

NARROW DECISION IN VINERY MADISON

Juddmonte's **Ventura** (Chester House) looked to be on her way to a second straight title in the GI Vinery Madison S. at Keeneland, but Augustin Stable's **Informed Decision** (Monarchos) came back on the inside to take yesterday's renewal. The winning trainer, a relieved Jonathan Sheppard, said, "I must admit, when Ventura rolled on by, I thought, 'Another day.'" The victory in the newly upgraded seven-furlong event made Informed Decision



Informed Decision (right) nips Ventura (left)
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perfect in three starts on Keeneland's Polytrack, following an optional claiming score last spring and a 4 1/4-length success in the GII Lexus Raven Run S. to cap her sophomore campaign. Cont. p2

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Thursday, Keeneland

VINERY MADISON S.-GI, \$300,000, KEE, 4-9, 4yo/up, f/m, 7f (AWT), 1:21 3/5, ft.

1--▲**INFORMED DECISION**, 121, f, 4, by Monarchos

1st Dam: Palangana, by His Majesty

2nd Dam: Countess North, by Northern Dancer

3rd Dam: Impetuous Lady, by Hasty Road

(\$150,000 yrl '06 FTKJUL; \$320,000 2yo '07 FTMMAY). O-Augustin Stable; B-C Kidder & N Cole (KY); T-Jonathan E Sheppard; J-John R Velazquez; \$186,000. Lifetime Record: 8-6-0-1, \$522,587.

*First GISW for sire (by Maria's Mon).

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Werk Nick Rating: A+.

2--**Ventura**, 123, m, 5, Chester House--Estala (GB), by Be My Guest. O/B-Juddmonte Farms Inc (KY); T-Robert J Frankel; \$60,000.

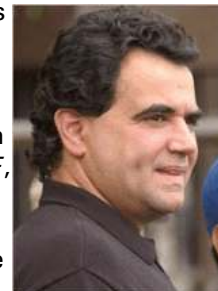
3--**Bear Now**, 117, m, 5, [Tiznow](#)--Controlled, by In Excess (Ire). (\$65,000 yrl '05 KEESEP; \$950,000 HRA '08 FTKNOV). O-Town and Country Farm; B-ClassicStar (KY); T-Albert M Stall, Jr; \$30,000.

Margins: HD, 1 1/4, 1 1/4. Odds: 3.10, 0.40, 19.80.

Also Ran: Dubai Majesty, Bsharpsonata, Authentecat. Scratched: Proud Heiress.

PARAGALLO'S NY CREDENTIALS REVOKED

Daily Racing Form reports that Ernie Paragallo's racing credentials has been revoked by the New York Racing Association, and that his family-owned Paraneck Stable will not be permitted to race any horses in the state until another party replaces him as its authorized agent. On Wednesday, state officials seized 177 horses at Paragallo's Center Brook Farm in Climax, New York. According to *DRF*, five horses entered by Paraneck for races at Aqueduct from Friday through Wednesday will be scratched, while the state veterinarian scratched two of the operation's runners Wednesday. Paragallo is the authorized agent for Paraneck, which is owned by his daughters Jennifer and Kristen. A new agent for Paraneck must be approved by NYRA. Hal Handel, NYRA's executive vice president and chief operating officer, said that banning Paraneck and its 40 horses at Aqueduct was not under consideration. "The horses are here, the horses are racing-fit," Handel told *DRF*. "If the horses are going to leave here and go back to that farm, we don't think that would be a terribly happy outcome. We feel it's a more prudent and safer course of action to have them under the control of a non-biased third party, than to have them ship back to that farm in the midst of everything that's gone up there."



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Along with Eclipse champion and stablemate Forever Together (Belong to Me), Informed Decision was a rare two-year-old in training acquisition by George Strawbridge. The grey filly aired in her debut last January at Gulfstream and was put up to victory in an optional claimer the following month. However, she finished a distant fourth in the GII Davona Dale S. going a mile, and has been kept at sprint distances since. Freshened up following a 6 1/4-length score over this surface last April, the Augustin colorbearer came back to be third in the GIII Victory Ride S. at Saratoga Aug. 23, then annexed Belmont's Missile Belle S. Sept. 20. Her 2008 finale was a track-record-setting win in the GII Lexus Raven Run S. Oct. 18, when she covered seven furlongs over this surface in 1:20 4/5 and earned a 105 Beyer Speed Figure.

After wintering in Florida, Informed Decision recorded a pair of breezes over the local Polytrack, including a bullet five-eighths in :59 2/5 Monday. She drew the rail for her 2009 opener, and trainer Jonathan Sheppard hadn't really tightened the screws just yet. "I talked to [jockey] John [Velazquez] a little bit in the paddock and I reminded him that she's coming from off a layoff, and maybe not to set her down too early. We were concerned about being down on the rail, which I think is OK for her, but I think she's better in the clear."

Informed Decision came away cleanly and settled in third down the backstretch as Dubai Majesty (Essence of Dubai) dashed through splits of :22.77 and :45.42. The 2-5 chalk Ventura, well back in the early stages, circled five wide turning for home, while Informed Decision didn't look to be going on with it.

Velazquez got busy on his mount in the final furlong, and she finished up willingly between rivals to nip the heavy favorite in the final jump. "[Ventura] did run by us," Velazquez admitted.



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"She [Informed Decision] hasn't run this year, so I was trying to ride her very cautiously," Velazquez added. "I didn't want to move until I saw the other horse. The other horse had the momentum already. When she [Ventura] passed me, I thought, 'Oh, I guess I waited too long.' Finally, when she [Informed Decision] got between horses, she kicked on. She did it for me because I fell asleep a little too long."

As for Ventura, jockey Garrett Gomez said, "Once she makes the lead, she'll run about 50 yards, and then she loses focus and it's over. She quits; her head goes flat and she just stops. We had a real good trip, but I wish we could have followed her [winner Informed Decision]. I took her around, but she was left out on the lead too long. It's cost her before; it cost her the [GII] CashCall Mile [at Hollywood last July]. She's a super mare, though."

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**Owner: Augustin Stables
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Friday, Keeneland, post time: 5:05 p.m. EDT

MAKER'S MARK MILE S.-GI, \$300,000, 4yo/up, 1mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1	Mr. Sidney	Storm Cat	Mott	4-1
2	House of Silver	Chester House	W Dollase	15-1
3	Fluke (Brz)	Wild Event	Frankel	7-2
4	Passager (Fr)	Anabaa	Attfield	6-1
5	Thorn Song	Unbridled's Song	Romans	5-2
6	Twilight Meteor	Smart Strike	Pletcher	4-1
7	Just as Well	A.P. Indy	Sheppard	9-2

Thorn Song has made two starts over this course, finishing third by a length to Kip Deville (Kipling) and Einstein (Brz) (Spend a Buck) in last year's Maker Mark before capturing the GI Shadwell Turf Mile in October. Ninth in the GI Breeders' Cup Mile, the big grey has given a vacation following an eighth-place effort as the favorite in Churchill's GIII River City H.



Thorn Song
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Nov. 22. "He needed a little break, but I think he's come back real well," trainer Dale Romans told *Daily Racing Form*. "He's really been working well. He likes the course there at Keeneland, and a little rain wouldn't hurt him at all." **Fluke**, a Group 3 winner and Group 1-placed in his native Brazil, finished fifth in his U.S. bow Jan. 18 at Santa Anita, but came back with an impressive score over that course Mar. 18 ([video](#)), and could be ready to make some noise in stakes company.



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Friday, Oaklawn Park, post time: 6:47 p.m. EDT

COUNT FLEET SPRINT H.-GIII, \$150,000, 4yo/up, 6f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1	Greeley's Conquest	Mr. Greeley	Thomas	5-1
2	Jazz Nation	City Zip	Lukas	20-1
3	Evening Reward	Chief's Reward	Andis	20-1
4	Secretintelligence	Smart Guy	Ritchey	20-1
5	Semaphore Man	Formal Gold	K Von Hemel	3-1
6	Carson's Legacy	Carson City	Asmussen	12-1
7	Grand Sensation	Grand Slam	Hobby	4-1
8	Accredit	E Dubai	Maker	6-1
9	Garifine	Belong to Me	Margolis	8-1
10	Cush	Arch	Leggio Jr	10-1
11	Red Hot N Gold	Gold Case	K Von Hemel	10-1
12	Lovango	Capote	Robertson	20-1

Friday, Maisons-Laffitte, France, post time: 3:35 p.m.

PRIX IMPRUDENCE-G3, €80,000, 3yo, f, 7fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER
1	4	Flyingwithbebe	Horse Chestnut (SAf)	T Doumen
2	5	Peach Pearl (GB)	Invincible Spirit (Ire)	de Nicolay
3	2	Entre Deux Eaux (Fr)	Ange Gabriel (Fr)	Rob Collet
4	1	Stefer	Johannesburg	Smaga
5	3	Elusive Wave (Ire)	Elusive City	Rouget
6	7	Only Green (Ire)	Green Desert	F Head
7	6	Queen America (Fr)	American Post (GB)	Rob Collet

All carry 126 pounds.

Elusive Wave makes her seasonal return in this Classic trial with a weight of expectation from trainer Jean-Claude Rouget. Winner of the Listed Prix Roland de Chambure at Longchamp in July and Deauville's G3 Prix du Calvados the following month, she found only Proportional (GB) too strong in the G1 Prix Marcel Boussac back at the former venue on her last outing on Arc day. "We have not decided on her long-term aim for the moment, but she proved her quality as a two-year-old and obviously she has a good chance," Rouget told *Racing Post*. "It is her first race of the season and we would like to see her run well before deciding her future targets." Heading the opposition is **Stefer**, who beat **Entre Deux Eaux** by a head in the G3 Prix Miesque over this track and trip when last seen in November.

Saturday, Randwick, Australia

AJC AUSTRALIAN DERBY-G1, A\$1,600,000, 3yo, 2400mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY
1	13	Coniston Bluebird (Aus)	Scenic (Ire)	Seamer
2	14	Metal Bender (NZ)	B nasinga (Aus)	Nikolic
3	12	Rock Kingdom (Aus)	Rock of Gibraltar (Ire)	Williams
4	1	Sousa (NZ)	Galileo (Ire)	McEvoy
5	10	Dr Doutes (Aus)	Redoute's Choice (Aus)	Rodd
6	8	Predatory Pricer (Aus)	Street Cry (Ire)	Schofield
7	6	Pre Eminence (Aus)	Encosta de Lago (Aus)	Newitt
8	3	Buffett (NZ)	Danasinga (Aus)	Oliver
9	2	Harris Tweed (NZ)	Montjeu (Ire)	J Bowman
10	5	Big Col (Aus)	Reset (Aus)	Munce
11	16	Roman Emperor (NZ)	Montjeu (Ire)	Cassidy
12	11	Gigino (NZ)	Ekraar	Robl
13	15	Old Jock (NZ)	Montjeu (Ire)	Brown
14	4	Naval Escort (NZ)	Montjeu (Ire)	Clark
15	7	Smart Choice (Aus)	Redoute's Choice (Aus)	Ford
16	9	Buccaneers Prize (NZ)	Montjeu (Ire)	Quinn

All carry 125 pounds.

Saturday, Ascot, Australia

W.A.T.C. DERBY-G1, A\$500,000, 3yo, 2400mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY
1	4	Phenomenons (Aus)	Giant's Causeway	Turner
2	13	Kim Coin (Aus)	Theatre (Aus)	McGruddy
3	2	Dominicano (Aus)	Blackfriars (Aus)	O'Donnell
4	11	Ten Aces (Aus)	Scenic (Ire)	J Brown
5	5	Markus Maximus (NZ)	Pentire (GB)	Nolen
6	7	Almohad (Aus)	Rock of Gibraltar (Ire)	Whiting
7	15	African Action (Aus)	Johannesburg	Claite
8	10	Danamoss (NZ)	Danasinga (Aus)	Carbery
9	1	Black Print (Aus)	Blackfriars (Aus)	C Harvey
10	6	Berlioz (NZ)	Zabeel (NZ)	B Rawiller
11	14	Meltdown (Aus)	McFlirt (NZ)	Camillieri
12	3	Brava Fortune (Aus)	Falbrav (Ire)	B Parnham
13	12	Cassandra Shadow (NZ)	Johannesburg	S Parnham
14	8	Admiring (Aus)	Street Cry (Ire)	P Harvey
15	9	I Am Lucky (Aus)	Helenus (Aus)	A Williams

All carry 123, except Brava Fortune, Cassandra Shadow, Admiring and I Am Lucky, 119.

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Saturday, Randwick, Australia

THE GALAXY H.-G1, A\$350,000, 3yo/up, 1100mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	11	Swiss Ace (Aus)	Secret Savings	Pope	126
2	10	Kaphero (Aus)	Danzero (Aus)	J Bowman	124
3	8	Hoystar (Aus)	Danzero (Aus)	Nikolic	123
4	18	Bel Mer (Aus)	Bel Esprit (Aus)	No Rider	122
5	9	Danleight (Aus)	Mujahid	Oliver	122
6	7	El Cambio (Aus)	Commands (Aus)	McEvoy	122
7	17	Keen Commander (Aus)	Commands (Aus)	Jones	122
8	15	Hurried Choice (Aus)	Choisir (Aus)	Newitt	115
9	13	Gamble Me (Aus)	Rock of Gibraltar (Ire)	O'Hara	113
10	2	Olonana (Aus)	More Than Ready	Clark	113
11	1	Red Element (Aus)	Red Ransom	Buckley	113
12	6	Gold Trail (Aus)	Hussonet	Rolls	113
13	14	Black Prince (Aus)	Commands (Aus)	Brown	113
14	16	Duporth (Aus)	Red Ransom	Schofield	113
15	4	Hairy (Aus)	Fuji Kiseki (Jpn)	Berry	113
16	3	Nicconi (Aus)	Bianconi	Williams	113
17	12	Kilton (Aus)	Spinning World	Ford	113
18	5	Fantene (Aus)	Fasliyev	Munce	113

Sunday, Santa Anita

LAS CIENEGAS H.-GIII, \$100,000, 4yo/up, f/m,

a6 1/2fT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	Trouble Maker	Labeeb (GB)	Espinoza	114
2	Bel Air Sizzle	Unusual Heat	Nakatani	116
3	Tuscan Evening (Ire)	Oasis Dream (GB)	Gomez	113
4	Reba Is Tops	He's Tops	Talamo	117
5	Dawn After Dawn	Successful Appeal	Rosario	118
6	Gorgeous Goose	Mongoose	Bejarano	115
7	Gotta Have Her	Royal Academy	T Baze	117
8	Star of Whitney	Bernstein	Gryder	116
9	Macadamia	Artax	Valdivia Jr	113

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MAFAAZ MEETS GATE CREW Shadwell's Mafaaz (GB) (Medicean {GB}), seeking to cement his status as the GI Kentucky Derby contender this Saturday in the GI Toyota Blue Grass S.,

got acquainted with Keeneland's starting gate yesterday morning. The chestnut colt then galloped a mile and quarter under exercise rider Miguel Moya. "He just walked in the there and backed right out," said Les Reynolds, head traveling lad for trainer John Gosden. "We just wanted him to get used to the gate here, and let the gate personnel see him. Your gates are bigger here and not padded the same. We have requested there not be a man in the gate with him Saturday. We don't use them in England. If there is a man in the gate, the horses tend to look at them and then miss the break." Mafaaz was slated to school in the paddock during yesterday's card. A 400,000gns TATOCT yearling, the three-year-old earned a spot in the Run for the Roses via his win in Kempton's Kentucky Derby Challenge S. Mar. 18



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([video](#)). Mafaaz, accorded a 12-1 chance in the Blue Grass morning line, will break from post five with Richard Hills in the irons.

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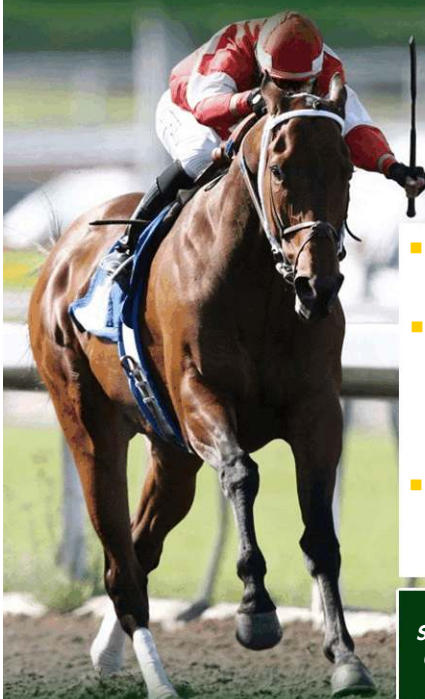
Trainer D. Wayne Lukas will saddle **Flying Private** (Fusaichi Pegasus) in Saturday's GII Arkansas Derby. The Hall of Famer has two previous victories in Oaklawn's marquee event in 1984 and 1985 with Althea and Tank's Prospect, respectively. Owned by Grand Slam Farm, Flying Private heads into the \$1-million Arkansas Derby off a solid second in the GII Lane's End S. Mar. 21 ([video](#)) on Turfway's Polytrack. "About a month ago, this colt really began to come around," Lukas revealed. "I sent him to Turfway for the Lane's End, and to show you how he is improving, the colt ran second, and he didn't care for the Polytrack, and was four wide the whole way around the track." Prior to his Turfway trip, the bay colt narrowly lost Oaklawn's Mountain Valley S. Feb. 28 ([video](#)). "In the Mountain Valley, he got beat a head after being blocked and having to change course," Lukas explained. "He is a consistent colt, but maybe not a lucky one. I have found that this time of year, when horses are turning three, they begin to really improve and move forward. What we do with him depends on how he runs in the Arkansas Derby. If our colt runs well, meaning he runs one, two, or three, we will seriously consider the big one at Churchill Downs." Currently tied with Turf legend Sunny Jim Fitzsimmons at 13 Triple Crown race victories, Lukas reflected, "He is improving so well; he fits with several horses that I have taken to the Derby. I sure think we are going to hear more on this colt."

West Point to Co-Sponsor Event for U.S. Soldiers...

West Point Thoroughbreds has announced that it, along with the USO, will host U.S. soldiers and their families at Churchill Downs on Kentucky Derby Day, May 2. The USO will have a hospitality area in the infield for service members and their guests, and a group of attending soldiers will escort the blanket of roses that will be presented in the winner's circle. "As a former West Point cadet and graduate, being able to support the USO and host these service members on Derby Day is a privilege for our organization," said Terry Finley, West Point's president. "Horse racing is often about the struggle and heart to win, and our troops give this country that level of contribution every single day." For more information, please contact Darden Reinowski at 518.587.1011 or darden@shoreypr.com.

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Godolphin Colts Bed Down at Churchill...

Godolphin's one-two finishers of the G2 UAE Derby, **Regal Ransom** (Distorted Humor) and **Desert Party** (Street Cry {Ire}), arrived at Churchill Downs yesterday afternoon after a flight from Dubai. The colts will spend the next few days in quarantine in Barn 45, and are then expected to train up to the GI Kentucky Derby May 2. They will be stabled in Barn 41 after clearing quarantine. Godolphin's blue silks have not been carried in the Kentucky Derby since Essence of Dubai (Pulpit) finished ninth in the 2002 running.



Desert Party coming off the van
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Triple Threats cont. p7

The **brisnet.com** 'Race of the Day' is the GIII Count Fleet Sprint H. at Oaklawn Park. For pps and a complete race analysis, click [here](#).



☆ CLASSIC CORNER ☆

O'BRIEN GUINEAS TEAM SHAPING UP Aidan O'Brien yesterday gave the lowdown on his contenders for the Newmarket Classics and revealed that he could have a quartet of runners in the May 2 G1 2000 Guineas. Alongside G1 Phoenix S. and G1 National S. winner **Mastercraftsman (Ire)** (Danehill Dancer {Ire}) and G3 Tyros S. hero **Rip Van Winkle (Ire)** (Gaileo {Ire}), the Ballydoyle conditioner also named last year's G2 Champagne S. victor and Breeders' Cup Juvenile Turf runner-up **Westphalia (Ire)** (Danehill Dancer {Ire}) and G1 Racing Post Trophy fourth **Set Sail (Ire)** (Danehill Dancer {Ire}) as likely contenders. "We are very happy with [Mastercraftsman] and he



Aidan O'Brien
Horsephotos

was a big, mature two-year-old," O'Brien told *PA Sport*. "He did a nice piece of work at the Curragh and I am very happy with where he is. [Rip Van Winkle] is not a horse who takes a lot of work and is a natural horse at home. I am happy with where he is at the moment. He doesn't take a lot of work and when they are like that, they might not learn as much as other horses.

Westphalia could go for a trial in France on Sunday [the G3 Prix de Fontainebleau]. He had a couple of tough races last year at Doncaster and in America, but he is in good shape and is in a good place at the moment. Set Sail is also in the picture and he could also run in France this weekend." O'Brien also revealed that Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies Turf runner-up **Heart Shaped** (Storm Cat) would be his sole representative in the May 3 G1 1000 Guineas. "She ran well in America to be second in the Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies Turf and ran a nice race at Leopardstown [when second in the Mar. 29 G3 1000 Guineas Trial]," O'Brien offered. "I hope she has come on for that, and I have been happy with her since."



Heart Shaped
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Out of the Alydar mare Twenty Eight Carat, Heart Shaped is a half-sister to G1 Champagne S. hero A P Valentine (A.P. Indy).

UPCOMING EUROPEAN GROUP 1 RACES

Date	Race	Track
Apr. 26	Prix Ganay	Longchamp
May 2	2000 Guineas	Newmarket
May 3	1000 Guineas	Newmarket
May 10	Poule d'Essai des Poulains	Longchamp
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STARS MAY MAKE GUINEAS ☆ "TDN Rising Star" ☆

Sea the Stars (Ire) (Cape Cross {Ire}) has recovered from a recent setback and could be seen in the G1 2000 Guineas at Newmarket, trainer John Oxx announced yesterday. Christopher Tsui's G2 Beresford S. winner could join stable companion **Arazan (Ire)** (Anabaa) in the May 3 Classic after getting back on track in recent days. "I think the Guineas at Newmarket is still a possibility, and although I wouldn't say he's a definite runner, that's what we are aiming for at the moment," Oxx commented. "He did have a temperature on Mar. 17, so that was a bit of a setback, but he's back in work now and seems very well.



Sea the Stars www.setanta.com

We'll make a decision about a week before the Guineas and, if he does run there, it will be his first run of the year." Sea the Stars is out of the recently deceased Urban Sea (Miswaki), heroine of the 1993 G1 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe before going on to a stellar career in the paddocks.

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VIEW CONTINUES TO IMPRESS George Strawbridge's G1 Fillies' Mile heroine **Rainbow View** (Dynaformer) remains on course for the G1 1000 Guineas at Newmarket May 3, conditioner John Gosden has confirmed. Naming the May 24 G1 Irish 1000 Guineas at The Curragh and June 5 G1 Epsom Oaks as subsequent targets for the unbeaten ♀ **"TDN Rising Star"** ♀, he told *PA Sport*, "She is very well and I am happy with the way she is coming in her coat. She is bouncy and very happy. I would be happy with her physical progress, and mentally she is just as fiery as ever. I don't see a mile and a quarter being a problem at all, but a mile and



John Gosden
Newmarket photo

a half I am not sure about. I plan to take her to Newmarket on Wednesday or Thursday to breeze up the track, and I hope that will take some of the gas out of her."

FANTASIA HAS LONGCHAMP OPTION Trainer Luca Cumani yesterday suggested that **Fantasia (GB)** (Sadler's Wells) would sidestep the G1 1000 Guineas and head to the French equivalent a week later. Last year's G3 Prestige S. winner and G1 Fillies Mile S. runner-up, who was acquired by George Strawbridge during the winter, will run in Wednesday's G3 Nell Gwyn S. at Newmarket before a possible tilt at the G1 Poule d'Essai des Pouliches at Longchamp. "Mr. Gosden is making all of the right noises about Rainbow View, so we may go to the French Guineas and then go back to France again for the G1 Prix de Diane [French Oaks at Chantilly June 14]," Cumani told *PA Sport*. "I have not spoken to Mr. Strawbridge about it yet, but I would say we are likely to go to the French Guineas with her. It then makes sense to step her up to a mile and quarter in the Diane, as I am not sure she will stay a mile and a half."

DELEGATOR THRILLS ♀ **"TDN Rising Star"** ♀ **Delegator (GB)** (Dansili {GB}) gave connections a boost yesterday with a strong workout ahead of Thursday's G3 Craven S. at Newmarket. Trainer Brian Meehan helped to trigger a major gamble on the G1 Dewhurst S. fifth-place finisher when providing a bullish bulletin yesterday. "It was the most beautiful piece of work," Meehan told *PA Sport*. "He is on target for the Craven S. next week, and we are very confident about his prospects in the 2000 Guineas. His work this morning really was that good."

All horses in the *TDN* are bred in North America, unless otherwise indicated

WHERE GOES JOJO? Trainer Ken McPeck has added **Theregoesjojo** (Brahms) to the June 6 G1 Epsom Derby at the second entry stage. Third in the G1 Florida Derby at Gulfstream Mar. 28, Saturday's G1 Toyota Blue Grass S. contender could convert to turf for the mile-and-a-half Classic. "I think that my colt is more of a finesse horse--he's a daisy-cutter and he doesn't grind through the dirt," McPeck explained. "He's not necessarily as powerful as some of the top dirt performers, so I am excited about seeing how he copes with Polytrack on Saturday and trying him on turf. There's obviously the [May 2] G1 Kentucky Derby to think about, but even if he ran at Churchill Downs, I don't think that we would run him in the Preakness just two weeks later, so Epsom could be a better option. Alternatively, if he doesn't fire on Saturday, then we could run him on turf at Churchill Downs in the GIII Crown Royal S. on Kentucky Oaks Day [May 1], but he would have to win that race to come over to Epsom. A mile and a half is a bit of an unknown, but if we can get him settled, then I would be hopeful of getting the extra distance." Others to join the Derby list were Godolphin's G2 Gimcrack S. winner and G1 National S. runner-up **Shaweel (GB)** (Dansili {GB}), one of a quintet added by Saeed bin Suroor; and Ballymacoll Stud's Yarmouth maiden scorer **Glass Harmonium (Ire)** (Verglas {Ire}) from the Sir Michael Stoute stable.

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 **NORTH AMERICA** 

EINSTEIN PURSE ORDERED RELEASED Franklin County Circuit Court Judge Roger Crittenden has ordered that a lien placed on the purse won by Einstein (Brz) (Spend a Buck) in the GI Santa Anita H. Mar. 7 be released, *The Blood-Horse* reported yesterday. The judge directed that those winnings should be given to a court-appointed receiver for Midnight Cry Stable, the nom de course for recently convicted attorneys Shirley Cunningham Jr. and William Gallion. Einstein earned \$600,000 for his Big 'Cap win; \$480,000 is the owner's share. Crittenden made the decision after attorney Andre Regard claimed that Midnight Cry's horses would not have proper care and feed without the funds. According to *The Blood-Horse*, Crittenden said, "My concern is that the...assets are preserved for whoever is going to benefit from them. That's been this court's concern all along." Cunningham and Gallion were found guilty Apr. 3 in a federal criminal trial, and were ordered to forfeit \$30 million Tuesday. The lien on the winner's share of the Big 'Cap purse was filed by plaintiffs' attorney Seth J. Johnston with the Los Angeles Turf Club. Midnight Cry still has a 20-percent interest in dual Horse of the Year Curlin (Smart Strike), who is in the middle of his first breeding season at Lane's End Farm. Revenues generated by the stallion will likely be sought by the plaintiffs, according to *The Blood-Horse*. Plaintiffs' co-counsel Angela Ford told the publication, "Curlin is still very much on the table."

CHARLES CONO DIES Charles Cono, who campaigned Stardom Bound (Tapit) during her championship 2008 season, died Wednesday from complications of lupus and pulmonary fibrosis, *Daily Racing Form* reported. He was 86. Born in Washington D.C., Cono moved to San Diego in the 1950s and got involved in real estate. Along with partner Gene Hanken, Cono formed the real estate investment and management firm Hanken Cono Assad & Co. Inc. in 1974. Cono owned a few Standardbreds before getting involved with Thoroughbreds. Through 2008, Cono had about 18 horses in training with Christopher Paasch, and an additional 10 mares and foals in Kentucky. He sold Stardom Bound for \$5.7 million to a partnership headed by IEAH Stables at the 2008 FTKNOV Sale. Other top runners campaigned by Cono include Diplomat Lady (Forestry), winner of the 2005 GI Hollywood Starlet S. before being sold for \$1.3 million as a broodmare prospect; and stakes winner Foxy Danseur (Mr. Greeley), runner-up last Sunday in the GIII Las Flores H. at Santa Anita.

DON RUDDER PASSES AWAY Donald I. Rudder, who campaigned the likes of Grade I winners Behrens and Will's Way in partnership with William L. Clifton, passed away Apr. 8 in Hobe Sound, Florida, following a brief hospital stay. He was 84. A longtime supporter of the New York breeding program, Rudder was the founder of the National Association of Thoroughbred Owners (NATO), which many credit as the impetus for the creation of the National Thoroughbred Racing Association. Rudder and his wife Anne were partners for many years in EQUIX Biomechanics before that partnership was dissolved, after which the couple launched the firm Data Track International. Rudder sold his interest in the company several years ago. Other prominent horses to race for Rudder include OK by Me, Mr. Groush and Innovate. Rudder's horses were trained by H. James Bond.

 **THREE CHIMNEYS** **TODAY'S INSIGHTS**
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2:05p **3rd-KEE, \$54K, Alw, 3yo, 1 1/16m (AWT)**
TVG Elizabeth Valando's homebred **HELLO BROADWAY (Broken Vow)** looks to get back on track after an even seventh-place finish in the GIII Tampa Bay Derby Mar. 14. Trainer Barclay Tagg had considered tomorrow's GI Blue Grass S. for the runner-up to Capt. Candyman Can (Candy Ride {Arg}) in the GII Hutcheson S., but opted for this easier spot, which drew just four rivals. [brisnet.com pps](#)

3:35p **6th-KEE, \$62K, Alw, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8mT**
TVG This race has drawn a stakes-quality field, which includes Grade II winner **MUSHKA (Empire Maker)**. She just missed in the GIII Suwannee River S. at Gulfstream Feb. 1 and comes into this off a troubled sixth in the GIII Hillsborough S. at Tampa Bay May 14. Three Chimney's **Rosa Grace (GB) (Lomitas {GB})**, runner-up in the GII Lake Placid S. last August, makes her third U.S. start here off the sixth-month absence. [brisnet.com pps](#)

5:14p **9th-GPX, \$42K, Msw, 3yo, 7f**
HRTV Michael Tabor, Derrick Smith and Mrs. John Magnier's **EUROPE (Unbridled's Song)**, a well-beaten fourth on debut at 2-1 odds here Feb. 21, was entered in the GI Florida Derby to act as a rabbit for stablemate Dunkirk (Unbridled's Song), but was scratched from the race. A \$2.6-million yearling, the full to Half Ours breaks from the rail under Chris DeCarlo. **Together Indy (Not for Love)** tired to third in his bow over trip and track Mar. 7. [brisnet.com pps](#)

Eastern Daylight Time.



CHURCHILL ACCREDITED BY NTRA

ALLIANCE The National Thoroughbred Racing Association held a press conference yesterday to announce that Churchill Downs has been fully accredited by the NTRA Safety and Integrity Alliance following an examination of the track's racing operations. The historic oval was the first track examined by the Alliance. "Churchill Downs has taken a leadership role in this unified, unprecedented effort by our industry to establish and implement a universal Code of Standards," said Alex Waldrop, NTRA president and CEO. "Accreditation represents a public acknowledgement that Churchill Downs is adhering to a standard of excellence that we believe the general public, regulators, horsemen and others will embrace." The track's President and CEO Robert L. Evans added, "Churchill Downs is committed to human and equine safety, every day, in every race. We are focused on providing the safest possible experience for everyone involved in competition at Churchill Downs. We are pleased that our efforts have received the full support of the NTRA Safety and Integrity Alliance and led to our accreditation in advance of the 2009 Churchill Downs Spring Meet and Kentucky Derby 135."

★ **KEENELAND** ★

Yesterday's Results:

5th-KEE, \$61,115, Alw, NW2\$R9MX, 4yo/up, 1 1/8mT, 1:50 3/5, fm.

1--NERGAL (FR), 118, g, 6, Simon du Desert (Fr)--Noemie (Fr), by Beudelaire. O-Richard Bassett; B-Dr Georges Sandor (FR); T-Christophe Clement. Lifetime Record: SW & GSP, 18-6-0-5, \$216,529. (DH)--2--**Telling, 118, h, 5, A.P. Indy--Well Chosen, by Deputy Minister.**

(DH)--2--**French Beret, 123, g, 6, Broad Brush--Misty Mission, by Miswaki.**

Margins: 3/4, DH. Odds: 1.50, 6.00, 7.00.

Nergal got up to win this event, while there was a rare dead heat for both second and fourth. The always-game Nergal hadn't won since taking a minor stakes at Suffolk Downs last August, but hadn't finished more than a length off the winner in his last four, including a fourth-place effort in a Gulfstream Park optional claimer Feb. 28. Near the back of this small six-horse field under Garrett Gomez, he put in a resolute rally and wore down the game pacesetter French Beret. Telling came up to finish on even terms with the latter, while Birdbirdistheword (Pure Prize) and Musketier (Acatenango {Ger}) couldn't be separated at the wire in fourth. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

7th-KEE, \$54,000, Alw, NW1X, 4yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:37 2/5, fm.

LAURELDEAN GALE (f, 4, Grand Slam--Ravnina, by Nureyev), a \$325,000 KEESEP yearling, began her career in Europe, where her exploits included a close runner-up finish in the G3 Prix de Calvados S. at Deauville in August of 2007. Moved to the States after running 13th in her lone three-year-old start overseas--in Natagora (Fr)'s G1 1000 Guineas at Newmarket--she was second in consecutive allowance starts on the dirt at Aqueduct last November. Moved from Saeed bin Suroor's barn to that of Eoin Harty, Laureldean Gale was tried in the GI La Brea S. at Santa Anita Dec. 27 and didn't disgrace herself, finishing sixth to Indian Blessing (Indian Charlie). She was subsequently fourth in an optional claimer at that track Jan. 29 before coming East once again. The 5-2 second choice returning to the grass, Laureldean Gale kept the pacesetting favorite Kristi With a K (Petionville) honest on the front end, took a narrow advantage in upper stretch and dug in to post the 1 1/4-length victory. Kristi With a K just held for second over Woodford Girl (Honour and Glory). The winner is a half to Costume Designer (Capote), SW, \$162,428; and Secret History (Bahri), GSW-Eng, \$142,972. Lifetime Record: GSP-Fr, 9-2-3-0, \$95,905. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

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- 1st-KEE (Msw) Heavenville** (Offlee Wild) become the first winner for his freshman sire with a sharp score.
- 9th-KEE (Msw) Bandora** (Dixieland Band) edges out the promising firster Unrivaled Belle (Unbridled's Song).
- Lucky Lavender S. (8th-AQU) Bold Union** (Dixie Union) holds on to win her three-year-old debut.
- 9th-AQU (Msw) (S) Adastraperaspera** (Speightstown) completely blows break, then rallies from the clouds.
- 4th-LRL (Msw) Two-year-old filly Gator Prowl** (Roar of the Tiger) breaks track record with 11 1/2-length romp.

STAKES CLOSINGS

TOMORROW, SATURDAY, APRIL 11:

04-25 \$150,000 *Withers-III, Aqu, 3yo, 8f (150)*

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6th-KEE, \$54,000, Alw, NW1X, 4yo/up, f/m, 6f (AWT), 1:10, ft.

SWANS NEST (f, 4, [With Approval](#)--Watercolourtwo, by [Secreto](#)) was well-beaten in seven-furlong allowance races at Gulfstream Feb. 15 and in the slop Mar. 21. Making her synthetic-track debut as a 9-1 outsider, the gray filly steadied in mid-pack a half-mile out, but came from between horses in upper stretch and reeled in the pacesetter Grand Finesse (Grand Slam) to win by 3/4 of a length. Lifetime Record: 6-2-0-2, \$67,225. O-Sporting Life Stable. B-Carol Holden (KY). T-Ian R Wilkes.

9th-KEE, \$50,000, Msw, 3yo, f, 6 1/2f (AWT), 1:16 4/5, ft.

BANDORA (f, 3, Dixieland Band--Andora Springs, by Capote), a \$150,000 FTMMAY juvenile purchase, came home fourth in a Churchill Downs maiden Oct. 29. Off until Feb. 16, she returned to be a non-threatening second in a six-furlong sprint at Fair Grounds. Making the switch to the Poly, the 3-1 shot was part of early mix up front and attended honest :22 and :45 3/5 fractions. She soon found herself four lengths in front in upper stretch and looked an easy winner, but favored firster Unrivaled Belle (Unbridled's Song) put in an eye-catching late rally, and the winning margin was only a neck as Bandora just lasted. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, \$41,880. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#) O-Branch Equine LLC. B-Douglas Arnold (KY). T-Ronny W Werner.

First Winner for Sire

1st-KEE, \$44,600, Msw, 2yo, 4 1/2f (AWT), :51 2/5, ft.

+ **HEAVENVILLE (c, 2, [Offlee Wild](#)--Seeking Heaven {SW}, by [Petionville](#))** became the first winner for his freshman sire (by Wild Again) with this sharp score. Let go at 7-1 odds debuting for a strong first-out trainer in Steve Asmussen, the dark bay colt saved ground while a trio of rivals battled it out. Tipped four wide leaving the quarter pole, he closed resolutely and was going away late to win by 4 1/4 lengths. The odds-on Foot the Bill (Read the Footnotes), representing a red-hot Wesley Ward barn that was three-for-three at Keeneland, completed the exacta. A foal of 2000, Offlee Wild captured the 2003 GIII Holy Bull S. and ran third in the GI Blue Grass S. He returned at four to take the GII Massachusetts H. over Funny Cide and claimed his biggest prize the following year in the GI Suburban H. Offlee Wild, who was produced by a Seattle Slew half-sister to Dynaformer, stands at Darley; his 2009 fee is \$7,500. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$27,280. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

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Mahony Named NYRA Senior Vice President:

Patrick Mahony, a respected expert in pari-mutuel operations, has been named to the position of Senior Vice President of Mutuels at the New York Racing Association. Mahony, whose previous title was Vice President of Pari-Mutuel Operations, came to NYRA in 2003 after working at several different tracks up and down the eastern seaboard. "At NYRA, Pat has worked diligently to position our Mutuel department as one of the finest in the industry," NYRA President and CEO Charles Hayward said. "He's put a solid management team in place while establishing the highest standards of credibility and integrity. In addition, Pat has worked with the New York State Racing and Wagering Board and industry organizations on national tote strategies and protocols." Mahony's grandfather, Mort Mahony, helped develop one of the earliest pari-mutuel systems at Pimlico nearly a century ago before bringing it to New York in 1940.

Yesterday's Results:

LUCKY LAVENDER GAL S., \$66,700, AQU, 4-9, 3yo, f, 6 1/2f, 1:18 4/5, ft.

1--**BOLD UNION**, 118, f, 3, by [Dixie Union](#)

1st Dam: **Bold World (GSW, \$376,710)**,
by **Fortunate Prospect**

2nd Dam: **Worldly Bold**, by **World Appeal**

3rd Dam: **Jolie Bold**, by **Bold Forbes**

(\$75,000 yrl '07 KEESEP). O-George & Lori Hall; B-Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC (KY); T-Kelly J Breen; J-Stewart Elliott; \$40,020. Lifetime Record: 5-3-0-0, \$140,270.

2--**One Smokin' Lady**, 118, f, 3, [Smoke Glacken](#)--Pieria, by Atticus. (\$97,000 yrl '07 KEEJAN; \$160,000 yrl '07 KEESEP). O-CJZ Racing Stable. \$13,340.

3--**Golden Artemis**, 118, f, 3, [Malibu Moon](#)--Native Trinket, by Dove Hunt. O-Edgewood Farm. \$6,670. Margins: 1, 3 3/4, 3 1/4. Odds: 1.00, 2.55, 5.00.

Lucky Lavendar Gal S. cont.

Bold Union was tabbed a ⚡ **"TDN Rising Star"** ⚡ after romping on debut at Monmouth last June and quickly added an impressive tally in the Astoria S. at Belmont a month later. She finished fourth as the favorite, beaten eight lengths, in both the GII Adirondack S. in August and Kentucky Cup Juvenile Fillies S. at Turfway in September and was put away for the winter. Returning here as the favorite, George and Lori Hall's colorbearer shadowed early as Golden Artemis cut out :23 and :45 2/5 splits. Bold Union bid wide into the lane, took control and despite getting leg weary late was able to stave off One Smokin' Lady. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)**

2nd-AQU, \$43,000, Msw, 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:18 3/5, ft.

SPECULATION (f, 3, [Silver Deputy](#)--Beat Your Feet {MSP, \$184,175}, by Dixieland Band), a \$475,000 KEESEP yearling, was no threat in a Gulfstream maiden Jan. 24, but was an improved second in a six-furlong sprint in Hallandale Mar. 1. Off at 9-2 shipping north, she sat in a good stalking spot as Spell Check (Put it Back) and Boca Belle (Silver Deputy) battled, then charged past that pair in the final eighth to win by 2 1/2 lengths. Spell Check completed the exacta. Firster Pardon (Elusive Quality) came home fourth. Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-0, \$33,444. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O-William L Clifton Jr. B-Christiana Stables LLC (KY). T-H James Bond.

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MY PRINCESS JESS (Stormy Atlantic), 4f, :51.27, 20/22

SANTA ANITA

CRY AND CATCH ME (Street Cry {Ire}), 5f, 1:01, 19/43
KETCHIKAN (Mr. Greeley), 4f, :47.60, 6/38
MAST TRACK (Mizzen Mast), 5f, 1:00.40, 8/43



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New York report cont.

9th-AQU, \$42,000, Msw, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:41, sf.

+ **ADASTRAPERASPERA (f, 3, [Speightstown--Miss Turlington, by Seattle Slew](#))**, a half-sister to the good grass runner Incurable Optimist (Cure the Blues), MGSW, \$271,309, was sent postward at relatively generous odds of 5-1 against a modest bunch of Empire-breds. Regardless, all hope looked lost when she broke in the air at the break, causing jockey CC Lopez to lose the irons for a moment. Lopez settled his mount some 13 lengths off the leader, who cut out :24 2/5, :48 4/5 and 1:15 fractions over the rain-softened ground. Making a dazzling move around the turn, Adastraperaspera mowed down foes while coming into the lane six wide and, after hitting the front in mid-stretch, outfinished the game odds-on pick Reeley Misbehaving (Mr. Greeley) to win by half a length. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$25,200. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#) O-John T Behrendt. B-Dr William B Wilmot & Dr Joan M Taylor (NY). T-David G Donk.

★ GULFSTREAM ★

Yesterday's Results:

5th-GPX, \$42,000, Msw, 3yo/up, f/m, 5fT, :55 2/5, fm.

IBERIAN GATE (f, 3, Chapel Royal--White Cliffs {MSW, \$245,542}, by Dover Ridge) was up the track in a six-furlong main-track effort at Gulfstream Jan. 4, but ran a much-improved second in her grass and route debut in an \$80,000 maiden claimer Mar. 7. Cutting back to a sprint while staying on the spinach, Iberian Gate contested the pace from her inside draw and was all out to best Lexie G. (Cape Canaveral) by a neck. Iberian Gate was a \$60,000 FTKJUL yearling, \$80,000 OBSJAN yearling and \$340,000 OBSFEB juvenile. Lifetime Record: 5-1-2-1, \$46,790. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O-Let's Go Stable. B-Moreau Bloodstock International Inc (FL). T-Todd A Pletcher.

2nd-GPX, \$35,000, Msw, (S), 2yo, f, 2 1/2f, :28, ft.

+ **CALLIPYGIAN DREAM (f, 2, Halo's Image--Dixieland Gulch, by Gulch)** represents a Wesley Ward barn that has been hitting on all cylinders with its two-year-olds. Given a 3-1 chance here, the \$19,000 OBSAUG yearling bobbled at the break, but got going in the middle of the track and had two lengths on Givonna Alyssa (B L's Appeal), who was one half of the favored entry. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$21,000.

O-Steven Michael Bell. B-Arthur I Appleton (FL).

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★ EAST ★

Yesterday's Results:

4th-LRL, \$28,000, Msw, 2yo, f, 4 1/2f, :52 (NTR), ft.

+ **GATOR PROWL (f, 2, [Roar of the Tiger--Reed and Rite, by Notebook](#))**, a modest \$7,000 FTMOCT yearling acquisition, won like a good thing as the 3-2 pick in this unveiling. The dark bay, under Jonathan Joyce, bounded out of the gate, was clear through :22 4/5 and :46 splits and galloped home 11 1/2 lengths to the good of Citi Dispute (Domestic Dispute). The final time for the race, :52.11, broke a track record that had stood for 45 years. Gator Prowl is trained by John Salzman Jr., whose father conditioned the champion Xtra Heat. The younger Salzman sees plenty of similarities. "She's the best thing we've had in the barn since her," he enthused. "This filly is made like her--she's little and runs downhill and does everything perfect. She is all business when you take her back to the barn. Now in the morning she is a little wildfire. I think she has dropped Jonathan more times than not. I think the score is 5-4 in her favor, and that includes today. So I was a little nervous and wanted to get her to the gate and get her out of there safely." Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$15,960. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O-Danny Divver & John E Salzman Jr. B-Tim & Karen Mawhinney (FL). T-John E Salzman Jr.



★ CENTRAL ★

Yesterday's Results:

4th-HAW, \$30,632, Alw, NW2X, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:45 4/5, ft.

RECAPTURETHEGLORY (c, 4, [Cherokee Run](#)--Cold Awakening {SP}, by Dehere) earned a spot in last year's GI Kentucky Derby after a front-running victory in the GII Illinois Derby over this strip. Fifth, beaten 11 3/4 lengths by Big Brown (Boundary), in the Run for the Roses, Recapturetheglory then missed the board in the GIII Northern Dancer S. in June and the GIII West Virginia S. in August and was sidelined. Returning in the slop at Fair Grounds Feb. 15, the bay completed the trifecta as the 3-2 pick. He came back to win an allowance race by daylight in New Orleans Mar. 8, but was subsequently DQ'd from purse money. Making his Chicago comeback as the prohibitive 1-10 choice here, Recapturetheglory faced only three rivals and, after stalking early, edged away to win by 2 1/4 lengths. Sword and Shield (Stephen Got Even) was second best. Recapturetheglory was a \$130,000 KEENOV weanling, \$160,000 FTKJUL yearling, and \$215,000 FTFEB two-year-old. Lifetime Record: GSW, 12-3-1-3, \$418,403. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#) O-Louie Roussel III & Ronald Lamarque. B-Charles Jacobi (KY). T-Louie J Roussel III.

UK Horse Racing Club to Host Trainer Panel:

The University of Kentucky will host its annual panel "Inside Horse Racing: The Trainer's View" Apr. 21 on campus at the Student Center Grand Ballroom. The panel will begin at 6 p.m with a silent auction. "I think the best thing about the event is the opportunity to listen to people talk about their passion for horses and horse racing," said Laurie Lawrence, club advisor and professor of equine nutrition in UK's Department of Animal and Food Sciences. Among the featured trainers are Hall of Famer Shug McGaughey, as well as Classic-winning conditioners Neil Howard, Michael Matz and Ken McPeck. "The event will be entertaining for all types of horse racing fans," Lawrence added. "They will have the opportunity to hear from leading trainers on subjects of current interest and also find out how each trainer got started. Plus, there will be a great silent auction that will include racing-related items and non-racing items, too." Proceeds from the event go to the Horse Farm Workers' Educational Assistance Fund and the UK Horse Racing Club. Tickets are \$10 at the door and \$5 for students. "The main goal of our club is to give students an inside look at the industry," said club president Katey Caddel. "The trainer panel will allow all attendees to put a face to the sport." For more information, go to www.ag.uky.edu/equine/index.php?p=147.

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Mineshaft	16	15	2 2	5	1 1	4	12 12	0 0
Sky Mesa	15	13	1 1	7	1 1	6	9 9	0 0
Empire Maker	13	10	2 3	3	2 3	3	10 11	1 2
Hawk Wing	10	10	0 0	1	0 0	1	9 9	0 0
Cactus Ridge	8	7	1 1	1	1 1	1	7 8	0 0
Dubai Destination	8	8	0 0	0	0 0	0	8 8	0 0
Posse	8	6	1 1	1	1 1	1	6 7	1 1
Yankee Gentleman	8	7	0 0	1	0 0	0	6 7	0 0
Flatter	7	6	0 0	0	0 0	0	6 7	0 0

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★ SO. CALIFORNIA ★

Barretts Catalogues 250 for May Sale:

Barretts Equine Limited has announced that 250 head have been catalogued for the May Two-Year-Olds in Training Sale, which will take place May 11 at the Hinds Pavilion at Fairplex Park in Pomona, California. Hips 1-125 will breeze May 7 at Fairplex, while the remaining youngsters will be put through their paces May 8. Freshman sires slated to be represented are Afleet Alex (Northern Afleet), Eurosilver (Unbridled's Song), Ghostzapper (Awesome Again), Grand Reward (Storm Cat), Leroidesanimaux (Brz) (Candy Stripes), Limehouse (Grand Slam), North Light (Ire) (Danehill), Offlee Wild (Wild Again), Pollard's Vision (Carson City), Purge (Pulpit), Rock Hard Ten (Kris S.), Roman Ruler (Fusaichi Pegasus), Saint Liam (Saint Ballado), Southern Image (Halo's Image) and Value Plus (Unbridled's Song). The catalogue is available online at www.barretts.com.

Yesterday's Results:

7th-SAX, \$57,000, Alw, NW3X, 4yo/up, f/m, a6 1/2fT, 1:12 1/5, fm.

1--**LEMON CHIFFON, 119, m, 6, [Lemon Drop Kid](#)--**

Cataballerina, by Tabasco Cat. O-Ron Beegle; B-Marguerite Clifford (KY); T-Sean McCarthy. Lifetime Record: SW & GSP, 9-4-0-1, \$201,117.

2--**Porto Marmay (Ire), 119, f, 4, Choisir (Aus)--** Nordicolini (Ire), by Nordico. (€24,000 yrl '06 GOFORB).

3--**Mission Viejo Halo, 119, f, 4, Luhuk--Dance Alexa,** by Southern Halo. (\$12,000 wlng '05 KEENOV). Margins: 1HF, 2HF, 2 1/4. Odds: 2.60, 4.90, 5.40.

The patiently handled Lemon Chiffon earned her first stakes victory in the Las Madrinas H. on the dirt at Fairplex Sept. 21, and followed that with a rallying third in the GII Las Palmas H. going a mile over this sod Oct. 24 in her most recent appearance. Unhurried down the hill, the liver chestnut took to the outside in the lane, collared Porto Marmay late and drove clear for a 1 1/2-length success. The 4-5 chalk Elletelle (Ire) (Elnadim) broke awkwardly, then rushed up vie for the lead before tiring to finish in a dead-heat for fourth.

[Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

5th-SAX, \$48,400, Msw, 3yo, 1mT, 1:34 4/5, fm.

METEORE (c, 3, [Pulpit](#)--Meteor Miracle {SW, \$182,989}, by Twining) finished third in his last two over the Santa Anita sod, beaten 3/4 lengths Feb. 20 and 1 1/2 lengths Mar. 13. The 2-1 chalk under Rafael Bejarano, he chased in fourth, set his sights on the free-wheeling Gold Schleiger (Lemon Drop Kid), easily overtook that foe in the lane and won by two lengths. Nashabo Express (In Excess {Ire}), the half to MGISW Nashoba's Key (Silver Hawk), was 10th; Fenomeno (Elusive Quality), the firster out of Farda Amiga, was fourth. Lifetime Record: 6-1-0-2, \$41,660. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O/B-Wertheimer et Frere (KY). T-Richard E Mandella.

2nd-SAX, \$37,600, Msw, (S), 2yo, 2f (AWT), :21, ft. + **NANA BOO (f, 2, Freespool--True Bettor, by Truly Met)** was bet down to 8-5 favoritism and didn't let her backers down. The Cal-bred was hustled out to lead and drew clear to the 3 1/2-length win. Ferrandero (Skimming) was second. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$21,600.

O-Ernie Alfonso, Rick Jackson, Jerry Pena and Steve Snook. B-Special T Thoroughbreds, Inc (CA). T-Jorge Periban.

★ AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS ★

IN BRITAIN:

The Winged Assassin, c, 3, [Fusaichi Pegasus](#)--Gran Dama, by Rahy. Folkestone, Britain, 4-9, Hcp, 3yo, 6fT. B-John T. L. Jones Jr. & Bemak N.V. *\$40,000 wnlng '06 KEENOV; \$7,000 yrl '07 KEESEP.

Portus Blendium, c, 3, Highest Honor (Fr). See "Breeders' Edition Europe."

Sail of Gold, c, 3, [Mizzen Mast.](#) See "France."

Danse Grecque, f, 4, Hold That Tiger. See "France."

IN IRELAND:

Filista, f, 3, [Aptitude.](#) See "Ireland."

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RED BLOOM (GB), 8, Selkirk--Red Camellia (GB), by Polar Falcon

Foal born Feb. 16, a filly by Dansili (GB).

Bred back to Duke of Marmalade (Ire).

Owned by/boarded at Cheveley Park Stud, GB.

Accomplishments: G1SW-GB, MGSW & MG1SP-Ire, MGSP-Fr, \$770,148.

DUBLINO, 10, Lear Fan--Tuscoga, by Theatrical (Ire)

Foal born Feb. 26, a colt by Montjeu (Ire).

Bred back to New Approach (Ire).

Owned by/boarded at Cheveley Park Stud, GB.

Accomplishments: GISW-US & GSP-Fr, \$596,836.



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*Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 2006 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/SW
Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)*

BWANA CHARLIE (Indian Charlie), Sequel FL, \$7K, 47/0/0
1-KEE, Msw, 4 1/2f, +Malawi, 7-2

INDIAN OCEAN (Stormy Atlantic), Bridlewood, \$4K, 67/0/0

1-KEE, Msw, 4 1/2f, +Rising Barometer, \$50K OBS AUG yrl, 5-2

POLLARD'S VISION (Carson City), Wintergreen, \$10K, 104/0/0

1-KEE, Msw, 4 1/2f, +Pollard's Babe, \$10K KEE SEP yrl, 12-1

SAINT LIAM (Saint Ballado), Lane's End, \$5K, 98/0/0

1-KEE, Msw, 4 1/2f, +Tribecky, \$25K KEE SEP yrl, 4-1

First/Second-crop starters to watch: Friday, Apr. 10

*Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 2005 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/SW
Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)*

ALAJWAD (Storm Cat), Lou-Roe, \$4K, 80/8/1

4-MNR, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Alohacat, 10-1

ANASHEED (A.P. Indy), Questroyal at Liberty, \$5K, 38/9/1

8-GP, Alw, 1 1/16mT, Weekend Pass, 8-1

CANDY RIDE (ARG) (Ride the Rails), Hill 'n' Dale, \$10K, 215/30/4

3-KEE, Alw, 1 1/16m, David's Rock, \$95K KEE SEP yrl, 4-1

6-MNR, Msw, 6f, Lofty and Noble, 15-1

CONGAREE (Arazi), Adena Springs KY, \$15K, 142/26/3

7-GP, Alw, 6f, For All Who Conga, 4-1

9-EVD, Stk, 6f, Zigaree, \$80K BAR MAR 2yo, 4-1

CUVEE (Carson City), Gainesway, \$10K, 208/29/2

10-KEE, Msw, 6 1/2f, Tevez the Tiger, \$450K FTF FEB 2yo, 5-1

2-GG, Msw, 2f, Cuvee Direct, \$14K KEE NOV wnl

FRIENDS LAKE (A.P. Indy), Airdrie, \$15K, 154/24/3

2-SP1, Stk, 1 1/8m, Loch Dubh, \$42K KEE SEP yrl, 50-1

7-WO, Alw, 6 1/2f, Divine Destiny, 12-1

HIGH CASCADE (Woodman), 69/4/0

3-EVD, Msw, 6 1/2f, Too Hi to Keep, \$5K LSA BDR yrl, 8-1

LION HEART (Tale of the Cat), Ashford, \$30K, 288/50/5

10-KEE, Msw, 6 1/2f, Empty Handed, \$20K KEE SEP yrl, 12-1

7-GP, Alw, 6f, Clam Bake, \$65K ESM AY 2yo, 6-1

9-OP, Alw, 6f, Stellsie, \$85K KEE SEP yrl

MEDAGLIA D'ORO (El Prado {Ire}), Stonewall, \$35K, 251/34/6

11-OP, Msw, 1m, Point Lookout, \$150K EAS SEP yrl

7-GP, Alw, 6f, Frosty Diamond, \$14K OBS MAR 2yo, 5-1

OLMODAVOR (A.P. Indy), Adena Springs South, \$10K, 117/20/2

10-KEE, Msw, 6 1/2f, +Charging Home, \$37K KEE SEP yrl, 15-1

OMEGA CODE (Elusive Quality), Hartley, 175/27/1

9-EVD, Stk, 6f, Code of Honour, \$12K OBS MAR 2yo, 10-1

SIR CHEROKEE (Cherokee Run), Crestwood, \$8K, 55/7/1

1-KEE, Msw, 4 1/2f, +Sigh, \$3K KEE JAN yrl, 12-1

SPEIGHTSTOWN (Gone West), WinStar, \$40K, 195/30/5

6-LRL, Aoc, 6f, Run Carly Run, \$25K OBS APR 2yo, 4-1

10-KEE, Msw, 6 1/2f, Goldfinder, \$120K FTK JUL yrl, 20-1

9-GP, Msw, 7f, Speight of Hand, \$140K KEE SEP yrl, 4-1

STROLL (Pulpit), Claiborne, \$8K, 57/11/3

9-EVD, Stk, 6f, And Music Came, \$7K KEE SEP yrl, 12-1

TAPIT (Pulpit), Gainesway, \$15K, 171/34/4

2-HAW, Msw, 1 1/16m, Honest Prophet, \$24K OBS AUG yrl, 5-1

TENPINS (Smart Strike), Walmac, \$7K, 126/17/2

1-AQU, Alw, 1mT, Diva's Gold, \$25K KEE SEP yrl, 4-1

THE CLIFF'S EDGE (Gulch), Vinery, \$2K, 125/18/1

2-SP1, Stk, 1 1/8m, Cliffy's Future, \$60K FTK JUL yrl, 20-1

WAR EAGLE (Seeking the Gold), All Star Tbred, \$2K, 15/1/0

4-MNR, Msw, 5 1/2f, Princesa de Guerra, 2-1



EUROPE



★ FRANCE ★

Friday, Maisons-Laffitte, post time: 3:05 p.m.

PRIX DJEBEL-Listed, €55,000, 3yo, c/g, 7fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER
1	7	Naaqoos (GB)	Oasis Dream (GB)	F Head
2	6	Good Bye My Friend (Fr)	Kendor (Fr)	Clement
3	4	Le Havre (Ire)	Noverre	Rouget
4	5	Rock'n'Roll Dream (Fr)	Lomitas (GB)	Spanu
5	3	Rachmaninov (Fr)	Verglas (Ire)	F Doumen
6	2	Stricke (Fr)	Della Francesca	Head-Maarek
7	1	Diableside (Fr)	Diableneyev (Fr)	Durepaire

All carry 128 pounds.

This should represent a relatively straightforward test for last year's G1 Prix Jean-Luc Lagardere hero

Naaqoos, who will be providing clues as to which mile Classic he is aimed at. Trainer Freddy Head is leaning towards Newmarket and Pennekamp was the last to complete the Djebel/2000 Guineas double in 1995. "I want to see him on a racecourse now," Head told *PA Sport*. "This is a very good prep race. I won it many times as a jockey and it always helps to give horses a prep. He had a very good winter. It is so far, so good, at the moment." Among his rivals is the progressive **Diableside**, last seen taking the Listed Criterium du Languedoc at Toulouse in November.

ARQANA - 2009 SALES

Saint-Cloud Breeze Up	May 9
Saint-Cloud Summer	July 2
Deauville August Yearlings	Aug. 14-17
Saint-Cloud Arc Sale	Oct. 3
Deauville October Yearlings	Oct. 19-21
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Deauville December Yearlings	Dec. 8

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France report cont.

Yesterday's Results:

Longchamp, 15.20, Cond, €34,000, 3yo, c/g, 1 1/4mT, 2:09.27, gd.

VESUVE (IRE) (c, 3, Green Tune--Verveine {Hwt. Older Mare-Fr at 7-9.5f, MGSW & MG1SP-Fr, GSP-HK, \$424,182}, by Lear Fan), a winner at Saint-Cloud last time Mar. 14, raced at the back of the six runners for most of the way here. Making some headway off the home turn, the 9-10 chalk was asked for his main effort approaching the final furlong and kept on well under encouragement in the closing stages to register a cozy half-length win from Makt (Fr) (Chichicastenango {Fr}). The victor is a half to Volga (Ire) (Caerleon), GISW-NA, GSW-Fr, \$1,141,628; Vallee Enchantee (Ire) (Peintre Celebre), MGSW-Fr, G1SW-HK, G1SP-Eng, \$287,663; and Vassilievsky (Ire) (Peintre Celebre), GSP-Fr, \$178,043. Lifetime Record: 5 starts, 2 wins, 2 places, €40,900.

O-Ecurie Wildenstein; B-Dayton Investments Ltd; T-Elie Lellouche.

Longchamp, 16.25, Cond, €33,000, 4-5yo, f/m, 1 1/4mT, 2:05.08, gd.

DANSE GRECQUE (f, 4, Hold That Tiger--Distorted Blaze, by Distorted Humor) was let go at 59-10 coming back off a third in the Listed Prix Casimir Delamarre at this track Oct. 26. Settled off the pace in rear, the \$35,000 FTKNOV foal took closer order at the top of the home run and easily asserted superiority inside the final quarter mile to defeat Tubular Bells (Kingmambo) by 2 1/2 lengths. Lifetime Record: SP-Fr, 5 starts, 2 wins, 2 places, €45,050.

O-Ecurie Wildenstein; B-J H & J M Cutrona; T-Elie Lellouche.

Longchamp, 14.50, Cond, €32,300, 3yo, f, 1 1/4mT, 2:12.21, gd.

QERTAAS (IRE) (f, 3, Linamix {Fr}--Qurrah {Ire}, by Zafonic), a first-up fourth at Saint-Cloud Mar. 17, raced in third initially, but was shuffled back to last of four at halfway. Pushed along in early stretch, the 33-10 chance quickened to challenge approaching the final eighth and was driven out late to deny Palme Royale (Ire) (Red Ransom) by a head in the bobber. Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 1 win, 1 place, €19,400.

O-Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum; B-Shadwell Estate Company Ltd; T-Freddy Head.

UPCOMING EUROPEAN GROUP 1 RACES

Date	Race	Track
Apr. 26	Prix Ganay	Longchamp
May 10	Poule d'Essai des Poulains	Longchamp
	Poule d'Essai des Pouliches	Longchamp
May 17	Prix d'Ispahan	Longchamp
	Prix Saint-Alary	Longchamp
June 7	Prix du Jockey-Club	Chantilly
June 14	Prix de Diane	Chantilly

Longchamp, 14.20, Mdn, €24,000, 3yo, 1 1/16mT, 1:47.85, gd.

SAIL OF GOLD (c, 3, Mizzen Mast--Louis d'Or, by Mr. Prospector), a last-out third at Chantilly Sept. 1, raced keenly in a close second after a smart break in this sophomore bow. Sent to the front with 350 meters remaining, the 9-5 pick was ridden out thereafter to score by a comfortable 2 1/2 lengths lengths from Monserrat (Fr) (Celtic Swing {GB}). Sail Of Gold is a half to Diplomatic Bag (Devil's Bag), GSW-US & SW-Fr, \$145,060. Lifetime Record: 3 starts, 1 win, 1 place, €15,300.

O-Khalid Abdullah; B-Juddmonte Farms; T-Pascal Bary.

★ BRITAIN ★

Yesterday's Results:

Folkestone, 13.40, Mdn, £4,000, 2yo, 5fT, 1:00.88, gd/fm.

+ **MONSIEUR CHEVALIER (IRE) (c, 2, Chevalier {Ire}--Blue Holly {Ire}, by Blues Traveller {Ire}),** who attracted support into 10-3 second-favoritism, broke well and stalked the early pace before cutting loose in the final furlong. Soon clear, the 17,000gns TATOCT yearling was firmly in command and had five lengths to spare over Diamond Laura (GB) (Lucky Story). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, £2,730. [Video, courtesy of attheraces.](#) O-Valerie Hubbard & Ian Higginson; B-Tally-Ho Stud; T-Richard Hannon.



Folkestone 13.40 Monsieur Chevalier (Ire) (Chevalier {Ire}) wins for fun at first asking.

Tipperary 17.15 Lastkingofscotland (Ire) (Danehill Dancer {Ire}) hangs on.

Tipperary 18.15 Filista (Aptitude) pulls off the upset.

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★ IRELAND ★

Yesterday's Results:

Tipperary, 17.15, Mdn, €13,000, 3yo, 7f 100ydsT, 1:52.17, hy.
 + **LASTKINGOFSCOTLAND (IRE) (c, 3, [Danehill Dancer {Ire}](#)--Arcade {GB}, by Rousillon)**, sent off at 8-1, was away slowly and raced in rear early. Making progress on the final turn, the bay hit the front with 1 1/2 furlongs remaining and was driven out to hold Castor (Ire) (Fasliyev) by a short head. In doing so, he provided Dr Vincent O'Brien with a memorable success on his 92nd birthday. The winner is a half to Montecastillo (Ire) (Fairy King), GSW-Ire, \$187,314. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, €8,983. [Video, courtesy of attheraces.](#)
 O-Dr M V O'Brien; B-Baronrath Stud; T-Charles O'Brien.

Tipperary, 18.15, Mdn, €12,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 7f 100ydsT, 1:54.52, hy.
FILISTA (f, 3, [Aptitude](#)--Fardus {Ire}, by Danehill) showed little in her two starts at Leopardstown and The Curragh and consequently started at 25-1. In rear early, the homebred delivered a rally in the stretch to reel in Cloud Fire (Ire) (Refuse to Bend {Ire}) passing the eighth pole and went on to a three-length success. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, €8,292. [Video, courtesy of attheraces.](#)
 O-Mrs J S Bolger; B-J. S. Bolger; T-Jim Bolger.



★ JAPAN ★

Wednesday, Oi, Japan

TOKYO SPRINT-Listed, ¥30,000,000 to winner, Oi, 4-8, 4yo/up, 1200m, 1:11.60, gd.
 1--**ZENNO PARTHENON (JPN), 123, h, 7, by Afleet**
 1st Dam: Mill's Whisper (Jpn), by Tony Bin (Ire)
 2nd Dam: Letkiss, by Lyphard
 3rd Dam: Limoya, by Riva Ridge
 O-Kumiko Osako; B-Northern Farm; T-Masahiro Matsunaga; J-Hiroyuki Uchida. Lifetime Record: 26-8-3-2, ¥170,085,000.
 2--**Gaburin (Aus), 123, h, 7, [Fusaichi Pegasus](#)--Dashing Eagle, by Danehill.** O-Yoshinori Sakae; B-Mr J R Fleming.
 3--**Fujino Wave (Jpn), 128, h, 7, Black Tie Affair (Ire)--Incurable Romantic, by Stop the Music.** O-Daishi Kogo Kikaku Inc.; B-Masanobu Sasajima.
 Margins: 3/4, NK, 3/4. Odds: 7.10, 5.60, 2.60.

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STAKES RESULTS:

FIFTH SEASON S., \$100,000, OPX, 4-9, 4yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:43 1/5, ft.
 1--**STONEHOUSE, 120, h, 5, Chester House--Jenny D., by Regal Embrace.** O-Richard Rudolph & Michael Vranich; B-Richard F Rudolph (IL); T-Joseph E Broussard; J-Perry Compton; \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 29-7-8-1, \$398,300. *3/4 to Cashmere Miss (Kokand), MSW, \$321,873.
 2--**Spotsgone, 116, h, 6, Bright Launch--Double's Lass, by Mr. Leader.** \$20,000.
 3--**Acting Zippy, 123, g, 4, City Zip--Stormack, by Future Storm.** (\$100,000 2yo '07 OBSMAR). \$10,000.
 Margins: NK, NO, 1HF. Odds: 5.70, 12.60, 39.70.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

9th-OPX, \$40,000, Opt. Clm. (\$50,000), NW4L, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:37 4/5, ft.
DAY OF VICTORY (f, 4, Victory Gallop--Gather the Day {MSP, \$245,908}, by Dayjur) Lifetime Record: SP, 17-4-2-3, \$140,682. O-Lewis G Lakin. B-A Lakin & Sons Inc (KY). T-Robert E Holthus.
7th-CTX, \$31,000, 4-8, NW1X, 4yo/up, 7f, 1:26, ft.
WADI SUKI (g, 5, Menifee--Naughty Nanny {Ire}, by Royal Academy) Lifetime Record: 21-5-5-3, \$97,795. O/T-Steve Klesaris. B-James H Stone (KY).

5th-PEN, \$29,638, 4-8, NW1X, 3yo/up, 1m70y, 1:43, ft.
WEST LIDO (c, 4, Lido Palace {Chi}--Princess West {Ger}, by Gone West) Lifetime Record: 22-6-3-3, \$69,001. O-Hernando Lopez. B-Don R Graham (FL). T-Karen M Kunes. *\$3,700 yrl '06 OBSJAN; \$7,000 2yo '07 OBSJUN.

8th-LRL, \$26,000, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:38 3/5, fm.
SARAH'S PRIZE (m, 5, [Pure Prize](#)--Detain, by Forty Niner) Lifetime Record: 13-3-4-0, \$82,606. O-Michael J Gill. B-John Haendiges (KY). T-Marcus J Vitali. *\$97,000 wlng '04 KEENOV.

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KEENELAND

OUR DAHLIA (Belong to Me), 5f, :59.60, 4/26
 SKYLIGHTER (Sky Mesa), 5f, 1:00, 5/26

CHURCHILL DOWNS

C. S. SILK (Medaglia d'Oro), 4f, :47.80, 2/21
 MACHO AGAIN (Macho Uno), 4f, :49.60, 13/21
 REAL APPEAL (Successful Appeal), 3f, :38.20, 2/4



ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Star of War, f, 3, **Cuvee**--Miss Awesome, by Awesome Again. EVD, 4-8, 5f, :59. B-North Star Equine (FL).

Past Curfew, f, 3, **Decarchy**--Nymphette, by Devil's Bag. SAX, 4-8, (S), (C), 6f (AWT), 1:11. B-Janavar Thoroughbreds LLC (CA).

Red Dubai, f, 3, **Essence of Dubai**--Holiday Red, by Half a Year. HAW, 4-9, 1 1/16m, 1:47 1/5. B-Earl Silver (FL). *\$1,000 yrl '07 KEEJAN.

Jo Jo the Great, g, 3, **Tiger Ridge**--Stormin Sally, by Well Decorated. CTX, 4-8, 4 1/2f, :53. B-Wings Ranch (FL). *\$38,000 yrl '07 OBSJAN; \$4,200 2yo '08 OBSAPR.

Starship Nova, f, 4, **Flame Thrower**--Sweetsouthernjazz, by Kentucky Jazz. GPX, 4-9, (C), 6f, 1:09 4/5. B-Starship Stables (FL).

Royal and Flashy, g, 4, **Royal Strand (Ire)**--Flashy Madame, by El Mandingo. EVD, 4-8, (S), 1 1/16mT, 1:44. B-Double Dam Farm LLC (LA). *Full to Royal Madame, SW, \$225,100.

Silent Jet, f, 4, **Unbridled Jet**--Silent Valay (MSW, \$406,461), by Carnivalay. LRL, 4-9, 7f, 1:25 3/5. B-Jeanne F & Hal C B Clagett (MD).

Big Jimmy J., h, 5, **Castine**--Majestic Angel, by Wavering Monarch. CTX, 4-8, (S), 7f, 1:28 2/5. B-Larry H Boyd (WV).

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IN ARGENTINA:

La Ginetta (Arg), f, 3, **Mutakddim**--La Testarossa (Arg), by Salt Marsh. La Plata, 4-7, Mdn, 7f, 1:24.96. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0. O/B-Haras La Quebrada; T-Edmundo Rodriguez.

Pure Native (Arg), f, 3, **Pure Prize**--Native Star (Arg), by Rule Britannia. San Isidro, 4-8, Cond, 7f, 1:22.00. Lifetime Record: 5-2-0-0. O-Stud Pergamino; B-Jorge Rodolfo Del Piano & Miguel Lagos Marmol; T-Palomo Abdon.

Ultima Belleza (Arg), f, 3, **Easing Along**--Utica (Arg), by Farnesio (Arg). San Isidro, 4-8, Cond, 5.5f, 1:04.26. Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-0. O-Stud La Cumparsita; B-Luis Alberto Marcos Rodriguez.

A # will distinguish first-time stakes-winners, a @ will indicate first-time graded stakes-winners, a ▲ will denote a first-time Grade/Group 1 winner, a + will indicate first-time starters, an (S) will be used for state-bred races, a (C) will be used for maiden-claiming races and an (R) will be used for other restricted races.

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CONDITIONS RESULTS:

FRANCE, Nantes, 17.10, 4-9, €26,000, 3yo, 1mT, 1:39.76, vsf.

PORTUS BLENDIUM (c, 3, Highest Honor {Fr}--Kalpita, by Spinning World) Lifetime Record: 5 starts, 2 wins, 3 places, €37,000. O-Mme Georgina Cabrero; B-Fred Seitz; T-Carlos Laffon-Parias. *\$65,000 yrl '07 KEESEP.

FRANCE, Nantes, 16.40, 4-9, €26,000, 3yo, 1 1/2mT, 2:37.74, vsf.

SABLE DES DUNES (FR) (g, 3, Al Namix {Fr}--Mon Excellence {Fr}, by Lou Piquet {Fr}) Lifetime Record: 6 starts, 3 wins, 3 places, €35,300. O-Ecurie des Dunes; B-Mlle P Lebocey & P Quinton; T-Cyriaque Diard.

FRANCE, Nantes, 18.10, 4-9, €22,000, 4yo/up, 1 1/2mT, 2:35.63, vsf.

ELASOS (FR) (h, 7, Pythios {Ire}--Shikasta {Ire}, by Kris {GB}) Lifetime Record: MSW & MGSP-Fr, 37 starts, 8 wins, 17 places, €240,375. O-Leonidas Marinopoulos; B-Stilvi Compania Financiera SA; T-Dominique Sepulchre.

IRELAND, Tipperary, 17.45, 4-9, €14,000, 4yo/up, 7f 100ydsT, 1:49.66, hy.

THREE ROCKS (IRE) (c, 4, Rock of Gibraltar {Ire}--Top Crystal {Ire}, by Sadler's Wells) Lifetime Record: 7-4-0-0, €46,921. O-Mrs J S Bolger; B-Michael Poland & Aerial Bloods; T-Jim Bolger. *67,000gns wnlg '05 TATDEC.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNER:

Three Moons (Ire), f, 3, **Montjeu (Ire)**--Three Owls (Ire), by Warning (GB). Folkestone, Britain, 4-9, Mdn, 3yo, f, 9f 149ydsT. B-The Goldsmith Bloodstock Partnership.

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IN ARGENTINA:

Willy Wells (Arg), f, 2, **Poliglote (GB)**--Will Fitz (Arg), by Fitzcarraldo (Arg). Palermo, 4-6, Mdn, 7.5f, 1:30.46. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1. O/B-Haras Firmamento. T-Juan Carlos Etchechoury Jr.