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**LUCKY AND YORK CO-HIGH WEIGHTS**

**Vale of York (Ire)** (Invincible Spirit {Ire}) and **Lookin at Lucky** (Smart Strike) are co highweighted at 126 pounds on The Jockey Club's 2009 Experimental Free Handicap. The two colts were one-two in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile, with Lookin at Lucky named Eclipse champion two-year-old. Noble's Promise (Cuvee), third in the Breeders' Cup Juvenile, was listed at 124 pounds. GI Hollywood Starlet winner **Blind Luck** (Pollard's Vision) and GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies winner **She Be Wild** (Offlee Wild) top the fillies' division at 123 pounds. All two-year-olds of 2009 who finished in the top four in U.S. graded or unrestricted races with purses over \$75,000 were eligible for



*Benoit*

weighting on the list, which has been published annually since 1935. The weights are compiled by a committee of racing secretaries and based on a hypothetical race at 1 1/16 miles on the dirt. This year's committee included Ben Huffman of Churchill Downs, P.J. Camp of the New York Racing Association and Thomas Robins of the the Del Mar Thoroughbred Club. The 126 pounds is the standard impost for top Experimental costs and is equal to the 2008 highweight, Midshipman (Unbridled's Song). The 123 pounds is standard for the filly division and is one pound below 2008 highweighted filly Stardom Bound (Tapit). Roman Ruler is the most well-represented stallion on the 2009 Experimental list with six, followed by Bernstein with five. Of the 175 juveniles weighted, 108 were bred in Kentucky, 34 in Florida and five each in California and Pennsylvania. **Cont. p2**

**EXPERIMENTAL HANDICAP - ALL SIRES**  
**3 or more representatives (\*freshman sire)**

<b>Stallion (Sire)</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Colts</b>	<b>Fillies</b>
* <b>Roman Ruler</b> (Fusaichi Pegasus)	6	4	2
<b>Bernstein</b> (Storm Cat)	5	5	0
<b>Maria's Mon</b> (Wavering Monarch)	5	2	3
<b>Tiznow</b> (Cee's Tizzy)	5	1	4
* <b>Kitten's Joy</b> (El Prado {Ire})	4	3	1
* <b>Proud Accolade</b> (Yes It's True)	4	4	0
<b>Pulpit</b> (A.P. Indy)	4	1	3
<b>Successful Appeal</b> (Valid Appeal)	4	1	3
* <b>Afleet Alex</b> (Northern Afleet)	3	2	1
<b>City Zip</b> (Carson City)	3	2	1
<b>Harlan's Holiday</b> (Harlan)	3	1	2
<b>Langfuhr</b> (Danzig)	3	2	1
<b>Speightstown</b> (Gone West)	3	1	2
<b>Tale of the Cat</b> (Storm Cat)	3	2	1
Trippi (End Sweep)	3	1	2
<b>Yes It's True</b> (Is It True)	3	1	2

**GLORIA UP TO CHALLENGE AT MEYDAN**

Most of the pre-race talk prior to Thursday's G3 Al Maktoum Challenge, Sponsored by Invasor, revolved around 2008 U.S. juvenile champion **Midshipman** (Unbridled's Song). However, it was Group 1 winner **Gloria de Campeao (Brz)** (Impression {Arg}) who proved his mettle by taking Meydan's opening night feature. **Forgotten Voice (Ire)** rallied from well off the pace to get second, while **Consul General (GB)** (Selkirk) was good enough for third. The 2008 GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile winner held on for



*Andrew Watkins photo*

fourth. "Of course it is great to ride the first winner [at Meydan] and extra special now," said winning rider Tiago Pereira, who was recording his 450th career victory. "This is a nice horse though and one we thought would love this new track." According to trainer Pascal Bary, the six-year-old will be targeted at the G1 Dubai World Cup in March. **Cont. p3**

**THIS WEEKEND'S NORTH AMERICAN GRADED STAKES**

<u>Date</u>	<u>Race</u>	<u>Track</u>
Jan. 30	GIII John B. Connally BC Turf H.	HOU
Jan. 31	GI Santa Monica H.	SA
	GII Forward Gal S.	GP

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## Triple Threats

### MCPEEK SOPHS ARRIVE AT GULFSTREAM

**Noble's Promise** (Cuvee) and **Beautician** (Dehere) arrived at trainer Ken McPeek's barn at Gulfstream Tuesday from California. Noble's Promise, winner of last year's GI Dixiana Breeders' Futurity and third in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile, ended his juvenile campaign with a runner-up effort behind champion Lookin at Lucky (Smart Strike) in the Dec. 19 GI CashCall Futurity. Beautician was second in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies and GI Spinaway S. last season. She was last in the Dec. 20 GI Hollywood Starlet S. "They're both back to galloping and could breeze for the first time early in February," McPeek said Wednesday afternoon. "I don't have anything in particular planned for either one just yet."

#### 2009 EXPERIMENTAL FREE HANDICAP - MALES

Wt	Horse	Sire
126	Lookin At Lucky	<a href="#">Smart Strike</a>
	Vale of York (Ire)	<a href="#">Invincible Spirit (Ire)</a>
124	Noble's Promise	<a href="#">Cuvee</a>
123	Buddy's Saint	Saint Liam
122	Pounced	<a href="#">Rahy</a>
122	Super Saver	<a href="#">Maria's Mon</a>
120	Piscitelli	Victory Gallop
119	Aikenite	<a href="#">Yes It's True</a>
119	D' Funnybone	<a href="#">D'wildcat</a>
118	Bridgetown	<a href="#">Speightstown</a>
118	Make Music for Me	<a href="#">Bernstein</a>
117	Awesome Act	<a href="#">Awesome Again</a>
	Dublin	<a href="#">Afleet Alex</a>
	Homeboykris	<a href="#">Roman Ruler</a>
	Interactif	<a href="#">Broken Vow</a>
116	Discreetly Mine	<a href="#">Mineshaft</a>
	Jackson Bend	Hear No Evil
	The Program	<a href="#">Harlan's Holiday</a>
115	Aspire	<a href="#">Tale of the Cat</a>
	Backtalk	<a href="#">Smarty Jones</a>
	John Scott	Bertrando
	Jung Man Scott	Freud
	Pulsion	<a href="#">Include</a>
	Rule	<a href="#">Roman Ruler</a>
114	Smiling Tiger	Hold That Tiger
	Uh Oh Bango	Top Hit
113	American Lion	<a href="#">Tiznow</a>
	Dean's Kitten	Kitten's Joy
	Dixie Band	<a href="#">Dixie Union</a>
	Gallant Gent	<a href="#">Yankee Gentleman</a>
	Roman Invasion	<a href="#">Roman Ruler</a>
	Who's Up	Graeme Hall
112	Thiskyhasnolimit	<a href="#">Sky Mesa</a>
	William's Kitten	Kitten's Joy

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#### 2009 EXPERIMENTAL FREE HANDICAP - FILLIES

Wt	Filly	Sire
123	Blind Luck	<a href="#">Pollard's Vision</a>
	She Be Wild	<a href="#">Offlee Wild</a>
121	Hot Dixie Chick	<a href="#">Dixie Union</a>
120	Beautician	<a href="#">Dehere</a>
	Negligee	<a href="#">Northern Afleet</a>
119	Tapitsfly	<a href="#">Tapit</a>
118	Biofuel	<a href="#">Stormin Fever</a>
	Mi Sueno	<a href="#">Pulpit</a>
	Sassy Image	<a href="#">Broken Vow</a>
116	Always a Princess	Leroidesanimaux (Brz)
	Awesome Maria	<a href="#">Maria's Mon</a>
	Devil May Care	<a href="#">Malibu Moon</a>
	Rose Catherine	<a href="#">Speightstown</a>
114	Tizahit	<a href="#">Tiznow</a>
113	Ailalea	<a href="#">Pulpit</a>
	Quiet Temper	<a href="#">Quiet American</a>
112	Amen Hallelujah	Montbrook
	House of Grace	<a href="#">Limehouse</a>
	Protesting	<a href="#">A.P. Indy</a>
	The Mailet	<a href="#">Rock Hard Ten</a>
	Worstcasescenario	Forbidden Apple

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## BLACK-TYPE RESULTS

Thursday, Meydan, Dubai

**AL MAKTOUM CHALLENGE-G3, R1, \$200,000,**  
Meydan, 1-28, (NH) 4yo/up & (SH) 3yo/up, 1600m,  
1:38.48, std.

1--**GLORIA DE CAMPEAO (BRZ)**, 125, h, 6, by **Impression (Arg)**

1st Dam: **Audacity (Brz)**, by **Clackson (Brz)**

2nd Dam: **Orient Girl (Arg)**, by **Farnesio (Arg)**

3rd Dam: **Uruguay (Arg)**, by **Martinet (Arg)**

O-Estrela Energia Stables; B-Haras Santarem (Brz);  
T-Pascal Bary; J-Tiago Pereira; \$120,000. Lifetime  
Record: G1SW-Mal, G1SP-UAE & Brz, 22-8-4-3.

2--**Forgotten Voice (Ire)**, 125, g, 5, **Danehill Dancer (Ire)**--

Asnieres, by Spend a Buck. O-Susan Roy;  
B-Swettenham Stud & Ben Sangster (Ire); T-Jeremy  
Noseda; \$40,000.

3--**Consul General (GB)**, h, 6, **Selkirk**--West Dakota, by

Gone West. (\$59,000 HRA '07 TATHIT). O-Prince  
Jalawi Bin Saud Bin Abdulaziz; B-Juddmonte Farms  
(GB); T-Nawaf Fihan Al Mandeel; \$20,000.

Margins: 1/2, 2 3/4, 2 1/4.

Also Ran: Midshipman, Premio Loco, Without a Prayer,  
Lovelace, Otaared, Hunting Tower, Al Samha, Ocean's  
Minstrel, Philario, Tam Lin, My Indy.

A Group winner in his native Brazil, the globe-trotting  
Gloria de Campeao was good enough to be runner-up in  
this race as well as the G2 Maktoum Challenge, Round  
3 during the 2008 season. Back for another try in this  
test last season, the bay could do no better than fifth  
behind My Indy (Arg) (Indygo Shiner) and had to settle  
for fourth behind that rival in the G3 Maktoum Chal-  
lenge, Round 2 in February. The Brazilian-bred posted  
an easy handicap score a few weeks after that effort,  
then found only Well Armed (Tiznow) too tough in Nad  
al Sheba's final renewal of the G1 Dubai World Cup in  
March. Sent to Kranji for the G1 Singapore Cup in May,  
Gloria de Campeao just held on for the victory over  
Presvis (GB) (Sakhee) before concluding his 2009 cam-  
paign with a seventh behind Gio Ponti (Tale of the Cat)  
in the G1 Arlington Million in August. **Click for the [Rac-  
ing Post chart](#).**

## In Other News...

A Daily Roundup of  
Racing Articles in Other Media

**[This time, Lawmakers Must Not Fail New York Racing](#)**  
John Pricci, [HorseRaceInsider.com](#)

**[Racing facing a dire future if reforms are not speeded  
up](#)**

*Ladbroke executive says sport in UK must find ways  
to become more popular*

Chris Cook, [London Guardian](#)



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**BLANC CONFIDENT WITH JERANIMO**

**Jeranimo** (Congaree), third in last year's GI San Felipe S., will earn his first black-type victory in Saturday's Sunshine Millions Classic at Santa Anita. The four-year-old is coming off a 6 1/2-furlong allowance win in Arcadia Jan. 13. "I think he fits well in the race," jockey Brice Blanc said of his mount in the nine-furlong event.



*Benoit*

"He comes from behind and there's quite a bit of speed in the race. He tries hard all the time, and his last race was his best race." Jeranimo, who ended his sophomore campaign with a ninth-place effort in the GI Malibu S. has never been nine furlongs, but Blanc is not worried

about the distance or his mount's inside draw. "He really put it together in his last race," the Frenchman said. "This is the first time he's going a mile and an eighth, but he's gone a mile and a sixteenth a couple of times last year. The extra eighth shouldn't be a huge problem, but we'll find out. The inside post shouldn't be a problem, either, because, on paper, there's a lot of speed and he's a pretty easy-going horse. He's got natural speed and you can place him pretty much where you want. He's actually not showing as much speed htis year as he did last year as a three-year-old. He's a little more laid back now."

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**PREVIEWS**

**Saturday, Flemington, Australia**

**COOLMORE LIGHTNING S.-G1, A\$500,000, 3yo/up, 1000mT**

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	8	Duporth (Aus)	Red Ransom	Arnold	Moody	129
2	7	Cannonball	Catienus	Valenzuela	Ward	129
3	13	Nicconi (Aus)	Bianconi	Oliver	Hayes	129
4	10	Burdekin Blues (Aus)	Sequalo (Aus)	Scriven	Baldwin	129
5	4	Seeking Attention (Aus)	Excd and Exl (Aus)	Clark	A Cummings	124
6	5	Starspangledbanner (Aus)	Choisir (Aus)	Nikolic	Corstens	121
7	6	Shellscape (Aus)	Dane Shadow (Aus)	Brown	Waller	121
8	1	Wanted (Aus)	Fastnet Rock (Aus)	Rawiller	Moody	121
9	12	Governance (Aus)	Flying Spur (Aus)	McEvoy	Snowden	121
10	3	Honest Truth (NZ)	Hussonet	Robl	Thmpson	121
11	11	Headway (Aus)	Chrgc Fwrđ (Aus)	Nolen	Moody	115
12	2	Irish Lights (Aus)	Fastnet Rock (Aus)	Boss	Hayes	115
13	9	Sister Madly (Aus)	Redte's Chce (Aus)	Williams	A Cummings	115

**Saturday, Wellington, New Zealand**

**HARCOURTS THORNDON MILE H.-G1, NZ\$200,000, 3yo/up, 1600mT**

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	13	Culminate (NZ)	Elnadim	Innes	McKee	126
2	18	Eel Win (NZ)	San Luis (Aus)	Riddell	Pitman	126
3	2	Run Like Al (NZ)	Al Akbar (Aus)	Spratt	Good	126
4	5	Tavistock (NZ)	Montjeu (Ire)	Waddell	Campbell	123
5	7	Tell a Tale (Aus)	Tale of the Cat	McDonald	Walker	123
6	14	Wall Street (NZ)	Montjeu (Ire)	Lammas	Lynds	121
7	17	Mill Duckie (NZ)	Magic Ring (Ire)	Bosson	Collett	120
8	9	Stupendous (NZ)	Pentire (GB)	Myers	Myers	120
9	16	Irish Opera (NZ)	Stravinsky	Coleman	McKee	119
10	8	Il Quello Veloce (NZ)	Captain Rio (GB)	Harris	Sargent	119
11	1	La Etoile (NZ)	Thorn Park (Aus)	Calder	Jms/Mrblli	119
12	6	Dancing Jess (NZ)	Danske (NZ)	Allpress	Bothwells	117
13	12	Possum (NZ)	Electronic Zone	Taylor	Georgetti	117
14	15	Juice (NZ)	Bertolini	DuPlessis	Wheeler	115
15	4	Spirits Bay (NZ)	Stravinsky	Grylls	Kelso	115
16	10	Dawson Falls (NZ)	San Luis (Aus)	Myers	Belsham	115
17	11	Scarlet Vanhara (NZ)	Van Nistelrooy	Sweeney	Elliot	115
18	3	Firebolt (NZ)	Stravinsky	Cameron	Jms/Mrblli	115

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“Even as a horse who competed mostly on turf, Gio Ponti had the type of season that would be good enough for Horse of the Year honors in most years.”

– *Ed DeRosa, Thoroughbred Times*

# GIO PONTI

“the summer had not even ended when GIO PONTI locked up the Eclipse Award as North America’s champion male turf horse.”

– *Jason Shandler, Bloodhorse*



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**Sunday, Santa Anita**

**SANTA MONICA H.-GI**, \$250,000, 4yo/up, f/m, 7f (AWT)

PP HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1 Diamondrella (GB)	Rock of Gibraltar (Ire)	Gomez	Stevens	119
2 Cherryblossommiss	Langfuhr	Quinonez	Sadler	111
3 Evita Argentina	Candy Ride (Arg)	Rosario	Sadler	120
4 Captain's Lover (SAf)	Captain Al (SAf)	Solis	Pletcher	114
5 Made for Magic	Cape Canaveral	Berrio	Avila	114
6 Free Flying Soul	Quiet American	Smith	Headley	118
7 Proviso (GB)	Dansili (GB)	Bejarano	Mott	120
8 Tuscan Evening (Ire)	Oasis Dream (GB)	T Baze	Hollendorfer	119
9 Czechers	Indian Charlie	Sutherland	Glatt	113
10 Sweet August Moon	Malibu Moon	Talamo	Koriner	118
11 Gabby's Golden Gal	Medaglia d'Oro	Garcia	Baffert	118
12 Gilded Gem	Smarty Jones	Espinoza	Baffert	114

**Sunday, Gulfstream Park**

**FORWARD GAL S.-GII**, \$150,000, 3yo, f, 7f

PP HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1 Touching Beauty	Tapit	Castellano	J Jerkens	116
2 Cascading	A.P. Indy	Velazquez	J Carroll	116
3 Si Senora	Forest Danger	Cruz	Mackinze	116
4 Joanie's Catch	First Tour	Lopez	Rose	116
5 Richiegirlogonewild	Wildcat Heir	Thornton	Rivelli	118
6 She Be Wild	Offlee Wild	Leparoux	Catalano	122
7 Ailalea	Pulpit	Prado	Pletcher	116
8 Carphonic	Lion Heart	Arango	White	116
9 Romantic Hideaway	City Zip	Pino	Sacco	118
10 Criolla Bonita	Lightnin N Thunder	Lezcano	Mackinze	118
11 Sister Resistor	Jump Start	Desormeaux	McPeck	116
12 Bickersons	Silver Deputy	Bravo	Breen	116
13 Liam's Dream	Saint Liam	Rose	Dutrow	116

# Op/ed feedback

While much of what Mr. Johnsen says is true (*TDN Op-Ed, Thursday, Jan. 28*), there are some valid reasons why these truths exist and will continue to exist. First off is the aging population at the racetracks. I have been going to the races for 60 years and that's how long I have heard that phrase. There is a very good reason for that. Young people have JOBS! They work every day!

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It's still the best game played with one's clothes on!  
--John Greathouse Jr.

### THIS DATE IN RACING HISTORY...

**January 29, 1960...**Future Kentucky Derby and Preakness winner **Carry Back** finished 10<sup>th</sup> in his first start ever, a three-furlong race for two-year-old maiden runners at Hialeah. Sired by Saggy, the only horse to defeat Citation during his three-year-old season, out of an undistinguished mare named Joppy, Carry Back became a popular runner and was dubbed, "the people's horse."

**January 29, 1973...**Forego, the Horse of the Year from 1974-76, broke his maiden by eight lengths at Hialeah in his second career start.

**Northview PA Welcomes...**

# **Lido Palace (Chi)**

*Rich Man's Gold –  
Sonada (CHI),  
by Quick Decision*

## **The New 'Big Horse'**



**NEXTDOORNEIGHBOR** blasted home to take a 1 1/16 mi. maiden special weight by four lengths at Santa Anita on Jan. 24. Sent off as the 1.20-1 favorite he trounced a solid field of promising high-priced sophomores that sold for up to \$620,000. A member of LIDO PALACE's third crop, out of the graded stakes-winning mare FENCELINE NEIGHBOR (by Wild Rush), NEXTDOORNEIGHBOR earned national

acclaim with this victory by being tabbed a TDN Rising Star. The sky's the limit for eyecatching NEXTDOORNEIGHBOR!

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 NORTH AMERICA

**JUSTIN VITEK DIES FROM LEUKEMIA** Jockey Justin Vitek, diagnosed with myelogenous leukemia in February 2008, passed away yesterday at M.D. Anderson Cancer Center in Houston, Texas, according to published reports. He was 36. A native of Wallace, Texas, Vitek began riding in 1993 at Sunland Park. He plied his trade on several different circuits before settling in the Midwest, and his biggest career victory came at Churchill Downs when he piloted Miss Pickums in the 2000 GII Golden Rod S. After undergoing chemotherapy in 2008, he was found to be in remission, and returned last winter to ride



Vitek & Drury  
Pat Lang photo

four mounts at Turfway Park. Vitek brought home 739 career winners from 8,056 mounts, who earned over \$9.7 million, according to equineline. "He was one of the most genuinely honest, nice, sincere people I've ever had the pleasure to meet," trainer Tom Drury told *Courier Journal*. "He used to always joke that he wanted to go out with his boots on, so he'll have his [riding] pants and boots. He's actually going to wear the silks of the last race that he won before he was diagnosed with leukemia." Vitek is survived by his six-year-old daughter Bree and his mother Kathy. Services will be held in his hometown.



Vitek with his daughter on Valentine's Day 2009  
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**PAPA CLEM TO LEGACY RANCH** Papa Clem (Smart Strike--Miss Houdini, by Belong to Me) will stand stud at Legacy Ranch in Clements, California. The four-year-old will stand for \$7,500. Papa Clem, winner of last year's GII Arkansas Derby, was runner-up in the 2009 GII Louisiana Derby and GII Robert B Lewis S. and finished third in the GI Malibu S. He began his four-year-old campaign with a victory in the GII San Fernando S., but was retired last week with an ankle injury. On the board in seven of 13 starts, the Bo Hirsch homebred won three times for trainer Gary Stute and earned \$1,121,190.



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## DRF/NTRA NATIONAL HANDICAPPING CHAMPIONSHIP KICKS OFF IN LAS VEGAS

He started with a mythical bankroll of \$120. How much did the 2009 NTRA Handicapper of the Year John Conte have to win at the windows to take last year's



John Conte (right)  
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Daily Racing Form/NTRA National Handicapping Championship in Las Vegas? Not much, as it turns out. Conte's final bankroll of \$228 was good enough to take home the top prize of \$500,000 a year ago, and he will be back to defend his title against 301 rivals in this year's edition of the Championship, to be held Jan. 29-30 at the Red Rock Resort in Vegas. Conte, a 69-year-old horseplayer from Oceanside, New York, quipped while being honored during the Eclipse Awards ceremony that his handicapping skills were once so poor that, when he made a bet, "The teller would rip up my tickets before he handed them to me." But the former *New York Post* handicapper now has his own tout sheet, "Grass is Greener." It is not easy to amass big payoffs in the Championship. The contestants are restricted to making \$2 win and place bets in 15 races per day. Eight of the races are mandatory for all contestants, and seven can be chosen from a list of eligible races. The races for the contest are from Aqueduct, Fair Grounds, Golden Gate Fields, Gulfstream Park, Laurel Park, Oaklawn Park and Santa Anita Park, and are selected by a panel made up of *Daily Racing Form* National Handicapper Mike Watchmaker, NTRA Senior Director of Media Relations Eric Wing and Red Rock Casino Director of Race and Sports Jason McCormick. To eliminate the chance that getting lucky on a huge longshot will impact the results of the Championship, there is a cap on the payoffs: 20-1 for win wagers and 10-1 for place wagers. And the contestants have to bet a single horse to win and place in each race--the win and place bets can't be split between two horses.

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### How to Qualify...

More than 120,000 people competed for a spot at the 2009 Championship, and there are several ways to qualify. DRF/NTRA sanction a series of tournaments around the country--there were 85 local tournaments at 50 different sites in North America last year--and the finishers in each get berths. The number of Championship berths, and the structure of the tournament (including entry fees and prizes), is decided by the host. Registered members of the National Handicapping Championship Tour (to become a member, or for a Tour schedule for 2010, click [here](#)) also accrue points at tournaments throughout the year, and the top point-getters also qualify. Handicappers can get qualified through the 20 on-line tournaments that will be offered in 2010 as well, and, of course, the previous year's winner is automatically in. **Cont. p3**

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**Yesterday's Results:**

**8th-GPX, \$43,000, Alw, Opt. Clm.** (\$100,000), C, 4yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:33 4/5, fm.  
**1--WASTED TEARS, 120, m, 5, Najran--Wishes and Roses (SW), by Greinton (GB).** O/B/T-Bart B Evans (KY). Lifetime Record: GSW, 12-7-1-0, \$256,598. \* 1/2 to Wishingitwas (Sandpit {Brz}), MSW, \$273,870; Almost Certain (Favorite Trick), SW, \$210,385.  
**2--Savoir Bien (Arg), 120, m, 5, Bernstein--Savilla (Arg),** by Numerous.  
**3--Drop a Line, 120, m, 6, Lemon Drop Kid--Bull's Crown,** by Holy Bull.  
 Margins: 1, 2HF, NK. Odds: 2.60, 3.20, 4.30.



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**3rd-GP (Alw)** 5yo mare **Cherokee Queen** (Cherokee Run) gives jock Jeremy Rose his 2000th career victory.  
**8th-GP (Alw)** 5yo mare **Wasted Tears** (Najran), off since taking GIII Ouija Board, returns a winner.  
**3rd-SA (Alw)** 4yo filly **Unzip Me** (City Zip) flies gate to wire.

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**8th-GPX cont.**

Wasted Tears emerged as a rock-solid turfer during the second half of 2008 and spring of 2009, winning five of six--her lone loss coming in a dirt stakes--including an 11-1 upset in last May's GIII Ouija Board S. at Lone Star. Sidelined since that breakout win, she was returning here off the eight-month break as public's second choice. Trainer Bart Evans's homebred assumed her typical position at the head of affairs, clicked off :23 3/5, :47 2/5 and 1:11 splits and, after kicked away in upper stretch, held the running-on Savoir Bien safe. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

**3rd-GPX, \$41,000, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$80,000), NW3\$X, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:40 1/5, fm.**

- 1--**CHEROKEE QUEEN, 120, m, 5, Cherokee Run--Virginia Bee, by Virginia Rapids.** O/B-J Mack Robinson (KY); T-H Graham Motion. Lifetime Record: SW, 16-4-5-1, \$173,742.
  - 2--**Mystic Miracle, 120, f, 4, Unbridled's Song--Mystic Lady, by Thunder Gulch.**
  - 3--**Forest Trail, 120, m, 5, Forest Wildcat--Manoa, by Seeking the Gold.**
- Margins: 1HF, 1HF, 1 3/4. Odds: 2.00, 6.00, 3.10.



Jeremy Rose (second left) celebrates his 2000th

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**3rd-GPX cont.**

Cherokee Queen hadn't won in six starts since taking the Possibly Perfect S. at Arlington last June, most recently running second in a Gulfstream optional claimer Jan. 6. She was the tepid pick in this eight-horse affair and got a good early trip, racing off the front rank along the rail before taking closer order on the backstretch. Tipped wide under Jeremy Rose, she hit the head of the stretch with a full head of steam and was always going best in the lane. It was the 2,000th career victory for Rose. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

**2nd-GPX, \$35,000, Msw, 4yo/up, 6f, 1:10 1/5, ft. BIMINI (c, 4, Seeking the Gold--Cat Cay {MGSW, \$488,840}, by Pleasant Colony)** started three times at Belmont last spring and summer and finished fourth each time, the last a well-beaten try going six furlongs July 11. Off since, the Phipps homebred was offered a 7-2 chance in this comeback. The chestnut was up to track from the two path, moved to the front at the quarter pole and edged away to win by three lengths. Indian Bob (Indian Charlie) got up to nab place honors from fellow 8-1 shot Pax (Smarty Jones). Odds-on Pedrolino (Distorted Humor) was a no-excuse fifth. Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-0, \$28,000. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#) O/B-Phipps Stable (KY). T-Claude R McGaughey III.

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### CTT Board Meets:

The California Thoroughbred Trainers met Wednesday in Arcadia and officially seated new members. John Sadler was elected president and Darrell Vienna and Gloria Haley were elected vice presidents of the nine-member board. The board, sifting results of a recent poll of the membership, will be seeking the replacement of California's synthetic surfaces with "newly designed and composed natural surfaces," according to a release from the organization. The board is also committed to a "reunification of California horsemen under one organization," and it expressed the desire to merge with the Thoroughbred Owners of California. Meetings of the board are open to all CTT members.

### Yesterday's Results:

**3rd-SAX, \$61,478, Alw, Opt. Clm.** (\$62,500), NW2\$X, 4yo/up, f/m, a6 1/2fT, 1:12, fm.

1--**UNZIP ME, 121, f, 4, [City Zip](#)--Escape With Me, by [Arazi](#). O-Harris Farms Inc, Per Antonsen, Martin Jones, Marin & Donald Valpredo; B-Harris Farms Inc & Donald Valpredo (CA); T-Martin F Jones. Lifetime Record: 9-4-2-1, \$159,700.**

2--**Minute Limit (Ire), 119, f, 4, Pivotal (GB)--Magic Cove, by Kingmambo.** (90,000gns yrl '07 TATOCT).

3--**Dani Reese, 119, f, 4, High Demand--Cast of Characters, by Event of the Year.** (\$14,000 yrl '07 KEESEP).

Margins: 2, HF, 1HF. Odds: 1.80, 5.60, 5.20.

Harris Farm and Co. homebred Unzip Me, fifth in the restricted California Cup Distaff H. over this downhill course Oct. 3, returned to finish second against open company in a six-furlong dash at Hollywood Nov. 28. She came back in a similar event across town and wired the field in a sharp four-length winning effort. She kept her edge as the chalk in this, sprinting out to set :22.03 and :44.17 splits and, despite going wide while crossing the main track, burst away to win easily.

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### • ON THE WORKTAB •

#### GULFSTREAM

Pulsion (Include), 4f, :48.50, 11/21

#### PALM MEADOWS

Grasshopper (Dixie Union), 6f, 1:13.60, 1/2

#### PAYSON PARK

Consequence (El Prado {Ire}), 3f, :39.00, 2/2

## TODAY'S INSIGHTS

**7:07p HRTV 7th-SA, \$48K, Alw, 3yo, f, 1mT**  
Augustin Stables homebred **SMART SEATTLE** ([Smart Strike](#)) was tabbed a ☆ **"TDN Rising Star"** ☆ after taking her 5 1/2-furlong debut in a swift 1:02 2/5 on the grass at Saratoga last August. She finished second to subsequent Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies Turf heroine Taptisfly (Tapit) in the two-turn P.G. Johnson S. there Sept. 3, then was second again--beaten just a nose by House of Grace (Limehouse)--in the off-the-turf Jessamine S. over Keeneland's Poly Oct. 15. She was a 15-1 shot in the BC Fillies Turf and ran to those odds, finishing ninth, and was given some time to regroup before returning in this drop into allowance company. Arnold Zetcher's **Andina** ([Singspiel \(GB\)](#)), third on debut in Britain last May, closed to win a grassy Santa Anita maiden Oct. 10 at 7-1 odds. She hasn't raced since. [brisnet.com PPs](#)

## ★ AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS ★

### IN FRANCE:

**Duca del Borgo, c, 3, [Holy Bull](#).** See "Breeders' Edition, Europe."

**Paris Vegas, c, 3, [Maria's Mon](#).** See "Breeders' Edition, Europe."

### IN BRITAIN:

**Clever Omneya, f, 4, [Toccet](#)--Clever Empress (GB), by Crafty Prospector.** Kempton Park, Britain, 1-28, Hcp, 4yo/up, 7f (AWT). B-Lantern Hill Farm LLC.

\*\$125,000 yrl '07 KEESEP; 55,000gns 2yo '08 TATAPR; 9,500gns RNA HIT '09 TATHIT. \*\*1/2 to Terrific Challenge (Royal Academy), GSW-UAE & MSW-US, \$449,396.

**Vainglory, h, 6, [Swain \(Ire\)](#)--Infinite Spirit (SP-US & GB), by Maria's Mon.** Kempton Park, Britain, 1-28, Hcp, 4yo/up, 1m (AWT). B-Darley. \*5,000gns HIT '07 DONLIN. \*\*1/2 to Hunt down (Elusive Quality), G1SP-GB.

### • ON THE WORKTAB •

#### SANTA ANITA

Crisis of Spirit (Vindication), 4f, :48.80, 11/22

Conveyance (Indian Charlie), 5f, •:59.40, 1/25

Richard's Kid (Lemon Drop Kid), 7f, 1:25.00, 1/2

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**AFLEET ALEX** (Northern Afleet), Gainesway, \$40K, 232/20/2

9-GP, Msw, 1mT, +Sambista, \$15K KEE SEP yrl, 15-1

**CONSOLIDATOR** (Storm Cat), Darley, \$20K, 205/21/5

9-OP, Msw, 6f, Glowing Report, \$260K KEE SEP yrl

**KELA** (Numerous), Margaux, \$8K, 119/5/0

8-LRL, Aoc, 6f, Ragabash, \$20K OBS MAR 2yo, 4-1

**KITTEN'S JOY** (El Prado {Ire}), Ramsey, \$25K, 206/21/5

7-GP, Alw, 1mT, Becky's Kitten, \$37K KEE SEP yrl, 3-1

**MR. LIGHT (ARG)** (Numerous), Mill Ridge, \$7K, 6/0/0

5-SP6, Msw, 6f, +Mr Sex (ARG)

**OFFLEE WILD** (Wild Again), Darley, \$15K, 127/18/2

9-SUN, Alw, 6f, Tomball, 30-1

**OUR NEW RECRUIT** (Alphabet Soup), 28/2/0

7-GG, Aoc, 1 1/16m, Very Fair

**PROUD ACCOLADE** (Yes It's True), Bridlewood, \$4K, 85/15/2

8-LRL, Aoc, 6f, Angela's Memories, \$45K OBS APR 2yo, 4-1

**PURGE** (Pulpit), Vinery, \$20K, 250/15/1

9-GP, Msw, 1mT, Exiled Princess, \$115K OBS FEB 2yo, 3-1

5-GG, Msw, 1m, Brave Prospect

**ROCK HARD TEN** (Kris S.), Lane's End, \$50K, 150/10/3

9-GP, Msw, 1mT, Inner Groove, \$270K KEE APR 2yo, 7-2

**SINGLEINARY** (Sultry Song), Cardiff, \$5K, 72/3/0

7-SA, Aoc, 1mT, Dislitleliteomine, \$7K BAR MAY 2yo

**ST AVERIL** (Saint Ballado), MD Stallion Stn, \$6K, 61/3/0

8-LRL, Aoc, 6f, Jim's Prospect, 7-2

**WILDCAT HEIR** (Forest Wildcat), Journeyman, \$7K, 222/43/3

5-GG, Msw, 1m, Heir to Money, \$20K KEE SEP yrl

**WIMBLEDON** (Wild Rush), Valor, \$4K, 63/8/0

9-SUN, Alw, 6f, D G Wimbledon, 12-1

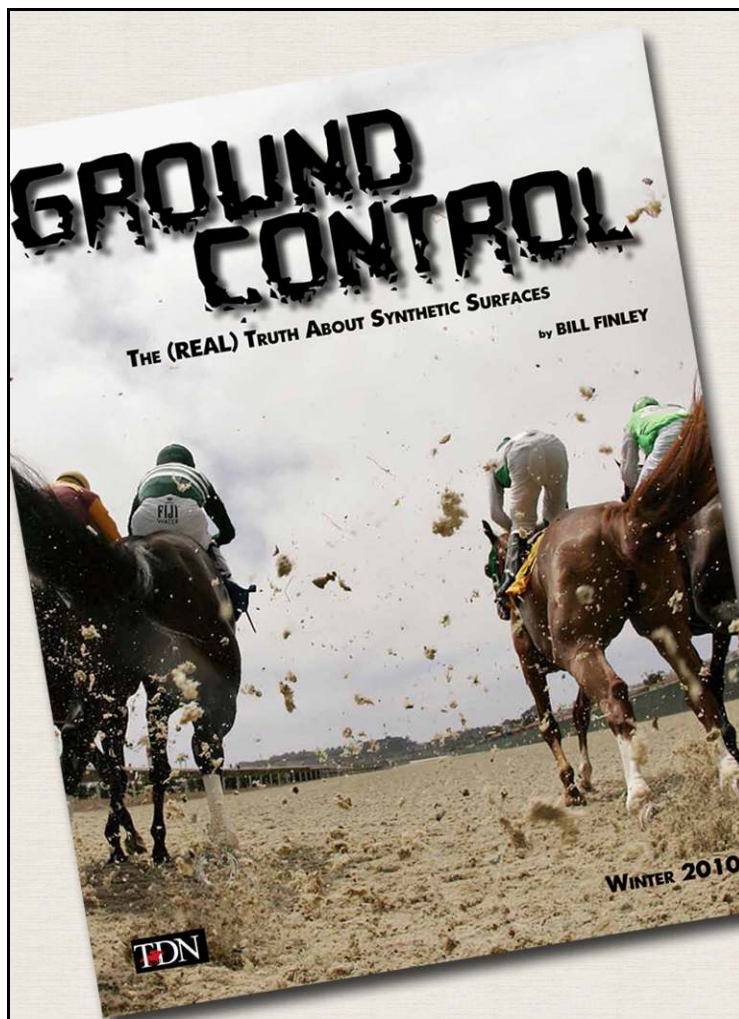
9-SUN, Alw, 6f, Chicks a Flyin, 2-1



**MCKEEVER AND ST LAWRENCE SPLIT**

Johnny McKeever and Oliver Gaisford-St Lawrence have announced that they are to go separate ways in an amicable ending of their firm after a decade. It has been confirmed that St Lawrence will be based at Aislabie Stud near Newmarket, while Johnny and Susie McKeever will stay at Black Bear Court in Newmarket as McKeever Bloodstock Ltd. "After 10 notable years of trading, we feel the time has come to go our separate ways," both said in a joint statement. "We will continue to cooperate closely, and will be sharing offices at the sales. We remain good friends."

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**HANDICAP RESULTS:**

**DUBAI, Meydan, 21.34**, 1-28, \$175,000, (SH) 3yo/up & (NH) 4yo/up +, 2000m, 2:06.50, std.

**WHISPERING GALLERY (GB)** (g, 4, [Daylami {Ire}](#)--[Echoes in Eternity {Ire}](#) {MGSW-Eng, \$241,555}, by [Spinning World](#)) triumphed in three of four starts in his native Britain, including a score in a 2000m handicap at Newmarket Aug. 8 followed by his latest victory while stretching to 2400m at York Aug. 19.



Andrew Watkins

In his first start of the season, the bay was in front soon after the break, led at every call and was in command late to win by 3 1/2 lengths over [Halicarnassus \(Ire\)](#) (Cape Cross {Ire}). "This place is fantastic and going to be awesome. It is

a big relief to get that first winner on the board," said Godolphin's point man Frankie Dettori. [Click for Emirates Racing Result](#). Lifetime Record: 5 starts, 4 wins, 0 places. O-Godolphin; B-Darley; T-S bin Suroor.

**DUBAI, Meydan, 23.05**, 1-28, \$110,000, 3yo (SH) & 4yo (NH), 1400m 1:24.805, std.

**LEAHURST (IRE)** (g, 4, [Verglas {Ire}](#)--[Badee'a {Ire}](#), by [Marju {Ire}](#)) graduated over the Polytrack at Wolverhampton last April before finishing runner-up on the sod at Haddock in May. When returned to the all-weather track at



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Wolverhampton for his most recent start, the gelding found his way back to the winner's circle and was looking to remain undefeated over the synthetic this time. Content to track the early leaders, the grey took over 300 meters out and drew clear to hand [Aranel \(Ire\)](#) (Hawk Wing) a 2 1/2-length defeat. The 95,000gns TATOCT yearling is a 1/2 to [Dunelight \(Ire\)](#) (Desert Sun {GB}), SW & MGSP-Eng, \$398,649. [Click for Emirates Racing Result](#). Lifetime Record: 5 starts, 3 wins, 1 places.

O-Susan Roy; B-D & B Egan; T-Jeremy Nosedá.

**CONDITIONS RESULTS:**

**DUBAI, Meydan, 18.44**, 1-28, \$50,000, 3yo, f, 1400m 1:26.63, std.

**RAIHANA (AUS)** (f, 3, [Elusive Quality](#)--[Esubooh {Aus}](#), by [Sunday Silence](#)) graduated at second asking while under the tutelage of Mike de Kock in South Africa and was looking for her second straight victory in the trial



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for the Feb. 11 UAE 1000 Guineas. Settled in midpack early, the Australian-bred closed on the front rank 500 meters out, took over late and drew clear to win by an easy 3 1/4-length margin over [Waasemah \(KSA\)](#) (Dynever). The victory was the first of two recorded by the combina-

tion of trainer Mike De Kock, jockey Christophe Soumillon, and owner Sheikh Mohammed Bin Khalifa Al Maktoum. [Lizard's Desire \(SAf\)](#) (Lizard Island {Aus}) landed the 1950m handicap later on the card. [Click for Emirates Racing Result](#). Lifetime Record: 3 starts, 2 wins, 1 places.

O/B-Sh Mohd bin Khalifa Al Maktoum; T-Mike de Kock.

**HANDICAP RESULTS:**

**DUBAI, Meydan, 20.50**, 1-28, \$120,000, (SH) 3yo/up & (NH) 4yo/up, 1200m 1:13.56, std.

**SIR GERRY (g, 5, [Carson City](#)--[Incredible {Fr}](#), by [Indian Ridge {Ire}](#))** Lifetime Record: GSW & G1SP-GB, 16 starts, 4 wins, 0 places. O-Mrs G Gallighan; B-Dr Catherine Wills; T-John Best. \*\$210,000 2yo '07 TATAPR.

**DUBAI, Meydan, 20.05**, 1-28, \$110,000, (SH) 3yo/up & (NH) 4yo/up, 2200m 2:20.49, std.

**DRUNKEN SAILOR (IRE)** (g, 5, [Tendulkar--Ronni Pancake {GB}](#), by [Mujadil](#)) Lifetime Record: SP-Stp-Ire, 22 starts, 6 wins, 6 places. O-Samanda Racing; B-Cyril Kiernan; T-Luca Cumani.

**DUBAI, Meydan, 19.20**, 1-28, \$110,000, 3yo (SH) & 4yo (NH), 1900m 2:02.35, std.

**LIZARD'S DESIRE (SAF)** (g, 4, [Lizard Island {Aus}](#)--[Annsfield {SAf}](#), by [Northfields](#)) Lifetime Record: GSW-SAf, 14 starts, 5 wins, 4 places. O-Sh Mohd bin Khalifa Al Maktoum; B-A J Boshoff; T-Mike de Kock.

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## AUSTRALASIA



## SOUTH AMERICA



### SON OF FASTNET ROCK TOPS MM PERTH A

yearling colt by Fastnet Rock (Aus) secured the top price of A\$180,000 (A\$1 = US\$0.89509) during Thursday's second day of the Magic Millions Perth Yearling Sale at Belmont. Offered by Kambula Stud, acting as agent for Woodside Park Stud, the colt was purchased by Denise Martin's Star Thoroughbreds. "He has everything pointing toward him being a runner," said Martin. The bay--who will be conditioned by trainer Gai Waterhouse--is out of the unraced nine-year-old mare Munchie (Aus) (Snippets {Aus}), who is a daughter of Group 3 winner Eichtercua (Petorius {Ire}). "I love the Fastnet Rocks," said Martin. "He's such a young, hot sire and until now, it's been difficult to secure a nice one. Gai and Greg [Nash, advisor/vet] thought he was one of the top picks of the sale." The sale continues today with a session beginning at 4 p.m. For full results, go to [www.magicmillions.com.au](http://www.magicmillions.com.au).

### MAGIC MILLIONS PERTH YEARLINGS THURSDAY - TOP THREE LOTS

Hip	Sex	Sire	Dam	Price (A\$)
<u>165</u>	c	<u>Fastnet Rock (Aus)</u>	Munchie (Aus)	180,000
Consigned by Kambula Stud, agent for Woodside Park Stud Purchased by Star Thoroughbreds				
<u>117</u>	c	<u>Bletchley Park (Aus)</u>	Lots of Secrets (Aus)	150,000
Consigned by Dawson Stud Purchased by Yeoh Kheng Chye				
<u>124</u>	c	<u>Charge Forward (Aus)</u>	Madam's Way (Aus)	120,000
Consigned by Cayley Tbreds, agent Purchased by Caerau Park Pty Ltd				



### MAGIC MILLIONS PERTH SALE Thursday, January 28, 2010

CUMULATIVE	2010	2009
Catalogued	270	265
No. Offered	257	251
No. Sold	201	175
RNAs	56	76
% RNA	22%	30%
Gross (A\$)	8,351,000	6,876,500
Average (A\$) (% change)	41,547 (+5.7%)	39,294

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### SON OF GIANT'S CAUSEWAY TO STAND IN

**PERU Twisting Road** (Giant's Causeway--With a Twist, by Fappiano) will begin his stallion career during the Southern Hemisphere season at Peruvian stud farm Haras Fiesta, under the ownership of Guillermo Wu, according to *Todo Sport*. A \$300,000 2004 Keeneland September yearling purchase, the seven-year-old, won eight of 41 starts and earned \$194,792 in five racing seasons in North America. The bay is out of Grade III winner With a Twist and is a half to black-type winner Policy Matter (Topsider) and to stakes-placed Magic Cat (Storm Cat). The later, who is based in Texas, is already responsible for 2008 Texas champion and Horse of the Year, Stealth Cat.

## BREEDERS' EDITION AMERICA

### ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

**8th-OPX, \$37,000**, Opt. Clm. (\$17,500), NW1X, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:47, ft.

**FAR EAST (f, 4, Peaks and Valleys--East Is East {SW}, by Gone West)** Lifetime Record: 7-2-0-2, \$46,795. O-Pin Oak Stable. B-Pin Oak Stud LLC (KY). T-Donnie K Von Hemel.

**8th-LRL, \$32,000**, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000-\$20,000), NW2X, 4yo/up, 6f, 1:09 2/5, ft.

**HALF METAL JACKET (g, 5, Yes It's True--Full and Fancy {GSW, \$225,180}, by Marfa)** Lifetime Record: 20-5-6-2, \$152,890. O-Western Resources Racing LLC. B-Red Oak Farm Inc (FL). T-David Jacobson.

**7th-TAM, \$20,400**, Opt. Clm. (\$32,000), NW2X, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:45 3/5, ft.

**TECHNICALLY WICKED (m, 5, Tour d'Or--Technical Key {SW, \$123,913}, by Technology)** Lifetime Record: 30-8-9-4, \$121,315. O-Touchdown Stable. B-Cherokee River Ranch (FL). T-Robert A Raymond.

### ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

+ **Cajun Thief**, g, 3, **Entrepreneur**--Halo Kitty Kat, by Cat Thief. DED, 1-27, 5f, :59 2/5. B-J Adcock & Neal McFadden (LA). \*\$2,000 wing '07 LOUAUG.

**R Star**, c, 3, **Forest Camp**--Flaming Dixie, by Dixieland Band. OPX, 1-28, (C), 5 1/2f, 1:04. B-Oasis Racing Stables LLC (KY).



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**Shesoprovocative**, f, 3, **Oriente**--Wildcat Orchid, by Pirate's Bounty. SAX, 1-28, (R), (C), 5 1/2f (AWT), 1:03 3/5. B-Gregory Vela, Bran Jam Stables, Merola, Miriani, Cumo, Clark & Vela (CA). \*\$28,000 yrl '08 BESOCT.

**Black Gabriel**, c, 3, **Put It Back**--Monday Saint, by Sweetsouthern saint. LRL, 1-28, (C), 7f, 1:25 3/5. B-Harold J Plumley (FL). \*\$13,000 yrl '08 OBSAUG; \$37,000 2yo '09 OBSAPR.

**Top Feeling**, c, 4, **Explicit**--Keep the Feeling, by Kris S. SAX, 1-28, (S), 1mT, 1:35 3/5. B-Marvin Malmuth (CA).

+ **Zoares Land**, g, 4, **Graeme Hall**--Ilaro Court, by Seattle Slew. PEN, 1-28, 5 1/2f, 1:05 2/5. B-Eugene Melnyk (KY). \*\$8,500 RNA yrl '07 OBSAUG.

**Exclusive Game**, f, 4, **Redattore (Brz)**--Top of Our Game (MSW, \$366,039), by Steinlen (GB). GGX, 1-28, 6f (AWT), 1:11 4/5. B-Harris Farms Inc (CA).

**BREEDERS' EDITION  
EUROPE**

**CONDITIONS RESULTS:**

**FRANCE**, Cagnes-sur-Mer, 13.50, 1-28, €37,000, 3yo, 7 1/2fT, 1:46.61, vsf.

**TAGAR BERE (FR)** (c, 3, **High Yield--Arrondie {Fr}**, by **Inchinor {GB}**) Lifetime Record: SP-Fr, 11 starts, 4 wins, 7 places, €78,550. O-Gerard Lancry; B-Snc Regnier; T-Marc Pimbonnet.

**ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**

**Highland Bridge (GB)**, c, 3, **Avonbridge (GB)**--Reciprocal (Ire), by Night Shift. Kempton Park, Britain, 1-28, Mdn, 3-5yo, 7f (AWT). B-John Wotherspoon.

**Duca del Borgo**, c, 3, **Holy Bull**--Alone at the Alter, by Runaway Groom. Siracusa, Italy, 1-27, Cond, 3yo, 1 1/8m (AWT). B-Gregory Szymiski. \*\$55,000 RNA yrl '08 FTKJUL; \$13,000 2yo '09 OBSAPR.

**Paris Vegas**, c, 3, **Maria's Mon**--Tell Seattle, by A. P. Indy. Cagnes-sur-Mer, France, 1-28, Mdn, 3yo, c/g, 1 1/4m (AWT). B-Ocala Horses, LLC. \*\$45,000 yrl '08 KEESEP.

**Serva Padrona (Ire)**, f, 3, **Statue of Liberty**--Semiramide (Ire), by Persian Bold (Ire). Cagnes-sur-Mer, France, 1-28, Mdn, 3yo, f, 1 1/4m (AWT). B-Alex Pereira. \*€15,000 RNA yrl '08 BBAOCT.



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**Career Victory** Who: Jockey Jeremy Rose  
**#2,000** When: Thursday, Jan. 28  
 Where: 3rd race, Gulfstream Park  
 With: Cherokee Queen (Cherokee Run)



# FIRST-CROP CUMULATIVE SIRE LIST

## THROUGH WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 27TH

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Rank	Stallion	YOB	Crops	Earnings	Rnrs	Wnrs	BT Horses	BT Wnrs	GS Horses	GS Wnrs	G1S Wnrs
1	<b>Roman Ruler</b> Sire: Fusaichi Pegasus	2002	2	\$2,084,205	68	35	7	3	6	2	1
2	<b>Offlee Wild</b> Sire: Wild Again	2000	2	\$2,010,278	32	18	6	2	1	1	1
3	<b>Pollard's Vision</b> Sire: Carson City	2001	2	\$1,500,684	46	22	5	4	3	1	1
4	<b>Wildcat Heir</b> Sire: Forest Wildcat	2000	2	\$1,365,082	63	43	6	3	1	1	0
5	<b>Kitten's Joy</b> Sire: El Prado (IRE)	2001	2	\$1,215,678	44	21	8	5	2	0	0
6	<b>Dubawi (Ire)</b> Sire: Dubai Millennium (GB)	2002	2	\$1,160,149	67	37	5	2	5	2	0
7	<b>Proud Accolade</b> Sire: Yes It's True	2002	2	\$1,013,955	30	15	5	2	2	0	0
8	<b>Oratorio (Ire)</b> Sire: Danehill	2002	2	\$998,823	54	13	5	2	2	1	1
9	<b>Afleet Alex</b> Sire: Northern Afleet	2002	2	\$979,576	66	19	4	1	1	1	1
10	<b>Limehouse</b> Sire: Grand Slam	2001	2	\$958,741	54	17	3	3	0	0	0
11	<b>Closing Argument</b> Sire: Successful Appeal	2002	2	\$852,512	52	25	3	1	0	0	0
12	<b>Saint Liam</b> Sire: Saint Ballado	2000	1	\$829,466	53	15	3	1	1	1	0
13	<b>Leroïdesanimaux (BRZ)</b> Sire: Candy Stripes	2000	2	\$762,173	23	8	2	0	2	0	0
14	<b>Grand Reward</b> Sire: Storm Cat	2001	2	\$750,944	79	26	3	0	0	0	0
15	<b>Purge</b> Sire: Pulpit	2001	2	\$653,229	55	14	1	1	0	0	0
16	<b>Consolidator</b> Sire: Storm Cat	2002	2	\$629,287	63	20	4	1	1	0	0
17	<b>Whipper</b> Sire: Miesque's Son	2001	2	\$620,659	49	18	2	1	2	1	0
18	<b>Medallist</b> Sire: Touch Gold	2001	2	\$599,881	27	8	1	1	0	0	0
19	<b>Rock Hard Ten</b> Sire: Kris S.	2001	2	\$567,751	31	9	3	3	2	2	0
20	<b>Value Plus</b> Sire: Unbridled's Song	2001	2	\$566,606	49	18	1	0	1	0	0
21	<b>Motivator (Gb)</b> Sire: Montjeu (IRE)	2002	2	\$554,059	27	8	3	2	2	1	0
22	<b>Mobil</b> Sire: Langfuhr	2000	2	\$514,778	28	4	3	2	1	0	0
23	<b>Eurosilver</b> Sire: Unbridled's Song	2001	2	\$508,684	59	15	0	0	0	0	0
24	<b>Le Vie Dei Colori (GB)</b> Sire: Efsio (GB)	2000	1	\$486,798	25	14	4	2	3	1	0
25	<b>Arakan</b> Sire: Nureyev	2000	2	\$465,515	35	12	1	1	1	1	0