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TAKE A WALK ON THE WILD SIDE

A champion in her native Chile, **Wild Spirit (Chi)** (Hussonet) has been tabbed as a potential challenger to reigning Horse of the Year Azeri on the strength of two very impressive victories in the U.S. She takes her first crack at Grade I company as the 3-5 morning-line favorite in today's Personal Ensign H. at Saratoga. Following her successful stateside bow at 10-1 going a flat mile in the GII Shuvee H. May 17, the rugged dark bay stretched out to 10 furlongs for the GII Delaware H. July 20 and ran to her 4-5 odds, winning by six lengths despite jockey Jerry Bailey dropping his whip in the stretch. She picks up five pounds off that victory, a fact which concerns trainer Bobby Frankel, but her four rivals today will have to step up their game in order to threaten the 122-pound heavyweight. "I think this is going to be a test for her because she's a young four-year-old who is giving weight to older horses," Frankel said of the July-born Wild Spirit. "That's a lot to ask from her." But the well-armed Frankel, who also trains MGISW Sightseek, feels his filly has the potential to be the best of her generation. "[Wild Spirit] has really exceeded my expectations with what she has accomplished," he said. "I think she's champion until proven otherwise. I'm really looking forward to her meeting Azeri in the Breeders' Cup if everything continues to go well." Defending champ **Summer Colony** (Summer Squall) is back for another go at Wild Spirit, having finished sixth at Delaware.



Wild Spirit A *Coglianese*

Friday, Saratoga, post time: 5:32 p.m. EDT
PERSONAL ENSIGN H.-GI, \$400,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 10f
 PP HORSE SIRE TRAINER ODDS
 1 Wild Spirit (Chi) Hussonet Frankel 3-5
 2 Summer Colony Summer Squall Hennig 3-1
 3 Miss Linda (Arg) Southern Halo Kimmel 5-1
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The **brisnet.com** 'Race of the Day' is the
 GI Personal Ensign H. at Saratoga.

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DREAM ON

Juddmonte Farms's **Oasis Dream (GB)** (Green Desert) delivered an exhibition of brutal speed to capture yesterday's G1 Victor Chandler Nunthorpe S. at York in :56.20, just missing Dayjur's track record by .04 seconds. "I'm there to be shot at," warned jockey Richard Hughes beforehand as doubts lingered surrounding the colt's tackling of the minimum (five furlong) trip for the first time, but the punters on the knavesmire were confident and sent him off the 4-9 favorite. Breaking with all the alacrity of a hardened sprinter, Oasis Dream soon had a length advantage under Hughes. Extending that margin passing the halfway mark, he powered clear from **The Tatling (Ire)** (Perugino) to record a comfortable score. "He was very special today," Hughes said afterwards. "The amazing thing is that you don't realise how fast you are going on him. If they hadn't watered last night, I'm sure he would have broken the record. He's so versatile and such an easy horse which makes my job a lot easier." *Cont. p2*

Thursday, York, Britain

VICTOR CHANDLER NUNTHORPE S.-G1, £200,000, York, 8-21, 2yo/up, 5f 3ydsT, :56.20, gd/fm.

1--**OASIS DREAM (GB)**, 135, c, 3, by Green Desert

1st Dam: Hope (Ire), by Dancing Brave

2nd Dam: Bahamian (Ire), by Mill Reef

3rd Dam: Sorbus (Ire), by Busted (GB)

O-Khalid Abdullah; B-Juddmonte Farms; T-John Gosden; J-Richard Hughes; £116,000. Lifetime Record: Hwt. 2yo Colt-GB, 7-4-1-1, £384,237.

*1/2 to Hopeful Light (GB) (Warning {GB}), MSW-GB; and Zenda (GB) (Zamindar), G1SW-Fr, G1SP-US & GB, \$406,560.

2--**The Tatling (Ire)**, 137, g, 6, Perugino--Aunty Eileen (GB), by Ahonoora (GB). (Ir54,000gns yrl '98 TATIRE). O-Dab Hand Racing; B-Patrick J Power; £44,000.

3--**Acclamation (GB)**, 137, c, 4, Royal Applause (GB)--Princess Athena (Ire), by Ahonoora (GB). (33,000gns yrl '00 DONSEP). O-Dulford Cavaliers; B-Tedwood Bloodstock Limited & Partners; £22,000.

Margins: 2HF, 1 1/4, 1. Odds: 4-9, 9-1, 9-1.

Also ran: Dominica (GB), Orientor (GB), The Trader (Ire), Bahamian Pirate, Continent (GB).

Scratched: Talbot Avenue (GB), Danehurst (GB).

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SPEED DEMON Track records are **Oasis Dream** (Green Desert)'s metier as he proved when shattering the Rowley Mile's when winning the G1 Middle Park S. in October. After returning to finish third behind Choisir (Aus) under a penalty in the G2 King's Stand S. at Royal Ascot June 17, the bay colt underwent the metamorphosis from champion juvenile into the leading contender for champion sprinter in the G1 July Cup at Newmarket July 10. Cornering the Australian bully Choisir (Aus) in the closing stages of that contest, he outpunched that rival to win by 1½ lengths. Conditioner John Gosden is convinced he is more than just a sprinter, however, and has ambitious autumn plans for the sophomore. "I've trained a lot of very fast horses in my life in America and in Europe, but never one as fast as this," the Manton-based trainer commented. "He's a laid-back character with a great temperament and has the ability to go a little further. I had to train him for this race, but five furlongs is not his scene to be quite honest, as he's more of a six or seven horse. I went back to old methods and the American clock and let him breeze on his own for three furlongs, and he went 34 and change comfortably on the bridle, and the work-rider said that's the fastest he'd ever been in his life. It's not his natural trip, he just has that speed. He won the race up the hill in the July Cup on stamina and guts and I'd have loved his next race to have been over six or seven furlongs, but he's done it well. He was just playing about in the last furlong as he gets bored easily when being in front for so long. The plan for him would obviously be the G1 Haydock Sprint Cup [Sept. 6] and we're fairly intent at this stage to point him at the G1 Breeders' Cup Mile at Santa Anita [Oct. 25]. It's a fast, two-turn mile and as long as you draw alright that would suit him very well. There was a little horse called Last Tycoon with Yves Saint-Martin who did it once, so it's not an untreaded path." That may in fact be the path of least resistance. Oasis Dream's sire Green Desert himself was last of nine behind Smile in the 1986 Breeders' Cup Sprint, but has sired Sheikh Albadou (GB), hero of the 1991 renewal of the \$1-million event. [Click for the brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree](#) or for the [racingpost.co.uk race chart](#).

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Thursday, York, Britain
PEUGEOT LOWTHER S.-G2, £85,000, York, 8-21, 2yo, f, 6f 3ydsT, 1:10.67 (NTR), gd/fm.

- 1--#**@CARRY ON KATIE**, 123, f, 2, by [Fasliyev](#)
 1st Dam: **Dinka Raja**, by **Woodman**
 2nd Dam: **Miss Profile (Ire)**, by **Sadler's Wells**
 3rd Dam: **Katie May (GB)**, by **Busted (GB)**
 (€100,000 yrl '02 DEAAUG). O-Mohammed Rashid; B-Swordlestown Stud; T-Jeremy Nosedo; J-Frankie Dettori; £49,300. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, £54,704.
 *Sixth stakes winner and fourth Group winner for freshman sire (by Nureyev).
- 2--**Badminton (GB)**, 123, f, 2, Zieten--Badawi, by Diesis (GB). O-Marwan Al Maktoum; B-Darley; £18,700.
- 3--**Dunloskin (GB)**, 123, f, 2, Selkirk--Dalinda, by Nureyev. (56,000gns yrl '02 TATOCT). O-Saif Ali; B-Gerald W Leigh; £9,350.


Margins: 2, 1, 2. Odds: 3-1, 8-1, 7-2.
 Also ran: Valjarv (Ire), Tolzey, Chance For Romance (GB), Three Secrets (Ire), Venetian Pride, Silca's Gift (GB).

Jockey Frankie Dettori had to hold on to Carry on Katie with all his strength on the way to post, but he just let her roll on the way back to destroy her rivals in this contest, setting a new juvenile track record in the process. Drifting alarmingly in the betting from a morning price of even-money to 3-1 at the off, the latest powerhouse from the Fasliyev production line broke from the one hole and instantly took two lengths out of the field as she edged over to the centre of the track. Always in control, she needed minimal encouragement from Dettori to shrug off Dunloskin inside the final quarter and drew clear as Badminton closed at a safe distance. She had suggested that she might be something special when making all over rain-softened ground to beat Three Secrets (Ire) (Danehill) by 12 lengths on her debut at Ascot July 25. Despite the manner of that success, the skeptics were out in force as she stepped up in class, but she silenced the doubters to justify the purchase by Mohammed Rashid from Lucayan Stud in the interim. "She tore away with me going to the start and it reminded me of the good old days of Lochsong," Dettori explained. "Actually, she only ran away for a furlong and I got her back and trotted her and she cooled down before the start. She's got bags of speed--right now I think she's a six-furlong filly, but she has a big body and scope to get a mile next year. She's very hot, but usually the good fillies are. With a winter on her back, she could be a nice Guineas filly." Jeremy Nosedo, who scooped the previous day's juvenile feature, the G2 Gimcrack S. with Balmont, will aim the winner at the G1 Cheveley Park S. at Newmarket Oct. 2. [Click for the brisnet.com catalog-style pedigree](#) or [racingpost.co.uk race chart](#).

SILVER ANNIVERSARY SPOTLIGHT

On August 28, 1999, FORESTRY won the Grade I King's Bishop S. in a sizzling 1:21 flat. His internal fraction of 1:07 3/5 was faster than the track record for six furlongs at Saratoga.

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STATE OF THE EMPIRE Juddmonte's **Empire Maker** (Unbridled), the 8-5 favorite on the morning line for Saturday's GI Travers S., may miss the \$1-million event after not cleaning up his feed tub, according to trainer Bobby Frankel. "When I came back to the barn [Wednesday], they said he was a little quiet," said Frankel. "I came back at 9 o'clock [p.m.] and he hadn't eaten up yet. He didn't have a temperature. We walked him [Thursday], took another blood [test] and we'll see what happens tomorrow." Frankel surprised many when he also entered **Peace Rules** (Jules) during Wednesday's Travers draw, which led to speculation that all was not well with the Belmont winner. "I think something's not right," he added. "If I do something stupid and train him, he might get sick. I'm not looking for an excuse to run. I want to play it safe."

MIDWAY ROAD SIDELINED Midway Road (Jade Hunter), runner-up in the GI Preakness S., will miss the remainder of the racing season after suffering a fractured ankle, according to *Thoroughbred Times*. "No surgery will be needed, but he will be given 60 days off on the farm," trainer Neil Howard said Wednesday. "We think he is a nice horse and are looking forward to seeing him as a four-year-old." Midway Road moved into Triple Crown consideration with an 11 3/4-length allowance victory at Keeneland in April. After his runner-up finish behind Funny Cide in the Preakness, the William Farish homebred finished third in the June 21 GII Ohio Derby. On the board in six of nine starts to date, Midway Road has won three races and earned \$323,045.

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JOHAR RETURNS The Thoroughbred Corporation's **Johar** (Gone West), unraced since his victory in the GII San Marcos H. at Santa Anita Jan. 20, makes his return to the races in this afternoon's Harry F. Brubaker H. at Del Mar. The four-year-old had a very productive sophomore campaign, finishing second in this track's Ocean-side S. and GII Del Mar Derby before adding victories in the GII Oak Tree and GI Hollywood Derbies. A shoulder injury took the bay out of action, but he has trained very well over the local main track as he embarks on a campaign which conditioner Richard Mandella hopes will include the GI Breeders' Cup Turf at Santa Anita Oct. 25. The Brubaker has attracted a graded-stakes quality field, including MGISW **Sarafan** (Lear Fan), who is making his first appearance since finishing third in Hollywood allowance company May 21; and **Fateful Dream** (Distant View), a close third in this a year ago.

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 first-time starters.

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CARRY ON KATIE won the G2 Lowther S. yesterday.

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Saturday, Saratoga

KING'S BISHOP S.-GI, \$200,000, 3yo, 7f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	Great Notion	Elusive Quality	Day	117
2	Valid Video	Valid Wager	Bravo	121
3	Posse	Silver Deputy	Lanerie	123
4	Private City	Carson City	Samyn	117
5	Halo Homewrecker	Southern Halo	Migliore	121
6	Scrimshaw	Gulch	Chavez	123
7	Midnight Charlie	Indian Charlie	Castillo Jr	119
8	Zavata	Phone Trick	Bailey	123
9	Ghostzapper	Awesome Again	Castellano	117
10	During	Cherokee Run	Velasquez	123
11	Eye of the Tiger	American Chance	Solis	121
12	Awesome Time	Awesome Again	Prado	121
13	Christine's Outlaw	Wild Again	Velazquez	117

Saturday, Saratoga

FOURSTARDAVE H.-GII, \$200,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	Quest Star	Broad Brush	Prado	116
2	Union Place	Out of Place	Samyn	112
3	War Zone	Danzig	Castellano	119
4	Tap the Admiral	Pleasant Tap	Luzzi	115
5	Trademark (SAf)	Goldmark (SAf)	Migliore	118
6	Tam's Terms	Private Terms	Karamanos	115
7	Finality	Dehere	Velazquez	116
8	Rouvres (Fr)	Anabaa	Solis	115
9	Political Attack	Hawk Attack	Guidry	114
10	Patrol	Lear Fan	Bailey	117
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☆ PACIFIC CLASSIC ☆

FIVE ENTERED IN PACIFIC CLASSIC

A short field of five, led by MGISW **Medaglia d'Oro** (El Prado {Ire}), will go postward in Sunday's GI Pacific Classic at Del Mar. Medaglia d'Oro, from the deep barn of Bobby Frankel, was second in last year's GI Breeders' Cup Classic at Sunday's 1 1/4-mile trip and is unbeaten in three starts this term. Most recently, the four-year-old was a one-length winner of the GI Whitney H. at Saratoga. He has been listed at 6-5 on the morning line. Frankel will also be represented by two-time GI Santa Anita H. winner **Milwaukee Brew** (Wild Again), 7-2 on the morning line. A pair of Classic hopefuls turned in their final tune-ups for Sunday's race yesterday at the Del Mar oval. Undefeated Argentinian **Candy Ride (Arg)** (Ride the Rails), with new rider Julie Krone in the irons, worked a half mile in :47.60 and galloped out five furlongs in 1:00.80. "He did just what we wanted him to do," said trainer Ron McAnally. "Julie was quite pleased with the work, too." Candy Ride is second choice on the morning line at 7-5. **Kudos** (Kris S.), most recently third in the GI Hollywood Gold Cup, worked five furlongs yesterday in :59.80. "He went super," trainer Richard Mandella said of the six-year-old, 6-1 on the morning line. Of his chances Sunday, Mandella added, "He tries hard every time. He's not tons better than these horses, but he's in their league; he's right there with them. He'll have his day. I'm just proud to have him to lead over."

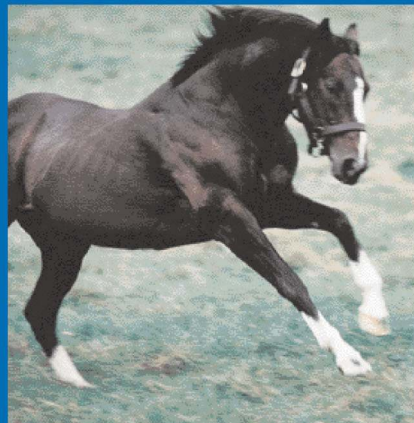
Sunday, Del Mar

PACIFIC CLASSIC-GI, \$1,000,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/4m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	Fleetstreet Dancer	Smart Strike	T Baze	124
2	Medaglia d'Oro	El Prado (Ire)	Bailey	124
3	Candy Ride (Arg)	Ride the Rails	Krone	124
4	Kudos	Kris S.	Solis	124
5	Milwaukee Brew	Wild Again	Prado	124

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TOO CHIC DIES Foundation broodmare **Too Chic** (Blushing Groom {Fr}--Remedia, by Dr. Fager) was euthanized yesterday at Middlebrook Farm near Lexington, Kentucky. The 24-year-old mare had been suffering from the infirmities of old age. Bred by King Ranch, the dark bay was purchased by Emory Alexander Hamilton as a yearling for \$100,000 at Fasig-Tipton's July sale and developed into a top three-year-old. A winner of four of her eight starts that year, Too Chic captured the GI Maskette S. and ran second in the GI Alabama S., in addition to equalling the track record at Belmont for a mile and sixteenth in 1:40 2/5. Her first foal was the Grade I winner Chic Shirine (Mr. Prospector) and she went on to produce Queena (Mr. Prospector), whose three Grade I victories in 1991 saw her named as the Eclipse Award winner for champion older mare. Too Chic's last foal, a colt by Fusaichi Pegasus, is now a yearling. Chic Shirine, the dam of GSWs Tara Roma (Lyphard) and Waldoboro (Lyphard), is the granddam of GISW Serra Lake (Seattle Slew) and MSW Cappuchino (Capote). Queena has produced GISW Brahms (Danzig). Too Chic, who spent her entire broodmare career at King Ranch, will be buried at Middlebrook alongside Courtly Dee, 1983 Broodmare of the Year.

SUCCESSFUL APPEAL FILLY TOPS OBS FINALE A filly from the first crop of multiple graded stakes winner Successful Appeal brought a bid of \$55,000 to top yesterday's final session of the Ocala Breeders' Sales Company's August Yearling Sale in Ocala, Florida. The chestnut, consigned by Wesfield Farm, agent, was purchased by John Brocklebank. She is out of Loni Girl (Future Storm), a half sister to GSP Sangam (Majestic Light). During the three-day open sale, OBS sold 681 yearlings for \$6,493,200. The average sale price was \$9,535, an increase of 8.2 percent from last year's auction. The buy-back rate fell to 25.5 percent from last year's figure of 27.7 percent. *For complete sales statistics see pages 2 & 3.*

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Rudy Santopietro Dies:


Rudy Santopietro, owner of Pond View Stud Farm in Bullville, NY died Sunday at his home in Homosassa, Florida. He was 76. Pond View has been home to several prominent New York stallions, including Star Gallant, Hooched, Drum's Captain and Its Acedemic. The farm bred Terrorist and raced the multiple stakes winner in his two and three-year-old season. Pond View also co-bred five-time stakes winner Missionary. Santopietro is survived by his wife, two daughters and three grandchildren.

Surgery for Samyn:

Jockey Jean-Luc Samyn, originally diagnosed with a bruised knee after a spill in Wednesday's seventh race at Saratoga, suffered a fractured femur. The injury will require surgery, which is expected to be performed today at Manhattan's Hospital for Special Surgery. "He wants to be down there so he can be closer to his home," Samyn's agent Robin Carroll explained of the move from Saratoga Hospital. "Thank goodness, it's not any worse." Samyn was injured when his mount Vinthea clipped heels and stumbled while attempting to split horses.

Six-Time Winner Starts in Maiden:

Palique (Uru) (Ideologico {Arg}), who makes his U.S. debut in this afternoon's sixth race maiden at Saratoga, seems to have a serious advantage over his competition. He actually won six races in his native Uruguay, but as those races were unsanctioned by the Uruguayan Jockey Club, the four-year-old is eligible to start in a maiden in this country. The bay colt, owned by Team Valor and trained by John Kimmel, has been training well at Belmont Park and gets the services of Jerry Bailey today. He is coupled in the wagering with **Host** (Tabasco Cat).

STAKES CLOSINGS 

TOMORROW, SATURDAY, AUGUST 23:

9-6 \$500,000 **Woodward-I, Bel**, 3yo/up, 9f (500)
9-6 \$500,000 **Man O' War-I, Bel**, 3yo/up, 11fT (500)
9-6 \$250,000 **Gazelle H.-I, Bel**, 3yo, f, 9f (250)
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Yesterday's Results:

3rd-SAR, \$56,260, Alw, C, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8m, 1:50, ft.

1--**SHE'S GOT THE BEAT, 113, f, 4, Sultry Song--Judy's Magic, by Wavering Monarch.** (\$15,000 yrl '00 FTNAUG; \$47,000 2yo 2001 OBSAPR). O-Elizabeth Walsh; B-J I Racing, Inc & Woodside Stud, Inc (NY); T-Philip G Johnson. Lifetime Record: GISP, 19-7-6-2, \$363,096.

2--**Pocus Hocus, 116, m, 5, Quiet American--Cadabra Abra, by Al Hattab.** (\$95,000 wlng '98 KEENOV).

3--**Forest Secrets, 120, m, 5, Forest Wildcat--Garden Secrets, by Time for a Change.** (\$150,000 wlng '98 KEENOV; \$425,000 yrl '99 FTSAUG).

Margins: 4 1/4, 2HF, HF. Odds: 0.85, 2.65, 2.85.

She's Got The Beat went in search of class relief here and took care of this four-horse affair with aplomb. Winner of an Aqueduct allowance Apr. 10, the Empire-bred was coming into this effort off a quartet of runner-up finishes, beaten three lengths by Summer Colony in the GII Molly Pitcher BC H. June 28 and more recently completed the exacta when 11 lengths in arrears of Sightseek in the GI Go For Wand H. over course and distance July 27. Three wide but close to the pace for six furlongs, the bay turned up the pressure on the turn, struck the front in upper stretch and pulled clear.

★ **"TDN Rising Star"** ★

8th-SAR, \$47,000, Alw, NW1X, 2yo, f, 6f, 1:10 2/5, ft.

ANA'S LADY BIRD (f, 2, Lord Carson--Endless Storm, by Storm Bird), a \$155,000 BESMAY two-year-old, won at first asking June 29 at Churchill and followed that up with a solid third to Dixie Waltz in a local allowance July 30 after getting bumped at the start. With a bullet half in :46 4/5 in the interim, the bay was bet down to 4-5 and did not disappoint her backers. Breaking alertly from the outside post, she went up to press second choice Amazer (Quaker Ridge) and the pair zipped through a half in :44.61. Jockey Pat Day remained motionless on Ana's Lady Bird as the big filly opened up on her rivals, cruising home clear by 9 1/2 lengths. Amazer stayed on for second. **Click here for the [brisnet.com](http://www.brisnet.com) chart.** Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-1, \$60,690.

O-Oceanfront Properties & Keith Asmussen. B-K C Horse Corporation (KY). T-Steven M Asmussen.

5th-SAR, \$46,000, Msw, 3yo/up, 1 1/8m, 1:49 2/5, ft.


GRACE COURSE (c, 4, Saint Ballado--Lady Vernalee {MSW, \$144,425}, by Hold Your Peace), unraced until this season, bled when ninth in his July 5 debut sprinting at Churchill, but added Lasix for his Spa unveiling Aug. 2, setting the pace before getting caught at the wire by a neck. The even-money chalk on the stretch out to two turns, the \$180,000 KEESep yearling purchase sped to the early advantage, repulsed a challenge from Discover the Glory (Honour and Glory) entering the stretch and held sway late to best that resurgent rival by 3/4 of a length. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, \$36,600.

O-Bethlehem Stables. B-Sue Kokesh (FL). T-William I Mott.

6th-SAR, \$46,000, Msw, 3/up, f/m, 9fT, 1:48 3/5, fm.

LADY GWEN (f, 3, Alphabet Soup--A Lady With Appeal {MSP}, by Valid Appeal), out of the money just once in six previous turf tries, got the job done this time. The grey returned from a two-month break to run eighth on the main track at Belmont May 18, then went back to the turf and was second June 26 and third July 13. Unhurried early, the 10-1 shot swung to the outside in the stretch and came running late to deny favored Proud Beauty (Ire) (Danehill) by a half-length. The winner was a \$42,000 OBSAPR juvenile. Lifetime Record: 9-1-3-2, \$56,020.

O-Ye Weila. B-Stacy Leppala & Linda Adams (KY). T-Daniel C Peitz.

 OBS AUGUST SALE THURSDAY, AUGUST 21, 2003		
SESSION TOTALS	2003	2002
No. Sold	237	193
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★ EAST ★

Yesterday's Results:

5th-MTH, \$35,000, Msw, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:44 1/5, fm.

CONSTANT TOUCH (f, 3, [Belong to Me](#)--Sopran Mariduff {GB} {GSW-US, MSW & G1SP-Ity, \$399,844}, by Persian Bold), last of eight in her June 22 bow over this main track, improved by leaps and bounds when switched to the turf for her latest, a second-place finish at 40-1 July 27. The 5-2 favorite stalked the lone speed from second, edged to the front approaching the stretch and was under a drive to hold off Free Scarlet (Red Ransom) by a length. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, \$28,000. O-G Watts Humphrey Jr. B-Kilroy Thoroughbred Partnership (KY). T-Victoria Oliver.

3rd-LRL, \$25,000, Msw, 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2fT, 1:10, sf.

OFFTHEOLDBLOCK (f, 3, [A.P. Indy](#)--Chip {MGSW, \$448,032}, by Norquestor), a \$600,000 KEENOV weanling purchase, was a non-factor in four main-track efforts last season and returned from a six-month absence with a sixth-place effort over the Philadelphia main track June 9. The dark bay showed some signs of life in her latest, missing by a neck in her turf bow in Bensalem July 29 and was the 2-1 second choice to graduate over this boggy going. Quickly in front, she set the pace near the rail, kicked clear into the lane and reported home a two-length winner over Flight of Time (Polish Numbers). Lifetime Record: 7-1-1-0, \$19,220. O-Jayeff B Stables. B-Marvin Delfiner & Kinghaven Farms Ltd (KY). T-Alan E Goldberg.

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Wednesday Night Results:

3rd-WOX, \$69,900, Alw, NW1X, 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:34 3/5, fm.

STONE CAT (c, 3, [Storm Cat](#)--Miss Caerleona {Fr} {GSW-US, SP-Fr, \$260,663}, by Caerleon), hammered down for \$2.4 million at the 2001 FTSAUG sale, could do no better than fourth in three starts south of the border, but made a favorable impression in his Canadian bow, leading gate to wire to break his maiden by 5 3/4 lengths July 18. The 4-1 second choice to make it two straight, the dark bay raced three wide up the back-stretch, angled in turning for home, switched back out at the eighth pole and was going well late to win by 1 1/4 lengths from favored Surging River (Gone West). Lifetime Record: 5-2-0-0, \$83,280. O-Live Oak Plantation & Stonerside Stable. B-Stonerside Stable (KY). T-Malcolm Pierce.

★ AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS ★

IN BRITAIN:

Perfect Distance, f, 2, [Distant View](#)--Theycallmecharlie (MSP, \$105,318), by Charlie Barley. Musselburgh, Britain, 8-21, Hcp, 2yo, 5fT. B-Albatroz Bloodstock.
Search Mission, f, 2, [Red Ransom](#). See "Britain"
Mezzo Soprano, f, 3, [Darshaan](#) (GB). See "Britain"

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★ CENTRAL ★

Yesterday's Results:

4th-APX, \$32,000, Alw, NW1X, 3yo, f, 6 1/2f, 1:17, ft.
STAR OF ATTICUS (f, 3, [Atticus](#)--[Trip Around Heaven](#), by [Halo](#)) broke her maiden by four lengths at Keeneland last Oct. 9 before finishing a good runner-up to Belle of Perintown in the Pocahontas S. at Churchill Nov. 2. Sidelined since checking in sixth in the Gll Golden Rod S. in Louisville Nov. 30, the \$40,000 FTKJUL yearling was bet down to 7-10 to get back in the win column. The dark bay showed good speed from her inside post, shook loose on the turn and prevailed by a length from Noble Place (Out of Place). Lifetime Record: SP, 5-2-1-0, \$74,625.
 O-Doris Tomillo. B-F DeSavino (KY). T-Bobby C Barnett.

9th-ELP, \$30,000, Alw, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2fT, 1:03 1/5, fm.
MARVEL (f, 3, [Williamstown](#)--[Andelinian](#), by [Barcelona](#)) tried the turf for the first time July 30 and graduated over course and distance. The 4-5 favorite to keep it going, she took the lead soon after the start and battled nearly every step before prevailing by 1 1/4 lengths over Miesques Testimony (Miesque's Son). The winner is a half to Tindell (Stutz Blackhawk), MSP, \$190,932. Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-0, \$41,530.
 O-Chrysalis Stables LLC. B-Stephanie S Clark (KY). T-Lynn S Whiting.

7th-LAD, \$23,000, Msw, 2yo, 5fT, :58 4/5, fm.
ATTEN HUT (c, 2, [Military](#)--[Dancelena](#) {MSP, \$112,988}, by [Procida](#)), a \$4,200 KEENOV weanling, debuted with a fourth over the local main track Aug. 10. Testing the turf as the 9-5 choice, the dark bay was prominent from the start, gained command in midstretch and marched home clear by 1 1/2 lengths. Atten Hut becomes the second winner for his freshman sire (by Danzig). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$16,300.
 O-Robert H Shepard. B-Hopewell Investments LLC & The Thoroughbred Corp (KY). T-Mark L Thompson.

★ DELMAR ★

Yesterday's Results:

3rd-DMR, \$70,000, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$100,000), NW1\$R6MX, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:42 3/5, ft.
1--GIFT OF THE EAGLE, 117, h, 5, Islefaxyou--Bob's Big Girl, by Well Decorated. (\$60,000 wlng '98 FTKNOV). O-L Bell & G Krikorian; B-L Bell (KY); T-J Shirreffs. Lifetime Record: MGSP, 20-4-4-3, \$271,800.
2--Daunting, 117, h, 5, Sea Hero--Lost Thought, by Lost Code. (\$20,000 yrl '99 KEESEP).
3--Truly a Judge, 117, h, 5, Judge T C--Truly Needy, by Yukon. (\$37,000 2yo 2000 KEENOV).
 Margins: HD, 2HF, 1. Odds: 18.30, 1.00, 1.80.
 Multiple graded-stakes placed at two, Gift of the Eagle went missing after a ninth in the Indiana Derby Oct. 6, 2001. The five-year-old returned to action July 26 and never figured, finishing seventh over track and trip. Sent off as the longest shot on the board, the blaze-faced bay went up to set a pressured pace, then was collared by favored Daunting passing the eighth pole before fighting back very gamely on the inside and getting his nose down on the wire.

1st-DMR, \$63,378, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$80,000), NW2X, 3yo, 1mT, 1:34 3/5, fm.
BIS REPETITAS (c, 3, [Red Ransom](#)--[Basse Besogne](#) {Ire} {GSP-Fr & MGSP-US, \$138,257}, by [Pursuit of Love](#) {GB}) couldn't get a flight to Chicago and wound up missing last Saturday's GI Secretariat S. After starting his career in France, the bay came to California, where he had been racing exclusively in stakes company. From five starts on the West Coast, Bis Repetitas had hit the board just twice, finishing a good third to Peace Rules and Singletary in the Hill Rise S. Dec. 28, and most recently running second by 3/4 of a length in the Glll Cinema Breeders' Cup H. June 29. The 9-5 second choice enjoyed a ground-saving trip, angled out approaching the stretch and got first run on 4-5 Outta Here (Dehere). Bis Repetitas hit the front in midstretch and dug in gamely to deny the favorite by a half-length. Lifetime Record: GSP, 9-3-2-1, \$112,287.
 O-Edmund Gann. B-Janus Bloodstock (KY). T-R Frankel.

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(Del Mar report cont.)

7th-DMR, \$60,062, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$62,500), NW2X, 3yo/up, f/m, 5fT, :57, fm.

TALK ME AGAIN (ARG) (m, 5, Mutakddim--Tampala {SP-Arg}, by Kasteel) ended her Argentinian campaign with a near-miss in San Isidro's G1 Gran Premio Felix de Alzaga Unzue in December, but tired to fifth in her U.S. debut in a July 9 Hollywood allowance. An even fourth in her next outing over course and distance July 28, the chestnut mare was sent off at 3-1. She dueled on the front end early, fought back when passed in upper stretch and outfinished Magarita Midnight (Slewdledo) by a neck despite drifting out. Lifetime Record: MGSW & G1SP-Arg, 18-8-3-3, \$64,204.

O-S M Mitchell Ranch LLC. B-Haras Orilla del Monte (Arg). T-J Eric Kruljac.

 **FRESHMAN FOCUS**

First-crop progeny to watch: Friday, August 22

Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 1999 Fee, #2yos/Winners/SW

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

ARCHERS BAY (Silver Deputy), Dead, \$, 57/1/0

6-WO, Msw, 7fT, Connell Town, 12-1

CHARISMATIC (Summer Squall), Japan, \$, 79/1/0

10-ELP, Msw, 1mT, +Toscanini, \$30K KEE SEP yrl, 12-1

CRAFTY FRIEND (Crafty Prospector), Hopewell, \$8K, 82/3/0

10-ELP, Msw, 1mT, My Friend Forever, \$29K EAS OCT yrl, 8-1

EXPELLED (Explorent), Albemarle, \$5K, 47/5/0

10-ELP, Msw, 1mT, Exploding Affair, \$29K KEE SEP yrl, 20-1

FASLIYEV (Nureyev), Coolmore, \$20K, 112/24/6

6-WO, Msw, 7fT, +Faswiga, 20-1

FORESTRY (Storm Cat), Taylor Made, \$50K, 75/4/1

4-SAR, Msw, 7f, Sisti's Pride, 5-1

GENERAL ROYAL (A.P. Indy), Crestwood, \$5K, 39/1/0

6-WO, Msw, 7fT, +Do You Love It, \$8K OBS AUG yrl, 12-1

KEOS (Riverman), Fresnay, \$4K, 28/0/0

1-MNR, Msw, 5f, +Mauk Me, \$17K KEE SEP yrl

MENIFEE (Harlan), Stone, \$15K, 37/1/0

4-SAR, Msw, 7f, Main Stream, \$155K KEE APR 2yo, 9-2

OLD TRIESTE (A.P. Indy), Dead, \$, 44/2/0

4-SAR, Msw, 7f, Steady Course, 5-1

RUBIYAT (Rubiano), Summerwind, \$2K, 8/1/0

5-SAR, Alw, 6f, Rubi Echo, \$7K EAS OCT yrl, 15-1

STANDING ON EDGE (Deputy Minister), Beau Ridge, \$500, 14/1/0

3-CT, Msw, 4 1/2f, Mr Victory, 15-1

TACTICAL CAT (Storm Cat), Overbrook, \$10K, 68/7/1

6-WO, Msw, 7fT, Mrs. Mistofelees, \$20K KEE SEP yrl, 10-1

 **SOPHOMORE SPOTLIGHT**

First-time starters/stakes runners: Friday, August 22

Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 1998 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/SW

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

ELUSIVE QUALITY (Gone West), Gainsborough, \$10K, 165/44/11

4-SAR, Msw, 7f, +Evasive, \$225K FTK JUL yrl, 10-1

FORMAL GOLD (Black Tie Affair {Ire}), Gainsway, \$15K, 130/34/1

7-LRL, Stk, 1 1/8mT, Cheverly Gold, \$95K BAR MAR 2yo, 15-1

LABEEB (GB) (Lear Fan), Gainsborough, \$8K, 68/9/2

4-ELP, Msw, 1mT, +Thelightsareon, 15-1

WILD RUSH (Wild Again), Adena, \$15K, 175/34/2

4-SAR, Msw, 7f, +Stellar Jayne, \$170K FTS AUG yrl, 10-1

6-WO, Msw, 7fT, +Wild Attraction, \$73K CAN JUN 2yo, 6-1



EUROPE



★ FRANCE ★

Friday, Clairefontaine, post time: 3:15 p.m.

GRAND PRIX DE CLAIREFONTAINE - ETALON

ENRIQUE-Listed, €41,000, 3yo, 1 1/2mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER
1	8	Millenium Mabo (Fr)	Dernier Empereur	de Roualle
2	2	Darinski (Ire)	Mark of Esteem (Ire)	de Royer-Dupre
3	4	I Got Rythm (Fr)	Roakarad (Ire)	C Boutin
4	7	Jarro Fontenailles (Fr)	Kaldounevees (Fr)	Libaud
5	3	Grey Glitters (Fr)	Grey Risk (Fr)	Demercastel
6	6	Dares (Ger)	Sternkoenig (Ire)	Blume
7	1	Kjetil	King of Kings (Ire)	Laffon-Parias
8	5	Forestier (Fr)	Nikos (GB)	Danel

All carry 123 pounds.

★ IRELAND ★

Yesterday's Results:

IRISH STALLION FARMS EBF FAIRY BRIDGE S.-Listed,

€67,200, Tipperary, 8-21, 3yo/up, f/m, 7f 100ydsT, 1:34.60, gd.

1--**#PLUME ROUGE (GB), 123, f, 3, Pivotal (GB)--**

Classic Fan, by Lear Fan. O-Lady O'Reilly; B-Classic Bloodstock; T-Kevin Prendergast; J-Declan McDonogh; €45,500. Lifetime Record: 11-2-2-1, €86,789. *5,000gns wnlg '00 TATDEC; Ir£2,840 yrl '01 TATIRE.

2--**Perfect Touch, 134, f, 4, Miswaki--Glen Kate (Ire),** by Glenstal. €13,300.

3--**Triple Gold (Ire), 128, f, 4, Goldmark--Gold Necklace (Ire),** by Golden Fleece. €6,300.

Margins: 2, 2, SHD. Odds: 10-1, 5-4, 12-1.

Also ran: Twiggy's Sister (Ire), Sun Slash (Ire), Sissy Slew, Elbeo's Dream (Ire), Lupine (Ire), Satine (Ire), Roisin's Star (Ire), Butterfly Blue (Ire), Alexander Diamond (Ire).

Plume Rouge ran fifth in the G1 Irish 1000 Guineas at The Curragh May 25 before finishing runner-up in a Navan conditions event June 13. She followed a fair third to Mingun in the Listed Celebration S. at The Curragh June 29 by finishing a moderate fourth behind Powerscourt (GB) when upped in trip for a Leopardstown conditions race July 16. She finished sixth behind Latino Magic (Ire) in a similar event at that track 10 days later, but bounced back here under an enterprising ride from Declan McDonogh. Settled in a stalking second throughout the early stages, she was committed with quarter of a mile remaining and quickened to a decisive advantage before comfortably holding off Perfect Touch.



★ "TDN Rising Star" ★

Tipperary, 5.10, Mdn, €16,320, 2yo, f, 7f 100ydsT, 1:35.50, gd.

MISTY HEIGHTS (GB) (f, 2, [Fasliyev](#)--Mountains of Mist {Ire}, by Shirley Heights {GB}) finished third behind Lord Admiral in a Naas maiden on her debut Aug. 4. In front early, the 5-2 chance quickened to a decisive advantage at the top of the straight and maintained the gallop all the way to the line to record an impressive five-length success from the well-supported 4-7 favorite Royal Tigress (Storm Cat). With the win, Misty Heights becomes the 25th winner for her freshman sire (by Nureyev). She is a half to Madeira Mist (Ire) (Grand Lodge), GSW, \$226,684. [Click here for the Racing Post chart.](#) Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, €13,530.

O-Lady O'Reilly; B-Dr A J O'Reilly & Skymarc Farm; T-Dermot Weld.

★ "TDN Rising Star" ★

Tipperary, 5.40, Mdn, €16,320, 2yo, c/g, 7f 100ydsT, 1:33.60, gd.

FAVOURITE NATION (IRE) (c, 2, [Cadeaux Genereux](#) {GB}--[Fernanda](#) {GB} {GSP-GB}, by [Be My Chief](#)) was beaten a short-head when runner-up to Moscow Ballet (Ire) in a decent course-and-distance conditions race on his debut Aug. 7, an effort which saw him go postward this time as the hot 4-7 favourite. The Ir£320,000 GOFORB yearling stalked the early pace while traveling strongly. Short of room on the turn into the straight, he muscled his way out of a hole before quickening emphatically to hit the front with 1 1/2 furlongs remaining. Never in any danger from there, he needed only hand riding to record a six-length score from Caparo (Ire) (Selkirk). [Click here for the Racing Post chart.](#) Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, €16,290.

O-Michael W J Smurfit; B-Gerrardstow House Stud; T-Dermot Weld.

Tipperary, 7.10, Cond, €25,920, 2yo, 5fT, 57.10, gd.

BLUE CRUSH (IRE) (f, 2, [Entrepreneur](#) {GB}--[Prosaic Star](#) {Ire}, by [Common Grounds](#) {GB}) was the runner-up in a conditions event at Down Royal last time July 19. Taking command along the rail early, the 4-1 chance was pushed out to comfortably beat McQueenie (Ire) (Danehill) by 2 1/2 lengths. Lifetime Record: 5-1-2-0, €23,144.

O-Mrs Seamus Purcell; B-G W Robinson; T-Edward Lynam.

★ BRITAIN ★

Yesterday's Results:

EBF GALTRES S.-Listed, £40,000, York, 8-21, 3yo/up, f/m, 11f 198ydsT, 2:28.85, gd/fm.

1--#**MEZZO SOPRANO, 123, f, 3, by Darshaan (GB)**

1st Dam: **Morn of Song, by Blushing Groom (Fr)**

2nd Dam: **Glorious Song, by Halo**

3rd Dam: **Ballade, by *Herbager**

O-Godolphin; B-Darley Stud Management LLC;

T-Saeed bin Suroor; J-Frankie Dettori; £26,000.

Lifetime Record: GSP-Fr & GB, 7-3-1-2, £86,210.

2--**Thingmebob (GB), 120, f, 3, Bob Back--Kip's Sister (GB), by Cawston's Clown (GB). £8,000.**

3--**Singleton (GB), 120, f, 3, Singspiel (Ire)--Rive, by Riverman. £4,000.**

Margins: NK, 1 3/4, 2HF. Odds: 4-1, 16-1, 4-1.

Also ran: Flying Wanda (GB), Landinium (Ity), Allergy (GB), Pongee (GB), Kiteflyer (Ire), Miss Corniche (GB), New Orchid.

Mezzo Soprano carried a lofty reputation into the G1 1000 Guineas at Newmarket May 4 based on her fluent score in the UAE version at Nad al Sheba Mar. 13. She disappointed when only 14th in that contest, but bounced back to finish second to subsequent G1 Yorkshire Oaks runner-up Ocean Silk in the Listed Lupe S. at Goodwood May 21. Third in the G2 Ribblesdale S. at Royal Ascot June 19, she filled the same spot behind Commercante (Fr) in the G3 Prix de Psyche at Deauville last time Aug. 9. Settled in mid-division early by jockey Frankie Dettori, she made smooth progress to challenge Singleton inside the final quarter and passed that rival with 300 yards remaining. Kept up to her work in the closing stages as Thingmebob made inroads into her advantage, she held sway in the drive to the line to record her first stakes success.

CITY OF YORK S.-Listed, £35,000, York, 8-21, 3yo/up, 6f 217ydsT, 1:22.00 (NTR), gd/fm.

1--#**VANDERLIN (GB), 126, g, 4, [Halling--Massorah](#) (Fr)**

(GSW-Ity, GSP-Fr), by [Habitat](#). O-R & E H Invest-

ments Ltd; B-Ellway Breeding; T-Andrew Balding;

J-Martin Dwyer; £22,750. Lifetime Record: 20-3-7-1,

£75,153.

2--**Monsieur Bond (Ire), 121, c, 3, [Danehill Dancer](#) (Ire)--[Musical Essence](#) (GB), by [Song](#) (GB). £7,000.**

3--**Steenberg (Ire), 126, c, 4, [Flying Spur](#) (Aus)--[Kip's Sister](#) (GB), by [Cawston's Clown](#) (GB). £3,500.**

Margins: SHD, 1HF, NK. Odds: 33-1, 4-1, 16-1.

Also ran: Desert Destiny (GB), Attache (GB), Chic (GB), Patsy's Double (GB), Farqad.

CITY OF YORK S.-Listed *result cont. p. 7*

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CITY OF YORK S.-Listed result cont.

Vanderlin was far from an obvious candidate to land the spoils in this contest, having remained winless since taking a handicap at Salisbury last May. However, he had shown enough in his third placing behind Demonstrate in the Listed Leisure S. at Windsor May 31 and fair showings in competitive handicaps to suggest he belonged in this grade. Settled in a stalking second off the steady early tempo, the 33-1 shot was in the firing line as the sprint began inside the final three furlongs. As Monsieur Bond was committed by Darryll Holland approaching the eighth-pole, Vanderlin showed tenacity to wear down that rival in the final strides and assert for his first stakes score.

York, 3.35, Hcp, £50,409, 3yo/up, 7f 205ydsT, 1:36.02, gd/fm.

TERFEL (GB) (g, 4, Lion Cavern--Montserrat {GB}, by Aragon {GB}), fifth last time out to Shamrock City (Ire) in a Newmarket handicap Aug. 2, tracked the leaders in fourth until coming under pressure approaching the final quarter mile. The 33-1 outsider was driven along to challenge at the eighth pole and was all out in the closing stages to deny Ocean Victory (GB) (Catrail) by a head on the line. Lifetime Record: MSP-GB, 17-3-5-4, £69,405. O/B-Mrs Anne Yearley; T-Michael Bell.

York, 4.10, Hcp, £38,045, 3yo, 13f 197ydsT, 2:56.71, gd/fm.

JAGGER (GB) (c, 3, Linamix {Fr}--Sweetness Herself {GB} {SW-Fr, GSP-Ger, MSP-GB, \$219,505}, by Unfuwain) was successful in a staying handicap at Goodwood July 31 in his most recent start. Reserved off the pace in rear, he made headway under pressure from the three-eighths pole. The 45,000gns TATHOU yearling was ridden along approaching the final quarter mile, quickened to the front with 150 yards remaining and ran on strongly thereafter to defeat Midas Way (GB) (Halling) by 1 3/4 lengths at odds of 9-1. Lifetime Record: 8-3-1-1, £38,204. O-C Mc Fadden; B-Mrs M Lavell; T-Gerard Butler.

York, 5.15, Hcp, £17,400, 2yo, 6f 217ydsT, 1:23.75, gd/fm.

HALICARDIA (GB) (f, 2, Halling--Pericardia {GB}, by Petong {GB}) ran third behind subsequent stakes winner Lucky Pipit (GB) on her debut at Kempton July 9 before graduating at Folkestone July 28. Ridden along at the quarter-mile marker, the 6-1 chance led approaching the final furlong and ran on strongly in the closing stages to account for Moulin de Mougins (Ire) (Night Shift) by two lengths. The winner was a 17,000gns TATDEC weanling purchase. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-1, £16,062. O-Persistent Partners; B-C Mason; T-Peter Harris.

Folkestone, 2.15, Mdn, £8,100, 2yo, f, 7fT, 1:26.90, gd/fm.

SEARCH MISSION (f, 2, Red Ransom--Skimble {MGSW & MGISP-US, \$777,680}, by Lyphard), a half sister to Skimming (Nureyev), MGISW, \$2,286,598, ran fifth on her only other start at Newmarket June 27. After leading at a solid pace, the Juddmonte colorbearer was ridden along when headed at the quarter-mile marker. The 16-1 outsider was driven back to the front at the distance and ran on strongly in the closing stages to beat Zwadi (Ire) (Docksider) by 1 1/4 lengths. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, £5,265. O-Khalid Abdullah; B-Juddmonte Farms; T-Amanda Perrett.

**BREEDERS' EDITION
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ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

8th-WOX, \$79,400, 8-20, Opt. Clm. (\$80,000-\$75,000), NW3X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:46 1/5, ft.

DARLING KATEY (m, 5, Marquetry--Say What You Mean {SP}, by Judger) Lifetime Record: 19-4-5-4, \$279,034. O-Hillsbrook Farms. B-Columbiana Farm (KY). T-John A Ross. *\$65,000 yrl '99 KEESEP. ** 1/2 to Gerrie Singer (L'Enjoleur), GSW, \$360,211.

10th-WOX, \$69,900, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:40 3/5, fm.

SOON TO BE SINGLE (m, 5, Raj Waki--Most Romantic, by Green Forest) Lifetime Record: 18-4-3-1, \$126,250. O-Come By Chance Stable. B-James E Day (ON). T-Lynn M Simon.

2nd-WOX, \$67,600, 8-20, NW2X, 3yo/up, f/m, 7fT, 1:22 1/5, fm.

CAVALIER BILLIE (f, 4, Wild Zone--Amaranthine Light, by Fluorescent Light) Lifetime Record: SW, 13-3-4-0, \$233,398. O-George P Ledson. B-Gail Wood (ON). T-W Phillip Gracey.

6th-MTH, \$48,000, NW2X, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:12 2/5, ft.

THIRD COLLECTION (f, 3, Evening Kris--Sweet Echo, by Stiff Sentence) Lifetime Record: 9-3-2-2, \$106,530. O-Lawrence Durocher Jr & Hampshire Farm. B-John J Wames & Karen Jennings (NJ). T-Timothy A Hills. *\$900 wIng '00 FTMDEC.

8th-MTH, \$48,000, NW2X, (S), 3/up, 6f, 1:11 1/5, ft.
T. J.'S KNICKNACK (g, 5, Knick Press--T. J.'s Trouble, by Better Arbitor) Lifetime Record: 15-3-5-3, \$113,200. O-Gumpster Stable. B-Lindsay Simon (NJ). T-Scott A Lake.



8th-APX, \$44,640, Opt. Clm. (\$62,500), NW3X, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11 1/5, ft.

CASHMERE MISS (f, 3, Kokand--Jenny D., by Regal Embrace) Lifetime Record: MSP, 15-4-3-3, \$150,923. O-Richard Rudolph & Michael Vranich. B-Richard F Rudolph (IL). T-Joseph E Broussard. *1/2 to Bragadocious (Salem Drive), SW.

4th-SAR, \$44,000, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:42, fm.

LOST IN THE WOODS (c, 4, Hansel--Regal Joanie, by Regal Embrace) Lifetime Record: 21-2-3-3, \$106,070. O/B/T-Richard J Lugovich (NY). *1/2 to Regal Chant (Gregorian), SW, \$117,240.

7th-MTH, \$37,000, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:43 4/5, fm.

JACQUI'S PROMISE (f, 3, Loup Sauvage--Lady Carson {SW, \$126,298}, by Carson City) Lifetime Record: 8-2-2-1, \$61,350. O-Double H Stable. B-Highland Farms (KY). T-A Goldberg. *\$75,000 2yo '02 OBSAPR.

1st-APX, \$32,000, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8m, 1:54 1/5, ft.

HELLO MY FRIEND (f, 3, Hunting Hard--The Queen of C, by Ogygian) Lifetime Record: 10-2-2-2, \$55,540. O-Charles Sigrist & Moises Yanez. B/T-M Yanez (IL).

7th-LRL, \$31,000, Opt. Clm. (\$30,000-\$25,000), NW3X, 3yo/up, 5 1/2fT, 1:08 1/5, sf.

SEATTLE GROOVE (h, 5, Seattle Sleet--Orange Grove {GSP-GB}, by Sharpen Up {GB}) Lifetime Record: SP, 19-4-6-2, \$102,270. O/B-Mary Jo Herbert (KY). T-Juan Carlos Guerrero.

5th-LRL, \$26,000, NW1X, 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:48 4/5, sf.

POTOMAC FALLS (g, 3, Torrential--Safe and Sound, by Summer Squall) Lifetime Record: 6-2-2-1, \$43,070. O-Alan S Kline. B-Alan S Kline, Carlos A Garcia & Morris Stable LLC (MD). T-Carlos A Garcia.

10th-LAD, \$26,000, NW2X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:38 1/5, fm.

KAREN'S STAR (f, 4, Vermont--Karen Starbaugh, by Star de Naskra) Lifetime Record: 24-5-2-3, \$73,075. O/B-Jeanne Jackson (TX). T-Cyril F Hicks.

11th-LAD, \$25,000, NW1X, 2yo, f, 6f, 1:12, ft.

ROYAL PET (f, 2, Desert Royalty--Castle's Pet, by Castle Howard) Lifetime Record: MSP, 4-2-1-1, \$45,000. O-Turf Express Inc. B-Robert & Patricia Norman (TX). T-Cole Norman.

1st-LAD, \$25,000, NW1TX, 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:36, fm.

VIRGINIA PRIDE (h, 5, Virginia Rapids--Flapper Dancer, by Fappiano) Lifetime Record: SP, 22-4-5-4, \$109,580. O/B-J Mack Robinson (KY). T-Jeff Trosclair.

4th-CTX, \$22,000, 8-20, NW3L, 3yo/up, f/m, 4 1/2f, :52 4/5, ft.

GARDEN WILDCAT (f, 3, Forest Wildcat--Garden Street {MSP}, by Carson City) Lifetime Record: 6-2-0-0, \$27,130. O-Classic Thoroughbred Inc. B-Robert Sullivan (KY). T-Jeff C Runco. *\$260,000 2yo '02 OBSMAR.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Far Out Babe, f, 2, Dumaani--Farolino, by Trempolino. CTX, 8-21, 4 1/2f, :55 2/5. B-Marablue Farm (Fl). *\$1,100 yrl '02 OBSAUG.

+ **Builtforhumanity**, f, 2, Homebuilder--Zarford, by Zarbyev. LAD, 8-21, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:06. B-Ryder River Rydge Farms (La).

The Dempsey Look, f, 2, Sir Cat--Tooosalty, by Salt Lake. DMR, 8-21, (C), 5 1/2f, 1:05. B-Lynn Toomey (Fl). *\$9,000 wIng '01 OBSOCT; \$60,000 2yo 2003 OBSAPR.

Red Warrior, c, 3, Benchmark--Sparkling Nickle, by Plugged Nickle. DMR, 8-21, (S), 1 1/16mT, 1:42 3/5. B-Madera Thoroughbreds & Kjelstrom (Ca). *\$57,000 yrl '01 CALAUG. **1/2 to Vapor Trail (Lil Tyler), MSP, \$183,785.

Miss Cash, f, 3, Hennessy--Suzy, by Broad Brush. LRL, 8-21, (C), 6f, 1:11 2/5. B-Keswick Stables (Va). *\$40,000 yrl '01 FTMOCT.

The Ironworker, c, 4, Shadeed--Miss Purana, by Alysheba. APX, 8-21, (S), 1mT, 1:39 4/5. B-Raymond Cyborski (Ill).

Whisky Wise, c, 4, Whiskey Wisdom--Regent's Fancy, by Vice Regent. WOX, 8-20, (S), 7f, 1:24 3/5. B-Royal Oak Farm (On). *1/2 to Pete's Fancy (Peteski), SW & GSP, \$405,586; and Byzantine (Quiet American), SW & MGSP, \$371,635.

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CONDITIONS WINNERS:

FRANCE, Clairefontaine, 1.45, €22,000, 3yo, 1 3/8mT, 2:17.60, gd.

IN THE DARK (FR) (c, 3, Akarad {Fr}--Petard Express {Ire}, by Last Tycoon {Ire}) Lifetime Record: 6 starts, 2 wins, 3 places, €31,700. O/B-Baron Thierry de Zuylen de Nyevelt; T-David Smaga. *1/2 to Perrexa (Fr) (Perrault {GB}), GSW-Fr.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Super Song (GB), c, 3, Desert Prince (Ire)--Highland Rhapsody (Ire), by Kris (GB). Lingfield, Britain, 8-20, Mdn, 3yo, 7fT. B-Minster Enterprises Ltd. *125,000gns yrl '01 TATOCT.

Rare Destiny (Ire), g, 3, Mujadil--Jamaican Law (Ire), by Case Law (Ire). Folkestone, Britain, 8-21, Mdn, 3-4yo, 5fT. B-Rathasker Stud. *29,000gns yrl '01 DONSEP.