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### CIRCULAR QUAY SKIPPING WOOD

Michael Tabor's **Circular Quay** (Thunder Gulch), who had been expected to contest Saturday's GI Wood Memorial S. at Aqueduct, will now train up to the GI Kentucky Derby at Churchill May 5. "We had a change of heart when trying to analyze the best way of getting everyone to the Derby," explained trainer Todd Pletcher.



**Any Given Saturday**  
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The chestnut's last start was a victory in the GII Louisiana Derby Mar. 10, which means he will head to Churchill off an eight-week lay-off. "I know I'm going against what's stated that you can and can't do," Pletcher told *Daily Racing Form*, "but giving horses more time generally has worked best for my horses. Watching him train, I thought it would be best to train him up to the Derby,

rather than train him up to a big race like the Wood and come back another four weeks later for the Derby." In Circular Quay's stead, Pletcher has entered **Any Given Saturday** (Distorted Humor) in the \$750,000 Wood Memorial. The handsome bay had been pointing for the GI Toyota Blue Grass S. at Keeneland Apr. 14, where he would have had a rematch with Street Sense, who defeated him by a nostril in the GIII Tampa Bay Derby Mar. 17. "Running him back in three weeks means he now gets four weeks to the big race instead of three," Pletcher said about Any Given Saturday. "We figured this was the best approach for him. He's never run a poor race. We're hoping he moves forward to his next race." Another Pletcher trainee, **Cowtown Cat** (Distorted Humor), has been entered in the Wood as a back-up. "Any Given Saturday is flying to New York [today], so Cowtown Cat is in there more as an insurance policy in case of any traveling difficulties," Pletcher said. "Cowtown Cat is likely for the [GII] Illinois Derby [at Hawthorne Saturday]." Seven three-year-olds were entered for the Wood Memorial, headlined by likely favorite **Nobiz Like Shobiz** (Albert the Great).

### LIQUIDITY TOPS TEN IN SANTA ANITA DERBY

J. Paul Reddam's **Liquidity** (Tiznow) has been installed as the 5-2 morning-line favorite against nine rivals in the \$750,000 GI Santa Anita Derby Saturday. He is seeking to become the fourth graded-stakes winning sophomore from Doug O'Neill's barn this year. Second in both the GI Hollywood Futurity Dec. 16 and the GIII Sham S. Feb. 3, the bay comes here off a lackluster sixth in the GII Louisiana Derby Mar. 10. O'Neill has turned up the pressure on his charge. "We've cranked on this guy a lot more than we did before the Louisiana Derby," he said. "He looks great and he's trained well, but until they show it in the afternoon, you never know."



**Liquidity (outside)**  
Benoit Photo

#### Saturday, Santa Anita

**SANTA ANITA DERBY-GI**, \$750,000, 3yo, 1 1/8m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY
1	Court the King	Doneraile Court	Valdivia Jr
2	Sam P.	Cat Thief	Dominguez
3	Bwana Bull	Holy Bull	R Baze
4	Boutrous	Tiznow	Desormeaux
5	Liquidity	Tiznow	Nakatani
6	Black Seventeen	Is It True	Potts
7	Level Red	Aptitude	Gryder
8	King of the Roxy	Littleexpectations	Migliore
9	Tiago	Pleasant Tap	Smith
10	Medici Code (GB)	Medicean (GB)	Chavez

All carry 122 pounds.

#### Saturday, Aqueduct

**WOOD MEMORIAL S.-GI**, \$750,000, 3yo, 1 1/8m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY
1	Nobiz Like Shobiz	Albert the Great	Velasquez
2	Sightseeing	Pulpit	Castellano
3	Flashstorm	Storm Cat	Jacinto
4a	Cowtown Cat	Distorted Humor	Jara
5	Summer Doldrums	Street Cry (Ire)	Luzzi
6a	Any Given Saturday	Distorted Humor	Velasquez
7	Reptilian Smarts	Include	Flores

All carry 123 pounds.

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nearly 30 times the \$12,500 stud fee they were bred off of.



**Street Sense Sharp in Blue Grass Breeze...**

James Tafel's champion two-year-old **Street Sense** (Street Cry {Ire}) tuned up for the Apr. 14 GI Toyota Blue Grass S. yesterday at Churchill Downs, going five furlongs in a swift :58.40 beneath his regular rider Calvin Borel. It was the first work for the Carl Nafzger trainee since he returned to the Downs last Saturday. It wasn't the final time that impressed the conditioner, but rather the way in which it was accomplished. "The horse did it easy," said Nafzger, who sent out Unbridled to win the 1990 Kentucky Derby.



Equi-Photo

"The main thing you look at in a :58-and-two work is how was the horse--was he stressed when it was over? He wasn't stressed. He was pricking his ears coming down the lane." His jockey was equally impressed. "He was awesome," Borel commented. "The horse is just getting better and better. Carl's got him on the right road and you just couldn't ask for any better. He wanted a good work this morning and [the horse] was there. He did it happy. He galloped out strong and I really didn't squeeze no buttons or nothing--he was just there for me." In his seasonal bow, the champion juvenile made a successful return to the races by taking the GIII Tampa Bay Derby over Any Given Saturday Mar. 17.

**No Blue Grass for Hard Spun?**


Fox Hill Farm's **Hard Spun** (Danzig), a sharp winner of the GII Lane's End S. last out Mar. 24, continues to train at Keeneland, but his next start is unknown, according to *The Blood-Horse*. While the bay had been expected to contest the GI Toyota Blue Grass S. Apr. 14 at the Lexington oval, owner Rick Porter indicated that his colt was "99 percent" to skip the Blue Grass, unless there are additional defections "that entice us," he told *The Blood-Horse*. Hard Spun will either train up to the May 5 GI Kentucky Derby, or use the GII Coolmore Lexington S. at Keeneland Apr. 21 as a springboard to the GI Preakness S. May 19, thereby missing the Run for the Roses altogether.


**Soaring By to Lexington...**

Dogwood Stable's **Soaring By** (Deputy Minister), who captured a first-level Gulfstream allowance Mar. 31 by 3 1/2 lengths ([video](#)), is being targeted for the GII Coolmore Lexington S. at Keeneland Apr. 21. The dark bay colt was coming off an eighth-place finish in the Mar. 10 GII Louisiana Derby. With seven of the last eight victors going on to compete for the roses, the Lexington is often used as a stepping stone to the May 5 GI Kentucky Derby, but Dogwood President Cot Campbell indicated it's too early to talk about whether Soaring By would be pointed to the Derby. "We're taking it one race at a time," he said. "Off of his impressive win at Gulfstream last weekend--following an abortive trip in the Louisiana Derby, when he broke through the starting gate--the Lexington S. is definitely indicated. The mile-and-a-sixteenth distance will suit him and we need to test him against stakes-caliber horses." The colt, a winner of two of his four starts, is trained by Todd Pletcher.

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2. SW BUDDY GOT EVEN
3. SW SLEW O' PLATINUM
4. SW EVENING ESCORT



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☆ PREVIEW ☆

**Friday, Oaklawn Park**

**FANTASY S.-GII**, \$250,000, 3yo, f, 1 1/16m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	High Heels	E Dubai	Johnson	117
2	Cotton Blossom	Broken Vow	Velazquez	121
3	Cash Included	Include	Solis	121
4	Time's Mistress	Mr. Greeley	Jacinto	121
5	Swift Temper	Giant's Causeway	Borel	117
6	Jay's Princess	Syncline	Sterling	117
7	Tensas Yucatan	Ide	Campbell	117
8	Devil House	Chester House	Thompson	121

**Saturday, Keeneland Race Course**

**ASHLAND S.-GI**, \$500,000, 3yo, f, 1 1/16m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	Elitist	Honour and Glory	Troilo	
2	Mistical Plan	Game Plan	Albarado	
3	Dawn After Dawn	Successful Appeal	Bridgmohan	
4	Grace Happens	Aptitude	Graham	
5	Octave	Unbridled's Song	Gomez	
6	Christmas Kid	Lemon Drop Kid	Douglas	
7	Hucking Hot (GB)	Desert Prince (Ire)	Bejarano	
8	High Again	High Yield	Leparoux	
9	Silver Knockers	Silver Deputy	Rose	

All carry 121 pounds.

**Saturday, Oaklawn Park**

**APPLE BLOSSOM H.-GI**, \$500,000, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	Lemons Forever	Lemon Drop Kid	Guidry	115
2	Rahys' Appeal	Rahy	Solis	114
3	India	Hennessy	Bravo	116
4	Ermine	Exchange Rate	Castro	116
5	Take D' Tour	Tour d'Or	Coa	118
6	River Savage (Brz)	First American	Berrio	112
7	Round Pond	Awesome Again	Prado	120
8	Baghdaria	Royal Academy	Razo	114

**Saturday, Aqueduct**

**CARTER H.-GI**, \$300,000, 3yo/up, 7f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	Wild Jam	Forest Wildcat	Luzzi	111
2	Kazoo	Tabasco Cat	Rodriguez	112
3	Ah Day	Malibu Moon	Pino	114
4	Silver Wagon	Wagon Limit	Castellano	118
5	Diabolical	Artax	Velasquez	117
6	Latent Heat	Maria's Mon	Flores	119
7	Keyed Entry	Honour and Glory	Velazquez	116

**Saturday, Oaklawn Park**

**OAKLAWN H.-GII**, \$500,000, 4yo/up, 1 1/8m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	Brother Bobby	Out of Place	Elliott	110
2	Jonesboro	Sefapiano	Borel	116
3	Smokeyjonesutton	You and I	Guidry	112
4	Papi Chullo	Comeonmom	Coa	113
5	Lawyer Ron	Langfuhr	Prado	120
6	McCann's Mojave	Memo (Chi)	Alvarado	116
7	Boboman	Kingmambo	Solis	115

☆ RESULTS ☆

**Wednesday, Funabashi, Japan**

**MARINE CUP-G3 (Listed)**, ¥30,000,000 to winner, 4-4, Funabashi, 3yo/up, f/m, 1600m, 1:37.30, sy.

1--**TOSEN JO-OH (JPN)**, 125, m, 6, by **Timber Country**

1st Dam: **Annus Mirabilis (Jpn)**, by **Real Shadai**

2nd Dam: **Scarlet Blue (Jpn)**, by **Northern Taste**

3rd Dam: **Scarlet Ink**, by **Crimson Satan**

O-Takaya Shimakawa; B-Hisai Farm; T-Masayuki Kawashima; J-Hiroyuki Uchida; ¥30,000,000. Lifetime Record: 22-7-4-0, ¥205,100,000.

2--**Crimson Rouge (Jpn)**, 121, f, 4, End Sweep--Kuri Cannon (Jpn), by Sunday Silence. O/B-Utopia Farm.

3--**Lailaps (Jpn)**, 121, m, 5, French Deputy--Fusaichi Airedale (Jpn), by Sunday Silence. O-Sunday Racing; B-Northern Farm.

Margins: 1 1/2, 3/4, 1/2. Odds: 1.80, 10.3, 22.7.

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**YOUNG SIRES TOP FASIG-TIPTON TEXAS** A pair of colts from the first crops of young Storm Cat stallions proved most popular Tuesday at Fasig-Tipton's Texas Two-Year-Olds in Training Sale at Lone Star Park in Grand Prairie, Texas. Topping the day's receipts was hip 217, a Louisiana-bred colt by freshman sire Storm Passage, who sold for \$180,000 to Heiligbrodt Racing Stable. Named Righteous Brother, the dark bay/brown colt, out of Sweep and Roll (End Sweep) was consigned by Robert Brewer as agent. The graded-stakes placed Storm Passage (Storm Cat) is a full brother to GISW Tactical Cat. The second-highest price at the sale was \$170,000 for hip 308, a colt from the first crop of stakes-placed Gulf Storm (Storm Cat). Mark Cornett signed the ticket on behalf of Paul Mostert for the Florida-bred son of Cheyann Scout (Way West {Fr}), who was offered by Leprechaun Racing. Cornett also purchased the top filly at the sale, hip 285, a daughter of Siphon (Brz). A daughter of stakes-placed Bea Silver (Silver Buck), the Louisiana-bred also hailed from the Leprechaun draft. The sale's figures were down from last year's record numbers, with 183 juveniles selling for a total of \$3,263,200 and average of \$17,832. In 2006, 193 sold for \$4,476,100 at an average of \$23,192. The median dipped from \$15,000 to \$10,000. Complete results are available on [www.fasigtipton.com](http://www.fasigtipton.com). **Toppers, Statistics p2**

**TRAKUS, EQUIBASE TEAMING UP AT**

**KEENELAND** Equibase LLC and Trakus are combining their technologies to enhance handicapping options at the upcoming Keeneland meet Apr. 6-27, according to a press release. The Trakus Premium Pack, available on [www.equibase.com](http://www.equibase.com), will include enhanced video replays featuring the animated "chicklet" tiles, race simulations and an assortment of automated data charting statistics from Trakus as well as the race program and ChartPlus from Equibase. The Premium Pack will be priced at \$9.95 per card, or via subscription at \$89.95, for the 15-day Keeneland meet. "The Trakus technology added a new dimension to the fan experience at Keeneland last fall and our fans--from the newest to the most knowledgeable--were very enthused about the chicklets that were displayed on our live race broadcasts and on our LED tote board," said Nick Nicholson, President and Chief Executive Officer of Keeneland. "This is exactly the sort of thing that appeals to all of our fans and makes the sport a little less intimidating." Trakus President and Chief Executive Officer Bob McCarthy added, "Following last year's successful deployments of the Trakus system at Woodbine and Keeneland, we have been eager to introduce a slate of retail products designed to assist fans with their post-race analyses and, ultimately, heighten their understanding and enjoyment of the sport. Keeneland is an ideal race meet to introduce these product offerings, and Equibase has shown considerable support by allowing us to market these products to equibase.com's vast online audience."

**STAKES CLOSINGS**

**TOMORROW, FRIDAY, APRIL 6:**

04-29 \$250,000 *Cal National Snow Chief*,  
Hol, 3yo, ♀, 9f (250)

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**SCAT DADDY**, Winner of the **Florida Derby (GI)** 3/31 [Video](#)

O-James Scatuorchio & Michael Tabor; B-Axel Wend (KY); T-Todd Pletcher  
Sold Keeneland September 2005 for \$250,000; Earnings now \$1,334,300  
Consigned by Hunter Valley Farm; Purchased by Todd Pletcher, agent

**SPRING AT LAST**, Winner of the **Godolphin Mile (G2)** 3/31

O-J Paul Reddam & WinStar Farm LLC; B-WinStar Farm LLC (KY); T-Doug O'Neill  
Offered Keeneland November 2006 for \$675,000; Earnings now \$795,650  
Consigned by WinStar Racing, agent; Purchased by J Paul Reddam



**FASIG-TIPTON TEXAS 2YOS IN TRAINING SALE  
TUESDAY - TOP 3 LOTS**

**Hip** **Sex** **Sire** **Dam** **Price**  
**217** c Storm Passage Sweep and Roll \$180,000  
 (\$20,000 yrl '06 LOUOCT)

Consigned by Robert Brewer, Agent I  
 Purchased by Heiligbrodt Racing Stable

**308** c Gulf Storm Cheyann Scout \$170,000  
 (\$15,000 yrl '06 OBSJAN)

Consigned by Leprechaun Racing, agent  
 Purchased by Mark Cornett, agent for Paul Mostert

**285** f Siphon (Brz) Bea Silver \$115,000  
 (\$45,000 yrl '06 TEXAUG)

Consigned by Leprechaun Racing, agent  
 Purchased by Mark Cornett, agent for Paul Mostert



**FASIG-TIPTON TEXAS 2YOS  
TUESDAY, APRIL 3, 2007**

<u>Session Totals</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2006</u>
Catalogued	355	319
No. Offered	301	261
No. Sold	183	193
RNAs	118	68
% RNAs	39.2%	26.1%
Gross	\$3,263,200	\$4,476,100
Average (% change)	\$17,832 (-23.1%)	\$23,192
Median (% change)	\$10,000 (-33.3%)	\$15,000

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★ **ON THE WORKTAB** ★

**CHURCHILL DOWNS**

**Street Sense** (Street Cry {Ire}), 5f, •58.40, 1/3

**HOLLYWOOD PARK**

**A. P. Xcellent** (A.P. Indy), 5f, 1:03.00, 26/39

**Carthage** (Smoke Glacken), 4f, :49.80, 24/34

**Proudinsky (Ger)** (Silvano {Ger}), 5f, 1:03.00, 26/39

**Runaway Dancer** (Runaway Groom), 4f, :49.80, 24/34

**Three Degrees (Ire)** (Singspiel {Ire}), 3f, :37.80, 7/11

**KEENELAND**

**Asi Siempre** (El Prado {Ire}), 5f, •:59.60, 1/20

**Chekhov** (Pulpit), 5f, 1:00.00, 2/20

**Patriot Act** (A.P. Indy), 5f, 1:02.40, 15/20

**Rush Bay** (Cozzene), 4f, :51.80, 34/34

**Soul Search** (A.P. Indy), 6f, 1:16.20, 2/3

**Straight Line** (Boundary), 5f, 1:00.80, 6/20

**SANTA ANITA**

**Bob and John** (Seeking the Gold), 1m, 1:37.40, 1/1

**4:20p 8th-AQU, \$56K, Alw/Opt. Clm. (\$100,000), 4yo/up, 6f**  
**TVG JOEY P. (Close Up)**, a leading three-year-old sprinter of 2005, makes his seasonal debut in this spot. Winner of the Gill Jersey Shore Breeders' Cup S. at Monmouth in July 2005, the homebred was two-for-five last season, including victories in the John J. Reilly H. and the Longfellow S., both at the Jersey Shore. He hooks a good field, which includes GSW **Kazoo** (Tabasco Cat) and Team Valor's **Yes Yes Yes** (Yes It's True). [brisnet.com pps](http://brisnet.com pps)

**4:47p 3rd-BMX, \$39K, Alw/Opt. Clm. (\$80,000), 4yo/up, 6f**  
**HRTV HYSTERICALADY (Distorted Humor)**, victorious in last year's GII Hollywood Breeders' Cup Oaks, faces a quartet of males as she preps for the GI Humana Distaff S. on the Kentucky Derby undercard May 5. She will try to atone for her fourth-place effort in the GIII Las Flores H. Feb. 24. GSW **Areyoutalkintome (Smokester)**, winless since taking last September's Pirate's Boundy H. at Del Mar, enters this off a third in the GIII Bay Meadows Breeders' Cup Sprint H. Mar. 11. [brisnet.com pps](http://brisnet.com pps)

*All times Eastern Daylight Time.*

★ **NEW YORK** ★

**Yesterday's Results:**

**8th-AQU, \$45,000, Alw, NW2L, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10, sy.**  
**ABRAAJ (c, 4, Carson City--Kris's Intention, by Kris S.)**, runner-up in a Delaware maiden Sept. 25, filled the same spot in a seven-furlong affair over this main track Nov. 16. He continued to play the bridesmaid when second in an inner-track event Dec. 30, but put it all together in his latest, storming to a nine-length victory over the inner Mar. 3. Sent off at even-money to keep the winning streak alive, the full brother to Leelanau, GSW, \$130,827; and half to All Trumps (Grand Slam), SW, \$122,822, was bumped at the start and attended the pace from the outside. He edged to the front rounding the far turn, repulsed a bid from Mass Charles (Allen's Prospect) in upper stretch and went on to a 1 1/4-length success. The winner was a \$450,000 KEESep yearling purchase. Lifetime Record: 6-2-3-0, \$80,350. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)  
 O-Shadwell Stable. B-Kidder, Griggs, J & J Mamakos (KY). T-Kiaran P McLaughlin.



**New York Report cont.**

**3rd-AQU, \$45,000, Alw, NW2X, (S), 3yo/up, 7f, 1:23 4/5, sy.**

**BELLY RUB (c, 3, Buddha--Princess Halo, by Halo)** made the most of his two appearances over the inner track, winning his maiden at first asking versus Empire-breds Jan. 27 and overcame trouble to take a state-bred entry-level allowance tilt Feb. 23. The \$70,000 FTNAUG yearling was sent off the 3-1 second choice to clear this condition and made light work of his rivals. Quickly into stride, the half to Princess Dixie (Dixie Brass), MSW, \$513,289, set the pace, shook loose into the stretch and was ridden out to a 4 1/4-length success. Lifetime Record: 3-3-0-0, \$77,400. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O-Alvin Akman, Dove P Houghton & Andrew Eisenberg. B-Rhapsody Farm (NY). T-Dove P Houghton.

**7th-AQU, \$43,000, Alw, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10 1/5, sy.**

**GRAND REFER (c, 3, Grand Slam--Val's Jazz {MSP}, by Kentucky Jazz)** was third to Belly Rub in the Jan. 27 maiden over the inner track, but bounced back to graduate by a whopping 13 lengths Feb. 24. Even-money to go back-to-back, the chestnut sprinted to the front, dueled with Woodmere (Storm Creek) into the stretch and wore that one down for a 1 1/2-length victory. The winner sold twice as a yearling, first for \$130,000 at the Keeneland January sale and later for \$95,000 at Keeneland September. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-1, \$54,500. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O-Jim Bakke & Gerry Isbister. B-Gibraltar Group LP (NY). T-Bruce N Levine.

★ EAST ★

**Pointer Pointing Hotstuf for BC Turf:**

No one is happier than trainer Norman Pointer that this year's Breeders' Cup World Thoroughbred Championships are at Monmouth Park, the conditioner's home base. But don't expect Pointer to be sitting in the stands as a casual racegoer. He has big plans and with Running Horse Stable's **Hotstufanthensome** (Awesome Again), he feels he has a legitimate contender for the GI Breeders' Cup Turf. "I've got to get to the Breeders' Cup with him because he loves that turf course," Pointer said, referring to Monmouth Park. The seven-year-old gelding comes off a narrow runner-up effort in last Saturday's GIII Pan American H. over 12 furlongs. The effort came as no surprise to Pointer. "He brings his race to almost any track," he explained. "We don't have to worry about soft turf or things like that. We just have to worry about the competition." Pointer is eyeing the GIII Elkhorn S. at Keeneland Apr. 27 or the GIII Miami Mile Breeders' Cup H. as short-term goals for Hotstufanthensome. Further down the road, Pointer is aiming for races such as the GI United Nations S. in July and the GI Sword Dancer Invitational H. in August.

**Nearing Return, Napravnik Announces Changes:**

Jockey Anna "Rosie" Napravnik is nearing a return to the saddle as she continues to recover from three compression fractures in her thoracic back region suffered in a spill at Laurel Park Jan. 26. "My back has been feeling fine since the first couple of weeks," Napravnik said. "I really haven't had any pain in my back. The doctor said it takes 12 weeks to heal and I go back to him on April 18th. Hopefully I can get on horses on the 19th and be back two weeks later, but that will depend on how my back feels and how my fitness is." Having amassed 259 races at Laurel and Pimlico last year and having captured riding titles at all four meets, Napravnik has announced that she has hired Steve Rushing to book her mounts upon her return. Rushing is best known for bringing Edgar Prado to Maryland in 1989 and has represented Ramon Dominguez since 2000. Napravnik has also made the decision to shift her tack to Delaware Park. "I have been looking for a little more of a challenge," added Napravnik, who won 300 races in 2006 and was runner-up for the Eclipse Award for outstanding apprentice. "Delaware has a stronger colony and I have an opportunity to work with a very good agent. I'll learn a lot more up there."

**TODAY'S VIDEO HIGHLIGHTS**

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**8th-AQU (Alw \$45K) Abraaj** (Carson City) would not be denied.

**3rd-AQU (Alw \$45K) Belly Rub** (Buddha) remains undefeated in three career starts.

**7th-AQU (Alw \$43K) Grand Refer** (Grand Slam) makes it two wins in a row.

**8th-OPX (Alw \$36K) Moon Catcher** (Malibu Moon) stays perfect going two turns.

**7th-SAX (Alw \$56.7K) Cantabria** (GB) (Dansili {GB}) comes flying in the lane.

**KEENELAND - 2007 SALES DATES**

<b>April 2yos</b>	<b>Apr. 17</b>
<b>September Yearling</b>	<b>Sept. 10-23</b>
<b>November Breeding Stock</b>	<b>Nov. 4-17</b>
<a href="http://www.keeneland.com">www.keeneland.com</a>	



## ★ CENTRAL ★

### Taylor Made Sells Paramount Interest to Partners:

Taylor Made Sales Agency has announced that it has sold its interest in Paramount Sales to Pat Costello and Gabriel Duignan, the day-to-day operators of the agency. In 2006, Paramount was the ninth leading consignor by gross auction sales in North America. "Over the last 12 months, Paramount has become truly Pat's and Gabriel's company," said Taylor Made's Mark Taylor. "They do all the work and we believe everyone will be better served allowing them to move forward without Taylor Made as a passive investor. Costello added, "We have accomplished a lot in a short time and we are excited about the opportunity to move the agency to the next level in the years to come. Taylor Made has been a great partner and we would like to thank them for their contribution to Paramount."

### Yesterday's Results:

**8th-OPX, \$36,000, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000), NW2\$X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:39 2/5, ft.**

**MOON CATCHER (f, 3, [Malibu Moon](#)--[Smartster](#), by [Smarten](#))** debuted with a runner-up effort at this track Jan. 21 and came back to post a 3 1/4-length tally Feb. 8. Third in her first allowance test Feb. 24, the bay stretched to two turns for the first time in her latest and was along in the final jump to score by a neck. Well-handled while saving ground off the pace, the \$49,000 FTMDEC weanling and \$75,000 KEESEP yearling slipped through an opening at the rail turning for home and kicked away to take it by a widening 2 1/2-length margin. Favored Grandmas' Girl (Miesque's Son) was second. The winner is a half to Smarten Up (Baederwood), SW, \$141,225. Lifetime Record: 5-3-1-1, \$71,600. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#) O-CJZ Racing Stable & Timothy F Ritchey. B-Albert H Cohen, Randy L Cohen & A Ferris Allen III (MD). T-Timothy F Ritchey.

## ★ SO. CALIFORNIA ★

### Lava Man OK After Duty Free:

No problems have emerged after **Lava Man** (Slew City Slew) ran last in the G1 Dubai Duty Free Mar. 31. The six-year-old set the pace before stopping badly turning for home in the 1777-meter turf race at Nad al Sheba. "So far, all accounts are that he looks fantastic," said trainer Doug O'Neill. "He scoped clean, although he ran like he bled. He just doesn't like running out of California. It took us five times to figure that out, but now we know." O'Neill added, "The main thing is getting him back and making sure he's healthy, and not looking forward to the next race."

### Yesterday's Results:

**7th-SAX, \$56,790, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$62,500), NW2X, 4yo/up, f/m, a6 1/2fT, 1:12 1/5, fm.**

**CANTABRIA (GB) (f, 4, [Dansili {GB}](#)--[Valencia {GB}](#), by [Kenmare {Fr}](#))** had a pair of Group 3 placings in England last year for trainer Sir Michael Stoute, but failed to make the frame in her final three starts across the pond and was turned over to Bobby Frankel. The dark bay posted an impressive allowance victory in her U.S. bow over Hollywood's Cushion Track Dec. 6 before faltering as the even-money chalk in the GII El Encino S. Jan. 14 at Santa Anita and was given some time to regroup. Bet down to even-money for her return to grass, Cantabria raced in midpack down the hill and looked a bit tentative crossing the main track, but accelerated smartly in the stretch to find the wire a half-length in front of Categorize (Menifee), with Arm Candy (Ire) (Nashwan) the same distance back in third. The winner, a Juddmonte homebred, is a half-sister to Irish Vale (GB) (Wolfhound), SW-GB; and Deportivo (GB) (Night Shift), GSW-Ire & SW-GB, \$249,449. She was produced by a half-sister to champion Wandesta (Nashwan). [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#) Lifetime Record: MGSP-GB, 13-3-4-1, \$134,057. O/B-Juddmonte Farms Ltd (GB). T-Robert J Frankel.

**1st-SAX, \$37,600, Msw, (S), 2yo, f, 2f, :21 4/5, ft.**  
**+ STAR OF MUQTARIB (f, 2, [Muqtarib](#)--[Forget You](#), by [Lil Tyler](#))** was sent off at debut odds of 5-1 for a barn clicking right now with better than one of every three of its runners. A bit slowly into stride, the bay went on the attack outside of horses and was along late to tag To B. Devon (Devon Lane) with a head defeat. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$21,600. O-Robert J Meyers Sr. B-Exotic Soup Stables (CA). T-Frank J Monteleone.

### Hollywood to Move to Double Draw on Sundays:

Hollywood Park announced yesterday that beginning with the 2007 Spring/Summer Meet, the track will include a double draw on Sundays for entries. The move means a 72-hour entry box draw for Wednesday's card and a 96-hour box for Thursday's. In keeping with a recommendation last fall of the California Horse Racing Board, racing secretary Martin Panza has set the following entry schedule for the Spring/Summer Meet, which opens Wednesday, Apr. 25, and runs through Sunday, July 15. Entries for Wednesday and Thursday programs will be conducted on Sunday. Friday entries will be taken Tuesday, Saturday entries on Wednesday and Sunday entries on Thursday. According to a Hollywood Park press release, the earlier entry schedule was recommended at a CHRB meeting last October with the intention of making "it easier for horsemen to plan medication and workout schedules and to allow more time for publicizing races."



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**RECORD SMASHED AT DBS BREEZE-UP**

Doncaster Bloodstock Sales Company's Breeze-Up began in spectacular style with a new sale record yesterday when [hip 73](#) was knocked down to John O'Byrne for 245,000 guineas. The agent, accompanied by Paul Shanahan and Tim Hyde, had to shake off interest from dual-purpose trainer Howard Johnson to secure the Danzig colt, who was consigned by Sheila and Bobby O'Ryan's Kirriemuir Stud on behalf of Valentine Feerick. The winning bid, which easily outstripped the previous record of 150,000 guineas realized for a Sadler's Wells colt two years ago, returned a handsome profit on the \$180,000 shelled out for the full brother to dual stakes winner Wasseema at last year's Keeneland September sale. O'Byrne indicated the colt will join Newmarket handler Jeremy Nosedo. Next place on the podium went to [hip 91](#), a filly from the first crop of Lane's End sire Mineshaft offered by Tally-Ho Stud. She also came via the Keeneland September sale. The second foal out of the Nureyev mare Carinae--whose first is already a winner--was knocked down to trainer Bryan Smart for 80,000 guineas, an improvement on last year's \$50,000 price tag. Impressive trade throughout saw the session aggregate advance over 19 percent to 2,547,000 guineas, while the average and median also saw significant increases. The former was up almost 38 percent to 33,078 guineas while the latter jumped one-fifth to 24,000 guineas. Reflecting on the day's trade, DBS Managing Director Henry Beeby said, "We are indebted to Mr. Feerick for, once again, showing supreme confidence in DBS and sending us this spectacular colt. The horse breezed exceptionally well and we look forward to following his progress. His price proves yet again that DBS achieves the very best prices when we have the ammunition and the overall figures illustrate that the DBS Breeze-Up has again taken a significant step forward." Selling concludes today and full results, which also features the breezes in video, can be viewed at [www.dbsauctions.com](http://www.dbsauctions.com). Toppers, p6

**Second-crop starters to watch: Thursday, April 5**

*Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 2003 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/SW Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)*

**BEAUTIFUL INDY** (A.P. Indy), Knockgriffin, 16/3/0  
 8-LRL, Alw, 1mT, Love It Hot, \$35K FTK NOV wnl, 8-1

**LORD OF THE DANCE** (Polish Numbers) 4/1/0  
 8-LRL, Alw, 1mT, Darento, 20-1

★ WEST ★

**Yesterday's Results:**

**4th-BMX, \$41,330, Msw, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:11 1/5, ft.**  
 + **MASTER HELMSMAN (g, 4, Helmsman--Maui Slewpy J, by Slewpy)** turned in a bullet six-furlong move in 1:14 Mar. 21, but was dismissed in the wagering at 11-1. Outsprinted in the early going, the homebred got an inside run turning for home and pulled away late to a three-length victory. Mim's Man (Helmsman) dead-heated with Fritz Grau (Restless Con) for the place spot. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$22,237.  
 O/B-Clifford & Barbara Delima (CA). T-Clifford DeLima.

**1st-BMX, \$29,940, Msw, 2yo, 2f, :22 2/5, ft.**  
 + **RUN BROTHER RON (c, 2, Perfect Mandate--Aloha Mangos {MSP, \$194,245}, by Bold Badgett),** a \$40,000 NCASEP yearling purchased, was bet down into 7-10 favoritism to open his account at first asking. Smoothly into stride from the three-hole, the chestnut set the pace and lugged in a bit late, but held off Shadow King (Future Storm) to score by 3/4 of a length. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$16,302.  
 O-George & Mary Clare Schmitt. B-SLU Inc (CA). T-Jeff Bonde.

★ AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS ★

**IN BRITAIN:**

**Weekend Fling, f, 3, [Forest Wildcat](#). See "Britain."**

**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.**

<b>DBS BREEZE-UP SALE</b>		
<b>WEDNESDAY, APR. 4, 2007</b>		
<b>SESSION TOTALS</b>	<b>2007</b>	<b>2006</b>
No. Offered	99	107
No. Sold	77	89
RNAs	22	18
% RNA	22.2%	16.8%
Gross	2,547,000gns	2,137,300gns
Average (% change)	33,078gns (+37.7%)	24,015gns
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**DERBY EXTRAS** Five horses were added to the June 2 G1 Epsom Derby as yesterday's €8,000 second entry stage taking the total number of entries for the Epsom showpiece to 170. Godolphin has added **Dijeer** (Danzig) and **Mythical Kid** (Lemon Drop Kid). The pair finished first and second in last term's G3 Horris Hill S. when trained by Michael Jarvis and Sir Michael Stoute, respectively. Their addition takes trainer Saeed bin Suroor's contingent up to 15. Lambourn trainer Barry Hills, still seeking his first Derby success having trained four runners-up, has added the Gainsborough-owned **Dubai Twilight (GB)** (Alhaarth {Ire}), while Irish trainer Eoin Griffin has entered **Finicius** (Officer), who finished fifth in last year's G3 Anglesey S. **Kid Mambo** (Lemon Drop Kid), runner up in the G3 Autumn S., completes the quintet of additions for local handler Terry Mills. "It is always exciting to see further Vodafone Derby contenders emerging at the second entry stage and taking up the sporting challenge," commented Epsom's Managing Director Stephen Wallis. "Whilst not wanting to appear biased, it is wonderful to see the locally trained Kid Mambo added to the field and, hopefully, he will be able to fly the Epsom flag at Epsom Downs on the first Saturday in June."

**REVERENCE FOR TEMPLE Reverence (GB)** (Mark of Esteem {Ire}), last term's champion sprinter, will make his seasonal return in the May 31 G2 Temple S. at Sandown, a race he won last year en route to victories in the G1 Nunthorpe S. at York and G1 Sprint Cup at Haydock. Those races could be in the cards for the six-year-old gelding, who, having spent a winter break in the care of owner Gary Middlebrook, is now back at trainer Eric Alston's Lancashire base. "He's been back with me about 10 days and goes to the Temple S.," Alston told *PA Sport*. "Hopefully, we'll take a similar route to last year, so let's hope for a nice spring and a wet summer. He's in good order."

**NEW PLANS FOR ICON** Last term's G1 St Leger winner **Sixties Icon (GB)** (Galileo {Ire}), who bypassed last weekend's G1 Dubai Sheema Classic in order to target the Apr. 21 G3 John Porter S. at Newbury, will now miss the latter engagement, trainer Jeremy Nosedá has revealed. Paul and Susan Roy's Classic winner will instead point to the May 6 G2 Jockey Club S. at Newmarket or the May 11 G3 Ormonde S. The Newmarket handler said on his website, [www.jeremynosedá.com](http://www.jeremynosedá.com), "Sixties Icon is a good, solid type of horse and has kept progressing all through his life. He has just recently had a little bit of a cough, so will miss the John Porter S. at Newbury. The plan now is to go straight to the Jockey Club S. or the Ormonde. If things went well at that stage, then we may have a tilt at the [G1] Coronation Cup [Royal Ascot, June 22]."

**DONCASTER APRIL BREEZE UP  
WEDNESDAY - TOP 5 LOTS**

Hip	Sex	Sire	Dam	Price (gns)
<u>73</u>	c	Danzig	Vantive	245,000
			(\$180,000 yrl '06 KEESEP)	
			Consigned by Kirriemuir Stud	
			Purchased by John O'Byrne	
<u>91</u>	f	Mineshaft	Carinae	80,000
			(\$50,000 yrl '06 KEESEP)	
			Consigned by Talley-Ho Stud	
			Purchased by Bryan Smart	
<u>68</u>	f	Bahamian Bounty (GB)	Daltak (GB)	70,000
			(30,000gns yrl '06 DONSEP)	
			Consigned by Bloodstock Connection	
			Purchased by Peter Doyle Bloodstock	
<u>84</u>	f	Galileo (Ire)	Shewillifshewants (Ire)	70,000
			Consigned by Gaybrooke Lodge Stud	
			Purchased by Stephen Hillen	
<u>82</u>	f	Johannesburg	White Bridle (Ire)	68,000
			(\$35,000 wnlg '05 KEENOV)	
			Consigned by Suir View Stables	
			Purchased by Amanda Skiffington	

★ BRITAIN ★

**Yesterday's Results:**

**WEATHERBYS BANK FURTHER FLIGHT S.-Listed**, £26,000, Nottingham, 4-4, 4yo/up, 14f 15ydsT, 3:07.35, gd/fm.

- 1--**#MOUNT KILIMANJARO (IRE)**, 123, c, 4, **Sadler's Wells--Hill of Snow (GB)**, by **Reference Point (GB)**. O-L Neil Jones; B-Abergwaun Farms; T-John Dunlop; J-Jimmy Fortune; £14,763. Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-0, £18,131. \*1/2 to Preseli (Ire) (Caerleon), Hwt. 2yo Filly-Ire, Hwt. 3yo Filly at 9.5-10.5f, G1SW-Ire, SP-US, \$219,376; Snowfire (GB) (Machiavellian), G1SP-Eng, \$125,455; full to Kong (Ire), GSW-Ire, \$135,335.
  - 2--**The Last Drop (Ire)**, 123, c, 4, Galileo (Ire)--Epping (GB), by Charnwood Forest (Ire). (80,000gns yrl '04 TATOCT). £5,595.
  - 3--**Under the Rainbow (GB)**, 118, f, 4, Fantastic Light--Farfala (Fr), by Linamix (Fr). (52,000gns yrl '04 TATOCT). £2,800.
- Margins: NK, HF, NK. Odds: 20-1, 5-4, 14-1.  
Also Ran: Hawridge Prince (GB), Geordieland (Fr), Hovering (Ire), Group Catain (GB), Sienna Storm (Ire).  
Stepping up from a maiden sixth to subsequent G1 Epsom Derby fourth Hala Bek (Ire) at Newbury last April, Mount Kilimanjaro was an easy winner at Chepstow May 29 before suffering an injury when eighth in the June 23 G3 Queen's Vase at Royal Ascot last time. Returning off a 285-day break for this marathon, the 20-1 outsider created a shock with a tenacious display to earn a first stakes success here.
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**Further Flight S. cont.**

Mount Kilimanjaro stalked the pace until taking the lead with three furlongs remaining and was headed soon after, but rallied under a drive and was all out to hold the late-closing favorite The Last Drop. "He's a nice horse and ran a good race in the Vase when he broke a bone in a hind joint, which is the reason he's been off for so long," explained trainer John Dunlop. "He did a nice piece of work last week, I was worried about the ground, but it turned out perfect for him. I suspect we might be going to York for the G2 Yorkshire Cup [May 18] which is the obvious progression."

**Catterick, 4.20, Mdn, £5,000, 3yo/up, 5f 212ydsT, 1:12.94, gd/fm.**

**WEEKEND FLING (f, 3, Forest Wildcat--Woodman's Dancer {MGSP, \$298,486}, by Woodman)** went postward as the 1-2 favorite returning from a third at Thirsk July 4. Quickly into stride to set the tone, the \$120,000 KEESEP yearling was pushed clear approaching the final eighth and coasted to the wire for an easy 2 1/2-length score from Kyrenia Girl (Ire) (King Charlemagne). Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-1, £5,550. O-Mr & Mrs Christopher Wright; B-Grapestock LLC; T-Mark Johnston.

★ ITALY ★

**Yesterday's Result:**

**Milan, 5.10, Cond, €27,000, 3yo, f, 1mT, 1:42.60, sf.**  
**PASSIONATE GIRL (IRE) (f, 3, Grand Lodge--Isticanna {SW-Ity}, by Far North)** won a 7 1/2-furlong conditions event here Mar. 21 and started this as the crowd's 17-10 choice to continue in the same vein. Racing fifth through the early stages, the €62,000 GOFORB yearling made continued headway to lead approaching the final furlong and was ridden out late to best Biz Bar (GB) (Tobougg {Ire}) by 2 1/4 lengths. The winner is a half to Whatcombe (Alleged), SW-Ity; and Chancellor (Ire) (Halling), MGSW-Eng, GSW-Ire, MGSP-Fr, \$440,722. Lifetime Record: 4-3-0-1, €33,099. O-Eugenia Farm SRL; B-Norelands Bloodstock; T-Alduino & Giuseppe Botti.

**Tuesday's Late Results:**

**Rome, 3.10, Cond, €22,500, 3yo, 1 3/16mT, time: n/a, gd.**  
**TRADIGREY (ITY) (c, 3, Traditionally--Sadlers Grey {Ire}, by Sadler's Wells)** broke through on debut at Milan Oct. 21 and returned for this seasonal bow off a fourth here last time Nov. 11. Leading from the bell, the 7-5 choice slipped away from the pack off the home turn and was pushed out inside the final quarter to account for Eternity Boy (Ire) (Monashee Mountain) by an easy 2 1/2 lengths. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, €20,400. O-Azienda Agricola Antezzate SRL; B-Scuderia Siba SPA; T-Alduino & Giuseppe Botti.

★ EUROPEAN-BRED WINNERS ★

**IN HONG KONG:**

**Dare to Win (Ire), g, 4, Fayruz (GB)--Notluckytochange (Ire) (GSP-Ire), by King of Clubs (GB).** Happy Valley, 4-4, Hcp., 1650mT. B-Patrick Grace. \*Formerly Lucky Symphony (Ire). \*\*€16,000 yrl '04 GOFORB.  
**Winning Reward (Ire), g, 6, Cadeaux Genereux (GB)--Fernanda (GB) (GSP-Eng), by Be My Chief.** Happy Valley, 4-4, Hcp., 1650mT. B-Gerrardstown House. \*Formerly Favourite Nation (Ire). \*\*€320,000 yrl '02 GOFORB.  
**Star Prodigy (Ire), g, 6, Danehill--Golden Cat (SP-Ire), by Storm Cat.** Happy Valley, 4-4, Hcp., 1650mT. \*Formerly Celtic Cat. B-Stonethorn Stud Farms Ltd. \*SP-Eng. \*\*220,000gns yrl '02 TATOCT.



AUSTRALASIA



**CHURCHILL DOWNS TO BLUE GUM FARM**

**Churchill Downs (Aus) (Danehill--Silken Whisper, by Diesis {GB})** has been retired and will stand the 2007 season at Blue Gum Farm in Euroa, Victoria. The A\$950,000 Magic Millions yearling purchase will stand for A\$12,000, plus GST. "This very talented, cracking good sort of colt represented one of the last opportunities to secure a son of the incomparable sire of sires Danehill," said Blue Gum Farm studmaster Philip Campbell. "Churchill Downs was a legitimate Group 1 performer at both two and three years of age, and we believe that his own precocious talent will see him prove to be a valuable addition to the Australian breeding industry." A winner in his debut, the bay followed that with another score in the Listed Widden S. at Randwick. Runner-up in the Magic Millions 2yo Classic, the colt finished third behind Miss Finland (Aus) in the G1 Golden Slipper S. At three, Churchill Downs won the G2 Bill Stutt S. and ran second in the G1 Ascot Vale S. The bay retires with three wins from 15 starts and earnings of A\$763,875.



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**FOALING NEWS**

**MISS ANABAA (GB), 8, Anabaa--Midnight Shift (Ire), by Night Shift**  
 Foal born Mar. 3, a colt by Oasis Dream (GB). Will be bred back to Oasis Dream (GB). Owned by Chris Mills. Boarded at Lanwades, GB. Accomplishments: GSW-Ire & SP-Fr, \$116,044.



## BREEDERS' EDITION AMERICA

**ALLOWANCE RESULTS:**

**7th-LRL, \$40,000, NW3\$6MX, 4yo/up, 1m (off turf), 1:39 3/5, sy.**

**YOUR BLUFFING (g, 7, Pine Bluff--You'renotlistening {GSW, \$372,000}, by Kennedy Road) Lifetime Record: MSW, 48-16-8-3, \$508,623. O-R D M Racing Stable. B-Edwin C & Melissa Anthony (KY). T-Michael J Trombetta. \*\$8,000 yrl '01 KEESEP.**

**6th-LRL, \$38,000, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000-\$35,000), C, 4yo/up, 7f, 1:24 1/5, sy.**

**KELP (g, 6, Sea of Secrets--Tuesday Edition, by Gold Alert) Lifetime Record: 17-5-4-2, \$131,709. O-Nancy Clark & Fred Heyman. B-Thomas/Lakin/Kintz/Newton (KY). T-Michael J Trombetta. \*\$250,000 2yo '03 FTFFEB. \*\*1/2 to Sea Span (Valid Expectations), MSW, \$272,657; and Agnes Wing (End Sweep), SW-Jpn, \$1,203,110.**

**10th-SUN, \$37,700, 4-3, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000), 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:42 1/5, ft.**

**GUIDING HAND (g, 4, Helmsman--Sarah's Echo, by Compliment) Lifetime Record: SW, 16-6-3-1, \$139,012. O-Frontier Stables LLC. B-Charlotte M Wrather (CA). T-Chris A Hartman. \*\$4,000 yrl '04 BESOCT.**

### ✓ APPOINTMENTS

**JESSE CHOPER**

- Appointed by Governor Arnold Schwarzenegger to the California Horse Racing Board.
- Served as a law clerk to U.S. Supreme Court Chief Justice Earl Warren.
- Professor at the University of Pennsylvania's Wharton School and the University of Minnesota Law School.
- Served as dean for 10 years and University of California's Boalt Hall.
- Continues as a law professor at the University of California at Berkeley.
- "I know that it is an industry that has undergone enormous change," said Choper. "I'm not familiar with racing in other parts of the country as I am in California, but I believe the problems are the same everywhere. There aren't enough fans at the live races. Inter-track wagering partly explains that. Whatever the reasons, it is important to turn things around. The sport and the industry ultimately depend on live racing."

**7th-OPX, \$36,000, NW3L, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11 2/5, ft.**

**CINTAROSA (f, 4, [Grand Slam](#)--Silver Stockings {MSW, \$162,443}, by Seattle Sleet) Lifetime Record: 13-3-2-3, \$102,040. O-Grunwald Racing LLC. B-Inwood Farms, Andrew Savas & Grand Slam Farm LLC (KY). T-Steven M Asmussen. \*\$60,000 wlng '03 KEENOV; \$100,000 yrl '04 KEESEP; \$500,000 2yo '05 FTFFEB. \*\*1/2 to Gotta Rush (Wild Rush), SW, \$244,206.**

**4th-LRL, \$34,000, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000-\$20,000), NW2X, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8m, 1:55 3/5, sy.**

**HONOR STUDENT (m, 6, Crafty Friend--Phi Beta {SP}, by Horatius) Lifetime Record: 40-6-10-3, \$169,136. O-Herbert B Mittenthal. B-Liberation Farm & Le Jardin (KY). T-Vernon J Allinson. \*\$17,000 yrl '02 KEESEP.**

**9th-SUN, \$30,700, 4-3, NW2L, 3yo, (S), 6f, 1:11, ft.**

**CATCH THE BEAN (g, 3, Thatsusinthelbean--Charisma, by Turkoman) Lifetime Record: 9-2-5-0, \$64,641. O-Chris Jackson. B-C P & Tina Hourigan (NM). T-Bart Hone. \*\$6,000 yrl '05 ARZOCT.**

**9th-MNR, \$27,800, 4-3, NW2L, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:41 1/5, ft.**

**INTEND TO LEAVE (IRE) (h, 5, Dubai Millennium {GB}--Sheer Audacity {Ire}, by Troy {GB}) Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-0, \$33,057. O/T-Dale Baird. B-Mrs Max Morris (Ire). \*1/2 to Pelder (Ire) (Be My Guest), Hwt. 2yo Colt-ly, Hwt. Older Horse-Fr at 9.5-11f, MG1SW-Ity, G1SW-Fr, \$166,599-Fr; Sheer Danzig (Ire) (Roi Danzig), SW-Eng, \$242, 219; and Oath (Ire) (Fairy King), Hwt. 3yo-Eng at 11-14f, G1SW-Eng, \$1,040,019.**

**11th-SUN, \$27,400, 4-3, NW2L, 3yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:16 1/5, ft.**

**PISTOL CREEK (g, 4, [Forest Wildcat](#)--Dearest Dream, by Carnivalay) Lifetime Record: 13-2-3-2, \$50,302. O-Double Kee LLC. B-New Farm (NJ). T-O Dwain Grissom. \*\$35,000 yrl '04 KEESEP.**

**ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**

**Hoops, c, 3, [Forest Camp](#)--Runaway Dream (SW & GSP, \$131,406), by Runaway Groom. GPX, 4-4, (C), 1 1/8mT, 1:47 2/5. B-John James (KY). \*\$50,000 2yo 2006 OBSMAR; \$37,000 yrl '05 KEESEP.**

**Spoils of Excess, g, 3, In Excess (Ire)--Cosmetic Lift, by Miswaki. SAX, 4-4, (S), 6f, 1:09 3/5. B-Foothills Farm (CA). \*\$49,000 yrl '05 BESOCT. \*\*1/2 to Show and Tell (Sewickley), MSW, \$252,475; and Oneofthebirdboys (Pleasant Tap), SW, \$119,484.**

**Victorious Affair, c, 3, [Victory Gallop](#)--Misstress (SW, \$153,123), by Claramount. AQU, 4-4, (S), 6f, 1:11. B-Tea Party Stable Inc (NY). \*\$25,000 yrl '05 FTNAUG.**



## BREEDERS' EDITION EUROPE

**CONDITIONS RESULTS:**

**ITALY, Rome, 4.40**, 4-3, €19,800, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:48.70, gd.

**PAULA FRANK (GB) (m, 5, Royal Applause {GB}--Rigging {GB}, by Warning {GB})** Lifetime Record: 31-9-8-5, €75,625. O-Ernesta Micocci; B-Ilyas Cokay; T-Salvatore Santella. \*€8,000 wnlg '02 GOFNOV.

**BRITAIN, Lingfield, 4.00**, £12,000, 3yo, 7f (AWT), 1:26.25, stn.

**MAJURO (IRE) (c, 3, Danetime {Ire}--First Fling {Ire}, by Last Tycoon {Ire})** Lifetime Record: 7-4-1-1, £21,411. O-Capital; B-Tally-Ho Stud; T-Mick Channon. \*16,000gns yrl '05 TATOCT.

**BRITAIN, Nottingham, 3.10**, £10,000, 3yo/up, 5f 13ydsT, :59.79, gd/fm.

**FIRE UP THE BAND (GB) (g, 8, Prince Sabo {GB}--Green Supreme {GB}, by Primo Dominie {GB})** Lifetime Record: GSW-Eng, G1SP-Fr, 44-9-3-7, £252,530. O-A A Bloodstock Ltd; B-A J Rawding & P M Crane; T-David Nicholls. \*20,000gns yrl '00 DONSEP. \*\*1/2 to Sampower Star (GB) (Cyrano de Bergerac {Ire}), MGSW & G1SP-Eng, GSW-Fr, \$343,906; \$416,086; Strike Up the Band (GB) (Cyrano de Bergerac {Ire}), GSW-Eng, SW-Fr, \$199,576.

**ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**

**Fred's Lad (GB)**, g, 2, **Warningford (GB)**--Lawless Bridget (GB), by Alnasr Alwasheek (GB). Nottingham, Britain, 4-4, Mdn, 2yo, 5f 13ydsT. B-A C M Spalding.  
**Chattan Clan (GB)**, g, 3, **Kyllachy (GB)**--Shona, by Lyphard. Lingfield, Britain, 4-4, Mdn, 3yo, 7f (AWT). B-S J & Mrs Pembroke. \*10,500gns yrl '05 DONSEP.

### TATTERSALLS 2007 SALES DATES

<b>Craven Breeze-Up</b>	<b>Apr. 17-19</b>
<b>Guineas Breeze-Up</b>	<b>May 3-4</b>
<b>July Sale</b>	<b>July 9-13</b>
<b>October Yearlings - 1</b>	<b>Oct. 9-12</b>
<b>October Yearlings - 2</b>	<b>Oct. 16-20</b>
<b>Autumn Horses in Training</b>	<b>Oct. 29-Nov. 1</b>
<b>October Yearlings - 3</b>	<b>Nov. 2-3</b>
<b>December Yearlings</b>	<b>Nov. 26</b>
<b>December Foals</b>	<b>Nov. 27-Dec. 1</b>
<b>December Breeding Stock</b>	<b>Dec. 3-7</b>

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## FOALING NEWS

**GILDED DIABLO**, 10, Diablo--Gilded Moment, by Timeless Moment  
 Foal born Feb. 17, a colt by Pleasantly Perfect.  
 Will be bred back to Rock Hard Ten.  
 Owned by Diamond A Racing Corp.  
 Boarded at Diamond A, Ky.  
 Accomplishments: SW.

**FLAG OF FREEDOM**, 17, Fappiano--Inherit the Flag, by Hoist the Flag  
 Foal born Feb. 24, a colt by Salt Lake.  
 Will be bred back to Salt Lake.  
 Owned by and boarded at Golden Eagle Farm.  
 Accomplishments: Dam of Chief Planner (General Meeting), SW & MGSP, \$279,192.

**JEANIE'S GIFT**, 17, Gulch--Special Gift, by Seattle Slew  
 Foal born Feb. 25, a colt by Mineshaft.  
 Will be bred back to Henny Hughes.  
 Owned by Machmer Hall and Chip Montgomery.  
 Boarded at Machmer Hall, Ky.  
 Accomplishments: Dam of Elaborate (Gilded Time), GSW, \$565,852; No Malo (Bien Bien), SP.

**ALTERNATE**, 8, Seattle Slew--Strike a Balance, by Green Dancer  
 Foal born Feb. 26, a colt by Seeking the Gold.  
 Will be bred back to Distorted Humor.  
 Owned by and boarded at Pin Oak Stud, Ky.  
 Accomplishments: MSW & MGSP, \$550,695.

**ELUSIVE DIVA**, 6, Elusive Quality--Taj Aire, by Taj Alriyadh  
 Foal born Feb. 26, a colt by Distorted Humor.  
 Will be bred back to Bernardini.  
 Owned by Guy & Dede Snowden.  
 Boarded at Denali Stud, Ky.  
 Accomplishments: MGSW & GISP, \$484,510.

**EXTEND**, 9, Unbridled's Song--Home Leave, by Alydar  
 Foal born Feb. 26, a colt by Ghostzapper.  
 Will be bred back to Forestry.  
 Owned by Aaron and Marie Jones.  
 Boarded at Taylor Made, Ky.  
 Accomplishments: MSW of \$436,856.

**LARAMIE MOON (ARG)**, 20, Laramie Trail--Reprise (Arg), by Rigolo (Arg)  
 Foal born Feb. 26, a colt by Johar.  
 Will be bred back to Johar.  
 Owned by Henry Pabst, Sr.  
 Boarded at Mill Ridge, Ky.  
 Accomplishments: GISW-US & GSW-Arg, \$207,575-US. Dam of Woodmoon (Woodman), SW & MGSP, \$450,479.