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DANEHILL DANCER COLT TOPS KARAKA

A colt by Danehill Dancer (Ire) topped yesterday's opening session of New Zealand Bloodstock's National Yearling Sale in Karaka with a final bid of NZ\$800,000 (US\$618,392). The bay colt, consigned by Cambridge Stud, was purchased by New Zealand buyer David Ellis. "He is a very athletic colt, the ideal type of horse for



Lot 179

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the Karaka Million, and we will be aiming him at the race," Ellis said. "It would be great to see him running in the New Zealand two-year-old Group 1 races and, if he is successful, perhaps race him in Australia as a three-year-old. He's a great colt, the real deal. He is by a hugely successful international sire out of a good Zabeel (NZ) mare, a fantastic broodmare sire whose daughters are proving valuable and highly successful at stud." The session-topping youngster is out of Ballycairn (NZ) (Zabeel {NZ}), and is a half-brother to group-placed Pure Harmony (NZ) (Stravinsky) and Galway Lass (NZ) (Rhythm). Ellis was the leading buyer on day one, taking home 14 horses for NZ\$2,458,500. "It is important to remember that we are in a recession, but good horses with good pedigrees that look the part, are selling very well," Ellis said. "There have been a few that we have not been able to buy and a few that went well above what we thought they would, so it has been tough buying at times. The bottom end of the sale is not as strong, which hasn't been helped by the weak domestic market." A colt by High Chaparral (Ire) was the day's second highest lot. Consigned by Windsor Park Stud, the yearling was purchased for NZ\$600,000 by Mark Casey's Surf Coast Racing. Out of Queen Caelia (NZ) (Sir Tristram {Ire}), the bay is a full-brother to group winner Fairy Oak (NZ). During yesterday's session, 180 yearlings grossed NZ\$29,861,000. The average fell 9.9 percent to NZ\$165,894, while the median decreased 7.1 percent to NZ\$130,000 compared to last year's opening session of the auction.

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PEDIGREE INSIGHTS

BY ANDREW CAULFIELD

Sunday, Santa Anita

SANTA MONICA S.-GI, \$250,000, SAX, 1-30, 4yo/up, f/m, 7f, 1:20 3/5, ft.

1--**SWITCH**, 123, f, 4, by [Quiet American](#)

1st Dam: Antoniette (GSW, \$399,140), by Nicholas

2nd Dam: Queen of Women, by Sharpen Up (GB)

3rd Dam: Tash, by Never Bend

(\$150,000 yrl '08 KEESEP). O-C R K Stable;

B-Calumet Farm (KY); T-J W Sadler; J-J Rosario;

\$150,000. Lifetime Record: 12-5-3-2, \$782,600.

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Even though he sired Real Quiet, who went desperately close to landing the 1998 Triple Crown, there seems every chance that Quiet American will always be best remembered for his daughters. Whereas Real Quiet remains his sire's only Grade I-winning son, Quiet American now has four Grade I-winning daughters, thanks to the recent victories of Switch in the La Brea S. and Santa Monica S. cont p3

TDN TODAY

Headline News..... 5 pages

FIRST DEFENCE
ANOTHER GENETIC MASTERPIECE

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Brilliant **Grade 1 Winner** First Defence is out of Honest Lady, a Grade 1 Winner by Seattle Slew and half-sister to Leading Sire Chester House.


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Karaka coverage cont.

New Zealand Bloodstock's Co-Managing Director Petrea Vela reflected on a mixed opening session. "The highlight of today has been the great international interest we've had at Karaka, with the Australian buying bench in particular probably as strong as we've ever had," Vela said. "But the increased Australian activity has been offset by the remarkable decrease in participation by the local buyers. Today, the New Zealand spend is down 32 percent compared with the first day last year, which has had an effect on the results. It was always going to be very hard to repeat the great results we had here last year, but the sale has started well and improved markedly over the course of the day. There's definitely some fire in the market--with the last two hours of selling averaging nearly NZ\$200,000--so hopefully some of that strength can roll over into tomorrow as well." Day two of the Premier Sale gets underway this morning at 11 a.m. and continues Wednesday with the three-day Select Sale.



NZB National Yearling Sale
Monday, Jan. 31, 2011

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SESSION TOTALS:	2011	2010
Catalogued	253	242
Offered	240	233
No. Sold	180	177
RNA	60	56
%RNA	25%	24%
Gross (NZ\$)	29,861,000	32,600,000
Average (NZ\$)	165,894 (-9.9%)	184,181
Median (NZ\$)	130,000 (-7.1%)	140,000

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NATIONAL YEARLING SALE
MONDAY'S TOP LOTS

Hip	Sex	Sire	Dam	Price (NZ\$)
<u>179</u>	colt	<u>Danehill Dancer (Ire)</u>	<u>Ballycairn (NZ)</u> Consigned by Cambridge Stud Purchased by D C Ellis	800,000
<u>001</u>	colt	<u>High Chaparral (Ire)</u>	<u>Queen Caelia (NZ)</u> Consigned by Windsor Park Stud Purchased by Surf Coast Racing Pty Ltd	600,000
<u>225</u>	filly	<u>Zabeel (NZ)</u>	<u>Cat Shmea (NZ)</u> Consigned by Curraghmore Stud Purchased by Connolly Bloodstock	550,000
<u>037</u>	colt	<u>Zabeel (NZ)</u>	<u>Seachange (NZ)</u> Consigned by The Oaks Stud Purchased by Hudson Conway Racing Pty Ltd	500,000
<u>233</u>	colt	<u>O'Reilly (NZ)</u>	<u>Chimeara (Aus)</u> Consigned by Pencarrow Stud Purchased by D C Ellis	480,000
<u>239</u>	colt	<u>Pentire (GB)</u>	<u>Clarissa (NZ)</u> Consigned by Curraghmore Stud Purchased by John O'Shea	480,000
<u>165</u>	colt	<u>High Chaparral (Ire)</u>	<u>A Real Princess (NZ)</u> Consigned by Seaton Park Ltd Purchased by J B Cummings	470,000
<u>097</u>	colt	<u>Redoute's Choice (Aus)</u>	<u>Taimana (NZ)</u> Consigned by Curraghmore Stud Purchased by John O'Shea	460,000
<u>243</u>	filly	<u>Zabeel (NZ)</u>	<u>Cold Shoulder (NZ)</u> Consigned by Wellfield Lodge Purchased by Strawberry Hills Stud Pty Ltd	450,000
<u>193</u>	colt	<u>Encosta de Lago (Aus)</u>	<u>Bennelong Belle (Aus)</u> Consigned by Cambridge Stud Purchased by Hong Kong Jockey Club	440,000



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Indeed, his total of 18 graded winners in the U.S. and Europe divide very unevenly between the sexes, with fillies outnumbering the males by 13 to five. As many as eight of Quiet American's daughters have scored at either Grade I or Grade II levels, whereas only two of his sons--Real Quiet and Fifty Stars--have achieved that high standard.



Quiet American
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And it looks as though Quiet American's legacy to the breed is going to be largely through his

broodmare daughters. Although Real Quiet's champion sprinter Midnight Lute has attracted three-figure books in his first two years at Hill 'n' Dale, he will do well to match the contribution that Quiet American's daughters are making to the breed. The Grade I-winning Cara Rafaela seems to have hit the jackpot in producing the highly promising young stallion Bernardini, while the stakes-winning Quiet Dance also excelled in producing Saint Liam. This winner of the Breeders' Cup Classic and the Horse of the Year title left only 90 foals, but three of them, including the very talented Havre de Grace, have so far become graded winners.

SWITCH, f, 2007

Quiet American	Fappiano	Mr. Prospector	Raise a Native
		Killaloe	Gold Digger
	Demure	Dr. Fager	Dr. Fager
		Quiet Charm	Pasadoble
Antoniette GSW, 19-9-0-2 8Fls, 4 Wnrs, 1 GISW	Nicholas	Danzig	Rough'n Tumble
		Lulu Mon Amor	Aspidistra
	Queen of Women 15-2-2-0 14 Fls, 8 Wnrs, 1 GSW	Sharpen Up (GB)	Nearctic
		Tash 16 Fls, 2 GSW	Cequillo
			Northern Dancer
			Pas de Nom
		Tom Rolfe	
		Sister Shu	
		Atan	
		Rocchetta (GB)	
		Never Bend	
		Natashka	

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Following **Point Given**, **Circular Quay** and **Sense of Style**, **J.B.'s Thunder** became his sire's latest top 2YO, when taking the 2010 **Gr.1 Breeders' Futurity** at Keeneland by 4 lengths.

- 01/29/11** **Wicked Thunder** 1st *Dancing Count Stakes-L.R. at Laurel Pk*
- 01/16/11** **Adirondack Summer** 1st *Dania Beach Stakes-L.R. at Gulfstream Pk*
- 01/01/11** **Monzon** 1st *Count Fleet Stakes-L.R. at Aqueduct*
- 12/26/10** **Shotgun Gulch** 3rd *La Brea Stakes-Gr.1 at Santa Anita*

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To a British observer like myself, it is somewhat surprising that the veteran son of Fappiano will shortly commence his 20th season at stud. On the evidence of what we saw on British racetracks, Quiet American was far from worthy of starting a stallion career. After being bought for \$300,000 as a yearling by Sheikh Mohammed, Quiet American went into training with Michael Stoute at Newmarket. Although the colt shaped well when second in a newcomers' race at Goodwood on his only start at two, he failed to fulfil that promise in two starts in modest company at three. Timeform rated his sophomore efforts no higher than 78, some 59 pounds below the year's best three-year-old.

The problem no doubt lay in the fact that his pedigree was geared far more towards American dirt than European turf. He was, after all, inbred 3x2 to Horse of the Year Dr. Fager, who ventured onto the turf only once in a 22-race career, and he is also inbred 4x3 to Cequillo.

Fappiano, the sire of Quiet American, was a dirt performer with a dirt pedigree. At 16.3, he was also bigger than many Europeans like, but his success with his American runners meant that Europeans were forced to take note. He had 27 runners in Britain and Ireland, but his only stakes winner was Defensive Play, who went on to greater achievements on his return to the U.S.

Naturally, this comparative lack of European success for Fappiano reflected on his stallion sons, and such as Unbridled and Cryptoclearance had only limited numbers of runners in Britain and Ireland. Quiet American's links to the Maktoum family ensured his stock were given a greater chance of proving themselves in Europe, and two of his daughters did well at two, with Loving Pride winning the G3 Prix d'Aumale and Warrior Queen finishing a close third in the G3 Queen Mary S. Even so, turf has played a minor role in his success story, providing nothing better than a handful of Grade III winners. This is very much in line with Quiet American's own career, which saw him show dramatic improvement when he was given his chance on American dirt.

He completed his three-year-old campaign with two victories at around nine furlongs in California, which earned him promotion to graded company at four. After a promising second in the GI Charles H. Strub S., Quiet American suffered a back strain that kept him out of action for over three months. However, he returned to defeat Bayakoa in the GIII San Diego H. in August before confirming his improvement with a second in the GI Woodward H.

Trainer Gary Jones then aimed Quiet American for the GI Breeders' Cup Classic, only to be denied a place in the line-up by the selection committee. Instead he turned out in the GI NYRA Mile a week later, when Quiet American defeated some of America's best sprinters by nearly five lengths in a time of 1:32.80.

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ATTENTION HORSEMEN

A special announcement concerning Equine Piroplasmis Testing

The Kentucky State Veterinarian's Office requires all horses seeking entrance to any Kentucky race track to be accompanied by a certificate demonstrating that the horse(s) was tested for equine piroplasmis by a C-ELISA assay for both T. equi and B. caballi and reported to be negative. The testing shall be performed and the results reported by a USDA approved laboratory during the 12 month period prior to entry onto the grounds.

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Quiet American's five-year-old campaign ended after only one start and he was retired in May, too late for the 1991 season. Quiet American was therefore six when he covered his first mares. He quickly justified his chance, with the Gradel-winning fillies Cara Rafaela and Hidden Lake emerging from a first crop of only 32 named foals. Now he has justified the continued support of breeders, with his 2007 crop--conceived when he was 20--producing not only Switch, but also Quiet Temper, winner of the GII Fair Ground Oaks in 2010 and back in the winner's circle at Gulfstream two days ago.

Switch was bred by Calumet Farm, which used to be home to her broodmare sire Nicholas. The career of this very well-connected son of Danzig was the reverse of



Switch *Benoit Photography*

Quiet American's. Starting in his native U.S., he scored over sprint distances on dirt at the ages of two, three and four before being transferred to England. He carried Henryk de Kwiatkowski's colors to three more successes, notably taking Germany's top sprint, the G2 Goldene Peitsche. Although lightly used on his retirement to stud in Britain, he sired the fast Irish filly Lidanna, now dam of the smart British gelding Yaa Wayl. Nicholas returned to Calumet, but his total output was 187 foals, and his only group/graded winners were Lidanna and Antoniette, the dam of Switch.

A multiple winner both on dirt and turf, Antoniette was hard to beat as a four-year-old, when her six victories from nine starts for Calumet featured the GIII Athenia H. over 1 1/16 miles on turf.

Nicholas certainly received some help in siring a filly as talented as Antoniette. Her dam Queen of Women was out of Tash, producer of four stakes winners, including the high-class European miler Mukaddamah. The next dam was Natashka, an Alabama S. and Monmouth Oaks winner who became one of those very rare mares with five group winners to her credit. For good measure, Switch's fifth dam Natasha was a daughter of the champion racemare Vagrancy. The top-class performers descending from this family include Distant Relative, Gold And Ivory and Ezzoud in Europe, and such as Anees, Elusive Quality and Grand Couturier in the U.S., so it isn't too surprising that Switch is developing into such a formidable performer.



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NORTH AMERICA

CHRISTIE SIGNS EXCHANGE WAGERING BILL

New Jersey Governor Chris Christie signed two bills Monday relating to horse race wagering, and vetoed a third. The first bill (A-2926) would legalize exchange wagering--bettor-to-bettor wagering that was popularized by the British company Betfair--in the state by issuing a license to the NJ Sports and Exposition Authority to develop and put in place such a wagering system. State Attorney General Paula T. Dow must approve of the license before it can be issued. "Expanding wagering options can only help boost our horse racing industry and tracks, and ensure New Jersey stays a step ahead of the rest of



Gov. Chris Christie
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the nation when it comes to innovative approaches," bill co-sponsor Assemblywoman Connie Wagner (D-Passaic) told *NewJerseyNewsRoom.com*. "This is a step forward for New Jersey Racing." The other bill (A-3200) would allow racetracks to use a single parimutuel pool for all wagers on a given race. This system, developed by a New York investment strategies company according to *Daily Racing Form*, would pool all wagered dollars into a single pool regardless of the bet, but would still pay out based on odds calculations while allowing for additional types of wagers. "We can never rest easy when it comes to ensuring our horse racing industry can succeed, but this is an aggressive start toward modernizing it and positioning it to succeed," co-sponsor Assemblyman John McKeon (D-Essex) told *NewJerseyNewsRoom.com*. Christie vetoed a bill that would make the process for approving and building off track betting facilities easier. The governor said in a statement, "I am recommending that the legislation be revised to clarify that negotiations concerning the transfer or assignment of offtrack wagering locations in the context of a potential sale or lease of a racetrack shall be deemed 'progress' toward the establishment of such facilities." Christie has not yet made it clear whether he is in favor of a bill that will give \$30 million from state casinos to racetracks for purses over the next three years. He has until Feb. 24 to sign or veto the bill.



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Andrew Caulfield, TDN, 29/07/08

- 1st **International S.-Gr.1**, from **Phoenix Tower** and **New Approach**.
- 1st **Prince of Wales's S.-Gr.1**, by 4 lengths.
- 1st **Prix Ganay-Gr.1**.
- 1st **Tattersalls Gold Cup-Gr.1**.
- 1st **King George VI & Queen Elizabeth S.-Gr.1**.
- 2nd **St James's Palace S.-Gr.1**, beaten a neck.



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CENTRAL



Yesterday's Results:

3rd-FGX, \$39,000, Msw, 3yo, 1m70y, 1:44 3/5, ft. SOUR (g, 3, [Lemon Drop Kid](#)--Visit, by Dixie Union) broke tardily in a Jan. 2 sprint over this track, but finished well to be second--beaten 5 1/2 lengths--to the highly regarded Machen (Distorted Humor), who returned to earn ☆ **"TDN Rising Star"** ☆ status Sunday when taking his route bow by five lengths over this oval. Well supported at 3-5 given that illustrious update, the bay stalked the early pace in second, swung out three wide from the stretch drive and drew clear to best Sockarooni (Dixieland Band) by 2 1/2 lengths. Indy Heir (A.P. Indy), who appeared to be pretty hot heading into the gate, never got into the mix and trailed home in sixth. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made](#). Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$30,800. O/B-Adele B Dilschneider (KY). T-Albert M Stall Jr.

5th-HOU, \$20,000, Msw, 3yo, 1m70y, 1:45 2/5, ft. SORGHO (c, 3, Storm Cat--Gombein, by Private Account), third over the turf course here Dec. 18, was ninth over that rain-softened surface Jan. 8. Backed down to 1-2 for his dirt bow, the bay was up to press the early pace and was allowed to drop back slightly on the backstretch. Back up to second with a sixteenth remaining, Sorgho drew clear late to graduate by two lengths over Jaded Angel (Shaquin). Sales history: \$70,000 yrl '09 KEESEP; \$32,000 RNA 2yo '10 OBSJUN; \$40,000 RNA 2yo '10 OBSMAR. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#). Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-1, \$15,950. O- William Don Bennett & Tony and Carl Bowling. B-Juddmonte Farms Inc (KY). T-William Don Bennett.

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A New Year Full of Winners

January

- 31st **North America's leading sire of winners in 2011 with 21 individual winners!**
- 29th **CARIBBEAN BEAU** - 3YO won \$32K MSW by 8 lengths for Fantasy Lane Stables
- DISKI DANCE** - 3YO was 2nd by nose in 6f Dancing Count S. at LRL. Lifetime record 6-3-2-0
- 27th **CLEAR PRAISE** - swept into the lead entering final furlong at Kempton and was soon well in command, bred by Juddmonte Farms
- SARAH'S SONG** - \$36K MSW win by 2 lengths at Oaklawn for the \$130K KEESEP yearling
- 26th **VELOCE CANZONE** - Debut \$38K MSW winner at Gulfstream, 3yo filly found a seam between leaders and spurred past in the final furlong for 1 1/4 length win, full sister to MGSW **SONGSTER**
- 23rd **STREAKIN' MOHICAN** - \$62K ALW/OC winner went wire-to-wire at Santa Anita to win by 1 1/4 lengths. The \$100K 2YO is trained Robert B. Hess, Jr.
- 22nd **SING IT AGAIN** - Mare went wire-to-wire to win ALW/OC by 2 1/2 lengths at Tampa
- 17th **STORMANDAPRAYER** - Wire-to-wire \$43K ALW winner by 3 1/2 in 1:10.93 for owner Bobby Flay and trainer Todd Pletcher.
- 15th **DIVINE MUSIC** - 3yo colt won \$41K ALW/OC at Fair Grounds for Pin Oak Stable
- 12th **CELTIC CHANT** - 3yo filly won 1 1/16m turf MSW by 1 3/4 lengths at Tampa Bay
- 10th **GEORGIA SONG** - Fair Grounds \$43K ALW/OC winner. Career record 11-3-2-4, hit the board in 7 starts at 2, incl. 3rd in Mazarine S.-**G3**
- 7th **BROADWAY LULLABY** - Wire-to-wire MSW winner at Turfway by 7 lengths
- 1st **ELECTORAL VOTE** - Wire-to-wire MSW, Turfway winner by 6 1/4 lengths, \$85,000 weanling won in 2nd start

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Preakness-Winning Jockey Dies:

Retired jockey Bill Harmatz passed away Jan. 27 at his home in Vista. A winner of 1,770 career victories, the Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania native recorded his biggest career score in the GI Preakness S. aboard Royal Orbit in 1959. Harmatz was based in California through most of his riding career, which spanned from 1953 to 1971. Other career highlights included wins in the American H., Bing Crosby H., California S. three times and Santa Anita Maturity three times. He received the George Woolf Memorial Jockey award in 1960, voted on by fellow riders, for demonstrating high standards of conduct on and off the track. Harmatz competed in the Kentucky Derby five times, with his best finish coming when fourth aboard Royal Orbit. He is survived by his wife Connie of 59 years, four children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren. A memorial service will be held Saturday, Feb. 5 at 11 a.m. at Harmatz's Vista Entertainment Center. Donations should be sent to Vista Rotary Foundation Polio Plus, P.O. Box 24, Vista, California, 92085.

EAST

Yesterday's Results:

3rd-PRX, \$55,800, Msw, 3yo, f, 6f, 1:10 4/5, my. OH SO BELLA (f, 3, [Afleet Alex](#)--Lucky Again {SW & GSP, \$139,545}, by Wild Again) was off to a slow start in her debut, but closed to be a respectable fifth going 5 1/2 panels here Nov. 21. Showing some signs of life to be fourth most recently over this track and trip Jan. 3, the grey was given a 3-1 chance this time. Asked to set the pace through opening splits of :22.05 and :45.07, the Pennsylvania-bred was comfortable in front with a sixteenth left to negotiate and cruised home a 10 1/4-length winner over Guest House (Ghostzapper). The winner is a full to Afleet Again, GSW, \$346,150. [Click for the brisnet.com chart or Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#) Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$41,850. O-Cash is King LLC. B-Roll Z Dice Racing Stable (PA). T-R Reid Jr.



First/Second-crop starters to watch: Tuesday, Feb. 1

*Sire (Sire's Sire), current farm, 2007 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/BlackTypeWnrs * Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)*
BLUEGRASS CAT (Storm Cat), Winstar Farm LLC, \$50K, 207/25/2 3-PEN, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Cybergrass, 4-1
SHARP HUMOR (Distorted Humor), WinStar Farm LLC, \$13K, 202/26/3 3-PEN, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Distorted Disciple, \$9K KEE SEP yrl, 5-1
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AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS

IN JAPAN:
Satono Daytona, c, 3, [Tapit](#)--Cherished Trick, by Phone Trick. Tokyo, 1-30, Novice, 7f. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$95,122. O-Hajime Satomi; B-Barbara Nelson & Richard Lugovich Jr; T-Sakae Kunieda. *\$65,000 wnlg '08 NYBOCT; \$95,000 RNA yrl '09 FTKJUL; \$250,000 2yo '10 FTFEB.
West Harbor, c, 3, [Mr. Greeley](#)--Harbor Springs (SW, \$123,033), by Vice Regent. Kokura, 1-29, Novice Race, 5f. Lifetime Record: 6-1-1-0, \$94,512. O-Mamoru Kato; B-Overbrook Farm; T-Kazuya Nakatake. *1/2 to Boston Harbor (Capote), Ch. 2yo, GISW, \$1,934,605. **\$160,000 yrl '09 KEESEP.

IN BRITAIN:
 + Falmouth Bay, c, 3, [Elusive Quality](#). See "Britain."

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EUROPE

HEAVYWEIGHTS RECEIVE ITBA HONOR His Highness The Aga Khan's Studs and Ballymacoll Stud were the beneficiaries of Special Recognition at the Irish Thoroughbred Breeders' Association's annual National Awards on Saturday. Lady O'Reilly was on hand to present the awards to representatives of the two major forces in recognition of their 50 years of breeding in Ireland. Reflecting on the state of the country's current standing, Chairman Dr. Dean Harron said in his welcoming speech, "Two weeks ago the World Thoroughbred Rankings were reported for two-year-olds, three-year-olds and older horses. More than 30 percent in the top 10 in each category were Irish-bred. We must remember that the Irish Turf Club has been around since 1790 and has survived numerous wars and recessions. Our breeding industry is founded on quality and the positive we can take from the current recession is that everyone in the industry is refocusing." In the Flat awards, top two-year-old filly went to Michael Tabor, Susan Magnier and Derrick Smith's G1 Moyglare Stud S. and G1 Prix Marcel Boussac winner **Misty For Me (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}); the two-year-old colt award was handed to Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum's G1 Racing Post Trophy hero **Casamento (Ire)** (Shamardal); heading the three-year-old filly category was Cristina Patino's four-time Group 1 winner **Snow Fairy (Ire)** (Intikhab) and the three-year-old colt was the G1 Irish Derby and G1 Irish Champion S. scorer **Cape Blanco (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}). Cape Blanco's all-powerful sire was named stallion of 2010, with Simon Kerrins of Tattersalls Ireland presenting the award to David O'Loughlin of Coolmore Stud, while bloodstock agent Peter Doyle and trainer Richard Hannon were presented with the award for contribution to the industry. The awards were concluded by the induction of Sir Edmund Loder into the Hall of Fame and he said of his family's historic Eyrefield Lodge Stud, "I took over the reins 50 years ago and my task has been to maintain the Admiration line, we are now 10 and 12 generations down."



BRITAIN

WEATHERBY TO SUCCEED DUKE OF DEVONSHIRE

The Duke of Devonshire will stand down as Her Majesty's Representative and Senior Trustee at Ascot following this year's Royal Meeting and will be replaced by Johnny Weatherby. Weatherby has been a Trustee at Ascot since 1997 and has been chairman of Ascot Authority Holdings Ltd since 2008. He is also chairman of the Weatherbys group of companies. Her Majesty has also appointed Sir Francis Brooke to serve as one of three Ascot Trustees. Weatherby and Brooke join Mark Davies, who has been a trustee since 2002.

North American Top 3yo Colts

(by earnings, through 1/31/11)
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Name (Sire)	Record	Earnings
1 Uncle Mo (Indian Charlie)	3-3-0-0	\$1,296,000
O-Repole Stable. B-D Michael Cavey Dvm (KY). T-Pletcher Todd A. \$160,000 wnlg 2008 KEENOV; \$220,000 yrlg 2009 KEESEP.		
2 Gourmet Dinner (Trippi)	7-4-1-1	\$909,660
O-Our Sugar Bear Stable. B-Ocala Stud & William J Terrill (FL). T-Standridge Steve W. \$40,000 2yo 2010 OBSAPR.		
3 Pluck (More Than Ready)	5-3-0-1	\$725,440
O-Team Valor International. B-Team Valor (KY). T-Graham Motion.		
4 Boys At Tosconova (Officer)	4-2-2-0	\$562,060
O-Jay Em Ess Stable Hot Racing Stable. B-Hertrich/Mccarthy Livestock LLC (KY). T-Dutrow Richard E. \$25,000 wnlg 2008 KEENOV; \$35,000 yrlg 2009 KEESEP.		
5 Comma To The Top (Bwana Charlie)	10-6-1-0	\$551,600
O-Barber Gary Birnbaum Roger & Tsujih. B-Richard Thompson & Linda Thompson (FL). T-Miller Peter. \$5,000 wnlg 2008 OBSOCT; \$22,000 2yo 2010 OBSAPR.		
6 J P's Gusto (Successful Appeal)	8-4-2-0	\$527,360
O-Gem Inc (Waken). B-Winstar Farm LLC (KY). T-Hofmans David. \$52,000 yrlg 2009 KEESEP.		
7 Decisive Moment (With Distinction)	6-2-1-3	\$426,330
O-Just For Fun Stable. B-Just For Fun Stables (FL). T-Arias Juan D.		
8 Clubhouse Ride (Candy Ride (Arg))	11-2-2-4	\$317,550
O-Six-S Racing Stable & Petralia Niko. B-Mr & Mrs Sidney H Craig & Jenny Cra (KY). T-Lewis Craig A. \$22,000 2yo 2010 BESJAN.		
9 Soldat (War Front)	6-2-4-0	\$314,300
O-Clarke Harvey A & Robertson III W C. B-Brookfield Stud LLC (KY). T-McLaughlin Kieran P. \$180,000 yrlg 2009 KEESEP.		
10 Madman Diaries (Bring The Heat)	6-3-2-0	\$307,821
O-Teel Robert & Ward Wesley. B-Wesley A Ward (FL). T-Ward Wesley A.		

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British Report Cont.

Yesterday's Results:

Wolverhampton, 16.50, Mdn, £2,700, 3yo, 7f 32yds (AWT), 1:32.34, stn.
 + **FALMOUTH BAY** (c, 3, **Elusive Quality**--Halo America {GISW-US, \$1,460,992}, by Waquoit), a \$190,000 KEESEP yearling, broke well and raced three-wide before working his way to the front after the first quarter. Tackled by Crafty Roberto (GB) (Intikhab) in the straight, the 4-6 favorite kept finding to repel that rival by 1 3/4 lengths. "He jumped a little bit keen and was a bit green in the straight, but he's done it well," jockey Joe Fanning said. "I'd say there would be improvement there as well." Falmouth Bay is a half-brother to Marino Marini (Storm Cat, GISP-US, SW & G1SP-Ire, GSP-Eng, \$298,304); and Quick Temper (A.P. Indy, GSW-US, \$319,722). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, £1,748.
 O-Sheikh Hamdan bin Mohammed Al Maktoum;
 B-Gaines-Gentry Thoroughbreds, Rancho San Miguel, Hill 'n' Dale Farm; T- Mark Johnston.



XIN XU LIN ARRIVES IN DUBAI A deal for reigning G1 Carlos Pellegrini winner **Xin Xu Lin (Brz)** (Wondertross) is being processed and the horse is expected to race for Sheikh Mohammed's Godolphin team in Dubai. The three-year-old, winner of four Group 1 races, arrived in Dubai on Jan. 27 after stops in Miami and Amsterdam. He is nominated to five Dubai World Cup races, including the \$10-million G1 Dubai World Cup Mar. 26 at Meydan. A five-time winner from seven starts, Xin Xu Lin claimed the G1 Grande Premio Derby Paulista-United Arab Emirates (Sao Paulo's Derby), in addition to the Pellegrini, South America's signature race for older horses.



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Dubawi (Ire)	59	39	13 15	19	8 10	13	36 45	5 5
Wildcat Heir	51	32	6 7	12	0 0	2	31 42	0 0
Ghostzapper	38	25	3 3	7	0 0	2	25 31	0 0
Afleet Alex	35	25	7 7	10	1 1	3	22 28	1 1
Kitten's Joy	27	21	0 0	4	0 0	2	20 23	0 0
Roman Ruler	24	22	0 0	3	0 0	1	21 21	0 0
Motivator (GB)	23	19	0 0	5	0 0	2	16 17	0 0
Grand Reward	20	14	1 1	4	1 1	2	14 16	0 0
Oratorio (Ire)	20	18	2 2	5	1 1	1	15 16	0 0
Mobil	19	15	0 0	4	0 0	0	13 14	0 0

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BREEDERS' EDITION AMERICA

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

4th-FGX, \$52,000, (S), 4yo/up, 1m70y (off turf), 1:45 2/5, ft.

HALLWAY (h, 7, Graeme Hall--Silver Bride, by Runaway Groom) Lifetime Record: SW, 38-8-10-6, \$446,657. O-Heiligbrodt Racing Stable. B-Majestic Farms, LLC (LA). T-S M Asmussen. *\$110,000 yrl '05 KEESEP.

8th-FGX, \$43,000, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000), NW2X, 4yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f (off turf), 1:05 1/5, ft.

MISS DIANE (f, 4, Montbrook--Argos Appeal {SW, \$114,849}, by World Appeal) Lifetime Record: SP, 17-5-4-2, \$154,686. O-Centaur Farms Inc, Merrill R and Lynch D Scherer. B-Diane Dudley (FL). T-Merrill R Scherer. *\$27,000 2yo '09 OBSAPR. **1/2 to Special Report (Notebook), MSW, \$221,735.

8th-SUN, \$32,000, 1-30, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), NW1R9MX, 4yo/up, 1m, 1:37 4/5, ft.

LYDIA'S LAST STEP (g, 4, Spanish Steps--Justin's Lydia, by L'Enjoleur) Lifetime Record: SW, 13-4-3-2, \$124,521. O/B-Rose Mary Chandler (TX). T-T Fincher. *1/2 to Lydia's Legacy (Pentelicus), SW, \$147,677.

9th-SUN, \$29,000, 1-30, NW2L, 3yo, 6f, 1:11 3/5, ft.

MASON'S PEGASUS (g, 3, Fusaichi Pegasus--Ashley Hall, by Maria's Mon) Lifetime Record: 6-2-1-1, \$44,072. O-B W Wallis & Shariann Dub. B-Epona Bldstk Ltd (KY). T-Greg Green *\$30,000 yrl '09 KEESEP.

9th-HOU, \$21,500, 1-30, NW1LX, (S), 4yo/up, 1m70y, 1:43 3/5, ft.

WINDING ROAD (c, 4, Midway Road--Dixie Velvet, by Dixieland Band) Lifetime Record: 11-4-1-1, \$40,142. O-H & H Ranch. B-W S & S S Farish (TX). T-K Broberg.

6th-HOU, \$21,000, NW1X, 4yo/up, 5fT, :57 4/5, fm.

DOC POSSE (g, 5, Posse--Doctress, by Dehere) Lifetime Record: 11-4-0-2, \$70,980. O/B-Heiligbrodt Racing Stable (KY). T-Steven M Asmussen.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Golfshot, f, 4, Silver Ghost--Kshesa's Flag, by Flag Down. HOU, 1-30, 1m, 1:40 4/5. B-Caroline Stautberg, J D Stuart & P C Bance (MD). *\$8,500 yrl '08 KEESEP.



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AMERICAN-SIRED WINNERS

IN JAPAN:

Satono Summit (Jpn), c, 3, Medaglia d'Oro--Silver Grail, by Silver Charm. Kyoto, 1-29, Novice Race, 9f. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, \$93,902. O-Hajime Satomi; B-Chiyoda Farm; T-Katsuhiko Sumii.

+ **Twin Tail (Jpn), f, 3, Tale of the Cat--Gaily Lady,** by Silver Hawk. Kyoto, 1-29, Maiden Race, 6f. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$79,268. O-Hidetoshi Yamamoto; B-Northern Farm; T-Katsuhiko Sumii.

• ON THE WORKTAB •

PALM MEADOWS

Awesome Maria (Maria's Mon), 4f, :49.40, 5/19
Bridgetown (Speightstown), 4f, :50.20, 2/22
Dad's Crazy (Langfuhr), 4f, :49.60, 1/22
Embur's Song (Unbridled's Song), 5f, 1:00.00, 1/11
Girolamo (A.P. Indy), 3f, :38.30, 11/12
Golden Galleon (Medaglia d'Oro), 5fT, 1:03.50, 13/30
Nicanor (Dynaformer), 5f, 1:01.00, 2/11
Regal Ransom (Distorted Humor), 3f, :37.40, 6/12
Rose Catherine (Speightstown), 3f, :40.00, 2/4



BREEDERS' EDITION EUROPE

CONDITIONS RESULTS:

FRANCE, Cagnes-sur-Mer, 13.30, 1-31, €27,000, 3yo, 1 1/4m (AWT), 2:03.92, stn.

TOUZ PRICE (FR) (c, 3, Priolo--Touz de Saint Cyr {Fr}, by Saint Cyrien {Fr}) Lifetime Record: 5 starts, 2 wins, 1 place, €22,200. O-Jure Mardesic & J M Lefebvre; B-Ecurie de la Rehoraie & P Brecheteau; T-J M Lefebvre.

FRANCE, Cagnes-sur-Mer, 14.35, 1-31, €25,000, 4yo/up, 1 1/4m (AWT), 2:00.92, stn.

LIVANDAR (FR) (g, 5, Fantastic Light--Luna Caerla {Ire}, by Caerleon) Lifetime Record: SW-Fr, 18 starts, 8 wins, 5 places, €132,717. O-Christos Theodorakis; B-Haras de SA Aga Khan SCEA; T-Philippe Van de Poele. *€7,000 HIT '08 ARQNOV. **1/2 to Luna Kya (Fr) (Kendor {Fr}), GSW-Fr; King Luna (Fr) (King's Best), MSW-Fr, \$138,477.

ITALY, Pisa, 14.30, 1-30, €10,800, 3yo, 1 5/16mT, 2:17.90, sf.

BACCHELLI (GB) (c, 3, Mujahid--Bugia {Ger} {GSW-Ity}, by Kendor {Fr}) Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, €9,350. O/B-Scuderia Nordovest Srl; T-Stefano Botti.

ITALY, Pisa, 16.00, 1-30, €10,800, 4yo/up, 6fT, 1:11.00, sf.

DAGDA MOR (ITY) (c, 4, Martino Alonso {Ire}--Bagnolese {Ity}, by Cape Cross {Ire}) Lifetime Record: MSP-Ity, 16-6-3-4, €91,103. O-Scuderia Effevi Snc di Villa FEC; B-Razza del Velino Srl; T-Stefano Botti.

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ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Ujadil Bere (Fr), c, 3, **High Yield--Shadeed Vallee**, by Shadeed. Cagnes-sur-Mer, France, 1-31, Mdn, 3yo, c/g, 1 1/4m (AWT). B-SNC Regnier & San Gabriel Inv Inc. *€16,000 yrl '09 ARQOCT.

Urkanie (GB), f, 3, **Nayef--Mantle (GB)**, by Loup Sauvage. Cagnes-sur-Mer, France, 1-31, Mdn, 3yo, f, 1 1/4m (AWT). B-Elizabeth Grundy. *45,000gns yrl '09 TATOCT.



EUROPEAN-SIRED WINNERS

IN JAPAN:

Eishin da Vinci (NZ), h, 5, **Danehill Dancer (Ire)**--Really Wild, by Wild Again. Kokura, 1-29, Ouma Tokubetsu, 6fT. Lifetime Record: 12-2-1-0, \$292,073. O-Toyomitsu Hirai; B-R R McAnulty; T-Kenji Nonaka.



• ON THE WORKTAB •

HOLLYWOOD PARK

Comma to the Top (Bwana Charlie), 7f, 1:24.60, 1/1
Tres Borrachos (Ecton Park), 3f, :37.80, 6/14

OAKLAWN

Northern Giant (Giant's Causeway), 4f, :49.60, 5/37

SANTA ANITA

A Z Warrior (Bernardini), 6f, 1:12.00, 2/14
Crisis of Spirit (Vindication), 5f, :59.00, 2/37
Plum Pretty (Medaglia d'Oro), 4f, :46.20, 2/42
Silver Medallion (Badge of Silver), 6f, 1:12.60, 7/14
Tapizar (Tapit), 5f, 1:00.20, 8/37
Wilburn (Bernardini), 5f, 1:00.40, 11/37
Zazu (Tapit), 5f, :59.80, 6/37

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