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**SHE SHOOT, SHE SCORES!**

**Passing Shot** (A.P. Indy) completed a big week for owner/breeder Joseph Shields Jr. by surprising 1-5 favorite **Wild Spirit (Chi)** (Hussonet) at the wire in the GI Personal Ensign H. yesterday at the Graveyard of Favorites. The four-year-old filly's success followed that of Puzzlement last week in the GI Saratoga Breeders' Cup H. for the team of Shields and trainer Allen Jerkens, a.k.a. the Giant Killer. "We wanted to get her stakes-placed," said Jerkens. "There were so few horses in here, it's always nice to run in a small field with a big purse." **Cont. p2**



**Passing Shot (4) A Coglianese**

**MIXED EXPECTATIONS AT DEAUVILLE**

Deauville once again plays host to the first of the major European yearling sales as it begins its five-day Agence Française August Sale this afternoon. After six consecutive years of gains, last year's renewal witnessed a drop in both aggregate and average, despite a new record being set at €2million for the **Indian Ridge (Ire)** filly out of Maximova (Fr), sold by Haras d'Etream to Gainsborough Stud. "The Agence Française has decided to select through the large number of horses entered and the immediate effect has been to reduce the number of horses going through the ring," said Jocelyn de Moubray, the sales company's international representative. "Probably the economic situation is not excellent for us, but nevertheless it seems better than last year, when the stock exchange market had dropped sharply." And there will be no shortage of quality prospects. Haras d'Etream, the leading vendor in Deauville, will have the largest consignment of 65, followed by Haras de La Reboursière et de Montaigu with 39 and Haras des Capucines with 34. There are 128 yearlings out of group-performing or producing mares and 217 out of stakes performers or producers. Bidding begins at 5:30 p.m. on days one, two and four and at 2 p.m. on days three and five. Daily updates and results can be found on [www.deauville-sales.com](http://www.deauville-sales.com).

**Deauville coverage cont. p6-7**

**TRAVERS TAKES A FUNNY TURN**

At the start of the summer, New York Racing Association officials were salivating at the prospect of a rematch between Kentucky Derby and Preakness hero **Funny Cide** (Distorted Humor) and Belmont victor **Empire Maker** (Unbridled). Three weeks ago, both three-year-olds returned from mini vacations and were defeated. Empire Maker couldn't run down **Strong Hope** (Grand Slam) in the GI Jim Dandy S., while Funny Cide spun his wheels in the GI Haskell, finishing a distant third to **Peace Rules** (Jules) and **Sky Mesa** (Pulpit). Funny Cide came out of the Haskell with a fever and trainer Barclay Tagg hasn't been pleased with his recovery. Tagg entered the gelding in the Travers Wednesday, but announced yesterday that Funny Cide would be scratched. "I didn't like the way he sounded when he galloped," said the conditioner. "I cannot say what is wrong with [him], specifically. I don't know if he has a lung infection or if he has allergies." Meanwhile, Bobby Frankel revealed that Empire Maker didn't clean up his feed tub Wednesday and the trainer has opted to play it safe. "He's okay, but I'm not taking any chances," said the Hall of Famer. "Like I say, 'When in doubt, you take them out.'" So which of the remaining six colts can step up to the plate? **Cont. p2**

**Saturday, Saratoga, post time: 6:25 p.m. EST**

**TRAVERS S.-GI, \$1,000,000, 3yo, 1 1/4m**

PP	HORSE	TRAINER	ODDS
1	<b>Congrats</b> <i>(c, A.P. Indy--Praise, by Mr. Prospector {KY})</i>	<b>McGaughey</b>	<b>8-1</b>
2	<b>Strong Hope</b> <i>(c, Grand Slam--Shining Through, by Deputy Minister {KY})</i>	<b>Pletcher</b>	<b>4-1</b>
3	<b>Peace Rules</b> <i>(c, Jules--Hold to Fashion, by Hold Your Peace {FL})</i>	<b>Frankel</b>	<b>2-1</b>
4	<b>Ten Most Wanted</b> <i>(c, Deputy Commander--Wanted Again, by Criminal Type {KY})</i>	<b>W Dollase</b>	<b>7-2</b>
	<b>Empire Maker</b> <i>(c, Unbridled--Toussaud, by El Gran Senor {KY})</i>	<b>Frankel</b>	<b>Scr</b>
5	<b>Wild and Wicked</b> <i>(c, Wild Again--Wicked Witchcraft, by Good Behavior {KY})</i>	<b>McPeck</b>	<b>12-1</b>
	<b>Funny Cide</b> <i>(g, Distorted Humor--Belle's Good Cide, by Slewacide {NY})</i>	<b>Tagg</b>	<b>Scr</b>
6	<b>Sky Mesa</b> <i>(c, Pulpit--Caress, by Storm Cat {KY})</i>	<b>Ward Jr</b>	<b>5-2</b>

All carry 126 pounds.

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Friday, Saratoga

**PERSONAL ENSIGN H.-GI**, \$400,000, SAR, 8-22, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/4m, 2:03 1/5, ft.

1--@#▲**PASSING SHOT**, 114, f, 4, by [A.P. Indy](#)

1st Dam: Aucilla (GSW, \$311,557), by Relaunch

2nd Dam: My Cherie Amour, by Sham

3rd Dam: Tanapa (Fr), by Luthier (Fr)

O/B-Joseph V Shields Jr (KY); T-H Allen Jerkens; J-J A Santos; \$240,000. Lifetime Record: 17-5-5-2, \$415,397.

2--**Wild Spirit (Chi)**, 122, f, 4, Hussonet--Wild Princess, by Wild Again. O-Sumaya Us Stables; B-Haras Sumaya (CHI); \$80,000.

3--**Miss Linda (Arg)**, 114, m, 6, Southern Halo--Miss Peggy (Arg), by Fitzcarraldo (Arg). O-Ackerley Brothers Farm; B-La Quebrada (ARG); \$44,000.

Margins: NO, 6 1/4, 2HF. Odds: 11.30, 0.20, 17.90.

Also Ran: Summer Colony, Golden Sonata.

Passing Shot was slow to come to hand due to ankle problems, but she has now won three straight races.

The dark bay earned her first win of the year in a Belmont allowance July 11 and stepped up to the next condition level successfully July 30 at Saratoga, despite nearly being savaged by runner-up Golden Sonata (Mr. Prospector). Passing Shot had pacesetter Miss Linda (Arg) (Southern Halo) in her sights from the start and was carried out a bit by that mare at the top of the stretch. Wild Spirit came through on the rail and kicked on for home, but jockey Jose Santos asked Passing Shot to get into gear and she responded, winning by a head bob at the wire. "I love riding for the Giant Killer," said Santos. "You've always got a chance to knock off the favorite." [Click here for the free brisnet.com pedigree or the brisnet.com chart.](#)

For the video race replay, select: [broadband](#) [modem](#).

The **brisnet.com** 'Race of the Day' is the **GI Travers S.** at Saratoga. For pps and a complete race analysis, click [here](#).

☆ TRAVERS ☆

**THE SKY'S THE LIMIT** John Oxley's **Sky Mesa** (Pulpit) burst onto the national stage just about a year ago when he captured the GI Hopeful S. in his second career start. He added the GII Lane's End Breeders Futurity in October, but an ankle injury forced him to miss the Breeders' Cup, and trainer John Ward Jr. opted to bring the colt along slowly this year. After tiring late in his return to be third to **Strong Hope** (Grand Slam) in the GII Dwyer S. July 6, he had the thankless task of chasing a loose on the lead **Peace Rules** (Jules) in Monmouth's GI Haskell H. Aug. 3. He got within 1 3/4 lengths in securing the runner-up spot while finishing 8 1/4 lengths clear of **Wild and Wicked** (Wild Again) in fourth. Sky Mesa's stalking style could put him in the catbird seat in the Travers, as he has drawn outside the speedy duo of Strong Hope and Peace Rules. "I am going to tell Edgar [jockey Prado] to watch what is going on," said Ward. "He knows this horse and he knows the rest of the field, too. With Peace Rules and Strong Hope, there will be a good pace to follow." Ward has his sights squarely aimed on the Travers. "We have been pointing for this race for several months," he said. "It has been 20 days since his last race, but he has really moved forward. Our camp is very confident in his chances for tomorrow."

**Pace Makes the Race** The connections of both Peace Rules and Strong Hope acknowledge that a speed duel would be disastrous. "We're going to be going fast," said jockey John Velazquez. "If we hook up with Peace Rules, we're both dead." Bobby Frankel is hoping for an unusual scenario. "I'd love to see those two go a half in :50 and let them sprint to the wire," he said. "We're not trying to get the lead on Strong Hope." Trainer Wally Dollase has added blinkers for **Ten Most Wanted** (Deputy Commander) in the hopes of keeping tabs on the others. "We cannot give more than three lengths," said Dollase. "There are a couple of good horses that are going to be on the pace. We have to be fairly close, otherwise, they will just outrun us."



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Saturday, Saratoga, post time: 5:45 p.m. EDT

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

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1	Great Notion	Elusive Quality	Miller	15-1
2	Valid Video	Valid Wager	Manning	12-1
3	Posse	Silver Deputy	Asmussen	5-1
4	Private City	Carson City	H Jerkens	20-1
5	Halo Homewrecker	Southern Halo	Hennig	12-1
6	Scrimshaw	Gulch	Lukas	12-1
7	Midnight Charlie	Indian Charlie	Gyarmati	20-1
8	Zavata	Phone Trick	Biancone	3-1
9	Ghostzapper	Awesome Again	Frankel	4-1
10	During	Cherokee Run	Baffert	12-1
11	Eye of the Tiger	American Chance	Hollendorfer	8-1
12	Awesome Time	Awesome Again	Zito	15-1
13	Christine's Outlaw	Wild Again	Weaver	15-1

This year's King's Bishop has drawn an outstanding field of 13, including eight graded-stakes winners. **Posse** had his three-race winning streak snapped when fourth to **Zavata** in the GII Amsterdam S. Aug. 2, his first start off a two-month break. Winner of the GII Riva Ridge Breeders' Cup S. and GIII Lafayette S. in the spring, the bay colt got caught wide in the Amsterdam and missed third by a neck on a day when speed was golden. "The Amsterdam will be a nice prep," said Scott Blasi, assistant to trainer Steve Asmussen. "He kicked pretty hard, but that was a track that was tough to make up ground on." **Zavata**, a 5 1/4-length winner of the Amsterdam, will have to stretch his speed another furlong. "Seven furlongs is a question mark," acknowledged trainer Patrick Biancone. "I don't think there are many horses that can beat him at six." **Eye of the Tiger** returns to sprinting after a trio of solid route efforts. Rested up after his fifth in the GI Kentucky Derby, the bay colt aired in the GIII Affirmed H. June 22, then dead-heated for third in the GII Swaps S. July 13, beaten just a length by winner **During**. **Valid Video**, based at Monmouth this summer, shipped down to Calder to annex the GIII Carry Back S. July 12, earning a 110 Beyer. A nine-length winner of the one-mile Southwest S. back in March, **Great Notion** resurfaced following a four-month respite and surprised many with his runner-up finish in the Amsterdam at 21-1. And what would a Grade I race be without a Bobby Frankel entry? He sends out **Ghostzapper**, a half to GISW City Zip, to make his stakes debut. The Stronach colorbearer won an allowance over track and trip July 26.

Saturday, Saratoga, post time: 5:09 p.m. EDT

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

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1	Quest Star	Broad Brush	Walden	8-1
2	Union Place	Out of Place	Schulhofer	20-1
3	War Zone	Danzig	Frankel	3-1
4	Tap the Admiral	Pleasant Tap	Carroll	15-1
5	Trademark (SAf)	Goldmark (SAf)	McLaughlin	7-2
6	Tam's Terms	Private Terms	Murray	10-1
7	Finality	Dehere	Pletcher	6-1
8	Rouvres (Fr)	Anabaa	Clement	8-1
9	Political Attack	Hawk Attack	Matz	20-1
10	Patrol	Lear Fan	Mott	6-1
11	Rock Slide	A.P. Indy	Howard	12-1

*Main Track Only*

12	Evening Attire	Black Tie Affair (Ire)	Kelly	8-5
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The very speedy **Patrol** has shown the ability to rate at times this season, as evidenced by his \$100,000 optional claiming victory at Gulfstream Mar. 22 and Dallas Turf Cup H. score at Lone Star June 21. Those tactics will likely be applied again breaking from the 10 hole in this wide-open affair. Last out in the GII Bernard Baruch H. at the Spa July 25 the bay colt never saw the lead and was very rank over the yielding ground, tiring badly to finish seventh. Expect him to bounce back with a better effort on a firm course. **Trademark**, the likely chalk here, deserves a long look off his 4 3/4-length victory in the Baruch. If he runs anywhere near his 110 Beyer last out, the others will all be running for second. "His effort in the Baruch looked great to the naked eye," said trainer Kieran McLaughlin, "but on the figures I use, he got the same number he got in the Poker." **War Zone** defeated **Trademark** in his latest effort, the GIII Poker H. at Belmont July 5, and has been waiting on the shelf since. This Bobby Frankel trainee is still improving and will be making only his fourth start of the season today.

Saturday, Goodwood, Britain, post time: 3:05 p.m.

**CELEBRATION MILE-G2**, £100,000, 3yo/up, 1mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	3	Where Or When (Ire)	Danehill Dancer (Ire)	Mills	133
2	5	Dandoun (GB)	Halling	J Dunlop	130
3	7	Passing Glance (GB)	Polar Falcon	A Balding	127
4	6	Priors Lodge (Ire)	Grand Lodge	Tregoning	127
5	4	Tillerman (GB)	In the Wings (GB)	Perrett	127
6	1	Arakan	Nureyev	Stoute	121
7	2	Hurricane Alan (Ire)	Mukaddamah	Hannon	121

Celebration Mile cont. p4



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**SILVER HAWK**

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His Mubtaker took the G2 Geoffrey Freer S., Aug. 16, and is prepping for either the Irish St. Leger (G1) or Arc (G1).

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**Celebration Mile-G2 cont.**

This race was the centre of much debate 12 months ago when Richard Hughes made a maneuver on the eventual winner **Tillerman**, which connections of **Where Or When** claimed cost them the race. Whatever the effect of that reinsmanship, the latter had the last laugh when powering to a vengeful success in the G1 Queen Elizabeth II S. at Ascot in September, where Tillerman trailed in third. Where or When returned to lead home the vain chase of Hawk Wing when beaten 11 lengths in the G1 Lockinge S. at Newbury May 17, with Tillerman a disappointing last of six. They met again when Tillerman finished runner-up and Where or When fourth behind Dubai Destination in the G1 Queen Anne S. at Royal Ascot June 17. Tillerman has subsequently won the G3 Silver Trophy S. back at his beloved Ascot July 12, but again put in a poor show when last of 13 in the G2 Lennox S. at this track July 29. He may have the edge receiving six pounds from Where or When, who has been suffering from a virus this term and may need this comeback run. **Dandoun** beat Domedriver (Ire) by a short neck while receiving seven pounds on soft ground in the G2 Prix du Muguet at Saint-Cloud May 1 before finishing seventh behind Falbrav (Ire) in the G1 Prix d'Ispahan on a livelier surface at Longchamp May 18. Of the three-year-olds, **Arakan** is worthy of respect, having finished a head second to Nayyir (GB) after a troubled trip in the Lennox S., where **Hurricane Alan** could manage only fifth.

**Saturday, The Curragh, Ireland, post time: 4:30 p.m.**

**GALILEO EBF FUTURITY S.-G2, €130,000, 2yo, 7fT**

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER
1	5	Lord Admiral	El Prado (Ire)	C O'Brien
2	2	Mahogany (Ire)	Orpen	A O'Brien
3	8	Mustameet	Sahm	Prendergast
4	4	Newton (Ire)	Danehill	A O'Brien
5	3	Pearl Of Love (Ire)	Peintre Celebre	Johnston
6	7	Steel Light	Stravinsky	Weld
7	1	The Mighty Tiger	Storm Cat	A O'Brien
8	6	Tumblebrutus	Storm Cat	A O'Brien
9	9	Wathab (Ire)	Cadeaux Genereux (GB)	Prendergast

All carry 126 pounds.

**CURRENCY CONVERSIONS**

	Unit/US\$	Unit/GB£
British pound	1.57527	1.00
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U.S. dollar	1.00	0.6348111

**Galileo EBF Futurity-G2 cont.**

Aidan O'Brien has an admirable recent record, having won four of the last six renewals of this event with Impressionist (Ire), Giant's Causeway, Hawk Wing and Van Nistelrooy. He saddles four this time, headed by \$2.5-million yearling **The Mighty Tiger**, who followed a three-length maiden score at this track June 28 with a game runner-up finish behind Lucky Story in the G2 Vintage S. at Goodwood July 30. That winner hails from the stable of Mark Johnston, who won this prize with Jural (GB) and Bijou d'Inde (GB) in 1994 and 1995. He saddles **Pearl of Love**, who followed a debut second to Botanical at York May 14 with an impressive five-length maiden win at Doncaster 10 days later. He beat Tycoon (Ire) by a comfortable 1 1/2-length margin in the Listed Chesham S. at Royal Ascot last time June 18 and sets the standard. Of the less-exposed types, **Lord Admiral** beat two subsequent winners behind when taking a Naas maiden Aug. 4, while **Mustameet** took a Curragh maiden on his debut July 13.

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

**BALLSTON SPA BREEDERS' CUP H.-GIII, \$200,000,**

3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	Lentil	Alphabet Soup	Lerman	111
2	Sea of Showers	Seattle Slew	Frankel	117
3	Stylish	Thunder Gulch	Mott	116
4	Cozy Corner	Cozzene	Kelly	112
5	Wonder Again	Silver Hawk	Toner	117
6	Snow Dance	Forest Wildcat	Ward Jr	117
7	Quick Tip	Unaccounted For	Howard	115
8	Vespers	Known Fact	McGaughey	113
9	Love n' Kiss S.	Kris S.	Clement	113
MTD	Nonsuch Bay	Mr. Greeley	Alexander	121

The regally bred **Sea of Showers**, a half sister to GISWs Aldebaran and Good Journey, makes her first start since winning the GIII Jenny Wiley S. Apr. 13.

**Saturday, Monmouth Park, post time: 5:16 p.m. EDT**

**PHILIP H. ISELIN H.-GIII, \$200,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/8m**

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	Vinemeister	Williamstown	Seewald	114
2	Private Lap	Private Terms	Klesaris	115
3	Aeneas	Capote	Ma Wolfson	114
4	Tenpins	Smart Strike	Winfree	119
5	Sherpa Guide	Ends Well	Bush	114
6	Saarland	Unbridled	McGaughey	117
7	Country Be Gold	Summer Squall	Nobles	112
8	Runspatum	Woodman	Goldberg	114

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**Saturday, Del Mar, post time: 5:35 p.m. PDT**  
**RANCHO BERNARDO H.-GIII**, \$150,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	Cee's Elegance	Cee's Tizzy	O'Neill	119
2	Fancee Bargain	Candi's Gold	Sherman	112
3	Spring Meadow	Meadowlake	Hess Jr	117
4	Coconut Girl	Cryptoclearance	Aguirre	113
5	Madame Pietra	Roy	Zucker	122
6	Lacie Girl	Editor's Note	Hollendorfer	116
7	Ragin T Rex	Cat's Career	W Stute	112
8	Jetinto Houston	Houston	Sahadi	115
9	Secret Liaison	Housebuster	West	116

Highweight **Madame Pietra** ran her skein to four straight in winning the GIII Desert Stormer H. June 7. Trainer Howard Zucker attributes the six-year-old's streak to maturity. "She's a lot easier to rate now," he said. "She finally realized it was better to listen to us than to do what she wanted to do."

**Saturday, Windsor, Britain, post time: 6:45 p.m.**  
**STAN JAMES NOW ONLINE WINTER HILL S.-G3**, £50,000, 3yo/up, 10f 7ydsT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	4	Bourgainville (GB)	Pivotal (GB)	A Balding	126
2	2	Highdown (Ire)	Selkirk	bin Suroor	126
3	6	Island House (Ire)	Grand Lodge	Wragg	126
4	1	Mr Tango (Arg)	Numerous	Moore	126
5	5	Razkalla	Caerleon	Loder	126
6	3	Leporello (Ire)	Danehill	Harris	118

**Saturday, Deauville, France, post time: 3:00 p.m.**  
**PRIX DU CALVADOS-G3**, €66,000, 2yo, f, 7fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER
1	3	Southern Queen (GB)	Anabaa	Head-Maarek
2	8	Green Swallow (Fr)	Green Tune	Demercastel
3	6	Via Milano (Fr)	Singspiel (Ire)	Laurent-Joye Rossi
4	1	Sweet Salsa (Fr)	Highest Honor (Fr)	de Nicolay
5	5	Casigris	Cozzene	Laffon-Parias
6	4	French Touch (Fr)	Lord of Men (GB)	Pimbonnet
7	7	Olonella (GB)	Selkirk	R Gibson
8	2	Leila (Fr)	Lahint	Barbe

All carry 121 pounds.

This race acted as the arrival stage centre of Six Perfections (Fr) last year and while **Southern Queen** may not be in her league, she looked a filly with an aptitude for the game when winning a conditions event here Aug. 5. That followed a debut score at Fontainebleau June 26 and she bids to maintain her perfect record in this tight contest. **Leila** has the best form on offer, having twice chased home France's top-rated juvenile filly, Much Faster (Ire). After finishing a half-length runner-up in the G3 Prix du Bois at this track July 5, she was third behind that rival in the G2 Prix Robert Papin at Maisons-Laffitte July 27.

**Sunday, Del Mar**

**DEL MAR OAKS-GI**, \$300,000, 3yo, f, 1 1/8mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY
1	Star Vega (GB)	Blue Ocean	Smith
2	Katdogawn (GB)	Bahhare	Krone
3	Personal Legend	Awesome Again	Bailey
4	Dessert	Storm Cat	Nakatani
5	Atlantic Ocean	Stormy Atlantic	Valenzuela
6	Cassis	Red Ransom	Desormeaux
7	Solar Echo	Spinning World	Flores
8	Well Done My Love (Ger)	Dashing Blade (GB)	Solis

All carry 122 pounds.

**Sunday, Saratoga**

**BALLERINA H.-GI**, \$250,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 7f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	Yell	A.P. Indy	Day	113
2	Willa On the Move	Two Punch	Albarado	116
3	Smok'n Frolic	Smoke Glacken	Velazquez	117
4a	Stellar	Grand Slam	Farina	109
5	Shine Again	Wild Again	Santos	120
6a	Gold Mover	Gold Fever	Coa	118
7	You	You and I	Castellano	120
8	Harmony Lodge	Hennessy	Migliore	115

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Sunday, Deauville, France

**PRIX KERGOLAY-G2**, €95,000, 3yo/up, 1 7/8mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	6	Morozov	Sadler's Wells	Soumillon	132
2	8	Cut Quartz (Fr)	Johann Quatz (Fr)	Jarnet	132
3	1	Swing Wing (GB)	In the Wings (GB)	Peslier	130
4	5	Westerner (GB)	Danehill	Boeuf	130
5	4	Darasim (Ire)	Kahyasi (Ire)	Fanning	130
6	9	Soreze (Fr)	Saumarez (GB)	Mendizabal	130
7	2	Pole Star (GB)	Polar Falcon	Eddery	130
8	3	Clety (Fr)	Sillery	Thulliez	130
9	7	Gulf (Ire)	Persian Bold (Ire)	Fortune	130

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**SALES BY THE SEA** With 504 lots catalogued this year, and 119 in the weekend sessions, Agence Francaise has gone through a thorough selection process. Concentration on quality will be welcome from an auction that has produced a large number of top-class performers, advertised as recently as this year's G1 Prix Jean Prat and G1 Grand Prix de Paris winner Vespone (Ire). Knocked down for FF450,000 to trainer Nicolas Clément at the 2001 August Sale, the three-year-old has since been sold for an undisclosed amount to Godolphin. Other notables include the multiple Group 1 winner Precision (Fr), sold in 1999 by the Devin Family, the 2001 G1 Cheveley Park S. winner Queen's Logic (Ire), last year's G1 Breeders' Cup F/M Turf winner Starine (Fr), as well as other G1/GI winners Suances (GB), Snow Polina and Super Quercus (Fr). Although one of the expected star lots, a colt by the late Dubai Millennium (GB) out of Miss Satamixa (Ire), was withdrawn, exciting new blood is represented in [hip 85](#), the lone lot on offer from the first crop of Kentucky Derby winner [Fusaichi Pegasus](#) (Mr. Prospector). There are also 24 by quadruple Group 1 hero Sendawar (Ire) (Priolo); 15 by G1 Sagitta 2000 Guineas victor King's Best (Kingmambo); 10 by Montjeu (Ire) (Sadler's Wells); seven by [Giant's Causeway](#) (Storm Cat); and six by dual Derby and G1 Arc de Triomphe hero Sinndar (Ire) (Grand Lodge). Proven sire Anabaa has 27 lots on offer, while others with large numerical representation are Highest Honor (Fr) with 20, Spectrum (Ire) with 15 and Kendor (Fr) with 13. For the complete catalogue, go to [www.deauville-sales.com](http://www.deauville-sales.com).

☆ **HIP HAPPENINGS** ☆

**Hip 18**, c, King's Best--Manureva (Nureyev)  
Consigned by Haras d'Etream

From the first crop of the winner of the Sagitta 2000 Guineas in 2000, the Irish-bred colt is a half brother to Riviera (Fr) (Kris {GB}), winner in North America of the GI Atto Mile. His second dam is Maximova (Fr), who produced last year's sales-topping lot by [Indian Ridge \(Ire\)](#).

**Hip 26**, f, [Sadler's Wells](#)--Monevassia (Mr. Prospector)  
Consigned by Haras de Fresnay-le-Buffard

The Feb. 6 foal is out of a daughter of the dual GI Breeders' Cup Mile winner Miesque and is a full sister to prominent stallion Kingmambo and Miesque's Son and a half sister to G1 French 1000 Guineas winner East of the Moon (Private Account) as well as G3 Meld S. winner Mingun (A.P. Indy).

**Hip 45**, c, Dansili (GB)--Sabria (Miswaki)  
Consigned by Genesis Green Stud

From the first crop of the full to champion Banks Hill (GB) and 3/4-brother to last weekend's GI Beverly D. winner Heat Haze (GB) (Green Desert), this colt is a three-parts brother to the ill-fated Landseer (GB) (Danehill), winner of the G1 Poule d'Essai des Poulains and GI Shadwell Keeneland Turf Mile. He also hails from the female family of such talented horses as Triptych and Tamarisk (GB).

**Hip 46**, f, Monsun (Ger)--Sacarina (GB) (Old Vic {GB})  
Consigned by Haras du Mezeray



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Already named Sahel (Ger), this is a full sister to 2000 G1 Deutsches Derby and G1 Grosser Preis von Baden winner Samum (Ger) and G1 Preis der Diana (German Oaks) winner Salve Regina (Ger), who was second in the 2002 German Derby.

**Hip 49**, f, King's Best--Shy Danceuse (Groom Dancer)  
Consigned by Haras d'Etream

From the first crop of the half brother to the super-producer Urban Sea, the Irish-bred filly is half sister to Shy Lady (Fr) (Kaldoun {Fr}), the dam of 2003 G1 St James's Palace S. winner Zafeen (Fr). Her third dam is MGSW Shy Dawn, who produced GI Breeders' Cup Mile winner Opening Verse.

2yo **ATTEN HUT**, close from the start, took over outside and stayed clear to win going 5f over the turf at Louisiana Downs on Thursday. **MILITARY**'s 2<sup>nd</sup> crop sells at Keeneland September. Your arsenal won't be loaded without one!

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Deauville Hip Happenings cont.

Hip **52**, f, Anabaa--Spectacular Joke (Spectacular Bid)  
 Consigned by Haras du Mezeray



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*The latest produce of her 21-year-old dam, the Apr. 12 foal is a full sister to Amonita (GB), winner of the 2000 G1 Prix Marcel Boussac and successful in this year's GIII Suwannee River H. at Gulfstream. She is also a half sister to Cox Orange (Tremolino), a five-time group winner of over \$500,000.*

Hip **56**, c, Anabaa--Supergirl (Woodman)  
 Consigned by Reboursière et Montaigu

*The page has received a boost this year with the exploits of this yearling's half brother Super Celebre (Fr) (Peintre Celebre), winner of the G2 Prix Noailles and runner-up in the G1 Prix Lupin and the G1 Prix du Jockey-Club (French Derby). He is out of a half sister to Steinlen (GB) (Habitat), a four-time Grade I winner in the U.S. and champion turf horse in 1989.*

Hip **60**, c, **Giant's Causeway**--Truly A Dream (Ire) (Darshaan {GB})  
 Consigned by Knocktoran Stud

*From the first crop of the durable MG1SW, this is a half brother to G1 Poule d'Essai des Poulains (French 2000 Guineas) runner-up Catcher In The Rye (Ire). Out of a winner of the GII E.P. Taylor S. in North America and the G3 Prix du Royaumont in France, the Irish-bred colt is out of a half sister to Solo de Lune (Ire), the dam of G1 Prix Saint Alary winner Cerulean Sky (Ire).*

**What They're Saying At The Sales...**

**ROBERT NATAF, Bloodstock agent, Horse France**

"We have to hope that the gap between the American market and the European market will not get deeper than it is presently. We should not be over enthusiastic about the Saratoga results as the two markets are not comparable. The French market will have to deal with the 20 percent decline of the dollar to the euro as most investors in the select sale, over the first two days, think in dollars. Let's hope for the best as the catalogue is indeed very good."

**MARC DE CHAMBURE, Haras d'Etream, leading consignor this year and leading vendor in 2002:**

"We have an equivalent number to last year and for us it is the ideal number to prepare the yearlings for the sale in the best possible manner. We have a nice draft of colts, but less fillies than usual as some of our clients have preferred to keep them for racing next year. Usually I have a pretty good idea of what our sale will be, but I have to admit that this year it seems more difficult to forecast. I hope to reach the same level as last year (€6.15million)--that would be a good sale. The international economic situation is uncertain. There should be good activity from the French buyers, but we need the international ones to lift up the market and we don't know if all of them will come. It is impossible to compare Saratoga, more or less a domestic market, with Deauville. So let's wait and see what happens."

**JOCELYN DE MOUBRAY, International Representative, Agence Française:**

"We are very happy with the quality of the catalogue and we can present horses who are coming from all over the world, from Great Britain, Ireland, Italy, Germany and United States. All the top international turf sires are represented as well as new exciting first-season sires like Sendawar, Giant's Causeway, Dansili or Fusaichi Pegasus. The horses that have been bought in Deauville and have performed at the top level are the best possible advertisement for our sale, like Vespone in France and Precision in Hong Kong. The dollar is down from last year but we hope that it will not affect our sale. Our usual clients will be there and we are expecting new ones. We have every reason to be confident. Also over the last 10 years we have followed the same trend as Saratoga. After dropping last year, Saratoga went up again this year and we hope to follow in the same pattern. Saratoga has always been a good guide to the Deauville market."

**PATRICK BARBE, Bloodstock agent**

"The catalogue of the sale is good, I would even say very good. Unfortunately, the international economy is not as good than the catalogue. I fear that the Japanese clients will avoid coming to the sale, as well as other usual international clients. I am not too optimistic about the financial outcome of the sale."

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## WRITERS UP

### THE KING'S BISHOP – A SHOWCASE OF SIRE

by Matt O'Neil

They've been running the King's Bishop S. at Saratoga since 1984. Almost since its inception, the race has attracted the very best sophomore sprinters in the country and the Graded Stakes Committee took notice in 1999, elevating the race to its present Grade I status. Over the years, the race has also attracted an impressive line-up of future stallions, especially those who have gone on to impact the first-year sires standings.

In the 1992 running of the King's Bishop, then a Grade II, [Salt Lake](#) defeated Binalong and Grade I winner Agincourt, covering the seven furlongs in 1:21 2/5. Four years later, the son of Deputy Minister finished ahead of Diablo, Deposit Ticket and [A.P. Indy](#) as the leading first-crop sire of 1996. GI Champagne S. winner [Ordway](#) led the way for his sire that year, and Salt Lake has gone on to sire 32 more stakes winners through what so far has been a very solid career. Among his other top-notch runners are Canadian champion Fantasy Lake, Canadian Grade I winner Salty You and GII Black-Eyed Susan winner Salt It.

That Chimes Band won the 1994 King's Bishop is not so noteworthy, as he never quite got his stallion career on track and now resides in New Mexico. That End Sweep ran second that year certainly is. The son of Forty Niner went on to dominate the first-crop sire standings in 1998, siring 32 winners, 20 more than runner-up Dehere, and the most by any freshman sire in history. End Sweep has also been a fixture at the top of the general sire list the past few years, ranking 11th in 2000 and among the top 10 in 2001 and 2002. He currently ranks 14th in the 2003 standings. End Sweep was exported to Japan for the 2001 breeding season, where he died last summer after a breeding shed accident.

The field for the 1996 running of the King's Bishop contained not one, but two leading first crop sires: winner [Honour and Glory](#) and third-place finisher [Distorted Humor](#). It's almost absurd to note that the second-place finisher that day was [Elusive Quality](#).

Honour and Glory went to stud at Ashford in Kentucky in 1997, a few years earlier than his two King's Bishop rivals. In 2000, he led all freshman sires by progeny earnings and by individual winners with 22. The son of Relaunch also sired a 'big horse' in his first crop: GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies winner and Eclipse champion Caressing.

Distorted Humor and Elusive Quality made their way to Central Kentucky for the 1999 breeding season and both have begun their stallion careers in spectacular fashion. Distorted Humor narrowly won the 2002 freshman sire title with just over \$1.3 million in progeny earnings, then, for an encore, saw a member of that first crop win this year's GI Kentucky Derby and GI Preakness S. Elusive Quality led the 2002 freshman standings until late in the year, when a controversial medication ruling in England took some \$70,000 in earnings away from his son Elusive City. Nevertheless, Elusive Quality finished third (less than \$50,000 behind Distorted Humor) among the 2002 first-year stallions and tied [Red Ransom](#) for most ever first crop two-year-old stakes winners with six.

The fourth-leading freshman sire of 2003, and currently third among this year's second-crop stallions, is [Tale of the Cat](#), who just happened to win the 1997 King's Bishop. So, of the first six finishers in the 1996 and 1997 editions of the King's Bishop, two became leading first-crop sires and two more ranked among the top four.

The King's Bishop/leading freshman sire connection continues in 2003 with Forestry. The son of [Storm Cat](#) won the 1999 renewal in stakes-record time (1:21), and currently ranks second behind [Stravinsky](#) on the first-crop sire list.

Subsequent runners in the King's Bishop do not yet have any runners on the track. The 2000 winner More Than Ready's first crop will run next year; nine of his first-crop yearlings have sold so far in 2003 for an encouraging average of \$91,222. The 2001 winner (and Eclipse champion sprinter) Squirtle Squirt now stands in Japan, where his first crop arrived this past spring. The third-place finisher that year, City Zip, has been well supported in New York and his first crop are also foals of 2003. Last year's winner, Gygistar, is still in training and will try for another Grade I victory in the Forego H. next weekend, but being a gelding, not much is expected of him in the breeding shed.

Only time will tell if this year's King's Bishop contenders will go on to successful second careers. But if history is any guide, breeders may want to pay extra close attention the "other" Grade I at Saratoga today.

#### FROM BISHOP TO SIRE

<u>Stallion</u>	<u>King's Bishop Finish</u>	<u>Freshman Sire Rank</u>
<a href="#">Salt Lake</a>	1st-1992	1st (1996)
End Sweep	2nd-1994	1st (1998)
<a href="#">Honour and Glory</a>	1st-1996	1st (2000)
<a href="#">Elusive Quality</a>	2nd-1996	3rd (2002)
<a href="#">Distorted Humor</a>	3rd-1996	1st (2002)
<a href="#">Tale of the Cat</a>	1st-1997	4th (2002)
Forestry	1st-1999	2nd (2003) as of 8-18

 **NORTH AMERICA** 

★ **SARATOGA** ★

**KUDOS SIDELINED** **Kudos** (Kris S.), who was scheduled to start in the GI Pacific Classic at Del Mar Sunday, will be forced to miss the \$1 million race after suffering a bowed tendon in his left front leg. The six-year-old gelding was apparently injured Thursday, when he worked five furlongs in :59.80. "We discovered the bow [Friday] morning," trainer Richard Mandella said. "It's not a terribly bad bow, but it's bad enough." The Hall of Fame trainer added that Kudos could return to training in the future. "We'll do some surgery on him and then we'll work on it and give him time off and we'll try him again next year," he said. The bay has won seven of his 24 career starts, including the GI Oaklawn H. in 2002 and the GII Californian S. in 2003. He has earned \$1,238,935.

**SUNDAY BREAK TO GAINESWAY** **Sunday Break (Jpn)** (Forty Niner--Catequil, by Storm Cat) has been retired from racing and will stand the 2004 breeding season at Gainesway Farm in Lexington, Kentucky. The four-year-old, who raced for Koji Maeda, has been purchased by Dennis Narlinger and Gainesway Farm in a deal brokered by California-based bloodstock agent Bruno de Berdt. Sunday Break was third behind Buddha and Medaglia d'Oro in last year's GI Wood Memorial. He returned to win the GII Peter Pan S. before a third-place finish in the GI Belmont S. In his best finish this season, the bay ran third in the GII Arcadia H. at Santa Anita in April. "Sunday Break was cut out to be a top racehorse and with his pedigree and conformation, he has every right to become a successful stallion," said trainer Neil Drysdale. On the board in nine of 13 starts, Sunday Break won four races and earned \$451,220. No stud fee has been announced.

★ **AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS** ★

**IN BRITAIN:**

**Torinmoor**, c, 2, **Intikhab**. See "Britain."  
**Why Dubai**, f, 2, **Kris S**. See "Britain."

**IN FRANCE:**

**Coimbra**, f, 2, **Tremolino**. See "France"

**STAKES CLOSINGS**

**TODAY, SATURDAY, AUGUST 23:**

- 9-6 \$500,000 **Woodward-I, Bel**, 3/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)
- 9-7 \$250,000 **Garden City Breeders' Cup-I, Bel**, 3yo, f, 9fT (150)



**Yesterday's Results:**

**8th-SAR, \$48,000, Alw, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8m, 1:49 4/5, ft.**

**DEVOTION UNBRIDLED** (f, 3, **Unbridled--Icy Warning {MSW & MGSP, \$516,202}**, by **Caveat**), a maiden winner at Aqueduct in May, was third over a sloppy nine furlongs at Belmont May 25 and returned to run a closing second behind Stellar in a seven-furlong allowance at the Spa Aug. 3. Favored at 3-5, the gray filly sat a stalking second along the rail, moved to the outside to challenge at the three-eighths pole and powered clear down the stretch to win by 7 1/4 lengths. Lifetime Record: 5-2-2-1, \$75,300.

O/B-Live Oak Plantation (KY). T-William I Mott.

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

**FLUSHING MEADOWS** (c, 2, **Grand Slam--Sheepish Grin {MSW}**, by **Our Native**) went wire-to-wire to take his debut by an easy 4 1/2 lengths at Hollywood June 22 before tiring to third after dueling for the lead in the July 24 GII Sanford S. Favored at 7-5, the bay colt jumped out to the early lead, opened a clear advantage in the lane and was ridden to secure a 2 1/4-length victory. The winner is a half brother to Pure Wool (Relaunch, MSW, \$194,633) and Crafty Guy (Crafty Prospector, MSW & MGSP, \$203,600). Lifetime Record: GSP, 3-2-0-1, \$71,100.

O-Darley Stable. B-Liberation Farm & Oratis Thoroughbreds (KY). T-Eoin Harty.

**3rd-SAR, \$46,000, Msw, 3yo/up, 1 3/16mT, 1:53, fm.**

**ALAJWAD** (c, 3, **Storm Cat--La Affirmed, by Affirmed**), a \$5.5-million KEESEP yearling, was third over the dirt in a Nad al Sheba maiden in March and returned to the U.S. to run second in a June 5 off-the-turfer at Belmont. Off since running second in his 10-furlong turf debut at Belmont July 6, the well-bred chestnut was the 6-5 favorite in his second try on the grass. He was never far back, inhaled the leader nearing the stretch and finished strongly to secure a 3 1/4-length victory over Tribute to Heroes (Unbridled). Alajwad is a full brother to Caress (MGSW, \$666,076), Country Cat (GSW & MGISP, \$564,113) and Bernstein (MGSW-Ire, \$167,112). He is also a half to Unify (Farma Way, GSP) and Della Francesca (Danzig, GSW & G1SP-Ire, MGSP-Eng, \$200,071). Lifetime Record: 3-1-2-0, \$45,200.

O-Darley Stable. B-Brushwood Stable (KY). T-Thomas Albertrani.



(Saratoga report cont.)

**6th-SAR, \$45,000, Msw, 3yo/up, 7f, 1:23, ft.**  
**CHEROKEE PARK (c, 3, Boston Harbor--Boney, by Jade Hunter)**, off nearly a year after a sixth-place effort at Belmont in July 2002, returned with a third-place finish going seven panels in Elmont June 29 and was eighth racing six furlongs over this track July 26. Getting Lasix for the first time, the 8-1 shot was ridden to the early lead, opened a clear advantage into the stretch and won by 1 1/4 lengths over Big Country (A.P. Indy). Cherokee Park was a \$110,000 KEENOV weanling and \$140,000 FTKJUL yearling. Host (Tabasco Cat), half of the 3-5 favored entry, raced with the pace for five furlongs before tiring to fourth in his first start since November. His stablemate Palique (Uru) (Ideologico {Arg}), a winner of six unsanctioned races in Uruguay, faded in the stretch to finish 11th and last. Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-1, \$31,730.  
 O-Tracy Farmer. B-Hubert H Vester (KY). T-N P Zito.

**4th-SAR, \$45,000, Msw, 2yo, f, 7f, 1:23 2/5, ft.**  
**SISTI'S PRIDE (f, 2, Forestry--Marie J {GSP, \$139,800}, by Mr. Prospector)**, fourth in her first start at Belmont July 4, tired to third after pressing the pace last time out over this track July 27. The dark bay filly, looking to become the fifth winner for her freshman sire (by Storm Cat), raced with the pace before taking charge after five furlongs and drawing clear to score by 4 3/4 lengths. Steady Course (Old Trieste) was second. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-1, \$34,530.  
 O/B-Aaron & Marie Jones (KY). T-Todd A Pletcher.

## ★ CENTRAL ★

**Yesterday's Results:**

**4th-ELP, \$27,000, Msw, 2yo, 1mT, 1:38, fm.**  
**RAVADON (c, 2, Fast Play--Belledelaire, by Beaudelaire)** ran to his 88-1 odds when 11th in his six-furlong debut at Churchill Downs July 5, but improved to second in a one-mile off-the-turfer at this track Aug. 1. Trying the turf and blinkers for the first time, the bay colt rallied five wide into the stretch and outbattled Paint Ballado (Saint Ballado) for a half-length win at 7-1. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, \$22,230.  
 O-Peter Strandwitz. B-Cheryl Lynn Shifflett (KY). T-James E Baker.

**10th-ELP, \$27,000, Msw, 2yo, 1mT, 1:37 4/5, fm.**  
**OUR GANG (c, 2, Mystery Storm--Full Reign, by Secretariat)** tried the turf for the first time last out, running fifth, beaten just 2 1/2 lengths, while sprinting 5 1/2 furlongs over this course Aug. 13. The 2-1 favorite, a \$17,000 KEESEP yearling, raced three wide behind horses early. He swept out six wide nearing the stretch and closed strongly to win by 4 1/4 lengths. Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-1, \$19,610.  
 O-Tom Dipiazza, Tom Defalco & Ron & Scherer Merrill. B-Dr William A Baker (KY). T-Merrill R Scherer.

## ★ WEST ★

**Al Mamoon Pensioned:**

GISW **Al Mamoon** (Believe It--Lady Winborne, by Secretariat) has been pensioned by Cardiff Stud Farms near Creston, California, according to *Thoroughbred Times*. The 22-year-old stallion is the sire of nine stakes winners, including multiple graded-stakes winner Onceinablueamoon. On the racetrack, Al Mamoon won the 1986 GI John Henry H., GII American H., GII Eddie Read H. and GIII Citation H. From 13 crops to race, Al Mamoon has sired the earners of nearly \$6 million.

## ★ EAST ★

**Yesterday's Results:**

**10th-WOX, \$66,700, Msw, 3&4yo, 9fTT, 1:47, fm.**  
**+ HUXLEY HERO (c, 3, Sea Hero--Ann's Winner {SW}, by Personal Flag)**, dismissed at 64-1 in his bow, rallied five wide into the stretch, closed relentlessly and just got up to best Shop Hill (Red Ransom) by 3/4 lengths. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$40,020.  
 O/B-William J Lageman (KY). T-Mark Casse.

**6th-WOX, \$60,600, Msw, 2yo, f, 7fT, 1:23, fm.**  
**+ RALLA (f, 2, Roar--Somebody Else {MSW, \$240,200}, by Executive Pride {Ire})** was a lightly regarded 8-1 shot in her bow. Pressured on the front end, the filly inched clear on the turn and finished gamely to best Do You Love It (General Royal) by 3/4 lengths. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$36,360.  
 O-Anderson Farms & Ontario Inc. B-Mark R Frostad (ON). T-Mark Frostad.

**9th-LRL, \$25,000, Msw, 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:46, yl.**  
**WITH A RUSH (c, 3, Wild Rush--Aubegris, by Green Forest)** began his career with trainer Pat Byrne and was well-beaten in two main track sprints at Churchill Downs in June 2002. Trying turf and two turns for the first time in his first start in over a year, the 3-1 shot set the pace with a ground-saving trip and flew home 9 1/2 lengths the best. Jonstar (NZ) (Heroicity {Aus}), a five-year-old hurdler, was second. With a Rush was a \$50,000 FTKJUL yearling and \$350,000 FTFFEB two-year-old. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$14,250.  
 O-Top Racing Mountain. B-Jonabell Farm Inc & William Condren (KY). T-Michael W Dickinson.

### ☆ THAT'S A WRAP ☆

**LAUREL PARK - Laurel, MD**  
**Closed: Friday, Aug. 22**  
**No. of Days: 22**  
**Leading Owner: Michael Gill (17 wins)**  
**Leading Trainer: Jerry Robb (10 wins)**  
**Leading Jockey: Ryan Fogelsonger (25 wins)**  
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## ★ DEL MAR ★

### Two Million Dollar Baby Debuts at Del Mar:

**Possession** (Belong to Me--Tomisue's Delight, by A.P. Indy), who sold for \$2 million at last year's Keeneland July Sale, makes her career debut in the first race at Del Mar this afternoon. The chestnut filly, owned by Darley Stud and trained by Eoin Harty, is the first foal from her accomplished dam, whose seven wins included the GI Personal Ensign H. and GI Ruffian H. Tomisue's Delight hit the board in six other Grade I races while earning \$1,207,536. Possession's second dam is Prospectors Delite, herself a multiple Grade I winner. In addition to Tomisue's Delight, the mare has produced Mineshaft (A.P. Indy), MGISW, \$1,383,395; Rock Slide (A.P. Indy), MSW & GSP, \$409,020; Delta Music (Dixieland Band), SW & GSW, \$272,923; and Monashee Mountain (Danzig), GSW-Ire, \$110,635.

## FRESHMAN FOCUS

### First-crop progeny to watch: Saturday, August 23

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

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

- ACCELERATOR** (A.P. Indy), , , 77/3/0  
12-LAD, Msw, 5fT, Lady High Indy, \$4K LTB SPR yrl, 15-1  
12-LAD, Msw, 5fT, Pollys Accelerator, \$16K KEE SEP yrl, 5-2  
12-LAD, Msw, 5fT, +Hit the Brakes, 6-1  
**BIANCONI** (Danzig), Ashford, \$5K, 72/2/0  
7-WO, Msw, 5f, +Danceaway Girl, 15-1  
**CHARISMATIC** (Summer Squall), Japan, \$, 79/1/0  
2-SAR, Msw, 7f, Mahzouz, \$45K KEE SEP yrl, 5-1  
**DIAMOND** (Mr. Prospector), Northview, \$5K, 58/1/0  
7-TIM, Msw, 6 1/2f, +Diamonds in Style, 20-1  
**DONERAILE COURT** (Seattle Slew), Buck Pond, \$8K, 75/5/0  
7-AP, Msw, 1m, Courthouse, \$22K OBS MAR 2yo, 10-1  
**EXPELLED** (Exploident), Albemarle, \$5K, 47/5/0  
12-LAD, Msw, 5fT, +Kaceysexpelled, \$2K ARK OCT yrl, 20-1  
1-DMR, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Exploitation, \$190K FTF FEB 2yo  
**FAMILY CALLING** (Mr. Prospector), Hidden Point, \$5K, 76/11/0  
7-TIM, Msw, 6 1/2f, Calling All Forbes, 6-1  
**FORESTRY** (Storm Cat), Taylor Made, \$50K, 75/4/1  
2-SAR, Msw, 7f, +Imperial Ruler, \$950K FTS AUG yrl, 6-1  
**MENIFEE** (Harlan), Stone, \$15K, 37/1/0  
7-AP, Msw, 1m, Slade, \$140K KEE NOV wnl, 4-1  
**MILITARY** (Danzig), Glencrest, \$5K, 34/2/0  
4-WO, Msw, 7fT, +Campo Lago, \$20K EAS MAY 2yo, 12-1  
7-ELP, Msw, 5f, +Military Road, 12-1  
**ORCHID'S DEVIL** (Forty Niner), , , 27/9/0  
7-HST, Msw, 6 1/2f, Felix De La Luna, 6-1  
**REBMEC** (Miswaki), , , 37/12/1  
9-NP, Stk, 1 3/8m, Reb's Drummer, 12-1  
**SILVER CHARM** (Silver Buck), 3 Chimneys, \$25K, 75/3/0  
7-WO, Msw, 5f, +Silvercity Lady, \$70K KEE SEP yrl, 10-1  
**TACTICAL CAT** (Storm Cat), Overbrook, \$10K, 68/7/1  
9-PHA, Stk, 6f, Emilys Oyster, \$40K FTF FEB 2yo, 8-1  
**WILD EVENT** (Wild Again), Bridlewood, \$8K, 47/5/0  
7-AP, Msw, 1m, Primm, \$14K OBS APR 2yo, 15-1  
**WILD WONDER** (Wild Again), Dunhill, \$5K, 48/3/0  
7-ELP, Msw, 5f, +Wild Jim, 20-1

## SOPHOMORE SPOTLIGHT

### First-time starters/stakes runners: Saturday, August 23

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

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

- AGGIE SOUTHPAW** (Forty Niner), Key, \$3K, 16/4/1  
9-RET, Stk, 7 1/2fT, Call Me Lefty, 4-1  
**ANNOUNCE** (Forty Niner), Dell Ridge, \$7K, 144/30/3  
9-EMD, Stk, 1 1/8m, Here's Carrie, \$28K WAS AUG yrl  
**AWESOME AGAIN** (Deputy Minister), Adena, \$50K, 148/28/3  
10-SAR, Stk, 7f, Awesome Time, \$240K KEE APR 2yo, 15-1  
10-SAR, Stk, 7f, Ghostzapper, 4-1  
**CAPOTE'S PROSPECT** (Capote), Cedarcrest, \$3K, 33/8/0  
9-RET, Stk, 7 1/2fT, Lasttorun, \$22K TEX AUG yrl, 10-1  
**DEPUTY COMMANDER** (Deputy Minister), Airdrie, \$20K, 184/34/2  
11-SAR, Stk, 1 1/4m, Ten Most Wanted, \$145K FTF FEB 2yo, 6-1  
7-ELP, Msw, 5f, +Sure Prize, 12-1  
**DISTORTED HUMOR** (Forty Niner), Winstar, \$13K, 128/42/8  
11-SAR, Stk, 1 1/4m, Funny Cide, \$22K SAR AUG yrl, 3-1  
**DOUBLE HONOR** (Gone West), Farnsworth, \$, 138/47/0  
9-MTH, Stk, 5fT, College Honor, \$310K OBS JUN 2yo  
**ELUSIVE QUALITY** (Gone West), Gainsborough, \$10K, 165/44/11  
7-SAR, Stk, 6f, Chimichurri, \$250K FTF FEB 2yo, 7-2  
10-SAR, Stk, 7f, Great Notion, \$82K KEE SEP yrl, 15-1  
7-ELP, Msw, 5f, +Night Charger, \$85K OBS FEB 2yo, 4-1  
9-TDN, Stk, 6f, Baba Gonzo, 2-1  
7-WO, Msw, 5f, +Can't Buy Class, \$22K FTK JUL yrl, 6-1  
**FORMAL GOLD** (Black Tie Affair {IRE}), Gainesway, \$15K, 130/34/1  
6-AP, Stk, 1 1/16mT, Dress to Impress, \$28K OBS APR 2yo, 3-1  
6-AP, Stk, 1 1/16mT, Casual Attitude, \$15K KEE OCT yrl, 12-1  
**GENTLEMEN (ARG)** (Robin des Bois), Walmac, \$30K, 126/13/1  
9-RET, Stk, 7 1/2fT, Gentlemen J J, 8-5  
**GRAND SLAM** (Gone West), Ashford, \$30K, 244/65/6  
7-SAR, Stk, 6f, Home Run Hitter, \$11K EAS OCT yrl, 20-1  
11-SAR, Stk, 1 1/4m, Strong Hope, \$1700K FTS AUG yrl, 4-1  
9-PHA, Stk, 6f, Grand Cap D, \$27K OBS MAR 2yo, 5-1  
**INDIAN CHARLIE** (In Excess {IRE}), Airdire, \$10K, 149/41/1  
10-SAR, Stk, 7f, Midnight Charlie, \$100K FTF FEB 2yo, 20-1  
**KING OF KINGS (IRE)** (Sadler's Wells), Ashford, \$35K, 186/27/1  
9-EMD, Stk, 1 1/8m, Thekingsqueen, \$69K WAS AUG yrl  
4-WO, Msw, 7fT, +Fresh King, 12-1  
**PROUD AND TRUE** (Mr. Prospector), DBL Diamond, \$4K, 81/19/1  
7-ELP, Msw, 5f, +Red White and True, 15-1  
**SOUVENIR COPY** (Mr. Prospector), Hopewell, \$20K, 196/49/1  
2-DMR, Msw, 6 1/2f, +Big Decision  
**STORMY ATLANTIC** (Storm Cat), Bridlewood, \$3K, 132/30/4  
9-PHA, Stk, 6f, Beat the Traffic, \$4K EAS OCT yrl, 8-1  
**SWISS YODELER** (Eastern Echo), Pepper Oaks, \$3K, 101/35/3  
9-RET, Stk, 7 1/2fT, Alpler, \$16K KEE NOV wnl, 5-1  
**WILD RUSH** (Wild Again), Adena, \$15K, 175/34/2  
3-DMR, Stk, 1mT, Fencelineighbor, \$37K OBS WIN yrl  
**YARROW BRAE** (Deputy Minister), Murmur, \$6K, 72/10/1  
6-AP, Stk, 1 1/16mT, Hail Hillary, \$4K KEE SEP yrl, 8-1

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**NAYEF INJURED** Marcus Tregoning yesterday revealed that **Nayef** (Gulch) suffered a gashed leg during Tuesday's G1 Juddmonte International S. at York. The five-year-old was third behind **Falbrav (Ire)** (Fairy King) in the 10-furlong contest. "He was struck into, probably at the start, and has quite a deep and nasty cut on the front of his near-hind pastern," Tregoning told the *Racing Post*. "There's a good blood supply to the foot, so it will come right in a couple of weeks. I'm not going to use it as an excuse, but it wouldn't have helped his chance. He owes us nothing and has put in a top-class performance every year, but he's still in the G1 Champion S. [at Newmarket Oct. 18] and some American races." In related news, the Sir Michael Stoute-trained **Kalaman (Ire)** (Desert Prince {Ire}) is undergoing tests after disappointing when seventh as the 15-8 favorite. Luca Cumani reported Falbrav as "very well" after the race, but is yet to confirm the five-year-old's next target.

## ★ BRITAIN ★

### Yesterday's Results:

**HOPEFUL S.-Listed**, £32,000, York, 8-22, 3yo/up, 6fT, 1:11.62, gd/fm.

1--**#FAYR JAG (IRE)**, 126, g, 4, **Fayruz (GB)--Lominda (Ire)**, by **Lomond**. (8,000gns yrl '99 DONSEP).  
O-Jonathan Gill; B-C M Farrell Jr; T-Tim Easterby;  
J-Willie Supple; £18,560. Lifetime Record: 20-7-5-2, £130,473.

2--**Somnus (GB)**, 127, g, 3, **Pivotal (GB)--Midnight's Reward (GB)**, by **Night Shift**. £7,040.

3--**Barrantes (GB)**, 121, m, 6, **Distant Relative (Ire)--Try The Duchess (GB)**, by **Try My Best**. £3,520.

Margins: NK, 3/4, 1HF. Odds: 11-8, 6-5, 66-1.

Also Ran: Revenue (Ire), Royal Beacon (GB), Peruvian Chief (Ire).

Fayr Jag's rise to prominence has been a steep one this summer. The four-year-old tackled three competitive handicaps within the space of 21 days in June, winning at Pontefract June 1 and York 12 days later, then dead-heating with Ratio (GB) in a strong renewal of the Wokingham H. at Royal Ascot June 21. On the latter occasion he helped to eclipse the track record set by Choisir (Aus) in the G1 Golden Jubilee S. earlier that afternoon despite the bit slipping through his mouth in the closing stages. He was subsequently eighth behind Patavellian (Ire) in the Stewards Cup H. at Goodwood last time Aug. 2, but was far from disgraced as the highweight in that contest. Held up in rear by Willie Supple off the blistering pace set by Barrantes on this stakes debut, he quickened best of all to cut down the long-time leader with 75 yards remaining before holding the late charge of Somnus and Ted Durcan.

**Thirsk, 2.20, Mdn**, £11,085, 2yo, 6fT, 1:12.10, gd/fm. **ROYAL WARRANT (GB)** (c, 2, **Royal Applause {GB}--Brand {GB}**), by **Shareef Dancer**), placed in good six-furlong maidens at Salisbury July 25 and Windsor Aug. 11, tracked the leaders in fourth on the outside and was ridden into a slight lead at the quarter-mile marker. The 5-4 favourite was driven along approaching the final furlong and was fully extended in the closing stages to account for Desert Daisy (Ire) (Desert Prince {Ire}) by a length. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-1, £8,282. O/B-The Queen; T-Andrew Balding.

**Newmarket, 2.40, Mdn**, £8,680, 2yo, c/g, 7fT, 1:26.09, gd/fm.

**TORINMOOR** (c, 2, **Intikhab--Tochar Ban**, by **Assert {Ire}**), third behind Psychiatrist (GB) in a Goodwood maiden on his debut Aug. 1, was sent off the 5-2 favorite to make that experience count. Stalking the steady early pace on the inner, he was brought through a gap to take command passing halfway. Strongly pressed by the newcomer Sussex (GB) (Danehill) up the rising ground, the half to Uncharted Haven (GB) (Turtle Island {Ire}), MGSW, \$323,780, responded to strong driving to win that argument by a neck. He becomes the ninth winner for his freshman sire (by Red Ransom). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, £7,297.

O-Mr & Mrs R Scott; B-S Kelly; T-Amanda Perrett.

**Newmarket, 2.10, Mdn**, £8,440, 2yo, f, 7fT, 1:26.71, gd/fm.

**WHY DUBAI** (f, 2, **Kris S.--Highest Goal**, by **Slew O'Gold**), disappointing when eighth as favorite on her debut in a Newbury maiden Aug. 3, was sent off the 3-1 joint second favourite. Always prominent in the early stages, the \$75,000 KESEEP yearling purchase took command while traveling strongly with 250 yards remaining before holding the challenge of Baffle (GB) (Selkirk) by a half length. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, £5,486.

O-Malih L Al Basti; B-Winstar Farm LLC; T-Richard Hannon.

### RECORDS ON THE KNAVESMIRE

Officials at York racecourse were yesterday celebrating a record crowd on the Thursday of the three-day Ebor festival. After witnessing an increase of 6.5 percent on last year's figures, Clerk of the Course William Derby commented, "This is our flagship meeting and we knew the eyes of the racing world would be on us. We can't rest on our laurels, but we are very pleased with another successful meeting."

**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, an (S) will be used for state-bred races, a (C) will be used for maiden-claiming races.**



**SEABISCUIT HONORED IN OLDEST CLASSIC**

Doncaster Racecourse yesterday announced that the 2003 renewal of the world's oldest Classic will be run as the £400,000 G1 Seabiscuit St Leger S. In a partnership deal with major movie company Buena Vista International (UK), part of the Walt Disney corporation, the 227th renewal of the Classic will form the highlight of the four-day Seabiscuit St Leger Festival, which runs Sept. 10 to Sept. 13. The Seabiscuit St Leger Festival will provide the film 'Seabiscuit' with high-profile publicity ahead of its British release Nov. 14. Seabiscuit, which is a success at the box office in the United States this summer, is expected to surpass \$100 million and could be a contender for next year's Oscars. "Doncaster Racecourse is both delighted and honored to be involved in helping to promote the incredible Seabiscuit story," John Sanderson, chief executive at Doncaster, commented yesterday. "The St Leger has a tradition as strong as any race in the world and I feel that the Seabiscuit branding is sure to be of benefit to both the St Leger Festival and the amazing movie 'Seabiscuit' ahead of its release in Britain." Robert Mitchell, vice president of marketing at Buena Vista International (UK) added, "We are so proud to be able associate this wonderful movie with such a prestigious event in the racing calendar and look forward to a successful relationship with Doncaster Racecourse."

★ FRANCE ★

**Yesterday's Results:**

**GRAND PRIX DE CLAIREFONTAINE - ETALON**

**ENRIQUE**-Listed, €41,000, Clairefontaine, 8-22, 3yo, 1 1/2mT, 2:32.30, gd.

1--**#GREY GLITTERS (FR)**, 123, c, 3, by Grey Risk (Fr)

1st Dam: Marie Glitters (Fr), by Crystal Glitters

2nd Dam: Marie de Vez (Fr), by Crystal Palace (Fr)

3rd Dam: \*Ordenstreue, by \*Orsini II

O/B-Ecurie Bader; T-Philippe Demercastel; J-Raphael Marchelli; €20,500. Lifetime Record: 10 starts, 2 wins, 5 places, €60,590.

2--**Millenium Mambo (Fr)**, 123, c, 3, Dernier Empereur--Blue Mary (Fr), by Fabulous Dancer. €8,200.

3--**Darinski (Ire)**, 123, c, 3, Mark Of Esteem (Ire)--Daralbayda (Ire), by Doyoun (Ire). €6,150.

Margins: HD, 3/4, 1. Odds: 8.30, 2.90, 2.00.

Also Ran: Kjetil, Forestier (Fr), Jarro Fontenailles (Fr), Dares (Ger), I Got Rythm (Fr).

Despite displaying admirable consistency throughout his career, Grey Glitters was winless until taking a competitive handicap when upped to this trip for the first time at this venue last time Aug. 13. Left alone in front under Raphael Marchelli throughout the early stages of this contest, the striking grey was full of run as he led his rivals into the straight. Taken on by all comers at the quarter-mile marker, he responded to strong driving to outbattle Millenium Mambo and Stephane Pasquier and assert in the final strides.

**Clairefontaine**, 1.45, Cond, €18,000, 2yo, f, 1mT, 1:37.60, gd.

**COIMBRA (f, 2, Trempolino--Tarkheena, by Alleged)**, a \$7,500 KEEJAN yearling, was third on her debut at Deauville July 6 and fourth on her only other start at this track July 28. Soon dictating matters from the front, the 2-1 favourite was afforded an easy lead, quickened further ahead approaching the final furlong and ran on well in the closing stages to beat Boaka (Fr) (Kahyasi {Ire}) by a cozy 2 1/2 lengths. The winner is a half to Clerical Error (Ire) (Kendor {Fr}), GSP-Fr. Lifetime Record: 3 starts, 1 win, 2 places, €13,750.

O-Haras d'Etream; B-Whitewood Stable Inc; T-Jean-Claude Rouget.

**Saturday, Deauville, post time: 2:30 p.m.**

**CRITERIUM DU FONDS EUROPEEN DE L'ELEVAGE-**

**Listed**, €122,000, 2yo, 1mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	4	Toasted	Hennessy	Rouget	123
2	8	Gwaihir (Ire)	Cape Cross (Ire)	Gosden	123
3	7	Northerner (Fr)	Loup Solitaire	Pimbonnet	123
4	1	Islero Noir (Fr)	Septieme Ciel	de Nicolay	123
5	9	Hectolun (Ire)	Hector Protector	R Gibson	123
6	6	Voix Du Nord (Fr)	Valanour (Ire)	Smaga	123
7	2	Tulipe Royale (Fr)	Java Gold	Rossio	120
8	5	Take Kiss (Fr)	Take Risks (Fr)	Artu	120
9	3	Dinorah (Fr)	Lahint	Barbe	120

**EUROPEAN SIRES OF 2003 FIRST-TIME STAKES WINNERS**

**(through Aug. 18, 2003)**

SIRE	Loc	SWs
<a href="#">Danehill</a> (Danzig)	dead	10
<a href="#">Sadler's Wells</a> (Northern Dancer)	Ire	9
Linamix (Mendez)	Fr	7
Anabaa (Danzig)	Fr	6
Singspiel (In the Wings)	Eng	6
Cadeaux Genereux (Young Generation)	Eng	5
Alhaarth (Unfuwain)	Eng	4
Barathea (Sadler's Wells)	Ire	4
Darshaan (Shirley Heights)	dead	4
Desert Prince (Green Desert)	Ire	4
Machiavellian (Mr. Prospector)	Eng	4
Pivotal (Polar Falcon)	Eng	4
<a href="#">Selkirk</a> (Sharpen Up)	Eng	4

*(Based on winners of unrestricted stakes with purses of \$35,000 or more in North America and winners of European stakes that qualify for "black-type" by North American catalogue standards and graded SWs in Japan.) Compiled by [Werk Thoroughbred Consultants](#), specialists in assisting breeders in their stallion selection and buyers in their auction purchases. For more information call (510) 490-1111.*



# BREEDERS' EDITION AMERICA

**STAKES RESULTS:**

**FIND H.**, \$75,000, LRL, 8-22, (S), 3yo/up, 1 1/8mT, 1:52, yl.

1--**CERTANTEE, 115, h, 6, Known Fact--Foufa, by Storm Bird.** O-Sondra Bender; B-Sondra & Howard M Bender (MD); T-Lawrence E Murray; J-H A Karamanos; \$45,000. Lifetime Record: SW, 26-7-5-3, \$273,160. \*1/2 to Maryland Moon (Al Mamoon), MSW & GISP, \$420,223; Full Brush (Broad Brush), SW & GSP, \$375,132; Media Access (Devil's Bag), SW, \$187,042; Foufa's Warrior (Jade Hunter), GSW, \$325,008.

2--**Love to Tango, 113, g, 6, Not for Love--Paris Tango,** by Cure the Blues. \$15,000.

3--**Move Those Chains, 115, c, 4, Polish Numbers--Tettau,** by Allen's Prospect. \$8,250.

Margins: NK, 3/4, 2 1/4. Odds: 1.60, 14.20, 2.30.

**ALLOWANCE RESULTS:**

**8th-WOX, \$74,400, NW2X, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:46 1/5, ft.**

**ABOVE JUSTICE (c, 4, Lit de Justice--A Dream Above {SW, \$159,841}, by Great Above)** Lifetime Record: 10-3-2-2, \$130,300. O-Stronach Stable. B-Adena Springs (KY). T-Reada Baker. \*1/2 to Nite Dreamer (El Prado {Ire}), GSW, \$1,149,788.

**7th-SAR, \$46,000, NW2X, (S), 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:40 2/5, fm.**

**MOTIVES (c, 4, Hennessy--Quiet Rumour, by Alleged)** Lifetime Record: 9-3-1-1, \$98,720. O-Estate of Ahmed Bin Salman. B-Lawrence Goichman (NY). T-William I Mott. \*\$180,000 yrl '00 FTNAUG; \$350,000 2yo 2001 OBSFEB.

**8th-MTH, \$41,000, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000), NW3X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:43, fm.**

**TRIX CITY (f, 4, Carson City--Always Nettie {SW, \$165,870}, by Vice Regent)** Lifetime Record: 14-4-3-0, \$93,100. O-Richard Rosee & Robert Sullivan. B-One More Chance (KY). T-Vincent L Blengs.

**8th-LRL, \$32,340, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000-\$35,000), C, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:43 3/5, ft.**

**MR O'BRIEN (IRE) (g, 4, Mukaddamah--Laurel Delight, by Presidium {GB})** Lifetime Record: SW, 10-5-2-0, \$146,220. O-Skeedattle II. B-Jack Ronan & Des Vere Hunt Farm Co (IRE). T-Anthony W Dutrow.

**5th-APX, \$32,000, NW1X, 3yo, f, a1mT, 1:39 1/5, fm.**

**GOLDEN VINTAGE (f, 3, Gold Fever--Shahra, by Shahrastani)** Lifetime Record: 7-2-2-2, \$49,160. O-Rosendo G Parra. B-Holtsinger Inc. (KY). T-Steven M Asmussen. \*\$27,000 yrl '01 KEESEP.

**8th-ELP, \$30,000, NW1X, 3yo, 1mT, 1:36 2/5, fm.**

**JUSTLIKEDAWG (c, 3, Unaccounted For--Explosive {SP}, by Fappiano)** Lifetime Record: SP, 11-2-2-2, \$61,475. O-Pop-A-Top LLC. B-W S Farish & Joseph Jamail (KY). T-Thomas Amoss.

**5th-CRC, \$26,000, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000-\$22,500), NW1X, 3yo, f, 1 1/16m (off turf), 1:49 1/5, ft.**

**KATHY LEE G. (f, 3, Devongate--Kathy's Q. V. C., by Risen Star)** Lifetime Record: 14-2-2-1, \$41,440. O-Robert M Dubois. B-J V Shields Jr (FL). T-Douglas Potter. \*\$3,200 wIng '00 OBSOCT.

**6th-ELP, \$23,500, NW1X, 3/up, 5 1/2fT, 1:02 2/5, fm.**

**FREDERICKTOWN (c, 4, Williamstown--Channel Three {MGSW, \$412,548}, by Tri Jet)** Lifetime Record: 6-2-0-1, \$28,588. O-Silverton Hill Farm LLC. B-Elser Farm Corp (PA). T-Darrin Miller. \*\$20,000 yrl '00 FTMOCT; \$83,000 2yo 2001 TEXMAR.

**UPCOMING MAJOR U.S. STAKES**

<u>Date</u>	<u>Race</u>	<u>Track</u>
Aug. 23	GI Travers S.	SAR
	GI King's Bishop S.	SAR
	GII Fourstardave H.	SAR
	GIII Ballston Spa BC H.	SAR
	GIII Rancho Bernardo H.	DMR
	GIII Philip H. Iselin BC H.	MTH
Aug. 24	GIII Canadian Derby	NPX
	GI Pacific Classic	DMR
	GI Del Mar Oaks	DMR
	GI Ballerina H.	SAR
Aug. 25	GIII Longacres Mile H.	EMD
	GIII Glens Falls H.	SAR
Aug. 29	GI Spinaway S.	SAR
Aug. 30	GI Del Mar Debutante S.	DMR
	GI Hopeful S.	SAR
	GII Niagara BC S.	WOX
	GIII Sorority S.	MTH
	Aug. 31	GI Forego H.
Sept. 1	GII Del Mar H.	DMR
	GII Del Mar BC H.	DMR
	GIII Saranac H.	SAR
	GIII Arlington Matron H.	APX
	GIII Miami Mile BC H.	CRC

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**ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**

**Tejano's Sands**, f, 2, **Level Sands**--Tejano's Girl, by Tejano. CTX, 8-21, 4 1/2f, :55 4/5. B-William R Ward Jr (WV).

**Carsonetta**, f, 2, **Lord Carson**--Havana Speed, by Turkoman. WOX, 8-22, (C), 5f, 1:00 1/5. B-Greg Garafalo (NY). \*\$3,200 wlng '01 KEENOV; \$4,500 yrl '02 ARKOCT.

**X Partner**, c, 2, **Partner's Hero**--Like Yesterday, by Allen's Prospect. MTH, 8-22, (S), 6f, 1:11 1/5. B-Like Yesterday, LLC (NJ). \*\$14,000 wlng '01 FTMDEC; \$15,000 yrl '02 FTMSEP.

**Midnight Express**, c, 2, **Private Interview**--Midnight Train, by Red Ransom. MTH, 8-22, (S), 6f, 1:13 3/5. B-Ocean View Stables (NJ).

**Bittersweet Rain**, f, 3, **Ascot Knight**--Ripples n' Rays, by Bucksplasher. WOX, 8-22, (C), 1 1/16m, 1:49 3/5. B-Windfields Farm (On). \*\$9,996 wlng '00 CBSOCT; \$20,000 yrl '01 CBSSEP. \*\*Full to Bright Knight, MSP, \$172,474.

**Promenade Road**, f, 3, **Dance Brightly**--Boldly Extravagant, by Bold Ruckus. WOX, 8-22, 1 1/16m, 1:49 4/5. B-Amarpreet Bhangoo (On). \*\$80,000 yrl '01 FTKJUL.

**Slewohonor**, f, 3, **Fighting Fit**--Sassy Slew (SW, \$169,645), by Slew Machine. LAD, 8-22, a1m70yd, 1:43 2/5. B-D McClure, G Hicker, H Banchik & S Fogel (Ca).

**Guidebook**, f, 3, **Notebook**--Steamy Recipe, by Relaunch. DMR, 8-22, (C), 1m, 1:37 3/5. B-Glen Hill Farm (Fl).

**Arjay's Flag**, c, 3, **Personal Flag**--Pressingconnection, by Danzig Connection. SAR, 8-22, (S), 1 1/8m, 1:52 4/5. B-RJSL Stables, Inc (NY).

**McCourt**, c, 4, **Benny the Dip**--Alyaffirm, by Alydar. LRL, 8-22, 1 1/16mT, 1:47 4/5. B-Hinkle Farms, Inc (Ky). \*\$55,000 yrl '00 KEESEP.

**BREEDERS' EDITION  
EUROPE**

**CONDITIONS RESULTS:**

**ITALY, Naples, 10.50**, 8-21, €13,005, 2yo, 7fT, time: n/a, gd.

**GOLDEN PURPLE (IRE) (f, 2, Definite Article {GB}--Sorpresa {Ity}, by Miswaki)** Lifetime Record: 8 starts, 3 wins, 4 places, €34,034. O/B-Scuderia Golden Horse SRL; T-G Fratini.

**BRITAIN, Newcastle, 5.40**, £5,815, 2yo, 5fT, 1:02.32, gd/fm.

**PRINCE TARA (IRE) (g, 2, Docksider--Bird in My Hand {Ire}, by Bluebird)** Lifetime Record: 6-2-0-1, £10,646. O-Tara Leisure; B-Mrs Clody E Norton; T-John Quinn.

**ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**

**Morag (GB)**, f, 2, **Aragon (GB)**--Minnehaha (GB), by Be My Chief. Thirsk, Britain, 8-22, Mdn, 2yo, 7fT. B-D Miller. \*1,600gns yrl '02 DONOCT.

**Kelucia (Ire)**, f, 2, **Grand Lodge**--Karachi (Spa) (Ch. 2yo Filly-Spa, SP-Spa), by Zino (GB). Newcastle, Britain, 8-22, Mdn, 2yo, 1mT. B-Fernando Bermudez. \*21,000gns yrl '02 TATOCT.

+ **Fasold (GB)**, c, 2, **Pursuit Of Love (GB)**--Fortify (GB), by Machiavellian. Hoppegarten, Germany, 8-22, Mdn, 2yo, 7fT. B-Cheveley Park Stud Ltd. \*28,000gns wnlg '01 TATDEC.

**Red Trance (Ire)**, f, 2, **Soviet Star**--Truly Bewitched, by Affirmed. Bath, Britain, 8-22, Mdn, 2yo, f, 5f 11ydsT. B-Robinski Bloodstock Ltd.

**Terroplane (Fr)**, c, 2, **Verglas (Ire)**--Luthia (Fr), by Always Fair. Clairefontaine, France, 8-22, Cond, 2yo, c/g, 1mT. B-Mme P D Beck. \*Sixth winner for freshman sire (by Highest Honor {Fr}).

**Airtronico (GB)**, c, 3, **Emperor Jones**--Alipura (GB), by Anfield (Ire). Hoppegarten, Germany, 8-22, Mdn, 3yo, 1 1/8mT. B-E & Mrs Reed.

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