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BRAZILIAN STAR SHINES IN DUBAI

Eu Tambem (Brz) (Wild Event), making his first start since winning the G1 Argentine Derby, helped trainer Ismail Mohammed continue his hot streak this spring in Dubai with a convincing score.



Eu Tambem (Brz)
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Eu Tambem, a winner of five races in his native Brazil, collected four of those at the group level, including a 12-length romp in the Oct. 7 G2 Grande Premio Presidente Antonio Correa Barbosa. He ventured outside of Brazil for the first time in November to win Argentina's derby by 1 1/2

lengths. Eu Tambem tracked the early pace yesterday, took over in upper stretch and sailed clear to an easy win. "That was impressive," jockey Kerrin McEvoy said after piloting Eu Tambem to the five-length victory. "He was always in control and he should have a big future." Making his first start since running 10th in last year's G1 Dubai World Cup, **Choctaw Nation** (Louis Quatorze) was last in the early going and never mounted a serious effort, finishing eighth. **result cont. p4**

'NOBIZ' SHARP IN GULFSTREAM WORK

Elizabeth Valando's **Nobiz Like Shobiz** (Albert the Great) looked sharp in his final major work at Gulfstream Thursday morning while preparing for Saturday's GII Fountain of Youth S. The three-year-old, who was ridden by Cornelio Velasquez, covered four furlongs in :47.60, the fifth fastest of 21 works at the distance. "He did just what I wanted him to do," said trainer Barclay Tagg. "I didn't want anything faster than :48 and I didn't want anything slower. He did it just right." The winner the GII Remsen S. and runner-up in the GI Champagne S. last year, the bay won his only start this term, taking the mile GIII Holy Bull S. at Gulfstream Feb. 3. "His workouts came out just the way we planned," added Tagg. "He's no longer lugging in. We've corrected that."



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FEVER SIDELINES DISCREET CAT

Discreet Cat (Forestry) was forced to miss yesterday's G3 Lahan Burj Nahaar at Nad al Sheba, but remains a candidate for the Mar. 31 G1 Dubai World Cup. The Godolphin runner, winner of last year's G2 UAE



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Derby, was found to have an elevated temperature before being scratched from what would have been his first start since winning the GI Cigar Mile last November. "He was a bit quiet this morning and we found he had a bit of a temperature," explained trainer Saeed bin Suroor. "It's a real shame as he was working well and in good condition. He is looking much better already and we will see how he is in the next

couple of days." Bin Suroor admitted connections were keeping options open for Discreet Cat, who has never run as far as the World Cup distance of 2000 metres. "He has other options on Dubai World Cup night, but we are still thinking about the Dubai World Cup itself," bin Suroor said. "He's a relaxed horse which should help him stay the extra distance."

WAIT A WHILE RETURNS IN HONEY FOX

Last year's three-year-old champion filly **Wait a While** (Maria's Mon) will make her 2007 debut in Sunday's GIII Honey Fox H. at Gulfstream Park. "I'm pleased with the way she's coming up to the race," said trainer Todd Pletcher. The filly finished fourth in her final start of 2006 in the GI Breeders' Cup Filly and Mare Turf at Churchill Downs Nov. 4. "We always try to plan for our horses to run well early when



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they return from layoffs," said Pletcher, who saddled Lawyer Ron and English Channel to allowance wins in their seasonal debuts Feb. 11 and Feb. 15, respectively. "We try not to make them peak right away, but we also look for them to do enough to win. It feels like we've got a pretty good line on how to do it."

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Saturday, Gulfstream Park

GULFSTREAM PARK H.-GII, \$350,000, 4yo/up, 1 3/16m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	Hesanoldsalt	Broad Brush	Bejarano	116
2	Noble Causeway	Giant's Causeway	Velasquez	113
3	Corinthian	Pulpit	Castellano	117
4	Rehoboth	Wagon Limit	Castro	114
5	Summer Book	Notebook	Guidry	114
6	A. P. Arrow	A.P. Indy	Velasquez	116

Saturday, Gulfstream Park

FOUNTAIN OF YOUTH S.-GII, \$350,000, 3yo, 1 1/8m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	Johannesburg Star	Johannesburg	Maragh	116
2	Hal's My Hope	Halo's Image	Rivera	116
3	Drums of Thunder	Concerto	Cruz	120
4	Stormello	Stormy Atlantic	Desormeaux	122
5	Nobiz Like Shobiz	Albert the Great	Velasquez	122
6	Meritocracy	Grand Slam	Bejarano	116
7	Divine Master	Montbrook	Douglas	116
8	Scat Daddy	Johannesburg	Velasquez	122
9	Adore the Gold	Formal Gold	Prado	120

Saturday, Gulfstream Park

RICHTER SCALE BREEDERS' CUP CHAMPIONSHIP H.-GII, \$225,000, 4yo/up, 7f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	Slam Bammy	Grand Slam	Maragh	114
2	Diabolical	Artax	Pino	118
3	Bright One	Dance Brightly	Guidry	117
4	Nar	Northern Afleet	Castellano	114
5	Dark Cheetah	Storm Cat	Prado	115
6	Ecclesiastic	Pulpit	Velasquez	114
7	Half Ours	Unbridled's Song	Velasquez	117
8	Park Avenue Ball	Citidancer	Decarlo	119
9	Mach Ride	Pentelicus	Trujillo	114
10	Little Thunder	Sword Dance (Ire)	Castro	113

Saturday, Gulfstream Park

HUTCHESON S.-GII, \$150,000, 3yo, 7 1/2f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	Forefathers	Gone West	Cruz	116
2	Bold Start	Jump Start	Desormeaux	116
3	Storm in May	Tiger Ridge	Castellano	120
4	Finallymadeit	Concerto	Nunez	116
5	Reata's Rocket	Cape Canaveral	Maragh	116
6	Spin Master	Distorted Humor	Guidry	116
7	Air Lord	Stormin Fever	Decarlo	116
8	King of the Roxy	Littleexpectations	Prado	120
9	Out of Gwedda	Out of Place	Velasquez	118

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Summer Doldrums Gears Up for Gotham

Summer Doldrums (Street Cry {Ire}) continued preparations for the Mar. 10 Gill Gotham S. with a five-furlong work at Aqueduct yesterday morning. The three-



Adam Coglianese

year-old was caught in 1:01.31, the third fastest of 19 moves at the distance. "He went great," said trainer Rick Violette Jr., who flew to New York from his winter base in Florida to watch the work. "He came back and didn't blow out a match. We're ready to roll." According to Violette, a rider has not been

decided for the 8.5-furlong event. Owned by Klaravich Stables and William Lawrence, the dark bay won both starts this year, including a 5 1/4-length score in the Whirlaway S. at the Big A Feb. 10.



☆ NEWS TODAY ☆

OONAGH MACCOOL RETIRED Oonagh Maccool (Ire) (Giant's Causeway--Alidiva {Ire}, by Chief Singer {Ire}) has sustained a saucer fracture to her left foreleg and has been retired from racing, according to trainer Todd Pletcher yesterday. The five-year-old is believed to have sustained the injury during the Feb. 17 Gill Sabin H. The winner of last year's Gill Rampart H. and Gill Louisville Breeders' Cup H., the chestnut has been sent to Taylor Made Farm in Lexington. Mating plans have not been finalized. The Charles Wacker III homebred retires with five wins from nine starts and earnings of \$379,528.

SWEETNORTHERNSAINT HEADING TO DUBAI? According to trainer Michael Trombetta, last year's GI Preakness S. runner up **Sweetnorthernsaint**

(Sweetsouthernsaint) may make his next start during the Dubai International Carnival, which will be held at Nad al Sheba Mar. 31. "We are looking at it, but I'll know more in the next few days," said Trombetta yesterday. "There is a whole barrage of things you have to do, lots of blood tests, and they're sending me some kind of insecticide that they require you to spray on the horse for two weeks prior to getting there. I don't know all of the details except that they are mailing it to me, so I can start doing it. It's up in the air, but we're going to look at the \$1-million Godolphin Mile. We were invited to both races [the Mile and the World Cup], but the mile is the one we are looking at." The four-year-old most recently finished third in Gulfstream's Gill Hal's Hope S. Jan. 6 and fifth in the Sunshine Millions Classic Jan. 27.

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CANDY STRIPES DIES Leading Argentine sire **Candy Stripes** (Blushing Groom {Fr}--Bubble Company {Fr}, by Lyphard) died this week after a colic attack at Haras de Carampangue in Argentina, according to published reports. The 25-year-old stallion had been pensioned at the farm. He had been represented by a pair of Eclipse Award winners in the last two years; 2006 Horse of the Year Invador (Arg) and Leroidesanimaux (Brz), the 2005 champion turf horse. Produced by a full sister to MGISW Sangue (Fr), the chestnut was purchased for \$300,000 as a yearling by Mahmoud Fustok and sent to France. His dam later dropped French G1SW Intimiste (Arctic Tern) and Japanese champion Bubble Gum Fellow (Jpn) (Sunday Silence). He won two of six starts and was put up to second via disqualification in the 1985 G1 Poule d'Essai des Poulains. After siring two small crops in Maryland, the chestnut was sent to Argentina's Haras Abolengo and made an immediate impact. Among his early representatives there were

Different (Arg), a champion in her native land who became a Grade I winner on turf and dirt in the U.S.; and champion stayer Seaborg (Arg). Their exploits brought Candy Stripes back to shuttle to Taylor Made in Kentucky from 1996-99, but his best offspring from that time was Sweetest Thing, Canada's champion turf mare in 2001. He continued to sire top Southern Hemisphere performers such as Argentina's Horse of the Year Tapatio (Arg) and South African champion Eventual (Arg), and several of his runners transferred their form when sent to the U.S., including graded-stakes winners Lundy's Liability (Brz) and Victory Stripes (Arg). From 15 crops to race, Candy Stripes is currently credited with 56 stakes winners (11 percent of

foals). As a broodmare sire, his top performer has been the unbeaten Candy Ride (Arg), a Grade I winner in the U.S. and Argentina.

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☆ RESULTS ☆

Thursday, Nad Al Sheba, Dubai

ELNADIM MAKTOUM CHALLENGE RIII-G2, \$300,000, Nad al Sheba, 3-1, 3yo/up, 2000m, 2:01.53, ft.

1--**EU TAMBEM (BRZ)**, 121, c, 3, by Wild Event

1st Dam: Chamosa (Arg), by Fain (Arg)

2nd Dam: Charming Cindy, by Gallant Man

3rd Dam: Swinging Cindy, by Hard Work

O-Sh Hamdan bin Mohd Al Maktoum; B-Haras

Guaiuvira; T-Ismail Mohammed; J-K McEvoy;

\$180,000. Lifetime Record: G1SW-Arg & MGSW-Brz,

8-7-1-0, \$346,059.

2--**Singing Poet (Ire)**, 131, g, 6, Singspiel (Ire)--Bright Finish, by Zilzal. O-Sh Majid bin Mohd Al Maktoum; B-Gainsborough Stud Man.; T-E Charpy; \$60,000.

3--**Aleutian (GB)**, 131, g, 7, Zafonic--Baked Alaska (GB), by Green Desert. (200,000gns yrl '01 TATOCT; 26,000gns HRA '04 TATHIT). O-A Muammer Abdullah Amin; B-Cliveden Stud Ltd; T-D Watson; \$30,000.

Margins: 5, 1/4, 5 3/4.

Also Ran: Chinkara (GB), Dubai Honor (GB), Money Bags (SAf), Red Racketeer, Choctaw Nation, Grand Emporium (SAf). Click for the [brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree](http://brisnet.com/catalogue-style/pedigree).

Thursday, Nad al Sheba, Dubai

HAAFHD JEBEL HATTA-G2, \$250,000, Nad al Sheba, 3-1, 3yo/up, 1777mT, 1:49.85, gd.

1--**#@SEIHALI (IRE)**, 130, h, 8, by Alzao

1st Dam: Edwina (Ire), by Caerleon

2nd Dam: Indian Jubilee (Ire), by Indian King

3rd Dam: Jubilant (Ire), by Welsh Pageant (Fr)

(Ir£180,000 yrl '00 GOFORB). O-Sh Ahmed bin Rashid Al Maktoum; B-Rathbarry Stud; T-Dhruba Selvaratnam; J-J Murtagh; \$150,000. Lifetime Record: G1SP-UAE & GSP-Aus, 22-8-4-5, \$1,192,555.

2--**Formal Decree (Ger)**, 130, g, 4, Diktat (GB)--Formida (Fr), by Highest Honor (Fr). (€43,000 yrl '04 BBASEP). O-Sh Hamdan bin Mohd al Maktoum; B-Gestut Olympia; T-Ismail Mohammed; \$50,000.

3--**Irridescence (SAf)**, 132, m, 5, Caesour--Meretricious (SAf), by Dancing Champ. O-Team Valor & J Van Heerden; B-Mr & Mrs H Winterbach; T-M de Kock; \$25,000.

Margins: 3/4, 1/2, SHD.

Also Ran: Best Name (GB), Olympian Odyssey (GB), Lord Admiral, Touch of Land (Fr), Stage Gift (Ire), Great Rhythm (SAf), Shakis (Ire), Sanaya (Ire), Ace (Ire).

Seihali, second behind Linngari just a week ago in the Feb. 22 G2 Al Fahidi Fort, will look to improve on his third in last year's G1 Duty Free after a determined victory here. The veteran runner was never far from the front and went to the lead with 400 meters remaining before holding sway over Formal Decree late. "He's won at four consecutive Carnivals now and this is his first group race," said winning trainer Dhruba Selvaratnam. "He is a real star and just as good as ever." Click for [brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree](http://brisnet.com/catalogue-style/pedigree).

Thursday, Nad al Sheba, Dubai

MARJU MAHAB AL SHIMAAL-G3, \$200,000, Nad al Sheba, 3-1, 3yo/up, 1200m, 1:09.66, ft.

1--**@TERRIFIC CHALLENGE**, 130, h, 5, by [Royal Academy](http://RoyalAcademy)

1st Dam: Clever Empress (GB), by Crafty Prospector

2nd Dam: Empress Jackie, by Mount Hagen (Fr)

3rd Dam: Star Empress, by Young Emperor

(\$73,000 2yo '04 FTMMAY). O-Sh. Rashid bin Mohd Al Maktoum; B-Lantern Hill Farm LLC; T-D Watson; J-R Moore; \$120,000. Lifetime Record: MSW-US, 19-8-7-2, \$428,127.

2--**Bounty Quest (GB)**, 130, g, 5, Fasliyev--Just Dreams (GB), by Salse. (€60,000 yrl '03 TATIRE; 25,000gns 2yo '04 TATAPR). O-Malih Lahej al Basti; B-Matthews Breeding and Racing Ltd.; T-D Watson; \$40,000.

3--**Lascaux (Aus)**, 130, g, 5, Lion Cavern--Mutual Fund (Aus), by Zeditave (Aus). O-Lai Chan Cheong; B-M Tong; T-Yu Yee Alex Choy; \$20,000.

Margins: 1 1/4, HD, 1 3/4.

Also Ran: Thajja (Ire), Agnes Jedi (Jpn), Thor's Echo, Salaam Dubai (Aus), Tax Free (Ire), Attilius (Brz), Instant Recall (Ire), Beckermat (Ire), Big Spartan (Brz), Excusez Moi, Sendalam (Fr), Heart Alone (Brz).

Terrific Challenge looked to be owner Sheikh Rashid bin Mohammed al Maktoum's second stringer going into this event, but when Breeders' Cup Sprint champ Thor's Echo failed to fire, the five-year-old moved to the head of the class. Terrific Challenge was allowed to settle in mid-pack and was pushed along to reach contention with 500 meters remaining. He finished strongly to open a clear lead in the final 50 meters. Doug Watson, who won three races on last night's card, also trained runner-up Bounty Quest. "Terrific Challenge has got a lot of natural speed and it's turned out to be a great race for us," Watson said. Terrific Challenge won three straight stakes at Monmouth last summer before a fourth in the Oct. 22 GII Nearctic in his final outing for trainer Stanley Hough. After watching Thor's Echo run sixth in his Dubai debut, trainer Satish Seemar said, "He just ran flat. There don't seem to be any excuses."

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Thursday, Nad al Sheba, Dubai

INTIKHAB DUBAI CITY OF GOLD S.-G3, \$200,000, Nad al Sheba, 3-1, 4yo/up, 2400mT, 2:33.07, gd.

1--**@QUIJANO (GER)**, 123, g, 5, by Acatenango (Ger)

1st Dam: Quila (Ire), by Unfuwain

2nd Dam: Quest of Fire (Fr), by Rainbow Quest

3rd Dam: Vallee Dansante, by Lyphard

O/B-Stiftung Gestut Fahrhof; T-Peter Schiergen; J-A Starke; \$120,000. Lifetime Record: SW-Ger, 11-10-0-0, \$377,682.

2--**Oracle West (SAf)**, 123, g, 5, Western Winter--Noble Prophet (SAf), by Noble Ambition. O-A Geemooi; B-Langeberg Stud; T-M de Kock; \$40,000.

3--**Lost Soldier Three (Ire)**, 123, g, 6, Barathea (Ire)--Donya (Ire), by Mill Reef. (75,000gns HRA '06 TATHIT). O-Chalfont Foodhalls Ltd; B-Darley; T-David Nicholls; \$30,000.

Margins: 1 1/4, 2 1/2, 3/4.

Also Ran: Mulaqat (GB), Laverock (Ire), Best Alibi (Ire), Nepotista (Brz), Fantastic Love, Jackson (Brz), Quorum (Ger), Dona Da Raia (Brz).

Quijano made a long trip from Hong Kong worthwhile for jockey Andrasch Starke and the consistent gelding booked his place in the G2 Dubai Sheema Classic with this victory. Always within striking distance, the gelding gained command turning for home and won with authority. "It was not very easy flying in from Hong Kong," Starke admitted. "But I am certainly very happy I've made the trip now." A stakes winner in Germany last summer, Quijano was looking for his third straight Nad al Sheba victory after allowance tallies Jan. 25 and Feb. 9. The lightly raced chestnut has racked up 10 wins in 11 starts and is getting even better, according to Starke. "He's still improving and, while he never wins by four or five lengths, he does enough," the jockey said. "Let's hope he recovers well from this and lines up for the big race in this kind of form."

Thursday, Nad al Sheba, Dubai

LAHAN BURJ NAHAAR-G3, \$200,000, Nad al Sheba, 3-1, 3yo/up, 1600m, 1:35.86, ft.

1--**@#BOSTON LODGE (GB)**, 128, g, 7, by Grand Lodge

1st Dam: Ffestiniog (Ire) (SW-Eng), by Efisio (GB)

2nd Dam: Penny Fan (GB), by Nomination (GB)

3rd Dam: Trwyn Cilan (GB), by Import (GB)

(68,000gns HRA '04 TATJUL). O-Fawzi Abdulla Nass; B-Elite Racing Club; T-Doug Watson; J-E Ahern; \$120,000. Lifetime Record: 44-6-7-8, \$354,308.

* 1/2 to Eisteddfod (GB) (Cadeaux Genereux {GB}), GSW-Fr & SP-Eng, \$287,945; Brecon Beacon (GB) (Spectrum {Ire}), MSP-Eng & MGSP-US, \$206,204.

2--**Vortex (GB)**, 128, g, 8, Danehill--Roupala, by Vaguely Noble. (20,000gns HRA '03 TATAUT).

O-The Coriolis Partnership; B-Juddmonte Farms; T-Gay Kelleway; \$40,000.

3--**Blatant (GB)**, 128, g, 8, Machiavellian--Negligent (Ire), by Ahonoora (GB). O-HRH Princess Haya; B-Sh

Mohd bin Rashid Al Maktoum; T-Ali Rashid al Raihe; \$20,000.

Margins: 3/4, 1/2, SHD.

Also Ran: Impossible Ski (Brz), Binary File, Jaffal, Visionist (Ire), Nelore Pora (Brz), Opportunist (Ire), Gold for Sale (Arg), Blue on Blues (Arg), Smart and Mighty (Aus), Yarqus (GB), Egyptian, Imperialista (Brz).

Scratched: Discreet Cat.

Boston Lodge, who raced only once in 2006, made three starts at the Nad al Sheba oval in February and was returning on only a week's rest after winning a conditions race over the dirt Feb. 22. Mid-pack in the early stages, Boston Lodge moved into contention with 300 meters to run, tackled the leaders and inched clear in the final strides. "He's improved a lot on the dirt and I'm looking forward to Dubai World Cup night now," said winning rider Eddie Ahern. Trainer Doug Watson added, "Hopefully, we'll get invited for Dubai World Cup night. That's his third race in three weeks and I wasn't confident he'd do what he did here." Of his three wins on the Super Thursday card, Watson said, "We've had a bit of an up and down season, but it's been a great team effort and I have to thank everyone at the stable. This has just been a great night."

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Yesterday's Results:

CITY OF HOLLYWOOD S., \$50,000, GPX, 3-1, (R), 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8mT, 1:47 1/5, fm.
 1--#**LA DOLCE VITA**, 123, m, 5, **Quiet American**--**Regal Locket**, by **Regal Classic**. O/B-Gary L Zwerling LLC (KY); T-Mark A Hennig; J-Javier Castellano; \$30,000. Lifetime Record: 18-5-2-1, \$140,186.
 2--**Factual Contender**, 123, m, 6, Thunder Puddles--**Factualy challenge**, by Triocala. O-Thomas J Farone Jr. \$10,000.
 3--**Mama I'm Home**, 120, m, 5, Wheaton--**Come Home to Mama**, by Far North. (\$5,000 yrl '03 OBSAUG). O-Katherine B Long. \$5,500.
 Margins: HD, 1 3/4, NK. Odds: 4.10, 2.20, 51.80.

La Dolce Vita posted her fifth win from seven starts over this turf course, getting up to score narrowly. Winner of a third-level allowance at this meet Apr. 22, the bay was fifth in the Miss Liberty S. at the Meadowlands June 19. Fourth in Delaware allowance company Aug. 7, she returned from a five-month absence to finish third in a Jan. 7 allowance over course and distance. A non-factor when seventh in the GIII Suwannee River H. Feb. 3, she was well bet in this restricted spot. Steadied early on, La Dolce Vita was patiently handled near the back of the pack. Given her cue three wide on the far turn, she eased out for the drive and was up in the final strides. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)



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THREE CHIMNEYS TODAY'S INSIGHTS
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4:08p TVG 6th-FGX, \$46K, Msw, 3yo, a 1 1/16mT
HONOR GUARD (Kingmambo) shows a series of steady works for Neil Howard. A half to GSP Gold History, the bay is a 3/4-brother in blood to graded-stakes winners Parade Ground and Parade Leader. Wertheimer et Frere's **El Indy (A.P. Indy)**, a full brother to GSW Olmodavor, tries the turf for the first time. **Get Rich Quick (Seeking the Gold)**, a Pin Oak homebred half to four-time GSW Bedanken, was the beaten favorite last time out. [brisnet.com pps](#)

4:54p HRTV 9th-GPX, \$44K, Msw, 4yo, 6f
PRESS RELEASE (Old Trieste) has drawn the rail for this belated racetrack debut. The Darley homebred is a 3/4-brother to Jilbab (A.P. Indy), winner of the GI Coaching Club American Oaks. **Hedge Fund (Maria's Mon)**, produced by a full sister to MGSW Daydreaming, GSW Accelerator and to She's a Winner, dam of GISW Bluegrass Cat, looks to improve off debut fifth Feb. 9. [brisnet.com pps](#)

7:37p HRTV 8th-SAX, \$50K, Alw, 4yo/up, 7f
MR. SEKIGUCHI (Storm Cat), the \$8-million topper from the 2004 Keeneland September sale, makes the fourth start of his career. The chestnut ran too good to lose in his latest, earning a triple-digit speed figure while finishing a neck second. He looks to have this field over a barrel. Stronach Stables' **Cotton King (Awesome Again)** comes off a fourth-place effort over track and trip Jan. 20. [brisnet.com pps](#)

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Gulfstream Report cont.

5th-GPX, \$41,500, Alw, NW2X, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/2mT, 2:25 3/5, fm.

ALMONSOON (f, 4, [Giant's Causeway](#)--Garimpeiro, by Mr. Prospector) was runner-up in a grassy allowance going this distance at Keeneland Oct. 21, but bounced back to take an off-the-turf affair by 15 3/4 lengths in the Churchill slop Nov. 15. The chestnut, most recently second going nine panels over this turf Jan. 11, was made the 7-5 choice in this marathon event. Slightly worse than centerfield for the opening six furlongs, she made an aggressive move up the backstretch to lead entering the far turn. She widened into the stretch and was 3 1/4 lengths better than Rosinka (Ire) (Soviet Star) at the wire. The winner is a half to Geri (Theatrical {Ire}), GISW, \$1,707,980; Clure (Theatrical {Ire}), SW-US, \$361,349; Stage Shy (Theatrical {Ire}), GSP-US, \$132,901; and A. P. Arrow (A. P. Indy), MGISP, \$502,461. Lifetime Record: 9-3-5-1, \$128,689.

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O/B-Allen E Paulson Living Trust (KY). T-Todd Pletcher.

3rd-GPX, \$38,000, Msw, 4yo, f, 1 1/8mT, 1:47 2/5, fm.

GREENERY (f, 4, [Galileo {Ire}](#)--High Savannah {GB}, by Rousillon) finished second in her first two trips to the post, versus males at Belmont Sept. 4 and against her peers at Belmont Oct. 15. Eighth going 11 furlongs against the boys at Churchill Nov. 18, the bay was bothered in the stretch when second in a Jan. 18 maiden at this track and was the 9-5 pick to finally break through here. On the pace from the bell, the homebred repulsed a bid turning for home and went on to best Treasure Chest (Lemon Drop Kid) by 1 3/4 lengths. She is a 3/4-sister to Lady In Waiting (GB) (Kylan), GSW & G1SP-Eng, GSP-Ire, \$238,551; Savannah Bay (GB) (In the Wings {GB}), GSW-Fr, MGSP-Eng, \$116,860; and a half to Desert Destiny (GB) (Desert Prince {GB}), GSP-Eng, \$214,227. Lifetime Record: 5-1-3-0, \$48,420. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#) O/B-Claiborne Farm & Adele B Dilschneider (KY). T-Christophe Clement.

STAKES CLOSINGS

TODAY, FRIDAY, MARCH 2:

- 03-09 \$150,000 **Razorback Breeders' Cup H.-III, OP, 4yo/up, 8.5f (0)**
- 03-10 \$175,000 **Azeri Breeders' Cup-III-OP, 4yo/up, f/m, 8.5f (0)**
- 05-28 \$300,000a **Shoemaker Breeders' Cup Mile-I, Hol, 3yo/up, 8fT (200)**
- 05-28 \$300,000a **Gamely Breeders' Cup-I, Hol, 3yo/up, f/m, 9fT (200)**

TOMORROW, SATURDAY, MARCH 3:

- 03-17 \$100,000a **Cicada-III, Aqu, 3yo, f, 6f (100)**
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★ NEW YORK ★

Yesterday's Results:

8th-AQU, \$48,000, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$50,000), NW2X, 4yo/up, f/m, 1m70y, 1:42 4/5, ft.
CASANOVA STORY (f, 4, [Stormin Fever](#)--Secretary's Story, by Secretariat) broke her maiden by 11 1/2 lengths against \$50,000 claimers at Delaware Oct. 28 and followed with a runner-up effort in allowance company at that track Nov. 19. She rounded out the exacta in a six-furlong event over the inner Dec. 14 and was last seen scoring by two lengths in a similar event Jan. 10. Trying the two-turn game for the first time, the half to Colonial Secretary (Pleasant Colony), MSW & MGSP, \$421,843; and Tucumcari (Cherokee Colony), MSW, \$364,978, sprinted to the early lead and led past every pole, taking it by a length from Game Card (Wagon Limit). Lifetime Record: 6-3-2-0, \$87,723. O/B-Edward P Evans (KY). T-Anthony W Dutrow.

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.



New York Report cont.

3rd-AQU, \$45,080, Alw, NW2L, 4yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:37 4/5, ft.

SMART MISSILE (f, 4, Golden Missile--Backatem {SW}, by Notebook), a half to Running Bobcats (Running Stag), MSW, \$374,944, broke her maiden at Woodbine Sept. 13, but was shelved off a sixth in an Oct. 22 entry-level allowance in Toronto. The bay returned to finish second by a head in her two-turn debut at this track Jan. 21 and was the 1-2 choice to go one better here. With the pace throughout, the homebred assumed command nearing the quarter pole and swept past Littletown Bridge (Stormin Fever) for a 2 3/4-length victory. Lifetime Record: 5-2-1-1, \$59,412.

O-Stronach Stables. B-Adena Springs (KY). T-Bruce N Levine.

★ EAST ★

Yesterday's Results:

6th-LRL, \$30,000, Msw, 3yo, f, 5 1/2f, 1:04 3/5, ft.

+ NOW IT BEGINS (f, 3, Two Punch--Carna, by Dehere), a \$50,000 FTMOCT yearling, was sent off the 9-5 chalk at first asking and did not disappoint. A bit slow into stride, the Maryland-bred filly stalked the pace three wide, engaged Bid Appeal (Successful Appeal) at the three-sixteenths marker and sprinted off to score by 6 1/4 lengths. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$17,100.

O-R Larry Johnson. B-Cary W Jackson (MD). T-Michael J Trombetta.

TODAY'S VIDEO HIGHLIGHTS

FORESTRY

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Hip #57, a filly by Forestry, had the bullet workout breezing 1/8 mile in :10 flat.

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City of Hollywood S. La Dolce Vita (Quiet American) gets her head down in front.

5th-GPX (Alw \$41K) Almonsoon (Giant's Causeway) parlays an aggressive move into victory.

7th-FGX (Msw \$46K) Tenkiller Lake (Red Bullet) victorious in his two-turn debut.

3rd-GPX (Msw \$38K) Greenery (Galileo {Ire}) finally celebrates graduation day.

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4th-TAM, \$16,000, Msw, 3yo, f, 8.5fT, 1:46 2/5, fm.
ORATE (f, 3, A. P. Indy--Preach {GISW, \$304,656}, by Mr. Prospector), a full sister to Pulpit, MGSW & GISP, \$728,200; & half to Tell It (Storm Cat), SP, \$162,283, was an even fifth in her mile debut over the Gulfstream main track Jan. 28 and was in receipt of Lasix for this first turf try. The 7-5 favorite raced within easy striking distance early on, came four wide around the far turn and streaked home three lengths to the good of Cowgirl Coffee (Sahm). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$9,980.
O/B-Claiborne Farm (KY). T-William I Mott.

Delaware Renames Stakes for Barbaro:

Delaware Park has announced that the GIII Leonard Richards S. for three-year-olds has been renamed in honor of Barbaro, last year's GI Kentucky Derby hero who lost his battle with laminitis in January. The GIII Barbaro S., worth \$300,000, will be contested July 15 during the track's big weekend which also features the GII Delaware H. “The deep admiration and love everyone felt for Barbaro was truly overwhelming,” said Racing Secretary Ismael Trejo. “To be able to honor such a tenaciously spirited horse--whose remarkable career started here at Delaware Park in 2005--with its own stakes race, makes the racing family here at Delaware Park extremely proud.”



★ CENTRAL ★

Shirley Taylor, Former Toba President, Dead:

courtesy www.bloodhorse.com

Shirley Taylor, a former president of the Thoroughbred Owners and Breeders Association, died Feb. 27 at age 83 at a Billings, Mont., health care center. She had suffered a stroke in November. During two terms as president of TOBA, Taylor was instrumental in the development of the organization's annual state breeders' awards program. She also moved the outfit's offices from New York to Lexington. Taylor was a part-owner of Alleged, a two-time winner of the G1 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe in the 1970s. Alleged developed into a leading sire at John T.L. Jones Jr.'s Walmac International near Lexington. Taylor bred many of her runners in the name W Lazy T, a Montana cattle ranch that she and her husband, Walter, started in the 1940s. Walter Taylor died in 2004. Stakes winners bred under the W Lazy T name include Grade I winners Scorpion and Honor in War (in partnership) and Grade III winner Slew the Red. Shirley Taylor raced Grade I winner Chain Bracelet and Grade III winner Baroness Direct. Taylor, who was elected to The Jockey Club in 1989, was a trustee emeritus of TOBA.

Wednesday Night's Results:

8th-TPX, \$25,200, Alw, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11 1/5, ft.

MILAGO (f, 4, Danzig--Hidden Lake {Ch. Older Mare, MGISW, \$947,489}, by Quiet American) was a maiden winner at Le Touquet in the French provinces July 16 and was most recently eighth in a conditions test at Clairefontaine Oct. 14. Making her U.S. and Polytrack debut, the 10-1 chance dropped back early, advanced on the turn and finished well to defeat Countess Scala (Fusaichi Pegasus) by two lengths. Lifetime Record: 7-2-0-0, \$29,498.

O/B-Robert N Clay & Tracy Farmer (KY). T-Andrew McKeever.

Yesterday's Results:

1st-FGX, \$47,750, Alw, NW2X, 4yo/up, 5 1/2f, 1:03 (NTR), ft.

BROTHER BEAN (g, 4, My Friend Max--X Strawdnair, by Malagra) was runner-up in the Louisiana Sprint S. at this oval Dec. 9 and in an open third-level allowance in the slop Jan. 7. He was coming into this off a 5 1/2-length score in the Louisiana Premier Sprint S. at Delta Downs Feb. 3. The dark bay broke alertly here and fought out the early fractions with Miner's Lamp (Seeking the Gold), eventually putting that one away for a 2 3/4-length success as the 3-10 chalk. Lifetime Record: SW, 7-5-2-0, \$174,800.

O-Brittlyn Stable Inc. B-Brittlyn Inc (LA). T-Victor Arceneaux.

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10th-OPX, \$35,000, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000), NW2X, 4yo/up, 6f, 1:12, ft.

STALWARTLY (c, 4, Gone West--Dream Team {GISW, \$317,410}, by Cox's Ridge), winner of the restricted Nevill Kyocera S. at Lone Star last June, was out of the money in three subsequent starts, including his lastest going a sixteenth further at Arlington Park Sept. 9. Fifth against allowance foes that day, the dark bay was let go at 5-1 this time. Content to track the early pace in fifth, the well-bred colt angled out for the stretch drive and got up in time to post a 3/4-length victory over Father Time (Gilded Time). The winner is a 1/2 to Orientate (Mt. Livermore), Ch. Sprinter, MGISW, \$1,716,950. Lifetime Record: SW, 9-3-1-0, \$78,130. O-Gainesway Thoroughbreds, Ltd and Robert B and Beverly S Lewis. B-Gainesway Thoroughbreds Ltd (KY). T-Steven M Asmussen.

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Central cont.

7th-FGX, \$46,250, Msw, 3yo, 1m40y, 1:42 1/5, ft.
TENKILLER LAKE (c, 3, Red Bullet--Terakat, by Storm Cat) outran his odds of 61-1 when a good third in his Nov. 25 bow at Churchill Downs and found just one rival too good in his latest, going down by a length in a six-furlong heat at this track Feb. 9. Getting a route of ground for the first time, the \$125,000 OBSAUG yearling and \$225,000 FTFEB juvenile tracked the pace three wide, loomed up outside of Grand Scale (Richter Scale) turning from home and got clear from that one late for a 1 1/2-length victory as the 4-5 chalk. The winner is a half to Tera Kitty (Fly Till Dawn), MSW, \$154,041. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-1, \$40,360.

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O-Mr & Mrs William K Warren Jr. B-Christine K Jones (FL). T-David M Carroll.

★ SO. CALIFORNIA ★

Yesterday's Results:

3rd-SAX, \$66,100, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000), NW1X, 4yo/up, 1 1/4mT, 2:01 2/5, fm.

PHAR TO WIN (g, 5, Avenue of Flags--Doucette {Ire}, by Night Shift) reeled off four straight victories last term, including a win in the 12-furlong Cal Cup Starter H. against state bred in October. In his seasonal finale, the gelding was a close second when dropped back to allowance company going a mile here Dec. 30. Despite a lackluster seventh last time going a mile on the main track here Feb. 4, the bay was backed down to 7-5 favoritism in this return to the turf. On the engine early, Phar To Win held his advantage all the way home, winning by 3/4 of a length over Peter and Zoe (Royal Anthem). Lifetime Record: SW, 8-5-1-1, \$157,680. O-Betty and Robert G Irvin. B-C-Punch Ranch Inc (CA). T-Thomas Ray Bell, II.

7th-SAX, \$63,100, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000), NW1X, 4yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:09 3/5, ft.

BETTERSWEETMOMENT (f, 4, Game Plan--Bitter Sweet Me, by Phone Trick) came home a winner in both prior starts this term, including her latest going a sixteenth further on the main in state-bred company Feb. 3. Sent off at 6-1, the chestnut stalked the early pace, circled three wide turning for home and took over midstretch to post a 1 1/4-length win over Kin to a Kitty (Tactical Cat). Lifetime Record: 11-8-1-0, \$191,640.

O-James W and Marcia S Equils. B-Larry & Sandy Fisher & Barry Shapiro (CA). T-Steve Knapp.

6th-SAX, \$49,200, Msw, 4yo/up, 1mT, 1:35, fm.
SKELLYTOWN (r, 4, Thunder Gulch--Miss Dahlia, by Strawberry Road {Aus}) closed well to be fourth going an eighth longer here Jan. 15 and was sent off the lukewarm 2-1 choice to get the job done this time. Settled off the early pace, the chestnut swung wide turning for home, and despite bumping in the stretch, managed to nose out Seastate (Stravinsky) at the wire. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$31,680. O/B-Madeleine A Paulson & Diamond A Racing Corporation (KY). T-Richard E Mandella.

★ INDUSTRY INFO ★

Shubeck and Newman Appointed at Lone Star:

Magna Entertainment has appointed Drew Shubeck as Lone Star Park's new president and general manager, while G. W. Hail has been promoted to the position of Vice President. In addition, Paula Newman will take over as assistant general manager. "Drew, G.W. and Paula are valued members of the MEC team, and I'm confident they'll further Lone Star Park's reputation as one of North America's finest horseracing facilities with superior customer service," said Michael Neuman, MEC chief executive officer. Shubeck joined Lone Star Park's executive team one year ago as vice president and general manager following a four-year stint as general manager of MEC Pennsylvania Racing at The Meadows. The New Jersey native also served seven years as an associate general manager for the New Jersey Sports and Exposition Authority overseeing Monmouth Park and The Meadowlands. Hail and Newman have been executives at Lone Star Park since the racetrack's inaugural racing season in 1997. Hail joined Lone Star Park in August 1996 as the director of marketing following nine years of employment with the Ackerman McQueen Advertising Agency. He was elevated to Lone Star Park's vice president of marketing & sales in September 1999. Newman was named Lone Star Park's controller in May 1997 after eight years in the same position at Remington Park. She was promoted to Lone Star Park's vice president of finance in September 1999.

★ ON THE WORKTAB ★

SANTA ANITA

Arson Squad (Brahms), 3f, •:34.40, 1/13



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March 31	Gulfstream	Florida Derby (G1), et al.	3-6 EST



Industry Info. cont.

Graci to Carnegie Cooke

J.J.Graci, the host of the radio program attheracesandbeyond, has been hired as Director of International Equine Operations for Carnegie Cooke & Company. Carnegie Cooke is a media and distribution company which provides American simulcast signals to Brazil, and owns Brazil's Jockey Club El Dorado. Graci's role will include expanding the company's presence in that country. "This is an opportunity for me to make a difference for my fellow horsemen," said Graci. "We have a product to market globally and now I'm in a position to help ensure our growth potential."

★ AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS ★

IN BRITAIN:

Ten A Penny, c, 3, **Gulch**--Dramatical, by Theatrical (Ire). Lingfield, 3-1, Hcp, 3yo, 1m (AWT).

B-Chesapeake Farm, Mary R Odum & W S Farish. *\$70,000 wnlg '04 KEENOV; 54,000gns yrl '05 TATOCT; 65,000gns 2yo '06 TATAPR. **1/2 to Numerous Times (Numerous), Ch. Turf Horse-Can, GISW, \$845,778.

Macademy Royal, g, 4, **Royal Academy**. See "European Breeders' Edition."

★ ON THE WORKTAB ★

AQUEDUCT

Summer Doldrums (Street Cry {Ire}), 5f, 1:01.31, 3/19

GULFSTREAM PARK

Funny Cide (Distorted Humor), 3f, :37.00, 4/6

Nobiz Like Shobiz (Albert the Great), 4f, :47.60, 5/21

Toll Taker (Bernstein), 3f, :36.80, 2/6

HOLLYWOOD PARK

A. P. Xcellent (A.P. Indy), 6f, 1:15.00, 19/21

Peace Chant (War Chant), 6f, 1:13.00, 7/21

Three Valleys (Diesis {GB}), 3f, :37.40, 8/17

PALM MEADOWS

Chatain (Forest Wildcat), 4f, :52.00, 16/16

Kelly's Landing (Patton), 4f, :47.80, 3/16

Vitriivius (E Dubai), 4f, :48.80, 5/16

PAYSON PARK

In Summation (Put It Back), 3f, :37.80, 2/3

Rondo (Grand Slam), 3f, :38.80, 3/3

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ABAJO (Robyn Dancer), Le Mesa, \$1K, 59/7/0

3-DED, Msw, 5f, Abajo's Word, 30-1

3-DED, Msw, 5f, Waddie, 8-1

FIRST TOUR (Tour d'Or) 21/4/0

7-GP, Alw, 1m, First Lady On Tour

FRENCH ENVOY (Deputy Minister), Stonehedge South, \$3K, 65/11/1

6-FG, Msw, 1 1/16mT, Mouton, \$21K OBS OCT wnl, 8-1

ILE ST. LOUIS (CHI) (Hussonet) 22/3/0

4-OP, Msw, 6f, Manchester Miracle

MONSIEUR CAT (Tabasco Cat), Rising Hill Farm, \$3K, 33/3/0

8-TAM, Msw, 5 1/2f, Redeeming Grace, 9-2

NIGHT FLIGHT (Skywalker) 4/0/0

3-DED, Msw, 5f, +Comment On Night, 15-1

OFFICER (Bertrando), Taylor Made Farm, \$15K, 177/28/6

7-GP, Alw, 1m, Gem Sleuth, \$50K KEE SEP yrl

PERSONAL FIRST (Personal Hope), Rosebrook Farm, \$3K, 34/4/0

8-LRL, Alw, 5 1/2f, Rekindling Faith, \$19K EAS MAY 2yo, 10-1

RICHLI BLENDED (Rizzi), Rancho San Miguel, \$4K, 65/9/0

3-BM, Aoc, 6f, Papios Dream

STORM DAY (Storm Cat), Clear Creek Stud, \$3K, 126/9/1

4-FG, Msw, 6f, +Prissy's Day, 15-1

4-FG, Msw, 6f, +Lady Gato, \$19K OBS AUG yrl, 10-1

SYNCLINE (Danzig), Crestwood, \$3K, 46/2/0

10-TP, Alw, 6f, Tainted Money, \$75K OBS AUG yrl

THE TRADER'S ECHO (Eastern Echo), A&A Horse Ranch LLC, \$2K, 25/0/0

10-SUN, Msw, 6f, Foolish Dreamer, \$6K ARZ NOV yrl, 6-1

THREE WONDERS (Storm Cat), Hidden Point, \$5K, 138/19/1

8-TAM, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Celebration Dance, 5-1

THUNDERELLO (Montbrook), Walmac, \$5K, 108/17/0

8-TAM, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Clash of Angels, \$28K OBS APR 2yo, 6-1



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EARLY CLOSINGS--FRIDAY, MARCH 2, 2007

\$300,000a GI SHOEMAKER BREEDERS' CUP MILE

Three-year-olds & up at 1 mile (turf)--to be run Monday, May 28, 2007

\$300,000a GI GAMELY BREEDERS' CUP STAKES

Three-year-old & up, f/m, at 1 1/8m (turf)--to be run Mon., May 28, 2007

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★ EUROPEAN-BRED WINNERS ★

IN DUBAI:

Mofarj (GB), c, 3, **Bering (GB)**--Pastorale (GB), by Nureyev. Nad al Sheba, 3-1, Mdn, 1600mT. O-Godolphin; B-Darley; T-S bin Suroor. * 1/2 to Kareymah (GB) (Zafonic), GSW-Fr & SW-Eng; Iffraaj (GB) (Zafonic), MGSW & G1SP-Eng, \$695,623. ** Won by 5 1/2 lengths. "This is only the second race of his life and he will improve for this," said trainer Saeed bin Suroor. "There are no plans, but we will get him back to Europe and find a race for him."



NEW FORMAT FOR SEVEN STARS Godolphin's Seven Stars competition has been updated for 2007 to include an interactive format. The free-to-enter competition has a first prize of \$50,000 plus a luxury holiday to the 2008 Dubai World Cup. Contestants this year will have the opportunity to pick 14 Godolphin horses, seven of whom will be active at any one time. Players will be able to swap horses within their 14-horse squad during three designated "Swap Windows" in 2007. The seven active horses earn points according to their performances on racetracks around the world. The competition is also broken down into four Challenge Competitions, during which the entry with the highest number of points receives a \$10,000 prize. All entries must be received on the Godolphin website, godolphin.com, by Mar. 30.

★ DUBAI ★

Yesterday's Results:

BAHRI AL BASTAKIYA, \$150,000, Nad al Sheba, Cond., 3yo, 1800m, 1:48.27, ft.
 1--**ASIATIC BOY (ARG)**, 132, c, 3, **Not For Sale (Arg)**--**S.S. Asiatic**, by **Polish Navy**. O-Sh Mohd bin Khalifa Al Maktoum; B-Haras Arroyo de Luna; T-Mike de Kock; \$90,000. Lifetime Record: GSW-UAE, G1SP-Arg, 6-4-2-0, \$267,287.
 2--**Victory Tetsuni**, 126, c, 3, **Gone West**--**Radu Cool**, by **Carnivalay**. (\$325,000 yrl '05 KEESEP). \$30,000.
 3--**Rallying Cry**, 126, c, 3, **War Chant**--**Turning Wheel**, by **Seeking the Gold**. (\$90,000 yrl '05 KEESEP). \$15,000.
 Margins: 7, HF, 3/4.

Bahri Al Bastakiya cont.

Asiatic Boy, winner of the G3 UAE 2000 Guineas, went quickly to the front, opened up on the field with 500 meters to run and finished much the best. The colt gives trainer Mike de Kock a strong contender to win his third G2 UAE Derby, following Victory Moon (SAf) and Lundy's Liability (Brz). "There is no doubt that he's as good as Victory Moon, if not better," de Kock said. "He's a very exciting horse, there's no doubt about it. He's improving and getting more and more relaxed in his work. He has so much speed he could win at five furlongs, but equally I think he will get the extra furlong no problem." Victory Tetsuni, the first Japanese horse to start in Dubai outside of the World Cup meeting, ran well to be second. "It was a good effort," said the colt's trainer Hideyuki Mori. "But the winner looks a very good horse. It's going to be very difficult to beat him in the UAE Derby."



AUSSIE SALE EXTENDED The 2007 William Inglis & Son Australian Weanling and Broodmare Sale has been extended to five days. The sale, which follows the Easter Yearling Sale scheduled for Apr. 10-12, begins at noon on Apr. 15 with the selling of approximately 300 weanlings. The remaining consecutive four days of the sale will start at 10:30 a.m. Among the lots catalogued are a half-brother to dual Group 1 winner Diatribe (Aus) by the exciting five-time Group 1 winner Elvstroem (Aus) and a cracking Encosta de Lago (Aus) colt who is a three-quarter brother to Group 1 winner Titanic Jack (Aus). The first offerings of Darley's champion European juvenile colt Shamardal includes a half-sister to Group 1 winner Ike's Dream (Aus). Group 1 winners Fastnet Rock (Aus), Charge Forward (Aus), Savabeel (Aus), Al Maher (Aus), as well as Shamardal and Elvstroem, are among the first-year sires represented in the catalogue. "William Inglis & Son are delighted to be working closely with industry leaders Aushorse to promote Australian horses throughout the world," said William Inglis & Son Director William Inglis. "We are confident that our many marketing forays across the globe as well as our strategically placed representatives in New Zealand, Europe, America, Hong Kong, Japan and South Africa will be able to generate plenty of interest in this year's Easter extravaganza."

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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ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

7th-SAX, \$56,200, 2-28, Opt. Clm. (\$32,000), NW1X, (S), 4yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:37 1/5, ft.

EASY OBSESSION (m, 5, Moscow Ballet--Alygria, by Alysheba) Lifetime Record: 21-4-5-3, \$149,337. O-Tom Grether Farms Inc. B-Dale Pyle Jr (CA). T-Nicholas J Hines. *Full to Sweet Frippery, SP, \$242,794.

9th-FGX, \$50,250, Opt. Clm. (\$75,000), NW4X, 4yo/up, 6f, 1:09 1/5, ft.

FIRST WORD (g, 5, Chester House--Harpia {GSW, \$294,389}, by Danzig) Lifetime Record: 15-4-3-0, \$182,275. O/B-Juddmonte Farms (KY). T-R Frankel.

3rd-FGX, \$50,000, NW1X, (S), 3yo, 1m, 1:38 3/5, ft. **HALLWAY (c, 3, Graeme Hall--Silver Bride, by Runaway Groom)** Lifetime Record: MSP, 7-2-4-1, \$105,297. O-Heiligbrodt Racing Stable. B-Majestic Farms LLC (LA). T-Steven M Asmussen. *\$110,000 yrl '05 KEESEP.

4th-FGX, \$50,000, NW1X, (S), 3yo, f, 5 1/2f, 1:05 2/5, ft.

COACH MIKE (f, 3, Toolighttoquit--Smart Lady, by Northern Prospect) Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, \$59,300. O/B-Ryder River Ridge Farm Inc (LA). T-A J Blanchard.

6th-FGX, \$50,000, NW1X, (S), 4yo/up, f/m, a7 1/2fT, 1:36 1/5, fm.

TOOLIGHTS RUCKUS (f, 4, Toolighttoquit--Ruckus Regent, by Bold Ruckus) Lifetime Record: 17-5-4-2, \$97,085. O-Jo Ann Henry. B-Ryder River Ridge Farms Inc (LA). T-Sam B David Jr.

5th-FGX, \$47,000, NW1X, 4yo/up, 5.5f, 1:04 3/5, ft.

TUX N' TALES (c, 4, Tale of the Cat--White Corners {SW}, by Caro {Ire}) Lifetime Record: 9-3-1-1, \$59,020. O-J Kirk Robison. B-Gaines-Gentry Thoroughbreds (KY). T-Steven M Asmussen. *\$85,000 wlng '03 KEENOV; \$160,000 yrl '04 KEESEP.

5th-AQU, \$46,000, Opt. Clm. (\$50,000), NW2X, (S), 4yo/up, 1m, 1:36 4/5, ft.

EPIGRAMMATIC (c, 4, City Zip--Concise, by Corporate Report) Lifetime Record: 9-3-1-2, \$99,793. O-Weatherwatch Farm. B-France & Irwin J Weiner (NY). T-Bruce N Levine. *\$77,000 yrl '04 FTNAUG.

2nd-BMX, \$37,060, Opt. Clm. (\$62,500), NW2X, 4yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:35 3/5, gd.

GEMSTONE RUSH (m, 5, Wild Rush--Quarry Hill, by Relaunch) Lifetime Record: 14-4-4-2, \$87,375. O-Jerry Hollendorfer, George Todaro & John F Turner. B-Landis Penry (WA). T-Jerry Hollendorfer.

5th-OPX, \$35,000, NW3L, 3&4yo, f, 1m, 1:42 4/5, ft. **SIMPLY RUN (f, 4, Tejano Run--Simply Nod, by Secret Hello)** Lifetime Record: 8-3-0-3, \$43,725. O/T-Randy Oberlander. B-R Donald (KY). *\$1,500 yrl '04 FTKOCT.

7th-LRL, \$32,000, NW1X, 4yo/up, f/m, 7f, 1:25 1/5, ft. **IN COMMAND (f, 4, Siphon {Brz}--Silver Ridan, by Silver Deputy)** Lifetime Record: 10-2-1-0, \$61,075. O-Jay Em Ess Stb. B-M & S Siegel (KY). T-R Dutrow Jr.

8th-HAW, \$28,000, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:13, sy. **MRS QUEENIE (f, 4, Glitterman--Sonori's City, by Carson City)** Lifetime Record: 11-6-1-0, \$83,620. O/B-Frank Mancari (IL). T-Michael L Reavis.

9th-TAM, \$21,700, 4yo/up, 5fT, :56 3/5, fm. **DIRTYMOPOSSE (h, 6, Minister's Mark--Ballet Corps, by Sir Jinsky)** Lifetime Record: 43-10-6-6, \$177,836. O-Philip Griffith. B-D & G Griffith (FL). T-G A Griffith.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

+ **Jaybird's Miracle**, c, 3, **Dignitas**--Diamondinthesand, by Farma Way. HAW, 3-1, (S), 6f, 1:13 4/5. B-Mr & Mrs Terrel Gore (IL).

Elite Status, f, 3, **Johannesburg**--Bessiepunkindo (MSP, \$292,441), by Lion d'Or. GPX, 3-1, (C), 1mT, 1:35 3/5. B-Donna Wormser (KY). *\$82,000 yrl '05 FTKJUL; \$70,000 2yo 2006 FTFEB. **1/2 to Lil Punkindo (Maria's Mon), SW, \$115,620.

Charm N Broad, f, 3, **Mr. Broad Blade**--Charm N Excess, by In Excess (Ire). SAX, 3-1, (S), (C), 1m, 1:40 1/5. B-Richard Allen Kritzski (CA).

Grey Papillon, g, 3, **On Target**--Itsmturn Todance, by Hunting Horn. DED, 2-28, (S), 7f, 1:28 3/5. B-Jarvis Fortier (LA).

Dynamic Industries, c, 4, **Five Star Day**--All Too Well, by Track Barron. FGX, 3-1, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:04. B-Southern Equine Stables, LLC (LA). *1/2 to Sweep Well (End Sweep), MSW, \$232,252; Ending Well (End Sweep), SP, \$272,370.

Dinnerinthemeadow, f, 4, **Formal Dinner**--Meadow Dawn, by Meadowlake. TAM, 3-1, 1mT, 1:40 4/5. B-Hidden Point Farm, Inc. (FL). *\$28,000 wlng '03 OBSOCT; \$50,000 yrl '04 OBSAUG.

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Superbas (Fr), c, 3, **Kaldou Star (GB)**--Berlue des As (Fr), by Melypro (Fr). Marseille-Borely, France, 3-1, Cond, 3yo, 6fT. B-Mme E van Haaren.

Miss Tonic (Fr), f, 3, **Priolo**--Tonic Stream (Fr), by Bering (GB). Marseille-Borely, France, 3-1, Mdn, 3yo, f, 9fT. B-Haras des Etoiles SA. *€30,000 yrl '05 DEAOCT. **1/2 to Miss France (Fr) (Sabrehill), GSP-Fr.