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Exchange Rate's 2008 SW YOU LUCKIE MANN
Turns in First Stakes Performance of 2009
(see ATW, pages 1-2)

SEALED WITH A KISS

He was fanned nine wide and still had most of the field in front of him as they came off the turn, but



Horsephotos

Delightful Kiss (Kissin Kris) powered to the front in the final yards to take the GIII Hal's Hope H. at Gulfstream yesterday with something left. The winner of the GII Ohio Derby and the Iowa Derby last year, the grey was out of action for more than eight months before opening 2008 with a second in the May 24 Blazing Sword S. at Calder. Off

the board in his next three appearances, he got back on track with victories in the Sept. 6 GIII Turfway Park Fall Championship S. and the Sept. 27 GIII All American S. at Golden Gate. The gelding was beaten just two lengths when fourth in the Oct. 25 Breeders' Cup Marathon, and was last seen rallying for second in the Nov. 28 GII Clark H. at Churchill. Off at 5-1 in the Hal's Hope, Delightful Kiss trailed by open lengths early, but had enough gas to open up late, beating **Bullsbay** (Tiznow) by three lengths. "Boy, what I can say about this baby?" jockey Calvin Borel said. "He just kept giving me more and more." The winner will point for the \$1 million Sunshine Millions Classic Jan. 24. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or the [brisnet.com PPs](#). [Video](#), sponsored by Taylor Made.**

Saturday, Gulfstream Park

HAL'S HOPE H.-GIII, \$100,000, GPX, 1-3, 4yo/up, 1m, 1:36, ft.

1--**DELIGHTFUL KISS**, 122, g, 5, by Kissin Kris

1st Dam: Deputy's Delight, by French Deputy

2nd Dam: Bishop's Delight, by Sawbones

3rd Dam: Med Coed, by Dr. Fager

O/B-Hobeau Farm Ltd (FL); T-Pete D Anderson; J-Calvin H Borel; \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 23-7-4-2, \$882,872. **Werk Nick Rating: A + +**. **Click for the [eNicks report and 5-cross pedigree](#).**

2--**Bullsbay**, 118, h, 5, [Tiznow](#)--The Hess Express, by Lord Carson. (\$130,000 yrl '05 KEESEP). O-Mitchell Ranch LLC, Frank Lewkowitz & Joe Rice; B-Brad Anderson (KY); T-H Graham Motion; \$20,000.

3--**Famous Patriot**, 120, c, 4, [Repent](#)--Agnes Rose, by Beau Genius. (\$67,000 2yo '07 OBSAPR). O-Patriot Stable; B-Brent Fernung (FL); T-T A Hills; \$10,000.

Margins: 3, HF, HD. Odds: 5.20, 6.00, 65.60.

Also Ran: Anak Nakal, Fearless Vision, It's a Bird, Cuba, Finallymadeit, National Pride, Bribron (Fr), True Resurgence, Now a Victor, Rexson's Rose, Storm in May.

LOWERING THE "BOOM"

He has a knack for finding his way to the winner's circle. Jockey Garrett Gomez opted to take the inside

route with 17-10 chalk **Jibboom** (Mizzen Mast) in yesterday's GIII Monrovia H. at Santa Anita, and it looked for a moment like his tactics might prove costly. Caught on the rail when an opening disappeared after the field crossed the dirt in the stretch, Gomez had to steady the grey mare and ease her out to the three



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path, but he got her into the clear and she responded, getting up to win it by a half-length over **Christiana's Heat** (Unusual Heat). "It looked like she might be beat," said Humberto Ascanio, assistant to trainer Bobby Frankel. "I don't how this guy found his way through. She was much the best, I guess." A debut maiden winner on the Fair Grounds grass in January of 2007, Jibboom was runner-up in an allowance test that February, then disappeared for seven months. She returned to be second at Belmont in September before annexing the GII Raven Run S. on the Keeneland Polytrack in October. The Juddmonte homebred was out of action for another nine months after that effort. **Cont. p2**

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MONROVIA H.-GIII, \$100,000, SAX, 1-3, 4yo/up, f/m, a6 1/2fT, 1:13 1/5, fm.

1--**JIBBOOM**, 115, m, 5, by [Mizzen Mast](#)

1st Dam: Palisade, by Gone West

2nd Dam: Peplum, by Nijinsky II

3rd Dam: Chain Store, by Nodouble

O/B-Juddmonte Farms Inc (KY); T-Robert J Frankel; J-Garrett K Gomez; \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 9-4-3-0, \$337,600. **Werk Nick Rating: A+ . Click for the [eNicks report and 5-cross pedigree](#).**

2--**Christiana's Heat**, 113, m, 5, Unusual Heat--Silverstrike, by Tiffany Ice. (\$55,000 yrl '05 BESOCT). O-Albert & Kathleen Mattivi; B-Abrams, Johnson, Johnson, Nakkashian & Roberts (CA); T-Steve Knapp; \$20,000.

3--**Lethal Heat**, 118, f, 4, Unusual Heat--Lethal Leta, by Synastry. O-Abrams, M Auerbach LLC & McCauley; B-David Abrams, Madeline Auerbach & Tom Roberts (CA); T-Barry Abrams; \$12,000.

Margins: HF, HF, NO. Odds: 1.70, 18.90, 4.20. Also Ran: La Tee, That's Hot (Ire), Royal Taat (NZ), Society Hostess, Ransom Captive, Porto Marmay (Ire), Trouble Maker, Contentious. Scr: Eletro Nuclear (Brz).

Jibboom was second in an optional claimer on the turf at Saratoga in her 2008 debut Aug. 1. Off the board in the Aug. 24 GI Ballerina S. and the Oct. 5 GI Juddmonte Spinster S., she then headed west, and entered this off an allowance score going two turns on the Hollywood turf Nov. 2. The five-year-old was tucked in at the rail through a half in :44.93 and was unable to get through in upper stretch, but showed her determination once extricated to post a narrow victory. "It took me a while, but I had to ease my way out slowly," Gomez said. "I wanted to split [horses] much earlier, but [Christiana's Heat] came down and tightened it up, so it took me about an eighth of a mile to get out." **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or the [brisnet.com PPs](#). [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made](#).**



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STATUS QUO FOR INDYANNE John Sikura's **Indyanne** (Indian Charlie), who fractured a sesamoid in her left front leg during the stretch run of the Dec. 27 GI La Brea S., remains at Santa Anita and is doing OK, according to trainer Greg Gilchrist. "She's doing as well as can be expected at this point," said Gilchrist. "She's not in a lot of pain, but these things take five to six weeks before you know where you're at with them, and we're probably not going to be sure until then." The four-year-old filly, who was on the lead when she was injured, compiled a record of 8-5-2-0, with wins in the GIII Azalea S. at Calder and GIII TCA S. at Keeneland. She bankrolled \$449,870. It is hoped that the grey will be able to be bred this spring.

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SUNDAY IN THE PARK

While much of the pre-race attention has been focused on the speedy **Elusive Heat** (Elusive Quality) and **Frolic's Dream** (Smoke Glacken), the GIII Old Hat S. today at Gulfstream is more than a two-filly race, and **Gemswick Park** (Speightstown) could post a mild upset. Eugene Melnyk's homebred ran second to subsequent stakes winner Selva (Forest Wildcat) in her debut at Saratoga Aug. 7 and, with the addition of Lasix, promptly graduated by 6 1/2 lengths at Belmont Sept. 14.

Stretched out to a mile for each of her next two outings, the chestnut acquitted herself honorably with a third in the GI Frizette S. Oct. 4 at Belmont and a second in the GIII Tempted S. Nov. 2 at Aqueduct. Trainer Tom Albertrani shipped her down to Palm Meadows shortly thereafter, and Gemswick Park has been breezing like clockwork since early December.



Gemswick Park
Adam Coglianese

Ken McPeek will saddle **Redreamit** (Tapit), who steps up off a sharp maiden win going 6 1/2 furlongs at Churchill Nov. 23 ([video](#)).

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2008	Game Face	Menifee	Pletcher
2007	Dream Rush	Wild Rush	Violette Jr
2006	Misty Rosette	Stormin Fever	Chapman
2005	Maddalena	Good and Tough	Pletcher
2004	Madcap Escapade	Hennessy	Brothers

*upgraded to Grade III in 2005.

Sunday, Gulfstream Park, post time: 4:43 p.m. EDT
OLD HAT S.-GIII, \$100,000, 3yo, f, 6f

PP	HORSE	OWNER	BREEDER	TRAINER/JOCKEY	ODDS
1	Honchis'n Ponchis <i>(City Zip--Kelli's Song, by Dixieland Band)</i>	Ed Edelberg	Kuehne Racing Stable-KY	Romans Leparoux	20-1
2	Frolic's Dream <i>(Smoke Glacken--Flashy Frolic, by Premiership)</i>	Dare to Dream Farm	R A Murphy & Dr S L Price-Murphy-FL	Ma Wolfson J Bridgmohan	9-5
3	Casanova Move <i>(Langfuhr--Casanova Junction, by Pleasant Colony)</i>	Edward P Evans	Edward P Evans-VA	J Jerkens Garcia	8-1
4	Redreamit <i>(Tapit--Dreamsport, by Relaunch)</i>	Gessler Racing LLC	Winchell Thoroughbreds LLC-KY	McPeek Desormeaux	4-1
5	Elusive Heat <i>(Elusive Quality--Xtra Heat, by Dixieland Heat)</i>	Martin S Schwartz	West Hills Farms LLC-KY	McLaughlin Prado	8-5
6	Sweet Repent <i>(Repent--Sweetbabe, by Formal Dinner)</i>	Buongiorno a Tutti Stable	Nikki & Roger Schick-FL	Braddy Castellano	20-1
7	Gemswick Park <i>(Speightstown--Queen's Park, by Relaunch)</i>	Melnyk Racing Stables	Eugene Melnyk-KY	Albertrani Velazquez	6-1



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San Gorgonio cont.

Marzelline, who captured an optional claimer over this course and distance last April, finished a solid fourth to Wait a While, Vacare and Black Mamba (NZ) in the GI Yellow Ribbon S. Sept. 27. A trip to New York didn't prove fruitful, however, as the chestnut had a wide trip when seventh in the GIII Long Island H. at Aqueduct Nov. 1. "Her last race was kind of disappointing," admitted trainer Ben Cecil. "I still don't know quite why. It might have been a combination of the shipping, the turf course and the mile and a half." He added, "She's doing very well for this race, so hopefully, things will improve Sunday."

☆ **LETTERS TO THE EDITOR** ☆

I understand that Sid Fernando made the point to be accurate with black type and Grade I statistics of all horses, North American and international. However, I was disappointed in the tone in which Mr. Fernando wrote the piece about Soto. As a small Maryland breeder, I have absolutely no connections to Soto. However, as an avid daily reader of the relevant Thoroughbred publications and magazines, I immediately noticed that Soto got off to a remarkably good start with his first crop. Could Mr. Fernando at least have given Soto some recognition?

Elisabeth Salchow
Fort Washington, MD

Sunday, Santa Anita, post time: 6:36 p.m. EDT
SAN GORGONIO H.-GII, \$150,000, 4yo/up, f/m,
1 1/8mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1	Meribel	Peaks and Valleys	Casse	6-1
2	Tizfiz	Tiznow	Deleon	12-1
3	Solar Miss	Malibu Moon	Walsh	8-1
4	Marzelline (Ire)	Barathea (Ire)	Cecil	3-1
5	Green Lyons (Ire)	Green Desert	Drysdale	8-1
6	Belmont Cat (NZ)	Felix the Cat	Sadler	6-1
7	High Heel Sneakers (GB)	Dansili (GB)	Cecil	8-1
8	Valbenny (Ire)	Val Royal (Fr)	Frankel	2-1

Belmont Cat, a listed winner in her native New Zealand, scored as the favorite in her Stateside bow Dec. 3 in a one-mile optional claimer over the Hollywood lawn. That marked her first appearance since May, when she took a 10-furlong handicap at Riccarton. "It was really impressive first time out," said rider Mike Smith. "She just sat down in there and made a big run at the rail. She ran great. There should be more pace on Sunday--her last race, there wasn't much pace. She was taking a bit of a pull, but we wanted her to sit behind horses in that race. More pace should help her."

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 **NORTH AMERICA** 

POMPA HOLDS HIS "POSITION" After selling a majority interest in subsequent dual Classic winner Big Brown (Boundary), owner Paul Pompa Jr. has decided to hang on to  **"TDN Rising Star"**  **Well Positioned** (Awesome Again). The \$340,000 ADNMAR graduate posted a dominating 14 1/4-length maiden victory going a mile in his second career start at the Big A Nov. 22 ([Video](#)). "In the end, Mr. Pompa decided to go it alone," trainer Pat Reynolds told *Daily Racing Form*. "Obviously, it's pretty tough to duplicate the Big Brown scenario, but we're going to see what happens." Well Positioned earned a Beyer Speed Figure of 91 in his sparkling maiden victory. "That race was not a mistake," Reynolds continued. "The race was visually impressive. That was him. The colt has a beautiful way of moving." The three-year-old had his first workout since late November at Gulfstream Park Saturday, traveling three furlongs in :38.60. According to Reynolds, the Ontario-bred will resurface in a Gulfstream entry-level allowance. He will be pointed toward the GI Florida Derby Mar. 28.

 **TODAY'S INSIGHTS**
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12:58p 2nd-AQU, \$44K, Msw, 3yo, f, 1m
HR/TVG TYB Stable's **MORNING CHATTER** ([Proud Citizen](#)), runner-up to subsequent GSW Sara Louise (Malibu Moon) going seven panels at Belmont Sept. 21, was last seen finishing third in the GIII Tempted S. over Aqueduct's main track Nov. 2. From the family of GISW Hansel (Woodman) and GSW Ready's Gal (More Than Ready), the chestnut was a \$175K KEESEP yearling purchase, then worked an eighth in :10.3 ahead of last year's FTFFEB sale, but was withdrawn. Lee Lewis's homebred **Dazzling Look** ([Alphabet Soup](#)) is the first foal to race out of Eye Dazzler (Boundary), a precocious sort who managed a third in the 2003 GI Matron S. [brisnet.com pps](#)

2:42p 4th-GPX, \$40K, Msw, 3yo, f, 6f
HRTV **LAWLESS FALLS** ([Fusaichi Pegasus](#)) turned in a promising debut effort at Churchill Downs Nov. 23, rallying into second behind Redreamit (Tapit), who will take her fair share of action in today's GIII Old Hat S. a little later on the program. Her second dam, Magic Broad (Broad Brush), is a full sister to Include. **Dame Ellen** ([Elusive Quality](#)) is a Charles Wacker homebred out of 1997 G1 English 1000 Guineas heroine Sleepytime (Ire) (Royal Academy). The dam of GSW Gentleman's Deal (Ire) (Danehill) and GSP Spanish Harlem (Ire) (Danehill), Sleepytime is a half to champion Taipan (Ire) (Last Tycoon {Ire}) and MGSW Oonagh Maccool (Ire) (Giant's Causeway), and a full to champion Ali-Royal (Ire). [brisnet.com pps](#)

3:42p 6th-GPX, \$40K, Msw, 3yo, f, 1m
HRTV Representatives of Chiefswood Stable went to \$1.55 million for **MAGICAL AFFAIR** ([Giant's Causeway](#)), and the chestnut earned the chance to winter in the Sunshine State with a pacesetter second in a one-mile Laurel maiden on Halloween. The chestnut hails from the extended female family of G1SW Gay Gallanta (Woodman) and MGSW/G1SP Byron (GB) (Green Desert). Also in the field are **After Thought** ([Fusaichi Pegasus](#)), a full sister to GSW Ravel; and **Treasure Trail** ([Pulpit](#)), a half to undefeated Zenyatta (Street Cry {Ire}) and GISW Balance (Thunder Gulch). [brisnet.com pps](#)

★ **GULFSTREAM** ★

Yesterday's Results:

SPECTACULAR BID S., \$100,000, GPX, 1-3, 3yo, 6f, 1:08 2/5, ft.

1--**#NOTONTHEPAGE**, 116, c, 3, by **Catienus**

1st Dam: **Blue Holiday**, by **Cure the Blues**

2nd Dam: **Anguilla Holiday**, by **Lear Fan**

3rd Dam: **Angalia**, by **Damascus**

O/B-Kenneth L & Sarah K Ramsey (KY); T-Wesley A Ward; J-Elvis Trujillo; \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 6-2-1-1, \$109,078. **Werk Nick Rating: A+**

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2--**You Luckie Mann**, 120, c, 3, [Exchange Rate](#)--Terri's Choice, by West Acre. (\$22,000 wlng '06 OBSOCT; \$51,000 yrl '07 OBSAUG; \$105,000 2yo '08 OBSMAR). O-Kramer Stables LLC. \$20,000.

3--**Bee Cee Cee**, 120, c, 3, [Songandaprayer](#)--Mighty Rose, by Mighty Appealing. (\$100,000 wlng '06 OBSOCT; \$200,000 2yo '08 OBSFEB). O-J Robert Harris Jr. \$10,000.

Margins: 8 1/4, 4 1/4, 3/4. Odds: 4.70, 1.70, 54.10.

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Spectacular Bid S. cont.

Notonthesamepage earned **"TDN Rising Star"** status after setting a track record in his Apr. 30 maiden win at Churchill Downs, and nearly did the same in his sophomore bow. The chestnut was forced to miss the July 24 GII Sanford S. at Saratoga due to a fever, but recovered quick enough to contest the Tyro S. at Monmouth just two days later, where he finished second at 1-10. The front-runner raced uncharacteristically toward the back of the pack in the GI Hopeful S. Sept. 1, and reported home fifth. Stretched to two turns for the GI Lane's End Breeders' Futurity at Keeneland Oct. 4, he faded to finish last of 11 after setting the early pace. Working bullets for his return, the Ramsey homebred was soon in front, scorched a half in :44 3/5 and poured it on in the stretch. "He had issues with his throat and bleeding last summer, which explains his last couple of races, but it looks like that's past him now," trainer Wesley Ward said. "He trained great up to this race. The way he ran today, it looks like he could have gone on longer. Mr. Ramsey has said he would like to try and stretch him out again at some point." But Ward added, "After they run a huge race like he did today, I like to give them at least a month before they run back." [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

7th-GPX, \$39,000, Alw, NW2\$X, 4yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:42, fm.

FURTHEST LAND (g, 4, Smart Strike--Flagrant, by Rahy) posted a maiden win from his first four starts before running second in a restricted \$35,000 claiming test going six panels on the Belmont turf Oct. 10. The dark bay was haltered by his current connections out of a runner-up effort in a similar event Oct. 24, and earned back a good chunk of the investment with a Churchill allowance tally going nine grassy furlongs Nov. 27. A 5-1 chance with blinkers on for the first time, he was reserved towards the back of the pack after being steadied into the first turn. Switched out for the drive while making up ground, he gathered in Celestial Comet (Smart Strike) at the sixteenth pole and rolled home a 2 1/4-length winner. Lifetime Record: 8-3-2-1, \$80,126.

O-Kenneth L & Sarah K Ramsey. B-Catherine Wills (KY). T-Michael J Maker.

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5th-GPX, \$37,000, Alw, NW1\$X, 4yo/up, 1mT, 1:35, fm.

NATIONAL KID (BRZ) (c, 4, Dodge--Zanbarian {Brz}, by Purple Mountain) was presented with something of a tricky task for his debut, as he was sent off a 6-1 chance over the undulating course at Kentucky Downs. Held up at the back of the field, the bay flew home to score by five lengths, and was the 2-1 favorite to maintain an unblemished record here. Never far from the front, the half to From Tokyo (Brz) (Music Prospector), MSW & G1SP-Brz, advanced to lead at the head of the stretch and edged clear to post a 1 1/2-length victory. On Fire (Pulpit) finished well to complete the exacta. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$37,200.

O-Lansdon B Robbins III, Sam Delaney & Susan McPeck. B-Haras Old Friends Ltda (BRZ). T-Kenneth G McPeck.

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★ **NEW "TDN Rising Star"** ★

6th-GPX, \$35,000, Msw, 3yo, 6f, 1:10 1/5, ft.

+ **CHECKLIST**, c, 3, [Gone West](#)

1st Dam: **Yearly Report (MGSW, \$835,900)**, by General Meeting

2nd Dam: **Fiscal Year**, by Half a Year

3rd Dam: **Fiscal Gold**, by Slew O' Gold

Checklist, the first foal out of 2004 GII Black-Eyed Susan S. and Delaware Oaks heroine Yearly Report, made a sparkling debut at the races here. In steady training at Palm Meadows since mid-November, the \$400,000 KEESEP yearling purchase worked four furlongs from the gate in :48.65 Dec. 28. Let go at 5-1, he vied for the early lead through a :21.99 opening quarter after breaking from post 10. With Johnny Velazquez in the irons, he began to open daylight on the turn for home through a half mile in :44.91, and strolled home to score by a geared-down four lengths. More Than Willing (More Than Ready) completed the exacta as the 6-5 favorite. B. Wayne Hughes went to \$825,000 for Yearly Report, with this colt in utero, at the 2005 Keeneland November sale. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$21,000. Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or the [free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree](#). [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O-Starlight Partners. B-B W Hughes (KY). T-T Pletcher.

9th-GPX, \$35,000, Msw, 3yo, 1m, 1:38 2/5, ft. **COPPER CASCADE** (c, 3, [Grand Slam](#)--Topicount {MGSW & MGISP, \$607,618}, by Private Account), a \$120,000 FTSAUG yearling and a \$260,000 FTFEB juvenile, finished a respectable third in his seven-furlong debut at the Big A Nov. 1. Cut back to 6 1/2 furlongs in his next start at Aqueduct Nov. 29, he failed to build off his bow, finishing a distant fifth behind the promising Quality Road (Elusive Quality). Stretching to a mile this time, the 27-1 chance was settled toward the back and was still ninth through six furlongs in 1:11.93, but came with a late rally to get up by 1 1/2 lengths over Tippiy Tap (Tapit). The victor is a half to Laguna Seca (Seattle Slew), SW & GSP, \$131,330; and Winning Season (Lemon Drop Kid), SW & GSP, \$191,273. Tiger Tracks (Storm Cat) finished a non-threatening sixth. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-1, \$26,590. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O-Mark B Grier. B-Gaines-Gentry Thoroughbreds (KY). T-Mark A Hennig.

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IMASTORMING 98	CORINTHIAN	HENNESSY HALF TO 3 GSW'S BRED ON THE PULPIT-STORM CAT THAT PRODUCED SKY MESA (G1)
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PEACOCK SALLY	PROUD CITIZEN	HALF SISTER TO MAGNA GRADUATE MGSW OF \$2,282,816
ROYAL FEAT 99	HARLAN'S HOLIDAY	KINGMAMBO HALF TO 2 SWS. HER 2ND FOAL WON BLUE RIBBON AT MHBA YEARLING SHOW THAN SOLD FOR \$175K
SCAPADE 00	POLITICAL FORCE	MSW OF \$306,770 IN FOAL TO POLITICAL FORCE
TOP STORY 05	SUNRIVER	STAKES PLACED CARSON CITY MARE, IF TO ASHADO'S G1 FULL-BRO SUNRIVER. MARE ON TEMPORARY 'LEAVE' FROM NY
TORCH 93	ENGLISH CHANNEL	SW OF \$485,016 & PRODUCER OF A \$531,865 SW. IF TO 7L BC TURF WINNER & TRACK RECORD SETTER ENGLISH CHANNEL
BROAD EXPECTATIONS 94	ENGLISH CHANNEL	STAKES PLACED FULL-SIS TO BC CLASSIC WINNER CONCERN. IF TO A CHAMPION, SIX TIME G1 WINNER OF \$5,319,028
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Gulfstream Report cont.

Beethoven Tuning Up at Gulfstream Park:

John Oxley's **Beethoven** (Sky Mesa), last seen annexing the GII Kentucky Jockey Club S. at Churchill Downs Nov. 29, worked three furlongs in :36 at Gulfstream Park Saturday. Jockey Calvin Borel was aboard for the move. "His goal is to make the [GIII] Holy Bull [Jan. 31] and the [GI] Florida Derby [Mar. 28]," trainer John Ward said of the \$300,000 KEESEP yearling purchase. "Where we go in between is up in the air." Ward also sent Oxley homebred **Strategic Decision** (Distorted Humor) out for a four-furlong move in :50.20. The three-year-old son of Beautiful Pleasure finished a well-beaten third in his Turfway bow Dec. 12.

★ NEW YORK ★

Yesterday's Results:

COUNT FLEET S., \$68,460, AQU, 1-3, 3yo, 1m70y, 1:44 3/5, ft.

1--**HAYNESFIELD**, 118, c, 3, by **Speightstown**

1st Dam: **Nothing Special** (SW & GSP, \$266,589), by Tejabo

2nd Dam: **Moody Maiden**, by **Apalachee**

3rd Dam: **Cool Mood**, by **Northern Dancer**

(\$100,000 yrl '07 KEESEP; \$20,000 2yo '08 KEEAPR).

O-Turtle Bird Stable; B-Barry Weisbord & Margaret

Santulli (NY); T-Steven M Asmussen; J-Ramon A

Dominguez; \$41,856. Lifetime Record: 4-3-0-1,

\$125,321. * 1/2 to Mama Theresa (Carson City), MSP,

\$240,898.

2--**Jess Not Jesse**, 116, c, 3, Minardi--Alex Hollywood,

by Cormorant. O-Robert J Koonen. \$13,952.

3--**Mike From Queens**, 116, c, 3, **Flutter**--Fob, by The

Prime Minister. (\$80,000 yrl '07 KEESEP). O-Repole

Stable. \$7,024.

Margins: 3HF, NO, 8 3/4. Odds: 0.50, 10.10, 6.70.

New York's road to the Triple Crown kicked off in earnest here, and if the result was not unexpected, perhaps the style of victory was. Haynesfield had dominated New York-bred competition in his last two, including a wire-to-wire success in the Dec. 7 Damon Runyon S. over this course and distance. Off the pace in fourth to the far turn in this time, he engaged Mike From Queens turning for home and edged away to an ultimately comfortable victory. "Obviously, it was a very different trip than last time," jockey Ramon Dominguez said. "I didn't want to push him. He relaxed nicely. It was just a matter of getting in the clear. He tried to lug in--he did the same thing last time. I was aware that we were following quick fractions. When it was time to pick it up, he did." [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)



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6th-AQU, \$44,000, Msw, 3yo, 1m, 1:41 1/5, ft.

TRANQUIL MANNER (c, 3, **A.P. Indy**--**Composure**

{**GISW, \$731,300**}, by **Touch Gold**) showed very little in each of his first two career starts, finishing a distant ninth as the favorite in a seven-furlong Keeneland maiden Oct. 3 before filling the same spot in a one-mile event on the Aqueduct main track Nov. 22. The homebred finally suggested that the lightbulb might be going on in his latest, staying on for third after a very bad stumble at the break of that Dec. 13 event. The bay was the 6-1 third choice, but found himself nearly 15 lengths out of it as odds-on Toulouse Lautrec (More Than Ready) and Haitian Sensation (Petionville) distanced themselves up front. Those two appeared to have the race between them to decide, but Tranquil Manner, still eight lengths back at the stretch call, stormed home and was 1 1/4 lengths clear of Haitian Sensation on the wire. Toulouse Lautrec was another head back in third. Composure, winner of the 2003 GI Santa Anita Oaks, was purchased by John Ferguson for \$3.6 million out of the Keeneland November sale later that year. Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-1, \$30,910.

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O-Darley Stable. B-Darley (KY). T-Kiaran P McLaughlin.

Sunday, Aqueduct, post time: 3:49 p.m. EST

RUTHLESS S., \$65,000, 3yo, f, 6f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	Indian Rush	Indian Charlie	Grusmark	116
2	Could Be Us	Alke	Preciado	118
3	Justwhistledixie	Dixie Union	McLaughlin	122
4	Unveil the Mask	Harlan's Holiday	Violette	116
5	J.J. Cuvee	Cuvee	Benzel	116
6	Gnome's Delight	Harlan's Holiday	Lake	118
7	Ocarson	Olmodavor	Reid	116

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[Spectacular Bid S. \(GPX\)](#) Notonthesamepage (Catienus) rolls in his return to a sprint.

[Count Fleet S. \(AQU\)](#) Haynesfield (Speightstown) displays a new rating gear.

[6th-GPX \(Msw\)](#) Checklist (Gone West) wins in hand, becomes a ☆ **"TDN Rising Star"** ☆.

[6th-AQU \(Msw\)](#) Tranquil Manner (A.P. Indy) rallies from an impossible position to score.



★ EAST ★

Yesterday's Results:

MINARET S., \$65,000, TAM, 1-3, 4yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10 3/5, ft.

1--**DREAM RUSH, 118, m, 5, Wild Rush--Turbo Dream, by Unbridled.** (\$90,000 yrl '05 KEESEP; \$285,000 2yo '06 OBSFEB; \$3,300,000 HRA '07 FTKNOV). O-Minor Stables; B-James H Petrey Jr (KY); T-William Phipps; J-Daniel Centeno; \$30,000. Lifetime Record: MGISW, 15-8-3-2, \$779,364.

2--**Rising Fever (Brz), 116, m, 5, Put It Back--Heaven Can Wait (Brz), by Tokatee.** \$10,000.

3--**Star Operator, 116, m, 5, Quaker Ridge--Tionesta, by Major Impact.** \$12,500.

Margins: NK, 3/4, 4. Odds: 0.90, 3.30, 6.80.

Winner of the GI Prioress S. and the GI Test S. back-to-back in 2007, Dream Rush was fifth as the favorite in the inaugural Breeders' Cup Filly and Mare Sprint, then was sold for \$3.3 million to owner Halsey Minor. Third in the GI Princess Rooney H. July 12 in her second start of 2008, she was then transferred to this barn, for which she was third in the Presque Isle Masters S. Sept. 13. A distant 12th in the last year's F/M Sprint, she showed a new dimension by coming off the pace to take a local allowance Dec. 13. Close up early, Dream Rush raced three deep around the turn, opened up past midstretch and just held on. Susan Minor, mother of Dream Rush's owner, was on hand to watch her son's mare win the Minaret. She said of the victory, "I was here last month for the opening day allowance race, and that was her comeback race. I felt pretty good about that win, but you never know how the next race will go. This gave her one more race that she really needed; now we'll talk about it and see how it goes day-to-day. I feel good about her."

6th-LRL, \$30,000, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$50,000-\$45,000), NW1X, 3yo, f, 5 1/2f, 1:05 4/5, ft.

HEAVEN'S VOICE (f, 3, Lion Hearted--Good Lovin', by Smarten) posted a smart wire-to-wire score in her Laurel bow Dec. 5, and was 8-5 to stay perfect here. Sent to the lead again, she rattled off fractions of :22.37 and :46.19 and reported home a two-length victress. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$33,060.

O/B-Yigal Rappaport (MD). T-Christopher W Grove.

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★ CENTRAL ★

Yesterday's Results:

DIXIE POKER ACE S., \$60,000, FGX, 1-3, (S), 4yo/up, 1m (off turf), 1:37 2/5, wf.

1--**STAR GUITAR, 117, c, 4, Quiet American--Minit Towinit (MSW, \$112,245), by Malagra.** O/B-Brittlyn Stable Inc, M & E Benoit (LA); T-Albert M Stall Jr; J-Corey J Lanerie; \$36,000. Lifetime Record: 6-5-0-1, \$212,100. *1/2 to Favorit Minit (Favorite Trick), SW, \$105,505; and Grand Minit (Grand Slam), MSW, \$260,980.

2--**Classy Deelites, 120, g, 4, Afternoon Deelites--Classy Aly, by Sky Classic.** O-Moran Racing Stable Inc. \$12,000.

3--**Hallway, 116, h, 5, Graeme Hall--Silver Bride, by Runaway Groom.** (\$110,000 yrl '05 KEESEP). O-Heiligbrodt Racing Stable. \$6,600.

Margins: 1, NO, HF. Odds: 2.00, 14.50, 9.30.

Star Guitar won his two starts as a juvenile, was sidelined and returned from a near 11-month absence to finish third in a Louisiana Downs state-bred allowance Sept. 25. He bounced back to take a six-furlong allowance against La.-breds Nov. 23 and was stretching out off a 3/4-length score in the Louisiana Sprint S. Dec. 13. Favored in this off-the-turf affair, Star Guitar was well-placed inside, was steered off the rail turning for home and ran down Classy Deelites for the win. Next up? "There's a race for him [Feb. 7] at Delta Downs," said winning trainer Al Stall, Jr. "It's the Louisiana Premier Night Championship, and it's a \$200,000 purse. I'm going for it, baby. Greed is good."

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TURFWAY PREVUE S., \$50,000, TPX, 1-3, 3yo, 6 1/2f (AWT), 1:16 3/5, ft.

1--**#LOCH DUBH, 118, c, 3, by Friends Lake**

1st Dam: Star Landing, by Caller I. D.

2nd Dam: Poage's Landing, by Herat

3rd Dam: Meander, by Little Current

(\$42,000 yrl '07 KEESEP). O-Texas Toyco LLC; B-The Answer LLC (KY); T-Jeff Talley; J-Victor Lebron; \$29,760. Lifetime Record: 6-3-0-0, \$52,876. *Third stakes winner for sophomore sire (by A.P. Indy).

2--**Back to Gold, 118, c, 3, Put It Back--I See Gold, by Sejm.** O-Arturo Lomeli & Hernandez Racing Club. \$9,600.

3--**Rudy Flyer, 116, g, 3, Mutakddim--Aunt Ginger, by Fred Astaire.** O-Flying High Stables LLC. \$4,800.

Margins: 2, 3HF, 5. Odds: 6.20, 6.90, 0.40.

Loch Dubh was claimed for \$15,000 out of a 7 1/4-length blowout win at Churchill Nov. 14 and made it two straight with a five-length allowance tally at Mountaineer Dec. 15. Tracking the pace three wide, the bay gained from that path into the lane and closed nicely to win going away.



★ SO. CALIFORNIA ★

Yesterday's Results:

7th-SAX, \$52,592, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000), NW1X, 4yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f (AWT), 1:15 2/5, ft.

QUEENOFALLDIAMONDS (m, 5, [Kingmambo--Escena {Ch. Older Mare, MGISW, \\$2,962,639}](#), by [Strawberry Road {Aus}](#)), a \$2.7 million KEESEP yearling purchase, had mixed success when racing on turf and traditional dirt in her first five starts, but she is now a perfect two-for-two on synthetic tracks. The nearly black filly was second going seven panels on the turf at Belmont in her second appearance June 25, but faded to seventh when trying two turns at Saratoga July 30. Third in a sprint on the main track at the Spa Aug. 24, she ran ninth on a soft turf back at Belmont Sept. 14, and was shipped off to Lexington. The Live Oak colorbearer made her all-weather bow at Keeneland Oct. 11, getting up for a 3/4-length tally, but she was a 9-1 chance to make it two in a row. Rated off an opening half in :44.86, she was guided through a narrow opening as they raced down the lane and outgamed Cool Haleigh (Gulch) under jockey Garrett Gomez to score by a neck. Queenofalldiamonds is the second of four foals out of champion Escena, who was purchased for \$3.25 million at the 1999 KEEJAN sale. Reynolds Bell Jr. signed the ticket for Guy and Diane Snowden. Her first foal, the winning filly Virtuosa (Seeking the Gold), was a \$3.7 million KEEJUL yearling. Her third, the unraced three-year-old Eye on Jacob (A.P. Indy), was bought by Zayat Stables for \$800,000 as a KEESEP yearling in 2007. She had an A.P. Indy colt in 2007, and was bred to Smart Strike last year. Lifetime Record: 7-2-1-1, \$77,294. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O-Live Oak Plantation. B-Guy B Snowden & Diane Snowden (KY). T-Robert J Frankel.

6th-SAX, \$63,760, Alw, NW1X, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8mT, 1:49 4/5, fm.

SPINNING YARNS (f, 4, [Free House--Belle Story, by Bien Bien](#)) ended a six-race losing streak with a victory in a \$25,000 restricted optional claimer over the Hollywood lawn last time Nov. 13. Placed in a close second here, the 6-1 shot took over on the backstretch and stayed on to take it by 1 1/2 lengths. Lifetime Record: 11-3-2-0, \$116,940.

O/B-Mr & Mrs John A Toffan (CA). T-J Paco Gonzalez.

4th-SAX, \$47,800, Msw, 4yo/up, a6 1/2fT, 1:12 4/5, fm.

MR GRUFF (g, 5, [Mr. Greeley--Ruff, by Clever Trick](#)) made but two starts during his four-year-old season, a solid fourth in his Feb. 15 bow racing 6 1/2 furlongs on this main track and a near-miss second, beaten a half-length, going a sixteenth of a mile shorter Mar.14. Making his first start since as the 2-1 chalk, the dark bay sped to the front from the outside post, cut out the running along the inside and accelerated away from his rivals in the stretch, reporting home 4 1/4 lengths ahead of Sognatore (Fr) (Oasis Dream {GB}). The winner was a \$110,000 KEESEP yearling and a \$200,000 BESMAR juvenile. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, \$39,480. O-Gary Broad. B-Robert Spiegel (KY). T-Ronald W Ellis.

3rd-SAX, \$46,600, Msw, 3yo, 5.5f (AWT), 1:02 4/5, ft.

+ GOTMYMOJOWORKIN (c, 3, [Gimmeawink--Countrywishingwell, by Country Pine](#)) proved a successful pinhooking prospect on a couple of occasions, maturing first from a \$6,000 OBSOCT weanling into a \$40,000 OBSAUG yearling. He was one of two horses to cover a sub-10 second eighth of a mile ahead of last year's BESMAY sale, and was knocked down for \$160,000, easily the best of 13 juveniles by his sire sold at auction in 2008. Sent off at debut odds of 5-1, the half to Calico Bay (Three Wonders), MSW, \$408,700, showed good speed to argue the pace from the outside, poked a head in front approaching the eighth pole and edged away to post a 1 3/4-length victory over Pauper's Prince (Repent). The winner's sire, an Elusive Quality half-brother to MGISW Showing Up (Strategic Mission), won six black-type events and was runner-up in the 2003 GII Pennsylvania Derby. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$27,000. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O-Ike & Dawn Thrash. B-Hidden Point Farm Inc (FL). T-John W Sadler.

Well Armed Set for San Pasqual:

Six-year-old **Well Armed** (Tiznow), a disappointing ninth after a rough trip as the 6-5 favorite in the Oct. 25 Breeders' Cup Dirt Mile, will open his 2009 campaign in Saturday's GII San Pasqual H. at Santa Anita. The gelding was freshened after the Breeders' Cup, but has had four solid works in preparation for his return, most recently going six panels in 1:12 3/5 on New Year's Day. "The rest helped him and he's been working super," trainer Eoin Harty said. Runner-up in the San Pasqual last year, Well Armed went on to win the GI Goodwood H., GII San Antonio H. and GII San Diego H. He was also second in the GI Pacific Classic and third in the G1 Dubai World Cup. His record stands at 20-6-3-1, with earnings of \$1,530,805.



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Pegasus Again, g, 4, **Fusaichi Pegasus**--Chit Chatter (MSP-US, \$120,945), by Lost Soldier. Lingfield, 1-3, Hcp, 4yo/up, 7f (AWT). B-Stonestreet Mares LLC. *\$50,000 yrl '06 KEESEP. **SP-Eng.

Blockley, g, 5, **Johannesburg**--Saintly Manner, by St. Jovite. Wolverhampton, 1-2, Hcp, 4yo/up, 12f 50yds (AWT). B-Payson Stud Inc. *\$37,000 yrl '05 KEESEP.

Premio Loco, g, 5, **Prized**. See "Breeders' Ed.--Europe."

Evident Pride, g, 6, **Chester House**--Proud Fact (SW-Fr), by Known Fact. Lingfield, 1-3, Hcp, 4yo/up, 1 1/2m (AWT). B-Juddmonte Fms. *9,000gns HIT '05 TATAUT.

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- ALKE** (Grand Slam), Vinery FL, \$4K, 130/18/0
- 8-AQU, Stk, 6f, Could Be Us, \$10K OBS APR 2yo, 20-1
- BOWMAN'S BAND** (Dixieland Band), Lane's End, \$6K, 101/7/1
- 3-PHA, Msw, 6f, Marcie Lee, 15-1
- 3-PHA, Msw, 6f, +Amazed by Grace, \$40K ESM AY 2yo, 6-1
- CHAPEL ROYAL** (Montbrook), Ashford, \$10K, 278/37/0
- 4-GP, Msw, 6f, Iberian Gate, \$340K OBS FEB 2yo, 5-1
- 4-GP, Msw, 6f, +Royal Ambition, \$14K OBS AUG yrl, 10-1
- CUVEE** (Carson City), Gainesway, \$10K, 205/20/2
- 8-AQU, Stk, 6f, J. J. Cuvee, \$72K OBS APR 2yo, 8-1
- DURING** (Cherokee Run), Claiborne, \$5K, 112/9/0
- 4-GP, Msw, 6f, +Durloros, \$65K OBS FEB 2yo, 12-1
- HIGH CASCADE** (Woodman), 69/2/0
- 3-DED, Msw, 7 1/2f, Too Hi to Keep, \$5K LSA BDR yrl, 7-2
- OLMODAVOR** (A.P. Indy), Adena Springs South, \$10K, 116/12/2
- 8-AQU, Stk, 6f, Ocarson, \$33K OBS APR 2yo, 12-1
- PLEASANTLY PERFECT** (Plea sant Colony), Lane's End, \$40K, 116/10/1
- 4-GP, Msw, 6f, Light Green, 5-2
- SAARLAND** (Unbridled), Darby Dan, \$10K, 148/7/0
- 7-FG, Msw, 1mT, Desert Fox, \$57K KEE APR 2yo, 10-1
- SMARTY JONES** (Elusive Quality), Three Chimneys, \$100K, 161/8/1
- 6-GP, Msw, 1m, Miracle Baby, \$120K KEE SEP yrl, 20-1
- SPANISH STEPS** (Unbridled), Martin Stables So, \$5K, 103/8/0
- 5-SUN, Msw, 5 1/2f, Tasha's Star, \$300K BAR MAR 2yo, 5-2
- SPEIGHTSTOWN** (Gone West), WinStar, \$40K, 195/17/2
- 8-GP, Stk, 6f, Gemswick Park, 6-1
- 3-PHA, Msw, 6f, Chattertown, \$250K OBS MAR 2yo, 4-1
- TAPIT** (Pulpit), Gainesway, \$15K, 171/24/3
- 8-GP, Stk, 6f, Redreamit, \$40K KEE SEP yrl, 4-1

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STAKES RESULTS:

NATIVE DANCER S., \$50,000, LRL, 1-3, 4yo/up, 1m, 1:38, ft.

- 1--**LORD SNOWDON**, 118, g, 6, **Seeking the Gold--Weekend Storm**, by Storm Bird. (\$75,000 yrl '04 KEESEP; \$200,000 2yo '05 FTFFEB). O-Dubb, Goldfarb, Joscelyn, Sanford H Robbins LLC & P & D Kaplan Racing; B-W S Farish & Kilroy Thoroughbred Partnership (KY); T-Anthony W Dutrow; J-Jeremy Rose; \$30,000. Lifetime Record: GISP, 32-9-7-4, \$466,660. *3/4 to Court Vision (Gulch), GISW, \$1,006,400; Smart Surprise (Smart Strike), SW, \$203,294; City Weekend (Carson City), SP, \$270,273; and Garcia Marquez (Gulch), MSW-HK.
 - 2--**Sharps Island**, 118, g, 6, Deputy Minister--Regal Victress, by Diamond Prospect. (\$250,000 yrl '04 FTSAUG). \$10,000.
 - 3--**P V Lightening**, 122, g, 5, Sultry Song--McKilts, by Deputed Testamony. \$5,500.
- Margins: 3/4, 1 3/4, 3/4. Odds: 1.70, 5.90, 3.60.

SWIFT S., \$50,000, TUP, 1-3, 4yo/up, 5 1/2f, 1:02 2/5, ft.

- 1--**NORTHERN SOLDIER**, 116, h, 6, **Yankee Victor--Adorable Lydia**, by Carson City. (\$40,000 yrl '04 KEESEP; \$30,000 2yo '05 OBSAPR). O-Julie Berta, E Racing Com & Wind River Stable; B-Pegasus Stud & Ledgelands LLC (KY); T-Dennis T Sowers; J-Glenn W Corbett; \$30,000. Lifetime Record: GSW, 21-6-1-3, \$299,910.
 - 2--**Bound to Be M V P**, 120, h, 6, Snowbound--Blue Boy's Janet, by Chisos. \$10,000.
 - 3--**Eagle Storm**, 118, g, 6, Stormy Atlantic--My Shy Gal, by Malagra. \$5,000.
- Margins: HF, 2HF, 2. Odds: 1.40, 4.60, 20.60.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

8th-PHA, \$48,750, NW3X, 4yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:16 3/5, ft.

TRY TO FLY (h, 5, Trippi--Try Your Best {SP}, by Kris S.) Lifetime Record: SW, 13-4-5-0, \$215,042. O-Mercedes Stables LLC. B-Mr & Mrs Samuel H Rogers Jr (FL). T-Anthony W Dutrow. *\$245,000 yrl '05 FTKJUL.

5th-FGX, \$44,000, NW1X, 4yo/up, a1mT, 1:41, fm. **FAITHOPE** (g, 4, **Rahy--Nijinsky's Lover {MSW, \$179,275}**, by Nijinsky II) Lifetime Record: 15-4-1-2, \$70,247. O-Tamaroak Stable. B-Darley (KY). T-Gregory D Foley. *\$15,000 yrl '06 KEESEP. **1/2 to Naninja (Alysheba), GSW-US, MSP-Fr, \$414,632; and Dance Master (Gone West), GSW, \$196,455.



10th-SUN, \$32,500, NW1X, (S), 3yo, 5 1/2f, 1:04, ft.
BEWILD HENNESSY (c, 3, Roll Hennessy Roll--Betsy Bewild, by Wild Gold) Lifetime Record: SW, 3-2-1-0, \$130,477. O-Charles W Hunter. B-Michael Weatherly (NM). T-Todd W Fincher. *\$7,000 yrl '07 RUIAUG.

7th-SUN, \$32,000, NW2X, 4/up, 5 1/2f, 1:03 3/5, ft.
GENTSFINISHFIRST (g, 5, Snuck In--Miss Grubby, by Grub) Lifetime Record: 9-3-3-1, \$68,184. O/B-Sam E & Sammy L Stevens (TX). T-Joel H Marr.

4th-HAW, \$30,000, NW2X, (S), 4yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:09 1/5, ft.
FLYIN' FLIRT (m, 5, Dignitas--Fly Easy, by Gold Meridian) Lifetime Record: 22-5-6-1, \$106,884. O-R Foshier, R Berger, D Nachman & H Noble. B-Joy Kirkpatrick & Special K Stables (IL). T-Roger A Brueggemann.

8th-HAW, \$28,000, NW1X, (S), 4yo/up, 1m70y, 1:41 2/5, ft.
LITTLEBROWNROAD (g, 6, Viareggio {Ire}--Life Force, by Gold Alert) Lifetime Record: 50-6-9-8, \$96,528. O-Joel Berndt & Kent Larson. B-Eugene Young & Terry Renfrow (IL). T-Joel Berndt.

10th-TPX, \$24,400, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000), NW2X, 4yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f (AWT), 1:04, ft.
TALK FAST (f, 4, Yankee Gentleman--Tracy V., by Valid Appeal) Lifetime Record: SP, 7-3-1-2, \$56,456. O-D A Ross. B-Brereton C Jones (KY). T-D M Smithwick Jr.

8th-DED, \$24,000, 1-2, NW1X, 3yo, 7f, 1:28, ft.
CODE OF HONOUR (g, 3, Omega Code--Honour Off, by Honour and Glory) Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-1, \$35,469. O-William Don Bennett & Carl Bowling. B-Kathy Rozmus (FL). T-William Don Bennett.

6th-PEN, \$23,255, 1-2, NW1X, 4yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10 1/5, ft.
LISA'S NIGHT OUT (m, 5, Outflanker--Lisas World, by World Appeal) Lifetime Record: 16-5-2-2, \$84,910. O-Wild Flower Inc. B-Richard Ciardullo (FL). T-Michael J McCarthy.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Gold for the Queen, f, 3, Gold Token--Jam Down Queen, by Wolf Power (SAf). AQU, 1-3, (S), 6f, 1:12 3/5. B-Pegasus Farms Inc. (NY). *\$2,000 yrl '07 FTMOCT.

Jake's Soldier, g, 3, Lost Soldier--Rare Fever, by Rare Performer. HAW, 1-3, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:03 3/5. B-Jim Edgar (IL).

Hurricane Ginger, f, 3, Stormy Atlantic--Hello Hebe, by Homebuilder. TAM, 1-3, 6f, 1:12 1/5. B-Circle S Ranch (KY).

Striker Bean, g, 3, Thatsusintheolbean--No Fooling Cara, by Strike Gold. SUN, 1-3, (S), 1m, 1:40 1/5. B-Tina L & C P Hourigan (NM).

Banner Day, f, 4, A.P. Indy--Gold Streamer (MSW, \$182,385), by Forty Niner. TPX, 1-2, 1m (AWT), 1:39 2/5. B-G Watts Humphrey Jr & William S Farish (KY).

Ringbang City, f, 4, Carson City--Rendezvous Ridge, by Capote. PHA, 1-3, (C), 6 1/2f, 1:20 3/5. B-Eugene Melnyk (KY).

Professional Woman, f, 4, Distinctive Pro--Pentelis (MSW, \$239,925), by Pentelicus. AQU, 1-3, (S), 6f, 1:13 4/5. B-Paula Ann Cohn Hallman (NY). *1/2 to Landofopportunity (American Chance), SW, \$146,142.

Maggie and Hopie, f, 4, Lit de Justice--Ilona, by Pirate's Bounty. SAX, 1-3, (S), (C), 6f (AWT), 1:09 4/5. B-Milt A Policzer (CA). *1/2 to Curiously Sweet (Mud Route), SW, \$207,600.

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CONDITIONS RESULTS:

BRITAIN, Lingfield, 13.45, £12,000, 4yo/up, 1m (AWT), 1:38.54, stn.

PREMIO LOCO (g, 5, Prized--Craze Mental {GB} {G1SP-Eng}, by Magic Ring {Ire}) Lifetime Record: 10-5-0-0, £55,717. O-Bernard Westley; B-Kidder, Cole & Griggs; T-Chris Wall. *19,000gns yrl '05 TATDEC.

ITALY, Naples, 16.00, 1-2, €10,800, 4yo/up, 7fT, 1:27.80, hy.

LE BARON JENNEY (ITY) (c, 4, College Chapel {GB}--Beverly Pepper {GB}, by Love the Groom) Lifetime Record: 9-3-2-2, €38,505. O/B-Razza Della Sila SRL; T-Luigi Riccardi.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Madugali (Ire), c, 3, Exceed and Excel (Aus)--Dalila di Mare (Ire), by Bob Back. Naples, Italy, 1-2, Mdn, 3yo, 5fT. B-Scuderia Antonella SRL.

Lord Chancellor (Ire), c, 3, King's Best--Summer Serenade (GB), by Sadler's Wells. Lingfield, Britain, 1-3, Mdn, 3yo, 1 1/4m (AWT). B-Darley.

Romantic Queen (GB), f, 3, Medicean (GB)--Bandit Queen (GB), by Desert Prince (Ire). Wolverhampton, Britain, 1-2, Mdn, 3yo, 5f 216yds (AWT). B-G B Turnbull Ltd. *25,000gns yrl '07 TATOCT.



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