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LA PENTA ACQUIRES SHARE IN JACKSON BEND

Fred Brei's Jacks or Better Farm has sold a majority share in the homebred two-year-old **Jackson Bend** (Hear No Evil) to Robert La Penta, *Daily Racing Form* reports.



Jim Lisa Photo

The price of the share was not disclosed. Calder-based Jackson Bend, second in his debut, has won his last five starts, including four stakes events. He captured the Aug. 29 Affirmed S. going seven furlongs, then stretched to 1 1/16 miles and capped the streak with a 2 3/4-length decision

in the Oct. 17 In Reality S. Jackson Bend will be transferred from trainer Stanley Gold, shipping to Nick Zito's barn at Churchill Downs later this week. He will not be pointed for the Breeders' Cup. "Bob La Penta and I are of the same mind regarding where we want this horse to get to, which is the first Saturday in May," Brei told *DRF*. "That made us a good fit, and the reason why I chose not to go with any of the other offers I had for the horse. I didn't want to go it alone, and I also didn't want him going to the Breeders' Cup, or to race in California or Dubai." Zito added that the Florida-bred colt is likely done for the year. "I won't rule anything out, but right now we're in no hurry with him," Zito told *DRF*. "The main goal is to develop him for next year."

THUMBS UP FOR LAVA MAN

Lava Man (Slew City Slew), unraced since finishing sixth in the GI Eddie Read H. in July of 2008, has been cleared to race by veterinarians at the Alama Pintado Equine Clinic, according to *Daily Racing Form*. The eight-year-old underwent a battery of tests over the weekend, including a nuclear scan, and was given a clean bill of health. "They nuke-scanned him, and he was perfectly clean," trainer Doug O'Neill told *DRF*. Initially retired after racking up seven Grade I wins and earnings of \$5,268,706 over six seasons and 46 starts, Lava Man returned to training this summer. He has posted four works, including a five-eighths move in 1:00 3/5 at Hollywood Oct. 21. O'Neill has not made any specific plans for the gelding's comeback, but told *DRF*, "I'll keep working him every eight or 10 days. We know he loves Hollywood."

REDFORD TOPS TATTS OPENER

Highclere Thoroughbred Racing sprint handicapper **Redford (Ire)** (Bahri) headed a modest pipe-opener to Tattersalls' Autumn Horses in Training Sale in Newmarket yesterday when selling for 130,000gns to Stephen Hillen. The agent was acting for Cheshire-based owner Dr. Marwan Koukash, who has assembled a sizeable string of horses in the past couple of years. Training plans for his new recruit ([lot 316](#)) have still to be finalised. "I just like the way this horse travels in his races," Hillen said. "He'll go for a rest to the National Stud, where Dr. Koukash has a few horses out of training and they do a great job, and we'll make a decision about a trainer after Christmas." Hillen outbid Alastair Donald of Kern Lillingston. American buyers were noticeably quiet yesterday, on a day when there were just two other lots to hit six figures. The first was **The Last Don (Ire)** (Redback {GB}) ([lot 55](#)), a four-time winner for Newmarket handler David Lanigan. He brought 100,000gns when selling to agent Mags O'Toole, and is set to continue his racing career in Ireland. "He's a horse with some very progressive form and he'll initially run on the flat, but with a view to going jumping in the future," said O'Toole. Mohammed Moubarak, a Group 1-winning trainer in Britain before moving to the U.S., is set to embark on a new chapter in his career, as a conditioner in Qatar. His fledgling team will include **Akhenaten (GB)** (High Chaparral {Ire}) ([lot 270](#)), a successful handicapper with trainer Mick Channon acquired for 100,000gns yesterday, with Hillen as the underbidder. Bought for owner Mohammed Ansari, he will join Newmarket handler Debbie Mountain before going on his travels. "The horses come back to me before heading out to Qatar," Mountain said. "I've sent 30 out there, including [G1 Epsom Derby third-place finisher] Masterofthehorse (Ire) (Sadler's Wells), and, although the season only started a couple of weeks ago, we've already had two winners at the last meeting." The sale continues today starting at 9:30 a.m. **Tatts cont. p2**



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MONDAY'S TOP FIVE LOTS AT TATTERSALLS

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|------------|--|--------------------|
| Hip | Name | Price (Gns) |
| 316 | Redford (Ire) | 130,000 |
| | <i>(g, 4, Bahri--Ida Lupino {Ire}, by Statoblest {Ire})</i> | |
| | <i>(32,000gns wnlg '05 TATDEC; €57,000 yrl '06 GOFORB; 82,000gns 2yo '07 TATAPR)</i> | |
| | Consigned by Fitzroy House Stables | |
| | Purchased by Stephen Hillen Bloodstock | |
| 55 | The Last Don (Ire) | 100,000 |
| | <i>(c, 3, Redback {GB}--Banco Solo {GB}, by Distant Relative {Ire})</i> | |
| | <i>(21,000gns yrl '07 TATOCT)</i> | |
| | Consigned by Revida Place Stables | |
| | Purchased by Margaret O'Toole | |
| 270 | Akhenaten (GB) | 100,000 |
| | <i>(c, 3, High Chaparral {Ire}--Lady Adnil {Ire}, by Stravinsky)</i> | |
| | <i>(77,000gns wnlg '06 TATDEC; 60,000gns yrl '07 TATOCT)</i> | |
| | Consigned by West Ilsley Stables | |
| | Purchased by Mohammed Moubarak | |

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Hip Happenings

TATTERSALLS HIT SALE - TUESDAY

425 BIG AUDIO (IRE), c, 2, Oratorio {Ire}--Tarbela (Ire), by Grand Lodge

Consigned by East Everleigh Stables

This juvenile became the first black-type winner for his freshman sire (by Danehill) when garnering Royal Ascot's Listed Chesham S. in June. He was just off the board in July's G2 Vintage S. at Goodwood, but bounced back to claim the Listed Stonehenge S. at Salisbury the following month. He was a late scratch from Saturday's G1 Racing Post Trophy.

632 CHIEF LONE EAGLE, c, 3, Giant's Causeway--Legend Maker (Ire), by Sadler's Wells

Consigned by Ballydoyle Stables

Chief Lone Eagle won his only juvenile start at Leopardstown last November and was runner-up in May's G3 Tetrach S. at The Curragh on sophomore return. His siblings include G1 1000 Guineas heroine Virginia Waters (Kingmambo), G1 Irish Derby runner-up Alexander of Hales (Danehill) and G1 Criterium International second Chevalier (Ire) (Danehill).

Hip Happenings cont. p3



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**753 CHARLIE FARNSBARN (IRE), g, 5, [Cape Cross \(Ire\)](#)
--Lafleur (Ire), by Grand Lodge**

Consigned by Manton House Stables

Charlie Farnsbarns capped a fine two-year-old season with a second to subsequent G1 Epsom Derby winner Authorized (Ire) (Montjeu {Ire}) in the G1 Racing Post Trophy, and has maintained a consistent level of form, albeit at a lower level, since that personal best. He won last term's G3 Darley S. at Newmarket and finished fourth in this year's renewal back at the local Rowley Mile track 11 days ago.



BREEDERS' CUP BULLETIN

Mine That Bird Posts Bullet

Looking to rebound from a disappointing sixth-place finish in the Oct. 10 GI Goodwood S. at Oak Tree, GI Kentucky Derby winner **Mine That Bird** (Birdstone) zipped five furlongs in a bullet :58.20 over Santa Anita's Pro-Ride Monday. "We wanted him to step it up a little bit today," trainer Chip Woolley told *Daily Racing Form*, but added, "It was maybe a little faster than I was looking for." Woolley was pleased with the move,



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however. "The only part of his workout that is really important is the final quarter-mile," he said. "He finished big today and galloped out big past the wire."

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Aikenite (Yes It's True), J	5f (tr), 1:00.49, 2/22
Eskendereya (Giant's Causeway), J/JT	5f (tf), 1:00.48, 1/22
Interactif (Broken Vow), JT	4f (tr), :49.11, 17/47
Kodiak Kowboy (Posse), S	5f, 1:01.84, 8/17
Quality Road (Elusive Quality), C	5f (tr), 1:00.72, 3/22
Ready's Echo (More Than Ready), DM	4f (tr), :49.23, 19/47
Take the Points (Even the Score), T	4f (tr), :49.37, 22/47

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Mr. Sidney (Storm Cat), M	5f, 1:01.60, 10/15
Mushka (Empire Maker), LC	5f, 1:00.40, 4/15

SANTA ANITA

Cost of Freedom (Cee's Tizzy), S	5f, :59.60, 6/32
Crown of Thorns (Repent), S/DM	6f, 1:13.40, 2/7
Lethal Heat (Unusual Heat), LC/TS	5f, :58.40, 3/32
Midshipman (Unbridled's Song), DM	6f, 1:16.60, 5/7
Mine That Bird (Birdstone), C	5f, :58.20, 1/32
Regal Ransom (Distorted Humor), DM	5f, :58.40, 3/32

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Breeders' Cup Bulletin cont.

GOLDIKOVA IN TOP FORM FOR MILE DEFENSE

France's leading miler and current GI Breeders' Cup Mile title holder **Goldikova (Ire)** (Anabaa) is in top form ahead of defending her crown at Santa Anita Nov. 7, according to trainer Freddy Head. This term's G1 Fal-mouth S., G1 Prix Rothschild and G1 Prix Jacques Le Marois heroine is likely to be joined by stablemate and regular pacemaker **Only Green (Ire)** (Green Desert), the recent winner of the Listed Prix de Saint-Cyr at Chantilly, for the trip to California. "I think Goldikova is at the top of her game and I am very happy with her," Head told *Racing Post*. "Her preparation has gone very well and I am satisfied that she could even be better than she was last year. Together with Only Green, she will be boxed to Amsterdam on Saturday and then flown to Los Angeles the following day."

BALLYDOYLE CUP PLANS TAKING SHAPE

Aidan O'Brien moved a step closer to finalising Ballydoyle's Breeders' Cup plans after the trainer issued a bulletin yesterday. **Mastercraftsman (Ire)** (Danehill Dancer {Ire}), winner of this term's G1 Irish 2000 Guineas and G1 St James's Palace S., may point to the GI Dirt Mile to avoid a clash with **Rip Van Winkle (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}), hero of the G1 Sussex S. and G1 Queen Elizabeth II S., in the GI Classic. "We've put Mastercraftsman in two races," O'Brien told *Racing Post*. "We had to indicate a preference for one race and we nominated the Dirt Mile for him, although we still have the option to change our preference if we want to. Both he and Rip Van Winkle are in good form." O'Brien may also ship a further five runners to Santa Anita and added, "**Lillie Langtry (Ire)** (Danehill Dancer {Ire}) will run in the Juvenile Fillies Turf and, on the same day [Nov. 6], **Man of Iron** (Giant's Causeway) will run in the Marathon." **Beethoven (Ire)** (Oratorio {Ire}), winner of last week's G1 Dewhurst S., and G1 Phoenix S. hero **Alfred Nobel (Ire)** (Danehill Dancer {Ire}), will point to the Nov. 7 GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile, and **Viscount Nelson** (Giant's Causeway) will target the Juvenile Turf.

BLACK-TYPE RESULTS

Monday, Leopardstown, Ireland

JRA KILLAVULLAN S.-G3, €62,000, Leopardstown, 10-26, 2yo, 7fT, 1:29.56, yl.

1--#**@FREE JUDGEMENT**, 127, c, 2, by [Vindication](#)
1st Dam: **South Bay Cove (MSW-NA, \$259,732)**, by **Fusaichi Pegasus**

2nd Dam: **Fantasy Lake**, by **Salt Lake**

3rd Dam: **Springtime Fantasy**, by **Affirmed**

(\$100,000 wnlg '07 KEENOV; €50,000 yrl '08 GOFMIL). O-Mrs June Judd, Mrs J S Bolger & Ennistown Stud; B-Twin Hopes Farm Inc; T-Jim Bolger; J-Kevin Manning; €40,362. Lifetime Record: 7-2-1-0, €55,208. **Werk Nick Rating: A.**

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2--**Lord High Admiral (Ire)**, 127, c, 2, [Galileo \(Ire\)](#)--**Splendid (Ire)**, by **Mujtahid**. (€500,000 yrl '08 GOFMIL). O-Michael Tabor; B-Splendid Syndicate; T-Aidan O'Brien; €12,400.

3--**Keredari (Ire)**, 127, c, 2, **Oasis Dream (GB)**--**Kerataka (Ire)**, by **Doyoun (Ire)**. O-H H The Aga Khan; B-H H The Aga Khan's Studs SC; T-John Oxx; €6,200.

Margins: 2, SHD, HF. Odds: 7-1, 16-1, 4-1. Also Ran: **Air Chief Marshall (Ire)**, **Thunder Bridge**, **Wrong Answer (GB)**, **Utrillo (Ire)**, **Moonreach (Ire)**, **Alshahbaa (Ire)**, **Timeless Whisper (Ire)**.

Shedding maiden status at Dundalk in his fourth go Oct. 2, **Free Judgement** reappeared quickly to run fourth in the Listed **Star Appeal S.** there one week later and was last seen following home **Beethoven (Ire)** (**Oratorio {Ire}**) by less than six lengths when eighth in the G1 **Dewhurst S.** at Newmarket Oct. 17. Sitting just off the early pace set by **Lord High Admiral**, he was asked for his effort at the quarter pole and was able to take things easy in the closing stages once hitting the front at the furlong marker. "Free Judgement goes on any ground and was used as a pacemaker at Newmarket last time," trainer **Jim Bolger** told *irishracing.com*. "That is it for the year for him now, but he'll be entered in the Irish, English and French Guineas." [Click for Racing Post race chart.](#) [Video, courtesy attheraces.com.](#)



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PEDIGREE INSIGHTS
BY ANDREW CAULFIELD

“WELLS” FAR FROM RUNNING DRY

Sadler's Wells may have been pensioned in the spring of 2008, but this magnificent veteran still exerts a huge influence on the breed and--judging by last weekend--can be expected to do so for many years to come.

Autumn in Europe almost invariably sees the arrival of rain-softened ground on Europe's turf courses, producing conditions which traditionally suit many descendants of the 14-time champion sire. The ground was soft at Longchamp, where Sadler's Wells was directly responsible for Ask, the exceptionally well-connected six-year-old who landed his second Group 1 victory in Sunday's Prix Royal-Oak.

The performance of the weekend, though, undoubtedly came from St Nicholas Abbey (whose pedigree I reviewed here at the end of September). In sprinting clear of what looked a talent-packed field, this Coolmore youngster became the third son of Montjeu to win the Racing Post Trophy in the space of six years. You'll not need me to remind you that the previous two, Motivator and Authorized, went on to win the Derby.

Sadler's Wells' influence on this Group 1 stepping stone to the Classics isn't limited to these sons of Montjeu. Five sons of Sadler's Wells have also triumphed in the Racing Post Trophy, including St Nicholas Abbey's relative Aristotle in 1999. Of the other four, King's Theatre went on to win the King George and finish second in the Derby and Irish Derby; High Chaparral graduated to win the Derby, Irish Derby and Breeders' Cup Turf; and Brian Boru won the St Leger.

By the way, three other winners, Medaaly, American Post and Ibn Khaldun, are out of daughters of Sadler's Wells, so the great stallion appears in the first or second generations of 11 of the last 17 Racing Post Trophy winners. Five of the first 16 developed into Classic winners, and I will be surprised if St Nicholas Abbey doesn't add to that number.

Tuesday, Lyon Parilly, France, post time: 3:40 p.m.

PRIX ANDRE BABOIN (GRAND PRIX DES PROVINCES)-G3, €80,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/4mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	2	Gris de Gris (Ire)	Slickly (Fr)	de Royer-Dupre	Blondel	130
2	8	Starlish (Ire)	Rock of Gibraltar (Ire)	Lellouche	Crastus	127
3	3	Runaway (GB)	King's Best	Pritchard-Gordon	Jarnet	127
4	1	Mundybash (GB)	Diktat (GB)	Clement	Thulliez	123
5	5	Ailton (Ger)	Fly to the Stars (GB)	Raveneau	Juteau	123
6	7	Sans Chichi (Fr)	Chichicastenango (Fr)	Barberot	Peslier	123
7	6	Capitaine Courage (Ire)	Bering (GB)	F Doumen	Pasquier	123
8	9	Eire (GB)	Medicean (GB)	Nigge	Benoist	120
9	4	Ashaaq (GB)	Anabaa	F Head	Bonilla	119

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High Chaparral also hit the group-race target three days ago, with notable successes from High Heeled in the Northern Hemisphere and So You Think in the Southern. High Heeled relished the soft ground as she romped home six lengths clear in the G3 St Simon S. The going was also soft at Baden-Baden Sunday, when another of Sadler's Wells' Classic-winning sons, Refuse to Bend, came up with his second group winner in the shape of his unbeaten daughter Neon Light, winner of the G3 Preis der Winterkonigin.

The weekend also provided further evidence that the Sadler's Wells talent is able to transmit itself to a further generation. We have already seen one grandson, Singspiel, sire an impressive string of Group 1 winners, and he has been in fine form with his juveniles this fall, with three of them scoring at group level.

Medaglia d'Oro is shaping up as the next major force among Sadler's Wells' grandsons, and now we have another son of El Prado, the champion turf colt Kitten's Joy, knocking in the stakes winners from his first crop.

A stakes double with Lisa's Kitten and Kera's Kitten at Retama Park was followed by Dean's Kitten's victory in the Vision S. at Belmont, to boost the Ramsey Farm stallion's total of stakes winners from his first crop to five (including a dual Grade III winner in Puerto Rico). Only Roman Ruler ranks above him on the freshman sires' table.

High Chaparral is also riding high on the stallion tables, holding 12th place on the Anglo-Irish list, which also features Montjeu and Galileo in third and fourth places, respectively, and Sadler's Wells in seventh.

In assessing High Chaparral's record to date, I think it's important to remember that he was in direct competition with these three stallions when he retired to Coolmore at the end of 2003--at a time when there were still some who were critical of Sadler's Wells' record as a sire of sires (despite the achievements of In the Wings and Barathea in Ireland, El Prado in North America, Scenic in Australia and Opera House in Japan).

Admittedly, there had been some notable failures among his stallion sons, the most recent being Entrepreneur and King of Kings, two winners of the 2000 Guineas that had been expected to outshine some of their less speedy paternal half-brothers.

High Chaparral started out at a fee of €35,000 at Coolmore in 2004, which was €5,000 more than was being charged for Montjeu and €5,000 less than the fee for Galileo, whose first foals had been born in 2003. Whereas the fees for Montjeu and Galileo have since multiplied on the strength of their progeny's outstanding exploits, their success tended to overshadow High Chaparral. As a result, his fee has fallen by €5,000 every single season until it reached only €10,000 in 2009 in his sixth season.

There's every reason to expect his fee to start to rise again, after his runners' solid performances this year. The four-year-olds from his first crop include Magadan (G3 Prix d'Hedouville and a creditable ninth in the Arc), Beach Bunny (a short-head second to Dar Re Mi in the G1 Pretty Polly S.) and Winkle (a short-head second in the G2 Prix Maurice de Nieuil). This crop also included the 2008 St Leger second Unsung Heroine, who was sold for 950,000gns, and the Italian 2000 Guineas winner Senlis.

High Chaparral's second crop has confirmed his ability to sire Classic contenders. His group-winning son Golden Sword was second in the Irish Derby, having lost second place close home in the Epsom version, and High Heeled did very well to finish third in the Oaks. Other stakes winners from this crop include Above Average (G3 Classic Trial), The Miniver Rose (G2 Park Hill S.), Serienhoehe (G3 Maurice Lacroix-Trophy at two) and Redwood.

This year has confirmed High Chaparral's ability to sire good juveniles, with his €25,000 third crop producing Lady Darshaan (second in G1 Fillies' Mile), Joanna (G3 Prix du Calvados and third in G1 Prix Marcel Boussac) and the listed winner Lady Lupus. But then High Chaparral, a Group 1 winner at two, three and four, has every right to sire top winners of all ages.

SADLER'S WELLS, h, 1981

Northern Dancer	Nearctic	Nearco (Ity)	Pharos (GB)
		Lady Angela (Ire)	Nogara (Ity)
	Natalma	Native Dancer	Hyperion (GB)
			Sister Sarah (GB)
		Almahmoud	Polynesian
			Geisha
Fairy Bridge Hwt. 2yo Filly-Ire 11Fls, 1Ch, 3GSW, 1SW	Bold Reason	Hail to Reason	Turn-To (Ire)
		Lalun	Nothirdchance
	Special Unplaced 10Fls, 1Ch, 2GSW 1SW	*Foril	Djeddah (Fr)
			Be Faithful
		Thong	Aristophanes (GB)
			Rough Shod (GB)

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Pedigree Insights cont.

High Chaparral's Southern Hemisphere jaunts have been to Windsor Park Stud in New Zealand, rather than to Australia, where--despite Scenic's excellent efforts--sons of Sadler's Wells are not flavor of the month. Montjeu also took the same route in the years that he shuttled, and it is fair to say that both have fared much better than Galileo, who spent five seasons in Australia.

High Chaparral didn't start his New Zealand career until 2005, so his first three-year-olds are racing in the 2009/10 season. They have made a magnificent start, with Monaco Consul winning the G1 Spring Champion S. a few weeks before So You Think struck a powerful blow for the younger generation in the W.S. Cox Plate three days ago. This first crop also included Shoot Out, winner of the G2 Queensland Sires' Produce S. at two.

I suspect that the bias against sons of Sadler's Wells in Australia is based on the belief that they are soft-ground horses with more stamina than speed. A stallion can't achieve what Sadler's Wells has achieved unless his progeny are sound and reasonably versatile in their distance and ground requirements. The ground may have been heavy when High Chaparral gained his Racing Post Trophy victory, but it was firm when he landed the Irish Champion S. and his second Breeders' Cup Turf success.

High Heeled is clearly at home when there is plenty of give in the ground, but this may be attributable more to her broodmare sire, Turtle Island, than her sire. The ground was heavy when Turtle Island contested the 1994 Irish 2000 Guineas, and he sailed through the mud to score by 15 lengths.

Interestingly, Turtle Island is a son of Fairy King, a brother to Sadler's Wells, so High Heeled is inbred 3x4 to their parents Northern Dancer and Fairy Bridge, and also has a third line to Northern Dancer. Another good horse whose pedigree includes these brothers is Galileo's Breeders' Cup Turf winner Red Rocks, whose second dam was by Fairy King. No doubt, we'll be seeing more examples now that there are two group winners bred this way.

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NORTH AMERICA

WILDCAT HEIR COLT TOPS FTK FALL

OPENER A colt by top freshman sire **Wildcat Heir** (Forest Wildcat), who has 26 winners from his first crop, brought a final bid of \$85,000 to top the opening session of the Fasig-Tipton Kentucky Fall Yearlings Sale in Lexington yesterday. Consigned by Beth Bayer, Agent III, as [hip 152](#), the chestnut was bred in Florida by Michelle Redding. He had RNA'd for \$32,000 at the OBS August sale, but was hammered down to M H & B as the session topper yesterday. The February foal is a half to black-type winners Lizzy's Township (Delaware Township) and Many Kisses (Unbridled's Image). Wildcat Heir, a Taylor Made/WinStar Venture, stands at Journeyman Stud in Ocala. The opening session of the sale had taken a solid hit last year, with the average off 32.9 percent and the median down a drastic 50 percent. But the median recovered ground this year, jumping 20 percent to \$6,000, and the average held steady, dropping just 6 percent to \$11,176. For the complete results, go to www.fasigtipton.com.

VISIONAIRE TO CRESTWOOD FARM GISW

Visionaire (Grand Slam--Scarlet Tango, by French Deputy), retired earlier this year, will stand stud at Pope McLean's Crestwood Farm near Lexington in 2010. Raced by the partnership of Team Valor International and Vision Racing LLC and trainer Michael Matz, the chestnut was four-for-10 as a three-year-old in 2008, winning the GI NetJets King's Bishop S. and GIII Gotham BC S., and running third in the GIII Risen Star S. and GIII Northern Dancer S. Overall, he compiled a record of 12-5-1-2 and a bankroll of \$465,882. "Visionaire is an exceptional individual and his conformation, as well as his winning a key race for a stallion prospect, has given us the confidence to stand him," Team Valor International principal Barry Irwin said.



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"Since it was decided by the partners to stand the horse for our own account, it was vitally important to Team Valor and Brandon Perry and John Stephens of Vision Racing to place him where he would be respected for his accomplishments, and the stallion manager could be counted on for a full effort in promoting him and working with those breeders interested in using Visionaire. In the McLean family, we feel that we have selected the right partner for us." The four-year-old will stand for a fee of \$7,500 next year.



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Session Totals	2009	2008
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TOMORROW, WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 28:

11-14 \$175,000 **Mrs. Revere-II, CD, 3yo/up, f/m, 8.5fT (175)**

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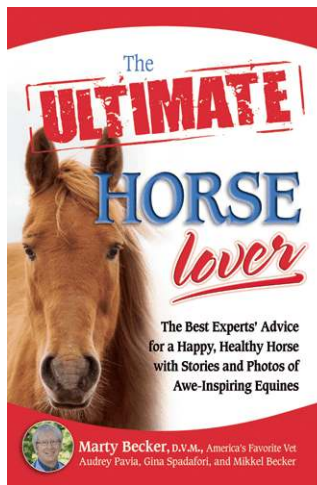
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CALIFORNIA BILL PAVES WAY FOR RAISE IN TAKEOUT

A bill signed into law by California Gov. Arnold Schwarzenegger Friday would allow the state's racetracks to request a raise in the takeout rates, but initial reactions indicate the tracks won't be exercising that right in the near future. Currently, the takeout rate at California's commercial tracks is 15.43 percent for win, place and show wagers, and 20.68 for exotics. The new bill would allow the takeout rate to be raised as high as 25 percent--with the approval of the track, its horsemen and the California Horse Racing Board. In addition, tracks could adjust how their share of the revenue is distributed. Jack Liebau, president of Hollywood Park, told *Daily Racing Form* that there are no immediate plans to take advantage of the new law. "The purpose of the bill was to give the racing industry more flexibility," Liebau told *DRF*. "Hollywood Park or any other racetrack can't [raise the takeout unilaterally], and even if we could act unilaterally, we wouldn't do it at this time."

PAULICK REPORT LAUNCHES "BC OR BUST" FUNDRAISER

The *Paulick Report* has teamed up with Breeders' Cup Charities to launch the "Breeders' Cup Or Bust Fundraising 'Drive.'" Starting Wednesday, Oct. 28, Ray Paulick and business partner Brad Cummings will hit the road, driving from Lexington, Kentucky, to Arcadia, California, for the Breeders' Cup. The 10-day trip will include stops in seven cities, with the goal of raising money for the Permanently Disabled Jockeys Fund and The V Foundation for Cancer Research. "We have been blessed with enough success to be able to give back to our community," said Paulick. "Not only will we have the opportunity to support our own athletes, but we will be able to raise funds for one of the top cancer research charities in the country. It's important as an industry that we show charitable leadership both inside and outside our community." There will be special events to encourage donations and raise awareness for the charities at Keeneland, Hawthorne, Remington Park, Zia Park and Turf Paradise. In addition, Paulick and Cummings will be accepting per-mile pledges for the 2,835-mile trek. All pledges, no matter the amount, are welcome. The *Paulick Report* is also seeking sponsors for the six legs of the drive. All proceeds will go to the charities. "We established Breeders' Cup Charities last year in large part to participate in programs to raise money and call attention to worthy causes like the 'Breeders' Cup or Bust' drive for the Permanently Disabled Jockeys Fund and The V Foundation," said Breeders' Cup President and CEO Greg Avioli. "We look forward to Ray and Brad's excellent adventure as they drive from Lexington to Santa Anita to support these great causes." For more information, or to become a sponsor or make a pledge, send an email to info@paulickreport.com.

★ EAST ★

Yesterday's Results:

6th-MED, \$41,000, Alw, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m70y, 1:40 4/5, ft.

PERFECT WEDDING (f, 3, Perfect Soul {Ire}--Spring Wedding, by Prized), a \$30,000 KEESEP yearling, steadied while entering the upper turn and passed tiring horses to finish a well-beaten third on debut at Monmouth Aug. 12. She had a cleaner trip in her second start, rallying from just off the pace to graduate by 3/4 of a length on the Jersey Shore Sept. 19. The bay was 5-2 here in her first tilt against winners. Pressed on the lead through a half of :46.14, she rebuffed multiple bids at the quarter pole and drove clear in the stretch to prevail by 2 1/2 lengths over Blushing Dixie (Dixie Union). **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#). [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made](#).** Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-1, \$51,960. O-Harvey A Clarke. B-Christine A Hansen & Charles Fipke (KY). T-Kiaran P McLaughlin.

9th-DEL, \$45,450, Msw, 2yo, 6f, 1:10 1/5, ft.

+ NATHAN'S H Q (c, 2, Yonaguska--Chalonnaise, by French Deputy), a \$75,000 FTMOCT yearling, was the 3-1 second choice here in his debut. After prompting the pacesetter early from the outside in second, he poked his head in front with three furlongs left and turned back a challenge from In Just We Trust (Forest Danger) to find the wire two lengths to the good of that opponent. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$28,500.

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O-Thomas J Carey. B-Classic Thoroughbred (KY).

T-Clyde W Martin.

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The **brisnet.com** 'Race of the Day' is the 7th Race, \$41,000 Allowance, at Meadowlands. For pps and a complete race analysis, click [here](#).

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3rd-DEL, \$39,745, Msw, 2yo, f, 1m, 1:40, ft.
ANCHORAGE (f, 2, **Tapit**--Cross Your Heart, by Miswaki), in her lone previous effort, pressed the pace from post one and yielded after a half-mile to finish seventh--7 1/4 lengths behind Sunday's Wings of Jove S. winner Female Drama (Indian Charlie)--in a Belmont sprint Sept. 27. The chestnut, breaking from the inside once again, was the 2-1 second choice here on the stretch out. She took lead through splits of :23.38 and :47.47 and was kept to task in the stretch to defeat debutante Hard Call (Rock Hard Ten) by 2 1/2 lengths. Sales history: \$65,000 RNA yrl '08 FTKJUL; \$540,000 2yo '09 BESMAR. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#)**. **Video, sponsored by Taylor Made**. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$23,015.
 O-Mrs John Magnier, Michael Tabor & Derrick Smith. B-Lynch Bages & Samac (KY). T-Todd A Pletcher.

★ CENTRAL ★

Sunday Night's Result:

7th-MNR, \$22,400, NW2L, 2yo, 5f, :59, gd.
DUBLIN DA'BET (c, 2, **D'wildcat**--Lubicon {Ch. 3yo Filly-Can, MSW, \$264,679}, by Apalachee), a half to Luricon (Lure), SP, \$187,870; and Stadivinsky (Stravinsky), SW & GSP, \$325,627, dueled for the early lead and held on late to score by a neck at Hoosier Park Sept. 17. The chestnut, off at 2-1 here, broke inward and checked slightly before he recovered to stalk the pace in fourth. Angled off the fence to commence his stretch run, he switched back to the rail nearing the furlong marker and collared Rebel Raider (Monarchos) to score by 3/4 of a length. Sales history: \$52,000 yrl '08 OBSAUG; \$55,000 RNA 2yo '09 OBSMAR. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#)**. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$32,466.
 O-Tom O'Grady & Johns Martin. B-Harold J Plumley (FL). T-Thomas M Amoss.

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BELMONT

Gone Astray (Dixie Union), 3f, :39.84, 4/4
 Harlem Rocker (Macho Uno), 5f (tr), 1:00.74, 4/22
 Munnings (Speightstown), 4f (tr), :50.86, 43/47
 Porte Bonheur (Hennessy), 4f, •:47.49, 1/47
 The Roundhouse (Fusaichi Pegasus), 4f (tr), :49.71, 28/47
 Unbridled Belle (Broken Vow), 4f (tr), :48.90, 12/47

★ INDUSTRY INFO ★

Gallagher's Steak House to Host Breeders' Cup Lunch:

On Tuesday, Nov. 3 at noon, Marlene Brody's Gallagher's Steak House in Manhattan and *Daily Racing Form* will once again team up to present the Breeders' Cup Handicapping Seminar & Power Lunch. The event will feature leading handicappers, including Dave Johnson, Sirius Radio; John DaSilva, *NY Post*; Marc Malusis, WFAN Radio/SNY TV; Drew Mollica, jockeys' agent; Anthony Stabile, *Vegas Insider*; and Lucas Marquardt, *Thoroughbred Daily News*. The cost of the event is \$55, which includes a three-course lunch and a copy of *Daily Racing Form* publication "Global Racing" by Alan Shuback, retail value \$25. Gallagher's Steak House is located at 228 West 52nd Street in New York City. For reservations, call (212) 245-5336.

TCA Honors Catesby Clay:

Runnymede Farm's Catesby Clay will be honored by the Thoroughbred Club of America at its 78th Annual Testimonial Dinner, which will be held Nov. 15 in the Second Floor Main Dining Room of the Keeneland Clubhouse. The cocktail hour starts at 6:30 p.m., followed by dinner at 7:30 p.m. Tickets are \$75 per person. For more information, or to get tickets, contact Betty Flynn at (859) 254-4282, or write the TCA at P.O. Box 8098, Lexington, KY, 40502.

• ON THE WORKTAB •

CHURCHILL DOWNS

Dublin (Afleet Alex), 5f, 1:01.80, 8/40
 Selva (Forest Wildcat), 4f, :49.20, 10/60

DELAWARE PARK

Eldaafer (A.P. Indy), 4f, :48.20, 3/28

FAIR HILL

Bullsbay (Tiznow), 7f, 1:29.00, 1/2

HOLLYWOOD PARK

Out of Control (Brz) (Vettori {Ire}), 3f, :37.80, 10/16
 Whatsthescript (Ire) (Royal Applause {GB}), 5f, 1:00.60, 6/14
 Zardana (Brz) (Crimson Tide {Ire}), 5f, 1:00.20, 4/14

KEENELAND

Giant Oak (Giant's Causeway), 5f, 1:03.60, 14/15
 Past the Point (Indian Charlie), 5f, •1:00.00, 1/15
 Saucey Evening (More Than Ready), 5f, •1:00.00, 1/15
 Vacation (Dyanformer), 3f, :36.40, 2/9

SANTA ANITA

Hurricane Ike (Graeme Hall), 4f, :48.80, 18/37
 Internallyflawless (Giant's Causeway), 4f, :48.60, 16/37
 Gabby's Golden Gal (Medaglia d'Oro), 4f, :47.80, 5/37
 Oil Man (Ire) (Pyrus), 6f, •1:12.80, 1/7

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Capt. Candyman Can (Candy Ride {Arg}), 4f, :48.20, 1/2



★ AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS ★

IN BRITAIN:

Chaperno, c, 2, [More Than Ready](#). See "Breeders' Edition Europe."
 + **Prizefighting**, c, 2, [Smart Strike](#). See "Britain."
Once More Dubai, c, 4, [E Dubai](#). See "Breeders' Edition Europe."
Mister New York, c, 4, [Forest Wildcat](#)--Shebane (SP-US & SW-Fr, \$154,941), by Alysheba. Lingfield, 10-26, Hcp, 3yo/up, 1 1/2mT. B-J S McDonald. *\$22,000 RNA yrl '06 KEESEP; £20,000 2yo '07 GOFMAR.
Cheery Cat, g, 5, [Catienus](#)--Olinka, by Wolfhound. Lingfield, 10-26, Hcp, 3yo/up, 6f (AWT). B-Kenneth L & Sarah K Ramsay. *\$25,000 yrl '05 FTKOCT; 15,000gns 2yo '06 DONAPR; 12,500gns HIT '07 DONOCT.

IN FRANCE:

Isla Canela, f, 3, [Gone West](#). See "France."

IN IRELAND:

Silent Decision, f, 3, [Mr. Greeley](#)--Aly Sangué, by Alydar. Leopardstown, 10-26, Hcp, 3yo/up, 1 1/4mT. B-Hopewell Investments LLC. *\$160,000 wnlg '06 KEENOV.

IN JAPAN:

Symphony Lights, f, 3, [Vindication](#)--Beautiful Moment (SP), by Crusader Sword. Fukushima, 10-24, Plate Race, 5f. Lifetime Record: 10-2-0-5, \$254,348. O-Kazumi Yoshida; B-Donald & R Mary Zuckerman, as Tenants by the Entireties; T-Makoto Saito. *\$160,000 yrl '07 KEESEP.

Silk Big Time, c, 4, [Deputy Minister](#)--Hello Rachel (SW, \$117,504), by Mining. Tokyo, 10-25, Kannazuki S., 7f. Lifetime Record: SP-Jpn, 13-4-2-0, \$870,543. O-Silk Co; B-Polo Green Stable; T-Takashi Kubota.

Ginza Knight, c, 4, [Lemon Drop Kid](#)--Silent Greeting (GSW, \$215,303), by Secret Hello. Tokyo, 10-25, Plate Race, 6.5f. Lifetime Record: 11-2-1-1, \$213,696. O-Fumio Saito; B-Lazy Lane Farms Inc; T-Ken Kozaki. *1/2 to Trophy Collector (Strong Hope), SW & GSP, \$108,710. **\$55,000 yrl '06 KEEJAN; \$300,000 yrl '06 KEESEP.

IN PERU:

+ **Capricho Espanol**, c, 2, [Spanish Steps](#)--Life's an E Ticket (SP), by Deposit Ticket. Hipodromo de Monterrico, 10-25, Mdn, 10fT, 2:00.20. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$4,700. O-Estrella Solitaria; B-Martin Stables Inc (KY); T-Alfonso Arias. *\$2,200 yrl '08 FTKOCT; \$17,000 RNA wnlg '07 OBSOCT.

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[NORTH LIGHT \(IRE\)](#) (Danehill), Adena Springs, \$50K, 67/4/1
 2-MNR, Msw, 1m, Anna's Light, \$1,000 KEE SEP yrl, 20-1
[OFFLEE WILD](#) (Wild Again), Darley, \$15K, 70/13/2
 2-MNR, Msw, 1m, Offlee Sweet, 7-5
SAINT LIAM (Saint Ballado), Lane's End, \$50K, 98/9/0
 1-MNR, Msw, 5f, +I'm Cobra Too, 3-1

First/Second-crop starters to watch: Tuesday, Oct. 27

Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 2005 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/BlackTypeWnrs Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)
SOTO (Dehere), Walmac, \$8K, 69/22/5
 1-MNR, Msw, 5f, +Keen Soto, \$4K KEE NOV wnl, 6-1

NORTH AMERICA - TRACK ABBREVIATIONS

AQU	Aqueduct (NY)	APX	Arlington Park (IL)
ATL	Atlantic City (NJ)	BEL	Belmont Park (NY)
BEU	Beulah Park (OH)	CBY	Canterbury Park (MN)
CDX	Churchill Downs (KY)	CMR	Camarero (PR)
CNL	Colonial Downs (VA)	CRC	Calder (FL)
CTX	Charles Town (WV)	DED	Delta Downs (LA)
DEL	Delaware Park (DE)	DMR	Del Mar (CA)
ELP	Ellis Park (KY)	EMD	Emerald Downs (WA)
EVD	Evangeline (LA)	FEX	Fort Erie (ON)
FGX	Fair Grounds (LA)	FLX	Finger Lakes (NY)
FNO	Fresno (CA)	FPX	Fairplex Park (CA)
GGX	Golden Gate (CA)	GPX	Gulfstream Park (FL)
HAW	Hawthorne (IL)	HOL	Hollywood Park (CA)
HOO	Hoosier Park (IN)	HOU	Sam Houston (TX)
HST	Hastings Park (BC)	IND	Indiana Downs (IN)
KDX	Kentucky Downs (KY)	KEE	Keeneland (KY)
LAD	Louisiana Downs (LA)	B L	Laurel Park (MD)
LSX	Lone Star Park (TX)	MED	Meadowlands (NJ)
MNR	Mountaineer (WV)	MTH	Monmouth Park (NJ)
NPX	Northlands Park (AB)	OPX	Oaklawn Park (AR)
OSA	Oak Tree at SA (CA)	PEN	Penn National (PA)
PHA	Philadelphia Park (PA)	PID	Presque Isle (PA)
PIM	Pimlico (MD)	PLN	Pleasanton (CA)
PRM	Prairie Meadows (IA)	RDX	River Downs (OH)
RET	Retama Park (TX)	RPX	Remington Park (OK)
RUI	Ruidoso Downs (NM)	SAC	Sacramento (CA)
SAX	Santa Anita (SA)	SAR	Saratoga (NY)
SOL	Solano (CA)	SRX	Santa Rosa (CA)
SUF	Suffolk Downs (MA)	SUN	Sunland Park (NM)
TAM	Tampa Bay (FL)	TDN	Thistledown (OH)
TIM	Timonium (MD)	TPX	Turfway Park (KY)
TUP	Turf Paradise (AZ)	WOX	Woodbine (ON)
WRD	Will Rogers (OK)	ZIA	Zia Park (NM)



★ BRITAIN ★

Yesterday's Results:

Leicester, 14.30, Mdn, £8,000, 2yo, 5f 218ydsT, 1:12.38, gd/fm.

DEACON BLUES (GB) (c, 2, Compton Place {GB}--Persario {GB}, by Bishop of Cashel {GB}), an eye-catching fifth in a Nottingham maiden on debut Oct. 7, raced a little keenly in mid-field through the early stages. Eased to the front with 2 1/2 furlongs to race, the heavily supported 7-4 favorite was ridden out to assert by 1 1/4 lengths from Rolling Hills (Ire) (Celtic Swing {GB}). [Video, courtesy attheraces.com](#). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, £5,181.

O-Jan & Peter Hopper & Michelle Morris; B-Mr & Mrs K W Grundy & Mr & Mrs P Hopper; T-James Fanshawe.

Kempton Park, 15.10, Mdn, £6,000, 2yo, 7f (AWT), 1:25.64, stn.

+ PRIZEFIGHTING (c, 2, Smart Strike--Allencat, by Storm Cat), a \$500,000 KEESEP yearling, was settled in mid-field from the gate. Pulled out to challenge at the quarter pole, the 14-1 chance came with a strong run in the final eighth to collar Silk Street (Street Cry {Ire}) close to home and win by 3/4-lengths. [Video, courtesy Racing UK](#). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, £3,886.

O-H R H Princess Haya of Jordan; B-Allen E Paulson Living Trust; T-John Gosden.

Lingfield, 15.20, Mdn, £4,000, 3yo/up, 7f (AWT), 1:24.66, stn.

JONNY MUDBALL (GB) (c, 3, Oasis Dream {GB}--Waypoint {GB}, by Cadeaux Genereux {GB}), a creditable fourth in a Windsor maiden on debut Oct 5, went straight to the lead. Punched clear on the home turn, the 9-2 shot galloped away to win unchallenged by five lengths from La Marseillaise (Ire) (Medicean {GB}). The winner is a half-brother to Never a Doubt (GB) (Night Shift, GSW-Fr & GSP-Eng). Sales history: 50,000gns yrl '07 DONAUG. [Video, courtesy attheraces.com](#). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, £2,730.

O-Woodgate Family; B-Mrs P A & M J Reditt; T-Tom Dascombe.

TDN Euro is:

England: Sean Cronin (CAFE Racing)
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Ireland: Dave Keena
Italy: Giorgio Barsotti

Lingfield, 13.50, Mdn, £4,000, 2yo, 1m (AWT), 1:38.68, stn.

TREASURE TOWN (GB) (c, 2, King's Best--Shinko Hermes {Ire}, by Sadler's Wells), third in a Leicester maiden Oct. 13, stalked the pace in second. Kicked to the front on the home bend, the 8-11 pick quickened clear to prevail by three lengths from Life and Soul (Ire) (Azamour {Ire}). Treasure Town is a half-brother to Er Nova (Jpn) (Sunday Silence, MSP-Jpn, \$1,810,348); Glen Innes (Ire) (Selkirk, GSP-Eng); and Lake Toya (Darshaan {GB}, SW & GSP-Fr, SW-Eng, \$143,464).

[Video, courtesy attheraces.com](#). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, £3,500.

O-Godolphin; B-Darley; T-Saeed bin Suroor.

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1.10 Yarmouth, Mdn, £5,500, 2yo, 1m 3ydsT

SARRSAR (GB) (Shamardal) is a son of Bahr (GB) (Generous {Ire}), who hit the board in the 2003 G1 Epsom Oaks, G1 Irish Oaks and GI Flower Bowl H., and represents Michael Jarvis' Newmarket team. Sheikh Ahmed bin Rashid Al Maktoum's colobearer faces 10 opponents, including Cheveley Park Stud's fellow newcomer **Commissionaire (GB) (Medicean {GB})**, who is a half-brother to the 2003 G1 Asahi Hai Futurity S. third Appointed Day (Red Ransom).

3.10 Yarmouth, Mdn, £5,500, 2yo, 1m 3ydsT

LION MOUNTAIN (GB) (Tiger Hill {Ire}) is a son of the speedball Cal Norma's Lady (Ire) (Lyphard's Special), and is thus a half-brother to the 2005 G1 Cheveley Park S. victress Donna Bliini (GB) (Bertolini). Chief among the Godolphin newcomer's rivals is Juddmonte Farms' homebred debutant **Bullet Train (GB) (Sadler's Wells)**, who is out of the dual-listed scorer Kind (Ire) (Danehill), herself a half-sister to the 2004 G1 Tattersalls Gold Cup and 2005 GI Arlington Million hero Powerscourt (GB) (Sadler's Wells).

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★ FRANCE ★

Tuesday, Nantes, post time: 1:50 p.m.

PRIX DES SABLONNETS-Listed, €55,000, 2yo, 1mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	JOCKEY
1	2	Marceti (Ire)	Verglas (Ire)	Leenders	Avranche
2	6	Too Nice Name (Fr)	Kingsalsa	Rob Collet	Victoire
3	1	Itri (Fr)	Agnes Kamikaze (Jpn)	M Boutin	Huet
4	7	Green Dandy (Ire)	Green Desert	O'Neill	Eyquem
5	3	Saronsla Belle (Fr)	Cardoun (Fr)	Edon	Cabre
6	4	Les Yeux Bleus (Ire)	Verglas (Ire)	Clement	Breux
7	5	Oranor (Fr)	Starborough (GB)	Pantall	Veron

All carry 125 pounds bar Marceti & Too Nice Name, 128.

Yesterday's Results:

Compiegne, 15.05, Mdn, €20,000, 2yo, c/g, 1 1/8mT, 2:00.64, hy.

KAAGE (IRE) (c, 2, Monsun {Ger}--Koed, by Royal Academy), a debut sixth at Saint-Cloud Oct. 2, raced in a stalking second after the initial strides of this return. Easing to the front approaching the final quarter mile, the 17-5 chance kept on well under urging, despite jockey Mickael Barzalona losing his whip, to best Mashoor (Fr) (Monsun {Ger}) by 1 1/2 lengths. Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 1 win, 0 places, €10,000. O/B-Wertheimer & Frere; T-Freddy Head.

Compiegne, 16.10, Cond, €18,000, 3yo, f, 1 1/4mT, 1:15.49, hy.

ISLA CANELA (f, 3, [Gone West](#)--Islington {Ire} {Hwt. 3yo Filly-Eng, 11-14f & 9.5-11f, Hwt. Older Mare-Eng at 11-14 & 9.5-11f, Hwt. Older Mare-Ire at 9.5-11f, Ch. Turf Mare-US, GISW-US, MG1SW-Eng & G1SP-Ire, \$1,563,874}, by Sadler's Wells), who equalled the second-highest price in Keeneland November history when sold as a \$2.4-million foal in 2006, was let go at a generous 117-10 coming back off a debut sixth at Fontainebleau Oct. 3. Positioned behind the front rank after the first bend, she came under pressure at the top of the stretch and stayed on well under a final quarter drive to prevail by 1 1/2 lengths from Whispering Rose (Ire) (Montjeu {Ire}). Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 1 win, 0 places, €9,000. O-Mayfair Stud; B-Ballymacoll Stud Farm Ltd; T-Alain de Royer-Dupre.

EUROPEAN VIDEO LINKS

[Kempton Park, 15.10 \(Mdn\) Prizefighting](#) (Smart Strike) debuts a 3/4-length winner.

[Lingfield, 13.50 \(Mdn\) Treasure Town](#) (King's Best) drives to three-length victory.

[Leopardstown, 13.55 \(Mdn\) Don Carlos \(Ger\)](#) (Galileo {Ire}) earns determined half-length score.

★ IRELAND ★

Yesterday's Results:

JOCKEY CLUB OF TURKEY TRIGO S.-Listed, €42,500, Leopardstown, 10-26, 3yo/up, 1 1/4mT, 2:08.07, yl.
1--#RAISE YOUR HEART (IRE), 132, g, 6, Raise a Grand (Ire)--Gobolino (GB), by Don (GB). (€26,000 wnlg '03 GOFNOV). O-Gaeltacht Gang Syndicate; B-Roseanne Millet & Paul McEnery; T-Joanna Morgan; J-Kevin Manning; €27,668. Lifetime Record: 13-5-2-1, €96,115. *1/2 to Don Fayruz (Ire) (Fayruz {GB}), MSW-Ity, \$174,908; Infinity River (Ire) (Definite Article {GB}), Hwt. Older Mare-Ity at 14 + f, MSP-Ity, \$222,829.

2--Distant Memories (Ire), 127, g, 3, Falbrav (Ire)--Amathia (Ire), by Darshaan (GB). (€75,000 yrl '07 GOFMIL). €8,500.

3--Windsor Palace (Ire), 132, c, 4, Danehill Dancer (Ire)--Simaat, by Mr. Prospector. (€350,000 yrl '06 GOFORB). €4,250.

Margins: 2, 2, HF. Odds: 6-1, 7-2, 8-1.

Also Ran: She's Our Mark (GB), Haralan (Ire), Worldly Wise (GB), Belle's Ridge (GB), Grace O'Malley (Ire), Committed Spirit. Scratched: Jumbajukiba (GB).

Raise Your Heart stepped off an Aug. 23 Cork hurdle win to run second in the Irish Cambridgeshire H. one week later and lined up for this black-type bow returning from a handicap win back there Sept. 12. Held up towards the rear until moving closer as the field straightened for home, he took over with 1 1/2 furlongs to race and was driven out to register a personal best. Mapping out an ambitious dual-purpose campaign ahead, trainer Joanna Morgan told *irishracing.com*, "Raise Your Heart will run next in the Greatwood Hurdle at Cheltenham Nov. 15 and will then go to Dubai for the winter before returning for the Champion Hurdle [back at Cheltenham] in March." [Video, courtesy attheraces.com](#).

Leopardstown, 13.55, Mdn, €17,500, 2yo, c/g, 7fT, 1:30.76, yl.

DON CARLOS (GER) (c, 2, [Galileo](#) {Ire}--Dapprima {Ger} {SW & GSP-Ger, GSP-Fr, \$139,472}, by Shareef Dancer), third in a Cork maiden on debut Oct. 17, led after the first furlong of this return. Strongly pressed by Legendary Lad (Ire) (Dubawi {Ire}) at the top of the stretch, the 10-11 chalk kept on gamely under pressure to repel that rival by a half length. The winner is a half-brother to Denaro (GB) (Dashing Blade {GB}, GSW-Ger); Davidoff (Ger) (Montjeu {Ire}, GSW-Ger, \$118,105); and Duellant (Ire) (Dashing Blade {GB}, SW & GSP-Ger, GSP-Ity); and a full brother to Dubai (Ire) (SP-Ger). Sales history: 220,000gns wnlg '07 TATDEC; 300,000gns yrl '08 TATOCT. [Video, courtesy attheraces.com](#). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, €13,253.

O-Derrick Smith, Susan Magnier & Michael Tabor; B-Dr Klaus Schulte; T-Aidan O'Brien.



Irish Report cont.

Leopardstown, 12.55, Mdn, €17,500, 2yo, f, 7fT, 1:30.64, yl.

WHAT A CHARM (IRE) (f, 2, Key of Luck--Atalina {Fr}, by Linamix {Fr}) injured herself leaving the stalls when last of 18 in a similar event here Sept. 5 and the €110,000 GOFMIL yearling soon led in her return. Shaken up on the home turn, the 12-1 chance was driven out to notch a two-length score from Sahaayeb (Ire) (Indian Haven {GB}). Dance On By (Ire) (Sadler's Wells), a sister to High Chapparal (Ire), raced in rear from the outset and made modest headway in the straight to finish ninth. She is a half to Marjalina (Ire) (Marju {Ire}, GSW-Ire, \$117,895). [Video, courtesy attheraces.com](#). Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-1, €13,333. O-Chris Jones; B-Kenilworth House Stud; T-John Oxx.

★ GERMANY ★

Sunday's Result:

Baden-Baden, 12.00, Cond, €6,000, 3yo, 1 3/8mT, 2:28.82, sf.

ILLO (GER) (c, 3, Tertullian--Iora {Ger} {MSP-Ger}, by Konigsstuhl {Ger}) broke his maiden in a similar event at Cologne last time July 26, and enjoyed a one-length lead going by the judge first time here. Setting a steady pace throughout, the 10-11 pick quickened clear off the home turn and was pushed out in the closing stages to easily best Wufkette (Ger) (Black Sam Bellamy {Ire}) by seven lengths. Illo is a half to Iota (Ger) (Tiger Hill {Ire}, G1SW-Ger, \$254,019); and Ioannina (GB) (Rainbow Quest, Hwt. Older Mare-Ger at 11-14f, SW & GSP-Ger). Lifetime Record: 3 starts, 2 wins, 1 place, €7,550. O/B-Gestut Schlenderhan; T-Jens Hirschberger.

★ EUROPEAN-BRED WINNERS ★

IN JAPAN:

Lilienthal (Ire), c, 2, Montjeu (Ire)--Anna Monda (Ger) (Hwt. 3yo-Ger & lty at 7-9.5f, G1SW-lty & MGSW-Ger, \$375,379), by Monsun (Ger). Tokyo, 10-25, Novice Race, 10fT. Lifetime Record: 3-1-2-0, \$106,522. O-Hidetoshi Yamamoto; B-T Yoshida; T-Kazuo Fujisawa.

Cats In Boots (Ire), c, 4, Choisir (Aus)--Eurostorm (MSP-US & MSW-Ire, \$114,862), by Storm Bird. Fukushima, 10-24, Onahama Tokubetsu, 8.5f. Lifetime Record: 12-3-2-0, \$363,783 O-Hidetoshi Yamamoto; B-Stonethorn Stud Farms Ltd; T-Yasutoshi Ikee. *62,000gns wnlg '05 TATDEC.

Lord Baroque (Ire), c, 4, Rock of Gibraltar (Ire)--Lady Pastel (Jpn) (MSW-Jpn, \$3,603,127), by Tony Bin (Ire). Fukushima, 10-25, Plate Race, 6fT. Lifetime Record: 13-2-1-4, \$259,891. O-Lord Horse Club; B-K I Farm; T-Kiyotaka Tanaka. *Full to Lord Rock Star (Ire), GSP-Jpn, \$473,327.



AUSTRALASIA



AI LEGAL CHALLENGE High-profile owner-breeder and former Sydney Turf Club chairman Bruce McHugh has confirmed he has launched a legal challenge to artificial insemination bans. McHugh told Sydney's *Daily Telegraph* a statement of claim was lodged in the Federal Court last week and it would be delivered to the owners of The Stud Book (Australian Jockey Club and Victoria Racing Club), Australian Racing Board and Racing Information Services Australia. "We are not trying to interfere with the Stud Book or major studs," McHugh said in the report. "But we believe in this day and age, breeders should have the choice to use AI or not. All we want to do is breed our own horses and do it at a fraction of the price. These horses won't be able to race overseas or breed overseas."

RACEGOERS BEWARE Victorian Police have warned racegoers attending Melbourne Spring carnival events to beware of a number of "sharply dressed overseas crime gangs" who are set to pounce. Inspector Paul Pottage said the groups tended to make their way down the east coast in time for the spring racing carnival. He said a similar crime wave had been experienced to coincide with England's racing carnival and the thieves were extremely professional and well organised. Inspector Pottage said tactics included "distraction thieving" where unsuspecting racegoers would have something spilled on them and while one gang member apologised profusely and offered assistance, another would be stealing from the hapless victim.

BREEDERS' EDITION
AMERICA

BLACK-TYPE RESULTS:

ASCOT GRADUATION S., \$101,859, HST, 10-25, 2yo, 1 1/16m, 1:47 1/5, sy.

1--**#DYNA STROLL, 122, g, 2, Stroll--Irish Dynasty, by Dynaformer.** (C\$15,000 yrl '08 BRCSEP). O-Glen Todd, Troy Taylor & Koda Racing Stable; B-Robert W Simpson (BC); T-Troy Taylor; J-Mario Gutierrez; \$61,376. Lifetime Record: 6-2-2-2, \$117,011.

2--**Silly Fella, 122, g, 2, Mass Market--Grey Tobe Free, by Free At Last.** (C\$26,000 yrl '08 BRCSEP). \$20,459.

3--**Victor's Magic, 122, g, 2, Vying Victor--Peppi's Magic, by Silver Fox.** \$11,253.

Margins: 2 1/4, NK, 6 3/4. Odds: 3.80, 4.65, 16.15.

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ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

7th-MED, \$41,000, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m (off turf), 1:36 4/5, ft.

I'M YOUR LADY (f, 3, Monashee Mountain--Night Fashion, by Chester House) Lifetime Record: 8-4-1-0, \$92,802. O-Lindy M Redding. B-Audley Farm (VA). T-Donald H Barr. * \$15,000 yrl '07 FTMOCT.

5th-ZIA, \$28,500, Opt. Clm. (\$20,000), NW1X, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:39 3/5, ft.

DEL CONTE (g, 3, Point Given--Dirty Diana {SW & GSP, \$154,197}, by Flying Continental) Lifetime Record: 11-2-1-1, \$87,280. O-Tyler Holstein. B-Watson & Weitman Performance LLC (KY). T-Todd W Fincher.

8th-MNR, \$25,600, 10-25, NW3L, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:39 2/5, gd.

BROKEN MINT (f, 4, Broken Vow--Mintecy {SW}, by Key to the Mint) Lifetime Record: 13-3-1-1, \$51,672. O/B-B-Mereworth Farm (KY). T-Michael A Tamaro. * 1/2 to Prophet's Warning (Storm Bird), MGSW, \$225,834.

4th-MNR, \$22,400, 10-25, NW2L, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:05 4/5, gd.

LIL BALDIE (f, 3, Rugby--Cassandra Deer, by Deerhound) Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-0, \$31,140. O/T-Donald C Barber. B-Elex D & Laura J Bowman (WV).

8th-FLX, \$22,200, NW1BX, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:47 2/5, ft.

SHE'S PRIME (f, 3, Prime Timber--Mayicutin, by Robyn Dancer) Lifetime Record: 13-2-3-3, \$85,818. O-Ruggeri Stable Inc & Tara Racing Stable. B-Sez Who Thoroughbreds (NY). T-Michael Miceli. * \$5,000 RNA yrl '07 OBSAUG; \$25,000 2yo '08 OBSAPR.

6th-FLX, \$22,100, Opt. Clm. (\$10,000), NW2BX, (S), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:11 2/5, ft.

EARLY RESPONSE (g, 3, Hook and Ladder--Betweyouandme, by Twining) Lifetime Record: SP, 17-6-5-1, \$142,307. O-Maggi Moss & Karen Murphy. B-Chester & Mary R Broman (NY). T-Chris J Englehart. * \$30,000 2yo '08 OBSAPR.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

+ **Sense of Humor, g, 2, Terrell--Comedy Class (MSP, \$195,883), by Avenue of Flags. HST, 10-25, 6 1/2f, 1:19 2/5. B-Thomas Newton Bell & Ross John McLeod (BC). * \$14,521 RNA yrl '08 BRCSEP. **Second winner for freshman sire (by Distorted Humor).**

Aurburn Belle, f, 3, Montbrook--Surgical Blues, by Cure the Blues. ZIA, 10-26, 5 1/2f, 1:05 4/5. B-John T Crane Jr (MD). * \$48,000 yrl '07 FTKOCT.

Wyning Card, f, 4, Northern Afleet--Landing Card, by Press Card. MNR, 10-25, 6f, 1:11 4/5. B-T Wynn, Mary, Ryan & Melody Jolley & Harry Hoglander (FL).

★ WINNERS BY U.S. SIRE ★

IN JAPAN:

+ **Red Balius (Jpn), c, 2, Dynaformer--Adversity, by Seeking the Gold. Tokyo, 10-24, Maiden Race, 9fT. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$76,087. O-Tokyo Horse Racing; B-Shadai Farm; T-Katsuhiko Sumii.**

A Shin Galleon (Jpn), c, 2, Stephen Got Even--Eishin Marianna, by Gone West. Fukushima, 10-25, Novice Race, 8.5f. Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-1, \$68,478. O-Eishindo Inc; B-Eishin Farm; T-Yoshihiro Hatakeyama.

IN PERU:

+ **Al Nathir (Arg), c, 3, Bernstein--Batty Sangria (Arg), by Batty. Hipodromo de Monterrico, 10-25, Mdn, 5f, :58.60. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, S4,700. O-Soribel; B-La Biznaga (Arg); T-Felix Banda.**

BREEDERS' EDITION
EUROPE

CONDITIONS RESULTS:

ITALY, Milan, 15.10, 10-25, €22,500, 2yo, 7fT, 1:42.20, hy.

SPIRIT OF FORTUNE (IRE) (c, 2, Invincible Spirit {Ire}--Seerah {GB}, by Machiavellian) Lifetime Record: 5-2-0-0, €21,981. O-A Borsani - C Borsani SNC; B-Finaco SRL; T-Bruno Grizzetti. * €24,000 yrl '08 ITYSEP; €35,000 RNA 2yo '09 ITYMAR.

ITALY, Rome, 14.20, 10-25, €22,500, 3yo, 7fT, 1:27.40, sf.

DESERT CRY (IRE) (c, 3, Desert Prince {Ire}--Hataana, by Robellino) Lifetime Record: SW-Ity, 16-5-2-1, €90,576. O-Allevamento Dei Sette SRL; B-Fin. A. Co SRL; T-Bruno Grizzetti.

FRANCE, Lyon-Parilly, 16.40, 10-25, €17,000, 3yo, 1 1/4mT, 2:21.43, sf.

STILLA (FR) (f, 3, Gold Away {Ire}--Anysheba {SP-Fr}, by Alysheba) Lifetime Record: 8 starts, 2 wins, 3 places, €23,650. O/B-Wertheimer & Frere; T-Freddy Head.



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FRANCE, Le Pin au Haras, 15.50, 10-25, €15,000, 3yo, 11f 165ydsT, time: n/a, gd.
GOLD AND SONG (FR) (c, 3, **Gold Away {Ire}**--**Opera Song {GB}**, by **In the Wings {GB}**) Lifetime Record: 8 starts, 2 wins, 5 places, €22,960. O/B-Xavier Bollart & Marc Lesur; T-A Couetil.

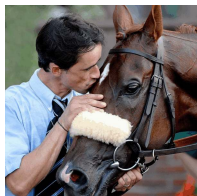
FRANCE, Machecoul, 13.30, 10-25, €15,000, 3yo, 11f 165ydsT, time: n/a, gd/sf.
PAPA LOVES MAMBO (FR) (g, 3, **Okawango--Sovereign Coin {GB}**, by **Priolo**) Lifetime Record: 9 starts, 2 wins, 6 places, €23,550. O-Gerald Laroche; B-D Blot, Mme H Petit & C de Asis Trem; T-A Couetil. *€6,000 yrl '07 ARQDEC.

BRITAIN, Leicester, 15.00, 10-26, £12,000, 3yo/up, 11f 183ydsT, 2:32.64, gd/fm.
ONCE MORE DUBAI (c, 4, **E Dubai**--**Go Again Girl**, by **Broad Brush**) Lifetime Record: Co Hwt. 3yo-Ity at 9.5-11f, MSW & G1SP-Ity, 20-4-3-7, £114,419. O-Godolphin; B-Cashel Stud Inc; T-Saeed bin Suroor. *\$20,000 wnlg '05 OBSOCT. **1/2 to Go Again Valid (Valid Appeal), GSW, \$291,616.

ITALY, Florence, 15.35, 10-25, €10,800, 2yo, 1 1/8mT, 1:54.00, gd.
TAKSHIFT (ITY) (c, 2, **Night Shift**--**Takrit {Ire}**, by **Giant's Causeway**) Lifetime Record: 6-3-1-0, €16,320. O/B-Azienda Agricola Antezzate SRL; T-Stefano Botti.

BRITAIN, Lingfield, 13.20, 10-26, £6,000, 2yo, 6f (AWT), 1:11.36, stn.
CHAPERNO (c, 2, **More Than Ready**--**Timeless Forest**, by **Forestry**) Lifetime Record: 8-2-3-1, £17,697. O-Godolphin; B-Bruce & Laurie Berenson; T-Saeed bin Suroor. *\$120,000 yrl '08 KEESEP.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:
So Long Malpic (Fr), f, 2, **Fairly Ransom**--**Poussiere d'Or (Fr)**, by **Marchand de Sable**. Agen, France, 10-25, Mdn, 2yo, 9f 55ydsT. B-P Pasquet. *First winner for freshman sire (by **Red Ransom**).
Ricci (Fr), c, 2, **Highest Honor (Fr)**--**Restless Rixa (Fr)**, by **Linamix (Fr)**. Vannes, France, 10-25, Mdn, 2yo, 7 1/2fT. B-Eric Puerari & Mme Y Seydoux de Clausonne. *€145,000 yrl '08 ARQAUG.
Miss Zooter (Ire), f, 2, **Intikhab**--**Laraissa (GB)**, by **Machiavellian**. Leicester, Britain, 10-26, Mdn, 2yo, f, 5f 218ydsT. B-RathYork Stud. *£6,500 yrl '08 DONSEP.



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Vamanisi (Ire), f, 2, **Kalanisi (Ire)**--**Vamabushi (GB)**, by **Soviet Star**. Milan, Italy, 10-25, Mdn, 2yo, 1 1/8mT. B-Azienda Agricola Delle Groane.
Miss Julia (Fr), f, 2, **Oasis Dream (GB)**--**Yasdana (Fr)**, by **Octagonal (NZ)**. Compiègne, France, 10-26, Mdn, 2yo, f, 1 1/8mT. B-Gilles & Aliette Forien. *€55,000 yrl '08 ARQAUG.
Mr Jinx (Fr), c, 2, **Okawango**--**Soul Surfing**, by **Hennessy**. Nancy, France, 10-25, Mdn, 2yo, 9f 165ydsT. B-Appapays Racing Club. *€24,000 yrl '08 BBASEP.
Tullio Ostillio (Ity), c, 2, **One Cool Cat**--**Arabella Forever (GB)**, by **Alzao**. Rome, Italy, 10-25, Mdn, 2yo, 7f (AWT). B-Roberto Brogi.
Caroz (Fr), c, 2, **Sevres Rose (Ire)**--**Calling Grace (Fr)**, by **General Assembly**. Lyon-Parilly, France, 10-25, Mdn, 2yo, 1 1/4mT. B-R M, P, F A & V Giraud.
Anabis (Fr), g, 3, **Anabaa**--**Hispalis (Ire)**, by **Barathea (Ire)**. Le Pin Au Haras, France, 10-25, Mdn, 3yo, 1 3/8mT. B-A Head & R & E Bamford Ltd. *€75,000 yrl '07 DEAAUG.
Mille Souvenirs (Fr), c, 3, **Kouroun (Fr)**--**Marie Hayati (Fr)**, by **Double Bed (Fr)**. Agen, France, 10-25, Cond, 3yo, 9f 55ydsT. B-Mme Henri de la Chauvelais.
Tiger Village (GB), c, 3, **Tiger Hill (Ire)**--**Village (Ger)**, by **Acatenango (Ger)**. Compiègne, France, 10-26, Cond, 3yo, c/g, 1 1/4mT. B-S Vidal & Mmes S Vidal.