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PLAYFUL ACT HEADS OAKS 74

The Sangster family's G2 May Hill S. and G1 Fillies' Mile heroine **Playful Act (Ire)** (Sadler's Wells) was among the more notable of 74 entries remaining in the June 3 G1 Vodafone Oaks at Epsom at yesterday's first forfeit stage. Godolphin, who have taken the fillies' Classic three times since 1994, have a team of 10 still engaged, including the Doncaster maiden scorer **Her Own Kind (Jpn)** (Dubai Millennium {GB}) and the G1 Criterium International runner-up **Dubai Surprise (Ire)** (King's Best). Aidan O'Brien, attempting to win a third renewal of the Classic, has four possibles, including the Fillies' Mile fourth **Mona Lisa (GB)** (Giant's Causeway). Other notables include Meon Valley Stud's **Dash To The Top (GB)** (Montjeu {Ire}), who was third behind Playful Act at Ascot; Faisal Salman's G1 Prix Marcel Boussac fourth **Intrigued (GB)** (Darshaan {GB}); and Saif Ali's Listed Zetland S. scorer **Ayam Zaman (Ire)** (Montjeu {Ire}). "Ayam Zaman is obviously a talented filly, but she's very light-framed and it will be interesting to see whether she has trained on or not," trainer Michael Jarvis told *Racing Post*. "She stays well and her targets are the Oaks--whether it's the Vodafone Oaks or one of the others." An interesting foreign entry is Gary Tanaka's unbeaten G1 Criterium de Saint-Cloud heroine **Paita (GB)** (Intikhab), who may represent the Mario Hofer stable. Epsom's Managing Director Stephen Wallis said, "Let's hope that the winner goes on to shine in the same way that Ouija Board did last year."



Playful Act J Herbert/Getty Images

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The Television Games Network will sponsor the 2005 \$1 million Breeders' Cup Sprint, it was announced yesterday. TVG will be the name-in-title sponsor of the Grade I event, to be held Oct. 29 at Belmont Park, and will also be title sponsor of the TVG Sprint Division, garnering media and marketing rights to 19 sprint races on the road to the Breeders' Cup. The races will be televised on TVG from mid-June through October.



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PEDIGREE INSIGHTS

BY ANDREW CAULFIELD

GULFSTREAM PARK BREEDERS' CUP H.-GI, \$230,000, GPX, 3-6, 3yo/up, 1 3/8mT, 2:11 2/5 (NCR), fm.

1--▲**PRINCE ARCH**, 119, c, 4, by **Arch**

1st Dam: **Princess Kris (GB)**, by **Kris (GB)**

2nd Dam: **As You Desire Me (Ire)**, by **Kalamoun (GB)**

3rd Dam: **Royal Saint (GB)**, by **Saint Crespian III (GB)** (\$37,000 yrl '02 KEESEP). O-R Cottrell Sr; B-Pine Lake Bloodstock LLC (KY); T-K G McPeck; J-B Blanc; \$150,000. Lifetime Record: 14-6-4-1, \$569,186.

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It was a big weekend for the much-missed Kris S., with his son Rock Hard Ten taking the GI Santa Anita H. and his grandson Prince Arch winning the GI Gulfstream Park Breeders' Cup H.

Prince Arch's victory--his third at the graded level--came just over a year after Seth Hancock's brutally honest Q & A in *The Blood-Horse*, in which he said, "Arch is not doing what we hoped he might do, but you can't say he's that big a disappointment because no son of Kris S. made it. I thought, with his female family, he would overcome that, but so far he hasn't and it doesn't look like he will."

This statement obviously needs examining, especially as Rock Hard Ten--as a dual Grade I winner out of a champion daughter of Mr. Prospector--must now have considerable value as a potential stallion.

Hancock had every right to be disappointed with Arch at the time of his *Blood-Horse* interview. Good enough to receive a 1998 International Classification of 120, just seven pounds below Real Quiet and Victory Gallop, he had arrived at Churchill Downs for the Breeders' Cup Classic as a winner of five of his six starts. His last two performances had been a clear-cut victory in the GI Super Derby and a neck tally, giving eight pounds to the runner-up Touch Gold, in the GIII Fayette S.

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And Arch was also very well related, his second dam being the champion juvenile filly Althea, one of seven graded winners out of the extraordinary Courtly Dee. Arch's stakes-winning dam Aurora is a three-parts sister to Green Desert, a horse long established among Britain's most successful stallions.

Unfortunately, the 1999 breeding season had just about started by the time it was announced that Arch had been retired because of an ankle injury, to stand at a fee of \$20,000. Such a late retirement is always a handicap, even when the horse is based at a stud with a clientele as extensive as Claiborne's.

Arch covered 52 mares, producing 40 named foals. While this number was enough to give him a chance, it wasn't nearly enough to put him on level terms with other freshmen such as Grand Slam (127 named foals), Tale Of The Cat (106) and Souvenir Copy (103).

Arch '95	Kris S. '77	Roberto '69	Hail to Reason '58 Bramalea '59
		Sharp Queen '65	*Princequillo '40 Bridgework '55
	Aurora '88	Danzig '77	Northern Dancer '61 Pas de Nom '68
		Althea '81	Alydar '75 Courtly Dee '68
Princess Kris (GB) '90 5 fls, 0 Ch., 1 GISW,	Kris (GB) '76	Sharpen Up (GB) '72	Atan '61 Rocchetta (GB) '61
		Doubly Sure (GB) '71	Reliance (Fr) '62 Soft Angels (GB) '63
	As You Desire Me (Ire) '77	Kalamoun (GB) '70	Zeddaan (GB) '65 Khairunissa (GB) '60
	MSW/GSP 14fls, 1 GSW	Royal Saint (GB) '64	Saint Crespin 3rd (GB) '56 Bleu Azur (GB) '59

With his first yearlings achieving a median price of only \$15,000, some \$5,000 less than his initial fee, there didn't appear to be much cause for optimism and this was reflected in the results of his first runners in 2002. Seventeen of them ran, but only four won and none earned black type.

The picture looked no rosier by the end of 2003, when the decision was made to slash Arch's fee to \$5,000. His only stakes success, by Arch Lady, had earned a mere \$13,080, so Hancock's pessimism at the start of 2004 appeared very well founded.

But how the situation has changed since then! That under-achieving first crop now boasts 12.5 percent stakes winners. In addition to Arch Lady, it has produced Chilly Rooster (GIII Fort Marcy H. on turf), Overarching (G1 South African Fillies & Mares Sprint), Jake Skate (winner of this year's Lafayette H. before finishing second in the GIII Seabiscuit Breeders' Cup H.) and Black Spicy (a Group 2 winner in Panama).

Prince Arch heads Arch's second crop, and his third crop, again numbering fewer than 50 named foals, has already made its mark through Montgomery's Arch, an English Group 2 winner with a Timeform rating of 118, and the stakes-winning filly Enduring Will (third in the GIII Silverbulletday S. last month).

Success on this scale led to Arch's fee being raised to \$10,000 for this year, at which he has been in considerable demand.

Moving on to the claim that "no [stallion] son of Kris S. made it," that too needs qualifying.

When looking at Kris S.'s record as a sire of sires (or sire of broodmares for that matter), I think it is essential to remember that this big son of Roberto spent his first 12 years as a stallion in Florida, with his fee no higher than \$5,000 for much of that time.

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Consequently, many of his best winners from these crops were out of mares by stallions who couldn't be described as fashionable--stallions like My Dad George (broodmare sire of Prized), Your Alibhai (Kissin Kris), Aurelius (Brocco) and Ups (You And I).

Is it any wonder that the stallions haven't developed into major league performers? In their defence, most have sired worthwhile winners, including You and Jostle.

It's my theory that any success that Kris S. enjoys as a sire of sires will come via the sons he sired after his move to Prestonwood Farm in 1993. Arch is a member of his first Kentucky crop, as is Dr Fong. This winner of the G1 St James's Palace S. has made an eye-catching start, with 10 percent stakes winners in a first crop headed by Ask For The Moon (G1), Spotlight (GII) and Fong's Thong (Timeform 113). Dr Fong's second crop includes dual Listed winner Andronikos (Timeform 114) and the Queen's very promising colt Forward Move.

For the future there are the Derby winner Kris Kin (in Ireland), Dr Fong's brother Lucky Story (in England) and the outstanding Japanese colt Symboli Kris S. As Kicken Kris has been sent to Japan and Whitmore's Conn to Ireland, the fate of the Kris S. male line in the U.S. is going to depend largely on Arch, the Breeders' Cup Juvenile winner Action This Day and hopefully Rock Hard Ten, plus any high-class colt which might appear from his small 2002 and 2003 crops.

One factor which has sometimes counted against Kris S. in the U.S. is his progeny's affinity for turf racing. His grandson Prince Arch comes into this category, as do several of Arch's best winners.

A turf career could have been safely predicted for Prince Arch, as he is out of Princess Kris, a winner over a mile on turf in England. She was sold to the States for 100,000 guineas, her price reflecting her very good pedigree which has the added attraction of being free of Northern Dancer and Raise a Native. Her second dam, Royal Saint, was a very talented sister to Altesse Royale, a winner of the 1000 Guineas and Oaks.

As Princess Kris is a granddaughter of Sharpen Up, Prince Arch is another example of the successful pairing of Roberto and Sharpen Up.

☆ RESULTS ☆

Sunday, Nakayama, Japan

HOCHI HAI YAYOI SHO-G2-JRA (Listed), ¥104,580,000, Nakayama, 3-6, 3yo, 2000mT, 2:02.2, fm.

1--#**DEEP IMPACT (JPN)**, 123, c, 3, by **Sunday Silence**

1st Dam: Wind in Her Hair (Ire) (Hwt. Older

Mare-Ger at 11-14f, MSW & MG1SP-Eng, G1SW-Ger, \$311,770), by Alzao

2nd Dam: Burghclere (GB), by Busted (GB)

3rd Dam: Highclere (GB), by Queen's Hussar (GB)

O-Makoto Kaneko; B-Northern Farm; T-Yasuo Ikee; J-Yutaka Take; ¥54,756,000. Lifetime Record: 3-3-0-0. *1/2 to Veil of Avalon (Thunder Gulch), MSP-Eng & GSW-US, \$286,468; Full to Black Tide (Jpn), SW-Jpn, \$905,101.

2--**Admire Japan (Jpn)**, 123, c, 3, Sunday Silence--Biwa Heidi (Jpn), by Caerleon. O-Riichi Kondo; B-Hayata Farms; ¥22,216,000.

3--**Meiner Recolte (Jpn)**, 123, c, 3, Chief Bearhart--Miyagi Minoru (Jpn), by Tai Tehm (Jpn). O-K. Thoroughbred Club Ruffian; B-Minoru Tagami; ¥14,108,000.

Margins: NK, 1 1/4, 1/2. Odds: 1.20, 12.30, 5.30.

Deep Impact proved himself a superstar in the making, remaining unbeaten and taking dead aim on the first leg of the Japanese Triple Crown, the Apr. 17 Satsuki Sho. The well-bred colt, rated in seventh behind slow early fractions, accelerated smoothly into contention turning for home and forged to the front without encouragement. "I feel relieved," admitted winning trainer Yasuo Ikee. "Travel to Nakayama was very smooth and he had no problem with the long trip." Ikee is already looking forward to future success with Deep Impact. "I know it is very difficult to capture Group 1 races, but since I am a horseman, a Derby title is one of my dreams," he said. Deep Impact was a debut winner Dec. 19 and was coming off a five-length victory in the Jan. 22 Wakagoma S. He will seek to become the first undefeated Triple Crown winner since Symboli Rudolf (Jpn) 21 years ago.



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Sunday, Chukyo, Japan

TOYOTA SHO CHUKYO KINEN-G3-JRA (Listed), ¥82,610,000, Chukyo, 3-6, 4yo/up, 2000mT, 1:59.5, fm.

1--**MEGA STARDOM (JPN), 121, h, 6, by Nihon Pillow Winner**
1st Dam: Fuminosky (Jpn), by Maruzensky (Jpn)
2nd Dam: Vend Ufo (Jpn), by Die Hard (GB)
3rd Dam: Tai Isami (Jpn), by China Rock (GB)
 O-North Hills Management Co Ltd; B-Osamu Takahashi; T-Shoji Yamamoto; J-Mikio Matsunaga; ¥43,567,000. Lifetime Record: 20-5-4-1. *1/2 to Meine Regina (Jpn) (Sunday Silence), MSP-Jpn, \$306,678.

2--**Sunrise Pegasus (Jpn), 126, h, 7, Sunday Silence--**
 Higashi Brian (Jpn), by Brian's Time. O-Takao Matsuoka; B-Yanagawa Bokujo; ¥17,162,000.

3--**Asaka Defeat (Jpn), 126, g, 7, Paradise Creek--**
 Supreme Queen, by Alydar. O-Masahiko Asakawa; B-Kyowa Farm Co Ltd; ¥11,081,000.

Margins: 3/4, 2, 1. Odds: 4.30, 11.30, 18.50.

Mega Stardom, sidelined for over two years by a tendon injury, returned to finish runner-up in the Orion S. last December before winning the Shorai S. Jan. 30 and finishing ninth in the Feb. 19 G2 Kyoto Kinen last time out. Looking for his second group win, the dark bay quickened sharply to the lead from the inside in the stretch and forged clear late.

Saturday, Hanshin, Japan

TULIP SHO-G3-JRA (Listed), ¥76,790,000, Hanshin, 3-5, 3yo, 1600mT, 1:35.3, fm.

1--**#EISHIN TENDER (JPN), 119, f, 3, by Eishin Sandy (Jpn)**
1st Dam: Eishin Laramie, by Time for a Change
2nd Dam: Gander Crude, by Quack
3rd Dam: Grey Oil, by Oil Capitol

O-Toyomitsu Hirai; B-Eishin Bokujo; T-Kunihiko Take; J-Koshiro Take; ¥40,553,000. Lifetime Record: 3-3-0-0.

2--**Admire Megami (Jpn), 119, f, 3, El Condor Pasa--**
 Admire Sunday (Jpn), by Sunday Silence. O-Riichi Kondo; B-Northern Farm; ¥16,158,000.

3--**Dantsu Queen Bee (Jpn), 119, f, 3, Special Week**
 (Jpn)--Dantsu Sure, by Storm Cat. O-Tetsuji Yamamoto; B-Masatsugu Tanioka; ¥10,079,000.

Margins: 2 1/2, 3/4, NO. Odds: 13.60, 34.90, 138.90.

Tulip Sho cont.

Eishin Tender punched her ticket to the Apr. 10 G1 Oka Sho (Japanese 1000 Guineas) with this confident victory. Breaking from the inside in the field of 15, the filly dashed to secure a rail-skimming stalking trip. She showed an impressive turn of foot in the stretch and easily held off Admire Megami. "She has gotten more powerful," jockey Koshiro Take, winning his 400th JRA group race, said of the winner. "It was a brilliant victory and I am very confident for the Oka Sho at the same track and same distance." Eishin Tender won her debut last September and returned to take the Nanohana Sho Jan. 22 last time out.

☆ **TRIPLE THREATS** ☆

Straight Line Bruises Shin...

Straight Line (Boundary), eased in Saturday's GIII Swale S., came out of the race with a bruised shin and



Straight Line *Four Footed Fotos*

is now questionable for the Apr. 2 GI Florida Derby. "He hurt himself going into the turn and he eased himself back," trainer Harvey Vanier explained. "The doctor says he should get over it quickly. He'll need a little time off--the doc says maybe a week to 10 days."

The winner of the GIII Iroquois S. in November, Straight Line injured his hock in a stall accident after the race and was making his first start since the Iroquois in the Swale. As for his chances of making the Florida Derby, Vanier said, "I've got to work on this horse now and see how long it's going to take. We'll know more after a little bit of time."

Bandini Is Derby-bound...

Bandini (Fusaichi Pegasus), runner-up in Saturday's GII Fountain of Youth S., will now point for the nine-furlong Florida Derby, trainer Todd Pletcher confirmed yesterday. "He came back [from the race] very good," Pletcher said. "Naturally, our first choice for his next start would be the Florida Derby."

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 and an (R) will be used for other restricted races. Purses for Canadian races are in Canadian dollars.

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 **NORTH AMERICA** 

★ **GULFSTREAM** ★

Yesterday's Results:

7th-GPX, \$37,000, Alw, NW3X, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/2mT, 2:29, fm.

ELLIEONTHEMARCH (f, 4, Old Trieste--Marchthemine {SP}, by Mining), a \$65,000 FTKOCT yearling, won going away in a grassy Calder NW2X in mid-December and, making her first start over Gulfstream's sod, ran a solid third in a nine-furlong test Feb. 3. A 3-1 chance to improve while adding ground, the Rick Violette charge raced to the outside of the pacesetter Old Fashion Girl (Arch), shook loose of that rival a quarter mile from home and was all out in deep stretch to hold off Coquinerie (Sahm) by a neck. The even-money Krasnaya (Red Ransom) dead-heated with 69-1 outsider Stormin' Daina (Storm Creek) for third. Lifetime Record: 10-4-0-2, \$108,322. **For the video replay, click [here](#).** O-West Point Thoroughbreds LLC. B-Freshmen Group LLC (KY). T-Richard A Violette Jr.

9th-GPX, \$33,000, Alw, NW1X, 4yo/up, 1 3/8mT, 2:13 2/5, fm.

BRICKELL (c, 4, Deputy Minister--Carnival Delight {MSP}, by Half a Year) had hit the board in nine consecutive races before running a tired fifth going nine furlongs at Calder Dec. 5. The bay put a head in front in a 12-panel allowance over this course Feb. 15, but couldn't sustain his momentum and had to settle for place honors. Made the 4-5 chalk to finally clear the NW1X hurdle, he was gunned for the lead and set sensible fractions :25.54, :50.85, and 1:15.39. Letting it out a notch rounding the turn, he surged clear by daylight and was always in control down the lane, finishing 3/4 lengths better than Kyungbokung (Deputy Minister). **For the video replay, click [here](#).** Lifetime Record: 16-2-5-4, \$104,930. O-Peter Vegso. B-Vegso Racing Stable (FL). T-W I Mott.

3rd-GPX, \$32,000, Msw, 4yo, f, 1m, 1:38 3/5, ft. THIN AIR (f, 4, Mt. Livermore--Sentimental Gift, by Green Dancer), a well-beaten sixth over course and distance on Valentine's Day, found a field she could handle here. The chestnut launched her bid from just off the pace and wore down Madonna Lily (Elusive Quality) late to prevail by a half length at 5-2 odds. The victress is a half to Alexine (Arg) (Runaway Groom), G1SW-Arg, MSW & GISP-US, \$361,388-US. Lifetime Record: 13-1-5-3, \$76,767.

O-R D Hubbard & Rio Claro Thoroughbreds. B-Rio Claro Thoroughbreds, R D Hubbard & C Sczesny (KY). T-William I Mott.

★ **EAST** ★

Yesterday's Results:

5th-PHA, \$21,693, Msw, 3yo, f, 6 1/2f, 1:16 4/5, ft. MISS FELICIA (f, 3, Family Calling--Miss Video, by Star Gallant), a half sister to 2003 GI King's Bishop S. winner Valid Video (Valid Wager), \$653,700, rounded out the trifecta in each of her last three, including her most recent while routing at Philly Park Feb. 12. Returning to a sprint as the 9-5 pick, she hit the front entering the turn and never looked back, romping by 9 3/4 lengths. Lights Out Lewie (General Royal) was second. Miss Felicia, a \$40,000 OBSAPR two-year-old, is also a half to Busterblock (Risen Star), SW, \$284,531; and Lott (Open Forum), SP, \$258,408. Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-3, \$19,530.

O-Heiligbrodt Racing Stable. B-Casey Seaman (FL). T-Guadalupe Preciado.

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TODAY'S VIDEO HIGHLIGHTS



[Gulfstream 7th \(37K NW3X\)](#) Ellieonthemarch (Old Trieste) handles the stretch out to 1 1/2 miles.

[Gulfstream 9th \(33K NW1X\)](#) Brickell (Deputy Minister) prevails as the crowd's 4-5 pick.

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Sunday Night Results:

4th-MNR, \$25,000, Msw, 3yo, 6f, 1:12 3/5, gd.
BULLY FOR YOU (c, 3, Holy Bull--Olive the Twist, by Theatrical {Ire}) finished fourth against \$50,000 maidens at Turfway Feb. 11 and shipped in to win this at odds of 5-1. The gray secured an early advantage breaking from the inside post, began to lengthen away leaving the turn and had four lengths on runner-up March Dancer (Storm Boot) on the line. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$14,640.
 O/B-Cynthia Knight (KY). T-James A Dodgen.

★ NEW YORK ★

Hall of Fame's Dick Hamilton To Retire:

Dick Hamilton, communications officer for the National Museum of Racing and Hall of Fame, has announced that he will retire this spring. He has been a part of the Museum staff since 1995. After graduating from Emerson College, Hamilton worked in TV and radio news before joining the stats department at *Daily Racing Form* in 1971. He went on to work for The Jockey Club, then was hired as an entry clerk for the New York Racing Association in 1975. In his 20 years at NYRA, he served as a placing judge, patrol judge, paddock judge and alternate steward before becoming a full-time steward in 1989. He retired from that position the year he came on board at the Museum. "Dick has been an invaluable member of our team," said Director Peter Hammell. "He has contributed positively to everything from exhibitions to the administration of the Hall of Fame nomination and election process. I appreciate everything he has done for the Museum." Hamilton, who plans to continue as a Museum volunteer, added, "These past nine years have been among the happiest and most productive of my working career. I would like everyone to know what a dedicated and loyal staff is associated with the Museum and Hall of Fame."

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★ CENTRAL ★

Yesterday's Results:

9th-HAW, \$28,000, Alw, NW1X, 4yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:13 3/5, ft.
POINT WON (f, 4, Bon Point {GB}--Queen Forbes {GSP, \$177,275}, by Air Forbes Won) opened her career with a five-length score over \$30,000 maiden claimers at Oaklawn Feb. 5 and was the 19-10 chalk to remain undefeated. The 1/2 to W W Robin De Hood (Robin Des Pins), SW, \$174,711, broke sharply from her inside post and led every step en route to a 2 3/4-length score. The winner was a \$17,000 OBSAPR juvenile. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$25,200.
 O-Savoy Stable. B-Marablu Farm (FL). T-Rey Aguirre.

★ AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS ★

IN JAPAN:

Up in the Hawk, c, 3, Arch--Music Lane, by Miswaki. Nakayama, 3-6, Novice Race, 9f. Lifetime Record: 6-1-1-1, \$100,000. O-Yoshio Fujita; B-River Bend Farm, Inc.; T-Mitsuhiro Ogata. *\$50,000 yrl '03 KEESEP. **Took the lead soon after the start and held sway late to win by a neck.

Bartabas, c, 3, Clever Trick--Allegedum (SW, \$101,502), by Alleged. Hanshin, 3-5, Novice Race, 7f. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$74,286. O-Koji Maeda; B-Catherine J. Parke & Pollock Farms; T-Izumi Shimizu. *\$25,000 yrl '03 KEESEP; \$140,000 2yo '04 KEEAPR. **Gained control at midstretch and inched clear to a half-length tally.

+ **Mr Kevin, c, 3, Storm Cat--Eliza (Ch. 2yo Filly, MGISW, \$1,095,316), by Mt. Livermore.** Nakayama, 3-6, Maiden Race, 8fT. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$66,667. O-Hitetoshi Yamamoto; B-Strategy Bloodstock; T-Kazuo Fujisawa. *\$140,000 yrl '03 KEESEP; \$150,000 2yo '04 FTFFEB. **Raced in mid-pack early before easily inhaling the pacesetters in the stretch to win going away by two lengths.

2Y0's at Calder sold for **\$2,900,000, \$500,000** (filly).

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American-bred Winners in Japan cont.

Day Flash, c, 3, **Stormin Fever**--Roses n Silks, by Golden Choice. Nakayama, 3-5, Plate Race, 9f. Lifetime Record: 7-2-2-1, \$196,762. O-Seishin Densetsu Inc.; B-Nancy C Shuford; T-Hirofumi Toda. *\$49,000 yrl '03 KEESEP.

Maltese Victor, c, 3, **Yankee Victor**--Fortuesque (SP, \$116,915), by Fortunate Prospect. Nakayama, 3-6, Plate Race, 6fT. Lifetime Record: 6-2-1-1, \$202,571. O-Yoshio Fujita; B-Jim E. Nelson & Sergio De Sousa; T-Takahisa Tezuka. *\$95,000 yrl '03 KEESEP; \$135,000 2yo '04 KEEAPR. **Came from just off the pace to take charge at midstretch en route to a half-length victory.

Danon Victory, c, 4, **Victory Gallop**--Summer Fantasy, by Summer Squall. Chukyo, 3-6, Plate Race, 8.5f. Lifetime Record: 6-2-0-0, \$148,095. O-Danox Inc.; B-G. Watts Humphrey; T-Yohiyasu Tajima. *1/2 to In Hand (Belong to Me), MSW, \$222,199. **\$41,000 yrl '02 KEESEP; \$400,000 2yo '03 BESMAR.

Metal Star, h, 5, **Smoke Glacken**--Katie Lynn, by Star de Naska. Nakayama, 3-5, Plate Race, 6f. Lifetime Record: 9-3-3-0, \$308,000. O-Morihiro Sato; B-Moreau Bloodstock International; T-Yasuhisa Matsuyama. *\$52,000 wnlg '00 OBSOCT; \$65,000 yrl '01 FTKOCT. **Won by 3 1/2 lengths.

Machikane Masurao, h, 5, **Valid Expectations**--Loot to Boot, by Pirate's Bounty. Chukyo, 3-5, Kuragaiko Tokubetsu, 6fT. Lifetime Record: 27-2-5-5, \$454,286. O-Masuo Hosokawa; B-Dr. Donald S. Dreyfuss; T-Masato Nishizono. *\$25,000 wnlg '00 OBSOCT; \$57,000 yrl '01 OBSAUG; \$45,000 2yo '02 BESMAR.

JAPANESE WINNERS BY AMERICAN SIRE:

Madam Cherokee (Jpn), f, 4, **Cherokee Run**--Unfoiled, by Unbridled. Hanshin, 3-5, Plate Race, 9f. Lifetime Record: 24-3-5-9, \$507,143. O-Ichikawa Farm; B-Kiyoshige Yamashita; T-Toru Miya.

Admire Leon (Jpn), h, 5, **Mr. Prospector**--Oakmead (SW & MG1SP-Eng, GSP-Fr, \$114,318), by Lomond. Hanshin, 3-5, Plate Race, 7f. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$144,762. O-Katsumi Yoshida; B-Oiwake Farm; T-Mitsuru Hashida. *Won by 1 3/4 lengths.

IN BRITAIN:

Southern Tide, c, 3, **Southern Halo**--My Own Lovely Lee (MSW, \$487,150), by Bucksplasher. Wolverhampton, Britain, 3-7, Hcp, 3yo, 1m 141yds (AWT). B-Mary S Iselin. *\$20,000 yrl '03 KEESEP; 33,000gns 2yo '04 TATAPR.

IN ITALY:

Distant Way, c, 4, **Distant View**. See "European Breeders' Edition."

★ ON THE WORKTAB ★

CALDER

Silver Wagon (Wagon Limit), 5f, 1:03.20, 9/12

FAIR GROUNDS

Rush Bay (Cozzene), 6f, 1:14.00, 1/5

GULFSTREAM

Gulch Approval (Gulch), 5f, 1:01.40, 8/23

Spite the Devil (Devil His Due), 6f, 1:13.20, 1/2

HOLLYWOOD

Kela (Numerous), 4f, :48.60, 7/20

A. P. Adventure (A.P. Indy), 5f, 1:02.00, 8/18

Intercontinental (GB), (Danehill) 5f, 1:01.80, 6/18

Seattle Borders (Western Borders), 5f, 1:02.20, 9/18

Watchem Smokey (Alphabet Soup), 5f, 1:01.80, 6/18

Star Over the Bay (Cozzene), 6f, 1:15.40, 10/14

PALM MEADOWS

Ready's Gal (More Than Ready), 3f, :39.40, 8/10

Artie Schiller (El Prado {Ire}), 4f, :48.60, 6/27

Icy Atlantic (Stormy Atlantic), 4fT, :49.40, 11/13

Dearest Mon (Maria's Mon), 5f, 1:00.40, 2/26

SANTA ANITA

Bluesthstandard (American Standard), 5f, :59.40, 5/88

Inspiring (Golden Missile), 5f, :58.80, 1/88

Salt Champ (Arg) (Salt Lake), 5f, :59.60, 11/88

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★ BRITAIN ★

Yesterday's Results:

Lingfield, 2.30, £5,405, Mdn, 3yo, 7f (AWT), 1:26.11, st.
RESPLENDENT NOVA (GB) (c, 3, Pivotal {GB}--Santiburi Girl {GB}, by Casteddu {GB}), runner-up in a mile maiden here last time Feb. 23, broke well and stalked the early pace. Challenging in the straight, he grabbed the lead with 100 yards remaining before asserting to beat Sonny Parkin (GB) (Spinning World) by 1 1/4 lengths. The winner was a 22,000gns TATOCT yearling. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, £4,776.
 O-Resplendent Racing Limited; B-A Turner; T-T Mills.

★ FRANCE ★

Yesterday's Results:

Deauville, 2.35, €25,000, Cond, 3yo, 7 1/2f (AWT), 1:29.70, st.
TERRA VERDE (IRE) (c, 3, Indian Ridge {Ire}--Vituisa {GB}, by Bering {GB}), seventh at Maisons-Laffitte in October, was slowly away, but made up ground to race in a stalking second. Taking command at the quarter pole, the 11-2 chance was pushed out to comfortably beat Spin Game (Fr) (Verglas {Ire}) by 2 1/2 lengths. Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 1 win, 0 places, €12,500.
 O-Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid al Maktoum; B-Darley; T-Andre Fabre.

★ ITALY ★

Sunday's Results:

Pisa, 4.55, 3-6, €30,600, Cond, 3yo, f, 7 1/2fT, 1:32.80, hy.
SAFANYA (IRE) (f, 3, Indian Lodge {Ire}--Silvia Puca {Ire} {SP-Ity}, by Nebos {Ger}) entered this race two-for-two after scores at Livorno and Varese at the end of last year. Reserved in the rear early, the 9-2 chance accelerated through the mud to lead with 150 yards remaining and beat Liguria (Ire) (Marju {Ire}) by 1 1/4 lengths. Lifetime Record: 3 starts, 3 wins, €34,000.
 O/B-Scuderia Siba SPA; T-Alduino and Giuseppe Botti.

Pisa, 3.55, 3-6, €30,600, Cond, 3yo, c/g, 7.5fT, 1:32.10, hy.
SLAPPER (ITY) (c, 3, Indian Ridge {Ire}--Daniela Grassi {GB}, by Bound for Honour), winner of the Listed Premio de Montel at the San Siro last July, had been off since his third in the Listed Criterium di Pisa in December. Breaking smartly, the 7-4 pick was taken to the front by Dario Vargiu and was unchallenged, recording a five-length defeat of Nakfa (Ire) (Marju {Ire}). He will return for the Mar. 26 Listed Premio Pisa. Lifetime Record: SW-Ity, 7 starts, 3 wins, 3 places, €67,915.
 O/T-Roberto Brogi; B-Scuderia Tamara SAS.

Rome, 2.30, 3-6, €19,125, Cond, 3yo, c/g, 1mT, 1:44.00, hy.

MISTER FASLIYEV (IRE) (c, 3, Fasliyev--Carisheba, by Alysheba), winner of the Listed Criterium di Napoli last July, broke well and soon led in this trial for the G2 Premio Parioli (Italian 2000 Guineas) here Apr. 24. Never in any danger, the 6-5 second choice maintained the gallop all the way to the line to record an impressive 10-length score. Lifetime Record: SW-Ity, 9 starts, 4 wins, 3 places, €76,670.
 O-Gaetano Drago; B-Azienda Agricola Mediterranea; T-Giovanni Colella.

Rome, 3.35, 3-6, €19,125, Cond, 3yo, c/g, 1 1/4mT, 2:11.50, hy.

AVENDRACE (GB) (c, 3, Hernando {GB}--Perylls {GB}, by Warning {GB}), returning after disappointing when seventh on his last start at this venue in November, broke well and stalked the early pace. Quickening to lead with quarter of a mile remaining, the 11-2 chance easily beat Urgente (GB) (Halling) by 3 1/2 lengths, booking his place in the line-up for the Listed Premio Botticelli in the process. The winner was a 22,000gns TATOCT yearling. Lifetime Record: 4 starts, 2 wins, 1 place, €24,735.
 O-Scuderia Elena; B-Mrs P A Clark; T-Roberto Brogi.

★ EUROPEAN-BRED WINNERS ★

IN JAPAN:

Satono Kenshiro (Ire), c, 3, **Singspiel (Ire)**--Aim for the Top (MSW & MGSP-Eng & GSW-Ity), by Irish River (Fr) Nakayama, 3-5, Obai Sho, 8fT. Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-0, \$191,238. O-Osamu Satomi; B-King Bloodstock; T-Kazuo Fujisawa. *1/2 to Dance to the Top (GB) (Sadler's Wells), G1SP-Eng; Polar Bear (GB) (Polar Falcon), SW & GSP-Eng, \$134,616. **Won by 1 1/4 lengths.



SCENIC DIES Scenic (Ire) (Sadler's Wells--Idyllic, by Foolish Pleasure) died after suffering a heart attack at Durham Lodge Sunday. The 19-year-old stallion captured the 1988 G1 Dewhurst S. and the 1989 G3 William Hill Classic. He was third in the 1989 G1 St James's Palace S. Scenic, who originally stood at Coolmore Stud in Ireland, shuttled to Collingrove Stud in Australia before moving permanently to Durham Lodge in Western Australia. He has been represented on the racetrack by Australian Group 1 winners Universal Prince (Aus), Shame (Aus), Scenic Peak (Aus), Lochrae (Aus), Piavonic (Aus), Episode (Aus), Blevic (Aus) and Lord Essex (Aus). Durham Lodge is offering four Scenic yearlings at this week's Magic Millions Perth Yearling Sale, which begins today at 3 p.m.



BREEDERS' EDITION AMERICA

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

9th-MNR, \$47,800, 3-6, 3/up, f/m, 1m, 1:42 4/5, gd.
BEAU WATCH (f, 4, Beau Genius--Tiny Watch, by Paramount Jet) Lifetime Record: SW, 13-5-3-1, \$115,728.
 O-Reed & Wright. B-Timothy Wright (KY); T-E R Reed.

7th-FGX, \$38,500, (S), 4yo/up, f/m, 1m (off turf), 1:40 1/5, sy.

DESTINY CALLS (m, 5, With Approval--Longue Vue, by Miswaki) Lifetime Record: MSW, 16-11-3-0, \$470,069.
 O-Vickie L Krantz. B-Bryan & Vickie Krantz (LA). T-Gary Palmisano. *1/2 to You'llbeinmyheart (Broad Brush), MSW, \$143,568.

9th-FGX, \$30,000, NW1X, 4yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f (off turf), 1:04 2/5, sy.

OKAYA (f, 4, Lycius--Gandhara, by Kris S.) Lifetime Record: 11-3-3-1, \$50,108. O-Panic Stable LLC.
 B-Haras Santa Maria de Araras (FL). T-T M Amoss.

7th-HAW, \$30,000, NW2X, 4/up, f/m, a1m70yd, 1:45, ft.
MOON DOLLY (GB) (f, 4, Kris S.--Misty Moon {Brz}, by Baronius {Brz}) Lifetime Record: 13-3-4-2, \$75,105.
 O-Sydney Racing Partners. B-D Hubbard, C Sczesny & Rio Claro Thoroughbreds (GB). T-Wayne D Mogge.
 *\$500,000 yrl '02 KEEJUL. **1/2 to Virginie (Brz) (Legal Case {Ire}), Ch. 3yo Filly-Brz, MG1 SW-Brz, GISW-US, \$271,610-US; Be Fair (Brz) (Fast Gold), Ch. 3yo Filly-Brz, MG1 SW-Brz; and Always Lucky (Brz) (Westheimer), G1 SP-Brz.

8th-HAW, \$28,000, Opt. Clm. (\$35,000-\$30,000), NW1X, 3yo, 6f, 1:12 3/5, ft.

BIGBOYDANCING (c, 3, Lord Carson--Super Style {MSW, \$214,819}, by My Gallant) Lifetime Record: SP, 6-2-2-0, \$49,550. O-B & Ny Bartels. B-Victoria Racing Stables Inc (PA). T-T Gore. *\$8,000 yrl '03 FTMFEB; \$23,000 yrl '03 FTMSEP; \$75,000 2yo '04 OBSMAR.

9th-PHA, \$22,726, NW1X, 4/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10 2/5, ft.
QUICKEST OF ALL (f, 4, Larrupin'--Irish and Foxy {MSP}, by Irish Open) Lifetime Record: 18-4-3-4, \$69,719. O-M Kernan & J Vaders. B-Ryehill Farm (MD). T-Jayne Vaders. *\$175,000 2yo 2003 OBSAPR.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Deputy Light, c, 3, Colony Light--Cancan, by French Deputy. PHA, 3-7, 6 1/2f, 1:17 4/5. B-J D Farms (FL). *\$5,000 wnlg '02 OBSOCT.

Chester's Best, c, 3, Home At Last--Nearly Nickers, by Nicholas. HAW, 3-7, (S), 6f, 1:12 4/5. B-F Bledsoe (IL).

On a Dream, f, 4, Marquetry--Sweet Table (SW, \$114,110), by Banquet Table. MNR, 3-6, 6f, 1:15 1/5. B-Fran Prainito & Helen Grippi (MI).

BREEDERS' EDITION EUROPE

CONDITIONS RESULTS:

FRANCE, Deauville, 3.35, 3-7, €24,000, 4yo/up, 1 1/2m (AWT), 2:34.10, gd.

SNOW CAP (FR) (h, 6, Bering {GB}--Girl of France {GB} {SW & GSP-US & Fr, \$171,515}, by Legend of France) Lifetime Record: SW-Fr, 30 starts, 5 wins, 20 places, €169,469. O/B-Baron Thierry de Zuylen de Nyevelt; T-D Smaga. *1/2 to Varxi (Fr) (Kaldoun {Fr}), GSW-Fr.

FRANCE, Mont-de-Marsan, 4.30, 3-6, €21,000, 3yo, 1 1/4mT, time: n/a, sf.

TRUFFLE PRINCE (IRE) (c, 3, Desert Prince {Ire}--Mamara Reef {GB}, by Salse) Lifetime Record: 5 starts, 2 wins, 3 places, €25,850. O-D Y Treves; B-M Duffy; T-Jean-Claude Rouget. *1/2 to Storm Dream (Ire) (Catrail), GSW-US & G1SW-Ire, \$158,334. **60,000gns yrl '03 TATOCT; €47,000 wnlg '02 GOFNOV.

ITALY, Rome, 4.05, 3-6, €19,125, 4yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:47.70, hy.

DISTANT WAY (c, 4, Distant View--Grey Way {GSP-US, GSW-Ity, \$173,449}, by Cozzene) Lifetime Record: MSW-Ity, 15 starts, 7 wins, 6 places, €227,885. O-Allevamento la Nuova Sbarra SRL; B-Grundy Bloodstock; T-Lorenzo Brogi. *€100,000 yrl '02 ITYSEP.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

+ **Yes My Love (Fr), f, 3, Anabaa--Green Field Park (GB), by Akarad (Fr).** Mont-de-Marsan, France, 3-6, Mdn, 3yo, 7 1/2fT. B-Mme Aliette & Gilles Forien. *€140,000 yrl '03 DEAAUG.

Dublin Master (Ire), c, 3, Foxhound--Shonara's Way (GB) (SP-Eng), by Slip Anchor (GB). Pisa, Italy, 3-6, Mdn, 3yo, 10fT. B-The Swift Syndicate. *10,000gns 2yo '04 DONAPR; €14,000 wnlg '02 GOFNOV.

Storyville (GB), g, 3, Lujain--Slow Jazz (SW-Fr), by Chief's Crown. Wolverhampton, Britain, 3-7, Mdn, 3yo, 5f 216yds (AWT). B-Darley. *1/2 to Mister Cavern (GB) (Lion Cavern), MSW & GSP-Fr, \$146,637. **47,000gns wnlg '02 TATDEC.

Pantalu (Fr), c, 3, Medaaly (GB)--Saeta Rubia (SP-Ity), by Trepolino. Rome, Italy, 3-6, Mdn, 3yo, c/g, 1 1/16mT. B-Leonardo Sterli.

Mayane (Fr), f, 3, Midyan--Mayence (Ire), by Mondrian (Ger). Hyeres, France, 3-7, Mdn, 3yo, c/f, 1 9/16mT. B-Jean-Claude Seroul.

Opatja (GB), f, 3, Nashwan--Thundercloud (GB), by Electric (GB). Rome, Italy, 3-6, Mdn, 3yo, f, 1 5/16mT. B-Fonthill Farms. *10,000gns yrl '03 TATOCT.

Slanderous (Fr), c, 3, Orpen--Slander, by Miswaki. Blain Bouvron le Gavre, France, 3-6, Mdn, 3yo, 1950mT. B-Skymarc Farm. *€6,500 wnlg '02 DEADEC; €12,000 yrl '03 DEAAUG.