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## HEADLINE NEWS

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### MASSCAP TO RETURN SEPT. 22

Suffolk Downs' Massachusetts H., which hasn't been contested since 2004 due to the financial woes of the East Boston track, returns to the race calendar this year and will be run on Saturday, Sept. 22. Last held as a



**Offlee Wild (outside) defeats Funny Cide and The Lady's Groom in the 2004 MassCap**  
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Grade II event, the race which has been won by the likes of Seabiscuit and Whirlaway is ineligible for graded status because of the hiatus. Scheduled five weeks prior to the Breeders' Cup World Championships, the MassCap will carry a base purse of \$500,000, as well as a lucrative bonus program, Suf-

folk Downs announced yesterday. "Bringing back the MassCap is just one component of our ongoing commitment to reinvigorate Thoroughbred racing in New England through our work at Suffolk Downs," said Richard Fields, the newest member of the track's ownership team. "The MassCap put horse racing at Suffolk Downs on the map, and provided the backdrop for legendary Thoroughbreds like Seabiscuit and Cigar to make history. I believe that great riders and horses will once again make history at Suffolk Downs, and today I'm delighted to formally announce the return of the MassCap." In addition to the winner's share of \$300,000, the victor of the race will be eligible for a pair of bonus opportunities. An additional \$200,000 will be awarded if the winner won multiple Grade/Group I stakes races at a mile or longer in 2007, and an additional \$100,000 will be awarded if the winner won one Grade/Group I stakes race and at least one other graded stakes race at a mile or longer in 2007. "The combination of a strong base purse, the substantial bonuses that we have in place, and the positioning of the race on the racing calendar will enable us to attract the strongest possible field," said Jim Pambianchi, Suffolk Downs' director of racing and racing secretary.

### CURLIN STRETCHES LEGS; HASKELL NEXT?

Stonestreet Farm, Padua Stable, George Bolton and Midnight Cry Stable's **Curlin** (Smart Strike) yesterday hit the track for the first time since his runner-up finish



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to Rags to Riches in Saturday's GI Belmont S., galloping a mile at Churchill Downs. The chestnut looks to have bounced out of the Classic in superb form, leaving trainer Steve Asmussen grasping for superlatives. "He's unbelievable," said the beaming horseman. "It's so awesome. I cannot tell you how it feels to watch him go off just like the horse that we've been spoiled with every day that we've ever seen him. How do you do that and look like that? He went off like he did the first day I saw him at the Fair Grounds. He just dropped his head and went off. It's amazing--he's an amazing horse." Asmussen said the colt will enjoy a lighter training schedule for now. Current plans call for Curlin's next start to come in the Aug. 5 GI Haskell Invitational at Monmouth, the site of this year's Breeders' Cup.

### FLASHY BULL JOINS STEPHEN FOSTER FIELD

West Point Thoroughbreds' **Flashy Bull** (Holy Bull) was an 11th-hour addition to Saturday's GI Stephen Foster H. at Churchill Downs, completing a field of eight vying for a \$750,000 purse. Trainer Kiaran McLaughlin had earlier decided against shipping the improving gray to Louisville for the nine-furlong race, but had a change of heart after gauging the colt's progress since his narrow victory over Hesanoldsalt in the GIII William Donald Schaefer H. at Pimlico May 19. "He is doing extremely well," McLaughlin said. "We thought, 'Let's go for the \$750,000 Grade I.' It could really help us a lot down the road as a stallion. He's gotten so good--that's the time you need to take on some better horses." Complete Foster field, p4



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## G1 WINNER #21?

Group winner Mrs Lindsay runs second in the  
Prix de Diane Hermes (G1) on June 10th.



☆ NEWS TODAY ☆

**COTTON BLOSSOM TO DELAWARE OAKS**

Dogwood Stable's **Cotton Blossom** (Broken Vow), fresh off the biggest win of her career in last Saturday's G1



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Acorn S. on the Belmont undercard, will now be pointed toward the July 14, \$500,000 GII Delaware Oaks, announced Dogwood President Cot Campbell. "Our filly danced four big dances in what is considered a relatively short period of time nowadays, and could use the five

weeks between the Acorn and the Delaware Oaks," said Campbell. Cotton Blossom, who is likely to try for a second Grade I in a Saratoga stakes later this summer, is trained by Todd Pletcher.

☆ CLASSIC CORNER ☆

**Regal Targeted at Derby**

Andre Fabre has revealed that Peter Savill and Susan Magnier's **Royal and Regal (Ire)** (Sadler's Wells) will be aimed at the July 1 G1 Irish Derby. Despite his entry in the G3 Prix du Lys at Longchamp on Tuesday, the Listed Prix de l'Avre scorer will head straight to the Curragh Classic. "It would be too close to the Irish Derby to run next week, and I believe his win at Longchamp was a good enough preparation," he told the *Racing Post*. "He won on heavy there, but he can act on any ground."

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 **ROYAL ASCOT**

**REBEL REVVED UP**

Trainer Geoff Huffer yesterday issued a confident bulletin on the dual Classic hero **Cockney Rebel (Ire)** (Val Royal {Fr}) as he heads toward Tuesday's G1 St James's Palace S. at Royal Ascot. Phil Cunningham's G1 2000 Guineas and G1 Irish 2000 Guineas winner impressed in his exercise spin as he gears up for the mile contest, for which 11 stood their ground at yesterday's five-day stage. "He worked brilliantly and in the last furlong skipped 15 lengths clear of his regular lead horse, Banjo Patterson," the conditioner told *PA Sport* yesterday. "He does like it quick, but if it's good ground that wouldn't worry me. His time at Newmarket was the third-best ever and if they dawdle at Ascot it won't faze him."

Among the opposition on Tuesday will be the selection of a five-strong declared entry from Ballydoyle including the G1 Poule d'Essai des Poulains (French 2000 Guineas) first and fourth **Astronomer Royal** (Danzig) and **Excellent Art (GB)** (Pivotal {GB}) and Susan Roy and Cheveley Park Stud's Newmarket Guineas third **Dutch Art (GB)** (Medicean {GB}). In the G1 Queen Anne S., Susan Magnier, Michael Tabor and Derrick Smith's **George Washington (Ire)** (Danehill) will make his eagerly awaited comeback against a maximum of eight rivals, including Cheveley Park Stud's **Cesare (GB)** (Machiavellian), who was yesterday supplemented. "We've been happy with George so far," Aidan O'Brien told the *Racing Post*. "He's well and the plan is to start him back on Tuesday." Other notables to stand their ground against last year's G1 2000 Guineas and G1 Queen Elizabeth II S. winner are Terry Neill's G1 Juddmonte Lockinge S. scorer **Red Evie (Ire)** (Intikhab) and Godolphin's **Ramonti (Fr)** (Martino Alonso {Ire}), beaten a head when second in that May 19 Newbury contest.



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☆ RESULTS ☆

Wednesday, Leopardstown, Ireland

**BALLYCORUS S.-G3**, €70,000, Leopardstown, 6-13, 3yo/up, 7fT, 1:26.35, gd.

1--**@LORD ADMIRAL**, 135, h, 6, by **El Prado (Ire)**

1st Dam: Lady Ilsley (MSP-Fr), by Tremolino

2nd Dam: Sue Warner, by Forli (Arg)

3rd Dam: Bitty Girl (Ire), by Habitat

(\$135,000 yrl '02 KEESEP). O-Dr M V O'Brien; B-London Thoroughbred Services and Derry Meeting Farm; T-Charles O'Brien; J-Mick Kinane; €45,500.

Lifetime Record: MGSP-US & UAE, 33-3-12-6, €393,583.

2--**Modeeroch (Ire)**, 132, f, 4, Mozart (Ire)--Majinskaya (Fr), by Marignan (Fr). O/B-Ballylinch Stud; T-Jim Bolger; €14,000.

3--**Eastern Appeal (Ire)**, 135, f, 4, Shinko Forest (Ire)--Haut Volee (GB), by Top Ville (Ire). (€3,000 yrl '04 TATIRE). O-Fair Is Fair Syndicate; B-Glashare House Stud; T-Michael Halford; €7,000.

Margins: HD, 1HF, NK. Odds: 12-1, 7-4, 16-1.

Also Ran: Duff (Ire), King Jock, Hard Rock City, Absolutelyfabulous (Ire), Fleeting Shadow (Ire), Vanderlin (GB), Summit Surge (Ire).

Though admirably consistent, Lord Admiral could boast just a sole stakes success prior to this contest, and that came at the expense of Mustameet in the Listed Glencairn S. here two years ago. Versatile from seven to 10 furlongs, the bay was a fine second to Danak (Ire) in the G3 Amethyst S. at this venue May 13 before putting in a rare off-the-board effort in a conditions event at Gowran Park a week later. Rebounding here, he showed early speed to stalk the fast fractions and was committed at the quarter pole. Taking command soon after, he pulled out extra when tackled by Modeeroch to register a career best. **Click for the [racingpost.co.uk](http://racingpost.co.uk) chart.**

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Thursday, Longchamp, France, post time: 3:50 p.m.

**LA COUPE-G3**, €80,000, 4yo/up, 1 1/4mT

| SC | PP | HORSE               | SIRE                  | TRAINER      | WT  |
|----|----|---------------------|-----------------------|--------------|-----|
| 1  | 7  | Formal Decree (Ger) | Diktat (GB)           | bin Suroor   | 128 |
| 2  | 4  | Stage Gift (Ire)    | Cadeaux Genereux (GB) | bin Suroor   | 128 |
| 3  | 3  | Musical Way (Fr)    | Gold Away (Ire)       | Van de Poele | 124 |
| 4  | 2  | Atlantic Air (Fr)   | Kaldounevees (Fr)     | de Nicolay   | 123 |
| 5  | 8  | Numide (Fr)         | Highest Honor (Fr)    | Rouget       | 123 |
| 6  | 1  | Willywell (Fr)      | Jimble (Fr)           | Gauvin       | 123 |
| 7  | 6  | Blushing King (Fr)  | Blush Rambler         | Guillochon   | 123 |
| 8  | 5  | Kilometre Neuf (Fr) | Double Bed (Fr)       | F Doumen     | 123 |

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**Saturday, Churchill Downs**

**STEPHEN FOSTER H.-GI, \$750,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/8m**

| PP | HORSE           | SIRE             | JOCKEY    | WT  |
|----|-----------------|------------------|-----------|-----|
| 1  | Diamond Stripes | Notebook         | Prado     | 116 |
| 2  | Master Command  | A.P. Indy        | Velazquez | 123 |
| 3  | Magna Graduate  | Honor Grades     | Gomez     | 118 |
| 4  | Mr. Umphrey     | Jules            | Teator    | 112 |
| 5  | Wiggins         | Cartwright       | Bejarano  | 114 |
| 6  | Wanderin Boy    | Seeking the Gold | Nakatani  | 120 |
| 7  | Flashy Bull     | Holy Bull        | Albarado  | 115 |
| 8  | Jonesboro       | Sefapiano        | Borel     | 114 |

**Saturday, Churchill Downs**

**FLEUR DE LIS H.-GII, \$300,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8m**

| PP | HORSE         | SIRE           | JOCKEY     | WT  |
|----|---------------|----------------|------------|-----|
| 1  | Rolling Sea   | Sefapiano      | Bridgmohan | 118 |
| 2  | Leah's Secret | Tiger Ridge    | Guidry     | 116 |
| 3  | Kettleoneup   | Victory Gallop | Borel      | 117 |
| 4  | Asi Siempre   | El Prado (Ire) | Gomez      | 122 |
| 5  | Baghdaria     | Royal Academy  | Bejarano   | 116 |
| 6  | Indian Vale   | A.P. Indy      | Velazquez  | 119 |
| 7  | Fiery Pursuit | Carson City    | Prado      | 117 |
| 8  | Ermine        | Exchange Rate  | Albarado   | 119 |

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.

**Saturday, Churchill Downs**

**NORTHERN DANCER BREEDERS' CUP S.-GIII, \$200,000, 3yo, 1 1/16m**

| PP | HORSE           | SIRE         | JOCKEY     |
|----|-----------------|--------------|------------|
| 1  | Loose Leaf      | Notebook     | Albarado   |
| 2  | Zanjero         | Cherokee Run | Bridgmohan |
| 3  | Portobello Road | Storm Cat    | Borel      |
| 4  | Prom Shoes      | Include      | Prado      |
| 5  | True Competitor | Point Given  | Bejarano   |
| 6  | Tsali           | Maria's Mon  | Nakatani   |
| 7  | Chelokee        | Cherokee Run | Dominguez  |
| 8  | Sam P.          | Cat Thief    | Velazquez  |

All carry 116 pounds, bar Chelokee, 120.

**UPCOMING MAJOR NORTH AMERICAN STAKES**

| Date    | Race                       | Track           |
|---------|----------------------------|-----------------|
| June 16 | GI Stephen Foster H.       | Churchill Downs |
|         | GI Ogden Phipps H.         | Belmont         |
|         | GII Fleur de Lis H.        | Churchill Downs |
|         | GII Jefferson Cup S.       | Churchill Downs |
|         | GIII Northern Dancer BC S. | Churchill Downs |
|         | GIII Mint Julep H.         | Churchill Downs |
|         | GIII Regret S.             | Churchill Downs |
|         | GIII All Along BC S.       | Colonial Downs  |
|         | GIII Colonial Turf Cup S.  | Colonial Downs  |
|         | GIII Chicago BC H.         | Arlington       |
|         | GIII Eatontown S.          | Monmouth Park   |

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**RAGS TO RICHES, Winner of the Belmont S. (GI) June 9 [Video](#)**

O-Michael B. Tabor and Derrick Smith; B-Skara Glen Stables (KY); T-Todd A. Pletcher  
 Sold Keeneland September 2005 for \$1,900,000; Earnings to date: \$1,292,528  
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**BETTER TALK NOW, Winner of the Manhattan H. (GI) June 9 [Video](#)**

O-Bushwood Stables LLC; B-Wimborne Farm Inc (KY); T- H. Graham Motion  
 Keeneland November 1999 for \$10,500; Earnings to date: \$3,819,788  
 Consigned by Walmac International, Agent

**WILL HE SHINE, Winner of the True North H.(GII) June 9 [Video](#)**

O-Saverio Pugliese & Marc Wexler; B-Veme Winchell (KY); T- Dale Romans  
 Sold Keeneland November 2003 for \$650,000  
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 Sold Keeneland November 2005 for \$290,000; Earnings to date: \$309,241  
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**BREEDERS' CUP Q AND A**

Last December, Breeders' Cup stallion and foal nominators voted to select 13 candidates to stand for election to the Breeders' Cup Limited Board of Members and Trustees. Those candidates are joined by 12 existing trustees who have chosen to stand for re-election. Thirteen will ultimately be chosen. The voting opened on May 1 and will conclude June 18. While bios



of the 25 candidates are contained in documents circulated to nominators, the TDN is responding to reader suggestions that we provide more information on the candidates' viewpoints. To that end, we posed the following question to each of the 25 candidates and have given them 300 words or fewer in which to respond. Their responses have been published here over the past few weeks and continue today.

**BOB McNAIR**

**Q:** What do you think is the biggest issue facing the Breeders' Cup today and, if voted to the Breeders' Cup board, how would you propose this issue be solved?

**A:** The Breeders' Cup must increase its fan base. The establishment of a summer race program leading up to the Breeders' Cup Championships is the best way to build fan interest. The existing program is a good start, but it must be improved and become a permanent part of the road to the Championships.

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| Rank (last)-Name   | Owner               | Acquired     | Trainer   | Last Race (Click for Vid/Cht)          | Bris | Best '07                  | Next Race                    |
|--|---------------------|--------------|-----------|--|------|---------------------------|------------------------------|
| <b>1(1)-STREET SENSE (Street Cry {Ire})</b><br><i>(Derby winner from the family of Mr. Greeley &amp; Danehill Dancer will stand alongside his sire...Marie Kizenko)</i>                                  | Tafel               | Homebred     | Nafzger   | <a href="#">2nd GI Preakness</a>       | 113  | GII Jim Dandy/GI Haskell? | <b>WILL RETIRE TO DARLEY</b> |
| <b>2(3)-CURLIN (Smart Strike)</b><br><i>(Handsome, durable and tough as nails...Alan Carasso)</i>  | Stonestreet, et al. | \$57k Y      | Asmussen  | <a href="#">1st GI Preakness</a>       | 113  | 8/5 GI Haskell Inv.       |                              |
| <b>3(2)-HARD SPUN (Danzig)</b><br><i>(Time off after a rigorous Triple Crown campaign should have him back at the top of his game...Christina Bossinakis)</i>  | Fox Hill            | Private      | Jones     | <a href="#">3rd GI Preakness</a>       | 109  | undecided                 | <b>WILL RETIRE TO DARLEY</b> |
| <b>4(4)-SCAT DADDY (Johannesburg)</b><br><i>(Grade I winner at 2 &amp; 3..Can make some noise in the second half of the season following a disappointing effort in the Derby...Steve Sherack)</i>        | Tabor/Scatuorchio   | \$250k Y     | Pletcher  | <a href="#">18th GI Kentucky Derby</a> | 101  | undecided                 |                              |
| <b>5(5)-ANY GIVEN SATURDAY (Distorted Humor)</b><br><i>(Short break should help this guy get back on track; his trainer knows how to get them ready off the layoff...Christina Bossinakis)</i>           | WinStar             | \$1.1m Y     | Pletcher  | <a href="#">8th GI Kentucky Derby</a>  | 105  | 07/04 GII Dwyer           |                              |
| <b>6(*)-SIGHTSEEING (Pulpit)</b><br><i>(Progressive colt by a hot young stallion, from a deep Phipps family...Marie Kizenko)</i>   | Phipps Stbl         | Homebred     | McGaughey | <a href="#">1st GII Peter Pan</a>      | 101  | 07/04 GII Dwyer           |                              |
| <b>7(6)-RAVEL (Fusaichi Pegasus)</b><br><i>(GIII Sham winner, on sidelines with injury, has looks &amp; pedigree: 1st dam GSW by A.P. Indy, 2nd and 3rd dams by Nureyev, Damascus...Lucas Marquardt)</i> | Smith & Tabor       | \$950k Y     | Pletcher  | <a href="#">1st GIII Sham S.</a>       | 102  | sidelined                 |                              |
| <b>7(7)-GREAT HUNTER (Aptitude)</b><br><i>(A Grade I-winning juvenile who returned to win a Grade II sophomore race; should add to his record when he returns...Jessica Martini)</i>                     | Reddam              | \$30k Y-priv | O'Neill   | <a href="#">13th GI Kentucky Derby</a> | 101  | sidelined                 |                              |
| <b>8(8)-CIRCULAR QUAY (Thunder Gulch)</b><br><i>(Off form of late, but this guy is good: GI Hopeful, GII Louisiana Derby, GIII Bashford Manor, 2nd in GI BC Juv. Dam a fast G1SW...Lucas Marquardt)</i>  | Tabor               | Homebred     | Pletcher  | <a href="#">5th GI Preakness</a>       | 106  | undecided                 |                              |
| <b>10(10)-SAHARA HEAT (A.P. Indy)</b><br><i>(Pedigree, price and potential; promising stallion prospect tries turf...Andy Belfiore)</i>  | Darley              | \$3.4m Y     | Harty     | <a href="#">1st GIII Marine S.</a>     | 93   | 6/16 GIII Colonial Turf   |                              |

**AT THE GAP: Nobiz Like Shobiz (Albert the Great), Teuflesburg (Johannesburg), Cowtown Cat (Distorted Humor)**

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**Yesterday's Results:**

**3rd-BEL, \$60,760, Alw, Opt. Clm.** (\$50,000), NW2X, 3yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:15 1/5, ft.

**RONDO (c, 4, Grand Slam--Dama, by Storm Cat)** took a July 26 Saratoga allowance by 9 1/2 lengths, but was promptly sidelined. The striking bay returned to action with a facile victory in Gulfstream allowance company Apr. 18, but was beaten a half-length in a swiftly-run heat going six furlongs at this track May 23. The overwhelming favorite here at 1-5, he was pressed through the opening furlongs by Holy Canyon (Holy Bull), put that one away in upper stretch and was ridden out to a four-length victory. The winner, a \$450,000 FTKJUL yearling, matured into a \$2.9 million FTFEB juvenile. Lifetime Record: 6-3-3-0, \$116,000. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O-Godolphin Racing. B-Larry Byer (KY). T-S bin Suroor.

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1:45p  
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**3rd-MTH, \$36K, Msw, 2yo, f, 5f**

**CHITA GIRL (Vindication)** makes her second career start for trainer Carl Deville. The fourth starter for freshman sire Vindication, the Bob Baffert-bred filly will aim to become Vindication's second winner after narrowly missing out in her career debut at Monmouth when second by a nose to Bridal Song. A threat could be posed in the form of Todd Pletcher's duo of first-time starters **Lady Chace (Tiznow)** and **New York City Girl (Forest Camp)**.

4:20p  
TVG

**1st-HOL, \$75K, The Great Lady M., 3yo/up, f/m, 6ft**

**RIVER'S PRAYER (Devon Lane)**, carrying the top weight in this field, bids to score a hat trick and follow up her last win in the GIII Las Contas at Santa Anita in April. The Paula Capestro-trained filly has won 3 of her 4 career turf starts, her only loss being when drawn wide in the GI Matriarch S.

6:53p  
TVG

**6th-HOL, \$48k, MSW, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m**

**MONTE BAJO (FR) (Distorted Humor)**, a \$350k FTFEB two-year old, makes his first start on the Cushion track today. Wearing blinkers for the first time, the Neil Drysdale-trained colt will be looking to improve on a troubled last start over this turf course on June 3, when he returned bleeding from the mouth. Bruce Headley saddles first-time Lasix user **Fiery Trippi (Trippi)**, who returns from the layoff. Consistently fast morning works suggest he is ready to fire, most recently recording a bullet of :58 at Santa Anita June 8.

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**New York Report cont.**

**8th-BEL, \$47,000, Alw, Opt. Clm.** (\$50,000), NW2X, 3yo/up, 6fT, 1:10 1/5, gd.

**QUIETLY MINE** (g, 3, [Belong to Me](#)--Quiet {GSP, \$119,570}, by Roar), a winner over course and distance Sept. 28, took a Keeneland Polytracker Oct. 21 before finishing seventh—before being demoted to sixth—in a division of Hollywood Park’s grassy GIII Generous S. Nov. 24. Rested off that effort, the homebred had one start to his credit at three, a runner-up effort as the favorite on the Keeneland Poly Apr. 18. Back on the grass for this one, the chestnut settled a little worse than centerfield early, took aim at the leaders leaving the eighth pole and was up in the final jump to score by a head. Count on Pal (Numerous) was second, a nose better than Silver Timber (Prime Timber). Lifetime Record: 6-3-1-0, \$98,434. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

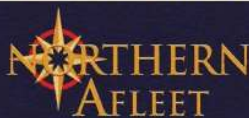
O-Michael Rankowitz & Susan Karches. B-Peter Karches & Michael Rankowitz (KY). T-Christophe Clement.

**7th-BEL, \$44,000, Alw, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, 1m, 1:36, ft.**

**FRENCH TRANSITION** (c, 3, [Giant’s Causeway](#)--French Manicure, by Hawkster), fifth to Great Hunter in the GII R.B. Lewis S. Mar. 3, was unplaced in a pair of Keeneland turf starts for Patrick Biancone, finishing sixth Apr. 12 and seventh Apr. 27. Trying state-bred company as the 8-5 chalk, the Lizza homebred sat just off of pacesetter Wally World (Prime Timber), poked a head in front of that one at the quarter pole and outlasted his persistent foe for a half-length victory. Lifetime Record: 8-2-1-0, \$64,021.

O/B-Flying Zee Stables (NY). T-Frank Martin Sr.

**TODAY’S VIDEO HIGHLIGHTS**



**The dams of his first KY crop of 128 yearlings have a CI of 2.05 which is a 50% combined increase in the quality of mares he previously covered. Look for his Fasig-Tipton July yearlings. Hip #s 334, 371, and 557.**

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**3rd-BEL (Alw \$60K) Rondo** (Grand Slam) marches towards a stakes engagement.

**7th-BEL (Alw \$47K) Quietly Mine** (Belong to Me) takes a blanket finish.

**3rd-HOL (Msw \$48K) Rivoltella** (Broken Vow) takes her two-turn debut with the greatest of ease.

**3rd-CDX (Msw \$46K) Thorn Song** (Unbridled’s Song) takes his turf debut.

**2nd-BEL (Msw \$43K) The cleverly named Make the Point** (Menifee) leads from flagfall to finish.

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**2nd-BEL, \$43,000, Msw, 2yo, 5 1/2f, 1:04, ft.**  
**+ MAKE THE POINT (c, 2, Menifee--New Dice, by Capote),** a \$160,000 KEESEP yearling purchase, drifted from his morning line of 5-1 and was dispatched at odds of 7-1, despite a sneaky win-early pedigree. Hustled away from the gate by jockey Garrett Gomez, the attractive bay colt set solid splits of :22.07 and :45.32, drew clear in upper stretch and was kept to his work late to defeat Greystone Warrior (Monarchos) by a decisive 4 3/4 lengths. The winner's dam, a daughter of the outstanding producer Get Lucky, was purchased for \$1.25 million at the 2005 Keeneland November sale carrying a colt by Mineshaft. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$25,800. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)  
 O-Edgewood Farm. B-Grade I Bloodstock (KY).  
 T-George Weaver.

**Certifiable Crazy Retired:**

Double S Stable's seven-year-old **Certifiably Crazy** (Fit to Fight--Royal Trips, by Summer Squall), the champion New York-bred turf horse in the last two seasons, has been retired because of a torn stifle ligament. The popular gelding enjoyed his best year on the track in 2006 for trainer Richard Schosberg, winning three of his last four starts, including the Draw Shot H., West Point H. and Mohawk H. The dark bay hadn't raced since taking the Mohawk by a neck last October. "We're calling it an end to an illustrious career," said Schosberg. "He's been great to us. We could have given him a break and brought him back, but that didn't seem like the right thing to do." Schosberg said Certifiably Crazy would be taken over by the Thoroughbred Retirement Foundation. "He leaves on a van for an upstate farm this afternoon," Schosberg said yesterday. "He deserves it."

**Andrew Lakeman Fund Established:**

A fund for Andrew Lakeman, the jockey seriously injured in a race at Belmont Park May 25, has been established by the Backstretch Employee Service Team (B.E.S.T.). All proceeds of the fund will be used to offset Lakeman's medical expenses and ongoing care. "Andrew Lakeman has worked in the New York racing community as both an exercise rider and jockey for many years," said Rich Cristiano, chairman of the B.E.S.T. Board. "He's faced many challenges, but none so great as the challenges he'll face with his injury. He's really going to need the help of the racing community." Contributions to the Fund, which are tax-deductible, should be made to B.E.S.T. and designated to The Andrew Lakeman Assistance Fund. Donations can be mailed to: B.E.S.T. c/o Belmont Park, 2150 Hempstead Turnpike, Gate 6, Cottage 28B, Elmont, NY 11003. Donations can also be made calling the B.E.S.T. office at (516) 488-3434.

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NTRA REPORT FROM  
*Capitol Hill*

**Congress Mulls Internet Gaming, Immigration**

Two new bills on Internet gaming have been introduced in Congress: the Internet Gambling Regulation and Tax Enforcement Act of 2007 (H.R. 2607) and the Skill Game Protection Act (H.R. 2610). The Internet tax bill would impose a two percent fee on any company licensed to offer Internet wagering and be based on wagering funds held on deposit by the operator. The games legislation would exempt online poker and other games from the Unlawful Internet Gambling Enforcement Act (UIGEA) and allow players to compete against one another, but not against "the house." UIGEA recognizes online pari-mutuel wagering on horseracing as authorized by the Interstate Horseracing Act (IHA). There is a slim chance that the Senate immigration bill will be revived after a setback last week. Negotiators have exchanged lists of amendments that include beefed up enforcement, penalties and security, but the Senate is expected to turn its focus to energy legislation.



For more information contact Peggy Hendershot, Vice President, Legislative and Corporate Planning (800) 792-6872, ext. 648 or visit [www.SupportHorseRacing.org](http://www.SupportHorseRacing.org)

★ EAST ★

**Yesterday's Results:**

**6th-MTH, \$36,000, Msw, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:09, ft.**  
**HE'S SO CHIC (c, 3, [Jump Start](#)--So Chic, by Private Terms),** third to subsequent GSW Xchanger in his bow over this track last August, went to the shelf and returned to post an even fifth-place effort in his May 28 return to action at the Shore. A \$110,000 KEENOV weanling and \$75,000 KEESEP yearling, he dueled for the lead from the inside, shook loose into the stretch and bounded home 5 1/2 lengths clear of Bb Livermore (Mt. Livermore). Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-1, \$26,280. O-Char-Mari Stable. B-Paragon Farms LLC (KY). T-Jason Servis.

**FASIG-TIPTON - 2007 SALES DATES**

|                                     |                   |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------|
| <b>Midlantic 2yos/HIT</b>           | <b>June 26</b>    |
| <b>    Previews</b>                 | <b>June 25</b>    |
| <b>July Selected Yearlings</b>      | <b>July 16-17</b> |
| <b>Saratoga Selected Yearlings</b>  | <b>Aug. 6-7</b>   |
| <b>Saratoga Preferred Yearlings</b> | <b>Aug. 10-11</b> |
| <b>Saratoga Open Yearlings</b>      | <b>Aug. 14</b>    |
| <b>Texas Summer Yearlings</b>       | <b>Aug. 27-28</b> |

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★ CENTRAL ★

**Yesterday's Results:**

**3rd-CDX, \$46,280, Msw, 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:44, fm. THORN SONG (c, 4, Unbridled's Song--Festal, by Storm Bird)** earned a big figure for a runner-up finish going a mile over the Gulfstream main Feb. 23, but was off three months thereafter. The \$160,000 KEESEP yearling and \$200,000 FTMMAY juvenile, third going two turns over this dirt May 5, was last seen finishing fifth going seven-eighths May 27. Trying the turf for the first time, the gray sat just off the early pace and edged to the front on the far turn. He opened a daylight advantage at the eighth pole and was all out to last by a half-length over Warn (War Chant). Lifetime Record: 8-1-2-2, \$60,790. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#) O-Zayat Stables, LLC. B-Pinnacle Racing LLC & Taylor Made Farm Inc (KY). T-Dale L Romans.

**Bel Air Beauty Returns Today:**

Bruce Lunsford's **Bel Air Beauty** (Smart Strike), who sprang a huge 47-1 upset when winning last fall's GII Alcibiades S. at Keeneland as a maiden, returns to action at Churchill Downs today for the first time since running a lackluster eighth in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies. Trained by Frank Brothers, the three-year-old filly has drawn the four hole in a first-level allowance going a mile on the main track. Lunsford told *Daily Racing Form* that the daughter of Smart Strike underwent a myectomy to correct a breathing problem that surfaced in the Breeders' Cup, forcing her to miss time this spring. "Once we knew we were going to miss all the early three-year-old races, Frankie decided we needed to just go on and take our time with her," Lunsford told the publication. Jockey Corey Lanerie gets the call today.

★ ON THE WORKTAB ★

AQUEDUCT

**Magnolia Jackson** (Cape Canaveral), 3f, :35.91, 1/2  
**Silver Wagon** (Wagon Limit), 4f, :47.92, 1/3

BELMONT

**Awesome Twist** (Awesome Again), 4f, :48.12, 3/25  
**Barancella (Fr)** (Acatenango {Ger}), 5f, 1:02.06, 13/18  
**Sharp Susan** (Touch Gold), 4f, :50.12, 16/25  
**Sugar Shake** (Awesome Again), 4f, :50.90, 18/25

CHURCHILL DOWNS

**Lady Joanne** (Orientate), 4f, :48.80, 6/32  
**Prom Shoes** (Include), 4f, :51.00, 24/32

HOLLYWOOD PARK

**Memorette** (Memo {Chi}), 4f, :48.20, 9/49

KEENELAND

**Time Squared** (Fusaichi Pegasus), 4f, :46.60, 1/27

SANTA ANITA

**Arson Squad** (Brahms), 1m, 1:39.80, 1/1

**Dreaming of Anna Stays on Grass for Regret:**

Frank Calabrese's champion filly **Dreaming of Anna** (Rahy), who returned to winning ways with a 1 1/4-length victory in the grassy Double Delta S. at Arlington June 2, is likely to contest Saturday's GIII Regret S. over Churchill's Matt Winn turf course. Last year's GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies winner had gone on a three-race winless skid in her first three 2007 efforts, but rebounded to take the Double Delta. Trainer Wayne Catalano said his charge is ready for a big effort. "I think she's set up for it now," said Catalano. "I got the mile race underneath [her] on the grass course [at Arlington], and she worked very good coming back out of it. I think she's okay--I think we're all set."

**Another Turf Try for Lemons Forever:**

Horton Racing Stable and Dallas Stewart's **Lemons Forever** (Lemon Drop Kid), who hasn't won since upsetting the 2006 GI Kentucky Oaks, will get another shot to snap the losing streak when she runs in an optional claiming allowance race at Churchill Downs Friday. The race will mark the second turf start for Lemons Forever, who finished a non-threatening fifth in a nine-furlong allowance May 25.

**Arlington to Honor Military Next Weekend:**

Arlington Park will honor the United States military during its Medal of Honor weekend on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, June 22, 23 and 24. The highlight of the weekend will be the recognition of 25 Congressional Medal of Honor recipients on Saturday. The day's events include a Medal of Honor presentation in the winner's circle between the third and fourth races, United States Military Corps Color Guard and a display of military vehicles. That evening, Arlington Park will host the "In the Company of Heroes" fundraising dinner, honoring the recipients. News anchor Bob Sirott will serve as master of ceremonies. Tickets are available for \$1,000/seat and \$10,000/table, with all proceeds going to the Congressional Medal of Honor Foundation. Visit [www.arlingtonpark.com](http://www.arlingtonpark.com) for more information.

**Sidney Port Dead at 96:**

Prominent Thoroughbred owner Sidney Port, who campaigned graded stakes winners Ballingarry (Ire) and Toasted, died Monday in Chicago. He was 96. Port, a Chicago native who founded Lawson Products, was a generous philanthropist, successful entrepreneur and avid sportsman. A long-time supporter of Arlington Park, Port enjoyed some of his biggest success at the track. Ballingarry captured back-to-back renewals of Arlington's GIII Stars and Stripes Turf in 2003-04, while Toasted won the GIII Arlington Classic in 2004. Services will be held at 1 p.m. today at North Shore Congregation Israel, 1185 Sheridan Road in Glencoe, Illinois. Internment will be private. In lieu of flowers, the family has requested that donations in his honor be made to the charity of the giver's choice.



## ★ SO. CALIFORNIA ★

### Yesterday's Results:

**3rd-HOL, \$48,400, Msw, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:45 3/5, ft.**

**RIVOLTELLA (f, 3, Broken Vow--Port Roberto, by Dynaformer)** needed the race when eighth on her Apr. 28 debut going 6 1/2 furlongs over the Cushion Track, but turned it around in her latest improving to be runner-up in a seven-furlong maiden May 26. Favored at 6-5 in her first two-turn attempt, the \$55,000 KEESEP yearling purchase found herself last of six for the opening half as Insights horse Pride of Pegasus (Fusaichi Pegasus) led the way. In a bit of traffic on the far turn, she was steered into the clear four wide into the stretch and finished full of run to win by three lengths. The winner is a half to Kilgowan (Smoke Glacken), GSW, \$209,883. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, \$38,400. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O-George Todaro. B-Ann Marie Farm (KY). T-Richard P Matlow.

**6th-HOL, \$56,600, Alw, C, 4yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:16 4/5, ft.**

**1--CANDY JO, 121, f, 4, Maria's Mon--Live Your Best {GSP}, by Mt. Livermore.** (\$30,000 yrl '04 KEESEP). O-Michael House; B-Edward P Evans (VA); T-Jeff Mullins. Lifetime Record: SW, 10-4-2-1, \$154,728.

**2--Babe Hall, 116, f, 4, El Corredor--Storm Teal, by Storm Bird.** (\$150,000 yrl '04 KEESEP).

**3--Nossa Cancao (Brz), 119, m, 7, Fast Gold--Flor Do Blitz (Brz), by Minstrel Glory.**

Margins: 1, 2, 3/4. Odds: 2.90, 10.50, 4.70.

Candy Joe went to the sidelines after her first career stakes victory, the Sweepida H. at Stockton in June of 2006. Returning from an eight-month break, she finished up the track in a grassy Santa Anita allowance Feb. 15, then captured a trip-and-track event May 15 after another small break. Looking to go two-for-two on the Cushion Track, Candy Jo saved ground just off the leaders, then came through an opening along the rail to post the one-length tally.

**7th-HOL, \$57,402, Alw, Opt. Clm.** (\$40,000), NW1X, 4yo/up, 1 1/4mT, 2:00 1/5, fm.

**ISIPINGO (g, 4, Horse Chestnut {Saf}--Lover's Lover, by Woodman),** a \$70,000 KEESEP yearling, just missed by a nose when runner-up at Hollywood Apr. 27, then graduated by three lengths in a nine-furlong grass event May 19. Adding a panel here in his first test against winners, Isipingo, a 7-2 chance, kept close tabs on the pacesetter Ring of Friendship (General Meeting), bid in earnest rounding the far turn and dug in with determination to get the better of that foe by 3/4 lengths. Lifetime Record: 5-2-1-1, \$77,640.

O-John Coleman, George Dasaro, James Thompson, et al. B-Bridget D Oppenheimer (KY). T-Craig Dollase.

### Boboman, Ainamaa Slated for Ankle Surgery:

Last year's GI Hollywood Turf Cup winner **Boboman** (Kingmambo), a disappointing fourth in the GII Californian S. last Saturday, exited the race with an ankle injury and will undergo surgery this week, trainer Richard Mandella said yesterday. "He will have a chip taken out here in a few days," said Mandella. "We found it last weekend." Mandella estimated the six-year-old horse will be sidelined for several months. Also slated to undergo surgery to remove an ankle chip is **Ainamaa** (Lemon Drop Kid), who was scratched from Saturday's GII Honeymoon Breeders' Cup H. Trained by Ben Cecil, Ainamaa earned a spot in the Honeymoon with a pair of impressive turf wins this spring in California.

## ★ INDUSTRY INFO ★

### Withdrawal Times Available on RMTC Website:

The Racing Medication & Testing Consortium has completed a section of its website ([www.rmtcnet.com](http://www.rmtcnet.com)) that enables licensed horsemen to look up guidelines for withdrawal times for approximately 75 therapeutic medications identified by the RMTC Veterinary Advisory Committee. The guidelines are available for 18 states and Canada. Information from other states will be added to the site as it becomes available. Withdrawal guidelines are available to licensed horsemen who submit their name and indicate the type of racing license they hold and the jurisdiction where they race. They can search for guidelines by medication or by jurisdiction.

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### First-crop starters to watch: Thursday, June 14

*Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 2004 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/SW Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)*

**EASYFROMTHEGITGO** (Dehere), 519 Tbreeds, 33/0/0 8-LAD, Msw, 5f, +Velvet Meg, \$10K TEX APR 2yo, 12-1 **VINDICATION** (Seattle Slew), Hill 'n' Dale, \$50K, 119/1/0 3-MTH, Msw, 5f, Chita Girl, \$55K KEE SEP yrl

### BARRETT'S - 2007 DATES

|                              |                   |
|------------------------------|-------------------|
| <b>Summer 2yos &amp; HRA</b> | <b>June 26</b>    |
| <b>October Yearlings</b>     | <b>Oct. 2</b>     |
| <b>Fall Mixed Sale</b>       | <b>Oct. 29-30</b> |



Rookies cont.

**Second-crop starters to watch: Thursday, June 14**

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

**FESTIVAL OF LIGHT** (A.P. Indy), Valor, \$4K, 57/20/0  
1-LS, Msw, 6f, +Lighten Up Buzz, \$10K TEX AUG yrl, 20-1  
**HONOR GLIDE** (Honor Grades), Bridlewood, \$4K, 87/10/1  
3-MTH, Msw, 5f, +Double Hougie  
**LEELANAU** (Carson City), Walmac, \$3K, 46/7/0  
8-LAD, Msw, 5f, +T C's Charmer, \$34K TEX APR 2yo, 8-1

★ AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS ★

**IN ITALY:**

+ **Diocleziano**, c, 2, **Barkerville**. See "European Breeders' Edition."

**IN HONG KONG:**

**Bodacious**, g, 6, **Charismatic--Outcross**, by Kris S. Happy Valley, 6-13, Hcp., 1200mT. B-D J Stable LLC. \*\$30,000 yrl '02 FTMSEP.



★ BRITAIN ★

**Thursday, Newbury, post time: 3:50 p.m.**  
**LORD WEINSTOCK MEMORIAL S. (REGISTERED AS THE BALLYMACOLL STUD S.)**-Listed, £26,000, 3yo, f, 10f 6ydsT

| SC | PP | HORSE               | SIRE            | TRAINER    |
|----|----|---------------------|-----------------|------------|
| 1  | 8  | Basaata             | Dixieland Band  | Tregoning  |
| 2  | 2  | Darrfonah (Ire)     | Singspiel (Ire) | C Brittain |
| 3  | 3  | Majounes Song (GB)  | Singspiel (Ire) | Johnston   |
| 4  | 5  | Ransom Captive      | Red Ransom      | Magnusson  |
| 5  | 1  | Russian Rosie (Ire) | Traditionally   | Portman    |
| 6  | 7  | Set the Scene (Ire) | Sadler's Wells  | Gosden     |
| 7  | 6  | Thiella             | Kingmambo       | Weld       |
| 8  | 4  | Treat (GB)          | Barathea (Ire)  | Channon    |

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**Yesterday's Results:**

**Hamilton Park, 7.10, Mdn, £7,000, 2yo, 6f 5ydsT, 1:13.91, gd/fm.**  
+ **DOUBLE ATTACK (FR)** (f, 2, **Peintre Celebre--Salome's Attack {GB}**, by **Anabaa**), sent off at 9-1, grabbed the early lead and rail advantage and was driven when challenged by **Papillio (Ire)** (**Marju {Ire}**). Responding to her rider's urgings, the €50,000 DEAAUG yearling drew clear to record a five-length success. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, £4,533.  
O-R W Huggins; B-Newells Park Stud Ltd; T-Mark Johnston.

**Beverley, 4.50, Mdn, £6,000, 3yo/up, 7f 100ydsT, 1:33.93, gd/fm.**  
**TRIVIA (IRE)** (f, 3, **Marju {Ire}--Lehua {Ire}**, by **Linamix {Fr}**), third at Newmarket last time May 19, started as the 15-8 second choice and was rank just off the early pace. Gaining the edge before the eighth pole, the €75,000 GOFORB yearling dug in to hold **Know the Law (GB)** (**Danehill Dancer {Ire}**) by a short head. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-1, £4,560.  
O-Michael Tabor; B-Jean O'Brien; T-Neville Callaghan.

**Nottingham, 1.40, Mdn, £5,500, 2yo, 6f 15ydsT, 1:15.45, gd/fm.**  
+ **EASY TARGET (FR)** (c, 2, **Danehill Dancer {Ire}--Aiming {GB}**, by **Highest Honor {Fr}**), sent off at 10-1, quickly overcame a tardy start to race on the heels of the early leaders. Taking over at the furlong pole, the 60,000gns TATOCT yearling had a cozy half-length advantage over **Quick Release (Ire)** (**Red Ransom**) at the line. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, £3,562.  
O-Prime Equestrian; B-David Brown; T-Bryan Smart.

**Nottingham, 4.10, Mdn, £3,500, 3yo/up, 1m 54ydsT, 1:46.90, gd/fm.**  
**SIGN OF THE CROSS (GB)** (c, 3, **Mark of Esteem {Ire}--Thea**, by **Marju {Ire}**), fourth at Yarmouth on his latest outing May 30, was sent to the front early. Turning the screw in the final three furlongs, the 6-5 second favorite maintained the relentless gallop to best **Thinking Positive (GB)** (**Rainbow Quest**) by 3½ lengths. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, £3,187.  
O/B-T R G Vestey; T-James Fanshawe.

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★ FRANCE ★

**SHEIKH MOHAMMED BUYS AIRMAIL SPECIAL**

Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum has purchased impressive Longchamp conditions scorer **Airmail Special (Ire)** (Peintre Celebre), the *Racing Post* revealed yesterday. Having won his latest start for Oostvlaamse Investerings NV May 24 by six lengths, the Andre Fabre-trained bay will be aimed at the races won last year by Rail Link (GB), subsequent G1 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe winner. "The plan is to run Airmail Special in the G3 Prix du Lys at Longchamp next Tuesday," Darley spokesman Francis Graffard told the *Post*.

**Thursday, Longchamp, post time: 2:20 p.m.**

**PRIX LA FLECHE-Listed, €52,000, 2yo, 5fT**

| SC | PP | HORSE                 | SIRE                    | TRAINER              | WT  |
|----|----|-----------------------|-------------------------|----------------------|-----|
| 1  | 6  | Salut l'Africain (Fr) | Ski Chief               | Rob Collet           | 126 |
| 2  | 7  | Szerelem (Fr)         | Canyon Creek (Ire)      | de Chevigny          | 126 |
| 3  | 8  | Jane Blue (Fr)        | Indian Rocket (GB)      | Halley des Fontaines | 126 |
| 4  | 2  | Magnetic Storm (Fr)   | Statue of Liberty       | Libaud               | 122 |
| 5  | 3  | Distrayante (Fr)      | Marchand de Sable       | de Nicolay           | 122 |
| 6  | 9  | Badaria (Fr)          | Almutawakel (GB)        | Rob Collet           | 122 |
| 7  | 4  | Natagora (Fr)         | Divine Light (Jpn)      | Bary                 | 122 |
| 8  | 5  | Etenia                | Hennessy                | Wattel               | 122 |
| 9  | 2  | Rock Harmonie (Fr)    | Rock of Gibraltar (Ire) | Head-Maarek          | 122 |
| 10 | 1  | Chopassing (Fr)       | Indian Rocket (GB)      | de Watrigant         | 122 |

★ EUROPEAN-BRED WINNERS ★

**IN HONG KONG:**

**Key Winner (Ire)**, g, 4, **Key of Luck**--Home to Reality (Ire), by Imperial Frontier. Happy Valley, 6-13, Hcp., 1650mT. B-Mrs A P Irwin. \*Formerly Keyhopper (Ire). \*\*SP-Ire. \*\*\*€38,000 yrl '04 TATIRE.



**2.40 Newbury, Mdn, £6,500, 3yo, f, 10f 6ydsT.**  
**CIRCLE OF LOVE (GB) (Sakhee)** showed distinct promise on her two starts last year, finishing third behind the subsequent G1 Epsom Oaks heroine Light Shift at Newmarket when last seen in September. Hesmonds Stud's homebred is a daughter of the group winner Claxon (GB), making her a half to the 2005 G1 Nassau S. runner-up Cassydora (GB) and like that duo is in the hands of John Dunlop. The Arundel trainer reintroduces her in a heat which includes the Sangster Family's **Beseech (Ire) (Danehill)**, a Brian Meehan-trained half to Fraulein (GB).

★ IRELAND ★

★ "TDN Rising Star" ★

**Yesterday's Results:**

**Leopardstown, 6.00, Mdn, €20,000, 2yo, f, 7fT, 1:31.03, gd.**

+ **MAD ABOUT YOU (IRE)**, f, 2, by **Indian Ridge (Ire)**  
**1st Dam: Irresistible Jewel (Ire) (GSW-Eng & Ire, G1SP-Fr, \$275,167), by Danehill**  
**2nd Dam: In Anticipation (Ire), by Sadler's Wells**  
**3rd Dam: Aptostar, by Fappiano**

Mad About You is the first produce of the very smart 2002 G2 Ribblesdale S. winner and G1 Prix de l'Opera winner Irresistible Jewel and was allowed to start at 8-1 in this heat stacked with promising newcomers. Breaking well to raced in fourth early, the homebred quickened to lead with 1 ½ furlongs remaining and needed only one tap with Pat Smullen's whip to comfortably hold Solas Na Greine (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) by a length. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, €13,020. O/B-Moyglare Stud Farm; T-Dermot Weld.

**Leopardstown, 6.30, Mdn, €15,000, 2yo, c/g, 7fT, 1:28.79, gd.**

+ **GOING PUBLIC (IRE)** (c, 2, **Night Shift**--Gifts Galore {Ire}, by **Darshaan {GB}**), sent off at 9-2, broke on terms against the rail before being shuffled back to mid-division early. Sticking to the fence throughout, the homebred found a seam in the stretch and quickened through to lead at the eighth pole and record a length success from King of Westphalia (Kingmambo). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, €10,365.

O/B-Moyglare Stud Farm; T-Dermot Weld.

★ SWEDEN ★

**Tuesday's Late Result:**

**OMBUDENS BLOOMERS' VASE-Listed, SKr258,000, Taby, 6-12, 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:37.50, gd.**

1--**NOVASKY (SWE)**, 134, m, 5, **Diaghlyphard**--Novaux (Swe), by **Deploy (GB)**. O/B-Sto Nova AB; T-Tommy Gustafsson; J-Fredrik Johansson; SKr129,000. Life time Record: 13-7-3-1, SKr1,769,911.

2--**Poliaurea (Arg)**, 134, m, 6, **Poliglote (GB)**--Aureada (Arg), by **Bonete (Arg)**. SKr64,500.

3--**Halfsong (Swe)**, 134, m, 7, **Songline (Swe)**--Half and Half (Den), by **Muthhil (Ire)**. SKr30,960.

Margins: 2, NK, 1HF. Odds: 1.15, 2.60, 12.10.

Also Ran: **Polliwilline (Ire)**, **Born to Win (Chi)**, **Crystal Air (Ire)**, **Females Fun (GB)**. DNF: **Dancing Steel (Ire)**.

Scratched: **Vigelegere (Swe)**.



AUSTRALASIA



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**BEL ESPRIT FILLY TOPS MM WEDNESDAY**

A filly from the second crop of Bel Esprit (Aus) (Royal Academy) topped yesterday's second session of the Magic Millions National Yearling Sale at the Gold Coast, selling for A\$175,000 to Victorian-based buyer Romi Karam. Offered from the Willowbend Stud draft, the bay is the fourth foal from the Centaine (Aus) mare Boondock (NZ), who hails from the family of Group 1 winner Fitting (Aus) and the recently deceased champion Catbird (Aus). Selling as [lot 2500](#) was one of two yearlings to reach six figures during Tuesday's session. Twelve hips later, a Belong to Me colt selling as [lot 2512](#) went through the ring and was knocked down to Magic Classic Pty Ltd for A\$100,000. Consigned by Baramul Stud, the bay was produced by Chandrika (Aus) (Kenmare {Ire}), a half-sister to MG1SW Pharaoh (NZ). There were plenty of buyers from Queensland as well as locales further afield, with yearlings heading to New South Wales, Western Australia, Victoria, South Australia and Tasmania in addition to South Africa, New Zealand, Hong Kong, Singapore, Iran, Macau, Malaysia and the Philippines. "We had much of the world well represented again [Wednesday]," Magic Millions Managing Director David Chester said. "Iran and The Philippines were extremely active underpinning the market." Chester added, "The clearance rate was much stronger today, and generally the sale was a lot stronger." The final session of the National Sale will get underway today at 10 a.m.

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Wednesday, June 13, 2007

| SESSION TOTALS     | 2007               | 2006         |
|--------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| No. Offered        | 204                | 208          |
| No. Sold           | 155                | 150          |
| RNAs               | 49                 | 58           |
| % RNA              | 24%                | 27.9%        |
| Gross              | A\$3,258,000       | A\$4,034,600 |
| Average (% change) | A\$21,019 (-21.9%) | A\$26,897    |
| CUMULATIVE         | 2007               | 2006         |
| No. Catalogued     | 524                | 501          |
| No. Offered        | 420                | 413          |
| No. Sold           | 299                | 290          |
| RNAs               | 121                | 123          |
| % RNA              | 28.8%              | 29.8%        |
| Gross              | A\$11,413,500      | A\$7,158,200 |
| Average (% change) | A\$38,172 (+54.6%) | A\$24,683    |

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★ JAPAN ★

Wednesday, Asahikawa, Japan

**HOKKAIDO SPRINT CUP-G3 (Listed)**, 6-12, Asahikawa, 3yo/up, 1000mT, 1:33.30, fm.

1--**AGNES JEDI (JPN)**, 127, h, 5, by Agnes World

1st Dam: Lucky Pisces (SW, \$103,088), by Crafty Prospector

2nd Dam: Wig Hill, by Cougar (Chi)

3rd Dam: Queens Wig, by Bald Eagle

O-Takao Watanabe; B-Shadai Farm; T-H Mori; J-Yutaka Take; ¥30,000,000. Lifetime Record: 33-8-3-2.

2--**Precise Machine (Jpn)**, 127, h, 8, Mayano Top Gun (Jpn)-Be Silent (Jpn), by Sunday Silence. O-S Iketani; B-Shiraoi Farm.

3--**Tropical Light (Jpn)**, 117, c, 3, Mizzen Mast-Tropico Cielo, by Secreto. O-H Usuada; B-James Herbener. Margins: 3/4, 1 1/2, 3/4. Odds: 3.50, 4.10, \*1.70.

BREEDERS' EDITION  
AMERICA

STAKES RESULTS:

**LANSING S.**, \$50,000, GLD, 6-12, (S), 3yo, c/g, 6f, 1:15 4/5, ft.

1--**#BORN TO TANGO**, 122, c, 3, [Service Stripe](#)--Guard Dance (MSW, \$154,303), by Fools Dance.

O-Millennium Farms; B-Sher & Shirley Johnson Singh (MI); T-Laura Jackson; J-Natividad Alcalá; \$30,000. Lifetime Record: 11-1-3-1, \$56,594. \*Full to Born to Dance, MSW & GSP, \$577,519.

2--**Oberalp**, 122, g, 3, Daylight Savings--Buy Sell Or Hold, by Devil's Bag. \$10,000.

3--**Al's Best Man**, 122, g, 3, Native Factor--Al's Leader, by First Albert. \$5,500.

Margins: HF, HF, NK. Odds: 41.50, 14.30, 44.60.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

1st-**WOX**, \$59,237, NW1LX, 3yo, 7f, 1:24 2/5, ft.

**PRINCE ATLANTIS (c, 3, Stormy Atlantic--Monica, by West by West)** Lifetime Record: 6-3-0-0, \$84,466.

O-S J B Stable. B-L William Johnson (KY). T-Norman McKnight. \*\$65,000 yrl '05 FTMOCT; \$65,000 2yo 2006 OBSAPR.

4th-**HOL**, \$52,200, Opt. Clm. (\$80,000), NW1X, 3yo, f, 1 1/16mT, 1:41 4/5, fm.

**NOOTKA ISLAND (f, 3, El Corredor--Arctic Affair, by Black Tie Affair {Ire})** Lifetime Record: 9-2-2-0, \$57,290. O-Robert D Bone. B-Sabine Stable (KY). T-Mike R Mitchell. \*In for the tag.



**Breeders' Edition cont.**

**8th-MTH, \$50,000, NW2X, (S), 3yo/up, 1m70y, 1:42 3/5, ft.**

**F SIXTEEN (h, 5, Unbridled Jet--Boldly Appealing, by Valid Appeal)** Lifetime Record: 10-3-3-0, \$117,576. O-Susan & John Moore. B-Double H Stable (NJ). T-James A Jerkens. \*\$15,000 yrl '03 KEESEP.

**8th-CDX, \$49,550, NW1X, 3yo/up, 5fT, :57, fm. PETION STATION (c, 4, Petionville--Pas de Deux, by Moscow Ballet)** Lifetime Record: 11-2-2-0, \$59,630. O/B-Herman Van Den Broeck (KY). T-Ronald Pellegrini.

**7th-DEL, \$46,640, NW3L, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m (off turf), 1:45 2/5, wf. DISCO INDY (c, 3, Jump Start--Disco Darlin' {SP}, by Citidancer)** Lifetime Record: 7-3-1-2, \$83,952. O-David A Ross. B-Classic Thoroughbred XVIII (KY). T-Michael V Pino. \*\$95,000 yrl '05 FTMOCT.

**8th-DEL, \$44,000, Opt. Clm. (\$32,000), NW2X, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:12, wf. ON THE RAIL (f, 4, Montbrook--Potluck Dinner, by Pentelicus)** Lifetime Record: 8-3-2-0, \$94,900. O-Walter Wienkowitz. B-Ocala Stud Farm & William J Terrill (FL). T-Timothy F Ritchey. \*\$21,000 2yo 2005 OBSAPR.

**4th-MNR, \$27,800, 6-12, NW2L, 3yo/up, 1m70yT, 1:40 3/5, fm. WHOOTSYOMAMMA (g, 3, Wavering Monarch--Whoot There She Is {SW}, by Temperance Hill)** Lifetime Record: 8-2-0-1, \$33,804. O/T-Charles Michael Lake. B-Dede McGehee (KY). \*\$10,000 yrl '05 KEESEP. \*\*1/2 to Missy's Whirl (Island Whirl), MSP, \$178,841.

**8th-PRM, \$26,200, 6-12, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10 3/5, ft. MEET ME IN FARGO (m, 5, Fargo--Lypheor Affair, by Maui Lypheor Jack {Jpn})** Lifetime Record: 12-4-1-1, \$53,175. O/B-Clifford & Barbara M DeLima (CA). T-Clifford DeLima.

**ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**

- Stormin Princess, f, 2, Stormin Fever--Crown the Queen, by Gulch.** PRM, 6-12, 4 1/2f, :52 4/5. B-Rachel Kimbell (FL). \*\$15,000 yrl '06 KEESEP.
- My Redeemer, g, 2, Valid Wager--Hoist the Star, by Broad Brush.** HOL, 6-13, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:05 3/5. B-Tommy Thoroughbreds LLC (CA).
- Princess Bianconi, f, 3, Bianconi--Princesa Del Cielo, by Conquistador Cielo.** PRM, 6-12, 6f, 1:11 2/5. B-Clyde & Bobbye Stipe (KY).
- Lu Ciloki, f, 3, Cherokee Run--Lulu (SW, \$212,942), by Afleet.** MNR, 6-12, 5 1/2f, 1:06 1/5. B-Doris Jamesin (KY).
- Fleetwood Max, c, 3, Gulch--Jenna S., by Kris S.** DEL, 6-13, (C), 6f, 1:14 2/5. B-Steve Shapiro & Susie Vizvary (KY). \*\$65,000 wlng '04 KEENOV.
- Saturday's Cat, c, 4, Black Minnaloushe--Cozumel Kitty, by Tom Rolfe.** BEL, 6-13, (S), 1 1/8mT, 1:54 2/5. B-Patricia Staskowski Purdy (NY). \*1/2 to Cozy Blues (Cure the Blues), GSW, \$365,589.
- Good Looking Out, g, 4, Crafty Friend--Slap On the Wrist, by Caveat.** BEL, 6-13, (C), 1 1/8mT, 1:53. B-Hopewell Investment LLC & Mary Ann Vimont (KY). \*\$25,000 yrl '04 KEESEP.

**BREEDERS' EDITION  
EUROPE**

**CONDITIONS RESULTS:**

- FRANCE, Strasbourg, 4.20, €22,000, 3yo, 1 5/16mT, 2:15.38, sf.**
- PEGMALION (FR) (c, 3, Majorien {GB}--Peggy Lane {Fr}, by Dancing Spree)** Lifetime Record: 6 starts, 2 wins, 2 places, €22,400. O-Mme Harprecht-Schulz & G Schulz; B-SARL Haras de Cleronde; T-D Fechner.

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**ITALY, Naples, 10.00, 6-12, €19,800, 2yo, 5fT, time:**  
n/a, gd.

**LOVE INTRIGUE (IRE) (f, 2, Marju {Ire}--Love Contest {Ire} (SP-Ity), by Love the Groom) Lifetime Record:**  
4 starts, 2 wins, 0 places, €20,706. O-Scuderia Alex; B-Locsot SRL; T-Antonio Peraino. \*€12,000 yrl '06 ITYSEP.

**FRANCE, Strasbourg, 2.20, €18,000, 4yo/up,**  
1 5/16mT, 2:15.95, sf.

**DWILANO (GER) (c, 4, Silvano {Ger}--Dwings {Ire}, by In the Wings {GB}) Lifetime Record:** MSP-Ger,  
12 starts, 3 wins, 5 places, €23,700. O-Stall Piaggio; B-E Wachtarz; T-P Remmert.

**ITALY, Naples, 11.00, 6-12, €10,800, 3yo/up, 5fT,**  
time: n/a, gd.

**VELVET REVOLVER (IRE) (f, 4, Mujahid--Noble Kara {Fr} (MGSP-Fr), by Noblequest {Fr}) Lifetime Record:**  
GSP-Ity, 17 starts, 6 wins, 5 places, €80,121. O-Christopher Wright; B-Agricola Ficomontanino SRL; T-Luigi Riccardi. \* 1/2 to Nobledil (Ire) (Dilum), SP-Ity, \$123,352.

**ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**

+ **Diocleziano, c, 2, Barkerville--Essie's Maid, by Link age.** Naples, Italy, 6-12, Unraced 2yo, c/g, 7fT. B-Janeen Oliver. \* \$38,000 yrl '06 FTKOCT. \*\* 1/2 to Dionisia (Tejano Run), Hwt. 2yo Filly-Ity, G1SW-Ity, \$738,784.

**Ellemujie (GB), g, 2, Mujahid--Jennelle (GB) (Fr), by Nomination (GB).** Kempton Park, Britain, 6-13, Mdn, 2yo, 6f (AWT). B-Mrs J A Cornwell.

**Fresnay (GB), f, 3, Rainbow Quest--Field of Hope (Ire) (G1SW-Fr, SW & GSP-Ity, GSP-HK, \$283,862-Fr & Ity), by Selkirk.** Varese, Italy, 6-12, Mdn, 3yo, 7 1/2 fT. B-Grundy Bloodstock Ltd SRL. \* 1/2 to Olympian Odyssey (GB) (Sadler's Wells), G1SP-Eng, \$146,858.

**First Buddy (GB), g, 3, Rock of Gibraltar (Ire)--Dance Treat (MGSW-Fr, \$145,023), by Nureyev.** Nottingham, Britain, 6-13, Mdn, 3yo/up, 1m 54ydsT. B-Tarworth Bloodstock Investments Ltd. \*28,000gns yrl '05 TATOCT.

**SO. HEMISPHERE WINNERS BY EUROPEAN SIRE:**

**Giro (Aus), g, 4, Mind Games (GB)--Magic Blades (Aus), by Steel Blade (Aus).** Randwick (Sydney), 6-11, Hcp, 3yo/up, 5fT. B-Mayfarm Lodge Pty Ltd.

**Good Samaritan (NZ), g, 5, Generous (Ire)--Danish Habit (Aus), by Danehill.** Randwick (Sydney), 6-11, Hcp, 3yo/up, 1 1/4mT. B-Glenmorgan Farm Ltd & G J & I Roddick.

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