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DALAKHANI GAINS CARTIER HONORS

His Highness The Aga Khan's G1 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe and G1 Prix du Jockey-Club winner **Dalakhani (Ire)** (Darshaan {GB}) was named Horse of the Year at the 2003 Cartier Racing Awards held at London's Four Seasons Hotel last night. The now-retired three-year-old also secured the Three-Year-Old Colt award. **Falbrav (Ire)** (Fairy King), runner-up for the Horse of the Year award, was rewarded for his four Group 1 wins this term by garnering the Older Horse award. Cheveley Park Stud's **Russian Rhythm** (Kingmambo), who rattled up a



HOTY Dalakhani
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Group 1 hat trick in the Sagitta 1000 Guineas, Coronation S. and Nassau S., was given the Three-Year-Old Filly prize, ahead of G1 Breeders' Cup Mile winner Six Perfections (Fr). **Persian Punch (Ire)** (Persian Heights {GB}) won the Stayers' award and **Oasis Dream (GB)** (Green Desert) landed the Sprinters title. Aidan O'Brien's **One Cool Cat** (Storm Cat), winner of the G1 Phoenix S. and G1 National S., took the Two-Year-Old Colt award, while the unbeaten **Attraction (GB)** (Efisio {GB}), trained by Mark Johnston, picked up Two-Year-Old Filly honors. The Daily Telegraph Award of Merit was presented to Lord John Oaksey. A TV racing presenter for both ITV and Channel 4, Oaksey's greatest achievement was as a founder of the Injured Jockeys' Fund in 1964, a charity to which he still devotes a great deal of time.



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COLT BY HORSE CHESTNUT TOPS KEENELAND

A weanling colt by freshman sire Horse Chestnut (SAf) out of the unraced mare Dr. Redoutable (by Storm Cat) brought an \$85,000 final bid to top Wednesday's penultimate session of Keeneland's November Breeding Stock Sale in Lexington, Kentucky. Consigned by F. Gill Aulick (Cedar Point Farm) on behalf of J. Phillip Mote, [hip 3627](http://hip.3627) was purchased by MPK Ltd. (*Ke. cont. p2*)

☆ **PREVIEW** ☆

Saturday, Laurel, post time: 4:33 p.m. EST

F J DE FRANCIS MEMORIAL DASH-GI, \$300,000, 3yo/up, 6f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	Outstander	Outflanker	Santana	119
2	Crossing Point	Allen's Prospect	Pino	119
3	A Huevo	Cool Joe	Dominguez	119
4	Gators N Bears	Stormy Atlantic	Wilson	115
5	Way to the Top	Way West (Fr)	Rose	119
6	Shake You Down	Montbrook	Luzzi	123
7	Aggadan	Carnivalay	Prado	119
8	Take Achance on Me	American Chance	Johnston	119
9	Boston Common	Boston Harbor	Chavez	119
10	Highway Prospector	Crafty Prospector	A Castellano	119

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TWO-YEAR-OLD COLT

One Cool Cat

Storm Cat--Tacha, by Mr. Prospector

TWO-YEAR-OLD FILLY

Attraction (GB)

Efisio (GB)--Flirtation (GB), by Pursuit of Love (GB)

SPRINTER

Oasis Dream (GB)

Green Desert--Hope (Ire), by Dancing Brave

THREE-YEAR-OLD COLT/HORSE OF THE YEAR

Dalakhani (Ire)

Darshaan (GB)--Daltawa (Ire), by Miswaki

THREE-YEAR-OLD FILLY

Russian Rhythm

Kingmambo--Balstroika, by Nijinsky II

OLDER HORSE

Falbrav (Ire)

Fairy King--Gift of the Night, by Slewpy

STAYER

Persian Punch (Ire)

Persian Heights (GB)--Rum Cay, by Our Native

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☆ KEENELAND CONT. ☆

LANGFUHR FILLY LEADS OLDER PROPECTS A three-year-old filly by Langfuhr out of the stakes-producing mare Stubborn Star (by Star Choice) realized the highest price for a racing/broodmare prospect during Keeneland's 10th session. Sold by Iron County Farms Inc, **Anyplace Anytime** was purchased by agent McMahan Bloodstock LLC, who paid \$68,000 for the chestnut. [Hip 3560](#), who placed in the Nervous John S. at Hawthorne in 2003, is a half sister to stakes winners Winning Agenda and Dixie Two Star. This year's edition of the sale, which has enjoyed consistent increases throughout, concludes today with the 11th day of bidding. Last year's sale consisted of 10 days of action.

KEENELAND NOVEMBER STATISTICS WEDNESDAY, NOV. 12, 2002		
KEENELAND.		
SESSION TOTALS	2003	2002
No. Offered	291	227
No. Sold	237	170
RNAs	54	57
% RNA (% change)	18.6% (-25.6%)	25%
Gross	\$2,120,500	\$1,320,300
Average (% change)	\$8,947 (+15.2%)	\$7,766
Median (% change)	\$4,500 (-10%)	\$5,000
CUMULATIVE	2003	2002
No. Offered	3078	2982
No. Sold	2423	2377
RNAs	655	605
% RNA (% change)	21.3% (+4.9%)	20.3%
Gross	\$234,808,300	\$187,230,000
Average (% change)	\$96,908 (+23%)	\$78,767
Median (% change)	\$35,000 (+25%)	\$28,000

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You can also pick up a copy of the TDN today at the Keeneland November Sale.

TDN TODAY

Headline News 2 pages

GRADE 2 WINNER FOR PINE BLUFF

Sire of **PUZZLEMENT**, who defeated **Volponi** and **Harlan's Holiday** in the Grade 2 **Saratoga Breeders' Cup Handicap**.

2004 Stud Fee: \$10,000 Live Foal

☆ RESULTS ☆

Wednesday, Riccarton Park, New Zealand

NEW ZEALAND 2000 GUINEAS-G1, NZ\$300,000, Riccarton Park, 11-12, 3yo, 1600mT, 1:36.34, fm.

- 1--▲ **KING'S CHAPEL (AUS)**, 122, c, 3, by King of Kings (Ire)
 1st Dam: Lower Chapel (GB), by Sharpo (GB)
 2nd Dam: Humble Pie (GB), by Known Fact
 3rd Dam: Scarcely Blessed (Ire), by So Blessed (GB)
 O-Tauranga Racing Syndicate; B-Norelands Stud; T-Mark Walker; J-Opie Bosson; NZ\$187,500.
 Lifetime Record: 8-6-0-1. *First Group 1 winner for sire (by Sadler's Wells).
 - 2--**Sarah Vee (Aus)**, 117, f, 3, End Sweep--Captivating (Aus), by Canny Lad (Aus). O-R E Vernall; B-G Fischl; NZ\$60,000.
 - 3--**Kainui Belle (NZ)**, 117, f, 3, Kashani--Lady Ukiah (NZ), by Straight Strike. O/B-Mrs J J & P W Rogers; NZ\$30,000.
- Margins: 2, 1HF, 2HF. Odds: 3.50, 4.95, 3.75.
 Also ran: Coup Timaru (NZ), Blood 'N' Bone (Aus), Spur Bird (Aus), Unearthed (NZ), Juicy Fruit Mambo (NZ), Catscan (NZ), J'lo (NZ), Ocean Melodie (Aus), Lilakyn (NZ), Lord Asterix (NZ).
 Scratched: Blue Cavalier (NZ), Carlisle Bay (NZ).

☆ NEWS TODAY ☆

HELISSIO TO ENGLAND'S NATIONAL STUD Prix de L'Arc de Triomphe hero **Helissio (Fr)** (Fairy King--Helice, by Slewpy), who stood the 2003 northern hemisphere season at Shadai Stallion Station on the island of Hokkaido in Japan before shuttling to Widden Stud in Australia for the southern session, will take up stud duties at England's National Stud in Newmarket, reports *Thoroughbred Times* yesterday. The 10-year-old stallion, who will stand for £6,000 in 2004, is scheduled to arrive in England in early January. With 56 winners from 213 starters to date, Helissio sired multiple Australian Group 1 winner Helenus (Aus) and Health Wall (Jpn), a stakes winner in Japan. During his racing career, the earner of \$2,008,467 scored in eight of 13 starts, including five Group 1 events. The winner of the G1 Prix Lupin, G1 Grand Prix de Saint Cloud and the Arc en route to a French three-year-old championship over 11-14f in 1996, Helissio took the G1 Prix Ganay and the Grand Prix for the second time in 1997, earning him Hwt Older Horse honors in France at 9.5-11f.



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 **NORTH AMERICA** 

SARAFAN RESURFACES AT HOLLYWOOD Gary Tanaka's **Sarafan** (Lear Fan), an 11th-hour scratch from the Breeders' Cup Mile Oct. 25, returns to action in this afternoon's third race, a classified turf allowance at Hollywood Park. The six-year-old, withdrawn from the Mile by trainer Neil Drysdale because he was not in top form, will face a field of five in the nine-furlong event, which is being used as a prep for the G1 Japan Cup Nov. 30. Sarafan finished a fast-closing second to Falbrav (Ire) in last year's renewal. "He is in fine fettle," the conditioner said yesterday. "He's well back to himself. He just had a low blood count and was a little bit dull, but he's good now." GISW Sarafan, who is winless in five tries over the Hollywood turf, makes just his fifth start of the season today. He was last seen when second, beaten a half length, in the GII Oak Tree Breeders' Cup Mile Oct. 5.

★ **CENTRAL** ★

Final Two Races at Hawthorne Cancelled:

The final two races on Hawthorne's Wednesday card were cancelled due to high winds. Gusts of 50 mph were reported in Chicago as a heavy wind advisory was issued for the area. For information on outstanding wagers, visit www.hawthorneracecourse.com.

The **brisnet.com** 'Race of the Day' is the \$64,600 9th race (\$100,000 opt./clm.) at Churchill. For pps and a complete race analysis, click [here](#).

Yesterday's Results:

9th-CDX, \$46,300, Alw, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/4m (off turf), 2:09, sy.

KRIS STAR (f, 3, Kris S.--Thega, by Conquistador Cielo), a \$250,000 FTSAUG yearling, is a full sister to the up-and-coming Tiger Hunt, SW & GSP, \$312,820, who finished a closing fourth in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Oct. 25. Kris Star finished second on the sod in her most recent, a NW1X at Keeneland Oct. 12, and was bet down to 4-5 favoritism in this 10-furlong off-the-turf affair. Eased out to challenge the front-running Capricha (Pleasant Colony), the bay dueled into the stretch and edged away a furlong out to prevail by a 3 3/4-length margin. Another full to the winner, GSP Tiger Trap, was scheduled to go through the ring at the Keeneland November sale, but was withdrawn. Capricha ran on well to hold the place spot. Lifetime Record: 6-2-3-0, \$68,955. O-WinStar Farm LLC. B-Susan and Bill Casner Racing, LLC (KY). T-W Elliott Walden.

6th-CDX, \$41,160, Msw, 2yo, f, 5f, :59, sy.

BOSTON SONG (f, 2, Boston Harbor--Singin Up a Storm, by Storm Cat) tired to complete the exacta after attending the pace in her last two at Turfway Sept. 13 and Keeneland Oct. 22. Breaking from a wide post this time, the 5-2 choice rushed up to set the pace and kicked clear when asked to win by three lengths over firster Denim Wildcat (Forest Wildcat). The victress, a \$115,000 FTKJUL yearling and \$50,000 KEEAPR two-year-old, is a half to Max's Pal (Marquetry), MSW & MGSP, \$728,896. Lifetime Record: 4-1-2-0, \$41,705. O-Roman Boruta. B-Ben P Walden Jr, Dr Philip McCarthy & Parrish Hill Farm (KY). T-Dallas Stewart.

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SEVEN *European Classic Winners*
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The 2003 Tattersalls December Sale features seven European Classic winners, dispersals from Mr Wafic Said's Addison Racing and the late Prince Fahd Salman's Newgate Stud, as well as major consignments from all of Europe's leading Owner/Breeders.

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8th-CDX, \$38,215, Alw, NW1X, 3yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:18, sy.
SENOR AMIGO (c, 3, **Distorted Humor**--**Senora Anne, by Conquistador Cielo**), a \$22,000 TEXAUG yearling, was a 4 3/4-length debut winner at Keeneland at this distance Oct. 17 and looked good making it two in a row. Over a rain-soaked track that yielded slow times all day, the half to Gee Wally (Walesa), SW, \$103,741, sprinted out to contest the early pace, wrested away the lead nearing the quarter pole and strode away powerfully to win by four on the line as the 8-5 pick. Second choice Dove Above (Dove Hunt) closed to be second. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$54,165.
 O-William Howard. B-Ken & Linda Quirk (TX). T-C Duke.

★ **SO. CALIFORNIA** ★

Grade II Winner Cee's Elegance Retired:

Cee's Elegance (Cee's Tizzy--Elegant Beauty, by Norcliffe), winner of the GII A Gleam H. in July, has been retired from racing and will ship to Kentucky for the upcoming breeding season. "She will be missed, as she is the last horse we have that was bred by Cecilia Straub-Rubens, who shares her name," Michael Cooper, principal owner of the Cee's Stable partnership, explained to *Daily Racing Form*. "Every time I see her I'm reminded of all those great times Cee and I had at the racetrack. But she has been in training consistently for five years and it is time to let her go on to an easier time in life." Concluding her racing career with a record of 33-6-7-8, Cee's Elegance amassed earnings of \$744,039. The six-year-old mare becomes the second high-profile horse to be retired from trainer Doug O'Neill's barn in the last week, following the retirement of Grade I winner Sky Jack because of an injured knee.

Soul of the Matter Returns to United States:

Soul of the Matter (Private Terms--Soul Light, by T.V Commercial), winner of the 1994 GI Super Derby, will return to California for the 2004 breeding season. The 12-year-old stallion, who had stood at Breeders Stallion Station on the island of Hokkaido in Japan since 1997, will take up duty at Ernest Auerbach's E. A. Ranches in Santa Ysabel. His fee for 2004 will be \$4,000. From four crops to race in Japan, Soul of the Matter has sired 22 stakes winners from 143 foals with \$6,150,252 in progeny earnings. Owned by Burt Bacharach and trained by Richard Mandella during his racing career, the dark bay also registered wins in the GII San Felipe S. at three and the GII Bel Air H. and the GII Goodwood H. as a four-year-old before retiring with \$2,302,818 in earnings.

★ **AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS** ★

IN BRITAIN:

Darting, f, 2, **Sahm**. See "Britain"

Bravo Maestro, c, 2, **Stravinsky**--Amaranthus, by Kingmambo. Lingfield, 11-12, Hcp, 2yo, 7f (AWT). B-Pacelco SA & Partners. *\$260,000 wnl '01 KEENOV; 65,000gns yrl '02 TATHOU.

IN ITALY:

Distant Way, c, 2, **Distant View**. See "European Breeders' Edition"

IN HONG KONG:

Sure Fortune, g, 4, **Thunder Gulch**--Her She Shawklit (GISP, \$284,358), by Air Forbes Won. Sha Tin, 11-12, Hcp., 1200m (AWT). B-Gulf Coast Farms Bloodstock LP. *1/2 to Her She Kisses (Dehere), MSW & MGSP, \$270,595; and Crafy Shaw (Crafty Prospector), MGSW, \$788,429. **Formerly Chocolate Storm. ***\$20,000 yrl '00 KEESEP; \$25,000 2yo '01 BESMAY.

Comme d'Habitude, g, 5, **Tabasco Cat**--Baroness Direct (SW & GSP, \$202,734), by Blushing Groom (Fr). Sha Tin, 11-12, Hcp., 1650m (AWT). B-Fares Farm Inc. *1/2 to Immerse (Cox's Ridge), GISP, \$108,343. **Formerly Tribal Drum. ***\$145,000 wnlg '98 KEENOV.



FRESHMAN FOCUS

First-crop progeny to watch: Thursday, November 13

*Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 2000 Fee, #2yos/Winners/SW
 Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)*

- ACCELERATOR** (A.P. Indy), Dead, 77/8/0
 7-CD, Msw, 1 1/16mT, Moody Mama, 15-1
- DONERAILE COURT** (Seattle Slew), Buck Pond, \$8K, 75/16/2
 6-AQU, Alw, 1m, Shamoiselle
- EL AMANTE** (Wild Again), Straus, \$3K, 31/4/0
 7-CD, Msw, 1 1/16mT, Love Em N Leave Em, 6-1
- HORSE CHESTNUT (SAF)** (Fort Wood), Claiborne, \$10K, 36/4/0
 7-CD, Msw, 1 1/16mT, Cape Town Lass, \$95K KEE SEP yrl, 6-1
- MILITARY** (Danzig), Glencrest, \$5K, 34/5/1
 6-GG, Str, 6f, Southern Militia, \$14K BAR OCY yrl, 20-1
- STORMIN FEVER** (Storm Cat), Airdrie, \$15K, 71/14/1
 3-CT, Msw, 6 1/2f, Minifever, \$11K KEE SEP yrl, 4-1



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 Consigned by Ramspring Farm, Agent; Purchased by A. Stevens Miles Jr.



★ FRANCE ★

ROMANET PASSES AWAY Jean Romanet, a driving force behind French racing, passed away yesterday morning. He was 89. The former general manager of Société d'Encouragement, Romanet devoted much of his time to the development of the association, which is now known as France Galop. His son Louis is the current general manager. Born in 1914, Romanet inherited his love of racing from his father René Romanet-Riondet and his uncle Maurice, both former general secretaries of the Société d'Encouragement. After working as an inspector at the Ministry of Finances, he served a 15-year term as member of the Finances Committee at the French National Parliament. At the same time, he earned the reputation as a top racing writer under the nom de plume N. E. Marot. Romanet became breeding advisor to Marcel Boussac in 1945, and it was at Boussac's request that he was named general manager of the Societe d'Encouragement in 1961, a position he occupied until Jan. 31, 1986. Romanet spearheaded the expansion and modernisation of the Societe and was, along with Boussac, a major catalyst behind the complete renovation of Longchamp in 1966. With his reputation reaching beyond domestic borders, he created the International Racing Conference in 1967 and served as its president until 1993. Romanet was an officer of the "Legion d'Honneur" and commander of the "Ordre National du Mérite," and was also named a commander of the British Empire (CBE) by Her Majesty The Queen in 1972. Upon Romanet's retirement from the Société d'Encouragement in '86, Mr Hubert de Chaudenay, then president, said, "France owes to Mr Romanet, as much as to the quality of our horses, its place on the international scene." The funeral of Monsieur Romanet will be a family-only affair.

Yesterday's Results:

PRIX SARACA-Listed, €41,000, Saint-Cloud, 11-12, 2yo, 6fT, 1:21.30, vsf.

1--**CHINEUR (FR)**, 128, c, 2, by **Fasliyev**

1st Dam: **Wardara (GB) (MSW & MGSP-Fr)**, \$143,284), by **Sharpo (GB)**

2nd Dam: **Ward One (GB)**, by **Mr Fluorocarbon (GB)**

3rd Dam: **Canvas Shoe (Ire)** by **Hotfoot (GB)**

(€63,000 yrl '02 DEAAUG). O-Marquise de Moratalla; B-Cyril Humphris; T-Mikel Delzangles; J-Stephane Pasquier; €20,500. Lifetime Record: MGSP-Fr, 5 starts, 2 wins, 3 places, €100,900.

2--**Raffelberger (Ger)**, 123, c, 2, Auenadler (Ger)--Royal Cat (GB), by Royal Academy. €8,200.

3--**Tigron**, 123, c, 2, Lion Cavern--Tidy Tune, by The Minstrel. €6,150.

Margins: 2, 2, HD. Odds: 0.50, 8.00, 16.00.

Also ran: Chopoulou (Fr), Doric, La Calera (Ger).

Chineur began his career with a runner-up finish in the Listed Prix Yacowlef at Deauville Aug. 9 before placing third on his next start in the G3 Prix Eclipse at Maisons-Laffitte Oct. 1. He posted his first win in the Listed Criterium de Vitesse at Maisons-Laffitte Oct. 13 and placed second again, behind Whipper, in the G2 Criterium de Maisons-Laffitte Oct. 31. The odds-on chance justified favouritism here and doubled his tally of stakes successes with a forceful closing finish to safely account for German raider Raffelberger. Settled in a tracking third from the outset as Tigron led, the eventual winner came under pressure in early stretch. Stephane Pasquier pushed his mount to the front approaching the final furlong and remained busy in the saddle in the closing stages to ensure his charge maintained a winning advantage at the wire.

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LANWADES



(French Report cont.)

Thursday, Fontainebleau, post time: 2:00 p.m.

PRIX ISONOMY-Listed, €41,000, 2yo, 1mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER
1	4	Er (Ger)	Chato	Steinmetz
2	3	Noble Request (Fr)	Highest Honor (Fr)	Bary
3	1	Millemix (Fr)	Linamix (Fr)	Head-Maarek
4	2	Barnacle (Fr)	Kendor (Fr)	Delzangles
5	5	Highland Dancer (Fr)	Kendor (Fr)	Pease

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★ ITALY ★

EKRAAR TO STUD

The well-travelled **Ekraar** (Red Ransom--Sacahuista, by Raja Baba), who captured the G1 Gran Premio del Jockey Club Oct. 19, will enter stud at Allevamento di Besnate in 2004 for a fee of €7,000. A half brother to top Chilean sire Hussonet, the six-year-old ran third to Sulamani (Ire) in the G1 Dubai Sheema Classic in March while carrying the blue and white colors of Sheikh Hamdan. According to *thoroughbredinternet.com*, the bay will shuttle to New Zealand for the Southern Hemisphere season.

★ BRITAIN ★

Yesterday's Results:

Lingfield, 1.10, Mdn, £3,285, 2yo, 5f (AWT), 1:00.62, stn.

DARTING (f, 2, Sahm--Mur Taasha, by Riverman) had finished third on both previous starts, most recently at Redcar Oct. 28. After tracking the front rank in fourth during the opening stages, she moved into a challenging second at the top of the shot stretch. The 13-8 market choice was ridden into a slight lead at the eighth pole and was all out in the closing stages to prevail by a short head from Dandouze (GB) (Danzero {Aus}). A \$27,000 KEESEP yearling and a 20,000gns TATAPR two-year-old, she is the fifth winner for her freshman sire (by Mr. Prospector). Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-2, £3,703.

O-Raymond Tooth; B-Shadwell Farm LLC; T-Gerard Butler.

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ARKADIAN HERO TO STAND AT TWEENHILLS

Arkadian Hero (Trempolino--Careless Kitten, Caro {Ire}), winner of the G2 Mill Reef S. as a juvenile, is to stand at Tweenhills Farm & Stud in Gloucestershire from 2004. His fee has been set at £2,500, Oct. 1 special live foal terms, under the management of Elmhurst Bloodstock. Trained by Luca Cumani to win the 1997 Mill Reef S., he also captured the G3 Criterion S. and the G3 Hungerford S. The chestnut also placed in the G1 Haydock Sprint Cup, G1 Atto Mile, G2 Queen Anne S. and was fourth in the 1998 and 1999 renewals of the G1 July Cup. His first foals were born this year and will be offered at Goffs and Tattersalls later this month. David Redvers, owner of Tweenhills Farm & Stud, said, "Arkadian Hero is an exciting addition to the Tweenhills Farm & Stud stallion roster as a superbly durable and consistent racehorse who offers breeders both an outcross to Northern Dancer and a real source of speed." Tweenhills also announced that **Fraam (GB)** (Lead on Time) will stand for £5,000 in 2004, and that **Ishiguru** (Danzig) will be available for £2,750, including board and vet bills, to approved mares. For more information, go to www.tweenhills.com.

★ IRELAND ★

TOP IRISH APPRENTICE DEAD

The body of 21-year-old Timmy Houlihan, a top apprentice rider in Ireland, was found near his residence in Co. Kildaire Tuesday morning. The cause of death has not yet been revealed, but local police said that they did not suspect foul play. Houlihan, who had piloted more than 60 winners since getting started at age 16, had planned to race in America this winter.

★ EUROPEAN-BRED WINNERS ★

IN HONG KONG:

Lucky Sixer (Ire), g, 3, **Marju (Ire)**--Aste Nagusia, by Storm Bird. Sha Tin, 11-12, Hcp., 1600mT. B-F Hinojosa. *13,000gns yrl '01 TATOCT.



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 and an + will first-time starters.



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STAKES RESULTS:

TOTAH FUTURITY S., \$103,911, SRP, 11-11, (S), 2yo, 6 1/2f, 1:17 2/5, ft.

1--**#JONNYGETACHEX, 120, c, 2, Tilt the Odds--True Brilliance, by Time to Explode.** (\$1,100 yrl '02 RUIAUG). O-Bill H Kirkes; B-Wesley Gray (NM); T-Joel H Marr; J-C D Madeira; \$48,838. Lifetime Record: 7-3-1-1, \$62,582.

2--**Bold Nxs, 121, c, 2, In Excessive Bull--Petite Duchess, by Bold Ruckus.** \$18,703.

3--**Bullet Gulch, 120, c, 2, Dry Gulch--Bullet Ladlassie, by Brave Lad.** \$11,430.

Margins: 7, 1 1/4, 3/4. Odds: 0.50, 2.10, 21.10.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

3rd-HAW, \$30,000, NW2X, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:48 1/5, ft.

PRINCESS PASTER (f, 3, Prince Cox--Nasty Paster, by Flying Paster) Lifetime Record: 14-3-3-1, \$74,714.

O-James D Denney. B-J B Stables Inc (IL). T-Pamela A Little.

7th-LRL, \$28,000, NW2X, 3yo/up, 7f, 1:23, sy.

IMPLICIT (c, 3, Broad Brush--Illeria {GSW, \$392,692}, by Stop the Music) Lifetime Record: MSP, 8-3-2-2,

\$74,410. O/B-Robert E Meyerhoff (MD). T-Richard W Small. *Full to Include, GISW, \$1,659,560; Magic Broad, GSW, \$216,120; and Loaded Brush, MSP, \$208,870.

6th-LRL, \$26,000, NW1X, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:11 3/5, sy.

LOVE CITY (g, 3, Slew City Slew--Bookonlove {MSW}, by Mari's Book) Lifetime Record: 7-2-3-2, \$47,230.

O-Bernadine Federouch. B-Donna Foggiano (KY). T-Dale Capuano. *\$25,000 yrl '01 KEESEP.

9th-MNR, \$25,000, 11-11, NW1X, 3yo, a1m70yd, 1:47 2/5, ft.

SCHEDULED EVENT (c, 3, Rubiano--Private Miss, by Private Account) Lifetime Record: 12-2-1-2, \$40,737. O-Tommy C Short. B-Joyce D Brenzel (KY). T-T Short. *1/2 to Pitino's Choice (Centrust), SP, \$206,722.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Jake's Fever, c, 2, Acceptable--Rare Fever, by Rare Performer. HAW, 11-12, (S), 6f, 1:13 3/5. B-Don Smith & Jim Edgar (IL).

Out of Jail, c, 2, Fly So Free--Ornate Lady, by D'Accord. HAW, 11-12, (S), 6f, 1:15 3/5. B-John Wiseman DVM & Candy Wiseman (IL). *\$8,000 yrl '02 KEESEP.

Diamonds and Lace, f, 2, Shirrtail Flying--Deliver, by Northern Baby. MNR, 11-11, 1m, 1:45 1/5. B-Paul H Brown Jr (Ky).

Apple Krisp, c, 2, You and I--Annie's Apple (SW, \$190,582), by Shawklit Won. CDX, 11-12, (C), 6 1/2f, 1:19 2/5. B-Anna Steele Oliver (Ky). *\$35,000 yrl '02 KEESEP.

WHAT THE LAST FIVE KENTUCKY DERBY WINNERS WERE UP TO AS 2-YEAR-OLDS...

1999 CHARISMATIC - Broke maiden for \$62,500 tag at Hollywood Nov. 21. Third in a Hollywood allowance Dec. 27.

2000 FUSAICHI PEGASUS - Second in Dec. 11 career debut at Hollywood.

2001 MONARCHOS - Third in a Churchill Downs maiden Nov. 24.

2002 WAR EMBLEM - Won a Fair Grounds allowance Nov. 23.

2003 FUNNY CIDE - Completed unbeaten two-year-old campaign with a win in the Sleepy Hollow S. at Belmont Oct. 19.



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ITALY, Rome, 3.00, 11-11, €19,125, 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT, time: na, gd.

TURTLE FLOWER (IRE) (c, 4, Turtle Island {Ire}--Sahara Flower {Fr}, by In Fijar) Lifetime Record: 36 starts, 7 wins, 16 places, €95,790. O-Gaetano Drago; B-Azienda Agricola Le Ferriere; T-G Colella.

ITALY, Rome, 2.30, 11-11, €15,300, 2yo, 1mT, time: na, gd.

DISTANT WAY (c, 2, Distant View--Grey Way {GSW-Ity & GSP-US, \$173,449), by Cozzene) Lifetime Record: 4 starts, 2 wins, 1 place, €20,400. O-Allevamento La Nuova Sbarra; B-Grundy Bloodstock; T-Lorenzo Brogi.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS

+ Golden Docksider (Ire), c, 2, Docksider--Nordic Soprano (Ire) (SW & MGSP-Ire), by Nordico. Rome, Italy, 11-11, Mdn, 2yo, 7fT. B-Peter Thome.

*10th winner for freshman sire (Diesis {GB}).

She Took a Tree (Fr), f, 2, Sri Pekan--In the Saltmine (Fr) (SW-Ger), by Damister. Saint-Cloud, France, 11-12, Cond, 2yo, 6fT. B-NP Bloodstock Ltd.

Coremis (Fr), f, 3, Bering (GB)--Silicon Lady (Fr) (GSW-Fr, \$176,376), by Mille Balles (Fr). Saint-Cloud, France, 11-12, Cond, 3yo, 1mT. B-J Goelet.

Sentry (Ire), c, 3, In Command (Ire)--Keep Bobbin Up (Ire), by Bob Back. Lingfield, Britain, 11-12, Mdn, 3yo/up, 1 1/2m (AWT). B-Mrs G Doyle. *Ir£33,000 wnl '00 GOFNOV; 50,000gns yrl '01 TATOCT.

French Play Boy (Fr), c, 3, Pistolet Bleu (Ire)--Calienne (Fr), by Kaldoun (Fr). Saint-Cloud, France, 11-12, Cond, 3yo, 1 3/4mT. B-S C Sarmant, E Lellouche & Mme N Sarmant-Piau.

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GOODBYE GARDEN STATE PARK

By Bill Finley

Special to ESPN.com.

The wrecking ball went to work on Garden State Park Thursday, clearing the way for condominiums, townhouses and apartments. It was a conclusion to a funeral that began well before the last horse crossed the wire May 3, 2001. There has been never been a bigger disaster in horse racing than the modern Garden State Park. It was a \$140 million white elephant and it had to go.

Yet, there was still something sad about its demise. These condos will be built on hallowed racing ground, and they will be built over the last racetrack based on the premise that live racing can work. The sport is a lot different now, and I'll never be convinced that is a good thing. Garden State opened in 1942 and, until a fire destroyed the original structure in 1977, it was everything a racetrack was supposed to be. It had an opening day and a closing day; it was part of an era when there was still something special about an ordinary day at the track. Fans filled the seats. The wooden grandstand had character, charm and class.

The racing was outstanding. Good horses filled the everyday cards and special horses often made appearances. Triple Crown winner Whirlaway won the Trenton Handicap in the track's inaugural season. In between the Preakness and Belmont, Citation stopped off at Garden State and won the 1948 Jersey Derby. Bold Ruler won twice during the 1957 fall meet, the second victory coming against Round Table and Gallant Man in the Trenton Handicap. Fifteen years later, his great son, Secretariat won the 1972 Garden State Stakes, then worth nearly \$300,000, an astounding sum in that era.

On April 14, 1977, the track burned to the ground with two people dying in the blaze. Though Garden State would have a second life, it would never again be the same.

Robert Brennan, the penny-stock impresario who would eventually land in jail, had an idea. He would rebuild Garden State, creating his vision of the Race-track of the 21st Century. It would be glitzier and more ostentatious than any racetrack had ever dared to be. Floors were made of marble, the paddock sat under an ornate glass roof, parts of the clubhouse resembled the slickest elements of a Vegas casino.

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The new Garden State re-opened in 1985 and Brennan wasted little time making a splash. He put together a \$2 million bonus scheme revolving around a couple of Kentucky Derby preps at Garden State, the Derby itself and the reincarnated Jersey Derby. In its first year, Spend a Buck qualified and bolted the Preakness and a chance to sweep the Triple Crown for Jersey Derby and the millions Brennan was offering.

Brennan had stirred up tremendous controversy, but it was his greatest moment as a racetrack owner. He had beaten the racing establishment out of the sport's biggest star. It was one of the last things he ever had to smile about.

Brennan's vision of racing in the 21st century could not have been more wrong. Just three years earlier, the first casino had opened just down the road and Atlantic City was already sucking the lifeblood out of the racing industry in the area. The age of simulcasting and off-track betting was about to explode, which would mean a lot fewer people would be interested in heading out to the track, marble floors or no marble floors. The last thing anyone needed was some sort of wildly expensive facility that placed more emphasis on style than substance.

The fans stopped coming. Brennan wanted a palace. What he got was a \$140 million empty building. Garden State lost a reported \$23 million in its first year of operation and never once turned a profit.

"It has been well established my life has been a display of extravagance and extremes," he said at his 2001 sentencing, when he was given nine years for bankruptcy fraud, touching upon far more than a failed racetrack. "At times, it has manifested itself in bad ways. My judgment has failed me and as a consequence I have failed a lot of people."

With his legal troubles mounting, Brennan was forced out, but new owners were no more successful. Garden State became a moribund racetrack with dismal crowds and terrible racing. The irony is that had Brennan aimed much lower and built a modest structure, Garden State may have survived. But no one could afford to keep that sort of place going.

Not that it matters anymore. Over the same ground Secretariat and Citation and so many other great horses traversed and thousands of races were run to the delight of millions of fans when the game used to be better than it is now, they're going to build condos. It's called progress. What a shame. *Reprinted with permission of espn.com. For more articles by Bill Finley and others on horseracing, click on www.espn.com*

LEADING BROODMARE SIRES OF 2003 GRADE/GROUP ONE WINNERS (Through Nov. 11)

Sire	Winners
Nureyev (Northern Dancer)	6
Alleged (Hoist the Flag)	4
Mr. Prospector (Raise a Native)	4
Relaunch (In Reality)	4
Darshaan (Shirley Heights)	3
Deputy Minister (Northern Dancer)	3
El Gran Senor (Northern Dancer)	3
Lear Fan (Roberto)	3
Sadler's Wells (Northern Dancer)	3
Storm Bird (Northern Dancer)	3
Affirmed (Exclusive Native)	2
Caerleon (Nijinsky II)	2
Lyphard (Northern Dancer)	2
Mari's Book (Northern Dancer)	2
Miswaki (Mr. Prospector)	2
Rainbow Quest (Blushing Groom)	2
Wild Again (Icecapade)	2
Woodman (Mr. Prospector)	2

LEADING SIRES OF 2003 GRADE/GROUP ONE WINNERS (Through Nov. 11)

Sire	Location	Winners
Sadler's Wells (Northern Dancer)	Ire	7
Kris S. (Roberto)	dead	4
Storm Cat (Storm Bird)	Ky	4
A.P. Indy (Seattle Slew)	Ky	3
Darshaan (Shirley Heights)	dead	3
Dynaformer (Roberto)	Ky	3
Red Ransom (Roberto)	Ky	3
Unbridled (Fappiano)	dead	3
Caerleon (Nijinsky II)	dead	2
Carson City (Mr. Prospector)	Ky	2
Danehill (Danzig)	dead	2
Green Desert (Danzig)	Eng	2
Hernando (Niniski)	Eng	2
In the Wings (Sadler's Wells)	Ire	2
Kingmambo (Mr. Prospector)	Ky	2
Machiavellian (Mr. Prospector)	Eng	2
Peintre Celebre (Nureyev)	Ire	2
Pivotal (Polar Falcon)	Eng	2
Pleasant Colony (His Majesty)	Ky	2
Selkirk (Sharpen Up)	Eng	2

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