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'BIRD' BREEZE LEAVES CALVIN CONFIDENT

GI Kentucky Derby hero **Mine That Bird** (Birdstone) put in his final work before Saturday's GI Belmont S. at Churchill Downs yesterday. The bay breezed an easy half-mile in :50 under jockey Calvin Borel, who was brimming with confidence after the 8:30 a.m. drill. "We're gonna win, no questions asked," enthused the Cajun. "I loved the way he went today. He really came bouncing off the track once we were done. That's what I love about him. He's just so happy. He worked in :50 and out in 1:02, just like before



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the Derby. He is doing everything the same. After those two hard races, I think the colt is very happy." Clockers caught Mine That Bird working fractions of :13.40, :26, and :38.40 and galloping out in 1:02.20 and 1:15. "He picked it up good the last quarter," said trainer Chip Woolley. "The main thing was the last quarter in :23 2/5. I think we are in good shape going into the Belmont. The horse is doing good and probably training better than he did going into the Derby." Woolley is scheduled to fly to New York this morning, with his charge to follow Wednesday. **Cont. p7**

VINCENT O'BRIEN DIES

Dr Michael Vincent O'Brien died Monday morning at his home in Co. Kildare, Ireland. He was 92. One of the greatest to ever tighten a girth, O'Brien, the son of a horse trainer, was born in Co. Cork. He first tasted success with steeplechasers, winning the famed Grand National three straight years, 1953-55, and saddled Cottage Rake (GB) to take the Cheltenham Gold Cup three times



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in a row, 1948-50, and Hatton's Grace (Ire) to capture the Champion Hurdles from 1949-51. O'Brien turned his focus to flat racing and set up his stable at Ballydoyle in Co. Tipperary. His first flat-racing star was Ballymoss (Ire), who captured the Irish Derby and St Leger in 1957 and the Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe, Coronation Cup, King George VI and Queen Elizabeth II S. and Eclipse S. in 1958 before being named Europe's Horse of the Year. Not long after, he set his sights on what he considered the most coveted prize in the sport, the Epsom Derby. "Certain races come in and out of fashion," O'Brien told the London *Times* in an article published last year. "But the Derby is quite unique. I don't think it will ever go out of fashion. It is the race I always wanted to win the most, and I think most trainers would agree. There is so much prestige attached to it." The first of O'Brien's six Epsom Derby winners was Larkspur (GB), victorious in 1962. The legendary horseman also trained memorable Derby champions Sir Ivor, Nijinsky II, Roberto and The Minstrel. **Cont. p2**



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Rewriting the Books...

Vincent O'Brien also trained French Derby hero and top stallion Caerleon and two-time Arc winner Alleged, as well as champions El Gran Senor, Glad Rags (GB),



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Godetia, Law Society, Prince of Birds and Valoris (Fr). O'Brien joined forces with Robert Sangster in the 1970s, creating the dynasty that would, under the auspices of O'Brien's son-in-law, John Magnier, become Coolmore Stud. O'Brien was one of the first to recognize the influence of Northern Dancer on the Thoroughbred breed, and it was for Sangster that he trained one of his most influential sons, Classic winner and Coolmore supersire

Sadler's Wells. O'Brien did not often venture to the U.S., but when he did, he meant business. He brought Sir Ivor over to win the 1968 Washington D.C. International. His only Breeders' Cup runner was Royal Academy, who took the GI Breeders' Cup Mile in 1990. The champion trainer in Ireland 13 times, and in Britain twice, the virtuoso saddled the winners of 16 British and 27 Irish Classics. In a *Racing Post* poll in 2003, was named the greatest racing personality of all time. He retired in 1994. A statement released by Coolmore said, "He and his wife Jacqueline have been spending their winters in Perth, Australia, where their son David is now living with his family. Due to failing health he returned to his home in Ireland last week. At the end he was surrounded by his wife, his five children, grandchildren and sons- and daughters-in-law. He will be greatly missed by his family and friends." O'Brien is survived by his wife, five children--David, Charles, Elizabeth, Susan and Jane--and by his grandchildren. The funeral will be held at St Conleth's Church in Newbridge, Co. Kildare Thursday at 12 noon. House is strictly private.

In Tribute...

Racing was taking place at Naas yesterday and, before a minute's silence was observed, the renowned commentator Des Cahill paid tribute. "His achievements were remarkable and his partnership with Lester Piggott was the most feared duo in racing," Cahill said. "For the many of us old enough to remember his amazing achievements, we will mourn his passing, and those younger will no doubt read the richly deserved and glowing tributes over the coming days. On behalf of the Naas race management and committee, we extend our sincerest sympathy to his wife Jackie, to his sons David and Charles, daughters Susan, Liz and Jane, his brother Phonsie, and his large extended family."

The O'Brien Family:

"Dad's racing career speaks for itself and needs no elaboration. There was nobody like him. Coolmore Stud and Ballydoyle are the results of his vision and testament to his success. More importantly, he was a loving father, grandfather and great-grandfather, and an extraordinary mentor. His passing is a great loss to me and my family, and we will all miss him greatly."



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Jockey Lester Piggott (on *sportinglife.com*):

"Vincent's attention to detail was to be seen everywhere at Ballydoyle, and he wanted to operate at the level where he could get to know each individual animal as closely as was humanly possible. Everything he did was geared to keeping his horses happy and relaxed at home so that they would perform to their full potential on the racecourse, and the results speak for themselves. There's really no argument. Vincent was the greatest."



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Ballydoyle trainer Aidan O'Brien:

"It is with great sadness that I learned of the passing of Dr. Vincent O'Brien today. As for so many people in racing, he was my hero growing up. For Anne Marie and me to come to Ballydoyle, to the training facility he established, was an extraordinary privilege. Dr O'Brien was tireless in improving the yards and gallops, and we enjoy the benefits of his half-century of hard work and dedication today. We



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would never have been able to achieve our successes without the facility and gallops he built. There is nothing that compares to it anywhere in the world. I feel the sense of history every morning when I walk into the yard that had horses such as Nijinsky, Sir Ivor to Sadler's Wells. His dedication to the sport of racing and to the highest standards knew no bounds. It is humbling to follow in his footsteps.

"We felt privileged to be asked to go to Ballydoyle and there is no doubt that we would not have had the luck and the horses we have had at the top level were it not for Dr O'Brien and his facilities. We can't say enough about him, and we were privileged to be around at the same time as him. If somebody had read out his record to you, you could not believe that one person could do it. He was a special man and all we can do now is remember the man and all his successes. We knew him, and any time we ever got to speak to him or be in his company, it was a privilege. He moved all the boundaries in racing."

Top British sports writer Brough Scott:

"It is the end of an era, and he was a very special man, a person who a lot of people were very fond of. It is the end of a huge chapter, and probably the most astonishing individual chapter in racing history. That is a strong statement, but he started in the 1930s, and in the '40s and '50s in Ireland he was already breaking the mould. He flew his Grand National horses from Limerick, which no one could believe, as nobody did it in those days. He was so far ahead of his time--he linked up with America when he switched to the flat--and completely changed the way people saw themselves in Ireland and how they saw the standard of a racehorse trainer. It was pretty competitive in those days, and he completely dominated and won everything going--it is absolutely mind-boggling. The times of Sir Ivor and Nijinsky were the times that he and [Lester] Piggott strode the stage in a way that nobody had walked as big before. Vincent, in his time, was further ahead of everyone else than anyone before or since. We are all of us lucky to have been around in his era."

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Trainer John Gosden (on *sportinglife.com*):

"We don't use the word lightly when we say he is one of the legends of racing. Grand Nationals, Cheltenham Gold Cups, Champion Hurdles, the Derby, the Guineas, he did it all. I was lucky enough to be his assistant during a golden era. He opened up the world of international racing as well as bloodstock, through the 35 years of the Northern Dancer line. We will see the fruits of his labour in the Derby on Saturday."

Leading TV pundit John McCririck:

"Such sadness today at a terrible loss. The *Racing Post* had a poll a few years ago looking for the most influential person in the history of racing, and the majority voted for Vincent O'Brien. He was the single-most influential and most knowledgeable person and has taken racing forward. You can say with absolute certainty that nobody will ever be able to come up from being virtually a teenager to achieve what he did again. There were no great patrons or a great stable to start with, so he built it up from nothing with his genius with horses and placing or horses. There will never be his like again."

Trainer John Oxx:

"My father and Vincent knew each other well and Vincent's success is well chronicled. He was a remarkable man, a great perfectionist and a great listener. He was ahead of his time in so many ways--he started designing the first all-weather gallops--and was a real pioneer. He did a lot to make Ireland's name abroad, and was the man who made the dreams come true. His horses always looked so well and had great coats and skins on them, so he obviously paid a lot of attention in those days to what they were fed. Feeding was more of an art than it is now, and he was producing them in great condition. He concentrated on speed and fast work and I think that's something that had an effect on me."

Trainer Dermot Weld:

"It's very sad news, and he was the doyen of Irish racing, which owes him a debt of gratitude that possibly can never be repaid. He was a man a generation ahead of his time, and whatever different trainers achieve in their lives, I don't think any will ever achieve what he did, and that's the highest tribute I can pay. He was a man for all seasons and an inspiration for any young Irish man or woman to achieve and to succeed--a legend in his lifetime."

Trainer Kevin Prendergast:

"He was always gracious in defeat and very good when he won and we will miss him. He did great promotion for Irish racing--his jumps achievements will never be done again and, when he came to the flat, he was much more successful. I remember complaining to him about being drawn in a particular position at The Curragh over seven furlongs or a mile and he sent a quantity surveyor to measure it the next day. He rang me and said, 'you were right, for a change!' He was a marvellous gentleman and will be sadly missed by everyone."

Bill Oppenheim:

"I've always thought being a trainer is really the most difficult job in the Thoroughbred business. Not only do you have to be a



O'Brien trainee **The Minstrel**

great horseman to develop top horses, you have to be expert at management and client development, and fundraising as well. In the Golden Age of the late 1970s and early 1980s, we had legends like Charlie Whittingham and Woody Stephens, but Dr. Vincent O'Brien was the greatest of them all. Not only

was he champion trainer on innumerable occasions in both codes (jumping, then flat) beginning in the late 1940s, his legacy in helping create the empire that is Coolmore will endure for as long as Ireland races and breeds horses.

"He was probably the greatest trainer of our lifetimes in influencing the breed, through his early identification of Northern Dancer as an important influence. Northern Dancer is the foundation stone on which Coolmore is built, and it was Vincent O'Brien, at the helm of his team, who first identified and most developed his influence in Europe."

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Famed commentator Sir Peter O'Sullivan:

"It's very sad, but at the same time I feel there is a lot more to be thankful for than to grieve over. Between Vincent and Paddy Prendergast, individually they were the two that put Irish racing on the international map. All of us who cherish the horse owe them a great debt, as what really inspired them was a passion for horses and a remarkable insight into a horse's potential. The way he transferred from jumping straight into the top flight of the flat was astounding when you consider that they had never heard of a Classic winner being trained where he trained in Co. Tipperary. It was wonderful that he teamed up with Lester Piggott, so that you had two serious racing masterminds in tandem. He had a great eye for horses and a great gift for envisaging and realising their potential. He was a man who paid meticulous attention to detail, was single-minded and devoted to the sport and was aided by a brilliant wife of many years. We had a long history of friendship and collaboration--I used to bet for him and book jockeys for him."

Greg Avioli, president and CEO of Breeders' Cup:

"During the past half-century, there have been few individuals in Thoroughbred racing who have made such a deep and profound impact on our sport as Vincent O'Brien. His career was extraordinary, and he set a standard of international excellence that will be rarely equaled. We extend our sympathies to his wife Jacqueline and the entire O'Brien family."

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☆ RESULTS ☆

Monday, Naas, Ireland

COOLMORE STUD FILLIES' SPRINT S.-G3, €100,000, Naas, 6-1, 2yo, f, 6fT, 1:10.34, gd/fm.

1--#**@LILLIE LANGTRY (IRE), 124, f, 2, by [Danehill Dancer \(Ire\)](#)**

1st Dam: Hoity Toity (GB), by Darshaan (GB)

2nd Dam: Hiwaayati (GB), by Shaadi

3rd Dam: Alathea (GB), by Lorenzaccio (GB)

(70,000gns wnlg '07 TATDEC; 230,000gns yrl '08 TATOCT). O-Michael Tabor, Derrick Smith & Susan Magnier; B-K B Lynch; T-Aidan O'Brien; J-Johnny Murtagh; €65,100. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, €67,480. **Click for [eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)**

Werk Nick Rating: C + .

2--**Kitty Kiernan (GB), 124, f, 2, Pivotal (GB)--Alstemeria (Ire), by Danehill. (400,000gns yrl '08 TATOCT).**

O-Ennistown Stud; B-Mrs C Regalado-Gonzalez; T-Jim Bolger; €20,000.

3--**A Mind of Her Own (Ire), 124, f, 2, [Danehill Dancer \(Ire\)](#)**

--Gilded Vanity (GB), by Indian Ridge (Ire). (€150,000 yrl '08 GOFMIL). O-Dunphy's Eleven Syndicate;

B-Lynchbages Edgeridge Ltd & Glenvale Stud; T-David Wachman; €10,000.

Margins: 2HF, NK, 1. Odds: Evens, 2-1, 20-1. Also Ran: What About Me (Ire), Wrong Answer (GB), Electric Feel (GB), Justaroundmidnight (Ire).

Fittingly on the day that Coolmore and Ballydoyle's founder Vincent O'Brien passed away, Lillie Langtry provided the Co. Tipperary empire with another notable win here. Unlucky when runner-up to Kitty Kiernan on debut over course and distance May 13, the bay made amends in a quick time to establish her Royal Ascot credentials. Enthusiastic early in the hands of Johnny Murtagh, she was restrained behind the early pace and, after finding a gap, delivered a strong run to lead approaching the final furlong and exact her revenge in convincing style. **Click for [Racing Post chart.](#) [Video,](#) [courtesy attheraces.com.](#)**

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International Results cont.

Monday, Munich, Germany

ONEXTWO.COM - BAVARIAN CLASSIC-G3, €50,000, Munich, 6-1, 3yo, 1 1/4mT, 2:06.06, gd.

1--#**@SAPHIR (GER)**, 128, c, 3, by **Black Sam Bellamy (Ire)**

1st Dam: **Salontasche (Ger)**, by **Dashing Blade (GB)**

2nd Dam: **Salonrolle (Ire)**, by **Tirol (Ire)**

3rd Dam: **Salesiana (Ger)**, by **Alpenkonig (Ger)**

(€75,000 yrl '07 BBAAUG). O-Frau Margot Herbert; B-Stiftung Gestut Fahrhof; T-Peter Schiergen; J-Andrasch Starke; €32,000. Lifetime Record: GSP-Ger, 4 starts, 2 wins, 2 places, €45,300.

Werk Nick Rating: A + .

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2--**Peligroso (Fr)**, 128, c, 3, **Tremolino--Pitpit (Ire)**, by Rudimentary. O-Godolphin; B-Stall Undosa; T-Saeed bin Suroor; €10,000.

3--**Hansom (Ger)**, 128, c, 3, **Ransom O'War--Hosea (Ger)**, by **Lagunas (GB)**. O-Capricorn Stud; B-Herbert Kahrs; T-Erika Mader; €5,000.

Margins: SHD, 1HF, 1. Odds: 1.80, 0.90, 11.80.

Also Ran: **Quo Dubai (Ger)**, **Glad Panther (GB)**, **Budai (Ger)**, **Enzio (Ger)**, **Schachspieler (Ger)**.

Fourth on debut at Cologne Nov. 2, Saphir came back this term to win at Frankfurt Mar. 15 and ran second in the May 3 G3 Albert von Metzler-Rennen back there on stakes bow last time. Positioned in fourth until inching into third at halfway here, he was ridden into second approaching the final furlong and refused to surrender under continued urging to nail pacesetter Peligroso on the line. Click for [Racing Post chart](#).

In Other News...

A Daily Roundup of Racing Articles in Other Media

[Magna's Stronach seeks to crown legacy with Opel](#)

John McCrank and Helen Massy-Beresford, Forbes Magazine

[Derby rules for John Magnier](#)

J A McGrath, Daily Telegraph

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4yo/up, 9f 165ydsT

SC	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER
1	Fricoteiro (Arg)	Lode	Petersen
2	Luca Brasi (Fr)	Singspiel (Ire)	Castro
3	Appel Au Maitre (Fr)	Starborough (GB)	Neuroth
4	Alpacco (Ire)	Desert King (Ire)	F Reuterskiold
5	Quilboquet (Brz)	Jules	L Reuterskiold Jr
6	Sirjoshua Reynolds (GB)	Kyllachy (GB)	Durant
7	Perks (Ire)	Selkirk	J Dunlop
8	Smart Enough (GB)	Cadeaux Genereux (GB)	F Reuterskiold
9	Grafitti (GB)	Dansili (GB)	Kvisla
10	Hotel du Cap (GB)	Grand Lodge	Smith
11	Dan Tucket (GB)	Dansili (GB)	Olsen
12	Volo Cat (Fr)	Volochine (Fr)	Olsen
13	Peas and Carrots (Den)	Final Appearance (Ire)	L Reuterskiold Jr
14	Maybach (GB)	Machiavellian	Bexell

All carry 128 pounds bar Grafitti, 126.





**TDN Feature Presentation... Continued
GRADE 1 BELMONT S.**

Hot Drill For Mr. Hot Stuff...

WinStar Farms' **Mr. Hot Stuff** (Tiznow), who is coming off a 15th-place finish in the GI Kentucky Derby, showed his readiness for Saturday's GI Belmont S. with a bullet five-furlong in 1:00.00 on the fast PolyTrack at



Sarah K Andrew

Keeneland yesterday morning under exercise rider Brian Walsh. "He worked very well this morning," trainer Eoin Harty said of the homebred, who recorded the fastest of 12 works at the distance. "We didn't want to do too much with him, but we wanted to

do enough for him to get something out of it. He galloped out [six furlongs in 1:14]. He's been training beautifully." Mr. Hot Stuff is scheduled to fly up with Derby winner Mine That Bird Wednesday, Harty will arrive on Tuesday. Harty will attend the post position draw Wednesday morning at Belmont Park's Garden Terrace. Hall of Fame jockey Edgar Prado, who won the Belmont aboard Sarava in 2002 and Birdstone in 2004, has the mount.

Easy Drill For Chocolate Candy...

The Craig family's **Chocolate Candy** (Candy Ride {Arg}), unraced since finishing fifth behind Mine That Bird in the Derby, put the finishing touches on his preparations for Saturday's Belmont with a half-mile work in :50.25 just after 7 a.m. at Belmont yesterday. Exercise rider Lindsey Molina was in the irons. "He has progressed very well since he first got here [four days after the Derby]," said Molina of the Jerry Hollendorfer-trained colt. "Now, all I can say is, he just skips over the track. Today, that was just galloping for him. I had to take another hold of him to keep him from doing more."

Nowhere to Hide to Skip Belmont...

Hall of Fame trainer Nick Zito, who will saddle the Robert LaPenta-owned **Miner's Escape** (Mineshaft) and **Brave Victory** (Lion Heart) in the Belmont, announced yesterday that My Meadowview Farm's **Nowhere to Hide** (Vindication) will not run in the third leg of the Triple Crown. "After to talking to [owner] Mr. [Len] Riggio, we've decided to pass on the Belmont and look for another spot for him," said Zito. Nowhere to Hide, 17th in the Kentucky Derby, worked a half-mile on the Oklahoma training track at Saratoga yesterday in :49.92.



**RACING
Round-Up**

Rachel Breezes, But No Target Yet...

Stonestreet Stables and Harold McCormick's **Rachel Alexandra** (Medaglia d'Oro), winner of GI Preakness S. and GI Kentucky Oaks, breezed five furlongs in 1:01 3/5 yesterday at Churchill Downs, but a target for the star filly has yet to be determined. "I think everybody gets to take a step back and take a deep breath," trainer Steve

Asmussen said after the move. "We'll take a little bit of the pressure off her and just enjoy her. We were very pleased with how she went. We'll see what sort of energy she comes out of it with. As always, we'll be talking with

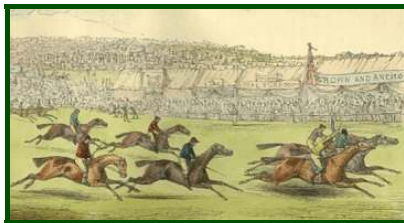


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[owner] Jess [Jackson] and communicating where we feel she is." Under regular exercise rider Dominic Terry, Rachel Alexandra worked through fractions of :13, :25.20, :37 and :49.20. She galloped out six furlongs in 1:14.60. As the filly worked around 6:30 a.m., Asmussen and Barbara Banke, Jackson's wife, looked on. "She's a beautiful filly and travels tremendous," said Asmussen. "She's got a gorgeous stride on her and she seemed very comfortable. I thought Dominic did a great job with her, as usual."

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Classic Corner

DERBY FIELD DOWN TO THIRTEEN

Saturday's G1 Investec Derby will see a maximum line-up of 13 after yesterday's five-day stage and eight of those will hail from Ireland. Dominating the current betting on the £1.25-million Epsom Classic, the Irish contingent will include Christopher Tsui's G1 2000 Guineas winner **Sea the Stars (Ire)** (Cape Cross {Ire}) from the John Oxx stable and Jim Bolger's **Gan Amhras (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}), who was third in that May 2 Newmarket contest. Susan Magnier, Michael Tabor and Derrick Smith's **Rip van Winkle (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}) was one place further back that day. The latter is one of six from Aidan O'Brien's Ballydoyle operation, alongside the G2 Derrinstown Stud Derby Trial winner **Fame and Glory (GB)** (Montjeu {Ire}), while the British defence consists of five colts, including last year's G1 Racing Post Trophy hero **Crowded House (GB)** (Rainbow Quest). While his name was in the list, he has the option of the following day's G1 Prix du Jockey-Club at Chantilly. "Crowded House has been confirmed for the Derby, but he will also be confirmed for the French Derby," trainer Brian Meehan commented yesterday. "He worked very well, but we want to continue to monitor him for the next couple of days, consider both races and then decide what to do. The issue we have is that he missed a week after the Dante. We want to take as much time as possible to make sure we do what is best for the horse. We shall keep everybody informed as to the situation during the course of the week." Mick Channon will be represented by Barry Walters's G3 Lingfield Derby Trial runner-up **Montaff (GB)** (Montjeu {Ire}). "We were quite pleased with his work at Epsom on Thursday and he handled the course fine," said Walters. "Richard Hills liked his temperament and he seemed to settle, which is good for a Montjeu colt. Running him on Investec Derby Day might be a bit different for him, with such a big crowd, but you don't know until you run." Godolphin have opted not to supplement its G2 Derby Italiano winner **Mastery (GB)** (Sulamani {Ire}), leaving last year's G3 Autumn S. winner **Kite Wood (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}) to fly the flag, while the G3 Dee S. scorer **South Easter (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}) will run for the sponsors' Managing Director Bernard Kantor. Clerk of the Course Andrew Cooper is aiming to water this week and said on Sunday, "I think most people would probably say the Derby should be run on the fast side of good and we should be in that kind of territory for Saturday."

RECHARGE SET FOR IRISH DERBY

Trainer Kevin Prendergast is looking at the June 28 G1 Irish Derby for Lady O'Reilly's **Recharge (Ire)** (Cape Cross {Ire}) following his fourth in last Saturday's G1 Irish 2000 Guineas. Despite holding an entry in the G1 St James's Palace S. at Royal Ascot June 16, his trainer is looking to step him up to a mile and a half for the Curragh Classic. "He came out of the Irish Guineas very well," Prendergast commented. "I haven't spoken to the owners for a couple of days and they will make a decision about where he goes, but I would prefer to run him in the Irish Derby. He has an entry in the St James's Palace and we'll see how these horses get on in the Derby on Saturday and assess things then."

☆ NEWS TODAY ☆

GARY STEVENS STARTS RACING STABLE Hall of Fame jockey Gary Stevens, who hung up his tack in 2005 with over 5,000 wins and earnings exceeding



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\$221 million, announced yesterday that he plans to begin training in Southern California. The newly organized Gary Stevens Racing Stable Inc. will have stalls at Santa Anita in Arcadia, and runners will ship from there to various locations across the U.S. "This is something I've wanted to do for a long time, and things finally fell into place," said Stevens, who also works as an analyst for NBC sports and

HRTV. "We're starting out with several nice horses and looking forward to slowly building up the stable." Stevens will be assisted by his son, T.C. Stevens, who worked for Ashford Stud for two years and also gained experience with other California and Florida-based operations before joining his father's fledgling team. "It's a family business," Stevens said. "My father Ron is a trainer, my brother Scott is a jockey, and my older brother Craig is a breeder. It was only natural for T.C. to follow in those footsteps, as well." Stevens, 46, won eight Breeders' Cup races, a record nine runnings of the G1 Santa Anita Derby, and eight Triple Crown races--including triple editions of the Kentucky Derby and Belmont S.--in a racing career that spanned 27 years. Since his retirement, he has served as a consultant for IEAH Stables and various other racing operations, in addition to his duties as an analyst.





Q & A

WITH THE BREEDERS' CUP BOARD CANDIDATES

Why do you want to serve on the Breeders' Cup Board?

TOM LUDT

After my first term and serving on some Breeders' Cup sub-committees, I feel that my experience positions me to further assist growth at the Breeders' Cup. My involvement with the Kentucky Racing Commission, TOBA's Executive Committee and operating Vinery, gives me a very diverse background to help the Breeders' Cup organization continue to adapt, grow and become a larger world event. We have made great strides and changes the past few years. I see this continuing, starting with the extremely detailed analysis of Satish Sanan's Strategic Planning Committee.



I hope I can continue to participate and assist the Breeders' Cup organization.

To see the responses of candidates which have already run in the TDN, click [here](#).

THE SIX FASTEST BELMONTS

Year	Horse	1/4	3/4	1m	Final
1973	Secretariat*	:23 3/5	1:09 4/5	1:34 1/5	2:24
1989	Easy Goer	:23 1/5	1:11 1/5	1:35 4/5	2:26
1992	A.P. Indy*	:23 1/5	1:11 4/5	1:36 1/5	2:26
2001	Point Given*	:23 4/5	1:11 3/5	1:35 2/5	2:26 2/5
1988	Risen Star	:23 2/5	1:11 4/5	1:36 2/5	2:26 2/5
1978	Affirmed*	:25	1:14	1:37 2/5	2:26 4/5

*Horse of the Year

☆ SALES NEWS ☆

MORE THAN READY COLT TOPS MM MONDAY

After spirited bidding, a colt by More Than Ready attracted a final bid of A\$240,000 (US\$195,126. A\$1 = US\$0.813) to top yesterday's second session of the Magic Millions National Weanling Sale on the Gold Coast. The weanling, offered by Rosari Farm as [lot 326](#), was purchased by Perth horseman Joe Byrne on behalf of his Singaporean-based client Ong Tiong Seng. "He was the nicest type in the sale," Byrne said. "I didn't really want to have to pay that much. It's tough buying the nice colts. It's been the same at sales everywhere this year--the nice horses are selling well." The weanling is out of the unraced Lily Isabella (NZ) (Anziyan), a half sister to Group 1 winner Baldessarini (NZ) (Green Perfume). Byrne said the colt will receive his early training in Perth, but would most likely race in Singapore. Byrne kept busy at the weanling auction, buying seven horses for A\$632,000. Six of the seven youngsters were purchased for Ong Tiong Seng. During the two-day select weanling sale, Magic Millions sold 372 horses for a total of A\$8,299,500 and an average of A\$22,310. Of the 522 lots catalogued, 82 were withdrawn and 68 failed to sell for a clearance rate of 85 percent. "The past two days have offered buyers with some great opportunities," Magic Millions Managing Director David Chester said. "It was pleasing to see the clearance rate increase and the competitive for the feature lots was quite strong." Selling during today's general session of weanlings gets underway at 11 a.m. (Qld). **Cont. p10**



MAGIC MILLIONS PREMIER SALE Monday, June 1, 2009

CUMULATIVE	2009	2008
Catalogued	522	611
No. Offered	395	501
No. Sold	327	418
RNAs	68	83
% RNA	17.2%	16.6%
Top Price	A\$240,000	A\$700,000
Gross	A\$8,299,500	A\$19,581,750
Average (% change)	A\$22,310 (-52.4%)	A\$46,846

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Sales Success for Patinack Farm...

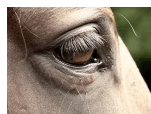
Patinack Farm, a major force on the buying end of the market, made its sales debut during yesterday's second session of the National Weanling Sale. In its first draft of horses, the farm was represented by three of the top four prices for the session. The 20 weanlings from Patinack Farm all sold, grossing A\$954,000. Rick Connolly, General Manager of Patinack Farm, said the results exceeded expectations. "Patinack are here to sell," Connolly said. "All of the weanlings made terrific money and we had a 100 percent clearance. The results went better than we thought they might--so we are very happy. It's been a great day." A Danzero (Aus) three-quarter brother to group winner Downhill Racer (Aus) ([lot 452](#)) topped the Patinack Farm results when purchased by Deburgh Equine for A\$210,000. A Fastnet Rock (Aus) colt from Balcanny (Aus) ([lot 481](#)) and a Hussonet colt from Our Side Show (Aus) ([lot 371](#)) each sold for A\$200,000, to Marcus Corban Bloodstock and Boomer Bloodstock, respectively.

**MAGIC MILLIONS NATIONAL WEANLINGS
TUESDAY'S TOP LOTS**

Hip	Sex	Sire	Dam	Price (A\$)
326	colt	More Than Ready	Lily Isabella (NZ)	240,000
Consigned by Rosari Farm Purchased by Ong Tiong Seng				
452	colt	Danzero (Aus)	Trick Ski (Aus)	210,000
Consigned by Patinack Farm Purchased by Deburgh Equine Ltd				
371	colt	Hussonet	Our Side Show (Aus)	200,000
Consigned by Patinack Farm Purchased by Boomer Bloodstock, agent				
481	colt	Fastnet Rock (Aus)	Balcanny (Aus)	200,000
Consigned by Patinack Farm Purchased by Marcus Corban Bloodstock				
443	colt	Exceed and Excel (Aus)	Terrenora (Aus)	160,000
Consigned by Rothwell Park, agent Purchased by Ong Tiong Seng				

SYNTHETIC SURFACES IN NORTH AMERICA

Track	All-Weather Surface
Arlington Park	Polytrack
Del Mar	Polytrack
Keeneland	Polytrack
Turfway Park	Polytrack
Woodbine	Polytrack
Hollywood	Cushion Track
Santa Anita	Pro-Ride
Golden Gate	Tapeta Footings
Presque Isle Downs	Tapeta Footings
OBS Training Center	Safetrack



PEDIGREE INSIGHTS
BY ANDREW CAULFIELD

PRIX DE SANDRINGHAM-G2, €130,000, Chantilly, 5-31, 3yo, f, 1mT, 1:38.10, gd.

1--**@HOMEBOUND, 123, f, 3**, by [Dixie Union](#)

1st Dam: Black Speck, by Arch

2nd Dam: Andover Way, by His Majesty

3rd Dam: On the Trail, by Olympica

O/B-Joseph Allen; T-Jean-Claude Rouget; J-Christophe-Patrice Lemaire; €74,100. Lifetime Record: 6 starts, 3 wins, 3 places, €133,000. * 1/2 to Battle Paint (Tale of the Cat), G1SP, \$187,021; and Blue Exit (Pulpit), SW-Fr, GSP-US, \$178,476.

Werk Nick Rating: A. Click for [eNicks report and 5-cross pedigree](#).

Click for [Racing Post chart](#) or [brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree](#).

On a weekend when Dynaformer reached another landmark in his sparkling career by supplying the Trifecta in the GII Sands Point S., the Three Chimneys stallion's female line was also in the news for the umpteenth time in recent decades, this time thanks to Joseph Allen's Black Speck, whose daughter Homebound won Sunday's G2 Prix de Sandringham at Chantilly.

Black Speck, a daughter of Arch, is only nine years old, but she has already shown that she is an excellent--and consistent--broodmare, with much more ability in this sphere than she showed as a racehorse. Allen sent Black Speck to France to be trained by Jean-Claude Rouget at Pau, a long way from the prestigious Parisian tracks, and it was over Pau's all-weather track that the filly put up her best three efforts in the winter of 2002-03.

After narrowly winning a maiden race over 1 3/16 miles, Black Speck reappeared eight days later to finish a close third in a minor event Jan. 21. I can't claim to know whether Black Speck came out of that race with an injury or whether her connections decided she had done enough. Whatever the reason, the three-year-old was quickly put on a plane and flown back to her native U.S., where she was immediately sent to be covered by Tale of the Cat. Black Speck produced a colt the following March and this colt, Battle Paint, was good enough to finish second to Holy Roman Emperor in the G1 Prix Jean-Luc Lagardere after winning his first two juvenile starts. Timeform rated him 114.

Black Speck's second year as a broodmare saw her visit Pulpit. Once again the resultant colt--Blue Exit--was entrusted to Rouget, who sent him out to win three of his five races in France, most notably the Listed Prix Matchem over a mile and an eighth. Returned to his native land, Blue Exit was second to Cowboy Cal in this year's GII Strub S. before sadly having to be euthanized because of injuries suffered on his next start. **Caulfield cont. p11**



That blow has been slightly softened by the exploits of Black Speck's next foal, the three-year-old Dixie Union filly Homebound. Despite being a mid-May foal, this talented filly raced four times at two, when she won a listed race at Deauville in the Allen colors. As might be expected of a May foal, Homebound has continued to progress, and two days ago she became her dam's first group winner in the Prix de Sandringham over a mile.

So Black Speck has three proven group/graded performers to her credit by the age of nine, by three different stallions. There's a good chance that her record will improve still further when her two-year-old Unbridled's Song filly, Photograph, eventually reaches the track (she is another May foal).

HOMEBOUND, f, 2006

Dixie Union	Dixieland Band	Northern Dancer	Nearctic
		Mississippi Mud	Natalma
	She's Tops	Capote	Delta Judge
			Sand Buggy
		She's aTalent	Seattle Slew
			Too Bald
Black Speck 4-1-1-2,7,168 4Fs, 1GSW, 1SW, 1GSP	Arch	Kris S.	Mr. Prospector
		Aurora	Paintbrush
	Andover Way G1SW, 18-9-6-2 14Fs, 1GSW, 1SW	His Majesty	Roberto
			Flower Bowl
		On The Trail 9Fs, 3SW	Olympia
			Golden Trail

Even so, Black Speck still has some way to go before she can be considered the equal of any of her first three dams, Andover Way, On The Trail and Golden Trail.

Andover Way, whose finest moment on the track came when she won the GI Top Flight H., was 22 when she foaled Black Speck. It is easy to see why her owners were keen to get as many foals as they could from her. In addition to being the dam of Dynaformer, Andover Way also has three very talented grandsons in Offlee Wild, U S Ranger and the GII Norfolk S. winner Supremo. Offlee Wild, a GI Suburban H. winner, is already siring first-crop winners, and a graded victory may yet come the way of U S Ranger. This Danzig horse has somehow never managed to win at that level despite being good enough to be beaten only a head in last year's G1 July Cup. Andover Way also ranks as the third dam of the European group winners Silent Times and Rock of Rochelle (both by grandsons of Danzig).

Andover Way was herself a half-sister to the talented stallion Darby Creek Road, who ranked alongside Dynaformer as one of the numerous good winners which this female line produced to Roberto or his sons. Among the others were the very successful Japanese stallion Brian's Time (out of Andover Way's close relative Kelley's Day), the champion grass performers Sunshine Forever and Ryafan, and the high-class turf mare Memories of Silver.

No wonder, then, that Andover Way visited not only Roberto but also his sons Kris S. and Red Ransom, as well as Kris S.'s son Arch, with the last-named siring Black Speck.

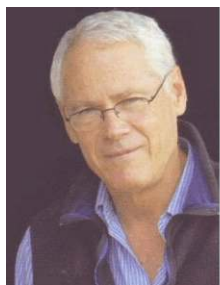
This family has done so well, for so long, that there are plenty of successful precedents to guide breeders in their choice of stallion.

Regal Road, a sister in blood to Andover Way, visited Dixieland Band in his first season to produce Rampart Road, who reached the first four in the Pegasus H., Haskell Invitational H. and Arlington Classic. Then Regal Road's Roberto filly Regal Roberta visited Dixieland Band a year later to produce Regal Band, dam of Kentucky Derby winner Monarchos. Dixieland Band also sired Devoted Brass, a Grade II winner at up to 1 1/4 miles, from this family and their cumulative achievements put Dixieland Band's son Dixie Union into the picture as a mate for Black Speck.

Homebound follows the fast filly Sander Camillo as Dixie Union's second group winner in Europe. Although he raced only on dirt, his progeny's suitability for racing in Europe is no great surprise in view of the group success Dixieland Band enjoyed with the likes of Drum Taps, Egyptband, Menhoubah, Chimes Band, Didyme, Mutaahab, Tajannub, Sandwaki and Makhlab.

Dixie Union's promising start to his stallion career led to his fee rising to \$40,000 in 2006 and then to \$50,000 in 2007. This means that Homebound comes from the last of his five crops sired at \$30,000, as do the dual Grade II winner Justwhistledixie, the Grade III winner Garden District, the recent English listed winner Alyarf, the graded-placed Gone Astray and stakes winner Bold Union.

Dixie Union is clearly a solid, dependable sire of stakes winners, and he is rightly popular. However, he so far has only one Grade I winner--Dixie Chatter--to his credit from his first five crops of racing age, and it is going to be fascinating to see whether his higher-priced crops will help him take the next few steps up the ladder, to join Kentucky's elite stallions. His 2009 two-year-olds, from his largest crop so far, should certainly be well worth keeping an eye on.



op/ed

by rob whiteley

LET US NOW PRAISE GIFTED MEN

Riddle: Who among us performs the most difficult job in the industry while bringing widespread added value to our sport ... day after day, week after week, year after year?

Answer: *A small fraternity of especially talented professionals known as track announcers.*

Think the job is not difficult? Go ahead, practice as long as you want, pick up a microphone and try to enthusiastically call a race with four or more horses. See how you do. (I rest my case.)

Many horse-related jobs require innate talent and the application of keen observation and quick response. But only one also requires remarkable cognitive ability, incredible memory, a high level of enthusiasm and a pleasing personality, a resonating quality of voice and exceptional eye-mouth coordination. Expert race calling is truly a high-order art form, requiring a unique blend of specialized genius.

Over 30 active race callers make up this elite band of talented brothers at Thoroughbred tracks across North America, and their abilities range from good to great. Patrons at major tracks have their daily enjoyment enhanced by the likes of: Kurt Becker (Keeneland); Larry Collmus (Gulfstream, Monmouth); Trevor Denman (Breeders' Cup, Del Mar, Santa Anita); John Dooley (Arlington, Fair Grounds); Tom Durkin (Aqueduct, Belmont, Saratoga); Mark Johnson (Churchill Downs); Dan Loiselle (Woodbine); Bobby Neuman (Calder); Dave Rodman (Laurel, Pimlico); Vic Stauffer (Hollywood Park); and Terry Wallace (Oaklawn), etc. Special mention should also include long-time maestro Dave Johnson, who may surprise here and there with a cameo appearance, and Frank Mirahmadi, who spontaneously treats Turf Paradise fans to hilarious impersonations of fellow race callers. In addition, the announcers who bring extra life to races in the minor circuits also possess impressive talent.

Among this group of luminaries, however, we are blessed with three superstars who are numero uno in distinct aspects of race calling.

Tom Durkin...stretch calls. *No one matches Tom Durkin's enthusiasm, articulate use of language or wit and humor in the stretch.* His scintillating calls in big races elevate our excitement and enjoyment, and they are often so compelling and memorable that stallion owners love to feature them in promotional DVDs or play them over and over to prospective clients who phone in and are placed on hold. (I hope a few stallion managers who benefit from his artistry have thought to throw a comp season or two Tom's way).



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For two decades, Tom has been a gift to New York racing. It is hard to believe that nearly 20 years have passed since I listened to Tom's inspired stretch call of the brilliant Meadow Star as she swept past the great Lite Light and future champions Dance Smartly, Flawlessly and Wilderness Song, (as the still shortest-priced favorite in Breeders' Cup history). It was not so much Tom's words, as it was his dramatic and poetic cadence and expression that left his race call echoing in my ears long after the horses were back in the barn: "It is still MEADOW STAR leading the way by FOUR...leading the way now by FIVE...and leaving the others behind in the WAKE OF HER BRILLIANCE! A PERFECT SEASON FOR MEADOW STAR!"

Another of my many Tom Durkin favorites over all these years is his call of the 2005 Jockey Club Gold Cup: "BORREGO! Borrego is inhaling horses one at a time with a sensational BLITZ on the far turn...Borrego CA-TA-PUL-TING past the field!...a WILD MOVE by Borrego...He's opening up by five lengths as the field comes down to the final furlong!...Suave is second, Grand Reward is third, Flower Alley toiling, Imperialism, Sun King...Borrego just blew them away and he is IN HAND!...IN HAND for this final furlong!...He walked home...He won that easily!"

Thanks to Tom, we have hundreds of similarly memorable moments where his articulate exuberance has ratcheted our excitement to heightened levels. When the horses turn for home, Tom holds a daylight advantage over his peers. **Cont. p13**



Whiteley Op-Ed cont.

Trevor Denman...race development. *No one matches Trevor Denman's ability to see a race unfolding or a horse in the back preparing to unleash a challenging move.* Trevor's vast experience and love of racing come through in his dynamic and descriptive calls from start to finish. And his laser-eyed calls at the wire are nearly flawless. If he calls your horse as the winner in a head-bobbing finish, you can head to the window with confidence.



Trevor is also a sentient man who cares about horses, the safety of jockeys and the erosion of our fan base. For over 15 years, Trevor has applied his keen eye and his scrutiny of a zillion races in making another important and accurate racing

call by speaking out for "kinder" whips and strict rules for their use. (Although some minor changes have finally occurred, those in decision-making positions still don't "get it," and need to realize that it is not just the whips, but *the whipping*, that turns away would-be fans and detracts from the beauty of the sport). No race caller or observer sees the nuances of a race as clearly as Trevor, and we should pay special attention to what this brilliant man sees and comprehends. Meanwhile, let's just give thanks for Trevor, an industry treasure.

Kurt Becker...race description. *No one matches Kurt Becker's precision and eye-mouth coordination.* Young, and somewhat still "the new kid on the block," Kurt is rapidly evolving into a superstar. It is truly dazzling how the voice of Keeneland racing can energetically call a full field of 12 or more, give the time for a quarter, call the full field again, give the time for a half, spot horses beginning to make a move from the back, and then give a rousing call of all participants in the stretch run. Kurt's thoroughness, accuracy and energy mark him as special, but his consistency sets him apart. Given his youth, we should have him around for years to come to excite fans and heighten our enjoyment.

So, have you hugged your race caller today? Let us pause to celebrate this very special group of talented and essential professionals. As we face daily challenges while our sport continues its steady decline, we should remember to give thanks for the bright spots that help to energize and entertain. Let your local announcer know that you appreciate his contributions. And, while you have his ear, whisper to him that we need a few women announcers in the stand.

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MISS LENORA, 20, Theatrical (Ire)--L'Attrayante (Fr), by Tyrant
 Foal born Apr. 23, a filly by El Corredor.
 Will be bred back to Rock Hard Ten.
 Owned by Mercedes Stables LLC.
 Boarded at Diamond A Farm.
 Accomplishments: GSW of \$115,953. Dam of Tangazi (Jade Hunter), MGSP, \$325,715; Stylish (Thunder Gulch), MGSW, \$588,226.

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 **NORTH AMERICA** 

CHURCHILL LAUNCHES NIGHT RACING On Friday, June 19, Churchill hosts the first of three "Downs After Dark" race cards. The others will be held Friday, June 26, and Thursday, July 2. Gates open at 4 p.m. for each session, with first post at 6 p.m. "Racing is at the core of everything we do at Churchill Downs, and it remains as important to us today as when we first opened our gates in 1875," said Kevin Flanery, senior vice president of Churchill Downs Incorporated. "But 135 years changes a lot of things, and as we seek to redefine the racetrack experience and keep our sport relevant for today's customers, we are excited to offer the night racing experience under the Twin Spires for the very first time. We hope our customers will enjoy the upscale evenings we have planned, which will offer our guests the perfect blend of a night on the town and the excitement of Thoroughbred racing." For more information, visit www.churchilldowns.com.

★ EAST ★

Yesterday's Results:

4th-DEL, \$40,100, Msw, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:43, fm.

COZY COTTAGE (f, 4, Pine Bluff--Arroyo Cottage, by Dynaformer) was second in her last two starts, including a nose defeat in a \$50,000 maiden claimer on turf at Gulfstream Apr. 16. The half to Arcata (Wagon Limit), SW, \$162,507, went off as the 7-2 second choice here in her first start in maiden special weight company. Eighth in the early proceedings, the gray skimmed the rail as she commenced a rally along the backstretch. The homebred was angled into the clear inside the quarter pole and quickly opened up to defeat pacesetter Crack of Dawn (Read the Footnotes) by 3 1/4 lengths. Ice Mint (Awesome Again) was scratched. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made](#). Lifetime Record: 5-1-2-0, \$32,390. O/B-Joseph V Shields (FL). T-H Graham Motion.

BLACK-TYPE STAKES CLOSINGS

TOMORROW, WEDNESDAY, JUNE 3:

06-06 \$1,000,000 *Belmont-I, Bel, 3yo, 12f*
(100000s)

06-13 \$250,000 *The Californian-II, Hol, 3yo/up, 9f*
(AWT) (250)

06-21 \$200,000 *Highlander-III, Wo, 3yo/up, 6fT* (200)

06-21 \$150,000 *Singspiel-III, Wo, 3yo/up, 12fT* (150)

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**TODAY'S
INSIGHTS**

4:24p HRTV 8th-DEL, \$39K, Alw, 3yo, f, 6f
CAT MOVES ([Tale of the Cat](#)) enters this NW2L allowance off an 8 1/4-length romp at Aqueduct in her debut Apr. 26. After drilling splits of :21 2/5 and :44, the Edward P. Evans homebred scooted clear at the top of the stretch and was geared down late. Ramon Dominguez will ride the bay once again today. **Wanda Nevada (Not For Love)** is the only entrant who has a win over the local strip, as she led at every call and drew off in-hand to score by 8 1/4 lengths Apr. 25, the last time she faced the starter. **French Dip (Speightstown)**, a daughter of GISW Mayo on the Side (Gone West), was third over this course and distance May 9. Also expected to contend for the early lead, the \$270,000 KEESEP graduate has the difficult assignment of breaking from post one. A fast pace would benefit of **So Vain (Mr. Greeley)**, who will make her first start since taking the Jamestown S. for Virginia-breds by 6 1/2 lengths at Colonial Downs Aug. 2. brisnet.com PPs.

★ AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS ★

IN BRITAIN:

+ **Bow Beaver**, c, 2, [Vindication](#). See "Britain."

IN JAPAN:

A Shin Cool D, f, 3, [Distorted Humor](#)--Catalina, by Storm Cat. Kanazawa, 5-25, Clematis Sho, 7f. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$6,316. O-Hirotsugu Hirai; B-Winchester Farm; T-Takashi Kubota. *1/2 to A Shin P C (Fusaichi Pegasus), SP-Jpn, \$532,912.

Imbarco, c, 3, [Fusaichi Pegasus](#)--Personal Delight, by Personal Flag. Chukyo, 5-31, Novice Race, 8.5f. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$73,684. O/B-Takeshi Fujita; T-Yasutoshi Ikee.

Testa Matta, c, 3, [Tapit](#)--Difficult, by Concern. Tokyo, 5-31, Plate Race, 7f. Lifetime Record: 6-2-0-0, \$163,158. O-Kazumi Yoshida; B-Waterford Farm; T-Akira Murayama. *\$60,000 2yo '08 BESMAR. American-bred Winners in Japan cont. p2.

The brisnet.com 'Race of the Day' is the 8th Race, \$39,000 Allowance, at Delaware Park. For pps and a complete race analysis, click [here](#).

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American-bred Winners in Japan cont.

Erimo Seed, c, 3, **Whywhywhy**--Onesta, by Relaunch. Tokyo, 5-31, Novice Race, 7f. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, \$73,684. O-Shinichi Yamamoto; B-Mr & Mrs F Gill Aulick; T-Ryuji Okubo. *\$130,000 yrl '07 KEESEP; \$90,000 2yo '08 FTFEB. **Won by 2 1/2 lengths.

A Shin Confer, f, 4, **Dynaformer**--Eishin Cynthiana, by Storm Cat. Chukyo, 5-31, Plate Race, 9fT. Lifetime Record: 9-2-1-0, \$194,211. O-Hirotsugu Hirai; B-Winchester Farm; T-Akira Nomoto. *1/2 to Saint Louis Girl (Silver Hawk), SP-Jpn, \$297,299.

A Shin V Mood, f, 4, **Malibu Moon**--Val U Me, by You and I. Kasamatsu, 5-27, Kisogawa Tokubetsu, 7f. Lifetime Record: 12-2-0-1, \$101,684. O-Hirotsugu Hirai; B-R Warren & Jeanne Lyster; T-Kenji Nonaka. *\$40,000 yrl '06 KEEJAN; \$82,000 yrl '06 OBSAUG; \$350,000 2yo '07 FTFEB. **Won by nine lengths.

Under Counter, c, 4, **Stravinsky**--Counter Cat, by Hennessy. Chukyo, 5-31, Nagoya Jo S., 8.5f. Lifetime Record: SP-Jpn, 13-4-3-1, \$710,211. O-Hisae Kato; B-Mr & Mrs Wayne L Morrus Sr; T-Kazuya Nakatake. *\$150,000 yrl '06 FTKJUL.

IN BRAZIL:

Rez de Chaussee, m, 5, **Dixieland Band**--Sunshine Above, by Turkoman. Gavea, 5-31, Mdn, 1200m, 1:15.16. Lifetime Record: 5-1-0-1. O/B Haras Santa Maria de Araras (FL); T-Roberto Morgado Neto. *1/2 to Aavelord (Lord Avie), GSW, \$221,700.

IN PERU:

Priamo, c, 4, **Honour and Glory**--Difficult, by Concern. Hipodromo de Monterrico, 5-31, Cond, 1000m, :56.60. O-Stud Santa Maria; B-Waterford Farm; T-Juan Arriagada. Lifetime Record: 7-5-0-0, \$2,300. *\$8,000 yrl '06 KEESEP. **Won by 4 1/4 lengths.

★ **INDUSTRY INFO** ★

Chace to Judge MHBA Yearling Show:

Bloodstock agent Buzz Chace will serve as judge for the Maryland Horse Breeders Association's 75th annual Yearling Show, to take place Sunday, June 28 in the horse show ring at Timonium Fairgrounds. Judging will get underway at 10 a.m. The show is free and open to the public. Historic Sagamore Farm in Glyndon, undergoing a revival under new owner Kevin Plank, is the site for the crab feast to be held the evening before the show. Sponsored by Precise Buildings Inc., the crab feast will begin at 6:30 p.m. For more information call the MHBA office at (410) 252-2100.

V Foundation Charity Partner of '09 Breeders' Cup:

The Breeders' Cup announced yesterday it has selected The V Foundation for Cancer Research as its primary non-profit beneficiary for the 26th running of the Breeders' Cup World Championships, to be held Nov. 6-7 at Santa Anita Park in Arcadia, California. The Breeders' Cup has set a goal to raise a minimum of \$100,000 for The V Foundation, the organization founded by ESPN and Jim Valvano in 1993. In addition to The V Foundation, the Breeders' Cup will continue to support equine charities such as the Thoroughbred Charities, the Permanently Disabled Jockeys Fund, CARMA, and The Grayson-Jockey Club Research Foundation, among others. Fans will have the opportunity to make contributions to The V Foundation when purchasing tickets for this year's Breeders' Cup as part of the new online ticket process. Breeders' Cup Tickets go on sale to the general public Friday, June 5. In addition to the ticket promotion, The V Foundation will participate in the week-long series of events at the Breeders' Cup, both on and off the track.

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CHURCHILL DOWNS

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KEENELAND

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SANTA ANITA

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SHADOW HAWK (Mr. Prospector), 13/0/0
4-PRM, Msw, 4 1/2f, +Deans Dancer, \$2K IOW SEP yrl, 8-1

First/Second-crop starters to watch: Tuesday, June 2

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

CUVEE (Carson City), Gainesway, \$10K, 208/42/2
4-PRM, Msw, 4 1/2f, +Cuvees Choice, \$4K KEE SEP yrl, 5-1
LION HEART (Tale of the Cat), Ashford, \$30K, 289/61/5
7-PRM, Msw, 6f, +Lauren's Turn, \$75K KEE SEP yrl, 4-1
OMEGA CODE (Elusive Quality), Hartley, 175/32/2
4-PRM, Msw, 4 1/2f, +Linda C., 7-2



★ IRELAND ★

Yesterday's Results:

NAAS SPRINT S.-Listed, €42,500, Naas, 6-1, 3yo/up, 5fT, :57.43, gd/fm.

- 1--**INXILE (IRE)**, 136, g, 4, **Fayruz (GB)**--**Grandel (GB)**, by **Owington (GB)**. (€30,000 wnlg '05 GOFNOV; 80,000gns yrl '06 DONSEP). O-Ian Hewitson and D Nicholls; B-Denis and Mrs Teresa Bergin; T-David Nicholls; J-Adrian Nicholls; €27,668. Lifetime Record: SW & MGSP-Fr, SP-Eng, 12-4-3-4, €131,896. *1/2 to Tax Free (Ire) (Tagula {Ire}), GSW-Ire, Eng & Fr, \$874,447.
 - 2--**Miss Gorica (Ire)**, 130, m, 5, Mull of Kintyre--**Allegorica (Ire)**, by Alzao. (€16,000 yrl '05 TATIRE). €8,500.
 - 3--**Invincible Ash (Ire)**, 130, f, 4, **Invincible Spirit (Ire)**--**Fully Fashioned (Ire)**, by Brief Truce. (€45,000 yrl '06 TATIRE). €4,250.
- Margins: 1, NK, 1HF. Odds: 2-5, 12-1, 10-1.
Also Ran: Call Me Alice, Cnocan Gold (Ire), Dahindar (Ire), Senor Benny.

Naas Sprint cont.

David Nicholls won the last two renewals of this race with the Inxile's half-brother Tax Free (Ire) (Tagula {Ire}), and the four-year-old was a short price to complete the treble and follow up on his win in the Listed Woodlands S. here Apr. 18. Connections were also looking to compensate for prize money lost when Inxile was demoted from first to third by the Longchamp stewards in the G3 Prix de Saint-Georges last time May 10. Soon at the front of affairs, the gelding was pushed along at the quarter pole, and a couple of smacks saw him notch a straightforward score. [Video, courtesy attheraces.com.](#)

Naas, 16.10, Cond, €21,500, 2yo, 6fT, 1:09.29, gd/fm.

LOVE LOCKDOWN (IRE) (g, 2, **Verglas {Ire}**--**Out of Thanks {Ire}**, by **Sadler's Wells**), off the mark at Leopardstown last time May 10, broke well to stalk Beethoven (Ire) (Oratorio {Ire}) throughout the early stages. Getting on top with 50 yards remaining, the €14,000 GOFFEB and €35,000 TATIRE yearling asserted to score by a head. [Video, courtesy attheraces.com.](#) Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-1, €27,715. O-Sean Jones; B-Moyglare Stud Farm Ltd; T-Ger Lyons.

★ BRITAIN ★

Yesterday's Results:

LEISURE S.-Listed, £40,000, Windsor, 6-1, 3yo/up, 6fT, 1:11.28, gd/fm.

- 1--**J J THE JET PLANE (SAF)**, 133, g, 5, **Jet Master (SAf)**--**Majestic Guest (SAf)** (SW-SAf), by **Northern Guest**. O-H S N du Preez; B-Mrs P J Devine; T-Mike de Kock; J-Ryan Moore; £22,708. Lifetime Record: MG1SW-SAF & GSW-UAE, 13-9-0-1, £237,432.
 - 2--**Intrepid Jack (GB)**, 126, h, 7, **Compton Place (GB)**--**Maria Theresa (GB)**, by **Primo Dominie (GB)**. (20,000gns yrl '03 DONSEP). £8,608.
 - 3--**Edge Closer (GB)**, 126, h, 5, **Bold Edge (GB)**--**Blue Goddess (Ire)**, by **Blues Traveller (Ire)**. £4,308.
- Margins: 4, HD, HF. Odds: 4-7, 12-1, 5-1.
Also Ran: Sohraab (GB), Genki (Ire), Icelandic (GB).
Scratched: Shallal (GB).

Windsor's Monday night faithful came out in droves to see J J the Jet Plane in flight, and they were not disappointed as South Africa's flagbearer turned on the afterburners here. Outside of his native land, the bay had proven himself at Nad Al Sheba's carnival with a smooth win in the Feb. 26 G3 Al Quoz Sprint, and he was more impressive making all and drawing away late under this maximum penalty. "It was a good win and we're relieved," trainer Mike de Kock said of the Royal Ascot-bound gelding. "I'm glad we ran him, and he hasn't had a big blow, but this will do him the world of good and his powers of recovery are good." [Video, courtesy attheraces.com.](#)



British report cont.

Windsor, 18.25, Cond, £6,000, 2yo, 5f 10ydsT, 1:02.31, gd/fm.
 + **NAVAJO CHIEF (GB)** (c, 2, **King's Best**--Navajo Rainbow {GB}, by Rainbow Quest) started at a huge 50-1 and raced close to the early pace set by Footstepsofspring (Fr) (Footstepsinthesand {GB}). Tackling that rival inside the final quarter, he gained the edge before the eighth peg and asserted to record a half-length success. "He was a bit green in front and needs to improve for Royal Ascot, but he's good type with lots of scope," jockey Alan Munro commented. [Video, courtesy attheraces.com](#). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, £3,885.
 O-Geoffrey Bishop; B-Eurostrait Ltd; T-Alan Jarvis.

Leicester, 14.00, Mdn, £6,000, 2yo, 5f 218ydsT, 1:13.09, gd/fm.
JIRA (GB) (f, 2, **Medicean** {GB}--Time Saved {GB}, by Green Desert) ran fourth in an Ascot maiden first time out May 9 and was a little keen in the second rank early. Punched to the front with 1 1/2 furlongs remaining, the 110,000gns TATOCT yearling was driven out late to beat Party Doctor (GB) (Dr. Fong) by a head at odds of 9-2. The winner is a half-sister to Plea Bargain (GB) (Machiavellian, GSW-Eng & GSP-Fr, \$229,119) and Dubai Time (GB) (Dubai Destination, GSP-Fr). [Video, courtes attheraces.com](#). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, £4,175.
 O-Saeed Manana; B-W and R Barnett Ltd; T-Clive Brittain.

Carlisle, 14.15, Mdn, £5,000, 2yo, 5fT, 1:02.90, gd/fm.
 + **BOW BEAVER** (c, 2, **Vindication**--Miss Carolina, by Unbridled), a \$50,000 KEESEP yearling and 35,000gns TATAPR juvenile, went straight to the front. Asked to stretch at the quarter pole, the 5-4 chalk was driven out to repel Yeadon (GB) (Fraam {GB}) by 3/4 of a length. The colt's trainer unleashed South Central (Forest Camp) in this race last year, before taking the G2 Norfolk S. at Royal Ascot. [Video, courtesy Racing UK](#). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, £3,238.
 O-W M G Black and J Howard Johnson; B-Hertrich-McCarthy Livestock; T-J Howard Johnson.

★ FRANCE ★

Yesterday's Results:

PRIX MATCHEM-Listed, €55,000, Saint-Cloud, 6-1, 3yo, c/g, 1 1/4mT, 2:08.60, gd/sf.
 1--**#CAVALRYMAN (GB), 128, c, 3, by Halling**
 1st Dam: Silversword (Fr) (GSP-Fr),
 by Highest Honor (Fr)
 2nd Dam: Silver Cobra, by Silver Hawk
 3rd Dam: Copperhead, by Hawaii (SAf)
 O-Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum; B-Darley; T-Andre Fabre; J-Maxime Guyon; €27,500. Lifetime Record: GSP-Fr, 5 starts, 2 wins, 3 places, €78,300. *3/4 to Finity (Diesis {GB}), GSP-Ire.
 2--**Cirrus des Aigles (Fr), 123, g, 3, Even Top (Ire)--**
 Taille du Guepe (Fr), by Septieme Ciel. €11,000.
 3--**Portus Blendium, 123, c, 3, Highest Honor (Fr)--**
 Kalpita, by Spinning World. (\$65,000 yrl '07 KEESEP). €8,250.
 Margins: 6, NK, 2. Odds: 0.90, 4.30, 5.40.
 Also Ran: Nizamabad (Fr), Hermoun (Fr), Collingwood (Fr), Gold Music (Fr).

Improving off a debut fourth at Longchamp Sept. 7, Cavalryman broke through at this track Oct. 10 and came back this term to run fourth in the Mar. 29 Listed Prix Francois Mathet over course and distance. He lined up for this coming back from a second in the May 12 G2 Prix Greffulhe, again over course and distance, and led at almost every step to earn a first black-type badge. Leading after the initial strides, he was urged clear of toiling rivals inside the final quarter mile and kept on strongly in the closing stages to win unchallenged. [Click for Racing Post chart.](#)
 French report cont. p5.

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Naas Sprint S.-Listed Inxile (Ire) (Fayruz) keeps it all in the family.
Leisure S.-Listed J J The Jet Plane (SAf) (Jet Master {SAf}) heads to Royal Ascot after dominant win.
Carlisle, 14.15 (Mdn) Bow Beaver (Vindication) holds on for debut score.

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French report cont.

Saint-Cloud, 14.50, Cond, €29,000, 3yo, f, 1 1/2mT, 2:44.20, gd/sf.

PEINTURE RARE (IRE) (f, 3, [Sadler's Wells](#)--Peinture Bleue {**GSW-US & SW-Fr**, \$140,246}, by Alydar), a debut second over course and distance May 1, raced at the back of the peloton for most of this one. Shaken up off the home turn, the 6-5 pick was ridden along with 350 meters to go and stayed on relentlessly to wrest a half-length verdict from Ladyholme (GB) (Lomitas {GB}) in the final strides. The winner is a half-sister to Peintre Celebre (Nureyev, Hwt. 3yo-Fr at 11-14f, MG1SW-Fr, \$1,419,573) and Pointilliste (Giant's Causeway, MSW & GSP-Fr, \$266,754). Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 1 win, 1 place, €21,300.

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

Saint-Cloud, 14.20, Mdn, €24,000, 3yo, 1mT, 1:42.00, gd/sf.

CAUSA PROXIMA (FR) (f, 3, **Kendor {Fr}**--**Rotina {Fr}**, by **Crystal Glitters**), a last-out fourth at Maisons-Laffitte Apr. 30, raced in mid-division after the early exchanges of this third go. Pushed along to challenge approaching the final quarter mile, the 22-5 chance quickened to the fore with 300 meters remaining and kept on well in the closing stages to comfortably account for Lungwa (Ire) (One Cool Cat) by 1 1/2 lengths. The winner is a half sister to Valentino (Fr) (Valanour {Ire}, MGSW-Fr, \$475,133); Whortleberry (Fr) (Starborough {GB}, Co-Hwt. 3yo-Ity at 9.5-11f, GSW-Ity, MGSW-Fr, \$348,490); Appel au Maitre (Fr) (Starborough {GB}, MGSW-Nor & Swe, GSP-Ger); Belle et Celebre (Fr) (Peintre Celebre, G1SW-Fr, \$264,126); and a full to Ysoldina (Fr), G1SP-Fr, \$181,301). Lifetime Record: 3 starts, 1 win, 2 places, €15,600.

O-Aliette Forien; B-Gilles & Aliette Forien; T-Alain de Royer-Dupre.

★ GERMANY ★

Yesterday's Results:

GROSSER PREIS DER HANNOVERSCHEN VOLKSBANK - DERBY TRIAL-Listed, €20,000, Hannover, 6-1, 3yo, 1 3/8mT, 2:20.18, gd.

1--**#SUESTADO (GER)**, 128, c, 3, by **Monsun (Ger)**

1st Dam: **Suivi (Ger)**, by **Darshaan (GB)**

2nd Dam: **Suivez (Fr)**, by **Fioravanti**

3rd Dam: **Sea Symphony (GB)**, by **Faraway Son**

O/B-Baron Georg von Ullmann; T-Jens Hirschberger; J-Adrie de Vries; €12,000. Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 2 wins, €15,000.

2--**Toughness Danon (GB)**, 121, c, 3, [Tiger Hill \(Ire\)](#)--Templerin (Ger), by **Acatenango (Ger)**. €4,400.

3--**Frantic Storm (Ger)**, 128, c, 3, **Nayef**--**Flamingo Road (Ger)**, by **Acatenango (Ger)**. €2,400.

Margins: 2HF, 3, 1 1/4. Odds: 0.70, 2.40, 3.00.

Also Ran: **Marlow (Ger)**, **Double Handful (Ger)**, **Nordost (Ger)**.

Derby Trial cont.

Suestado opened his account with a May 12 debut victory at Cologne last time and entered calculations for the July 5 G1 Deutsches Derby with a dominant score in this trial for the Hamburg Classic. Restrained in rear until making headway into third at the top of the stretch, he quickened between **Frantic Storm** and **Toughness Danon** to lead approaching the final eighth and was ridden out in the latter stages to register an impressive first stakes win.

TNT-STUTEN-CUP-Listed, €20,000, Cologne, 6-1, 4yo/up, f/m, 7fT, 1:26.09, gd.

1--**#ETOILE NOCTURNE (FR)**, 128, m, 5, **Medicean (GB)**--**Nachtigall (Fr)**, by **Night Shift**. (€75,000 yrl '05 DEAAUG; €95,000 HIT '07 GOFARC). O-Rennstall Gestut Hachtsee; B-Haras de Saint Pair du Mont; T-Werner Baltromei; J-Yann Lerner; €13,000. Lifetime Record: GSP-Ger, 18 starts, 3 wins, 4 places, €77,350.

2--**Topkapi Diamond (Ire)**, 123, f, 4, **Acclamation (GB)**--**Anthyllis (Ire)**, by **Night Shift**. (7,000gns wnlg '05 TATDEC; €11,000 2yo '07 BBAMAY). €4,000.

3--**Peace Royale (Ger)**, 128, f, 4, **Sholokhov (Ire)**--**Peace Time (Ger)**, by **Surumu (Ger)**. (€46,000 yrl '06 BBASEP). €2,000.

Margins: NK, HF, 2HF. Odds: 2.00, 20.10, 0.70.

Also Ran: **Atalia (Ger)**, **Picobella (Ger)**, **Bella Platina (Ger)**. Scratched: **Zaya (Ger)**.

Sunday's Results:

Hoppegarten, 15.10, Cond, €5,100, 3yo, 1mT, 1:39.80, gd.

RAHAD (GB) (c, 3, **Ransom o'War**--**Royal Dubai {Ger} {Co. Hwt 2yo-Ger & GSW-Ger}**, by **Dashing Blade {GB}**), the ready winner of a conditions event over track and trip on debut May 9, led after the opening stages. Minimal encouragement saw the 1-3 pick stride clear of **Bonfire Night (Ger)** (**Kondor {Ger}**) in the stretch to score by six lengths in effortless fashion. Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 2 wins, €6,000.

O/B-Stiftung Gestut Fahrhof; T-Andreas Wohler.

Hoppegarten, 17.30, Cond, €5,100, 3yo, 1 3/8mT, 2:22.50, gd.

ORDENSTREUER (IRE) (c, 3, **Nayef**--**Dramraire Mist {GB}**, by **Darshaan {GB}**), third in a similar contest here first time up May 9, raced in the front rank from the outset. Pushed clear at the top of the lane, the €34,000 BBAOCT yearling stayed on well under pressure to best **Really Special (Swi)** (**Zilzal Zamaan**) by 2 1/2 lengths as the 10-11 favorite. Lifetime Record: 2 starts 1 win, 1 place, €3,600.

O-German Racing Club; B-Gestut Karlshof; T-Roland Dzubasz.

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★ ITALY ★

Tuesday, Rome, post time: 3:35 p.m.

PREMIO ALBERTO GIUBILO-Listed, €50,400, 2yo, c, 5 1/2ft

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER
1	3	Field of Dream (GB)	Oasis Dream (GB)	B Grizzetti
2	4	Golden Acclamation (Ire)	Acclamation (GB)	Renzoni
3	6	Julian Force (Ity)	Blu Air Force (Ire)	Renzoni
4	5	Ninja (Ity)	Russian Valour (Ire)	Menichetti
5	1	Pongo (GB)	Zamindar	F & L Camici
6	2	Spirit in the Dark (Ire)	Invincible Spirit (Ire)	R Brogi

All carry 123 pounds.

Tuesday, Rome, post time: 4:10 p.m.

PREMIO ALESSANDRO PERRONE-Listed, €50,400, 2yo, f, 5 1/2ft

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER
1	2	Alforce (Ity)	Blu Air Force (Ire)	Ligas
2	5	Cool Contest (Ire)	One Cool Cat	R Brogi
3	6	Exotic Girl (Ire)	Antonius Pius	Peraino
4	3	Jasmin Noir	Leroisdesanimaux (Brz)	Menichetti
5	4	Joanna (Ire)	High Chaparral (Ire)	B Grizzetti
6	7	Kadabra (Ire)	Dubawi (Ire)	F & L Camici
7	1	Kaspirit (Ire)	Invincible Spirit (Ire)	Wigham

All carry 123 pounds.

BREEDERS' EDITION AMERICA

BLACK-TYPE RESULTS:

COPA GOBERNADOR S., \$93,440, CMR, 5-31, (S), 3yo, 1 1/8m, 1:53 4/5, ft.

1--**SEATTLE WIN, 116, f, 3, by Don Guido--Estrella Dorada (Ch. 2yo Filly-PR, SW-PR, \$158,996), by Fappiano's Star.** O-Establo Villa Real; B-Potrero Los Llanos Inc (PR); T-Raul N Perez; J-Wilfredo Rohena; \$56,064. Lifetime Record: Ch. 2yo Filly-PR, 9-8-0-0 \$190,529.

2--**Historiador, 118, g, 3, My Favorite Dream--Cut 'n Set, by Relaunch.** \$18,688.

3--**Mandingos Dream, 118, g, 3, Fappiano's Star--Harvest Avie, by Lord Avie.** \$9,344.

Margins: 4 3/4, NK, 3 1/4. Odds: 1.70, 7.35, 1.25.



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PEPSI COLA H., \$50,000, EMD, 5-31, 3yo, c/g, 6 1/2f, 1:15, ft.

1--**NOOSA BEACH, 118, g, 3, Harbor the Gold--Julia Rose, by Basket Weave.** O-Jeff Harwood; B-Jeffery O & Doris A Harwood (WA); T-Doris Harwood; J-Juan M Gutierrez; \$27,500. Lifetime Record: 6-4-1-1, \$99,375.

2--**Winning Machine, 116, g, 3, Toccet--Dance With Carson, by Carson City.** \$10,000.

3--**Peaceful Reign, 114, g, 3, Liberty Gold--Peaceful Wings, by Halo.** (\$10,000 yrl '07 WASSEP). \$7,500. Margins: HD, 2HF, 1 3/4. Odds: 1.50, 4.10, 12.00.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Y'er Man, g, 3, Great Notion--Seattle Suzy, by Metfield. PHA, 6-1, (C), 1m70yT, 1:42. B-Northview Stallion Station Inc (MD).

Magical Minister, g, 4, Deputy Minister--Vivaladiva, by Alydeed. IND, 6-1, 6f, 1:11. B-B. Wahl LLC (KY). \$70,000 wlng '05 KEENOV.

Davy's Bank, g, 4, Millions--Pat C., by Personal Flag. FLX, 6-1, 1m70y, 1:46 2/5. B-Joseph R Cuppy & Steven Levy (NY).

Pocket Patch, g, 4, Partner's Hero--Cynicism, by Riverman. PHA, 6-1, (S), (C), 1m70yT, 1:41 4/5. B-Charles C D McGill (PA). *1/2 to Cynics Beware (Caveat), MSW & GSP, \$376,251.

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IN ARGENTINA:

Roxy Girl (Arg), f, 3, Salt Lake--Roxanita Toss (Arg), by Egg Toss. Palermo, 5-31, Mdn, 5f, :55.70. Lifetime Record: 5-1-2-0. O-Stud Tres Jotas; B-Haras La Quebrada; T-Enrique Rodriguez.

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CONDITIONS RESULTS:

ITALY, Milan, 15.10, 5-31, €31,500, 3yo, 1 1/2mT, 2:30.80, gd.

MAGIC LAUDANUM (ITY) (c, 3, Dr Devious {Ire}--Sopran Longal {Ity}, by Alzao) Lifetime Record: SP-Ity, 11-3-4-1, €48,484. O-Scuderia 3 Pir SNC; B-Azienda Agricola S Giacomo SRL; T-Soc Al Marwins SRL.

BRITAIN, Leicester, 15.30, 6-1, £20,000, 3yo/up, 7f 9ydsT, 1:25.38, gd/fm.

CARCINETTO (IRE) (m, 7, Danetime {Ire}--Dolphin Stamp {Ire}, by Dolphin Street {Fr}) Lifetime Record: MSP-Eng, 78-12-9-12, £94,283. O-Sally Edwards; B-M A Doyle; T-David Evans.

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IRELAND, Naas, 15.10, 6-1, €19,000, 3yo/up, 7fT, 1:21.05, gd/fm.

LEANDROS (FR) (g, 4, **Invincible Spirit {Ire}**--Logjam {Ire}, by Royal Academy) Lifetime Record: 18-4-2-2, €85,485. O-Sean Jones; B-Petra Bloodstock Agency; T-Ger Lyons. *€45,000 wnlg '05 DEADEC; 70,000gns yrl '06 TATOCT. **1/2 to Boris de Deauville (Ire) (Soviet Star), MGSW-Fr & G1SP-Ity, \$452,827.

FRANCE, Saint-Malo, 16.00, 5-31, €15,000, 3yo, 1 1/8mT, 1:54.88, sf.

TUCUMANO (FR) (g, 3, **Anabaa Blue {GB}**--Impudica {Uru}, by Mo Rum) Lifetime Record: 7 starts, 2 wins, 2 places, €16,775. O-Gerard Pizzo; B-C Lerner and LP Michelini; T-P Chatelain.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Querry Boy (Fr), c, 2, **Equerry**--Goldy Honor (Fr), by Highest Honor (Fr). Saint Malo, France, 5-31, Mdn, 2yo, c/g, 5 1/2fT. B-H-A Pantal and Mrs Y Chabot. +**Keyoura (Ire)**, f, 2, **Intikhab**--Rufalda (Ire), by Sadler's Wells. Milan, Italy, 5-31, Mdn, 2yo, 5fT. B-Azienda Agricola Allevamento Deni.

Swadesh (Ger), c, 3, **Big Shuffle**--Sonora (Ger), by General Assembly. Cluny, France, 5-31, Mdn, 3yo, 1 3/16mT. B-Mrs J Eubel. *€10,000 yrl '07 BBAAUG.

Doc Jones (Ire), g, 3, **Docksider**--Quick Return (GB), by Polish Precedent. Thirsk, Britain, 6-1, Mdn, 3yo/up, 7fT. B-Holburn Trust Co. *€9,000 yrl '07 TATIRE.

Sabotage (UAE), g, 3, **Halling**--Cunas, by Irish River (Fr). Leicester, Britain, 6-1, Mdn, 3yo, 11f 183ydsT. B-Darley.

Scar Girl (Ire), f, 3, **Lomitas (GB)**--Silly Monica (Ire), by Tenby (GB). Milan, Italy, 5-31, Mdn, 3yo, 1 1/16mT. B-Valfredo Valiani.

Lagoon (Ire), f, 3, **Montjeu (Ire)**--Flanders (Ire) (SW & MGSP-Eng, \$387,113), by Common Grounds (GB). Naas, Ireland, 6-1, Hcp, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/4mT. B-Twelve Oaks Stud Establishment. *75,000gns yrl '07 TATOCT. **1/2 to Louvain (Ire) (Sinndar {Ire}), GSW-US & MSP-Fr, \$223,742.

Miami Star (Ger), f, 3, **Sholokhov (Ire)**--Miami Sun (Ger), by Dashing Blade (GB). Cluny, France, 5-31, Mdn, 3yo, 12f 55ydsT. B-Gestut Etzean. *1/2 to Morbidezza (Ger) (Lecroix {Ger}), SW & MGSP-Ger.

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