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Amorama retired
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A HOPEFUL NEW YEAR

The new year will kick off in style at Gulfstream today when two of last year's best sophomores--not named Barbaro or Bernardini--make their 2007 bows in the GIII Hal's Hope H. An impressive allowance winner last February over track and trip, **Strong Contender**



Ward & Strong Contender
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(Maria's Mon) took some time to make his presence felt in the division, but posted impressive triumphs in the GII Dwyer S. July 4 and the GII Super Derby Sept. 23 at Louisiana Downs. The big chestnut has not faced the starter since, and trainer John Ward Jr. acknowledges that he has bigger targets for his

charge down the road. "He's probably going to need this race, but this one should set him up perfectly for the Donn H. [GI, Feb. 3] and especially the Santa Anita H. [GI, Mar. 3]," Ward told *Daily Racing Form*.

Sweetnorthernsaint (Sweetsouthern) was the slight favorite in the GI Kentucky Derby on the strength of a towering success in the GII Illinois Derby, but wound up fifth after a rough trip. He was second in the GI Preakness S. May 20 before heading to the sidelines, and has returned with a pair of easy wins in his Mid-Atlantic base. The Florida-bred's last outing resulted in an 8 1/4-length score at 1-5 in Delaware's Odessa S. Nov. 11. *Cont. p2*

Saturday, Gulfstream Park, post time: 5:10 p.m. EST

HAL'S HOPE H.-GIII, \$100,000, 4yo/up, 1m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1	Indy Wind	A.P. Indy	Tarrant	12-1
2	Rexson's Rose	Suave Prospect	Rose	15-1
3	Sweetnorthern	Sweetsouthern	Trombetta	3-1
4	Yes Yes Yes	Yes It's True	Sciametta Jr	12-1
5	Chatain	Forest Wildcat	Penna Jr	8-1
6	Strong Contender	Maria's Mon	Ward Jr	4-1
7	Istan	Gone West	Mott	15-1
8	Rehoboth	Wagon Limit	Gomez	6-1
9	Sir Greeley	Mr. Greeley	J Jerkens	5-1
10	Ecclesiastic	Pulpit	H Jerkens	20-1
11	Big Lover	Ecton Park	Salinas	15-1
12	Carrots Only	Defrere	Mazza	30-1
13	Edenwold	Southern Halo	Carroll	20-1

ADENA TOPS BREEDERS' LISTS

Adena Springs was the leading individual breeder in



Adena's Frank Stronach
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North America last year, topping the earnings list with purses of \$13,146,955. According to The Jockey Club Information Systems, Inc., Adena-bred horses won 510 races from 3,043 starts. It was the fourth straight season that the operation came out on top. The distant runner-up was Sez Who Thoroughbreds, with \$7,957,900 in earnings. The operation bred the winners of 324 races from 2,335 starts. Adena also led the list of top breeders that included partnerships, compiling \$13,147,650 in purses. Second was Farnsworth

Farms with earnings of \$9,021,359. The complete list of the top 200 breeders of 2006, courtesy of TJCIS, is available at www.equineline.com.

JAZIL SECOND IN AQUEDUCT RETURN

Shadwell's **Jazil** (Seeking the Gold), making his first start since taking the GI Belmont S. June 10, rallied for the runner-up spot in the allowance feature at Aqueduct yesterday behind wire-to-wire winner **Take the Bluff** (Pine Bluff), a wet-track specialist.

"We anticipated this a little bit," said Jazil's trainer Kieran McLaughlin. "He needed the run--it's been six months. He was running at the end; I'm happy enough." The newly

turned four-year-old, last early, put in a four-wide run on his way to finish second. "That's tough on these turns to make up that kind of ground," McLaughlin added. "We'll look for bigger and better things, and we have all year to go. The [GII] Gulfstream Park H. [Mar. 3] will probably be next." *For more, see ATW, p3*



Jazil Settles for Second to Take the Bluff *Adam Coglianese photo*

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Hal's Hope H. preview cont.

Trainer Michael Trombetta will point his charge, **Sweetnorthernsaint**, for the Sunshine Millions Classic Jan. 27. "We've had this plan mapped out for him for quite a while," Trombetta told *DRF*. "The Donn is a Grade I, but that doesn't help me because he's a gelding. We're going for the million dollars in the Sunshine Classic, and then if all goes well we'll take a deep breath and evaluate things from there. Our main focus with him, since he's a gelding, is preservation and longevity."



Sweetnorthernsaint
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You can also pick up a copy of the TDN today at the Keeneland January Horses of All Ages Sale.

Saturday, Santa Anita, post time: 4:07 p.m. PST

SAN PASQUAL H.-GII, \$150,000, 4yo/up, 1 1/16m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1	Preachinathebar	Silver Charm	Baffert	5-1
2	Dixie Meister	Holzmeister	Canani	3-1
3	Declan's Moon	Malibu Moon	Ellis	5-2
4	Buckland Manor	Bien Bien	Gonzalez	6-1
5	Cheroot	Smokester	Vienna	6-1
6	Armenian Summer	Siberian Summer	Gallagher	12-1
7	Spellbinder	Tale of the Cat	Mandella	4-1

Multiple graded-stakes winner **Preachinathebar** duded for the lead in his latest, the Oct. 7 GII Goodwood Breeders' Cup H. over this strip, before settling for fourth behind Lava Man, Brother Derek and Giacomo. The grey has been training smartly for his six-year-old bow, most recently posting a bullet half-mile in :46 3/5 Jan. 2. With his rail post, Preachinathebar will almost certainly wing it for the lead, where he'll have company from **Spellbinder**. That dark bay, beaten a half-length when third to High Limit and **Buckland Manor** in last year's renewal of this race, went on to capture the GII San Antonio H. in February. After several losses, he rebounded with a wire-to-wire victory in Golden Gate's GIII Berkeley H. Sept. 4, only to run fifth in the six-furlong GI Ancient Title Breeders' Cup S. Oct. 7 at Oak Tree last out. **Declan's Moon** finally gets to attempt a more suitable distance. The champion juvenile of 2004, he was sidelined following a win in the 2005 GII Santa Catalina S. over track and trip and didn't race again for 16 months. He was caught late when second in a 6 1/2-furlong optional claimer at Hollywood, then ran seventh in the GII Pat O'Brien BC H. over seven panels Aug. 20 at Del Mar and was given some time to re-group. He comes here off a third in the six-furlong GIII Vernon O. Underwood H. Dec. 2 at Hollywood. "He hasn't hit his best form, that's for sure," said trainer Ron Ellis. "He had a lung infection in the Del Mar race and, in his last race, I don't think he's a typical sprinter. I always thought he was a two-turn horse, and he got caught going :44 flat [for a half] in the Underwood, and it gave him more than he wanted to do. He should be more suited to the distance on Saturday."

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Saturday, Gulfstream Park, post time: 4:10 p.m. EST

MR. PROSPECTOR H.-GIII, \$100,000, 4yo/up, 6f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	High Finance	Talk is Money	Violette Jr	113
2	Mach Ride	Pentelicus	Standridge	114
3	Blazing Pursuit	Tale of the Cat	Toner	113
4	Hither Lane	Mr. Greeley	Clement	112
5	Paradise Dancer	Langfuhr	Ziadie	116
6	Slam Bammy	Grand Slam	Orseno	117
7	Weigelia	Safely's Mark	Trombetta	119
8	Kelly's Landing	Patton	Kenneally	118

Saturday, Santa Anita, post time: 3:36 p.m. PST

SANTA YSABEL S.-GIII, \$100,000, 3yo, f, 1 1/16m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	Baroness Thatcher	Johannesburg	Biancone	114
2	Setafire	Jump Start	Hofmans	116
3	Runway Rosie	Include	Hofmans	122
4	Adoradora	Mr. Greeley	O' Brien	114
5	Le Cirque	Dynaformer	Greely	116
6	Back in the Saddle	Put it Back	Paasch	114
7	Kimmy Potter	Broken Vow	O'Neill	116
8	Seaside Affair	Sea of Secrets	Sadler	114
9	Mistical Plan	Game Plan	O'Neill	114

Sunday, Santa Anita

SAN GORGONIO H.-GII, \$150,000, 4yo/up, f/m,

1 1/8mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	Citronnade	Lemon Drop Kid	Flores	114
2	Rahy's Appeal	Rahy	Gryder	115
3	Grande Melody (Ire)	Grand Lodge	Leparoux	115
4	Strong Faith	Pioneering	Garcia	112
5	Ready to Please	More Than Ready	Gomez	115
6	Three Degrees (Ire)	Singspiel (Ire)	Solis	117
7	Beautyandthebeast (GB)	Machiavellian	Nakatani	120

☆ RESULTS ☆

Monday, Kenilworth, South Africa

THOROUGHBRED BREEDERS' ASSOCIATION OF SOUTH AFRICA PADDOCK S.-G1, R350,000, Kenilworth, 1-1, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8mT, 1:49.22, gd.

1--▲**BADGER'S GIFT (SAF)**, 128, m, 6, by Badger Land

1st Dam: Upwardly Mobile (SAf) (SP-SAf), by Hard Up (Arg)

2nd Dam: Seal Of Office (SAf), by Proclaim

3rd Dam: Kit Kat (SAf), by Mexico II (GB)

O-J H van Heerden; B-T D Andrews; T-Glen Kotzen; J-Richard Fourie; R218,750.

2--**Sun Classique (Aus)**, 115, f, 3, Fuji Kiseki (Jpn)--Ifenjer (Aus), by Last Tycoon (Ire). O-Lionel Cohen & Wendy Rippon; B-Lionel Cohen; T-M Bass; R70,000.

3--**Kimberlite (SAf)**, 127, f, 4, Kabool (GB)--Diamond Rock (SAf), by Flaming Rock (Ire). O-J H Van Heerden, D du Toit, C Stander R van Rooyen; B-Mr & Mrs C F de Vos; T-Gken Kotzen; R35,000.

Margins: 2HF, HF, 2. Odds: 16-1, 11-10, 33-1.

"I was very pleased with my Johar filly out of Tresor and plan on breeding back to Johar." — Breerton Jones

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Paddock S. cont.

Track-record holder Badger's Gift was unable to concede weight all round when runner-up in the Dec. 2 Listed Victress S. over course and distance last time, but did so here and gained compensation by recording a career high under tactically astute apprentice Richard Fourie in this New Year's Day feature. Overcoming a wide draw, the oldest distaffer in the field was positioned to the fore from the outset and dictated a comfortable pace for much of the contest. Kicked on by Fourie once into the home straight, the six-year-old was safely clear at the eighth pole and coasted to the wire to spring the upset.

Sales included in Covering-Sire Instatistics

2006 Adena Springs Sale At Ftk - In Foal Mares, 2006 Arizona Tba At Phoenix - Mixed, 2006 Barretts Equine Sales - Breeding Stock, 2006 BBAG Autumn Sale, 2006 Cths October At Calgary - Mixed, 2006 Deauville Winter Mixed Sale, 2006 Fasig-Tipton Kentucky November - Mixed, 2006 Fasig-Tipton Midatlantic - Mixed, 2006 Goffs December Flat Sale, 2006 Goffs Ireland November Broodmare and Fillies Sale, 2006 Keeneland November Mixed, 2006 Louisiana Tb Brdrs Assoc At Fair Grounds - Yrlg, 2006 Ocala Breeders Sales Co. - Mixed, 2006 Oregon Tbr Breeders Assoc. At Portland Meadows - Mixed, 2006 Tattersalls December Sale, 2006 Texas Tbr. Breeders Assoc - Mixed, 2006 Washington Horse Breeders Assoc. - Mixed.



☆ NEWS TODAY ☆

AMORAMA, SPUN SUGAR RETIRED TO ADENA SPRINGS

Frank Stronach's Grade I-winning mares **Amorama (Fr)** (Sri Pekan--Tanzania {Ire}, by Alzao) and **Spun Sugar** (Awesome Again--Irish Cherry, by Irish Open) have been retired to Adena Springs, according to published reports. Spun Sugar, a Stronach homebred daughter of stakes winner Irish Cherry, captured the GII Black-Eyed Susan S. at three in 2005, when she also was the runner-up in the GI Mother Goose S. and the GI Alabama S., and finished third in the GI CCA Oaks. In 2006, the bay battled to victory in the GI Apple Blossom H. and GI Go for Wand H. before finishing unplaced in the GI Breeders' Cup Distaff in her final outing for conditioner Todd



Spun Sugar
Coady Photography

Pletcher. She retires with a record of 13-6-3-1 and earnings of \$929,171. Amorama began her career in France before heading to California, where she captured the GI Del Mar Oaks at three in 2004 and the GI John C. Mabee H. in 2005 for trainer Julio Canani. Acquired for \$1.05 million at the FTKNOV sale in 2005, the seal brown mare was turned over to Bobby Frankel and took her time getting her picture taken in the Stronach silks. She did so in her career finale, the GIII My Charmer H. Dec. 2 at Calder, and heads into retirement with a record of 28-5-3-6 and a bankroll of \$794,353. Amorama hails from the immediate family of champions Triptych and Trillion.



Amorama Jim Lisa photo

Sales including in Weanling Sire Instatistics

2006 Arizona Tba At Phoenix - Mixed, 2006 Barretts Equine Sales - Breeding Stock, 2006 BBAG Autumn Sale, 2006 Brdrs Sales Co Of Louisiana At Fg-Yrlgs & Mixed, 2006 Canadian T.H.S. At Ft. Langley - Yearlings, 2006 Deauville Winter Mixed Sale, 2006 Fasig-Tipton Kentucky November - Mixed, 2006 Fasig-Tipton Midatlantic - Mixed, 2006 Goffs December Flat Sale, 2006 Goffs Ireland November Broodmare and Fillies Sale, 2006 Keeneland November Mixed, 2006 Louisiana Tb Brdrs Assoc At Fair Grounds - Yrlg, 2006 Ocala Breeders Sales Co. - Mixed, 2006 Oregon Tbr Breeders Assoc. At Portland Meadows - Mixed, 2006 Tattersalls December Sale, 2006 Texas Tbr. Breeders Assoc - Mixed, 2006 Washington Horse Breeders Assoc. - Mixed.

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HIP 471 – Power Shopping, filly by Dynaformer
Family of Broodmare of the Year **FALL ASPEN**

HIP 551 – Filly by Pulpit

Second dam is Champion **TABA-G1**,
dam of Champion **TURKOMAN-G1**

HIP 723 – Law n Dora, colt by Silver Deputy
Out of G3 winner **LADY DORA** (\$209,081)

HIP 725 – Colt by Smart Strike

Family of **HONORABLE MISS & BAILJUMPER**

HIP 726 – Colt by Seeking the Gold

Six Stakes Horses under 2nd dam, incl.
CLAMOROSA-G3 (\$343,974)

HIP 727 – Colt by Dixie Union

Multiple Stakes Winning half-brother **SMART
ENOUGH** (\$220,066) set two track records!

HIP 732 – Colt by Two Punch

Family of G2 Saratoga Special winner
BRIGHT LAUNCH

HIP 733 – Colt by Awesome Again

UPDATE: 3yo half-sister **Queen of Laughs**
broke her maiden by 10 lengths 11/26!

HIP 735 – Colt by Lion Hearted

Top family – 12 Stakes Horses under 2nd dam!

HIP 749 – Granite Wave, colt by Grindstone
Out of MSW **GOLDEN PATH** (\$191,214)

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Top 43 Covering Sires for 2006

				2006 Covering Sire Sales					2006 Yearling Sales		
Rank by Average	Fyr	Loc	Ring	Sold	Average	Median	Top Mare	Sold	Average	Median	
1	STORM CAT	F89	KY	5	4	\$2,312,500	\$1,975,000	\$4,500,000	25	\$1,255,400	\$825,000
2	KINGMAMBO	F95	KY	3	3	1,833,333	2,000,000	2,800,000	20	957,047	396,434
3	PULPIT	F99	KY	7	5	1,487,000	400,000	6,000,000	41	218,327	140,000
4	A.P. INDY	F94	KY	10	7	1,339,285	1,150,000	2,200,000	17	519,411	450,000
5	DISTORTED HUMOR	F00	KY	10	9	965,688	660,000	2,900,000	57	303,368	240,000
6	SEEKING THE GOLD	F91	KY	5	4	950,000	862,500	1,700,000	19	574,775	320,000
7	GIANT'S CAUSEWAY	F02	KY	15	11	897,727	900,000	1,550,000	41	342,637	235,000
8	UNBRIDLED'S SONG	F98	KY	20	18	815,277	587,500	2,300,000	42	425,666	337,500
9	GHOSTZAPPER	F07	KY	10	4	712,500	662,500	925,000	0	--	--
10	DYNAFORMER	F91	KY	7	5	578,000	475,000	1,300,000	25	284,640	235,000
11	GONE WEST	F89	KY	13	6	540,000	327,500	1,850,000	23	304,410	235,000
12	LABEEB (GB)	F00	SA	1	1	500,000	500,000	500,000	2	39,956	39,956
13	EL PRADO (IRE)	F94	KY	9	6	480,833	537,500	925,000	17	145,911	65,000
14	EMPIRE MAKER	F05	KY	11	6	476,666	457,500	800,000	32	379,125	270,000
15	ELUSIVE QUALITY	F00	KY	17	13	445,000	450,000	1,000,000	49	195,808	110,000
16	ROCK OF GIBRALTAR (IRE)	F04	JA	1	1	400,000	400,000	400,000	55	138,239	115,335
17	FORESTRY	F01	KY	19	17	388,823	375,000	875,000	54	214,066	170,000
18	MINESHAFT	F05	KY	5	4	350,000	342,500	600,000	33	292,415	200,000
19	FUSAICHI PEGASUS	F02	KY	22	19	324,368	325,000	625,000	68	159,007	100,000
20	VINDICATION	F05	KY	31	25	299,200	300,000	675,000	64	340,281	210,000
21	SPEIGHTSTOWN	F06	KY	19	15	273,666	250,000	450,000	0	--	--
22	DIXIE UNION	F02	KY	13	10	247,700	168,500	675,000	36	98,063	82,745
23	TIZNOW	F03	KY	20	18	226,611	97,500	1,600,000	44	88,352	57,500
24	SAINT LIAM	F07	KY	28	21	223,190	230,000	450,000	0	--	--
25	HENNESSY	F98	KY	7	3	221,666	200,000	375,000	47	135,300	110,000
26	COZZENE	F87	KY	4	4	219,250	101,000	650,000	10	73,800	57,500
27	SMARTY JONES	F06	KY	13	11	218,636	180,000	750,000	0	--	--
28	STRONG HOPE	F06	KY	14	13	201,153	175,000	425,000	0	--	--
29	AWESOME AGAIN	F00	KY	5	3	193,333	160,000	300,000	18	67,722	46,000
30	MR. GREELEY	F97	KY	21	18	189,666	162,500	500,000	53	260,782	100,000
31	AFLEET ALEX	F07	KY	24	19	181,578	150,000	400,000	0	--	--
32	SONGANDAPRAYER	F03	KY	21	19	180,263	150,000	450,000	34	141,705	125,000
33	ROCK HARD TEN	F07	KY	17	10	179,000	137,500	410,000	0	--	--
34	SILVER DEPUTY	F90	KY	6	5	178,000	170,000	270,000	39	103,684	60,000
35	WAR CHANT	F02	KY	8	7	166,000	210,000	290,000	21	96,631	65,000
36	SMART STRIKE	F98	KY	10	8	158,125	135,000	340,000	46	113,690	73,500
37	QUIET AMERICAN	F93	KY	8	7	151,285	67,000	380,000	35	60,918	35,000
38	TALE OF THE CAT	F00	KY	21	14	148,571	150,000	290,000	72	135,618	90,000
39	ROMAN RULER	F07	KY	44	25	148,120	130,000	400,000	0	--	--
40	JOHAR	F06	KY	7	6	144,950	29,000	725,000	0	--	--
41	SUCCESSFUL APPEAL	F02	KY	18	12	142,000	115,000	430,000	28	65,392	37,500
42	SKY MESA	F05	KY	27	19	136,263	125,000	575,000	57	130,368	95,000
43	JOHANNESBURG	F04	KY	32	21	136,095	100,000	350,000	77	159,443	



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Top 35 Weanling Sires for 2006

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Rank by Average	Fyr	Loc	Ring	Sold	Average	Median	Top Colt	Top Filly	Sold	Average	Median	
1	MONTJEU (IRE)	F02	IR	1	1	\$2,700,000	\$2,700,000	\$2,700,000	\$ -	48	\$216,216	\$152,394
2	GONE WEST	F89	KY	2	1	2,400,000	2,400,000	-	2,400,000	23	304,410	235,000
3	MONSUN (GER)	F97	G	1	1	475,000	475,000	-	475,000	2	192,076	192,076
4	UNBRIDLED'S SONG	F98	KY	8	4	446,250	472,500	140,000	700,000	42	425,666	337,500
5	GIANT'S CAUSEWAY	F02	KY	11	7	327,857	200,000	1,050,000	295,000	41	342,637	235,000
6	CAPE CROSS (IRE)	F01	IR	1	1	300,000	300,000	-	300,000	50	169,791	102,856
7	DYNAFORMER	F91	KY	7	5	292,000	300,000	325,000	300,000	25	284,640	235,000
8	SMARTY JONES	F06	KY	13	8	275,625	270,000	425,000	300,000	0	--	--
9	FORESTRY	F01	KY	10	6	250,833	185,000	620,000	230,000	54	214,066	170,000
10	ELUSIVE QUALITY	F00	KY	8	8	225,000	210,000	275,000	500,000	49	195,808	110,000
11	MINESHAFT	F05	KY	8	5	218,000	140,000	650,000	150,000	33	292,415	200,000
12	SPEIGHTSTOWN	F06	KY	14	12	217,916	145,000	400,000	450,000	0	--	--
13	AWESOME AGAIN	F00	KY	1	1	215,000	215,000	-	215,000	18	67,722	46,000
14	MR. GREELEY	F97	KY	12	10	203,700	172,500	400,000	350,000	53	260,782	100,000
15	EMPIRE MAKER	F05	KY	7	6	194,666	220,000	290,000	300,000	32	379,125	270,000
16	MEDAGLIA D'ORO	F06	KY	26	21	187,476	175,000	425,000	310,000	0	--	--
17	DIXIELAND BAND	F86	KY	6	3	187,333	45,000	45,000	500,000	19	78,762	65,000
18	DANEHILL DANCER (IRE)	F98	IR	1	1	180,000	180,000	-	180,000	69	210,048	177,772
19	VINDICATION	F05	KY	14	8	166,875	165,000	250,000	225,000	64	340,281	210,000
20	FUSAICHI PEGASUS	F02	KY	17	16	165,125	145,000	600,000	410,000	68	159,007	100,000
21	PULPIT	F99	KY	1	1	160,000	160,000	-	160,000	41	218,327	140,000
22	HENNESSY	F98	KY	12	8	159,375	140,000	300,000	130,000	47	135,300	110,000
23	KING'S BEST	F02	IR	1	1	150,000	150,000	150,000	-	48	124,240	58,420
24	YES IT'S TRUE	F02	KY	9	8	140,000	140,000	300,000	140,000	40	73,300	54,500
25	DISTORTED HUMOR	F00	KY	6	5	138,000	130,000	40,000	290,000	57	303,368	240,000
26	PLEASANTLY PERFECT	F06	KY	2	2	132,500	132,500	190,000	75,000	0	--	--
27	TALE OF THE CAT	F00	KY	20	16	132,375	135,000	240,000	295,000	72	135,618	90,000
28	STRONG HOPE	F06	KY	15	14	131,071	115,000	280,000	300,000	0	--	--
29	REFUSE TO BEND (IRE)	F06	IR	1	1	130,000	130,000	130,000	-	0	--	--
30	STRAVINSKY	F01	JA	3	2	126,750	126,750	250,000	3,500	39	63,536	40,000
31	MARIA'S MON	F98	KY	14	12	120,750	110,000	280,000	210,000	26	129,038	83,500
32	JOHANNESBURG	F04	KY	28	19	114,947	100,000	350,000	200,000	77	159,443	120,000
33	PERFECT SOUL (IRE)	F06	KY	9	7	113,428	42,000	370,000	35,000	0	--	--
34	SKY MESA	F05	KY	16	14	111,214	120,000	235,000	167,000	57	130,368	95,000
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1	GHOSTZAPPER	KY	10	4	\$712,500	\$662,500	\$ 925,000
2	SAINT LIAM	KY	28	21	223,190	230,000	450,000
3	AFLEET ALEX	KY	24	19	181,578	150,000	400,000
4	ROCK HARD TEN	KY	17	10	179,000	137,500	410,000
5	ROMAN RULER	KY	44	25	148,120	130,000	400,000
6	PURGE	KY	45	38	126,184	88,500	535,000
7	FOREST DANGER	KY	33	26	118,384	93,500	385,000
8	EDDINGTON	KY	16	12	111,833	105,000	250,000
9	SOUTHERN IMAGE	KY	21	18	83,444	47,500	410,000
10	CONSOLIDATOR	KY	25	23	78,652	65,000	310,000
11	LIMEHOUSE	KY	20	15	59,133	52,000	150,000
12	EUROSILVER	KY	35	27	44,600	35,000	120,000
13	LEROIDESANIMAUX (BRZ)	KY	14	10	36,300	31,000	80,000
14	POWERSCOURT (GB)	KY	9	3	34,400	42,000	55,000
15	NORTH LIGHT (IRE)	KY	31	26	33,942	15,000	200,000
16	CLOSING ARGUMENT	FL	24	16	31,062	26,000	80,000
17	MINGUN	KY	8	7	29,071	35,000	52,000
18	WILDCAT HEIR	FL	18	14	28,192	22,000	57,000
19	GRAND REWARD	KY	20	13	26,092	22,000	87,000
20	OFFLEE WILD	KY	7	4	21,875	21,500	37,000

Top 15 Freshman Weanling Sires for 2006

Rank by Average		Loc	Ring	Sold	Average	Median	Top Colt	Top Filly
1	SMARTY JONES	KY	13	8	\$275,625	\$270,000	\$ 425,000	\$ 300,000
2	SPEIGHTSTOWN	KY	14	12	217,916	145,000	400,000	450,000
3	MEDAGLIA D'ORO	KY	26	21	187,476	175,000	425,000	310,000
4	PLEASANTLY PERFECT	KY	2	2	132,500	132,500	190,000	75,000
5	STRONG HOPE	KY	15	14	131,071	115,000	280,000	300,000
6	REFUSE TO BEND (IRE)	IR	1	1	130,000	130,000	130,000	-
7	PERFECT SOUL (IRE)	KY	9	7	113,428	42,000	370,000	35,000
8	TAPIT	KY	18	12	109,833	83,500	210,000	170,000
9	LION HEART	KY	39	19	105,368	77,000	420,000	100,000
10	FRIENDS LAKE	KY	16	13	78,923	50,000	195,000	150,000
11	JOHAR	KY	9	8	70,250	55,000	125,000	130,000
12	CANDY RIDE (ARG)	KY	16	11	65,318	75,000	170,000	105,000
13	SPANISH STEPS	FL	9	4	58,750	55,000	50,000	85,000
14	CONGAREE	KY	11	9	55,555	52,000	110,000	90,000
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**MOTION SEEKS DISMISSAL OF NYRA
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by Tom Precious, courtesy of www.bloodhorse.com

The New York Racing Association is a public entity and has no legal right to seek bankruptcy protection, lawyers for New York state argue in court papers seeking to toss out NYRA's federal bankruptcy court case. "There are no meaningful private interests involved in NYRA, and the state has the powers and interest of an owner of NYRA," according to a motion New York state recently filed with the U.S. Bankruptcy Court in the Southern District in Manhattan. The state will seek to have NYRA's bankruptcy petition dismissed at a Jan. 19 hearing before bankruptcy court Judge James M. Peck. In its 103-page motion, lawyers for the state said Chapter 11 bankruptcy protection may only be sought by "persons," which can include individuals and corporations, but not governmental units. In page after page of its motion, the state lays out a case in which it insists NYRA, since 1955, has served as an arm of the state government. It notes NYRA was originally created by the state to preserve Thoroughbred racing in New York and to provide revenue to the state. Since 1955, by NYRA's own admission, NYRA has paid more than \$470 million in local taxes and more than \$2.6 billion in direct taxes to the state. NYRA's structure, the state argues, is as a government entity, not a private business. Eight of its 28 trustees are appointed by the governor, and the rest are subject to approval by the New York State Racing and Wagering Board. Those 20 trustees can also be removed by the state for any wrongdoing. **For the complete story, click [here](#).**

Yesterday's Results:

7th-GPX, \$44,500, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$100,000), NW4X, 4yo/up, 1 1/8mT, 1:48, fm.

1--BIG PRAIRIE, 122, h, 5, Danzig--Dance Colony (MGSW & MGISP, \$504,825), by Pleasant Colony. O/B-Dinwiddie Farm (KY); T-George R Arnold, II. Lifetime Record: GSP, 12-5-1-2, \$213,542. * 1/2 to Gold Colony (Forty Niner), MGSP, \$118,174.

2--Electric Light, 124, h, 5, Silver Ghost--Aesthete, by Nijinsky II.

3--Demeteor, 120, g, 8, Dehere--Seattle Meteor, by Seattle Slew. (\$270,000 yrl '00 KEESEP).

Margins: NK, 2, 1HF. Odds: 2.30, 5.90, 20.40.

Big Prairie took back-to-back 9 1/2-furlong turf allowance tests at Saratoga Aug. 5 and Sept. 1, respectively, and did not disgrace himself when finishing fourth to the solid Revved Up in the Oct. 6 GIII Sycamore Breeders' Cup S. at Keeneland. In his most recent appearance, the homebred ran past eight rivals in the final quarter mile to post a nose success over Churchill's Matt Winn turf course Nov. 11. Favored in his seasonal bow, Big Prairie found himself at the back of the pack after six furlongs, but angled to the outside for the stretch drive and was along in time.

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TODAY'S INSIGHTS

3:10p HRTV **5th-GPX, Msw, \$44K, 3yo, 6f**
VAMANOS (El Corredor) goes for the deputizing Anthony Sciametta Jr., who won with his first two starters of the meet on Wednesday. The dark bay, a \$165K KEESEP yearling, is kin to Grade II-winning sprinter Anew. Darley Stable's **Green Secret** (Unbridled's Song) is a son of Green Lady (Ire) (Green Desert), a Listed winner and twice Group 3-placed in France. The gray may be better suited by the turf and added distance. **Speedball Howie** (Put It Back), a half to the stakes-winning Quelle Surprise, has fired three consecutive bullets at Calder, including a :35 3/5 gate sharpener Jan. 3. brisnet.com pps

7:37p HRTV **9th-SAX, Msw, 4yo/up, a6 1/2ft**
CAPTAIN QUIGLEY (Pulpit) charged home to finish second to Charmo (Fr) in a course-and-distance test in October 2005, but has not been seen since. The Gary and Mary West runner hails from the family of GISW Oath and MGSW Great Intentions. **Komodin (Unbridled's Song)**, a half to Gil Jim Dandy S. winner Composer and to MSW Colonial Power, showed speed in a track-and-trip maiden last Apr. 13, but weakened to be seventh. A solid six-panel move should have him sitting on go. brisnet.com pps

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9th-GPX, \$40,000, Alw, NW1X, 4yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:41 2/5, fm.

BROADWAY PRODUCER (c, 4, Not For Love--Lucky Sword {SW. \$106,465}, by Sword Dance {Ire}) was third by a neck for a \$75,000 tag racing over the Saratoga turf Aug. 23 before finishing second in a straight maiden on the Belmont lawn Sept. 27. The bay graduated by a length in an off-the-turf affair at the Big A Nov. 2 and was the 5-1 third choice in a full field. Settled in midpack for the opening six furlongs, the \$52,000 FTMOCT yearling angled outside for the drive and showed a good turn of foot late to score by 1 1/4 lengths over favored Loconia (Rahy). Lifetime Record: 9-2-1-3, \$77,627.

O-Sovereign Stable. B-Fast Kitty Farms (MD). T-John P Terranova II.

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8th-AQU (Alw \$48K) **Take the Bluff** (Pine Bluff) gets the better of the Belmont winner.

7th-GPX (Alw \$44K) **Big Prairie** (Danzig) gets the New Year off on the right hoof.

3rd-SAX (Msw \$48K) **Barynya** (Broad Brush) stays on gamely for the win.

5th-GPX (Msw \$38K) **Nalanda** (Thunder Gulch) impressive in her two-turn debut.

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Grade 1-winning 2YO Point Ashley, by Horse of the Year and 6-time Grade 1 winner Point Given (\$3,968,500), was the 2006 Keeneland April Filly Sales Topper. She won the Grade 1 Del Mar Debutante Stakes by 2 1/2 lengths through fractions of : 21 1/5 and :44 flat, defeating GSW Untouched Talent. Owned by Zayat Stables LLC, Point Ashley broke her maiden impressively at Del Mar by 4 1/4 lengths, gate to wire, posting fractions of :21 3/5, :44 4/5 and :57 flat. Point Ashley has been on the board in all of her career starts and has amassed career earnings of over \$230,000.



Gulfstream Report cont.

5th-GPX, \$38,000, Msw, 3yo, f, 1 1/16mT, 1:43 2/5, fm.

NALANDA (f, 3, [Thunder Gulch](#)--Naropa, by Pleasant Tap) made a favorable impression in her lone juvenile start, finishing an even fourth in a six-furlong maiden over the Belmont turf course Oct. 4. Trying a distance of ground for the first time, the bay chased the pace four wide, advanced nicely on the turn and opened it up late to register a 4 1/4-length victory at odds of 9-1. Favored Le Chateau (Chester House) was second, a neck better than If You Love Me (Monarchos). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$24,950. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O/B-Gabriel Duignan, David Garvin & Bracetown Stable (KY). T-James A Jerkens.

★ NEW YORK ★

Yesterday's Results:

8th-AQU, \$48,000, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000), NW2X, 4yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:44 3/5, gd.

TAKE THE BLUFF (h, 5, [Pine Bluff](#)--Take It to War, by Lord At War {Arg}) spoiled the return to the races of GI Belmont S. hero Jazil (Seeking the Gold) with a relatively easy 2 1/4-length victory. An 11 1/2-length winner of a Belmont allowance June 9, the chestnut was a tough-luck runner-up to subsequent GSW Hesanoldsalt at Saratoga July 29. Fourth in an Aug. 19 test at the Spa, the \$17,000 WIMJUL weanling purchase was fifth at Belmont Sept. 30 and sixth at

Keeneland Oct. 26. Most recently fourth in a tough allowance tilt at this venue Nov. 26, he was the second choice here at 3-1. Owned in part by Peter Kizenko, brother of *TDN* Assistant Editor Marie Kizenko, Take the Bluff stumbled badly at the start, but recovered to lead through the fog up the backstretch. He opened an




Take the Bluff (yellow silks) defeats Jazil
Adam Coglianesse photo

unassailable lead turning for home and was always holding Jazil in the run to the wire. It was the first winner's circle photo for the Moscow-based Peter Kizenko, who has been involved in the game for nine years. "We've had winners before, but I've never been there in person," he said. "It means so much for this to happen at the inner track in January, because this is where I came of age." [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#) Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#). Lifetime Record: 20-3-2-2, \$123,369.

O-Red Diamond Stable, Peter Kizenko & Patrick H Mackay. B-Wimborne Farm Inc (KY). T-Richard A Violette Jr.

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Johannesburg Star has really thrived since being asked to tackle two turns and comes into his stakes bow off a 9 1/2-length maiden victory over today's course and distance Dec. 9. The colt was the subject of a reported \$2-million offer following that victory, but connections turned it down immediately. "We're in the game for the game," said Shivananda Parbhoo, who purchased the bay for \$105,000 for his father, Bisnath. "We're not in the game for the money. We didn't even think about it for a second."

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Handle Increases at MJC Tracks:

Total wagering at Pimlico Race Course and Laurel Park was \$960.2 million in 2006, up seven percent from \$896.1 million the previous year. Despite the fact that there were 11 fewer live racing cards, the daily average handle rose more than 15 percent, from \$3.5 million in 2005 to \$4.1 million last season. "It is encouraging," said Lou Raffetto, president and chief operating officer of the Maryland Jockey Club. "The handle on Maryland racing...is up \$92 million outside the state. Obviously our product has been well received. At the same time we are up 2 percent on live racing in the state of Maryland. The trend at most tracks across the country is to have an increase in handle on the incoming signals while live wagering decreases. Any time the live product is up it is a very positive sign. It is an extremely competitive environment and much of the credit goes to racing secretary Georganne Hale and her staff, who continue to do a great job putting together excellent fields, both in quality and in quantity."

★ CENTRAL ★

Yesterday's Results:

8th-FGX, \$40,000, Alw, NW1X, 3yo, f, 1m (off turf), 1:41 2/5, ft.

NOT IN MY HOUSE (f, 3, Chester House--Set the Tone, by Phone Trick) was a non-factor in a pair of Woodbine turf starts last summer, but showed some life when finishing third in an off-the-turf route on the Woodbine Polytrack Oct. 15. The bay broke through with a 2 1/2-length maiden score in Toronto Nov. 10 and was a 5-1 shot in her first try south of the border. Taken back second last for the opening half-mile, the \$7,500 KEEJAN yearling and \$19,000 OBSAUG yearling rallied three wide into the stretch, took command outside the eighth pole and held on to win it by a half-length from Ms. Fast Slew (Slew Gin Fizz). Lifetime Record: 5-2-0-1, \$50,275. O-Kuehne Racing. B-Latitude 27 LLC (KY). T-Michael Mareina.

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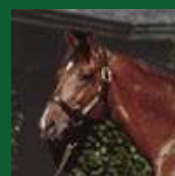
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7th-FGX, \$40,000, Msw, 3yo, f, 6f, 1:12, ft.
ES VERDAD (f, 3, Yes It's True--Foreign Country {MSW, \$184,452}, by Sefapiano) missed by 3/4 of a length when third in her Oct. 29 bow at Churchill, but faltered in her local debut, finishing fifth as a 5-2 chance with Lasix on for the first time. Fastest into stride from the outside box, the \$120,000 KEESEP yearling dictated the pace, opened up to lead by three at the eighth pole and held sway late for a 3/4-length success. Unto the Hills (Mt. Livermore) was second best. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-1, \$28,530. O-A Dock Racing & Turf Score LLC. B-Heiligbrodt Racing Stable (FL). T-Cody Autrey.

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★ SO. CALIFORNIA ★

Yesterday's Results:

7th-SAX, \$59,800, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$62,500), NW2X, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8mT, 1:47 3/5, fm.

BIG PROMISE (m, 5, [Rahy](#)--Effectiveness {MSW & MGSP, \$504,970}, by [Notebook](#)), a half-sister to Strength Within (Belong to Me), GSP, \$187,091, cleared her first allowance condition Nov. 12 at Hollywood. The Glen Hill homebred came back to run second over that course Dec. 3 and was the 3-1 second choice to go one better this time. Never too far from the front, the bay came wide with her challenge and outfinished Naughty Rafaela (Brz) (Royal Academy) to prevail by a half-length. Lifetime Record: 18-4-6-0, \$157,505. O/B-Glen Hill Farm (FL). T-Patrick Gallagher.

1st-SAX, \$48,400, Msw, 3yo, f, 1m, 1:39 2/5, ft.
QUICKANDQUIETQUEEN (f, 3, [Quiet American](#)--St. Diva, by [Devil's Bag](#)) made a pair of starts over Hollywood's Cushion Track, running a decent fourth in her Nov. 18 debut before improving to third, beaten just a half-length Dec. 9. Stretching out for her sophomore bow, the \$35,000 KEENOV weanling and \$80,000 FTKJUL yearling broke outward, but worked her way to the early lead while hounded by Heart Six (Forest Camp). She was nearly overtaken turning for home, but responded nicely for a half-length win as the 5-2 second choice. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-1, \$36,000. O-Jerry Jamgotchian. B-Latitude 27 LLC (KY). T-Tim Yakteen.

3rd-SAX, \$48,000, Msw, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:44 1/5, ft.
BARYNYA (f, 4, [Broad Brush](#)--Prom Knight, by [Sir Harry Lewis](#)), a half-sister to Volponi (Cryptoclearance), GISW, \$3,187,232; and Fickle Friends (Demons Begone), MGSP, \$254,130, was a troubled fourth in her Nov. 5 debut sprinting at Aqueduct, but nearly got the job done in her latest, finishing third by three-parts of a length going 8 1/2 panels over the Cushion track Nov. 24. The third choice at 2-1, she tracked second pick Queen's Song (Unbridled's Song) from second, drove past that one with a furlong to race and staved off a late bid from favored Angel Craft (A.P. Indy) to score by a head. The winner was a \$500,000 KEESEP yearling acquisition. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-1, \$35,990. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#) O-Viktor Tymosheno. B-Beth Hipp Clifton & Mary Lester (KY). T-Robert J Frankel.

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Thursday Night's Results:

8th-SAX, \$49,600, Msw, (S), 4yo/up, 1mT, 1:36 3/5, fm.

BRETTSTER (c, 4, [Cee's Tizzy](#)--Theresa's Pleasure {MSW, \$130,840}, by [Greenwood Star](#) {GB}) finished fifth, beaten four lengths over the Hollywood Cushion Track last out Dec. 10 and was 11-1 to notch his turf debut here. Sent to the lead, he rattled off :23.76 and :48.31 fractions and held on to win by 3/4 of a length. Brettster is a full to Theresa's Tizzy, GSW, \$660,271; Lesters Boy, SW, \$301,713; and a half to Excessive Theresa (In Excess {Ire}), MSW, \$290,400; and Jenna's Joy (Half Term), SP, \$156,808. Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-0, \$30,400. O-Harold & Pamela Tillema. B-Harold Tillema (CA). T-Rafael Becerra.

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Hall of Fame Riders Join Santa Anita Speakers' Bureau:

Hall of Fame jockeys Laffit Pincay Jr. and Eddie Delahoussaye have signed on as members of Santa Anita's newly formed Speakers' Bureau. The two will speak before various service organizations, youth groups and schools. "We consider both of these riders as literal treasures," said Santa Anita President Ron Charles. "They're both synonymous with Santa Anita and remain exceptionally popular with our fans. Most importantly, they both have a tremendous wealth of knowledge and experience that will greatly benefit any kind of audience. We're very, very proud to have them on our team and judging from our bookings, we're already off to a fast start." Added Pincay, "I think it's great. The kids and the adults that I'm meeting really want to understand more about horse racing. It's an honor for me to see them getting enthusiastic about racing."

CHRB Considers Stricter Guidelines:

The California Horse Racing Board will hold a public meeting Tuesday, and the principal order of business will be new guidelines that could impose stricter penalties for some medication violations; hold owners, veterinarians and other licensees accountable; and allow for possible aggravating and mitigating circumstances in each case. "This is an effort to adopt a set of penalty guidelines for a far-ranging set of prohibited substances," said Dr. Rick Arthur, the CHRB's equine medical director. "The goal is to have penalties as consistent as possible across the state and, eventually, across the country." He added, "Trainers and other licensees will be able to understand the penalties they face for any violation, and they will be offered the opportunity to offer mitigating circumstances. The hearing officers will be given the discretion of imposing no penalty if the case so warrants. On the other side, the state has the ability to present aggravating factors, which could increase the penalty within the limits of the guidelines. The intent is to implement a fair but firm disciplinary program for drug violations in California." The guidelines were developed by the national Racing medication and Testing Consortium.

Wind KO's Workouts at Santa Anita:

Workouts over the main track at Santa Anita were cancelled after 80-mile-per-hour winds blew down a portion of the inner fence near the quarter pole at 5:05 a.m. Friday morning, according to track superintendent Steve Wood. Santa Anita's web camera was also out of commission, but is expected to be up and running today.

★ **INDUSTRY INFO** ★

Jensen Earns Second Eclipse Award:

Mike Jensen of the *Philadelphia Inquirer* was honored with his second Media Eclipse Award - Features/Enterprise category for his profile of Dr. Dean Richardson, "The Man Whose Job is Saving Barbaro." It was published May 28. Jensen had previously won in 2004 for a series of articles about Pennsylvania-bred champion Smarty Jones. "I am stunned to win this award again," said Jensen, a 19-year veteran of the *Inquirer*. "I am very appreciative of this honor and am very privileged to be one of the people writing a chapter in Philadelphia sports history. This was not a feel good story. It was an intense time at New Bolton. We heard Dr. Richardson in a morning press conference, right before Barbaro's surgery, spell it out in blunt terms what was going to happen and the difficulty in performing a successful surgery. He was infectiously brash. You could see the confidence he brought to his work. It wasn't hard to bring that side out of him in the story." Jensen also added: "Unfortunately, this comes at the most distressing time at our paper, the same week that 71 *Inquirer* newsroom employees were told they were laid off. Included among the 71 was photographer Joan Kanen, who rushed to New Bolton the night of the Preakness, and who also took the majority of our photos of Smarty Jones and Afleet Alex."

★ **AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS** ★

IN DUBAI:

Musaayer, g, 6, **Erhaab**--Hachiyah, by Generous (Ire).
Jebel Ali, 1-5, Hcp., 1800m. B-Shadwell Farm LLC.
* 1/2 to Nasij (Elusive Quality), SW & MGSP-Eng.
** \$5,500gns 2yo '03 TATAUT.

Amandus, g, 7, **Danehill**--Affection Affirmed, by Affirmed. Jebel Ali, 1-5, Hcp., 1600m. B-Newgate Stud Farm Inc. * 1/2 to River Deep (Riverman), GSW-Eng, MGSP-US, \$192,493; Dreamer (Zilzal), MSW & MGSP-US, \$302,135; and Belgravia (GB) (Rainbow Quest), SW & GSP-US, SP-Eng, \$230,315.
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Second-crop starters to Watch: Saturday, January 6 (1st-time starters and stakes runners)

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- CAME HOME** (Gone West), Lane's End, \$40K, 157/8/0
6-SA, Msw, 6 1/2f, Home of the Bold, \$150K KEE SEP yrl
5-GP, Msw, 6f, Huffman, \$70K KEE SEP yrl
- CAT'S AT HOME** (Tabasco Cat), Windfields, \$7K, 92/6/1
8-AQU, Stk, 1m, Here to Please, \$42K OBS MAR 2yo
- DEEP GOLD** (Olympio), 30/3/0
7-SUN, Msw, 1m, Steam Rollin Blues, \$2K RUI AUG yrl, 6-1
7-SUN, Msw, 1m, Justupanrun, 9-2
- FAPPIE'S NOTEBOOK** (Notebook), Rising Hill, \$3K, 41/5/0
11-TAM, Msw, 7f, J's Sundance Halo, 5-1
- FORBIDDEN APPLE** (Pleasant Colony), Bridlewood, \$5K, 49/1/0
4-TAM, Msw, 1mT, Forbid the Queen, 20-1
- GRAEME HALL** (Dehere), Winding Oaks, \$8K, 115/17/2
6-AQU, Msw, 6f, +Native Hall, \$30K OBS FEB 2yo
- INCLUDE** (Broad Brush), Airdrie, \$13K, 169/21/3
11-TAM, Msw, 7f, Fireonthrange, \$90K KEE SEP yrl, 8-1
7-SA, Stk, 1 1/16m, Runway Rosie, \$30K KEE SEP yrl
- JOHANNESBURG** (Hennessy), Ashford, \$25K, 272/28/7
8-AQU, Stk, 1m, Johannesburg Star, \$105K FTK JUL yrl
7-SA, Stk, 1 1/16m, Baroness Thatcher, \$130K EAS MAY 2yo
- JUMP START** (A.P. Indy), Overbrook, \$10K, 179/21/1
7-SA, Stk, 1 1/16m, Setafire, \$70K KEE SEP yrl
8-AQU, Stk, 1m, Sir Whimsey, \$75K OBS MAR 2yo
- L'AFRICAIN BLEU (FR)** (Saint Cyrien), 8/1/0
6-SUN, Alw, 1m, Sapello Riverman, 8-1
- LAZY LODGE (ARG)** (Lode), 29/0/0
7-SUN, Msw, 1m, Ben Breezy, \$5K KEE SEP yrl, 4-1
- MALABAR GOLD** (Unbridled), Highclere, \$8K, 130/5/0
6-SA, Msw, 6 1/2f, +Untapped, \$110K BAR MAY 2yo

- MILLENNIUM WIND** (Cryptoclearance), Highcliff, \$5K, 150/10/0
6-SA, Msw, 6 1/2f, +Tsetse Fly, \$47K FTK JUL yrl
- ORIENTATE** (Mt. Livermore), Gainesway, \$20K, 205/22/3
6-AQU, Msw, 6f, Raven H, \$65K SAR AUG yrl
- SKIMMING** (Nureyev), Cardiff Stud, \$8K, 141/7/1
2-SA, Msw, 6f, +Canonita
- STREET CRY (IRE)** (Machiavellian), Darley, \$30K, 174/19/3
8-AQU, Stk, 1m, Summer Doldrums, \$150K KEE SEP yrl
- SYNCLINE** (Danzig), Crestwood, \$3K, 45/2/0
11-TP, Stk, 6 1/2f, Tainted Money, \$75K OBS AUG yrl
- THATSUSINTHEOLBEAN** (El Prado {Ire}), 33/5/1
6-SUN, Alw, 1m, Catch the Bean, \$6K ARZ NOV yrl, 7-2
6-SUN, Alw, 1m, Junior Prado, \$2K RUI AUG yrl, 10-1
- TRIBAL RULE** (Storm Cat), River Edge, \$5K, 109/10/1
2-SA, Msw, 6f, Word Games
- YONAGUSKA** (Cherokee Run), Vinery, \$10K, 208/29/1
8-LRL, Stk, 5 1/2f, Shesadreamcatcher, \$34K FTK JUL yrl, 30-1
11-TAM, Msw, 7f, Mr Guska, \$120K OBS APR 2yo, 10-1

★ ON THE WORKTAB ★

HOLLYWOOD PARK

- El Roblar** (War Chant), 5f, •58.40, 1/57
- Notional** (In Excess {Ire}), 6f, 1:12.60, 2/18
- Texcess** (In Excess {Ire}), 6f, 1:12.80, 4/18
- Union Avenue** (Gone West), 5f, 1:00.20, 8/57
- Willow O Wisp** (Misnomer), 3f, :37.20, 12/19


PALM MEADOWS

- Atlas Valley** (Capote), 4f, :50.20, 15/26
- Barbican** (A.P. Indy), 6f, 1:16.00, 4/4
- Magical Ride** (Storm Cat), 3f, :39.80, 9/9
- Mo Cuishle** (Saint Ballado), 5f, 1:02.80, 9/15
- Startac** (Theatrical {Ire}), 4f, :50.00, 10/26
- Silver Wagon** (Wagon Limit), 6f, •1:13.80, 1/4

TURFWAY PARK

- Kauai Calls** (Fusaichi Pegasus), 5f, 1:03.80, 4/5

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 indicate 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.



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★  EUROPE ★

DESERT PRINCE SOLD TO GESTUT ISARLAND

Champion miler **Desert Prince (Ire)** (Green Desert--Flying Fairy {GB}, by Bustino {GB}) has been sold to Gestut



Irish National Stud

Isarland and will relocate to Germany for the 2007 breeding season. Retired to the Irish National Stud in 1999 after taking the G1 Irish 2000 Guineas in record time, the G1 Prix du Moulin de Longchamp and the G1 Queen Elizabeth II S., the bay has sired 12 group winners from his five crops to race, including Group 1-winning juveniles Mail the Desert (Ire), Outback Prince (Aus) and Kusi (Aus). His two-year-old crop of 2006 produced 22 winners, and he had 80 individual winners overall last year.

Ulrike Castle, the stud manager of Isarland, remarked, "We are very happy that we had the chance to bring Desert Prince to Germany. He'll be a huge asset for German breeders as his bloodlines will suit German mares very well. But we are sure that he'll also create big interest from breeders all over Europe." Desert Prince will stand for a fee of €6,500, Oct. 1 terms.

★ BRITAIN ★

DBS ST. LEGER TO STAY AT YORK

Doncaster Bloodstock Sales' £300,000 DBS St. Leger Yearling S., Britain's most valuable two-year-old contest, will again take place at York this year, it was revealed yesterday. A focus of the race is to make it possible for the winning connections to reinvest at the sale, and DBS is keen to maintain that tradition. Last term's DBS St. Leger Yearling Sale, moved to the end of August in 2006, was so successful in the new slot that the move has become permanent, and it will be held Aug. 28-30 this year. Commenting on the decision, DBS Managing Director Henry Beeby said, "The St. Leger Yearling S. has been the most popular sales race of all and attracts massive interest every year. It has enjoyed a very successful eight years at Doncaster, but a number of changes to the St. Leger Yearling Sales and its race were forced upon us last year."

DBS St Leger Sale to Stay at York cont.

Beeby added, "Happily, the sale and the race only benefited from their move, with the result that both will stay put for 2007 on their new dates. We are indebted to everyone at Doncaster Racecourse for helping make the race such a success and we intend to continue our association with our local track in the future. However, York pulled out all the stops last year, and we need this certainty going forward." Entries for this year's Aug. 23 renewal close Wednesday, Jan. 10.

Yesterday's Results:

Wolverhampton, 3.20, Cond, £18,000, 4yo/up, 1m 141yds (AWT), 1:49.21, stn.

HATTAN (IRE) (h, 5, **Halling--Luana {GB} {SP-GB}**, by **Shaadi**), a 2005 G1 Epsom Derby contender, was runner-up in the Nov. 5 G1 Premio Roma last time. He was let go 3-1 for his Polytrack debut. Settled second until upping the tempo when taking over before half-way, the chestnut led by three lengths at the top of the straight and was ridden out to hold **Red Spell (Ire)** (Soviet Star) by a neck. Lifetime Record: G1SP-Ity, GSP-GB, 19-2-3-3, £208,503.

O-Saeed Manana; B-Darley; T-Clive Brittain.

★ IRELAND ★

KILDANGAN STALLION SHOW SET FOR JAN. 11-12

Darley's Kildangan Stud in County Kildare will have all nine stallions on show Thursday, Jan. 11 and Friday, Jan. 12. Included on the roster are new stallions **MGSW Byron (GB)** (Green Desert--Gay Gallanta, by Woodman), third in the 2004 G1 Poule d'Essai des Poulains; and **MGSW Iffraaj (GB)** (Zafonic--Pastorale {GB}, by Nureyev), runner-up in this year's G1 July Cup. The stallion show will be held from 11 a.m.--3 p.m. each day, with commentary from RTE's Robert Hall. All breeders are welcome. For more information, contact Mick Buckley at +353 (0) 45 527600.

★ EUROPEAN-BRED WINNERS ★

IN DUBAI:

Zaafan (GB), f, 4, **Singspiel (Ire)**--Roshani (Ire), by Kris (GB). Jebel Ali, 1-5, Hcp., 1600m. B-Darley. *Full to Zayn Zen (GB), SW & GSP-Eng.

Galfar (GB), h, 6, **Singspiel (Ire)**--Top Shop (GB), by Nashwan. Jebel Ali, 1-5, Hcp., 1400m. B-Cliveden Stud Ltd. *25,000gns/yr '02 TATOCT.

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4th-FGX, \$42,750, NW1X, (S), 3yo, 6f, 1:11 3/5, ft.
FORGOTTEN PRINCE (c, 3, Prince of the Mt.--Forgotten Mine, by Mining) Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-0, \$50,525.
 O-Tom DiPiazza, Ron DeFalco & Merrill Scherer.
 B-Latnie L Brewton III (LA). T-Merrill R Scherer.
 *\$3,300 yrl '05 LOUOCT; \$13,000 2yo '06 OBSAPR.

9th-FGX, \$40,750, NW1X, 4yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:05 1/5, ft.
BURLETTA (f, 4, Vicar--Watercolourtwo, by Secreto)
 Lifetime Record: 10-2-2-3, \$68,840. O-Hannibel Hardy.
 B-Carol Holden & Traits LLC (KY). T-Thomas M Amoss.

8th-DED, \$38,500, 1-4, NW3L, (S), 4yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:43 1/5, my.
ZARB'S STARLET (m, 5, Zarbyev--Silken Screen, by Strawberry Road {Aus}) Lifetime Record: 16-3-2-3, \$84,475.
 O/B-Foxwood Plantation (LA). T-Ray Spencer.
 *Full to Silky Zarb, MSW, \$403,982; Screen Idol, MSW, \$283,986.

8th-LRL, \$32,000, NW1X, 4yo/up, 9f, 1:55 1/5, my.
DOUBLE BIG GULP (g, 4, Java Royal--Powdrpuf Princes, by Talc) Lifetime Record: 12-2-2-3, \$62,700.
 O-Rob Ry Farm & Jayne Marie Slysz. B-Hutchison Farm (MD).
 T-Dale Capuano.

6th-LRL, \$32,000, NW1X, 3yo, 5 1/2f, 1:05 4/5, my.
CALL ME CLASH (g, 3, Clash by Night--Miss Boot Scoot {SP}, by Fred Astaire) Lifetime Record: 6-2-0-1, \$36,716.
 O-Gerard L Artz. B-DLS Thoroughbreds, Inc (MD).
 T-Hugh I McMahon. *\$3,000 yrl '05 FTMOCT.

10th-SUN, \$27,200, NW2L, 4/up, 6 1/2f, 1:19 1/5, ft.
FUNNY SOUVENIR (g, 4, Souvenir Copy--Comical Cookie, by Avenue of Flags) Lifetime Record: 8-2-3-1, \$33,846.
 O-Shannon & Kelli N Shurbet. B-Betty L Mabee (CA). T-Jimmie D Claridge.

8th-TPX, \$23,700, 1-4, NW2X, 4yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:15 3/5, ft.
BUDDY GOT EVEN (h, 5, Stephen Got Even--Gem Treck, by Java Gold) Lifetime Record: 7-3-1-1, \$72,539.
 O-Stan E Fulton. B-Justice Farm, Greg & Steve Justice (KY). T-Rebecca Maker. *\$60,000 yrl '03 FTKJUL; \$450,000 2yo '04 FTFEB. **1/2 to Glittergem (Glitterman), GSP, \$125,873.

5th-TAM, \$21,700, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m (off turf), 1:45 4/5, ft.
FRONTIER FRANNY (m, 5, Lucky Lionel--Treacherous Tide, by Vigors) Lifetime Record: 22-6-5-3, \$104,628.
 O/B-Barbara Rehbein (FL). T-Bernell B Rhone.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Secretly Taken, f, 3, Lion Hearted--Quick to Pounce, by Partner's Hero. LRL, 1-5, (C), 6f, 1:14 3/5.
 B-Sycamore Hall Farm LLC (MD). *\$50,000 yrl '05 FTMOCT.

Classy Pride, f, 4, Desert God--Classy Lecook, by Devil's Bag. SUN, 1-5, (S), 6 1/2f, 1:19 4/5. B-Joe Allen (NM).

Roman Trumpet, f, 4, Grand Slam--Sweet Sixteen (SW), by Montbrook. CTX, 1-5, 6 1/2f, 1:21. B-Miller Thoroughbred Farm LLC (KY). *\$160,000 yrl '04 KESEP.

Trueheart, g, 5, Fusaichi Pegasus--Twenty Eight Carat (SP), by Alydar. TAM, 1-5, 1 1/16m (off turf), 1:48 2/5. B-High Creek Farm (KY). *1/2 to Summer Bet (Summer Squall), SW, \$117,140; and A P Valentine (A.P. Indy), GISW, \$864,170.

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ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNER:

Le Cadre Noir (Ire), c, 3, Danetime (Ire)--Rinass (Ire), by Indian Ridge (Ire). Naples, Italy, 1-4, Mdn, 3yo, 7fT.
 B-Allevamento Deni SRL.



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