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### NO MORE WAITING FOR LADIES DIN

**Ladies Din** (Din's Dancer), out of action since taking the GI Shoemaker Breeders' Cup Mile at Hollywood Park 11 months ago, makes his long-awaited return in the GII San Francisco Breeders' Cup Mile at Bay Meadows this afternoon. The eight-year-old gelding, who won this race three years ago, started only once in 2001, running 11th in the G2 Dubai Duty Free H. at Nad al Sheba. He made three starts last season, but was shelved after his



**Ladies Din** *Benoit Photo*

Grade I score. "After the Shoemaker Mile, the horse had some problems and the owners [Terrence Lanni and Bernard Schiappa] turned him out on a farm in Bradbury," said trainer Frank Monteleone, who will be saddling Ladies Din for the first time. "I've trained for the owners for a long time and one day they asked me to go to the farm and look at him. I told them he looked good and they asked me if I'd like to train him. I don't know what happened between the owners and [former trainer] Julio Canani and I really didn't get into it with them. Julio did a great job with the horse, and I'm just honored that the owners have entrusted me with their baby." How is the veteran doing after his extended absence? "We've brought him back slowly and he's doing absolutely fantastic," Monteleone said. "He's ready to run and we need to run him." **The brisnet.com 'Race of the Day' is the GII San Francisco BC Mile H. For pps and a complete race analysis, click [here](#).**

**Saturday, Bay Meadows. post time: 4:23 p.m. PDT**  
**SAN FRANCISCO BREEDERS' CUP MILE-GII, \$200,000,**  
3yo/up, 1mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1	Ladies Din	Din's Dancer	Monteleone	7-5
2	Nicobar (GB)	Indian Ridge (Ire)	McAnally	5-1
3	Ninebanks	Smokester	Hollendorfer	6-1
4	I'madrifter	Slewdledo	Specht	12-1
5	National Anthem (GB)	Royal Academy	McAnally	12-1
6	Bit of Luck (GB)	First Trump (GB)	Cerin	3-1
7	Wolfwithintegrity	Mr. Integrity	Vienna	12-1
8	Surprise Halo	Glomar	W Ward	10-1

### MINE, ALL MINE

Facing just three rivals, **Mineshaft** (A.P. Indy) was bet down to 3-10 in the GIII Ben Ali S. at Keeneland yesterday and lived up to his odds, powering to the lead nearing the quarter pole and pulling away to win by an easy nine lengths. The dark bay has been nearly unbeatable since shipping across the Atlantic from France. He started his stateside career with a Churchill Downs allowance win last November, added an optional claimer at Fair Grounds in December and made it three in a row in the Jan. 19 Diplomat Way H. at the Louisiana oval. A rallying second in the Feb. 9 GIII Whirlaway H., he started his latest streak with a decisive score in the Mar. 2 GII New Orleans H. last time out and picked up his second straight graded stakes in even easier fashion. "I just gave him half a nudge going to the turn and he took over the race," jockey Robby Albarado said. "Obviously, he will run against tougher next time, so he had to get something out of this race." The colt is pointing for the May 16 GI Pimlico Special. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or the [video race replay](#).**

**BEN ALI S.-GIII, \$106,991, KEE, 4-25, 4yo/up, 1 1/8m,**  
1:48 2/5, ft.

1--**MINESHAFT, 120, c, 4, by A.P. Indy**

**1st Dam: Prospectors Delite {MGISW, \$432,953},**  
by Mr. Prospector

**2nd Dam: Up the Flagpole, by Hoist the Flag**

**3rd Dam: The Garden Club, by \*Herbager**

O/B-W S Farish, J A Elkins Jr & W T Webber Jr (KY); T-Neil J Howard; J-R J Albarado; \$68,386. Lifetime Record: GSP-Fr, 13-6-2-1, \$512,095. \*Full to Tomisue's Delight, MGISW, \$1,207,536; and Rock Slide, SW & GSP, \$273,110; and 1/2 to Delta Music (Dixieland Band), SW & GSP, \$272,923; and Monashee Mountain (Danzig), GSW-Ire, \$110,635.

2--**American Style, 116, c, 4, Quiet American--Style**  
Setter, by Manila. (\$75,000 yrl '00 KEESEP).

O-Buckram Oak Farm; B-W S Farish (KY); \$22,060.

3--**Metatron, 116, c, 4, Silver Ghost--Dancing Ovation,**  
by Northern Jove. O-Coyote Creek Stable & Marie & Brian Bland; B-Coyote Creek Racing (KY); \$11,030.

Margins: 9, 1 1/4, 1 3/4. Odds: 0.30, 3.90, 8.20.

Also Ran: X Country. Scratched: El Gran Papa, Horrible Evening, Crafty Shaw, Malmaison.

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Friday, Sandown, Britain

**BONUSPRINT.COM CLASSIC TRIAL-G3**, £60,000, Sandown, 4-25, 3yo, 10f 7ydsT, 2:08.32, gd/fm. 1--#**@SHIELD (GB)**, 122, c, 3, by Barathea (Ire)

1st Dam: Shesadelight (GB), by Shirley Heights (GB)

2nd Dam: Seriema (GB), by Petingo (GB)

3rd Dam: Sunbittern (GB), by Sea-Hawk (Fr)

O/B-Hesmonds Stud; T-Gerard Butler; J-Eddie Ahern; £34,800. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-1, £39,705.

2--**Inch Again (GB)**, 122, c, 3, Inchinor (GB)--Spoilt Again (GB), by Mummy's Pet (GB). (8,000gns wnlq '00 TATDEC; Ir£26,000 yrl '01 GFOCT). O-Mark Tompkins; B-Mrs H B Raw; £13,200.

3--**Strength 'N Honour (GB)**, 122, c, 3, Hernando (Fr)--Seasonal Splendour (Ire), by Prince Rupert (Fr). O-Mrs Charles Cyzer; B-Charles Cyzer; £6,600.

Margins: HF, 3/4, 1HF. Odds: 4-1, 10-1, 2-1.

Also Ran: Titurel (GB), Orange Touch (Ger), Summerland (Ire), Weavers Pride (Fr), Tacitus (Ire), Roskilde (Ire). Scratched: Magistretti.

Shield did not appear until late October, finishing an eyecatching third in a heavy-ground Nottingham mile maiden, then built on that experience with an impressive seven-length score in a 10-furlong Lingfield maiden on the polytrack surface Dec. 3. The was the punters' second choice in his return, he was settled in mid-division throughout the early stages by Eddie Ahern as Orange Touch (Ger) (Lando {Ger}) set a true pace. The colt was not ideally placed on the rail as Strength 'n Honour and Inch Again picked up the long-time leader inside the final quarter and lost valuable ground when switched wide at the furlong marker, but he profited as the front pair tired up the rising ground and edged past that duo in the final strides. Bookmakers William Hill were unimpressed, however, offering the bay at odds of 33-1 for the G1 Vodafone Derby at Epsom June 7, where he will head without another prep according to trainer Gerald Butler. [Click here for the racingpost.co.uk chart](http://www.racingpost.co.uk) or the [free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree](http://www.brisnet.com).

☆ CLASSIC CORNER ☆

**Hi Dubai To Skip Guineas**

**Hi Dubai (GB)** (Rahy) will bypass the May 4 G1 Sagitta 1000 Guineas at Newmarket, it was revealed yesterday. Godolphin's jockey Frankie Dettori stated that the full sister to Fantastic Light, who took Godolphin's fillies' private trial Apr. 4, would wait for the G1 Vodafone Oaks at Epsom June 6. "She has a middle-distance pedigree, but we all felt like she is affily that probably that needs a little bit more time," Dettori commented. "She lacks a bit of experience and will have more of an Oaks campaign." The Dubai-based operation will rely on the UAE 1000 Guineas winner **Mezzo Soprano** (Darshaan {GB}) in the one-mile Classic. That filly received a glowing endorsement from the Italian. "She hasn't put a foot wrong all winter," Dettori said. "She too has a middle-distance pedigree, but she shows tremendous speed and won the [UAE] Guineas showing a great turn of foot. I think she will run pretty well." Dettori also confirmed that he would ride **Lateen Sails (GB)** (Elmaamul) in the colts' Classic next Saturday afternoon. "I would be honest and say I rode him numerous times on the dirt and he gave me no feel whatsoever," he said of the colts' private trial winner. "As soon as we got him on the turf and gave him a try I was surprised by the great acceleration he showed. He galloped out really well, so the mile will not be his limit. He will stay further."

**Fallon To Get Private Audience**

Kieren Fallon confirmed that he will take the ride on the unbeaten **Audience (GB)** (Zilzal) in the May 3 G1 2000 Guineas. "He worked well this morning, feels good and it's a wide-open race," the champion jockey said. The winner of a six-furlong Salisbury maiden and seven-furlong conditions event at Newmarket in October, Audience has been the subject of a major gamble with bookmakers William Hill, who have been forced to cut him to 14-1 from 33-1 this week.

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☆ PREVIEW ☆

**Saturday, Sandown, Britain, post time: 2:50 p.m.**

**BET ATHERACES MILE-G2**, £100,000, 4yo/up, 1m 14ydsT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	3	Dandoun (GB)	Halling	J Dunlop	126
2	2	Desert Deer (GB)	Cadeaux Genereux (GB)	Johnston	126
3	1	Dupont (GB)	Zafonic	Haggas	126
4	8	Frenchmans Bay (Fr)	Polar Falcon	Charlton	126
5	9	Halawellfin Hala (GB)	Kris (GB)	C Brittain	126
6	10	Heretic (GB)	Bishop Of Cashel (GB)	Fanshawe	126
7	4	Love Regardless	Storm Bird	Johnston	126
8	7	Reel Buddy	Mr. Greeley	Hannon	126
9	5	Smirk (GB)	Selkirk	Elsworth	126
10	6	Welsh Diva (GB)	Selkirk	Perrett	123

**Desert Deer** reputedly needed the run when 1 3/4 lengths runner-up behind Olden Times (GB) in the G3 Earl of Sefton S. at Newmarket Wednesday. Last term he looked progressive, ending up his campaign with a battling half-length score over Masterful in the Listed Joel S. at that track in October. He meets another fine runner for conditioner John Dunlop in **Dandoun** in this contest. Lightly raced at the age of five, he showed the benefit of that patience with a fine four-length score over With Reason, with **Smirk** back in third, to win his second renewal of the Listed Doncaster Mile Mar. 20. That was arguably a career-best performance, but he lacks the assistance of the suspended Kieren Fallon here. This time last year, **Dupont** was rattling up the Classic double of the G2 Premio Parioli (Italian 2000 Guineas) at Rome and the G2 Mehl-Mulhens Rennen (German 2000 Guineas) at Cologne. He was a hampered fourth behind Rock of Gibraltar (Ire) in the G1 St James' Palace S. at Royal Ascot in June and that form gives him a chance.

**Saturday, Lone Star Park, post time: 5:11 p.m. CDT**

**TEXAS MILE S.-GIII**, \$300,000, 3yo/up, 1m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	Dynameaux	Dynaformer	Pish	113
2	Private Emblem	Our Emblem	Asmussen	116
3	Seinsky	Sea Hero	Hawley	113
4	Oak Hall	Olympio	Bourgeois	118
5	Compendium	Notebook	Asmussen	113
6	Unrullah Bull	Conquistador Cielo	Norman	116
7	Bonapaw	Sabona	Miller III	116
8	Maysville Slew	Slew City Slew	Trout	116
9	Bluesthestandard	American Standard	West	120

**Saturday, Hawthorne, post time: 4:26 p.m. CDT**

**SIXTY SAILS H.-GIII**, \$250,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	Lead Story	Editor's Note	Nafzger	113
2	Bare Necessities	Silver Deputy	W Dollase	118
3	Curious Conundrum	Harlan	Brajczewski	115
4	Mckinney	El Prado (Ire)	Asmussen	113
5	Jaramar Rain	Thunder Gulch	Arnold	113
6	Ellie's Moment	Kris S.	Toner	115
7	Lakenheath	Colonial Affair	Cilio	114
8	Barney's Mistress	Dynaformer	Poulos	112
9	Katy Kat	Forest Wildcat	O'Callaghan	113

**Saturday, Churchill Downs, post time: 4:38 p.m. EDT**

**DERBY TRIAL S.-GIII**, \$150,000, 3yo, 1m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	Desert Warrior	Deputy Minister	Lukas	118
2	Miner Moss	Miner's Mark	Hickman	118
3	Midas Eyes	Touch Gold	Frankel	122
4	Private Gold	Seeking the Gold	Byrne	122
5	Champali	Glitterman	Foley	122
6	Unbridled America	Unbridled's Song	Holthus	116

**Saturday, Aqueduct, post time: 4:20 p.m. EDT**

**FORT MARCY H.-GIII**, \$100,000a, 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	Run To Victory	Gilded Time	Goldberg	114
2	Bowman's Band	Dixieland Band	Matz	113
3	Shaanmer (Ire)	Darshaan (GB)	Clement	116
4	Regal Sanction	Regal Classic	J Jerkens	112
5	Saint Verre	Saint Ballado	H Jerkens	113
6	Haggs Castle	Husband	J Jerkens	113
7	Patrol	Lear Fan	Mott	115
8	Puzzlement	Pine Bluff	H Jerkens	112
9	Statement	Seattle Slew	Kimmel	115
10	Devine Wind	American Chance	Hansen	114
11	Irish Colonial	Colonial Affair	Schulhofer	113
12	Union Place	Out of Place	Schulhofer	114

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13	Global Quest	Seeking the Gold	McGaughey	112
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14	Windsor Castle	Lord Carson	Alexander	119
15	Classic Endeavor	Silver Buck	Schwartz	118
16	Onthedeanslist	Honor Grades	Terranova	117
17	Judge's Case	Montbrook	Klesaris	115

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Race of the Week'  
GIII Texas Mile S.

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**Saturday, Woodbine, post time: 4:32 p.m. EDT**

**VIGIL H.-GIII, C\$150,000, 4yo/up, 7f**

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	Shaws Creek	Tejano Run	Ross	114
2	Krz Ruckus	Bold Ruckus	DePaulo	119
3	Wake At Noon	Cure the Blues	Katryan	124
4	Cheap Talk	Abel Prospect	Tiller	120
5	Dauids Expectation	Valid Expectations	Casse	114
6	Forever Grand	War Deputy	Tiller	115
7	Boston Common	Boston Harbor	Wright Jr.	123

**Saturday, Sandown, Britain, post time: 4:10 p.m.**

**BET ATHERACES 0800 083 83 83 GORDON RICHARDS S.-G3, £50,000, 4yo/up, 10f 7ydsT**

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	4	Imperial Dancer (GB)	Primo Dominie (GB)	Channon	125
2	3	Bourgainville (GB)	Pivotal (GB)	A Balding	122
3	2	Carnival Dancer (GB)	Sadler's Wells	Perrett	122
4	8	Indian Creek (GB)	Indian Ridge (Ire)	Elsworth	122
5	1	Izdiham (Ire)	Nashwan	Tregoning	122
6	7	Potemkin (Ire)	Ashkalani (Ire)	Hannon	122
7	5	Sholokhov (Ire)	Sadler's Wells	M Jarvis	122
8	6	Vintage Premium (GB)	Forzando (GB)	Fahey	122

**Saturday, Leicester, Britain, post time: 3:45 p.m.**

**TOM FRUIT LEICESTERSHIRE S.-G3, £50,000, 4yo/up, 7f 9ydsT**

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	3	Tillerman (GB)	In The Wings (GB)	Perrett	130
2	2	Gateman (GB)	Owington (GB)	Johnston	127
3	5	Millennium Force (GB)	Bin Ajwaad (Ire)	Channon	127
4	4	Red Carpet (GB)	Pivotal (GB)	Bell	124
5	1	Twilight Blues (Ire)	Bluebird	Meehan	124
6	6	Goldeva (GB)	Makbul (Ire)	Hollinshead	121

**Sunday, Rome, Italy**

**PREMIO PARIOLI (ITALIAN 2000 GUINEAS)-G2,**

**€275,000, 3yo, c, 1mT**

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY
1	6	Arrears	Barkerville	Temperini
2	4	Boemondo (Ity)	Jareer	Petriccioli
3	1	Borsieri (Ger)	Morigi (GB)	Demuro
4	2	Golden Devious (Ire)	Dr Devious (Ire)	Belli
5	11	Le Vie Dei Colori (GB)	Efisio (GB)	Vargiu
6	7	Polar Bravo (GB)	Marju (Ire)	Pasquale
7	9	Prince Kirk (Fr)	Selkirk	Agus
8	8	Romaldo (Ger)	Alkalde (Ger)	Bietolini
9	5	Royal Dignitary	Saint Ballado	Dettori
10	10	T E Lawrence	Charnwood Forest (Ire)	Esposito
11	3	Tea Garden (Ire)	Barathea (Ire)	Holland

All carry 128 pounds.

**Sunday, Longchamp, France**

**PRIX GANAY-G1, €150,000, 4yo/up, 1 5/16mT**

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	6	Execute (Fr)	Suave Dancer	Gillet	128
2	3	Fair Mix (Ire)	Linamix (Fr)	Peslier	128
3	1	Valentino (Fr)	Valanour (Ire)	Jarnet	128
4	8	Chancellor (Ire)	Halling	M Hills	128
5	10	Kaieteur	Marlin	Eddery	128
6	7	Black Sam Bellamy (Ire)	Sadler's Wells	Kinane	128
7	5	Tau Ceti (GB)	Hernando (Fr)	Saint-Martin	128
8	4	Falbrav (Ire)	Fairy King	Fallon	128
9	2	Secret Singer (Fr)	Singspiel (Ire)	Bonilla	128
10	9	Ana Marie (Fr)	Anabaa	Soumillon	125

**Sunday, Rome, Italy**

**PREMIO REGINA ELENA-G2, €275,000, 3yo, f, 1mT**

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	9	Blue Chief	Double Honor	Landi	123
2	8	Buy The Sport	Devil's Bag	Holland	123
3	5	Cala (Fr)	Desert Prince (Ire)	Dettori	123
4	13	Dancing Heroine (Fr)	Hector Protector	Mulas	123
5	11	Golden Nepi (Ire)	Revoque (Ire)	Vargiu	123
6	4	Hartal (GB)	Alhaarth (Ire)	Bietolini	123
7	15	Honorable Gal	Double Honor	Temperini	123
8	12	Kiralik (GB)	Efisio (GB)	Belli	123
9	10	Lips Plane (Ire)	Ashkalani (Ire)	Botti	123
10	14	Mrs Harbor	Boundary	Corniani	123
11	2	Rag Top (Ire)	Barathea (Ire)	O'Neill	123
12	6	Rhone (Ire)	Hector Protector	Agus	123
13	7	Rose Shift (Ire)	Night Shift	Demuro	123
14	16	Sayuri (Ire)	Zafonic	Pasquale	123
15	3	Scramble (Ger)	Dashing Blade (GB)	Tellini	123
16	1	Secret Live (Ire)	Mukaddamah	Arbau	123
17	17	Vale Mantovani (GB)	Wolfhound	Esposito	123

**Sunday, Sha Tin, Hong Kong**

**AUDEMARS PIGUET QUEEN ELIZABETH II CUP-G1,**

**HK\$14,000,000, 3yo/up, 2000mT**

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	1	Eishin Preston	Green Dancer	Fukunaga	126
2	13	Paolini (Ger)	Lando (Ger)	Pedroza	126
3	12	Precision (Fr)	Anabaa	Whyte	126
4	5	Eventuail (Arg)	Candy Stripes	Marcus	126
5	2	Housemaster (Ire)	Rudimentary	Marwing	126
6	3	Helene Vitality (NZ)	Zabeel (NZ)	Dunn	126
7	6	Come See You (Ire)	Sri Pekan	Williams	126
8	11	Red Pepper (GB)	Cadeaux Genereux (GB)	Schofield	126
9	10	Self Flit (NZ)	Cicerao (Ire)	Lai	126
10	8	River Dancer (Ire)	Sadler's Wells	Fradd	126
11	4	Gift (NZ)	Danasinga (Aus)	Dye	126
12	9	Visorhill (Fr)	Danehill	Coetzee	126
13	7	Elegant Fashion (Aus)	Danewin (Aus)	Mosse	122

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**NYRA Establishes Belmont Stakes Barn**

The New York Racing Association has announced that all horses competing in the June 7 GI Belmont S. must be bedded down in the designated Belmont barn by 3 p.m. Friday, June 6. Horses that ship in for the race before June 4 can be stabled in an alternate barn if the trainer has been assigned stalls for the meet. Belmont runners shipping to the track after June 4 must go directly to the Belmont barn. Explaining the decision, NYRA President Terry Meyocks said, "It is much more convenient for the connections of the horses and will allow for greater security for the horses entered in our signature race." But the decision was met with negative reactions from the horsemen. "I think it's a joke," trainer Bobby Frankel told *The Blood-Horse*. "It is not more convenient and, for security, they could put a security guard at each barn." D. Wayne Lukas agreed. "This is going to cause an uproar," he said. "It takes horses 24 to 36 hours to get used to a new stall. I am all for security and, if they want, they can put a security guard in front of each [Belmont runner's] stall. I will even pay for the security."

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☆ NEWS TODAY ☆

**SHEIKH MOHAMMED TO RACE IN JAPAN**

Sheikh Mohammed will race a stable of horses in Japan this year. The Sheikh's Darley Japan Racing Co. Ltd. applied for permission earlier this year, and the application was approved by Japan's National Association of Racing last month. Darley Japan, which has established a base on the island of Hokkaido, will be one of the few non-Japanese owners permitted to race in that country. Neither the NAR or the Japan Racing Association allow foreign nationals to be registered as individual horse owners, but corporate horse owners can be registered if the representatives and directors of the corporation are Japanese nationals. Darley Japan's representative is Chikara Takahashi. The horses are expected to be trained by Yasushi Miyashita and Tadashi Kawashima and will begin racing at Funabashi Racecourse this summer.

**GOLAN TO SHUTTLE TO NEW ZEALAND**

**Golan (Ire)** (Spectrum {Ire}--Highland Gift {Ire}, by Generous {Ire}), the winner of the 2001 G1 2000 Guineas at Newmarket and the 2002 G1 King George VI & Queen Elizabeth Diamond S., will shuttle to New Zealand for the 2003 Southern Hemisphere breeding season, the *Thoroughbred Times* reports. The five-year-old, who entered stud at Coolmore Ireland for a fee of €20,000 this year, will stand at Windsor Park Stud near Cambridge, New Zealand alongside fellow Coolmore stallions Montjeu (Ire) and Black Minnaloushe. His Southern Hemisphere stud fee has not yet been announced.

**Lilac Queen wins the G3 Bewitch S.**

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**GILL LEAVING THE GAME?** Owner Michael Gill has announced that he is getting out of horse racing. Gill, who set a record of 88 wins as the leading owner at the recently concluded Gulfstream Park meet, said the decision was precipitated by his dispute with Delaware Park, which not only denied him stalls, but has also said they will not take entries from him. Gill was also refused stalls by the New York Racing Association, Philadelphia Park and Monmouth Park. The owner bought a 90-stall farm in Southeastern Pennsylvania, where trainer Mark Shuman, who conditions the bulk of Gill's 270 horses, will try and run the program. Gill, who owns a mortgage house in Massachusetts, has offered his four trainers the opportunity to join that business once he shuts down his racing stable. "I told them I would shut down the racing operation tomorrow if they wanted to come with me," Gill said. "If not, I will phase out of the horse business over the next two years." Through yesterday, Gill led the nation with 136 wins. Shuman, who trains exclusively for Gill, set his own Gulfstream record of 87 wins, more than doubling the previous high of 39 victories set by Bill Mott in 1996. Gill, who said the trainers were thinking over his offer, has been especially active at two-year-old sales over the past couple of years and indicated that he was allowing himself the two years to see how his juveniles develop. "I don't just want to put them on the market without knowing whether I have something special," he explained. "I've got 12 broodmares in foal and I want to see where they lead, so I'm taking my time. Hopefully, as I fade out, Mark can start picking up other clients. He's an exceptionally talented trainer and I'm sure he'll get his share of good horses."

**STAKES CLOSINGS**

**TODAY, SATURDAY, APRIL 26:**

05-10 \$200,000 Nassau County Breeders' Cup-II, Bel, 3yo, f, 7f (150)

05-11 \$150,000 Genuine Risk H.-II, Bel, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f (150)

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**DOUBLE HONOR FILLY TOPS OBS FINALE**

**Wonderful Honor** (Double Honor--T.G. for Wanfa, by Fortunate Prospect), who dashed through a bullet three furlongs in :33 3/5 during the under-tack show, brought a final bid of \$380,000 to top the final session of the Ocala Breeders' Sales Company's Spring Sale of Two-Year-Olds in Training in Florida. Seeling as [hip 1056](#), the bay was consigned by Farnsworth farms, agent, and purchased by William J. Condren. Condren was the leading buyer at the sale, getting four two-year-olds for a total of \$630,000. The top-selling colt at Friday's session was [hip 1089](#), a colt by Bianconi out of stakes-winning Tripp Trial (Skip Trial), who was knocked down for \$110,000 to Tim Kegel, agent. Tony Bowling and Bobby Dodd consigned the bay, named **Like It That Way**. The third six-figure sale at the finale was [hip 932](#), a filly by Jules out of She's French (Jolie's Halo). Out of a half-sister to stakes winners Exclusive One and Ohsomellow, the chestnut was from the Bridlewood Farm consignment and purchased by Eugene Melnyk. **OBS Stats, p2**

☆ **TRACK OPENING** ☆

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**\$300,000 GII Louisville Breeders' Cup-May 2;**

**\$500,000 GI Kentucky Oaks-May 2; \$200,000**

**GII Churchill Downs H.-May 3; \$100,000 Three**

**Chimneys Juvenile-May 3; \$200,000 GI**

**Humana Distaff-May 3; \$400,000 GI**

**Woodford Reserve Turf Classic-May 3; \$1**

**million Kentucky Derby-May 3; \$300,000 GII**

**Fleur de Lis-June 14; \$750,000 GI Stephen**

**Foster-June 14; \$250,000 GII Firecracker**

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# ★ KEENELAND ★

## ★ "TDN Rising Star" ★

**Yesterday's Results:**

**4th-KEE, \$58,759, Alw, NW3\$6MX, 4yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10 2/5, ft.**  
**1--BORN TO DANCE, 118, f, 4, Service Stripe--Guard Dance (MSW, \$154,303), by Fools Dance.** O-R G Parra; B-Sher & Shirley Johnson Singh (MI); T-J R Jackson. Lifetime Record: MSW, 18-8-5-1, \$359,666.  
**2--Belle Artiste, 123, m, 5, Broad Brush--Tassie Belle, by Tasso.**  
**3--Brown Eyed Beauty, 123, f, 4, Miswaki--Stephie Brown Eyes, by Explodent.** (\$130,000 yrl '00 KEESep).  
 Margins: 2 1/4, 1, 2HF. Odds: 2.90, 1.20, 1.60.


The complexion of this event changed with the scratch of morning-line favorite September Secret (Our Emblem), and Born To Dance proved the beneficiary. The winner of no fewer than six Michigan-bred stakes, the dark bay was shelved off a third-place finish in the Michigan Oaks Sept. 14, but returned with a promising runner-up finish behind September Secret in an Apr. 11 allowance over track and trip. Sent immediately to the lead by jockey Shane Sellers, Born To Dance was allowed to dictate easy fractions and had plenty left late to hold off Belle Artiste. [Click for the video race replay.](#)

**6th-KEE, \$48,735, Alw, NW1X, 3yo, 7f, 1:28 3/5, ft. ASTRAL PLANE (c, 3, Tabasco Cat--Rare Opportunity {GSP}, by Danzig Connection), a \$250,000 FTSAUG yearling, was claimed for one-tenth of that price after a victory at Fair Grounds Jan. 9 and followed with a runner-up finish in a New Orleans allowance Feb. 13. Rested off that effort, the chestnut was last of eight going two turns at this track Apr. 6 and was cutting back to a sprint for this. The 6-1 chance stumbled at the start, but rushed up into contention, came four wide for the drive and overtook favored Bishop Court Hill (Holy Bull) to win by 1 3/4 lengths. Lifetime Record: 8-3-1-0, \$48,858. [Click for the video race replay.](#) O-Panic Stable. B-Anderson Farms (Ontario) Inc & Rod Ferguson (ON). T-Jere R Smith Jr.**

**5th-KEE, \$50,000, Msw, 3yo, 7f, 1:22 3/5, ft. + WILD AND WICKED (c, 3, Wild Again--Wicked Witchcraft {MSW, \$218,559}, by Good Behavior), a 1/2 to The Wicked North (Far North), Ch. Older Horse, MGISW, \$1,180,750, was set to make his debut Apr. 17, but was scratched when the track came up extremely sloppy. Given an additional eight days to prepare, the dark bay was hammered down from his morning line of 6-1 and was sent off the 11-10 favorite. Also a half to Wicked Destiny (Top Command), MSW, \$182,880; and A Lady From Dixie (Dixieland Band), GSW & GISP, \$383,718, the homebred colt duelled through the opening half mile with Grand Scam (Grand Slam), put that one away turning for home and powered clear to win by 9 1/2 widening lengths. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$31,225. [Click for the video race replay](#) and for the [brisnet.com chart](#). O-Fall Brook Farm. B-Mr & Mrs Robert David Randal (KY). T-Kenneth G McPeck.**

**1st-KEE, \$48,500, Msw, 2yo, f, 4 1/2f, :53 4/5, ft. + PAPA SIDS GIRL (f, 2, Souvenir Copy--Woodman's Lady, by Woodman), ignored at 14-1 in her career opener, was outrun early, but swung eight-wide into the stretch to take the lead and held off 2-1 favorite Toot's Lil Chic (Carr de Naskra) to break her maiden by 1 1/2 lengths. The winner was a \$40,000 KEESep yearling. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$31,225. [Click for the video race replay.](#) O-Katierich Stables, Christopher Connors & Don Weisbe. B-Liberation Farm & Hopewell Investments LLC (KY). T-Mark Hubley.**

**10th-KEE, \$45,125, Msw, 3yo, f, 7f, 1:29 2/5, ft. SEEKING THE RING (f, 3, Seeking the Gold--Radiant Ring {MSW & GISP, \$742,378}, by Halo), a full sister to Catch The Ring, Ch. 3yo Filly-Can, GSW, \$918,314, was bet down to 7-10 for her Apr. 6 debut, but was no match for the winner late and checked in a distant second. Favored again, this time at 6-5, the Sam-Son homebred saved ground behind the dueling leaders, came out five wide at the quarter pole and sprinted away to win by four lengths, giving jockey Shane Sellers his fourth winner on the afternoon. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$34,850. [Click for the video race replay.](#) O/B-Sam-Son Farms (ON). T-Mark Frostad.  
 Keeneland Report cont. p3**

 <b>OBS SPRING SALE OF 2YOs</b> <b>FRIDAY, APRIL 25, 2003</b>		
<u>SESSION TOTALS</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2002</u>
No. Sold	176	156
Gross	\$3,854,800	\$3,428,400
Average (% change)	\$21,902 (no change)	\$21,977
Median (% change)	\$10,000 (-24.5%)	\$13,250
<u>CUMULATIVE</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2002</u>
No. Sold	704	673
Gross	\$14,923,000	\$15,332,100
Average (% change)	\$21,197 (-7%)	\$22,782
Median (% change)	\$13,000 (-13%)	\$15,000
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**Keeneland Report cont.**

**3rd-KEE, \$45,125, Msw, 3yo, f, 6f, 1:10 3/5, ft. LITTLEMISS SPARKLE (f, 3, Glitterman--Lindsali, by Two Punch),** a \$40,000 KEENOV weanling and \$100,000 FTKJUL yearling, turned in an excellent debut performance, getting caught by a head in a Fair Grounds turf sprint Feb. 13 and was the 19-10 favorite to go one better in her first attempt on the main track. Alertly away and forwardly placed from the inside, the Cal-bred bay shifted out five wide once straightened for the drive and ran down pacesetting Country Romance (Saint Ballado) for a two-length score. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$31,950. [Click for the video race replay.](#) O-Thomas Vanderhyde. B-Shields Thoroughbreds, Inc (CA). T-Dallas Stewart.

★ NEW YORK ★

**Whata Brainstorm Euthanized:**

MGSW **Whata Brainstorm** (Honor Grades), who had been expected to run in today's GIII Fort Marcy H. at Aqueduct, was euthanized Thursday afternoon after fracturing the sesamoids in his right front leg during a workout on the Belmont main track that morning, *Daily Racing Form* reports. The six-year-old, winner of the 2000 GIII Calder Derby and 2001 GII Pan American H., was fourth in this year's edition of the Pan Am in his final start Mar. 22. Overall, he had six wins, six seconds and a third from 31 career starts for earnings of \$623,090.

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**Yesterday's Results:**

**8th-AQU, \$47,000, Alw, NW3X, 4yo/up, 7f, 1:20, ft. 1--GINZANO, 118, h, 5, Hunting Hard--My Dear Cathy, by Honest Moment.** O-Robert J Amendola; B-Sunrise Breeding Farm (FL); T-Allen Iwinski. Lifetime Record: 15-4-6-1, \$143,930.

2--**Clergy, 118, c, 4, Pulpit--Minery, by Forty Niner.**

3--**Lord Ofthe Thunder, 120, c, 4, Saint Ballado--Astarte, by Deputy Minister.** (\$240,000 yrl '00 FTNAUG).

Margins: 3 3/4, 1HF, 3 3/4. Odds: 4.70, 1.80, 1.50.

Second in a two-turn allowance over the inner New Year's Day, Ginzano bounced back to take a similar event by a neck Jan. 24, but was sidelined off a seventh-place finish going six panels Feb. 15. Quickly in front, the Florida-bred gelding repulsed a bid from Team Player (Robyn Dancer) on the far turn and drew clear when asked to win convincingly.

**7th-AQU, \$44,000, Alw, NW1X, 3yo, f, 1 1/16mT, 1:45 1/5, fm.**

**INDY FIVE HUNDRED (f, 3, A.P. Indy--Lyphard's Delta {GSW-Eng, \$146,477}, by Lyphard)** finished fourth and third in Aqueduct sprint maidens last Nov. 8 and Dec. 1, respectively, but finally broke through in her two-turn bow over the inner Dec. 29. The chestnut beat only one home when over her head in the Jan. 26 Busanda S. and was a 5-1 shot in her return to the races. Trying the lawn for the first time, the \$210,000 KEESep yearling set the pace while well in hand, opened up daylight in upper stretch and held on to defeat Winter's Quest (Coronado's Quest) by a half length. Lifetime Record: 5-2-0-1, \$59,250.

O-Georgica Stable. B-Palides Investments NV Inc (KY). T-Robert Barbara.

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**New York Report cont.**

**6th-AQU, \$44,000, Alw, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:37 2/5, ft.**

**FLAG PIN (f, 3, Personal Flag--Lyuba, by D'Accord)** came from just off the pace to break his maiden by 1 1/4 lengths going six furlongs Mar. 28 and was sent off at odds of 6-1 in a wide open event. Stretching out to a flat mile, the 1/2 to Olive Flu (Cure the Blues), MSP, \$185,320, was reserved behind a solid early pace, charged three wide into the stretch, hit the front with a little more than a furlong to run and drew clear to defeat Angel of the Sea (A. P Jet) by 4 1/2 lengths. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$51,000. O/B-William R Hettinger (NY). T-Ramon M Hernandez.

**4th-AQU, \$42,000, Msw, 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:45, fm.**

**SUPREME REGIME (c, 3, Kingmambo--Indy Cindy, by A.P. Indy)** trailed by double digits at every call of his Nov. 5 debut over the Aqueduct main track, but showed some improvement in his sophomore bow, finishing a midpack fifth in his first turf and two-turn effort at Gulfstream Mar. 27. The 4-1 second choice, the \$52,000 KEESEP yearling and \$180,000 OBSMAR juvenile rated in center field, circled wide into the stretch and found the wire a head to the good of Recollection (Cherokee Run). Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$25,560. O-Patricia E & Ronald Nicholson. B- Roselands (KY). T-James J Toner.

★ EAST ★

**Mid-Atlantic Cooperative Negotiates with Churchill:**

The Mid-Atlantic Cooperative is continuing to negotiate with the Churchill Downs Simulcast Network, but if an agreement cannot be reached, the 17 Thoroughbred and harness tracks represented by the Cooperative could get shut out of the simulcast of the May 3 GI Kentucky Derby. The two sides are sparring over simulcast fees from the six Churchill Downs Inc. tracks, including Hollywood Park, which opened Wednesday. Without the handle from the Cooperative tracks, wagering was down 10 percent at Hollywood opening day. CDSN President Karl Schmitt Jr. stated Wednesday that his company was willing to continue sending the CDSN signals to the Mid-Atlantic tracks until a deal is made, but the Cooperative has so far declined that offer.

**Bravo Returns Today:**

Jockey Joe Bravo, who has been sidelined since breaking his left wrist in a spill at Monmouth Park last May 30, will return to action at Aqueduct this afternoon, riding **Duke's Crossing** (Valley Crossing) in the fourth race for trainer John Dowd. Bravo, 31, who has been the leading rider at Monmouth a record eight times, was expected to make his comeback last fall, but was having problems with his left leg, which was broken in four places during a spill at the Jersey track in July of 2001. The leg was originally repaired with a steel rod, but the rod caused significant discomfort and was surgically removed. Bravo underwent further surgery earlier this year. "Basically, they rebuilt my leg," Bravo told *Daily Racing Form*. "It was a painful procedure, but it has healed better than ever." He added, "This has been a hell of a vacation. I can't wait to get some silks on my back. I'm real excited."

**Yesterday's Results:**

**BLAZING SWORD S. (Div. 1), \$37,875, CRC, 4-25, 3yo/up, 7 1/2fT, 1:27 2/5, fm.**

- 1--**MR. LIVINGSTON, 115, h, 6, El Prado (Ire)--Vienna Knickers, by Noble Saint.** O-Teresa & David Palmer; B-Triple S Farm, Inc (KY); T-William A Kaplan; J-M R Cruz; \$22,725. Lifetime Record: GSW, 30-8-4-8, \$370,410.
  - 2--**Rakoon, 115, h, 5, Rakeen--Wainee, by Oh Say.** \$7,575.
  - 3--**Simmer, 115, h, 7, El Prado (Ire)--Hotunderthecollar, by Young Ralph.** (\$11,000 yrl '97 KEEJAN; \$75,000 2yo 1998 OBSFEB). \$4,167.
- Margins: NK, HF, 1 1/4. Odds: 1.40, 5.20, 7.70.

Winner of the GIII Palm Beach S. at three, Mr. Livingston returned from a nine-month absence to be a close fourth over the Gulfstream turf course Feb. 17, was sixth in the GII Pan American H. Mar. 22 and most recently crossed the line second, but was placed third in a Hallandale money allowance test Apr. 10. Favored in Calder's first added-money event of the new season, the gray broke from the eight hole, but eased in to save ground early, angled out at the top of the stretch and outfinished a stubborn Rakoon for the narrow win, his fifth in 11 tries over the local turf.

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★ CENTRAL ★

**Thursday Night's Results:**

**7th-LSX, \$30,000, Alw, NW2LX, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:17 1/5, ft.**

**DAZED (f, 4, Naevus--Nijinsky's Own, by Lightning Leap)** had led past every pole in each of her first two starts, breaking her maiden by 3 1/2 lengths against fellow Texas-breds at Sam Houston Jan. 24 before adding a 7 1/4-length score versus open company in Houston Mar. 6. The 2-5 chalk to remain undefeated, the dark bay broke towards the back of the pack, advanced on the turn and pulled clear late to win by three lengths. Lifetime Record: 3-3-0-0, \$34,800. O-N Craig Harrison. B-Craig & Gwen Harrison (TX). T-Danny Pish.

**3rd-LSX, \$27,000, Msw, (S), 2yo, 4 1/2f, :52 2/5, ft.**

+ **IRON EXPECTATIONS (c, 2, Valid Expectations--Iron's Advance, by Iron Constitution)**, a \$47,000 OBSAUG yearling purchase, trained well over the local main track and was the 6-5 choice to win at first asking. Away well from the outside, the dark bay crossed over to engage Bulit to Last (Hadif) on the front end, disposed of that foe and sprinted clear to win by 5 3/4 lengths. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$16,200. O-Oceanfront Properties & Keith Asmussen. B-Glory Days Breeding, Inc (TX). T-Steven M Asmussen.

**Yesterday's Results:**

**8th-HAW, \$34,000, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$100,000), NW4X, 3yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:18, ft.**

**BRIGHT VALOUR (h, 7, Wild Again--Burnished Bright {MSW & GSP, \$160,743}, by Well Decorated)**, two-time winner of the Gill Hanshin Cup, was fourth in a six-furlong allowance at Fair Grounds Jan. 31 and was most recently a neck second to Texas Mile hopeful Seinsky in a one-mile test in New Orleans Feb. 16. The 1/2 to Bright Launch (Relaunch), GSW, \$129,262, entered for claiming here, rallied to take over in the stretch before pulling clear to score by 8 1/4 lengths at odds of 5-1. The winner was a \$100,000 KEESEP yearling. Lifetime Record: MGSW, 26-9-4-2, \$362,765. O-Ronnie Lamarque. B-Jaime S Carrion, Trustee (KY). T-Louie J Roussel III.

★ **THAT'S A WRAP** ★

**GULFSTREAM PARK - Hallandale, FL**

**Closed: Thursday, Apr. 24**

**No. of Days: 89**

**Daily Avg. On-Track Attendance: 8,538 (-8.5%)**

**Daily Avg. Total Handle: \$9.3 million (+5.7%)**

**Leading Owner: Michael Gill (a record 88 wins)**

**Leading Trainer: Mark Shuman (a record 87 wins)**

**Leading Jockey: Eibar Coa (91 wins)**

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★ INDUSTRY INFO ★

**NTRA Releases Annual Report:**

The National Thoroughbred Racing Association yesterday released its *2002-2003 Annual Report to the Membership*. The 36-page report outlined the distribution of the NTRA's \$60.4 million budget for 2003, with \$19.1 million going to purses and awards, \$18.3 million to advertising, marketing and promotions, \$8.9 million going to television and \$5.6 million to sponsorship. There was also a \$2.25 million outlay for special contributions to the Wagering Integrity Alliance. Highlights of the report included a growth in the television ratings for NTRA-produced programming, savings of \$3.5 million to NTRA members through group purchasing, and a tripling in the number of sponsors. A full report can be obtained by e-mailing [ntra@ntra.com](mailto:ntra@ntra.com).

 **SOPHOMORE SPOTLIGHT**

**First-time starters/stakes runners: Saturday, April 26**

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

- AWESOME AGAIN** (Deputy Minister), Adena, \$50K, 148/17/2 8-BM, Msw, 6f, +Destined to Win, \$55K KEE SEP yrl
- DISTORTED HUMOR** (Forty Niner), Winstar, \$13K, 128/27/4 8-DEL, Msw, 6f, +Distinguished Gent, \$45K EAS OCT yrl, 8-1
- GRAND SLAM** (Gone West), Ashford, \$30K, 244/37/3 7-DEL, Stk, 6f, Home Run Hitter, \$11K EAS OCT yrl, 6-1
- INDIAN CHARLIE** (In Excess {Ire}), Airdrie, \$10K, 149/30/1 7-HOL, Stk, 7f, Forthelifeofme, \$19K CAL AUG yrl
- LUCKY LIONEL** (Mt. Livermore), Adena, \$3K, 101/18/0 1-TUP, Stk, 6 1/2f, Lucky Autum, \$3K ARZ NOV yrl
- SNOWBOUND** (Meadowlake), Pulse, \$500, 68/8/2 1-TUP, Stk, 6 1/2f, First Snowbound, \$5K ARZ NOV yrl
- 10-TUP, Stk, 1 1/16m, Tendollaryo
- SOUVENIR COPY** (Mr. Prospector), Hopewell, \$20K, 196/29/1 9-HOL, Stk, 1 1/16m, Long Term Wish
- SWISS YODELER** (Eastern Echo), Pepper Oaks, \$3K, 101/24/2 9-HOL, Stk, 1 1/16m, Run Rebecca Run, \$85K CAL AUG yrl
- TOUCH GOLD** (Deputy Minister), Adena, \$30K, 169/13/3 9-CD, Stk, 1m, Midas Eyes, 4-5
- WILD DEPUTY** (Wild Again), Valley Creek, \$3K, 73/12/0 6-TUP, Stk, 6f, Deputy Doc

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★ ON THE RADAR ★

**FRIDAY'S RESULTS**

**5th-KEE, Msw, 7f**  
 + **WILD AND WICKED** (c, 3, [Wild Again](#)) won, see *Keeneland Report*.

**SATURDAY'S ENTRIES**

**3rd-AQU, Msw, 3yo, f, 7f, post time: 1:53 p.m. EDT**  
**FLYING PASSAGE** (f, 3, [A.P. Indy](#)--Chic Shirine {GISW, \$237,944}, by Mr. Prospector) B-Emory A. Hamilton (KY).

*Flying Passage debuts for trainer Shug McGaughey. The daughter of GI Ashland S. heroine Chic Shirine is a half sister to Grade II winners Tara Roma (Lyphard) (herself the dam of GISW Serra Lake and MSW Cappuchino) and Walboro (Lyphard).*

★ AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS ★

**IN BRITAIN:**

**Steel Cat**, c, 3, **Sir Cat** See "Britain"  
**Yakimov**, g, 4, **Affirmed**--Ballet Troupe, by Nureyev.  
 Wolverhampton, Britain, 4-25, Hcp, 3yo/up, 1m  
 100ydsT. B-Jane & Jeff Wooder. \*\$85,000 yrl '00  
 KEESEP.

**BREEDERS' EDITION**  
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**STAKES RESULTS:**

**ROYAL CHASE FOR THE SPORT OF KINGS HURDLE**  
**S.-GI**, \$159,625, KEE, 4-25, 4yo/up, 2 1/2mT,  
 4:44 1/5, fm.  
 1--**MCDYNAMO**, 158, g, 6, [Dynaformer](#)--Rondonia, by **Monteverdi** (Ire). (\$82,000 yrl '98 KEESEP).  
 O-Michael J Moran; B-Richard & Nathan Fox & Richard Kaster (KY); T-Sanna N Hendriks; J-C Thornton; \$95,775. Lifetime Record: 17-8-3-0, \$355,069. \*Full to Old Chapel, GSW, \$371,086.  
 2--**Shamrock Isle**, 158, h, 8, Allen's Prospect--  
 Shamrock Show, by Erins Isle (Ire). (\$40,000 yrl '96 FTMSEP). O-Mrs F Eugene Dixon Jr; B-Timothy J Gardner (MD); \$28,733.  
 3--**Praise the Prince (NZ)**, 158, g, 8, Prince of Praise (NZ)--Dynataine (NZ), by Centaine (Aus). O-Augustin Stable; B-Thoroughbred Investments Ltd (NZ); \$15,962.  
 Margins: 7HF, 5, NK. Odds: 4.60, 6.30, 4.00.  
 Also Ran: All Gong (GB), Al Skywalker, Turkish Corner, Anofferucantrefuse, Quel Senor (Fr).

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**BLAZING SWORD S. (Div. 2)**, \$42,900, CRC, 4-25, 3yo/up, 7 1/2fT, 1:28 3/5, fm.  
 1--**#LOVE THE GAME**, 119, h, 5, **Mecke--Royal Cozzene**, by **Cozzene**. (\$42,000 2yo 2000 OBSAPR). O-Acclaimed Racing Stable; B-Richard & Julia Steenburg (FL); T-Henry Collazo; J-J C Ferrer; \$27,740. Lifetime Record: 17-5-3-4, \$162,820.  
 2--**Callthesheriff**, 115, c, 4, Concorde's Tune--Williston Bay, by Proud Birdie. (\$11,000 yrl '00 OBSAUG; \$22,000 2yo 2001 OBSJUN). \$7,580.  
 3--**Tv Sports Director**, 115, h, 5, Line in the Sand--Mystery of Love, by Baldski. \$4,169.  
 Margins: NK, NO, 5HF. Odds: 1.10, 6.30, 8.80.

**ALLOWANCE RESULTS:**

**8th-WOX**, \$63,500, NW1X, 4yo/up, 6f, 1:09 4/5, ft.  
**SPITFIRE MAN** (c, 4, [Meadowlake](#)--Parisian Flight {MGSW, \$535,833}, by **Concorde Bound**) Lifetime Record: 6-2-0-0, \$65,100. O-Stronach Stable. B-Hill 'n' Dale Farm & John Franks (KY). T-Reade Baker. \*\$190,000 yrl '00 KEESEP.  
**7th-WOX**, \$63,500, NW2L, (S), 3yo, 5 1/2f, 1:05, ft.  
**PENTHOUSE PRINCE** (c, 3, **Bold Executive**--**Countess Paris** {MSW}, by **Queen's Splendour**) Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, \$66,360. O-Goldmart Farms. B-Gardiner Farms Limited (ON). T-Paul Attard. \*\$40,000 yrl '01 CBSSEP. \*\*Full to Can You Feel It, SP, \$227,573.

**7th-KEE**, \$54,000, NW1X, 4yo/up, a7f, 1:29, ft.  
**EGGBERT** (h, 6, **Green Dancer**--**Superbe Dawn** {SP}, by \***Grey Dawn II**) Lifetime Record: 36-2-4-3, \$105,186. O/B-John & Kim Glenney (KY). T-John Glenney.

**5th-AQU**, \$44,000, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8m, 1:52 2/5, ft.  
**WHEN IT RAINS** (f, 4, [Salt Lake](#)--**Casual Colony**, by **Pleasant Colony**) Lifetime Record: 21-4-3-4, \$121,485. O/T-Scott A Lake. B-Mr & Mrs John Amerman (KY).

**8th-PIM**, \$36,000, Opt. Clm. (\$75,000-\$65,000), NW2\$X, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10 2/5, ft.  
**ASTRID** (m, 5, **Concern**--**Mescalina**, by **Smarten**) Lifetime Record: SW, 17-7-1-0, \$176,549. O-Devil Eleven Stable. B-Dr & Mrs Thomas Bowman & Milton P Higgins III (MD). T-John F Dowd. \*\$20,000 yrl '99 FTMOCT.

**9th-LSX**, \$30,000, 4-24, NW2X, 4yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:47 3/5, fm.  
**SHIP OF THE LINE** (c, 4, [Louis Quatorze](#)--**Interclipse**, by **Interco**) Lifetime Record: 13-3-1-1, \$43,037. O/B-Jim H Plemmons (KY). T-Paul Duhon.

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**OMISSION:** The story about **Xtra Heat** (Dixieland Heat) in the Apr. 24 edition of the TDN omitted the fact that the five-year-old sold for \$9,100 as a KEENOV weanling.



**6th-CRC, \$28,000**, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000-\$22,500), NW2X, 3yo/up, f/m, 5f, :59 3/5, ft.  
**CRAFTY BRAT** (f, 3, **Lucky Lionel--Dixie Brat {SP, \$260,051}**, by **Dixieland Brass**) Lifetime Record: MSP, 13-4-4-1, \$111,525. O-Calascibetta Inc & W Cheekes, et al. B-Adena Springs (FL). T-Joseph Calascibetta. \*\$11,000 wIng '00 OBSOCT; \$31,000 2yo 2002 OBSAPR.

**7th-HAW, \$28,000**, NW1X, (S), 3/up, 8.5fT, 1:43, fm.  
**IMPROVISER** (c, 4, **Majesty's Imp--Ms. Sonja {SW}**, by **Mickey McGuire**) Lifetime Record: SP, 23-2-7-1, \$83,327. O-E Lubbat & R R Termunde. B-Mill Creek Farm (IL). T-Paul Darjean. \*\$15,000 2yo 2001 ILLJUN.

**9th-PIM, \$26,000**, NW2L, 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:42 4/5, fm.  
**FATHER BRYAN'S GEM** (c, 4, **Sword Dance {Ire}--Baby Diamonds {MSW & MGSP, \$190,176}**, by **Thirty Eight Paces**) Lifetime Record: 13-2-3-1, \$43,610. O-Mark G McGreevy. B-Gilbert G Campbell (FL). T-James L McGreevy.

**4th-CRC, \$26,000**, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000-\$22,500), NW1X, 3yo, f, 1m, 1:42 3/5, ft.  
**MYSTICAL BEAUTY** (f, 3, **Cobra King--Black Foot Beauty, by Devil's Bag**) Lifetime Record: 8-2-0-3, \$43,340. O/B-Sez Who Thoroughbreds (FL). T-William A Kaplan. \*\$40,000 2yo 2002 OBSMAR.

**7th-CRC, \$23,000**, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000-\$22,500), NW1X, 3yo, f, 1m, 1:42, ft.  
**DANDY ROSE** (f, 3, **Pistols and Roses--Squirrelly, by Pancho Villa**) Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-1, \$38,900. O/B-Willis Family Stables Inc (KY). T-Laura Posada. \*1/2 to Polycar (Mystery Storm), GSP-Ity, \$133,155.

**8th-CTX, \$20,000**, 4-24, NW1X, 4yo/up, f/m, 7f, 1:28 4/5, ft.  
**BANAMI MA ME** (f, 4, **Holy Bull--Symphonynumbnine, by Aloha Prospector**) Lifetime Record: 31-5-7-6, \$105,140. O-M A Close. B-J D Farms (KY). T-L P Close. \*\$11,000 yrl '00 KEESEP; \$11,000 2yo 2001 OBSAPR; \$15,000 yrl '00 KEEJAN.

**ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**

**Astra's Sister**, f, 2, **Candi's Gold--Lillian**, by Herat. HOL, 4-24, (C), 4 1/2f, :52 3/5. B-Halo Farms (Ca).

**Morning Merry**, c, 3, **Scarlet 'n Gray--Vincamary**, by Vencedor. HAW, 4-25, 1mT, 1:36 3/5. B-Orion Stables (KS). \*Full to Scarlett Mary, MSW, \$100,548.

**Lapis**, f, 3, **Southern Halo--Buddy's Bird**, by Buddy. AQU, 4-25, (S), 1m, 1:38 1/5. B-Gallagher's Stud (Ny). \*\$2,500 wIng '00 FTMDEC; \$15,000 yrl '01 OBSAUG.

**Elusive Crown**, f, 4, **Royal Academy--Elusive** (MGSP, \$181,181), by Elmaamul. PIM, 4-25, 5fT, :57 1/5. B-Audley Farm Inc (Va).



★ BRITAIN ★

★ "TDN Rising Star" ★

**Yesterday's Results:**

**Sandown, 4.05, Cond**, £16,020, 3yo, c/g, 1m 14ydsT, 1:45.68, gd/fm.

**IKHTYAR (IRE)** (c, 3, **Unfuwain--Sabria, by Miswaki**), third in a one-mile maiden at Newbury Apr. 12 on his only other start, was soon at the head of affairs dictating a considerate pace two lengths in advance of the field and was kicked further ahead with three furlongs remaining. The 65,000gns TATDEC weanling and Ir£380,000 GOFORB yearling was safely clear at the quarter-mile marker and needed only minimal encouragement in the closing stages to beat Always Esteemed (Ire) (Mark Of Esteem {Ire}) by an impressive five lengths as the 7-4 second choice. The winner, a half to Landseer (GB) (Danehill), G1SW-Fr, GISW-US, GSW & MG1SP-Eng, \$757,990, will now point to the Listed Glasgow S. at York May 15. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, £10,472. [Click here for the racingpost.co.uk chart.](#)

O-Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid al Maktoum; B-Rockwell Bloodstock; T-John Gosden.

**Wolverhampton, 1.55, Mdn**, £4,540, 3yo, 7f (AWT), 1:32.45, stn.

**STEEL CAT** (c, 3, **Sir Cat--Daisy Daisy {Ire}**, by **Dance Of Life**), fourth on his only juvenile run and third on his sophomore debut at Newmarket Apr. 15, was positioned in the rear after a tardy start and came under pressure before halfway. The 4-6 favourite, a FF1.8 million DEAAUG yearling purchase, was driven along at the top of the stretch run and was all out in the closing stages to deny Just Jennifer (GB) (Emperor Jones) by a hard-fought two lengths. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-1, £4,430.

O-S Mulryan; B-Azienda Agricola S Uberto In Cerrecchia SRL; T-Luca Cumani.

★ GERMANY ★

**BUGATTI BOOST**

Bugatti, the legendary car manufacturing company, has announced that it will sponsor the G1 Grosser Preis von Baden until 2006. The deal will make the Emirates World Series event, to be known as the Grosser Bugatti-Preis, the most valuable race in Germany at €900,000.



★ HONG KONG ★

**MOSSE APPEAL THROWN OUT**

Jockey Gerald Mosse has lost his appeal against the suspension which rules him out of action from Apr. 28 to May 8. Having been found guilty of careless riding, the stewards of the Hong Kong Jockey Club dismissed the appeal yesterday and ordered his deposit forfeited.

**BREEDERS' EDITION EUROPE**

**CONDITIONS RESULTS:**

**ITALY, Florence, 3.25, Cond, €19,125, 3yo, 7 1/2fT, time: n/a, gd.**

**INDIAN PACIFIC (GB) (c, 3, Indian Ridge {Ire}--Annarama Pacifico {GB} {SW-Ity}, by Niniski)** Lifetime Record: 6 starts, 3 wins, 2 places, €29,580. O-Scuderia Belforte di Cesare Bernasconi; B-Scuderia Bu.Fe.Ra.; T-Bruno Grizzetti. \*1/2 to Gianky Gioffry (Ire) (Primo Dominie {GB}), SW & GSP-Ity, \$192,260.

**ITALY, Florence, 3.55, Cond, €19,125, 4yo/up, 7 1/2fT, time: n/a, gd.**

**GOLDEN CAVERN (GB) (h, 6, Lion Cavern--Nightitude {GB} {SP-Eng}, by Night Shift)** Lifetime Record: 36 starts, 16 wins, 9 places, €223,481. O/T-Francesco Fili; B-Miss Gloria Abbey.

**ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS**

**Lunarella (Ity), f, 3, In The Wings (GB)--Lidianta (Ire), by Persian Heights (GB).** Rome, Italy, 4-25, Mdn, 3yo, f, 1 5/16mT. B-Azienda Agricola Zootecnica Vitellia.

**Arabian Wind (Ire), c, 3, Lahib--Hardshan (Ire), by Warrshan.** Rome, Italy, 4-25, Mdn, 3yo, c/g, 1 1/8mT. B-Riccardo Delfino.

**PRATELLA, 8, Jade Hunter--Dancing Devlette (Devil's Bag)** Foal born Mar. 9, a colt by Dixieland Band. Will be bred back to Pulpit. Owned by Alvin Haynes. Boarded at Belvedere Farm, Ky. Accomplishments: GSW of \$459,622.

**RUNAWAY ROYALTY, 15, Runaway Groom--Princess Papulee (\*Hawaii)** Foal born Mar. 9, a filly by Saint Ballado. Will be bred back to Forestry. Owned by Albert Coppola. Boarded at Taylor Made Farm, KY. Accomplishments: Dam of Air Rocket (El Prado {Ire}), GSW, \$406,327.

**VOGUE STAR (ARG), 18, Ringaro--Valeriana (Arg) (Liloy {Fr})** Foal born Mar. 9, a colt by Giant's Causeway. Will be bred back to Came Home. Owned by Vogue Star LLC. Boarded at Walmac, Ky. Accomplishments: MGSW-Arg. Dam of Victory Stripes (Arg) (Candy Stripes), GSW & MGISP-US, G1SW-Arg; Vogue Sunset (Arg) (Halo Sunshine), MGSW-Arg.

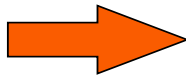
**TIMI (GB), 6, Alzao--Timiram (Ire) (Runnett {GB})** Foal born Mar. 10, a filly by Fusaichi Pegasus. Will be bred back to Gulch. Owned by All. La Nuova Sbarra. Boarded at Hill 'n' Dale Farm, KY. Accomplishments: G1SW-Ity.

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