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**FIRST DUDE RETIRED**

Donald Dizney's recent GI Hollywood Gold Cup H. winner **First Dude** (Stephen Got Even--Run Sarah Run, by Smart Strike) has been retired from racing. The homebred reportedly came out of the July 9 Gold Cup with a strained tendon. "I was sick about it," Baffert said Monday. "He is the best older horse in the country.



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It's sad because he was just getting good." He continued, "It's a devastating blow to us because he loves Churchill Downs and we were really excited about the Breeders' Cup. He is a big, solid and smart horse. He is just beautiful and is very balanced for a big horse. He was becoming a great horse. He

was going to have a huge year." On the decision to retire him, Roger Brand, Vice President and General Manager of Dizney's Double Diamond Farm, explained, "He is a 4-year-old, and has value as a stallion. We consulted with Dr. [Larry] Bramlage, and it was his recommendation [to retire him]. While we could bring him back, it would take eight months to a year, because we wouldn't want to rush something like this, and you just don't know if he'd be the same horse." Brand continued, "With a tendon injury, they can be compromised when they come back. We don't know if he would be 100%, like he was for the Hollywood Gold Cup. It's a gamble. And he's our baby--Mr. Dizney bred him, and we wouldn't do anything that wasn't in his best interest." On the board in five consecutive Grade I races last year--the Bluegrass S., Preakness S., Belmont S., Haskell Inv. S., and Travers S.--as a 3-year-old while trained by Dale Romans, First Dude was transferred to Baffert in early spring. He broke through with his first graded victory in the May 6 GIII Alysheba S. at Churchill Downs May 6 before tasting Grade I glory at Hollywood. "Both [Dale Romans and Bob Baffert] did a great job, giving him every opportunity," said Brand. "He raced against the top 3-year-olds last year, there was nobody that he ducked or dodged. He beat the Kentucky Derby winner twice. Bob thought he was one of the top horses in the country this year, and he's sick about this." Stud plans have not yet been decided. "We are fielding calls as we speak," Brand said. "He has the right combination--the race record and the pedigree, and he's so big and attractive. Farms have been calling, making offers. I have no idea yet where he will stand, but it will probably be in Kentucky--they're wanting him." First Dude retires with a record of 17-4-5-4 and career earnings of \$1,442,140.

**QUARTET DECLARED FOR SUSSEX**

The presence of **Frankel (GB)** (Galileo {Ire}) and **Canford Cliffs (Ire)** (Tagula {Ire}) has frightened off all but two opponents for tomorrow's G1 Sussex S. at Goodwood following yesterday's declaration stage. Frankel (GB) (Galileo {Ire}), who will exit from the three box in a mainly insignificant draw, blitzed the G1 2000 Guineas, but showed more restraint in the G1 St James's Palace S. Sir Henry Cecil considers fluid riding tactics will be in order. "Every race is run differently and we will try to have a plan," Cecil said. "We will need to have an alternative, because if things don't pan out, we'll need a back-up. We won't do what we did in the Guineas, that's for sure. We'll discuss the best thing to do, [jockey] Tom [Queally] knows the horse and we will discuss the alternatives, but then it's up to him. It's good for racing, I hope it's a sensible race and the best horse wins." Reigning champion Canford Cliffs (Ire) (Tagula {Ire}) has been the subject of bullish soundings from the Richard Hannon camp and will load next door in the two post. **Glorious Goodwood Coverage cont. p2**




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**Goodwood Good...**

Runners at Glorious Goodwood's five-day meet will be greeted with track conditions described as 'good' by track officials after mainly clear weather continued to dry the Sussex course. "We have had a dry day and the going is now good with a GoingStick reading of 8.0," Goodwood's clerk of the course Seamus Buckley told *PA Sport*. "There is the chance of a passing overnight or early-morning shower, but that should not make any material difference. We will be starting the Glorious meeting with good ground and that is just what we want. The course is looking in fantastic shape with an excellent covering of grass."

**Nassau Attracts Baker's Dozen...**

The field for Glorious Goodwood's final-day highlight--Saturday's G1 Nassau S.--has been reduced to 13 distaffers following yesterday's £17,000 supplementary stage. A mouth-watering clash is in prospect if defending champion **Midday (GB)** (Oasis Dream {GB}) is challenged for her title by a clutch of star-quality rivals. The Juddmonte homebred is reportedly back on track after registering seconds in the June 3 G1 Coronation Cup at Epsom and the June 25 G1 Pretty Polly S. at The Curragh last time. She was defeated in the latter contest by G1 Irish 1000 Guineas victress **Misty For Me (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}), who is also among the baker's dozen currently engaged. "Midday was beaten by a better horse on the day in Ireland, there's no question about that, but her run left us scratching our heads a little bit," admitted Juddmonte Racing Manager Teddy Grimthorpe. "Something just wasn't quite right--that's not to take anything away from Misty For Me--but Midday has been in good form since." Another old foe, the dual G1 Oaks heroine **Snow Fairy (Ire)** (Intikhab), who Midday beat in last term's G1 Yorkshire Oaks, also stands her ground.

She returned from a successful end-of-term campaign in the Far East last year to finish fourth in the July 2 G1 Eclipse S. at Sandown. Jim Bolger's hardy **Banimpire (Ire)** (Holy Roman Emperor {Ire}), who was just touched off in this year's renewal of the G1 Irish Oaks at The Curragh July 17, remains on target to make her ninth black-type start this term.

**Tuesday, Goodwood, Britain, post time: 3:10 p.m.**

**BET365 LENNOX S.-G2, £140,000, 3yo/up, 7fT**

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	8	Delegator (GB)	Dansili (GB)	Dettori	bin Sur'r	132
2	1	Balthazaar's Gift (Ire)	Xaar (GB)	Robinson	Cox	128
3	6	Beacon Lodge (Ire)	Clodovil (Ire)	Kirby	Cox	128
4	3	Dalghar (Fr)	Anabaa	Probert	Balding	128
5	9	Doncaster Rover (K)	War Chant	S de Sousa	Brown	128
6	2	Red Jazz (K)	Johannesburg	M Hills	B Hills	128
7	4	Libranno (GB)	Librettist	R Moore	Hannon	121
8	7	Majestic Myles (Ire)	Majestic Missile (Ire)	Hanagan	Fahey	121
9	5	Strong Suit (K)	Rahy	Hughes	Hannon	121

Godolphin's **Delegator** won the G2 Celebration Mile at this track last August, but was later taken down following a failed sample, and will seek to make amends in this return visit. He opened this campaign with victory in the May 11 G2 Duke of York S., his first try at six furlongs, but skipped Royal Ascot's G1 Golden Jubilee S. due to ground concerns. Enduring a troubled trip when fifth in this month's G1 Darley July Cup at Newmarket, he arrives here in prime condition according to trainer Saeed bin Suroor. "Delegator was unlucky at Newmarket, but came back happy and sound," said bin Suroor. "He has been working well and is ready to go again. Seven furlongs will be fine for him, and I am hoping for a better result this time." Delegator faces stern opposition, headed by **Strong Suit**, who, following a wind operation, garnered last month's G3 Jersey S. at Royal Ascot before beaten a matter a pixels when third in the July 3 G1 Prix Jean Prat at Chantilly last time. "Strong Suit ran a blinder in France and was only caught close home in a three-way photo for the Prix Jean Prat," said trainer Richard Hannon. "He will definitely be suited by coming back to seven furlongs and he seems back to his old self after the breathing operation. We are very hopeful." Cont. p3



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**Goodwood cont.**

Stablemate **Libranno** lost his way after bagging the G2 Richmond S. at this meet last year, but regained his luster in the June 25 G3 Criterion S. at Newmarket's July course. He lost no caste in defeat when fourth in the July Cup back there two weeks later, and Hannon believes his second string his no back number, adding, "Don't rule out Libranno, who ran a terrific race to finish fourth in the July Cup. He won the Richmond here last year and has won over seven [furlongs]. He is very versatile and the track is made for him."

**Tuesday, Goodwood, Britain, post time: 2:35 p.m.**

**BET365 GORDON S.-G3, £50,000, 3yo, 1 1/2mT**

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER
1	4	Dordogne (Ire)	Singspiel (Ire)	Queally	Johnston
2	10	Namibian (Ire)	Cape Cross (Ire)	S deS'sa	Johnston
3	2	Fiorente (Ire)	Monsun (Ger)	R Moore	Stoute
4	8	Highland Castle (GB)	Halling	D O'Neill	Elsworth
5	5	Hunter's Light (Ire)	Dubawi (Ire)	Dettori	bin Suroor
6	9	Hurricane Higgins (Ire)	Hurricane Run (Ire)	Holland	Johnston
7	1	Measuring Time (GB)	Dubai Destination	Fortune	Hannon
8	6	Moriarty (Ire)	Clodovil (Ire)	Hughes	Hannon
9	11	Slumber (GB)	Cacique (Ire)	M Hills	B Hills
10	3	Well Sharp (GB)	Selkirk	Makin	Dods
11	7	Yaseer (Ire)	Dansili (GB)	R Hills	Tregoning

All carry 126 pounds bar Dordogne & Namibian, 129.

Focus will center on **Fiorente**, who finished five lengths adrift of subsequent G1 King George VI & Queen Elizabeth S. hero Nathaniel (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) when runner-up in last month's G2 King Edward VII S. at Royal Ascot. Trainer Sir Michael Stoute, who holds a record seven wins here, used this contest as a springboard to a first G1 St Leger win with Conduit (Ire) (Dalakhani {Ire}) in 2008, and saddled Harbinger (GB) (Dansili {GB}) to success the following year. Jockey Ryan Moore has had a grip on the last three renewals, including with Rebel Soldier (Ire) (Danehill Dancer {Ire}) last year. **Slumber's** most recent effort, a third in Royal Ascot's G3 Tercentenary S., has also received a recent boost following the subsequent success of his conqueror Pisco Sour (Lemon Drop Kid) in Sunday's G2 Prix Eugene Adam. Trainer Mark Johnston enjoys success with his raiding parties at this meet and is represented by a pair of Sheikh Hamdan bin Mohammed Al Maktoum entries. The number one silks will be carried by **Namibian**, who garnered the G3 Queen's Vase at the Royal meet last time.


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**BET365 MOLECOMB S.-G3, £40,000, 2yo, 5fT**

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	3	Boris Grigoriev (Ire)	Excellent Art (GB)	R Moore	A O'Brien	126
2	11	Burwaaz (GB)	Excd and Excl (Aus)	R Hills	E Dunlop	126
3	4	Charles the Great (Ire)	H'ly Rmn Empr (Ire)	Fortune	Balding	126
4	13	Chunky Diamond (Ire)	Diamond Green (Fr)	Mitchell	PChpl-Hym	126
5	9	Church Music (Ire)	Amadeus Wolf (GB)	Mullen	K Ryan	126
6	8	Crown Dependency (Ire)	Acclamation (GB)	Hughes	Hannon	126
7	7	Powerful Wind (Ire)	Titus Livius (Fr)	Morris	Harris	126
8	14	Requinto (Ire)	Dansili (GB)	Lordan	Wachman	126
9	5	Stonefield Flyer (GB)	Kheleyf	Eaves	Dalgleish	126
10	12	Hidden Passion (K)	Elusive Quality	Kelly	Meehan	123
11	10	Miss Work of Art (GB)	Dutch Art (GB)	Hanagan	Fahey	123
12	1	On the Dark Side (Ire)	Kheleyf	Makin	K Ryan	123
13	2	Pyman's Theory (Ire)	Excd and Excl (Aus)	Kingscote	Dascombe	123
14	6	Vocational	Excd and Excl (Aus)	S de Sousa	Johnston	123

Richard Hannon has saddled the last two winners of this contest--Monsieur Chevalier (Ire) (Chevalier {Ire}) and Zebedee (GB) (Invincible Spirit {Ire})--and relies on **Crown Dependency** in this open renewal. The bay opened his account over course and distance on debut in May, but was compromised by slower conditions when third in the G2 Norfolk S. at Royal Ascot last month. He will find better ground this time and can play a main role here. **Stonefield Flyer**, who put jockey-turned-trainer Keith Dalgleish on the map, bounced back from a second in Royal Ascot's Listed Windsor Castle S. to gain a confidence-boosting score in a Doncaster conditions heat earlier this month. Ballydoyle representative **Boris Grigoriev** makes a quick reappearance after hitting the board in the July 17 G3 Anglesey S. at The Curragh, while David Wachman trainee **Requinto** impressed when taking out the Listed Tipperary S. earlier this month, but has to overcome an unfavorable draw in the outside box.

**Wednesday, Goodwood, Britain, post time: 3:10 p.m.**

**QIPCO SUSSEX S.-G1, £300,000, 3yo/up, 1mT**

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER
1	2	Canford Cliffs (Ire)	Tagula (Ire)	Hughes	Hannon
2	4	Rajsaman (Fr)	Linamix (Fr)	Jarnet	F Head
3	1	Rio de La Plata (K)	Rahy	Dettori	bin Suroor
4	3	Frankel (GB)	Galileo (Ire)	Queally	Cecil

All carry 133 pounds bar Frankel, 125.

"Frankel is the best horse in the world and if Canford Cliffs beats him then he takes that position," Hannon claimed. "Unfortunately, [at least] one of them will be beaten and I don't know who is going to win. If there are any weaknesses in Canford Cliffs, I haven't found them. He is probably at his peak now. He is a strong horse, he's going well and it will be very interesting to see what happens. It is going to be a hell of a race, no doubt about it, but Canford Cliffs and Frankel are not the only horses in the race. In a small field, you just wonder where the pace will come from, but whatever Richard [Hughes] does in the race is okay with me." Godolphin's three-time Group 1 winner **Rio de La Plata** (Rahy), who has drawn gate one, and G1 Prix d'Ispahan third **Rajsaman (Fr)** (Linamix {Fr}) form a worthy supporting cast.

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**Wednesday, Goodwood, Britain, post time: 2:35 p.m.**  
**VEUVE CLICQUOT VINTAGE S.-G2, £60,000, 2yo, 7fT**  
 SCPP HORSE SIRE JOCKEY TRAINER  
 1 3 Red Duke (K) Hard Spun Fallon John Quinn  
 2 6 Chandlery (Ire) Choisir (Aus) Hughes Hannon  
 3 4 Elkhart (Ire) Refuse to Bend (Ire) S de Sousa Johnston  
 4 7 Lethal Force (Ire) Dark Angel (Ire) Kirby Cox  
 5 1 Minal (GB) Compton Place (GB) D O'Neill Hannon  
 6 5 Red Seventy (GB) Sakhee Dobbs Hannon  
 7 2 Rockinante (Fr) Rck of Gbrltr (Ire) R Moore Hannon  
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**'88 HASKELL: A GOLDEN RENEWAL**

Mr. Prospector has been a potent influence in the Haskell Invitational in the past two decades, with tail-mail decedents including winners King Glorious ('90), Coronado's Quest ('98), Point Given ('01), War Emblem ('02), Peace Rules ('03), Roman Ruler ('05), Any Given Saturday ('07), and last year's winner, paternal grandson Lookin at Lucky, by Smart Strike. But as stirring as the performances of some of those winners, few



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could match the excitement produced by Forty Niner and Seeking the Gold, sons of Mr. Prospector who locked horns in the 1988 edition of the race. Though they were owned by different operations (Forty Niner was a Claiborne homebred, Seeking the Gold an Ogden Phipps homebred) and trained by different men (Forty Niner by Woody Stephens, Seeking the Gold by Shug McGaughey), the two horses were easy to lump together. Steve Christ wrote in the *New York Times* that year that the pair "seem to have gone through their careers as an entry. Sons of the same stallion, they were born in the same barn at Claiborne Farm in Paris, Ky., grew up together in the fields there, went to New York as 2-year-olds and spent last winter in Florida."

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Despite the familiar connections, Forty Niner and Seeking the Gold had raced against each other just once prior to the Haskell, and each entered the race with something to prove.

For Forty Niner, it was confirmation he indeed was the best 3-year-old colt in the nation. A son of the stakes-winning Tom Rolfe mare File, Forty Niner burst onto the scene at two, winning five of six starts, including the G1 Futurity S. and G1 Champagne S. and the G2 Breeders' Futurity in his seasonal finale. He didn't make the trip to Hollywood for the '87 G1 Breeders' Cup Juvenile--Success Express prevailed--but was nonetheless honored as the nation's top juvenile at the Eclipse Awards.

At three, he was less dominant, and questions of stamina arose. The chestnut won the GII Fountain of Youth, but had finished second in both the G1 Florida Derby and GII Lexington S.--his last prep for the G1 Kentucky Derby--and was somewhat suspect at the Derby's 10-furlong distance. After all, at that point, he'd never won beyond 8 1/2 furlongs. Forty Niner tried to put those doubts to rest, unleashing a furious rally in the stretch before falling a neck short of the filly Winning Colors. **Cont. p6**

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**Haskell cont.**

If his naysayers weren't convinced after the Derby, they wouldn't after the Preakness, either. Intent to take the race to the filly in the Preakness, Forty Niner and pilot Pat Day sprinted from the gates at Pimlico, matching strides with the big filly into the first turn and up the backstretch. But the duel took its toll on both. Forty Niner began to fade on the far turn, ultimately fading to seventh, while Winning Colors came home third. Some, including the filly's rider Gary Stevens, criticized the Forty Niner's aggressive tactics.

Stephens promptly ordered a 60-day break for Forty Niner. "He had a hard winter and raced well in the Kentucky Derby," the trainer later said. "In the Preakness, we rode him wrong, and the track was bad."

After an allowance win at Monmouth in mid-July, Forty Niner came into the Haskell with three wins from eight starts on the year--just one in graded company--and representing a trainer who was perhaps a little stung by the scrutiny that followed the Preakness. Moreover, talk of distance limitations persisted. Forty Niner would have to ring up a few more Grade I victories on his score card if he wanted to double his Eclipse tally.

While Forty Niner was a star at two, Seeking the Gold didn't race until December of his juvenile season, winning a six-furlong race at Hialeah. McGaughey brought him along slowly, sending him out to a pair of Gulfstream allowance victories and a tally in the ungraded Swale S. before finally trying him in graded company. In April of '88, Seeking the Gold ran second to Private Terms--another



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Claiborne-raised horse--in the G2 Gotham S. and GI Wood Memorial S., and he was a relative longshot on Derby day at 15-1 odds (Private Terms went favored). Tracking in third early, Seeking the Gold never got going once the real running began, and reported home seventh in what was his first time facing Forty Niner. The son of the Buckpasser mare Con Game bounced right back, though, skipping the Preakness in favor of the Gil Peter Pan S., which he won at 3-5 odds. He then beat Evening Kris in the Dwyer S. **Cont. p7**



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**Haskell cont.**

That put the two horses--one aiming to prove he was still a top horse, one trying to prove he belonged in racing's upper echelons--on track for an exciting match-up in the Haskell. In the days and weeks leading up to the race, jockey assignments became an issue. Day, who rode Seeking the Gold for the first time in the Peter Pan and was aboard for the Dwyer, agreed to ride him in the Haskell when it originally looked like Forty Niner was going to the Jim Dandy S. When Stephens opted to send Forty Niner to the Haskell, too, the colt was briefly without a rider. But a capable replacement was soon found in Laffit Pincay, Jr. Regardless of who was on him, Stephens felt confident, saying just before the allowance win, "He's put on 25 to 50 pounds [since the Preakness] and is training just beautiful."



**Seeking the Gold (outside) and Forty Niner in the '88 Haskell**

When the gates broke open for the Haskell on July 30, 1988, Forty Niner and Pincay quickly powered to the front as Day--intent on keeping the leader honest--put Seeking the Gold on his hip. Heading into the clubhouse turn, however, Julie Krone and local favorite Teddy Drone split the two and took command, leading up the backstretch and until the half-mile pole, at which point Forty Niner re-took the lead. With Teddy Drone done, the duel the crowd had anticipated came to fruition. Forty Niner and Seeking the Gold roared into the Monmouth stretch in tandem, with Pat Day uncustomarily brandishing the whip early and often while Pincay merely showed his stick to Forty Niner. Egged on by a roaring crowd of 23,027 and with the wire fast approaching, Forty Niner, on the inside, asserted bravely over his one-time paddock mate to win it by a nose. The final time was a fast 1:47 3/5--three ticks off the stakes record--and the pair came home the final eighth in :12 1/5. "They said after the Preakness I killed my horse," enthused Stephens. "It didn't look like I killed him today." The Hall of Famer added, "He is a real gutsy horse. He has always fought back. He likes it when there is another horse with him--he will fight him."

Twenty days later, the two met up again, this time in the 1 1/4-mile GI Travers S., and though Forty Niner had yet another new rider--Chris McCarron--the result was identical: a driving Seeking the Gold laying it all out, but unable to get past Forty Niner.

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**Woody Stephens**

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**Haskell cont.**

It could be said that Seeking the Gold had a better end to his season. He won the GI Super Derby at odds-on, then ran Alysheba to 3/4 lengths in the GI Breeders' Cup Classic. Forty Niner, meanwhile, ran second to Alysheba in the GI Woodward H., captured the NYRA Mile (now the Cigar) at Aqueduct, then finished fourth in the Classic over a muddy track. Regardless, neither did enough to convince Eclipse voters of their merits. Risen Star--retired after the Belmont--earned divisional honors.

The real winner, of course, was Claiborne Farm, as both Seeking the Gold and Forty Niner were eventually retired to the nursery. Seeking the Gold sired no fewer than 91 black-type winners, according to BRIS, a 10% strike rate, including the champions Seeking the Pearl, Heavenly Prize, Catch the Ring, Dubai Millennium (GB), and Flanders. Forty Niner sired Coronado's Quest--who replicated his sire's feat in winning the Haskell--as well as Classic winner Editor's Note and the Grade I winners Ecton Park, Nine Keys, Marley Vale, and Gold Fever. The lure of a \$10 million offer from the Japanese ultimately led to Forty Niner being exported, but he remains an influential sire of sires, particularly through his son Distorted Humor, sire of the 2007 Haskell winner Any Given Saturday. -L Marquardt



**RACETRACK  
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**Dominus, Astrology Work Towards Weekend Starts...**

Stonestreet Stables and George Bolton's **Astrology** (A.P. Indy) and **Dominus** (Smart Strike), owned by the same interests plus Spendthrift Farm, both worked at Saratoga Monday morning and are being considered for Saturday's GII Jim Dandy S. at the Spa and Sunday's GI Haskell Invitational H. at Monmouth. One is expected to go in each spot. Astrology, third in the GI Preakness S. and fifth in the GIII Iowa Derby June 25, breezed four furlongs on the Oklahoma Training Track in :51.31. While Dominus, who took the GII Dwyer S. at Belmont July 2, covered the same distance on the main track in :50.54. "We're very pleased," said trainer Steve Asmussen. "They had very easy half-miles. They traveled well and seemed to come back well." Of how and when a decision will be made as to where each horse will go, Asmussen said, "We'll just wait and see how they come out of the workout [before we make a decision]. We don't want to put the cart ahead of the horse. We'll discuss it with the group and go from there." Also working for Asmussen yesterday was J. Kirk and Judy Robison's ☆ **"TDN Rising Star"** ☆ **Wine Police** (Speightstown)--he drilled four furlongs on the main track in :51.88 and is being pointed to the Aug. 1 GII Amsterdam S.

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Joe Vann (Silver Deputy)	3rd GIII Matt Winn S.
Pants On Fire (Jump Start)	1st GIII Pegasus S.
Ruler On Ice (Roman Ruler)	1st GI Belmont S.
Shackleford (Forestry)	5th GI Belmont S.
<i>Possible:</i>	
Astrology (A.P. Indy)	6th Iowa Derby
Dominus (Smart Strike)	1st GII Dwyer S.



**RETIRED**

**Canadian Champion Biofuel Retired...**

Brereton Jones's **Biofuel** (Stormin Fever), Canada's Horse of the Year and champion 3-year-old filly in 2010, has been retired from racing, *Daily Racing Form* reports. She finished third in the GIII Ontario Matron S. at Woodbine Sunday. "She chipped her sesamoid, during the race," trainer Reade Baker told the publication. "She'll stay at Woodbine for another week and then head down to [Jones's] Airdrie Stud [in Kentucky]. She'll be bred to Majesticperfection." A five-time winner at Woodbine, including last year's GIII Selene S., Biofuel was third in the GI Mother Goose S. and second in the GI Coaching Club American Oaks last term. She retires with an overall record of 13-6-1-2 and a career bankroll of \$781,090.

**Friend Or Foe To Whitney...**

**Friend Or Foe** (Friends Lake), scratched from Monday's Evan Shipman S. at Saratoga after heavy rains turned the track to slop, will now head straight to the GI Whitney Invitational H. Aug. 6. Trainer John Kimmel had hoped to give the colt an easier test against New York-breds in the Evan Shipman before running in the GI Woodward S. Sept. 3. "There goes the conservative route," said Kimmel. "I guess it was meant to be. My horse is ready."



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# NEWS TODAY

## NHBPA: YES ON LASIX, NO TO ADJUNCTS

Roughly a week after the Breeders' Cup announced it was moving toward a ban on all race-day medication, including the anti-bleeding drug commonly known as Lasix, the Board of Directors of the National Horsemen's Benevolent and Protective Association weighed in, passing a unanimous resolution calling for a ban on all race-day medication...except Lasix. The measure was passed at the NHBPA's annual summer convention, hosted this year by the Washington HBPA at the Renaissance Seattle Hotel in downtown Seattle, Washington, July 21-24. The NHBPA, while disagreeing with the Breeders' Cup's stance, did support a ban on all adjunct bleeder medications, and stipulated it supported Lasix "provided [it] is only administered on race-day at least four hours prior to racing by a veterinarian in the horse's stall." NHBPA President and Chairman Joe Santanna noted at the meeting, "The National HBPA will continue to advocate that changes to the industry's rules and regulations regarding medication be based on scientific fact, not opinions. That's who we are."

The NHBPA conference included speaker panels entitled, "The Scientific Case: Furosemide and the Prevention of Exercise-Induced Pulmonary Hemorrhage" and "Visions of Racing's Future." In a post-conference release, the NHBPA said it based its position on race-day medication "on the existing scientific evidence that shows that most racehorses will bleed sometime in their careers, and Furosemide [Lasix/Salix] has been proven to reduce or prevent EIPH. Thus, its use is in the best interest of the welfare of racing horses and, by extension, the safety of the jockeys that ride those horses."

Attendees of the conference were also reminded of what the NYBPA considered "under-reported facts" in U.S. racing, based on data from the Association of Racing Commissioners International (ARCI):

- 25% of all equine participants are drug tested in each race
- 99.5% of all horses tested are in compliance with existing scientific standards
- 98% of 6,000 licensed trainers have no Class 1 or 2 medication violations.

The NHBPA board also passed a resolution supporting efforts to regulate and enforce, in the strictest manners, "pharmacologically significant concentrations of ARCI Class 1 or 2 substances which have no approved or indicated use in the horse and are not detected due to environmental contamination, nor are therapeutic, endogenous or dietary substances."

Santanna added, "I believe that the public positions taken by our board today send the message out that, while we and industry regulators may still have work to do on how we regulate and penalize horsemen with regard to the use of legitimate therapeutic medications, we are very much united with regulators on passing even tougher penalties for those found guilty of using substances that we all agree don't belong any where near a horse--the performance-enhancing, non-therapeutic ARCI Class 1 and 2 listed substances."

Ohio HBPA Executive Director Dave Basler and NHBPA Deputy Counsel Peter Ecabert will be advocating the NHBPA's positions on behalf of the organization at the RCI's Drug Testing Standards and Practices Committee meeting July 26 and the RCI's Model Rules Committee Meeting July 27. Florida HBPA Executive Director and NHBPA Medication Committee Chairman Kent Stirling will do the same at the Racing Medication and Testing Consortium (RMTC) meeting Aug. 4.

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## PEDIGREE INSIGHTS

BY ANDREW CAULFIELD

Sunday, Saratoga

**SANFORD S.-GII**, \$150,000, SAR, 7-24, 2yo, 6f, 1:10 3/5, ft.

1--#**@OVERDRIVEN**, 119, c, 2, by [Tale of the Cat](#)

1st Dam: **Air France**, by **French Deputy**

2nd Dam: **Twin Propeller**, by **Known Fact**

3rd Dam: **Ahpo Hel**, by **Mr. Leader**

(\$200,000 wlng '09 KEENOV; \$350,000 yrl '10 KEESSEP). O-Repole Stable; B-Mount Joy Stables Inc (KY); T-Todd A Pletcher; J-John R Velazquez; \$90,000. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$126,000.

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No less an expert than Sir Henry Cecil recently expressed the opinion that the Thoroughbred, generally, is becoming more backward. So what expectations should we have of those 2-year-olds--the exceptions to this rule--which are sufficiently precocious to win a group or graded race before July is out?

Last week saw the running of two events which have often played their part in establishing the year's champion 2-year-old. The Sanford S. carries only Grade II status, but its roll of honor features such juvenile champions as Tom Fool, Hail To Reason, Secretariat, Affirmed, Forty Niner, Dehere and Maria's Mon, plus Afleet Alex, who developed into a champion at three.

Over in France, the Prix Robert Papin is no longer the first of a sequence of four Group 1 races which effectively constituted the road to championship honors. Before it was demoted to Group 2 status in 1988, this 5 1/2-furlong contest fell to such standout colts as My Swallow, Vitiges and Blushing Groom. The Papin also provided rich pickings for fillies, with Lianga and the future Classic heroines Ma Biche and Masarika among its winners. Even in its years as a Group 2 contest, the Papin has fallen to four fillies--Danseuse du Soir, Divine Proportions, Natagora and Special Duty--which went on to become Classic winners. However, it is a long time since a male winner of the Maisons-Laffitte race has risen to similar heights, though the brilliant Arazi might have done so had he stayed in France for the 1992 Poule d'Essai des Poulains, rather than tackling the Kentucky Derby. Consequently, it will be interesting to follow the progress of Sunday's impressive scorer, Family One, who struck a blow for the boys. **Cont. p12**

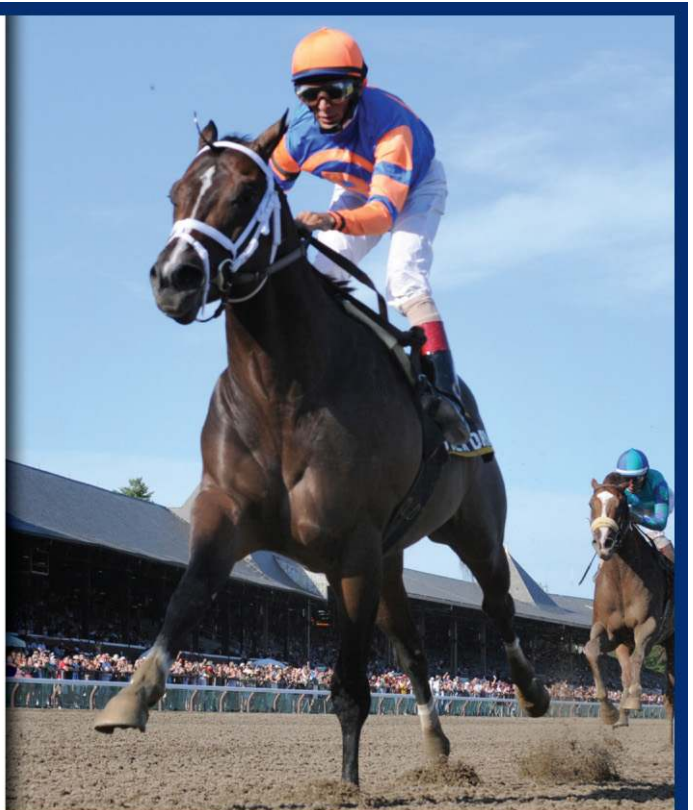
## Overdriven looks awesome in Sanford

**SARATOGA SPRINGS, N.Y.** - Last year, the best 2-year-old in the country belonged to owner Mike Repole and trainer Todd Pletcher. Through Sunday, the best 2-year-old in the country this year belongs to owner Mike Repole and trainer Todd Pletcher... both Repole and Pletcher were all smiles Sunday after **Overdriven** drew clear to a four-length victory in the **Grade 2, \$150,000 Sanford Stakes** before 18,791 at Saratoga... **Overdriven**, a son of **Tale of the Cat**, debuted on July 1, winning by 3 1/2 lengths and earning a Beyer Speed Figure of 100.

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**Caulfield cont.**

It is also a little while since a winner of the Sanford S. became a Grade I winner, as the last four winners--Ready's Image, Desert Party, Backtalk and Maybesomaybenot--all failed to achieve that standard. The connections of the latest winner, Overdriven, must be hoping that their son of Tale of the Cat will follow more closely in the footsteps of More Than Ready, City Zip, Whywhywhy, Afleet Alex and Scat Daddy. These five recent winners all became Grade I winners, either at two or three, to underline that Saratoga's first graded race for juvenile males still has an important role to play.

Of course, it is a mistake to think that speed and precocity always go hand in hand. Although there is no denying Tale of the Cat's speed--he set fractions of :21.69 and :43.58 before drawing away to win the GII King's Bishop S. in 1:21.71 at Saratoga--he wasn't exactly precocious. After never making it to the races at two, his debut was delayed until late-May at three.

However, Tale of the Cat's pedigree suggested that he would have no difficulty in siring progeny more precocious than himself. His sire, Storm Cat, was champion sire of 2-year-olds no fewer than seven times between 1992 and 2004 and his broodmare sire Mr. Prospector also took the title. *The Blood-Horse* also credits three of Storm Cat's sons--Hennessy, Tale of the Cat and Stormy Atlantic--with taking the title in the last 10 years.



**Overdriven**

*Horsephotos*

No wonder, then, that Tale of the Cat was just one of three sons of Storm Cat to sire a juvenile stakes winner last week. The others were Stormy Atlantic, whose daughter Kinetica scored in England, and Tribal Rule, who hit

the target with Heleanor Rugby in California.

Overdriven is the second good son produced by the French Deputy mare Air France. It is encouraging that his predecessor, Smooth Air, was much more than just a 2-year-old. Having won two of his four juvenile starts, Smooth Air went on to become a Grade II winner over seven, eight and nine furlongs. He was also good enough to finish second in the Florida Derby and Metropolitan H., bankrolling more than \$1.1 million, despite being by the lightly used Smooth Jazz. Smooth Jazz's sire, Storm Boot, was sired by Storm Cat from a Mr. Prospector mare, so represented the same cross as Tale of the Cat. It is therefore easy to see why Tale of the Cat was selected as Air France's 2008 mate. Another incentive is that Air France's second dam Ahpo Hel, was by Mr. Leader, sire of the dam of Tale of the Cat's excellent son Lion Heart.

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**OVERDRIVEN, c, 2009**

<b>Tale of the Cat</b>	Storm Cat	Storm Bird	Northern Dancer		
		Terlingua	South Ocean		
	Yarn	Mr. Prospector	Secretariat		
		Narrate	Crimson Saint		
<b>Air France</b> 11-2-0-3 7 Fls, 2 GSW	French Deputy	Deputy Minister	Raise a Native		
		Mitterand	Gold Digger		
	Twin Propeller MSW, 18-8-2-0 5 Fls, 3 Wnrs	Known Fact	Honest Pleasure	State	
			Ahpo Hel	Vice Regent	
		15Fls, 1GSW, 3SW		Mint Copy	Hold Your Peace
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It has always been my view that speed rather than stamina was Tale of the Cat's strong suit and this has largely been reflected by his stallion career. His lengthy list of graded winners features several which scored over a mile and an eighth, including Lion Heart and Tale of Ekati, but the only one to win over a longer distance has been Gio Ponti.

Tale of Ekati's first two dams were by Sunday Silence and Nijinsky, whereas Gio Ponti has an Alydar mare as his dam, but there is less stamina in the bottom half of Overdriven's pedigree. His first two dams are daughters of French Deputy and Known Fact and they both did all their winning over sprint distances.

French Deputy did his winning at up to a mile in a career restricted to six starts by a variety of problems. Although a bruised foot ruined his Triple Crown hopes after he had won his first three starts, he returned from a lengthy absence to take the GII Jerome H. by four lengths from Mr. Greeley.

His trainer Neil Drysdale once described him as "A superb 3-year-old, a very exciting horse. Certainly on a par with any I've ever had."

Even so, few tears were shed when French Deputy was sold in December 2000 to the Shadai Corporation in Japan. His sale came after he had been represented by only a pair of Grade III winners--one in England and one in the U.S.--from his first two crops.

The situation looked very different only a year after French Deputy's sale. When the International Classifications for the 2001 season were published, he was represented by the outstanding Japanese colt Kurofune (125), Left Bank (120), the Japanese-trained Grass Eiko O (111) and Queue (110). **Cont. p13**



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**Caulfield cont.**

Leaving aside his top Japanese runners, French Deputy's contribution to American breeding amounted to 11 Graded winners, from five crops containing just over 300 foals. They included three Grade I winners and another three at Grade II level. It was a great shame that his best American son, Left Bank, succumbed to colic after his stunning victory over Street Cry in the 2002 Whitney H. However, French Deputy's daughters are making sure he isn't forgotten in the U.S. Although Visionaire is their only Grade I winner so far, Overdriven follows such as Notional, Songster, Delightful Kiss and Smooth Air as their fifth Grade II winner in the U.S. (and there is a sixth in Germany).

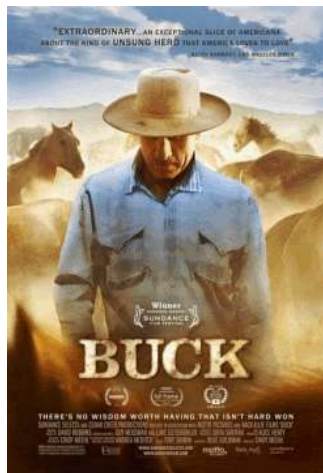
Overdriven won the Sanford so well that it is easy to envisage him becoming Grade I winner number two for French Deputy's American daughters in the Hopeful S. At this stage, though, I doubt whether he will have enough stamina next year to emulate some of his Sanford predecessors, such as Secretariat, Affirmed or Afleet Alex.



## TDN MOVIE REVIEW: **BUCK**

By Nicole Mattei-Lince

Back in the day when we were too short to reach the cookie jar, and attempting to drive our parent's car was futile (you could either reach the pedals or see over the dashboard, but not both), we also had this propensity to find horses magical. As we age, the mystical quality of the horse seems to fade. We discover the business of horse management and leave the fairy tale infatuation behind. Now Hollywood would like to remind us of that equine wonder, and 2011's *Buck* (PG) is the film that is doing so.



Directed by Cindy Meehl, *Buck* is the story of Buck Brannaman and his unique touch with horses. Avid

movie-goers may recall such horse men as the inspiration behind Robert Redford's 1998 *The Horse Whisperer* (PG-13), and 'Bob' will tell you himself that Brannaman was much more than just the inspiration behind the film; he was a vital part of its production and overall success. However, Robert Redford's tale is not a historical account of Buck's life, and for that Cindy Meehl offers us the untold story of the soft-spoken man who has become known as "the horse whisperer."

One part documentary and one part homage to horsemanship, *Buck* follows Brannaman during a small span of his 40-week national horsemanship clinic tour. Traveling from Bend, Oregon, to Lexington, Kentucky, we learn that Buck Brannaman isn't just teaching people how to work with horses, but teaching the people a little something about themselves as well. The son of a heavy-handed man, Buck wasn't dealt ideal cards as a boy; he and his elder brother, the youngest trick ropers in America, were routinely beaten. The unfortunate circumstances of his past, though, led him to the success he has found today, and to the understanding he has formed with horses.

Buck's methods are highly debated, as they contest the traditional method of "breaking" horses in lieu of a term Buck refers to as "starting" horses. But what could be seen as controversial is instead portrayed in a very open-minded manner. Meehl gives the audience a feel for Buck's methods without preaching that all horsemen convert from their own tried-and-true ways.

Visually, the documentary can best be described through the words of Buck. "It's a dance. Everything you do with a horse is a dance." Meehl's

cinematography echoes that philosophy as the film establishes a serene visual poetry between horse and human. Buck reminds us that patience and even-temperedness is a horseman's lock and key, and who we are as people can often be discovered through the relationship we have with our horses.

Already an Audience Award Winner at the Sundance Film Festival, *Buck* rekindles the magic behind the horse-human relationship for followers of Brannaman's horsemanship practices, as well as those that remain loyal to their own training techniques. Holding short-term viewings at select theaters, *Buck* is one film to look up and mark on your calendar before it moves on to the next locale. *For more on Buck, go to [www.buckthefilm.com](http://www.buckthefilm.com).*



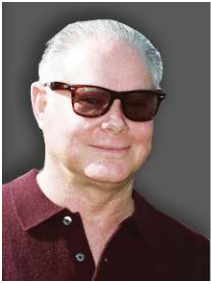
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## PRIDE OF OWNERSHIP

Racing needs to wean itself off race-day medication. Various reasons have been proffered for the elimination of drugs on race day, but there is one rarely mentioned that encompasses another major problem hurting the well-being of our industry--a lack of owners willing to play to game.

Let me explain.

Believe it or not, people that aspire to ownership in racehorses do not contemplate the endeavor because of any promised pot of gold at the end of the rainbow. They want to race horses because of pride of ownership.

I did not come up with this notion off the top of my head. I am now in my fourth decade of bringing owners into the game. So I write from experience.

The vast majority of new owners I've met are men. But make no mistake--very, very, very few men are able to own a horse unless their wives give them the green light. I have dealt with male owners from heads of Fortune 500 companies to men that deliver their mail. I have involved elected members of the Federal government, heads of motion picture studios and Wall Street power brokers, as well as people that tapped out their credit cards to fund their acquisitions.

Nearly every one of these guys needed to have their wives on board.

In most cases, in order to justify to their spousal units or themselves on some primal level, these men have deluded themselves or tricked their wives into believing that racing made sense from an economic standpoint.

But, in real life--when push comes to shove--the actual reason these fellows buy into the idea of racehorse ownership has to do with pride of ownership.

Lots of times, when I first speak with a prospective racing partner, he will bring up the subject of that elusive pot of gold. He will try to convince me that he is not like all of my other investors, because unlike them, this guy will sell a good horse, take the money and run.

I try not to laugh.

Then I tell him that I am going to let him in on a little secret. I tell him that he is not going to believe what I am about to tell him and then I lay it on him. I tell him that, if he is lucky, a horse will come along that he owns and win a race so impressively that somebody will make a substantial offer to buy it. And when the inevitable vote takes place to decide whether the group will sell, he will be among the majority that votes no!

And the reason the vote will be in the negative, except when the offer made is for an aged campaigner, is that the true motivation behind the fellow to get involved in racehorse ownership is pride of ownership.

Pride of ownership manifests itself in many ways. There is the satisfaction that the owner has selected the right horse. There is the pure, unadulterated and unmatched thrill of watching the horse win. There is the bond between human and animal. There are the inevitable bragging rights.

Money runs a poor second to any of these trappings that come along with pride of ownership. This is so because, as we have witnessed forever, money in and of itself cannot buy the experience of winning a horse race.

What in the hell does this have to do with race-day medication, you may be wondering by now?

Just this--that in order for anybody to want to get involved in the challenge of becoming a racehorse owner, the sport must be worthy enough of the owners' support. Few prospects for racehorse ownership want to be involved in a sport that is perceived by the public to have cooties.

Third generation Kentucky breeder John Greathouse once told me that Thoroughbred racing made a big mistake when--unlike other equine sports such as dressage, jumping and showing--we held out the promise that people could make money racing horses. He was right, of course.

But the genie has been out of the bottle too long for us to be able to stuff that imposter back where he came from. So the only way we can combat it is to be as realistic as possible with new owners and emphasize the intangible aspects of the sport which, in fact, form the meat of what these folks are looking for in the first place.

Racing for profit, it seems, is pretty much an American concept. Racing in Europe, for example, is about the sport and not the prize money.

Medications used on race days should be banned if for no other reason than public perception, because until we stop giving it to our horses on the day of competition, we will continue to be portrayed--and rightly so in my opinion--as not conducting a proper sport and abusing animals.

By and large horsemen and vets are in favor of meds, whereas a growing number of owners are not.

Interestingly, all three groups came to racing because of a love of the sport and the animal. But horsemen and vets have goals that often are in direct conflict with what may be best for the owners and their horses.

Every trainer and every vet knows in their heart of hearts when a horse should not be competing and when that horse can use a rest. But because of economic pressures, they have, in many instances, been able to convince themselves that their actions are appropriate. **Cont. p15**



**Barry Irwin op/ed cont.**

Horsemen, vets and owners all know what the right thing to do is with their horses. The dilemma is this--do we want a sport that is presented in the fairest manner with the healthiest horses involved, or do we merely want to push the envelope for as long and hard as we can before this whole thing blows up in our faces?

We have lost a lot of owners. You will hear many different reasons offered why this is the case. Of course, the biggest reason one hears is that the expenses far outweigh the rewards. I believe there is some merit to this argument. But I would say that the reason for loss in the ranks of owners is due more to the general economic climate than the specific dollar figures of our sport.

I would also humbly suggest to you that we have lost countless owners, and several trainers as well, because there is a perception among them that the runaway use of medications (both known and unknown) have tilted the playing field against them.

When people don't want to play the game anymore, it behooves those in power to make changes to consider altering the rules in order to elevate the sport and make it as attractive as possible for new participants.

That time is at hand. Let's make racing something we can be proud of without reservation.

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**NORTH AMERICA**

**RITVO NAMED GULFSTREAM PRESIDENT AND GEN. MANAGER** Timothy Ritvo has been named Gulfstream Park Racing & Casino's President and General Manager by the Stronach Group. Ritvo, who became the track's vice president in October 2010, was previously a trainer. "It's an honor to work for Mr. Frank Stronach and the entire Stronach Group," said Ritvo. "Mr. Stronach has made Gulfstream a premier destination and his investment in Florida racing is unparalleled. Gulfstream and Palm Meadows continue to be the winter home of champions, including five of the last six Kentucky Derby winners, and we are looking forward to building on Mr. Stronach's vision of Gulfstream Park as one of the finest entertainment facilities in the world." Ritvo was a top rider and racing official at Suffolk Downs in the 1980s before becoming a trainer--mostly in Florida--in the 90s. He has also served as vice president and director of the Florida HPBA.



**Spa Week One Handle, Attendance Up:**  
*Edited Press Release*

Attendance and handle for the first four days of racing at Saratoga Race Course posted increases from 2010, the first year of the expanded 40-day race meet, according to The New York Racing Association (NYRA). Attendance for the first week was 73,875, up 2% from 72,452 in 2010. On-track handle for the week totaled \$11,146,736, up 10.6% from \$10,082,862 last year. Wagering at the downstate Belmont Café and Aqueduct simulcast facilities was \$1,922,173, resulting in a combined on-track handle of \$13,068,909, up 18.2% from \$11,059,698 in 2010. All-sources handle, which includes wagers on Saratoga races both on-track and from simulcast outlets nationwide, was \$56,688,549, up 10% from \$51,337,748 in 2010. "It was a terrific opening week at Saratoga," said NYRA President and CEO Charles Hayward. "In addition to continuing the positive attendance and handle trends that we experienced at Aqueduct and Belmont Park, our all-sources handle also increased double digits. That is a very encouraging indicator considering the closure of New York City Off-Track Betting last December. Our customers responded very well to the great racing programs put together by NYRA Vice President and Director of Racing P.J. Campo. We could not have been more pleased with the first NBC 'Summer at Saratoga' broadcast on Saturday, which featured a dramatic victory by It's Tricky in the GI TVG Coaching Club American Oaks and showcased the allure of Saratoga Springs." Average betting interests per race for the four days were 8.4 (334 total) compared to 8.5 (332 total) for the first four days of 2010. A rain-drenched Monday resulted in four races being taken off the turf.

**Yesterday's Results:**

**EVAN SHIPMAN S.**, \$75,000, SAR, 7-25, (S), 3yo/up, 1 1/8m, 1:51 2/5, sy.  
**1--ICABAD CRANE, 123, g, 6, Jump Start--Adorahy, by Rahy.** (\$65,000 yrl '06 FTNAUG; \$110,000 2yo '07 OBSFEB). O-Earle I Mack; B-Gallagher's Stud (NY); T-H Graham Motion; J-Rajiv Maragh; \$45,000. Lifetime Record: GISP, 26-7-6-8, \$548,895. \*1/2 to Our Golden Dream (Medaglia d'Oro), SW, \$148,637.

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**2--Stormy's Majesty, 123, c, 4, Stormy Atlantic--Raffie's Dream, by Raffie's Majesty.** O-WellSpring Stables. \$15,000.  
**3--Mine Over Matter, 118, c, 4, Mineshaft--Hansel's Girl, by Hansel.** O-Mary & Chester Broman Sr. \$7,500. Margins: NO, 4 3/4, NO. Odds: 2.15, 1.55, 3.20.  
 Icabad Crane, a two-time stakes winner versus state-bred foes at Aqueduct over the winter, was third in the May 21 Gill William Donald Schaefer Memorial S. and was coming off a sixth in the July 2 Gil Suburban H. The veteran runner trailed the five-horse field as favored Stormy's Majesty attempted to make all. The favorite opened up by as many as four lengths and looked home free, but was leg weary late and was just nipped by the late-rushing Icabad Crane on the line. Friend or Foe (Friends Lake) was scratched. [Click for the brisnet.com chart.](http://brisnet.com) [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

**3rd-SAR, \$51,000, Msw, 2yo, f, 5f, :58 4/5, sy.**  
**+ SELECT CAT (f, 2, Tale of the Cat--Secret Patriot, by Secret Hello),** favored at 6-5 in this unveiling, was quickly on the lead through a quarter in :22.27. She began opening up after a half in :46.07 and splashed clear to a 5 1/2-length victory. Spare Change (Bernardini) was second. Select Cat was a \$15,000 KEENOV weanling and a \$75,000 KEESEP yearling. [Click for the brisnet.com chart.](http://brisnet.com) [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#) Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$30,000. O-Anstu Stables Inc. B-Lazy Lane Farms Inc (VA). T-Todd A Pletcher.

**6th-SAR, \$51,000, Msw, 2yo, f, 5 1/2f (off turf), 1:05, sy.**  
**+ MORNING SHINE (f, 2, Lion Heart--Affair At Dawn, by Black Tie Affair {Ire}),** a \$135,000 KEESEP yearling, was sent off at 6-1 after this race came off the turf. The chestnut filly pressed pacesetting Sweet Cat (Kitten's Joy) before taking control after a half-mile in :45.98 and sailing clear to score by 5 1/2 lengths. Sweet Cat held second and Volcat (After Market) was third. Run a Risk (Distorted Humor) trailed the field in sixth. [Click for the brisnet.com chart.](http://brisnet.com) [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#) Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$30,000. O-Vinery Stables. B-Damara Farm LC (KY). T-Steven M Asmussen.



**1st-SAR, \$50,000, Msw, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:13 3/5, ft. JOONBI (f, 3, [Pollard's Vision](#)--Native Trinket, by Dove Hunt),** who RNA'd for \$25,000 as a KEESEP yearling, was runner-up on debut at Belmont June 10 before a troubled third-place effort in Elmont last time out July 3. The 5-2 shot set a pressured pace through fractions of :22.97 and :47.27 before inching clear after five furlongs in 1:00.01. Headed by favored World Harmony (Empire Maker) in deep stretch, Joonbi battled back gamely along the inside to get her nose in front on the wire. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#). [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made](#).** Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-1, \$45,000. O-Edgewood Farm. B-David S Moore (KY). T-S Benzel.

**5th-SAR, \$42,000, Msw, (S), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:12 1/5, sy. BEAUTYINTHEPULPIT (c, 3, [Pulpit](#)--Stolen Beauty, by Deputy Minister),** favored at 8-5 in his bow, stalked the pacesetters before darting to the lead on the turn and splashing clear down the lane to score by 8 1/2 lengths over Alarmist (Hook and Ladder). **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#). [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made](#).** Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$24,000. O/B-Albert Fried Jr (NY). T-Bruce R Brown.

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**Yesterday's Results:**

**6th-DEL, \$42,050, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$16,000), NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:43 3/5, ft. LOVE AND PRIDE (f, 3, [A.P. Indy](#)--Ile de France {GISP, \$125,300}, by Storm Cat)** scored by 3/4 lengths over a sloppy Delaware strip May 17 and was coming off a third-place effort over track and trip July 4. The 3-1 shot was quickly on the front end, spurred clear again when challenged after a half in :47.67 and powered home an 8 1/4-length victoress under a motionless Gabriel Saez. Love and Pride RNA'd for \$380,000 as a KEEAPR juvenile. **Click for [brisnet.com chart](#). [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made](#).** Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-1, \$53,110. O-Green Hills Farm Inc. B-Stud TNT (KY). T-T Pletcher.

**ANOTHER NBS PROGRAM GRADUATE**

**5th-MTH, \$45,000, Msw, 2yo, 1m70y, 1:43 3/5, ft. CHIEF ENERGY (c, 2, [Ghostzapper](#)--Blissful Kiss {MSW, \$340,836}, by Kissin Kris)** was adding blinkers and stretching out here after a third-place effort sprinting 5 1/2 furlongs in his July 2 debut. Rushed to the front and over from his outside post, the 5-2 shot settled in behind the early leaders. He shadowed My Adonis (Pleasantly Perfect) as the favorite reeled in the pacesetter around the final bend, overtook that foe at midstretch and strode clear to an easy 5 1/2-length win. Chief Energy was a \$125,000 KEESEP yearling. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#). [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made](#).** Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$32,400. O-Vincent Rizzuto. B-Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC (KY). T-Edward Plesa Jr.

**9th-DEL, \$43,880, Msw, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10 3/5, ft. NOBLE DOSS (c, 3, Mr. Greeley--Mimi's Golden Girl, by Seeking the Gold)** was looking to improve on a third-place effort over 6 1/2 furlongs of a sloppy Belmont oval June 11. Sent off at 9-5, the dark bay colt chased the pace before taking over in upper stretch en route to a two-length victory. Blitzburgh (Afleet Alex) was second. Noble Doss, a \$350,000 KEEAPR who RNA'd for \$95,000 at KEESEP, is a half-brother to Noble Causeway (Giant's Causeway, GISP, \$360,010). **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#). [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made](#).** Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-1, \$30,664. O-Joseph Moss. B-Reiko & Michael Baum (KY). T-N Zito.

**7th-DEL, \$41,370, Msw, 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:37, fm. BRYAN'S JEWEL (f, 3, Rockport Harbor--Saphiria, by Touch Gold)** was making her turf debut off a late-closing third-place effort over six furlongs here July 6. The \$67,000 KEESEP yearling stalked the pace before taking over with a furlong to run en route to a one-length victory over Dixies Rebellion (Dixieland Band). **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#). [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made](#).** Lifetime Record: 6-1-1-2, \$48,736. O-Barry & Joni Butzow. B-Peter Van An del (KY). T-McLean Robertson.



**Espinoza Expected to Ride Wednesday After Spill:**

Victor Espinoza, who went down in a nasty spill in Sunday's finale at Del Mar, is expected to be back in the irons tomorrow after x-rays came back negative. Espinoza was on Be Driven (Poteen) in a \$16,000 claiming event for fillies and mares when the 5-year-old suffered a fracture to her left front fetlock heading into the far turn. She dropped back abruptly and caused a three-horse spill with Katy's Kitty (Osidy) (Joel Rosario up) and Bonita Montana (Bertrando) (Martin Pedroza up). Be Driven was euthanized, while the other two horses appeared unhurt. There were two claims out of the race, none involving the three horses involved. Rosario was reportedly body sore after the incident, but avoided serious injury and will ride Wednesday, as well. Pedroza was not injured. Espinoza initially complained of pain in his right ankle. Trained by Sam Scolamieri, Be Driven was making her first start since July of 2010.

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## CENTRAL

### No Injuries in Three Chimneys Barn Fire:

A broodmare barn at Robert Clay's Three Chimney's Farm was struck by lightning and caught fire Sunday night. Two broodmares were in the barn at the time of the incident, and both were quickly rescued by night watchman Billy Kutchman and assistant broodmare manager Jennifer DeLaittre. There were no serious injuries to horse or human. One of the mares was taken to a veterinary clinic as a precaution, but is doing fine. "Thank you to Jennifer DeLaittre and Billy Kutchman for their life-risking, heroic effort in saving two mares in the Spinster Barn and to several other grooms who rounded up the horses in a nearby pasture to keep them out of harm's way," said Three Chimney President Case Clay. "We were so, so lucky no lives were lost, horse or human. I can't stop thinking about Billy and Jennifer. They are heroes in my book."



## INDUSTRY INFO

### BC Foal Nomination Discount Ends Aug. 1:

*(Edited press release)* Deadline for the early discount of \$100 off the \$500 price for a Breeders' Cup foal nomination is 11:59 p.m. ET Monday, Aug. 1. The discount applies to all foals nominated electronically or on-line to the Breeders' Cup program for the 2011 foal crop on or before next Monday night's deadline via [www.members.breederscup.com](http://www.members.breederscup.com). Nominators may also call the Breeders' Cup Racing department at (859) 514 9423 by the deadline to receive the discounted foal fee. As a new incentive for breeders, beginning this year, any nominated horse that wins a Breeders' Cup "Win and You're In" Challenge race earns an immediate \$10,000 award for the foal nominator. Early participation not only guarantees the \$100 discount, but also insures the Breeders' Cup nomination is also included on the catalog page for weanlings entered into the November sales. All foals sired by a fully nominated Breeders' Cup stallion, European Breeders' Fund stallion or BCL/EBF Common Fund stallion are eligible for nomination to the Breeders' Cup program in their year of birth. The standard \$500 foal nomination, for those choosing not to take advantage of the discount, will remain in effect, with a deadline of midnight (ET), Oct. 15. Late foal nominations may be made until midnight (ET), Dec. 15.

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### IN BRITAIN:

**Mariners Lodge**, c, 3, [Distorted Humor](#)--Sanibel Island, by Capote. Ayr, 7-25, Hcp, 3yo/up, 9f 20ydsT. B-Overbrook Farm. \* \$350,000 yrl '09 KEESEP. \*\* 1/2 to Island Warrior (Cherokee Run), GSP, \$378,950.

### IN ITALY:

**The Irish Champ**, c, 2, [Champali](#). See "Breeders' Edition Europe."  
**Cancellara**, f, 2, [More Than Ready](#). See "Breeders' Edition Europe."

### IN JAPAN:

**Eishin Full Heart**, c, 4, [Congaree](#)--Mysti's Poem (SW, \$119,782), by Stalwart. Hakodate, 7-23, Plate Race, 5f. Lifetime Record: 14-3-3-0, \$383,418. O-Toyomitsu Hirai; B-James P & Patricia Gallagher; T-Masato Nishizono. \* 1/2 to Ernesto (Royal Academy), SW & GSP, \$243,945.

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**3rd-SAR (Msw)** Select Cat (Tale of the Cat) splashes home to easy debut victory.  
**6th-SAR (Msw)** Morning Shine (Lion Heart) sails home in career opener.  
**5th-MTH (Msw)** Chief Energy (Ghostzapper) full of run in graduation.  
**6th-DEL (NW1X)** Love and Pride (A.P. Indy) romps home impressively.



**First-crop starters to watch: Tuesday, July 26**

*Sire (Sire's Sire), current farm, 2008 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/BlackTypeWnrs \* Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)*

**CORINTHIAN** (Pulpit), Gainesway, \$40K, 134/0/0

6-PRX, Msw, 5f, +Allthewayyeah, \$27K OBS APR 2yo, 10-1

**ENGLISH CHANNEL** (Smart Strike), Lane's End, \$25K, 110/1/0

4-PRM, Msw, 6f, English Code, \$20K KEE SEP yrl, 12-1

**FLASHY BULL** (Holy Bull), Airdrie, \$10K, 96/4/1

6-PRX, Msw, 5f, Runnin Bull, \$5K EAS SEP yrl, 8-1

2-PID, Msw, 5f, Flashy Too, \$14K KEE SEP yrl, 10-1

**LAWYER RON** (Langfuhr), Stonewall, \$30K, 80/3/0

6-PRX, Msw, 5f, +Adirondack King, \$55K KEE SEP yrl, 5-1

**SIMON PURE** (Silver Deputy), Hartley DeRenzo, \$5K, 57/3/0

2-PID, Msw, 5f, Dorothy's Aurora, \$37K OBS AUG yrl, 2-1

**SUN KING** (Charismatic), Darby Dan, \$10K, 79/2/0

4-PRM, Msw, 6f, Sun Country, 6-1

2-PID, Msw, 5f, +Sunset Queen, \$9K FTK OCT yrl, 10-1

**First/Second-crop starters to watch: Tuesday, July 26**

*Sire (Sire's Sire), current farm, 2007 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/BlackTypeWnrs \* Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)*

**BADGE OF SILVER** (Silver Deputy), Airdrie Stud, \$15K, 198/43/2

6-PRX, Msw, 5f, +Australis Forever, \$15K FTK JUL yrl, 15-1

**FLOWER ALLEY** (Distorted Humor), Three Chimneys Farm, \$25K, 161/34/2

2-PID, Msw, 5f, +Zucchini Flower, 4-1



**Yesterday's Result:**

**Galway, 18.10, Mdn, €17,000, 2yo, c/g, 7fT, 1:30.68, gd.**

**RIVIERA POET (IRE) (c, 2, Footstepsinthesand {GB}--Dance Clear {Ire}, by Marju {Ire})**, third behind G2 Coventry S. winner Power (GB) (Oasis Dream {GB}) in a Curragh maiden May 2, tracked the early pace in third here. Asked for his effort on the home turn, the €135,000 GOFSP yearling produced a strong run in the final eighth to pick up Learn (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) 50 yards out and prevail by a length as the 2-1 second choice. "You often need a group horse to win here, and I think he is a group horse," trainer Dermot Weld told *irishracing.com*. "He's in the [G1] National S. [at The Curragh Sept. 10]." [Video, courtesy attheraces.com](#). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, €13,090.

O-Dr Ronan Lambe; B-Michael Dalton; T-Dermot Weld.



**Tuesday, Maisons-Laffitte, post time: 2:50 p.m.**

**PRIX DE BAGATELLE-Listed, €55,000, 3yo, f, 1mT**

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER
1	3	Corveza (GB)	Medicean (GB)	Benoist	Brandt
2	4	Darjana (Ire)	Invincible Sprt (Ire)	Lemaire	de Ryr-Dupre
3	6	Albaraah (Ire)	Oasis Dream (GB)	Bonilla	F Head
4	5	Miyake (Ire)	Namid (GB)	Crastus	Blume
5	8	Limonar (Ire)	Street Cry (Ire)	Mosse	Laffon-Parias
6	10	Miss Liberty (Fr)	Statue of Liberty	Guyon	Brandt
7	9	Rosa Bonheur	Mr. Greeley	Soumillon	Lellouche
8	11	Lyrique (Ire)	Iffraaj (GB)	Barzalona	Fabre
9	7	Nice Association (Fr)	High Yield	Victoire	Head-Maarek
10	2	Amandara	Aragorn (Ire)	Pasquier	Bary
11	1	Realisatrice (Fr)	Numerous	Mendizabal	Rob Collet

All carry 123 pounds, bar Corveza at 128.

**Yesterday's Results:**

**PRIX PELLEAS-Listed, €55,000, Compiègne, 7-25, 3yo, c/g, 1 1/4mT, 2:08.24, vsf.**

1--**#RED DUBAWI (IRE), 128, c, 3, by Dubawi (Ire)**

**1st Dam: Maredsous (Fr) (SW & MGSP-Fr, \$214,790), by Homme de Loi (Ire)**

**2nd Dam: Tutti (Fr), by Rahotep (Fr)**

**3rd Dam: Flor de Oro (Fr), by Frontin (Fr)**

(€75,000 yrl '09 ARQAUG). O-Ronald Arculli, Haras de Saint-Voir, Seamus Murphy, Marc Pandraud, Gerault de Seze & Jean de Cheffontaines; B-Haras des Sablonnets; T-Alain de Royer-Dupre; J-Fabien Lefebvre; €27,500. Lifetime Record: 4 starts, 2 wins, 2 places, €52,550.

2--**Sant'Alberto (Ity), 128, c, 3, Colossus (Ire)--Adya (Fr), by Sillery.** O-Simone Brogi; B-G Boesso; T-Fabio Brogi; €11,000.

3--**Dormello (Ire), 128, c, 3, Dansili (GB)--Field of Hope (Ire), by Selkirk.** (€210,000 RNA yrl '09 ARQAUG). O-Ecurie Jean-Louis Bouchard & Scuderia Vittadini SRL; B-Grundy Bloodstock Ltd; T-Pascal Bary; €8,250.

Margins: 3, 1, 1. Odds: 2.20, 8.50, 1.40.

Also Ran: Saint Desir (GB), Shadow Skills (Fr), Divin Leon (Fr).

Runner-up to subsequent G1 Prix Jean Prat winner Mutual Trust (GB) (Cacique {Ire}) in a May 2 newcomers' event at Chantilly, Red Dubawi broke through at Maisons-Laffitte May 21 and hit the board in the June 15 Listed Prix Ridgway back at Chantilly on black-type bow last time. Racing under a firm hold just behind the leaders, he cruised by rivals into the lead approaching the final furlong and was nudged clear thereafter to register a personal best in impressive fashion.



**Compiègne, 14.50, Mdn, €24,000, unraced 2yo, c/g, 7fT, 1:29.15, vsf.**  
**+ DEMOKLES (FR) (c, 2, Anabaa Blue {GB}--Domus Orea, by Gone West)** broke sharply to race prominently, but was reined back to fifth going into an early first turn. Making smooth headway on the bridle until shaken up inside the final quarter mile, the 9-1 chance hit the front with 100 meters remaining and drew off from there to score by 2 1/2 lengths from Vifwaki Millenium (Fr) (Sandwaki). Lifetime Record: 1 start, 1 win, €12,000.  
 O/B-Mme Yolande Seydoux de Clausonne; T-Jean-Marie Beguigne.

**Compiègne, 14.20, Mdn, €24,000, unraced 2yo, f, 7fT, 1:31.20, vsf.**  
**+ THREE GEMS (IRE) (f, 2, Jeremy--Neutrina {Ire}, by Hector Protector)**, who RNA'd at €18,000 as a GOFSPY yearling, found some cover in sixth after the initial strides. Rolling around when readied for her bid with 500 meters to go, the 37-5 chance came under further pressure to challenge approaching the final eighth and was ridden out late to deny Salez (Ire) (Manduro {Ger}) by a short neck on the nod. With the victory, Three Gems becomes the fourth winner for her freshman sire (by Danehill Dancer {Ire}). She is a half to Heaven's Vault (Ire) (Hernando {Fr}), GSP-Fr. Lifetime Record: 1 start, 1 win, €12,000.  
 O-Mme Anne-Marie Hayes; B-Twelve Oaks Stud Establishment & Deerpark Stud; T-Eoghan O'Neill.

 **BRITAIN** 

**Yesterday's Result:**  
**Windsor, 19.10, Mdn, £3,500, 2yo, 5f 10ydsT, :59.31, gd.**  
**+ ARTISTIC JEWEL (IRE) (f, 2, Excellent Art {GB}--Danish Gem {GB}, by Danehill)**, who RNA'd at €3,000 as a GOFSPY yearling, took an early position in the second rank. Nudged into the lead outside the eighth pole, a couple of backhanders galvanized the well-backed 5-1 second favorite to sprint 2 3/4 lengths clear of Royal Red (GB) (Holy Roman Emperor {Ire}). Artistic Jewel is the 11th winner for her freshman sire (by Pivotal {GB}). [Video, courtesy attheraces.com](http://www.attheraces.com). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, £2,264.  
 O-R L Bedding; B-Jim McDonald; T-Ed McMahon.

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**7.15 Galway, Mdn, £17,000, 2yo, f, 7fT**  
**SHAMOODA (IRE) (Azamour {Ire})**, a John Oxx trainee, is out of the 1993 G1 Prix de Diane victress Shemaka (Ire) (Nishapour {Fr}), and is a half-sister to the dual Group 3 winner Shemima (GB) (Dalakhani {Ire}) and three other stakes performers. His Highness The Aga Khan's homebred newcomer faces a selection of choicely bred individuals with experience, including Ballydoyle representative **Soon (Ire) (Galileo {Ire})**, a daughter of the 1997 G1 Irish 1000 Guineas winner Classick Park (GB) (Robellino); the David Wachman-trained **Precious Dream (Mr. Greeley)**, who is out of the 1996 G1 Epsom Oaks heroine Lady Carla (GB) (Caerleon); and Lady Chrissy O'Reilly's **Redoutable (Ire) (Invincible Spirit {Ire})**, who is a daughter of the 2002 G1 Tattersalls Gold Cup scorer Rebelline (Ire) (Robellino) and is a half-brother to Recharge (Ire) (Cape Cross {Ire}), who was runner-up in last year's renewal of that contest.

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Date	Race	Track
July 27	Sussex S.	Goodwood
July 30	Nassau S.	Goodwood
July 31	Prix Rothschild	Deauville
	Bayerisches Zuchtrennen	Munich
Aug. 7	Prix Maurice de Gheest	Deauville
	Phoenix S.	The Curragh
	Preis der Diana	Dusseldorf
Aug. 14	Rheinland-Pokal	Cologne
Aug. 15	Prix Jacques le Marois	Deauville
Aug. 17	International S.	York
Aug. 18	Yorkshire Oaks	York
Aug. 19	Nunthorpe S.	York
Aug. 21	Prix Morny	Deauville
	Prix Jean Romanet	Deauville
Aug. 28	Moyglare Stud S.	The Curragh
Sept. 3	Irish Champion S.	Leopardstown
	Matron S.	Leopardstown
	Sprint Cup	Haydock



## BREEDERS' EDITION AMERICA

### ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

**5th-PRX, \$51,350, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 5f (off turf), :56 4/5, ft.**

**ROCK HALL HONEY (m, 5, Cuvee--Trumandancer, by Capote)** Lifetime Record: 16-7-2-2, \$160,665. O-Final Furlong Farm. B-Coffee Pot Stables (KY). T-Juan Carlos Guerrero. \*\$24,000 yrl '07 KEEJAN; \$9,000 yrl '07 KEESEP.

**7th-PRX, \$48,590, NW1X, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:09 1/5, ft.**

**NEEDTOGETPAID (h, 5, Victory Gallop--Summer Memories, by Tale of the Cat)** Lifetime Record: 30-5-9-3, \$194,310. O-Victory Thoroughbreds LLC. B-Whispering Oaks & Double Eagle Thoroughbreds (KY). T-Ramon Preciado. \*\$32,000 yrl '07 FTKOCT; \$15,000 2yo '08 FTMMAY.

**8th-PRX, \$47,560, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), NW2X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m (off turf), 1:38 4/5, my.**

**ADELICATE MISS (m, 5, Grey Memo--Shivareen Sky {SW, \$135,284}, by Skywalker)** Lifetime Record: 29-8-3-4, \$174,740. O-Cohav Stables Inc. B-Ronald Manzani & Russell Sarno (CA). T-Dee Curry.

**2nd-PRX, \$47,400, NW1X, (S), 3/up, 1m, 1:39 3/5, ft.**

**JAMBONIED (g, 4, Distorted Humor--Catinca {GISW, \$864,775}, by Storm Cat)** Lifetime Record: 10-2-4-0, \$69,305. O-Marshall Gramm. B-Brushwood Stable (PA). T-Juan Carlos Guerrero. \*\$32,000 yrl '08 KEESEP.

**2nd-SAR, \$47,000, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), NW2X, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:44 4/5, fm.**

**ROGUE'S JEWEL (f, 4, Broken Vow--Dancing Blues {MSP, \$166,613}, by Cure the Blues)** Lifetime Record: SW, 17-3-8-1, \$180,990. O-Blue Devil Racing Stable. B-Milfer Farm Inc (NY). T-Carlos F Martin. \*\$60,000 yrl '08 FTNAUG.

### **H** Hidden Brook Purchase **H**

**8th-DEL, \$43,274, Opt. Clm. (\$30,000), NW2X, 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:03 3/5, ft.**

**CLASS E HOLIDAY (f, 3, Harlan's Holiday--Sermon, by Pulpit)** Lifetime Record: 10-5-0-3, \$108,620. O-Jer-Mar Stable LLC. B-Hopewell Investments LLC (KY). T-McLean Robertson. \*\$65,000 yrl '09 KEESEP. \*\*1/2 to Clearly Foxy (Volponi), GSW & GISP, \$240,266.

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### ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

**Delburnsky, g, 2, Flatter--Deliciously, by Distinctive Pro. MTH, 7-25, (S), 5f, :58 1/5. B-Drazin-Aaron-Zaro Stables LLC (NJ). \*\$70,000 2yo '11 OBSAPR.**

+ **Valid A. J., f, 2, Ocean Terrace--Valid Kris, by Valid Wager. PRM, 7-25, 6f, 1:12 3/5. B-H Allen Poindexter (OK).**

**Quotable, c, 2, Petionville--White Angelica, by Quiet American. PRX, 7-25, (S), 4 1/2f, :52 4/5. B-Michael W Jester (PA). \*\$1,000 RNA yrl '10 FTMOCT. \*\*1/2 to Oro Blanco (Hold for Gold), SW & GISP, \$157,202.**

**He Can Do That, g, 3, Added Edge--Tsu Tsu Won, by Air Forbes Won. PRM, 7-25, (S), 6f, 1:11 3/5. B-Coleen Wedig (IA).**

### • ON THE WORKTAB •

#### DEL MAR

Aggie Engineer (E Dubai), 5f, 1:01.80, 27/45  
Coil (Point Given), 6f, 1:11.20, 1/10  
Cozi Rosie (Pleasantly Perfect), 6f, 1:11.80, 2/10  
Euroears (Langfuhr), 5f, :59.80, 2/45  
Indian Firewater (Indian Charlie), 5f, 1:01.00, 12/45  
Switch (Quiet American), 6f, 1:12.80, 4/10  
Turbulent Descent (Congrats), 6f, 1:12.80, 4/10

#### FAIR HILL

Check the Label (Stormin Fever), 5f, 1:04.40, 8/9

#### HOLLYWOOD PARK

Harmonious (Dynaformer), 6f, 1:14.60, 1/4

#### MONMOUTH PARK

Flat Out (Flatter), 5f, :59.00, 1/16  
Wilburn (Bernardini), 5f, 1:02.00, 4/16

#### SARATOGA

Astrology (A.P. Indy), 4f (tr), :51.31, 30/40  
Dominus (Smart Strike), 4f, :50.54, 67/88  
Drosselmeyer (Distorted Humor), 5f (tr), 1:02.80, 3/8  
Get Stormy (Stormy Atlantic), 5fT (tr), 1:00.32, 10/35  
Gio Ponti (Tale of the Cat), 5fT (tr), :59.22, 4/35  
Jersey Town (Speightstown), 5f, 1:02.83, 18/32  
Noble's Promise (Cuvee), 4f, :48.97, 31/88  
Roman Treasure (Roman Ruler), 4f, :50.56, 69/88  
Sweet Ducky (Pulpit), 4fT (tr), :47.90, 4/40  
Wine Police (Speightstown), 4f, :51.88, 82/88

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# BREEDERS' EDITION EUROPE

**CONDITIONS RESULTS:**

**ITALY, Livorno, 21.30**, 7-24, €10,800, 3yo/up, 11f 55ydsT, time: n/a, gd.

**DAYLANG (GB) (g, 6, Daylami {Ire}--Kelang {GB}), by Kris {GB}**) Lifetime Record: SP-Ity, 46-11-10-3, €118,490. O-E Gallani & M Malanima; B-Grundy Bloodstock Ltd; T-Riccardo Pinzauti.

**ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**

+ **Cafe Express (Ire)**, f, 2, **Bertolini--Cafe Creme (Ire)**, by Catrail. Ayr, Britain, 7-25, Mdn, 2yo, 6fT. B-Lodge Park Stud. \*€16,000 yrl '10 GOFFEB; £5,000 RNA yrl '10 DONAUG; £5,000 yrl '10 DONNOV.

**The Irish Champ**, c, 2, **Champali--Irish Starlet**, by Irish River (Fr). Livorno, Italy, 7-24, Cond, 2yo, 7 1/2fT. B-E H Beau Lane III. \*\$11,000 yrl '10 FTKOCT. \*\*1/2 to Irish Fantasy (Glitterman), SP, \$149,775.

**Arabian Falcon (GB)**, c, 2, **Dutch Art (GB)--Castilian Queen**, by Diesis (GB). Hoppegarten, Germany, 7-24, Mdn, 2yo, 6fT. B-Silfield Bloodstock. \*€45,000 wnlg '09 GOFNOV; €36,000 yrl '10 GOFSP; 14,000gns HIT '11 TATAUT. \*\*1/2 to Carmine Lake (Ire) (Royal Academy), G1SW-Fr, \$137,764. \*\*\*14th winner for freshman sire (by Medicean {GB}).

**Otto the Great (GB)**, g, 2, **Holy Roman Emperor (Ire)--Vayavaig (GB)**, by Damister. Windsor, Britain, 7-25, Mdn, 2yo, 6fT. B-Genesis Green Stud.

+ **Hamble (GB)**, g, 2, **Librettist--Time For Tea (Ire)**, by Imperial Frontier. Yarmouth, Britain, 7-25, Mdn, 2yo, 7f 3ydsT. B-C A Cyzer. \*9,500gns RNA wnlg '09 TATDEC; 9,000gns yrl '10 TATOCT.

**Cancellara**, f, 2, **More Than Ready--Defensa (Ger) (SP)**, by Lomitas (GB). Livorno, Italy, 7-24, Mdn, 2yo, 5fT. B-Francesco Polidori.

+ **Peace Touch (Fr)**, f, 2, **Muhtathir (GB)--Peace Talk (Fr)**, by Sadler's Wells. Divonne les Bains, France, 7-24, Mdn, 2yo, 6fT. B-Ecurie D.

**Daily Dreams (Fr)**, f, 3, **Auenadler (Ger)--Daily Daylight (Ger)**, by Waky Nao (GB). Divonne les Bains, France, 7-24, Cond, 3yo/up, 6fT. B-T Bretzger.

+ **Seetheside (Fr)**, c, 3, **Chichicastenango (Fr)--Criquetot (Fr)**, by Epervier Bleu (GB). La Teste de Buch, France, 7-24, Mdn, 3yo, 1 3/16mT. B-SCEA Haras des Monts d'Arree.

**Tayyara (Fr)**, f, 3, **Chichicastenango (Fr)--Chacra (Fr)**, by Bering (GB). Divonne les Bains, France, 7-24, Mdn, 3yo, 1 1/16mT. B-S Delame & S Guillot.

**Amazing (Ger)**, f, 3, **Green Desert--Abazzia (Ger)**, by Acatenango (Ger). Cologne, Germany, 7-24, Mdn, 3yo, f, 1 3/8mT. B-Gestut Brummerhof. \*€15,000 RNA yrl '09 BBASEP.

**Olonna (Fr)**, f, 3, **High Yield--Off Mary (Ire)**, by Grand Lodge. Royan la Palmyre, France, 7-24, Mdn, 3yo, 1mT. B-Appapays Racing Club. \*€7,000 RNA yrl '09 BBASEP.

**Lavande Violet (Ger)**, f, 3, **Hurricane Run (Ire)--Lady Vettori (GB) (GSW & G1SP-Fr, \$116,309)**, by Vettori (Ire). Bad Harzburg, Germany, 7-23, Cond, 3yo, 7f 165ydsT. B-Gestut Ammerland. \*€130,000 RNA yrl '09 ARQAUG. \*\*1/2 to Bal de la Rose (Ire) (Cadeaux Genereux {GB}), GSW-Fr, \$130,744; Lope de Vega (Ire) (Shamardal), Hwt 3yo at 9.5-11f-Fr, G1SW-Fr, \$1,446,704.

**Lord Emery (Ger)**, c, 3, **Mamool (Ire)--Latley (Ger)**, by Sillery. Hoppegarten, Germany, 7-24, Mdn, 3yo, 1 1/2mT. B-Pegasus Europe AG.

**Navajo Storm (Ger)**, c, 3, **Monsun (Ger)--Night Lagoon (Ger) (Hwt 2yo Filly-Ger, GSW-Ger)**, by Lagunas (GB). Cologne, Germany, 7-24, Mdn, 3yo, 9f 55ydsT. B-Dr Christoph Berglar. \*€130,000 RNA yrl '09 ARQAUG; €160,000 RNA yrl '09 BBASEP.

**Cat Princess (Ire)**, f, 3, **One Cool Cat--Mary Linda (GB)**, by Grand Lodge. Montier en Der, France, 7-24, Mdn, 3yo, 1 1/16mT. B-P Boudengen.

## EUROPEAN-SIRED WINNERS

**IN JAPAN:**

**Desert Oasis (Jpn)**, c, 3, **Kheleyf--Fragrant Oasis (SW-Eng)**, by Rahy. Kyoto, 7-23, Novice Race, 7f. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-1, \$100,000 O-H H Sheikh Hamdan; B-Darly Japan Farm; T-Kenji Nonaka. \*1/2 to Andina (Ire) (Singspiel {Ire}), SW & MGSP, \$279,162.

### Condition Codes for Allowance Races

<u>Code</u>	<u>Description</u>
NW.....	Non-Winner of...
1-6.....	Number of Races
\$.....	Monetary Condition
R.....	Distance Condition
<b>3M, 6M, 9M,</b>	
Y, Y+, L.....	Time Period (ex: NW2L = NW 2 races lifetime)
X.....	Other-than Condition (ex: NW3X = non-winners of 3 races other than maiden, claiming, or statebred)
C.....	Other Conditions Not Specified