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FLAT OUT FAVORED IN WHITNEY

The runaway winner of the July 2 GII Suburban H., Preston Stables' **Flat Out** (Flatter) has been installed as the 4-1 morning-line favorite against 10 rivals in



Flat Out Adam Coglianese

Saturday's GI Whitney Invitational H. at Saratoga. The Florida-bred, who cruised by 6 1/2 lengths under 117 pounds in the nine-panel Suburban, will carry the same impost as he breaks from his inside post in the Whitney. "The post position doesn't make any difference to him," trainer "Scooter" Dickey said

yesterday. "I like my chances, and the horse is doing well. He arrived there [Tuesday] and went around the track [Wednesday] morning." The lightly raced 5-year-old, who has only made nine career starts due to a stress fracture in his shoulder at three and recurring quarter cracks, has posted two bullet works at Monmouth Park since his last race. The bay went a half in :46 July 14 and five-eighths in :59 July 25. The starting highweight in the 1 1/8-mile test will be **Giant Oak** (Giant's Causeway) at 119. The Illinois-bred chestnut captured the GI Donn H. in February and was third in the GII New Orleans H. in March. He has been fifth in his last two outings, the May 6 GIII Alysheba S. and June 18 GI Stephen Foster H. at Churchill Downs. Trainer Al Stall Jr., who won the race with Blame (Arch) last year, saddles **Apart** (Flatter). "There will never be another Blame, as far as we're concerned," Stall admitted. "We're just hoping Apart can pick up some pieces. We're just excited to be here and happy to run for a \$750,000 pot." Apart won the May 21 GIII W.D. Schaefer Memorial S. at Pimlico and ran third in the Stephen Foster in his latest.

Saturday, Saratoga, post time: 5:45 p.m. EDT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	Flat Out	Flatter	Solis	Dickey	117
2	Friend Or Foe	Friends Lake	Lezcano	Kimmel	115
3	Morning Line [Ⓚ]	Tiznow	Velazquez	Zito	118
4	Giant Oak	Giant's Causeway	Bridgmohan	Block	119
5	Tizway [Ⓚ]	Tiznow	Maragh	Bond	118
6	Mission Impazible [Ⓚ]	Unbridled's Song	Castellano	Pletcher	118
7	Rail Trip	Jump Start	Dominguez	Dutrow Jr	117
8	Headache	Tapit	Mena	Maker	116
9	Rodman [Ⓚ]	Malibu Moon	Prado	Hushion	114
10	Apart	Flatter	Leparoux	Stall Jr	117
11	Duke of Mischief	Graeme Hall	Bravo	Fawkes	117

UNCLE MO ON TRACK FOR KING'S BISHOP

Repole Stable's champion **Uncle Mo** (Indian Charlie) continued his preparations for the Aug. 27 GI King's Bishop S. at Saratoga, going five furlongs in 1:02 4/5 on the main track Wednesday morning ([video](#)).



Uncle Mo Sarah K Andrew

With exercise rider Patty Krotenko in the saddle, he was clocked in splits of :12 2/5, :25, :37 4/5, and galloped out six furlongs in 1:16 1/5. "I thought he went very well," trainer Todd Pletcher said. "Everything so far is going exactly like we had planned. I'm really, really pleased with his progress. He's obviously gotten a little bit fitter with each piece of work. Every kind of increase in distance we've taken, he's handled very well. In particular, his gallop-outs have been very good." The Eclipse winner was the 9-2 second choice on the GI Kentucky Derby morning line, but was scratched and later diagnosed with cholangiohepatitis, a severe inflammation of the bile passages and liver. Sidelined since finishing third in the Apr. 9 GI Wood Memorial S., the 3-year-old is expected to have a more testing trial next week. "Right now, we'll probably come back next Tuesday if everything goes smoothly," Pletcher remarked. "We'll maybe be a little more aggressive, five-eighths in company, and go from there."

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RACETRACK Round-Up

Breen Makes Plans for Sophomore Duo...

Trainer Kelly Breen said yesterday that his two GI Haskell Invitational S. runners came out of the race in good order, and outlined potential plans for their next starts. GI Belmont S. hero **Ruler On Ice** (Roman Ruler)



Ruler On Ice Horsephotos

finished third in the Haskell, with stablemate **Pants On Fire** (Jump Start), winner of the GI Louisiana Derby and GIII Pegasus S., fifth. "The Travers [GI, Aug. 27 at Saratoga] will likely be the next start for Ruler On Ice," Breen said. "We'll look at the Smarty Jones [Sept. 5 at Parx] for Pants On Fire. That's the prep for the Pennsylvania Derby [\$1 million, GI, Sept. 24 at Parx]. Nothing is set in stone, but [owner George Hall] and I will talk it over and make a decision from there."

Arlington Million to Be Televised...

(Edited press release) The 29th running of the GI Arlington Million will be carried live in HD on WGN-TV Channel 9 in Chicago, and nationwide on WGN America, Aug. 13 from 5:00-5:30 p.m. CDT. The program will be rebroadcast locally on CLTV from 8-8:30 p.m. CDT. The broadcast will be hosted by WGN's Dan Roan and longtime Chicago sportscaster Arlington Park's Howard Sudberry. The inclusion of WGN America will make this show available in more than 27 million households worldwide. "We are thrilled to be able to bring our premier racing event to viewers in Chicago and nationwide on WGN through a partnership between two great Chicagoland companies," said Arlington Park General Manager Tony Petrillo. "WGN is known for its first-class productions and we are proud to be associated with a brand that stands for such quality."

Golden Lilac Has Deauville Options...

Gestut Ammerland's undefeated **Golden Lilac (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}), winner of this term's G1 Poule d'Essai des Pouliches and G1 Prix de Diane, has a choice of options at this month's Deauville meet according to Ammerland's bloodstock advisor Crispin de Moubray. The bay homebred will also take in the Sept. 11 G1 Prix Vermeille at Longchamp before returning to the Bois de Boulogne track for the Oct. 2 G1 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe if all goes according to plan. "The current plan is for Golden Lilac to run in either the [Aug. 15 G2] Prix Guillaume d'Ornano or the [Aug. 23 G2] Prix de la Nonette," de Moubray told *Racing Post*.

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Racetrack Round-Up cont.

So You Think Pointing to Irish Champion...

So You Think (NZ) (High Chaparral {Ire}), who bagged the G1 Tattersalls Gold Cup and G1 Eclipse S. after shipping up from Australia, will likely point to the Sept. 3 G1 Irish Champion S. at Leopardstown, according to connections. The five-time Australian Group 1 winner is still engaged in the Aug. 17 G1 Juddmonte International S. at York, as well as the G1 Queen Elizabeth II S. and G1 Champion S., both to be staged at Ascot Oct. 15. A tilt at a third straight G1 Cox Plate--at Moonee Valley Oct. 21--also remains a possibility. "There are plenty of options for him," Coolmore Australia's Tom Magnier told Australia's *The Age*. "His next run is going to be in the Irish Champion. He can run in that and then go into quarantine if he was to go back to Australia, but there are a couple of other races that the trainer could run him in as well. I will be talking to [trainer] Aidan [O'Brien] in the next couple of days, but we are keeping our options open."

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TURBULENT DESCENT LOOKS TO REBOUND

First or second in all seven career starts, **Turbulent Descent** (Congrats) looks to get back into the winner's circle after finishing runner-up as the 3-5 chalk in the GI Acorn S. June 11. The bay's wins include the GI Hollywood Starlet S. at two and the GI Santa Anita Oaks and GI Beaumont S. this season. She was 3 3/4 lengths adrift of It's Tricky (Mineshaft) trying a muddy strip and a mile in the Acorn. "I think we're going back to optimum distance for [the Test]," trainer Mike Puype said. "And as long as she agrees with the Saratoga racetrack, I don't see why she won't come out of there with a good chance to win."

Saturday, Saratoga, post time: 5:12 p.m. EDT

TEST S.-GI, \$250,000, 3yo, f, 7f

PP HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1 Ava K.	Dixie Union	Leparoux	Hushion	116
2 American Lady	Stormy Atlantic	Garcia	Baffert	116
3 Roman Treasure	Roman Ruler	Dominguez	Hushion	116
4 Coax Liberty	Successful Appeal	Castro	Lawrence	116
5 Savvy Supreme	Distorted Humor	Lezcano	Pletcher	116
6 Turbulent Descent	Congrats	Flores	Puype	122
7 Pomeroy's Pistol	Pomeroy	Velazquez	Tarrant	120
8 Her Smile	Include	Castellano	Pletcher	122
9 Salty Strike	Smart Strike	Cruz	McPeck	118

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Aug. 5	GIII Sorrento S.	DMR
Aug. 6	GI Whitney	SAR
	GI Test S.	SAR
	GI Clement L Hirsch S.	DMR
	GII West Virginia Derby	MNR
	GIII Seagram Cup	WO
Aug. 7	GI Alfred G. Vanderbilt H.	SAR
	GII Honorable Miss H.	SAR
	GII Best Pal S.	DMR
Aug. 12	GII Nat'l Mus of Racing/Hall of Fame	SAR
Aug. 13	GI Arlington Million	AP
	GI Beverly D. S.	AP
	GI Secretariat S.	AP
	GI Sword Dancer H.	SAR
	GII La Jolla H.	DMR
	GIII Monmouth Oaks	MTH
	GIII Gardenia H.	ELP
	Breeders' S.	WO
Aug. 14	GII Adirondack S.	SAR
	GII John C. Mabee S.	DMR
Aug. 15	GII Saratoga Special S.	SAR



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BROOKDALE FARM; THEN AND NOW

With over 30 years and numerous stalwarts having graduated from the Brookdale Farm ranks, the Seitz



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family--led by the farm's patriarch Fred Seitz, Director of Sales Joe Seitz and Yearling Manager Freddy Seitz--heads to next week's Fasig-Tipton Saratoga Yearling sale with a small but select group of three

youngsters. Heading the draft is [Hip 130](#), a Florida-bred colt by Bernardini, set to sell during Tuesday's session.

"He is a very attractive horse, of good size and very correct," Joe Seitz offered. "He is a very forward yearling."

Property of Amy Tarrant's Hardacre Farm, the Mar. 7 foal is out of Habiboo (Unbridled's Song), runner up in a trio of graded stakes, including the GII First Flight H. The colt is the second foal out of the 10-year-old mare, who is a half-sister to crack sprinter Street Boss (Street Cry {Ire}), winner of the GI Triple Bend H. and GI Bing Crosby H.

"He is by Bernardini, who is having a great year with his first crop, and his dam, Habiboo, was also very talented and performed well on the track," Seitz added. "You can see both sides in the pedigree; you can see a lot of Bernardini in the horse, but you can also see a lot of Unbridled's Song, which is not a bad combination."

And according to Seitz, there is plenty to like on both sides of the colt's family tree.

"She is just beautiful," said Seitz of Habiboo. "She is a tall and rangy horse that has a really good profile. She is just a very athletic horse. Even as a broodmare, she has a really racy appearance to her."



Joe Seitz

Also set to go into the ring next week are a pair of yearlings by Malibu Moon offered on behalf of Virginia-based Hickory Tree Farm. [Hip 26](#), which will sell during Monday's session, is the second foal out of Grade III winner Real Candy (Real Quiet). The dark bay filly is from the family of MSW and MGSP Majesty's Imp (His Majesty). Offered on day two of the sale is [Hip 159](#), a colt out of the Cozzene mare Long N Lanky. The 7-year-old mare is a full-sister to GI Selene S. winner Zoftig, who herself produced GI Acorn S. heroine Zaftig (Gone West).

"They are diametrically different from each other, but in a good way," said Seitz. They both have lots to like, just different."

Explaining some of the most obvious differences, Seitz said, "This filly is very pretty. She is quite feminine and very athletic. But the colt is a little more typical of a Malibu Moon. He has is very strong, has a lot of bone. He has a huge stride on him. It's just a monster stride."

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Stallion	Sire	Hips		
Big Brown	Boundary	102	148	
Curlin	Smart Strike	022	071	098
Midnight Lute	Real Quiet	002	036	102
		096		
Raven's Pass	Elusive Quality	118	101	
Street Boss	Street Cry (Ire)	011	013	066
Tiz Wonderful	Tiznow	064		

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The current Brookdale Farm is named in honor of the Lincroft, New Jersey training center--which has since been converted into a community college--where Fred Seitz Sr. spent the better part of his childhood while receiving his earliest education in the horse industry. Seitz started walking hots at age 10, and graduated to galloping horses until he went off to college in Western Pennsylvania. A graduate of St. Vincent College with a BA in English, the New York City native was a Marine Corps Aviator and a Vietnam Veteran. Seitz moved to Kentucky in 1974, and initially served as a farm manager at



Fred Seitz
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On The Rocks Farm before working for Fasig-Tipton for two years. In 1978, Seitz decided to branch out on his own and leased some land on the Merewether Farm property before purchasing 188 acres to launch Brookdale Farm in 1983. A licensed trainer, Seitz held a number of posts within the industry through the years, including president of the Thoroughbred Club of America; president of the Kentucky Thoroughbred Assoc.; officer and trustee of the Thoroughbred Owners and Breeders Assoc.; founding trustee of the Horse Farm Workers Educational Assistance Fund; and is currently a director of the Keeneland Association.

Present day Brookdale covers over 500 acres in Versailles and has evolved into a full-service operation. While there are no stallions standing at the farm now, past rosters included top sires such as two-time standings leader Deputy Minister, Crafty Prospector, Forest Wildcat and Silver Deputy.

Brookdale started off on the right foot with its initial foal crop in 1984, which totaled 24 and included



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European champions Bluebird (Storm Bird) (a \$1.1 million KEESF yearling) and Soviet Star (Nureyev). In recent times, several illustrious graduates have sold as youngsters under the Seitz/Brookdale banner, including GI Wood Memorial hero and leading sire Tapit (Pulpit);

GI Breeders' Cup Sprint winner Dancing in Silks (Black Minnaloushe); GI Santa Anita Derby and GI Hollywood Futurity scorer Brother Derek (Benchmark); Var (Forest Wildcat), victorious in the G1 Prix de L'Abbaye and later co-Hwt older Horse in England at 5-7f; and GISW Pool Land (Silver Deputy), who realized a \$475,000 final bid at this venue in 2003. Always maintaining roughly the same number of horses on the farm throughout the year, the farm presently boards approximately 75, and an additional 50 weanlings and yearlings.

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The Tax Relief Act authorizes a significant investment incentive for members of the Thoroughbred industry this year in the form of 100 percent bonus depreciation. This incentive allows buyers to write off the entire cost of qualifying property, such as a yearling, on their tax return. Below are the details:

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A Good 'Mind' for the Business..

While intimately involved in the horse industry since his youth, Fred Seitz was introduced in 1979 to a fledgling segment of the industry by a pioneer in the sales' game, Lee Eaton.

"When I started in the sales end of the business, Lee Eaton had pretty much invented it," said Seitz. "Prior to that, just about every farm sold their own horses themselves, without any degree of professionalism or marketing. But that was accepted, because that's pretty much how everybody did it. When Lee started [the sales agency], he made the business more market savvy with greater organization and it was more P.R. driven. He was quite innovative. In fact, I did some work for him when I had the leased farm. I helped him on occasion at the sales, and I learned a great deal from him.

"Later on, he gave me a few horses, because he had such enormous consignments and so many horses to sell. He was looking for someone to take care of his clients and treat them well, so I sold a lot of horses for Lee's clients, and that's how I got started."

Obviously having learned those early lessons well, Seitz helped Brookdale Farm earn many distinctions over the past three decades, among which is having sold over 300 stakes winners.

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A "Good" Mind cont.

However, on Friday, Aug. 12, the Kentucky farm will add yet another when Brookdale graduate, dual champion Open Mind, is inducted into the Racing Hall of Fame. Bred by Due Process Stable in Colts Neck, New Jersey, the diminutive chestnut was a member of a small yet select consignment offered by Fred Seitz at Fasig-Tipton's Saratoga sale in 1987.

"She was a smallish filly and was very correct," recalled Seitz. "She had a lot of style and substance, and had a lot of quality to her. She was from one of the first crops of Deputy Minister, so as I recall, everyone was happy with that price."

Among those evidently satisfied with the price was trainer D. Wayne Lukas, who snapped up the filly for \$150,000. Campaigned by Gene Klein, the filly won the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies and GI Demoiselle S. in 1988 en route to a juvenile championship. At three, the filly ascended to even greater heights by winning the GI Kentucky Oaks, GI Acorn S., GI Mother Goose S., the GI American Oaks and GI Alabama S. The Triple Tiara heroine capped off the year with the 3-year-old filly title. Retired with \$1,844,372 in career earnings, the New Jersey-bred was offered at the Keeneland November sale in 1989, realizing a final bid of \$4.6 million from Japanese interests.

According to Seitz, it is the years of finding a balance between continuing those early lessons he learned from Eaton, in addition to updating and refining practices, that have led to the farm's enduring success.

"The game has become much more competitive and a lot more marketing skills are required now, so you have to adapt to remain successful," said Seitz. "There is much more attention to detail and to client relations. Most of us copied Lee's practices in the past, and quite frankly, a lot of us still follow his way of doing things. There are a lot more people doing it and a lot more competition out there, particularly for good horses. But the one thing that hasn't changed is, if you sell good horses, people will come back." --Christina Bossinakis



Bob Coglianese

Virtual Inspections for FTSAUG Yearlings Available...

(Edited press release) Fasig-Tipton will once again offer "Virtual Yearling Inspection" videos for its upcoming Saratoga Selected Yearlings Sale on the company's website at www.fasigtipton.com. The video clips consist of a headshot, walking and a "profile" conformation shot. Users have the choice of watching a compilation of all yearling video clips, or selecting individual hips on the Fasig-Tipton TV section of the website and the Interactive Catalogue. Virtual Inspections can also be viewed on mobile devices via Fasig-Tipton's mobile catalogue section. The Virtual Yearling Inspection videos can also be shared through the video player's "Share" icon, which offers the capability to quickly email, link or embed a yearling video clip on various social media outlets. "We are very pleased to be offering these Virtual Inspection clips for the second consecutive year for our Saratoga Sale," said Bayne Welker, vice president of sales. "These videos received a tremendous amount of online traffic last year, and provide a wonderful resource for both our buyers and sellers." Videos for 70% of the catalogue may now be viewed. The remaining videos from participating consignors will be available by the weekend.



NEWS TODAY

CANADIAN GRADED STAKES TO COUNT TOWARD BC POINTS

Placings in graded stakes in Canada will now count toward official Breeders' Cup points, it was announced Wednesday. As is currently the system with graded events in the U.S., the points for Canadian graded races will be as follows:

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If a Breeders' Cup race, limited to 14 starters, overfills, the first seven entries are given first to Breeders' Cup Challenge race winners, and next to the horses with the highest Breeders' Cup Points earned. The rest of the field is determined by a panel of racing secretaries and racing directors. The 2011 Canadian graded stakes calendar includes 33 races between Jan. 1 and the Oct. 24 deadline for Breeders' Cup pre-entries. "Given the high standard of international competition within Canadian racing, our Racing and Nominations Committee strongly recommended that the graded stakes races in Canada should be on equal footing with the American graded stakes races in our overall Point standings," said Breeders' Cup President Craig Favel. "Canadian breeders and owners have been an important part of the Breeders' Cup program since its inception, and we believe this change will further encourage Canadian participation in the Championships." The '11 Breeders' Cup is set for Nov. 4-5 at Churchill Downs.

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PEDIGREE INSIGHTS

BY ANDREW CAULFIELD

HASKELL INVITATIONAL S.-GI, \$1,020,000, MTH, 7-31, 3yo, 1 1/8m, 1:48 1/5, ft.
 1--▲**COIL, 118, c, 3**, by [Point Given](#)
 1st Dam: Eversmile, by Theatrical (Ire)
 2nd Dam: Avasand, by Avatar
 3rd Dam: Sandy Blue, by Windy Sands
 O-Karl Watson, Michael E Pegram & Paul Weitman; B-Glen Hill Farm (FL); T-Bob Baffert; J-Martin Garcia; \$600,000. Lifetime Record: 6-4-1-1, \$748,560. Werk Nick Rating: A + + .
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When Point Given gave weight and a beating to five opponents in the 2001 GI Haskell Invitational H., his future looked extremely bright. His Monmouth success improved his impressive record to eight wins and three seconds from 12 starts, and the son of Thunder Gulch had matched his sire by taking two legs of the Triple Crown. Twenty days later, Point Given crushed the opposition in the GI Travers S., with *The Blood-Horse* stating that this victory had catapulted him into superstardom. But there was a major downside to his Saratoga victory. A tendon strain in his left foreleg was detected five days after the Midsummer Derby, and the decision was taken to retire him.

Although forced to miss the Breeders' Cup, Point Given had done enough to take the titles of champion 3-year-old colt and Horse of the Year. As he had also finished runner-up to Macho Uno in the Eclipse voting for 2-year-old male, there was little fault to be found with the racing record of the six-time Grade I winner.

But a top-class stallion prospect also needs to offer a fashionable pedigree and the right conformation. His sire Thunder Gulch was still in vogue, commanding an \$80,000 fee in 2002, having sired Spain in his first crop and Point Given and the GI CCA Oaks winner Tweedside in his second.

It was a somewhat different story, though, regarding the bottom half of Point Given's pedigree. My main concern was that Point Given's broodmare sire was Alydar's son Turkoman. Not that there had been much to criticize during Turkoman's racing career. Renowned for being a powerful stretch runner, Turkoman was effective over 1 1/4 miles and 1 1/2 miles, just as Alydar had been. Turkoman's achievements included a record-breaking effort in the GI Widener H., a victory in the GI Marlboro Cup Invitational H. and a second in the 1986 GI Breeders' Cup Classic. He did so well that he was voted the champion older male of 1986.

Thursday, Leopardstown, Ireland, post time: 8:00 p.m.

BALLYROAN S.-G3, £57,500, 3yo/up, 1 1/2mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	4	Bob Le Beau (Ire)	Big Bad Bob (Ire)	Berry	Harrington	135
2	1	Mount Athos (Ire)	Montjeu (Ire)	Spencer	Wachman	135
3	5	Leceile	Forest Camp	Murtagh	Meade	132
4	2	Looks All Right (Ire)	Danehill Dancer (Ire)	O'Dnghue	Rogers	132
5	6	Sense of Purpose (Ire)	Galileo (Ire)	Smullen	Weld	132
6	3	Marksmanship (Ire)	Galileo (Ire)	Heffernan	A O'Brien	124

Saturday, Del Mar, post time: 8:30 p.m. EDT

CLEMENT L. HIRSCH S.-GI, \$300,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m (AWT)

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	Freedom Star	Street Cry (Ire)	Quinonez	Baffert	123
2	Washington Bridge	Yankee Gentleman	Vinzla	Hollndrfer	119
3	Zazu	Tapit	Gomez	Sadler	119
4	Switch	Quiet American	Rosario	Sadler	119
5	Ultra Blend	Richly Blended	Baze	Sherman	121
6	St Trinians (GB)	Piccolo (GB)	Sutherlnd	Mitchell	119
7	Ellafitz	Tiznow	Smith	Baffert	119

Saturday, Woodbine, post time: 4:51 p.m. EDT

SEAGRAM CUP S.-GIII, \$150,000, 3yo/up, 8.5f (AWT)

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	Sand Cove	Bold Executive	Dos Ramos	Attfield	126
2	Southdale	Street Cry (Ire)	Wilson	Black	117
3	Court of the Realm	Powerscourt (GB)	Da Silva	Berringer	121
4	Hollinger	Black Minnaloushe	Pizarro	Attfield	121
5	James Street	El Prado (Ire)	Husbands	Carroll	119
6	Stunning Stag	Running Stag	Olguin	Attard	123
7	Lord of Greatness	Greatness	Contreras	Tiller	119

Look for the throughout the TDN graded stakes entries, denoting Keeneland sales graduates.





Pedigree Insights cont.

Turkoman wasn't without speed, as he showed by going close to the track record in winning the six-furlong Tallahassee H. as a 4-year-old, while Point Given's dam, Turko's Turn, was fast enough to win a stakes race over 5 1/2 furlongs as a juvenile.

So why was I worried? Someone once assured me that some broodmare sires effectively act as a handbrake in a stallion's quest for success. The stallion he cited was Vaguely Noble, a very disappointing sire of sires in the Northern Hemisphere. Vaguely Noble also figured as the broodmare sire of quite a few less-than-notable stallions, such as Dahar, Local Talent, L'Emigrant, Homebuilder, Touching Wood, Fools Holme, Local Suitor and the short-lived Golden Fleece.

Just about all you need to know about Turkoman as a sire is that he started out at a fee of \$60,000 at a major farm in Kentucky, and that his fee had sunk as low as \$3,500 before he was moved to California. From over 700 foals, Turkoman sired only six domestic graded-stakes winners, his only Grade I winners being the turf horses Turk Passer and Man From Wicklow.

Of course, Turkoman wasn't the only high-class Alydar colt who failed to transfer his excellence to stud. So I wondered about Point Given, who, at around 17 hands, appeared to have taken more after Turkoman, who stood 16.3 hands, than the diminutive Thunder Gulch.

I must admit this theory is possibly flawed, as Hard Spun, another sizeable, top-notch performer out of a Turkoman mare, is making a pleasing start with his first runners. He numbers the smart English colt Red Duke among his seven winners.

Point Given's career, though, has run along similar lines to Turkoman's. After starting out at \$125,000 in 2002, his fee has fallen steadily, reaching \$10,000 in 2010 and \$7,500 this year. Inevitably, given the support he initially received, there have been a few high points, including Grade I victories by Go Between and Point Ashley, but his son Coil became only his seventh individual graded winner when he won the GIII Affirmed H. in June. Now, of course, Coil has become Grade I winner number three, emulating his sire in the Haskell.

Point Given's fee had still been as high as \$30,000 in 2007, the year of Coil's conception, following some good 2006 results by Go Between, Point Ashley, Point Determined and Sealy Hill.

Coil's breeders, Glen Hill Farm, had another incentive for using him. Point Given's second dam, Turbo Launch, was a stakes-winning daughter of Relaunch, who had raced for Glen Hill's founder Leonard Lavin. Glen Hill Farm also owed a debt to Relaunch for his daughter One Dreamer, winner of the Breeders' Cup Distaff. Relaunch made quite an impact on the Breeders' Cup, also siring the Classic-winning son Skywalker and appearing as the broodmare sire of Ghostzapper and Forever Together.

It would be interesting to speculate how much Coil would have fetched as a yearling in 2009. Four of the six Point Given yearlings sold that year made \$5,000 or less, with the other two selling for \$40,000 apiece.

Coil would no doubt have proved more popular, as his dam Eversmile had cost \$275,000 as a yearling. This daughter of the accomplished Theatrical was only a minor turf winner, but her half-sister Possibly Perfect had carried off the Eclipse Award for Turf Mare in 1995, when her five wins included Grade I triumphs in the Beverly D., Ramona H. and Gamely H.

There is every reason to think that Coil could have further improvement in him, especially if he steps up to 1 1/4 miles or more. Point Given won the Belmont S. and so did his sire Thunder Gulch. The Belmont also represented the main victory by Avatar, the stallion responsible for Coil's second dam, Avasand. Theatrical is another major 1 1/2-mile winner close up in Coil's pedigree, so the Haskell winner did well to win over six furlongs as recently as May.

Coil's third dam Sandy Blue won the Hollywood Oaks over 1 1/8 miles. She also ranks as the second dam of Miserden, winner of the G1 Criterium de Saint-Cloud over 1 1/4 miles as a 2-year-old, and third dam of Eddington, whose finest moment came in the GI Pimlico Special over 1 3/16 miles.

COIL, c, 2008

Point Given	Thunder Gulch	Gulch	Mr. Prospector	
		Line of Thunder	Jameela	
	Turkos Turn	Turkoman	Alydar	Storm Bird
			Taba	Shoot A Line
		Turbo Launch	Relaunch	
			Dauids Tobin	
Eversmile 10-1-1-0 4Fls, 1GSW	Theatrical (Ire)	Nureyev	Northern Dancer	
		Tree of Knowledge (Ire)	Special	
	Avasand 7-2-2-2 10Fls, 1Ch, 2GSW	Avatar	Sassafras (Fr)	
			Sensibility	
		Sandy Blue 13Fls, 1GSW	Graustark	
			Blue Nola	

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DUTROW DECISION STILL PENDING; LICENSE WILL BE RENEWED

Rick Dutrow Jr.'s license to train horses in New York will expire on his birthday, Friday, Aug. 5, but Lee Park, the New York State Racing and Wagering Board's director of communications, said this week that it will be renewed if the required application is filed. "There is nothing standing in that way of that right now," Park said. Dutrow was the subject of a hearing before the NYSRWB two months ago, but the report and recommendation of



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hearing officer Clemente Parente have not yet been reviewed. "The matter is on-going, and the expectation is that [the report] could be heard at the Board's September meeting," said Park. Dutrow appealed a pair of suspensions totaling 90 days, seeking a reduction in the penalty, but the NYSRWB could revoke his license because of his long history of violations. The September meeting has not yet been scheduled, but the Board routinely convenes during the final week of the month.

Yesterday's Results:

JOHN MORRISSEY S., \$77,000, SAR, 8-3, (S), 3yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:17, ft.

1--**IBBOYEE, 122, c, 4, Medallist--Expect Excellence, by Pentelicus.** (\$35,000 wlng '07 KEENOV; \$120,000 yrl '08 FTNAUG). O-Anstu Stables Inc; B-Dr Patricia S Purdy (NY); T-Todd A Pletcher; J-John R Velazquez; \$45,000. Lifetime Record: MGSP, 18-7-3-3, \$698,822.

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2--**Be Bullish, 124, g, 6, Pure Prize--Smart Holly,** by Smarten. O-Repole Stable. \$15,000.

3--**Six Flings, 118, g, 5, Artax--Flingette, by Phantom Jet.** O-P Z Racing Stable. \$7,500.

Margins: NK, 1 1/4, 1HF. Odds: 1.35, 1.30, 33.50.

The consistent Ibboyee concluded 2010 with a rare clunker--a well-beaten ninth--in the Empire Classic at Belmont in October. A close fourth in Gulfstream's Sir Shackleton H. Apr. 3, the blaze-faced bay came up a half-length short when third in the Gil Churchill Downs S. on the GI Kentucky Derby undercard May 7. He tested the big guns once more in the GI Metropolitan H. at Belmont on Memorial Day, but stumbled at the break and never got involved, finishing eighth. Content to let things develop up front in the early stages here, Ibboyee began a wide move on the turn, but still had plenty to do. He kicked into high gear and just got up in the final jump to edge the George Weaver-trained favorite. "At the three-eighths pole, when [jockey John Velazquez] started asking him, I said, 'Man, he's taking a long time to kick in today,'" said winning trainer Todd Pletcher. "At the sixteenth pole, it was going to be a little bit close. With that last little bit [of ground], he kept running a little more. It was something that he [Mike Repole, owner of the runner-up] and I had been kidding around all week. I told him my dream scenario was to nail him at the wire...I feel a little bit bad for him." [Click for the brisnet.com chart.](#) [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

TODAY'S VIDEO HIGHLIGHTS

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2nd-SAR (Msw) Hunt Crossing (Corinthian) leads home an exacta for his freshman sire (by Pulpit).

3rd-SAR (Msw) Yadira (Pulpit) graduates in grass bow.

2nd-DMR (Alw) Preamble (Mr. Greeley) gets up in the closing stages for his fourth straight win.

• ON THE WORKTAB •

DELAWARE PARK

RUSH NOW (Tiznow), 3f, :37.40, 1/17

WINSLOW HOMER (Unbridled's Song), 3f, :38.80, 8/17

MONMOUTH PARK

ELDAAFER (A.P. Indy), 4f, :49.00, 7/24

SARATOGA

ARTHUR'S TALE (Bernardini), 4f, :52.09, 33/33

GIO PONTI (Tale of the Cat), 5fT, :59.02, 1/2

PALOOZA (Hennessy), 4f, :50.56, 26/33

SILVER TIMBER (Prime Timber), 4f, :50.03, 6/19

UNCLE MO (Indian Charlie), 5f, 1:02.80, 9/12

The **brisnet.com** 'Race of the Day' is the 4th Race, \$50,000 Allowance, at Hoosier Daddy. For pps and a complete race analysis, click [here](#).



Saratoga report cont.

1st-SAR, \$55,000, Alw, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8mT, 1:50 4/5, fm.

PUZZLING (f, 3, [Ghostzapper](#)--Dancinginmydreams {GISP}, by Seeking the Gold), a half-sister to Dancing Forever (Rahy), GISW, \$915,070, never factored in her career bow over this turf course last summer and went back to the bench. After tiring to sixth in her Apr. 10 return on the Gulfstream grass, the Phipps homebred improved to be second on the dirt at Monmouth May 21, then made the infield shift to the Jersey Shore weeds June 26 and donned cap and gown with a narrow success. She was dismissed at 10-1 here, however. Puzzling secured a rail-skimming trip after breaking from the inside, and settled in a close-up third behind trotting-horse splits of :50.45 and 1:15.79. The bay came off the fence in the lane and finished up well to take it by a length from Darley's Loure (A.P. Indy). Lifetime Record: 5-2-1-0, \$66,628. [Click for the brisnet.com chart.](#) [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#) O/B-Phipps Stable (KY). T-Claude R McGaughey III.

4th-SAR, \$54,000, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$50,000), NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:35 4/5, fm.

NORTHERN COAST (f, 4, [North Light {Ire}](#)--Coastal Wolf, by Wolf Power {SAf}) prevailed at first asking in a Polytrack maiden at Woodbine May 11. Dropped in for \$40,000 in an off-the-turfer at that track 18 days later, the chestnut scored by 3 1/2 lengths, but lost her unbeaten record when fourth by 3/4 of a length on the Woodbine weeds June 19. The 2-1 choice in this 10-horse affair, Northern Coast maintained an inside course through the first six furlongs, then angled out and prevailed by a length in a cavalry charge to the wire. Sovereign Crisis (Congrats) was second best. Sales history: \$25,000 2yo '09 OBSAPR. Lifetime Record: 4-3-0-0, \$76,843. [Click for the brisnet.com chart.](#) [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#) O-Mark E & Tina Casse & Jacqueline E Ventura. B-Liam Benson (FL). T-Mark E Casse.

3rd-SAR, \$54,000, Msw, 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2fT, 1:03 1/5, fm.

YADIRA (f, 4, [Pulpit](#)--Heavenly Cat, by Tabasco Cat), a \$575,000 FTFEB juvenile, didn't make it to the races until July 2, when she flashed some speed before tiring to seventh in a main-track sprint at Churchill. Sent off at 6-1 in this turf bow, the Padua colorbearer duked it out with Lynnette (Johannesburg) in the early stages. She shrugged off that foe entering the lane, opened up some daylight and hit the wire three lengths to the good of Scootles (Macho Uno). Lynnette faded to fourth. Yadira, who also RNA'd for \$250,000 as a weanling at KEENOV before selling for \$260,000 as a yearling at KESEP, is a half-sister to Capitano (Belong to Me), MSW & MGSP, \$576,894; Heavenly Ransom (Red Ransom), GSW, \$181,720; Dilemma (Grand Slam), GSW, \$367,056; and Heavenly Chorus (Unbridled's Song), SP, \$208,318. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$30,239. [Click for the brisnet.com chart.](#) [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O-Padua Stables. B-Twin Hopes Farm Inc (KY). T-Steven M Asmussen.



2nd-SAR, \$52,000, Msw, 2yo, 5f, :58 2/5, ft. + HUNT CROSSING (c, 2, [Corinthian](#)--Silver Lace {SW, \$139,624}, by Silver Deputy) compiled an impressive series of morning drills, even by the standards of the Todd Pletcher barn that has been so successful with first-time starters, and was hammered down to 1-2. One Slick Dude (Corinthian) hustled to the front from his rail post, but Hunt Crossing came up to apply pressure as they rounded the turn. The two colts were well clear of the others by the time they reached the grandstand, and jockey John Velazquez needed just one solid swipe with the persuader aboard the favorite. Hunt Crossing went on about his business under a vigorous hand ride and dealt One Slick Dude a four-length defeat. My Wahoo (Flatter) rallied to complete the trifecta in a three-way photo. Hunt Crossing is the second winner for his freshman sire (by Pulpit). Sales history: \$260,000 wlng '09 KEENOV; \$275,000 RNA yrl '10 FTSAUG; \$150,000 yrl '10 FTMOCT; \$285,000 RNA 2yo '11 FTFEB. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$30,000. [Click for the brisnet.com chart.](#) [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O-Dell Ennis. B-Mount Joy Stables Inc (KY). T-Todd A Pletcher.

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Aug. 30	Texas Yearlings
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Oct. 24-26	Kentucky Fall Yearlings
Nov. 6-7	November Sale
Dec. 5	Midlantic December Mixed
Dec. 12	Texas December Mixed

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Yesterday's Results:

7th-HOO, \$35,000, Msw, 2yo, f, 5f, :57 2/5, ft.
 + **SWIFT ARTIST (f, 2, Henny Hughes--Zahwah {GSP}, by Rahy)**, the 7-2 second choice, broke smartly and went up to set a pressured pace. The chestnut kept on going in the lane and swept clear to score by six lengths. Taxi Dancer (Not for Love) was second. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#).** Sales history: \$37,000 RNA yrl '10 KEEJAN. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$21,000. O/B-Stoneway Farm (KY). T-Bernard S Flint.

Tuesday Night's Results:

7th-HOO, \$38,000, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$50,000), NW1X, 3yo, f, 6f, 1:08 3/5, ft.
MOON BUZZ (f, 3, Malibu Moon--Buzz Song {SW}, by Unbridled's Song) earned a 90 Beyer Speed Figure when she posted a front-running score at Fair Grounds Mar. 14, but hadn't faced the starter since. Sent off as the 6-5 choice here despite the lengthy break, the Sy Bon homebred sat in second, took over turning for home and drew clear for a three-length tally over Ridgester (Cactus Ridge). Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$47,400. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#).** O/B-Sy Bon Racing Stables LLC (KY). T-Steve Margolis.



Espinoza to Donate Earnings to Help So. Cal Grooms:

Jockey Victor Espinoza announced yesterday that he will donate 100% of his earnings at Del Mar for the week of Aug. 10-17 to the California Thoroughbred



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Horsemen's Foundation, a non-profit organization that works to better the quality of life for those employed at Thoroughbred tracks in the state and their families. The funds will be earmarked to help grooms working in Southern California. "Everybody has done a lot of things for different foundations, but I never hear about anybody doing something just for the grooms," said Espinoza. "The grooms are important for everybody in horse racing; they take care of the horses

more than anybody, sometimes 24 hours a day. If a horse gets sick at midnight, who's going to be there? The groom has to get up. But if the grooms are sick, they can't take care of the horses." Espinoza, 39, has garnered 11 riding titles in California, including three at Del Mar. He added, "I decided to do this because I'm doing good. I don't mind riding one week for free. Besides, when I went down the other day, I didn't break my ankle, so even better! I hope that other jockeys will want to do this. We just need to start."

Santa Anita to Host 2012 Breeders' Cup?

An invitation extended to several members of the Thoroughbred industry to attend a luncheon in Los Angeles Aug. 10 that will feature a "special announcement" has fueled speculation that Santa Anita will be revealed as the host of the 2012 Breeders' Cup World Thoroughbred Championships. The Breeders' Cup will host the event in conjunction with L.A. Mayor Antonio Villaraigosa, but officials would only confirm the date of the luncheon, and declined comment on the nature of the announcement. In the spring, Santa Anita was confirmed as one of three finalists to be the host site, along with Belmont Park and Churchill Downs.

Yesterday's Results:

GRADUATION S., \$100,000, DMR, 8-3, (S), 2yo, 5 1/2f (AWT), 1:04 2/5, ft.
 1--**#RULER OF DUBAI, 118, g, 2, Tribal Rule--O K Topless (MSP, \$125,014), by Old Topper.** O-Harout Keshishian; B-Julio Canani (CA); T-George Papaprodromou; J-Garrett K Gomez; \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-0, \$78,960.
 2--**Three Vases, 118, c, 2, In Excess (Ire)--Breezy Music, by Cure the Blues.** (\$17,000 RNA yrl '10 BESOC). O-Simon Hudy. \$20,000.
 3--**Rousing Sermon, 120, c, 2, Lucky Pulpit--Rousing Again, by Awesome Again.** O-Mr and Mrs Larry D. Williams. \$12,000.
 Margins: HD, 1 1/4, HD. Odds: 14.90, 10.80, 3.90.
 Fifth against \$40,000 maiden claimers in his debut at Hollywood May 26, Ruler of Dubai came back to win at that level June 9. The bay ran fourth in a starter allowance July 27, and had the blinkers off here. Allowed to settle into stride before making a big run down the lane, he got up to edge the game first-time starter Three Vases on the line. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#). [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)**

2nd-DMR, \$75,000, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$100,000), C, 3yo/up, 7f (AWT), 1:22, ft.

1--**PREAMBLE, 124, c, 4, Mr. Greeley--Amanda's Crown (MSW, \$160,992), by Crown Ambassador.** (\$190,000 yrl '08 KEESEP). O-Spendthrift Farm LLC; B-Swifty Farms Inc (IN); T-Richard E Mandella. Lifetime Record: 6-4-0-0, \$149,440.

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2--**Indian Firewater, 120, c, 4, Indian Charlie--Touched, by Touch Gold.** (\$400,000 yrl '08 KEESEP).
 3--**El Martillo, 124, h, 6, Tiznow--Mountain Dawn, by Mountain Cat.** (\$40,000 yrl '06 KEESEP; \$200,000 2yo '07 BESMAR).

Margins: HD, 4HF, 2 1/4. Odds: 3.10, 1.40, 3.00.

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2nd-DMR cont.

Preamble made two starts at Santa Anita last spring, finishing fourth in a Pro-Ride contest before checking in sixth in a hillside affair in April. The chestnut didn't face the starter again until the winter, and has had nothing but win photos since. After graduating in a Feb. 17 maiden washed off the turf, he scored at 15-1 in a one-mile test Mar. 13, and added a tough allowance success Apr. 14. He was 3-1 while trying Polytrack for the first time here. Favored GII San Fernando S. hero Indian Firewater (Indian Charlie) was pressed a bit early on the front end through splits of :23.02 and :45.53, with Preamble well back. The Spendthrift flagbearer began to make his way forward in the lane and, aided by the favorite drifting from his early exertions, snuck through along the inside to score by a head. [Click for the brisnet.com chart.](#) [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)



CHRB Seeks Input on Exchange Wagering Rules:

(Edited press release) The California Horse Racing Board is soliciting input in its development of rules pertaining to the regulation of exchange wagering, which is defined as a form of pari-mutuel wagering in which two or more persons place directly opposing wagers on the outcome of a horse race. Under a new provision in the California Horse Racing Law adopted last year (SB 1072), the CHRB may authorize exchange wagering to begin no sooner than May 1, 2012, provided racing associations and horsemen reach an agreement with one or more exchange wagering companies. No such agreements have yet been reached; nonetheless, the CHRB is required by law to develop exchange wagering rules and regulations that are in the best interest of the public and the California horse racing industry. Accordingly, the Board is soliciting written comments and/or studies concerning the impact of exchange wagering on pari-mutuel wagering and the economic impact on California's horse racing industry. All written materials submitted to the Board will be used to assist it in developing exchange wagering rules and regulations. The 60-day written comment period commences Aug. 4, 2011, and will close at 5:00 p.m. Oct. 2, 2011. Submit written comments to: Harold Coburn, Regulation Analyst, California Horse Racing Board, 1010 Hurley Way, Suite 300, Sacramento, CA 95825; telephone (916) 263-6397; fax: (916) 263-6022; e-mail: haroldc@hrb.ca.gov. This initial public comment period is a requirement of SB 1072, which authorized exchange wagering. Once specific texts for proposed exchange wagering rules are developed and authorized by the Board for public notice, a second 45-day written comment period required by the Administrative Procedures Act will commence followed by a public hearing on the proposed rules.

TDN Q&A

TDN Q&A: DEL MAR'S JOE HARPER

Two weeks into its seven-week meet, the Del Mar Thoroughbred Club can boast plenty of positives. With an average of 20,737 people passing through the turnstiles each day, track attendance is up nearly 5% from 2010, which in turn was up 4.2% from 2009. Field size--always a concern in California--is averaging of 8.3 horses per race, up from 8.1 horses, and handle, the most important metric, is nearly equal to a year ago, with daily all-sources handling averaging \$11.7 million per day. The *TDN* talked with Del Mar



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Thoroughbred Club CEO, President and General Manager Joe Harper earlier this week about the meet's strong start, Del Mar's new "Ship and Win" program, its popular concert series, and his assessment of the sometimes beleaguered Polytrack surface at Del Mar.

Two weeks in, how are you feeling about Del Mar's current meet?

Harper: I think we're all pleasantly surprised things are going as well as they are. Certainly, the \$1,000 incentive program [the "Ship and Win Program"] seems to be working; we're seeing some new faces, and they're bringing new horses. [Del Mar's Executive Vice President for Racing and Industry Relations] Tom Robbins was pleasantly surprised the entries are going as well as they are.

Tell us a little about the "Ship and Win" program, which has drawn roughly 100 new horses to Del Mar's backstretch.

Harper: Del Mar gives you \$1,000 if you ship in from another state, plus we'll give you a 20% bonus on anything you might win in that particular race [excluding stakes races]. Guys like Dallas Keen have shown up with a bunch of horses, and there are a number of other trainers we don't usually see here who are taking advantage of it. It's a pretty good way to pay for your shipping, and we basically have the highest purses in the country, so it's worth it to show up. **Cont. p5**



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What are some other things Del Mar has been doing?

Harper: The Friday Night Concert series has been successful, as have the Saturday concerts. Ziggy Marley was here last Saturday and brought in 32,000 people, and a lot of them bet. Our opening-day attendance was our biggest ever at Del Mar, which was pretty cool, and our on-track handle that day was up 9.5%, so I'm assuming the Silicon set are betting a little more. Usually they're just partying, and the handle is reflective of the fact it's a crowd of first-time racegoers, coming for the excitement, rather than to gamble. But we were cooking right along.

That has been an old argument against things like a concert series: that it attracts people who often don't bet. What's Del Mar's thinking on this?

Harper: You have to do anything you can to draw people in. We're obviously trying to wrap our product in as attractive a package as we can, and I think we've been fairly successful at it. San Diego is a great market. The market is small enough to give you a lot of attention, and big enough to support you. Over the last 10 years or so, we've put all of our efforts into branding our product in that market, and it's proven successful. A lot of the first-time people who come to the track, it's a great experience for them. They say, 'Well, I don't have to just sit around and look at a racing form I don't understand, I can go watch a concert or laugh at a cougar contest or whatever, and have a good time.' But more and more, we're seeing those people who come for the Friday night concerts arrive earlier, and gambling a little bit, and we're seeing some reasonable action from those newcomers.

Officials at Hollywood and Santa Anita recently asked for the support of the Thoroughbred Owners of California to reduce the takeout rate on exactas and quinellas (from 22.68% to 21.68%) and daily doubles (from 22.68% to 15.43%). What's your take?

Harper: I think the takeout on some of the bets--exactas and doubles--are a little high. You hate being out there at the highest takeout in those categories, even if you're the lowest in a lot of other categories. But those particular bets I think we should revisit and lower [takeout] to some degree. How much, I don't know. We have to figure the point where we can lower the takeout while not hurting our purses or profit. If it generates more handle because we've lowered it, then we're in pretty good shape. It isn't our call or Santa Anita's or Hollywood's alone--it's all of our calls, including the horsemen. I haven't talked to anyone from any of those sides, including the racing board, who said, 'No, we're absolutely not going to lower the takeout again.'

The Polytrack surface at Del Mar has at times drawn widely differing opinions from horseman, handicappers and fans. Are you happy with the way it has been performing this year?

Harper: I'm happy with it, but it's not really whether I'm happy with it, it's whether the horsemen are. Right now, I think we're in pretty good shape. I'm out there every morning talking to the exercise riders, jockeys and trainers, and probably 90% of the people are very positive about it. They think we're doing the right thing, and it's playing well. But all tracks, whether they're synthetic or sand, are a moving beast, and you have to have a maintenance plan that's flexible and works to keep the track as consistent as possible. Don't ask me why, but every track I've dealt with in my 40 years of management, you put it to bed one night and it's the greatest track in the world, and the next morning, you're saying 'What the hell happened?' I think Rich Tedesco, our track superintendent, does a great job.

How many fatalities have you had this year?

Harper: I think we've lost two horses, one in training before we opened the track, and one in the races. But you have to look at each one. The trainer of the one, Matt Chew, said he loved the track, and no one was blaming the racetrack.

And the other breakdown was in the Sunday, July 24 finale, in which the horse who broke down was coming off an extended layoff.

Harper: You're always holding your breath with the ones that have been off for a year or more, and have been training off site. You'd like to get as many works on the surface they're going to run on as possible. But we take a harder look at those horses with our vets. We have all kinds of vet checks in the mornings and afternoons, and those guys do a hell of a job. And I don't know--that horse may have looked perfectly fine.

-L Marquardt

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First-crop starters to watch: Thursday, August 4
*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, 134/2/0
5-HOO, Msw, 5f, +Goingoingone, \$70K KEE SEP yrl, 9-2
- FLASHY BULL** (Holy Bull), Airdrie, \$10K, 97/5/1
5-HOO, Msw, 5f, +Shut Down Corner, \$33K KEE SEP yrl, 4-1
- 3-SAR, Msw, 5f, +Flashy in Pink, \$95K FTF FEB 2yo, 8-1
- HARD SPUN** (Danzig), Darley, \$50K, 143/7/1
3-SAR, Msw, 5f, +Ribbon Taffy, \$70K FTS AUG yrl, 20-1
- SHAKESPEARE** (Theatrical {Ire}), Hill N Dale, \$20K, 46/1/0
7-WO, Msw, 6fT, +Dramatist, \$75K OBS MAR 2yo, 6-1
- STONESIDER** (Giant's Causeway), Highcliff, \$3K, 40/0/0
4-SAR, Msw, 5 1/2fT, +Stock Fund, 15-1

First/Second-crop starters to watch: Thursday, Aug. 4
*Sire (Sire's Sire), current farm, 2007 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/BlackTypeWnrs * Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)*

- ALLUVIAL** (Forestry), Breeders Station, \$3K, 78/7/0
2-AP, Msw, 6f, +Polar Expedition, 3-1
- FIRST SAMURAI** (Giant's Causeway), Claiborne Farm, \$40K, 161/34/4
5-HOO, Msw, 5f, +Alumni, \$100K KEE SEP yrl, 3-1
- 5-HOO, Msw, 5f, +Sky Alert, \$30K KEE APR 2yo, 10-1
- GIACOMO** (Holy Bull), Adena Springs KY, \$13K, 151/29/2
5-HOO, Msw, 5f, +Mini Mine Mo, \$13K KEE SEP yrl, 5-1



AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS

IN BRITAIN:

South African Gold, c, 4, **Johannesburg**--Coesse Gold, by Seeking the Gold. Yarmouth, 8-3, Hcp, 3yo/up, 6f 3ydsT. B-Douglas S Arnold. * \$100,000 yrl '08 KEESEP. ** 1/2 to Marla Bay (Skip Away), GSP, \$145,669; Tappin for Gold (Pleasant Tap), SW, \$155,220.

RECENT 3YO ECLIPSE AWARD WINNERS

graded stakes victories

'10	Lookin At Lucky	Smart Strike
	<i>GI Preakness, GI Haskell, GII Indiana Derby, GII Rebel</i>	
'09	Summer Bird	Birdstone
	<i>GI Belmont, GI Travers, GI Jockey Club Gold Cup</i>	
'08	Big Brown	Boundary
	<i>GI Kentucky Derby, GI Preakness, GI Haskell, GI Florida Derby</i>	
'07	Curlin	Smart Strike
	<i>GI Preakness, GI Jockey Club Gold Cup, GI BC Classic, GII Arkansas Derby, GIII Rebel</i>	
'06	Bernardini	A.P. Indy
	<i>GI Preakness, GI Travers, GI Jockey Club Gold Cup, GII Jim Dandy, GIII Withers</i>	
'05	Afleet Alex	Northern Afleet
	<i>GI Preakness, GI Belmont, GII Arkansas Derby</i>	



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Yesterday's Results:

Pontefract, 14.40, Mdn, £6,800, 2yo, 6fT, 1:16.50, gd/fm.

HEERAAT (IRE) (c, 2, Dark Angel {Ire}--Thawrah {Ire}, by Green Desert), a first-up third at Newmarket July 16, soon led in this one. Drawing clear from halfway, the 8-15 chalk was in a different county at the top of the straight and ran on at no more than an exercise canter to account for Champagne Valley (GB) (Three Valleys) by a facile 11 lengths. Heeraat becomes the 19th winner for his freshman sire (by Acclamation {GB}). Sales history: 50,000gns wnlng '09 TATDEC; 140,000gns yrl '10 TATOCT. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, £5,072. [Video, courtesy Racing UK.](#)

O-Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum; B-John McEnergy; T-William Haggas.

Kempton Park, 19.00, Mdn, £5,100, 2yo, f, 7f (AWT), 1:27.32, stn.

WAY TOO HOT (GB) (f, 2, King's Best--Street Fire {Ire}, by Street Cry {Ire}), runner-up at Newbury first time June 26, stalked the leaders in fourth from the outset of this return. Stoked up to challenge passing the two pole, the 2-1 second favorite quickened clear soon after and ran on strongly, despite veering left in the closing stages, to comfortably best Na Zdorovie (GB) (Cockney Rebel {Ire}) by 2 1/2 lengths. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, £4,456. [Video, courtesy Racing UK.](#)

O-Mr & Mrs P Hargreaves & A D Spence; T-Clive Cox.

Brighton, 15.00, Mdn, £5,000, 2yo, 6f 209ydsT, 1:23.93, gd/fm.

+ **COUNTERGLOW (IRE) (c, 2, Echo of Light {GB}--Quintellina {GB}, by Robellino)**, a 15,500gns TATDEC foal and looking to become his freshman sire (by Dubai Millennium {GB})'s second winner, raced off the pace through the early stages of this first go. Taking closer order after halfway, the 13-2 chance was gathered together to make his bid inside the final quarter mile and drew off under minimal urging inside the closing panel to score by an easy four lengths from Royal Academician (Mr. Greeley). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, £3,235. [Video, courtesy attheraces.com.](#)

O-Godolphin; B-Colin Kennedy; T-Mahmood Al Zarooni.

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4.40 La Teste de Buch, Mdn, €14,000, unraced 2yo, c/g, 1mT OURI (IRE) (Dansili {GB}) is a 3/4-brother to the 2003 G1 Poule d'Essai des Poulains hero Clodovil (Ire) (Danehill) and a half-brother to this term's G1 Prix du Jockey-Club fourth Colombian (Ire) (Azamour {Ire}). Opposition to the Jean-Claude Rouget trainee includes Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum's Mutaawed (Smart Strike), who is a half-brother to a quartet of stakes performers, including the 2006 G1 Oaks d'Italia third Souvenance (GB) (Hernando {Fr}).

5.45 Leopardstown, Mdn, £17,000, 2yo, 7fT REQUISITION (IRE) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}), the second-highest-priced lot when going for €550,000 at last year's Goffs Orby Sale, is out of the 2005 G1 Irish 1000 Guineas victress Saoire (GB) (Pivotal {GB}). Michael Tabor's bay faces 16 rivals in this first go. They include Akeed Wafi (Ire) (Street Cry {Ire}), who is a half-sibling to the 2003 G1 St James's Palace S. victor Zafeen (Fr) (Zafonic); and His Highness The Aga Khan's Sinetta Ire (Red Ransom), who is out of a half-sister to the 2000 G1 Epsom Derby, G1 Irish Derby and G1 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe winner Sinndar (Ire) (Grand Lodge).

7.25 Leopardstown, Mdn, £10,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/4mT SINGE THE TURF (IRE) (Galileo {Ire}), a product of trainer Jim Bolger's breeding operation, is a brother to the 2007 G1 Irish Derby and 2008 G1 Coronation Cup winner Soldier of Fortune (Ire). The chestnut newcomer's dozen opponents include His Highness The Aga Khan's once-raced Kayalar (Ire) (Noverre), who is a half-brother to the 2008 G1 Epsom Oaks third Katiyra (Ire) (Peintre Celebre).

1st Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe-Gr.1
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Kempton Park, 19.30, Mdn, £3,500, 3yo/up, 1m (AWT), 1:39.77, stn.
PORT HOLLOW (GB) (f, 3, Beat Hollow {GB}--Maritima {GB}, by Darshaan {GB}), fifth at Newmarket last time Oct. 30, broke sharply and was soon clear of the field in this sophomore comeback. Pushed along when still clear approaching the final quarter mile, the crowd's 3-1 choice was ridden out inside the closing panel to break through by a decisive 4 1/2 lengths from Phoenix City (El Prado {Ire}). Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, £2,264.
Video, courtesy Racing UK.
 O-Khalid Abdullah; B-Juddmonte Farms Ltd; T-Barry Hills.

Newcastle, 14.50, Mdn, £2,500, 2yo, 6fT, 1:14.23, gd.
RUBY NIGHT (IRE) (c, 2, Red Clubs {Ire}--Stop Out {GB} {SP-Eng}, by Rudimentary), third on debut at Newmarket July 23, tracked the leaders in seventh from the break here. Cruising by rivals to lead approaching the two pole, the 1-4 favorite kept on strongly under whipless rousting in the latter stages to safely hold Passionada (GB) (Avonbridge {GB}) by a head. Ruby Night, who is the 17th winner for his freshman sire (by Red Ransom), is a half-brother to Saint Etienne (Ire) (Robellino), GSP-NA, \$114,059. Sales history: 23,000gns RNA wnlg '09 TATDEC; £34,000 2yo '11 DONAPR. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, £2,098. **Video, courtesy attheraces.com.**
 O-Timeform Betfair Racing Club Ltd; B-Century Bloodstock; T-Michael Bell.



Thursday, La Teste de Buch, post time: 6:20 p.m.
CRITERIUM DU BEQUET - VENTES OSARUS-Listed, €55,000, 2yo, 6fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER
1	4	Albret (Ire)	Clodovil (Ire)	Montenegro	Arzkrta Elgui
2	9	Vladimir (Ire)	Kheleyf	Borja Fayos	Dlchr-Snchz
3	11	Ruby's Day (GB)	Vital Equine (Ire)	Bertras	O'Neill
4	3	La Bauloise (Fr)	Della Francesca	Boudot	Lemer
5	10	Star Seed (Fr)	Layman	Victoire	Rouget
6	5	Lady Orpen (Fr)	Orpen	Marchelli	Durepaire
7	8	Skadar Lake (GB)	Footstpsinthand (GB)	Hamel	Guillemin
8	2	Kendam (Fr)	Kendargent (Fr)	Veron	Pantall
9	6	Chacha Heels (Fr)	Meshaheer	Castellier	Pantall
10	1	Bay Shore (Ire)	Kheleyf	Eyquem	Rouget
11	7	Luv u Forever (GB)	Multiplex (GB)	Sogorb	Hughes

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3rd-DMR, \$66,050, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), NW1\$X, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 5fT, :56 1/5, fm.

MISS GEORGIE GIRL (f, 4, Old Topper--Ippodamia {SW}, by Peterhof) Lifetime Record: 8-2-2-0, \$99,500. O-George & Martha Schwary Racing LLC. B-George Schwary (CA). T-Kathy Walsh. *1/2 to Georgie Boy (Tribal Rule), GISW, \$788,634.

4th-HOO, \$50,000, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10 4/5, ft. **ESKIMO'S BEST (m, 5, Best of Luck--Eskimo Magic, by Eskimo)** Lifetime Record: MSW, 28-8-5-6, \$356,707. O-Hunt & Smith Ventures. B-Dale Smith & Mike Hunt (IN). T-Richard B Kohnhorst.

8th-PRM, \$38,111, 8-2, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, 1m, 1:41 2/5, ft. **HE CAN DO THAT (g, 3, Added Edge--Tsu Tsu Won, by Air Forbes Won)** Lifetime Record: 9-2-1-3, \$69,532. O-Paul Tonderum. B-Coleen Wedig (IA). T-David D McShane.

5th-PEN, \$38,080, 8-2, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), NW2X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:39 1/5, ft.

SINGLE SCOOP (m, 5, Scrimshaw--Ice Cream Dream, by Sheikh Albadou {GB}) Lifetime Record: SP, 32-5-6-4, \$192,930. O-Michael R Anspach. B-Two Sisters' Farm Inc (PA). T-Craig S Miller. *\$45,000 yrl '07 FTMOCT.

4th-HOO, \$38,000, 8-2, NW1LX, 3/up, 6f, 1:09 4/5, ft. **SHOT OF KELA (g, 3, Kela--Beautiful Vision, by Aljabr)** Lifetime Record: 11-4-0-1, \$53,515. O-Evelyn & Manuel Troche. B-Dr Ira P & Anita Mersack (KY). T-Manuel Troche.

5th-HOO, \$38,000, NW1X, 3/up, f/m, 6f, 1:09 3/5, ft. **MANX MISS (f, 4, El Corredor--Final Legacy, by Boston Harbor)** Lifetime Record: 11-2-2-1, \$62,516. O/T-Eddie Kenneally. B-Overbrook Farm (KY). *\$85,000 yrl '08 KEESEP.

8th-HOO, \$38,000, 8-2, NW2L, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:37 4/5, ft. **WIND ENERGY (f, 3, Unbridled Energy--Mystical Tricks {MSP, \$154,246}, by Zen)** Lifetime Record: SP, 7-2-3-1, \$79,478. O-Ed Wright Cattle Company & Miles Childers. B-Swifty Farms Inc (IN). T-Bernard S Flint. *\$17,000 yrl '09 KEESEP.



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5th-SRX, \$35,910, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), NW1\$X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:44, fm.

GOING FOR A SPIN (f, 3, Ministers Wild Cat--Gender Motors, by Mr. Greeley) Lifetime Record: SW, 12-3-2-4, \$133,712. O/B-Tommy Town Thoroughbreds LLC (CA). T-Jerry Hollendorfer.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Gung Ho, c, 2, Kitten's Joy--Glory Dancer, by Honour and Glory. PID, 8-3, (S), 5f (AWT), :59 2/5.

B-Kenneth L & Sarah K Ramsey (PA).

All That Glimmers, f, 2, Tenpins--Glimmer Ice, by Pine Bluff. PID, 8-3, (S), 5f (AWT), :59. B-Michael E Lauer & Ralph Piercy (PA). *\$4,700 RNA yrl '10 FTMOCT.

**Won by seven lengths.

Bank Teller, f, 3, Banker's Gold--Observe, by Patton. PEN, 8-2, (S), 1m, 1:41 2/5. B-Gordonsdale Farm (PA).

Honors Best, f, 3, Best of the Bests (Ire)--Del Carmen, by Tethra. WOX, 8-3, (S), 7fT, 1:25 4/5. B-Gail Wood (ON). *\$13,926 yrl '09 ONTSEP.

+ Proutes, f, 3, Paynes Bay--Miss Flaming, by Diablo. WOX, 8-3, (S), 7fT, 1:26 2/5. B-Eugene Melnyk (NY).

Rhubarb Sauce, g, 3, Trippi--Jovial Sez (SP), by Sezyou. PID, 8-3, (C), 5f (AWT), :58 1/5. B-Maurice Miller (FL).

The Defense Rests, c, 4, Closing Argument--Autumn Music, by Unbridled's Song. SAR, 8-3, (C), 6f, 1:10 4/5. B-Tanourin Stable (FL). *\$185,000 wnlng '07 OBSOCT; \$130,000 yrl '08 FTSAUG. **1/2 to Adore You (Tactical Cat), SW, \$276,239; Vivaldi Girl (Forest Camp), Ch. Imp 2yo Filly-PR, MSW-PR, \$188,607; and Margie Marie (Yonaguska), SW, \$271,985.

Miss Gigi, f, 4, Crimson Classic--Unbridled Moon, by Bartlettsunbridled. HOO, 8-2, 6f, 1:10 1/5. B-Joe R West (KY).

Rods Running Redd, g, 4, Eavesdropper--Ock Dubistudine, by Accused. HOO, 8-2, (S), 1m, 1:38 4/5. B-Rodney Richardson (IN).

Imperial Pride, c, 4, Limehouse--Street Money, by Seattle Slew. DMR, 8-3, (C), 6f (AWT), 1:10. B-Bruce & Laurie Berenson (KY). *\$30,000 RNA yrl '08 KEESEP.

Crown the Prince, g, 4, Prints of Peace--Love That Crown, by Not For Love. PID, 8-2, (S), 5f (AWT), :58 4/5. B-Harry D Ripley (PA).

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CONDITIONS RESULTS:

FRANCE, Vichy, 18.35, 8-3, €27,000, 4yo/up, 1 1/2mT, 2:44.65, sf.

ROYAL MENANTIE (FR) (g, 4, Kendor {Fr}--Heleniade {Fr}, by Entrepreneur {GB}) Lifetime Record: SW-Fr, 14 starts, 5 wins, 8 places, €107,300. O-Gerard Ferron; B-G L Ferron & J Chailleux; T-Joel Boisnard. *€50,000 RNA HIT '10 ARQARC.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Perfect Goddess (Ire), f, 2, Antonius Pius--Marefonic (GB), by Zafonic. Sligo, Ireland, 8-3, Mdn, 2yo, 6 1/2fT. B-Donagh Killilea. *€1,800 RNA yrl '10 GOFOPN.

My Sharona (GB), f, 2, Dark Angel (Ire)--Tanda Tula (Ire), by Alhaarth (Ire). Yarmouth, Britain, 8-3, Mdn, 2yo, 7f 3ydsT. B-Seaton Partnership. *4,500gns RNA wnlng '09 TATDEC; 6,000gns yrl '10 TATDEC. **18th winner for freshman sire (by Acclamation {GB}).

+ Dharan Bazar (Fr), c, 2, Poliglote (GB)--Kawneese (Fr), by Kendor (Fr). Pornichet-la-Baule, France, 8-2, Mdn, 2yo, 1m (AWT). B-Michel Agelou.

Purple Davis (Fr), f, 3, Aussie Rules--Madame Degas (GB), by Peintre Celebre. Saint-Malo, France, 8-3, Mdn, 3yo, f, 1 1/8mT. B-Mme J Blum & Searching SARL. *€16,000 wnlng '08 ARQDEC; €32,000 yrl '09 ARQUG.

Social Realism (Ire), f, 3, Pivotal (GB)--Russian Revolution (GB), by Dubai Millennium (GB). Saint-Malo, France, 8-3, Mdn, 3yo, f, 12f 55ydsT. B-Darley.

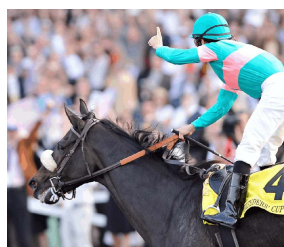


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