Unrelenting, by J. O. Tobin) Lifetime Record: SP, 24-4-4-7, \$141,285.
 O-Richard Glassman. B-Robert B Moreno (CA). T-Jerry Hollendorfer.

8th-MTH, \$33,000, 3/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:44 2/5, gd.
PRIVATE ALLAY (f, 4, Miesque's Son--Great Girlfriend, by Private Account) Lifetime Record: 14-3-1-3, \$62,427. O-Shining Armor Stable. B-Louise I & G Watts Humphrey Jr (KY). T-Philip J Oliver.

8th-APX, \$32,000, 3yo, f, 6 1/2f, 1:16 3/5, ft.
LEMON HAZE (f, 3, Distant View--Raise a Dynasty, by Raise a Native) Lifetime Record: 11-3-2-2, \$91,580.
 O-Mount Joy Stables Inc. B-Nuckols & Gross (KY). T-Gene A Cilio.

7th-APX, \$32,000, (S), 3yo/up, a1 1/16mT, 1:44 4/5, fm.
ROGER P (g, 4, The Name's Jimmy--Bee On Time, by Zen) Lifetime Record: 7-3-1-1, \$51,340. O/B-William R Kelly (IL). T-Leroy Hellman.

8th-LSX, \$28,000, 6-27, 3yo, 1mT, 1:40, gd.
GLITZI'S CLASSIC (c, 3, Sky Classic--Glitzi Bj {MSW & GSP, \$104,918}, by Mogambo) Lifetime Record: SP, 9-2-3-1, \$57,355. O/B-Glen C Warren (KY). T-Andrew Leggio Jr. *1/2 to Sarah Lane's Oates (Sunshine Forever), MSW, \$888,295.

7th-CTX, \$20,000, 6-27, 3yo, f, 4 1/2f, :52 4/5, ft.
SWIFT CASE (f, 3, In Case--Swift Cut, by Cutlass) Lifetime Record: SW, 9-4-1-1, \$83,312. O-Earl M Barnhart. B-Margo Stratis & Karen McClure (PA). T-Jose Martinez.

MAIDEN WINNERS:

Watchem Smokey, c, 2, Alphabet Soup--Karon's Dream, by Geiger Counter. LAD, 6-28, (C), 5f, :59 4/5. B-Barbara R & John E Smicklas (Ok). *\$2,000 wlng '00 KEENOV; \$4,700 yrl '01 ARKFEB.

Bold America, c, 2, American Chance--Dash for Love, by Jade Hunter. APX, 6-28, 4 1/2f, :51 3/5. B-Ben Barnow (Ill).

Laura Lynn, f, 2, Captain Bodgit--Honey League Girl (MSW, \$146,787), by Honey Jay. CRC, 6-28, (C), 5f, 1:00 2/5. B-Gary L Aiken (Oh). *1/2 to Mop Squeezer (Roanoke), MSW & GSP, \$143,037.

+ **Collateral Damage, c, 2, Cobra King--Woodman's Prize, by Prized.** CDX, 6-28, (C), 5 1/2f, 1:05 1/5. B-Stacy Mitchell (Ky). *\$4,000 yrl '01 KEESEP.

Chad's Hope, c, 2, Helmsman--Oriental Answer, by Far Out East. WOX, 6-28, (C), 5f, :59 2/5. B-Adena Springs (Fl). *\$11,464 yrl '01 CBSOCT. **1/2 to Young Turk (El Prado {Ire}), SW, \$136,407. ***Won by 6 1/2 lengths.

Seaventure, f, 2, Mecke--Devilish Brunette (MSW, \$142,571), by Diablo. CRC, 6-28, (C), 4 1/2f, :54. B-James R Lewis Jr (Fl).

+ **Pam and Gayla, f, 2, Russian Courage--Miss Coast Walk, by Affirmed.** HOL, 6-27, (C), 5 1/2f, 1:07 2/5. B-Robert B Moreno (Ca).

Shady Summer, f, 2, Shadeed--Once Upon a Summer, by *Forli. LSX, 6-27, (C), 5 1/2f, 1:06 4/5. B-University of Kentucky (Ky). *\$3,500 yrl '01 FTKFEB; \$15,000 2yo 2002 TEXMAR.

+ **Chief Cat, c, 2, Tomorrows Cat--Mistain, by Chieftain.** BEL, 6-28, (S), 5f, :59. B-Donald S & R Mary Zuckerman (NY). *1/2 to Chief Whitehair (Rare Performer), SW, \$123,143; Chart Topper (Groovy), MSW, \$239,584; Coup (Badger Land), MSP, \$181,424; and Jimie Son (The Name's Jimmy), SW, \$160,938. **First winner for freshman sire (by Storm Cat).

+ **Title Contender, c, 2, Way West (Fr)--Star North, by Far North.** BEL, 6-28, 5 1/2f, 1:04 3/5. B-Sandra's Bent Tree Farm (Fl). *\$10,000 yrl '01 OBSAUG; \$50,000 2yo '02 OBSAPR. **1/2 to Relentless Star (West Coast Scout), SW & GSP, \$242,188.

Echo Lady, f, 2, Western Echo--Lady Mary Jo, by Cormorant. CNL, 6-28, (C), 5 1/2f, 1:06 1/5. B-Harry C & Tom O Meyerhoff (Md). *First winner for freshman sire (by Eastern Echo).

Hunter's West, f, 2, Westminster--Hunter's Lass, by Jade Hunter. CDX, 6-28, (C), 5 1/2f, 1:05 2/5. B-Pennark Stables (Ky).

Dyf, c, 3, Broad Brush--Tanwi (Ire) (GSW-Ire), by Vision. LSX, 6-27, (C), 6f, 1:11 3/5. B-George Strawbridge (Ky). *\$25,000 yrl '00 KEESEP.

Megaluno, c, 3, Captain Bodgit--Thunder Beach, by *Hawaii. CDX, 6-28, (C), 6f, 1:11. B-William & Maggy Patterson & H C Johnson. *\$13,000 yrl '00 FTKOCT.

Deniro's Delight, f, 3, De Niro--Magnificent Myrtle, by Stop the Music. LAD, 6-28, a1 1/16mT, 1:46 3/5. B-Dexsan Stables LLC (Ky).

Irrepressible Joy, f, 3, Distinctive Pro--Vistula (Ire), by Posen. BEL, 6-28, (S), 6 1/2f, 1:18 4/5. B-Howard Kaskel (NY). *\$27,000 yrl '00 KEESEP.

Mind Body Soul, c, 3, Fort Chaffee--Flew By Em (GSP), by Air Forbes Won. WOX, 6-28, 7f, 1:24. B-Jebb Stable (Ky). *\$17,000 yrl '00 KEESEP. **1/2 to Joe's Son Joey (Fast Play), SW & GSP, \$245,120.

Merry Kippy, c, 3, Kipper Kelly--Merry Mercedes (MSP, \$120,586), by Mr. Redoy. CRC, 6-28, (C), 5f, 1:00. B-Peter David Knoll (Fl).

Mr. Potter, g, 3, Prospector's Music--Better Look Twice, by Bet Twice. CBY, 6-27, (S), 6f, 1:12 2/5. B-Art Eaton & Gretchen Eaton (Mn).

Sandpit's Delight, f, 3, Sandpit (Brz)--Reason to Live, by Mt. Livermore. PLN, 6-28, (C), a1m70yd, 1:42 2/5. B-Bonnie Peterson (Ky). *\$20,000 wlng '99 KEENOV; \$18,000 2yo 2001 OBSAPR.



American Money, f, 3, **Sea Salute**--Tinted Ivory, by Sir Ivor. WOX, 6-28, (C), 1 1/16m, 1:47 4/5. B-Roger L Toffolon (NY). *1/2 to Grillhouse (Metfield), MSP, \$238,187.

Smokester's Knight, c, 3, **Smokester**--Astrial, by Flying Paster. MTH, 6-28, (C), a1m70yd, 1:42 4/5. B-David Cassidy (Ca). *Won by 10 lengths.

Showlady, f, 3, **Theatrical (Ire)**--Claxton's Slew (MSW & MGSP-Ire), by Seattle Slew. BEL, 6-28, 1 1/4mT, 2:02 2/5. B-Allen E Paulson (Ky). *\$4,000,000 yrl '00 KEESEP. **Full to Humbel, GSW-Ire, \$162,974; 1/2 to Escena (Strawberry Road {Aus}), Ch. Older Mare, MGISW, \$2,962,639.

Banshee Connection, c, 4, **Devil's Bag**--Vermont Connection, by Alysheba. MTH, 6-28, (C), 1 1/16mT, 1:44 3/5. B-Lavin Bloodstock, Miles A Stevens & Mary Sullivan. *\$35,000 yrl '99 KEESEP; \$43,000 2yo '00 OBSAPR.

J W Dollar, c, 4, **Executive Order**--Minnesota Princess, by Prince Forli. CBY, 6-27, (S), a1m70yd, 1:44 1/5. B-Curtis A Sampson (Mn).

 **SOPHOMORE SPOTLIGHT**

First-time Starters & Stakes Progeny: Saturday, June 29

*Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 1998 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/SW
Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)*

ABAGINONE (Devil's Bag), Questroyal, \$5K, 68/13/0
7-NP, Stk, 6 1/2f, Cat in a Bag, 5-2

ALPHABET SOUP (Cozzene), Adena Springs, \$30K, 178/22/1
9-PHA, Stk, 1 1/16mT, Agbayani, \$11K TEX MAR 2yo, 30-1

DEVIOS COURSE (Crafty Prospector), Valor Farm, \$3K, 67/14/0
3-LS, Stk, 5 1/2f, +Clever Course, 15-1

EDITOR'S NOTE (Forty Niner), Overbrook, \$10K, 132/27/0
6-DEL, Stk, 1 1/16m, Note Taker, 12-1

GOLD CASE (Forty Niner), Adena, \$5K, 117/21/2
6-CBY, Stk, 6f, Gramma's Gold, 15-1

JULES (Forty Niner), Bridlewood, \$5K, 101/20/2
11-CRC, Stk, 5 1/2f, Electrical Carlita

6-LS, Stk, 6f, Front Nine, \$5K TEX AUG yrl, 5-1

LOST SOLDIER (Danzig), Franks, \$4K, 107/21/2
3-FE, Msw, 5fT, +Lost the Exit, \$25K OBS APR 2yo, 6-1

OPEN FORUM (Deputy Minister), Lanes End Texas, \$5K, 147/35/3
11-CRC, Stk, 5 1/2f, Running Debate, \$170K OBS FEB 2yo

ORMSBY (Carson City), Sugar Maple, \$3K, 51/12/1
9-BEL, Stk, 7f, Trial Prep, \$40K OBS APR 2yo

SANDPIT (BRZ) (Baynoun {IRE}), Vinery, \$5K, 152/19/1
10-LAD, Stk, 1mT, Vanity Faire, 12-1

SILVER FOX (Pleasant Colony), Maple Grove, \$1K, 22/4/0
7-HST, Stk, 1 1/16m, Silver Donn, 8-1

SMOKE GLACKEN (Two Punch), Gainesway, \$10K, 130/36/4
9-BEL, Stk, 7f, Smokieisabandit, \$60K EAS OCT yrl

SUAVE PROSPECT (Fortunate Prospect), Farnsworth, \$3K, 83/17/1
11-CRC, Stk, 5 1/2f, Heavenly Miss, \$72K OBS APR 2yo

 **FRESHMAN FOCUS**

First-crop progeny to watch: Saturday, June 29

*Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 1999 Fee, #2yos/Winners/SW
Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)*

AWESOME AGAIN (Deputy Minister), Adena, \$50K, 74/2/0
6-CD, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Echeverria, \$100K KEE SEP yrl, 4-1

CAPOTE'S PROSPECT (Capote), Cedarcrest, \$3K, 14/0/0
8-LS, Stk, 5 1/2f, Capote's Fire, 12-1

3-LS, Stk, 5 1/2f, Megan's Prospect, 12-1

3-LS, Stk, 5 1/2f, Red Hot Prospect, 12-1

CONFIDE (Phone Trick), Walmac, \$5K, 64/1/0
9-PLN, Msw, 5f, Confidant Lady, \$60K BAR MAR 2yo

DANCE BRIGHTLY (Mr. Prospector), HillnDale, \$8K, 84/0/0
7-WO, Stk, 5 1/2f, Dance On Home, \$26K ONT SEP yrl, 12-1

DEPUTY COMMANDER (Deputy Minister), Airdrie, \$20K, 97/0/0
4-PHA, Msw, 4 1/2f, +North Decoder, \$52K KEE SEP yrl, 6-1

ELUSIVE QUALITY (Gone West), Gainsborough, \$10K, 77/3/0
7-WO, Stk, 5 1/2f, +Frankiefourfingers, \$87K CAN JUN 2yo, 6-1

GRAND SLAM (Gone West), Ashford, \$30K, 130/1/0
6-CD, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Slammed, \$250K KEE JUL yrl, 12-1

9-PLN, Msw, 5f, Four Tens At Once, \$18K BAR MAR 2yo
6-CD, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Four Majors, \$350K FTS AUG yrl, 12-1

INDIAN CHARLIE (In Excess (IRE)), Vinery, \$10K, 82/2/1
6-CD, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Choctaw Charlie, \$46K OBS MAR 2yo, 10-1

LASTING APPROVAL (With Approval), Walmac, \$7K, 25/1/0
6-CD, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Right Proof, 12-1

ORDWAY (Salt Lake), Claiborne, \$5K, 48/1/0
7-WO, Stk, 5 1/2f, Ger, \$6K KEE SEP yrl, 3-1

SKIP AWAY (Skip Trial), Hopewell, \$50K, 94/1/0
6-CD, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Color Me Gone, \$50K KEE APR 2yo, 12-1

SOUVENIR COPY (Mr. Prospector), Hopewell, \$20K, 105/3/0
9-PLN, Msw, 5f, Touring the World

TOUCH GOLD (Deputy Minister), Adena, \$30K, 86/1/0
7-WO, Stk, 5 1/2f, +Brighton Ridge, \$1000K KEE SEP yrl, 5-2

WILD RUSH (Wild Again), Adena, \$15K, 87/1/0
9-PLN, Msw, 5f, Wild Girl, \$60K CAL AUG yrl

6-CD, Msw, 5 1/2f, With a Rush, \$350K FTF FEB 2yo, 6-1

RACING ON TELEVISION:



Saturday, June 29 - CBS, 5-6 p.m. EDT

Molly Pitcher H. (live)

Arlington Classic (live)

Mother Goose S. (live)

Int'l Road to WTC featuring: Royal Ascot Recap:

The King's Stand S., St. James Palace S., Queen Anne

S., Prince of Wales S., Coronation S., King Edward

VII S.



ASCOT UNVEIL FIVE-YEAR PLAN Ascot racecourse Wednesday unveiled the details of a five-year, £180 million redevelopment programme, to make the venue "the best in the world," according to Ascot chief executive Douglas Erskine-Crum. The track will be moved to make space for new facilities, if the local borough council agrees. Cited among the plans are the building of a new six-story grandstand, new paddock, winner's enclosure and hotel. "The current facilities are not satisfying the needs of our customers and are becoming increasingly expensive to maintain," Erskine-Crum commented. "To fund the redevelopment, we will use £60 million from our own cash reserves and the rest will come from loans. Ascot is a cash business, unlike many other racecourses--we do not have shareholders, and the only claim on our capital will be to repay our loans. This is an exciting time for Ascot and we want racegoers to be able to come and experience levels of customer service and facilities that they will never have had before."

★ **BRITAIN** ★

Saturday, Newmarket, post time: 2:25 p.m.
CADOGAN CHARITY FRED ARCHER S.-Listed, £22,500, 4yo/up, 1 1/2mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER
1	2	Gallery God (Fr)	In the Wings (GB)	Wragg
2	1	Alunissage (USA)	Rainbow Quest (USA)	bin Suroor
3	3	Ovambo (Ire)	Namaqualand (USA)	Makin
4	4	Xtra (GB)	Sadler's Wells (USA)	Cumani

All carry 123 pounds except Gallery God, 126.

Saturday, Newmarket, post time: 3:35 p.m.
CANCER RESEARCH UK EMPRESS S.-Listed, £20,000, 2yo, f, 6fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	2	Chateau Beach (Ire)	Danehill (USA)	Gosden	123
2	4	Katdogawn (GB)	Bahhare (USA)	Hannon	123
3	1	Tourmalet (GB)	Night Shift (USA)	A Berry	123
4	6	Bishop's Lake (GB)	Lake Coniston (Ire)	Quinlan	120
5	3	Ikan (Ire)	Sri Pekan (USA)	Littmoden	120
6	5	Miss Mirasol (GB)	Sheikh Albadou (GB)	K Ryan	120

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Saturday, Newcastle, post time: 3:50 p.m.

EBF HOPPINGS S.-Listed, £25,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 10f 32ydsT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	2	Borders Belle (Ire)	Pursuit of Love (GB)	O'Keefe	130
2	4	Corsican Sunset (USA)	Thunder Gulch (USA)	Cole	130
3	3	Half Glance (GB)	Danehill (USA)	Cecil	125
4	7	Esloob (USA)	Diesis (GB)	Tregoning	122
5	1	Frosty Welcome (USA)	With Approval (Can)	Wragg	118
6	6	Lady High Havens (Ire)	Bluebird (USA)	D'Arcy	118
7	5	Threefold (USA)	Gulch (USA)	Stoute	118

Yesterday's Results:

ON THE HOUSE S.-Listed, £24,400, Goodwood, 6-28, 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:36.73, gd/fm.

1--**ATLANTIS PRINCE (GB), 129, c, 4, Tagula (Ire)--Zoom Lens (Ire), by Caerleon (USA).** (75,000gns yrl '99 TATOCT). O-Godolphin; B-David Jamison Bloodstock; T-Saeed bin Suroor; J-Jamie Spencer; £14,152. Lifetime Record: GSW-GB, 11-5-1-0, £120,370.

2--**Priors Lodge (Ire), 129, c, 4, Grand Lodge (USA)--Addaya (Ire), by Persian Bold (Ire).** £5,368.

3--**Wannabe Around (GB), 129, c, 4, Primo Dominie (GB)--Noble Peregrine (GB), by Lomond (USA).** £2,684.

Margins: 1 1/4, 3/4, HF. Odds: 6-1, 10-1, 4-1.

Also ran: Tough Speed (USA), Spanish Don (GB), Late Night Out (GB), Omaha City (Ire).

Out of the winner's circle since his success as a juvenile in the G2 Royal Lodge S. at Ascot in 2000, Atlantis Prince followed up his nine-length second to Sakhee (USA) at Nad al Sheba in February this year with a ninth-place finish to Grandera (Ire) in the G1 Singapore International at Kranji May 11. He wasn't the punters' choice here as Tough Speed saw the majority of the money, but showed willing determination in the home stretch to record a fully deserved win. Habitual front-runner Wannabe Around set the pace as jockey Jamie Spencer settled Atlantis Prince in third, but the eventual winner made smooth headway to seize the lead at the quarter-mile marker. Spencer was soon hard at work to keep his mount at the head of affairs and Atlantis Prince responded enthusiastically inside the final furlong to safely keep all challengers at bay.

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British Report cont.

9.10 Goodwood, EBF Superior Novice S. (Class D) (Cond), £10,700, 2yo, 6fT, 1:17.11, gd/fm.
MONSIEUR BOULANGER (GB) (c, 2, Compton Place {GB}--Songsheet {GB}, by Dominion {GB}) broke best of all and was sent straight to the front in advance of Xhosa (Ire) (Ali-Royal {Ire}) and led till halfway at a steady pace. The 4-9 favourite was ridden along when challenged at the distance and was pushed out in the closing stages to safely hold Xhosa by a cozy half-length. Lifetime Record: SP-GB, 5-2-1-0, £19,685.
 O-The Mystery Partnership; B-Bishopswood Bloodstock & Trickle-down Stud; T-Richard Hannon; J-Dane O'Neill.

4.00 Newmarket, Sarah Victoria Jane Fillies' Conditions S. (Class C), £10,250, 3yo/up, 6fT, 1:12.02, gd/fm.
ROUNDTREE (IRE) (f, 3, Night Shift {USA}--Island Desert {Ire}, by Green Desert {USA}), sent off the 5-6 favourite, travelled easily in fourth early as Zietunzeen (Ire) (Zieten {USA}) led. Finding a gap approaching the quarter-mile marker, she arrived at the front on the bridle soon after before stretching away to beat Affaire Royale (Ire) (Royal Academy {USA}) by 3/4-length. Lifetime Record: MGSP-GB, 10-2-2-3, £40,612.
 O-Fergus Jones; B-Brian Killeen; T-Richard Hannon; J-Jimmy Quinn.

8.30 Newcastle, Ospray Services Maiden Fillies' S. (Class D), £7,840, 3yo, f, 6fT, 1:15.60, gd/fm.
+ DESERTION (IRE) (f, 3, Danehill {USA}--Sabaah {USA}, by Nureyev {USA}), an Ir£650,000 GOFORB yearling purchase, was positioned in third in the early stages as Leominda (GB) (Lion Cavern {USA}) set a slow pace, but went to the front and increased the tempo after a pedestrian first quarter. The well-related 1-2 favourite was pushed along at the quarter-mile marker and needed further urging inside the final furlong to safely hold Leominda by a cozy 1 3/4 lengths. She is a full sister to full to Desert King (Ire) (Hwt. 3yo-Ire at 7-9.5f, 9.5-11f & 11-14f, MG1SW-Ire & G1SP-GB, \$1,072,725) and Chianti (Ire) (MGSP-GB). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, £5,096.
 O-Lady O'Reilly & Irish National Stud; B-Irish National Stud; T-Sir Mark Prescott; J-Seb Sanders.

A # will distinguish first-time stakes-winners and a + will denote winners who are first-time starters.

Post times listed in local time.

9.30 Newcastle, Weatherbys Travel Classified S. (Class D) (Cond), £7,700, 3yo/up, 10f 32ydsT, 2:09.70, gd/fm.
PERSIAN LIGHTNING (IRE) (g, 3, Sri Pekan {USA}--Persian Fantasy {GB} {SP-GB}, by Persian Bold {Ire}), the even-money favourite, raced keenly in fourth as French Tune (Fr) (Green Tune {USA}) led, but settled down in third by halfway. Making his bid at the three-furlong pole, he was ridden into a slight lead at the distance and was driven out in the closing stages to deny the persistent challenge of Court of Appeal (GB) (Bering {GB}) by 1 1/4 lengths. Lifetime Record: 8-2-1-1, £11,832.
 O/B-Windflower Overseas Holdings Inc; T-John Dunlop; J-Kevin Darley.

2.30 Newmarket, Villas at Stonehaven Tobago EBF Maiden Fillies' S. (Class D), £7,300, 2yo, f, 6fT, 1:12.60, gd/fm.
+ RUSSIAN RHYTHM (USA) (f, 2, Kingmambo {USA}--Balistroika {USA}, by Nijinsky {Can}), sent off the 9-4 second favourite, broke well and raced in third early tracking the keen leader Fancy Lady (GB) (Cadeaux Genereux {GB}). Quickening past halfway, she wore down that rival with 100 yards remaining before asserting to score by a neck. "This is a quality filly that has always shown a lot of ability from the time we started to work her," said winning trainer Sir Michael Stoute. "She has done tremendously well since March time and she could be very nice one day. She is the nicest that we have worked so far, but not too many have been in strong work--I do think she is a quality act. We'll see how she comes out of it and contemplate whether we bring her back here for the G2 Cherry Hinton S. [July 9] or leave her a little longer and go for the G3 Princess Margaret S. [at Ascot July 27]." The chestnut was a \$370,000 KEENOV weanling and a 440,000gns TATHOU yearling. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, £4,745.
 O-Cheveley Park Stud; B-Brushwood Stable; T-Sir Michael Stoute; J-Kieren Fallon.

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Date	Race Name	Track
7-6	Coral-Eclipse S.	Sandown
7-11	July Cup	Newmarket
7-27	King George VI & Queen Elizabeth Diamond S.	Ascot
7-31	Sussex S.	Goodwood



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British Report cont.

8.40 Goodwood, Chichester City Maiden Fillies' S. (Class D), £6,420, 2yo, f, 7fT, 1:28.54, gd/fm. **SPINOLA (FR) (f, 2, Spinning World {USA}--Exocet {USA}, by Deposit Ticket {USA}),** a FF230,000 DEADEC weanling and a 50,000gns TATOCT yearling purchase, broke smartly and settled two lengths off the pace in second as Just Say Yes (Ire) (Bahhare {USA}) made the running, taking closer order once into the home straight. The 11-8 market leader eased into a share of the lead at the quarter-mile marker, was pushed to the front soon after and kept on in impressive style inside the final furlong to account for Nasij (USA) (Elusive Quality {USA}) by an eased down two lengths. She may now point to the G2 Cherry Hinton S. at Newmarket July 9. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, £4,875. O-The Winning Set; B-Eric Puerari; T-Peter Harris; J-Richard Quinn.

3.10 Wolverhampton, Bet Direct's a Fraction Better Maiden S. (Class D), £4,860, 3yo/up, 6f(AWT), 1:14.60, std.

WIXOE EXPRESS (IRE) (c, 3, Anabaa {USA}--Esquiline {USA}, by Gone West {USA}), sent off the 4-5 favourite, raced in rear early as Northern Games (GB) (Mind Games {GB}) led. Lengthening well in the straight, he wore down that rival in the final strides to win by a half-length. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, £4,517. O-P J D Pottinger; B-Kildaragh Stud; T-Sir Mark Prescott; J-Seb Sanders.

POLLARD SURVIVES HORROR FALL

Jockey Neil Pollard was conscious in hospital yesterday evening as he recovered from a fall in the second race at Folkestone as his mount Armada Grove (GB) jinked approaching the final furlong. Pollard was lifted to hospital by air ambulance and agent Keith Bradley told *PA Sport*: "He was concussed, but the sister at the ward where he was brought in said he was currently being assessed and there doesn't appear to be anything broken. But they've obviously got to do X-rays and do a precautionary scan. But it doesn't seem to be as serious as it first appeared to be."

CAPE TOWN ON COURSE FOR ECLIPSE

Cape Town (Ire) (Desert Style {Ire}) emerged yesterday as the latest contender for next Saturday's G1 Coral Eurobet Eclipse S. at Sandown. Trainer Richard Hannon also has the option of the same afternoon's G3 Prix Messidor at Deauville for the five-year-old, second in the G2 attheraces Mile at the track Apr. 27. "We will probably leave Cape Town in at Sandown and look at the race--he's a possibility for that or France on the same day but it depends what the opposition looks like in France," said Hannon. "I don't think that the trip matters. A mile and two furlongs or a mile are fine as he's a good galloping horse."

★ FRANCE ★

Yesterday's Results:

PRIX LA MOSKOWA-Listed, €41,000, Chantilly, 6-28, 4yo/up, 1 7/8mT, 3:16.10, gd.

1--**AND BEYOND (IRE), 123, c, 4, Darshaan (GB)--Al Najah (USA), by Topsider (USA).** O-Sheikh Maktoum bin Rashid al Maktoum; B-Gainsborough Stud Mgmt Ltd; T-Mark Jonston; J-Keith Dalgelish; €20,500. Lifetime Record: GSW-GB, 7 starts, 4 wins, 1 place, €97,262.

2--**Clety (Fr), 123, h, 6, Sillery (USA)--La Bucaille (Fr),** by Labus (Fr). €8,200.

3--**Epitre (Fr), 130, h, 5, Common Grounds (GB)--Epistolienne (Ire),** by Law Society (USA). €6,150. Margins: NK, 1, 1HF. Odds: 6.70, 2.70, 5.70.

Also ran: Self Defense (GB), Turbo Jet (Fr), Tajoun (Fr), Generic (Fr), Roman Saddle (Ire).

Scratched: Turn to Black (USA).

And Beyond contested the G2 Henry II S. at Sandown June 3 won by Akbar (Ire) and although he was seventh in that contest, he headed stable companion Royal Rebel (Ire). Although Mark Johnston was disappointed with the running of both horses there, Royal Rebel bounced back to take the G1 Ascot Gold Cup last week, suggesting the form was strong. Last year And Beyond was a winner at the Royal meeting himself, taking the G3 Queen's Vase in June. Laid out for the G1 St Leger at Doncaster in September, he was beaten 17 lengths by Milan (GB) when seventh in that Classic before being put away with a four-year-old stayers' campaign in mind. Here he got back on track by dominating from the front here, as is typical of his trainer's horses. He responded gamely as Keith Dalgelish asked him to wind up the tempo approaching the turn into the straight and to ward off the challenge of Epitre inside the final quarter-mile. Having seen off that threat, he battled to hold Clety, who had closed on the rail despite veering left under pressure in the closing stages.

3.45 Chantilly, Prix Epsom Racecourse (Cond.) (Class D), €22,000, 3yo, 1mT, 1:39.00, gd.

MOORING (GB) (f, 3, Zafonic {USA}--Dockage {Can} {SW-Fr}, by Riverman {USA}), sent off at odds of 10-1, broke well before being reined back in fourth early as Afrikander (Fr) (Bering {GB}) cut out the running. Quickening to challenge in the straight, the half to Wharf (USA) (Storm Bird {Can}, GSW-GB & MGSP-US, \$250,923) passed the long-time leader with a quarter-mile remaining before comfortably holding the late thrust of Mushroom Countess (Ire) (Persian Bold {Ire}) by a half-length. Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 1 win, 1 place, €12,600.

O-Khalid Abdullah; B-Juddmonte Farms; T-Pascal Bary; J-Thierry Thulliez.



French Report cont.

1.45 Chantilly, Prix de l'Hermitage (Debutantes) (Class F), €17,000, 3yo, 1 3/8mT, 2:21.90, gd.
+ SPORAZENE (IRE) (c, 3, Cozzene {USA}--Sporades {USA} {GSW-Fr}, by Vaguely Noble {Ire}) raced in fifth early as Razor Sharp (GB) (Bering {GB}) led. Making smooth progress to challenge in the straight, he lengthened well when asked inside the final quarter-mile to pass the long-time leader at the furlong marker. Pushed out from there, the 9-2 shot galloped all the way to the line for a convincing 2½-length success. He is a half to Leave Us Leap (USA) (Summer Squall {USA}, GSP-Fr, \$114,742). Lifetime Record: 1 start, 1 win, €8,500. O-Mme P de Moussac; B-Haras du Mezeray S A; T-Andre Fabre; J-Olivier Peslier.

Saturday, Le Lion d'Angers, post time: 2:15 p.m.

DERBY DE L'OUEST-Listed, €47,000, 3yo, 1 7/16mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	4	Irish Cream (Fr)	Valanour (Ire)	Pantall	128
2	1	Polities (USA)	Atticus (USA)	Rouget	128
3	5	Pont d'Or (Ire)	Exit to Nowhere (USA)	Sepulchre	128
4	3	Loxias (Fr)	Saumarez (GB)	Laffon-Parias	128
5	6	Antiquarry (Ire)	Polish Precedent (USA)	Pantall	125
6	2	Black Voodoo (Fr)	Tel Quel (Fr)	Sepulchre	125

Saturday, Le Lion d'Angers, post time: 3:45 p.m.

PRIX ASSELCO - GRAND PRIX ANJOU BRETAGNE

-Listed, €38,000, 4yo/up, 7fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	8	Darjeeling (Fr)	Marju (Ire)	Rohaut	126
2	5	Russian Tune (Fr)	Green Tune (USA)	Diard	126
3	16	Mister Bold (Fr)	Poplar Bluff (GB)	Bellenger	126
4	7	Mesne Process (USA)	Tremolino (USA)	Rouget	126
5	10	Aso Rock (Ire)	King's Theatre (Ire)	Rob Collet	126
6	14	Golani (Ire)	Nikos (GB)	Demercastel	126
7	15	Corne D'Auroch (Fr)	Snurge (Ire)	Pelletan	123
8	13	Isigny (Fr)	Ajdayt (USA)	Smaga	123
9	2	By Far (Fr)	Machiavellian (USA)	Hammond	123
10	1	Le Bila (Fr)	Marignan (USA)	Martin-Sanchez	123
11	4	Chercheuse (USA)	Seeking the Gold (USA)	Pantall	122
12	9	Indaba (Ire)	Indian Ridge (Ire)	Bollack-Badel	122
13	3	Dareen (Ire)	Rahy (USA)	Pantall	120
14	11	Up To Date (Fr)	Valanour (Ire)	Fabre	120
15	12	Irish Flower (Ire)	Zieten (USA)	Gibson	120
16	6	Miss Fine (Fr)	Kaldoun (Fr)	Henrot	120

★ ITALY ★

Thursday's late result:

8.30 Naples, Premio Rotterdam (Cond), €9,180, 3yo/up, 1 1/4mT, time: n/a, gd.

ALBURNO (IRE) (c, 4, Muhtarram {USA}--Atreides {Ire}, by Simply Great {Fr}) Lifetime Record: SW-Ity, 28 starts, 9 wins, 13 places, €151,433. O-Mrs R Ramondini; B-Fredi, Artus & Talon Sampieri; T-F Manganelli; J-A Corniani.

★ IRELAND ★

Yesterday's Results:

GOFFS CHALLENGE (RESTRICTED COND), €122,200, Curragh, 6-28, 2yo, 6f 63ydsT, 1:16.10, gd.

1--HURRICANE ALAN (IRE), 126, c, 2, Mukaddamah (USA)

1st Dam: Bint al Balad (Ire), by Ahonoora (GB)

2nd Dam: Zenga (Ire), by Try My Best (USA)

3rd Dam: Dusky Evening (GB), by *Chamier

(Irl£13,000 yrl '01 GOFCHA). O-I A N Wright; B-Mrs Stephanie Hanly; T-Richard Hannon; J-R Hughes; €76,700. Lifetime Record: 4-3-0-1, €88,240.

2--Hazelhatch (Ire), 126, c, 2, Mukaddamah (USA)--Stop Out (GB), by Rudimentary (USA). (Irl£105,000 yrl '01 GOFCHA). €24,700.

3--Bronntanas (Ire), 121, f, 2, Spectrum (Ire)--Scarpetta (USA), by Seattle Dancer (USA). (Irl£43,000 yrl '01 GOFCHA). €11,700.

Margins: 3HF, HF, 2. Odds: 11-10, 12-1, 10-1.

Also ran: Silvertime (Ire), Miss Emma (Ire), Kurbaan (Ire), La Campanella (Ire), Bahita (Ire), Sandtrap (Ire), Fine Frenzy (Ire), Tara Time (Ire), Mejhar (Ire), Wellin Girl (Ire), Lucky Largo (Ire).

Having won a Brighton maiden May 2, Hurricane Alan was forced to give seven pounds to subsequent G3 Queen Mary S. runner-up Never a Doubt (GB) in a Bath conditions event May 20 and defied that penalty to win by a half-length. As a consequence he was sent off the 11-10 favourite for this event and never gave his supporters a moment's worry to continue trainer Richard Hannon's excellent sales race record. Jockey Richard Hughes soon had his charge in a prominent position just behind the leaders as Brontannas (Ire) (Spectrum {Ire}) set the pace and moved into a share of the lead at halfway. He was pushed to the outright lead approaching the final furlong and was ridden clear in the closing stages to post an impressive win from the running-on Hazelhatch (Ire). "He needed the extra furlong here, but won it comfortably," said Hannon. "He's a good one, as good as any of those we ran at Royal Ascot last week. I'd say we will try and find a Listed or Group race for him next time."

6.00 Curragh, EBF Flemings Garage Maiden, €19,200, 2yo, 7fT, 1:25.50, gd.

+ BRIAN BORU (GB) (c, 2, Sadler's Wells {USA}--Eva Luna {USA} {Hwt. Older Mare-GB at 14f+, GSW-GB, \$101,748}, by Alleged {USA}) was slowly away from the gate and raced on the outside in rear as Seanin Glory (Ire) (Desert King {Ire}) led, but made good progress through the field from halfway. The 2-1 market choice was pushed along to challenge at the quarter-mile marker, was ridden to the front at the distance and kept on in determined style in the closing stages to hold the strong late finish of Evelyn One (GB) (Alhaarth {Ire}) by a neck. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, €13,000. O-Susan Magnier; B-Juddmonte Farms; T-Aidan O'Brien; J-Michael Kinane.



Irish Report cont.

9.00 Curragh, Kildare Naturalist Maiden, €19,200, 3yo, 1 1/4mT, 2:05.30, gd.

MILLSTREET (GB) (g, 3, Polish Precedent {USA}--Mill Path {GB}, by Mill Reef {USA}), a 3/4-brother to Desert Track (GB) (Green Desert {USA}, Ch. Sprinter-Swi, SP-Ger & Swi) soon raced in third going well as stable companion Mkuzi (GB) (Halling {USA}) disputed the lead with Evelyn Maria (Ire) (Kylian {USA}), moving closer to the front once into the home straight. The 7-4 punters' choice eased to the front at the eighth pole and was pushed out in the closing stages to defeat the running on Luminous Beauty (USA) (A.P. Indy {USA}) by an easy three lengths. Lifetime Record: 4-1-2-1, €23,095.

O/B-Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid al Maktoum; T-John Oxx; J-Johnny Murtagh.

★ U.S. PREMIERES ★

Today at Philadelphia Park:

9th Race, Dr. James Penny Memorial H., \$100,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT

MISS GAZON (IRE) (f, 4, Royal Academy {USA}--Farewell Song {Fr}, by The Minstrel {Can}) won two of her four starts in France for John Hammond last year. Shipped to Germany, she came away with a victory in the G3 Buchmacher Springer Sprint-Preis at Munich Oct. 14. Also in this 13-runner field are graded-stakes winners Babae (Chi), Quidnaskra (USA) and Watch (USA). Miss Gazon is also cross-entered in Belmont's seventh race, a one-mile allowance contest on the turf. Lifetime Record: 5-3-0-1, \$49,025.

O-Jeffrey Tucker; B-Mrs U Schwarzenbach & Mrs C Hanbury; T-John Morrison.

Today at Belmont Park:

2nd Race, \$44,000, Maiden Special Weight, 3yo/up, 1mT

The Senate (Ger) (c, 3, Zinaad {GB}--Trayassi {GB}, by Konigsstuhl {Ger}), by the sire of this year's Guineas/Oaks heroine Kazzia (Ger), makes his career debut for Hall of Fame trainer Allen Jerkens. The dark bay colt has trained solidly and will break from the eight hole. Lifetime Record: 0-0-0-0.

O-John M O'Connor; B-Gestut Graditz; T-H Allen Jerkens.

U.S. Premieres cont.

Today at Arlington:

8th Race, Arlington Classic-GIII, \$175,000, 3yo, 8.5fT **STONEMASON (USA)** (c, 3, Nureyev {USA}--Sweet Times {GB}, by Riverman {USA}) completed his four-race juvenile campaign with a five-length victory in the G3 Killavullan S. Oct. 29 for trainer Aidan O'Brien. The 760,000gns TATHOU yearling has made just one start this year, running fourth to former stablemate Century City (Ire) in the Leopardstown 2000 Guineas Trial Apr. 14. "I've had him for about a month," said new trainer Wally Dollase. "He was purchased shortly before he was sent to me, so I don't know too much about him yet. However, he's a lovely horse to look at, and he's a really smart individual. He's extremely well-bred and Aidan O'Brien said that he was just about a length and a half below the best ones he had over there. Naturally, that's very good for us." Lifetime Record: 5-2-0-1, \$58,271.

O-Richard L Duchossois; B-White Oak Farm; T-Wallace Dollase.

★ UNITED STATES ★


EUROPEAN-BRED WINNER:

Gyrfalcon (GB), c, 4, **Zafonic (USA)**--Monroe (USA) (GSW & G1SP-Ire), by Sir Ivor (USA). Belmont Park, 6-28, Allowance, 1 1/4mT, \$27,600 to winner. O/B-Juddmonte Farms Inc; T-Robert Frankel. *Full to **Xaar (GB)**, Hwt. 2yo-Fr & Eng, Hwt. 3yo-Fr, Eng & Ire at 9.5-11f, G1SW-Eng & Fr, G1SP-Ire, \$593,956; and 1/2 to **Ile de Jinsky (USA)** (Ile de Bourbon {USA}), MSW & GSP, \$134,841, **Masterclass (USA)** (The Minstrel {Can}) GSW & G1SP-Fr, SP-US, \$262,600, and **Diese (USA)** (Diesis {GB}), GSW-Fr, \$110,366.

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★ MAIDEN WINNERS ★

Vazon (GB), c, 2, **Groom Dancer (USA)**--Be Mine (GB), by Wolfhound (USA). Folkestone, Britain, 6-28, folkestone-racecourse.co.uk Median Auction Maiden S. (Class F) (Div. 2), 2yo, 7fT, £2,460 to winner. B-Britton House Stud Ltd.

+ **Russian Rhythm (USA)**, f, 2, **Kingmambo (USA)**--Balistroika (USA), by Nijinsky (USA). Newmarket, Britain, 6-28, Villas at Stonehaven Tobago EBF Maiden Fillies' S. (Class D), 2yo, f, 6fT, £4,745 to winner. B-Brushwood Stable. *\$370,000 wnl '00 KEENOV; 440,000gns yrl '01 TATHOU.

Axamuk (Ire), c, 2, **Mukaddamah (USA)**--Gloria Crown (Ire), by Waajib (Ire). Naples, Italy, 6-27, Premio Paesi Bassi (Mdn), 2yo, c/g, 7fT, €6,375 to winner. B-Peter H C Tromel. *Ir£6,500 wnl '00 GOFNOV.

+ **Brian Boru (GB)**, c, 2, **Sadler's Wells (USA)**--Eva Luna (USA) (Hwt. Older Mare-GB 14f+, GSW-GB, \$101,748), by Alleged (USA). Curragh, 6-28, EBF Flemings Garage Maiden, 2yo, 7fT, €13,000 to winner. B-Juddmonte Farms.

Spinola (Fr), f, 2, **Spinning World (USA)**--Exocet (USA), by Deposit Ticket (USA). Goodwood, Britain, 6-28, Chichester City Maiden Fillies' S. (Class D), 2yo, f, 7fT, £4,173 to winner. B-Eric Puerari. *FF230,000 wnl '00 DEADEC; 50,000gns yrl '01 TATOCT.

Bakewell Tart (Ire), f, 2, **Tagula (Ire)**--Almond Flower (Ire) (SP-Ire), by Alzao (USA). Folkestone, Britain, 6-28, folkestone-racecourse.co.uk Median Auction Maiden S. (Class F) (Div. 1), 2yo, 7fT, £2,471 to winner. B-Mrs S O'Riordan. *40,000gns yrl '01 TATOCT.

Joker Blu (GB), c, 2, **Thowra (Fr)**--Pink Petal (GB), by Northern Game (Ire). Livorno, Italy, 6-27, Premio Florestano de Larderel (Mdn), 2yo, c/g, 6f 165ydsT, €4,250 to winner. B-C J Hill. *2,000gns yrl '01 DONOCT.

Wixoe Express (Ire), c, 3, **Anabaa (USA)**--Equiline (USA), by Gone West (USA). Wolverhampton, Britain, 6-28, Bet Direct's a Fraction Better Maiden S. (Class D), 3yo/up, 6f(AWT), £3,402 to winner. B-Kildaragh Stud.

Free and Easy (GB), f, 3, **Bigstone (Ire)**--Noble Lustre (USA), by Lyphard's Wish (Fr). Hamburg, Germany, 6-28, Stall Elstorf-Rennen (Mdn), 3yo, f, 7fT, €5,300 to winner. B-D J & Mrs Deer. *1,200gns yrl '00 TATDEC. **1/2 to Royal Rebuke (GB) (Reprimand {GB}), SW-US & SP-GB, \$154,385.

+ **Sporazene (Ire)**, c, 3, **Cozzene (USA)**--Sporades (USA) (GSW-Fr), by Vaguely Noble (Ire). Chantilly, France, 6-28, Prix de l'Hermitage (Debuttantes) (Class F), 3yo, 1 3/8mT, €8,500 to winner. B-Haras du Mezeray S A. *1/2 to Leave Us Leap (USA) (Summer Squall {USA}), GSP-Fr, \$114,742.

+ **Desertion (Ire)**, f, 3, **Danehill (USA)**--Sabaah (USA), by Nureyev (USA). Newcastle, Britain, 6-28, Ospray Services Maiden Fillies' S. (Class D), 3yo, f, 6fT, £5,096 to winner. B-Irish National Stud. *Ir£650,000 yrl '00 GOFORB. **Full to Desert King (Ire), Hwt. 3yo-Ire at 7-9.5f, 9.5-11f & 11-14f, MG1SW-Ire & G1SP-GB, \$1,072,725; and Chianti (Ire), MGSP-GB.

Zarzu (GB), g, 3, **Magic Ring (Ire)**--Rivers Rhapsody (GB) (SW & MGSP-GB, \$101,985), by Dominion (GB). Folkestone, Britain, 6-28, Come Racing in Kent Maiden S. (Class D), 3yo/up, 5fT, £3,402 to winner. B-Compton Down Stud. *27,000gns yrl '00 TATAUT.

Iced Diamond (Ire), c, 3, **Petardia (GB)**--Prime Site (Ire), by Burslem (Ire). Folkestone, Britain, 6-28, Westenhanger Maiden S. (Class D), 3yo/up, 7fT, £3,584 to winner. B-Mrs Kathleen McElroy. *Ir£4,100 wnl '99 GOFNOV; Ir4,000gns yrl '00 TATIRE; 9,500gns 2yo '01 DUNAPR.

Millstreet (GB), g, 3, **Polish Precedent (USA)**--Mill Path (GB), by Mill Reef (USA). Curragh, 6-28, Kildare Naturalist Maiden, 3yo, 1 1/4mT, €13,000 to winner. B-Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid al Maktoum. *3/4 to Desert Track (GB) (Green Desert {USA}), Ch. Sprinter-Swi, SP-Ger & Swi.

Mooring (GB), f, 3, **Zafonic (USA)**--Dockage (Can) (SW-Fr), by Riverman (USA). Chantilly, France, 6-28, Prix Epsom Racecourse (Cond.) (Class D), 3yo, 1mT, €11,000 to winner. B-Juddmonte Farms. *1/2 to Wharf (USA) (Storm Bird {Can}), GSW-GB & MGSP-US, \$250,923.

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