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Lifetime Stakes Performance (see p12)

## ARMED AND DANGEROUS

Leave him alone on the lead at your peril. They conceded the early advantage to WinStar's **Well Armed** (Tiznow) in yesterday's G1 Dubai World Cup and paid the price. Ears pricked and looking relaxed, the handsome blaze-faced bay clicked off fractions of :25.29, :48.61, 1:12.58 and 1:36.27, then sprinted away from the field. Jockey Aaron Gryder waved the whip at him a few times inside the eighth pole, looked under his arm and put it away; in the final yards, Gryder was merely a pas-



Andrew Watkins Photo

senger, petting Well Armed's neck as they cruised to a record-setting, 14-length triumph in what will be the last-ever race at Nad Al Sheba. It was a marked improvement from the gelding's third-place finish behind Curlin last year. "I was able to control the race, which I couldn't do last year," Gryder said. "He's such a good horse, I can drop the reins and he wastes no energy. He showed his class this year." **Cont. p2**

## Saturday, Nad al Sheba, Dubai

**DUBAI WORLD CUP** Sponsored by Emirates Airline-G1, \$6,000,000, NAD, 3-28, 4yo/up, 2000m, 2:01.01, ft. 1--**WELL ARMED**, 126, g, 6, by **Tiznow**

1st Dam: **Well Dressed** (SW, \$103,961), by **Notebook**

2nd Dam: **Trithenia**, by **Gold Meridian**

3rd Dam: **Tri Argo**, by **Tri Jet**

O/B-WinStar Farm LLC (KY); T-Eoin Harty; J-A Gryder; \$3,600,000. Lifetime Record: GISW-US, 23-7-4-1, \$5,179,803. \*1/2 to Helsinki (Distorted Humor), GISP, \$207,269. **Werk Nick Rating: A. Click for the [eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree](#).**

2--**Gloria de Campeao** (Brz), 126, h, 6, Impression (Arg) --Audacity (Brz), by Clackson (Brz). O-Estrela Energia Stables; B-Haras Santarem (Brz); T-Pascal Bary; \$1,200,000.

3--**Paris Perfect** (SAf), 126, h, 5, Muhtafal--Candle Princess (Arg), by Honor Grades. O-Prince Faisal bin Khalid bin Abdulaziz; B-G Fabricius (SAf); T-Neil Bruss; \$600,000.

Margins: 14, 4HF, HF. Odds: 9-1, 64-1, 99-1. Also Ran: Muller (Arg), My Indy (Arg), Albertus Maximus, Snaafy, Casino Drive, Happy Boy (Brz), Muhannak (Ire), Arson Squad, Asiatic Boy (Arg), Joe Louis (Arg), Anak Nakal.

## QUALITY PREVAILS IN FLORIDA DERBY

Jockey John Velazquez and his agent Angel Cordero had a difficult decision to make last week. Hop a flight to the Middle East to ride Indian Blessing in the G1 Dubai Golden Shaheen or stay at home to pilot **Quality Road** (Elusive Quality) in the G1 Florida Derby. He made the right call. A pace presence throughout, the Edward Evans homebred took command at the head of the Gulfstream stretch, dueled briefly with favored **Dunkirk** (Unbridled's Song), then outfought his game rival for a 1 3/4-length victory. It cemented his status as one of the favorites, if not the favorite, for the G1 Kentucky Derby in five weeks' time. "Today's effort was terrific," said winning conditioner Jimmy Jerkens. "He sat nice for [jockey] John [Velazquez], didn't give him any trouble, and rated. When we went by the pacesetter [Casey's On Call {Gimmeawink}], John gave him a breather. That was the whole thing. He didn't open up. He had a lot left to deal with Dunkirk. I'll probably stay here (Palm Meadows) and then go directly to Churchill Downs. We won't race again (until the Derby). It's only five weeks." **Florida Derby cont. p10**



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Dubai World Cup cont.

**Locked and Loaded...**

Well Armed shrugged off his defeat in last year's Dubai World Cup with a wire-to-wire win in the July 19 GII San Diego H. He missed by just a neck when second in the Aug. 24 GI Pacific Classic, but came back to post a one-length tally in the Sept. 27 GI Goodwood S. at Oak Tree. Sent off the 6-5 chalk in the Oct. 25 Breeders' Cup Dirt Mile, the speedster found himself in the middle of the pack after a rough trip and never got untracked, finishing ninth. Well Armed opened 2009 with a fourth in the Jan. 10 GII San Pasqual H. Prepped for his second World Cup in the Feb. 8 GII San Antonio H. going nine furlongs, he was gifted early splits of :49



Andrew Watkins

2/5 and 1:13 4/5, but was caught by Magnum (Arg) (El Compinche {Arg}). His rivals clearly thought he would come back to them yesterday, but the homebred did not oblige, opening up down the lane to take it by the largest margin in the history of the race. "It's the biggest win of the career," trainer Eoin Harty said. "I owe a lot to His Highness Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum, who got me started and plucked me from a relative obscurity." According to Harty, Well Armed had to overcome adversity himself to earn the spotlight on the international stage. "This horse chipped a bone in the [G2] UAE Derby [in 2006], and then he fractured his pelvis and the vets wanted to put him down," Harty explained. "Three years on, he's won the richest race in the world." The runner-up was 64-1 Gloria de Campeao (Brz) (Impression {Arg}), who was eighth in last year's edition of the race. Off the board in his first two outings this term, he took a Nad Al Sheba conditions event last time out Feb. 26. [Click for the Racing Post chart](#), [the brisnet.com PPs](#) or the [free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree](#). [Video courtesy Dubai Racing Club](#).

**Without Their "A" Games...**

Both GI Donn H. hero Albertus Maximus (Albert the Great) (sixth) and Asiatic Boy (Arg) (Not for Sale {Arg}) (12th) put in disappointing performances. Albertus Maximus was rank while tracking Well Armed from the outside early and faded late. "He was fighting me," jockey Alan Garcia said. "I can't really explain it right now. Last time I rode him in the Donn, he was a totally different horse." Asiatic Boy was never involved. "He is a horse who needs to get organized early on, and we got shuffled back," jockey Johnny Murtagh remarked. "After that, we were flat to the boards and always struggling."

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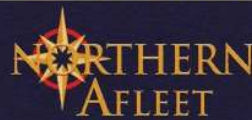
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**FREE-RUNNING GLADIATORUS UPSETS**

Sheikh Mansoor bin Mohammed al Maktoum's **Gladiatorus** (Silic {Fr}) provided apprentice jockey Ahmad Ajtebi with the first of his two victories on the World Cup undercard, posting an impressive all-the-way success to best a star-studded field. An \$8,000 purchase out of the Fasig-Tipton October sale in 2006, the bay developed into a consistent and high-class performer at two in Italy, winning four times at listed level before closing that part of his career with a near-miss



**Gladiatorus and Ahmad Ajtebi cruise in the Duty Free** *A Watkins*

runner-up effort beneath Frankie Dettori in the G1 Gran Criterium. Purchased by Godolphin, Gladiatorus failed to face the starter for the entirety of his sophomore season, resurfacing to give Ajtebi a Carnival win over 7 1/2 furlongs Jan. 22. Stepped up in class for the one-mile G2 Al Fahidi Fort

Feb. 19, he was rank on the front end for Royston Ffrench, but stole away turning for home and stretched clear to take it by 5 3/4 lengths. Facing a decidedly saltier bunch here, with 10 Group/Grade I winners from all corners of the racing world, Gladiatorus broke alertly and set the pace while chased by Japan's **Vodka (Jpn)** (Tanino Gimlet {Jpn}). He opened a long lead as the field raced into the long straight and, while the Japanese supermare loomed a threat for a few strides, Gladiatorus had something to say for the final furlong and easily held, as **Presvis (GB)** (Sahkee) and **Alexandros (GB)** (Kingmambo) made belated progress into the minor placings. [Click for the Racing Post chart](#), the [brisnet.com PPs](#) or the [free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree](#). [Video courtesy Dubai Racing Club](#).

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**DUBAI DUTY FREE** Sponsored by Dubai Duty Free-G1, \$5,000,000, NAD, 3-28, 4yo/up, 1777mT, 1:46.92, gd.

- 1--▲ **GLADIATORUS**, 126, c, 4, by Silic (Fr)  
1st Dam: **Gmaasha (Ire)**, by Kris (GB)  
2nd Dam: **Al Bahathri**, by Blushing Groom (Fr)  
3rd Dam: **Chain Store**, by Nodouble (\$8,000 yrl '06 FTKOCT). O-Sheikh Mansoor bin Mohammed al Maktoum; B-Az Agricola le Ferriere di Raponi Giampaolo (KY); T-Mubarak bin Shafya; J-Ahmad Ajtebi; \$3,000,000. Lifetime Record: MSW & G1SP-Ity, 12-10-2-0, \$3,521,048. \*1/2 to My Sweet Baby (Minardi), SW-Ity. **Werk Nick Rating: B.** [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)
  - 2--▲ **Presvis (GB)**, 126, g, 5, Sakhee--Forest Fire (Swe), by Never So Bold (Ire). (15,000gns wnl'04 TATDEC; 30,000gns yrl '05 TATOCT). O-Leonidas Marinopoulos et al; B-Mrs M Campbell-Andenaes; T-Luca M Cumani; \$1,000,000.
  - 3--▲ **Alexandros (GB)**, 126, c, 4, [Kingmambo](#)--Arlette (Ire), by King of Kings (Ire). O-Godolphin; B-Darley (GB); T-Saeed bin Suroor; \$500,000.
- Margins: 3 1/4, 2, 3. Odds: 14-1, 20-1, 42-1.  
Also Ran: Niconero (Aus), Bankable (Ire), Archipenko, Vodka (Jpn), Paco Boy (Ire), Tuesday Joy (NZ), Kip Deville, Jay Peg (SAf), Charlie Farnsbarns (Ire), Balius (Ire), Hyperbaric, Creachadoir (Ire), Lady Marian (Ger).

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**AJTEBI DOUBLES UP WITH SHEEMA SURPRISE**

In the lead-up to the World Cup program, jockey Ahmad Ajtebi was thrilled just to be part of the event and “a chance of actually winning.” That dream became reality in the Duty Free, and the Emirati made it back-to-back wins on the program with a last-to-first move astride **Eastern Anthem (Ire)** (Singspiel {Ire}). A son of 2002 G1 Vodafone Oaks winner Kazzia (Ger), the bay raced in Godolphin blue in 2008, finishing second in the Listed Tapster S. at Goodwood June 8 and third in the



**Eastern Anthem (2)** A Watkins

Listed Silver Cup H. July 12. A 10-length winner of a Newmarket conditions test July 25, he was shelved off a sixth in the G3 Geoffrey Freer S. at Newbury Aug. 16. Eastern Anthem reappeared at the Carnival in the silks of Sheikh Mohammed’s son, Sheikh Ahmed, to land a 10-furlong handicap Feb. 5, and made it two-straight in a course-and-distance affair two weeks later. An outsider in a field of top-class stayers, Eastern Anthem missed the break slightly and was allowed to caboose the field as G2 Dubai City of Gold S. heroine **Front House (Ire)** (Sadler’s Wells) set sedate fractions of :53.14 for the half and 1:19.30 for six panels. **Spanish Moon** (El Prado {Ire}) took over from the South African filly at the 600-meter marker, just about the same time when Ajtebi switched Eastern Anthem to the outside for a clear run for the final 800 meters. The Juddmonte runner was in front as they passed the eighth pole and was tackled by **Purple Moon (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}) shortly thereafter, but Eastern Anthem, who catapulted past the field on the grandstand side, stayed on very determinedly and got his nose down just in front. “I had to get him switched off at the back and when I pulled him out, he really went for me,” said Ajtebi. “At the 200-meter pole, I thought we had it, but with Jamie Spencer [on Purple Moon] and Ryan Moore [on Spanish Moon] upsides with me, we had to fight right to the finish. This is just fantastic. I can’t believe it.” The dual Arc runner-up **Youmzain (Ire)** (Sinndar {Ire}) was a solid fourth after finding trouble. “The pace was too slow,” said his jockey Richard Hills. “I went for a run in the straight and got stopped.” Youmzain has run second, fifth and now fourth in his three Sheema Classic appearances. [Click for the Racing Post chart](#), the [brisnet.com PPs](#) or the [free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree](#). [Video courtesy Dubai Racing Club](#).

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- 1--#@▲ **EASTERN ANTHEM (IRE)**, 126, h, 5, by [Singspiel \(Ire\)](#)  
1st Dam: **Kazzia (Ger)** (Ch. 3yo Filly-Eur, MG1SW-Eng, GISW-NA, GSW-Ity, \$1,090,330), by **Zinaad (GB)**  
2nd Dam: **Khoruna (Ger)**, by **Lagunas (GB)**  
3rd Dam: **Khora (Ger)**, by **Corvaro**  
O-Sheikh Hamdan bin Mohammed al Maktoum; B-Darley (Ire); T-Mubarak bin Shafya; J-Ahmad Ajtebi; \$3,000,000. Lifetime Record: MSP-GB, 10-5-2-2, \$3,228,962. **WerkNick Rating: A. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.**
- 2--**Spanish Moon**, 126, h, 5, [El Prado \(Ire\)](#)--Shining Bright (GB), by Rainbow Quest. O-Khalid Abdullah; B-Juddmonte Farms Inc (KY); T-Sir Michael Stoute; \$1,000,000.
- 3--**Purple Moon (Ire)**, 126, g, 6, [Galileo \(Ire\)](#)--Vanishing Prairie, by Alysheba. (€550,000 yrl '04 DEAAUG; 440,000gns HIT '06 TATHIT). O-Craig Bennett; B-Gestut Shohrenhof (Ire); T-Luca M Cumani; \$500,000.
- Margins: NO, SHD, 2 1/4. Odds: 18-1, 19-1, 9-1. Also Ran: Youmzain (Ire), Marsh Side, Quijano (Ger), Deem (Ire), Doctor Dino (Fr), Front House (Ire), Kirklees (Ire), Russian Sage (SAf), Red Rocks (Ire), King of Rome (Ire), Macarthur (GB), Kings Gambit (SAf).

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**BRIGHT LIGHTS, BIG CITY**

It was a performance that brought trainer Jerry Barton to tears. **Big City Man** (Northern Afleet) powered



**Big City Man & Jerry Barton**  
(right)  
*Andrew Watkins Photo*

past U.S. champion **Indian Blessing** (Indian Charlie) in the final yards to give the former D. Wayne Lukas protege his first Dubai International Racing Carnival victory. "I've gone close several times on Dubai World Cup night," an emotional Barton said after the race. "But to win is beyond my wildest dreams. I have been in Saudi Arabia 10 years, and it always has been my goal to land a big one in Dubai. Prince Sultan Mohammed Saud al Kabeer can't be here tonight, but his sons are, and we have a celebration that will go on to the early hours." He added, "People

say I should take him to the Breeders' Cup, but that will be up to the Prince."

The chestnut started his career at Calder in 2007. Second in his career opener, he came back to break his maiden by 10 3/4 lengths and added dominant wins in the Criterium S. and Dr. Fager S. He was purchased privately after that effort with the 2008 G2 UAE Derby in mind, but connections determined the colt was better suited to sprinting and put him away for another year. Big City Man returned after a 17-month layoff to take a conditions race at Nad Al Sheba and made it two in a row in the Jan. 22 G3 Al Shindagha Sprint. Runner-up to Gayego (Gilded Time) in the Mar. 5 G3 Mahab Al Shimaal, he was on top of his game for the Golden Shaheen. The Florida-bred was on the bit after breaking sharply. Jockey Jose Verenzuela sat chilly until shifting into overdrive as they raced into the final quarter. Indian Blessing, out past the middle of the track, ran on gamely, but Big City Man proved too strong, edging clear late for his sixth win from eight career starts. "I was very confident going into the race," Verenzuela said. "I know the horse well, and we'd planned for this race and this night. Everything went perfectly. I'm very, very happy." Jockey Edgar Prado, aboard Indian Blessing for the first time, was pleased by her effort. "My filly was trying really hard," Prado said. "Every time I asked her for something, she gave it to me." [Click for the brisnet.com PPs, Racing Post chart or the free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree.](#) [Video courtesy Dubai Racing Club.](#) Chart p6

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1--▲**BIG CITY MAN**, 126, c, 4, by [Northern Afleet](#)

1st Dam: **Mini Appeal**, by **Valid Appeal**

2nd Dam: **Gold Muni**, by **Slew o'Gold**

3rd Dam: **Municipal Bond**, by **Nashua**

(\$15,000 yrl '06 OBSJAN; \$45,000 yrl '06

OBSAUG). O-Prince Sultan Mohammed Saud Al

Kabeer; B-Four Horsemen's Ranch (FL); T-Jerry

Barton; J-J Verenzuela; \$1,200,000. Lifetime Record:

MSW-US, 8-6-2-0, \$1,521,505. **Werk Nick Rating:**

**A+ + .** [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

2--**Indian Blessing**, 121, f, 4, [Indian Charlie](#)--Shameful,

by Flying Chevron. O/B-Hal & Patti Earnhardt (KY);

T-Bob Baffert; \$400,000.

3--**Diabolical**, 126, h, 6, Artax--Bonnie Byerly, by

Dayjur. (\$62,000 yrl '04 KEESEP; \$300,000 2yo '05

OBSFEB). O-Godolphin; B-Longleaf Pine Farm (KY);

T-Saeed bin Suroor; \$200,000.

Margins: 1 1/4, 5, HF. Odds: 5-1, 1-1, 6-1.

Also Ran: **Bamboo Ere** (Jpn), **Force Freeze**, **Black Seven-**

**teen**, **Hammadi** (Ire), **Machismo**, **Lucky Quality** (Aus),

**Change Alley**, **Balthazaar's Gift** (Ire), **Marchand d'Or**

(Fr).

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Mar. 29	GII Rampart S.	GP
	GIII Santa Paula S.	SA
Apr. 4	GI Apple Blossom H.	OP
	GI Carter H.	AQU
	GI Wood Memorial	AQU
	GI Santa Anita Derby	SA
	GII Illinois Derby	HAW
	GII Oaklawn H.	OP
	GII Portrero Grande BC H.	SA
	GI Providencia S.	SA
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GIII Skip Away S.	GP	



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**THE “OTHER” GODOLPHIN SHINES IN DERBY**

**Desert Party** (Street Cry {Ire}) was pounded into 1-5 favoritism to record his third straight victory in yesterday’s G2 UAE Derby, but it was stablemate **Regal Ransom** (Distorted Humor) who led virtually throughout for a mild surprise. The \$675,000 FTFEB graduate



**Alan Garcia and Sheikh Mohammed with Regal Ransom** *A Watkins*

debuted a winner at Saratoga last Aug. 25, but faltered as the 7-5 favorite in the GI Norfolk S. Sept. 28, dropping back to finish eighth in a field of nine. Given plenty of time off that effort, the dark bay colt hooked up with his more bally-hooded stablemate in a Jan. 22 conditions

event over 1400 meters, leading into the final furlong before succumbing to Desert Party in the waning strides. The duo locked horns again in the G3 UAE 2000 Guineas going a metric mile Feb. 12, but Desert Party proved much the better that afternoon, drawing off to defeat Regal Ransom by a convincing 4 3/4 lengths.

Regal Ransom jumped alertly and argued the early pace inside of the filly **So Shiny (Arg)** (Indygo Shiner) for the run across the top of the triangular Nad al Sheba strip. Desert Party raced comfortably in fifth, a few lengths behind the pacesetters, and set his sights on his stablemate when heads were turned for home. Regal Ransom turned back the challenge of So Shiny at the quarter pole and built a cushion as Desert Party plugged away from second. The chalk stayed on and was gaining some ground in the final strides, but Regal Ransom had enough in reserve for the victory. “Regal Ransom enjoyed being out in front, and, though I saw Frankie coming, I knew I had more horse left, and he found a little extra,” commented winning rider Alan Garcia. “I know the horse well, as I won on it at Saratoga and I was delighted when Kieran McLaughlin recommended me for the ride tonight.” Trainer Saeed bin Suroor said a decision on a potential start in the GI Kentucky Derby for the top two would be forthcoming. [Click for the Racing Post chart](#), the [brisnet.com PPs](#) or the [free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree](#). [Video courtesy Dubai Racing Club](#).



*Andrew Watkins*

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**UAE DERBY Sponsored by Saeed & Mohammed Al Naboodah Group-G2, \$2,000,000, NAD, 3-28, NH/SH3yo, 1800m, 1:50, ft.**

1--#**@REGAL RANSOM, 120, c, 3, by Distorted Humor**

1st Dam: Kelli's Ransom, by Red Ransom

2nd Dam: Musical Minister, by Deputy Minister

3rd Dam: Ballerina Princess, by Mr. Prospector (\$675,000 2yo '08 FTFEB). O-Godolphin; B-Diamond A Racing Corp (KY); T-Saeed bin Suroor; J-Alan Garcia; \$1,200,000. Lifetime Record: 5-2-2-0, \$1,297,200. **Werk Nick Rating: A. Click for the [eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree](#).**

2--**Desert Party, 120, c, 3, Street Cry (Ire)--Sage Cat, by Tabasco Cat. (\$425,000 yrl '07 KEESEP, \$2,100,000 2yo '08 FTFEB). O-Godolphin; B-David Smith & Steven Sinatra (KY); T-Saeed bin Suroor; \$400,000.**

3--**Soy Libriano (Arg), 131, c, 3, Ride the Rails--Soy Ariana (Arg), by Equalize. O-Sheikh Majid bin Mohammed al Maktoum; B-Abolengo (Arg); T-Mubarak bin Shafya; \$200,000.**

Margins: HF, 15, 1 3/4. Odds: 13-1, 1-5, 14-1. Also Ran: So Shiny (Arg), Lelah Dorak (KSA), Naval Officer, Redding Colliery, Jose Adan, Ra Junior, Balcarce Nov (Arg), I Am the Best (GB), Muy Ponderado (Arg).

Saturday, Nad al Sheba, Dubai

**GODOLPHIN MILE Sponsored by Etisalat-G2, \$1,000,000, NAD, 3-28, 4yo/up, 1600m, 1:36.82, gd.**

1--**TWO STEP SALSA, 126, c, 4, by Petionville**

1st Dam: Two to Waltz, by Seattle Slew

2nd Dam: Lady for Two, by Storm Bird

3rd Dam: Very Special Lady, by Buckpasser

O-Godolphin; B-Everest Stables Inc (KY); T-Saeed bin Suroor; J-L Dettori; \$600,000. Lifetime Record: MGSW-US, 10-6-2-1, \$1,076,540. **Werk Nick Rating: A + +. Click for the [eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree](#).**

2--**Gayego, 126, c, 4, Gilded Time--Devils Lake, by Lost Code. (\$32,000 yrl '06 KEESEP). O-Godolphin; B-Hargus & Sandra Sexton (KY); T-Saeed bin Suroor; \$200,000.**

3--**Don Renato (Chi), 126, h, 5, Edgy Diplomat--Tabla Redonda (Chi), by Braka. O-Prince Sultan Mohammed Saud al Kabeer; B-Haras San Patricio (Chi); T-Jerry Barton; \$100,000.**

Margins: 2 1/4, 1 3/4, SHD. Odds: 9-5, 2-1, 71-1. Also Ran: Summer Doldrums, Brave Tin Soldier, Tiz Now Tiz Then, Informed, Green Coast (Ire), Dijeerr, Art of War (SAf), Kalahari Gold (Ire), Al Morhij (KSA), Cat Junior, Golden Arrow (Ire), Lucky Find (SAf).

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Godolphin Mile cont.

**Stepping Up His Game...**

Two Step Salsa stamped himself one of the world's top milers with this decisive victory. First or second in his first six starts, the dark bay won the GIII Laz Barrera Memorial S. and GIII Affirmed S. last season before filling the runner-up spot in the GII Swaps S. He did not fare as well when shipped East to try conventional dirt for the first time, tiring to sixth in the GII Pennsylvania Derby last September, but rebounded in his 2008 finale. Let go at 22-1 in the Oct. 25 Breeders' Cup



**Andrew Watkins**

Dirt Mile, Two Step Salsa set a solid pace and held well to be third, 1 3/4 lengths adrift of Albertus Maximus (Albert the Great). He was purchased privately following that race, and made his debut in Godolphin blue in a six-furlong conditions race at Nad Al Sheba Feb. 20, proving he could handle dirt with a handy 3 1/2-length triumph.

Favored to make it two-for-two in the desert, the four-year-old broke well and was quickly at the head of affairs. He was pressured down the backstretch and around the bend, but opened up on the field in the straight. Though Gayego, also snapped up by Godolphin last fall, tried to make a race of it, Two Step Salsa was always in control. "I was lucky that they allowed me a soft lead and nothing was snapping at my heels, but this is a good horse and he quickened up really well," jockey Frankie Dettori. "I hoped I was on the right one, and fortunately I was." According to Godolphin Racing Manager Simon Crisford, the top two will return to the U.S. this spring and be pointed for the May 25 GI Shadwell Met Mile H. at Belmont Park. Informed (Tiznow), rated near the back of the pack early, was asked for run as they approached the half-mile pole, but could offer no real response and ended up seventh. "I had a good clean trip," jockey Aaron Gryder said. "My horse tried when he was in the clear, but there was some kickback. There is more kickback here than in California." [Click for the brisnet.com PPs, Racing Post chart or the free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree.](#) [Video courtesy Dubai Racing Club.](#)



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Florida Derby cont.

Saturday, Gulfstream Park

**BLACKBERRY PRESENTS THE 58TH RUNNING OF THE FLORIDA DERBY-GI**, \$750,000, GPX, 3-28, 3yo, 1 1/8m, 1:47 3/5 (NTR), ft.

1--▲**QUALITY ROAD**, 122, c, 3, by [Elusive Quality](#)

1st Dam: Kobla, by Strawberry Road (Aus)

2nd Dam: Winglet, by Alydar

3rd Dam: Highest Trump, by Bold Bidder

O/B-Edward P Evans (VA); T-James A Jerkens;

J-John R Velazquez; \$450,000. Lifetime Record:

4-3-1-0, \$632,830. **Werk Nick Rating: A.** [Click for the eNicks report and 5-cross pedigree.](#)

2--**Dunkirk**, 122, c, 3, [Unbridled's Song](#)--Secret Status,

by A.P. Indy. (\$3,700,000 yrl '07 KEESEP). O-Mrs John Magnier, Michael Tabor & Derrick Smith; B-W S Farish, James Elkins & W T Webber Jr (KY); T-Todd A Pletcher; \$150,000.

3--**Theregoesjojo**, 122, c, 3, Brahms--Slewie Blues, by Seattle Slew. (\$42,000 yrl '07 FTKOCT).

O-Samotowka Stables LLC, Delfiner Partners, George Krall & Magdalena Racing; B-Bob K Sliger (KY); T-Kenneth G McPeek; \$75,000.

Margins: 1 3/4, 6, 2HF. Odds: 1.20, 1.10, 3.50.

Also Ran: Stately Character, Sincero, Casey's On Call, Toby the Coal Man. Scratched: Danger to Society, Europe.

Ned Evans bred Quality Road from Kobla, a full sister to champion Ajina, but ended up buying the colt back on a bid of \$110,000 at the 2007 Keeneland September sale. That decision is looking awfully good these days.

Sent into training with Jimmy Jerkens, Quality Road debuted like a good thing on the GII Remsen S.

undercard, leading every step of the 6 1/2 furlongs for a promising 2 3/4-length victory. Shipped down to the Sunshine State a short time later, the bay lined up two stalls inside of Theregoesjojo in an entry-level allowance going seven furlongs Jan. 10. A step slow into stride, Quality Road sped to the front and set a strong pace before being overhauled by the Ken McPeek runner. He reversed form with that rival in no uncertain terms in the GII Fountain of Youth S. Feb. 28, drawing off to a 4 1/4-length victory, and was renewing acquaintances here. Alertly into stride, Quality Road was angled out to the two path to stalk pacesetting Casey's On Call (Gimmeawink). Theregoesjojo was close up in third, while Dunkirk was rated along in sixth. Quality Road edged to the front after six furlongs in 1:10.66, but had to deal with Dunkirk, who came with a sweeping bid to draw even in upper stretch. However, Quality Road met that challenge and fought back gamely along the inside for a good-looking win. Dunkirk effectively needed a win to insure a spot in the Derby, but it remains the objective nonetheless. "If he gets in, fine. If not, we'll concentrate on big races down the line," said his trainer Todd Pletcher. "He fell back just a touch more than I would have hoped, but he made a huge move in the final 16th." [Click for the brisnet.com chart, the brisnet.com PPs or the free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree. Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)



## Philip A Sims

**Accomplishment:** Saddled Nelson McMakin's homebred Hot Cha Cha (Cactus Ridge) to a six-length score in the GIII Bourbonette Oaks at Turfway Park.

**Birthdate:** Sept. 26, 1961.

**Birthplace:** Flemingsburg, KY.

**Family:** Wife Rebecca, sons Matthew, 18; and Blake, 10.

**Current Residence:** Georgetown, KY.

**How did you get into racing?** I grew up on a farm. We bred and raised Thoroughbreds, and we also had cattle. My father owned a few racehorses--he usually had one horse running.

**Who is the best horse you have trained?** I've had a few at the same level, but Anita's Surprise was probably the best. She was owned by Mr. McMakin also. (A five-time stakes winner, Anita's Surprise won 14 races overall and earned \$405,373 over five seasons, 1988-92.)

**What is your favorite part of being a trainer?** I like the mornings, when I can be one-on-one with the horses at the track. I'm hands-on with the horses--I enjoy that.

**What is your least favorite part?** There are a couple of things. Gosh, one is all the paperwork--it really is a lot more than it used to be. There are so many deadlines to keep up with--it's more demanding. And it's tough when you have owners who expected to win, and didn't. There are some disappointments, and you have to try and explain them.

**What's in your CD player right now?** That would be "The Greatest Hits of Chris Ledoux." He was a cowboy--he died just a few years ago.

**What's the funniest movie you've ever seen?** "Wild Hogs"

**Where would you like to visit that you have never been?** Ireland. I know a lot of people in the horse business from Ireland, and my family's roots are there. I'd like to see it.

**What was your childhood ambition?** To own my own horse farm.

**How do you unwind after a long day?** By falling asleep, usually on the couch (said with a chuckle). I do try to read the paper, and I am out on the farm, playing with the dogs and checking on the horses.

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**Saturday, Gulfstream Park**

**SWALE S.-GII**, \$150,000, GPX, 3-28, 3yo, 7f, 1:20 4/5 (NTR), ft.

\*1--**@THIS ONES FOR PHIL**, 120, g, 3, by **Untuttable**

1st Dam: **Heaven's Gate**, by **Septieme Ciel**

2nd Dam: **Finally Found**, by **Lord Durham**

3rd Dam: **Bon Debarras**, by **Ruritania**

O-Paul Pompa Jr, Jack Mandato & Michael Dubb; B-Gilbert G Campbell (FL); T-Richard E Dutrow Jr; J-Garrett K Gomez; \$90,000. Lifetime Record: 11-4-1-1, \$325,340. \*1/2 to Tap Dancer (Sword Dance {Ire}), SW, \$175,087. **Werk Nick Rating: A.**

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2--**Big Drama**, 120, c, 3, Montbrook--Riveting Drama, by Notebook. O/B-Harold L Queen (FL); T-David Fawkes; \$30,000.

3--**Custom for Carlos**, 117, c, 3, **More Than Ready**--Meadow Oaks, by Meadowlake. O-Homewrecker Racing LLC & Avalon Farm; B-David E Hager II (KY); T-Eddie Kenneally; \$15,000.

Margins: (HF), 4HF, 1 1/4. Odds: 1.60, 1.80, 5.80.

Also Ran: **Brave Victory**, **Sabi Sabi**, **B Z Warrior**.

\*Big Drama finished first, but was disqualified and placed second.

This Ones for Phil crossed the line a half-length behind Big Drama in a track-record setting performance, but was put up to first after the stewards determined that there was interference. Twice fifth to Big Drama in Calder stakes races in 2008, the Florida-bred gelding ran third in the Appleton Juvenile Turf S. Nov. 8 in his final start for Kathleen O'Connell and was turned over to Rick Dutrow Jr. He earned big numbers in his sophomore bow--the Sunshine Millions Dash going six furlongs over this strip Jan. 24--before tiring to fifth in Quality Road's GII Fountain of Youth S. victory going a mile at Gulfstream Feb. 28. Breaking from the rail here, the chestnut elected to take back as Big Drama and Custom for Carlos engaged early over the souped-up surface. Garrett Gomez guided his mount to the outside on the turn and collared Big Drama entering the stretch. The leader battled back gamely on the inside, but came out a bit to brush This Ones for Phil inside the eighth pole, and did so again a bit more aggressively in the shadow of the wire. "I was asking the horse for a little at the half [mile] point and we got going some," said Gomez. "He [Big Drama] clearly bumped me." When asked about the change in order, Big Drama's trainer David Fawkes said, "What I saw was a new track record, and I got taken down. Should he have stayed up? I don't know. I have to watch it again." **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#), the [brisnet.com PPs](#) or the [brisnet.com catalog-style pedigree](#). Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.**

**Saturday, Gulfstream Park**

**APPLETON S.-GIII**, \$100,000, GPX, 3-28, 4yo/up, 7 1/2fT, 1:28, fm.

1--**KISS THE KID**, 122, h, 6, by **Lemon Drop Kid**

1st Dam: **Black Tie Kiss**, by **Danzig**

2nd Dam: **Hat Tab Girl**, by **Al Hattab**

3rd Dam: **Desperate Action**, by **Bold Commander**

(\$270,000 yrl '04 KEESEP). O-Hardacre Farm LLC; B-Jayeff B Stables (KY); T-Amy Tarrant; J-Elvis Trujillo; \$60,000. Lifetime Record: GISP, 27-8-2-5, \$609,767. \*Full to Lemon Kiss, SW, \$152,110.

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**Werk Nick Rating: A + .**

2--**Artic Cry**, 116, g, 4, **Rahy**--Sailing Minstrel, by The Minstrel. (\$95,000 wlng '05 KEENOV; €180,000 yrl '06 GOFORB; €75,000 HRA '08 ARQARC). O-Eddie Kenneally; B-Robert N Clay, Roy Reiman & Bobbi Reiman (KY); T-Eddie Kenneally; \$20,000.

3--**Passager (Fr)**, 122, g, 6, Anabaa--Passionnee, by Woodman. O-Johanna Louise Glen-Teven; B-M Alec Head & Wertheimer Et Frere (FR); T-Roger L Attfield; \$10,000.

Margins: HF, 3/4, 1 1/4. Odds: 2.40, 7.90, 5.00.

Also Ran: **Vanquisher**, **Bold Start**, **Pickapocket**, **Avanti Avanti**, **Fagedaboudit Sal**. Scratched: **T. D. Vance**, **Cannonball**, **Hypocrite**, **Granizo (Brz)**.

Kiss the Kid has had some success on the dirt, running third in the GI Donn H., GII Gulfstream Park H. and GIII Philip H. Iselin S. last season, but is proving tougher on the turf recently. Runner-up in Bob Harding S. on the lawn in July, the dark bay went back to the dirt for the Iselin the following month, but was in way over his head against Big Brown (Boundary) in the Sept. 13 Monmouth S. and tired badly to run last. Unfazed by that experience, he returned to take the Oct. 10 GIII Cliff Hanger S. on the Meadowlands grass and, after a break, made it two in a row in the Jan. 10 Fort Lauderdale S. at Gulfstream. Kiss the Kid was not disgraced when fourth, beaten just 1 1/4 lengths by Kip Deville (Kipling), in the Feb. 1 GI Gulfstream Park Turf H. at nine panels. He was favored while dropping in class and distance this time. Rated in fourth by jockey Elvis Trujillo through a half in :47.27, the six-year-old was maneuvered to the outside when they straightened for home and wore down Arctic Cry to get up in the shadow of the wire.

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**Saturday, Aqueduct**

**NEXT MOVE S.-GIII**, \$105,800, AQU, 3-28, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8m, 1:52 2/5, ft.

1--**@WEATHERED**, 121, f, 4, by **Key Contender**

1st Dam: **Thunder Stand (SP)**, by **Thunder Puddles**

2nd Dam: **Stand From Under**, by **First Albert**

3rd Dam: **Raise Me**, by **Mr. Prospector**

O-Chevalier Stable; B-Edward L Shapoff (NY); T-Karl M Grusmark; J-Michael J Luzzi; \$64,680. Lifetime Record: 15-9-2-2, \$404,160. \*1/2 to Dare to be Great (Expensive Decision), SP, \$191,441. **Click for the eNicks report and 5-cross pedigree.** Werk Nick Rating: **A +**.

2--**Winning Point**, 119, m, 5, **Point Given**--Bibical Sense, by Blushing Groom (Fr). (\$30,000 yrl '05 FTKJUL; \$30,000 yrl '05 FTMOCT). O-Team Valor International & Morris Bailey; B-The Thoroughbred Corporation, Stephen A DiMauro & Dan Morgan (KY); T-Kiaran P McLaughlin; \$21,560.

3--**Successful Sarah**, 119, f, 4, **Successful Appeal**--Sarah Rosebud, by Unreal Zeal. O-IEAH Stables & Pegasus Holding Group Stables; B-Herman Wilensky (FL); T-John P Terranova II; \$10,858.

Margins: 1HF, 4 3/4, 11. Odds: 0.85, 1.40, 6.30.

Also Ran: Point Me to It, Bourbon Maid.

Scratched: Nijinsky Bullet.

Weathered took her batting average to a nifty .600, earning her first graded-stakes success in the process. The six-length winner of the Nov. 30 Kamikaze Rick S. on the main track, she missed by a nose when second in the You'd Be Surprised S. on the inner Dec. 12. Third as an odds-on gamble in the Jan. 9 Plankton S., the New York-bred bounced back with a front-running score in the Rare Treat H. Feb. 21. Content to stalk Successful Sarah from a close-up second here, Weathered poked her head in front of that rival at the three-eighths, repulsed a bid from Winning Point and edged clear. "I've been working with her in the mornings, teaching her to slow down," said winning rider Mike Luzzi. "She got away from me a little bit, but I got her to relax on the backside."

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**Saturday, Santa Anita**

**TOKYO CITY CUP H.-GIII**, \$100,000, SAX, 3-28, 4yo/up, 1 1/2m (AWT), 2:31 4/5, ft.

1--**STREAM CAT**, 116, g, 6, by **Black Minnaloushe**

1st Dam: **Water Course**, by **Irish River (Fr)**

2nd Dam: **Royal Rafale**, by **Reneged**

3rd Dam: **Questar**, by **Requested**

(\$120,000 yrl '04 KEESEP). O-Fab Oak Stable, Hurley & Goldthorp; B-Matthews Breeding & Racing Ltd (KY); T-Patrick L Biancone; J-Joseph Talamo; \$60,000. Lifetime Record: GISP, 22-7-1-4, \$705,610. **Werk Nick Rating: D.** **Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.**

2--**Big Booster**, 119, g, 8, Accelerator--Waterside, by Topsider. (\$52,000 yrl '02 KEESEP; \$210,000 2yo '03 FTFEB). O-S & W Anastasi & Ukegawa; B-Thomas/Lakin/Kintz (KY); T-Mike R Mitchell; \$20,000.

3--**Medjool**, 114, c, 4, Monarchos--Perfect Story, by Tale of the Cat. (\$115,000 yrl '06 KEESEP). O-Premier Thoroughbreds; B-John C Oxley (KY); T-John O'Hara; \$12,000.

Margins: NK, 2, 2. Odds: 4.70, 1.20, 19.90.

Also Ran: Fire Wood, Kizzy's Chaos, Dynamalt, Zappa.

Stream Cat won the GIII Arlington H. off an eight-month layoff July 12, then was sixth in the GI Arlington Million Aug. 9. Returned to the Polytrack for his next two, the dark bay was sixth at 8-5 in the Sept. 27 GII Kentucky Cup Classic and improved to third in Keeneland's GIII Fayette S. Oct. 25. Given a bit of a freshening, the gelding saved ground to no avail when sixth in the GII San Marcos S. over the local weeds Jan. 19 and was coming into this off a 10th in the GI Santa Anita H. Mar. 7. Allowed to gallop along towards the back of the field, Stream Cat was asked to take closer order passing the halfway point and made steady progress at the fence as they approached the far turn. Third into the stretch, he was switched out, overtook Kizzy's Chaos (Evansville Slew) leaving the eighth pole and held favored Big Booster in the run to the wire. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or the [brisnet.com PPs](#). Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.**

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Saturday, Rosehill, Australia

**DUBAI ROSEHILL GUINEAS-G1**, A\$500,000, Rosehill, 3-28, 3yo, 1 1/4mT, 2:03.29, gd.

1--**METAL BENDER (NZ)**, 125, g, 3, by Danasinga (Aus)

1st Dam: Jacqwin (Aus), by Bluebird

2nd Dam: Nuwirah, by Pleasant Colony

3rd Dam: Secretarial Queen, by Secretariat

(A\$160,000 yrl '07 INGEAS). O-D N Fuller; B-Waikato Stud 2001 Ltd; T-Jack Denham; J-Danny Nikolic; A\$325,000. **Werk Nick Rating: A.** [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

2--**Sousa (NZ)**, 125, c, 3, [Galileo \(Ire\)](#)--Liberty Song (Ire), by Last Tycoon (Ire). (A\$420,000 yrl '07 INGEAS). O-Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum; B-L V Pearson; T-Peter Snowden; A\$100,000.

3--**Rock Kingdom (Aus)**, 125, g, 3, [Rock of Gibraltar \(Ire\)](#)--Happy Empress (Aus), by St. Covet (Aus). (A\$200,000 yrl '07 MMGCCJ). O-S & K Richards, C Peoples, Murumba Racing Synd, Footy Racing Synd, DHK Investments Synd, R Goldbloom, R Menyweather, J Lindsay & B McGrath; B-D H K Investments Pty Ltd; T-Gai Waterhouse; A\$45,000.

Margins: HFHD, NO, 3/4. Odds: 7-2, 12-1, 7-2.

Also Ran: Caymans (Aus), Roman Emperor (NZ), Tobique (Aus), Pre Eminence (Aus), Coniston Bluebird (Aus), The Zeebac (Aus), Rhyno Chaser (Aus), Rebel Raider (Aus), Rich Endowment (Aus).

Metal Bender enjoyed a ground-saving trip en route to success two weeks ago in the 1600-meter G1 Royal Randwick Guineas, and this additional quarter-mile didn't present a problem. Employing those same tactics, the gelding surged late under jockey Dan Nikolic to loom alongside Sousa, who was challenged by Rock Kingdom on his outside, and the trio flashed under the wire together. Stable spokesman Alan Denham confirmed Metal Bender would point to the Apr. 11 G1 AJC Derby back at Randwick, where he will bid to become the first horse since Octagonal (NZ) in 1996 to complete the Triple Crown. "He can stay all day and he is very, very strong," said Denham. "He probably came along the worst part of the going once again, but he was too strong at the finish. We tried to ride him closer today...because we did not think that the pace would be that strong." His rider added that while Metal Bender lacked "an electrifying finish, "He is genuine and he knows how to put his head out." Nikolic added, "He is a great little trier. I think the distance of the Derby will suit, and that is half the battle with these three-year-olds." [Click for the Racing Post chart.](#)

Saturday, Awapuni, New Zealand

**MANAWATU SIRES' PRODUCE S.-G1**, NZ\$200,000, Awapuni, 3-28, 2yo, 7fT, 1:22.53, gd.

1--**THE HECKLER (AUS)**, 123, g, 2, by Lucky Owners (NZ)

1st Dam: Comedy Cafe (Aus) (GSP-Aus),

by Rory's Jester (Aus)

2nd Dam: Larger Than Life (Aus), by Without Fear (Fr)

3rd Dam: Melanesta (GB), by Estaminet (GB)

(A\$26,000 wnl '07 INGASW). O-Sir Patrick Hogan, A J Sutherland, A C Timpson & P J Walker; B-R Pietrykowski; T-Murray & Bjorn Baker; J-Michael Coleman; NZ\$125,000. **Werk Nick Rating: A+.** [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

2--**St Fevre (Aus)**, 123, c, 2, [Dehere](#)--Miss Candy (Aus), by Canny Lad (Aus). (A\$110,000 yrl '08 INGEAS). O-R C Y Hui & R R McAnulty; B-M Shun; T-Chris McNab; NZ\$40,000.

3--**St Germaine (NZ)**, 120, f, 2, Keeper (Aus)--Selenium (NZ), by Straight Strike. O-Miss E L & N F Barnett, Mrs L P & Miss S A Godsalve, J E Harman, M J Hobbs, G E Jackson, S J Kember, D E Oatham & R A Riddell; B-Mrs P J Barnett & A J Godsalve; T-John Sargent; NZ\$20,000.

Margins: SHD, 2 1/4, SNK. Winner's Odds: 4.90.

Also Ran: Joey Massino (NZ), Corsage (NZ), Cat Woman (NZ), Obsession (NZ), Kaaptan (NZ), Te Akau Rose (NZ), Eileen Dubh (NZ), Our Saint (NZ), Ballybit (NZ), Keyora (NZ), Seven Schillings (NZ), Jacks (NZ), Veldt (NZ). Scratched: Gofonze (NZ), Warrentherooster (NZ), Engelbert (NZ), Forgiv Me Fartha (NZ).

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**Saturday, Turffontein, South Africa**

**SA CLASSIC-G1**, R2,000,000, Turffontein, 3-28, 3yo, 1 1/8mT, 1:50.37, gd.

- 1--**FOREST PATH (SAF)**, 126, g, 3, by Fort Wood  
 1st Dam: Money Trail (SAf), by Northern Guest  
 2nd Dam: Summer Wonder (SAf), by Royal Prerogative (GB)  
 3rd Dam: Indian Summer, by Toronto

O-Mrs B D Oppenheimer; B-Mauritzfontein Stud; T-Mike de Kock; J-Raymond Danielson; R1,250,000. Lifetime Record: 10 starts, 4 wins, 4 places, R1,815,125. \*Full to Reef Road (SAf), GSW & G1SP-SAf.

- 2--**Cerise Cherry (SAf)**, 126, c, 3, Goldkeeper--Cherry Girl (SAf), by Pochard (Arg). O-Mr J Abreu; B-Paul Matchett; T-M Mienie; R400,000.

- 3--**Sporting Boy (SAf)**, 125, g, 3, Sportsworld--Megeve (SAf), by Northfields. O-S Cardillo, G L Blank, J Gerber, D Yutar & H N Yutar; B-Sandown Stud; T-Alec Laird; R200,000.

Margins: 1, NK, NK. Odds: 13-2, 6-1, 40-1.

While Mike de Kock had his attentions focused on Nad al Sheba, Forest Path delivered another major prize on home soil after toughing it out here. Having won the G1 Golden Horseshoe at Greyville in July, he warmed up for this test with a second in the Pinnacle S. over seven furlongs of this circuit last time Mar. 14. The chestnut, settled close to the early fractions by Raymond Danielson, overhauled the perennial bridesmaid Cerise Cherry in the final strides.

**Saturday, Turffontein, South Africa**

**SA FILLIES CLASSIC-G1**, R1,000,000, Turffontein, 3-28, 3yo, f, 1 1/8mT, 1:50.92, gd.

- 1--**GYPSY'S WARNING (SAF)**, 126, f, 3, by Mogok  
 1st Dam: Gypsy Queen (SAf), by Royal Chalice (SAf)  
 2nd Dam: Sara's Warning, by Caveat  
 3rd Dam: Apsara, by Dancer's Image

O-Team Valor & R A Griffiths; B-Rathmor Stud; T-Ormond Ferraris; J-Piere Strydom; R625,000. Lifetime Record: 10 starts, 5 wins, 4 places, R1,217,500. \*1/2 to Surabi (SAf) (Wolfhound), GSW-SAf.

- 2--**Zirconium (SAf)**, 126, f, 3, Jallad--Sweet Sheila (Aus), by Kenmare (Fr). O-C S Haynes, G M Grant, A M Haynes, D J Haynes, M F de Kock & H S Haynes; B-Bush Hill Stud; T-Mike de Kock; R200,000.

- 3--**Sweet Theresa (SAf)**, 126, f, 3, Strike Smartly--Sweet Antonia, by The Prime Minister. O-Team Valor International; B-Maine Chance; T-Ormond Ferraris; R100,000.

Margins: 2, 2 3/4, HF. Odds: 6-4, 5-2, 14-1.

Also Ran: Kiribati (SAf), Golden Scold (Brz), On Her Toes (SAf), Captain's Gal (SAf), Bastille Belle (SAf), Autumn Gold (SAf), Candy Singer (Arg), Sharp Mistress (SAf), Loupe (SAf), Fakazi (SAf), Bedloe's Island (SAf), Majestic Legend (Aus).

With a game third behind Dancer's Daughter (GB) in the Feb. 28 G1 Empress Club S. under her belt, Gypsy's Warning held rock-solid credentials and rewarded heavy support with a second success at the highest level. Having beaten Zirconium in the G1 Thekwini Fillies S. at Clairwood in July, the bay ran third in the Dec. 6 G2 Ipi Tombe Challenge before returning to the winner's spot after a graduation plate here at the end of the year. She added to her tally in the G3 Acacia H. Feb. 7 and rebounded from her Empress effort with this suitably authoritative success. Taking a lead from her stable companion Sweet Theresa early, she was asked to settle the result passing the quarter pole by Piere Strydom and, after a brief challenge from Zirconium, drew away in the run to the line. Gypsy Warning's victory gave ownership syndicate Team Valor, formed in 1987, its 200th stakes triumph.



Stakes Results cont.

Saturday, Nakayama, Japan

**NIKKEI SHO-G2**, ¥123,440,000, Nakayama, 3-28, 4yo/up, 2500mT, 2:31.20, fm.

1--**@AL NASRAIN (JPN)**, 126, h, 5, by **Admire Vega (Jpn)**

1st Dam: **Elatis**, by **El Gran Senor**

2nd Dam: **Summer Review**, by **Graustark**

3rd Dam: **Raise a Baby**, by **Raise a Native**

O-Sunday Racing; B-Northern Farm; T-Shigeki Matsumoto; J-Masayoshi Ebina; ¥65,008,000.

Lifetime Record: 16-5-2-3. \*1/2 to **Tsurumaru Glamor (Jpn)** (Fuji Kiseki {Jpn}), SP-Jpn, \$156,262.

**Werk Nick Rating: A. Click for the eNicks report and 5-cross pedigree.**

2--**Meiner Kitz (Jpn)**, 126, h, 6, Chief Bearhart--Meine Kanna (Jpn), by **Soccer Boy (Jpn)**. O-Thoroughbred Club Ruffian; B-Big Red Farm; ¥26,288,000.

3--**Monte Kris S (Jpn)**, 123, c, 4, Symboli Kris S--Kei Woman (Ire), by **Last Tycoon (Ire)**. O-Yoshiaki Mori; B-Shimokobe Farm; ¥16,144,000.

Margins: 3/4, HD, 5. Odds: 5.70, 21.10, 5.50.

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Saturday, Hanshin, Japan

**MAINICHI HAI-G3**, ¥76,770,000, Hanshin, 3-28, 3yo, 1800mT, 1:48.00, fm.

1--**#IRON LOOK (JPN)**, 123, c, 3, by **Admire Boss (Jpn)**

1st Dam: **Luca Dance (Jpn)**, by **Hector Protector**

2nd Dam: **Dance Dance Dance (Jpn)**, by **Nice Dancer**

3rd Dam: **Recess**, by **Stop the Music**

O-Kazuma Ikegami; B-Northern Farm; T-Kojiro Hashiguchi; J-Futoshi Komaki; ¥40,539,000. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-1. **Werk Nick Rating: B+ . Click for the eNicks report and 5-cross pedigree.**

2--**Golden Ticket (Jpn)**, 123, c, 3, King Kamehameha (Jpn)--**Agnes Chocolat (Jpn)**, by **Sunday Silence**.

O-Shadai Race Horse; B-Shadai Farm; ¥16,154,000.

3--**Apres un Reve (Jpn)**, 123, c, 3, Symboli Kris S--**Reve d'Oscar (Fr)**, by **Highest Honor (Fr)**. O-Sunday Racing; B-Northern Farm; ¥10,077,000.

Margins: HF, 3/4, NO. Odds: 1.70, 80.90, 2.60.

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**Sunday, Chukyo, Japan**

**TAKAMATSUNOMIYA KINEN-G1**, ¥186,200,000,

4yo/up, 1200mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY
1	Cosmo Bell	Formal Dinner	Sato
2	Soldier's Song (Jpn)	Sunday Silence	Kitamura
3	Apollo Dolce	Officer	Katsuura
4	Sleepless Night (Jpn)	Kurofune	Uemura
5	Tosho Courage (Jpn)	Last Tycoon (Ire)	Uchida
6	Western Dancer (Jpn)	Dehere	Kawada
7	Urban Street (Jpn)	Swept Overboard	Fukunaga
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13	Laurel Guerreiro (Jpn)	King Halo (Jpn)	Fujita
14	Dragon Fang (Jpn)	Taiki Shuttle	Fujioka
15	Urbanity (Jpn)	Manhattan Cafe (Jpn)	Yokoyama
16	B B Guldán (Jpn)	Chief Bearhart	K Take
17	Spring Song (Jpn)	Sakura Bakushin 0 (Jpn)	Ikezoe
18	Joyful Heart (Jpn)	Sakura Bakushin 0 (Jpn)	Dazai

All carry 125 pounds, except Cosmo Bell, Sleepless Night, Western Dancer & Halo Fuji, 121.

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**Sunday, Gulfstream Park, post time: 5:14 p.m. EDT**

**RAMPART S.-GII**, \$150,000, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1	Ginger Brew	Milwaukee Brew	Lynch	3-1
2	So Glitzy	Gilded Time	H Jerkens	15-1
3	One Caroline	Unbridled's Song	Arnold	5-2
4	Hamsa	Fusaichi Pegasus	Tagg	4-1
5	Sea Chanter	War Chant	Pletcher	5-1
6	Striking Tomisue	Smart Strike	Zito	4-1
7	African Violet	Lemon Drop Kid	Motion	10-1

**One Caroline** looks to take her record to five from five and will be heavily favored to do just that. Accorded ☆ **"TDN Rising Star"** ☆ status off an impressive Churchill allowance score last June, the grey filly returned from a layoff to win a second-level allowance Jan. 15 and earned her first graded-stakes success with a popular one-length success in the GIII Sabin S. Feb. 20. **Ginger Brew** cut out her reputation on turf and Polytrack last year, winning the grassy Calder Oaks in Florida before taking the Woodbine Oaks and finishing runner-up by a head in the Queen's Plate en route to a Sovereign Award. Third in the Marshua's River S. on this turf course Jan. 11, the homebred was last seen finishing fifth by 3/4 of a length in the GIII Endeavour S. at Tampa. She makes just the second start of her career on conventional dirt today.

**Sunday, Santa Anita, post time: 4:07 p.m. PDT**

**SANTA PAULA S.-GIII**, \$100,000, 3yo, f, 6 1/2f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1	Beltene	Unusual Heat	Carava	3-1
2	Empressive Lady	Empire Maker	Mullins	7-2
3	Pinkarella	Malibu Moon	O'Neill	10-1
4	Carlsbad	Rocky Bar	Mullins	2-1
5	Ultra Blend	Richly Blended	Sherman	6-1
6	Heartless Vixen	Lion Heart	Ellis	7-2

**Sunday, Saint-Cloud, France, post time: 4:20p.m.**

**PRIX EDMOND BLANC-G3**, €80,000, 4yo/up, 1mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	5	Full of Gold (Fr)	Gold Away (Ire)	Head-Maarek	128
2	1	Gris de Gris (Ire)	Slickly (Fr)	de Royer-Dupre	128
3	3	Forth the Millionkiss (Ger)	Dashing Blade (GB)	Ostmann	128
4	2	Racinger (Fr)	Spectrum (Ire)	F Head	126
5	4	Chopastair (Fr)	Astair (Fr)	Lemer	126
6	12	Arcadia's Angle	Aldebaran	Bary	126
7	11	Echoes Rock (Ger)	Tiger Hill (Ire)	Hofer	123
8	9	Konig Concorde (Ger)	Big Shuffle	Sprengel	123
9	8	Mharadono (Ger)	Sharp Prod	Hirschberger	123
10	6	Alnadana (Ire)	Danehill Dancer (Ire)	de Royer-Dupre	120
11	7	Verba (Fr)	Anabaa	Gibson	120
12	10	Japan (Ger)	Key Royal (Ger)	Smaga	120

**Sunday, Leopardstown, Ireland, post time: 3:00p.m.**

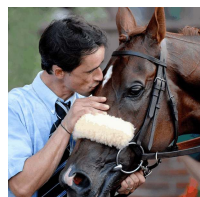
**LEOPARDSTOWN 2,000 GUINEAS TRIAL S.-G3**,

€65,000, 3yo, c/g, 1mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER
1	6	Intense Focus	Giant's Causeway	Bolger
2	2	Born to Be King	Storm Cat	A O'Brien
3	4	Hail Caesar (GB)	Montjeu (Ire)	A O'Brien
4	5	Liebermann (Ger)	Big Shuffle	Weld
5	3	Recharge (Ire)	Cape Cross (Ire)	Prendergast
6	1	Vocalised	Vindication	Bolger

All carry 126 pounds, bar Intense Focus, 129.

This sees the reintroduction of the G1 Dewhurst S. winner **Intense Focus**, who is forced to race under a penalty for his nose defeat of Lord Shanakill (Speightstown) in that Newmarket juvenile feature in October. He is joined by stable companion **Vocalised**, who captured a seven-furlong maiden here in September. They meet **Recharge** and **Hail Caesar**, who were fourth and fifth, respectively, in the G2 Beresford S. at The Curragh later that month.



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Sunday, Leopardstown, Ireland, post time: 4:05p.m.

**LEOPARDSTOWN 1,000 GUINEAS TRIAL S.-G3,**

€65,000, 3yo, f, 1mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER
1	11	Beauthea (Ire)	Barathea (Ire)	Rogers
2	6	Chintz (Ire)	Danehill Dancer (Ire)	Wachman
3	2	Dance Pass (Ire)	Sadler's Wells	Weld
4	3	Empress of France	Storm Cat	A O'Brien
5	9	Hallie's Comet (Ire)	One Cool Cat	Kinsella
6	4	Heart Shaped	Storm Cat	A O'Brien
7	7	Maoineach	Congaree	Bolger
8	10	Monivea (Ire)	Fasliyev	Nolan
9	1	Smart Coco	Smarty Jones	Stack
10	5	Undaunted Affair (Ire)	Spartacus (Ire)	K Ryan
11	8	What's Up Pussycat (Ire)	Danehill Dancer (Ire)	Wachman

All carry 126 pounds.

**Heart Shaped**, last seen being nosed out in the Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies Turf Oct. 24, spearheads the Ballydoyle team successful five times since the turn of the century. **Chintz** beat the subsequent G2 Rockfel S. winner Lahaleeb (Ire) (Redback {GB}) and **Hallie's Comet** in the G3 C L Weld Park S. at The Curragh on her final juvenile start in September, and poses a major threat.

Sunday, Sunland Park, post time: 7:45 p.m. EDT

**SUNLAND DERBY, \$800,000, 3yo, 1 1/8m**

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1	Valid Stripes	Valid Expectations	Amison	15-1
2	Santamoniacanyon	Soto	Vienna	12-1
3	Advice	Chapel Royal	Pletcher	6-1
4	Dumar	Maria's Mon	Asmussen	12-1
5	Mayor Marv	Distorted Humor	Baffert	7-2
6	Scorewithcater	Even the Score	O'Neill	6-1
7	Mythical Power	Congaree	Baffert	10-1
8	Kelly Leak	Runaway Groom	Machowsky	4-1
9	Mine That Bird	Birdstone	Woolley Jr	8-1
10	Infernal	Sir Cherokee	Hone	20-1
11	Mark S the Cooler	Johar	O'Neill	12-1
12	Smokin' Legend	Smoke Glacken	Grissom	20-1

All carry 122 pounds.

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**ALYSHEBA DIES** Former Horse of the Year **Alysheba** (Alydar--Bel Sheba, by Lt. Stevens), an epic winner of the GI Kentucky Derby in 1987, was euthanized Friday evening at the Hagyard Equine Medical Institute in Lexington, Kentucky, after sustaining a fall in his stall at the Kentucky Horse Park. He was 25. The bay, repatriated from Saudi Arabia in October, was transported



**Alysheba (1984-2009)**  
winning 1987 Kentucky Derby  
*Horsephotos*

via equine ambulance to Hagyard Friday afternoon. "Due to a chronic degenerative spinal condition that led to ataxia and instability, Alysheba fell in his stall yesterday, injuring his right hind femur," Kathy Hopkins, Kentucky Horse Park's director of equine operations,

said in a statement. "Complicated by his advanced age, this trauma resulted in severe pain that did not respond to analgesic therapy. The resulting pain and suffering, and the inability to stand unaided, led to a joint decision for euthanasia. This very difficult decision was made by the veterinary staff of Hagyard Medical, the veterinary staff of His Majesty King Abdullah, and those who loved and cared for him at the Kentucky Horse Park." John Nicholson, the Park's executive director, added, "Alysheba had just become part of the Kentucky Horse Park family last fall, and we were looking forward to having him for many years to come. Discussions with Dr. Slovis and King Abdullah's team, however, led us to conclude that this was the right thing to do for Alysheba, and Hagyard's staff performed admirably in such a difficult situation. I am grateful to His Majesty for giving us the opportunity to enjoy this special horse and share him again with his many fans, and I am happy that his last days were spent here on his native soil."

**Solid Start to Star's Career...**

Bred by Preston Madden, Alysheba was purchased as a yearling by Dorothy and Pamela Scharbauer for \$500,000 at Keeneland July in 1985. Trainer Jack Van Berg could only get him to win once in seven starts at two--a maiden at Turfway--but the blinkered bay ran second in both the GI Hollywood Futurity and GII Breeders' Futurity, and finished third in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile.

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"I thought he was special from the time we broke him at the farm," Van Berg recalled. "There were five or six two-year-olds that would gallop around all together, and he'd end up an eighth of a mile in front of them when they'd go once around. It was just a normal gallop for him; he wasn't trying to run off or anything, it was just his stride."

Alysheba began his sophomore season with a pair of defeats, but Van Berg soon discovered there was a reason for those disappointments.

"He had trapped epiglottitis, which we didn't know about," Van Berg explained. "I thought I just didn't have him fit enough. I gave him plenty of time to develop, and I don't work my horses fast. I kind of blame myself for him getting beat a couple of times."

After a procedure to correct the problem, Alysheba crossed the line first in the GI Blue Grass S. at Keeneland, but was disqualified and placed third for interference. Sent off at 8-1 nine days later in the Kentucky Derby, he rallied on the outside, only to have Bet Twice swerve into his path. He clipped heels once and stumbled badly, then swerved to avoid his wayward



*Horsephotos*

rival before driving past him to win by 3/4 of a length. Van Berg missed the drama, however.

"I didn't see it--my wife's hat blew up in my face," he said with a chuckle.

Two weeks later, Alysheba defeated Bet Twice by a half-length in a more cleanly run GI Preakness S., but couldn't land a blow in the final leg of the Triple

Crown. Bet Twice aired by 14 lengths in the GI Belmont S., with Alysheba only fourth, and wound up taking home a \$1-million bonus for the best overall performance in the Triple Crown Challenge. After finishing third in the GI Haskell Invitational H. and sixth in the GI Travers S., Alysheba rebounded with a win in the GI Super Derby at Louisiana Downs, and concluded 1987 with a second to Horse of the Year Ferdinand in a stirring renewal of the GI Breeders' Cup Classic at Hollywood Park. He received the Eclipse Award as the nation's champion three-year-old.

**America's Horse...**

Alysheba kicked off his four-year-old campaign with three consecutive California wins in the GI Charles H. Strub S., GI Santa Anita H. and GI San Bernadino H. while defeating Ferdinand in the latter two. He was



**Jack Van Berg & Alysheba**  
*Horsephotos*

fourth to nemesis Bet Twice in the Pimlico Special in May and returned west to finish second in the GI Hollywood Gold Cup in June, which proved to be the last time he tasted defeat. The big bay turned the tables on Bet Twice in the GI Philip Iselin H. in August, then set a track record of 1:59 2/5 in

winning the GI Woodward H. at Belmont in September. He notched another mark next out in sizzling 10 furlongs in 1:58 4/5 in the GI Meadowlands Cup in October, and closed out his career with a measured Breeders' Cup Classic success in the gloaming at Churchill Downs. Honored as Horse of the Year and champion older horse, Alysheba retired with a career mark of 26-11-8-2 and then-record earnings of \$6,679,242. He was elected to the Hall of Fame in 1993.

"We would have seen more as a five-year-old," Van Berg added.

As for Alysheba's less public persona, Van Berg offered, "He was very intelligent. He waited every morning for his peppermints, then lay back down to sleep for a couple of hours before going to the track. When we got to the track, he'd watch everybody and pose like he was a picture horse. He'd gallop and didn't mess around. John Cherry, the guy that rubbed him, was probably the biggest asset to him as anything because they got along."

**Denouement...**

Retired to Lane's End in 1989, Alysheba didn't live up to expectations as a stallion. His best offspring among 16 stakes winners were Alywow, Canada's Horse of the Year in 1994; Moonlight Dance, a Group 1 winner in France; the classy French filly Bright Moon; and millionaire Desert Waves. As a broodmare sire, the champion was represented by Hong Kong standout Bullish Luck (Royal Academy), as well as French highweights Vespone (Ire) (Llandaff) and Bright Sky (Ire) (Wolfhound). His winning daughter Bordighera produced a pair of stars in Grandera (Ire) (Grand Lodge), a multiple Group 1 winner for Godolphin; and the ill-fated George Washington (Ire) (Danahill), a brilliant winner of the G1 2000 Guineas in 2006. Alysheba was sold to Saudi Arabia in 1999, but King Abdullah announced last fall that he was returning the stallion to Kentucky as a "gift to the American people."

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**HOBEAU'S JACK DREYFUS DIES** John "Jack" Dreyfus, the founder of the Dreyfus Funds who became one of Thoroughbred racing's major owners, passed away Friday at the age of 95. Born in 1913 in Alabama, Dreyfus graduated from Lehigh University in Pennsylvania and is widely credited with "inventing" the mutual fund through direct marketing to the public. He sold his fund in the 1970s, then turned his attention to his advocacy of phenytoin, a drug used to control depression. He also authored "A Remarkable Medicine Has Been Overlooked," a book based on his own experiences. Dreyfus was the owner of Hobeau Farm in Ocala, Florida, which was sold in 2005 for over \$12 million. Dreyfus had a long and successful relationship with trainer Allen Jerkens, and it was via Dreyfus that Jerkens earned the title of "Giant Killer." Hobeau campaigned horses such as Beau Purple, who defeated Kelso three times in the 1960s; Onion, who took down Secretariat in the 1973 Whitney; and Prove Out, who also upset Secretariat in the 1973 Woodward. Other top horses campaigned in Hobeau's orange and light blue were Chas Conerly, Duck Dance and Kelly Kip. "Jack was just a great guy," Jerkens said from Florida. "I met him in 1962 when [former NYRA Vice President] Pat Lynch came up to me and said that Jack wanted to see me. Pat told me that Jack was building a new farm in Ocala and that I really should talk to him. I trained for him exclusively for 20 years. And then, one day, he told me I had better get some more owners because he didn't have enough good horses for me. He was just a terrific person."

**CALDER'S GIII MEMORIAL DAY REINSTATED**  
The American Graded Stakes Committee announced that Calder's Memorial Day H. has been reinstated as a Grade III event. It was not run as graded event in 2008 due to purse cuts at Calder, but the Miami track petitioned the committee to reconsider the race's status for the upcoming meet. The \$100,000 race for three-year-olds and up will be contested at mile and a sixteenth on the main track May 25.

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**TODAY'S  
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**1:44p HRTV 2nd-GPX, \$42K, Msw, f/m, 3yo/up, 6f**  
Janis Whitham homebred **IVORY EMPRESS** ([Seeking the Gold](#)), a half-sister to GISW Mea Domina (Dance Brightly), debuts for Ian Wilkes. The daughter of GSW & GISP Madame Pandit (Wild Again) worked five furlongs at Palm Meadows in 1:01 4/5 Mar. 24. Stronach homebred **Girl Can Rock** ([El Prado {Ire}](#)), a daughter of champion Yanks Music (Air Forbes Won); and **Cheer Up** ([Smart Strike](#)), a half-sister to GSW Change Up (Distorted Humor), also begin their careers. [brisnet.com pps](#)

**5:44p HRTV 8th-OPX, \$38K, OC 40K/N3L, 3yo/up, 6f**  
Unbeaten **EVERYDAY HEROES** ([Awesome Again](#)), a \$400K FTSAUG graduate, opened his account with a 4 1/4-length victory at Oaklawn Feb. 21, then scored by 1 1/4 lengths against allowance company Mar. 13. The Cash Counters colorbearer returns on quick notice here after working three furlongs in :39 4/5 Mar. 22. [brisnet.com pps](#)

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## ★ GULFSTREAM ★

### Yesterday's Results:

**7th-GPX, \$39,000, Alw, Opt. Clm.** (\$62,500), NW2\$X, 4yo/up, 7f, 1:21 4/5, ft.

1--**VITRUVIUS, 122, h, 5, E Dubai--Multiply, by Easy Goer.** (\$110,000 yrl '05 KEESEP). O-Centennial Farms; B-Gracefield & Hargus Sexton (KY); T-James A Jerkens. Lifetime Record: 7-3-1-1, \$94,706. \* 1/2 to Desert Hero (Sea Hero), GSW & G1SP, \$324,400; and Corinthian (Pulpit), GISW, \$916,000.

2--**Groomedforvictory, 122, g, 4, Victory Gallop--Minigroom, by Mt. Livermore.**

3--**Motovato, 122, c, 4, Proud Citizen--Buffalo Bird Woman, by Slew City Slew.** (\$150,000 wlng '05 KEENOV; \$75,000 yrl '06 KEESEP).

Margins: 1 1/4, HD, 1. Odds: 3.10, 2.30, 3.00.

Vitruvius, shut down for 2007 after finishing last of eight in the GII Jerome H., returned to finish third in a seven-furlong Belmont optional claimer May 15 after pressing the pace. Kept at the same level next out June 7, the dark bay retreated badly to beat one home when eighth in a one mile event at the Elmont oval. He was sent to the shelf once again after that effort and was facing the starter for the first time off the layoff here. After breaking from post seven in the field of nine, Vitruvius stalked the pace three wide in third, collared Mannington (Delaware Township) inside the eighth pole and was never threatened by the late rally of Groomedforvictory. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

### TODAY'S VIDEO HIGHLIGHTS



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**6th-GP (Alw) Justenuffhumor** (Distorted Humor), a half-brother to champion Dreaming of Anna (Rahy), stays perfect on grass.

**2nd-GPX (Alw) Santana Six** (Hold That Tiger) makes it two straight after finishing second behind Dunkirk (Unbridled's Song) in his debut.

**5th-GP (Msw) Glittermans Cartel** (Champali) upsets Barbaro's younger brother, **Nicanor** (Dynaformer).

**1st-GPX (Msw) Just Ben** (Speightstown) makes it look easy.

**8th-GPX, \$39,000, Alw, Opt. Clm.** (\$62,500), NW2\$X, 4yo/up, 1mT, 1:34 4/5, fm.

1--**ROGUE VICTORY, 122, c, 4, Victory Gallop--Romp and Stomp, by Olympio.** (\$200,000 yrl '06 KEESEP). O-Maybry Farm; B-Runnymede Farm Inc & Catesby W Clay Investment LLC (KY); T-George Weaver. Lifetime Record: 9-3-1-0, \$107,271.

2--**Blues Street, 122, g, 5, Street Cry (Ire)--Capote Blues, by Capote.** (\$85,000 yrl '05 KEESEP).

3--**Bernulli, 122, c, 4, Aldebaran--Soaring Softly, by Kris S.** (\$485,000 wlng '05 KEENOV; \$500,000 yrl '06 KEESEP). Margins: HD, 1 3/4, NK. Odds: 2.20, 3.80, 62.30.

Rogue Victory began the year with a first-level allowance victory at Gulfstream Jan. 7, then placed fourth at the next level Jan. 24. The chestnut finished sixth, beaten only 2 3/4 lengths, in the GIII Canadian Turf S. last time Feb. 28, and was slightly favored here. Placed toward the back beneath the red-hot Kent Desormeaux, he rallied in the stretch for the narrow victory. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

**6th-GPX, \$37,000, Alw, NW1\$X, 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:42 2/5, fm.**

**JUSTENUFFHUMOR (c, 4, Distorted Humor--Justenuffheart {MSW & GSP, \$373,229}, by Broad Brush)**, a half-brother to Dreaming of Anna (Rahy), Ch. 2yo Filly, GISW, \$2,024,550; and Lewis Michael (Rahy), MGSW, \$811,714, appears to have found a home on the lawn following a ninth-place finish over the Polytrack in his Keeneland debut last October. The \$550,000 KEESEP yearling turned in a nice rally to graduate over the Gulfstream spinach Jan. 14, and was the lukewarm 3-1 favorite to make it two straight. With Jermaine Bridgmohan aboard, he found himself with a lot to do trailing the field of 12 through the opening six furlongs. Swung out extremely wide on the turn for home, the Darley colorbearer came charging down the course to score by two lengths over Big Al (Repent). Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, \$43,200. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#) O-Darley Stable. B-Mt Brilliant Farm LLC (KY). T-Kiaran P McLaughlin.

**2nd-GPX, \$37,000, Alw, NW1\$X, 3yo, 1m, 1:35 4/5, ft.**

**SANTANA SIX (c, 3, Hold That Tiger--Back to Cape-town, by Cape Town)** completed the exacta behind GI Florida Derby morning-line favorite Dunkirk (Unbridled's Song) in his Jan. 24 debut, then stretched to a mile to graduate Feb. 21. Favored at 4-5 to make it two straight, he pressed Endymion (Tapit) for most of the way before drawing clear to take it over that one by 3 1/4 lengths. The victor was a \$7,000 RNA as a KEESEP yearling. Lifetime Record: 3-2-1-0, \$49,850. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O-My Meadowview Farm & Hurricane Boys. B-Hurricane Boys LLC (KY). T-Nicholas P Zito.



Gulfstream Report cont.

**5th-GPX, \$35,000, Msw, 3yo, 1m, 1:36, ft.**  
**GLITTERMANS CARTEL** (c, 3, **Champali**--**Angelic Deed**, by **Alydeed**), a \$40,000 FTKOCT yearling purchase, came within a nose of graduating over the Gulfstream lawn for an \$80,000 tag in his debut Feb. 11. Giving dirt a try here, the 4-1 chance controlled the early tempo, drew clear in the stretch and had to dig down deep to defeat 3-5 chalk **Nicanor** (Dynaformer) by a half-length. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$25,940. [Click for the brisnet.com chart.](#) [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O-B Stewart & D & P Nierzwicki. B-Eric Heitzmann (KY). T-Kenneth G McPeek.

**1st-GPX, \$35,000, Msw, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:09 1/5, ft.**  
**JUST BEN** (c, 3, **Speightstown**--**Chip {MGSW, \$448,032}**, by **Norquestor**), a \$230,000 KEESEP yearling purchase, reported home fourth, beaten 5 3/4 lengths in his Gulfstream bow Feb. 28. Last of seven to exit the stalls here, the 9-5 chance rushed up to challenge for the lead through an opening quarter of :22.03. With Kent Desormeaux aboard, the dark bay began to shake clear through a half mile in :44.39 and rolled home to a seven-length victory. **Mighty Score** (Successful Appeal), favored at 8-5, completed the exacta. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$22,750. [Click for the brisnet.com chart.](#) [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O-Zayat Stables LLC. B-Audley Farm (VA). T-Nicholas P Zito.

**12th-GPX, \$35,000, Msw, 3yo, 1m, 1:37 4/5, ft.**  
**JACOBY'S RUN** (c, 3, **Smoke Glacken**--**Missadryannaatto {SP}**, by **Green Dancer**) completed the exacta while racing for an \$80,000 tag last time Feb. 27, and was sent off as the 3-1 choice to go one better. Making his first start beyond six furlongs, he raced with the leaders in the early stages before gaining a short lead at the half-mile marker. With Jose Lezcano aboard, the \$43,000 KEESEP yearling and \$50,000 FTMMAY two-year-old dug in to record a neck victory over **Hennigan** (Hold That Tiger). The victor is a half to **Miss Mary Pat** (Service Stripe), MSW, \$102,863. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, \$26,290. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O-Brendon J Williams. B-Mueller Farms, Inc (KY). T-Timothy A Hills.

★ CANADA ★

**ORC Approves C\$20.9-Million Thoroughbred Horse Improvement Program:**

The Board of the Ontario Racing Commission approved the C\$20.9 million budget for this season's Thoroughbred Horse Improvement Program, it was announced. Highlights of the Horse Improvement Program, which provide incentives and rewards for Ontario Thoroughbred breeding and racing programs, include more than C\$6.1 million available to be won in Ontario-Bred Bonus; more than C\$3 million available for Breeders Awards; and more than C\$5.8 million in Program incentives.

★ CENTRAL ★

**Yesterday's Results:**

**CAROUSEL S.**, \$50,000, OPX, 3-28, 4yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:09 3/5, ft.

1--**PALANKA CITY, 119, f, 4, Carson City**--**Indian Sunset**, by **Storm Bird**. (\$60,000 yrl '06 KEESEP). O-William Stiritz; B-Overbrook Farm (KY); T-Terry Gestes; J-Christopher A Emigh; \$30,000. Lifetime Record: GSW, 17-8-3-1, \$295,295. \*Full to Quick Action, MSW & GSP, \$192,130.

2--**Solarana (Arg)**, 115, m, 6, **Mutakddim**--**Sorpresiva (Arg)**, by **Southern Halo**. (\$130,000 HRA '09 FTKFEB). O-Naveed Chowhan. \$10,000.

3--**Blowing Kisses**, 117, f, 4, **Vindication**--**Hookedonthefeelin**, by **Citidancer**. O-Vinery & Fox Hill Farm. \$5,000. Margins: 1HF, 4, 1HF. Odds: 0.50, 11.60, 2.60.

Palanka City powered to a 5 1/2-length victory in the Gill Miss Preakness S. last May, then ran fourth in the GI Test S. and Gill Victory Ride S. at Saratoga in August. The chestnut wired the field in her next appearance, the Sept. 27 Regal Rumor S. at Hawthorne, but was once again at the bottom of the superfecta in the Oct. 31 Dream Supreme H. at Churchill Downs. Freshened after that test, Palanka City returned to be second by a head in the Jan. 17 American Beauty S. at Oaklawn, and she was back in the winner's circle last time after the Feb. 21 Spring Fever S. A menacing second through the opening half here, the odds-on choice poked her head in front in the stretch and edged clear. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

**10th-FGX, \$42,000, Msw, 3yo, f, 5 1/2f (off turf), 1:05, ft.**  
**SHE'SA TOUGH TIGER** (f, 3, **Tiger Ridge**--**Frisky Cheerleader**, by **Roar**) set the pace before weakening to be third in a turf test at this trip Mar. 1. Trying the dirt after the late surface switch here, the 12-1 chance set sail from the start and had a little daylight at midstretch, but was all out to turn back the late charge of **Just Plain Wayne** (Mutakddim) by a neck. Lifetime: 2-1-0-1, \$29,820. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#) O-Muirhead, Coniglio & Ritman. B-Elizabeth H Muirhead (FL). T-Walter M Bindner Jr.



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## ★ SO. CALIFORNIA ★

### Yesterday's Results:

**SAN MIGUEL S.**, \$87,800, SAX, 3-28, 3yo, 6f (AWT), 1:09 2/5, ft.

1--**TRIUMPHANT FLIGHT, 122, c, 3, by Chullo (Arg)**  
**1st Dam: Jetinwith Kennedy (MSW, \$103,328), by Kennedy Road**

**2nd Dam: Blue Jet Set, by Blue Eyed Davy**

**3rd Dam: Shimmering, by Fleet Nasrullah**

(\$36,000 yrl '07 BES OCT). O-Tyler Seltzer; B-Applebite Farms (CA); T-J Eric Kruljac; J-Victor Espinoza; \$57,480. Lifetime Record: 5-3-2-0, \$206,543. \*1/2 to Jetin Excess (In Excess {Ire}), MSW & GISP, \$281,950; Jetinto Houston (Houston), MSW, \$282,885; and Jet West (Western Fame), MSW & G1SP-UAE, \$554,345.

2--**Charlie's Moment, 119, g, 3, Indian Charlie--Moment of Light, by Bold Revenue.** (\$17,000 yrl '07 KEESEP). O-Gramer, Pycz, Nicolarsen, Rasky & Solis. \$14,960.

3--**Turk, 117, c, 3, Vindication--Turkana, by Deputy Minister.** (\$20,000 yrl '07 KEESEP). O-Natalie J Baffert. \$8,976.

Margins: HF, 1, HD. Odds: 7.20, 3.30, 1.60.

Also Ran: Reynaldothewizard, Gotmymojojoworkin, Flashmans Papers (GB).

Triumphant Flight made his first start against open company here and was up to the task. A maiden winner versus state-breds at Hollywood in his June debut, the dark bay was beaten a nose in his next outing, the July 23 Graduation S. at Del Mar. He came back to take the Barretts Juvenile S. at Fairplex Sept. 14, and was last seen running second in the Oct. 5 Cal Cup Juvenile. An outsider in his return, Triumphant Flight went right to the lead, cut out a half in :45.49 and held off Charlie's Moment at the wire. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

**1st-SAX, \$57,040, Alw, NW1X, 4yo/up, f/m, a6 1/2ft, 1:13, fm.**

**FLASHOVER (f, 4, Unusual Heat--Air Force One, by Skywalker)**, eighth in Gulfstream's Sunshine Millions Filly & Mare Sprint in January, successfully made the transition to grass in her latest, annexing a \$25,000 optional claimer against state-breds Mar. 20. Given a 9-2 chance against open company this time, she trailed the field of six through an opening quarter of :21.25, but ran by 'em all to take it by a head. Surfer Girl (Brz) (Wild Event) completed the exacta. Lifetime Record: 7-4-1-0, \$109,000. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#) O-Barry Abrams, M Auerbach, LLC, Huston Racing, et al. B-Arams/Estevez/Huston, Joe/Johnson-Stoll & Young/Luzariaga (CA). T-Barry Abrams.

**7th-SAX, \$48,000, Msw, 3yo, f, 1 1/8mT, 1:48 2/5, fm.**

**WELL MONIED (f, 3, Maria's Mon--Queen of America, by Quiet American)**, a \$100,000 KEESEP yearling, completed the superfecta in all three of her previous attempts, including her turf bow at Santa Anita last time Feb. 27. Favored at 9-5 here, she reported home a 2 3/4-length winner after rallying from seventh. The victress is a half to Jimmy Simms (Lost Soldier), SW & GSP, \$142,835. Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-0, \$35,700. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#) O-C T Grether Inc. B-Occidental Thoroughbreds (KY). T-Howard L Zucker.

**5th-SAX, \$46,600, Msw, 3yo, f, 7f (AWT), 1:24, ft. HARD KISSES (f, 3, Toccet--Hunting Jade, by Jade Hunter)** closed from between horses to be third, beaten 3/4 of a length, when making her debut at Santa Anita Feb. 22. The bay was 5-1 to score at second asking. First out out of the gate, she tracked the pace from third and angled outside at the top of the lane. Set down for the drive, she forged to the front inside the final furlong and held Diamond Tags (Seeking the Gold) safe, scoring by 1 1/4 lengths. The winner was a \$50,000 KEEJAN and a \$100,000 KEESEP yearling, and blossomed into a \$210,000 OBSAPR juvenile. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$32,400. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O-Patti & Hal J Earnhardt III. B-James A & Janeane A Everatt & J Arika Everatt-Meeuse (ON). T-Bob Baffert.

### THIS DATE IN HISTORY...

**March 29, 1917...Man o'War**, winner of 20 of his 21 career starts, was foaled at Nursery Stud, Lexington, Ky.

**March 29, 1969...Diane Crump** became the first female jockey to win a stakes race when she took the Spring Fiesta Cup at the Fair Grounds aboard Easy Lime.

**March 29, 1988...Jockey Pat Day** won his 4,000<sup>th</sup> race, guiding Ann's Bid to victory in the ninth race at Oaklawn Park.

**March 30, 1970...Secretariat** was foaled at The Meadow in Doswell, Va.

**March 30, 1985...Jockey Laffit Pincay Jr.** became the second jockey in history to surpass Johnny Longden's record of 6,032 victories, riding Sovereignty to win the sixth race at Santa Anita.

**April 1, 1940...**New York legalized parimutuel wagering and outlawed bookmakers at the state's racetracks.



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- BIRDSTONE** (Grindstone), Gainesway, \$10K, 114/18/4  
5-OP, Stk, 6f, Texas Birdstone  
12-SUN, Stk, 1 1/8m, Mine That Bird, \$10K FTK OCT yrl, 8-1
- BOWMAN'S BAND** (Dixieland Band), Lane's End, \$6K, 101/9/1  
4-AQU, Msw, 1m, Defarge, \$20K ESM AY 2yo, 5-2
- CHAPEL ROYAL** (Montbrook), Ashford, \$10K, 279/50/1  
12-SUN, Stk, 1 1/8m, Advice, \$170K OBS FEB 2yo, 6-1  
6-FG, Aoc, 5 1/2fT, Chapel by the Sea, 6-1
- CITY PLACE** (Storm Cat), Hartley, 89/11/0  
5-SUN, Alw, 6 1/2f, Cityfied, 8-1
- CONGAREE** (Arazi), Adena Springs KY, \$15K, 142/26/3  
12-SUN, Stk, 1 1/8m, Mythical Power, 10-1
- CUVEE** (Carson City), Gainesway, \$10K, 208/28/2  
9-MNR, Alw, 5 1/2f, Saber Dancer, \$87K FTK JUL yrl, 4-1
- EVEN THE SCORE** (Unbridled's Song), Millennium, \$9K, 170/21/3  
12-SUN, Stk, 1 1/8m, Scorewithcater, 6-1
- FRIENDS LAKE** (A.P. Indy), Airdrie, \$15K, 154/22/3  
10-FG, Msw, 5 1/2fT, Dalainey's Friend, 15-1
- JOHAR** (Gone West), Mill Ridge, \$20K, 105/13/0  
12-SUN, Stk, 1 1/8m, Mark S the Cooler, \$52K BAR MAR 2yo, 12-1
- LION HEART** (Tale of the Cat), Ashford, \$30K, 288/46/5  
4-SUN, Msw, 6f, Fly'n Lion, \$130K OBS JUN 2yo, 3-1  
8-SA, Stk, 6 1/2f, Heartless Vixen, \$65K KEE APR 2yo
- MEDAGLIA D'ORO** (El Prado {Ire}), Stonewall, \$35K, 251/33/5  
10-SUN, Stk, 1 1/16m, Gabby's Golden Gal, \$120K FTK JUL yrl, 7-2
- OCEAN TERRACE** (Saint Ballado), Mighty Acres, \$5K, 33/4/0  
9-TP, Msw, 1m, Cowboy At Heart, \$7K FTK OCT yrl
- OMEGA CODE** (Elusive Quality), Hartley, 175/26/1  
10-FG, Msw, 5 1/2fT, Evacuation Route, \$30K OBS WIN yrl, 8-1
- PEACE RULES** (Jules), Vinery, \$15K, 187/33/2  
8-PHA, Alw, 1m, Rule of Motion, \$30K OBS MAR 2yo, 3-1  
10-FG, Msw, 5 1/2fT, Persian, \$32K OBS AUG yrl, 6-1
- PLEASANTLY PERFECT** (Pleasant Colony), Lane's End, \$40K, 116/16/1  
5-TP, Msw, 1m, Verdant
- QUINTON'S GOLD** (Carson City), Doubletree, \$3K, 14/3/1  
9-SUN, Stk, 1m, Quinton's First, 20-1  
9-SUN, Stk, 1m, Lefty Who, 5-2
- RED SKY'S** (Skywalker), Fleming Tbred, \$2K, 54/2/1  
4-SUN, Msw, 6f, Mr. Kruidenier, \$12K BAR SUM 2yo, 20-1
- SEATTLE FITZ (ARG)** (Fitzcarraldo {Arg}), Buck Pond, \$7K, 68/7/1  
8-PHA, Alw, 1m, Izzy Fitzy, 4-1
- SIR CHEROKEE** (Cherokee Run), Crestwood, \$8K, 55/6/1  
12-SUN, Stk, 1 1/8m, Infernal, \$45K BAR MAR 2yo, 20-1

**Rookies cont.**

- SMARTY JONES** (Elusive Quality), Three Chimneys, \$100K, 161/14/1  
5-PHA, Msw, 1 1/16m, Smarty's Gold, 12-1
- SOTO** (Dehere), Walmac, \$8K, 68/9/2  
12-SUN, Stk, 1 1/8m, Santamonicacanyon, \$17K FTK JUL yrl, 12-1
- STANISLAVSKY** (Dehere), Highcliff, \$2K, 23/2/0  
7-AQU, Stk, 6f, Empty Wallet, 5-2
- STORED** (Coronado's Quest), Naylee, \$3K, 22/3/0  
6-CT, Alw, 7f, Stored Kisses, 5-2
- STORM OF GOSHEN** (Storm Cat), Callaway, \$2K, 21/2/0  
9-SUN, Stk, 1m, Magnificent Storm, \$1K RUI YRL yrl, 15-1
- SUPER QUERCUS (FR)** (Hero's Honor), Gallegos del Norte, 15/0/0  
9-SUN, Stk, 1m, Super Sapello, 20-1
- TEN MOST WANTED** (Deputy Commander), Gainesway, \$13K, 118/10/0  
10-SUN, Stk, 1 1/16m, Hudler, 9-2  
10-FG, Msw, 5 1/2fT, Sleeve, \$16K KEE SEP yrl, 12-1
- TENPINS** (Smart Strike), Walmac, \$7K, 126/17/2  
9-TP, Msw, 1m, +Rollovalos
- THE CLIFF'S EDGE** (Gulch), Vinery, \$2K, 125/18/1  
5-TP, Msw, 1m, +Premier Edge, \$45K KEE SEP yrl  
8-PHA, Alw, 1m, Pushed Over, \$25K KEE SEP yrl, 15-1  
3-GP, Msw, 1m, Our Edge, \$130K KEE SEP yrl, 6-1
- TOCCE** (Awesome Again), Castleton Lyons, \$15K, 157/25/0  
7-TP, Aoc, 1m, Toccet From Philly, \$64K CAN SEP yrl  
5-PHA, Msw, 1 1/16m, Bull Toccet, \$150K OBS MAR 2yo, 5-1
- VRONSKY** (Danzig), Old English, 29/2/0  
9-SA, Msw, 1mT, +Norvsky

★ AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS ★

**IN BRITAIN:**

**Saint Arch**, c, 3, **Arch**. See "Britain."

**Expresso Star**, c, 4, **War Chant**. See "Britain."

**Monfils Monfils**, g, 7, **Sahm--Sorpresa**, by Pleasant Tap.  
Doncaster, Britain, 3-28, Hcp, 4yo/up, 1 1/2mT.  
B-Douglas McIntyre. \* Full to Sahpresa, SW-Fr.

**IN IRELAND:**

**Designated Decoy**, g, 4, **Danzig**. See "Breeders' Edition, Europe."

**IN CHILE:**

**Monarca Europeo**, c, 4, **Monarchos--Formidable Dancer**,  
by Danzig. Club Hipico de Santiago, 3-27, Hcp,  
1100m. O-Stud Rico; T-Claudio Bernal. \* \$7,000 wnl  
'05 KEENOV.

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★  EUROPE ★

**FORTUNE LIKES THE VIEW** Jimmy Fortune is looking forward to his reunion with unbeaten **Rainbow View** (Dynaformer) in the G1 1000 Guineas at Newmarket. Having partnered George Strawbridge's filly in her four starts at two, the rider will be in the irons for a racecourse gallop at Newmarket's Craven meeting next month ahead of her May 3 Classic date. "I can't wait to get on her," Fortune said. "She's going to have a workout at the Craven meeting, but she isn't a filly that needs a lot of work, and hasn't done a whole lot yet. Hopefully, she will have wintered well and may not need to improve much. If she is at the same level as last year, she will take a lot of beating. You'd be very hopeful that she has wintered well, and she looks in great fettle." Looking ahead to the possibility of a tilt at the June 5 G1 Epsom Oaks, Fortune is hopeful the G1 Fillies' Mile heroine can stretch her stamina to that mile and a half. "She got the stiff mile at Ascot very well and when they do that, you'd say they will stay a mile and a quarter," he added. "She's bred to get a mile and a half and if a horse has got class, they can stay any trip."

★ BRITAIN ★

**Yesterday's Results:**

**CAMMIDGE TROPHY-Listed**, £40,000, Doncaster, 3-28, 3yo/up, 6fT, 1:10.62, gd/fm.

1--**PRIME DEFENDER (GB), 128, h, 5, Bertolini--Arian Da (GB), by Superlative (Ire)**. (14,000gns yrl '05 DONSEP). O-S Falle, M Franklin & J Sumsion; B-Christopher J Mason; T-Barry Hills; J-Michael Hills; £22,708. Lifetime Record: MSW & GSP-Eng, GSP-Ire, 27-5-4-3, £146,040.

2--**Pusey Street Lady (GB), 123, m, 5, Averti (GB)--Pusey Street Girl (GB), by Gildoran (Ire)**. (1,000gns yrl '05 DONOCT). £8,608.

3--**Knot in Wood (Ire), 128, g, 7, Shinko Forest (Ire)--Notley Park (Ire), by Wolfhound**. (10,000gns yrl '03 DONSEP). £4,308.

Margins: HF, 2 1/4, SHD. Odds: 3-1, 40-1, 10-1. Also Ran: Vitznau (Ire), Inxile (Ire), Max One Two Three (Ire), Beacon Lodge (Ire), Tamagin, Beaver Patrol (Ire), Internationaldebut (Ire), Quiet Elegance (GB), Hoh Hoh Hoh (GB), Music Box Express (GB). Scratched: Against the Grain (GB), Icelandic (GB), Skhilling Spirit (GB).

Since his second stakes success in Haydock's Listed Sandy Lane S. in May 2007, Prime Defender had failed to regain the winning thread, despite a string of consistent efforts that included a second in the G3 Sandown Sprint S. last July. The chestnut signed off with a sixth in the G3 Bengough Memorial S. at Ascot in October, but justified the crowd's faith when working his way from just off the pace and past Pusey Street Lady in the final 50 yards.

"That was very pleasing and he deserves it," rider Michael Hills said. "We never really had the horses where we wanted them last year and this fellow suffered a lot for it, but he still ran some very good races. Sprinters can get better as they get older, so hopefully he'll have a good year." [Click for the Racing Post chart. Video, courtesy of attheraces.](#)

**MAGNOLIA S.-Listed**, £40,000, Kempton Park, 3-28, 4yo/up, 1 1/4m (AWT), 2:06.85, stn.

1--**DANSANT (GB), 128, h, 5, Dansili (GB)--La Balagna (GB), by Kris (GB)**. (€20,000 wnlg '04 DEADEC; 53,000gns yrl '05 TATOCT). O-Barbara M Keller; B-Mrs Cino del Duca; T-Gerard Butler; J-Eddie Ahern; £22,708. Lifetime Record: 21-8-3-1, £172,490.

2--**Kandidate (GB), 125, h, 7, Kabool (GB)--Valleyrose (Ire), by Royal Academy**. (30,000gns wnlg '02 TATDEC; 26,000gns yrl '03 TATOCT). £8,608.

3--**Bronze Cannon, 125, c, 4, Lemon Drop Kid--Victoria Cross (Ire), by Mark of Esteem (Ire)**. £4,308.

Margins: HF, 3/4, 5. Odds: 9-4, 7-1, 13-8. Also Ran: Re Barolo (Ire), Alarazi (Ire), Halicarnassus (Ire), Ajhar, Bon Spiel (GB).

Dansant, a genuine Polytrack specialist, recorded a fifth stakes success when taking the Listed Quebec S. at Lingfield at the end of December. Runner-up in the Listed Winter Open S. back at that track Feb. 10, the bay was far from disgraced when sixth on the Pro-Ride in the Mar. 7 GI Santa Anita H. in his most recent trip postward. Restrained in mid-pack early as Kandidate enjoyed his customary front-running role, he needed the whole of the straight to get past that game rival, but dug in to prevail in the final strides. "He has grown up so much and proved he is a good horse today," owner Barbara Keller commented. "He was a bit unlucky in California last time and, hopefully, we'll be back there for the Breeders' Cup later this year." [Click for the Racing Post chart.](#)



[Lincoln H. \(15.55 DON\) Espresso Star \(War Chant\)](#) prevails in this rich contest.

[14.10 DON \(Cond\) Hearts of Fire \(GB\) \(Firebreak {GB}\)](#) becomes the first winner for his freshman sire.



**WILLIAM HILL LINCOLN H.**, £125,000, Doncaster, 3-28, 4yo/up, 1mT, 1:36.51, gd/fm.

- 1--**EXPRESSO STAR, 124**, c, 4, [War Chant](#)--Caffe Latte (Ire) (GISW-US & SW-Fr, \$676,872), by Seattle Dancer. O-H R H Princess Haya of Jordan; B-Stonerside Stable (KY); T-John Gosden; J-Jimmy Fortune; £77,887. Lifetime Record: 7-4-2-0, £97,429.
- 2--**Zaahid (Ire)**, 123, h, 5, Sakhee--Murjana (Ire), by Pleasant Colony. £23,325.
- 3--**Flipando (Ire)**, 125, g, 8, Sri Pekan--Magic Touch (GB), by Fairy King. (€50,000 yrl '02 GOF OCT). £11,662.

Margins: 2HF, 1 1/4, HD. Odds: 10-3, 11-1, 16-1.

Espresso Star was bred to be better than a handicapper, but John Gosden chose the softly, softly approach for the formative runs of his three-year-old campaign. After an 18-length maiden win at Hamilton in September, the bay registered a brace of similarly authoritative successes over 10 furlongs at Nottingham the following month before being put away for the winter. His homework in recent weeks had ensured the cat was out of the bag early, and the only doubt for favorite backers was the pondering of connections over the state of the ground. With enough give in the turf to prompt them to let him take his chance, the Stonerside-bred always traveled easily off the pace amongst the group racing on the far side. He was in control soon after being let loose before the quarter pole and was kept up to his work to comfortably keep Zaahid at bay in the closing stages. "I was very happy all the way, as he traveled well, and I wanted to settle it from 2 1/2 furlongs out as he stays well," jockey Jimmy Fortune explained. "The only concern I had was that the horses on my side couldn't lead me, and the far side ones were getting away, so I had to kick on a bit earlier than I wanted to. He's a lovely horse going the right way and is progressive, so you wouldn't know where he might end up." Click for the [Racing Post chart](#). [Video, courtesy of attheraces](#).

**Doncaster, 14.45, Hcp**, £50,000, 4yo/up, 1mT, 1:37.97, gd/fm.

**MANASSAS (IRE)** (g, 4, [Cape Cross {Ire}](#)--Monnavanna {Ire} {SW & GSP-Fr, SW-GB}, by Machiavellian) had raced just once after finishing seventh in the 2007 G1 Prix Jean-Luc Lagardere, trailing in a Sandown conditions event last April. Sent off at 22-1 for this Spring Mile--a consolation for those who failed to make the cut for the feature Lincoln H.--the homebred raced behind the leaders stuck wide of the stands-side group before moving through to head his peers before the eighth pole. He was in front overall soon after and was driven out to beat Extraterrestrial (GB) (Mind Games {GB}) by a half-length. "He had been working well with the horses running in Dubai today, and he's done it well," jockey Dane O'Neill commented. [Video, courtesy of attheraces](#). Lifetime Record: 5-2-0-1, £36,248. O-/B-Rebecca Philipps; T-Brian Meehan.

**Doncaster, 14.10, Cond**, £17,500, 2yo, 5fT, :59.71, gd/fm. + **HEARTS OF FIRE (GB)** (c, 2, [Firebreak {GB}](#)--[Alexander Ballet {GB}](#), by [Mind Games {GB}](#)), sent off at 12-1 for this British turf flat season's traditional opener, showed a professional attitude from the outset by racing close to the strong pace. Gaining the edge passing the quarter pole, the bay colt quickened when challenged soon after to assert for a convincing 2 1/4-length defeat of Archers Road (Ire) (Titus Livius {Fr}). "Pat [Eddery] has done a lot of work with the two-year-olds and got them very forward," jockey and brother Paul Eddery said. "We knew he'd run well, as he's been very natural and has a fantastic temperament." Hearts of Fire becomes a fitting first winner for his freshman sire (by Charnwood Forest {Ire}), a two-time winner of the G2 Godolphin Mile for the boys in blue. He was a 6,000gns TATDEC weanling and 13,000gns DONAUG yearling. [Video, courtesy of attheraces](#). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, £11,333. O-Pat Eddery Racing (Detroit); B-Bearstone Stud; T-P Eddery.

**Kempton Park, 13.50, Hcp**, £12,000, 3yo, 1m (AWT), 1:39.21, stn.

**SAINT ARCH** (c, 3, [Arch](#)--[Halo Silver](#), by [Silver Buck](#)), successful on debut in a Folkestone maiden in October and a conditions event at Lingfield the following month, was sent off the 11-4 joint-favorite. The \$115,000 KEESAP yearling and 82,000gns TATAPR juvenile shared the lead until asserting to take control before halfway. Turning the screw in the straight, he held a 2 1/2-length advantage over Royal Executioner (Royal Academy) at the line. Lifetime Record: 3-3-0-0, £13,953. O-Sheikh Hamdan bin Mohammed Al Maktoum; B-Ascot Thoroughbreds; T-Mark Johnston.

**Kempton Park, 16.10, Mdn**, £8,000, 2yo, 5f (AWT), 1:01.21, stn.

+ **STAR ROVER (IRE)** (c, 2, [Camacho {GB}](#)--[Charlene Lacy {Ire}](#), by [Pips Pride {GB}](#)), sent off at 12-1, belied those odds with a quick break and an early one-length lead. Quickening inside the final quarter, the €17,000 TATIRE yearling pulled clear despite hanging left for a four-length success from Out the Ring (Ire) (Acclamation {GB}). He marks the first winner for his freshman sire (by Danehill). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, £5,181. O-Christy Leo; B-Yeomanstown Stud; T-David Evans.

**Doncaster, 16.30, Mdn**, £7,000, 3yo, 10f 60ydsT, 2:13.58, gd/fm.

**EVERYNIGHT (IRE)** (c, 3, [Rock of Gibraltar {Ire}](#)--[Rasana {GB}](#), by [Royal Academy](#)), fourth on debut at Nottingham in November, raced behind the early leaders and challenged down the fence inside the final quarter. Getting to the front with 100 yards remaining, the 16-1 shot held on to record a short-head success from Above Average (Ire) (High Chaparral {Ire}). [Video, courtesy of attheraces](#). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, £4,773. O-Tenuta Dorna di Montaltuzzo Srl; B-A Panetta; T-Marco Botti.



## ★ FRANCE ★

Sunday, Saint-Cloud, post time: 3:50p.m.

**PRIX FRANCOIS MATHET**-Listed, €55,000, 3yo, c/g, 1 1/4mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER
1	1	Cavalryman (GB)	Halling	Fabre
2	6	Fuisse (Fr)	Green Tune	Head-Maarek
3	5	On est Bien (Ire)	Enrique (GB)	Lellouche
4	3	Marinous (Fr)	Numerous	F Head
5	7	Skins Game (GB)	Diktat (GB)	Rouget
6	4	Anticenter	Kingmambo	Pease
7	2	Allybar (Ire)	King's Best	Laffon-Parias

All carry 123 pounds.

## ★ ITALY ★

Sunday, Pisa, post time: 6:20p.m.

**119th PREMIO PISA**-Listed, €72,900, 3yo, 7 1/2fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER
1	8	Ad Honores	Tejano Run	Menichetti
2	1	Adragon (Ity)	Denon	Mariani
3	2	Big Tower (Ire)	American Post (GB)	di Napoli
4	3	Blu Air Schan (Ity)	Blu Air Force (Ire)	Bonfante
5	7	Desert Cry (Ire)	Desert Prince(Ire)	B Grizzetti
6	4	Ragtimeband (Ire)	Danetime (Ire)	Saia
7	5	Seminole Shield (Ity)	Philomatheia	Fois
8	6	Seul Blue (Ity)	Tout Seul (Ire)	Menichetti

All carry 123 pounds, bar Desert Cry, 126.

**NOTE:** Results of the SGA Breeze-Up Sale will appear in Monday's *TDN*.

## ★ GERMANY ★

Sunday, Dusseldorf, post time: 4:00p.m.

**WETTENLEIP DUSSELDORF - PREIS DER**

**DREIJAHRIGEN**-Listed, €20,000, 3yo, 7 1/2fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER
1	2	Caerleon Wind (Ire)	Ransom o'War	Wohler
2	1	Mantoro (Ger)	Dashing Blade (GB)	Hofer
3	5	Marito (Ger)	Alkalde (Ger)	Baltromei
4	3	Sabantuy (GB)	Mujahid	von der Recke
5	6	Beltana (Ger)	Areion (Ger)	Smrczek
6	4	Bum Bum (Fr)	Giant's Causeway	Schiergen

All carry 128 pounds, bar Beltana & Bum Bum, 124.



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## AUSTRALASIA



### GROUP WINNER BY U.S. SIRE:

**Solo Flyer (Aus)**, c, 4, [Belong to Me](#)--Fly the Flag (NZ), by Sir Tristram (Ire). Rosehill (Sydney), 3-28, Ajax S.-G2, 3yo/up, 7 1/2fT, A\$97,500 to winner. B-Mr G Harvey; T-Anthony Cummings. \*Second dam is champion Horlicks (NZ) (Three Legs {GB}), winner of the G1 Japan Cup in 1989.

### GROUP WINNERS BY EUROPEAN SIRE:

#[@Indian Ocean \(Aus\)](#), f, 2, [Danehill Dancer \(Ire\)](#)--Dashkova (Aus), by Fasliyev. Rosehill (Sydney), 3-28, Magic Night S.-G2, 2yo, f, 6fT, A\$97,500 to winner. B-Roncon, Austramore Pty Ltd, Mr Demi O'Byrne, Mr Clem Murphy, Marengo Investments, Cobra Bloodstock, Mr John Nagle & Mr Adrian Nicoll; T-Tim Martin.

**Gamble Me (Aus)**, f, 4, [Rock of Gibraltar \(Ire\)](#)--Good Gamble, by Pleasant Tap. Rosehill (Sydney), 3-28, Birthday Card S.-G3, 3yo/up, f/m, 6fT, A\$81,250 to winner. B-Gooree Park Stud Pty Ltd; T-Gai Waterhouse.

## BREEDERS' EDITION AMERICA

### STAKES RESULTS:

**CRESCENT CITY OAKS**, \$75,000, FGX, 3-28, (S), 3yo, f, 1 1/16m, 1:46 1/5, ft.

1--[#SEVEN SEVENTYTHREE, 121, f, 3, Littleexpectations](#)--News Scene, by Orbit's Scene. (\$17,000 yrl '07 TEXAUG). O-Heiligbrodt Racing Stable; B-Ryder River Ridge Farm (LA); T-Steven M Asmussen; J-Robby Albarado; \$45,000. Lifetime Record: 8-3-1-1, \$130,300.

2--[Muffin, 121, f, 3, Smart Strike](#)--Sparkles of Luck, by Mr. Sparkles. \$15,000.

3--[Warrior Maid, 121, f, 3, Holy Bull](#)--Rejoice, by Marsayas. \$8,250.

Margins: NK, 6, 6. Odds: 2.80, 13.00, 1.00.

**CRESCENT CITY DERBY**, \$75,000, FGX, 3-28, (S), 3yo, 1 1/16m, 1:46 2/5, ft.

1--[MILWAUKEE MIRACLE, 122, c, 3, Milwaukee Brew](#)--Miners Miracle, by Prized. O/B-Tom Curtis & Wayne Simpson (LA); T-Robert A Young; J-Gabriel Saez; \$45,000. Lifetime Record: 8-4-0-2, \$130,630.

2--[Break Up, 122, c, 3, Sunday Break \(Jpn\)](#)--Ramp Up, by Boundary. \$15,000.

3--[Silent Pipe, 122, g, 3, Kimberlite Pipe](#)--Silent Witness, by Yukon. \$8,250.

Margins: 4 1/4, 1 1/4, 2 3/4. Odds: 5.30, 12.80, 5.60.



**HAPPY TICKET S.**, \$60,000, FGX, 3-28, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:04 3/5, ft.

- 1--**#ALPHADOODLE, 122, f, 4, Cape Canaveral--To Little J D (MSP, \$100,424), by King's Nest.** O/B-John Duvieilh & Keith J & Earl J Hernandez (LA); T-Frank Leggio; J-Robby Albarado; \$36,000. Lifetime Record: 11-5-2-1, \$174,065. \*1/2 to J D Man (Rail), SW, \$155,781; Simma Down (Miswaki), SW, \$137,262.
- 2--**Coach Mike, 122, m, 5, Toolighttoquit--Smart Lady,** by Northern Prospect. \$12,000.
- 3--**Sax Appeal, 124, f, 4, Successful Appeal--Louetta,** by Hadif. \$6,600.
- Margins: 2, NK, 4. Odds: 9.00, 0.90, 2.10.

**JOHN E. JACKSON JR. MEMORIAL S.**, \$60,000, FGX, 3-28, (S), 4yo/up, 5 1/2f, 1:04 3/5, ft.

- 1--**MR. PORTER, 120, g, 5, Road Rush--Wishihadwings,** by Malagra. O-Maggi Moss; B-Ellis Land Company Inc (LA); T-Thomas M Amoss; J-James Graham; \$36,000. Lifetime Record: 28-5-6-4, \$218,340.
- 2--**Myoldmansam, 120, h, 5, Leestown--Carols** Saratogasix, by Saratoga Six. \$12,000.
- 3--**Ide Like a Double, 116, c, 4, Ide--Make Mine a** Double, by Carr de Naskra. \$6,600.
- Margins: HF, 3/4, 1 3/4. Odds: 2.60, 6.40, 3.60.

**STRATE SUNSHINE S.**, \$52,250, HAW, 3-28, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:46, ft.

- 1--**KATHLEENS REEL, 117, m, 5, Lemon Drop Kid--Coral Sea, by Rubiano.** (\$5,000 yrl '05 KEESEP). O-Eagle Valley Farm; B-W S Farish, E J Hudson Jr Irrevocable Trust, et al (KY); T-Frank J Kirby; J-Inez Karlsson; \$31,350. Lifetime Record: MGSP, 22-6-3-4, \$230,959. \*1/2 to Cool Coal Man (Mineshaft), GSW & GISP, \$491,974.
- 2--**Home's the Best, 117, m, 5, Western Playboy--Home** First, by Home At Last. \$10,450.
- 3--**De Star Xpress, 117, f, 4, Sea of Secrets--Farewell** Tour, by Son of Briartic. \$5,747.
- Margins: 3 1/4, 5, 4HF. Odds: 8.20, 6.30, 3.80.

**RAINBOW MISS S.**, \$50,000, OPX, 3-28, (S), 3yo, f, 6f, 1:11, ft.

- 1--**#AFFIRMED TRUTH, 122, f, 3, Proudest Romeo--Encore Amour, by Affirmed.** O/B-Dr K K Jayaraman & Dr V Devi Jayaraman (AR); T-Tim A Ice; J-Jon Kenton Court; \$30,000. Lifetime Record: 6-3-0-0, \$75,000.
- 2--**Time Well Spent, 116, f, 3, Storm and a Half--Brass** Doll, by Dixie Brass. (\$25,000 2yo '08 TEXMAR). \$10,000.
- 3--**Smell the Roses, 117, f, 3, Storm and a Half--Toga** Rose, by Saratoga Six. \$5,000.
- Margins: 1, 6, 3/4. Odds: 0.50, 3.20, 24.00.

**HARRISON E. JOHNSON MEMORIAL H.**, \$50,000, LRL, 3-28, 3yo/up, 1 1/8m, 1:50 1/5, sy.

- 1--**#BULLSBAY, 116, h, 5, Tiznow--The Hess Express (MSP, \$154,993), by Lord Carson.** (\$130,000 yrl '05 KEESEP). O-Mitchell Ranch LLC, Frank Lewkowitz & Joe Rice; B-Brad Anderson (KY); T-H Graham Motion; J-Jeremy Rose; \$30,000. Lifetime Record: GSP, 14-5-5-1, \$233,913.
- 2--**Senior, 111, h, 5, Arch--Croupier, by Go for Gin.** (\$32,000 yrl '05 KEESEP). \$10,000.
- 3--**Admiral's Cruise, 115, h, 7, A.P. Indy--Ladies Cruise,** by Fappiano. \$5,500.
- Margins: 3/4, 2, 1 3/4. Odds: 2.30, 15.80, 6.10.

**ROYAL NORTH S.**, \$50,000, BEU, 3-28, (S), 3yo, f, 6f, 1:12, ft.

- 1--**SLIDES CHOICE, 120, f, 3, Devil His Due--Slide** Along (MSP), by Binalong. O-Mary Crawford & Gerald Brown; B-Stephen Cronenwett & Mary Crawford (OH); T-Timothy E Hamm; J-Cesar Camaque; \$30,000. Lifetime Record: 4-3-1-0, \$104,100. \*1/2 to Magg's Choice (Mercer Mill), MSW, \$121,820.
- 2--**Yankee Cruz, 118, f, 3, Yankee Victor--Santa Cruz,** by Carson City. \$9,000.
- 3--**S R Four Queens, 118, f, 3, Royal Academy--S R** Queen, by Avatar. \$5,000.
- Margins: 3/4, 7 3/4, 1 3/4. Odds: 1.70, 2.50, 7.30.

**ALLOWANCE RESULTS:**

**9th-FGX, \$52,000, (S), 4yo/up, 1m (off turf), 1:37 3/5, ft.**

**CLASSY DEELITES (g, 4, Afternoon Deelites--Classy** Aly, by Sky Classic) Lifetime Record: SW, 12-5-1-3, \$182,180. O-Moran Racing Stable Inc. B-Allen Guillotte Jr (LA). T-Howard Alonzo.

**9th-FGX, \$48,000, 3-27, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), NW2X,** (S), 4yo/up, 1m (off turf), 1:39 2/5, sy.

**WILTOSUCCEED (h, 6, Successful Appeal--Wild Devil,** by Wild Again) Lifetime Record: MSP, 31-3-8-6, \$204,197. O-Stanley B Seelig. B-Heiligbrodt Racing Stable (LA). T-Patrick Mouton.

**4th-FGX, \$46,000, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000), NW2X,** 4yo/up, f/m, 1m (off turf), 1:39 1/5, ft.

**MA RAINEY (f, 4, Pulpit--Stage, by Sultry Song)** Lifetime Record: 10-4-1-0, \$103,800. O-Heflin & Driver Racing, GP. B-Claiborne Farm & Robert Kirkham (KY). T-Cody Autrey. \*\$50,000 yrl '06 KEESEP.

**8th-AQU, \$43,000, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f,** 1:11 4/5, ft.

**MUFFY (f, 4, Tomorrows Cat--Meg's Habit, by Crafty** Prospector) Lifetime Record: 5-2-1-2, \$67,700. O-Margaret N Carrothers & Patricia Parker. B-Margaret N Carrothers (NY). T-John O Hertler. \*1/2 No Bad Habits (Roanoke), MSP, \$469,263; Schemer (Concern), MSP, \$245,422; and Baxter (American Chance), SW, \$132,672.

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**Allowance Results cont.**

**8th-OPX, \$40,000**, Opt. Clm. (\$65,000), NW3X, 4yo/up, 6f, 1:10 2/5, ft.

**TORTUGA STRAITS (g, 5, Gold Tribute--Tortuga Band {MSP}, by Dixieland Band)** Lifetime Record: MSW, 20-9-4-1, \$550,210. O-Karla P Balensiefen. B-Joseph Adcock & Neal McFadden (LA). T-Ralph R Irwin. \*\$42,000 yrl '05 LOUOCT; \$21,000 2yo '06 EVDMAR. \*\*1/2 to Lightsnatcher (Wild Zone), SW, \$107,020; and Tortuga Flats (Wild Zone), MSW, \$572,660.

**8th-LRL, \$30,000**, NW1X, 4yo/up, a1 1/16m, 1:46, sy. **SOUND THE CHARGE (g, 4, Eastern Echo--Marlin's Nurse, by Marlin)** Lifetime Record: 14-2-4-3, \$64,470. O-Benjamin W Dulany. B-Elizabeth Lavine (MD). T-Katharine M Voss.

**6th-LRL, \$30,000**, NW1X, 4yo/up, 7f, 1:24 2/5, sy. **SUMACHA'HOT (g, 4, Mojave Moon--Monochrome, by Broad Brush)** Lifetime Record: 14-4-4-1, \$62,060. O/T-Hubert L Cave. B-Bonita Farm (MD).

**8th-CTX, \$29,000**, 3-27, NW3L, (S), 4yo/up, 7f, 1:26, sy. **DANCIN BANKER (g, 4, Louis Quatorze--Banker's Silver, by Banker's Gold)** Lifetime Record: 5-3-0-1, \$58,200. O/B-Hendrickson Farms LLC (WV). T-David L Hendrickson.

**4th-HAW, \$28,000**, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:12 2/5, ft. **GLORIOUSVICTORIOUS (c, 4, Our Emblem--The Warrior Lady, by Lord At War {Arg})** Lifetime Record: 8-2-0-2, \$41,440. O/B-Ben Barnow (IL). T-Richard P Hazelton.

**10th-TPX, \$24,278**, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000), NW2X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m (AWT), 1:39 1/5, ft. **QUEEN STEPHANIE (f, 4, Proud Citizen--All Royal, by Kris S.)** Lifetime Record: 9-3-2-0, \$57,425. O-Kenneth L & Sarah K Ramsey. B-Old Friends Inc (KY). T-Michael J Maker. \*\$30,000 yrl '06 KEESEP.

**9th-TPX, \$24,000**, 3-27, Opt. Clm. (\$50,000), NW1X, 3yo, 1m (AWT), 1:38 3/5, ft. **POUND THE ROCK (c, 3, During--Snappy Little Tune {MSW, \$382,138}, by Spanish Drums)** Lifetime Record: 9-2-1-1, \$37,973. O-Sherri L Greenhill. B-Jeffery L & Sherri I Greenhill (KY). T-Jeffery L Greenhill.

**ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**

+ **Excessive Passion**, c, 2, **Vronsky--Ms Hearts N Arrows**, by In Excess (Ire). GGX, 3-28, 2f (AWT), :21 2/5. B-Old English Rancho & Berumen (CA). \*\$25,000 wlng '08 CTNSEP.

**Sea Rescue**, c, 3, **Brahms--Heater**, by Dixieland Heat. CTX, 3-27, (S), 7f, 1:29 4/5. B-Coleswood Farm Inc. (WV).

**Wynn Wynn Deal**, c, 3, **Concerto--Jolie Hawk**, by Mister Jolie. TAM, 3-28, 1m40y, 1:42 1/5. B-T Wynn & Mary Sue Jolley (FL). \*1/2 to Cash's Girl (Northern Afleet), MSW & GSP, \$317,492.

**Roses for Sefa**, f, 3, **Kissin Kris--Rose Center** (MSW, \$208,385), by Sefapiano. MNR, 3-27, 6f, 1:12 2/5. B-Sefas Farm Inc (KY). \*1/2 to I'm Waiting For U (Service Stripe), SP, \$223,508.

**Nala's Pride**, f, 3, **Lion Heart--Erica's Dream** (MGSW, \$641,467), by Two's a Plenty. HAW, 3-28, 6f, 1:13 1/5. B-Highclere, Dwayne Brown & Gary Guidry (KY). \*1/2 to Adreamisborn (Kris S.), MGSW, \$729,580.

**Ten Lil Indians**, f, 3, **Sir Cherokee--Bunch**, by Polish Navy. OPX, 3-28, 5 1/2f, 1:04 4/5. B-Jayne Johnson (KY).

**Big Grey**, g, 3, **Tapit--Lakme**, by Lyphard. AQU, 3-28, (S), 6f, 1:12 1/5. B-James Sumter Carter (NY). \*\$57,000 yrl '07 FTNAUG; \$46,000 2yo '08 FTMMAY.

**Pocket Cowboys**, g, 3, **Wild Event--Lotsa Sprinkles**, by Thunder Puddles. AQU, 3-28, (S), 1m70y, 1:44 1/5. B-Scott M Schwartz (NY).

**Broken Mint**, f, 4, **Broken Vow--Mintecy** (SW), by Key to the Mint. TPX, 3-27, 1m (AWT), 1:38 2/5. B-Mereworth Farm (KY). \*1/2 to Prophet's Warning (Storm Bird), MGSW, \$225,834.

**Financial Fantasy**, f, 4, **Make Your Mark--Guilty as Charged**, by Alydot. MNR, 3-27, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:08 2/5. B-Lori Dinoto (WV).

**Hello Sailor**, c, 4, **Mizzen Mast--Coco Vive**, by Peteski. HAW, 3-28, (S), 6f, 1:13 4/5. B-Gary & Beth Leverton (IL).

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**HANDICAP RESULTS:**

**BRITAIN, Kempton Park, 15.00**, 3-28, £40,000, 4yo/up, 1 3/8m (AWT), 2:20.75, stn.

**GREYLAMI (IRE) (g, 4, Daylami {Ire}--Silent Crystal {GSP-US}, by Diesis {GB})** Lifetime Record: 14-3-1-4, £39,910. O-J Daniels; B-Barouche Stud Ireland Ltd; T-Terry Mills. \*60,000gns yrl '06 TATOCT.

**CONDITIONS RESULTS:**

**BRITAIN, Kempton Park, 16.45**, 3-28, £12,000, 3yo/up, 6f (AWT), 1:12.93, stn.

**EISTEDDFOD (GB) (g, 8, Cadeaux Genereux {GB}--Ffestiniog {Ire} {SW-GB}, by Efisio {GB})** Lifetime Record: GSW-Fr & SW-GB, 40-12-2-7, £204,671. O-Elite Racing Club; B-Elite Racing Club; T-Paul Cole. \*1/2 to Boston Lodge (GB) (Grand Lodge), SW-UAE, \$355,795; and Brecon Brecon (GB) (Spectrum {Ire}), MGSP-US & MSP-GB, \$206,204.



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**ITALY, Rome, 15.00**, 3-27, €27,000, 3yo, f, 6fT, 1:10.30, gd.

**KATHY RIDGE (IRE) (f, 3, Indian Ridge {Ire}--Katy Guest {Ire}, by Be My Guest)** Lifetime Record: 12-5-1-0, €48,977. O-Allevamento la Nuova Sbarra Srl; B-Al Pian de Neve Srl; T-Antonio Peraino. \*€55,000 yrl '07 ITYSEP. \*\*1/2 to Kathy College (Ire) (College Chapel {GB}), GSW-Ity, \$238,311; and Kathy Pekan (Ire) (Sri Pekan), SW-Ity, \$206,677.

**IRELAND, Dundalk, 21.25**, 3-27, €14,000, 4yo/up, 10f 150yds (AWT), 2:18.13, stn.

**DESIGNATED DECOY (g, 4, Danzig--Suitably Discreet, by Mr. Prospector)** Lifetime Record: GSP-Ire, 8-2-4-1, €30,085. O/B-Moyglare Stud Farm; T-Dermot Weld.

**ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**

**Little Nell (GB)**, f, 3, **Cape Cross (Ire)**--Lady Catherine (GB) (GSW & G1SP-Ity, \$297,058), by Bering (GB). Lyon-Parilly, France, 3-27, Mdn, 3yo, f, 1mT. B-Darley.

**Zarkamar (Fr)**, c, 3, **Falbrav (Ire)**--Zarkana (Ire), by Doyoun (Ire). Lyon-Parilly, France, 3-27, Mdn, 3yo, c/g, 1mT. B-S A Aga Khan. \*1/2 to Zarkiya (Ire) (Catrail), GSW-Fr.

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**IN CHILE:**

**Della Barba (Chi)**, c, 2, **Della Francesca**--Barbera (Chi), by Hussonet. Hipodromo Chile, 3-26, Mdn, 6.5f, 1:17.69. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-1. O/B-Stud/Haras De Pirque; T-Guillermo Aguirre.

**Garatusa (Chi)**, f, 2, **Stormin Fever**--Ghost Town (Chi) (MSP-Chi), by Great Regent. Club Hipico de Santiago, 3-27, Mdn, 1200m. O/B-Haras Don Alberto; T-Patricio Baeza. \*1/2 to Haunting (Chi) (Ithaki {Ire}), GSW & MG1SP-Chi.

**#Galimidis (Chi)**, c, 2, **Stormin Fever**--Rosita Guadalupe (Chi), by Stagecraft (GB). Club Hipico de Santiago, 3-27, Clasico Luis Subercaseaux E-Listed, 1200m. O-Stud Salpello; B-Haras Don Alberto; T-Patricio Gonzalez.



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