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## KEENELAND APRIL TODAY

The Keeneland April 2-Year-Olds in Training Sale will be held today in Lexington beginning at 4 p.m. A total of 169 horses were catalogued for the sale, but no fewer than 55 outs leaves 114 horses set to go under the hammer.



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At Thursday's breeze show, four horses worked in :9 4/5. They were: [hip 107](#), a colt by City Place from Jon Jazdzewski; [hip 138](#), a colt by Broken Vow from Eddie Woods; [hip 147](#), a colt by Street Sense from Wavertree; and [hip 150](#), a filly from the first crop of Street Sense from Murray Smith. Two horses shared the bullet for a quarter, both consigned by Niall Brennan. They were: [hip 122](#), a colt by Empire Maker; and [hip 119](#), a colt by Hat Trick (Jpn).

Last year's sale was topped by Wilburn (Bernardini--

Moonlight Sonata, by Carson City), who elicited a bid of \$675,000 from Jess Jackson's Stonestreet Stable. John Moynihan signed the winning ticket for the half-brother to GSW Beethoven (Sky Mesa), who looked sharp in a 3 1/2-length debut win at Santa Anita Mar. 5. William M. Helmbrecht consigned Wilburn. Other graduates of the April Sale in recent years include dual champion and dual Classic winner Lookin At Lucky (Smart Strike), a \$475,000 graduate in 2009 from Jerry Bailey's consignment, as well as champion and 2008 GI Kentucky Derby hero Big Brown (Boundary), a \$190,000 grad from the Eddie Woods draft. **Cont. p7**

## ON TO CHURCHILL FOR UNCLE MO

Trainer Todd Pletcher said yesterday that champion **Uncle Mo** (Indian Charlie) came out of his third-place finish in Saturday's GI Wood Memorial S. in good order, and the plan is still to head to Churchill Downs for the May 7 GI Kentucky Derby. "Uncle Mo is physically sound today," Pletcher said in a statement. "He walked the shed row this morning. He did grab his quarter at the start of the race, but it is very minor and insignificant. We plan on pulling blood work on Tuesday after giving him a couple of days after the race, which is our standard when we have a horse that doesn't perform to our expectations. We are shipping Uncle Mo to Churchill Downs on Apr. 18 to continue his preparations for the Kentucky Derby." The 3-year-old suffered his first career defeat in the Wood, yielding late to end up a little more than a length behind winner Toby's Corner (Bellamy Road). The loss did nothing to dampen owner Mike Repole's opinion of his colt. "With 27 days to the Derby, I have total faith in Todd and total confidence in Uncle Mo," Repole said. "Although I would have loved to have won the Wood Memorial, the number one goal has always been May 7."



Adam Coglianes photo



## KEENELAND APRIL

CUMULATIVE	2010	2009*
Catalogued	181	216
No. Offered	112	117
No. Sold	71	66
RNAs	41	51
% RNA	36.6%	43.6%
No. \$300K+	14	11
High Price	\$625,000	\$1,900,000
Gross	\$12,013,000	\$11,805,000
Average (% change)	\$169,197 (-5.4%)	\$178,864
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**Sunday, Hanshin, Japan**

**OKA SHO (JAPANESE 1000 GUINEAS)-G1,**  
 ¥209,490,000, Hanshin, 4-10, 3yo fillies, 1600mT,  
 1:33.90, fm.  
 1--▲**MARCELLINA (JPN), 121, f, 3, by Deep Impact (Jpn)**  
 1st Dam: Marbye (Ire), by Marju (Ire)  
 2nd Dam: Hambye (GB), by Distant Relative (Ire)  
 3rd Dam: Paglietta Gener (Ire), by Final Straw (GB)  
 O-Shadai Race Horse; B-Shadai Farm; T-H Matsuda;  
 J-K Ando; ¥117,413,000. Lifetime Record: 4-3-0-1.  
**Werk Nick Rating: B. Click for the eNicks report and 5-cross pedigree.**  
**Marbye purchased by Colombo Bloodstock Agency**

2--**Whale Capture (Jpn), 121, f, 3, Kurofune--Global Peace (Jpn), by Sunday Silence. O-Masaru Shimada; B-Chiyoda Farm; ¥44,118,000.**

3--**Trend Hunter (Jpn), 121, f, 3, Manhattan Cafe (Jpn)--Royal Perla (Jpn), by Brian's Time. O-Masatake Iida; B-Chiyoda Farm; ¥26,059,000.**

Margins: 3/4, 3/4, 1 1/4. Odds : 2.80, 2.10, 6.40  
 Also Ran: Medetashi (Jpn), Forever Mark (Jpn), Hubble Bubble (Jpn), Dance Fantasia (Jpn), Cafe Himiko, French Cactus (Jpn), Speed Ripper (Jpn), Derma Durga (Jpn), Rice Terrace (Jpn), Wood Ship (Jpn), A Shin Harbor, Latte Art (Jpn), Sakura Belle (Jpn), Marumo Sarah (Jpn), Meine Schokolade (Jpn)

On a warm afternoon at Hanshin Racecourse, second choice Marcellina displayed a strong closing kick to take her first Group 1 victory in the first jewel of Japan's 3-year-old filly Triple Crown. With the absence of the 2010 champion 2-year-old champion Reve d'Essor (Jpn) (Agnes Tachyon {Jpn}), Whale Capture, who was runner-up in last season's G1 Hanshin Juvenile Fillies, was favored following a win in the G3 Daily Hai Queen Cup in February. The second choice after posting an impressive score in the Elfin S. in February, Marcellina settled near the back of the pack as Forever Mark (Falbrav) set the early pace. Approaching the final turn, jockey Katsumi Ando strategically guided his mount through the field. The two were still two or three lengths behind the leader with a furlong left to negotiate, but the Shadai representative drove to the front a 100 meters out and had enough left to fend off the late charge of Whale Capture.

Click for the [Racing Post chart](#).

**Sunday, Longchamp, France**

**PRIX D'HARCOURT-G2, €130,000, Longchamp, 4-10, 4yo/up, 1 1/4mT, 2:04.30, gd.**

1--**PLANTEUR (IRE), 127, c, 4, by Danehill Dancer (Ire)**  
 1st Dam: Plante Rare (Ire), by Giant's Causeway  
 2nd Dam: Palmeraie, by Lear Fan  
 3rd Dam: Petroleuse (Ire), by Habitat  
 O-Ecurie Wildenstein; B-Dayton Investments Ltd;  
 T-Elie Lellouche; J-Christophe Soumillon; €74,100.  
 Lifetime Record: 9 starts, 4 wins, 5 places,  
 €751,737. **Werk Nick Rating: A+++ \*\*\*Triple Plus\*\*\*.**  
**Click for the eNicks report and 5-cross pedigree.**

2--**Ley Hunter, 123, c, 4, Kingmambo--Lailani (GB), by Unfuwain. O-Godolphin SNC; B-Darley; T-Andre Fabre; €28,600.**

3--**Agent Secret (Ire), 123, h, 5, Pyrus--Ron's Secret (GB), by Efisio (GB). (€12,500 yrl '07 GOFMIL; €145,000 RNA HIT '09 ARQARC). O-Raoul Temam; B-John N Hutchinson; T-Francois Rohaut; €13,650.**  
 Margins: 2HF, NK HD. Odds: 1.40, 7.10, 18.00.  
 Also Ran: Silver Pond (Fr), Timos (Ger), Akarlina (Fr), Wiener Walzer (Ger), Celtic Celeb (Ire).

Planteur garnered last April's G2 Prix Noailles at this track, but endured a run of seconds in the June 6 G1 Prix du Jockey-Club, July 14 G1 Juddmonte Grand Prix de Paris and Sept. 12 G2 Prix Niel. Disqualified from seventh in the G1 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe Oct. 3, he closed last term with a fifth in the Dec. 12 G1 Hong Kong Cup at Sha Tin. The colt blew away the cobwebs here with an impressive victory on seasonal return. The winner was positioned in third after the opening exchanges. Caught in a pocket for a fleeting moment passing the quarter-mile marker, he was offered a gap along the rail--which he readily accepted--with 300 meters remaining and ended the contest in a matter of strides. "Planteur was training well in readiness for this return, but he had a hard season last year and one never really knows how they will perform until they return to the track," said winning trainer Elie Lellouche. "That was quite an impressive win and we'll now follow the program for older horses by coming back here for the [Apr. 30 G1] Prix Ganay."

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**Sunday, Oaklawn Park**

**FANTASY S.-GII**, \$285,000, OPX, 4-10, 3yo, f, 1 1/16m, 1:44 3/5, ft.

1--**JOYFUL VICTORY**, 121, f, 3, by [Tapit](#)

1st Dam: Wild Lucy Black, by Wild Again

2nd Dam: Lucy Black, by Alydar

3rd Dam: Black Eyed Lucy, by \*Prince Royal II

(\$60,000 yrl '09 KEEJAN; \$400,000 2yo '10 FTFFEB). O-Fox Hill Farms Inc; B-William D Graham (ON); T-J Larry Jones; J-Mike E Smith; \$180,000. Lifetime Record: 5-3-0-1, \$380,100. [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#) Werk Nick Rating: A + +.

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2--**Arienza**, 117, f, 3, [Giant's Causeway](#)--Azeri, by Jade Hunter. (\$800,000 yrl '09 KEESEP). O-Lawana L & Robert E Low; B-The Allen E Paulson Living Trust (KY); T-Daniel C Peitz; \$60,000.

3--**Holy Heavens**, 121, f, 3, [Holy Bull](#)--Heavens Passport, by Awesome Again. O/B-Dr K K & Dr Vilasini D Jayaraman (FL); T-Benard Chatters; \$30,000.

Margins: 7, 1 1/4, 20 1/4. Odds: 0.60, 0.90, 9.00. Also Ran: Explosive Disco. Scratched: Jelly Cable.

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On paper, it looked like the finish here would be a fight between 3-5 Joyful Victory and 9-10 Arienza, and for a few strides, it seemed it would work out that way. Arienza forged to the front with a quick move on the far turn, with Joyful Victory hot on her heels, and the two came into the stretch on even terms. But Joyful Victory took control before they'd hit the eighth pole and pulled away with ease to win as much the best. Third in the GI Frizette S. and fifth in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies last season, Joyful Victory made her 2011 bow in the Mar. 12 GIII Honeybee S. and, with blinkers added, galloped home an 8 3/4-length winner. "She was even more impressive this time," said jockey Mike Smith, who was also aboard for the Honeybee win. "She was training for it, ready for it and [trainer Larry Jones] wanted me to make sure she got something out of it and we did, without squeezing the lemon too much. We squeezed it a little today and it was good. We gotta make sure there is enough juice in there." This marked the third winner of the Fantasy in the last eight years for Rick Porter's Fox Hill Farms, which also sent out Round Pond (Awesome Again) in 2005 and Eight Belles (Unbridled's Song) in 2008. "I couldn't be more excited," Porter said. "I've got two great fillies [Havre de Grace (Saint Liam) and Joyful Victory] and the best trainer in the country. It's a little too early, but if she keeps improving like this, it won't be long before she gets up there with Round Pond and Eight Belles in my mind." The winner will now be pointed for the May 6 GI Kentucky Oaks. "That's been the game plan since the spring and, thank goodness, it's worked out," trainer Larry Jones said.



*Coady Photography*

Editor's Note: Due to a problem with brisnet.com, the catalogue-style pedigrees for the Grade I/Group 1 winners from Sunday were unavailable.

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[GII Fantasy S.](#) Joyful Victory (Tapit) dispatches with Arienza (Giant's Causeway) at the top of the lane and gallops away to an easy score.



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## EVEN THE SCORE

*Unbridled's Song - Ashtabula, by Raby*

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**Sunday, Longchamp, France**

**PRIX LA FORCE-G3**, €80,000, Longchamp, 4-10, 3yo, 1 5/16mT, 2:15.30, gd.

1--**@#BARAAN (FR)**, 128, c, 3, by Dalakhani (Ire)

1st Dam: Brusca, by Grindstone

2nd Dam: Chic Corine, by Nureyev

3rd Dam: Chic Shirine, by Mr. Prospector

O-H H The Aga Khan; B-H H The Aga Khan's Studs SC; T-Jean-Claude Rouget; J-Christophe-Patrice Lemaire; €40,000. Lifetime Record: 3 starts, 2 wins, 1 place, €53,400. **Werk Nick Rating:** First SW from Cross.

**Click for the eNicks report and 5-cross pedigree.**

2--**Prairie Star (Fr)**, 128, c, 3, **Peintre Celebre**--Prairie Runner (Ire), by Arazi. O-Ecurie Wildenstein; B-Dayton Investments Ltd; T-Elie Lellouche; €16,000.

3--**Pour Moi (Ire)**, 128, c, 3, **Montjeu (Ire)**--Gwynn (Ire), by Darshaan (GB). O-Susan Magnier, Michael Tabor & Derrick Smith; B-Lynch-Bages Ltd; T-Andre Fabre; €12,000.

Margins: 3/4, 3/4, 2. Odds: 3.90, 5.30, 1.00.

Also Ran: Staros (Ire), Maxios (GB).

Coming off worst in a four-way photo on debut at Bordeaux-le Bouscat Sept 22, Baraan bagged a three-length win at Deauville's all-weather track in his sophomore return last time Mar. 18, and exhibited the necessary progression to provide trainer Jean-Claude Rouget with a fifth renewal of this Classic trial. He broke fourth of the five runners, but slipped through along the rail to assume command before a furlong had been covered. Comfortably maintaining his advantage at a steady pace, Baraan came under pressure when joined by Prairie Star inside the final quarter mile, but had plenty in reserve in the closing stages and ran on strongly under coaxing. "I am delighted Baraan has confirmed what I had in the back of my mind, which is he's a genuine group horse," said Rouget. "He is a very easy, straightforward colt and I think he will be even better over one-and-a-half miles. He will most probably run in both the [G1] Prix du Jockey-Club [at Chantilly June 5] and the [G1] Juddmonte Grand Prix de Paris [at this track July 14]. In my opinion, he should go straight to the Jockey-Club, but everything will be decided after I discuss matters with His Highness The Aga Khan and [racing manager] Georges Rimaud." **Click for the [Racing Post chart](#).**



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**Sunday, Dusseldorf, Germany**

**GROSSER PREIS DES VOLKSWAGEN ZENTRUM**

**NORDRHEIN-G3**, €55,000, Dusseldorf, 4-10, 4yo/up, 1mT, 1:35.80, sf.

1--**ALIANTHUS (GER)**, 130, h, 6, by [Hernando \(Fr\)](#)

1st Dam: Allure (Ger), by Konigsstuhl (Ger)

2nd Dam: Adjani (GB), by Surumu (Ger)

3rd Dam: Annaberta (Ger), by Alpenkonig (Ger)

(€120,000 yrl '06 BBASEP). O-Baron Georg von Ullmann; B-Gestut Karlshof; T-Jens Hirschberger; J-Adrie de Vries; €32,000. Lifetime Record:

14 starts, 6 wins, 5 places, €171,100. **Werk Nick**

**Rating: A+.** [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

2--**Magic Eye (Ire)**, 122, m, 6, Nayef--Much Commended (GB), by Most Welcome (GB). (22,000gns yrl '06 TATDEC).

O-Gestut Winterhauch; B-Glending Bloodstock Ltd; T-Andreas Lowe; €11,000.

3--**Sanjii Danon (Ger)**, 123, h, 5, Big Shuffle--Serpina (Ire), by Grand Lodge. (€26,000 yrl '07 BBAAUG).

O-Stall d'Angelo; B-Newsells Park Stud Ltd; T-Waldemar Hickst; €5,500.

Margins: HF, HD, 2. Odds: 0.60, 8.20, 7.00.

Also Ran: Kite Hunter (Ire), Murcielago (Ger), Beltanus (Ger), Querari (Ger), Amazing Beauty (Ger).

Deadly on the lead, Alianthus wired the G2 Grosse Europa Meile at Cologne in September and G3 Grosse Preis der Landeshauptstadt Dusseldorf a month later. Only Rajsaman (Fr) (Linamix {Fr}) got past him in the closing stages of the G3 Prix Perth at Saint-Cloud late that month. Adopting his customary tactics under Adrie de Vries here, the bay proved too strong for Sanjii Danon, who eventually lost the runner's-up spot to Magic Eye. [Click for the Racing Post chart.](#)

**Sunday, Leopardstown, Ireland**

**P W McGRATH MEMORIAL BALLY SAX S.-G3**,

€47,500, Leopardstown, 4-10, 3yo, 1 1/4mT, 2:04.73, gd/fm.

1--**#@BANIMPIRE (IRE)**, 124, f, 3, by [Holy Roman Emperor \(Ire\)](#)

1st Dam: My Renee (Hwt Older Mare-Ire at 11-13f, SW-Ire, GSP-Eng, \$127,212), by Kris S.

2nd Dam: Mayenne, by Nureyev

3rd Dam: Detroit (Fr), by Riverman

(€52,000 yrl '09 GOFMIL). O-Mrs J S Bolger; B-Kilcarn Stud; T-Jim Bolger; J-Kevin Manning; €30,875. Lifetime Record: 6-2-0-2, €61,075.

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

2--**Regent Street (Ire)**, 127, c, 3, [Galileo \(Ire\)](#)--Hanami (GB), by Hernando (Fr). (€180,000 yrl '09 ARQAUG).

O-Michael Tabor; B-G B Bloodstock Limited; T-Aidan O'Brien; €9,500.

3--**Recital (Fr)**, 132, c, 3, [Montjeu \(Ire\)](#)--Dibenoise (Fr), by Kendor (Fr). (€750,000 yrl '09 ARQAUG).

O-Susan Magnier, Michael Tabor, Derrick Smith & Eduard Mordukhovitch; B-Mme Renee Geffroy & Caragh Bloodstock; T-Aidan O'Brien; €4,750.

Margins: HF, 1, SHD. Odds: 14-1, 25-1, 8-13.

Also Ran: Rich Tapestry (Ire), Adilapour (Ire), Exodus (GB), Mawaakef (Ire).

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**Ballsax S. cont.**

Much of the focus was on Ballydoyle's G1 Criterium de Saint-Cloud winner Recital prior to this early Derby trial, but it was the sole filly in the line-up Banimpire who stole the colts' thunder when registering a first black-type win. Behind Chrysanthemum (Ire) (Danhill Dancer {Ire}) when fifth in The Curragh's Listed Flame of Tara S. and seventh there in the G3 C L Weld Park S. last term, the dark bay returned to that Kildare venue to be third behind the subsequent G3 Gladness S. winner Lolly For Dolly (Ire) (Oratorio {Ire}) in that track's G3 Park Express S. over a mile last time Mar. 20. Appreciating this step up in trip, she raced on the heels of the Ballydoyle pace-setters Regent Street and Exodus (GB) (Montjeu {Ire}) and kept finding more after Kevin Manning sent her past the former with a furlong remaining. Recital, who was keen early in rear for Ryan Moore, made smooth progress wide in the straight before hanging and staying on at one pace at the business end. "She ran a very good race last time, and we always felt she'd stay this trip," Trainer Jim Bolger said before adding that she may be considered for the G1 Irish 1000 Guineas at The Curragh May 22. [Click for the Racing Post chart](#) or the [Video, courtesy attheraces.com](#).



Sunday, Hanshin, Japan

**MARCH S.-G3**, ¥72,850,000, Hanshin, 4-10, 4yo & up, 1800m, 1:50.00, yl.

1--**TESTA MATTA (JPN)**, 128, h, 5, by [Tapit](#)

1st Dam: Difficult, by Concern

2nd Dam: Wings of Jove, by Northern Jove

3rd Dam: Regatela, by Dr. Fager

O-Kazumi Yoshida; B-Waterford Farm; T-Akira Murayama; J-Hirofumi Shii; ¥38,595,000. Lifetime Record: G1SP-Jpn, 11-4-1-1. [Click for the eNicks report and 5-cross pedigree.](#) Werk Nick

Rating: **A + +**.

2--**Bravo Daisy (Jpn)**, 121, m, 6, by Kurofune--Bravo Sunrise (Jpn), by Sunday Silence. O-Takao Matsuoka; B-Yanagawa Farm; ¥15,170,000.

3--**Imbarco**, 127, h, 5, [Fusaichi Pegasus](#)--Personal Delight, by Personal Flag. O/B-Takeshi Fujita; ¥9,585,000.

Margins: 2 1/2, NO, 1 1/4. Odds: 11.00, 22.30, 10.10.

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# RACETRACK Round-Up

## *Havre de Grace Sharp; Blind Luck on Fence...*

GIII Azeri S. winner **Havre de Grace** (Saint Liam) had her final prep for Friday's GI Apple Blossom S. Sunday, going five furlongs in a rapid :57 4/5 under jockey Jenna Joubert. The 4-year-old was scheduled to work in company with a stablemate, but, when the two failed to hook up, Joubert instead found herself using the D. Wayne Lukas-trained maiden Ordained (Pulpit), with Terry Thompson aboard, as a target. "We know for sure she's quick," said trainer Larry Jones. "Luckily, Lukas had one break off around the same time and Terry Thompson saw us coming and gave us just enough of a hole inside to let her through. So it worked out. She drank a little more water than usual, but we haven't been training in 75-degree weather, so it is what you would expect." If champion and Azeri runner-up **Blind Luck** (Pollard's Vision) competes in the Apple Blossom, the two will each carry highweight of 119 pounds. "We are ready," said Jones. "We think we have her right and this workout shows that. She came off her layoff in extremely fine fashion, and this work shows she's going to move forward. She should continue to move forward. We are high on her and we feel she's telling us she's ready for a championship year."

Trainer Jerry Hollendorfer was hedging his bets Sunday morning. **Blind Luck** worked five furlongs in 1:00.60 on the Santa Anita training track yesterday. Afterwards, Hollendorfer told *Daily Racing Form* that he could skip the Apple Blossom and instead point for the GIII La Troienne S. at Churchill Downs May 6. "I'll do what's best for the horse," Hollendorfer told the trade daily. "We might want to wait a bit. It's a big purse and all that, but I think the Churchill Downs stretch is better for her to close from off the pace."

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**Arkansas Derby Work for The Factor...**

★ **"TDN Rising Star"** ★ Fog City Stable and George Bolton's **The Factor** (War Front), runaway winner of the Mar. 19 GII Rebel S. in his two-turn bow, went six furlongs in 1:12 1/5 at Santa Anita Sunday. Regular rider Martin Garcia was in the irons. "He needed it," trainer Bob Baffert told *Daily Racing Form*. "We got a good work into him. That's all that he needs." Added Garcia, "The main thing was to make the horse relax. That's what happened. He's very fast. If he's in rhythm, he's okay." The grey will be the heavy favorite for the Apr. 16 GI Arkansas Derby. He is scheduled to ship to Oaklawn Tuesday.



**The Factor** Michael J Marten

**KEENELAND APRIL**

**TWO-YEAR-OLDS in TRAINING SALE**

Monday, April 11 • 4 p.m.



With three of the four major select juvenile auctions--Fasig-Tipton Florida, OBS March and Barretts March--now in the books, it's fair to say the market has held steady from a year ago, though it has undergone modest declines. At the conclusion of Barretts March two weeks ago, a total of 397 juveniles had sold in the U.S. in 2011, from 557 offered (numbers courtesy of Bill Oppenheim's Weekly Ticker). They grossed \$51,538,000, down 4.2% from a year ago, and sold for an average of \$129,819. At the same point in 2010, 392 horses sold for an average of \$137,309, representing a 5.5% decline in average in year-over-year comparisons. Looking at the numbers by sale, Fasig-Tipton Florida was down 4.9% in average (to \$244,840) and OBS March was down 1.5% (to \$104,766), while Barretts March was up 11% (\$100,709).

"I think over the last two sales, in OBS and in California, there was stability and maybe some upswing in the market, and we hope that will continue," said Keeneland's Director of Sales Geoffrey Russell. Of the large number of outs, Russell said, "I look at them as the fact that these are the horses that met the criteria that the consignors have to bring them up here. It's expensive to bring them from Florida, and they bring up horses they think are commercial and sellable."

Ask nearly any consignor on the backstretch about the state of the market, and they'll give you an answer along the lines of: the good ones sell very well, but after that, it can be awfully tough getting them sold. "It's the old adage--quality sells," said Russell. "Everybody wants the quality horse. So there's always going to be polarization. But do we hope that we have a wider base of buyers here? Yes."

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**Sellers Hoping Momentum Keeps Building at April...**

The 2-year-old sales season got off to a tepid start, but has been slowly gaining momentum throughout the spring. Consignors are hoping that trend continues



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today at Keeneland's April sale.

"We're still playing, we've got to be optimistic," laughed Kirkwood Stables' Kip Elser.

During Fasig-Tipton's Florida sale, the average fell nearly five percent, while the buy-back rate reached 43.4%. At the two-day OBS March

sale, the average fell 1.5%, with a buy-back rate of 23.9%, while the Barretts March sale saw its average increase 11%, with a buy-back rate of 23.6%.

"I think the Florida sale was a head scratcher for all of us," admitted Wavertree Stables' Ciaran Dunne. "I think if you talk to a lot of the consignors, it was probably the busiest any of us have ever been prior to a sale, in terms of showing, and then it just didn't happen. I think everybody down there felt they had better horses than what they were paid off for. [OBS] March was very solid. We had a great Barretts--they were out there to buy horses in California."

The progression from sale to sale has also given buyers a chance to gauge the strength of the market.

"Maybe Fasig suffered being the first sale of the year," admitted Dunne. "It was the first time they were the first sale of the year. At that level, maybe people just wanted to get a feel for what the market was like before they really jumped in."

Elser thinks an improved general economy will have a positive trickle-down effect on the horse market.

"The market, like the economy in general, is gaining momentum," he said. "People are figuring out that they can buy horses for less than they could a few years ago and they can get good value. They are getting more confidence



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in their other businesses and that is giving them the discretionary income to buy racehorses. And they are getting more confident in the horse market."

Recent sales figures have also reflected a polarization in the marketplace, with top offerings remaining in demand before interest drops off sometimes precipitously in the middle market. Dunne is hopeful that a more broad base of shoppers at the barn this week will translate into more competition at sales time.

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“We’ve got a pretty good group [of horses] here--they cover a wide spectrum,” the Irishman said. “We’ve got some nice-pedigreed fillies, and then we’ve got a big solid group of colts. And they’ve shopped them across the board. Obviously, the War Front colt and the Indian Charlie filly, the Street Sense, the Tale of the Cat are at the top end. But then we’ve got people looking that are spread out [deeper into the catalogue], which gives you a feeling like it might be a good sale.”

The French-based Prime Bloodstock was the leading buyer at last year’s April sale, taking home 10 lots for an average of \$210,700 and a total of \$2,107,000.

“Prime Bloodstock is back and they were very, very good to us last year and seemed like they were happy with a lot of what they bought,” Dunne added. “They haven’t played at any of the other two-year-old sales, so it’s like getting a new shooter in the game. And then we have all the usual faces, too.” --JM



## Hip Happenings

### KEENELAND April

**Hip 3, c, Tiznow--Lake Lady, by Salt Lake**

*Consigned by SGV Thoroughbreds (Steve Venosa), agent for W.D. North Thoroughbreds LLC*

Consignor Steve Venosa brought just a single horse to April, this strongly built dark bay, who breezed a quarter in :21 1/5 ([video](#)). “He’s a lot like his sire,” said Venosa. “He’s a leggy colt with a real nice mind. He’s very sound, and he wants to run all day, which was evident by the way he worked Thursday. Several clockers had him as one of the fastest gallop-outs. They even had him going out in five furlongs, which is rare at a two-year-old sale. But he’s just one of those horses where the further he goes, the better he gets.”



**Hip 5, c, War Front--La Prada, by El Prado (Ire)**

*Consigned by Wavertree Stables (Ciaran Dunne), Agent XXI*

By the hot young sire War Front, the bay colt worked a furlong in :10 flat ([video](#)) during Thursday’s breeze-up show. “He is a very good El Prado,” Dunne said. “He is out of an El Prado mare and that’s what he looks like. He’s got the length of body and neck that El Prado has, with the Danzig hind end. He’s really smooth and efficient.” The colt was a \$60,000 purchase at last year’s FTKOCT sale.



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Hip Happenings cont.

**Hip 46, c, Stormy Atlantic--Promenade Colony, by Pleasant Colony**

*Consigned by Nick de Meric, agent*

Nick de Meric bought this colt for \$70,000 at Keeneland September. The bay is a half-brother to Grade II winner Promenade Girl (Carson City) and SW Dattts Awesome (Awesome Again) and breezed an eighth in :10 1/5 at the under-tack show (video). "He's a grand colt," said de Meric. "He's out of a Pleasant Colony mare; he's a mid-May foal, and he's just really come into himself this month. He's a big, strong colt. He was a little immature when we bought him, but he's steadily filled out and improved.



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Stormy Atlantic has been very good to me over the years, and he's a versatile sire. They run on any surface at any age, at almost any distance. I think this colt epitomizes the best of Stormy Atlantic, but I think he's got a lot of Pleasant Colony, too."

**Hip 72, c, Indian Charlie--Teenage Temper, by A.P. Indy**

*Consigned by Hartley/De Renzo Thoroughbreds, agent*

This is the third foal from the winning Teenage Temper, a daughter of MGSW Pleasant Temper (Storm Cat). He breezed an eighth in :10 1/5 (video). "He's a big, two-turn-looking horse," said consignor Randy Hartley. "He's out of an A.P. Indy mare, and the second dam is by Storm Cat. It's a big pedigree, and we're really excited about him. He's got a long



jump [stride]. He went in :10 1/5, but he's such a big-jumping horse that he didn't even get leveled off until the end. His stride is just huge."

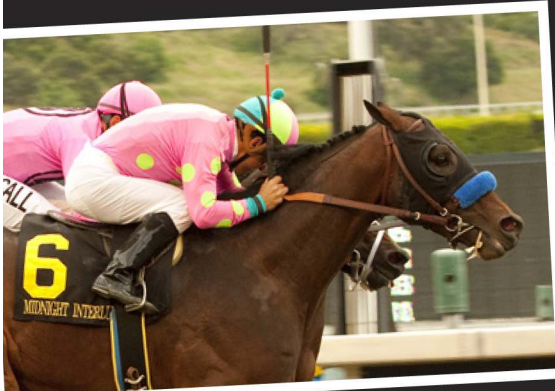
**Hip 85, f, Indian Charlie--West's Secret, by West by West**

*Consigned by Wavertree Stables, Inc. (Ciaran Dunne), agent VI*

Out of stakes-winner West's Secret, this filly is from the family of graded stakes winners Top Secret and Megascap. The bay juvenile worked a full-long in :10 flat (video) last Thursday. "She's just beautiful," Ciaran Dunne said of the \$75,000 FTKJUL purchase. "When we saw her in July, it was one of those horses that you vet, but you never expect to own. I couldn't quite understand it when we bought her--I figured we must have missed something. She's a wonderful filly and a great mover."



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**Hip 102, c, Smart Strike--Belva, by Theatrical (Ire)**

*Consigned by Kirkwood Stables, Agent I*

This colt is a full-sibling to one of the better turf horses of the past 10 or 15 years, GI Breeders' Cup Turf winner and champion English Channel, as well as to GI Kentucky Derby fourth Sedgefield. At last Thursday's under-tack preview, he breezed an eighth in :21 2/5 (video). "He's a serious, serious horse," said consignor Kip Elser. "He's a bigger, more mature type than either English Channel or Sedgefield. Not a big horse, but a little bigger and more mature than either of his brothers at this time."



**Hip 103, c, Corinthian--Berry Blessed, by St. Jovite**

*Consigned by Murray Smith, agent*

Murray Smith went to \$110,000 to land this fellow at the FTSAUG sale, and sent him out to a :21 flat quarter-mile breeze (video). "He's a long-reaching, pretty mover," said Smith. "He just floats over the ground. He gives you the impression of a real classy European-type horse. He's very graceful. When you look at him, you can't imagine how he'd go that fast, but he's definitely a two-turn horse. I was told he had the fastest [three-eighths] gallop-out of the sale; he went in :32 2/5."



Hip Happenings cont.

**Hip 107, c, City Place--Bourbon Night, by Arch**  
*Property of Jon Jazdzewski*

Acquired for a scant \$4,000 as an OBS August yearling, this colt made a case for himself as the first of four horses on the day to breeze an eighth in :9 4/5 ([video](#)). "He was a total athlete," said consignor Jon Jazdzewski. "I was hoping that no one saw what I saw. There is not a whole lot of page there, but if you look at the individual, he's really nice."

**Hip 150, f, Street Sense--Gwinnett, by Vindication**  
*Consigned by Murray Smith, agent*

A pricey \$300,000 FTSAUG yearling acquisition, this filly looked like the goods with a smart :9 4/5 move ([video](#)) during the breeze show, co-fastest of the sale.



Consignor Murray Smith says she's come to hand at the right time. "She's absolutely bloomed in the past month," said Smith. "With two-year-olds, they come into themselves at different times, and she just came into herself this month. She's dappled from

head to toe--I don't think she could be in any better condition right now. She's happy, she's healthy, and she's proud of herself. She's got phenomenal conformation, and is a beautiful filly. She's fast and powerful and does things effortlessly. And she's got a pedigree that says she'll go two turns, and it's a proven cross, Street Cry (Ire) over Seattle Slew. It's an A + + nick. "

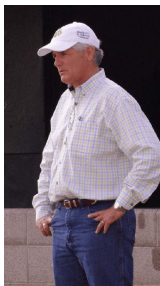
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**WHAT THEY'RE SAYING**  
**...AT THE SALES**

Consignor Niall Brennan, who sent out two horses to quarter-mile bullets at Thursday's breeze show:

"We went quarters [breezed a quarter mile] with a lot of the horses. I think you get a better look at them over



this track going a quarter. The horses get into a better rhythm, and the buyers can see more. It's hard to separate those eighths. Whether they go good or bad, they still go about the same time. When they go a nice quarter, people have a chance to really look at them and study the videos--over this track in particular. And in general, as the spring goes on, you're more willing to go quarters. Of

course, it's a horse-by-by thing, but early in the year, it's hard to go quarters, because if you're breezing a quarter, you're really breezing three-eighths. At this sale, the OBS [April] Sale, and the [Fasig-Tipton] Maryland sale, you see a lot more horses going quarters."

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# Triple Threats

## Newsdad Tries Out the Keeneland Poly...

James Karp homebred **Newsdad** (Arch), who will make his synthetic track debut in the Apr. 16 GI Toyota Blue Grass S., worked over the Keeneland Poly Sunday morning.



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The dark bay cruised through a quarter in :26.60 and a half in :50.20 before finishing up the six furlongs in 1:13. He galloped out strongly, going seven-eighths in 1:25.20 and a mile in 1:39.80. "He worked

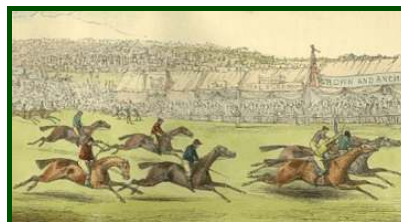
very well," trainer Bill Mott said. "He seems like he's handling the Polytrack just fine." A maiden winner on the turf at Gulfstream Jan. 28, Newsdad was last seen running third in the GIII Palm Beach S. on the grass Mar. 12.

Thursday, Oaklawn Park, post time: 6:47 p.m. EDT

**COUNT FLEET H.-GIII**, \$200,000, 4yo/up, 6f

PP HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1 Riley Tucker	Harlan's Holiday	Nakatani	Asmussen	115
2 Silver Magnus (K)	Trippi	Baze	Robertson	112
3 Smiling Tiger (K)	Hold That Tiger	Rosario	Bonde	122
4 Native Ruler (K)	Elusive Quality	Thompsn	Richard	116
5 Chief of Affairs (K)	Yonaguska	Berry	Calhoun	118
6 Holyfield K	Blazonry	Rocco Jr.	Dutrow	115

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# Classic Corner

## Pathfork on the Right Track...

Trainer Jessica Harrington yesterday provided an upbeat bulletin on the stable's unbeaten **Pathfork** (Distorted Humor) ahead of his tilt at the G1 2000 Guineas. Off since winning the G1 National S. for the Silverton Hill Partnership in September, he will take on Frankel (GB) (Galileo {Ire}) in the Apr. 30 Newmarket Classic. "He's fine and has been working away--with the sun on his back he looks strong and well," Harrington said. "I'm very happy with him, and it was always the plan to go straight to Newmarket. He has American owners, and their aim would be to get him to the Breeders' Cup this year, so it's going to be a long season. He's a very straightforward horse and I'm just hoping I have him well enough for the Guineas first time up." Harrington also had news of G2 Debutante S. winner and G1 Moyglare Stud S. runner-up **Laughing Lashes** (Mr. Greeley), who is bound for the G1 1000 Guineas May 1. "She's very good and she's grown a good bit over the winter," she added. "She's a big filly, I'm very happy with her and she's going straight for the Guineas."

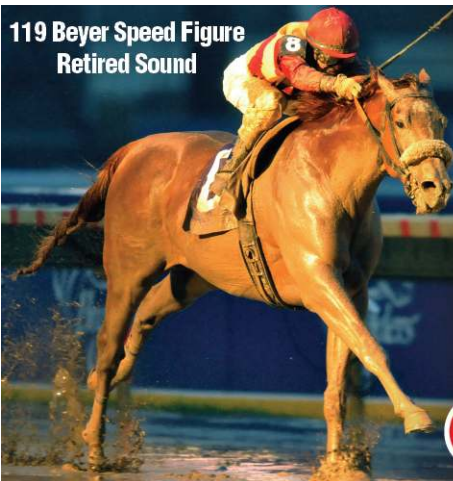
## BLACK-TYPE PREVIEWS

Thursday, Keeneland, post time: 4:52 p.m. EDT

**VINERY MADISON S.-GI**, \$300,000, 4yo/up, f/m, 7f

PP HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1 Kitty in a Tizzy (K)	Tiznow	Leparoux	Bond	117
2 My Jen K	Fusaichi Pegasus	Castellano	Kenneally	117
3 Decelerator	Dehere	Maragh	Lukas	117
4 Fascinatin' Rhythm	More Than Ready	Boyce	Small	117
5 Shotgun Gulch	Thunder Gulch	Gomez	Trout	117
6 Tremendamente Loca	Offlee Wild	Morales	Hamm	117
7 Amen Hallelujah (K)	Montbrook	Velazquez	Dutrow Jr.	117
8 Evening Jewel (K)	Northern Afleet	Espinoza	Cassidy	119
9 Dr. Zic	Milwaukee Brew	Lanerie	Scott	117

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**Yesterday's Results:**

**8th-KEE**, \$56,580, Alw, NW2\$X, 4yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:36 2/5, fm.

1--**SNOW TOP MOUNTAIN**, 118, f, 4, Najran--**Motokiks**, by Storm Cat. O/B-Barbara Hunter (KY); T-Thomas F Proctor. Lifetime Record: GISP, 11-3-6-0, \$236,502. \*1/2 to Keertana (Johar), MGSW & GISP, \$824,371.

2--**Ernfold**, 118, f, 4, Stormy Atlantic--Wynyard, by Mr. Greeley. (\$100,000 yrl '08 KEESEP).

3--**Apple Charlotte**, 118, f, 4, Smart Strike--Charlotte Augusta, by Chief's Crown.

Margins: 1 3/4, HF, 3/4. Odds: 2.60, 9.40, 4.90.

Snow Top Mountain hadn't won since annexing an allowance at Churchill Downs last May, but the grey was second in five stakes events later in the season, including the GI Garden City S. at Belmont in September. Off since posting a fourth in the GII Mrs. Revere S. in Louisville Nov. 20, the tepid choice hugged the rail behind fractions of :23.56, :48.03 and 1:12.77. Full of horse, but with nowhere to go turning for home, pilot Garret Gomez opted to swing to the outside, despite the fact that a path had opened along the rail. It wouldn't have mattered either way, as the homebred kicked clear late to win easily. Graded stakes-placed Ernfold put in a good late run from the back of the pack to take the consolation prize in her first run since July, but never threatened the winner. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)**

**6th-KEE**, \$53,787, Alw, NW1X, 3yo, 1 1/16mT, 1:44 4/5, fm.

**PRIVATE PRIZE** (c, 3, **Pure Prize--Private Funds**, by **Private Terms**) was fourth here when debuted on the main track behind GIII Spiral S. winner Animal Kingdom (Leroidesanimaux {Brz}) Oct. 23, and graduated next out in an off-the-turfer at Churchill Downs Nov. 14 over GIII Lecomte S. winner Wilkinson (Lemon Drop Kid). The bay first tasted turf when second, beaten a half-length, in the Tropical Park Derby at Calder Jan. 1, but was seventh in the Hallandale Beach S. at Gulfstream Feb. 6 after a wide journey. Private Prize was last seen finishing fourth going nine furlongs on the Gulfstream main track Feb. 26. The 9-2 shot co-second choice in a large and well-matched field led through splits of :23.52 and :49.56, maintaining a one-length advantage at the line over Sporting Holiday (Harlan's Holiday). Sales history: \$35,000 yrl '09 FTKOCT. Lifetime Record: SP, 6-2-1-0, \$84,575. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)**

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**8th-KEE (Alw) Snowtop Mountain** (Najran) makes 2011 debut a winning one.

**7th-KEE (Msw) Marketing Mix** (Medaglia d'Oro) shows off an excellent late kick.

**6th-PIM (Msw) Bold Affair** (Two Punch) wins by eight lengths at first asking.

**LA PUENTE S. (8th-SA) Surrey Star (Ire)** (Dubawi {Ire}) gets first stateside win.

**7th-KEE**, \$46,100, Msw, 3yo, f, 6 1/2f (AWT), 1:18, ft.

**MARKETING MIX** (f, 3, **Medaglia d'Oro--Instant Thought**, by **Kris S.**), a \$150,000 KEESEP yearling, was sixth when unveiled at Gulfstream Mar. 13, and was let go at 13-1 for her Polytrack debut. The Ontario-bred bided her time in between horses behind splits of :22.84 and :47.17. Favored Enrichment (Ghostzapper), who was coming off a third in a key Gulfstream heat Feb. 20 in which the runner-up returned to score by 5 1/4 lengths, took over and seemed home free in upper-stretch, but Marketing Mix got free and turned on the afterburners to charge down the center of the track and get up by a head. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$26,824. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)**

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**Yesterday's Results:**

**5th-GPX, \$53,400, Alw, Opt. Clm.** (\$100,000), C, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:36 2/5, ft.

**1--THE ISABELLA ANGEL, 119, f, 4, Woodman--Treasured Freedom, by Open Forum.** (\$22,000 yrl '08 TEXAUG). O-O Alberto Acosta; B-4 M Ranch (KY); T-Giuseppe Iadisernia. Lifetime Record: MSP, 12-4-4-1, \$123,172.

**2--Life At Ten, 119, m, 6, Malibu Moon--Rahrahsixboombah, by Rahy.** (\$35,000 yrl '06 KEESEP).

**3--Jehan, 119, m, 5, Forest Wildcat--Classy Date, by Saint Ballado.** (\$150,000 yrl '07 FTSAUG; \$135,000 RNA HRA '10 KEENOV).

Margins: 5, NO, 2 1/4. Odds: 5.50, 0.30, 5.90.

The Isabella Angel, who was coming off a runner-up optional claiming effort behind GSW Quiet Temper (Quiet American) to kick off the year here Jan. 30, appeared to be taking up a supporting role in this event, which featured the return of Life At Ten. The chalk, who was last seen finishing a controversial 11th of 11 in the GI Breeders' Cup Ladies' Classic at Churchill Downs Nov. 5, attended the pace while in between horses through splits of :24.09 and a speeding-up :46.50. The headliner seemed to be fading as Jehan took control before The Isabella Angel blew by them all to win going away. Life At Ten re-rallied to secure second. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

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**9th-GPX, \$46,640, Msw, 3yo, f, 1 1/16mT, 1:43 1/5, fm.**

**OVERRATED (f, 3, Smart Strike--Hero's Love {Ch. Turf Horse-Can, MGSW & GISP, \$780,120}, by Hero's Honor)** had shown little in her first two starts, finishing eighth on the lawn at Woodbine last October and seventh on the local course Mar. 17. Reflecting the weakness of the competition here, she was sent off the 7-2 second choice. The bay went right to the front and opened up late to score by 3 1/4 lengths. Vuemont (A.P. Indy) was second throughout. Divine Diamond (Storm Cat), the half to champion Afleet Alex (Northern Afleet), was never in the hunt and ran eighth. The winner is a 1/2 to Love Kiss (Gone West), SW & GSP, \$217,578; and Love Sting (Lit de Justice), SW, \$198,750. Sales history: \$170,000 yrl '09 FTSAUG. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$26,253. [Click for the brisnet.com chart.](#) [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#) O-R S Evans. B-Adena Springs (KY). T-Mark R Frostad.

**4th-GPX, \$44,520, Msw, 3yo/up, f/m, 5fT, :55 2/5, fm.**

**DOMINANT CURRENCY (f, 4, Silver Deputy--Castlemania {MSP, \$100,386}, by Bold Ruckus),** a half to Battlements (Sea Wall), MSW, \$326,458; and Coastal Fortress (Sea Wall), MSW, \$421,960, ran second and sixth for Eoin Harty over the synthetic at Santa Anita last term. She returned over 7 1/2 furlongs on the sod here for Angel Penna Jr. Mar. 2 and was seventh, but only beaten 1 1/4 lengths. Given a 7-2 chance on the turnback, the dark bay rated in fourth behind splits of :21.41 and :44.14. Locked and loaded coming into the lane, Dominant Currency cruised to the front and kicked clear to score by 2 3/4 lengths from Vinda (Vindication). Sales history: \$95,000 yrl '08 KEESEP; \$135,000 2yo '09 KEEAPR. Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-0, \$35,025. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#) O-Bruce Lunsford. B-Mr & Mrs Gerald J Stautberg (KY). T-Angel J Penna Jr.



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## NEW YORK

**Yesterday's Results:**

**PACKETT'S LANDING S.**, \$58,800, AQU, 4-10, (S), 3yo, 1m, 1:35 3/5, ft.

1--**#BOLD DEED, 118, g, 3, Anasheed--Boltono, by Unbridled's Song.** O-B Schwartz; B-Stonewall Farm (NY); T-M Hushion; J-C Hill; \$36,000. Lifetime Record: 3-2-1-0, \$67,000. \*1/2 to Magical Solution (Stormin Fever), SW.

2--**Tap Attack, 120, c, 3, Tapit--Hot Chipotle, by Victory Gallop.** (\$7,000 yrl '09 KEESEP). O-Herbert T & Carol A Schwartz. \$12,000.

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3--**Dr Disco, 120, c, 3, Disco Rico--Dr Margaret, by Dr. Blum.** O-Joseph Dirico. \$6,000.

Margins: NK, 2, 13 1/4. Odds: 1.80, 12.60, 0.70.

Bold Deed was second sprinting when unveiled on the inner track Feb. 20, and won by 6 1/4 lengths on the stretch-out Mar. 12. The chestnut dashed to the lead here and set splits of :22.84 and :45.38. Favored Dr Disco came to challenge near the quarter pole, but Bold Deed stiff-armed his more fancied foe and held off a late charge from Tap Attack for the score. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)



## EAST

**Yesterday's Results:**

**6th-PIM, \$30,000, Msw, 3yo, f, 6f, 1:12 1/5, ft.**

+ **BOLD AFFAIR (f, 3, Two Punch--Hunka Hunka Lori Z {MSW \$266,533}, by Colonial Affair)** offered no clues on the worktab as to her ability, but took some action to be 3-1 on debut. The chestnut broke slowly, and bided her time last, but within striking distance behind a half in :47.92. The hulking debutante swept by all her foes turning for home and opened up to an eight-length lead over Pleasant Aspect (Pleasantly Perfect). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$17,100. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O/B-C J Reed & M Zanella (MD). T-H E Wolfendale.



## CENTRAL

**Yesterday's Results:**

**9th-OPX, \$45,000, Msw, 3yo, 6f, 1:09 4/5, ft.**

**JERRY N' ELVIS (g, 3, Vindication--Island Lore, by Cozzene),** a nice pinhook from \$10,000 as a KEENOV weanling to \$70,000 as a KEESEP yearling, finished runner-up here Feb. 26 and Mar. 20. The 3-2 shot was always comfortably clear through splits of :21.97 and :45.54, and drew off by five lengths in the stretch. Dakota Digger (More Than Ready) was second. Lifetime Record: 3-1-2-0, \$43,000. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O-Dream Walkin Farms Inc. B-Elk Manor Farm (MD). T-Kenny P Smith.



## CANADA CALIFORNIA

**Yesterday's Results:**

**7th-WOX, \$75,996, Msw, 3yo, f, 6.5f (AWT), 1:16 2/5, ft. HOI AN (f, 3, Successful Appeal--Forty Gran {MSP}, by El Gran Senor),** a half to Square Eddie (Smart Strike), GISW, \$823,400, was a slow-starting second at first asking sprinting over the Gulfstream turf Feb. 23 as a 23-1 outsider. A 7-5 favorite this time, Hoi An pressed the pace from the inside through splits of :22.90 and :45.61. The chalk continued to grind it out in the lane, and held off Celestina (Ghostzapper) by a length. Sales history: \$160,000 wlng '08 KEENOV; \$150,000 yrl '09 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$54,582.

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## CALIFORNIA HOLLYWOOD

**Yesterday's Results:**

**LA PUENTE S.**, \$100,000, SAX, 4-10, 3yo, 1 1/8mT, 1:48 3/5, fm.

1--**#SURREY STAR (IRE), 116, c, 3, by Dubawi (Ire)**  
 1st Dam: Turning Light (Ger) (GSW-Ger), by Fantastic Light  
 2nd Dam: Turning Leaf, by Last Tycoon (Ire)  
 3rd Dam: Tamacana, by Windwurf (Ger)  
 (50,000 EUR yrl '09 ARQAUG; 32,000gns 2yo '10 TATAPR; 200,000gns 2yo '10 TATHIT). O-Class Racing Stable; B-Anima Negra GmbH & CoKg (IRE); T-James M Cassidy; J-J Talamo; \$60,000. Lifetime Record: MGSP-Eng & GSP-US, 12-2-2-3, \$117,206.

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2--**Major Art (GB), 116, c, 3, Compton Place (GB)--Rosewood Belle, by Woodman.** (35,000gns yrl '09 TATOCT; 98,000gns 2yo '10 TATAPR). O-Class Racing Stable. \$20,000.

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3--**Jakesam, 116, c, 3, Smoke Glacken--Deputy Sarah,** by Deputy Commander. (\$20,000 wlng '08 KEENOV; \$70,000 yrl '09 KEESEP). O-Robert & Mary Ellen Bourque. \$12,000.

Margins: HF, 1HF, 2 1/4. Odds: 2.80, 2.00, 2.30.

Surrey Star was twice Group 3-placed in England last term for Roger Teal, and debuted stateside to be third in the grassy GIII Generous S. over the Hollywood turf Nov. 27. The bay was switched to a main track sprint Feb. 20, and finished fourth in the GII San Vicente S. behind the well-regarded trio of **TDN Rising Star** The Factor (War Front), Sway Away (Afleet Alex) and Premier Pegasus (Fusaichi Pegasus). Surrey Star was seventh last time in the Mar. 12 GII San Felipe S. Stalking from the inside behind a half in :48.88, he slipped his way through on the rail and held the lead late from a fast-closing Major Art. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)



**First/Second-crop starters to watch: Monday, Apr. 11**  
*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, 207/30/2  
 6-PRX, Msw, 1m, Kiwi Humor, \$12K KEE SEP yrl, 12-1  
**SHANIKO** (A.P. Indy), Millennium Farms, \$8K, 93/8/0  
 8-MNR, Alw, 6f, Native Niko, 6-1  
**THE DADDY** (Valid Expectations), Airdrie Stud, \$5K, 85/13/1  
 6-PRX, Msw, 1m, Uniquely, 2-1



**Yesterday's Results:**  
**PRIX DU TOP 14 ORANGE (PRIX FINLANDE)-Listed,**  
 €55,000, Longchamp, 4-10, 3yo, f, 1 1/8mT, 1:57.60, gd.  
 1--**#GLORIOUS SIGHT (IRE), 123, f, 3, by Singspiel (Ire)**  
 1st Dam: Zelding (Ire) (GSW-Fr, \$122,869), by Warning(GB)  
 2nd Dam: Zelda (Ire), by Caerleon  
 3rd Dam: Mill Princess (Ire), by Mill Reef  
 O-R C Strauss; B-Kilfrush Stud Farm; T-Robert Collet;  
 J-Sebastien Maillot; €27,500. Lifetime Record:  
 5 starts, 3 wins, 2 places, €60,700. \*1/2 to Beauty  
 Is Truth (Ire) (Pivotal {GB}), MGSW-Fr, \$226,426.  
 2--**Nonsuch Way (Ire), 123, f, 3, Verglas (Ire)--Lucky**  
 Lune (Fr), by Priolo. (€60,000 yrl '09 ARQAUG).  
 O-Gerard Augustin-Normand; B-Ecurie Skymarc Farm;  
 T-Fabrice Vermeulen; €11,000.  
 3--**Adventure Seeker (Fr), 123, f, 3, Bering (GB)--**  
 American Adventure, by Miswaki. O-Ecurie  
 Wildenstein; B-Dayton Investments Ltd; T-Alain de  
 Royer-Dupre; €8,250.  
 Margins: SHD, HF, 3/4. Odds: 3.90, 5.30, 1.00.  
 Also Ran: Queen Menantie (Fr), Va (Fr).

Glorious Sight made one juvenile start, finishing third at Saint-Cloud Nov. 13, and returned this term to fill the same berth back there Mar. 7. She broke through in a Mar. 23 Le Croise Laroche maiden and lined up for this coming off a conditions win, going a mile here, Apr. 4. Leading after the break, Glorious Sight was stoked up as rivals loomed large approaching the final quarter mile and stuck rigidly to her guns under urging in the closing stages to just hold on for a first black-type success. "Glorious Sight recovered well from her race last Monday and it was always my intention to go to the front as I know she can really sprint in the straight," explained rider Sebastien Maillot. "Last Monday she was used as a pacemaker, but still won and is a very good filly in her own right."

**Longchamp, 13.30, Cond, €34,000, 3yo, c/g,**  
 1 3/8mT, 2:20.10, gd.  
**SAINT DESIR (GB) (c, 3, Baratheia {Ire}--Dirigeante {Fr}, by Lead on Time),** a once-out winner at Saint-Cloud last time Mar. 15, broke swiftly and led under a tight hold. Maintaining control throughout, the 3-1 chance came under pressure with 300 meters remaining and was ridden out thereafter to comfortably best Gaily Game (GB) (Montjeu {Ire}) by 1 1/2 lengths. "Saint Desir is quite promising in the mornings and, following his debut win at Saint-Cloud, he confirmed his class here," commented rider Anthony Crastus. "I made all because I didn't want to fall victim to a false pace, and I think he will be even better if he is waited with in his races. In my mind he is definitely group class." The winner is a half to Al Namix (Fr) (Linamix {Fr}), MSW-Fr, \$194,708; Ruler of My Heart (Green (Ire) Tune), SW-Fr, \$133,159. Sales history: €60,000 yrl '09 ARQAUG. Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 2 wins, €29,000. O-Gerard Augustin-Normand; B-Haras d'Etreham & Pontchartrain Stud; T-Elie Lellouche.

**Longchamp, 14.00, Cond, €34,000, 3yo, f, 1 3/8mT,**  
 2:21.90, gd.  
 + **CAMPANILLAS (IRE) (f, 3, Montjeu {Ire}--West Brooklyn, by Gone West),** a €120,000 ARQAUG yearling, broke sharply to lead early before settling third after a furlong. Inching into second at the top of the home run, the 247-10 outsider stayed on strongly under final-quarter urging to prevail by 3/4 of a length from Gorgeous Sixty (Fr) (Touch of the Blues {Fr}). Lifetime Record: 1 start, 1 win, €17,000. O-SARL Darpat France; B-Paget Bloodstock; T-Carlos Laffon-Parias.

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**IRELAND**



**Yesterday's Results:**

**HERITAGE S.-Listed**, €40,000, Leopardstown, 4-10, 4yo/up, 1mT, 1:40.17, gd/fm.

1--**FAMOUS NAME (GB)**, 131, h, 6, **Dansili (GB)**--**Fame at Last**, by **Quest for Fame (GB)**. O-Khalid Abdullah; B-Juddmonte Farms; T-Dermot Weld; J-Pat Smullen; €26,000. Lifetime Record: Hwt Older Horse-Ire at 6.5-9.5f, MGSW-Ire, MG1SP-Fr, 22-11-6-2, €894,997.

2--**Finicius**, 126, g, 7, Officer--Glorious Linda (Fr), by Le Glorieux (GB). (\$115,000 yrl '05 KEEJAN; \$65,000 yrl '05 KEESEP). O-R Stokes; B-JMJ Racing Stables LLC; T-Eoin Griffin; €8,000.

3--**Barack (Ire)**, 126, g, 5, Pyrus--Morna's Fan (Fr), by Lear Fan. (15,000gns yrl '07 TATOCT).

O/B-John Malone; T-Francis Ennis; €4,000. Margins: 2HF, 2, 3HF. Odds: 2-13, 16-1, 9-1. Also Ran: Libano (Ire).

Famous Name's black-type tally now sits at 10 following this straightforward reintroduction, with the last six of them at this venue that suits his come-from-behind racing style. Last seen winning the Listed Trigo S. by seven lengths over 10 furlongs here in October, the three-times Group 1 runner-up sat in third early and after sweeping to the front approaching the furlong marker drew away for a comfortable success.

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**First Winner for Freshman Sire**

**Leopardstown, 14.15, Mdn**, €17,000, 2yo, 6fT, 1:14.68, gd/fm.

+ **PARISH HALL (IRE)** (c, 2, **Teofilo {Ire}**--**Halla Siamsa {Ire}**, by **Montjeu {Ire}**), sent off the 4-1 second choice, tracked the early pace set by the eventual third Requito (Ire) (Dansili {GB}), the son of Damson (Ire) (Entrepreneur {GB}). Ridden to chase that leader down in the final quarter, the homebred rolled by with 75 yards remaining and was always doing enough to hold the charge of the closer Raphael Santi (Ire) (Excellent Art {GB}) by 3/4 of a length. "He is the first runner for Teofilo (Galileo {Ire}) and is a nice horse with a future," said Jim Bolger. "He is a great mover and will step up to seven furlongs now." Click for the [Racing Post chart](#) or [Video, courtesy attheraces.com](#). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, €11,730.

O-Mrs J S Bolger; B/T-Jim Bolger; J-Kevin Manning.



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**6.35 Windsor, Mdn, £3,500, 3yo, f, 1m 67yds**  
**IZZI TOP (GB)** (Pivotal {GB}), a daughter of the 2003 G1 Prix de l'Opera victress Zee Zee Top (GB) (Zafonic), caught the eye with a fast-closing second on debut at Doncaster October and the John Gosden trainee faces stiff opposition in this sophomore bow. It includes the once-raced Cliveden Stud homebred **Apparel (Ire)** (**Cape Cross (Ire)**), who is a daughter of the 2001 G2 Sun Chariot S. heroine Independence (GB) (Selkirk) and is thus a half-sister to the 2009 G2 Great Voltigeur S. winner and G1 St Leger third Monitor Closely (Ire) (Oasis Dream {GB}), and 2008 G1 Eclipse S. and 2006 G1 Criterium International hero Mount Nelson (GB) (Rock of Gibraltar {Ire}); and Sir Evelyn de Rothschild's **Crystal Etoile (GB)** (**Dansili (GB)**), who is a half-sister to the 2008 and 2010 G2 Pride S. winner Crystal Capella (GB) (Cape Cross {Ire}).

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**Leopardstown, 16.15, Mdn**, €16,000, 3yo, 1 1/4mT, 2:06.43, gd/fm.  
**QUEST FOR PEACE (IRE)** (c, 3, **Galileo {Ire}**--**Play Misty For Me {Ire}**, by **Danehill Dancer {Ire}**), third over a mile at The Curragh when last seen Mar. 20, was backed into 13-8 favoritism and stalked the pace in second early. Committed with a quarter mile remaining, the bay drew clear from there and held a four-length advantage over Emotional Dream (GB) (Shirocco {Ger}) at the line. Sinntani (Ire) (Dalakhani {Ire}), the half-brother to Sindar (Ire) (Grand Lodge), was close up on the turn for home, but faded tamely to be a disappointing ninth. Click for the [Racing Post chart](#) or [Video, courtesy attheraces.com](#). Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-2, €13,240. O-Susan Magnier; B-Macquaire; T-Aidan O'Brien.



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**ITALY**

**Yesterday's Results:**

**PREMIO SEREGNO-Listed**, €50,400, Milan, 4-10, 3yo, f, 1mT, 1:36.30, gd.

1--**BEZIQUE (GB)**, 128, f, 3, by [Cape Cross \(Ire\)](#)

1st Dam: **Batik (Ire)**, by **Peintre Celebre**

2nd Dam: **Dali's Grey (GB)**, by **Linamix (Fr)**

3rd Dam: **Diamonaka (Fr)**, by **Akarad (Fr)**

O/B-Aston House Stud; T-Marco Gasparini;

J-Marcelian Kolmarkaj; €28,000. Lifetime Record:

3-3-0-0, €56,900.

2--**Adamantina (GB)**, 132, f, 3, Diktat (GB)--Royal Hawk (Ire), by Wolfhound. O-Scuderia Incolinx di Diego Romeo; B-Azienda Agricola Rosati Colarieti; T-Vittorio Caruso; €12,320.

3--**Fujico (Ity)**, 123, f, 3, Mujahid--Calma Apparente (GB), by Rainbow Quest. O-Lino Scarpellini; B-Dioscuri di Alduino & Giuseppe Botti; T-Grizzetti Galoppo; €6,720.

Margins: HF, HD, NK. Odds: n/a.

Also Ran: Danedream (Ger), Itasip (Ire), Paris to Peking (Ity), Mantissa (GB), Black Raja.

Successful in a debutantes contest at Merano July 18, Bezique bagged the Listed Premio Repubblica Marinare at Rome in her second go Sept. 12, but sidestepped very heavy conditions when scratched from the G3 Premio Dormello here last time Oct. 17. Racing towards the rear after breaking slowest, she was urged closer passing the three-furlong marker, switched to the rail approaching the final eighth and kept on well under a drive to double her black-type tally in cozy fashion.

**PREMIO CIRCO MASSIMO-Listed**, €50,400, Rome, 4-10, 4yo/up, 1 5/16mT, 2:09.90, gd.

1--**#BRANDERBURGO (IRE)**, 122, c, 4, by [High Chaparral \(Ire\)](#)--

**Farhad (GB)**, by **Red Ransom**. (€35,000 RNA yrl '08

ITYSEP). O/B-Tenuta Dorna di Montaltuzzo SRL;

T-Luigi Riccardi; J-Gabriele Bietolini; €28,000.

Lifetime Record: 17-6-2-3, €94,011.

2--**Cima de Pluie (GB)**, 122, c, 4, Singspiel (Ire)--Grey Way, by Cozzene. O-Scuderia Cocktail SRL; B-Grundy Bloodstock SRL; T-Grizzetti Galoppo; €12,320.

3--**Christian Love (Ity)**, 122, c, 4, Tout Seul (Ire)--Nicol Love (Ity), by Nicolotte (GB). O-Scuderia Razza Dell'Olmo SRL; B-Agricola Dell'Olmo SRL; T-Riccardo Menichetti; €6,720.

Margins: 1, SHD, 4. Winner's Odds: 5.50.

Also Ran: Silver Arrow (Ity), Permesso (GB), Lord Chaparral (Ire), Zanipolo (Ire), Silver Eyes (Ire).

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**GERMANY**

**Yesterday's Results:**

**FRUHJAHRSPREIS DER STADT FRANKFURT AM**

**MAIN-Listed**, €25,000, Frankfurt, 4-10, 4yo/up, 6 1/2fT, 1:20.38, gd.

1--**ASLANA (IRE)**, 129, f, 4, [Rock of Gibraltar \(Ire\)](#)--

**Alte Kunst (Ire)**, by **Royal Academy**. O-Stall Nizza;

B-Jurgen Imm; T-Peter Schiergen; J-Andrasch Starke;

€15,000. Lifetime Record: GSW-Ger, 11 starts,

4 wins, 3 places, €73,400. \*1/2 to Art Antique (Ire)

(Darshaan {GB}), GSP-Ger.

2--**Ferro Sensation (Ger)**, 126, g, 5, Paolini (Ger)--

Fit To Ski (GB), by Niniski. O/B-Cornelis Derks van de

Ven; T-Jan Pubben; €5,500.

3--**Konig Concorde (Ger)**, 132, g, 6, Big Shuffle--

Kaiserin (Ger), by Ile de Bourbon. O-Wolfgang

Frohlich; B-Gestut Elsetal; T-Christian Sprengel;

€3,000.

Margins: 3/4, HF, 3/4. Odds: 1.00, 11.20, 6.50.

Also Ran: Valhillen (GB), Le Big (Ger), Walero (Ger), Golden Whip (Ger), For Pro (Ger), Aturo (Fr).

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**TAXI4HORSES-TROPHY-Listed**, €20,000, Dusseldorf, 4-10, 3yo, 7 1/2fT, 1:30.14, sf.

1--**ACADIUS (GER)**, 128, c, 3, by **Lord of England (Ger)**

1st Dam: **Amouage (Ger)**, by **Tiger Hill (Ire)**

2nd Dam: **Azzura (Ger)** by **Platini (Ger)**

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

O-Stall Lucky Owner; B-Stall Pontresina; T-Jean-Pierre

Carvalho; J-Andreas Suborics; €12,000. Lifetime

Record: Hwt 2yo Colt-Ger, 4 starts, 3 wins, 0 places,

€28,000.

2--**Rose Danon (Ger)**, 128, c, 3, Sholokhov (Ire)--Rose Hedge (Ger), by Highest Honor (Fr). (€10,000 yrl '09 BBASEP). O-Louis d'Angelo; B-Ronald Rauscher; T-Peter Schiergen; €4,400.

3--**Stark Danon (Fr)**, 128, c, 3, Marchand de Sable--Sue Generoos (Ire), by Spectrum (Ire). (€35,000 yrl '09 ARQAUG). O-Stall d'Angelo; B-Haras de Bernesq; T-Waldemar Hickst; €2,400.

Margins: NK, 2, 3HF. Odds: 1.50, 2.80, 1.50.

Also Ran: Djolan (Ger), Caesarion (Ger), Maskan (Fr), Baileys Etoile (GB), Santa Maria (Ger).

Successful in the Listed Oppenheim-Rennen at Cologne in July, Acadius was tailed off in the G3 Herzog Von Ratibor-Rennen at Krefeld in November but was back in the winning habit here. In front soon after the start, the chestnut kept digging in against the hedge to ward off the determined Rose Danon.

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# AUSTRALASIA

**GROUP WINNER BY U.S. SIRE:**

**El Chico (NZ)**, g, 6, **Stravinsky**--Las Chicas Buena (NZ), by Classic Fame. Riccarton (Christchurch), 4-9, Easter Cup H.-G3, 3yo/up, 1mT, NZ\$40,600 to winner. B-R Lam; T-Michael Pitman.

## BREEDERS' EDITION AMERICA

**ALLOWANCE RESULTS:**

**6th-WOX**, \$75,943, Opt. Clm. (\$62,500-\$60,000), NW2X, 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f (AWT), 1:03, ft.

**CRIMSON GLORY (f, 4, Ghostzapper--Buy the Sport {GISW & SW-Eng, \$356,581}, by Devil's Bag)** Lifetime Record: SP, 12-3-4-0, \$149,071. O/T-Wesley A Ward. B-Adena Springs (ON). \*\$47,000 2yo '09 ADNMAR. \*\*1/2 to Lord Justice (A.P. Indy), MSW, \$164,986.

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**8th-WOX**, \$69,962, NW1X, 3yo/up, 7f (AWT), 1:22 4/5, ft.

**KINGS PARADE (g, 7, El Prado {Ire}--Top of the League, by Lite the Fuse)** Lifetime Record: 13-4-3-3, \$121,380. O-Joshua J Attard. B-Adena Springs (FL). T-Kevin Attard. \*\$125,000 RNA 2yo '06 ADNMAR. \*\*1/2 to Royal Currier (Red Bullet), MSW, \$181,950.

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**6th-SAX**, \$57,200, NW1\$X, (S), 3yo/up, a6.5fT, 1:13 1/5, fm.

**HE'S A DANCE STAR (g, 4, Perfect Mandate-- Shesa Dancing Girl, by Silveyville)** Lifetime Record: 7-2-0-4, \$78,100. O-Gregory Unruh. B-Old English Rancho (CA). T-John W Sadler. \*1/2 to Always The Lady (Something Lucky), SW, \$217,262.

**8th-PRX**, \$50,960, NW1X, 4yo/up, 6f, 1:09 2/5, ft. **CHARGING HERO (g, 7, Formal Gold--Free the Bride, by Unbridled)** Lifetime Record: 42-9-12-7, \$262,606. O-Team Central Inc. B-Adena Springs (KY). T-Juan Carlos Guerrero. \*\$190,000 RNA 2yo '06 ADNMAR.

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**8th-GPX**, \$49,665, Opt. Clm. (\$62,500), NW2\$X, 3yo/up, 5fT, :55 2/5, fm.

**SPECTACULAR KID (h, 5, Mizzen Mast--World Event, by Quiet American)** Lifetime Record: 28-4-6-1, \$121,928. O-Alan & Beverly Kasdan. B-Marilyn Fazio Seltzer (KY). T-Tammy Domenosky. \*\$50,000 RNA 2yo '08 OBSAPR

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BELMONT PARK

Haynesfield (Speightstown), 6f, 1:13.67, 1/4  
Upper East Sider (Forest Wildcat), 3f, :36.34, 1/5  
Rattlesnake Bridge (Tapit), 4f, :50.13, 47/61  
Rule (Roman Ruler), 4f, :49.08, 22/61  
Rule by Night (Malibu Moon), 6f, 1:14.11, 2/4

CHURCHILL DOWNS

Bridgetown (Speightstown), 4f, :48.40, 9/22  
Escort (First Samurai), 4f, :47.80, 3/22  
Paddy O'Prado (El Prado {Ire}), 5f, 1:02.40, 15/17  
Sensational Slam (Grand Slam), 5f, 1:00.20, 2/17

FAIR HILL

Shared Account (Pleasantly Perfect), 6f, 1:14.40, 2/3

GULFSTREAM PARK

Trickmeister (Proud Citizen), 3f, :37.45, 21/34

HOLLYWOOD PARK

Hout Bay (Harlan's Holiday), 5f, 1:00.80, 14/32  
Runflatout (Flatter), 5f, :59.80, 6/32

KEENELAND

Apart (Flatter), 4f, :51.20, 56/59  
Bind (Pulpit), 4f, :48.60, 36/59  
Court Vision (Gulch), 5f, 1:00.60, 27/34  
Get Stormy (Stormy Atlantic), 4fT, :49.20, 1/1  
Grand Adventure (Grand Slam), 5f, :59.40, 10/34  
Newsdad (Arch), 6f, 1:13.00, 1/2  
Orsonian (Officer), 5f, 1:00.40, 23/34  
Rahy's Attorney (Crown Attorney), 4f, :47.80, 24/59  
Royal Delta (Empire Maker), 5f, 1:00.20, 22/34

OAKLAWN PARK

Havre de Grace (Saint Liam), 5f, :57.80, 1/11

PALM MEADOWS

Doubles Partner (Rock Hard Ten), 4f, :49.30, 12/26  
Hilda's Passion (Canadian Frontier), 4f, :47.60, 1/26

SANTA ANITA

Blind Luck (Pollard's Vision), 5f (tr. t), 1:00.60, 1/4  
Eclair de Lune (Ger) (Marchand de Sable), 5fT, 1:02.60, 6/8  
Game On Dude (Awesome Again), 6f, 1:12.00, 1/39  
Setsuko (Pleasantly Perfect), 5f, :59.20, 1/55  
The Factor (War Front), 6f, 1:12.20, 4/39

**6th-PRX**, \$45,590, NW1X, 3yo, 6 1/2f, 1:16 3/5, ft. **PARENT'S HONOR (c, 3, Elusive Quality--Dami, by Dynaformer)** Lifetime Record: 6-2-2-1, \$77,025. O-Mr & Mrs William K Warren Jr. B-Rabbah Bloodstock LLC (KY). T-Anthony W Dutrow. \*\$75,000 yrl '09 KEESEP.

**Hidden Brook foaled and raised for Rabbah Bloodstock**

**6th-AQU**, \$40,000, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:17 2/5, ft.

**FORTHELOVEOF ANNA (f, 3, Pleasant Tap--Smartullah, by Smarten)** Lifetime Record: 7-2-0-2, \$46,487. O-Michael Dubb. B-Michael J & Patricia Palenscar (NY). T-Steven M Asmussen.



**Breeders' Edition America cont.**

**1st-GGX, \$39,138**, NW2\$X, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f (AWT), 1:09 4/5, ft.

**LOGICAL SINGLE (f, 4, Singletary--Zoelu, by Dynaformer)** Lifetime Record: SP, 12-4-6-1, \$155,122. O.B-Harris Farms Inc (CA). T-Dean Pederson. \*1/2 to Now Victory (Sharp Victor), GSW, \$442,546; and Silver Z (Cee's Tizzy), SW & GSP, \$261,213.

**9th-SUN, \$38,000**, Opt. Clm. (\$35,000), NW23MX, (S), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10 1/5, ft.

**CHUCHULUCO (g, 4, Devon Lane--Lady in Danger, by In Excess {Ire})** Lifetime Record: MSW, 12-6-1-1, \$328,284. O-West Texas Racing Partners. B-Johnny & Mary Paiz (NM). T-Todd W Fincher. \*\$58,000 yrl '08 RUIJUL. \*\*Full to Dangerous Devon, MSW, \$171,054.

**9th-EVD, \$33,180**, 4-9, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), NW13MX, 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:04 1/5, ft.

**CHERRY FOREVER (m, 5, Mutakddim--Nimble Tread {SP, \$138,975}, by Citidancer)** Lifetime Record: MSP, 21-7-3-3, \$219,030. O/B-Earl Hernandez & Keith Hernandez & John Duvieilh (LA). T-Frank Leggio.

**8th-PIM, \$33,000**, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000-\$20,000), NW2X, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:45, ft.

**REGAL WARRIOR (g, 4, Louis Quatorze--Gallaslass, by Gallapiat)** Lifetime Record: MSP, 21-3-5-6, \$166,970. O-Morris Stable LLC. B-Wayne & Juanita Morris (MD). T-Michael J Trombetta.

**9th-PIM, \$30,380**, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000-\$20,000), NW2X, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m (off turf), 1:46 4/5, ft.

**BRACE (c, 4, Include--Rose Condor, by Touch Gold)** Lifetime Record: 14-3-5-0, \$88,380. O/B-Fitzhugh LLC (MD). T-Richard W Small.

**7th-OPX, \$22,000**, Opt. Clm. (\$16,000), 4yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10 4/5, ft.

**SCAMP AND A HALF (m, 5, Storm and a Half--False Rumor, by Devil His Due)** Lifetime Record: MSP, 26-7-3-1, \$96,353. O-Golden Sky Racing Inc. B-Corbit Bryant (AR). T-Scotty McNair. \*Full to Rita Katrina, MSW, \$119,492.

**ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**

**Magnet Cove**, c, 3, **Aptitude**--Toni DeNitto, by Quiet American. KEE, 4-10, (C), 1 1/8m (AWT), 1:52 2/5. B-Runnymede Farm Inc & Catesby W Clay (KY). \*\$80,000 yrl '09 KEESEP.

+ **Tales of Tigger**, g, 3, **Chapel Royal**--Tale of Tralee, by Tale of the Cat. SAX, 4-10, (C), 5f, :57 3/5. B-Abbott Properties, SA (KY). \$9,000 yrl '09 KEESEP; \$40,000 2yo '10 OBSAPR.

**Urban Forester**, g, 3, **Old Forester**--Sorrento Slew, by Slew City Slew. WOX, 4-10, (S), 5f (AWT), :57 2/5. B-Clarehaven Farm (ON). \*\$12,997 RNA yrl '09 ONTSEP.

**Kingdom Heart**, g, 3, **Toccet**--Sarah's Kitcat, by Mr. Greeley. CTX, 4-9, 4 1/2f, :53 1/5. B-Rising Sun Racing Stable (KY). \*\$7,500 yrl '09 KEESEP.

**Dahy**, c, 3, **Stormy Atlantic**--Teakabu, by Woodman. GPX, 4-10, (C), 1mT, 1:36. B-St George Stables LLC (FL).

**Play It Straight**, g, 3, **Straight Man**--Have a Heart, by Wonderloaf. TAM, 4-10, 1mT, 1:36 3/5. B-Signature Stallions & Katherine Devall (FL). \*\$1,200 yrl '09 OBSJAN.

**Carbon County**, c, 3, **Suave**--Sienna Lady, by Mr. Greeley. AQU, 4-10, (S), 1mT, 1:41 2/5. B-Donene Honnold & Paul A Hoffman (NY).

**Reap the Benefit**, c, 4, **Where's the Ring**--Athena's Smile, by Olympio. WOX, 4-10, (S), 5 1/2f (AWT), 1:03 3/5. B-Errol Bailey (ON). \*C\$80,000 yrl '08 CANSEP. \*\*1/2 to Society's Chairman (Not Impossible {Ire}), MSW & MGISP, \$683,033.

**Decadent**, g, 4, **Wando**--Dake (MSW, \$168,948), by Gulch. WOX, 4-10, 5 1/2f (AWT), 1:04 2/5. B-Gustav Schickedanz (ON).

**Northern Bear**, g, 5, **Randy Regent**--Town Dance, by Dance Brightly. WOX, 4-10, (S), 5 1/2f (AWT), 1:04. B-Steve Owens (ON).

**Not for Winston**, g, 6, **Lion Hearted**--Little Luvins, by Not For Love. PIM, 4-10, 5f (off turf), :58 1/5. B-Gary D & Beverly J Reihart (PA).



**AMERICAN-SIRED WINNERS**

**IN SO. HEMISPHERE:**

**Cat's Pyjamas (Aus)**, f, 4, **Fusaichi Pegasus**--Perfect Halo (Aus), by Don't Say Halo. Caulfield (Melbourne), 4-9, Hcp, 3yo/up, f/m, 6fT. B-Mrs J Jenkins.

**Empire Place (NZ)**, g, 5, **Stravinsky**--Tajrebah, by Dayjur. Canterbury (Sydney), 4-8, Hcp, 4yo/up, 6fT. B-Sir Patrick & Lady Hogan.

**Career Victory**

**#1**

**Who: Jockey Aparna Battula**

**When: Sunday, Apr. 10**

**Where: 3rd race, Gulfstream Park**

**With: River North (Dehere)**

Battula earned a degree in bio-chemistry in her native Bangalore, India, but she convinced her father, Das, to let her pursue a career as a jockey instead of attending graduate school. She researched jockey schools online and came to the U.S. to attend the North American Racing Academy, which is headed by Hall of Fame jockey Chris McCarron in Lexington, Ky. (from Gulfstream press department)



## BREEDERS' EDITION EUROPE



### EUROPEAN-SIRED WINNERS

#### IN SO. HEMISPHERE:

**Detours (Aus)**, f, 2, **Ad Valorem**--Hairpin (Aus), by Octagonal (NZ). Canterbury (Sydney), 4-8, Mdn, 2yo, 6f 55ydsT. B-Darley.

**Blue Yonder (Aus)**, f, 2, **Exceed and Excel (Aus)**--Kaimana, by Tale of the Cat. Te Araho (New Zealand), 4-9, Hcp, 2yo, 6fT. B-Future Thoroughbred Breeding Syndicate.

**Celebrity Girl (Aus)**, f, 2, **Starcraft (NZ)**--Dashing Granada (Aus), by Keltrice (Aus). Sandown (Melbourne), 4-6, Hcp, 2yo, f, 5fT. B-Bramleigh Holdings.

**Valour (Aus)**, f, 3, **Exceed and Excel (Aus)**--Valadon (Aus), by Woodman. Canterbury (Sydney), 4-8, Hcp, 3yo/up, f/m, 6fT. B-Mrs D Quackenbush.

**Galshaan (Aus)**, f, 3, **Galileo (Ire)**--Darlya (GB), by Darshaan (GB). Riccarton (Christchurch), 4-9, Mdn, 3yo/up, 1mT. B-Robanne Lodge Syndicate.

**La Bella Rose (Aus)**, f, 3, **Shamardal**--Clear Advantage (NZ), by Stark South. Doomben (Brisbane), 4-9, Mdn, 3yo/up, 6f 165ydsT. B-Westbury Stud Ltd.

**Billie Blue Gum (Aus)**, f, 4, **Country Reel**--Run Easy (Aus), by High Courage (Aus). Eagle Farm (Brisbane), 4-6, Hcp, 4yo/up, 5fT. B-Bradshaw Breeding & Racing Stables.

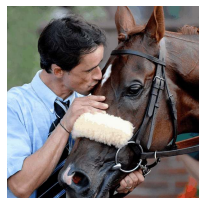
**Spirit of Flatley (Aus)**, g, 4, **Invincible Spirit (Ire)**--River Dance Queen (Aus), by Snippets (Aus). Eagle Farm (Brisbane), 4-6, Hcp, 3yo/up, 5fT. B-Chatswood Stud Holdings Pty Ltd.

**Rockin' Rocket (Aus)**, g, 4, **Rock of Gibraltar (Ire)**--Quays (Aus), by Royal Academy. Canterbury (Sydney), 4-8, Hcp, 4yo/up, 7f 165ydsT. B-P J Fleming.

**Vivid Vixen (NZ)**, m, 5, **Ekraar**--Pompeia (NZ), by Gaius (Ire). Caulfield (Melbourne), 4-9, Hcp, 4yo/up, 1 1/8mT. B-M J Wallace.

**Rain Special (Aus)**, m, 5, **Galileo (Ire)**--Special Test (Aus), by Octagonal (NZ). Canterbury (Sydney), 4-8, Hcp, 4yo/up, 1 3/16mT. B-D W Storey & Mrs V G Storey.

**Blancpain (NZ)**, m, 7, **Generous (Ire)**--Gettysburg Address (NZ), by Lord Ballina (Aus). Riccarton (Christchurch), 4-9, Hcp, 4yo/up, 1 1/4mT. B-A J & Mrs L M Ryan.



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**IFYOUPREFERSILVER**, 12, Silver Deputy--If Liloy, by Liloy (Fr)

Foal born Feb. 21, a filly by Dixie Union.

Will be bred back to Eskendereya.

Owned by Capistrano Bloodstock.

Boarded at Taylor Made.

Accomplishments: MSW of \$182,950.

**UNDERVALUED**, 18, Cox's Ridge--Raging Lady, by Linkage

Foal born Feb. 22, a filly by Include.

Will be bred back to Include.

Owned by Brereton C. Jones.

Boarded at Airdrie Stud.

Accomplishments: Dam of Montana Banana (Formal Gold), SP; I Spy Wolfie (Chief Three Sox), MSW, \$119,108; Overvalued (Forest Grove), SW.

**PIANO**, 16, Pentelicus--Thwack, by Fight Over

Foal born Feb. 23, a filly by More Than Ready.

Will be bred back to Eskendereya.

Owned by James Scaturchio.

Boarded at Taylor Made.

Accomplishments: Dam of Awesome Gem (Awesome Again), GISW, \$2,279,682.

**A.P. INTEREST**, 12, A.P. Indy--Shared Interest, by Pleasant Colony

Foal born Feb. 24, a filly by Street Cry (Ire).

Will be bred back to Quality Road.

Owned by Robert S. Evans.

Boarded at Taylor Made.

Accomplishments: Dam of Golden Spikes (Seeking the Gold), GSW, \$390,750.

**MISS SPEED**, 15, Forty Niner--Social Business, by Private Account

Foal born Feb. 26, a colt by Unbridled's Song.

Will be bred back to Eskendereya.

Owned by G. C. Bewall, Arthur Fulmer & Taylor Made Farm.

Boarded at Taylor Made.

Accomplishments: Dam of Wild Speed (Forest Wildcat), MSW, \$138,550; Amazing Speed (Langfuhr), MSW & GSP, \$271,634.