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**THURSDAY, MAY 28, 2009**

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**10 SWs, including 5 GSWs, in '09**  
**Only 1 Stallion Has More GSWs This Year**

## PROGNOSIS STILL CLOUDED FOR DOUGLAS

The *Daily Racing Form* reports that jockey Rene Douglas, severely injured in a spill at Arlington Park Saturday, is still without feeling in his lower legs, but that his doctors are not certain what his long-term prognosis will be. Douglas, 42, suffered two fractured vertebrae in his neck, and the T-5 and T-6 vertebrae in the middle of his back were compressed. The damage was repaired during seven hours of surgery at Northwestern Memorial Hospital Sunday. Douglas, who also fractured several ribs in the accident, has been on a ventilator in the ICU, but is conscious and responsive. Doreen Razo, the wife of jockey Eddie Razo and a close friend of the Douglas family, has



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been at the hospital daily. She told *DRF*, "The spine is a mysterious thing. We just have to wait for the swelling and everything to come down, and it's just going to be day by day. They didn't expect anything significant in terms of movement for five to seven days. They weren't worried that he wasn't able to feel this or feel that. Nothing has been a step back. All the doctors come out of there with a smile on their face." Jockey Jamie Theriot, suspended 30 days for his role in the spill, has appealed the suspension. Theriot issued a statement yesterday, saying, "On May 27, I exercised my right to appeal the unprecedented 30-day suspension handed down by the Illinois Racing Board Monday in the case of the May 23 accident at Arlington Park involving Rene Douglas. This was a very difficult decision for me to make, but after consulting with respected members of the racing community and legal counsel, I felt that this was the best course of action to take." Theriot added, "I am profoundly sorry for the pain that Rene and his family are suffering. Words cannot express my grief. My thoughts and prayers are with them."



## Classic Corner

### Weather Watch for Sea the Stars...

Trainer John Oxx is keeping an eye on the forecast ahead of next Saturday's G1 Epsom Derby and has warned that **Sea the Stars (Ire)** (Cape Cross {Ire}) could sidestep the contest if significant rain falls. Christopher Tsui's G1 2000 Guineas hero is rated "50-50" by his conditioner to last out the 1 1/2-mile trip, and soft ground could mean he is taken out of the Blue Riband. "We want the ground riding fast next week at Epsom, with the obvious questions about his stamina limitations," Oxx told the *Racing Post Weekender*. "I have to be honest and say I rate him only 50-50 to stay. If there was a wet week leading up to the race and plenty of cut, I would seriously consider not running him." Epsom's Clerk of the Course Andrew Cooper currently describes the ground as on the soft side of good after 16mm of rain was registered on Tuesday.



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### Leocorno Out of Oaks...

Sir Michael Stoute has ruled ★ **"TDN Rising Star"** ★ **Leocorno (Ire)** (Pivotal {GB}) out of next Friday's G1 Epsom Oaks. Despite the impressive five-length handicap win of Ballymacoll Stud's unbeaten homebred Thursday, connections have opted out of the Classic for which Stoute still has Cheveley Park Stud's Listed Cheshire Oaks runner-up **Phillipina (GB)** (Medicean {GB}) and Khalid Abdullah's Listed Lingfield Oaks Trial second **July Jasmine** (Empire Maker) as possibilities. "We are not running Leocorno in the Oaks and we will make a final decision about the participation of Phillipina and July Jasmine after they have worked at the weekend," Stoute told [www.racingpost.co.uk](http://www.racingpost.co.uk). "[Jockey] Frankie Dettori is available to ride in the Oaks, and if we run both of them, he could take the ride on one of them."

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Nine days later, 8-time Stakes winner **SUPERIOR STORM** ran second in the \$200,000 Grade 3 Ouija Board Distaff Stakes and Stakes winner **SOUTHERN REGION** placed in the \$100,000 USA Stakes.



News cont.

**IT'S A BIRD TESTS POSITIVE AFTER**

**OAKLAWN WIN** Edmund Gann's **It's a Bird**

(Birdonthewire), winner of the GIII Lone Star Park H.



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Monday, tested positive for naproxen following his victory in the GII Oaklawn H. Apr. 4, according to published reports. The Marty Wolfson-trained six-year-old won the Oaklawn H. by six lengths, but post-race tests confirmed the presence of naproxen--

more commonly known as its brand name Aleve

--a nonsteroidal anti-

inflammatory that is regarded as a Class-4 medication violation by the Association of Racing Commissioners International. Penalties for the infraction could include disqualification, redistribution of purse monies and a fine for Wolfson. Because Oaklawn is currently not racing, no date has been set for a hearing. The Arkansas Racing Commission is slated to meet June 9 and the case could be heard then. The RCI defines a Class-4 drug as a therapeutic medication with limited affect on racing performance.

**CATALOGUE ANNOUNCED FOR JRHA SALE**

The Japan Racing Horse Association has announced its catalogue for the July Select Sale, which will take place July 13-15 at the Northern Horse Park on the island of Hokkaido. A total of 161 head are slated to sell during the yearling session July 13, while 336 foals have been catalogued for the next two days of the auction. The catalogue will be available on-line beginning June 16 at [www.jrha.or.jp/en](http://www.jrha.or.jp/en), and the print version will be available June 26. The 2008 yearling session was topped by a ¥245,000,000 (\$2,289,719) son of Agnes Tachyon (Jpn)--Blue Avenue purchased by Riichi Kondo. Last year's foals were headed by a Deep Impact (Jpn)--Biwa Heidi (Jpn) colt purchased for ¥220,000,000 (\$2,056,074) by Takaya Shimakawa. Among the babies scheduled to be offered this summer are hip 221, a Ghostzapper colt out of Island Fashion, who was acquired by Katsumi Yoshida for \$950,000 at Keeneland in January; and hip 275, a colt from the first crop of Daiwa Major (Jpn) (Sunday Silence) out of Wind in Her Hair (Ire) (Alzao), making him a 3/4-brother to Deep Impact. Click [here](#) for a list of the catalogue highlights.



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Classic Corner cont.

**Hills on Montaff...**

Richard Hills will partner the G3 Lingfield Derby Trial runner-up **Montaff (GB)** (Montjeu {Ire}) in next Saturday's G1 Epsom Derby, according to trainer Mick Channon. Hills is expected to get acquainted with the colt at today's "Breakfast with the Stars" morning at the Surrey track. In his latest start, Montaff was a neck second to Age of Aquarius (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) in the May 9 trial. "[Montaff] had been held up with a splint problem, and so was entitled to need it at Lingfield," said Channon. "He was carrying condition and I'd expect him to improve between five and 10 lengths. I'll eat my hat if he doesn't surprise a few people in the Derby." Channon also revealed that Hills will renew his association with Jaber Abdullah's six-year-old **Youmzain (Ire)** (Sinndar {Ire}) in the previous day's G1 Coronation Cup. "The colt is going there just to see the track and will have a gentle breeze round behind a lead horse," Channon said. "I'm glad to get Richard, who has bags of experience of Epsom."



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**Today's Graded Stakes**  
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8:05a **Prix Corrida-G2, STC**  
2:10p **Henry II S.-G2, SND**  
2:45p **Brigadier Gerard S.-G3, SND**  
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☆ **PREVIEWS** ☆

**Thursday, Saint-Cloud, France, post time: 2:05 p.m.**  
**PRIX CORRIDA-G2, €130,000, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 5/16mT**

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	12	Goose Bay (Ger)	Groom Dancer	F Head	126
2	8	Shemima (GB)	Dalakhani (Ire)	de Royer-Dupre	123
3	1	Albisola (Ire)	Montjeu (Ire)	Rob Collet	123
4	4	La Boum (Ger)	Monsun (Ger)	Rob Collet	123
5	2	Tubular Bells	Kingmambo	Pantall	121
6	3	Rainbow Dancing (GB)	Rainbow Quest	van Zuylen	121
7	11	Alpine Rose (Fr)	Linamix (Fr)	de Royer-Dupre	121
8	9	Danse Grecque	Hold that Tiger	Lellouche	121
9	5	Salve Germania (Ire)	Peintre Celebre	Hickst	121
10	10	Diyakalanie (Fr)	Ashkalani (Ire)	de Nicolay	121
11	7	Stella di Quattro (GB)	Best of the Bests (Ire)	Ostmann	121
12	6	Guantana (Ger)	Dynaformer	J Hirschberger	121



**WORTH 1,000 WORDS**

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**Prix Corrida cont.**

**Goose Bay** is still paying the price for her success in the G2 Oaks d'Italia at the San Siro last June and faces a stiff task attempting to defy a subsequent penalty here. She was only sixth behind **Shemima** in the G3 Prix Allez France at Chantilly last time Apr. 28, and that filly is also burdened with extra weight as a result. She was taken down the staying route last term by Alain de Royer-Dupre and after being awarded the G3 Prix de Lutece over 1 7/8 miles on the disqualification of Americain (Dynaformer) at Longchamp in September before finishing runner-up to Watar (Ire) (Marju {Ire}) in the G2 Prix Chaudenay over the same track and trip the following month. Her 10-furlong Allez France success--which showed she has adequate pace for this test--came at the expense of the subsequently disqualified G2 Grosser Preis der Badischen Unternehmen winner Tres Rapide (Ire) (Anabaa Blue {GB}) and the reopposing **Albisola**. The latter has just under two lengths to find on Shemima and has the ability to make an impact as she showed when winning the G3 Prix de Flore at Saint-Cloud in October.

**Thursday, Sandown, Britain, post time: 7:10 p.m.**

**BLUE SQUARE HENRY II S.-G2, £100,000, 4yo/up, 2m 78ydsT**

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER
1	5	Bulwark (Ire)	Montjeu (Ire)	I Williams
2	3	Geordieland (Fr)	Johann Quatz (Fr)	J Osborne
3	1	Tastahil (Ire)	Singspiel (Ire)	B Hills
4	4	Tungsten Strike	Smart Strike	Perrett
5	7	Viper (GB)	Polar Prince (Ire)	Hollinshead
6	6	Fiulin (GB)	Galileo (Ire)	M Botti
7	2	Patkai (Ire)	Indian Ridge (Ire)	Stoute

All carry 128 pounds bar Fiulin & Patkai, 126.

This is all about last year's G3 Queen's Vase winner **Patkai**, who looked a potential star among the staying firmament when scorching to a nine-length win in the G3 Sagaro S. at Ascot Apr. 29. The Ballymacoll homebred is currently quoted above Yeats (Ire) (Sadler's Wells) in the betting for the G1 Gold Cup at the Royal meeting and has to win to justify that status.



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**Henry II S. cont.**

One old warrior who has already felt the wrath of Ballydoyle's legendary marathoner is **Geordieland**, who has been runner-up to the giant three times and twice in the Ascot feature. He returns after a break, having disappointed when fifth in the G3 Geoffrey Free S. at Newbury in August, but connections are keeping a keen eye on the weather. "He's in good order," trainer Jamie Osborne told *PA Sport*. "I'm concerned there's plenty of rain about but I think, on balance, we'll probably run and it should dry out a bit on Thursday." **Tastahil** looked a smart prospect for this sphere when registering a first stakes success in Newbury's Listed Aston Park S. last time May 16 and commands respect.

**Thursday, Sandown, Britain, post time: 7:45 p.m.**  
**BLUE SQUARE BRIGADIER GERARD S.-G3, £65,000,**  
 4yo/up, 10f 7ydsT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	12	Conduit (Ire)	Dalakhani (Ire)	Stoute	133
2	2	Blue Monday (GB)	Darshaan (GB)	Charlton	129
3	11	Allied Powers (Ire)	Invincible Spirit (Ire)	Bell	126
4	1	Campanologist	Kingmambo	bin Suroor	126
5	8	Cima de Triomphe (Ire)	Galileo (Ire)	Cumani	126
6	9	Drumfire (Ire)	Danehill Dancer (Ire)	Johnston	126
7	10	Indian Days (GB)	Daylami (Ire)	Given	126
8	4	Perks (Ire)	Selkirk	J Dunlop	126
9	3	Pipedreamer (GB)	Selkirk	Gosden	126
10	7	Smokey Oakey (Ire)	Tendulkar	Tompkins	126
11	6	Staying On (Ire)	Invincible Spirit (Ire)	Swinburn	126
12	5	Steele Tango	Okawango	Teal	126
13	13	Stotsfold (GB)	Barathea (Ire)	Swinburn	126

Last year's G1 St Leger and GI Breeders' Cup Turf hero **Conduit** returns to the races for the first time since basking in the Santa Anita sunshine under the maximum penalty and over a possibly inadequate trip. His readiness will be tested by the multiple Group 1-placed **Pipedreamer**, who was caught by the same connections' Tartan Bearer (Ire) (Spectrum {Ire}) in the final yards of the G3 Gordon Richards S. over this track and trip last time Apr. 25. "He's in cracking form, he showed a lot of speed in his last race and we're definitely happy with the way he has come out of it," owner/breeder Cheveley Park Stud's Manager Chris Richardson told *PA Sport*. "Obviously, we've got an interesting event on Thursday and the favourite to beat, I suppose."

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## 2009 LEADING SIRES OF GSW'S

RANK	SIRE	GSWs	SWs
1	<b>GIANT'S CAUSEWAY</b>	7	11
2	Dynaformer	5	9
-	Lemon Drop Kid	5	8
-	Smart Strike	5	7

Bloodhorse.com., 05/27/09.

## 2008 LEADING SIRES OF GSW'S

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2	Unbridled's Song	8	3
-	Dynaformer	8	2

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**Saturday, Eagle Farm, Australia**

**QUEENSLAND OAKS-G1**, A\$400,000, 3yo, f, 2400mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY
1	6	Purple (Aus)	Commands (Aus)	McEvoy
2	1	Juice (NZ)	Bertolini	Rodd
3	18	Awesome Planet (Aus)	Giant's Causeway	J Cassidy
4	7	Seesawing (Aus)	Easy Rocking (Aus)	Scriven
5	3	Think Money (Aus)	Danehill Dancer (Ire)	Cahill
6	8	Ekstreme (NZ)	Ekraar	Bosson
7	4	La Bella Luisa (Aus)	Clang (Aus)	Galloway
8	5	Can't Keeper Down (NZ)	Keeper (Aus)	No Rider
9	2	A Little Knowledge (Aus)	Dangerous (Aus)	Payne
10	10	Rezyana (Aus)	Redoute's Choice (Aus)	N Rawiller
11	17	Nothin' Leica Cat (NZ)	Tale of the Cat	Oliver
12	12	River Perfume (Aus)	Rock of Cashel (Ire)	Taylor
13	9	Returrtosender (Aus)	Elusive City	Nolen
14	14	Gracesynd (Aus)	Danewin (Aus)	Taylor
15	15	Prix du Sang (Aus)	Red Ransom	Williams
16	19	Walk in the Park (NZ)	Thorn Park (Aus)	L Cassidy
17	16	Lacada Siren (Aus)	Giant's Causeway	Thompson
18	11	Royal Excess (Aus)	Exceed and Excel (Aus)	No Rider
19	13	Desire to Win (Aus)	Kbenjar (Aus)	No Rider

All carry 122 pounds.

**Saturday, Woodbine**

**NASSAU S.-GII**, \$300,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	Tell It as It Is	Chester House	Wilson	119
2	Roses 'n' Wine	Broken Vow	Sutherland	115
3	Remarkable Remy	Hennessy	Ramsammy	117
4	Scenery Change	Royal Academy	Dos Ramos	115
5	Rutherienne	Pulpit	Garcia	119
6	Favorite Fantasy	Richter Scale	McAleney	115
7	Meadow Saffron	Military	Landry	115
8	Dance to My Tune	Stravinsky	Fraser	115
9	Callwood Dancer (Ire)	Danehill Dancer (Ire)	Da Silva	119
10	Points of Grace	Point Given	Husbands	115

**Saturday, Churchill Downs**

**DOGWOOD S.-GIII**, \$100,000, 3yo, f, 1m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	Walloon	Alphabet Soup	Castanon	117
2	Hightap	Tapit	Bridgmohan	117
3	Affirmed Truth	Proudest Romeo	Borel	117
4	Dave's Revenge	The Cliff's Edge	Farina	117
5	Luster	Touch Gold	Theriot	117
6	Slides Choice	Devil His Due	Lanerie	119
7	Tweeter	Unbridled's Song	Mena	117
8	Perfect for You	Giant's Causeway	Court	117
9	Lady's Laughter	Distorted Humor	Albarado	117



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**Saturday, Churchill Downs**

**ARISTIDES S.-GIII**, \$100,000, 3yo/up, 6f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	Early Return	Carson City	Hernandez Jr	118
2	Cassoulet	Distorted Humor	Theriot	118
3	Vicarian	Vicar	Borel	118
4	Garifine	Belong to Me	Mena	118
5	Sok Sok	Trippi	Bridgmohan	118
6	Semaphore Man	Formal Gold	Castanon	122
7	Premium Wine	Prime Timber	Sterling Jr	118
8	Success Success	Successful Appeal	Court	118
9	Bold Start	Jump Start	Albarado	118
10	Knights Cross	Thunderello	Lanerie	118
11	Grand Sensation	Grand Slam	Doocy	120



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**PRECIOUS GEM**

First or second in 12 of her 17 career starts, including all five prior U.S. outings, **Diamond Diva (GB)** (Dansili {GB}) will try to better her runner-up finish in last year's GI Gamely S. at Hollywood Park Saturday. The dark bay mare set the pace in the 2008 edition of the event, but was caught in the final furlong by Precious Kitten (Catenus) and missed by 2 1/4 lengths. Rebounding to take the July 5 GII CashCall Mile by a nose over Ventura (Chester House), she then was forced to the sidelines by a suspensory injury. The Three Chimneys Racing runner made her return in the May 2 GIII Wilshire H. going a flat mile and finished second by three-quarters of a length.

**Speed to Spare...**

Likely to join Diamond Diva on the front end in the Gamely are **Tuscan Evening (Ire)** (Oasis Dream {GB}), who wired a Hollywood allowance test going 1 1/16 miles May 10; and **Ainamaa** (Lemon Drop Kid), who led every step before holding on for a nose score in an optional claimer over the Gamely course and distance May 7.

**Saturday, Hollywood Park**

**GAMELY S.-GI, \$250,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8mT**

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	Tuscan Evening (Ire)	Oasis Dream (GB)	Bejarano	117
2	Bel Air Sizzle	Unusual Heat	Talamo	119
3	Toque de Queda (GB)	Dansili (GB)	Espinoza	117
4	Diamond Diva (GB)	Dansili (GB)	Flores	123
5	Modification	Vindication	Nakatani	117
6	Visit (GB)	Oasis Dream (GB)	Blanc	117
7	Magical Fantasy	Diesis (GB)	Solis	123
8	Ainamaa	Lemon Drop Kid	Gryder	117
9	Foxysox (GB)	Foxhound	T Baze	119
10	Black Mamba (NZ)	Black Minnaloushe	Rosario	123
11	Lemon Chiffon	Lemon Drop Kid	Smith	117

**TDN Feature Presentation...**  
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**The SIRE STATS Lesson of the Day:**  
**Leading Kentucky Sires by North American Earnings**

<u>Rank</u>	<u>Stallion</u>	<u>Earnings</u>	<u># of 3yo Crops to Race</u>
1	Distorted Humor	\$3,134,861	7
2	<b>Medaglia d'Oro</b>	<b>\$3,001,212</b>	1
3	Giant's Causeway	\$2,926,933	5
4	Smart Strike	\$2,788,119	9
5	Unbridled's Song	\$2,737,587	9
6	Empire Maker	\$2,335,914	2
7	Stormy Atlantic	\$2,301,119	7
8	A.P. Indy	\$2,295,886	13





**Lukas Duo Confined for Belmont...**

Trainer D. Wayne Lukas said yesterday that **Luv Gov** (Ten Most Wanted), eighth in the GI Preakness S., and **Flying Private** (Fusaichi Pegasus), fourth in the second



**Flying Private** Horsephotos

leg of the Triple Crown, will both make their next starts in the June 6 GI Belmont S. The two worked at Churchill Downs yesterday. Luv Gov, in company with GI Acorn S. hopeful Be Fair (Exchange Rate), went six furlongs in 1:12.40; his workmate hit the wire just ahead of him, stopping the clock in 1:12 flat. Flying Private also breezed six

furlongs in tandem, getting the distance in 1:15.40. "Of course, we pointed to the Belmont all spring long, but as the race gets closer, you want to see horses show you something," said Lukas. "This morning, we were more concerned about their energy level than with how they finished out. And we got the response we wanted." He added, "Also, I wanted to talk to Bob Baker and Bill Mack [owners of Flying Private]. They are both New Yorkers and they both want to be at the Belmont. We're going to run, but, unfortunately, they'll be somewhere in Europe having dinner with some prime minister." The Hall of Fame horseman has four Belmont victories to his credit, scoring with Tabasco Cat (1994), Thunder Gulch (1995), Editor's Note (1996) and Commandable (2000). His 2009 starters will ship to New York Sunday.

UPCOMING MAJOR NORTH AMERICAN STAKES

Date	Race	Track
May 30	GI Gamely BC S.	HOL
	GII Sands Point S.	BEL
	GII Nassau S.	WO
	GIII Aristides S.	CD
	GIII Dogwood S.	CD
	GIII Golden Gate Fields Turf S.	GG
May 31	GII Honeymoon H.	HOL
June 5	GII Brooklyn BC H.	BEL
	GIII Hill Prince S.	BEL
June 6	GI Belmont S.	BEL
	GI Acorn S.	BEL
	GI Just a Game S.	BEL
	GI Manhattan S.	BEL
	GI Charles Whittingham Memorial	HOL
	GII True North H.	BEL
June 7	GII Woody Stephens S.	BEL
	GIII Mint Julep H.	CD
	GIII Ack Ack H.	HOL
	GIII Eclipse S.	WO
	GII Hollywood Oaks	HOL
	GIII Eatontown H.	MTH
June 13	GI Ogden Phipps H.	BEL
	GI Stephen Foster H.	CD
	GII Fleur de Lis H.	CD
June 14	GII Jefferson Cup	CD
	GII The Californian	HOL
	GIII Northern Dancer S.	CD
	GIII Regret S.	CD
	GIII Round Table H.	HOL
	GIII Poker H.	BEL
June 20	GII New York H.	BEL
	GII Colonial Turf Cup	CNL
	GIII All Along BC S.	CNL
	GIII Affirmed H.	HOL
	GIII Obeah S.	DEL
	June 21	GIII Cinema H.
GIII Highlander S.		WO
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## LEADING SECOND-CROP SIRES IN EUROPE by Lifetime Earnings

	Stallion	Sire	Rnrs	Wnrs	Wins	Total £	Black Type	
							Wnrs	Plcd
1	ELUSIVE CITY (b. 2000)	Elusive Quality	73	29	49	1,668,090	3	4
2	EXCEED AND EXCEL (b. 2000)	Danehill	94	38	53	913,913	3	5
3	KHELEYF (b/br. 2001)	Green Desert	91	44	66	775,656	3	5
4	ONE COOL CAT (b. 2001)	Storm Cat	109	44	65	604,226	5	2
5	REFUSE TO BEND (b. 2000)	Sadler's Wells	70	25	42	590,883	1	5
6	AMERICAN POST (br. 2001)	Bering	40	16	27	448,878	3	2
7	DELLA FRANCESCA (b. 1999)	Danzig	31	12	22	429,209	1	2
8	SULAMANI (b. 1999)	Hernando	24	10	14	366,215	1	0
9	PYRUS (b/br. 1998)	Mr Prospector	53	18	37	345,216	0	0
10	COLOSSUS (b. 2001)	Danehill	58	26	36	302,621	0	1
11	DENON (b. 1998)	Pleasant Colony	35	17	32	286,701	0	2
12	BACHELOR DUKE (b. 2001)	Miswaki	39	14	19	278,453	1	1
13	LUCKY STORY (b. 2001)	Kris S	44	11	18	252,158	1	1
14	INDIAN HAVEN (ch. 2000)	Indian Ridge	38	6	12	226,418	2	0
15	TOUT SEUL (b. 2000)	Ali-Royal	33	11	27	224,519	0	1
16	GOLD SPHINX (b/br. 1999)	Storm Cat	29	15	36	202,464	0	1
17	*SPEIGHTSTOWN (ch. 1998)	Gone West	8	3	4	185,124	1	0
18	HAAFHD (b. 2001)	Alhaarth	41	16	24	175,621	0	0
19	MY RISK (b. 1999)	Take Risks	19	6	11	159,148	0	0
20	RESET (b. 2000)	Zabeel	50	10	14	157,375	1	1
21	MONSIEUR BOND (ch. 2000)	Danehill Dancer	55	17	23	153,033	0	1
22	EQUERRY (b. 1998)	St Jovite	37	7	10	134,321	0	0
23	GOLDEN PIVOTAL (b. 2001)	Pivotal	27	12	19	132,871	0	0
24	BAPTIZE (br. 1998)	Dynaformer	26	8	12	128,455	0	0
25	BALLINGARRY (b. 1999)	Sadler's Wells	29	6	9	120,340	0	0
26	CORONER (b/br. 2000)	Mtoto	19	5	9	113,642	0	1
27	NEEDWOOD BLADE (ch. 1998)	Pivotal	50	8	15	107,307	0	0
28	DEPORTIVO (b. 2000)	Night Shift	18	6	15	104,793	1	0
29	MASTERFUL (b. 1998)	Danzig	13	6	10	98,573	0	0
30	CHARMING GROOM (gr. 1999)	Kaldoun	25	6	7	97,536	0	0
31	MARTALINE (gr. 1999)	Linamix	24	5	5	91,468	0	0
32	RASHBAG (b. 1999)	Reprimand	15	4	6	87,622	1	0
33	DECEPTOR (b. 1999)	Machiavellian	5	3	7	85,241	0	0
34	*CONGAREE (ch. 1998)	Arazi	3	1	2	79,545	1	0
35	IMPERIAL DANCER (b. 1998)	Primo Dominie	18	3	5	78,242	1	0
36	RANSOM O'WAR (b. 2000)	Red Ransom	22	6	9	71,504	0	1
37	NICOBAR (b. 1997)	Indian Ridge	5	2	4	68,838	0	0
39	TOUCH DOWN (b. 1998)	Dashing Blade	6	1	1	48,118	0	0
40	*PLEASANTLY PERFECT (b. 1998)	Pleasant Colony	5	4	5	47,847	0	0
41	GIOVANE IMPERATORE (b. 1998)	Halling	10	3	11	43,956	0	0
42	*TAPIT (gr. 2001)	Pulpit	3	1	3	42,011	0	0
43	*MEDAGLIA D'ORO (b/br. 1999)	El Prado	6	3	4	41,486	0	0
44	CALIFET (b. 1998)	Freedom Cry	10	2	2	40,726	0	1
45	KING CHEETAH (b. 1999)	Storm Cat	10	5	7	38,605	0	0
46	HAWKEYE (b. 1998)	Danehill	13	3	5	38,431	0	0
47	TILLERMAN (b. 1996)	In The Wings	13	3	4	38,210	0	0
48	ALBERTO GIACOMETTI (b. 2000)	Sadler's Wells	7	1	2	35,004	0	0
49	LEADERSHIP (ch. 1999)	Selkirk	14	1	1	31,936	0	0
50	*SMARTY JONES (ch. 2001)	Elusive Quality	2	2	2	30,932	0	1

This table includes Northern Hemisphere crop earnings, excluding Japan. Click [here](#) to see the corresponding Bill Oppenheim column from May 27.

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**Yesterday's Results:**

**9th-DEL, \$41,700, Alw, NW2X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m70y, 1:44, ft.**

**SHARED ACCOUNT (f, 3, [Pleasantly Perfect](#)--Silk n' Sapphire, by Smart Strike)** remained perfect in three starts in allowance company with this smooth success. A debut winner going Laurel's one-turn mile on Halloween, the \$170,000 KEESEP yearling made it two straight with an easy seven-length victory going two turns at the Maryland oval Jan. 17. Given a crack at Grade II level over the winter, the bay couldn't quite make the cut, finishing sixth to Justwhistledixie (Dixie Union) in the Davona Dale S. Mar. 1 and in the Bonnie Miss S. Mar. 27. Facing decidedly easier company this time around, the half-sister to Mark of Success (Mt. Livermore), GSP, \$153,388, tracked the pacesetting Ultimate Beauty (Friends Lake) from second, responded when asked for an effort and got through inside the front-runner for a half-length tally as the 7-5 chalk. Lifetime Record: 5-3-0-0, \$64,660. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O-Sagamore Farm. B-William A Carl (KY). T-H Graham Motion.

**6th-DEL, \$39,400, Msw, 3yo, f, 6f, 1:11 1/5, ft. SEA WIND (f, 3, [Northern Afleet](#)--She Belongs, by Belong to Me)** flipped and ran off during the post parade prior to her May 8 debut over the Tapeta surface at Presque Isle Downs, then finished an even fifth after looming boldly into the stretch. Bet down to 8-1 for her first try over a conventional dirt surface, the homebred raced at the tail of the leading group to the turn, awaited room into the stretch and charged home once clear to hand pacesetting Silver Clan (Silver Deputy) a 1 1/4-length defeat. The winner is a half to Crypto Dixie (Cryptoclearance), MSP, \$224,652. Haley's Charge (Fusaichi Pegasus) weakened to finish sixth. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$23,675. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O/B-Timber Bay Farm (KY). T-William J Entenmann.

**BLACK-TYPE STAKES CLOSINGS**

**TODAY, THURSDAY, MAY 28:**

06-07 \$150,000 **Hollywood Oaks-II, Hol, 3yo, f, 8.5f (AWT) (150)**

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**TODAY'S INSIGHTS**

**2:56p HRTV 3rd-APX, \$38K, Msw, 2yo, 4 1/2f (AWT) STRAIGHT TALK ([Macho Uno](#))** shows a strong series of works for trainer Graham Motion over the main track at Delaware Park, but kicks off his career over the Arlington Polytrack. A son of MSW & GSP No Foul Play (Great Gladiator), the gray made \$190K as a KEESEP yearling, the fourth most-expensive of 41 youngsters sold by his sire last year. He is closely related to GSW Temporary Saint, who is by Awesome Again, a half-brother to Macho Uno. [brisnet.com pps](http://brisnet.com pps)

**1st-PID, \$35,250, Msw, 3yo, 6f (AWT), 1:10 2/5, ft. MACHO TORO (c, 3, [Macho Uno](#)--Evening Hush {SW}, by Saint Ballado)** made a pair of starts in this track's inaugural season last year, finishing a debut fourth Aug. 21 over 6 1/2 furlongs before improving to be second at a mile Sept. 11. Gone eight months following that effort, the \$40,000 KEESEP yearling resurfaced in a 5 1/2-furlong maiden May 9, missing by a head in second. A 3-1 chance to improve off that seasonal bow, the grey stalked the pace from second, responded to a right-handed whip in upper stretch and edged clear to take it by 2 3/4 lengths. A.P. Ridge (A.P. Indy--Seebe) stayed on late to be fourth. The winner is a half to Night Sky (Gold Case), SW, \$230,856. Lifetime Record: 4-1-2-0, \$36,950. O-Matthew Kosco. B-Adena Springs (FL). T-Jevon D Crumley.

★ **AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS** ★

**IN BRITAIN:**

**Noble Storm, c, 3, [Yankee Gentleman](#).** See "Breeders' Edition Europe."

**Lemon n Sugar, f, 4, [Lemon Drop Kid](#)--Altos de Chavon, by Polish Numbers.** Lingfield, 5-27, Hcp, 4yo/up, 6f (AWT). B-Establo Madoca Corp. \*\$350,000 2yo '07 KEEAPR.

**Strike the Deal, c, 4, [Van Nistelrooy](#).** See "Britain."

**Convince, g, 8, Mt. Livermore--Conical (GB), by Zafonic.** Brighton, Britain, 5-27, Hcp, 4yo/up, 6f 209ydsT. B-Juddmonte Farms Inc. \*29,000gns HIT '03 TATAUT; 7,500gns HIT '05 TATHIT.

**IN FRANCE:**


+ Zanzibari, c, 2, [Smart Strike](#). See "France."



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

- HEAR NO EVIL** (Carson City), 13/0/0  
2-CRC, Msw, 4 1/2f, Lucky Deuce, 4-1
- NORTH LIGHT (IRE)** (Danehill), Adena Springs, \$50K, 67/0/0  
2-CRC, Msw, 4 1/2f, +Ruby Rouge, \$37K ADS SPR 2yo, 8-1
- WESTERN OUTLAW** (Gone West), J E Bryant, \$2K, 39/0/0  
3-AP, Msw, 4 1/2f, +Boston Outlaw, 15-1

**First/Second-crop starters to watch: Thursday, May 28**  
Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 2005 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/SW  
Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)

- CITY PLACE** (Storm Cat), Hartley, 89/11/0  
2-CRC, Msw, 4 1/2f, +Myakka City, \$47K OBS APR 2yo, 6-1
- MEDAGLIA D'ORO** (El Prado {Ire}), Stonewall, \$35K, 251/39/7  
2-CRC, Msw, 4 1/2f, +Medaglia Bay, \$270K KEE SEP yrl, 12-1

## NTRA REPORT FROM CAPITOL HILL



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**District:** Kentucky's 3rd is home to Churchill Downs racetrack.

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**Impact on horse racing industry:** Born and raised in Kentucky, Congressman Yarmuth has a great understanding of the thoroughbred racing industry. He introduced the "Pari-mutuel Conformity and Equality Act of 2009" (H.R. 2140) or [PACE Act](#) in April. The bill eliminates the 25 percent federal withholding on pari-mutuel winnings of \$5,000 or more that carry odds of 300-1 or higher. The Ways & Means Committee has jurisdiction over this and other tax matters.

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- [9th-DEL \(Alw\)](#) Shared Account (Pleasantly Perfect) makes a successful return to allowance company.
- [6th-DEL \(Msw\)](#) Sea Wind (Northern Afleet) blows them away in the strtch.



**ARCHIPENKO HEADS SUSSEX ENTRY** Trainer Mike deKock yesterday announced that **Archipenko** (Kingmambo) is a possible contender for the July 29 G1 Sussex S. at Goodwood, for which a total of 57 entries were unveiled. Last year's G1 QEII Cup hero was fifth in the mile contest last year, one place behind deKock's Asiatic Boy (Arg) (Not for Sale {Arg}). "We have entered Archipenko in the Sussex S. and the race is a possibility for him--we are keeping all of our options open at the moment," said deKock. "He could go for the [G1] Arlington Million [Aug. 8] once again, but Goodwood would be an obvious alternative for him. He has shown that he is effective over a mile, and he ran a very good race when winning the G2 Summer Mile at Ascot last year. He also ran well over a mile at Nad Al Sheba earlier on this season, which was a very competitive Group 3 [Zabeel Mile, Feb. 26]." Archipenko was last seen when sixth in the latest renewal of the QE II Cup at Sha Tin Apr. 26, but deKock believes there may be excuses. "It's quite an easy 10 furlongs at Sha Tin and he was probably a length or two below his best when he ran in this year's QEII Cup," de Kock added. "We had respiratory problems with the horses earlier in the year, which is why they didn't run so well in Dubai, but he seems fine at the moment."



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## ★ BRITAIN ★

Thursday, Sandown, post time: 8:20 p.m.

**BLUE SQUARE SP GUARANTEE HERON S.-Listed,** £40,000, 3yo, 1m 14ydsT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	2	Ashram (Ire)	Indian Haven (GB)	bin Suroor	129
2	3	Border Patrol (GB)	Selkirk	Charlton	129
3	1	Bridge of Gold	Giant's Causeway	Magnusson	124
4	5	Everynight (Ire)	Rock of Gibraltar (Ire)	M Botti	124
5	7	Racketeer (Ire)	Cape Cross (Ire)	Gosden	124
6	4	Spring of Fame	Grand Slam	bin Suroor	124
7	6	Yorksters Girl (Ire)	Bachelor Duke	Quinlan	119

Thursday, Sandown, post time: 6:35 p.m.

**BLUE SQUARE CASINO NATIONAL S.-Listed,** £30,000, 2yo, 5f 6ydsT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER
1	2	Fratellino (GB)	Auction House	McCabe
2	7	Lees Anthem (GB)	Mujahid	Teague
3	3	Monsieur Chevalier (Ire)	Chevalier (Ire)	Hannon
4	6	Raine's Cross (GB)	Cape Cross (Ire)	Winkworth
5	8	Soccer	Van Nistelrooy	Dascombe
6	5	Star Rover (Ire)	Camacho (GB)	Evans
7	1	High Spice	Songandaprayer	Cowell
8	4	Mijas Playa (GB)	Avonbridge (GB)	Dwyer

All carry 126 pounds bar High Spice & Mijas Playa, 121.

### Yesterday's Results:

**HILARY NEEDLER TROPHY-Listed,** £30,000, Beverley, 5-27, 2yo, f, 5fT, 1:04.17, gd/fm.

1--**#DON'T TELL MARY (IRE), 124, f, 2, by Starcraft (NZ)**

**1st Dam: Only in Dreams (GB), by Polar Falcon**

**2nd Dam: Dream Baby (GB), by Master Willie (GB)**

**3rd Dam: Carose (GB), by Caro (Ire)**

(£32,000 yrl '08 DONSEP). O-K P Trowbridge; B-Mascalls Stud; T-Tom Dascombe; J-Richard Kingscote; £17,031. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, £20,916. \*1/2 to Cape Fear (GB) (Cape Cross {Ire}), GSP-Eng, \$290,123. \*\*First black-type winner for freshman sire (by Soviet Star).

2--**The Hermitage (Ire), 124, f, 2, Kheleyf--Russian Countess, by Nureyev.** (85,000gns yrl '08 TATOCT). £6,456.

3--**Leleyf (Ire), 124, f, 2, Kheleyf--Titchwell Lass (GB), by Lead on Time.** (€7,200 wnlg '07 GOFNOV; €35,000 yrl '08 GOFSP). £3,231.

Margins: 4, 2, 1. Odds: 11-4, 15-2, 16-1.

Also Ran: Angelena Ballerina (Ire), Little Scotland (GB), Sheka (GB), Parbold Hill (GB), Dower Glen (GB), Patteresa Girl (GB), Quaker Parrot (GB), Six Wives (GB), Tillys Tale (GB), Lady Lube Rye (Ire), Diamond Laura (GB), Azif (GB), Existentialist (GB). Scratched: Tom Folan (GB).

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### Hilary Needler Trophy cont.

Creating a favorable impression with a 3 1/4-length debut score at Bath May 13, Don't Tell Mary doubled up in equally impressive fashion in this stakes bow. Racing in rear until slicing through the pack after passing the halfway marker, she quickened to the fore with 150 yards remaining and drew off from there for an easy win. "She felt nice and today's ground was a bit more favorable than at Bath [last time], as it was very quick that day," explained winning rider Richard Kingscote. "Although she won nicely, she didn't really let herself down [on the ground] at Bath, but really got on with it here. She's still a bit green, there's more improvement to come and I'm really pleased. She stayed on well, I don't think six furlongs would be a problem and Royal Ascot is the obvious next step." Trainer Tom Dascombe confirmed the June 17 G2 Queen Mary S. as the winner's next target. [Click for the Racing Post chart.](#) [Video, courtesy of Racing UK.](#)

**Lingfield, 16.10, Cond,** £15,000, 3yo/up, 6f (AWT), 1:09.65, stn.

**STRIKE THE DEAL (c, 4, Van Nistelrooy--Countess Gold, by Mt. Livermore),** fourth in the G2 Duke of York S. on his last start a fortnight ago, was racing outside of group company for only the fourth time in his career and set off as the 10-11 favorite to make the most of this confidence booster. Settled in third early off the fast fractions, the \$40,000 FTKJUL yearling, 140,000gns TATAPR juvenile and 480,000gns TATDEC horse-in-training purchase grabbed the lead at the furlong marker and gamely held off Tamagin (Stravinsky) to score by a neck. Lifetime Record: GSW & G1SP-Eng, GSP-Fr, 18-3-2-2, £194,448. O-M Barber; B-Five-D Thoroughbreds LLC; T-Jeremy Nosedá.

## EUROPEAN VIDEO LINKS



**BRIGHTON 14.10** Kalam Daleel (Ire) (Clodovil {Ire}) strolls to 15-length victory.

**LINGFIELD 15.00** Soul Heaven (GB) (Oratorio {Ire}) graduates by 1 3/4 lengths.

**LISTED HILARY NEEDLER TROPHY** Don't Tell Mary (Ire) (Starcraft {NZ}) records first black-type win for her freshman sire.



**Brighton, 14.10, Mdn, £5,600, 2yo, 5f 213ydsT, 1:12.91, gd.**

**KALAM DALEEL (IRE) (c, 2, Clodovil {Ire}--Three Days in May {GB}, by Cadeaux Genereux {GB}),** third over five furlongs on debut at Salisbury May 14, was sent off the 4-9 favorite. The €65,000 GOFMIL yearling broke well to gain the early initiative, was shaken up to go clear from the quarter pole and responded by opening up en route to a 15-length success. "He's a nice horse who had come on a lot for his first run and appreciated getting his toe in today," jockey Sam Hitchcott explained. "He's very straightforward and has done it nice and easily, so he should go and progress again now." [Video, courtesy of attheraces.](#) Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, £4,495. O-Jaber Abdullah; B-Bloodhorse International Limited; T-Mick Channon.

**Lingfield, 15.00, Mdn, £4,500, 2yo, 6f (AWT), 1:12.77, stn.**

**SOUL HEAVEN (GB) (c, 2, Oratorio {Ire}--Pilgrim Spirit, by Saint Ballado),** fourth on his first start at Warwick May 9, was sent off the 9-4 second favorite and raced in the cat-bird seat against the rail early. Pouncing between rivals at the top of the stretch, the homebred settled the issue in a matter of strides and had 1 3/4 lengths to spare over Cool Valentine (GB) (One Cool Cat) at the line. Soul Heaven becomes the second winner for his freshman sire (by Danehill). [Video, courtesy of attheraces.](#) Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, £3,071. O/B-Lady Bamford; T-Michael Bell.

## ★ FRANCE ★

### Yesterday's Results:

**Maisons-Laffitte, 14.50, Cond, €37,000, 2yo, 5fT, 1:00.80, vsf.**

**SIYOUNI (FR) (c, 2, Pivotal {GB}--Sichilla {Ire} {SP-Fr}, by Danehill)** earned a **★ "TDN Rising Star" ★** badge when tearing up his debut at Longchamp May 4 and went postward as the 3-10 favorite in this second go. Tracking the leaders in fourth after missing a beat at the break, he cruised to the front after angling outside with 350 meters remaining and coasted to the line under a motionless Christophe Soumillon to easily best Quintalina (Fr) (Okawango) by 1 1/2 lengths. "I wanted him to race a little bit and not go in front, so he could learn some more," explained trainer Alain de Royer-Dupre. "He does it at home in the morning, so there was no reason why he couldn't do it in the afternoon [at the races]. The program now is the Listed Prix La Fleche [at Longchamp June 17] and then the G3 Prix du Bois [back at this track July 5]. We may eventually think about the G2 Prix Robert Papin [again here July 26]." [Click for the Racing Post chart.](#) Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 2 wins, €30,500.

O-H H The Aga Khan; B-H H The Aga Khan's Studs SC; T-Alain de Royer-Dupre.

**Maisons-Laffitte, 15.20, Mdn, €24,000, unraced 2yo, 5fT, 1:01.70, vsf.**

**+ ZANZIBARI (c, 2, Smart Strike--Zinziberine {MGSW-Fr, \$219,787}, by Zieten)** broke sharply and raced in a prominent sixth through the early stages of this first at-bat. Pushed along with 350 meters to go, the 23-10 second choice quickened into a decisive lead approaching the final furlong and kept on strongly in the closing stages to easily account for Anzas (Ire) (Anabaa) by 1 1/2 lengths. Lifetime Record: 1 start, 1 win, €12,000.

O/B-Mme Elisabeth Fabre; T-Andre Fabre.

**Maisons-Laffitte, 15.50, Mdn, €24,000, 3yo, 1 5/8mT, 2:56.70, vsf.**

**ARTICLE ROYALE (IRE) (c, 3, Hernando {Fr}--Aquarelliste {Fr} {Hwt Older Mare-Fr & Eng at 11-14f, MG1SW-Fr, \$973,342}, by Danehill),** a last-out sixth at Chantilly May 8, raced in second for most of this one. Pushed into a slender lead passing the two pole, the 59-10 chance was driven out and swished his tail in the closing stages to hold the late rush of Seabreeze d'Ho (Fr) (Enrique {GB}) by a half length. Lifetime Record: 3 starts, 1 win, 1 place, €18,800.

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

## ★ ITALY ★

### Tuesday's Result:

**Rome, 16.45, Mdn, €18,000, unraced 2yo, c/g, 7fT, 1:26.70, gd.**

**+ MILENKOVIC (GB) (c, 2, Dr Fong--Drifa {Ity}, by Hamas {Ire})** raced keenly in the early stages and pulled his way to the front before the first turn. Wandering briefly when shaken up approaching the final quarter mile, the 28-5 chance was pushed clear inside the final furlong to register an impressive six-length win from Il Grande Luigi (GB) (Pursuit of Love {GB}). The winner is a half to De Sica (Ire) (Sri Pekan), Hwt 3yo-Ity, G1SW-Ity, \$589,482 and Depp (Ity) (City on a Hill), SP-Ity, \$106,250. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, €8,500.

O/B-Allevamento La Nuova Sbarra SRL; T-Fabrizio & Luigi Camici.

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**Yesterday's Results:**

**SAKITAMA HAI**-Listed, Urawa, 5-27, 4yo/up, 1400m, 1:26.40, gd.

1--**SMART FALCON (Jpn)**, 127, c, 4, by **Gold Allure (Jpn)**

1st Dam: **Keishu Herb (Jpn)**, by **Mississippian**

2nd Dam: **Kyoei Shirayuki (Jpn)**, by **Crowned Prince**

3rd Dam: **Ariaan (GB)**, by **Silver Shark**

O-Toru Okawa; B-Okada Stud; T-Ken Kozaki;

J-Yasunari Iwata; ¥30,000,000. Lifetime Record:

MG1SP-Jpn, 17-11-3-0, \$3,326,168. \*1/2 to

World Cleek (Jpn) (Magic Mirror {GB}), SW-Jpn,

\$2,015,968.

2--**Bamboo Ere (Jpn)**, 130, h, 6, Afleet--Rainbow

Wood, by Rainbow Quest. O/B-Bamboo Farm;

T-Akio Adachi.

3--**Top Sabaton (Jpn)**, 123, h, 5, Tayasu Tsuyoshi (Jpn)--

Top of the Sky (Jpn), by Skywalker. O-Tsuya Kiya;

B-Ishikawa Farm; T-Masayuki Kawashima.

Margins: 1HF, 1HF, HD. Odds: 1.20, 3.90, 35.60.

**BREEDERS' EDITION  
AMERICA**

**BLACK-TYPE RESULTS:**

**OHIO VALLEY H.**, \$75,000, MNR, 5-26, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:12 1/5, ft.

1--**HADAVISION**, 117, f, 4, **Vision and Verse--Marquesa**

**Lana (SW)**, by **Hadif**. O-Run To Win Stable LLC;

B-Mary Ann Smith (KY); T-D Michael Smithwick Jr;

J-Willie Martinez; \$45,375. Lifetime Record:

17-6-4-0, \$247,425.

2--**Overandabeauty**, 112, f, 4, **Grand Slam--Tap Your**

**Heels**, by **Unbridled**. (\$750,000 yrl '06 KEESEP).

\$15,000.

3--**Pay the Man**, 118, m, 5, **Bernstein--Pyrite Captain**,

by **Magisterial**. \$7,500.

Margins: HF, 4 1/4, 3/4. Odds: 3.30, 6.30, 2.70.

**ALLOWANCE RESULTS:**

**4th-PRM**, \$31,684, 5-26 NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, f/m,

5 1/2f, 1:04 2/5, sy.

**CLEVER INDIAN (f, 3, Indian Territory--Clever Clever**

**{MSW, \$235,487}**, by **Clever Trick**) Lifetime Record:

3-3-0-0, \$49,830. O-River Ridge Ranch. B-Coleen

Wedig (IA). T-Michael Natale.

The **brisnet.com** 'Race of the Day' is the  
7th Race, \$38,000 Allowance, at Presque Isle Downs.  
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**7th-IND**, \$25,000, 5-26, NW2L, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f,  
1:12 4/5, ft.

**LION TRYST (m, 5, Lion Cavern--Tryst Again, by Fast  
Play)** Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$28,200. O-Full Throttle  
Stables LLC. B-Kritzer Farms (IN). T-George Leonard III.  
\*1/2 to Demitryst (Demidoff), SW, \$216,600.

**4th-IND**, \$24,000, 5-26, NW3L, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m70y  
(off turf), 1:45, ft.

**ORIENTAL SUNSHINE (f, 3, Medaglia d'Oro--Kristi's  
Sunshine, by Miswaki)** Lifetime Record: 8-3-1-1,  
\$51,803. O/T-Akiko Gothard. B-Judy B Hicks (KY).  
\*\$180,000 yrl '07 KEESEP.

**8th-WRD**, \$22,000, 5-26, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f,  
1:11, ft.

**SILVER PAYDAY (f, 4, Fusaichi Pegasus--I Got Silver  
{SW, \$134,112}, by Petersburg)** Lifetime Record:  
14-4-2-1, \$50,565. O-Brett Creighton & Starsky Weast.  
B-Margaux Farm LLC (KY). T-Brett Creighton.  
\*\$120,000 wnl '05 OBSOCT; \$30,000 yrl '06 FTKOCT.

**6th-IND**, \$21,000, 5-26, NW1X, 3yo/up, 5f (off turf),  
:58 3/5, ft.

**SUPER NEKIA (g, 5, Distorted Humor--Super Darling, by  
Raise a Cup)** Lifetime Record: 13-2-7-0, \$66,760.  
O-Nekia Farm. B-Charles Nuckols Jr & Sons (KY).  
T-Steve Epley Jr. \*\$55,000 yrl '05 KEESEP. \*\*1/2 to  
Super Forbes (Air Forbes Won), SW, \$133,250;  
Sinceilostmybaby (Lost Code), SW, \$165,793; Red's  
Top Gun (Boundary), GSP, \$111,567; and Storm's  
Darling (Storm Boot), MSW & MGSP, \$411,374.

**2nd-IND**, \$21,000, 5-26, NW2L, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m70y  
(off turf), 1:45, ft.

**PLEASE CALL ME (f, 4, Commendable--Phone Again, by  
Phone Trick)** Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-0, \$24,580.  
O/B-Jim & Sheila Slack (FL). T-Adolfo Macias. \*1/2 to  
Again a Cat (Tale of the Cat), SW-Mex.

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AQUEDUCT

Benny the Bull (Lucky Lionel), 5f, •:59.61, 1/3  
Starforaday (Five Star Day), 6f, 1:14.13, 1/1

ARLINGTON

Tizaqueena (Tiznow), 5f, 1:00.40, 6/23

BELMONT PARK

Doremifasollatido (Bernstein), 3f, :37.22, 4/14  
Gabby's Golden Gal (Medaglia d'Oro), 5f, 1:00.24, 3/8  
Smart Enough (Horse Chestnut {SAf}), 4f, :50.67, 8/12

CHURCHILL DOWNS

Be Fair (Exchange Rate), 6f, •1:12.00, 1/5  
Flying Private (Fusaichi Pegasus), 6f, 1:15.40, 4/5  
Hightap (Tapit), 4f, :51.20, 50/54  
Luv Gov (Ten Most Wanted), 6f, 1:12.40, 2/5

HOLLYWOOD

Carlsbad (Rocky Bar), 5f, 1:00.60, 5/28  
Noble Court (Doneraile Court), 6f, •1:12.40, 1/4



**ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**

**Threeforks River**, f, 3, **During**--Bitterroot River, by Majestic Light. MNR, 5-26, 1mT, 1:38 2/5. B-Barbara Hunter (KY).

+ **Hesabigcat**, g, 3, **Magic Cat**--Strawberry Love, by Strawberry Road (Aus). PRM, 5-26, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:04 2/5. B-Terrell Hemmer (IA).

**Meander**, f, 3, **Maria's Mon**--Mythical, by Dixieland Band. DEL, 5-27, (C), 1 1/8mT, 1:51 1/5.

B-Summerhill Farm & Ellen Chapman (KY).

\*\$210,000 yrl '07 KEESEP.

**Condition Red**, c, 3, **Red Bullet**--Addicted, by Broad Brush. IND, 5-26, 1m, 1:39 3/5. B-Adena Springs (FL). \*\$10,000 yrl '07 KEESEP.

**Bono Queen**, f, 3, **Ripsaw**--Sharky Bono (SW, \$149,908), by Sharkey. IND, 5-26, (S), 1m, 1:41 4/5. B-Gene & Bev Embry (IN).

+ **Ceeya Sam**, c, 3, **Wertaloona**--Ceeya Slew, by Slewacide. WRD, 5-26, (S), 6f, 1:13. B-Don S Nutt (OK).

**Hi Flyin Brian**, g, 4, **Too Much Ice**--Ememgeemem, by Ultimate Pleasure. PRM, 5-26, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:05 3/5. B-Charles D Nielsen (IA).

**BREEDERS' EDITION  
EUROPE**

**HANDICAP RESULTS:**

**BRITAIN, Beverley, 19.50**, £11,800, 3yo, 5fT, 1:02.52, gd/fm.

**NOBLE STORM** (c, 3, **Yankee Gentleman**--**Changed Tune** {MSW & GSP, \$315,920}, by Tunerup) Lifetime Record: 9-3-2-2, £28,979. O-R L Bedding; B-Brereton C Jones; T-Ed McMahon. \*\$52,000 wnlg '06 KEENOV; 10,500gns yrl '07 DONOCT.

**BRITAIN, Lingfield, 15.35**, £9,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/4m (AWT), 2:05.84, stn.

**AROMATIC (GB)** (f, 3, **Medicean** {GB}--**Red Garland** {GB}, by Selkirk) Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, £9,713. O/B-Cheveley Park Stud; T-John Gosden.

**CONDITIONS RESULTS:**

**FRANCE, Maisons-Laffitte, 14.20**, €26,000, 4yo, 7fT, 1:31.50, vsf.

**LESSING (FR)** (f, 4, **Orpen**--**Lady Morgane** {Ire}, by **Medaaly** {GB}) Lifetime Record: SW & GSP-Fr, 13 starts, 4 wins, 4 places, €85,754. O-Prime Equestrian SARL; B-Mlle Francoise Perree; T-Xavier Thomas-Demeaulte. \*€28,000 yrl '06 DEAAUG; €150,000 HIT '08 ARQARC.

**ITALY, Rome, 18.20**, 5-26, €22,500, 3yo, 7fT, 1:24.10, gd.

**TULIANGREEN (ITY)** (c, 3, **Tertullian**--**Green Reew** {Ire}, by **Sikeston**) Lifetime Record: 11-2-2-0, €29,818. O-Scuderia Siba SPA; B-Azienda Agricola Antezzate SRL; T-Stefano Botti.

**ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**

+ **Dubai Story (GB)**, c, 2, **Dubawi (Ire)**--Portella (Ger) (GSW-Ger, \$144,600), by Protektor (Ger). Marseille-Borely, France, 5-27, Mdn, 2yo, c/g, 6fT. B-J Ince. \*€50,000 yrl '08 ARQAUG. \*First winner for freshman sire (by Dubai Millennium {GB}).

+ **Maria Paula (Ire)**, f, 2, **Refuse to Bend (Ire)**--Marania (Ire), by Marju (Ire). Rome, Italy, 5-26, Mdn, unraced 2yo, f, 7fT. B-Mario Parola. \*1/2 to Moonlife (Ire) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}), SP-Eng.

**Celestial Dream (Ire)**, f, 3, **Oasis Dream (GB)**--Lochangel (GB) (Hwt Older Mare-Eng at 5-7f, G1SW-Eng, \$287,309), by Night Shift. Lingfield, Britain, 5-27, Hcp, 3yo, 5f (AWT). B-Littleton Stud.

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**GREEN SWALLOW**, 8, Green Tune--Green Sails (Ire), by Slip Anchor (GB)

Foal born Apr. 16, a filly by Monsun (Ger).

Will be bred back to New Approach (Ire).

Owned by and boarded at Newsells Park Stud.

Accomplishments: GSW-Fr.

**OONAGH MACCOOL (IRE)**, 7, Giant's Causeway--Alidiva (Ire), by Chief Singer (Ire)

Foal born Apr. 17, a colt by Street Cry (Ire).

Will be bred back to Unbridled's Song.

Owned by Charles Wacker.

Boarded at Taylor Made.

Accomplishments: MGSW of \$379,559.

**SOUNDTRACK**, 11, Lear Fan--Dance Chime, by Danzatore

Foal born Apr. 17, a filly by Street Sense.

Will be bred back to Curlin.

Owned by and boarded at Gallagher's Stud.

Accomplishments: SW of \$351,668. Dam of Apple Ollie (Swain {Ire}), GSP-Per.

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