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## DOWN BUT NOT OUT AT FASIG-TIPTON JULY

At the end of the opening session of Fasig-Tipton's July Sale of Selected Yearlings, officials were left scratching their heads as to what to do to stop the hemorrhaging. But by the time the last yearling strolled



Hip 250--Medaglia d'Oro Horsephotos

through the ring at the end of Day 2, there appeared to emerge a glimmer of hope on the horizon as the session average of \$87,117 dropped a mere 4.3 percent from last year's \$91,043.

"Based on [Monday's session], I wouldn't have been surprised if we were down more," said Fasig-Tipton Chairman Walt Robertson. "Truthfully, I am thrilled we were only down less than 5 percent [for average on Day 2]."

Helping to bolster that average on the second day was hip 250. Only the third horse through the ring, the daughter of sophomore sire Medaglia d'Oro offered more evidence that her sire is one of the hottest young sires in the country. In the days leading up to the sale, the bay drew plenty of admirers, but in the end, it was John Ferguson who signed the ticket for Darley. Purchased for \$425,000, the Feb. 29 foal was consigned by Warrendale Sales, agent for Anne and David Hanley's Whitechurch Farm. One of five fillies by the Darley sire offered at July, the bay is out of Ting a Folie (Arg) (Careafolie {Ire}), a multiple group winner in Argentina. **Cont. p2**

## SESSION TOPPERS

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### TUESDAY'S TOP LOTS

Hip	Sex	Sire	Dam	Price (\$)
<u>250</u>	filly	<u>Medaglia d'Oro</u>	Ting a Folie (Arg)	425,000
				(\$70,000 in utero '08 KEEJAN; \$85,000 yrl '09 KEEJAN)
				<i>B-B M Kelley (Ky)</i>
				Consigned by Whitechurch Farm, Warrendale Sales, agent Purchased by John Ferguson
<u>471</u>	filly	<u>Medaglia d'Oro</u>	Peridot	370,000
				<i>B-Bert Welker (Ky)</i>
				Consigned by Bert Welker, Warrendale Sales, agent Purchased by Twin Creeks Farm
<u>451</u>	colt	<u>Speightstown</u>	Motel Lass	335,000
				<i>B-Nekia Farm &amp; Hunter Valley Farm (Ky)</i>
				Consigned by Hunter Valley Farm, agent Purchased by BC3 Thoroughbreds
<u>432</u>	filly	<u>Harlan's Holiday</u>	Marfa's Squall	280,000
				(\$115,000 wnlng '08 KEENOV)
				<i>B-Sophian Stable (Ky)</i>
				Consigned by Gainesway, agent Purchased by Winchell Thoroughbreds



### FASIG-TIPTON JULY TUESDAY, JULY 21, 2009

<u>Cumulative Totals</u>	<u>2009</u>	<u>2008</u>
Catalogued	494	568
No. Offered	424	498
No. Sold	268	305
RNAs	156	193
% RNAs	36.8%	38.8%
No. Over \$300K	7	6
High Price	\$425,000	\$375,000
Gross	\$20,828,000	\$28,151,000
Average (% change)	\$77,716 (-15.8%)	\$92,298
Median (% change)	\$55,000 (-26.7%)	\$75,000



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Commenting on the Medaglia d'Oro topper, Warrendale's Kitty Taylor said, "She is just a lovely filly. She has a beautiful cap on her and has just a lovely walk. She has always had the right attitude and is by the right stallion. We felt pretty solid with the filly, so we were pleased with the price we got. I'm very pleased for the Hanley's."



**Kitty Taylor**  
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The 13-year-old mare, who was purchased with this filly in utero by Kelly Farms Racing for \$70,000 at KEEJAN in 2008, is a full-sister to dual Group 1 winner Campesino (Arg). Whitechurch secured hip 250 for \$85,000 at Keeneland January seven months ago.

"We really loved her," said Whitechurch Farm's David

Hanley. "We were very high on the stallion and obviously, Medaglia d'Oro has turned out to be a really sensational stallion. She has done really well in the time we have had her."

At this venue last time, the Whitechurch Farm and Warrendale duo teamed up to sell the sale topper, a filly by Exchange Rate who brought \$375,000.

"We love to sell here," said Hanley. "We have had such good success here. Fasig-Tipton also does such a great job promoting the sale, and in the time that the new management came in, they have worked so hard to improve the sale."

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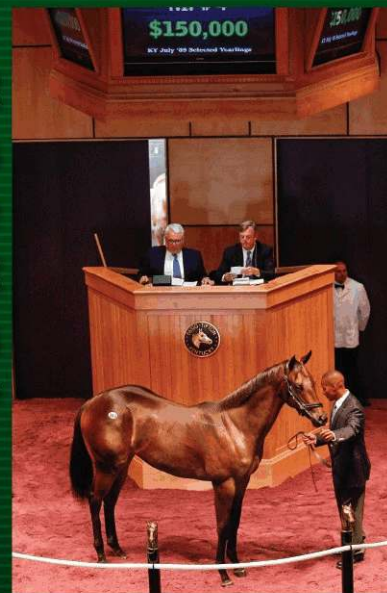
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## FASIG-TIPTON JULY TUESDAY, JULY 21, 2009

Session Totals	2009	2008
Catalogued	246	284
No. Offered	207	244
No. Sold	132	163
RNAs	75	81
% RNAs	36.2%	33.2%
No. Over \$300K	3	3
High Price	\$425,000	\$375,000
Gross	\$11,499,500	\$14,840,000
Average (% change)	\$87,117 (-4.3%)	\$91,043
Median (% change)	\$63,500 (-15.3%)	\$75,000

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### TUESDAY TOPPERS cont.

- 395** colt **Medaglia d'Oro** Honeycomb Gus 250,000  
*B-John & Bev Passerello (Ky)*  
Consigned by Gainesway, agent  
Purchased by Team Valor
- 428** filly **Stormy Atlantic** Luluwa (Ire) 230,000  
(\$75,000 wnlg '08 KEENOV)  
*B-Robert Hewett, Frank Taylor & Brookdale (Ky)*  
Consigned by Bedouin Bloodstock, agent  
Purchased by John Ferguson
- 409** colt **Unbridled's Song** King Shooting Star 225,000  
(\$175,000 RNA '08 FTKNOV)  
*B-Doug Branham (Ky)*  
Consigned by Eaton Sales, agent  
Purchased by Dapple Bloodstock
- 266** colt **Distorted Humor** Whichwaydidshego 225,000  
*B-Colts Neck Stables LLC (Ky)*  
Consigned by Mill Ridge Farm, agent  
Purchased by Dapple Bloodstock
- 315** filly **Tapit** Chalonnaise 220,000  
*B-Classic Thoroughbreds (Ky)*  
Consigned by Candyland Farm  
Purchased by Silverton Hill LLC



**All Medaglia d'Oro, All the Time...**

The Medaglia d'Oro juggernaut showed no signs of slowing down late in yesterday's session as hip **471**, a filly by the Darley stallion, realized a \$370,000 final bid from Steve Davison's Twin Creek Farm. Consigned by Warrendale Sales on behalf of the filly's breeder Bert Welker, the dark bay is out of the unraced Peridot (Gilded Time). The 10-year-old mare, who is a full-sister to GSW Elaborate, is a great-grand daughter of champion and Grade I winner Smart Angle (Quadrangle). Twin Creek racing manager Randy Gullatt signed the ticket on behalf of Louisiana-based Davison. Formerly a strictly private racing entity, Twin Creek now operates as a racing partnership--Twin Creek Racing--and currently has 16 horses split between trainers Todd Pletcher and Mike Maker.

"She was just a standout Medaglia d'Oro," Gullatt said of hip 471. "The best physical in the sale. She had so much class, great size, a great body and great stretch. She had everything we were looking for."

According to Gullatt, the Jan. 11 foal will be taken to Florida to be broken in the fall, and a decision as to where the filly may race will be decided at a later date.

"It all depends on where we need her to go," he said.

Echoing the general theme of many buyers over the course of the two-day sale, Gullatt was pleased with the price. "I really thought she would bring more," admitted Gullatt. "She was just a standout."

Warrendale sold five of nine horses during Monday's opening session, but proved more successful yesterday, finding buyers for all but one of their yearlings. Among those successfully sold Tuesday were hip **442**, a chestnut colt by Tapit who brought \$180,000.

"It's been a really tough sale," said Warrendale's Kitty Taylor. "People are gravitating toward the proven sires and the horses that jump through all the hoops and perform physically and vet-wise. We did well, so we're pleased with our results."



Hip 471, by Medaglia d'Oro

Horsephotos

# Top sires of European stakes winners in 2009

(in order of total stakes prize money earnings)

RK	STALLION	STAKES WNRS	EARNINGS
1	<b>Danehill Dancer</b>	14	£1,873,706
2	Cape Cross	7	£1,569,013
3	<b>Montjeu</b>	4	£1,523,810
4	<b>Sadler's Wells</b>	11	£1,344,631
5	<b>Galileo</b>	13	£1,266,790
6	Pivotal	7	£1,060,267
7	Noverre	3	£1,029,981
8	Monsun	5	£912,666
9	Oasis Dream	10	£783,071
10	<b>High Chaparral</b>	6	£761,523
11	Dansili	7	£652,825
12	Halling	4	£625,922
13	Dynaformer	4	£584,178
14	<b>Giant's Causeway</b>	3	£572,623
15	Invincible Spirit	6	£545,747
16	<b>Peintre Celebre</b>	5	£535,072

Source: [www.RACING POST.com](http://www.RACING POST.com), 20/07/09.

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**Team Valor Gets on the Medaglia Train...**

Team Valor International's Barry Irwin was active during Monday's opening session, purchasing three yearlings for a total of \$240,000. Back and ready to buy some more Tuesday, Irwin acquiring two yearlings early in the session before landing the second-highest-priced colt of the day. Irwin went to \$250,000 for hip [395](#), a son of Medaglia d'Oro out of Honeycomb Gus (Is It True). The dark bay, a member of the Gainesway consignment, is the first foal out of his seven-year-old dam, who is a half-sister to MSW Maria's Mirage (Maria's Mon) and SW Cauy (Maria's Mon).



**Barry Irwin**  
*Horsephotos*

"I thought he was a very well-balanced horse," explained

Irwin. "To tell you the truth, I didn't think I could get him."

Irwin, who brokered the deal to stand the stallion at Stonewall when the son of El Prado {Ire}} retired to stud in 2004, pointed out that it wasn't the catalog page that drew him to the Jan. 30 foal.

"It's a nice pedigree, and I would probably give it a B-minus on my scale," Irwin said. "Honestly, I didn't know who this colt was by when I first looked at him. I just go out and look at the horses, and I buy them based on what they look like. All I want is the horse."

Earlier in the session, Irwin purchased a pair of colts: hip [259](#), by Is It True, for \$120,000; and hip [261](#), by Sky Mesa, for \$130,000.

"I was actually hanging around waiting for a lesser-priced filly and I saw [hip 395] in my price range, so I went for it," added Irwin.

Soon after securing the Medaglia d'Oro colt, Irwin paid \$40,000 for hip [406](#), a dark bay filly by Repent. The previous afternoon, Irwin acquired a filly by Suave for \$85,000; a colt by Closing Argument for \$80,000 and a colt by Star Dabblers for \$75,000.

"The market is depressed, and it's good for my business," stated Irwin. "We are buyers. Last year was a good buyers' market, it was down 10 percent. Now it's down a third from that last year, so this is good for me. I have bought at least one from Gainesway over the past three years, and I usually get the best one."

And did Irwin managed to get the best one this year?

"I hope so," he said, grinning.



**FASIG-TIPTON JULY SELECT COVERAGE...**

*by Christina Bossinakis*

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### ***Bigger Horizons for BC3 Thoroughbreds...***

Headlining the colts during the sale's second session was hip [451](#), a chestnut by Speightstown out of Motel Lass (Bates Motel), who realized \$335,000. Determined to land the session's second-highest-priced yearling was Bill Vlahos, who along with U.S.-based pinhookers John Brocklebank and Shane Chipman, is the driving force behind BC3 Thoroughbreds. The partnership had to fight off fellow pinhooker Murray Smith, who was among the underbidders on the colt. Consigned by Adrian Regan and Fergus Galvin's Hunter Valley Farm, the Mar. 15 foal is a half-brother to SW Stormin' Lyon (Storm Boot) and hails from the family of GISW Mitterrand (Hold Your Peace), dam of French Deputy (Deputy Minister) and GISP Princess Mitterrand (Seattle Slew).

"We had to fight pretty hard to get the colt, but from what I hear, there were some other very good judges on the horse," said Vlahos, who is based at his Australian farm Sutton Grange, located in Bendigo, Victoria. "He was a very nice colt and we just had to have him."

Making its first U.S.-based purchases under the BC3 banner at this year's July Sale, the partnership--which was launched in Australia last year--has already acquired 30 yearlings on that continent, and plans are to add an additional 30 yearlings from U.S. and Asian-based yearling sales this season. Among those already purchased in the U.S. is hip [21](#), a bay colt by Purge for \$57,000; and hip [73](#), a bay colt by first-season sire Silver Train who brought \$130,000.

"John has a really good eye for horses, and I'm more of the businessman," said Vlahos, who serves as the operation's chief executive officer. "I just put a labeled structure around it for [Brocklebank], and he provides the expertise."

According to Vlahos, the yearlings will be broken and trained at the operation's American base in Utah, and will then be offered at next year's Fasig-Tipton Calder Sale.

"In Australia, it's a little bit different in that the two-year-old industry is not big and people kind of have a negative attitude towards it," explained Vlahos. "But the prize money is so good that the attitude is always to try and buy a good horse. So we're bringing John down to actually provide buyers with a different product to try and change people's opinion."

Without a viable option to sell their own juveniles, the BC3 team has created a venue to present their select stock.

"We are planning to have our own sale in Australia, Aug. 23," he explained. "So we are planning on flying in people from Asia and around Australia to come to the sale and buy our two-year-olds."

Despite depressed overall figures and falling prices in the current yearling market, Vlahos feels that competition remains tough for the yearlings the BC3 team are vying for.

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"People say that, but I don't really think it's a buyers' market at the level we are buying horses," explained Vlahos. "When it's a nice horse, there are enough people on it. The good ones always bring good money, but I think that it generally it might be a buyers' market, but I think everyone is on the same horses, so it can be tough to get the ones you want."

In addition to handling consigning duties, Hunter Valley bred hip 451 in partnership with Bruce Snipe's Nekia Farm. Though confident in the Speightstown colt, the partnership had some nervous moments in the weeks leading up to the sale.

"Two weeks before, he caught in a fence and marked himself up pretty good on his front legs," explained Hunter Valley general manager Fergus Galvin. "It was all just superficial wounds, but it gave us plenty of concern when it happened. But it healed up pretty good, which gave us confidence coming in."

The colt was produced by one of the very first residents of Hunter Valley. When Galvin and Regan launched the operation in 2005, Bruce Snipes moved Motel Lass and several other mares to the farm. Soon after, Hunter Valley bought into Motel Lass, and enjoyed immediate success selling her offspring. At this sale in 2006, Hunter Valley and Snipe sold her Storm Boot filly Stormin Lassie to Zayat Stables for \$215,000.



### *Exquisitely Divine...*

Over the last decade, Murray Smith has developed the Ocala-based Murray Smith Training Center into one of the top pinhooking and sales-prep operations in the country. The energetic horsewoman has produced numerous high-profile stars over the years, including GI Kentucky Derby winner Monarchos, champion sprinter Smoke Glacken (Two Punch), GISW Wild Fit (Wild Wonder) and GSW What a Song (Songandaprayer). During the opening session at Fasig-Tipton's July Sale, Smith purchased 10 yearlings under the banner Divine Assets--a new entity which currently represents a small syndicate of about 10 West Coast-based entrepreneurs--with prices ranging from \$5,000-\$150,000. The highest price member of the group was hip 101, a colt by Southern Image out of Divine Rockette (Is It True).

According to Smith, her Florida-based training center is still fully operational. However, following this year's Barretts Two-year-olds in Training Sale in May, Smith decided to relocate to the Del Mar on the West Coast.

"The horse racing business has been really good to me," said Smith, explaining one of the main reasons behind starting the syndicate. "I want to see the sport do well. We need new people, new blood in the game. We need to bring people in, show them the beauty of the sport, and show them what we are all passionate about. The bottom line is that we are all here because we love the horses. I just want to help the business, and the best thing we all can do for our business is try and do something positive."

Smith explained that the group which currently makes up Divine Assets had no prior experience in horse racing.

"There a new group of guys that I am bringing into the business," confirmed Smith. "They are individuals that are entrepreneurs, hedge-fund groups, also guys who have been involved in investment stock market. They are all young professionals, who either play professional sports, played in college, or are they are entrepreneurs. They are all young guys, so there is a lot of energy and they want to have some fun."

Smith plans to pinhook all of the current crop of yearlings at next year's two-year-old sales, and should any of them fail to find a new home, the horses will race for the partnership. Smith also intends on buying a few juveniles for the partners next season.

"There is money out there, and many of them just need something new to do," she said. "I treat them with kid gloves and I try to buy the best athletes I can. Whether it's a \$5,000 horse or a \$150,000 horse, they don't know how much they cost. I'm just going after athletes."

Explaining the idea behind the naming of the new venture, Smith pointed to Leonardo da Vinci, and more specifically, da Vinci's Vitruvian Man, the main source of inspiration for Smith. The famed drawing, which is considered to blend of art and science, is based on the correlations of the ideal human proportions as described by the Roman architect Vitruvius.

"To me, the true athletes are made up of divine proportions," said Smith. "We are investing in athletes, and the really good ones have divine proportions. That's how I came up with Divine Assets."

### *Day 2 Offers Some Hope...*

Fasig-Tipton officials may not have been doing cartwheels at the conclusion of Fasig-Tipton July, but they were relieved that the final figures didn't plummet as much as feared. While Monday's average was down 27 percent, to \$68,592 from \$93,739, yesterday's average dipped just four percent, to \$87,117 from \$91,043. The median for Tuesday's session took a more substantial 15.3-percent blow, to \$63,500 from \$75,000, but that too was an improvement on Monday's 33.3-percent drop in median. A stronger day of selling Tuesday helped improve overall numbers. For the sale, 268 horses sold for an average of \$77,716 (down 15.8 percent) and a median of \$55,000 (down 26.7 percent). "We sold good horses today, and good horses brought a lot of money," said Fasig-Tipton Chairman Walt Robertson. "Unfortunately, there is a not a market for every horse. By and large, we didn't know what to expect coming in here. The way were down yesterday, it wouldn't have surprised me if today we would have been down more." Added Fasig President Boyd Browning Jr., "Once they reach \$50,000, the market is very good, which is very similar to 2008. But it took a really nice horse to get you to \$50,000. One thing that we just don't see enough of is the addition of new faces. Hopefully, we'll see some at Saratoga. But there were no dramatic new faces at this sale."

### ***What They're Saying At The Sales...***

**Frank Taylor of Taylor Made Sales Agency, which sold a Flower Alley filly for \$200,000 on Day 1 and a Medaglia d'Oro colt for \$135,000 on Day 2:**

"The market is definitely tough. We had a high percentage of our horses sold, but many of them didn't bring a lot. If you had the right horse the fit all the criteria, then they sold pretty well. I don't think that from this sale alone, you can get a full feel for what the market is, but I think Saratoga will tell a lot more."

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**FTK JULY - TUESDAY**

**Hip** **Sex** **Sire** **Dam** **Price (\$)**  
**287** **c** **Awesome Again** **Awesome Glory** **170,000**

*B-John D Gunther & John Darren Gunther (KY)*

*Consigned by Glennwood Farm Inc, agent*

*Purchased by Buzz Chace, agent*

Awesome Again stood for a fee of \$125,000 in 2007, but John D. Gunther was able to acquire then six-year-old Awesome Glory (Honour and Glory), with this colt in utero, for just \$105,000 at Keeneland November that year. The February foal--the first for his young dam--made a successful return to the sales ring yesterday. Awesome Glory produced an Empire Maker colt this year.

**361** **c** **Exchange Rate** **Exaggerate** **105,000**

*B-Robert Walsh (FL)*

*Consigned by Beth Bayer, Agent II*

*Purchased by Divine Assets Inc.*

Isidro Centeno is no stranger to the successful pinhook. The Mexican-born horseman, farm manager of Paul Sharp's Willow Creek Ranch in Williston, Florida, had a nice score with now stakes-placed Hidden Wish (Best of the Rest) in 2007, buying the filly for \$17,000 as an OBSAUG yearling in 2006 and selling her to Fox Hill Farm as an OBSAPR juvenile the following year for \$160,000. Centeno made another solid score with this colt. He signed the ticket for \$20,000 at OBSOCT 2008, just 12 days before full-sister Exe ran third in the My Dear Girl S. The grey capped off the season with a first black-type win in the Nov. 8 John Franks Juvenile Fillies Turf S. at Calder, and this year added a third in the Sweetest Chant S. at Gulfstream in January. She has earned \$151,620 to date. Centeno capitalized on that pedigree update yesterday.

**386** **c** **Candy Ride (Arg)** **Grove City** **185,000**

*B-John A O'Meara (KY)*

*Consigned by Dromoland Farm Inc, Agent II*

*Purchased by Pam & Martin Wygod*

Trade Winds Farm picked up this colt for \$47,000 as a KEENOV weanling. Candy Ride ended last year as the third-leading freshman sire, and is currently the fourth-leading sophomore sire, with first-crop representatives such as MGSWs Capt. Candyman Can and Evita Argentina and GSW and MGISP Chocolate Candy. Trade Winds sent the half to SW City Number (Polish Numbers) back through the ring here, and reaped the rewards.

**432** **f** **Harlan's Holiday** **Marfa's Squall** **280,000**

*B-Sophian Stable (KY)*

*Consigned by Gainesway, agent*

*Purchased by Winchell Thoroughbreds*

A half to MSW & GSP Western Prize (Pure Prize), this filly was acquired by Shannon Run Stables for \$115,000 as a KEENOV weanling, one of three foals bought by the operation at the sale for a total of \$490,000. The first to go back through the ring, the bay recouped 57 percent of Shannon Run's KEENOV investment.

**BRIS Speed Ratings**  
**Top Weekly Stakes Races**

Horse	Sire	Race	BRIS Speed
<b>Battle of Hastings (GB)</b>	Royal Applause (GB)	Virginia Derby-G2	<b>110</b>
<b>Careless Jewel</b>	Tapit	Delaware Oaks-G2	<b>110</b>
<b>Swift Temper</b>	Giant's Causeway	Delaware H.-G2	<b>108</b>
<b>Our Edge</b>	The Cliff's Edge	Barbaro S.-G3	<b>104</b>
<b>Fatal Bullet</b>	Red Bullet	Bold Venture S.	<b>102</b>
<b>Caprice (Ger)</b>	Monsun	Robert G. Dick Memorial H.-G3	<b>101</b>
<b>Courageous Cat</b>	Storm Cat	A Gift S.	<b>101</b>
<b>Just Jenda</b>	Menifee	Serena's Song S.	<b>101</b>
<b>All Giving</b>	Allen's Prospect	Day Lilly S.	<b>100</b>
<b>Evita Argentina</b>	Candy Ride (Arg)	A Gleam H.-G2	<b>100</b>
<b>Ide Like a Double</b>	Ide	Oak Hall S.	<b>100</b>
<b>Tribesman</b>	Tribal Rule	Sam J. Whiting Memorial H.	<b>100</b>
<b>Acting Zippy</b>	City Zip	R. R. M. Carpenter Jr. Memorial S.	<b>99</b>
<b>Black Astor</b>	Black Minnalouche	Sunset H.-G2	<b>99</b>
<b>Western Smoke</b>	Smoke Glacken	Prairie Gold Juvenile S.	<b>99</b>
<b>King of the Roxy</b>	Littleexpectations	Don Bernhardt S.	<b>98</b>
<b>Libor Lady</b>	Exchange Rate	Klassy Briefcase S.	<b>98</b>
<b>Silver Timber</b>	Prime Timber	Jaipur S.-G3	<b>98</b>
<b>Tam Lin (GB)</b>	Selkirk	Double Feint S.	<b>98</b>
<b>All of Her Twist</b>	Forest Wildcat	Dearly Precious S.	<b>97</b>
<b>Oriente Express</b>	Oriente	Omaha S.	<b>97</b>
<b>Sky Haven</b>	Sky Mesa	Caught In The Rain S.	<b>96</b>
<b>Vertical Vision</b>	Pollard's Vision	Prairie Gold Lassie S.	<b>96</b>

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**442** **c** **Tapit** **Miss Pine Top AZ.** **180,000**

*B-John A & Sue S. DeVault (FL)*

*Consigned by Warrendale Sales, agent for Whitechurch Farm*

*Purchased by Whitehall Stable, Seth Benzel, agent*

David and Anne Hanley, who handle their Whitechurch Farm in Lexington, Kentucky, with the help of just one additional employee, grabbed this colt for \$77,000 as a KEENOV weanling. From the second crop by the leading freshman sire of 2008, the chestnut was very well received in his second sales appearance.

**481** **f** **Sky Mesa** **Proud Angel** **140,000**

*B-Ron McCauley (NY)*

*Consigned by Paramount Sales, Agent VII*

*Purchased by Sagamore Farm, Bob Feld, agent*

Proud Angel (Fusaichi Pegasus), a half to millionaire Western Pride (Way West {Fr}), was well-regarded as a KESEP yearling, bringing \$410,000, but failed to fire on the track and was retired after failing to win in two starts. Ron McCauley snapped her up for just \$47,000 with this filly in utero at KEENOV 2007, and she repaid that initial investment and then some yesterday. Proud Angel produced a Speightstown filly this year. McCauley, 51, operated Toyota and Lexus dealerships in Nicholasville, Kentucky, for 14 years, and numbered Rick Pitino as one of his partners before buying 100-percent interest in the business. He sold the dealerships in 2007, then went about converting a 2000-acre farming property into the horse operation Cutaway Farm, and, in partnership with his five sons, started buying Thoroughbreds. One of his first purchases was Golden Doc A (Unusual Heat), who captured the GI Las Virgenes S. for McCauley.



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 7/18: **GUN SLINGER GIRL** - MSW AT MTH BY 2 LENGTHS

**'CIMA' NOT A CERTAIN STARTER**

Teruya Yoshida's **Cima de Triomphe (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}) is not certain to make the line-up for Saturday's G1 King George VI & Queen Elizabeth S. at Ascot, according to connections. Moved to Newmarket-based trainer Luca Cumani at the beginning of the year, last term's G1 Derby Italiano hero ran sixth in the Apr. 26 G1 Prix Ganay at Longchamp on debut for his new stable before bagging the May 28 G3 Brigadier Gerard S. at Sandown, and was a last-out fourth in the July 4 G1 Eclipse S. back at the Esher track. "We're not sure what we are going to do yet and we are still debating with the owner whether he is going to run or not," Cumani told *PA Sport*. "The horse is fine and everything has gone well since the Eclipse, but we just have to make a decision what we are going to do later in the week. If we do take our chance, the step up to a mile and a half won't be a problem, as he has always shown that would be fine for him. One always hopes he can improve as the year progresses, but obviously he needs to. If he does take his chance at the weekend, the plan would be for Christophe Lemaire to ride him again."

**Ascot Turf Now Good-to-Firm...**

Having commenced the irrigation process on Monday, Ascot's course officials are confident the current good-to-firm going will be maintained for the start of the three-day King George meet on Friday. "We have had no significant rain for several days now," said Clerk of the Course Chris Stickells. "We started watering on Monday because we had gone firm in a few places. We put 10 millimetres on the straight course and the old mile course, and this was completed mid-afternoon [Tuesday]. The forecast is for a dry day on Wednesday, then showers on Thursday and Friday, although they are not going to be heavy. The ground is good-to-firm now, and I expect to be starting the meeting on something similar on Friday."

**Beckett Hopeful for Look Here...**

Trainer Ralph Beckett, hoping for a change of luck for stable star **Look Here (GB)** (Hernando {Fr}), sees Saturday's G1 King George VI & Queen Elizabeth S. as an ideal opportunity for a change of fortune. Julian Richmond-Watson's four-year-old distaffer was beaten two noses when third in the June 5 G1 Coronation Cup at Epsom on seasonal return, and occupied the same berth in the June 27 Gr Pretty Polly S. at The Curragh last time. "They went too slow for her at The Curragh, and if she'd seen daylight she'd never have got home," explained Beckett. "It rained the night before [the Pretty Polly] and during racing, which made the ground sticky, and she just couldn't change gear out of it. I think she would be fine over a mile and a quarter if they went a good gallop, and it isn't impossible at all that she will drop back again later in the season. Sometimes you go for a race and feel you are up against it, and at The Curragh it was one of those days. It was her first time abroad, it rained, there was no gallop and, in the end, I came away delighted that she'd managed to finish third. I think the King George is the right race for her, and I feel that a mile and a half at an even clip round Ascot will see her in a good light. Obviously, the formbook tells us we can't beat Conduit, but it's a horse race and stranger things happen. We're going there hopeful."



**NEWS TODAY**

**WALK ON BYE SUPPLEMENTED FOR PHOENIX**

The Tommy Stack-trained **Walk On Bye (Ire)** (Danehill Dancer {Ire}), impressive winner of the July 12 G3 Anglesey S. at The Curragh, has been supplemented, at a cost of €25,000, for Sunday's G1 Phoenix S. back at the Co. Kildare track. The unbeaten juvenile filly received the green light to tackle the colts after pleasing connections in a workout yesterday. "She's not done much since she ran the last day, but she did a little bit of work this morning and seems okay," assistant trainer Fozzy Stack told *PA Sport*. "We'll see how she gets on taking on the boys again on Sunday." The Camas Park & Ashtown House-sponsored contest has attracted 12 entries following yesterday's forfeit stage, including five from the Aidan O'Brien stable, which will be seeking a 10th success in the last 12 years. O'Brien's team is comprised of G2 Railway S. winner **Alfred Nobel (Ire)** (Danehill Dancer {Ire}), Anglesey third **Beethoven (Ire)** (Oratorio {Ire}), Anglesey sixth **Air Chief Marshal (Ire)** (Danehill Dancer {Ire}), G3 Naas Fillies' Sprint victress **Lillie Langtry (Ire)** (Danehill Dancer {Ire}) and the maiden **Reggae Dancer (Ire)** (Rock of Gibraltar {Ire}). The Brian Meehan-trained **Radiohead (GB)** (Johannesburg), impressive winner of the June 18 G2 Norfolk S. at Royal Ascot, is the sole overseas challenger still engaged.

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SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	11	Zaungast (Ire)	Alkalde (Ger)	Hickst	132
2	4	Celtic Wolf (Fr)	Loup Solitaire	Rohaut	128
3	10	Willywell (Fr)	Jimble (Fr)	Gauvin	128
4	8	Munostal (Fr)	Munir (GB)	Laplanche	128
5	2	Full of Gold (Fr)	Gold Away (Ire)	Head-Maarek	128
6	1	Starlish (Ire)	Rock of Gibraltar (Ire)	Lellouche	128
7	6	Inestimable (GB)	Mark of Esteem (Ire)	Fabre	128
8	5	Daly Daly (Fr)	Medaaly (GB)	Laplanche	125
9	7	Sans Chichi (Fr)	Chichicastenango (Fr)	Barberot	125
10	3	Little Dreams (Fr)	Della Francesca	Rossi	118
11	9	Broken in Light (Fr)	Divine Light (Jpn)	Larriviere	118

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**FINAL JEOPARDY**

by Maryjean Wall

We can hear you humming that Jeopardy tune while you mull over this one. The category: stallions. Amount wagered: \$10,000. The clock: ticking down from two minutes. The question: other than Birdstone, which United States stallion sired two Classic winners in his first crop?

No fair looking this up, readers. You may, however, send out a lifeline, which Team B did during the well-attended Darley Flying Start Jeopardy at Keeneland last Wednesday evening. Following a barbeque supper and some serious well-wishing from guests, the 12 students in this Irish-based management training program founded by Sheikh Mohammed had split into four teams of three to test their industry knowledge. Team A had led from the start. Emcee Kenny Rice urged Team B to think hard and fast when...

Out went the lifeline to Ed Bowen, seated in the audience. Surely he would know the answer. But no, it wasn't Counterpoint. Sorry, Ed. Team B got the buzzer. A hint materialized: think back to 1890. No, Team C, the stallion was not Lexington. He died in 1875. And no, Team D, the lifeline who so confidently shouted out Hanover's name was way off the mark. This stallion stood at the famous Woodburn Farm. His name was King Alfonso.

The quiz game that Darley Flying Start organizers described as a combination of formats from Jeopardy and Who Wants to be a Millionaire was a huge success in its inaugural presentation, judging from audience reaction (and participation, when lifelines occasionally went out).

The format differed remarkably from past years, when Darley Flying Start trainees made presentations to an audience. The organizers changed the format this year. "We want to keep it fresh for the audience, because some people from the industry come every year," Tammy Masterson explained.

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**Final Jeopardy cont.**

Masterson is U.S. coordinator for the Darley Flying Start program, based at Darley-at-Jonabell Farm.

In each of the seven nations where the trainees study over the course of their two-year program, they participate in some sort of public forum, such as the one held Wednesday at Keeneland. The purpose of the forums is for the trainees to showcase their communications skills, their poise and their industry knowledge in front of industry leaders who might want to consider hiring any of them upon graduation. The seven-month term in the United States is nearing its end (up next: Australia), and the quiz game, followed by individual two-minute presentations, was the group's farewell to Kentucky.

"This is an assignment as well as a fun night," said Clodagh Kavanagh, general manager of Darley Flying Start. She flew in from Sheikh Mohammed's Kildangan Stud in Ireland for the event, as did Joe Osborne, manager of Kildangan Stud.

Everything trainees had learned during their stay in the United States was fair game for this Jeopardy game. Participants wagered with a make-believe bankroll and chose quiz categories from 10 topics: stallions, mares, racehorses, races and race courses, people, organizations, news and issues, veterinary science, Kentucky and trivia.

The questions generally received quick answers. Who is the sire born in 2000 by Unbridled out of Toussaud? Empire Maker. At which race course did Phar Lap run his last race? Agua Caliente. Who was Tiznow's top earner of 2008? Well Armed. What was the name of La Troienne's only son? Team C cast its lifeline to Pin Oak manager Clifford Barry on this one. He got Team C back in the game with the correct answer, Bimelech.

The No. 1 brain twister of the evening was the veterinary category that Team B picked for \$10,000: What is the bacterium responsible for proliferative enteropathy? Team B sent out a lifeline to the audience. "Hold on, we're googling it," said Dr. William Fishback Jr. as he pounded away on his Blackberry--to much laughter from contestants and audience. The answer: Lawsonia intracellularis. A tongue-twister as well as a brain teaser.

Following the quiz game, participants drew their two-minute presentation topics from a Darley cap: bowed tendons, the role of stewards in U. S. racing, Storm Cat's stallion career, social networking web sites and their role in marketing racing, Danzig as a sire of sires in America, a short history of Calumet Farm, Wesley Ward, American steeplechase racing, D. Wayne Lukas and the Breeders' Cup, the future of racing in California, predictions for the U.S. yearling sale market in 2009, and--surely this was a gag but it wasn't--a short history of emcee Kenny Rice.

The 12 topics had been randomly selected for the trainees from a list of 18 possible topics they had been given 24 hours previously. Audience members used clickers to vote on the quality of the individual presentations. Once again, Team A emerged the winner. Meagan Jamieson of Australia, P.J. Anthony of Kentucky and Gary King of Ireland constituted Team A.

"I love working with the students because they're fresh minds," said longtime Kentucky horseman John Williams. "When you get questions, sometimes they're a little bit challenging for me. These people are the crème de la crème."

Sheikh Mohammed founded Darley Flying Start in 2003, and graduates are employed in the horse industry in Australia, Dubai, the United States, the United Kingdom, and Ireland. The Sheikh's vision in founding the program was to provide young people committed to leadership in the horse industry an opportunity to train at the highest level. A working winter in Dubai will follow some four months spent in Australia, with the group returning next April to its starting point in Ireland. Graduation will take place in July 2010.

"It's not a vacation and it's not a walk-through," said Team A's P.J. Anthony. Anthony's father is a broodmare manager, and he wanted to be a jockey when he was five years old, but "that dream was gone when I was 8." He's now six-foot-two. Before his acceptance into Darley Flying Start, he graduated with a bachelor's degree in equine administration from the University of Louisville.

Besides Anthony, Jamieson, and King, the group includes Billy Ajello, Kentucky; Michael Buckley, Ireland; Bill Wong, Hong Kong; Chance Timm, Utah; Jimmy Unwala, India; Charlie Vaughan-Fowler, United Kingdom; Sorrel Schoenberger, Canada; Melanie Sauer, Germany, and Brian McGrath, Australia.

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# TDN INSTA-TISTICS - Leading Sires by 2009 Yearling Average

Rank by Average	Fyr	Loc	2009 Yearling Sales						2008 Yearling Sales			
			Ring	Sold	Average	Median	Top Colt	Top Filly	Sold	Average	Median	
1	BIRDSTONE	F06	KY	1	1	\$ 400,000	\$ 400,000	\$ 400,000	\$ -	7	\$ 29,166	\$ 15,000
2	ROCK HARD TEN	F07	KY	2	2	275,000	275,000	-	350,000	45	151,111	100,000
3	BERNARDINI	F08	KY	2	2	250,000	250,000	350,000	-	0	--	--
4	MEDAGLIA D'ORO	F06	KY	8	7	242,142	250,000	310,000	425,000	45	144,555	95,000
5	DISTORTED HUMOR	F00	KY	2	1	225,000	225,000	225,000	-	33	416,220	381,264
5	UNBRIDLED'S SONG	F98	KY	1	1	225,000	225,000	225,000	-	44	356,931	317,500
7	INDIAN CHARLIE	F90	KY	2	1	180,000	180,000	-	180,000	51	139,218	102,648
8	ROYAL ACADEMY	F92	AU	1	1	160,000	160,000	160,000	-	18	58,834	45,000
9	SOUTHERN IMAGE	F07	KY	2	1	150,000	150,000	150,000	-	30	37,831	25,000
10	SPEIGHTSTOWN	F06	KY	11	6	144,166	120,000	335,000	80,000	46	141,576	112,500
11	MALIBU MOON	F01	KY	5	3	140,000	130,000	80,000	210,000	54	88,916	68,500
12	SMART STRIKE	F98	KY	1	1	130,000	130,000	130,000	-	31	219,814	182,059
13	HENNY HUGHES	F08	KY	7	4	123,750	117,500	200,000	160,000	0	--	--
14	HARLAN'S HOLIDAY	F05	KY	7	5	121,800	82,000	120,000	280,000	44	96,745	67,500
15	ROCKPORT HARBOR	F08	KY	14	7	115,000	110,000	210,000	140,000	0	--	--
17	STORMY ATLANTIC	F00	KY	6	3	100,000	50,000	50,000	230,000	62	59,866	41,000
17	MACHO UNO	F05	KY	2	2	100,000	100,000	50,000	150,000	35	71,980	40,000
17	DYNAFORMER	F91	KY	1	1	100,000	100,000	100,000	-	30	310,187	300,000
17	BLUEGRASS CAT	F08	KY	3	1	100,000	100,000	-	100,000	0	--	--
21	AWESOME AGAIN	F00	KY	3	3	98,333	100,000	170,000	25,000	24	104,270	47,500
22	KAFWAIN	F05	KY	1	1	95,000	95,000	95,000	-	42	13,871	7,750
22	MR. GREELEY	F97	KY	3	1	95,000	95,000	-	95,000	72	247,731	205,000
24	TAPIT	F06	KY	21	15	93,600	62,000	210,000	220,000	36	52,250	37,000
25	CONGRATS	F08	FL	6	4	93,000	86,000	50,000	150,000	0	--	--
26	SKY MESA	F05	KY	8	7	92,857	80,000	130,000	140,000	45	42,976	25,255
27	EL PRADO (IRE)	F94	KY	2	2	90,000	90,000	-	140,000	20	148,625	42,500
28	FLOWER ALLEY	F08	KY	7	6	88,666	68,500	150,000	200,000	0	--	--
29	LION HEART	F06	KY	3	1	85,000	85,000	85,000	-	56	79,622	55,000
30	WAR FRONT	F08	KY	6	4	83,750	66,500	180,000	93,000	0	--	--
31	GRAND SLAM	F00	KY	7	4	82,500	92,500	100,000	100,000	50	90,027	65,515
32	BELLAMY ROAD	F08	KY	4	4	81,250	87,500	120,000	125,000	0	--	--
33	CANDY RIDE (ARG)	F06	KY	3	3	80,833	50,000	185,000	-	13	15,794	7,700
34	PROUD CITIZEN	F05	KY	5	2	80,500	80,500	11,000	150,000	26	86,535	56,000
35	SILVER TRAIN	F08	KY	16	10	78,700	70,000	130,000	150,000	0	--	--
36	TOUCH GOLD	F00	KY	6	4	75,500	65,000	50,000	150,000	25	35,212	16,000
37	STAR DABBLER	F08	KY	1	1	75,000	75,000	75,000	-	0	--	--
38	EXCHANGE RATE	F03	KY	3	2	74,500	74,500	105,000	-	24	76,916	35,000
39	ARTIE SCHILLER	F08	KY	4	4	73,750	72,500	100,000	50,000	0	--	--
40	DA STOOPS	F08	KY	1	1	72,000	72,000	72,000	-	0	--	--
41	INCLUDE	F04	KY	4	4	71,250	60,000	40,000	150,000	31	29,313	17,000
42	BANDINI	F08	KY	5	3	70,666	67,000	25,000	120,000	0	--	--
43	A. P. WARRIOR	F08	KY	3	3	70,000	85,000	115,000	10,000	0	--	--
43	JOHANNESBURG	F04	KY	2	2	70,000	70,000	100,000	-	61	95,208	80,000
45	SONGANDAPRAYER	F03	KY	4	2	67,500	67,500	100,000	35,000	67	90,208	70,000
46	SUCCESSFUL APPEAL	F01	KY	4	2	65,000	65,000	-	80,000	35	61,591	50,000
46	SILVER DEPUTY	F90	KY	2	1	65,000	65,000	65,000	-	25	74,600	60,000
48	LIMEHOUSE	F07	KY	3	2	61,500	61,500	100,000	-	59	42,872	35,000
49	ROMAN RULER	F07	KY	3	2	60,000	60,000	20,000	100,000	82	61,741	41,000
49	MORE THAN READY	F02	KY	5	2	60,000	60,000	-	60,000	60	109,593	92,500
49	POSSE	F05	KY	3	2	60,000	60,000	60,000	60,000	46	37,006	24,500
49	COZZENE	F87	KY	1	1	60,000	60,000	60,000	-	17	84,605	60,000

Sales reflected in this report: BBAG Spring Sale, Fasig-Tipton Kentucky Summer, Tattersalls July Sale



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		2009 Yearling Sales, Freshman Only						
Rank by Average	Loc	Ring	Sold	Average	Median	Top Colt	Top Filly	
1	BERNARDINI	KY	2	2	\$250,000	\$250,000	\$ 350,000	\$ -
2	HENNY HUGHES	KY	7	4	123,750	117,500	200,000	160,000
3	ROCKPORT HARBOR	KY	14	7	115,000	110,000	210,000	140,000
4	BLUEGRASS CAT	KY	3	1	100,000	100,000	-	100,000
5	CONGRATS	FL	6	4	93,000	86,000	50,000	150,000
6	FLOWER ALLEY	KY	7	6	88,666	68,500	150,000	200,000
7	WAR FRONT	KY	6	4	83,750	66,500	180,000	93,000
8	BELLAMY ROAD	KY	4	4	81,250	87,500	120,000	125,000
9	SILVER TRAIN	KY	16	10	78,700	70,000	130,000	150,000
10	STAR DABBLER	KY	1	1	75,000	75,000	75,000	-
11	ARTIE SCHILLER	KY	4	4	73,750	72,500	100,000	50,000
12	DA STOOPS	KY	1	1	72,000	72,000	72,000	-
13	BANDINI	KY	5	3	70,666	67,000	25,000	120,000
14	A. P. WARRIOR	KY	3	3	70,000	85,000	115,000	10,000
15	FIRST SAMURAI	KY	3	2	52,500	52,500	75,000	-
16	WITH DISTINCTION	FL	4	3	50,000	55,000	70,000	-
17	BADGE OF SILVER	KY	8	5	44,500	35,000	85,000	35,000
18	SUAVE	KY	6	3	44,333	30,000	18,000	85,000
19	ARAGORN (IRE)	KY	3	2	42,500	42,500	-	70,000
20	IT'S NO JOKE	KY	2	1	40,000	40,000	40,000	-
21	SHARP HUMOR	KY	5	2	39,500	39,500	-	45,000
22	POMEROY	FL	5	4	38,750	35,000	70,000	15,000
23	UNBRIDLED ENERGY	KY	3	2	27,500	27,500	30,000	-
24	BORREGO	KY	3	2	23,000	23,000	30,000	16,000
25	DON'T GET MAD	KY	2	2	20,000	20,000	25,000	-
26	FOREST GROVE	KY	1	1	10,000	10,000	10,000	-
27	HURRICANE RUN (IRE)	IRE	1	1	7,123	7,123	7,123	-

Sales reflected in this report: BBAG Spring Sale, Fasig-Tipton Kentucky Summer, Tattersalls July Sale



 **NORTH AMERICA** 

**DUTROW GRANTED STAY** Trainer Richard Dutrow Jr. was yesterday granted a stay of the 30-day suspension recently handed down by the Kentucky Horse

Racing Commission. The stay was issued by the Franklin Circuit Court in Frankfort, Kentucky in response to an appeal filed last week by Dutrow and his lawyer, Frank Becker. The case revolves around Salute the Count (Count the Time), who ran second for Dutrow in the GIII Aegon Turf Sprint at Churchill in May of 2008, but later tested positive for an




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overage of the drug clenbuterol, a bronchial dilator. Dutrow was initially dealt a 15-day suspension by Kentucky stewards, but the racing commission voted by a 6-to-5 margin to double the suspension, citing concerns that Dutrow had "flagrantly worked the system," said commission executive director Lisa Underwood.

**OBS CATALOGUES 1,151 FOR AUGUST SALE**



The Ocala Breeders' Sales Company has catalogued a total of 1,151 youngsters for the August Yearling Sale, which will take place Aug. 24-27 at the auction house's complex in Ocala, Florida. The sale will kick off with a select session of 200 yearlings, followed by three open sessions. Selling will begin each day at 10:30 a.m. For more information, go to [www.obssales.com](http://www.obssales.com).

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5:32p **2nd-DMR, \$51K, Msw, 3yo, 6f (AWT)**  
TVG Pegram, Watson and Weitman's **STUCK ON GO (Najran)**, a \$400K OBSMAR graduate, begins his career. The gray, trained by Bob Baffert, fired a five-furlong bullet in :58 4/5 at Santa Anita July 10. [brisnet.com](http://brisnet.com) pps

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**Yesterday's Results:**

**7th-PHA, \$45,042, Alw, NW1X, 3yo/up, 7f, 1:23 1/5, sy.**

**RITZY JONES (c, 3, [Smarty Jones](#)--So Ritzy, by Darn That Alarm)**, a half-brother to Silver Wagon (Wagon Limit), MGISW, \$1,162,193, graduated by six lengths in the Philly slop Apr. 11, then finished fourth in his next two attempts May 22 and July 4. Third through a half-mile in :45.78, the 7-1 chance rallied to take the lead in the stretch and drew off to win it by 3 3/4 lengths. In Speight of It (Speightstown) completed the exacta. The victor is also a half to Rehoboth (Wagon Limit), MSW & MGSP, \$542,290; and So Glitzy (Gilded Time), GSP, \$179,405. Sales history: \$350,000 wlng '06 KEENOV; \$350,000 RNA yrl '07 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 6-2-1-0, \$63,800. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O-Robert Clay & Patricia L Chapman. B-Mr & Mrs Leverett Miller & Patricia L Chapman (FL). T-John C Servis.

★ **NEW YORK** ★


**Yesterday's Results:**

**4th-FLX, \$20,000, Msw, 2yo, f, 5f, 1:00 4/5, ft.**

**FRESH FOOTNOTES (f, 2, [Read the Footnotes--My Colors](#), by D'Accord)** reported home a well-beaten third while facing Empire-breds in her Belmont debut June 24. Favored at 6-5 this time, she stalked the early leader from second, hit the front in the stretch and had 3/4 of a length on Waylady (Wheelaway) at the wire. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$16,100. [Click for the brisnet.com chart.](#)

O/T-Timothy Ritvo. B-Anthony Grey (NY).

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**BLACK-TYPE STAKES CLOSINGS**   
**TOMORROW, THURSDAY, JULY 23:**  
08-01 \$150,000 *San Clemente H.-II, Dmr, 3yo, f, 8fT (150)*  
08-02 \$250,000 *San Diego H.-II, Dmr, 3yo/up, 8.5f (AWT) (150)*  
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## ★ DEL MAR ★

Wednesday, Del Mar, post time: 5:42 p.m. PT  
**OCEANSIDE S.**, \$100,000, (R), 3yo, 1mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	Herr Mozart	Mr. Greeley	Baffert	121
2	Lesson in Deceit	Roaring Fever	G Stevens	121
3	Rendezvous	Victory Gallop	Hollendorfer	119
4	Azul Leon	Lion Heart	O'Neill	119
5	Flashmans Papers (GB)	Exceed And Excel (Aus)	O'Neill	121
6	Mark S the Cooler	Johar	O'Neill	121
7	Gretsky	Toccet	Drysdale	117
8	Afleet Eagle	Northern Afleet	Cerin	121
9	Meteore	Pulpit	Mandella	121
10	Backbackbackgone	Put It Back	Miller	119

Also Eligible:

11	Position A	Aldebaran	Mandella	117
12	Nashoba Express	In Excess (Ire)	Gaines	117
13	Dream Now	Medaglia d'Oro	Canani	117
14	Rainbow Goose	Mongoose	Carava	117

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## ★ AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS ★

**IN BRITAIN:**

Evna, f, 3, **Grand Slam**. See "Breeders' Edition Europe."

**Splinter Cell**, c, 3, **Johannesburg**--Rock Salt (GB),  
 by Selkirk. Beverley, 7-20, Hcp, 3yo, 1m 100ydsT.  
 B-Old Carhue Stud. \*\$145,000 RNA wnlg '06  
 KEENOV; 25,000gns yrl '07 TATDEC.

### ☆ TRACK OPENING ☆

**DEL MAR - Del Mar, CA**

**Opens: Wednesday, July 22**

**Closes: Wednesday, Sept. 9**

**Racing Days: Wednesday-Sunday**

**Post Time: 2 p.m. • 3 p.m.-Friday**

**Stakes Schedule: 31 stakes worth \$6.95 million.**

**Highlights: \$350,000 GI Eddie Read S.-July 25**

• **\$300,000 GI Bing Crosby S.-Aug. 8** •

**\$300,000 GI Clement Hirsch S.-Aug. 9** •

**\$350,000 GI John C Mabee S.-Aug. 16** •

**\$350,000 GI Del Mar Oaks-Aug. 22** • **\$300,000**

**GI Darley Debutante-Sept. 5** • **\$300,000 GI**

**Pat O'Brien S.-Sept. 6** • **\$350,000 GI Del Mar**

**Derby-Sept. 6** • **\$1-million GI Pacific Classic-**

**Sept. 6** • **\$300,000 GI Del Mar Futurity-**

**Sept. 7**

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American-Bred Winners cont.

**IN ARGENTINA:**

+ **Candy's Daughter**, f, 3, **Candy Ride (Arg)**--Italian Riviera, by Cozzene. Palermo, 7-20, Mdn, 1400m, 1:21.23. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$28,000. O-Ojos Claros; B-Eagle Valley Farms (KY); T-Roberto D Lopez. \*\$12,000 yrl '07 KEESEP. \*\*Having competed in unofficial races in Cordova, the bay filly became her sire's first winner in Argentina here. She was sent off as the 2-1 favorite and crushed her eight rivals by nine lengths.



**First-crop starters to watch: Wednesday, July 22**

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

**DEPUTY RUMMY** (French Deputy), 7/0/0

1-CT, Msw, 4 1/2f, +DancefortheDeputy, 10-1

**GRAND REWARD** (Storm Cat), Hill 'n' Dale, \$13K, 132/1/0

3-SOL, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Great Aunt Nora, \$13K BAR JAN yrl, 3-1

**PURGE** (Pulpit), Vinery, \$20K, 134/0/0

4-BEL, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Refined Elegance, \$100K FTK JUL yrl, 5-1

**SAINT LIAM** (Saint Ballado), Lane's End, Dead, 98/3/0

6-BEL, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Feather Nestin', \$67K FTK JUL yrl, 20-1

**First/Second-crop starters to watch: Wednesday, July 22**

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

**JOHAR** (Gone West), Mill Ridge, \$20K, 105/23/1

8-DMR, Stk, 1mT, Mark S the Cooler, \$52K BAR MAR 2yo

**LION HEART** (Tale of the Cat), Ashford, \$30K, 289/71/6

8-DMR, Stk, 1mT, Azul Leon

**MEDAGLIA D'ORO** (El Prado {Ire}), Stonewall, \$35K, 251/50/9

8-DMR, Stk, 1mT, Dream Now, \$80K GOF ORB yrl

**ROARING FEVER** (Storm Cat), Questroyal, \$5K, 100/18/1

8-DMR, Stk, 1mT, Lesson in Deceit

4-BEL, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Sky Fever, 30-1

6-BEL, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Hear Her Roar, \$3K FTN OPN yrl, 30-1

**SPANISH STEPS** (Unbridled), Martin Stables, \$5K, 104/25/0

1-CT, Msw, 4 1/2f, +Spanish Vow, 12-1

**STRONG HOPE** (Grand Slam), Claiborne, \$30K, 176/26/1

3-SOL, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Dark Dolores, \$47K BAR MAR 2yo, 6-1

**TETON FOREST** (Forestry), Spendthrift, \$5K, 103/11/0

3-SOL, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Miss Forest, 5-1

**TOCCET** (Awesome Again), Castleton Lyons, \$15K, 158/46/2

8-DMR, Stk, 1mT, Gretsky, \$19K KEE SEP yrl

**WHERE'S THE RING** (Seeking the Gold), Gardiner, \$4K, 111/19/2

3-WO, Stk, 7fT, Cawaja Beach, 2-1

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### 495 CATALOGUED FOR DBS ST. LEGER

Doncaster Bloodstock Sales officials announced that 495 youngsters have been catalogued for the St. Leger Yearling Sales, which will take place Aug. 25-26. All of the graduates will be eligible for the 2010 DBS £300,000 St. Leger Yearling S. at York, and this year's auction will also be the first opportunity to secure an eligible offering for the Racing Post Yearling Bonus, which will offer owners a £10,000 bonus when an eligible yearling breaks its maiden in a selected race. Recent graduates of the St. Leger Sale include the last three heroes of the G1 Prix Morny: Dutch Art (GB) (Medicean {GB}), Myboycharlie (Ire) (Danetime {Ire}) and Bushranger (Ire) (Danetime {Ire}). Among the first-crop sires slated to be represented are Ad Valorem (Danzig), Aussie Rules (Danehill), Byron (GB) (Green Desert), Cacique (Ire) (Danehill), Diamond Green (Fr) (Green Desert), Goodricke (GB) (Bahamian Bounty {GB}), Holy Roman Emperor (Ire) (Danehill), Iceman (GB) (Polar Falcon), Iffraaj (GB) (Zafonic), Ivan Denisovich (Ire) (Danehill), Shirocco (Ger) (Monsun {Ger}) and Sleeping Indian (GB) (Indian Ridge {Ire}). "We are delighted with the quality of yearlings that we have catalogued in 2009," said DBS Managing Director Henry Beeby. "The standard of horses has improved again, and we are thrilled that vendors have chosen to sell some of their better yearlings at this sale, which is universally recognised as a proven source of Group 1 success and attracts the very best owners, trainers and agents from throughout England, Ireland and further afield." He added, "The standard of the catalogue is unmatched and reflects the racecourse results that we have achieved in recent years. Champion two-year-olds, Royal Ascot winners, Classic winners and future stallions have all been bought at this sale, and we are confident that buyers will find more of the same at the St. Leger Yearling Sales in 2009, whilst this is one of only two chances to buy a horse eligible for the DBS £300,000 St. Leger Yearling S." Catalogues are available on-line at [www.dbsauctions.com](http://www.dbsauctions.com).

**REGGANE POINTS TO DEAUVILLE** Haras de la Perelle's homebred sophomore **Reggane (GB)** (Red Ransom), runner-up in the June 19 G1 Coronation S. at Royal Ascot, will attempt to go one better when tackling the Aug. 2 G1 Prix Rothschild at Deauville. "All being well she is going to Deauville," trainer Alain de Royer-Dupre told *PA Sport*. "We were very happy with her run at Ascot and the filly that beat her that day [Ghanaati] has great class for sure. I have been very happy with her since then, and she is still improving."



**2.00 Lingfield, Mdn, £3,500, 2yo, 7f (AWT)**  
**DROMORE (IRE) (Traditionally)**, a half-brother to MGISW Storming Home (GB) (Machiavellian), represents the Andrew Balding stable against 10 rivals in this racecourse bow.

**6.25 Naas, Mdn, €15,500, 2yo, 5fT**  
**AFRICAN CAT (Storm Cat)**, a full-brother to former Ballydoyle incumbent One Cool Cat, bids to improve on a debut 10th at The Curragh last month. He faces nine rivals in this second outing, including stablemate **Finest Artisan (Ire) (Storm Cat)**, who is a half-brother to the 2005 G1 Moyglare Stud S. and G1 Prix Marcel Boussac heroine Rumpelstiltskin (Ire) (Danehill).

**7.05 Sandown, Mdn, £8,000, 2yo, 7f 16ydsT**  
**HIGH TWELVE (IRE) (Montjeu (Ire))**, a son of the 2003 G2 Prix Robert Papin heroine and G1 Prix Morny second Much Faster (Ire) (Fasliyev), will carry the Thomas Barr silks for this career opener. Opposition includes the John Dunlop-trained **Phonic (Ire) (Green Tune)**, who is out of a half-sister to G1 Breeders' Cup Mile victress Goldikova (Ire) (Anabaa).

**7.30 Naas, Mdn, €15,500, 2yo, c/g, 1mT**  
**AWAIT THE DAWN (Giant's Causeway)** is a half-brother to the 2007 G1 Criterium de Saint-Cloud third Putney Bridge (Mizzen Mast) and is the choice of stable jockey Johnny Murtagh for this opening show. Among his rivals are fellow Aidan O'Brien trainee **Banyan Tree (Ire) (Danehill Dancer (Ire))**, who is a son of the triple Classic winner User Friendly (GB) (Slip Anchor {GB}); and the Jim Bolger-trained **Reiteration (Vindication)**, who is a half-brother to the 2007 G1 Acorn S. heroine Cotton Blossom (Broken Vow).

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**ARC VISION FOR D'ETAT** Jacques Detre and Mme Eric Libaud's **Vision d'Etat (Fr)** (Chichicastenango {Fr}), who lost his unbeaten record in last term's G1 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe, will seek redemption in this season's renewal back at Longchamp Oct. 4, according to trainer Eric Libaud. Last year's G1 Prix du Jockey-Club hero has confirmed his continued well-being with victories in the Apr. 26 G1 Prix Ganay at Longchamp and the June 17 G1 Prince of Wales's S. at Royal Ascot, and will use the Sept. 13 G2 Prix Foy, over the Arc course and distance, as preparation for his ultimate goal. "He came out of his race at Ascot very well and the plan is for him to run in the Prix Foy at Longchamp," Libaud told *PA Sport*. "That is a good preparation race for the Arc, and then he will run in the Arc itself. We were thrilled to see him win at the Royal meeting and he could still be improving. He is certainly a much tougher horse as a four-year-old than he was as a three-year-old, and that is always important for a race like the Arc. He is not bothered by any going, as he has won on heavy ground and firm ground. He won the [G2] Prix Niel on quite fast going last season and it was very soft when he won a small race at Fontainebleau, so that is not a problem for him."

★ BRITAIN ★

**NATIONAL HERO PARTY POLITICS PUT DOWN**

The 1992 Grand National victor **Party Politics (GB)** (Politico) was euthanized due to the infirmities of old age at Cheveley Park Stud. Owned by Mrs. David Thompson, the 25-year-old had resided at the nursery since his retirement in 1996. In addition to his 1992 success at Aintree, the dark bay was second in the 1995 renewal, and was also going well in 1993 before the race was infamously declared void. "We are very sad to lose Party Politics; he would not have enjoyed such a long and happy retirement without the T.L.C. he received from the team at Cheveley Park Stud," said Mrs. Thompson. "We will always remember the excitement of Grand National Day in 1992--and indeed his very creditable second in 1995--as one of the major experiences of our racing ownership."

**Yesterday's Results:**

**Ffos Las, 14.30, Mdn, £7,500, 2yo, 6fT, 1:11.14, gd.**  
**OUR DREAM QUEEN (GB)** (f, 2, **Oasis Dream {GB}**--**Our Queen of Kings {GB}**, by **Arazi**), fifth at Haydock last time May 9, raced in a handy fifth for most of this third attempt. Short of room when attempting to make her bid with 1 1/2 furlongs to go, the 10-11 chalk quickened to the front once in the clear passing the furlong marker and was ridden out in the closing stages to score by 1 1/4 lengths from **Going French (Ire)** (**Frenchmans Bay {Fr}**). The bay filly is a half-sister to **Spinning Queen (GB)** (**Spinning World**), G1SW-GB & GSW-Ire, \$396,739, who set a record when she sold for 3-million guineas at TATDEC in 2006. [Video, courtesy attheraces.com](http://www.attheraces.com). Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-1, £5,627. O-Lady Richard Wellesley; B-Marston Stud & Fleming Thoroughbreds; T-Barry Hills.

★ FRANCE ★

**Wednesday, Vichy, post time: 7:55 p.m.**

**PRIX DES REVES D'OR - JACQUES BOUCHARA-Listed, €55,000, 2yo, 5fT**

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	4	Kolokol (Ire)	Statue of Liberty	Prod'homme	126
2	10	Constant Lover (Ire)	King's Best	Rob Collet	126
3	2	Johnnymetomamie (Fr)	One Cool Cat	Rob Collet	126
4	6	Absolute Music	Consolidator	Cowell	122
5	7	Calina Salsa (Fr)	Kingsalsa	Rossi	122
6	3	Kelty in Love (Fr)	Keltos (Fr)	Larriviere	122
7	1	Coriante (Fr)	Indian Rocket (GB)	Boutin	122
8	5	Xaarienne (GB)	Xaar (GB)	Pantall	122
9	8	Theza Bere (Fr)	High Yield	Boisnard	122
10	9	Around Me (Ire)	Johannesburg	Rob Collet	122

**Yesterday's Results:**

**Vichy, 16.25, Mdn, €21,000, 3yo, f, 1 1/2mT, 2:34.85, sf.**

**THIS EVENING (FR)** (f, 3, **High Chaparral {Ire}**--**Star of Akkar {GB}** {**MGSW & G1SP-Fr, \$338,850**}, by **Distant Relative {Ire}**), runner-up at La Teste de Buch last time June 26, was restrained off the pace in eighth after a smart break here. Taking closer order off the home turn, the 13-2 chance angled outside to challenge approaching the final furlong and was driven out late to deny **Shemiyla (Fr)** (**Dalakhani {Ire}**) by a head in the bobber. Lifetime Record: 3 starts, 1 win, 1 place, €13,300.

O/B-Marquise de Moratalla; T-Carole Dufreche.



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**Vichy, 15.55, Mdn, €21,000, 3yo, c/g, 1 1/2mT, 2:35.58, sf.**

**CAPELLANUS (IRE) (c, 3, Montjeu {Ire}--Secret Dream {Ire}, by Zafonic),** went off as the 2-5 pick coming back from a June 30 fourth at Compiègne and raced prominently from the outset of this one. Taking a slender advantage into the home straight, the 520,000gns TATOCT yearling was shaken up with 350 meters to go and stayed on well under urging in the closing stages to best Lonado (Fr) (Lando {Ger}) by a length. The winner, a grandson of G1 1000 Guineas heroine Sleepytime (Ire) (Royal Academy), is a half-brother to Splash Mountain (Ire) (Peintre Celebre), GSP-Ger. Lifetime Record: 4 starts, 1 win, 3 places, €27,000.

O-Michael Tabor; B-Charles H Wacker III; T-Andre Fabre.



**Monday, Morioka, Japan**

**MERCURY CUP-Listed, ¥37,500,000, 7-20, Morioka, 3yo/up, 2000m, 2:04, gd.**

**1--MAKOTO SPARVIERO (JPN), 123, h, 5, Brian's Time--Makoto Shunrei (Jpn), by Lindo Shaver.**

O-Akira Makabe; B-Shigeo Deguchi (JPN); T-Ippo Sameshima; J-Katsumi Ando; ¥25,000,000. Lifetime Record: 26-6-3-6, \$2,209,284.

**2--Smart Falcon (Jpn), 127, c, 4, Gold Allure (Jpn)--Keishu Herb (Jpn), by Mississippian.** O-Toru Okawa; B-Okada Stud (JPN).

**3--Saqalat (Jpn), 127, h, 9, Afleet--Scarlet Lady (Jpn), by Sunday Silence.** O-Sunday Racing; B-Northern Farm (JPN).

Margins: 4, NK, 1. Odds: 4.40, 1.10, 58.10.

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**ALLOWANCE RESULTS:**

**9th-PHA, \$59,550, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000), NW3X, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:08 3/5, sy.**

**WHISTLE PIG (g, 5, Patton--Yanni's Girl, by Commadore C.)** Lifetime Record: MSW, 35-12-7-7, \$587,166. O-HACK Stable. B-Elizabeth R Houghton (PA). T-Andrew B Carter.

**8th-DEL, \$44,000, Opt. Clm. (\$65,000), C, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10 1/5, ft.**

**ON THE VINEYARD (h, 5, Lite the Fuse--Princess Aloha, by Aloha Prospector)** Lifetime Record: MSW, 15-6-1-0, \$161,047. O/B/T-Lynne M Scace (FL). \*1/2 to Vineyard Haven (Lido Palace {Chi}), MGISW, \$419,000.

**6th-DEL, \$42,050, Opt. Clm. (\$35,000), NW2X, 3yo/up, 1m70yT, 1:40, fm.**

**OUT AT NIGHT (g, 3, Aptitude--Oldcourt Rose, by Mining)** Lifetime Record: 9-4-2-1, \$78,620. O-Ralls & Foster LLC & Smith Ridge Stables. B-John O'Neill (KY). T-Randy Martin. \*\$32,000 yrl '07 FTKJUL.

**6th-CNL, \$26,000, 7-20, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000), C, 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:39 2/5, sf.**

**BEAU'S TRIP (m, 7, Valley Crossing--Lady Beaumont {SW, \$104,285}, by Lord Gaylord)** Lifetime Record: MSP, 23-4-1-1, \$144,200. O/B-Mrs J W Y Martin Jr (MD). T-Rodney Jenkins. \*1/2 to First Arrival (Deputed Testamony), SW, \$239,386.

**9th-MNR, \$22,400, 7-20, NW2L, 3yo/up, 1m70y, 1:43 2/5, ft.**

**BK'S CLEARANCEISLE (h, 5, Cryptoclearance--Ocean Isle, by Dynaformer)** Lifetime Record: 25-2-3-6, \$84,464. O/B-Robert Boerner (KY). T-Michael R Thompson.

**3rd-MNR, \$22,400, 7-20, NW2L, 3yo/up, 5fT, :57, fm.**

**BRAVE ART D'OR (g, 4, Artax--Peach d'Or, by Lion d'Or)** Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-1, \$28,580. O/B-Sunset Haven Farm (KY). T-Michael C Pappada.

**8th-FLX, \$22,200, NW1BX, (S), 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:47, ft.**

**TAKMEOUTODABALGAME (g, 5, Take Me Out--Vivaling, by Explodent)** Lifetime Record: 29-4-9-4, \$107,132. O/B-Edition Farm (NY). T-Jonathan B Buckley.

**ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**

**Crack of Dawn, f, 3, Read the Footnotes--Trick Again,** by Favorite Trick. DEL, 7-21, 1 1/16mT, 1:43. B-Gallery Stables (KY).

**Record High, f, 3, Touch Gold--Slumber Party, by Smart Strike.** PHA, 7-21, 1 1/16m (off turf), 1:47 1/5. B-Adena Springs (ON). \*\$60,000 2yo '08 ADNMAR.

**Christmas Spirit, m, 5, Ball's Bluff--Christmas Magic, by Chromite.** CNL, 7-20, (S), 1mT, 1:41. B-Virginia Tech Foundation Inc (VA).

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CALDER  
YOU AND I FOREVER (A.P. Indy), 4f, :51.60, 27/31

SANTA ANITA  
DAWN BEFORE DAWN (High Yield), 7f, 1:26.80, 1/2

DEL MAR  
CROWN OF THORNS (Repent), 6f, 1:12.60, 1/9  
MAGNUM (ARG) (El Compinche {Arg}), 4f, :47.20, 3/45  
S.S. STONE (Birdstone), 3f, :36.40, 7/17



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**IN ARGENTINA:**

**La Severa (Arg)**, f, 3, **Thunder Gulch**--Firm Reality, by Roy. Palermo, 7-20, Cond, 8f, 1:34.08. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0. O/B-De La Pomme; T-Juan Carlos Etchechoury Jr.

**IN CHILE:**

**Western Union (Chi)**, c, 3, **Stormin Fever**--Wisana (Chi), by Hussonet. Club Hipico de Santiago, 7-20, Cond, 1300mT, 1:16.31. Lifetime Record: 2-0-0-0. O/B-Stud Haras Don Alberto; T-Antonio Abarca.

**BREEDERS' EDITION EUROPE**

**CONDITIONS RESULTS:**

**FRANCE, Mont de Marsan, 10.45**, 7-20, €25,000, 3yo, 1 1/4mT, 2:15.00, sf.

**GREYLADY (FR)** (f, 3, **Poliglote {GB}**--**Lady Stella {Fr}**, by **Shining Steel {GB}**) Lifetime Record: 4 starts, 3 wins, 1 place, €30,000. O-Sebastien Lauray & Pierre Beziat; B-Philippe Thirionet; T-Jean-Claude Rouget.

**FRANCE, Mont de Marsan, 9.45**, 7-20, €24,000, 3yo, 7fT, 1:28.00, sf.

**BAINORAMA (FR)** (f, 3, **Anabaa**--**Lake Baino {GB}**) **{SP-Fr}**, by **Highest Honor {Fr}**) Lifetime Record: 5 starts, 2 wins, 2 places, €22,650. O-Ecurie I M Fares; B-Haras de Manneville; T-Jean-Claude Rouget.

**FRANCE, Vichy, 16.55 (Lady Riders)**, €21,000, 4yo/up, 1 1/2mT, 2:33.19, sf.

**BELLA IDA (FR)** (m, 5, **Hernando {Fr}**--**Bayourida {SW & GSP-Fr}**, by **Slew O' Gold**) Lifetime Record: 6 starts, 2 wins, 3 places, €35,100. O-Mme Robert G Ehrnrooth; B-Haras de Bourgeauville; T-John Hammond. \*1/2 to Bee Charmer (Ire) (Anabaa), GSP-US, \$148,409; and Telluride (GB) (Montjeu {Ire}), GSP-Fr.

**BRITAIN, Southwell, 19.50**, £6,000, 2yo, 6f (AWT), 1:15.80, stn.

**VIRGINIA HALL (GB)** (f, 2, **Medicean {GB}**--**Odette {GB}**, by **Pursuit of Love {GB}**) Lifetime Record: 5-2-2-0, £9,425. O-C G Rowles Nicholson; B-Limestone & Tara Studs; T-Sir Mark Prescott. \*1/2 to Silca's Gift (GB) (Cadeaux Genereux {GB}), GSW-GB, \$110,650; and Violette (GB) (Observatory), GSW-GB & GSP-Fr, \$225,492.

**ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**

+ **Vertex d'Authie (Fr)**, g, 2, **Al Namix (Fr)**--Vertige, by Gulch. Vichy, France, 7-21, Mdn, 2yo, c/g, 7fT. B-Pierre & Yann Rougegrez.

**Butch and Sundance (GB)**, g, 2, **Captain Rio (GB)**--Be My Wish (GB), by Be My Chief. Yarmouth, Britain, 7-21, Mdn, 2yo, 6f 3ydsT. B-Hellwood Farm Stud. \*£20,000 yrl '08 DONAUG.

+ **Zircjorien (Fr)**, c, 2, **Majorien (GB)**--Zircon Lady (Fr), by Kings Lake. Mont de Marsan, France, 7-20, Mdn, 2yo, c/g, 7fT. B-Haras du Bosquet & Andre Laborde. \*€11,000 RNA yrl '08 ARQOCT.

**La Joie (Fr)**, f, 2, **Montjeu (Ire)**--Last Trip (Fr), by Anabaa. Vichy, France, 7-21, Mdn, 2yo, f, 7fT. B-Jean-Pierre-Jospeh Dubois. \*€160,000 RNA yrl '08 ARQAUG.

**Evna**, f, 3, **Grand Slam**--Our Josephina (SW & GSP-US, \$190,584), by Tale of the Cat. Southwell, Britain, 7-21, Mdn, 3yo/up, 5f (AWT). B-George Brunacini & Bona Terra Farms. \*\$200,000 yrl '07 KEESEP.

**Sams Lass (GB)**, f, 3, **Refuse to Bend (Ire)**--Dina Line, by Diesis (GB). Ffos Las, Britain, 7-21, Mdn, 3yo/up, f/m, 6fT. B-Lordship Stud Ltd. \*10,000gns RNA yrl '07 TATOCT.

**Anak (Ire)**, g, 3, **Sinndar (Ire)**--Akdara (Ire), by Sadler's Wells. Ballinrobe, Ireland, 7-21, Mdn, 3yo/up, 1 3/4mT. B-H H The Aga Khan's Studs SC.

**Laafet (GB)**, g, 4, **Royal Applause (GB)**--Golden Way (Ire), by Cadeaux Genereux (GB). Yarmouth, Britain, 7-21, Mdn, 3-4yo, 7f 3ydsT. B-Gainsborough Stud Ltd. \*70,000gns yrl '06 DONSEP. \*\*1/2 to Ashkal Way (Ire) (Ashkalani {Ire}), GISW-US, \$798,580.

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**IN ARGENTINA:**

**Call Wells (Arg)**, c, 3, **Poliglote (GB)**--Roar Calls (Arg), by Roar. Palermo, 7-20, Mdn, 8f, 1:33.65. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1. O-N-O-B; B-Firmamento; T-Ricardo Cisneros.

**IN CHILE:**

+ **Maca Mia (Chi)**, f, 3, **Dushyantor**--Macabra (Chi), by Squire Jones. Club Hipico de Santiago, 7-20, Mdn, 6fT, 1:09.83. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0. O-Super Super; B-Haras Matancilla; T-Sergio Inda.

**Mauca (Chi)**, f, 3, **Dushyantor**--Moledora (Chi), by Semenenko. Club Hipico de Santiago, 7-17, Mdn, 8fT, 1:36.12. Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-2. O/B-Haras Matancilla; T-Patricio Baeza.

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