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- 1 - JUSTWHISTLEDIXIE, by DIXIE UNION
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STRENGTH IN NUMBERS

With star-studded international fields and \$21 million offered in purses, it's pretty easy to catch a case of Dubai World Cup fever. While the \$6-million centerpiece World Cup may lack the superstars of years past, it makes up in quantity. Horse of the Year Invasor (Arg) carried Shadwell's colors to victory in 2007, and Sheikh Hamdan's operation will be well-represented today by GI Donn H. hero **Albertus Maximus** (Albert the Great).



Curlin winning the 2008 World Cup *Horsephotos*

Asiatic Boy (Arg) (Not for Sale {Arg}), a distant second behind Curlin last year, enters off a win in the G2 Maktoum Challenge-Round 3. **Kip Deville** (Kipling), winner of the 2007 GI Breeders' Cup Mile, tackles last term's first and third-place finishers **Jay Peg** (SAf) (Camden Park) and **Archipenko** (Kingmambo) in the G1 Dubai Duty Free. Godolphin's **Desert Party** (Street Cry {Ire}) will attempt to punch his GI Kentucky Derby ticket in the G2 UAE Derby following an eye-catching score in the G3 UAE 2000 Guineas. A wide-open field of 15 is slated for the \$5-million G1 Dubai Sheema Classic, including GI Breeders' Cup Turf winner **Red Rocks** (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}), G1 Hong Kong Vase hero **Doctor Dino** (Fr) (Muhtathir {GB}) and G1 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe runner-up **Youmzain** (Ire) (Sinndar {Ire}). Two-time champion **Indian Blessing** (Indian Charlie) will take on the boys in the G1 Dubai Golden Shaheen. Godolphin's two-headed monster of **Two Step Salsa** (Petionville) and **Gayego** (Gilded Time) look tough to down in the G2 Godolphin Mile.



Indian Blessing *Equi-Photo*

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QUALITY SHOWDOWN IN FLORIDA DERBY

All eyes will be focused on the unbeaten **Dunkirk** (Unbridled's Song) and GII Fasig-Tipton Fountain of Youth S. hero **Quality Road** (Elusive Quality) in today's GI Florida Derby at Gulfstream Park. Tabbed as a "TDN Rising Star" following a visually impressive Gulfstream maiden win Jan. 24, Dunkirk passed his first two-turn test with flying colors against allowance company Feb. 19, scoring by 4 3/4 lengths. The \$3.7 million KEESEP yearling purchase fired a five-furlong bullet in 1:00 at Palm Meadows Mar. 21. "We're more or less in a must-win situation to feel we're comfortably in the Derby, and we have to put ourselves in the best possible situation we can to accomplish that goal," trainer Todd Pletcher told *Daily Racing Form*. "If Dunkirk had enough graded earnings that we didn't feel like we had to win in order to go on to the next step, we might have left things alone. I couldn't be more pleased with everything the horse has done every step of the way to this point. That being said, this is a big step up in class and I think Quality Road is a very good horse. I feel like Dunkirk is a very good horse, but he has his work cut out for him in this race." Pletcher has also entered a rabbit, maiden **Europe** (Unbridled's Song), to keep Quality Road company on the lead. Florida Derby cont. p2-3



Dunkirk
Adam Coglianese

In an interview in this week's *Racing Post Weekender*, **Tom Dascombe** named just one of the 41 two-year-olds in his yard....

“Of the two-year-olds there's a nice **Footstepsinthesand** colt who looks early called **Walkingonthemoon**”

Michael Bell, Tommy Stack, Aidan O'Brien and James Burns are also reported to have 2-year-olds from **Footstepsinthesand's** first crop which should be winning early.

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Star Quality...

Edward P. Evans homebred Quality Road posted one of the most impressive two-year-old maiden tallies last term when earning a 101 Beyer at the Big A Nov. 29. The handsome bay exchanged blows with another



Quality Road
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highly regarded runner, the sidelined Obliging (Officer), before giving way late to **Theregoesjojo** (Brahms) in a Gulfstream allowance Jan. 10. Freshened following that effort, Quality Road ran a hole in the wind in the Fountain of Youth, turning the tables on Theregoesjojo by 4 1/4 lengths. The son of Kobla (Strawberry Road {Aus}), a full sister to Ajina, makes his first start around two turns in the Florida Derby. "Two turns are al-

ways a concern, but he rates kindly and does whatever Johnny [Velazquez] asks, so I think he'll handle the added distance," trainer Jimmy Jerkens told *Daily Racing Form*. "I also like the fact that he hasn't gotten rattled despite having some awfully fast works between races. So far his mind is perfect, and I think he's coming into this race just like he came into the Fountain of Youth. He's doing about as good as you could hope." Theregoesjojo earned his diploma at first asking at Churchill last May before ending the season with a fourth-place finish in the GIII Bashford Manor S. July 5. He ran a huge race off the layoff to defeat Quality Road in January before completing the exacta in the Fountain of Youth. "Everyone seems to think the Florida Derby is a two-horse race," trainer Ken McPeck told *DRF*. "But everything is falling in place well for our colt, and I'm going out there confident we can beat both Dunkirk and Quality Road on Saturday."

Field, p3

FLORIDA - KENTUCKY DERBY

| Year | Winner | Sire | Trainer |
|------|-----------------|--------------|-----------|
| 2008 | Big Brown | Boundary | Dutrow Jr |
| 2006 | Barbaro | Dynaformer | Matz |
| 2001 | Monarchos | Maria's Mon | Ward Jr |
| 1995 | Thunder Gulch | Gulch | Lukas |
| 1990 | Unbridled | Fappiano | Nafzger |
| 1984 | Swale | Seattle Slew | Stephens |
| 1979 | Spectacular Bid | Bold Bidder | Delp |
| 1968 | Forward Pass* | On-and-On | Forrest |
| 1964 | Northern Dancer | Nearctic | Luro |
| 1961 | Carry Back | Saggy | Price |
| 1958 | Tim Tam | Tom Fool | Jones |
| 1956 | Needles | Ponder | Fontaine |

*Won Kentucky Derby via DQ.

BROTHER DEREK

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GI KENTUCKY DERBY FAVORITE AFTER DOMINATING WINS IN THE

- GI Santa Anita Derby
- GI Hollywood Futurity
- GII Santa Catalina Stakes
- GII San Rafael Stakes
- GII Norfolk Stakes

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Saturday, Gulfstream Park, post time: 5:44 p.m. EDT
 Blackberry presents the 58th running of the FLORIDA DERBY-GI, \$750,000, 3yo, 1 1/8m

| PP | HORSE | OWNER | BREEDER | TRAINER/JOCKEY | ODDS |
|----|---|---------------------------------|--|-------------------------------|------|
| 1 | Toby the Coal Man <i>(c, Mineshaft--Major Melissa, by Partner's Hero)</i> | Robert V LaPenta | IAS Management-KY | Zito | 10-1 |
| 2 | Quality Road <i>(c, Elusive Quality--Kobla, by Strawberry Road {Aus})</i> | Edward P Evans | Edward P Evans-VA | Leparoux J Jerkens | 2-1 |
| 3 | Casey's On Call <i>(c, Gimmeawink--Silver Tear, by Silver Buck)</i> | Terry Hamilton | Cheryl A Curtin-FL | Velazquez Fehr | 15-1 |
| 4 | Dunkirk <i>(c, Unbridled's Song--Secret Status, by A.P. Indy)</i> | S Magnier/M Tabor/D Smith | W S Farish/J Elkins/W T Webber Jr-KY | Baird Pletcher | 9-5 |
| 5 | Sincero <i>(c, Repent--Twisted Truth, by Distorted Humor)</i> | Korina Stable | Cloverleaf Farms II Inc/Brent Fernung-FL | Gomez Azpurua | 20-1 |
| 6 | Theregoesjojo <i>(c, Brahms--Slewie Blues, by Seattle Slew)</i> | Samotowka Stbbs/Delfiner Prtnrs | Bob K Sliger-KY | Trujillo McPeek | 5-1 |
| 7 | Danger to Society <i>(c, Harlan's Holiday--Elrose, by Deputy Minister)</i> | L B Robbins/S P Delaney | Starlight Stables 1 LLC-KY | Desormeaux Dutrow Jr | 6-1 |
| 8 | Europe <i>(c, Unbridled's Song--Zing, by Storm Cat)</i> | S Magnier/M Tabor/D Smith | Aaron U & Marie D Jones-KY | Madrid Pletcher | 20-1 |
| 9 | Stately Character <i>(c, Pleasant Tap--London Valley, by Fast Play)</i> | New Life Stable & Equus Racing | New Life Stables Inc-KY | DeCarlo Procino Douglas | 20-1 |

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Friday, Gulfstream Park

BONNIE MISS S.-GII, \$200,000, GPX, 3-27, 3yo, f, 1 1/8m, 1:49 1/5, ft.

1--**JUSTWHISTLEDIXIE**, 122, f, 3, by [Dixie Union](#)

1st Dam: General Jeanne, by Honour and Glory

2nd Dam: Ahpo Hel, by Mr. Leader

3rd Dam: Tiy, by Nalees Man

(\$425,000 yrl '07 KEESEP). O-West Point T'breds, Lakland Farm & R D Hubbard; B-Hermitage Farm LLC (KY); T-Kiaran P McLaughlin; J-Julien R Leparoux; \$120,000. Lifetime Record: 7-5-0-2, \$337,927.

*1/2 to Chace City (Carson City), GSW, \$219,783.

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Werk Nick Rating: D.

2--**Casanova Move**, 114, f, 3, [Langfuhr](#)--Casanova Junction, by Pleasant Colony. O/B-Edward P Evans (VA); T-James A Jerkens; \$40,000.

3--**Hopeful Image**, 117, f, 3, [Gulch](#)--Marquet Rent, by Marquetry. O-New Life Racing Stable Inc, Nicky Racing Stable & Joe McMahon; B-New Life Stables Inc (KY); T-Gerald Procino; \$20,000.

Margins: 1 3/4, 10HF, 2 3/4. Odds: 0.60, 5.20, 65.40.

Also Ran: Suz Slew, Gatorette, Shared Account.

Justwhistledixie visited the winner's circle for the fifth straight time and punched her ticket to the GI Kentucky Oaks May 1 at Churchill Downs. "She'll fly to Kentucky Monday and train at Keeneland until we move over to Churchill and get ready to run in the Oaks," said Neil McLaughlin, who saddled the filly for his Dubai-bound brother Kiaran. After finishing third in her first two outings at Saratoga, the dark bay graduated by seven lengths at Belmont Oct. 13 and added a pair of stakes victories at Aqueduct, the Love Affair S. Nov. 28 and the Ruthless S. Jan. 4. The West Point colorbearer tackled a mile for the first time last out in the Gil Davona Dale S. Mar. 1 over this strip and came away with a 3 3/4-length victory, and was attempting two turns here.

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NORTHERN AFLEET IS HEADING NORTH IN 2009

In 2009, Dubai Golden Shaheen (G1) starter **BIG CITY MAN**, a Multiple Stakes winner at two, has won the \$200,000 Al Shindagha Sprint (G3) and run second in the \$200,000 Mahab Al Shimaal Stakes (G3).

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[GII Bonnie Miss S.](#) Justwhistledixie (Dixie Union) takes her winning streak to five.

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Breaking from the outside, Justwhistledixie was caught a bit wide on the first turn as **"TDN Rising Star"** Gatorette (Distorted Humor) proved difficult to rate after stumbling at the start. The crowd's choice sat in fourth, then moved in tandem with Casanova Move approaching the stretch, and the pair collared the tiring pacesetter. Jockey Julien Leparoux gave his cue in the final furlong and Justwhistledixie responded, driving clear late to record her second straight graded success. "We got the outside post, and I was just keeping an eye on the three [Gatorette]," said the reinsman.



Adam Coglianese photo

"She was the speed. We didn't really want to rush [out of the gate]. I was waiting to let her go and she did the rest. Today, she won because she is a very good horse and better than the rest of them. I really didn't do anything special."



☆ NEWS TODAY ☆

ALEX RICHARDSON, SON OF CHEVELEY PARK'S CHRIS RICHARDSON, DIES AFTER FALL It was reported Friday that Alex Richardson, the son of Cheveley Park Managing Director Chris Richardson, died Thursday as a result of head injuries sustained in a fall Tuesday. The 21-year-old, in his third year at St Andrews University in Scotland, fell through a skylight during a night out with friends and was taken to Ninewells Hospital and kept overnight. He was released Wednesday, but his condition deteriorated and he slipped into a coma. In a statement released by St Andrews, Chris Richardson said, "Alex was a fun-loving character with a great appetite for life and he just loved St Andrews--he had the happiest time of his life here. He had so many friends here who have been such a wonderful support to us. It has been a great comfort to us that he was surrounded by his closest friends during this hugely difficult time and we are very grateful to them, to the University and to the University Chaplain Jamie Walker for everything they have done. It is simply impossible to describe how deeply we feel his tragic loss and how much we will miss him. We all wish we could rewind time." Memorial arrangements have not yet been announced, but will be posted by the *TDN* as soon as they are available.

GOFFS SCRAP THE MILLION Officials at Goffs have announced their decision to revert to the old Orby Sale and stop the Million initiative, with this season's Million races the last to be staged. Revamped in 2005, along with the launch of the two juvenile contests for graduates, the Million Sale has become a high-profile victim of the current economic downturn. The Orby, whose entry fee has been cut by 25 percent, will be split into two parts over three days Sept. 29-Oct. 1 and absorbs the traditional concluding Sportsman's Sale. Chief Executive Henry Beeby commented, "The clear message from our clients is that they want a tight, focused, select sale of quality yearlings, and so that is exactly what we will set out to provide at the 2009 Goffs Orby Sale. The Goffs Million rejuvenated the European yearling market in 2005, but that was during a very different climate and when we were appealing to a totally different buyer profile." He continued, "We have listened carefully to our clients and the consistent feedback has been to suspend the sales races, which helps reduce owners' costs, and focus on providing buyers with quality horses that win at the highest level. We are prepared for a smaller more focused sale as the horse must come first." The Kildare-based company also announced that they were shedding a total of eight selling days this year, with the February and November Foal Sales included in the paring down process. *cont.*

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“Goffs’ focus on quality and client feedback are the driving forces behind the reduction in sales days in 2009,” Beeby added. “Frankly, there were too many sales in 2008 that fell short of our high standards and served the interests of no one.”

SELKIRK WITHDRAWN FROM DUTIES London Thoroughbred Services has announced that **Selkirk** (Sharpen Up {GB}--Annie Edge {Ire}, by Nebbiolo {GB}) has been withdrawn from stud duties at Lanwades Stud due to loss of fertility. With only three of 19 mares scanned in foal so far this season, the 21-year-old former champion miler is set for a series of tests which will include an examination by leading equine fertility expert Dr. Dickson Varner. “All the shareholders and mare owners have been informed,” James Wigan explained. “He looks amazing--like a 15-year-old--and everything is normal with him, however from the tests that we have carried out, we have found that there is a complete absence of semen in his samples.” Winner of the 1991 G1 Queen Elizabeth II S., Selkirk has been represented by some 71 stakes winners, 10 of those at the highest level, and six champions, including French G1SW Sulk (Ire); and Kastoria (Ire), victorious in the 2006 G1 Irish St Leger S. A three-time leading sire in England, his progeny earnings from 14 crops to race are approaching \$31 million.



Mr. Fantasy Out of Wood, Off Derby Trail...

West Point Thoroughbreds and partners’ **Mr. Fantasy** (E Dubai), a distant third to I Want Revenge (Stephen Got Even) in the GIII Gotham S. Mar. 7, will pass the GI Wood Memorial S. next Saturday and is off the Kentucky Derby trail. “Kiaran made a comment that he had lightened up a little bit,” said West Point President Terry Finley, who said the New York-bred colt could make his next appearance in the GIII Withers S. over Aqueduct’s one-turn mile Apr. 25. “He’s a May 27 foal, he doesn’t have a whole lot of seasoning, and we’d like to have a horse for the rest of the year. I thought he ran OK in the Gotham, but we want to do the right thing for the colt.” Finley told *Daily Racing Form* that the Withers could be used as a steppingstone to the GI Preakness S. May 16. Finley also suggested that Mr. Fantasy could alternatively be pointed at the Big Apple Triple, a series for New York-breds which was swept in 2008 by his half-brother Tin Cup Chalice (Crusader Sword). **Cont. p7**

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Mr. Fantasy cont.

A bonus of \$250,000 is awarded to any horse which accomplishes the three-race skein. Mr. Fantasy decimated state-bred competition by a combined 18 lengths in his first two career starts and was the 2-1 favorite in the Gotham, but was overtaken by I Want Revenge in upper stretch and was beaten nearly nine lengths at the finish.

Win Willy Breezes for Arky Derby...

Win Willy (Monarchos), who upset heavily favored Old Fashioned (Unbridled's Song) in the GII Rebel S. Mar. 14, prepped yesterday morning for his upcoming rematch with that rival in the GII Arkansas Derby Apr. 11. With jockey Cliff Berry in the saddle, the grey colt went a half-mile in :48.40 to the satisfaction of trainer McLean Robertson. "He does everything so easily, and stretches out nicely," the conditioner commented. "It was a good work. We will give him one more breeze before the Arkansas Derby."

The **brisnet.com** 'Race of the Day' is the GI FLORIDA DERBY at Gulfstream Park
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| 9:40a | Godolphin Mile-G2, NAD | (brisnet.com PPs) | HR/TVG |
| 10:15a | UAE Derby-G2, NAD | (brisnet.com PPs) | HR/TVG |
| 10:55a | Dubai Golden Shaheen-G1, NAD | (brisnet.com PPs) | HR/TVG |
| 11:55a | Dubai Duty Free-G1, NAD | (brisnet.com PPs) | HR/TVG |
| 12:40p | Dubai Sheema Classic-G1, NAD | (brisnet.com PPs) | HR/TVG |
| 1:30p | Dubai World Cup-G1, NAD | (brisnet.com PPs) | HR/TVG |
| 4:50p | Next Move H.-GIII, AQU | (brisnet.com PPs) | HR/TVG |
| 5:11p | Swale S.-GII, GP | (brisnet.com PPs) | ESPN |
| 5:44p | Florida Derby-GI, GP | (brisnet.com PPs) | ESPN |
| 6:15p | Appleton H.-GIII, GP | (brisnet.com PPs) | HRTV |
| 7:07p | Tokyo City H.-GIII, SA | (brisnet.com PPs) | HRTV |

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Saturday, Gulfstream Park, post time: 5:11 p.m. EDT

SWALE S.-GII, \$150,000, 3yo, 7f

| PP | HORSE | SIRE | TRAINER | ODDS |
|----|--------------------|-----------------|-----------|------|
| 1 | This Ones for Phil | Untutttable | Dutrow Jr | 3-1 |
| 2 | B Z Warrior | Malibu Moon | Pletcher | 5-1 |
| 3 | Sabi Sabi | Songandaprayer | Plesa Jr | 8-1 |
| 4 | Custom for Carlos | More Than Ready | Kenneally | 4-1 |
| 5 | Brave Victory | Lion Heart | Zito | 4-1 |
| 6 | Big Drama | Montbrook | Fawkes | 2-1 |

Big Drama rattled off five straight victories at two, sweeping the Florida Stallion Stakes series at Calder before adding the Dec. 5 GIII Delta Jackpot S. to his coffers. However, a bone bruise sustained in January delayed Harold Queen's homebred, and he'll be making his sophomore bow here. "He never missed a lot of training, and I'm hopeful coming off that deeper track at Calder he won't need a race starting back at Gulfstream," trainer David Fawkes told *Daily Racing Form*. "And I love the fact he's drawn the outside post. He's so versatile, he can either sit off the pace or go with it if need be, and from the outside he can pretty much do whatever he wants." **This Ones for Phil** earned off-the-chart numbers in his first start for Rick Dutrow Jr. in the Sunshine Millions Dash Jan. 24, but gave way to finish fifth by 10 1/4 lengths in the GII Fountain of Youth S. going a mile at Gulfstream Feb. 28. He'll break from the rail this time.

Saturday, Gulfstream Park, post time: 6:15 p.m. EDT

APPLETON S.-GIII, \$100,000, 4yo/up, 7 1/2fT

| PP | HORSE | SIRE | TRAINER | ODDS |
|-----|------------------|----------------|-------------|------|
| 1 | Passager (Fr) | Anabaa | Attfield | 5-1 |
| 2 | Vanquisher | Gulch | Griffith | 4-1 |
| 3 | Kiss the Kid | Lemon Drop Kid | Tarrant | 3-1 |
| 4 | Granizo (Brz) | Ibero (Arg) | Malek | 20-1 |
| 5 | Bold Start | Jump Start | McPeck | 8-1 |
| 6 | Avanti Avanti | Royal Academy | Servis | 12-1 |
| MT0 | Hypocrite | Outofthebox | Tortora | 5-2 |
| 8 | Cannonball | Catienus | Ward | 12-1 |
| 9 | Artic Cry | Rahy | Kenneally | 12-1 |
| 10 | Pickapocket | Mecke | Ma Wolfson | 8-1 |
| 11 | T.D. Vance | Rahy | Mott | 6-1 |
| 12 | Fagedaboutit Sal | Yarrow Brae | Carvajal Jr | 20-1 |

Saturday, Aqueduct, post time: 4:50 p.m. EDT

NEXT MOVE H.-GIII, \$100,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8m

| PP | HORSE | SIRE | TRAINER | ODDS |
|----|------------------|-------------------|-------------|------|
| 1 | Successful Sarah | Successful Appeal | Terranova | 4-1 |
| 2 | Nijinsky Bullet | Silver Charm | Arroyo | 15-1 |
| 3 | Bourbon Maid | Menifee | Violette Jr | 6-1 |
| 4 | Winning Point | Point Given | McLaughlin | 9-5 |
| 5 | Weathered | Key Contender | Grusmark | 8-5 |
| 6 | Point Me to It | Precise End | Contessa | 10-1 |

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Saturday, Santa Anita, post time: 7:07 p.m. EDT
TOKYO CITY CUP H.-GIII, \$100,000, 4yo/up, 1 1/2m (AWT)

| PP | HORSE | SIRE | TRAINER | ODDS |
|----|---------------|--------------------|----------|------|
| 1 | Big Booster | Accelerator | Mitchell | 7-5 |
| 2 | Medjool | Monarchos | O'Hara | 8-1 |
| 3 | Dynamalt | Dynaformer | Mitchell | 12-1 |
| 4 | Stream Cat | Black Minnaloushe | Biancone | 9-2 |
| 5 | Zappa | Afternoon Deelites | Sadler | 7-2 |
| 6 | Fire Wood | Woodman | Mitchell | 6-1 |
| 7 | Kizzy's Chaos | Evansville Slew | Cerin | 8-1 |



DWC MEETING
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Mar. 28, 2009

Rocky Road...

J. Paul Reddam's G1 Dubai Sheema Classic hopeful **Red Rocks (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}) strolled around the Nad al Sheba parade ring before galloping seven furlongs yesterday. "He's looking really good," commented Reddam's racing manager Jamie McCalmont. McCalmont found the Irish-bred as a two-year-old in 2005 for Reddam. The following year, Red Rocks captured the G1 Breeders' Cup Turf. He added the G3 Gordon Richards S. at four, and upended Horse of the Year Curlin in the G1 Man o'War S. last July. "I have a very emotional attachment to him, so I always hope he comes home safely and that he runs a good race," McCalmont added. "He is the quietest, sweetest horse to be around. You could have an eight-year-old kid tack him up, and that's very unusual for a six-year-old stud horse." Red Rocks has made just two starts since his Man o'War success, finishing 10th in the Breeders' Cup Turf at Santa Anita Oct. 25 and eighth in the G1 Gulfstream Park Turf H. over nine furlongs Feb. 1. He should be better suited by the 2400 meters of this \$5-million affair.

Bravo Bags His Bag...Finally...

Jockey Joe Bravo has the call on Four Roses Thoroughbreds' **Anak Nakal** (Victory Gallop) in tonight's G1 Dubai World Cup, and while the New Jerseyan arrived safe and sound in the Emirates, the same cannot be said for his luggage--well, sort of. The bag, which contained his saddle, helmet and boots, ended up in the hands of fellow American rider Clinton Potts, who is scheduled to ride **Black Seventeen** (Is It True) in the G1 Dubai Golden Shaheen. Potts and Bravo were on the same Dubai-bound flight out of New York, and Potts inadvertently took Bravo's bag off the carousel upon their arrival in the Middle East. When Potts' bag was discovered at the airport, it was delivered to Bravo, who then realized that his colleague had his bag. "I'm just happy I got it. I was getting nervous," Bravo said.

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Among Kentucky Sires by 2009 Earnings per Starter

| <u>Sire</u> | <u>Earnings/Starter</u> |
|-----------------------|-------------------------|
| Medaglia d'Oro | \$17,035.55 |
| A.P. Indy | \$16,459.60 |
| Unbridled's Song | \$14,289.89 |
| Mizzen Mast | \$14,188.27 |
| Sky Mesa | \$13,508.06 |
| Lemon Drop Kid | \$12,826.52 |
| Elusive Quality | \$12,136.08 |
| Tiznow | \$11,736.39 |
| Giant's Causeway | \$11,549.29 |
| Distorted Humor | \$10,846.07 |
| Pulpit | \$10,247.02 |
| Petionville | \$9,752.99 |
| Smart Strike | \$9,584.90 |
| El Corredor | \$8,989.55 |
| Malibu Moon | \$8,808.28 |
| Yes It's True | \$7,683.71 |
| Tale of the Cat | \$7,611.96 |
| Stormy Atlantic | \$7,588.58 |
| Grand Slam | \$6,821.43 |
| Fusaichi Pegasus | \$6,617.45 |

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DE KOCK OF THE WALK

By Michele MacDonald

The success of South African-born trainer Mike de Kock in Dubai over the past six years is perhaps best measured by two standards.

One of those gauges is statistics, which show de Kock has won more races on the Dubai World Cup program from 2003 through 2008 than any other trainer, including even Godolphin's Saeed bin Suroor with his vast arsenal of horses trained in the United Arab Emirates. De Kock also has led all international trainers by wins during the lucrative Dubai International Racing Carnival each year since 2004.



Michele MacDonald Photo

The other yardstick of his achievements is the assessment of his colleagues. And there is no doubt that other trainers respect his methods and results.

"Mike de Kock owns this racetrack," California-based Eoin Harty declared while gazing across the Nad Al Sheba parade ring to the finish line, expressing the knowledge that de Kock's trainee Asiatic Boy (Arg) will be a main force for his own Well Armed to contend with in Saturday's \$6-million G1 Dubai World Cup.

Just as he has since 2003, de Kock is waiting to fire the biggest shots from his stable artillery on World Cup day. Archipenko in the \$5-million G1 Dubai Duty Free is the runner he pinpoints as having the best chance to win from his formidable 10-horse squad, spread among four races worth a total of \$17 million.

Sitting in his office at Grandstand Stable tucked amid a grove of willowy trees at the flank of Nad Al Sheba, de Kock continually draws on the phrase "mind boggling" to describe his connection with Dubai and the World Cup, which have radically changed his life.

"I couldn't have earned in three lifetimes in South Africa what I've been able to earn here," de Kock said. His eight winners in previous Dubai World Cup program races have bankrolled \$10.8 million, with his Carnival victories pushing the total over \$12 million.

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| 9:40 a.m. | G2 Godolphin Mile |
| 10:15 a.m. | G2 UAE Derby |
| 10:55 a.m. | G1 Dubai Golden Shaheen |
| 11:55 a.m. | G1 Dubai Duty Free |
| 12:40 p.m. | G1 Dubai Sheema Classic |
| 1:30 p.m. | G1 Dubai World Cup |

Dubai: Eastern Daylight Time + 8 hours



De Kock cont.

Yet coming to Dubai was, in his words, “a big gamble—it could have ruined me back home in South Africa,” he said, revealing through the momentous decision both his bold, determined nature and his yen to continually evolve.

De Kock's Dubai destiny began to take shape when he was a youth, “spending every available minute,” as



Horse Chestnut Equi-Photo

his website proclaims, watching racing and backstretch life at Newmarket racecourse in his hometown of Alberton, South Africa. After serving his required military duty as a riding instructor in the South African

Defence Force, he took jobs as assistant trainer and wound up working for Ricky Howard-Ginsberg.

When Howard-Ginsberg tragically died at age 44, de Kock received the blessing of the trainer's clients and took over running the stable. Within a few months, at age 25, he had saddled his first Group 1 winner, Evening Mist (SAf).

“I've never looked back,” he said.

De Kock won his first South African champion trainer title in 1998-99, the same time he was developing the colt that still ranks as his all-time favorite, South Africa's only Triple Crown winner, Horse Chestnut (SAf).

“He was a defining point in my career, a turning point in my life, really,” de Kock said, recalling that Horse Chestnut's prodigious talent spurred him to think about competing in the world's richest race, the Dubai World Cup. They went to Florida first to surmount quarantine issues and won the 2000 Gill Broward H. at Gulfstream Park easily, but before Horse Chestnut could compete in the GI Donn H. and go on to Dubai, he was injured, and the dream ended.

Nonetheless, the experience “gave me a taste of what was out there in the rest of the world,” de Kock recalled, adding that he knew he wanted to participate more on an international level. “Any person who is involved in any sport knows that if you're not competitive internationally, what's the point? I love the competition. And I like to see good horses run, even if they're not trained by me.”

De Kock applied for a job in Dubai and was turned down, but he didn't relent. He visited Dubai and watched the spectacle as Captain Steve won the G1 Dubai World Cup in 2001.

“I just decided that I have to do this,” he said, adding, “A while later, I had a filly called Ipi Tombe and I thought, ‘If there is a better horse, I want to see it.’”

There wasn't one. The Zimbabwean-bred Ipi Tombe closed with a furious rush that brought everyone at Nad Al Sheba to their feet with a roar of approval as she

won the 2003 G1 Dubai Duty Free, worth \$2 million at the time. Her victory came not long after stablemate Victory Moon (SAf)--a colt de Kock had purchased for clients as a yearling--broke the Godolphin stranglehold on the G2 UAE Derby, also worth \$2 million, to become the first South African-bred to win a Dubai World Cup program race.



Ipi Tombe Andrew Watkins

“It was mind-blowing,” de Kock said, a smile playing across his face at the memory of that \$4-million night. But while he put a huge exclamation mark on the international racing scene, some clients back in South Africa began to desert him, thinking he was spending too much time abroad.

“I lost more than I gained,” he said. “But I just put my head down and cracked on.”

In 2004, de Kock repeated his double on the Dubai World Cup program, winning the UAE Derby with Lunday's Liability (Brz) and the Dubai Duty Free with Right Approach (GB). His winning streak was unparalleled by anyone other than bin Suroor, who was backed by the might of Godolphin.

Still, there was more to come. Another turning point in de Kock's career occurred when Martin Talty, manager of the Dubai Racing Club's International Department, introduced him to Sheikh Mohammed bin Khalifa al Maktoum, minister of land affairs in Dubai and a keen horseman who has competed in endurance races. The combination has been magic ever since, winning the UAE Triple Crown in 2007 with Asiatic Boy and the 2008 UAE Derby with Honour Devil (Arg), and taking Archipenko and Eagle Mountain (GB) to Group 1 victories in Hong Kong last year.

De Kock cont. p3

MIKE DE KOCK - DWC NIGHT WINNERS

| <u>Year</u> | <u>Race</u> | <u>Winner</u> | <u>Sire</u> |
|-------------|----------------|-------------------------|--------------------|
| 2008 | Sheema Classic | Sun Classique (Aus) | Fuji Kiseki (Jpn) |
| 2008 | UAE Derby | Honour Devil (Arg) | Honour and Glory |
| 2007 | UAE Derby | Asiatic Boy (Arg) | Not for Sale (Arg) |
| 2005 | Godolphin Mile | Grand Emporium (SAf) | National Assembly |
| 2004 | Duty Free | Right Approach (GB) | Machiavellian |
| 2004 | UAE Derby | Lundy's Liability (Brz) | Candy Stripes |
| 2003 | Duty Free | Ipi Tombe (Zim) | Manshood (GB) |
| 2003 | UAE Derby | Victory Moon (SAf) | Al Mufti |



De Kock cont.

Both Archipenko and Eagle Mountain also were runners-up in American Grade I races in 2008, with Archipenko second in the Arlington Million and Eagle Mountain second in the Breeders' Cup Turf.



Mike de Kock and King of Rome Michele MacDonald Photo

De Kock--who has 60 to 70 yearlings for Sheikh Mohammed bin Kahlifa in South Africa--describes his main client as a "very, very respected man in the community," who is "guided by his religious principles" and responds with "a calmness" whether developments are good or bad. Half of de Kock's runners on Saturday's Dubai World Cup program are owned by Sheikh Mohammed bin Khalifa or his family.

Together, de Kock and Sheikh Mohammed bin Khalifa buy horses all over the world, with de Kock dividing his training time between South Africa, Dubai and England, as his wife, Diane, oversees the schooling of young horses in South Africa. De Kock pursues unorthodox methods at times, relying on treadmills to work many of his horses, for example.

"You've got to constantly evolve. I stay open-minded; I try everything," he said. "I've learned a lot from traveling and observing successful people, even when they don't know I'm observing them. I like to see what works."

No matter what happens Saturday, whether de Kock again wins multiple races on the Dubai World Cup program or if he is blanked, he looks ahead to bringing more horses to race in Grade I events in the U.S. and other key venues around the world.

Yet he revealed that he might not be training all that much longer. "It's very stressful," he reflected. "You put a lot of pressure on yourself to perform. And when things go wrong, it's very difficult to deal with, particularly horses getting hurt. I don't know how much more I can take of that--it's gut-wrenching. If the financial rewards weren't as good as they are, I might not be doing this now."

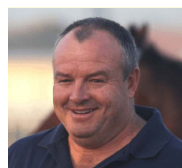
But he doesn't ever want a life without horses. "I can't see myself doing this [training] until I'm old," he said, "but I'd love to be on a farm with a stallion and some broodmares one day."

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Dubai Duty Free hopeful Archipenko DRC photo



Mike de Kock's DWC Program Runners

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|---|----------------------|
| Art of War (SAf) (Kahal {GB}) | Godolphin Mile |
| Brave Tin Soldier (Storm Cat) | Godolphin Mile |
| Lucky Find (SAf) (Rich Man's Gold) | Godolphin Mile |
| Archipenko (Kingmambo) | Dubai Duty Free |
| Bankable (Ire) (Medicean {GB}) | Dubai Duty Free |
| Macarthur (GB) (Monjeu {Ire}) | Dubai Sheema Classic |
| Russian Sage (SAf) (Jallad) | Dubai Sheema Classic |
| King of Rome (Montjeu {Ire}) | Dubai Sheema Classic |
| Front House (Ire) (Sadler's Wells) | Dubai Sheema Classic |
| Asiatic Boy (Arg) (Not for Sale {Arg}) | Dubai World Cup |



Lucky Find HKJC Photo



ASIA MAJOR

He already sports a six-for-nine record at Nad al Sheba, and **Asiatic Boy (Arg)** (Not for Sale {Arg}) has a solid chance to improve on that record in the G1 Dubai World Cup. The bay captured the G3 UAE 2000 Guineas and G2 UAE Derby in emphatic fashion in 2007. He opened the 2008 Dubai season with a victory in the six-furlong G3 Al Shindagha Sprint and was third in the one-mile G3 Burj Nahaar before chasing Curlin home in last year's World Cup. Trainer Mike de Kock changed up the preparations this time. Unraced since his runner-up finish in this event last year, Asiatic Boy made his return in the Feb. 5 G3 Maktoum Challenge-Round 2 going nine furlongs and was beaten just 3/4 of a length when third behind **My Indy (Arg)** (Indygo Shiner) and **Happy Boy (Brz)** (Ski Champ). Stretched to the Dubai World Cup distance in the G2 Maktoum Challenge-Round 3, he closed from fifth to win to best Happy Boy by 2 1/4 lengths. "I rode Asiatic Boy the other morning, and he has definitely improved since he won so well here on Super Thursday," said jockey Johnny Murtagh. "If he runs the same race that he ran last year [in the World Cup], he will be right there fighting out the finish and, hopefully, will get the job done."

My Name Is Maximus...

When trainer Kieran McLaughlin came over for the 2007 Dubai World Cup, he brought with him the reigning Horse of the Year and GI Breeders' Cup Classic hero Invasor (Arg). This year's candidate, **Albertus Maximus** (Albert the Great), is not quite as well known. "When Invasor won, we thought it was just a matter of putting him in the stalls and picking up the check," McLaughlin remarked, "but Albertus Maximus has a lower profile and still needs to prove he is a superstar." The five-year-old, half-length winner of the Jan. 31 GI Donn H. at Gulfstream Park in his conventional dirt debut, makes his first attempt at 10 panels, but his conditioner feels he can get the trip. "There are a couple of questions with Albertus Maximus," he said. "It's only his second start on dirt and his first at 10 furlongs, but, having said all that, we still expect him to be hard to beat."



Horsephotos

Saturday, Nad al Sheba, Dubai, post time: 1:30 p.m. EDT

DUBAI WORLD CUP-G1, \$6,000,000, 4yo/up, 2000mT

| PP | HORSE | OWNER | BREEDER | TRAINER/JOCKEY | ODDS |
|----|--|--|--------------------------|-----------------------|------|
| 1 | Muhannak <i>(g, 5, Chester House--Opera {GB}, by Forzando {GB})</i> | Richard Pegum | Mount Coote Stud | Beckett Moore | 20-1 |
| 2 | Arson Squad <i>(g, 6, Brahms--Majestic Fire, by Green Dancer)</i> | Jay Em Ess Stable | E & D Enterprises | Dutrow Jr Prado | 15-1 |
| 3 | Snaafy <i>(h, 5, Kingmambo--Nafisah {Ire}, by Lahib)</i> | Sh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum | Shadwell Farm LLC | Al Muhairi Hills | 12-1 |
| 4 | Asiatic Boy (Arg) <i>(h, 6, Not for Sale {Arg}--S.S. Asiatic, by Polish Navy)</i> | Sh Mohd bin Khalifa Al Maktoum | Arroyo de Luna | de Kock Murtagh | 5-2 |
| 5 | Happy Boy (Brz) <i>(h, 6, Ski Champ--Ultra Maresca {Brz}, by Filago)</i> | Sh Hamdan bin Mohd Al Maktoum | Haras Torrao de Ouro | bin Shayfa Ajtebi | 10-1 |
| 6 | Gloria de Campeao (Brz) <i>(h, 6, Impression {Arg}--Audacity {Brz}, by Clackson {Brz})</i> | Estrela Energia Stables | Haras Santarem | Bary Leme | 30-1 |
| 7 | Well Armed <i>(g, 6, Tiznow--Well Dressed, by Notebook)</i> | WinStar Farms LLC | WinStar Farm LLC | Harty Gryder | 6-1 |
| 8 | Casino Drive <i>(c, 4, Mineshaft--Better Than Honour, by Deputy Minister)</i> | Hidetoshi Yamamoto | Shell Bloodstock | Fujisawa Ando | 6-1 |
| 9 | Joe Louis (Arg) <i>(h, 6, Lode--Jolie Caresse, by Septieme Ciel)</i> | Prince Sultan Mohd Saud Al Kabeer | Santa Maria de Araras | Barton Ramos | 50-1 |
| 10 | Albertus Maximus <i>(h, 5, Albert the Great--Chasethewildwind, by Forty Niner)</i> | Sh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum | Marianne & Brandon Chase | McLaughlin Garcia | 2-1 |
| 11 | Muller (Arg) <i>(g, 6, El Compinche {Arg}--Martina Girl {Arg}, by Mat-Boy {Arg})</i> | Prince Faisal bin Khalid bin Abdulaziz | La Quebrada | Bruss Marwing | 30-1 |
| 12 | Anak Nakal <i>(c, 4, Victory Gallop--Misk, by Quiet American)</i> | Four Roses Thoroughbreds | Buckram Oak Farm | Zito Bravo | 30-1 |
| 13 | Paris Perfect (SAf) <i>(h, 5, Muhtafal--Candle Princess {NZ}, by Honor Grades)</i> | Prince Faisal bin Khalid bin Abdulaziz | G Fabricius | Bruss Faydherbe | 50-1 |
| 14 | My Indy (Arg) <i>(h, 5, Indygo Shiner--My Light {Arg}, by Southern Halo)</i> | Godolphin | La Quebrada | bin Suroor Dettori | 8-1 |

All carry 126 pounds.



FRONT AND CENTER

Trainer Mike de Kock and rider Kevin O'Shea teamed up to take the G1 Dubai Sheema Classic last year with Sun Classique (Aus) (Fuji Kiseki {Jpn}), and are back with another filly this time in **Front House (Ire)** (Sadler's Wells). Hailing from an Aga Khan family, the bay was



Front House defeating Quijano Mar. 5
Andrew Watkins/DRC photo

sent to South Africa after being purchased for €160,000 as a yearling at Goffs. She captured four of six starts for de Kock in the Southern Hemisphere, capped by a win in the G2 Gold Circle Oaks over 12 furlongs at Clairwood in July. After

finishing second in her first two Dubai outings, Front House stepped up in trip for the G2 Dubai City of Gold Mar. 5 over this course and distance, and held sway late over a swarm of challengers. They included five of her Sheema Classic rivals; stablemates **King of Rome (Ire)** (Montjeu {Ire}) and **Macarthur (GB)** (Montjeu {Ire}) were third and eighth, respectively.

"We were obviously delighted with Front House's victory, and we knew she had come on a lot after her first two runs," de Kock reported earlier in the week. "She remains in good form, and we were particularly pleased with King of Rome last time. He and Macarthur were always going to need runs to get spot on, which hopefully they are now."

The peripatetic **Doctor Dino (Fr)** (Muhtathir {GB}), third to Sun Classique a year ago, capped 2008 with a successful title defense in the G1 Hong Kong Vase Dec. 14, and makes his first start since. **Youmzain (Ire)** (Sinndar {Ire}), third in the 2007 Sheema Classic and fifth last year, finished up his five-year-old campaign with his second straight runner-up effort in the G1 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe Oct. 5 at Longchamp. Like Doctor Dino, he will be having his first run of 2009 here.

"I think he's ready," said trainer Mick Channon. "He's a very good horse, make no mistake, and he's been unlucky to meet a couple of good ones in two Arcs. I'd love him to win a really big one--he deserves to." As for any pace concerns, Channon said, "I don't think it matters too much how the race is run; he's not a slow horse and there's a long straight here, but you always need a bit of luck."

Saturday, Nad al Sheba, Dubai, post time: 12:40 p.m. EDT
DUBAI SHEEMA CLASSIC-G1, \$5,000,000, 4yo/up, 2400mT

| PP | HORSE | OWNER | BREEDER | TRAINER/JOCKEY | ODDS |
|----|--|--|--------------------------|-----------------------|------|
| 1 | Front House (Ire) <i>(f, 4, Sadler's Wells--Adjalisa {Ire}, by Darshaan {GB})</i> | Mrs John Magnier & Wilgerbosdrift Stud | Triermore Stud | de Kock Shea | 6-1 |
| 2 | Eastern Anthem (Ire) <i>(h, 5, Singspiel {Ire}--Kazzia {Ger}, by Zinaad {GB})</i> | Sh Hamdan bin Mohd Al Maktoum | Darley | bin Shafya Ajtebi | 20-1 |
| 3 | Russian Sage (SAf) <i>(c, 4, Jallad--Sage Blue {SAf}, by Badger Land)</i> | Team Valor Int'l/L Nestadt/G Barber | Highlands Farms Stud Ltd | de Kock Faydherbe | 10-1 |
| 4 | Spanish Moon <i>(h, 5, El Prado {Ire}--Shining Bright {GB}, by Rainbow Quest)</i> | K Abdullah | Juddmonte Farms Inc | Stoute Moore | 15-1 |
| 5 | King of Rome (Ire) <i>(c, 4, Montjeu {Ire}--Amizette, by Forty Niner)</i> | Sh Mohd bin Khalifa Al Maktoum | The Amizette Partnership | de Kock Murtagh | 8-1 |
| 6 | Youmzain (Ire) <i>(h, 6, Sinndar {Ire}--Sadima {Ire}, by Sadler's Wells)</i> | Jaber Abdullah | Frank Dunne | Channon Hills | 4-1 |
| 7 | Purple Moon (Ire) <i>(g, 6, Galileo {Ire}--Vanishing Prairie, by Alysheba)</i> | Craig Bennett | Gestüt Shohrenhof | Cumani Spencer | 6-1 |
| 8 | Marsh Side <i>(h, 6, Gone West--Colonial Play, by Pleasant Colony)</i> | Robert S Evans | Robert S Evans | Drysdale Prado | 15-1 |
| 9 | Deem (Ire) <i>(f, 4, Dalakhani {Ire}--Hijaz {Ire}, by Sadler's Wells)</i> | Prince Sultan Mohd Saud Al Kabeer | Prince Sultan Al Kabeer | Barton Kinane | 30-1 |
| 10 | Quijano (Ger) <i>(g, 7, Acatenango {Ger}--Quila {Ire}, by Unfuwain)</i> | Stiftung Gestüt Fahrhof | Stiftung Gestüt Fahrhof | Schiergen Starke | 8-1 |
| 11 | King's Gambit (SAf) <i>(g, 4, Silvano {Ger}--Lady Brompton {SAf}, by Al Mufti)</i> | Mrs Fitriani Hay | Danika Stud | Brown Egan | 30-1 |
| 12 | Red Rocks (Ire) <i>(h, 6, Galileo {Ire}--Pharmacist {Ire}, by Machiavellian)</i> | J Paul Reddam | Ballylinch Stud | Hennig Castellano | 15-1 |
| 13 | Doctor Dino (Fr) <i>(h, 7, Muhtathir {GB}--Logica {Ire}, by Priolo)</i> | J Martinez Salmean | Ecurie Pelder | Gibson Peslier | 7-2 |
| 14 | Kirklees (Ire) <i>(h, 5, Jade Robbery--Moyesii, by Diesis {GB})</i> | Godolphin | Darley | bin Suroor Dettori | 12-1 |
| 15 | Macarthur (GB) <i>(h, 5, Montjeu {Ire}--Out West, by Gone West)</i> | Sh Mohd bin Khalifa Al Maktoum | Deerfield Farm | de Kock Beadman | 20-1 |

All carry 126 pounds except King of Rome, 125; and Deem and Front House, 120.



ANOTHER TRIP FOR KIP

The well-traveled Oklahoma-bred **Kip Deville** (Kipling) takes his show on the road again for this prestigious affair. The 2007 GI Breeders' Cup Mile hero got back on track in the GI Gulfstream Park Turf H. in February following a disappointing effort in the G1 Hong Kong Mile in December. "Kip's always ready," assistant trainer and exercise rider Michelle Nevin said. "He loves to go out and train, and he's very happy here. Kip always comes with his very best shot, and we think he will do that again on Saturday." While Kip Deville found only the filly sensation Goldikova (Ire) (Anabaa) too tough in his Breeders' Cup Mile defense at Santa Anita, he has a trio of females to take on here, including G1 Prix de l'Opera heroine **Lady Marian** (Ger) (Nayef), **Vodka** (Jpn) (Tanino Gimlet {Jpn}) and **Tuesday Joy** (NZ) (Carnegie {Ire}).



Kip Deville
Dubai Racing Club

Fellow American raider **Hyperbaric** (Sky Classic), who enters off four straight wins, including the GI Citation H. last out in November, is also in with a big chance. Duty Free defending champion **Jay Peg** (SAf) (Camden Park) has faced the starter only three times since last year's victory. The six-year-old ended 2008 on a high note with a win in the G1 Singapore Airlines International Cup in May; he was last seen dead-heating for second behind **Balius** (Ire) (Mujahid) in the G2 Jebel Hatta Mar. 5. **Archipenko** (Kingmambo) has really come into his own since placing a close third in last year's renewal. The bay annexed the G1 Queen Elizabeth II Cup at Sha Tin in April and followed with a tally in Ascot's G2 Summer Mile S. in July. He completed the exacta in the GI Arlington Million in his season finale Aug. 9, and resurfaced with a win in the G3 Zabeel Mile Feb. 26.

Saturday, Nad al Sheba, Dubai, post time: 11:55 a.m.

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| PP | HORSE | OWNER | BREEDER | TRAINER/JOCKEY | ODDS |
|----|---|---------------------------------|---|------------------------|------|
| 1 | Bankable (Ire) <i>(h, 5, Medicean {GB}--Dance to the Top {GB}, by Sadler's Wells)</i> | Ramzan Kadyrov | Barronstown Stud & Cobra | de Kock Murtagh | 20-1 |
| 2 | Gladiatorus <i>(c, 4, Silic {Fr}--Gmaasha {Ire}, by Kris {GB})</i> | Sh Mansoor bin Mohd Al Maktoum | Az Agricola le Ferriere di Raponi Giampaolo | bin Shafya Ajtebi | 20-1 |
| 3 | Vodka (Jpn) <i>(m, 5, Tanino Gimlet {Jpn}--Tanino Sister {Jpn}, by Rousillon)</i> | Yuzo Tanimizu | Country Bokujo | Sumii Take | 10-1 |
| 4 | Niconero (Aus) <i>(g, 7, Danzero {Aus}--Nicola Lass {Aus}, by Scenic {Ire})</i> | P B Devitt/L C Gordon/D A Hayes | Meadowvale Pastoral Co Pty Ltd | Hayes Williams | 30-1 |
| 5 | Hyperbaric <i>(g, 6, Sky Classic--Teasing Charm, by Skywalker)</i> | Prestonwood Racing | W J Chamblin | Canani T Baze | 12-1 |
| 6 | Creachadoir (Ire) <i>(h, 5, King's Best--Sadima {Ire}, by Sadler's Wells)</i> | Godolphin | Frank Dunne | bin Suroor Durcan | 15-1 |
| 7 | Kip Deville <i>(h, 6, Kipling--Klondike Kaytie, by Encino)</i> | IEAH Stables, A Cohen, et al | Center Hills Farm | Dutrow Jr Velasquez | 6-1 |
| 8 | Balius (Ire) <i>(h, 6, Mujahid--Akhla, by Nashwan)</i> | Sh Rashid bin Mohd Al Maktoum | Stilvi Compania Financiera SA | bin Huzaim Supple | 8-1 |
| 9 | Alexandros (GB) <i>(c, 4, Kingmambo--Arlette {Ire}, by King of Kings {Ire})</i> | Godolphin | Darley | bin Suroor Kinane | 30-1 |
| 10 | Archipenko <i>(h, 5, Kingmambo--Bound, by Nijinsky II)</i> | Sh Mohd K Al Maktoum/AH Parker | Eagle Holdings | de Kock Shea | 4-1 |
| 11 | Tuesday Joy (Aus) <i>(m, 5, Carnegie {Ire}--Joie Denise {Aus}, by Sunday Silence)</i> | Strawberry Hill Stud Syndicate | Strawberry Hill Stud | Waterhouse Beadman | 30-1 |
| 12 | Lady Marian (Ger) <i>(f, 4, Nayef--La Felicita {GB}, by Shareef Dancer)</i> | Godolphin | Graf & Graf von Stauffenberg | bin Suroor Dettori | 6-1 |
| 13 | Paco Boy (Ire) <i>(c, 4, Desert Style {Ire}--Tappen Zee {Ire}, by Sandhurst Prince {Ire})</i> | The Calvera Partnership 2 | Joan Browne | Hannon Hughes | 7-2 |
| 14 | Charlie Farnsbarns (Ire) <i>(h, 5, Cape Cross {Ire}--Lafleur {Ire}, by Grand Lodge)</i> | The English Girls | Tinnakill Partnership I | Meehan Spencer | 30-1 |
| 15 | Jay Peg (SAf) <i>(h, 5, Camden Park--Laptop Lady {SAf}, by Al Mufti)</i> | Shirliff/Braun/Loomes/Marcus | High Season Stud | Brown Marwing | 20-1 |
| 16 | Presvis (GB) <i>(g, 5, Sakhee--Forest Fire {Swe}, by Never So Bold {Ire})</i> | Léonidas Marinopoulos et al | Mrs M Campbell-Andenaes | Cumani Moore | 12-1 |

All carry 126 pounds except Lady Marian, Tuesday Joy and Vodka, 121 pounds.



GOLDEN GIRL

Benny the Bull fittingly carried the red, white and blue silks of IEAH Stables to continue the American domination in last year's G1 Dubai Golden Shaheen, and this



Indian Blessing
Dubai Racing Club

year the U.S. will rely on champion filly **Indian Blessing** (Indian Charlie). The Hal and Patti Earnhardt homebred capped a perfect juvenile season with a victory in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies at Monmouth Park. Following a pair of second-place finishes behind Proud Spell and Zaftig last term,

the dark bay went on a tear once kept to sprinting events, posting wins in the GI Prioress S., GI Test S. and GI Gallant Bloom H. She completed the exacta in the Breeders' Cup Filly and Mare Sprint and concluded her second straight championship season with a win in the GI La Brea S. Dec. 27. Edgar Prado replaces Johnny Velazquez in the irons, who opted to stay at Gulfstream to ride Quality Road in the GI Florida Derby.

'Game-Day Decision' for Black Seventeen...

Trainer Brian Koriner will make a 'game-day decision'

as to whether **Black Seventeen** (Is It True) makes it to the starting gate. "We want to do right by the horse," said Koriner. The chestnut had been the subject of lackluster reports all week, and yesterday his exercise rider Colleen Hartford dismounted early. "You never want to see the exercise rider leading a horse off the track," Koriner noted. Hero of the GI Vosburgh S. last September, Black Seventeen had finished third in each of his two outings in 2009, the GIII El Conejo H. Jan. 1 and GIII Mr. Prospector H. Jan. 17.



Black Seventeen
Sarah K Andrew photo

Diabolical Sitting On a Good One...

It's been a while between drinks for **Diabolical** (Artax), but the six-year-old is certainly capable of winning this on his best. A disappointing seventh in last year's Shaheen, the chestnut came within a neck of annexing the Oct. 25 Breeders' Cup Turf Sprint. He tired to finish third behind stablemate Gayego in his seasonal bow in the Mar. 5 G3 Mahab Al Shimaal.

Saturday, Nad al Sheba, Dubai, post time: 10:55 a.m.
DUBAI GOLDEN SHAHEEN-G1, \$2,000,000, 4yo/up, 1200m

| PP | HORSE | OWNER | BREEDER | TRAINER/JOCKEY | ODDS |
|----|--|---|---------------------------------|-----------------------|------|
| 1 | Force Freeze <i>(g, 4, Forest Camp--Antifreeze, by It's Freezing)</i> | Sh Rashid bin Humaid Al Nuaimi | Dixiana Stables Inc | Watson Jara | 20-1 |
| 2 | Big City Man <i>(c, 4, Northern Afleet--Mini Appeal, by Valid Appeal)</i> | Prince Sultan Mohd Saud Al Kabeer | Four Horsemen's Ranch | Barton Verenzuela | 5-1 |
| 3 | Diabolical <i>(h, 6, Artax--Bonnie Byerly, by Dayjur)</i> | Godolphin | Longleaf Pine Farm | bin Suroor Dettori | 7-2 |
| 4 | Lucky Quality (Aus) <i>(h, 5, Elusive Quality--Wishing Stone, by Dayjur)</i> | Dr Peter Wu Hin Ting | Orange Grove Thoroughbreds | Tsui Doleuze | 10-1 |
| 5 | Change Alley <i>(c, 4, Elusive Quality--Fortune {Ire}, by Night Shift)</i> | H M M Kadfoor/A M Amin | Darley | Al Raihe Ffrench | 30-1 |
| 6 | Black Seventeen <i>(h, 5, Is It True--Fuzzy Navel, by Strike the Anvil)</i> | Wind River Stbls/Berta/Lyons et al | M Lewis/R Smith/S Smith | Koriner Potts | 10-1 |
| 7 | Marchand d'Or (Fr) <i>(g, 6, Marchand de Sable--Fedora {Fr}, by Kendor {Fr})</i> | Mme Jean-Louis Giral | Carla Giral | Head Bonilla | 9-2 |
| 8 | Balthazaar's Gift (Ire) <i>(h, 6, Xaar {GB}--That's Your Opinion {GB}, by Last Tycoon {Ire})</i> | Sh Sultan bin Khalifa bin Zayed Al Nahyan | Pat Beirne | Simpson O'Donohoe | 20-1 |
| 9 | Machismo <i>(g, 5, Trippi--Le Nat, by Dynaformer)</i> | Barber/Barber/Larry Nestadt | Harold J Plumley | Sadler T Baze | 12-1 |
| 10 | Hammadi (Ire) <i>(c, 4, Red Ransom--Ruby Affair {Ire}, by Night Shift)</i> | Malih Lahej Al Basti | Peter Hodgson & Star Pointe Ltd | Watson Murtagh | 30-1 |
| 11 | Bamboo Ere (Jpn) <i>(h, 6, Afleet--Rainbow Wood {GB}, by Rainbow Quest)</i> | Bamboo Bokujo | Bamboo Stud | Adachi Take | 15-1 |
| 12 | Indian Blessing <i>(f, 4, Indian Charlie--Shameful, by Flying Chevron)</i> | Hal & Patti Earnhardt | Hal & Patti Earnhardt | Baffert Prado | 3-1 |

All carry 126 pounds except Indian Blessing, 121.



PARTY TIME

Godolphin have dominated the G2 UAE Derby since its inception in 2000. The winner carried the famously blue silks in the first three runnings (China Visit {Red Ransom}, 2000; Express Tour {Tour d'Or}, 2001; Essence of Dubai {Pulpit}, 2002), and again in 2005 (Blues and Royals {Honour and Glory}) and 2006 (Discreet Cat {Forestry}). It looks likely that



Desert Party *Horsephotos*

★ **"TDN Rising Star"** ★
Desert Party (Street Cry {Ire}) will continue the trend today. The \$2.1-million salestopper at Fasig-Tipton Calder in

2008, he took the GII Sanford S. by 3 1/4 lengths, but faltered after a rough trip in the Sept. 1 GI Hopeful S. and ran sixth. Sidelined for the remainder of the year, he led home the Godolphin 1-2 in a conditions race at Nad al Sheba Jan. 22 and again when powering to a 4 3/4-length tally over stablemate **Regal Ransom** (Distorted Humor) in the G3 UAE 2000 Guineas Feb. 12. He will be tough to beat here, especially as the only other trainer to ever saddle a UAE Derby winner, Mike de Kock, is without a runner this year.

Stepping Into the Spotlight...

Trainer Jerry Barton, a former assistant to D. Wayne Lukas now based in Saudi Arabia, bids for his first World Cup Carnival winner today. He fields a pair of runners in the Derby, including the South American filly **So Shiny (Arg)** (Indygo Shiner). Beaten a neck when second in the G1 Gran Premio Jorge de Atucha in her native Argentina last May, the chestnut was then purchased privately by Prince Sultan Mohammed Saud Al Kabeer and sent to the Middle East. She open 2009 with a handy three-length victory in the Feb. 6 UAE 1000 Guineas, but may have bounced a bit off that race when a distant fourth in the UAE Oaks 20 days later. "Ignore her last run--she just was not right on the night, and is a lot better than that," Barton said. The transplanted American will also send out the talented **Naval Officer** (Tale of the Cat), hero of the G3 Prix de Conde at Longchamp last October. The bay had an eventful winter, and was likely short of his best when third in his Derby prep, a conditions race at Nad al Sheba Mar. 5. "Naval Officer had a foot abscess and we missed a lot of work--that is why we brought him back on grass over a shorter trip," Barton explained, but added, "This has always been his target."



Jerry Barton *DRC*

Saturday, Nad al Sheba, Dubai, post time: 10:15 a.m.
UAE DERBY-G2, \$2,000,000, NH/SH3yo, 1800m

| PP | HORSE | OWNER | BREEDER | TRAINER/JOCKEY | ODDS |
|----|--|------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------|------|
| 1 | Regal Ransom <i>(c, 3, Distorted Humor--Kelli's Ransom, by Red Ransom)</i> | Godolphin | Diamond A Rcg Corp | bin Suroor Garcia | 4-1 |
| 2 | I Am the Best (GB) <i>(c, 3, King's Best--Needles and Pins {Ire}, by Fasilyev)</i> | H Kadfoor/A Al Mehairi | D G Hardisty Bloodstock | Al Raihe Ffrench | 30-1 |
| 3 | Lelah Dorak (KSA) <i>(c, 3, Frequent {GB}--Bint Garaah {KSA}, by Vanlandingham)</i> | King Abdullah bin Abdulaziz Sons | King Abdullah bin Abdulaziz Sons | Resaque Prado | 15-1 |
| 4 | Muy Ponderado (Arg) <i>(c, 3, Mutakddim--Ponderosa Noche, by Royal Roberto)</i> | Sh Ahmed bin Mohd al Maktoum | CBSV Proyectos & Inversiones SA | bin Shafya Smith | 50-1 |
| 5 | Desert Party <i>(c, 3, Street Cry {Ire}--Sage Cat, by Tabasco Cat)</i> | Godolphin | D Smith & S Sinatra | bin Suroor Dettori | EVEN |
| 6 | Redding Colliery <i>(c, 3, Mineshaft--Joop, by Zilzal)</i> | Mrs Fitriani Hay | Gainesway TB & 707 Stables | Brown Egan | 8-1 |
| 7 | So Shiny (Arg) <i>(f, 3, Indygo Shiner--Sorpresiva {Arg}, by Southern Halo)</i> | Prince Sultan Mohd Saud al Kabeer | La Quebrada | Barton Jara | 20-1 |
| 8 | Ra Junior <i>(c, 3, Rahy--Fantasia Girl {Ire}, by Caerleon)</i> | Roldvale Ltd & Gold Group Intl Ltd | Darley | Meehan Spencer | 20-1 |
| 9 | Balcarce Nov (Arg) <i>(c, 3, Romanov {Ire}--Rosada Fitz {Arg}, by Fitzcarraldo {Arg})</i> | Mrs Fitriani Hay | Haras Firmamento | Brown Marwing | 20-1 |
| 10 | Jose Adan <i>(c, 3, Crypto Star--Markofclass, by Benchmark)</i> | Godolphin | R & W Catalano Rcg Stb Ltd | bin Suroor Durcan | 12-1 |
| 11 | Soy Libriano (Arg) <i>(c, 3, Ride the Rails--Soy Ariana {Arg}, by Equalize)</i> | Sh Majid bin Mohd al Maktoum | Haras Abolengo | bin Shafya Ajtebi | 10-1 |
| 12 | Naval Officer <i>(c, 3, Tale of the Cat--Wandering Star, by Red Ransom)</i> | Prince Sultan Mohd Saud al Kabeer | Joseph Allen | Barton Kinane | 6-1 |
| 13 | Paso de Gloria (Arg) <i>(c, 3, Honour and Glory--Morning Pleasure {Arg}, by Morning Bob)</i> | Sh Hamdan bin Mohd al Maktoum | Haras La Pomme | bin Shafya Supple | 30-1 |



THE GODOLPHIN TWO STEP

Godolphin's boys in blue--**Two Step Salsa** (Petionville) and **Gayego** (Gilded Time)--appear to be the top two in the G2 Godolphin Mile. Both



Two Step Salsa
Dubai Racing Club

purchased privately last term, the duo got off to a good start in the desert, impressively annexing their respective preps. The versatile Two Step Salsa, winner of last term's GIII Lazaro Barrera Memorial S. and GIII Affirmed H., concluded his campaign for Julio Canani with a game third in the Breeders' Cup Dirt Mile Oct. 25. Subsequently trans-

ferred to Saeed bin Suroor, the dark bay quickened smartly in deep stretch to annex the about six-furlong Etisalat Wasel Trophy by 3 1/2 lengths Feb. 20. Gayego, hero of the 2008 GII Arkansas Derby, closed out his tenure under conditioner Paulo Lobo with a two-length decision in an \$80,000 optional claimer at Hollywood Nov. 30. He successfully prepped for this with a win in the G3 Mahab Al Shimaal Mar. 5.

The Time Tiz Now...

Zabeel Racing's **Tiz Now Tiz Then** (Tiznow) cuts back to his preferred distance following a well-beaten ninth in Round 3 of the G2 Maktoum Challenge Mar. 5. Last season's Iowa Derby winner and GII Jim Dandy S. third-place finisher placed a decent second at this distance behind **Dijeerr** (Danzig) in the Al Dana Investment Plate Feb. 19. **Cat Junior** (Storm Cat), last seen placing second in the G2 Challenge S. at Newmarket in October, makes his dirt bow. "He's a very progressive horse, who's improving all the time," trainer Brian Meehan offered. "He came through a stalls session this morning with no problems and he's really pleased us since he's been here. He's got to have a great chance."



Gayego
Dubai Racing Club

Did You Know? Godolphin has won four renewals of their namesake Mile--with Firebreak (GB) in 2003-04, Festival of Light in 2001 and Allied Forces in 1998.

Saturday, Nad al Sheba, Dubai, post time: 9:40 a.m.
GODOLPHIN MILE S.-G2, \$1,000,000, NH/SH4yo/up, 1600m

| PP | HORSE | OWNER | BREEDER | TRAINER/JOCKEY | ODDS |
|----|---|--|------------------------|-----------------------|------|
| 1 | Cat Junior <i>(c, 4, Storm Cat--Luna Wells {Ire}, by Sadler's Wells)</i> | Roldvale Ltd & Gold Property Inv | March Thoroughbreds | Meehan Spencer | 6-1 |
| 2 | Don Renato (Chi) <i>(h, 5, Edgy Diplomat--Tabla Redonda {Chi}, by Braka)</i> | Prince Sultan Mohd Saud al Kabeer | Haras San Patricio | Barton Ramos | 20-1 |
| 3 | Summer Doldrums <i>(h, 5, Street Cry {Ire}--Dance for Dixie, by Unaccounted For)</i> | Sh Hamdan bin Rashid al Maktoum | Gentry Stable | Watson Garcia | 12-1 |
| 4 | Two Step Salsa <i>(c, 4, Petionville--Two to Waltz, by Seattle Slew)</i> | Godolphin | Everest Stables Inc | bin Suroor Dettori | 3-1 |
| 5 | Green Coast (Ire) <i>(h, 6, Green Desert--Oriental Fashion {Ire}, by Marju {Ire})</i> | Mohsin Al Tajir | Hadi Al Tajir | Watson Jara | 10-1 |
| 6 | Kalahari Gold (Ire) <i>(c, 3, Mineshaft--Joop, by Zilzal)</i> | Sh Hamdan bin Rashid al Maktoum | M McGinn/J Waldron | Watson R Hills | 8-1 |
| 7 | Al Morhij (KSA) <i>(h, 5, Race Leader--Sweet Honey, by Pine Bluff)</i> | King Abdullah bin A/Aziz Sons | Asem Jarallah Almoqhem | Resaque R Moore | 30-1 |
| 8 | Tiz Now Tiz Then <i>(c, 4, Tiznow--Trepidation, by Seeking the Gold)</i> | Zabeel Racing International Corp. | WinStar LLC | Seemar Prado | 15-1 |
| 9 | Brave Tin Soldier <i>(h, 5, Storm Cat--Bless, by Mr. Prospector)</i> | Heffernan/de Kock/Malherbe/McVeigh | ClassicStar | de Kock Lemaire | 15-1 |
| 10 | Art of War (SAf) <i>(g, 4, Kahal {GB}--Cariad {SAf}, by Northern Guest)</i> | Sh Mohd bin Khalifa al Maktoum/deKock | Summerhill Stud Ltd | de Kock Murtagh | 10-1 |
| 11 | Informed <i>(h, 5, Tiznow--Cajun Two Step, by Tabasco Cat)</i> | Sarno & Westside Rentals.com | Ernest C Frohboese | O'Neill Gryder | 6-1 |
| 12 | Lucky Find (SAf) <i>(g, 5, Rich Man's Gold--Little Erna {SAf}, by Ernani {Ire})</i> | Sh Ahmed bin Mohd bin Khalifa al Maktoum | Oldlands Stud | de Kock Shea | 10-1 |
| 13 | Gayego <i>(c, 4, Gilded Time--Devils Lake, by Lost Code)</i> | Godolphin | Hargus & Sandra Sexton | bin Suroor Durcan | 7-2 |
| 14 | Golden Arrow (Ire) <i>(h, 6, Danehill--Cheal Rose {Ire}, by Dr Devious {Ire})</i> | Sh Hamdan bin Mohd al Maktoum | Monica Hackett | Charpy O'Shea | 20-1 |
| 15 | Dijeerr <i>(c, 3, Honour and Glory--Morning Pleasure {Arg}, by Morning Bob)</i> | Sh Ahmed bin Rashid al Maktoum | Monticule | bin Shafya Ajtebi | 20-1 |

DERBY DOUBLE

Peintre Celebre sired the **Gr.1 Hong Kong Derby** winner for the second year running when hot favourite **COLLECTION** stormed home in last Sunday's Sha Tin Classic, twelve months after the success of **HELENE MASCOT**.



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Yesterday's Results:

2nd-GPX, \$41,000, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$75,000),
NW3\$X, 4yo/up, 1m, 1:35, ft.

1--**DR. PLEASURE, 124, h, 6, Thunder Gulch--Beautiful
Pleasure (Ch. Older Mare, MGISW, \$2,734,078),
by Maudlin.** O/B-John C Oxley (KY); T-John T Ward,
Jr. Lifetime Record: GISP, 19-4-4-4, \$381,098.

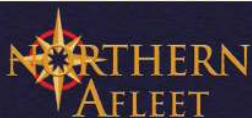
2--**Spin Master, 122, r, 5, Distorted Humor--S. S.
Miracle, by Seattle Slew.** (\$205,000 yrl '05 KEESEP;
\$500,000 2yo '06 FTFEB).

3--**Power Game, 122, c, 4, Dixie Union--Miner's Game,
by Mr. Prospector.**

Margins: 1, 2 1/4, 5HF. Odds: 1.80, 4.80, 3.40.

Dr. Pleasure, third in the 2006 GI Travers S., aired by
8 1/4 lengths in a Saratoga optional claimer Aug. 10,
then was a well-beaten fourth in the MassCap
Sept. 20. Shut down for 2008 after clipping heels and
falling in the GIII Fayette S. at Keeneland Oct. 25, the
bay came back to score by 1 3/4 lengths after stalking
the pace in a 1 1/8-mile Gulfstream optional claimer
Feb. 4. The six-year-old showed good speed once again
here and wore down pacesetter Spin Master (Distorted
Humor) to prevail under a drive. [Video, sponsored by
Taylor Made.](#)

TODAY'S VIDEO HIGHLIGHTS



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\$6,750 LF due 11/1
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NORTHERN AFLEET IS HEADING NORTH IN 2009

In 2009, Dubai Golden Shaheen (G1) starter **BIG CITY MAN**, a Multiple
Stakes winner at two, has won the \$200,000 Al Shindagha Sprint (G3)
and run second in the \$200,000 Mahab Al Shimaal Stakes (G3).

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[Missy's Mirage S. \(8th-Aqu\)](#) By the Light (Malibu
Moon) gets her eighth stakes victory.

[1st-FG \(Alw\)](#) Maltese Dog (War Chant) shows his
teeth.

[2nd-SA \(Alw/Opt. Clm\)](#) Quindici Man (Came Home)
upsets Zensational (Unbridled's Song).

[7th-GP \(Msw\)](#) Dwelling Place (Forest Camp) rallies
three wide.

**7th-GPX, \$35,000, Msw, 3yo, f, 1mT, 1:37 1/5, fm.
DWELLING PLACE (f, 3, Forest Camp--Randy Cat {Arg}
{MG1SW-Arg}, by Roy)** made just one appearance at
two, finishing an even fifth going six panels on the dirt
at Delaware Oct. 18. The Lael homebred put in a nice
breeze on the Palm Meadows lawn Mar. 16 and was
deemed the 5-1 third choice while making her turf bow
in this competitive affair. The bay worked out a ground-
saving trip after breaking from post two, but came off
the rail on the far turn to launch a three-wide move.
She set her sights on pacesetter Durloros (During),
drew even in midstretch and pulled away late to gradu-
ate by 2 1/4-lengths. Averymerrymoment (Ditorted
Humor) nipped Durloros for second, while 3-1 favorite
Arbeka (Mr. Greeley), last early, clipped heels in the
lane before finishing eighth. Rushin Empire (Empire
Maker), a debuting half-sister to MGISW Behrens (Pleas-
ant Colony), was eased after bolting on the first turn.
Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$22,080. [Video, sponsored
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O-Lael Stables. B-Mr & Mrs M Roy Jackson (KY).
T-Barclay Tagg.

★ **NEW YORK** ★

**MISSY'S MIRAGE S., \$64,950, AQU, 3-27, 4yo/up,
f/m, 6f, 1:12, ft.**

1--**BY THE LIGHT, 122, f, 4, Malibu Moon--Dixie
Tempo, by Major Impact.** (\$120,000 yrl '06 KEEJAN;
\$190,000 yrl '06 FTMOCT). O-Jay Em Ess Stable;
B-Paul Rothfuss (NY); T-Richard E Dutrow Jr;
J-Richard Migliore; \$39,750. Lifetime Record: GISP,
14-9-3-0, \$815,735.

2--**Moonshine Alice, 118, f, 4, Straight Man--Glowlamp,
by Pentelicus.** O-Luis Lazzinnaro & Diamond Pride
LLC. \$13,250.

3--**Are We Dreamin, 122, m, 5, Yes It's True--Higher
Earnings, by Corporate Report.** (\$60,000 yrl '05
OBSAUG; \$65,000 2yo '06 OBSAPR). O-CP Racing
Stables & Randi Persaud. \$6,638.

Margins: 1HF, 5, NK. Odds: 1.30, 2.75, 14.30.

By the Light, a distant second to G1 Dubai Golden
Shaheen favorite Indian Blessing (Indian Charlie) in the
2008 GI Prioress S., was all out to win the restricted
Soft Morning S. at six panels over the inner track
Jan. 11 by a length, then tired to fourth after dictating
the tempo in the GII Barbara Fritchie H. Feb. 14. Forced
to come off the pace here after ducking out at the
start, the bay made a four-wide challenge at the top of
the stretch and gradually pulled away to earn her eighth
career stakes victory.

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New York report cont.

6th-AQU, \$46,000, Alw, NW1X, 4yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:41 3/5, ft.

MY DINAH (f, 4, Victory Gallop--So Long Dearie, by D'Accord), a half to Them There Eyes (Holy Bull), MSW, \$270,267, hadn't won since taking a state-bred Belmont allowance by six lengths back in June. The chestnut pressed the eventual winner of an allowance over this track and trip last out Mar. 5, but couldn't keep up in the stretch and was defeated by six lengths. After shadowing the early leader through soft fractions of :25.42 and :50.48 here, the 4-1 fourth choice took over at the quarter pole and held safely from longshot Wyatt's Woman (Eltish) to score by a half-length. Lifetime Record: MSP, 19-4-4-3, \$199,885. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O-Akindale Farm. B-John Hettinger (NY). T-Kathleen M Feron.

★ CENTRAL ★

Yesterday's Results:

1st-FGX, \$44,000, Alw, NW1X, 4yo/up, 1m40y, 1:40 4/5, sy.

MALTESE DOG (c, 4, War Chant--Seeking Triones, by Seeking the Gold) overcame a wide trip to take his debut by 1 3/4 lengths when traveling a mile at the Fair Grounds in February 2008, but needed a year to make his second start. Returning over the same course and distance Feb. 24, the homebred settled in seventh after brushing the gate at the start and rallied in the lane to check in second by 3 1/2 lengths. The 11-10 favorite used new tactics here, clearing by a length on the lead and digging deep to deny the determined rally of Sinister (Repent) to hold on by a neck. Lifetime Record: 3-2-1-0, \$58,600. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#) O-Mrs Yoshio Fujita. B-Yoshio Fujita (KY). T-Carl Bowman.

8th-OPX, \$37,000, Opt. Clm. (\$62,500), NW1X, 3yo, 1 1/16m, 1:44 4/5, ft.

GOOD SERMON (c, 3, Honour and Glory--Sermon, by Pulpit) was rewarded for his persistence in his last outing, leading every step of the way to break his maiden by 2 3/4 lengths as the 3-10 favorite in his ninth career start. Off at 3-1 to boost his batting average to .200, the bay rated in second, took over on the far turn and was kept at a drive to win by 2 1/4 lengths over Falling Knife (Cozzene). Hamazing Destiny (Salt Lake) raced evenly to finish a non-threatening third. A \$95,000 KEESEP yearling, the winner is a half to Clearly Foxy (Volponi), GSW & G1SP, \$240,266. Lifetime Record: 10-2-2-1, \$65,346. O-Patricia B Blass. B-Hopewell Investments LLC (KY). T-William H Fires.



TODAY'S INSIGHTS

3:11p HRTV 5th-GPX, \$42K, Msw, 3yo, 1m NICANOR (Dynaformer), a full to the late 2006 GI Kentucky Derby winner Barbaro, reported home 10th in his Jan. 31 unveiling after grabbing a quarter at the start. The bay set the pace in his return Mar. 7 before yielding to GII Swale S. entrant Custom For Carlos (More Than Ready) in the stretch. The Lael Stables homebred dug in, however, and was gaining slightly late to finish second by a length. **Big Top (Giant's Causeway)**, a \$1.05-million KEESEP purchase, exits the same race as the aforementioned 9-5 morning-line favorite. The half to GISW Whywhywhy (Mr. Greeley) and MGSW Spellbinder (Tale of the Cat) moved to take second on the far turn, but faltered to ninth in that debut. [brisnet.com pps](#)

3:41p HRTV 6th-GPX, \$44K, Alw, 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT JUSTENUFFHUMOR (Distorted Humor), kin to champion Dreaming of Anna (Rahy) and MGSW Lewis Michael (Rahy), was ninth over Keeneland's Polytrack in his first start, but came back to score by 1 1/2 lengths when stretched out and moved to turf Jan. 14 at Gulfstream. The \$550,000 KEESEP yearling will test winners for the first time here in his third start. The colt had been entered in a similar spot last Saturday, but was scratched when it was switched to the main track. [brisnet.com pps](#)

5:34p HRTV 5th-SAX, \$45K, Msw, 3yo, f, 7f (AWT) DIAMOND TAGS (Seeking the Gold), a \$500,000 KEESEP acquisition, overcame a troubled break to close for third at Del Mar Aug. 10 in her lone start. The Bob Baffert protege sports a brisk 1:13 1/5 move over the Santa Anita main track Mar. 23 in preparation for her return. [brisnet.com pps](#)

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STAKES CLOSINGS

TODAY, SATURDAY, MARCH 28:

TRIPLE CROWN NOMINATIONS (6000s)

05-02 \$2,000,000 *Kentucky Derby-I, CD, 3yo, 10f*

05-16 \$1,000,000 *Preakness-I, Pim, 3yo, 9.5f*

06-06 \$1,000,000 *Belmont-I, Bel, 3yo, 12f*

04-10 \$150,000 *Count Fleet Sprint H.-III, OP, 3yo/up, 6f, (100)*

04-11 \$150,000 *Comely-II, Aqu, 3yo, f, 8f (150)*

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Central report cont.

9th-OPX, \$37,000, Alw, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:39 3/5, ft.

TURTLEDOVE (f, 3, Strong Hope--Long Silence, by Alleged), a half to Dake (Gulch), MSW, \$168,948, faded to fifth when routing at Oaklawn in her Jan. 30 debut, but returned to earn her diploma by two lengths in the slop at the Hot Springs oval Mar. 12. Backed at 3-1 to repeat here, the homebred saved ground while stalking the pace, then closed along the rail to gradually pull away to a 1 1/4-length success over longshot Lucky Approval (With Approval). Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, \$44,560.

O/B-Shortleaf Stable (KY). T-D Wayne Lukas.

7th-HAW, \$33,720, Opt. Clm. (\$50,000-\$40,000), NW3X, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10 2/5, ft.

HURTA (g, 6, Silver Deputy--Ms. Mostly {GSW, \$276,525}, by Copelan), a \$350,000 KEENOV weaning, was claimed for \$10,000 in his debut and needed six starts to break his maiden. He did so in style, however, airing by 8 3/4 lengths in a maiden special weight at Hawthorne Nov. 14 in his first start on dirt. The gelding has been impossible to catch since that switch from turf. The bay set slow fractions to take an allowance at the Stickney oval by 8 1/2 lengths Nov. 29, then used similar tactics to prevail by 10 1/4 lengths in a conditions event over the same course Jan. 4. Hurta went to the bench with the end of the Chicago racing season and went off at 6-1 on the cutback here in his return. After racing in midpack early, the former claimer scooted clear in the stretch to air by five lengths over Foxie's Boy (Evansville Slew). Lifetime Record: 9-4-1-2, \$73,440.

O-Louis Clarizio III. B-Craig L Wheeler (FL). T-Thomas F Tomillo.

• ON THE WORKTAB •

KEENELAND

Bear Now (Tiznow), 4f, :48.00, 3/27

Kodiak Kowboy (Posse), 5f, 1:02.60, 10/21

OAKLAWN PARK

Greeley's Conquest (Mr. Greeley), 3f, :36.20, 3/10

Win Willy (Monarchos), 4f, :48.40, 4/25

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Thursday's Night's Result:

5th-DED, \$29,270, Msw, 3yo, f, 5f, 1:00 1/5, my.
 + **MISSED SHOT (f, 3, [Red Bullet](#)--A Little Bit Valid (MSP-PR), by Valid Appeal)**, a \$2,000 KEESEP yearling, was dismissed at 13-1 here in her debut. The bay was part of a three-way scramble for lead and outgamed the odds-on pacesetter Vickie's Ready (More Than Ready) to get up by a head. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$17,400.
 O-William B Gilmore. B-MR Stables & Lee Byrne (FL).
 T-John Charles Gelner.

Unbridled Express Second in Return:

Five-year-old **Unbridled Express** (Unbridled's Song), who was sidelined after finishing third in the 2006 GI Hopeful S. at Saratoga, made his return in the second race at Oaklawn Park Thursday. Sent off the even-money choice despite the 30-plus month layoff, the grey pressed the pace while tucked in at the rail through a half in :45.66. He lost a bit of ground on the far turn, but angled outside, finished with determination and just missed, losing the bob by a head to 6-1 Saada (Thunder Gulch) ([video](#)). Owned and bred by Conway, Hillerich Racing and trainer Bernie Flint, Unbridled Express now sports a record of 4-1-1-2 and earnings of \$68,700. "He came back fine," said Flint. "He just ran out of ground." The conditioner indicated that the five-year-old would probably come back in a race at Churchill Downs.

★ SO. CALIFORNIA ★

Saturday, Santa Anita, post time: 5:03 p.m. EDT
SAN MIGUEL S., \$70,000, 3yo, 6f (AWT)

| PP | HORSE | SIRE | TRAINER | WT |
|----|-----------------------|------------------------|---------|-----|
| 1 | Triumphant Flight | Chullo (Arg) | Kruljac | 122 |
| 2 | Flashmans Papers (GB) | Exceed and Excel (Aus) | O'Neill | 122 |
| 3 | Turk | Vindication | Baffert | 117 |
| 4 | Gotmymojo | Gimmeawink | Sadler | 117 |
| 5 | Reynaldothewizard | Speightstown | Harty | 117 |
| 6 | Charlie's Moment | Indian Charlie | W Solis | 119 |

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Yesterday's Results:

7th-SAX, \$50,416, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000), NW1X, 4yo/up, f/m, 6f (AWT), 1:10 2/5, ft.
FREE FLYING SOUL (f, 4, [Quiet American](#)--Ruby Surprise {MGSW, \$752,697}, by Farma Way), an \$85,000 FTKOCT yearling and \$125,000 BESMAY juvenile, didn't do much in her debut May 24 at Hollywood, finishing seventh, and was subsequently sidelined. The bay ran a huge race off the layoff, dueling her way clear to a one-length victory at Santa Anita Mar. 12, and was 3-1 to make it two straight. Placed in second through a half mile in :46.21, she rallied in the stretch to nose out the pacesetter Ever So Pretty (Stormy Atlantic). Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, \$56,200. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)
 O-Marsha Naify. B-James Temple Hines Jr (KY).
 T-Bruce Headley.

2nd-SAX, \$51,896, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$80,000), NW1X, 3yo, 1m (AWT), 1:38 4/5, ft.
QUINDICI MAN (c, 3, Came Home--Humble, by Valiant Nature) upended ☼ **"TDN Rising Star"** ☼ Zensational (Unbridled's Song) at odds of 15-1. A \$12,000 KEESEP yearling, the iron grey began his career in New Mexico for trainer Henry Dominguez, finishing second in both the Dale Wood S. at Ruidoso Sept. 1 and the A.C. Kemp S. at Albuquerque Sept. 28. He ran fourth for a \$32,000 tag in his second try for Craig Lewis Dec. 18 at Hollywood and made his next three starts in starter allowance company at Golden Gate, getting his picture taken last out Feb. 26. Zensational, bet down to 1-5 in this four-horse affair, came out of the gate as though his tail was on fire, and didn't corner all that well on the first turn. Jockey Garrett Gomez did his best to encourage the colt to come back to him on the backstretch, but Zensational had his head up and mouth open as he reeled off splits of :22.37, :44.92 and 1:09.87. He finally began to shorten stride approaching the stretch and Quindici Man, more than 20 lengths behind at the half-mile pole, closed inexorably on the favorite en route to a 1 1/2-length success. [Click for the brisnet.com chart. Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#) Lifetime Record: MSP, 9-3-3-1, \$76,580.
 O-G R D Two. B-NATO (KY). T-Craig Anthony Lewis.

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4th-SAX, \$45,800, Msw, 4yo/up, a6 1/2fT, 1:11 4/5, fm. FIGEAC (g, 5, Elusive Quality--Outlasting {GSP}, by Seattle Slew), claimed for \$25,000 in his debut, improved last out Feb. 27 when competing over the downhill turf course for the first time. The half to Fortitude (Cure the Blues), GSW, \$426,652, set the pace and battled gamely after being passed to check in second, beaten less than a length. After dueling with Hiya Silver (Silver Charm) here, the 6-5 favorite appeared to be in trouble in the stretch, but rallied to edge that foe by 3/4 of a length. Lifetime Record: 6-1-3-0, \$46,600.

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O-Chad Aldawood. B-Jon & Sarah Kelly (KY). T-Rafael A Martinez.



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

BIRDSTONE (Grindstone), Gainesway, \$10K, 114/18/4
5-GP, Msw, 1m, +Birdrun, \$60K KEE SEP yrl, 5-1
BLACK MAMBO (Kingmambo), Bridlewood, \$5K, 121/15/0
7-SA, Msw, 1 1/8mT, Black Magic Mama, \$70K OBS FEB 2yo
CANDY RIDE (ARG) (Ride the Rails), Hill 'n' Dale, \$10K, 215/29/4
5-AQU, Msw, 6f, Snipe, 5-1
CHAMPALI (Glitterman), Glencrest, \$8K, 116/11/0
5-GP, Msw, 1m, Glittermans Cartel, \$40K FTK OCT yrl, 6-1
CONGAREE (Arazi), Adena Springs KY, \$15K, 142/26/3
1-GP, Msw, 6f, Bear Onamission, \$225K KEE SEP yrl, 5-1
6-OP, Msw, 5 1/2f, Rue Du Bois
CUVEE (Carson City), Gainesway, \$10K, 208/27/2
1-GP, Msw, 6f, Foxy Andre, \$18K ESM AY 2yo, 20-1
3-GG, Msw, 2f, +Cuvee Direct, \$14K KEE NOV wnl
GARNERED (Holy Bull), Naylee, \$3K, 33/2/0
9-CT, Msw, 7f, Quackgoestheducky, 8-1
9-CT, Msw, 7f, Rare Garnet, 3-1
GIMMEAWINK (Elusive Quality), Hidden Point, \$5K, 108/17/0
4-SA, Stk, 6f, Gotmymojoworkin, \$160K BAR MAY 2yo, 7-2
10-GP, Stk, 1 1/8m, Casey's On Call, 15-1
LION HEART (Tale of the Cat), Ashford, \$30K, 288/46/5
9-GP, Stk, 7f, Brave Victory, \$490K FTF FEB 2yo, 4-1
6-HAW, Msw, 6f, Nala's Pride, \$95K KEE SEP yrl, 7-2
MEDAGLIA D'ORO (El Prado {Ire}), Stonewall, \$35K, 251/33/5
7-SA, Msw, 1 1/8mT, Atalanta Velox, \$70K OBS JUN 2yo
MISTER PHONE (ARG) (Speakerphone), Murty, \$3K, 17/0/0
7-MNR, Msw, 5 1/2f, Boomtown Boomer, 15-1
OMEGA CODE (Elusive Quality), Hartley, 175/26/1
6-OP, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Green Glory, \$18K OBS OCT wnl

PEACE RULES (Jules), Vinery, \$15K, 187/33/2
8-AQU, Alw, 6f, Missy Loves Mambo, \$90K OBS MAR 2yo, 8-1
PERFECT SOUL (IRE) (Sadler's Wells), Darby Dan, \$15K, 158/7/0
1-GP, Msw, 6f, Carcillo, 8-1
10-FG, Msw, 5 1/2fT, +Flo Wells, \$70K KEE SEP yrl, 12-1
QUINTON'S GOLD (Carson City), Doubletree, \$3K, 14/3/1
9-SUN, Msw, 5 1/2f, Gerdys Gold, \$300 RUI YRL yrl, 6-1
ROARING FEVER (Storm Cat), Questroyal, \$5K, 100/10/1
7-TAM, Aoc, 5fT, My Reflection, 8-1
SAARLAND (Unbridled), Darby Dan, \$10K, 148/13/1
7-TAM, Aoc, 5fT, River Saar, \$4K OBS JUN 2yo, 30-1
4-TAM, Msw, 1m, Kelode, \$80K KEE SEP yrl, 3-1
SAWGRASS (Storm Bird), Diamond Lazy C, \$1k, 5/0/0
10-FG, Msw, 5 1/2fT, +Painted Passion, 20-1
SCRIMSHAW (Gulch), Millennium, \$7K, 94/17/1
12-GP, Msw, 1m, Audeamus, \$4K EAS DEC wnl, 5-2
SEATTLE FITZ (ARG) (Fitzcarraldo {Arg}), Buck Pond, \$7K, 68/7/1
6-HAW, Msw, 6f, Duchess Eowyn, \$14K FTK OCT yrl, 12-1
SIR CHEROKEE (Cherokee Run), Crestwood, \$8K, 55/6/1
6-OP, Msw, 5 1/2f, Ten Lil Indians
SMARTY JONES (Elusive Quality), Three Chimneys, \$100K, 161/14/1
10-FG, Msw, 5 1/2fT, Smarty Marty, \$85K KEE SEP yrl, 8-1
SPANISH STEPS (Unbridled), Martin Stables, \$5K, 103/12/0
10-FG, Msw, 5 1/2fT, Rock 'n' Roll Gal, \$155K OBS FEB 2yo, 6-1
7-FG, Stk, 1 1/16m, Plea, \$170K KEE SEP yrl, 9-2
SPEIGHTSTOWN (Gone West), WinStar, \$40K, 195/29/4
6-OP, Msw, 5 1/2f, Miss Mary K, \$320K KEE APR 2yo
4-SA, Stk, 6f, Reynalothewizard, \$775K FTF FEB 2yo, 5-1
1-GP, Msw, 6f, Just Ben, \$230K KEE SEP yrl, 4-1
STRONG HOPE (Grand Slam), Claiborne, \$30K, 176/12/0
5-SA, Msw, 7f, Idontbelievemyeyes, \$280K KEE SEP yrl, 30-1
TAPIT (Pulpit), Gainesway, \$15K, 171/32/4
2-GP, Alw, 1m, Endymion, \$195K KEE APR 2yo, 6-1
10-FG, Msw, 5 1/2fT, Grey Harbor, \$25K KEE SEP yrl, 12-1
5-AQU, Msw, 6f, Big Grey, \$46K ESM AY 2yo, 7-2
TENPINS (Smart Strike), Walmac, \$7K, 126/17/2
7-BEU, Stk, 6f, High Pin, \$8K FTK OCT yrl, 3-1
THE CLIFF'S EDGE (Gulch), Vinery, \$2K, 125/18/1
5-SA, Msw, 7f, Ruby Lane, \$45K KEE NOV wnl, 15-1
TOCCET (Awesome Again), Castleton Lyons, \$15K, 157/25/0
5-AQU, Msw, 6f, +Jimmy Vegas, \$45K NEW OCT wnl, 5-2
5-SA, Msw, 7f, Hard Kisses, \$210K OBS APR 2yo, 3-1
TROPICAL STORM (Storm Cat), Walmac, \$5K, 42/1/0
6-OP, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Foxy Cat
VRONSKY (Danzig), Old English, 29/1/0
3-GG, Msw, 2f, +Excessive Passion, \$25K NCA SEP yrl

• ON THE WORKTAB •

AQUEDUCT

Seattle Smooth (Quiet American), 5f, 1:03.89, 2/4

CALDER

Bee Cee Cee (Songandaprayer), 5f, 1:01.80, 3/15

PALM MEADOWS

Backseat Rhythm (El Corredor), 4fT, :47.80, 7/12
Discreet Treasure (El Prado {Ire}), 5f, 1:03.45, 16/21
Old Man Buck (Hold That Tiger), 5f, 1:01.40, 1/21
Royal Ballade (Elusive Quality), 5f, 1:04.60, 21/21

SANTA ANITA

Northern Soldier (Yankee Victor), :48.60, 17/38



★ AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS ★

IN BRITAIN:

Servoca, c, 3, **El Prado (Ire)**. See "Breeders' Edition, Europe."

Blockley, g, 5, **Johannesburg**--Saintly Manner, by St. Jovite. Wolverhampton, 3-27, Hcp, 4yo/up, 13f 194yds (AWT). B-Payson Stud Inc. *\$37,000 yrl '05 KEESEP.

Flores Sea, g, 5, **Luhuk**--Perceptive, by Capote. Southwell, 3-27, Hcp, 4yo/up, 7f (AWT). B-Beckie McLay-Irons. *\$5,000 yrl '05 KEESEP.

IN PERU:

+ **Glinka**, f, 3, **Devil His Due**--Valid Fixation, by Valid Appeal. Hipodromo de Monterrico, 3-26, Mdn, 1000m, :57.60. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, S4,700. O-Stud Santa Maria; B-Tony Feng & Norman Cheng (KY); T-Francisco Arriagada. *\$14,000 yrl '07 KEESEP.



★ FRANCE ★

Yesterday's Results:

Le Croise-Laroche, 13.50, Cond, €24,000, 3yo, 1 1/8mT, 2:02.30, vsf.

MELISOS (IRE) (c, 3, **Galileo {Ire}**--Diotima {GB} {MSP-Fr}, by High Estate {Ire}), third when upped in trip on his three-year-old bow at Saint-Cloud last time Mar. 14, started as the 5-6 favorite and stalked the early pace before taking over at the top of the stretch. Holding the challenge of Certainement (Fr) (Kingsalsa {Fr}) late on, the homebred recorded a 1 1/2-length success. Lifetime Record: 5 starts, 1 win, 3 places, €20,600. O-Leonidas Marinopoulos; B-Stilvi Compania Financiera SA; T-Carlos Laffon-Parias.

Le Croise-Laroche, 14.20, Mdn, €21,000, 3yo, 5 1/2fT, 1:09.10, vsf.

ATTACHES MOI (FR) (f, 3, **Fasliyev--Mainmise**, by Septieme Ciel), fifth in the debutantes event won by Celebra (Fr) on Monday, was sent off at 12-1. She was patiently ridden early and, after arriving with a flourish to lead with 100 yards remaining, the €40,000 DEAAUG yearling asserted to best Kali Perfect (Fr) (Adieu {Ger}) by two lengths. Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 1 win, 1 place, €11,700.

O-SC Famille Vidal, Peter Scherrer, Robert Collet, Micheline Vidal & Ecurie Vallin; B-Sunland Holdings; T-Robert Collet.

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ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

7th-FGX, \$46,000, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000), NW2X, 4yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f (off turf), 1:05, sy.

NADESHIKO (f, 4, Honour and Glory--Call Her {SW}, by Caller I. D.) Lifetime Record: 13-3-2-3, \$111,014. O-Larry Richardson. B-Glencrest Farm LLC (KY). T-Gregory D Foley. *Full to Battle Won, GSW & MG1SP, \$864,616; and 1/2 to Matched (Smart Strike), SP, \$211,898.

7th-AQU, \$45,000, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), NW2X, (S), 4yo/up, 6f, 1:10 4/5, ft.

JANUARY GENT (g, 4, Wiseman's Ferry--January Angel, by Carson City) Lifetime Record: 5-3-2-0, \$97,000. O-IEAH Stables & Jack Mandato. B-Lois Engel (NY). T-Richard E Dutrow Jr. *\$12,000 yrl '06 FTMOCT; \$32,000 2yo '07 OBSAPR.

8th-DED, \$34,330, 3-26, Opt. Clm. (\$20,000), NW2X, 4yo/up, 1m, 1:39 4/5, my.

FOREOWONK DOG (g, 5, Count the Time--Sycamore Shoals {MSP}, by Ancestral {Ire}) Lifetime Record: 22-4-2-4, \$85,320. O-Frankie G Davis. B-Sandra D Clark & Dr Janet C Tucker (KY). T-Rennie McKnight. *\$5,000 yrl '05 FTKOCT. **1/2 to Papa's Bull (Major Impact), Ch. Imp. 2yo Colt & Ch. Miler-Pan, MSW-Pan.

2nd-GGX, \$32,520, Opt. Clm. (\$32,000), NW1X, 3yo, f, 1m (AWT), 1:38 4/5, ft.

POINT OF REFERENCE (f, 3, Benchmark--It's Stevie's Time, by Quiet American) Lifetime Record: MSP, 7-3-1-2, \$72,168. O/B-Ivor & Jack Jones (WA). T-Frank Lucarelli.

8th-LRL, \$32,000, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000-\$20,000), NW2X, 4yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10 1/5, ft.

MY PREFERRED (m, 6, Dawn Quixote--Velvet Prospect, by Northern Prospect) Lifetime Record: 47-11-11-2, \$200,755. O-Florence Patitucci. B-Ideas Medical (FL). T-Maria Virginia Pascual.

4th-HAW, \$28,000, Alw, NW1X, (S), 3yo, 6f, 1:11 2/5, ft.

WILL'S HONEY (g, 3, Bernstein--Tejano Honey {MSW, \$271,785}, by Tejano Run) Lifetime Record: 5-2-2-1, \$48,140. O/B-Tom Dorris & KAMM (IL). T-Tom Dorris.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Carry the Loan, g, 3, **Banderas--Wisenchips**, by Solar City. DED, 3-26, (S), 1m, 1:42 3/5. B-Galen Huddleston (LA).

Entabeni, f, 3, **Gilded Time--Millbrae** (SP, \$200,750), by Fast Play. SAX, 3-27, (C), 6f (AWT), 1:12 1/5. B-Keith Abrahams (KY).

+ **Arabian Peace**, c, 3, **Peace Rules--Memory Rock**, by Sheikh Albadou (GB). GPX, 3-27, (C), 1 1/16mT, 1:42. B-Lucas Farm Inc (FL). *\$35,000 yrl '07 KESEEP.

Black Cross, g, 3, **Storm Day--Unfounded Luck**, by Unbridled's Song. OPX, 3-27, (C), 6f, 1:11 3/5. B-Shesta Loraine Richmond (LA). *\$10,000 2yo '08 TEXMAR.

Shesabopper, f, 4, **Bop--Minimum Effort**, by Sir Ivor Again. CTX, 3-26, (S), 6 1/2f, 1:21 4/5. B-Tommy Lee Jones (WV).

Our Big Wally, c, 4, **Majesty's Time--Reason to Peep**, by Turn to Reason. LRL, 3-27, 5 1/2fT, 1:04 3/5. B-Mary Jo Anne Hughes (MD).

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IN CHILE:

Quiere Volar (Chi), c, 3, **Muqtarib--Quiet Call**, by Quiet American. Hipodromo Chile, 3-26, Hcp., 1000m. O-Stud Doña Sofja. B-Haras Porta Pja. T-Ricardo Rojas.

Aviator (Chi), c, 4, **Doneraile Court--Tallahassee**, by Thornton Hill. Hipodromo Chile, 3-26, Hcp., 1600m. O/B-Haras Sumaya. T-Marco Pavez.

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IN ARGENTINA:

Gentilly (Arg), f, 2, **Indygo Shiner**--Lisieux (Arg), by Southern Halo. La Plata, 3-26, Mdn, 5f, :59.22. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-1; O-Stud Capricornio; B-Haras La Quebrada; T-Edmundo Rodriguez.

Evident (Arg), h, 5, **Acceptable**--Evidence (GSW-Arg), by Liloy (Fr). Palermo, 3-20, Mdn, 7f, 1:24.70. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0; O-Stud El Mono; B-Haras Abolengo; T-Miguel Diaz. *1/2 to Evidencia (Arg) (Propicio {Arg}, G1SW-Arg; Evidence (Farnesio (Arg), GSW-Arg.

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ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Dreams Forever (Ire), g, 3, **Bachelor Duke**--Lidanna (GB) (MGSW-Ire, \$103,306), by Nicholas. Dundalk, Ireland, 3-27, Mdn, 3yo, 7f (AWT). B-Ballylinch Stud. *100,000gns yrl '07 TATOCT.

Gras de Rost (Ity), c, 3, **Colossus (Ire)**--Adya (Fr), by Sillery. Pisa, Italy, 3-26, Mdn, 3yo, 6fT. B-Gianluca Boesso.

Fin Vin de Leu (Ger), g, 3, **Dr Fong**--Fairy Queen (Ire) (GSW-Fr & Eng, \$247,718), by Fairy King. Southwell, Britain, 3-27, Mdn, 3yo, 1 1/2m (AWT). B-Newsells Park Stud Ltd. *32,000gns yrl '07 TATOCT; 20,000gns 2yo '08 TATAPR.

Servoca, c, 3, **El Prado (Ire)**--Cinderellaslipper, by Touch Gold. Wolverhampton, Britain, 3-27, Mdn, 3yo/up, 5f 216yds (AWT). B-Dermot Carty. *\$125,000 wnlg '06 KEENOV; €130,000 yrl '07 GOFMIL.

Solid Air (GB), c, 4, **Linamix (Fr)**--Humouresque (GB) (GSW-Fr), by Pivotal (GB). Dundalk, Ireland, 3-27, Mdn, 4yo/up, 1m (AWT). B-Cheveley Park Stud Ltd. *37,000gns yrl '06 TATOCT.

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Foal born Feb. 15, a filly by Forestry.
Will be bred back to Forestry.
Owned by Aaron and Marie Jones.
Boarded at Taylor Made.
Accomplishments: GSW of \$347,135.

MARWOOD, 9, Marlin--Jadewood, by Jade Hunter
Foal born Feb. 15, a filly by More Than Ready.
Will be bred back to Street Boss.
Owned by Gulf Coast Farms.
Boarded at Taylor Made.
Accomplishments: MSW & MGSP, \$354,355.

QUITE A BRIDE, 6, Stormy Atlantic--Wise Bride, by Blushing Groom (Fr)
Foal born Feb. 15, a colt by Unbridled's Song.
Will be bred back to Dynaformer.
Owned by Haras Santa Maria de Araras.
Boarded at Taylor Made.
Accomplishments: MGSW of \$878,881.

STOP TRAFFIC, 16, Cure the Blues--Save My Soul, by l'ma Hell Raiser
Foal born Feb. 15, a colt by Unbridled's Song.
Will be bred back to Unbridled's Song.
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