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HORSE OF THE YEAR MINESHAFT
G2W CASINO DRIVE- 1ST ALEXANDRITE S. ON 1/24
G2W COAL COAL MAN- 1ST GULFSTREAM ALW. ON 1/28

RAIL POST NOT PERFECT FOR EDISON

Break Water Edison (Lemon Drop Kid) will break from the rail in Friday's GII Hutcheson S. at Gulfstream Park and trainer John Kimmel admitted it wasn't an ideal draw for the GIII Nashua S. winner. "It figures that the one hole I didn't want to get is where we end up," Kimmel said yesterday. "From the rail, we're going to have to make our way forward pretty quickly. The horses on the outside can sit and see what develops. Our hand is forced somewhat." Break Water Edison tuned up for his sophomore bow with a bullet three-furlong blowout in :36 1/5 at Gulfstream yesterday. "We're pretty happy with him and looking to see how he came out of his two-year-old campaign," Kimmel added. "We're looking to see a solid effort and gauge how well we're sitting as we start the year." Break Water Edison was runner-up in the GII Saratoga Special in just his second start. Off the board in the GI Hopeful S. and GI Champagne S., he returned to the winner's circle with a 1 3/4-length victory in the Nov. 2 Nashua.



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10 ENTERED FOR DONN

A field of 10, headed by the veteran Einstein (Brz) (Spend a Buck) and Breeders' Cup Dirt Mile winner Albertus Maximus (Albert the Great), was entered yesterday for Saturday's GI Donn H. at Gulfstream Park. Einstein, a triple Grade I winner on turf, will look for his second straight main-track win after taking the GII Clark H. at Churchill Downs last November. Albertus Maximus was sold after his Breeders' Cup win and makes his first start for Shadwell and trainer Kieran McLaughlin in the Donn. Gulfstream's Saturday card also features the GIII Holy Bull S., which marks the sophomore debuts of GII Kentucky Jockey Club S. winner Beethoven (Sky Mesa) and the unbeaten Danger to Society (Harlan's Holiday). **Full Fields p2**

AUSSIE STAR SEBRING RETIRED

The autumn campaign of dual Group 1 stakes winner Sebring (Aus) (More Than Ready--Purespeed {Aus}, by Flying Spur {Aus}) has been scrapped and the colt will retire immediately to Widden Stud, where he will stand at a fee to be announced this spring. The chestnut, a three-year-old in the Southern Hemisphere, retires with a record of five wins and a second in six starts and earnings of A\$2,537,060. Widden's Antony Thompson said Sebring had a below-standard work Tuesday, with his rider reporting that he was not happy. Vets later diagnosed "a re-occurring soundness issue requiring a minimum eight weeks' spell." Trainer Gai Waterhouse said, "Sebring was a wonder horse--the type they write movies about." Waterhouse added the G1 Golden Slipper winner would be paraded at her Randwick stables on Feb. 1 before departing for Widden Stud. Foaled in 2005, Sebring burst onto the scene last April with a victory in the Golden Slipper at Rosehill. A week later, he bested Miss Samantha (Aus) (Redoute's Choice {Aus}) in the G1 A.J.C. Sires' Produce S. at Randwick, but he just failed to sweep the juvenile Triple Crown when beaten a head by that smart filly in the G1 A.J.C. Champagne S. in early May. Sebring's dam Purespeed is a half-sister to multiple group stakes winner Surtee (Aus) (Memento).



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☆ PREVIEW ☆

Saturday, Gulfstream Park

DONN H.-GI, \$500,000, 4yo/up, 1 1/8m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	Finallymadeit	Concerto	Nunez	117
2	Albertus Maximus	Albert the Great	Garcia	120
3	Anak Nakal	Victory Gallop	Bravo	117
4	Bullsbay	Tiznow	Velazquez	114
5	A.P. Arrow	A.P. Indy	Desormeaux	115
6	On Board Again	Awesome Again	Coa	112
7	Arson Squad	Brahms	Prado	119
8	Sir Whimsey	Jump Start	Albarado	116
9	Great Hunter	Aptitude	Castellano	116
10	Einstein (Brz)	Spend a Buck	Leparaoux	122

Saturday, Santa Anita

SANTA MONICA H.-GI, \$300,000, 4yo/up, f/m, 7f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	Tizzy's Tune	Tiznow	Rosario	114
2	So Long Sonoma	American Chance	Smith	112
3	She's Cheeky	Black Minnaloushe	Solis	113
4	Indian Blessing	Indian Charlie	Velazquez	122
5	Wake Up Maggie (Ire)	Xaar (GB)	T Baze	115
6	Jibboom	Mizzen Mast	Bejarano	115
7	Ventura	Chester House	Gomez	123
8	Baroness Thatcher	Johannesburg	Talamo	115

Although trainer Bob Baffert has entered newly crowned Eclipse champion female sprinter **Indian Blessing**, he is not sure the four-year-old will run. "I'm just going to see how the race shapes up," Baffert said.

APEX
TOPPERS

Top 15 Sires (of 685 with 200+ Rnrs) by 3yo ABC Runner Index

SIRE	ST1	ABC				
		Index	2yo	3yo	4yo	5yo+
PRECISE END	JP	2.30	2.52	3.10	1.48	1.40
A.P. INDY	KY	3.02	2.51	2.98	3.01	2.95
BOLD EXECUTIVE	ON	2.14	3.23	2.70	1.41	1.42
DANZIG	Dead	3.02	4.48	2.65	2.33	3.85
DISTORTED HUMOR	KY	2.37	2.11	2.55	2.18	2.40
LEMON DROP KID	KY	2.35	1.90	2.53	2.22	2.16
FREUD	NY	2.37	2.06	2.50	2.22	4.24
STORM CAT	Ret	2.67	3.75	2.49	2.70	1.68
UNUSUAL HEAT	CA	2.52	1.17	2.37	2.69	2.97
MENIFEE	Korea	2.11	1.51	2.37	2.21	1.64
CITY ZIP	KY	2.13	3.25	2.34	1.47	0.46
RAFFIE'S MAJESTY	NY	1.68	0.00	2.34	1.68	1.15
GALILEO	IR	2.23	1.78	2.32	1.91	3.10
DYNAFORMER	KY	1.94	0.90	2.23	1.80	2.19
SADLER'S WELLS	Ret	2.11	1.76	2.22	1.76	1.94

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Saturday, Gulfstream Park

HOLY BULL S.-GIII, \$150,000, 3yo, 1 1/8m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	Bruce N Autumn	Lemon Drop Kid	Prado	114
2	Danger to Society	Harlan's Holiday	Albarado	114
3	Bear's Rocket	Lion Heart	Desormeaux	114
4	Saratoga Sinner	Harlan's Holiday	Leparoux	114
5	El Crespo	A.P. Indy	Castellano	114
6	Rockland	Smarty Jones	Lezcano	114
7	Stately Character	Pleasant Tap	McCaughey	120
8	Idol Maker	Empire Maker	Velazquez	114
9	Nowhere to Hide	Vindication	Garcia	114
10	West Side Bernie	Bernstein	Trujillo	122
11	Beethoven	Sky Mesa	Borel	122

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Thursday, Nad Al Sheba, Dubai

AL RASHIDIYA-G3, \$120,000, NH4yo + SH3yo/up, 1777mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER
1	Oracle West (SAf)	Western Winter	Brown
2	Traffic Guard	More Than Ready	Brown
3	Kirklees (Ire)	Jade Robbery	bin Suroor
4	Mashaahed (GB)	In the Wings (GB)	Charpy
5	Familiar Territory (GB)	Cape Cross (Ire)	bin Suroor
6	Third Set (Ire)	Royal Applause (GB)	bin Shafya
7	Hunting Tower (SAf)	Fort Wood	de Kock
8	With Interest (GB)	Selkirk	bin Shafya
9	Silver Mist (SAf)	Western Winter	de Kock
10	Royal Vintage (SAf)	Rich Man's Gold	de Kock

All carry 126 pounds.

This first turf feature of the season at Nad Al Sheba has attracted a field of 10, with half the field representing South African trainers and the remainder trained locally. South African champion conditioner Mike de Kock has won the race twice and saddles three runners this year, two of whom--**Silver Mist** and **Hunting Tower**--are already 2009 Carnival winners. However, stable jockey Kevin Shea has elected to ride de Kock's third challenger, **Royal Vintage**, despite having partnered

Silver Mist to success in a 1500-meter handicap two weeks ago. "That felt like a good race and he won pretty well," said Shea. "That said, Hunting Tower won well last week and is a very nice horse, and Royal Vintage is better than his last effort. It was a tough choice." In his most recent, Royal Vintage ran sixth on the dirt in My Indy



Royal Vintage *A Watkins*

(Arg) (Indygo Shiner)'s G3 Al Maktoum Challenge-Round 1 Jan. 15. Herman Brown saddles both **Oracle West** and **Traffic Guard** this year. "They are both in good form, but will certainly improve for the run," Brown said. "Oracle West would prefer further certainly, but it looks wide open."

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MANHATTAN CAFE	JP	0.85	0.53	0.59	2.52	0.00
MACHIAVELLIAN	Dead	1.81	0.54	1.22	2.46	3.08
SMART STRIKE	KY	2.26	2.41	2.03	2.43	2.36
GIANT'S CAUSEWAY	KY	1.93	1.13	1.92	2.41	2.54
ROCK OF GIBRALTAR	IR	1.99	2.18	2.03	2.38	0.00
STAY GOLD	JP	0.97	0.49	0.83	2.38	1.48
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It's 2009 and January 29th is a date some racing fans will remember no matter what the year. It is the day we said goodbye to Barbaro, freeing him from his battle with laminitis, giving him peace.

His story did not end there in that stall in that I.C.U. His story goes on and causes me to express our immense gratitude to all those loyal, loyal fans (Friends of Barbaro-FOB's) that have carried his legacy into the present.

We think that all the horse world will be interested to know just what is this legacy-why do we care, and how it has taken shape?

At Christmastime this year, a local florist (an FOB) delivered a huge photo album. It was filled with the hundreds-yes hundreds-of pictures of rescued horses, rescued from shipment to slaughterhouses, rescued in Barbaro's name. Many-in fact, more than half--of the photos showed horses under tack with a rider in the saddle. Many of these riders were children. All rescued by FOB's, many of whom haven't the wherewithal to spend needed money to save horses. It seems their love has found a way.

Also, during the holidays, we were treated by a visit with Alex Brown, the man behind the Tim Wooley-Barbaro website. His enthusiasm and dedication to helping horses is inspiring and causes me to try harder. He told us that the FOB's have raised over a million dollars for the rescue of horses. Imagine what a grass-root effort that is.

This is Barbaro's legacy and it continues. We still love our memories of our racehorse, all six wins, six thrills filled with awe, love, excitement and dedication. We are learning to love what his injury became. We realize that we were given an opportunity to improve horses' fates, not only by research but by helping the discarded find a new life. We are not in favor of saving all horses; some need to be euthanized out of kindness, released from their pains, but not tortured in shipping or under the knife.

January 29th will be a day of remembrance for us and deep gratitude to all those who have so loved Barbaro. Many have given a new life to horses and to racing. We want to say thank you to all involved and encourage you to keep Barbaro's legacy strong and flourishing.

-Roy and Gretchen Jackson

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COLONEL JOHN SIDELINED Colonel John

(Tiznow) has been sidelined by a pulled muscle suffered while the then-three-year-old ran fourth in the Dec. 26 GI Malibu S. "He's over it now, but it came at a bad time," trainer Eoin Harty told *Daily Racing Form*. Colonel John worked a half-mile Jan. 11, but Harty decided not to rush his charge back for the Feb. 7 GII Strub S. "If I ran him in the Strub, it would be off two works," he explained. "I didn't want to rush him, play catch-up and get beat. I worked him once, and then just backed off. It's a long year, and he'll be a helluva horse by the end of the year."

BC LOSES BESSEMER TRUST AS SPONSOR

Bessemer Trust, a longtime sponsor of the Breeders' Cup World Championships, has withdrawn its sponsorship of the event, according to *The Blood-Horse*. Bessemer Trust was the title sponsor of both the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile and GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies in 2008. Bessemer Trust had a contract with the Breeders' Cup that recently expired. "[Bessemer Trust] chose not to renew," Peter Land, chief marketing officer for the Breeders' Cup, told *The Blood-Horse*. "We obviously wish them well and hope to reconnect with them in the future. They were a terrific sponsor; they were with us for eight years." Bessemer Trust is a financial services company founded by Henry Phipps in 1907. Phipps's descendants would go on to establish one of the most powerful and enduring breeding operations in racing.

★ **GULFSTREAM** ★

Yesterday's Results:

- 8th-GPX, \$43,000, Alw, Opt. Clm.** (\$100,000), C, 4yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:15 3/5, ft.
 - 1--**COOL COAL MAN**, 122, c, 4, **Mineshaft--Coral Sea, by Rubiano**. (\$200,000 yrl '06 KEESEP). O-Robert V LaPenta; B-W S Farish, E J Hudson, Jr Irrevocable Trust, et al (KY); T-Nicholas P Zito. Lifetime Record: GSW, 14-6-1-1, \$482,974. *1/2 to Kathleens Reel (Lemon Drop Kid), SW & MGSP, \$197,209.
 - 2--**Bold Start**, 122, h, 5, Jump Start--Dorky, by Flying Paster. (\$50,000 yrl '05 FTKJUL).
 - 3--**Knights Cross**, 122, h, 5, Thunderello--Golden Gale, by Summer Squall.
- Margins: 2 1/4, 1, HF. Odds: 2.90, 2.50, 3.50.

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8th-GPX, cont.

The complexion of this stakes-quality heat changed when morning-line favorite Talent Search (Catienuis) was scratched, and in the end, it was Cool Coal Man who took full advantage. Perfect in two previous tries at Gulfstream, including last year's GII Fountain of Youth S., the blaze-faced bay added a win in the June 14 Spend a Buck S. at Monmouth, then was third to Big Brown (Boundary) in the GI Haskell Invitational S. at the same oval Aug. 3. Eleventh in the GI Travers S. at Saratoga 20 days later, he was last seen finishing an even fifth to Tale of Ekati (Tale of the Cat) in the GII Jerome H. at Belmont Park Oct. 5. Fresh off the layoff, Cool Coal Man raced just off the flank of Knights Cross early on. He tackled that rival once heads were turned for home and easily outfinished Bold Start for an impressive comeback victory. [Click for the brisnet.com chart.](#) [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

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Gulfstream Report cont.

7th-GPX, \$37,000, Alw, NW1\$X, 4yo/up, 1 1/8mT, 1:46 1/5, fm.

UNCLE INDY (h, 5, **A.P. Indy**--Auntie Mame {GISW, \$961,480} by **Theatrical** {Ire}) began to turn the corner in the latter part of 2008, finishing third in grass maidens at Saratoga Aug. 23 and in a similar event downstate at Belmont Park Oct. 19. Shipped to Florida thereafter, the homebred was made the 3-5 chalk for his first start in the state and duly obliged, graduating by 3/4 of a length at Calder Dec. 21. Off at 9-1 to maintain the winning thread, the bay settled worse than centerfield for the opening six furlongs, was able to switch out wide leaving the far turn and outfinished On Fire (Pulpit) to score by 2 1/4 lengths. Lifetime Record: 12-2-2-2, \$68,617. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#) O-Lazy F Ranch. B-Mrs Martha F Gerry (KY). T-Angel J Penna Jr.

9th-GPX, \$35,000, Msw, 3yo, 1mT, 1:34 4/5, fm.
+ STRIKE AGAIN (c, 3, **Dixie Union**--**Strike It Up** {MSW, \$201,484}, by **Smart Strike**) had typically steady works over the deep strip at Payson Park and was sent off an 11-1 chance for a barn not noted for its first-time starter winners. With the rail set out 84 feet from the inside, Strike Again was sent to the front by Kent Desormeaux and was allowed to cover the opening half-mile in an easy :48.05. Hugging the rail into the stretch, the Abercrombie homebred repulsed a bid leaving the quarter pole and stayed on gamely for a 1 1/2-length score from fellow firster Dr. Smarty Jack (Smarty Jones). Causeway's Kin (Giant's Causeway) was third, while Riboletto (Unbridled's Song) was off slowly and finished 12th. The winner is a half to Euphony (Forest Wildcat), MSW, \$227,200. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$21,000. [Click for the brisnet.com chart.](#) [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

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8th GPX (Alw \$43K) Cool Coal Man (Mineshaft) remains perfect in three Gulfstream appearances.

7th GPX (Alw \$37K) Uncle Indy (A.P. Indy) posts a second consecutive victory.

9th GPX (Msw \$35K) Strike Again (Dixie Union) takes the field from flagfall to finish.

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TODAY'S INSIGHTS

4:12p HRTV 7th-GPX, \$46K, Alw/Opt. Clm., 4yo/up, 1 1/8mT
 John Fort's Peachtree Stable welcomes **TWILIGHT METEOR** (**Smart Strike**) back to the races for the first time since a third in the GIII Fort Marcy H. at Aqueduct last April. Winner of the Hallandale Beach S. over this course as a sophomore, the chestnut missed by a nose in that year's GIII Kent BC S. and by a head in the GIII Hawthorne Derby. A win today puts him over the half-million dollar mark in career earnings. **Adagio** (GB) (**Grand Lodge**), the G3 Craven S. hero in 2007, also returns off a lengthy layoff. The IEAH runner was last seen taking a second-level allowance over course and distance last Mar. 29. brisnet.com pps

4:43p HRTV 8th-GPX, \$42K, Alw, 3yo, f, 6f
 The bridgejumpers figure to be out in force, as Martin Schwartz's **"TDN Rising Star" ☆ ELUSIVE HEAT** (**Elusive Quality**) plunges from stakes competition. The daughter of champion Xtra Heat (Dixieland Heat) earned a triple-digit speed figure in taking her debut at Belmont in October and was an unlucky runner-up in the GIII Old Hat S. here Jan. 4. Though tomorrow's GII Forward Gal S. would have been just as appropriate, trainer Kieran McLaughlin's charge is well-spotted here. brisnet.com pps

7:07p HRTV 7th-SAX, \$52K, Alw, 3yo, 1 1/16m (AWT)
 Darley Stable's **HI FLYIN INDY** (**A.P. Indy**), a \$725K KEESEP yearling purchase, was third in each of his first two outings, but put it all together in his latest. With blinkers added for the first time, the bay colt settled second-last and came calling late for a one-length victory over track and trip Jan. 8. **Tiz True** (**Tiznow**) debuted with a 19-1 surprise over the turf at Aqueduct, then was purchased privately. He did not disgrace himself in his first appearance for Tarabilla Farms and David Hofmans, finishing sixth in the Dec. 27 Eddie Logan S. The bay has been training nicely for his synthetic debut. brisnet.com pps

STAKES CLOSINGS

TODAY, THURSDAY, JANUARY 29:

02-07 \$300,000 **Las Virgenes-I, SA, 3yo, f, 8f** (AWT) (300)

02-07 \$250,000 **Strub-II, SA, 4yo, 9f (AWT)** (250)

02-07 \$200,000 **San Antonio H.-II, SA, 4yo/up, 9f** (AWT) (200)

02-07 \$200,000 **Robert B Lewis-II, SA, 3yo, 8.5f (AWT)** (200)

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★ SO. CALIFORNIA ★

Santa Anita Calls a Snow Day:

Santa Anita is in the midst of a heat wave, but that won't stop the track from hosting its first snow day on Feb. 15. A total of 400,000 pounds of the white stuff is scheduled to be delivered to the infield and will be available free of charge to kids of all ages during racing. "We're hoping to have some fun with this and provide families with something we don't often experience here in Southern California," said Santa Anita Vice President of Marketing Allen Guttermann. "We'll not only have 200 tons of snow, we'll also have winter games, snow slides and an ice rink available." Guttermann also noted that free skates will be provided on a first come, first served basis.

Solis, McClellan Part Ways:

Jockey Alex Solis has parted ways with his long-time agent Scott McClellan and will now be represented by Brian Beach. Solis and McClellan had worked together for 16 years. "I just needed a change, really," Solis said. "I've been thinking about it for a while. I just want to start all over again, get a fresh start. I can't blame Scotty for anything, because I made a lot of mistakes the last few years. I said I didn't want to ride cheap horses and didn't want to ride Friday nights, and things like that. Now I feel I'm 100 percent. My mind is clear that I have another five or 10 years and I'm having so much fun that I feel like I want to ride more, no matter what kind of horses they are." McClellan said, "I have no hard feelings. Alex is my friend, but if he thinks he can do better, more power to him. He's a good rider and a friend. I just wish I had him when he goes in the Hall of Fame."

Super Bowl Permeates Santa Anita Sunday:

Sunday's races at Santa Anita will be named in honor of participants in the Super Bowl. The first race has been named "The Troy Polamalu Purse," the third will be called the "The Kurt Warner Purse" and the fourth will be called "The Ben Rothlisberger Purse." "To be honest, Big Game Sunday is traditionally a pretty slow day at the racetrack," said Santa Anita Racing Secretary Rick Hammerle. "By naming these races as we have, we're just trying to lighten things up and have some fun. We've had good response from the horsemen and hopefully the fans will get a kick out of it as well."

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NTRA REPORT FROM CAPITOL HILL



EQUINE TAX FORUM SET FOR APRIL

The NTRA will host an all-day equine tax forum on Monday, April 6 in Lexington, Ky. Scheduled speakers include Thomas A. "Tad" Davis, partner in the Washington, D.C.-based law firm Davis and Harman, Richard W. Craigo, Esq. from Los Angeles and local tax law experts.

The distinguished group will address equine tax matters related to:

- Hobby/loss criteria for horse owners
- Sales/like-kind exchanges
- Capital gains treatment
- Depreciation and expensing opportunities
- Partnerships and LLCs

Attendance is limited to the first 100 reservations. Secure your spot by contacting Joe Bacigalupo at joeb@NTRA.com or 1-800-792-6872, x677.

Tax Forum Details:

Date: Monday, April 6, 2009

City: Lexington, Ky.

Format: Presentations and Q & A

Venue: TBD

Time: TBD (morning until late afternoon-lunch served)



Mark your calendar today and contact the NTRA to reserve your spot.

UPCOMING MAJOR NORTH AMERICAN STAKES

Date	Race	Track
Jan. 30	GII Forward Gal S.	GP
	GII Hutcheson S.	GP
Jan. 31	GI Santa Monica H.	SA
	GI Donn H.	GP
	GIII Holy Bull S.	GP
Feb. 1	GI Gulfstream Park Turf H.	GP
	GIII Suwannee River H.	GP
	GIII La Habra S.	SA
Feb. 7	GI Las Virgenes S.	SA
	GII Strub S.	SA
	GII Robert B. Lewis S.	SA
	GIII Risen Star S.	FG
	GIII Silverbulletday S.	FG
	GIII Mineshaft H.	FG
Feb. 8	GIII Thunder Road H.	SA
	GII San Antonio H.	SA
	Feb. 14	GI Santa Maria H.
Feb. 14	GII Barbara Fritchie H.	LRL
	GII Richter Scale H.	GP
	GIII Sam F. Davis S.	TAM
	GIII El Camino Real Derby	GG
	GIII Endeavour BC S.	TAM
Feb. 15	GII La Canada S.	SA
	GIII Daytona H.	SA
	GIII Hurricane Bertie H.	GP



★ AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS ★

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Convince, g, 8, Mt. Livermore--Conical (GB), by Zafonic. Kempton Park, 1-28, Cond, 3yo/up, 6f (AWT). B-Juddmonte Farms Inc. *29,000gns HIT '03 TATAUT; 7,500gns HIT '05 TATAUT.


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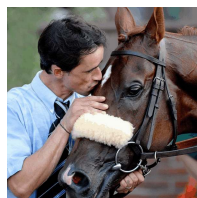
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Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)

- [ACTION THIS DAY](#) (Kris S.), Sprendthrift, \$10K, 148/11/1
3-GG, Msw, 1m, Action in May, \$105K KEE SEP yrl, 8-5
- [ALEX'S PAL](#) (Valid Expectations), Randolph, \$3K, 54/3/0
5-DED, Msw, 5f, Premo's Success, \$48K TEX APR 2yo, 8-1
- [BOWMAN'S BAND](#) (Dixieland Band), Lane's End, \$6K, 101/8/1
9-CT, Msw, 7f, Bowman's Hero, \$8K EAS DEC wnl, 5-1
- [CANADIAN FRONTIER](#) (Gone West), Airdrie, \$10K, 86/8/0
10-FG, Msw, 6f, Morality, \$67K KEE SEP yrl, 12-1
- [DOMESTIC DISPUTE](#) (Unbridled's Song), Northview, \$5K, 156/11/0
9-CT, Msw, 7f, My Snake Docta, 15-1
- [DURING](#) (Cherokee Run), Claiborne, \$5K, 112/9/0
10-FG, Msw, 6f, Wine Classic, \$75K FTK JUL yrl, 20-1
- [EVEN THE SCORE](#) (Unbridled's Song), Millennium, \$9K, 170/15/2
7-SA, Aoc, 1 1/16m, Scorewithcater
- [GREAT NOTION](#) (Elusive Quality), Northview, \$4K, 70/4/1
6-LRL, Aoc, 5 1/2f, Great Love, \$3K EAS DEC wnl, 4-5
- [MEDAGLIA D'ORO](#) (El Prado {Ire}), Stonewall, \$35K, 251/23/4
8-GP, Alw, 6f, Cassidys Pride, 15-1
8-GP, Alw, 6f, Devil by Design, \$160K KEE NOV wnl, 5-1
- [PERFECT SOUL \(IRE\)](#) (Sadler's Wells), Darby Dan, \$15K, 158/7/0
8-TP, Alw, 1m, Almost Perfect, \$3K KEE SEP yrl
- [PLEASANTLY PERFECT](#) (Pleasant Colony), Lane's End, \$40K, 116/13/1
7-FG, Alw, 1mT, Dancin Perfect, \$20K TEX APR 2yo, 10-1
- [POPULAR](#) (Saint Ballado), Cottonwood Creek, \$, 30/5/0
3-GG, Msw, 1m, Gambling Man, 10-1
- [SPEIGHTSTOWN](#) (Gone West), WinStar, \$40K, 195/18/4
9-OP, Msw, 6f, Miss Mary K, \$320K KEE APR 2yo
- [STORED](#) (Coronado's Quest), Naylee, \$3K, 22/1/0
9-CT, Msw, 7f, Stored Kisses, 5-2



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★ EUROPE ★

★ BRITAIN ★

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★ ASIA ★

★ JAPAN ★

Yesterday's Results:

- KAWASAKI KINEN (Listed)**, ¥60,000,000 to winner, Kawasaki, 1-28, 4yo/up, 2100m, 2:13.30, yl.
- 1--**KANE HEKILI (JPN)**, 125, h, 7, by Fuji Kiseki (Jpn)
 1st Dam: **Life Out There**, by Deputy Minister
 2nd Dam: **Silver Valley**, by Mr. Prospector
 3rd Dam: **Seven Valleys**, by Road at Sea
 O-Makoto Kaneko Holdings; B-Northern Farm; T-Katsuhiko Sumii; J-Christophe Lemaire; ¥60,000,000. Lifetime Record: MG1SW-Jpn, 18-11-2-0, ¥751,624,700 (\$8,445,221). [Click for the eNicks report and 5-cross pedigree](#). Werk Nick Rating: B.
- 2--**Furioso (Jpn)**, 125, h, 5, Brian's Time--Fursa, by Mr. Prospector. O-Darley Japan Farm; B-Hashimoto Farm; T-Masayuki Kawashima.
- 3--**Success Brocken (Jpn)**, 123, c, 4, Symboli Kris S--Success Beauty (Jpn), by Sunday Silence. O-Tetsu Takashima; B-Tanikawa Farm; T-Hideaki Fujiwara. Margins: HF, 3, 2HF. Odds: 0.10, 9.60, 3.90.
- Kane Hekili was hammered down to 1-10 favoritism in this listed event and put in a workmanlike effort to post the half-length tally over Furioso. Kane Hekili is a multiple Group 1 winner whose victories include last season's G1 Japan Cup Dirt, a race he also won in 2005. Though bred in Japan, the seven-year-old has strong ties to North America. A grandson of Sunday Silence, he was produced by Life Out There, a full-sister to Silver Deputy. Life Out There was purchased by Katsumi Yoshida for \$270,000 at the 1999 Keeneland January Sale while in foal to Wild Again.

The **brisnet.com** 'Race of the Day' is the 7th Race, \$44,000 Allowance, at Fair Grounds. For pps and a complete race analysis, click [here](#).



AUSTRALASIA



★ NEW ZEALAND ★

STREET CRY FILLY TOPS NZB SELECT OPENER

With the Premier Sale wrapping up Tuesday, the focus at Karaka turned to the opening session of New Zealand Bloodstock's three-day Select Sale. Yesterday saw the first 227 of the 681 cataloged horses for the auction go up for sale, with 145 sold for a total of NZ\$5,149,500. This represented a clearance rate of 69 percent, with a NZ\$35,514 average (down 46.9 percent from 2008) and NZ\$30,000 median (down 42.9 percent). Wednesday's highlight came with [lot 625 \(sirecam video\)](#), a filly by Street Cry (Ire) who fetched NZ\$125,000. She was purchased by Andrew Scott from the draft of Twin Pines. The filly is the first foal of the winning Umatilla mare Lowan Behold (Aus). Day two of the Select Sale continues this morning at 11 a.m. For catalog, outs and streaming video, visit www.nzb.co.nz.



NEW ZEALAND BLOODSTOCK SELECT YEARLING SALE Wednesday, Jan. 28, 2009

	2009	2008
Catalogued	227	218
Offered	210	201
No. Sold	145	161
Clearance	69%	79%
Top Price	NZ\$125,000	NZ\$250,000
Gross	NZ\$5,149,500	NZ\$10,774,000
Average	NZ\$35,514 (-46.9%)	NZ\$66,919
Median	NZ\$30,000 (-42.9%)	NZ\$52,500

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ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

2nd-SAX, \$52,400, NW1X, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/4mT, 2:01 4/5, fm.
RESTLESS SOUL (GB) (m, 5, Singspiel {Ire}--Seasonal Splendour {Ire} {SP-Eng}, by Prince Rupert {Fr}) Lifetime Record: 20-2-3-1, \$85,767. O-B D A Cecil, James McCalmont & Karl Webster. B-C A Cyzer (GB). T-Ben D A Cecil. *20,000gns HRA '07 TATDEC. **1/2 to When In Rome (GB) (Saddlers' Hall {Ire}), MGSP-Eng; and Strength n' Honour (GB) (Hernando {Fr}), GSP-Eng.

10th-SUN, \$42,500, 1-27, NW23MX, (S), 4yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:40, ft.

LA SORPRESA (f, 4, Valet Man--Sea Sis, by Al Mamoon) Lifetime Record: SP, 13-3-3-1, \$110,418. O-Gallegos Del Norte Racing. B-Miguel L Gallegos (NM). T-Eric D Mikkelson.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Galloping Gulch, c, 3, Gulch--Regala Di Trieste, by Old Trieste. SUN, 1-27, 6 1/2f, 1:18 1/5. B-Zayat Stables LLC (KY).

Justdonthcallmejeri, g, 3, Mr. Broad Blade--Feed the Kitty, by Coronado's Quest. SAX, 1-28, (S), 1m (AWT), 1:37 4/5. B-Mike Mitchell Racing Stables & Bob Hutton (CA).

• ON THE WORKTAB •

FAIR GROUNDS

Recapturetheglory (Cherokee Run), 6f, 1:15.60, 5/5

GULFSTREAM PARK

Break Water Edison (Lemon Drop Kid), 3f(g), •:36.20, 1/8
 Dreaming of Liz (El Prado {Ire}), 4f, :47.20, 2/29
 Mushka (Empire Maker), 4f, :48.20, 6/29

HOLLYWOOD

Elysium Fields (El Prado {Ire}), 6f, 1:13.60, 4/7
 Tiago (Pleasant Tap), 5f, 1:00.80, 12/26

PALM MEADOWS

I Lost My Choo (Western Expression), 5f (T), 1:02.90, 8/18
 Monba (Maria's Mon), 7f (T), 1:31.20, 1/1

PAYSON PARK

Dream Rush (Wild Rush), 4f, :50.80, 4/13
 Fierce Wind (Dixie Union), 4f, :53.00, 13/13

SANTA ANITA

Dixie Chatter (Dixie Union), 1m, 1:39.80, 1/2
 Ginger Pop (El Prado {Ire}), 4f, :48.00, 8/37
 Guns on the Table (Carson City), 4f, :48.20, 9/37
 Past the Point (Indian Charlie), 5f, 1:01.40, 12/42
 Proudinsky (Ger) (Silvano {Ger}), 4f, :47.80, 7/37
 The Pamplemousse (Kafwain), 3f, :36.20, 3/15
 Well Armed (Tiznow), 1m, 1:39.80, 1/2

Breeders' Edition--America cont.

Balfour Park, c, 3, Mutakddim--And Guess What, by Kris S. SAX, 1-28, (C), 1m (AWT), 1:40. B-Keith Abrahams (KY). *Claimed for \$100,000 by trainer Craig Lewis for William Moore, Six-S Racing and Joe Valenti.

Schleprock, g, 3, Touch Gold--Aly Capri, by Alydar. GPX, 1-28, (C), 1 1/16mT, 1:42 2/5. B-William Marquard & Maz (KY). *\$16,000 yrl '07 FTKOCT. **1/2 to Aly's Alley (Alwuhush), GSW & MGISP, \$902,210.

Honor the Sword, g, 4, Honor Glide--Sword Princess (MSP), by Sword Dance (Ire). MNR, 1-27, 1m, 1:42 2/5. B-Duys Thoroughbreds (FL).

BREEDERS' EDITION EUROPE

CONDITIONS RESULTS:

FRANCE, Cagnes-sur-Mer, 14.20, 1-28, €25,000, 4yo/up, 6 1/2f (AWT), 1:13.76, stn.

BANK GUARD (IRE) (c, 4, Peintre Celebre--Blue Cloud {Ire} {SW & G1SP-Fr}, by Nashwan) Lifetime Record: 9 starts, 3 wins, 5 places, €60,700. O-Ecurie Foret Jaune; B-Dayton Investments Ltd; T-Rodolphe Collet.

FRANCE, Cagnes-sur-Mer, 15.50, 1-28, €20,000, 4yo/up, 2 1/8m (AWT), 3:46.18, stn.

SOTERIO (GER) (h, 9, Lavirco {Ger}--So Rarely, by Arctic Tern) Lifetime Record: MSW-Ger, 46 starts, 11 wins, 16 places, €165,750. O-Gunter Kumpernas; B-Stiftung Gestut Fahrhof; T-Werner Baltromei.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Johanen (Fr), c, 3, Canyon Creek (Ire)--Josapha (Fr), by Tropular (GB). Cagnes-sur-Mer, France, 1-28, Mdn, 3yo, 6 1/2f (AWT). B-Georges Sandor.

Auld Arty (Fr), g, 3, Dansili (GB)--Provisoire, by Gone West. Lingfield, Britain, 1-28, Mdn, 3yo/up, 6f (AWT). B-Ecurie Liberty. *€80,000 yrl '07 DEAAUG; £52,000 2yo '08 GOFMAR.

Sounds of Jupiter (Ire), c, 3, Galileo (Ire)--Sena Desert (GB), by Green Desert. Kempton Park, Britain, 1-28, Mdn, 3yo/up, 1 3/8m (AWT). B-Gainsborough Stud Management Ltd.



Wednesday Cancellations

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