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SUPER RESULT AT FASIG-TIPTON

Superfection (Medaglia d'Oro), a half-brother to GI Kentucky Derby winner **Super Saver** (Maria's Mon), led the brigade of six yearlings signed for last night by John Ferguson, selling for a session-topping



Photos by Z/Fasig-Tipton

“Obviously, the mare has bred a Kentucky Derby winner, but also we have Girolamo (A.P. Indy), who is one of our most exciting stallion prospects, and he’s in the [yearling’s] pedigree,” he said. “It’s a fantastic family. Sheikh Mohammed loved the horse the moment he saw him.” Of the yearling, Ferguson added, “He’s just an outstanding individual who showed himself extremely well. He marched up and down the shedrow without a care in the world.” The yearling’s second dam is Get Lucky (Mr. Prospector), the dam of GI Vosburgh H. winner Girolamo, as well as graded winners Daydreaming (A.P. Indy) and Accelerator (A.P. Indy). Get Lucky has had considerable success in the Fasig-Tipton Saratoga sales ring herself, with a Storm Cat colt selling for \$2 million in 2008. **More, p2**



\$1.2 million. The strapping colt, out of Supercharger (A.P. Indy), was consigned to the sale by Taylor Made on behalf of his breeder, WinStar Farm. “It’s incredibly difficult to breed a horse that looks like that,” Ferguson said after signing the lone seven-figure ticket of the session. The Englishman pointed out that Sheikh Mohammed’s operation has already had success with the bloodlines.

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MONDAY - TOP 6 COLTS

Hip	Sire	Dam	Price (\$)
<u>56</u>	Medaglia d'Oro	Supercharger	1,200,000

B-WinStar Farm (KY)

Consigned by Taylor Made Sales Agency, Agent LXX
Purchased by John Ferguson

[virtual inspection](#)

AMERICA'S BEST SELLERS...TAYLOR MADE

<u>6</u>	Bernardini	Mountain Mambo	750,000
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(\$120,000 RNA wnlg '10 KEENOV; \$170,000 yrl '11 KEEJAN)

B-Bloodstock Holdings (KY)

Consigned by Dromoland Farm Inc, Agent III
Purchased by John Ferguson

[virtual inspection](#)

<u>74</u>	Street Cry (Ire)	A.P. Interest	550,000
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B-R S Evans (KY)

Consigned by Taylor Made Sales Agency, Agent XL
Purchased by John Ferguson

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AMERICA'S BEST SELLERS...TAYLOR MADE

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FTSAUG Topper cont.

Bittersweet Sale for WinStar...

WinStar Farm, which purchased Supercharger with Derby winner Super Saver in utero for \$160,000 out of



Elliott Walden meets the press
Horsephotos

the 2006 Keeneland November sale, campaigned the Derby winner and his year-younger brother **Brethren** (Distorted Humor), who won this year's GIII Sam F. Davis S. They also retain the mare's 2-year-old filly, **Lisa T.** (Awesome Again), who is in training with

Todd Pletcher. Still, WinStar President Elliott Walden admitted selling yesterday's session topper was a tough decision. "Obviously, with this colt, there are a little bit of mixed emotions about selling him. But John [Ferguson] and Sheikh Mohammed have been very supportive of our program over the years, and I think they've bought a good one here." Walden added, "We loved this colt from day one. It's a beautiful thing when a plan comes together." Asked to compare the youngster to the 2010 Derby winner, Walden said, "He is a little bigger at this stage, a little bit stronger than Super Saver, but he has Super Saver's balance and athleticism. He's a great mover. We're excited to see what happens." Walden did admit that WinStar had an insurance policy against a potentially down market. "We weren't worried, because we are willing to step up and race them if we need to," he said. "Having said that, no one wants to come up here and take a horse home at a big ticket. We want to be reputable sellers--we love to get our horses sold." -*Jessica Martini*

Fast Start at Fasig for Dromoland...

With a tumultuous day of selling on Wall Street Monday, you might have expected a slow start to last night's Fasig-Tipton Saratoga sale, but business was anything but sluggish for Gerry Dilger's Dromoland Farm. With the first four yearlings in the catalogue scratched from the auction, the day's second horse through the ring was a colt by Bernardini out of Mountain Mambo (Mt. Livermore). The yearling ([hip 6](#)) was purchased by Dilger for \$170,000 out of this year's Keeneland January sale. He sold yesterday for \$750,000 to the bid of the omnipresent John Ferguson. "I believe he was in the November sale and, for one reason or another, he didn't sell," Dilger recalled yesterday. "When he came back in January, he looked very, very well. The weather was tough, it was cold and the ground was hard, and he didn't show himself well. But one day it had snowed a little bit and I went down to see him and he walked very well and he showed himself very well. And I went from there." The yearling has matured into a strapping individual, according to Dilger. "He has grown and gotten lengthy," the Irishman remarked. "Every day, he gets better and better, and he has a great mind."

Only three hips later, Dromoland was back in action, selling a filly by Bernardini, again to Ferguson, for \$600,000. The yearling ([hip 10](#)) is out of Nataliano (Fappiano), and Dilger was selling her on behalf of his longtime client and the filly's breeder, Peter Blum. "I loved her from the day she was born and Peter loved her," Dilger commented. "I kept telling him how good she was. He had a good day here, too." The yearling is a three-quarter sister to Grade I winner A. P. Adventure (A.P. Indy). Cont. p3



Hip 10 *Horsephotos*

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Fast Start cont.

Just three hips after that, Dromoland sold a colt by Touch Gold for \$400,000 to the bid of Robert LaPenta. The colt ([hip 14](#)) was consigned on behalf of Dingo



Gerry Dilger

Bloodstock and Paramount Sales, who purchased him for \$80,000 at last year's Keeneland November sale. Completing a standout night for Dromoland, a filly by Speightstown out of Saratoga Humor (Distorted Humor) ([hip 33](#)), purchased for \$180,000 last November, sold for \$300,000 to John Fort.

"The results were excellent," Dilger said. "I wasn't expecting that, but you are always hoping. I put very low reserves on them and I brought them here to sell them. And they sold very, very well." Asked if yesterday's stock market results had him worried going into last night's session, Dilger laughed. "I don't understand the stock market, so it doesn't make me nervous," he offered, adding, "I think they were here to buy good individual horses."

Dilger has found a system that works for him. "I love to buy them and resell," he said. "It's what I do. And I hope to God I can keep doing it for many more years. But tonight was fantastic." -*Jessica Martini*



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SESSION	2011	2010
Catalogued	80	100
No. Offered	65	80
No. Sold	49	58
RNAs	16	22
% RNAs	24.6%	27.5%
No. \$500K+	11	4
No. \$1 Million+	1	0
High Price	\$1,200,000	\$800,000
Gross	\$16,155,000	\$14,750,000
Average	\$329,694 (+29.6%)	\$254,310
Median	\$285,000 (+25.2%)	\$227,500



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MONDAY - TOP 6 COLTS, cont.

<u>Hip</u>	<u>Sire</u>	<u>Dam</u>	<u>Price (\$)</u>
<u>39</u>	<u>Medaglia d'Oro</u>	Servalina	525,000
		(\$95,000 yrl '11 KEEJAN) B-Dr John R Cummins (KY)	
		Consigned by Gainesway, agent Purchased by Anthony Stroud	
		virtual inspection	
<u>54</u>	<u>Medaglia d'Oro</u>	Summer Flash	500,000
		B-Gallagher's Stud (NY)	
		Consigned by Denali Stud (Craig & Holly Bandoroff), agent for Gallagher's Stud	
		Purchased by John Ferguson	
		virtual inspection	
<u>22</u>	<u>Curlin</u>	Private Status	450,000
		B-W S Farish, BCWT & Inwood Stable (KY)	
		Consigned by Lane's End, agent	
		Purchased by Centennial Farms	
		virtual inspection	

MONDAY - TOP 6 FILLIES

<u>Hip</u>	<u>Sire</u>	<u>Dam</u>	<u>Price (\$)</u>
<u>53</u>	<u>Bernardini</u>	Sugar Shake	950,000
		(\$825,000 in utero '09 FTKNOV) B-S F Bloodstock (KY)	
		Consigned by Hill 'n' Dale Sales Agency, agent	
		Purchased by John McCormack Bloodstock	
		virtual inspection	
<u>10</u>	<u>Bernardini</u>	Nataliano	600,000
		B-Peter E Blum Thoroughbreds (KY)	
		Consigned by Dromoland Farm Inc, Agent I	
		Purchased by John Ferguson	
		virtual inspection	
<u>25</u>	<u>Dixie Union</u>	Rare Gift	525,000
		B-George Bolton, David DiPietro & Roger W Honour (Ky)	
		Consigned by Lane's End, agent	
		Purchased by Robert E & Lawana Low	
		virtual inspection	
<u>73</u>	<u>Medaglia d'Oro</u>	Alta Love	525,000
		B-Woodford Thoroughbred (KY)	
		Consigned by Woodford Thoroughbreds LLC	
		Purchased by John Ferguson	
		virtual inspection	
<u>47</u>	<u>Unbridled's Song</u>	Stop Traffic	500,000
		B-Diamond A Racing (KY)	
		Consigned by Taylor Made Sales Agency, Agent LXVIII	
		Purchased by Fox Hill Farm, T McGreevy, agent	
		virtual inspection	
<u>63</u>	<u>Medaglia d'Oro</u>	Truant	500,000
		B-Colts Neck Stables (KY)	
		Consigned by Denali Stud (Craig & Holly Bandoroff), Agent V	
		Purchased by H.A.B./Stroud	
		virtual inspection	

AMERICA'S BEST SELLERS...TAYLOR MADE

DEAUVILLE 2YOs TO THE FORE



Two-year-olds bought from last year's **ARQANA** August yearling sale have been very prominent this spring. Several have even already showed Classic potential, notably the impressive debut winner **PETITE NOBLESSE**. The André Fabre trainee was the only newcomer in the Prix de Vineuil, a hot Deauville maiden run

over 6f, yet she had to carry the same weight as her rivals. She was not afraid to take control despite her inexperience, and gamely held off all challenges in the straight. The winning jockey Maxime Guyon said his mount would improve a great deal from this effort, as well as relish the step up in trip. Like **MAYBE**, Derrick Smith's filly is by the ubiquitous Galileo. Her dam Flower Bowl (Anabaa) is a daughter of the brilliant juvenile **LADY VETTORI**, hence a half-sister to the dual Classic hero **LOPE DE VEGA**. The filly was raised at Haras du Berlais for Berend van Dalzen, and consigned at Deauville by Haras d'Etreham, where she «only» fetched **€240,000**, a price that will soon look an incredible bargain!

Deauville yearling sale, 22-25 August



Shaking the Foundation...

With the day's climax--and sole seven figure offering of the night--only moments away, **Hip 53**, a bay filly by Bernardini strode into the ring amidst a buzz from the crowd. With bloodstock agent John McCormack, situated inside the main pavilion toward the back, in the thick of the action, bidding immediately jumped to \$600,000, and rose rapidly in \$100,000 increments to \$800,000. In the waning moments, McCormack remained resolute with \$50,000 volleys, landing the final blow with a \$950,000 bid.



John McCormack
Photo by Z/Fasig-Tipton

McCormack indicated the filly--purchased on behalf of an "established client"--will remain in the United States. The Feb. 21 foal is out of the Adena Springs campaigned Sugar Shake (Awesome Again), winner of the GI Santa Maria H.

"When they arrive up here out of a mare like that, the market and buyers pay attention," said McCormack.

Handling the consignor's duties was Hill 'n' Dale Sales Agency, acting on behalf of the filly's breeder, SF Bloodstock. **Cont. p5**



Shaking the Foundation cont.

“Sugar Shake is just an awesome mare,” said Hill ‘n’ Dale’s Donato Lanni. “This filly has been special from the start. She just checked every box--she had it all. She handled herself so professionally every time we showed her, so we were very pleased. We knew going in that she was one of the best fillies in the sale and she brought what we thought she was going to bring.”



Hip 53 Photo by Z/Fasig-Tipton

With the initiative of building a band of high quality mares, SF Bloodstock purchased Sugar Shake--carrying this filly--for \$825,000 at Fasig-Tipton November Sale in 2009. Founded by native Australian Gavin Murphy, the burgeoning SF Bloodstock has amassed an impressive list of broodmares, including the dams of European stars Canford Cliffs (Ire) (Tagula {Ire}) and Mastercraftsman (Ire) (Danhill Dancer {Ire}), as well as the dam of American champion Forever Together (Belong to Me). The international operation purchased a strong group of mares at last year’s Keeneland November sale, including Unrivalled Belle (Unbridled’s Song), secured for \$900,000, and again zeroed in on the younger set to continue the progress.

“Horses like this make it look easy, don’t they,” said SF Bloodstock Managing Partner Tom Ryan. “She ticked every box, and we felt she would sell well. It wasn’t just our biased opinion. Everybody had a high opinion of her, and the final price reflected that.”

As for that price, Ryan added, “It’s all relative really, but we are delighted.”

Many industry participants headed into yesterday’s session in a slightly guarded position, given the world’s market declines over the past weeks. Ryan was no exception. “There is always concern, of course,” he said. “We want to see every segment of the market making money, because everybody has to try and withstand the economic climate.”—CBoss

Public Syndicate Groups - Stakes Stats for 2011

	GSWins	GSWnrs	Stk Wins	Stk Wnrs
TEAM VALOR INTERNATIONAL	5	4	10	8
STARLIGHT	3	1	4	2
PEACHTREE	3	1	4	2
BLINKERS ON	3	1	3	1
DOGWOOD	2	1	2	1
WEST POINT	1	1	2	2
MAGDALENA RACING	1	1	1	1
THOROUGHbred LEGENDS	1	1	1	1
CLASS RACING	-	-	7	4
PINNACLE RACING	-	-	3	1
FANTASY LANE	-	-	2	1
CENTENNIAL	-	-	1	1
MAJESTIC RACING	-	-	1	1
BONGO	-	-	-	-
ELITE RACING	-	-	-	-
FUNKY MONKEY STABLE	-	-	-	-
IEAH	-	-	-	-
PARTING GLASS	-	-	-	-
PEWTER	-	-	-	-
SACKATOGA STABLE	-	-	-	-
SOVEREIGN	-	-	-	-
STARVIEW	-	-	-	-
TEAM STALLION	-	-	-	-
TEAM VICTORY	-	-	-	-
THREE CHIMNEYS	-	-	-	-
VICTORY THOROUGHbREDS	-	-	-	-
WOODFORD RACING	-	-	-	-

Source: TVI statistician Kathleen Jones, from reports from Bloodstock Journal and TDN
Stats are current through August 8, 2011. *Paid Advertisement

Time Flies for Bolton....

George Bolton, who has already experienced the ‘Once in a lifetime’ type horse with Classic winner Curlin (Smart Strike), was back at Saratoga to find another potential star to his growing racing stable. Having to settle for second best when Rick Porter’s Fox Hill Farm landed a filly by Unbridled’s Song



Hip 61 Horsephotos

out of Stop Traffic for \$500,000 earlier in the session, Bolton--with advisor John Moynihan sitting in a row behind him--came back undaunted and walked away with [Hip 61](#), a filly by pensioned sire A.P. Indy, for \$425,000. Offered by Bluewater Sales LLC, the Apr. 21 foal is out of MSW and GSP Tempus Fugit (Alphabet Soup). Bluewater Sales topped last year’s sale with another offspring by Lane’s End’s leading sire--a colt out of Maryfield (Elusive Quality) that realized \$1.2 million.

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Time Flies cont.

"She looks like she can be an athlete, and John Moynihan really liked her," explained Bolton, who is chief investment officer/portfolio manager at WestEnd Capital Management, a San Francisco-based asset management company. "She is a late foal, so she is not a very large horse, but she is beautifully balanced. She offers one of the last chances to buy an A.P. Indy, so that was a big draw. I only have one A.P. Indy at the moment at Lane's End, and I wanted to add a couple more, so I thought she fit the bill."

Bolton plans to send the filly to Gulf Coast Farm in Ocala to be broken. He currently has horses with Steve Asmussen, Todd Pletcher and Bob Baffert, but it has not been decided whose barn she will go to.

The end of day one figures reflected the overall strength of the sale, with increases recorded across the board. Bolton, who generally does a good job holding his own with the industry's big names, found himself up against the ropes this time.

"The bidding was so strong in the beginning of the evening, and I got outbid on the first one; I didn't think I'd get any of them," he said.

However, the Maryland native came out swinging. "I don't buy many horses, maybe eight yearlings a year, so I wasn't going to do nothing," he said. "If I was able to get one of the two, I was going to. And I did."

Reflecting on recent events on Wall Street, Bolton added, "With the stock market being down 1,200 points in the last two weeks, you have to think it might affect the sale. But the buyers came and they were very aggressive, probably more aggressive than I thought they would be. But it's good for everybody. Given what the world is doing right now, and with Keeneland coming offering 3,000 horses, I thought this was a very strong sale. I was proud with how all the horses sold. There were a lot of horses selling well, not just two or three big ones like in previous years. The world affects all of us, but I think the market is getting healthier. I would think breeders would be elated, with the price that they paid for the stud fees to produce these horses."

Commenting on the overall strength of the catalogue, Bolton said, "I think our filly was a standout here, but there were a lot of really nice horses. There were a lot of proven sires, and horses with very nice pedigrees, and the prices reflected that."—CBoss



Saratoga Forecast

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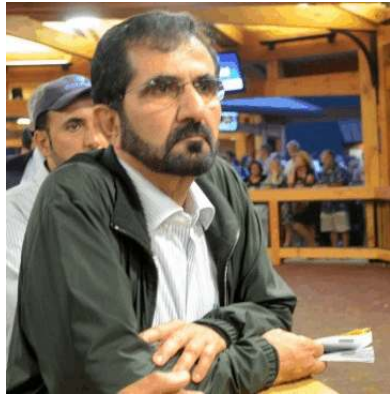
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Strong Opening to Spa Sale...

Fasig-Tipton's Saratoga Selected Yearlings Sale got underway just hours after the U.S. stock market closed down a whopping 630 points, and Fasig President Boyd



Sheikh Mohammed *Horsephotos*

Browning admitted to some nerves as bidding got underway last night in the Humphrey S. Finney Pavilion. But business was brisk and, buoyed by strong participation from Sheikh Mohammed's Darley operation, the night ended with significant increases from 2010 figures.

"I think it would probably be the understatement of my

professional career to say that we were pleased with the sale's results from tonight," a noticeably relieved Browning said. "We put on a brave face all week--part of the job of a sales company is to try to provide confidence in the marketplace--but it sure wasn't a comfortable feeling when the market closed today, knowing you are about to start your most premier yearling sale. In light of the adversity that we've all seen in the world's financial markets of late, I think it demonstrates the resiliency of the participants of the Thoroughbred industry, the eternal sense of optimism and the desire to have the very best horses in the world."

During last night's session, 49 horses sold for \$16,155,000. The average, \$329,694, was up 29.6% from a year ago, while the median of \$285,000 was up 25.2%. The buy-back rate was 24.6%. John Ferguson, bidding on behalf of Sheikh Mohammed, was the leading buyer at the session, signing the ticket on six yearlings for \$4,125,000--25.5% of the session's total gross. Among his purchases was the evening's \$1.2-million topper.

"Obviously he was a significant participant in the marketplace, but it wasn't a one-man sale tonight," Browning said of Dubai's ruler. "I think if you go through the results, there were a lot of other significant and familiar faces that have been long-time supporters, of not only Fasig-Tipton and this marketplace, but also racing and sales in North America. It is refreshing and reassuring to see them step up and continue to seek the highest quality racing prospects in the world."

The session topper, a half-brother to Kentucky Derby winner Super Saver (Maria's Mon), was the evening's lone seven-figure lot. By Darley stallion Medaglia d'Oro, the yearling ([lot 56](#)) was sold by Taylor Made on behalf of WinStar Farm. WinStar President Elliott Walden, while pleased with the sale, acknowledged that market conditions played a role in the final price tag.

"I think the horse is potentially the best horse to go through the market this year," Walden said. "I wouldn't say John [Ferguson] got a good buy as far as price goes, but in years past it would have been a whole lot more. So I think he got good value for the top of the market, and I think he recognizes that."

The Saratoga Sale continues with its second and final session this evening at 7 p.m., and Browning is hoping for more of the same. "We would not have had the sale we did tonight if we hadn't been supported with outstanding horses, and the reason the sale was successful tonight was because the men and women who own them and the men and women who sell them trusted us with high-quality horses," he said. "I am confident that we've got another group of high-quality horses to offer Tuesday night."



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THE SARATOGA SALE

Lot	Sex	Sire	Dam	Price (\$)
<u>6</u>	colt	Bernardini	Mountain Mambo	750,000
			B-Bloodstock Holdings (Ky)	
			Consigned by Dromoland Farm Inc, Agent III	
			Purchased by John Ferguson	
			See Story, p2	

<u>7</u>	colt	Candy Ride (Arg)	Murky Waters	200,000
			B-Alastar Thoroughbred Co (Ky)	
			Consigned by Dapple Stud, agent for Alastar Thoroughbred Co LLC	
			Purchased by IEAH Stables	

Lynn Alexander's Alastar Thoroughbred Co., based in Nicholasville, Kentucky, acquired dam Murky Waters (Storm Creek) for \$90,000 at KEENOV 2008. A half to GSW Fort Prado (El Prado {Ire}), the then-7-year-old mare produced a filly by Medaglia d'Oro, unraced Santonio d'Oro, in 2009. Alexander got to Candy Ride on an advertised \$12,500 stud fee, and scored nicely when he sent the resulting colt through the ring here. The mare has a colt of 2011 by Birdstone. Alexander, a native of Texas, had a brief career as a teacher before getting into car sales. He bought his first dealership in 1985, and has added five more to the portfolio. He also has investments in real estate and in oil and gas ventures. Alexander has been involved in racing and breeding for more than a dozen years. [virtual inspection](#)

<u>13</u>	colt	Street Boss	Open Window	285,000
			B-Jerry Bilinski DVM & Harry Patten (NY)	
			Consigned by Woods Edge Farm (Peter O'Callaghan), Agent II	
			Purchased by Scanlon Training Center	

Monty Bloodstock picked up this colt for \$115,000 at FTKNOV. Already a half to SP Wild Chick (Forest Wildcat), the New York-bred saw his value jump when half-sister Midnight Visit (Henny Hughes), unraced when he went through the ring the first time, won three of her first four starts, including the Love Is Eternal S. at Aqueduct. He is from the first crop by the Grade I winning sprinter. [virtual inspection](#)



Nothing But Net cont.

14 c **Touch Gold** Party Cited 400,000
 B-Rancho San Peasea (SA) (Ky)
 Consigned by Dromoland Farm Inc, Agent V
 Purchased by Robert V LaPenta

This colt was hammered down to Dingo Bloodstock/Paramount Sales for \$80,000 at last year's Keeneland November Sale. Sent back through the ring here, he achieved a price five times that amount. Hip 14 is a full-brother to Gill West Virginia Derby hero Ready Set, himself an \$800,000 KEESEP yearling; and to the top-class Composure, who in 2003 won the GI Santa Anita Oaks and GI Las Virgenes S. She also was second in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies and GI Hollywood Starlet S. at two. [virtual inspection](#)

25 f **Dixie Union** Rare Gift 525,000
 B-George Bolton, David DiPietro & Roger W. Honour (Ky)
 Consigned by Lane's End, agent
 Purchased by Robert E & Lawana Low

Given that George Bolton has co-owned the likes of Curlin, this filly's dam couldn't be called the rarest of gifts for the San Francisco-based moneymen, but Rare Gift has done Bolton proud since she debuted a winner for him and partners David DiPietro and Roger Honour at Belmont back in 2003. A \$330,000 yearling purchase by Mike Ryan at this sale, Rare Gift won the Gill Ladies H. at Aqueduct in 2004. She concluded her career the following season with four straight stakes placings, including three in graded company. She retired with a record of 14-3-2-7 and earnings of \$292,078. If she didn't quite earn back her purchase price on the track, she quickly did as a broodmare. Her first foal, a Dixie Union full-brother to hip 25, sold for \$400,000 at Saratoga in 2008. Last year, Bolton and company sold a Hard Spun colt out of the mare to John Ferguson for \$180,000 at FTKJUL, and this filly pushed the mare's gross sales receipts to \$1,105,000. Rare Gift had an A.P. Indy filly this spring. [virtual inspection](#)

39 c **Medaglia d'Oro** Servalina 525,000
 B-Dr John R Cummins (Ky)
 Consigned by Gainesway, agent
 Purchased by Anthony Stroud

BGH Ranch acquired hip 39 for \$95,000 nine months ago at Keeneland January, and achieved a more-than 500% profit last evening. The colt is the second foal from the A.P. Indy mare Servalina, a daughter of the \$2-million yearling and later \$1.27-million broodmare Servaline (Storm Cat). Servaline is a half-sister to three stakes winners, including MGISW Excellent Meeting (General Meeting) and Crown of Crimson (Seattle Slew). The latter is the dam of the \$11.7-million Meydan City (Kingmambo). [virtual inspection](#)

56 colt **Medaglia d'Oro** Supercharger 1,200,000
 B-WinStar Farm (Ky)
 Consigned by Taylor Made Sales Agency, Agent LXX
 Purchased by John Ferguson
See Story, p1

65 filly **Giant's Causeway** Unreal Cat 300,000
 B-Dixiana Stables (Ky)
 Consigned by Eaton Sales, agent
 Purchased by Live Oak Plantation

Tim Hyde of Camas Park Bloodstock signed the ticket on this filly for \$125,000 at KEENOV 2010. A half to stakes winner Cat Tour (Tour d'Or), the dark bay blossomed in the ensuing nine months and more than doubled that initial investment here. [virtual inspection](#)

FASIG-TIPTON SARATOGA YEARLINGS SALE

Hip 81, colt, **Malibu Moon**-Bandstand, by Deputy Minister

*Consigned by Warrendale Sales, agent
 (Property of Spendthrift Farm LLC)*

This striking chestnut will certainly cause a stir during tonight's session as he gets things going as the first yearling to enter the ring. By the hot sire Malibu Moon, the May 18 foal is out of the winning-mare Bandstand (Deputy Minister), a daughter of GI Oak Leaf S. heroine City Band (Carson City). The 8-year-old mare is a half-sister to SW Foolishly (Broad Brush); SP Weather Warning (Storm Cat); and Storm Tide, dam of Grade III winner American Lion (Tiznow).

101, f, **Raven's Pass**--Contentious, by Giant's Causeway

Consigned by Denali Stud (Craig & Holly Bandoroff), Agent I

The chestnut filly is from the first crop of Breeders' Cup Classic winner Raven's Pass (Elusive Quality). Her dam, group-placed in Germany and multiple stakes placed in England, is a half-sister to multiple graded stakes winner Gone Astray (Dixie Union) and is from the family of Inside Information and Smuggler. "She's a big, leggy, very well-balanced filly from a great family," described Denali's Craig Bandoroff. "We bought the mare and the filly as a package and she's just grown into a lovely individual."

Hip 106, colt, **Street Cry (Ire)**-Dance Swiftly, by Danzig

Consigned by Taylor Made Sales Agency, Agent LXX

Any Canadian worth their salt will appreciate the importance of this deep female family. Unraced Dance Swiftly--who is a daughter of Canadian champion and Broodmare of the year Classy 'n Smart (Smarten)--is a full-sister to Canadian Horse of the Year Dance Smartly, who earned championships at two and three before going on to a stellar career in the breeding shed; and a half-sister to leading sire Smart Strike (Mr. Prospector). This colt's 16-year-old dam is already responsible for SW Paiota Falls (Kris S.) and GSP West Coast Swing (Gone West). Also present in this family are champions Sky Classic, Regal Classic and Grey Classic. "This colt is so elegant," said Mark Taylor. "He has so much eye appeal with such a beautiful head and eye on him. He has a nice, long refined neck and his walk is amazing. He also has a stallion's pedigree which is a huge draw."



Hip Happenings cont.

**111, c, Unbridled's Song--Dream Supreme,
by Seeking the Gold**

Consigned by Lane's End, agent for Kinsman Farm

Out of MGISW Dream Supreme, this gray colt is a half-brother to GISW Majestic Warrior (A.P. Indy), as well as stakes winners Evolutionist (El Prado {Ire}) and Crystal Current (A.P. Indy).

114, c, Bernardini--Easter Bunnette, by Carson City
Consigned by Mill Ridge Sales, agent

This bay colt is a half-brother to GISW Havre de Grace (Saint Liam). He is also from the family of Riskaverse, Cozzy Corner, Tasteyville and Bouquet Booth. "What I like about him is his demeanor," explained Mill Ridge's Headley Bell. "He has great confidence in himself and he is very, very athletic. He's beautifully balanced, he's beautifully bred and he's done everything right since he's been here."

115, c, Galileo (Ire)--Egyptian Queen, by Storm Cat
Consigned by Lane's End, agent

This Irish-bred yearling is the lone offering in the sale by European super sire Galileo. His dam, the unraced Egyptian Queen, is a daughter of champion Warrior Queen and a half-sister to GISW A. P. Warrior (A.P. Indy), who brought \$3.8 million as a Keeneland September yearling in 2005.

**124, c, Candy Ride (Arg)--Gentlemen's Crown,
by Gentlemen (Arg)**

Consigned by Gainesway, agent

This handsome chestnut is out of a half-sister to graded stakes winner Chocolate Candy (Candy Ride {Arg}) and to MGSP Crowning Storm (Storm Cat). He is also from the family of GISW Twirling Candy (Candy Ride {Arg}). The colt sold for \$300,000 at this year's Keeneland January sale. He's a high quality, most athletic son of Candy Ride, who promises much," said Gainesway's Michael Hernon. "He comes from the immediate female family of graded-stakes winning Candy Ride colts Twirling Candy and Chocolate Candy."

Hip 130, colt, Bernardini--Habiboo, by Unbridled's Song
*Consigned by Brookdale Sales, agent
(Property of Hardacre Farm LLC)*

This handsome colt has been showing himself the right way in the days leading up to the sale, generating plenty of buzz. Sure to benefit from the recent boost his sire enjoyed when Stay Thirsty triumphed in the recent GI Jim Dandy S. at Saratoga. The Mar. 7 Florida-bred foal is out of MGSP Habiboo (Unbridled's Song), who is a half-sister to Street Boss (Street Cry {Ire}), winner of the GI Triple Bend Invitational H. and GI Bing Crosby H.

**Hip 146, colt, Indian Charlie--Kokadrie,
by Coronado's Quest**

*Consigned by Woodford Thoroughbreds LLC, agent
(Property of Cloverleaf Farms II)*

With only four foals under her belt, the unraced mare Kokadrie already hit paydirt in the form of U.S. sprint champion Kodiak Kowboy (Posse), who won the GI Vosburgh S., GI Carter H. and GI Hill 'n' Dale Mile H. During his racing career. The Apr. 7 foal is from the family of GISW West By West (Gone West). "I think he fits up here very well," said Woodford Thoroughbred's Mathew Lyons. "I think he's an A+ physical. He has been handling the whole thing very well. This horse has a great mind, and that's a very important factor that I take into account when selecting horses to come up here. He takes care of himself and is very professional."



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NEWS TODAY

HILLS LEGACY TO CONTINUE Charlie Hills yesterday vowed to continue the longstanding training success of his father Barry, whose retirement was announced in the *TDN* Monday. The training doyen of Lambourn, who had recently endured a battle with throat cancer, has announced that he is to take a back seat while continuing as managing director of the family business, leaving the second-youngest of five sons in British racing's most successful racing dynasty to take over the day-to-day running of the stable.



Barry Hills *Racing Post*

"Charlie has been well-groomed for the role, having worked in Australia for the Hayes family before his spell [with James Fanshawe] in Newmarket, where he was lucky to be around horses such as Soviet Song (Ire), Warningford (GB), Hors La Loi (Fr) and Invermark (GB) while working in racing's headquarters," read a statement on www.barryhills.com. "He is thoroughly looking forward to the challenge of moving the operation at Faringdon Place forward, but realises what a formidable task he takes on in trying to emulate his father. The owners have been tremendously supportive of the change, and Charlie appreciates this hugely. Charlie is very lucky to be inheriting a great set of staff, headed by assistant trainer Kevin Mooney, and his input is invaluable. It will make the transition very smooth. The day-to-day running of the yard will not change, and all the staff are very supportive of him."

Charlie said yesterday, "It's a fantastic opportunity for me and is something that I've been looking to do for some years now--I'm very much looking forward to it. Things will carry on as they have been over the years and, although Dad is in the best shape he's been in for some years, this is the right time for him to step down and hopefully enjoy a great retirement."



Charlie and Barry Hills
Racing Post

He will still pop in and see what's going on and discuss where the horses are going, so it is going to be great to have him around. We've got a good team here, and we want to get some new owners in and keep the existing ones as they are."



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The Initial Spark...

Richard A.N. Bonnycastle, who described himself as "Barry Hills' largest serving owner," offered his recollections yesterday. Bonnycastle owned Enstone Spark (GB), who captured the 1978 G1 1000 Guineas for the trainer.

Bonnycastle said, "Until the Arab spring in horse racing, Barry was probably the top trainer in England on a cost per animal per dollar [or pound] of prize money. [G1 Arc winner] Rheingold (Ire) cost £1,500; other Classic winners cost £10,000 to £20,000; and Enstone Spark was £25,000."

Going back to his early years with Hills, Bonnycastle recalled, "Every year, I bought a horse in England to race in California. I bought Enstone Spark through the BBA as a 2-year-old from Richard Hannon in 1977, as her owner had gone blind. But before I could ship her, [an outbreak of] equine metritis hit America, so I sent her to Barry. **Cont. p11**



Enstone Spark



Hills cont.

"I happened to be in England when the Guineas was running, so went to Newmarket to see her make her first start of the year," he continued. "She was 35-1 and, as I left the saddling box, I noticed the fee to start was some £1,800. I made a note to myself to ask Barry not to start a horse just because I was in England. I never saw the race, as I had my glasses glued to the back of the field, but I finally noticed Barry's fingers tightening on my arm. When I put my glasses down as the field neared the stands, [I realized] the reason I could not see her was she was two lengths in front!! My sister was at her first horse race, bet £10 and got £800--she had to wait as they ran out of cash!"

Bonnycastle also had a share in Hawaiian Sound, who nearly gave his conditioner an elusive win in the "Blue Riband," running second in the 1978 G1 Epsom Derby.

"That year was Barry's closest to winning the Derby, something he should have done with Rheingold [in 1972], if Lester [Piggott] had been available," Bonnycastle remarked. "And he should have won it in 1978, if Bill Shoemaker wasn't such a good jockey. That was with Hawaiian Sound, an Arthur Hancock product bought by Billy MacDonald. Robert Sangster bought half, and [the colt] ran in his colours. Either as a yearling or early 2-year-old, Barry said this was a Derby horse, so I bought 10% from Billy--after making sure he hadn't sold more than 100%."

Looking back to the Derby, the owner said, "Bill [Shoemaker], who I had horses with later, always said he won more races on the front end than anywhere else, and Hawaiian Sound led every jump of the way except the last. Bill, not having ridden at Epsom, didn't realize the land sloped uphill to the stands--that's what 200 year old-plus tracks did. Looking over his right shoulder, he saw Remainder Man (GB) coming up the outside and, like he would at Santa Anita, he hit his horse left-handed to block him off, not realizing he was running up hill off the rail. That allowed Greville Starkey on Shirley Heights (GB) to run down hill and win by a short head."

Twin Jockeys Weigh In...

Two of Hills' sons are the famed jockey twins Michael and Richard. Michael was quick to pay his own personal tribute yesterday. "We've had some wonderful days, but everything comes to an end and it's been a pleasure to be able to ride for him," he said. "Dad was really ill

two years ago; it takes a tough person to come through what he went through, and he's right back where he was before



Richard, Barry & Michael Hills *Racing Post*

now. He won't sit back, but he can go on holiday and enjoy life now. I've ridden for a lot of people, but he's the best I've ridden for. I've got it written here that I've ridden 85 group winners and 17 Group 1s for him."

Michael added, "Charlie has been there a long time now, and hand in hand with Dad for four or five years, so I think it will stay much the same with Kevin Mooney as a great ally. The set-up and the horses are there, even though he may tweak it a little."

Richard Hills remarked, "I'm sad, as I've really enjoyed riding for him, but the time is right. The pressure goes with the job, but Charlie has been there a while now and he will have a lot of help and support. Dad has always been a thorough professional and got where he was through hard work, having an extremely good eye for a horse, having super owners and a little bit of luck along the way. It's full-on now for trainers when you get to that age."

Richard continued, "For me, [G1 1000 Guineas and G1 Coronation S. winner] Ghanaati (Giant's Causeway) was the highlight--it all just worked out well."

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BARRY HILLS' CLASSIC WINNERS

<u>Year</u>	<u>Horse</u>	<u>Race</u>
'74	Dibidale (Ire)	Irish Oaks
'78	Enstone Spark (GB)	1000 Guineas
'79	Tap On Wood (Ire)	2000 Guineas
'87	Sir Harry Lewis	Irish Derby
'90	Atoll (Ire)	Oaks d'Italia
'93	Nicer (Ire)	Irish 1000 Guineas
'94	Bolas (GB)	Irish Oaks
'94	Moonax (Ire)	St. Leger
'99	Hula Angel	Irish 1000 Guineas
'04	Haafhd (GB)	2000 Guineas
'09	Ghanaati	1000 Guineas



Barry Hills & Haafhd *Racing Post*



Hills cont.

Hills's son John, a long-established trainer in his own right, told *PA Sport*, "He's had a career that has stretched over a long, long time and has given so many people pleasure. A lot of punters have relied on him at big meetings like Chester; it's been a wonderful career.

"Obviously, I rode out for my dad when I was a little boy, and then I went to work for Tom Jones for three years before I went to Australia with Colin Hayes and then on to America with John Gosden. I came back as assistant trainer in 1983 and stayed right up to the time I trained [in 1987].

"I've learned everything from him," John Hills added. "Of all the wonderful people I've worked for, everybody has their own way of doing it, and he just has a fantastic instinct and feeling for horses. It's a kind of sixth sense. It's uncanny. He can see things in horses that other people can't see."

Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum was one of Hills' main patrons, with the aforementioned Ghanaati and the 2004 G1 2000 Guineas and G1 Champion S. hero and sire Haafhd (GB) (Alhaarth {Ire}) providing recent highlights in their relationship.



Sheikh Hamdan, Barry Hills & Ghanaati *Racing Post*

Shadwell's Racing Manager Angus Gold added his own praise yesterday. "He's been a fantastic trainer, and it doesn't need me to say that. It's there in the record books," Gold told *PA Sport*. "He's been fantastic for us--with Haafhd and Ghanaati being the two stand-outs. But over the years, he's trained a lot of winners for us, and he's just been a remarkable man to work with. I can only speak in the highest terms of his professionalism. There is quite a dynasty there, and Barry has built everything up himself. He certainly knew as much about his horses as anybody and I wish him all the best. From a personal point of view, it's sad, but I'm sure it's the right thing from his point of view. He's got a very good team in place there and, hopefully, things will continue as they have been."



RACETRACK Round-Up

Engels Is Morny-bound...

Frederick Engels (GB) (Iceman {GB}) is set to run in the G1 Prix Morny following his luckless trip in Sunday's G1 Phoenix S. at The Curragh. Trainer David Brown reported Pearl Bloodstock's G2 July S. winner to be none the worse after being badly hampered en route to a sixth in the six-furlong contest and is looking at a run in Deauville's Aug. 21 juvenile highlight. "The horse appears to be fine this morning. He's eaten up and it doesn't seem to have bothered him," he told *PA Sport*. "Johnny Murtagh is quite positive he would have won and that he's a Group 1 horse. His idea was to go up the rail and the gap was there when he set out to go. He said he felt really good and that he'd come on for his race at Newmarket. I think with a clear run, once Johnny pushed the button he'd have won very easily. I originally thought we'd go to the Curragh and probably wait for the Middle Park or the Dewhurst in October, but the way it worked out, he didn't have a race. He was hardly blowing after the race, so maybe now we'll go to France for the Prix Morny. Newmarket is eight weeks away yet and if everything is okay over the next few days, then we'll probably go to France. We want to go and win a Group I before Newmarket and Johnny is hot on going to the Morny."

Weather Watch for Snow Fairy...

Trainer Ed Dunlop is keeping an eye on ground conditions as he prepares to send out **Snow Fairy (Ire)** (Intikhab) next week. Entered in Wednesday's G1 Juddmonte International and the following day's G1 Darley Yorkshire Oaks at York's prestigious Ebor meeting, Cristina Patino's four-time Group I winner also has the Aug. 21 G1 Prix Jean Romanet at Deauville on her agenda. "The ground will determine where we go, but if it came up soft at York we might well keep Snow Fairy back for Deauville in the hope that underfoot conditions would be more suitable for the Prix Jean Romanet," her conditioner explained. "Obviously, we would like to run Snow Fairy at York, where she could either take on the colts in the Juddmonte International or stay with her own sex and run in the Yorkshire Oaks, but it will all depend on the ground as it can sometimes come up soft on the Knavesmire. Snow Fairy is very well and looks to have improved again since she ran so well against Midday (GB) (Oasis Dream {GB}) in the [July 30] G1 Nassau S. at Goodwood. I suspected she might, as she had been off a long time before she ran in the Eclipse and she definitely seems to be progressing. We can only hope that she gets her favoured fast ground either at York or in France."



Racetrack Round-Up cont.

Options Open for Dancing Rain...

Trainer William Haggas yesterday pondered targets for Martin and Lee Taylor's **Dancing Rain (Ire)** (Danehill Dancer {Ire}), who added the G1 Preis der Diana to her Epsom Oaks success on Sunday. Following her all-the-way win in that 11-furlong Dusseldorf Classic, the Newmarket-based conditioner told the *Guardian* newspaper. "We need to sit down now and think about future plans. She's had a few races now and she's won two Classics, but I'd like to think she'll be back in the autumn. We'll be thinking about the G2 Pride S. on Champions' Day [at Ascot Oct. 15], the Breeders' Cup and the race in Hong Kong which Snow Fairy won last year. She won't go to the Arc de Triomphe this year but the plan has been that she will stay in training next season, so we might go there in another year's time."

Juddmonte for Await the Dawn...

☆ **"TDN Rising Star"** ☆ **Await the Dawn** (Giant's Causeway) will be Aidan O'Brien's representative in next Wednesday's G1 Juddmonte International at York. The trainer's wife Anne-Marie announced the running plans for Ballydoyle over the next few days on *Twitter* Monday. "Await the Dawn is being aimed at the Juddmonte International at York and **Wonder of Wonders (Ire)** (Kingmambo) at the Yorkshire Oaks," she tweeted. "We are looking at the G2 Great Voltigeur S. at York for **Seville (Ger)** (Galileo {Ire}) and **Reply (Ire)** (Oasis Dream {GB}) could run in the G2 Gimcrack S. **So You Think (NZ)** (High Chaparral {Ire}) will possibly have his next start in the G1 Red Mills Champion S. at Leopardstown Sept. 3."

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Another Fasig-Tipton Success Story...

He cost just \$50,000 as a yearling at the 2009 Fasig-Tipton Kentucky July Sale, but **Willcox Inn** (Harlan's Holiday) has the chance to become the fourth horse in history to sweep the Mid-America Triple in the GI Secretariat S. at Arlington Saturday. He would follow in the hoofsteps of Powhatan's Tom Rolfe in 1965 and Odgen Phipps' Buckpasser in 1966 (when the races were run on the dirt) and Robert Schaedle III's Honor Glide in 1997.

Owned by All In Stable, Willcox Inn has compiled a record of 7-3-1-2 and earnings of \$341,543. His march on the Mid-America Triple started with a 2 1/2-length score in the May 28 Arlington Classic and a four-length tally in the July 9 GII American Derby.

But it all began back in Lexington. Hard at work at FTKJUL, bloodstock agent Marrette Farrell and Hilary Pridham, assistant to trainer Mike Stidham, got together almost as an afterthought.

"Basically, at that point in the sale, I was just finishing up some work with one of my clients, and I think Hilary and Mike [Stidham] were there somewhat by chance, because they were able to get a last-minute free flight," Farrell recalled. "We'd all known each other and become friends over the years, and Hilary and I had a chance to sit down and discuss some of the horses we'd been looking at."

The two horsewomen put their heads together and felt they had a winner in Willcox Inn.

"Hilary mentioned one horse that had caught her eye, and at that point my knowledge of pedigree kicked in," the Irish-born Farrell said. "As it happened, I was quite familiar with the horse's whole family and knew it was an excellent line."

"I went and looked at the horse with Hilary and was very pleased with what I saw," she added. "He was quite small, but he was a beautiful mover and he had a great eye. I think it was his eye that caught my attention more than anything, and Hilary said that was what she had noticed, too. That's how we ended up picking him out."

All In Stable is comprised of Stidham, Pridham, Farrell, former Stonerside Stable racing manager John Adger, Jack Hodge's Oakcrest Farm, and Marty Nixon and Al and Ron Lepinsky's Three Kings Stable, The colt was named after an historic inn in Aiken, South Carolina.



PREVIEWS

Friday, Saratoga, post time: 4:22 p.m. EDT
NATIONAL MUSEUM OF RACING HALL OF FAME
S.-GII, \$150,000, 3yo, 1 1/16m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	Benergy	Tapit	Desormeaux	Romans	115
2	Rustler Hustler	Ecton Park	Castellano	Mott	119
3	Crimson China	Giant's Causeway	Maragh	Motion	117
4	Perregaux	Distorted Humor	Leparoux	Howard	115
5	Humble and Hungry	Limehouse	Lezcano	Correas IV	115
6	Big Blue Kitten	Kitten's Joy	Velazquez	Brown	115
7	Street Game	Street Cry (Ire)	Curatolo	Serpe	122

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



SO. HEMISPHERE RESULTS

Sunday, Hipodromo da Gavea, Brazil
GRANDE PREMIO BRASIL-G1, \$336,428, Hipodromo da Gavea, 8-7, 4yo/up, 2400mT, 2:26.21, fm.
 1--#**BELO ACTEON (BRZ)**, 128, c, 4, by Acteon Man (Brz)

1st Dam: Back for Good (Brz), by Ghadeer (Fr)
 2nd Dam: Royale (Brz), by Itajara (Brz)
 3rd Dam: Gold Stern (Brz), by Karabas (GB)

O-Stud H & R; B-Aluizio Merlin Ribeiro; T-Dulcino Guignoni; J-Henderson Fernandes; Lifetime Record: 6-2-3-0. **Werk Nick Rating: C + .**

Click for the [eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree](#).

2--**Too Friendly (Brz)**, 130, h, 5, Signal Tap--Jour de France (Brz), by Tokatee. O-Stud Santa Maria de Araras; B-Haras Santa Maria de Araras; T-Roberto Morgado Jr.

3--**Jeca (Brz)**, 128, c, 4, Inexplicabl --Volition (Brz), by Ghadeer (Fr). O-Haras Rio Iguassu; B-Haras JB Barros; T-AB Pereira.

Margins: HD, HD, 1HF.

Also Ran: Anakin (Brz), Aka Rigue (Brz), Una Beleza (Brz), Sal Grosso (Brz), Uno Amore Mio (Brz), I Want the Glory (Brz), Tonemai (Brz), Another Xhow (Brz), Perichole (Brz), Nenen do Papai (Brz).

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Belo Acteon was still a maiden just a little over a month ago, but with one race he became a star in Brazil's older horse division, capturing Gavea's most important race. He took the lead early and never relinquished it, fending off bids by Too Friendly and



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Jeca to prevail narrowly. This was trainer Dulcino Guignoni's fifth win in the Grande Premio Brasil.

Sunday, Hipodromo da Gavea, Brazil
GRANDE PREMIO PRESIDENTE DA REPUBLICA-G1, \$56,971, Hipodromo da Gavea, 8-7, 3yo/up, 1600mT, 1:33.24, ft.

1--**PLENTY OF KICKS (BRZ)**, 115, c, 3, by Crimson Tide (Ire)
 1st Dam: Pleni Turbo (Brz) (GSW & G1SP-Brz), by Choctaw Ridge

2nd Dam: Plenitud (Brz), by Karabas (GB)

3rd Dam: Irish Girl (Brz), by Blackamoor (Arg)

O-Stud Sao Francisco da Serra; B-Sao Francisco da Serra; T-Julio Cesar Sampaio; J-Valdinei Gil; Lifetime Record: 4-3-0-1. *Full to Palais des Festivals (Brz), SW-Brz. **Werk Nick Rating: A + + .** Click for the [eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree](#).

2--**Joe Diesel (Brz)**, 115, c, 3, Christine's Outlaw--Darter (Brz), by Afleet. O-Stud Globo; B-Haras Campestre; T-Dulcino Guignoni.

3--**Conclusivo (Brz)**, 130, c, 4, Neleo (Brz)--Unorvilena (Brz), by Norwegian. O-Haras Regina; B-Haras Xara & Haras Mineral Park; T-R Solanes.

Margins: 1 3/4, 1, 1.

Also Ran: Scottish Boy (Brz), Imperador Voltou (Brz), Fast Feet (Brz), Tsonga (Brz), Thunderdome Luiz (Brz), Imperio de Birigui (Brz), Olhar de Campeao (Brz), Irmaozinho (Brz), Ultimo Furo (Brz), Salute (Arg).

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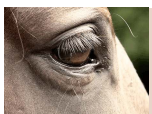
The final Group 1 of Brazil's premiere meet was dominated by youth, as 3-year-olds took the top two slots. Plenty of Kicks secured his second straight win at the highest level after taking the G1 Grande Premio Presidente da Republica last time June 26.

FUROSEMIDE BAN IN ARGENTINE GROUP

RACES IN 2013 Following a meeting held at Palermo Racetrack, the host track and officials from San Isidro, La Plata and La Punta agreed to ban the use of Furosemide in Group 1 and 2 races beginning in 2013. The impetus for the decision was a proposal made by the Organizacion Sudamericana de Fomento del Sangre Pura de Carrera (OSAF) last September, and discussions between the tracks had been ongoing for months.

UPCOMING MAJOR NORTH AMERICAN STAKES

Date	Race	Track
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



PEDIGREE INSIGHTS

BY ANDREW CAULFIELD

GERMAN-THOROUGHBRED.COM SWEET SOLERA S.-G3, £45,000, Newmarket, 8-6, 2yo, f, 7fT, 1:23.96, gd.

1--@#DISCOURSE, 124, f, 2, by Street Cry (Ire)

1st Dam: Divine Dixie (SP), by Dixieland Band

2nd Dam: Hail Atlantis, by Seattle Slew

3rd Dam: Flippers, by Coastal

O-Godolphin; B-Darley; T-Mahmood Al Zarooni; J-Frankie Dettori; £25,520. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, £30,053. * 1/2 to Bandini (Fusaichi Pegasus), GISW, \$676,380. **Werk Nick Rating: B+.** [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

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When it comes to Europe's top 2-year-old sprints in the summer, the female of the species often proves deadlier than the male. For example, the G2 Prix Robert Papin has fallen to fillies in seven of the last 12 years, with three of those winning fillies going on to Classic success at three. Last Sunday saw La Collina become the third filly in the last eight years to take the G1 Phoenix S. As one of her predecessors, Saoirse Abu, went on to take the G1 Moyglare Stud S. and to finish a close third in the 1000 Guineas, La Collina has to be considered a very bright prospect.

However, she was by no means the only potentially top-class juvenile filly on display in Europe last week. I hesitate to suggest that Discourse could become another Zenyatta for Street Cry, but this Godolphin filly possesses bags of scope and plenty of talent, as she showed with her impressive victory in the G3 Sweet Solera S. three days ago. We also saw the unbeaten Maybe consolidate her position as favorite for next year's 1000 Guineas with a dominant display in the G2 Debutante S.

DISCOURSE, f, 2009

Street Cry (Ire)	Machiavellian	Mr. Prospector	Raise a Native	
		Coup de Folie	Gold Digger	
	Helen Street (GB)	Troy (GB)		Halo
				Raise the Standard
Waterway (Ire)			Petingo (GB)	
			La Milo (GB)	
Divine Dixie SP, 14-2-4-2 9Fs, 2GSW, 1SP	Dixieland Band	Northern Dancer	Riverman	
			Boulevard (Ire)	
	Hail Atlantis GISW, 11-3-2-0 9Fs, 2SW 1SP	Mississippi Mud		Nearctic
				Natalma
		Seattle Slew		Delta Judge
				Sand Buggy
Flippers		Bold Reasoning		
		My Charmer		
		Coastal		
		Mocassin		

All in one day!

Phoenix Stakes-Gr.1

1st La Collina

STRATEGIC PRINCE

German Oaks-Gr.1

1st Dancing Rain

DANEHILL DANCER

2nd Djumama

AUSSIE RULES

3rd Aigrette Garzette

PEINTRE CELEBRE

Debutante Stakes-Gr.2

1st Maybe

GALILEO

Royal Whip Stakes-Gr.2

1st Banimpire

HOLY ROMAN EMPEROR

Best Pal Stakes-Gr.2

1st Creative Cause

GIANT'S CAUSEWAY

Prix Maurice de Gheest-Gr.1

2nd Society Rock

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Miss Pat O'Kelly of Kilcarn Stud, breeder of Banimpire



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Pedigree Insights cont.

Discourse is the center of my attention today, but before focusing on her, it is worth making a couple of observations about Maybe and La Collina, who could well clash in the Moyglare Stud S.

Maybe, a €340,000 yearling, represents the world's most fashionable cross--that of Galileo on Danehill mares. All three of Galileo's black-type horses last week--the listed winner Crystal Gal, the Group 3-placed Marksmanship and Maybe--are out of Danehill mares. That takes this nick's tally for 2011 to seven stakes winners in the Northern Hemisphere, including the classic winners Frankel, Golden Lilac and Roderic O'Connor.

La Collina, on the other hand, represents the reverse cross. Although she is by a first-crop stallion whose fee this year was a mere £4,000, La Collina is by a grandson of Danehill out of an unraced daughter of Galileo.

The stallion in question is Strategic Prince, who proved himself one of Dansili's most precocious sons by making a winning debut as early as May, before going on to Group 2 successes in July and August. It looks as though La Collina has inherited a fair measure of her sire's speed and precocity, but she should have no problems staying a mile or more, judging by her immediate pedigree. Her first two dams are daughters of the stamina-packed Derby winners Galileo and Slip Anchor and Strategic Price's dam Ausherra was a sister to Ramruma, winner of the Oaks and Irish Oaks.

It is still very early days for Galileo mares, but there is no escaping the fact that one of their other group winners, Alexander Pope, is by a son of Danehill. Expect to see the likes of Danehil Dancer, Dansili, Duke of Marmalade, Dylan Thomas, Rock of Gibraltar and Tiger Hill playing a significant role in the careers of Galileo's broodmare daughters. I am also expecting a sizeable contribution from stallions belonging to the speedy Green Desert branch of the Danzig line, such as Invincible Spirit, Cape Cross and Oasis Dream.

Now for Discourse. I'll remind you that it was the 2007 graded/group victories by Street Sense, Majestic Roi, Cry And Catch Me, Street Sounds, Summer Doldrums, Street Magician, Per Incanto and Globetrotter that resulted in Street Cry's fee doubling from \$50,000 to \$100,000.

It is therefore fair for our expectations of the Darley stallion to rise accordingly, and I'm pleased to say that the early signs are that his first \$100,000 crop is going to do very well. Discourse was just one of three Street Cry fillies to show plenty of promise over the weekend. Half an hour after Discourse's Sweet Solera success, Godolphin scored with the newcomer Minidress in what was probably a good-class maiden race at Newmarket. The following day it was the turn of another debutante, And Why Not, to impress at Saratoga. The collective winning margins of these three Street Cry fillies added up to an eye-catching 14 lengths.

Minidress' dam Short Skirt was a 1.4 million guineas purchase, while And Why Not was herself a \$775,000 acquisition. Discourse also has some high-priced relatives. Her dam, the stakes-placed Divine Dixie, cost Stonerside Stables no less than \$2 million at Fasig-Tipton in 2005, before passing into the ownership of Darley when Sheikh Mohammed's operation purchased the Stonerside stock in 2008.

Divine Dixie had changed hands for no more than \$185,000 in 2002, the dramatic rise in her value being fueled by the 2005 success of her son Bandini in the GI Blue Grass S. It possibly also helped that Divine Dixie's half-brother Stormy Atlantic was beginning to make his mark as a stallion, to the degree that he became the leading juvenile sire of 2006

Nor must we underestimate the appeal of Divine Dixie's female line. The fourth dam of this daughter of Dixieland Band was none other than Rough Shod II and her third dam was the celebrated Moccasin.

Moccasin was the champion juvenile filly of 1965, when her undefeated run of eight victories featured wins in the Alcibiades, Spinaway, Selima, Matron and Gardenia S. So impressive was her winning streak that she was voted Horse of the Year in two polls.

Moccasin was the third of the four famous foals that Rough Shod II produced to Nantallah. Moccasin's younger sister Thong will forever be remembered for producing Special, Thatch, Lisadell, King Pellinore, Marinsky, Espadrille and Geiger Counter. Her elder brothers Ridan and Lt Stevens also did well. Ridan numbered the Florida Derby among his 13 wins from 23 starts, whereas Lt Stevens made his mark as the broodmare sire of Alysheba and Lear Fan.

Moccasin made the rounds of the Claiborne stallions, and did very well, if not as well as Thong. She produced three stakes winners to Round Table, plus others to Tom Rolfe, Damascus, Forli and Coastal, the best of them being Apalachee, winner of the G1 Observer Gold Cup.

Moccasin had only four daughters, with the responsibility of maintaining the family fortunes falling largely to the stakes-winning Flippers, who produced Hail Atlantis, a Seattle Slew filly who won the GI Santa Anita Oaks. Hail Atlantis spent the first half of her broodmare career visiting sons and grandsons of Northern Dancer. Her Nureyev fillies Atlantic Blue and Helstra both have smart sons to their credit.

Of course, Divine Dixie isn't the first daughter of Dixieland Band to shine with Street Cry. That distinction fell to Bedazzle, the dam of Street Sense. Street Cry also sired the Group 1 winner Majestic Roi and the Group 3 winner Big Timer from other granddaughters of Northern Dancer.

Discourse's second dam is by Seattle Slew, whose stallion sons are responsible for the dams of Street Cry's graded winners Princess Haya, Freedom Star and Blues Street. It is another of his sons, A.P. Indy, who sired the dam of And Why Not.



Darley

Flying Start

From Start
to Finish...

with Darley Flying Start's Sophie Ignarski

The Darley Flying Start Program, established in 2003 to develop potential leaders in the Thoroughbred industry, will celebrate its 10th anniversary in 2013. The TDN has asked one of the trainees for 2011-2013, Sophie Ignarski, to blog about her experience, from packing up to join her class at Ireland's Kildangan Stud Aug. 15, until her graduation July 6, 2013. Here is her first installment.

I was fortunate to be one of the 12 successful applicants for the 2011 Darley Flying Start Program that begins later this month, and now it's time to make my final preparations before traveling to Ireland for the first leg of the program.

Briefly, I qualified in July 2010 as a veterinary surgeon from the Royal Veterinary College, London. Since graduating, I have spent my first year in practice working at the Sharjah Equine Hospital in the United Arab Emirates, a facility that receives a caseload ranging from 120-kilometer endurance horses to champion Arabian show horses. I was born in England, but I come from an Anglo-American family--in fact, my grandfather, John Ignarski, attended the University of Kentucky in the 1940s and played in a number of notable football teams of that era coached by Paul "Bear" Bryant. My actual home is on the Isle of Wight, off the south coast of England.

I have been interested in horses since childhood and was always fairly determined to spend my working life as an equine vet, but my interest in Thoroughbreds evolved in a gradual way through placements undertaken at University, including at Coolmore Stud, Kirtlington Stud and the National Stud in Newmarket.

These placements led me to discover the Darley Flying Start program, which offers an exceptional opportunity to learn about the industry as a whole, and to experience racing's 'bigger picture' at this stage of my career. My application and interview for the program seemed to go relatively well, but I knew that there would be a lot of competition, especially from those with more experience working directly within the racing and breeding industries.

I can vividly remember receiving the phone call from Clodagh Kavanagh, the program manager, to say that I had been accepted. It followed a particularly eventful night on call, during which we received several horses with severe colic, one of whom was recovering from surgery, and I answered her call in a somewhat sleep-deprived state!

I was surprised, but delighted to be accepted into the Darley Flying Start program, the brainchild of His Highness Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum. There is nothing quite like it in the world--it is a fully sponsored immersion in all aspects of the racing and breeding industries, and the course takes place in most of the leading centres of racing in the world.

The first leg of the course takes place in Ireland, followed by Newmarket, Kentucky, the Hunter Valley in Australia and, finally, Dubai. These rotations coincide with major events in the racing calendar, so in addition to the detailed lectures and practical teaching that we will receive we will have the opportunity to observe the lead-up to some of the most important races in the world.

As I write this first blog, I have yet to meet the other 11 trainees, but I imagine that they are feeling a similar combination of emotions as I am--excitement, anticipation and perhaps the odd butterfly or two. The group of trainees is diverse and represents a number of different countries: Patricia Calkins and Sarah Fishback (USA), Stephen Heath, Emma Pearce and Ian Thompson (UK), Jack Davison and Stephen O'Connor (Ireland), James Clarke (Australia), Sebastian Desmontils (France), Madoka Kamei (Japan) and Jin Tian (China). In the next few weeks, I will introduce the other trainees more fully; meanwhile I am very much looking forward to meeting them all.

For now, the only challenge that remains is to somehow pack my suitcase whilst at the same time adhering to the strict 20-kilogram limit enforced by the airline I am flying with--easier said than done! I will bring you more news (and hopefully some photos) once I have arrived in Ireland.

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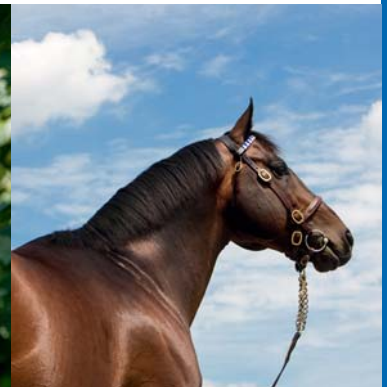
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Darley



TRF SARATOGA GALA RAISES HALF-MILLION

The Thoroughbred Retirement Foundation gala at the Saratoga City Center Sunday night raised more than \$500,000 to help care for the organization's 1,110 retired racehorses. The event, which drew over 600



Bobby Flay and Carolyn Conley hosted the TRF event

guests, was the largest and most well-attended event of the Saratoga season, and set records for attendance and auction gross proceeds for the TRF, at \$472,000. Additional revenues were raised from ticket sales and sponsorships.

The event featured dining, dancing and an auction of stallion seasons and unique experiences, and was hosted by chef Bobby Flay and HRTV's Carolyn Conley.

The auction was topped by Chester and Mary Broman's purchase of a 2012 season to Medaglia d'Oro for \$120,000. The season was donated by Darley and Colts Neck Stallions. The Bromans also picked up a season to Congrats for \$45,000. Kenny McPeek was the winning bidder on a season to Awesome Again at \$40,000 and Bill Shively bought a season to More Than Ready for \$50,000.

Four tickets to every World Series game, donated by the Baltimore Orioles and the New York Yankees, went to Tom Ryan for \$20,000, and Paul Saylor had the winning bid for a week at Marlene Brody's Big Horn Wyoming ranch at \$11,000. Bobby Flay will be appearing on HBO's "Luck" after topping the bidding at \$7,500 for the item.

"It was the biggest success," said Earle Mack, the lead sponsor of the event. "It was over the top. It was standing room only. There were 611 for dinner, and 700 came for cocktails. The auction, by any standard of measure for the times that we're in now, was beyond our expectations."

Mack presented the inaugural Earle Mack TRF Champions' Award to Frank Stronach for his efforts regarding racehorse retirement, saying that Stronach's "leadership and desire to do what is right for the horses can be a template for all racing in North America."

In accepting the award, Stronach said, "I am very honored to receive this award, especially from Earle, who has been a real champion for the Thoroughbred Retirement Foundation. Each of us has a responsibility to see that our horses are cared for after racing. When some in the sport do not meet their responsibility, then it is up to the rest of us to support programs like the TRF that serve as a safety net. I will continue to do everything I can to assure racehorses receive the care they need throughout their lives."

"Frank's words were incredible; very compelling and inspirational," Mack said. "You could hear a pin drop in the room while he was speaking. Nobody made a noise. People are calling me today, asking, 'Where do I send a contribution?'" The event re-established the TRF as THE organization for retired horses, as the premier organization, the go-to organization. It was very heart-warming."

The event's manager, Diana Pikulski, said, "The support for this event and this organization is particularly moving this year. It has reaffirmed our belief about how much people care about the cause of racehorse retirement, and the money raised at the event will help to ensure the long-term viability of this very special foundation. I am particularly grateful to Earle Mack, Bobby Flay, Carolyn Conley, Tom Durkin, and to all of the racing and breeding industry leaders for supporting this event and for making it so special."

The Thoroughbred Retirement Foundation is the largest equine rescue organization of its kind, devoted to the rescue, retirement, rehabilitation and retraining of Thoroughbred racehorses no longer able to compete on the track. At the TRF's correctional facility farms, they offer vocational training programs for inmates as they provide supervised care to retired horses.



Bo Derek was among the attendees

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Franky Flores Painting	Franky Flores	\$3,000/Bill Shively
Franky Flores Painting	Franky Flores	\$1,900/Bill Shively



SARATOGA

Yesterday's Results:

GLEAMING S., \$78,000, SAR, 8-8, (R), 3yo, 1 3/16mT, 2:01 3/5, yl.

1--**#SEAL COVE, 118, c, 3, Strong Hope--Meghan's Joy (MSP, \$126,990), by A.P. Indy.** O/B-Stuart S Janney III LLC (KY); T-Claude R McGaughey III; J-Javier Castellano; \$45,000. Lifetime Record: 4-3-0-0, \$104,340. *1/2 to Quiet Harbor (Silver Deputy), GSW, \$274,670; Hunting (Coronado's Quest), GSW, \$286,394; Minister's Joy (Deputy Minister), MGSP, \$327,247.

2--**Canaveral (GB)**, 120, g, 3, Cape Cross (Ire)--Tarneem, by Zilzal. (25,000gns wlng '08 TATDEC; 60,000 GBP yrl '09 DONAUG; 32,000gns HRA '11 TATJUL). O-Gregory D Hawkins. \$15,000.

3--**Eternal Ruler (Ire)**, 118, g, 3, [Aussie Rules--Villafranca \(Ire\), by In the Wings \(GB\).](#) (25,000gns wlng '08 TATDEC). O-Marc Keller. \$7,500. Margins: 1 3/4, 2 3/4, 1HF. Odds: 2.25, 7.30, 8.00.

Seal Cove, a debut winner over the Gulfstream lawn versus \$75,000 maiden claimers Mar. 9, was a close fourth in an off-the-turf allowance at Keeneland Apr. 22. The gray resurfaced with a last-to-first allowance tally over the Belmont lawn June 11, and was slightly favored in his first stakes attempt here. Settled in sixth through glacial early fractions of :26.06 and :53.61 as the rain came down in buckets, the gray made an eye-catching sweeping move to challenge for command on the turn for home and kept on coming down the center of the course to collect the trophy. "I was very impressed with him today," trainer Shug McGaughey commented. "He laid in behind a slow pace and when [Javier Castellano] asked him, he went to the horses pretty easy. We're tickled to death with what we've got. This is a pleasant surprise. He's done everything we've asked him. If everything goes right, maybe the [GIII] Saranac [Sept. 4]." [Click for the brisnet.com chart. Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

5th-SAR, \$53,000, Msw, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8m, 1:56, my.

QUEEN OF KING ST (f, 4, [Indian Charlie--Big News, by Seattle Slew](#)), a \$52,000 KEESEP yearling purchase, failed to land a blow when sixth in her Fair Grounds debut going six furlongs Mar. 25, then was given a vacation. Backed at 12-1 on the stretch out in distance here, she was the first one out of the stalls, led the way through a half mile in :48.40, and refused to let 8-5 favorite Empress of Gold (Empire Maker) go by in the stretch, staying on for a game neck victory. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$30,600. [Click for the brisnet.com chart. Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#) O-PHS Racing Stable. B-Monticule (KY). T-Ralph E Nicks.

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9th-SAR, \$56,000, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$35,000), NW3L, 3yo/up, 7f, 1:24 4/5, gd.

1--**LITIGATION RISK, 121, c, 4, [Closing Argument--Silver Bliss, by Silver Deputy.](#)** (\$90,000 yrl '08 OBSAUG). O-Klaravich Stables Inc & William H Lawrence; B-Donna M Wormser (FL); T-Richard A Violette Jr. Lifetime Record: 7-3-1-0, \$163,714. *1/2 to Trevor's Clever (Stephen Got Even), MSW, \$195,750.



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2--**Philippe**, 117, c, 3, Mineshaft--Freedom of Speech, by Danzig.

3--**Lou Brissie**, 117, c, 3, Limehouse--Fearless Wildcat, by Forest Wildcat. (\$100,000 yrl '09 FTKJUL). Margins: HF, 7 3/4, 1. Odds: 1.90, 7.10, 3.30.

Litigation Risk has taken his lumps in three attempts against graded company--a well-beaten fourth in the 2009 GIII Delta Jackpot, eighth in the 2010 GIII Holy Bull S., and fifth in the GII Indiana Derby in his most recent effort Oct. 2--but has done little wrong in his four other trips to post. Looking to stay perfect in two attempts at Saratoga following a sharp allowance win last term, the chestnut was shadowed by Philippe every step of the way, and wanted it just a little bit more than his game rival, edging clear late for a narrow victory. [Click for the brisnet.com chart. Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

4th-SAR, \$52,000, Msw, 2yo, 5 1/2f (off turf), 1:05, my.

JAGATI (c, 2, [Yes It's True--Look for Good, by Unbridled's Song](#)), a close fifth in his unveiling over the Churchill lawn June 25, used his rail draw to his advantage here. With Javier Castellano aboard, the 2-1 chance was gunned to the lead, clicked off fractions of :22.58 and :46.49, and opened daylight in the stretch. It was 12 3/4 lengths back to Scandalicious (Giant's Causeway) in second. Sales history: \$25,000 yrl '10 KEESEP; \$55,000 RNA 2yo '11 OBSMAR. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$31,791. [Click for the brisnet.com chart. Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O-Ridgewood Stables. B-Dixiana Farms LLC (KY). T-Eddie Kenneally.

2nd-SAR, \$41,000, Msw, (S), 2yo, 5f, :58 1/5, my.

+ **BAY PARK BOY (c, 2, [Johannesburg--Comanchera {MSP}, by Seattle Slew](#))**, favored at 8-5 to continue the hot hand of the Todd Pletcher barn, vied for early command through an opening quarter in :22.30 and drew away in the stretch to splash home a 4 3/4-length winner over Saratoga Snacks (Tale of the Cat). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$24,000. [Click for the brisnet.com chart. Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O-Anstu Stables Inc. B-Anstu Farm LLC (NY). T-Todd A Pletcher.

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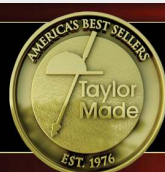


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New York, that will bring 60 jobs back to the state. There was a controversy when NYRA closed its call center in New York City, sending jobs out of state to Oregon, but Empire State Development, the local government's chief economic development agency, worked with CDT to find an option that would keep the jobs in New York. Kenneth Adams, president and CEO of Empire State Development, said, "Helping New York businesses keep their jobs in New York is essential to our economic recovery. By creating employment and investment opportunities in New

York, we are able to strengthen the local community and stimulate job growth. Under Governor Cuomo's vision for a new New York, we will continue to harness local assets like NYRA to promote economic activity." Added Charles Hayward, president and CEO, "We were pleased to work with Empire State Development to help CDTIC find a New York location for our telebet operations."

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1st-SAR (Gleaming S.) Seal Cove (Strong Hope) rallies to his first stakes victory.

4th-SAR (Msw) Jagati (Yes It's True) wins by the length of the stretch.

9th-DEL (Alw Opt) Biddy (Songandaprayer) makes it three in a row.



EAST



Yesterday's Results:

9th-DEL, \$43,690, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$16,000), NW1X, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10 1/5, ft.

BIDDY (r, 3, Songandaprayer--Miraculous Knight, by Holy Bull), a debut third for former trainer Todd Pletcher at Monmouth last June, made it three for three this season since joining the Anthony Dutrow barn. The streak began with a \$40,000 maiden claiming tally at Parx June 7 and continued with a Belmont starter allowance score June 30. Heavily supported as the 4-5 chalk here, the Ahmed Zayat homebred tracked the early leaders in fourth, revved up while four wide to gain command on the turn for home, and drew away in the stretch to score by 2 1/4 lengths. Lifetime Record: 4-3-0-1, \$77,100. **Click for the brisnet.com chart. Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.**

O-Zayat Stables LLC. B-Ahmed Zayat (KY). T-Anthony W Dutrow.

Gov. Christie Signs Privatization Bill:

Gov. Chris Christie paved the way for the final steps in the process of privatizing Monmouth Park and the Meadowlands Friday, signing into law the bill that will allow the takeover of the two tracks by private entities. "My goal has always been to ensure a financially sound and independent future for New Jersey's storied horse racing legacy," said Gov. Christie in a statement. "With the legislation I am signing today, we are taking the critical next step toward securing an independent and self-sustaining horse racing industry in the Garden State--one that no longer depends upon casino subsidies for its survival. We are also saving the state's beleaguered taxpayers tens of millions of dollars in annual operational subsidies at both venues. I want to thank the NJSEA, Jeff Gural [slated to assume control of the Meadowlands], Morris Bailey [who will take over at Monmouth], Tom Lucento and John Forbes, the leaders of the Standardbred and Thoroughbred owners associations, for their commitment to finding a long-term solution that benefits the industry and those who rely on it for their livelihoods, as well as the taxpayers of this state." The legislation will allow the state to jointly operate the tracks with Gural and Bailey during a transitional period, and to extend the current leases on the facilities. It also formalized the proposal to reduce the number of Thoroughbred racing dates in New Jersey from 141 to 71.



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CENTRAL

Odds Set for Arlington Legends Race:

(Edited press release) Odds have been set for the second-annual Legends Race at Arlington Park Friday, Aug. 12, pitting five legends of the saddles versus the top five riders in Arlington's jockey standings in the "Arlington Fab Five vs. Legends" Jockey Challenge Wager. Arlington's Fab Five--Jozbin Santana, James Graham, Eduardo Perez, E. T. Baird and Junior Alvarado--have been pegged as the 2-5 morning line favorite in the special wager for the one-mile turf race for \$15,000 claimers. The Legends--Hall of Famers Earlie Fires and Chris McCarron; two-time Arlington champion Mark Guidry; Patti Cooksey, at one time the leading female rider in races won; and 1977 Triple Crown winning jockey Jean Cruguet, 72--is 7-5 in the morning line. The Jockey Challenge Wager is a \$2 win wager on the group the bettor thinks will earn more points based on a scale that awards 12 points for first, 10 points for second, seven points for third, six points for fourth and four points for fifth. In last year's inaugural jockey challenge, led by Inez Karlsson, Team Arlington outscored the Legends, 25-14.



WEST

Sunday Night's Results:

ANGIE C. S., \$49,500, EMD, 8-7, 2yo, f, 6f, 1:09 4/5, ft.

1--**#EXCLUSIVE DIVA, 119, f, 2, Bernardini--Puxa Saco (GSW & GISP, \$400,575), by Dehere.** (\$170,000 RNA yrl '10 KEESEP). O/B-Northwest Farms LLC (KY); T-Tom Wenzel; J-Juan M Gutierrez; \$27,225. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$36,355. *8th SW for sophomore sire (by A.P. Indy).

2--**Royal Moses, 118, f, 2, Cahill Road--Miss Wagon Lode, by Wagon Limit.** O-Squatting Dog Stable & Rusty G Warwick. \$9,900.

3--**Talk to My Lawyer, 117, f, 2, Lawyer Ron--Infernal McGoon, by Wekiva Springs.** (\$30,000 yrl '10 KEESEP). O-Will This One Do Stable. \$7,425.

Margins: 1, 4, 2 1/4. Odds: 1.20, 1.70, 5.70.

Exclusive Diva opened her account with a debut victory at Emerald July 9, and was favored to stay perfect here. Pressed through fractions of :22.48 and :45.73, the dark bay drew clear in the stretch and held the runner-up safe. She stopped the clock a full second faster than the boys in the Premio Esmeralda S. run two races later *(See Breeders' Edition)*. **Click for the brisnet.com chart.**

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INDUSTRY INFO

Eclipse Thoroughbred Partners Launches:

(Edited press release) Aron Wellman announced Monday the launch of a new racing syndicate, Eclipse Thoroughbred Partners. Wellman, 33, started the LGL Racing partnership in 2005 while he was practicing law in Southern California and, for the past 3 1/2 years, served as the vice president of Team Valor International. He resigned shortly after Animal Kingdom (Leroidesanimaux {Brz}) captured the Kentucky Derby. According to Wellman, the Eclipse stable and staff will be bi-coastal, and Christina Olivares, who will continue to work as an on-air host and analyst for TVG, will be consulting on the management of all Eclipse partner events as director of partner and media relations.



First-crop starters to watch: Tuesday, August 9

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

BOB AND JOHN (Seeking the Gold), Pin Oak, \$13K, 91/4/0

5-DEL, Msw, 1m, +Bob Got Loaded, \$20K OBS AUG yrl

ENGLISH CHANNEL (Smart Strike), Lane's End, \$25K, 110/3/0

5-DEL, Msw, 1m, +Jonathan C, \$7K OBS APR 2yo

HIGH COTTON (Dixie Union), Ocala Stud, \$5K, 43/5/0

5-DEL, Msw, 1m, Angel's Tune

PAVAROTTI (A.P. Indy), Hartley DeRenzo, \$7K, 24/0/0

5-DEL, Msw, 1m, Miss Pavarotti

First/Second-crop starters to watch: Tuesday, Aug. 9

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

ROCKPORT HARBOR (Unbridled's Song), Darley, \$20K, 215/55/4

5-DEL, Msw, 1m, +Sound Effect

SILVER TRAIN (Old Trieste), Vinery, \$25K, 204/58/3

3-PID, Msw, 5f, +Awaassif, \$17K KEE SEP yrl, 5-1



AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS

IN BRITAIN:

York Glory, c, 3, Five Star Day--Minicolony, by Pleasant Colony. Thirsk, 8-8, Hcp, 3yo, 5fT. B-Paget Bloodstock & Horse France. *\$57,000 yrl '09 KEEJAN.

Upton Guy, g, 3, Speightstown--Affordability, by Unbridled. Thirsk, 8-8, Hcp, 3yo, 1mT. B-Tom Clark & Nancy Clark. *\$160,000 yrl '09 KEESEP; 215,000gns 2yo '10 TATAPR. **1/2 to Money Lover (Marino Marini), SW, \$150,116.





American-Bred winners cont.

IN JAPAN:

Night of the Opera, f, 4, **A.P. Indy**--Jena Jena (MSW & GSP-US, \$272,888), by Dixieland Band. Hakodate, 8-7, Plate Race, 5f. Lifetime Record: 8-3-1-0, \$288,462. O-Orion Farm; B-Ocala Horses LLC; T-Hideaki Fujiwara. *\$275,000 RNA yr1 '08 KEESEP.



AMERICAN-SIRED WINNERS

IN JAPAN:

Foundry No Chikara (Jpn), c, 4, **Songandaprayer**--Whitewater, by Forestry. Kokura, 8-7, Ogori Tokubetsu, 6fT. Lifetime Record: 11-2-0-0, \$318,462. O-Machiko Mito. B-Matoba Farm; T-Yoshitada Takahashi.



EUROPE



BRITAIN

Yesterday's Results:

Windsor, 18.10, Cond, £9,000, 2yo, 6fT, 1:12.28, gd.
REBELLIOUS GUEST (GB) (c, 2, **Cockney Rebel {Ire}**--**Marisa {Ger}**, by **Desert Sun {GB}**), unplaced in the G2 Coventry S. at Royal Ascot June 14, was settled in rear initially. Eased to the front with 1 1/2 furlongs to race, the 54,000gns TATOCT yearling quickened clear to win readily by 3 1/4 lengths from Compton (GB) (Compton Place {GB}) at odds of 7-2. Trainer George Margaron opined, "If this isn't a proper horse then I don't know when I'll ever get one. I've put him in everything because he's very good. I think he's a horse for next year and he'll definitely get a mile." Rebellious Guest will likely point to the Sept. 17 G2 Mill Reef S. at Newbury. He is a half to Smokey Storm (GB) (One Cool Cat), SW-Eng & SP-Nor; and Di Stefano (GB) (Bahamian Bounty {GB}), MSP-Eng. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, £9,060. [Video, courtesy attheraces.com](#).
 O-John Guest Racing; B-Equity Bloodstock Partnership; T-George Margaron.

Lingfield, 16.30, Mdn, £3,500, 3yo, 7f(AWT), 1:26.27, stn.

KAWSSAJ (GB) (c, 3, **Dubawi {Ire}**--**Ameerat {GB}** {G1SW-Eng, \$290,082}, by **Mark of Esteem {Ire}**), runner-up in a similar event at Warwick last time June 23, showed good early toe to lead. Ridden clear inside the quarter pole, the 2-5 chalk ran on strongly to score by five easy lengths from Jumeira Field (Arch). Lifetime Record: 3-1-2-0, £3,831. [Video, courtesy attheraces.com](#).

O-Sheikh Ahmed bin Rashid Al Maktoum; B-Darley; T-Roger Varian.

FRANCE

Yesterday's Results:

Clairefontaine, 15.55, Cond, €34,000, 3yo, 1 1/2mT, 2:39.70, hy.

AQUAMARINE (JPN) (f, 3, **Deep Impact {Jpn}**--**Angelita {Ire}**, by **Alzao**), the easy winner of a course-and-distance debutantes heat last time July 7, settled into a smooth rhythm four lengths off the pace for most of this return. Looming large off the home bend, the 9-5 pick cruised to the fore at the quarter-mile marker and came under late urging to easily hold the late rush of **Affaire d'Etat (Fr)** (**Chichicastenango {Fr}**) by a length. Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 2 wins, €29,000. O-Ecurie Wildenstein; B-Dayton Investments Ltd; T-Mikel Delzangles.

French Report cont.

An (S) will be used for state-bred races, a (C) will be used for maiden-claiming races and an (R) will be used for other restricted races. Purses for Canadian races are in Canadian dollars.

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3.20 Deauville, Debutantes, €24,000, 2yo, c/g, 1mT

MAINSAIL (GB) (**Oasis Dream {GB}**) debuts for the Khalid Abdullah-Pascal Bary combination responsible for his 2006 Arc-winning close relative **Rail Link (GB)** (**Dansili {GB}**) as well as his group-winning half-brother **Chelsea Manor (GB)** (**Grand Lodge**). He encounters Ecurie Wildenstein's **Rainbow Quartz (Fr)** (**Pulpit**), an Alain de Royer-Dupre-trained son of the 2000 G2 Prix Robert Papin winner **Rolly Polly (Ire)** (**Mukaddamah**).

1st Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe-Gr.1
 1st Irish Champion Stakes-Gr.1 (twice)
 1st Irish Derby-Gr.1
 1st The 'King George'-Gr.1
 1st Prix Ganay-Gr.1 (in record time)

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Clairefontaine, 16.55, Mdn, €24,000, 3yo, f, 1 1/2mT, 2:44.10, hy.

HOT BLOOD (IRE) (f, 3, [Galileo {Ire}](#)--Hold On {Ger} (SP-Ger), by Surumu {Ger}), a first-up third going 11 furlongs at Lyon Parilly Apr. 29, raced eighth stepping up a panel for most of this comeback. Sent in pursuit of the leaders off the home turn, the 33-5 chance led with 350 meters remaining and drew off late under urging to easily account for Right Call (Point Given) by 2 1/2 lengths. The winner is a half to Hibiscus (Ger) (Law Society), GSW & G1SP-Ger, \$194,551; and 3/4 to Hurricane Run (Ire) (Montjeu {Ire}), Ch. 3yo Colt-Eur, Horse of the Year-Eur, Hwt. 3yo-Fr & Ire at 11-14f, Hwt. Older Horse-Fr & Eng at 11-14f, Hwt. Older Horse-Ire at 9.5-11f, MG1SW-Ire, G1SW-Eng & Fr, \$4,139,700. Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 1 win, 1 place, €14,100.

O/B-Gestut Ammerland; T-Andre Fabre.

Clairefontaine, 16.25, Mdn, €24,000, 3yo, c/g, 1 1/2mT, 2:42.00, hy.

CAROUN (IRE) (c, 3, [Montjeu {Ire}](#)--Carlitta {SW, \$109,780}, by Olympio), runner-up in a July 7 newcomers' event over this track and trip last time, raced under cover in midfield until inching into contention on the home turn. Set alight at the top of the straight, the 16-5 second choice swooped for control approaching the final eighth and lengthened clear in the latter stages to score by a decisive four lengths from Val de Saone (Fr) (Hurricane Run {Ire}). The winner is a half to Carlotamix (Fr) (Linamix {Fr}), Hwt. 2yo Colt-Fr, G1SW-Fr, \$262,536. Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 1 win, 1 place, €16,800.

O-H H The Aga Khan; B-H H The Aga Khan's Studs SC; T-Alain de Royer-Dupre.

La Teste de Buch, 16.40, Mdn, €14,000, 2yo, f, 1mT, 1:44.41, gd/sf.

BRILLANTE ETOILE (FR) (f, 2, American Post {GB}--Black Dalhia {Fr}, by Sanglamore), second going seven furlongs here on debut July 21, was restrained in third until improving one spot at halfway in this one. Stoked up soon after turning for home, the 9-5 chalk came under increased urging to challenge inside the two pole and was driven out in the closing stages to assert by a half length from Ca Me Dit (Fr) (Keltos {Fr}). Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 1 win, 1 place, €9,800.

O/B-Mlle Françoise Perree; T-Yan Durepaire.



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GERMANY

Sunday's Result:

Dusseldorf, 14.15, Mdn, €5,100, 2yo, 7 1/2fT, 1:34.49, sf.

+ **NOVELLIST (IRE) (c, 2, Monsun {Ger}--Night Lagoon {Ger} {Hwt. 2yo Filly & GSW-Ger}, by Lagunas {GB})** was settled mid-division initially before being pushed to the front with 1 1/2 furlongs to race. Strolling home from there, the 7-4 second choice scored by eight easy lengths from Wafiyah (Ger) (Lord of England {Ger}).

Lifetime Record: 1 start, 1 win, €3,000.

O/B-Dr Christoph Berglar; T-Andreas Wohler.

SOUTH AMERICA

ASCOT PRINCE NAMED CHILEAN HOY

The Stud Book de Chile released their seasonal honors for the period between July 1, 2010 and June 30, 2011, giving **Ascot Prince (Chi)** (Sir Cat) the nod as both Horse of the Year and champion 3-year-old colt. The three-time Group 1 winner was last year's champion 2-year-old colt. Haras Sumaya shined with its homebreds--**Amani (Chi)** (Morning Raider {Ire}) was tops among juvenile fillies, **Omayad (Chi)** (The Mighty Tiger) got the champion 2-year-old male award and **Desert Power (Chi)** (Newfoundland) was named champion sprinter. **Don Gabino (Chi)** (Dushyantor) was crowned Chile's champion miler. In the other categories, **Belle Watling (Chi)** (Dushyantor) was named as champion older female; **Madera Castaña (Ch)** (Indy Dancer) champion 3-year-old filly; and **Papelón** (Monthir) champion older horse. The Stud Book named **Merchant Of Venice (Storm Cat)** champion sire, based principally on the successes of Ashtar (Chi), White Wolf (Chi) and **Il Veneziano (Chi)**. The broodmare of the year was **Periza (Chi)** (Sadler's Congress {Ire}), who produced Stormy Impact (Chi) (Storm Warning), Casablanca Smile (Chi) (Ocean Terrace) and Patakuza (Chi) (Columbus Day).



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BREEDERS' EDITION AMERICA

BLACK-TYPE RESULTS:

JOSEPH T. GRACE H., \$56,160, SRX, 8-7, 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:44, fm.

1--**OUR NAUTIQUE (NZ)**, 122, g, 6, Pins (Aus)--French Tide, by Dauphin Fabuleux. O-Jerry Hollendorfer & Rob Tunnicliffe; B-R M Tunnicliffe (NZ); T-Jerry Hollendorfer; J-Kevin Krigger; \$32,300. Lifetime Record: GSW, 26-8-4-4, \$225,640.

2--**Bold Chieftain**, 121, h, 8, Chief Seattle--Hooked On Music, by Seattle Dancer. O-Hall, Dwaine, Langbein Trust, W J Morey Jr, Trust UTA, et al. \$13,100.

3--**Whatsthescript (Ire)**, 118, h, 7, Royal Applause (GB)--Grizel (GB), by Lion Cavern. (70,000gns wlng '04 TATDEC; 70,000gns yrl '05 TATOCT). O-Tommy Town Thoroughbreds LLC. \$6,100.

Margins: 2, 1, 1 1/4. Odds: 2.50, 2.10, 2.70.

PREMIO ESMERALDA S., \$45,000, EMD, 8-7, 2yo, c/g, 6f, 1:10 4/5, ft.

1--**SILVER BOXCAR**, 120, c, 2, Silver Train--Please Take Me Out (SW, \$153,714), by Take Me Out. O-Shady Valley Ranch; B-Ivan & Delores Christianson (WA); T-Doris Harwood; J-Gallyn Vick Mitchell; \$24,750. Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-0, \$37,300. *3rd SW for sophomore sire (by Old Trieste).

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2--**Chu and I**, 120, g, 2, You and I--Bronze Charmer, by Volponi. O-Michael & Amy Feuerborn. \$9,000.

3--**D'honorable One**, 120, c, 2, D'wildcat--Silver Shannon, by Pentelicus. (\$52,000 yrl '10 OBSAUG; \$92,000 2yo '11 OBSMAR; \$19,000 RNA yrl '10 OBSJAN). O-Nelson Family Racing. \$6,750.

Margins: NK, 3, 2 1/4. Odds: 6.60, 1.60, 0.70.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

8th-SAR, \$53,400, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f (off turf), 1:05, my.

MYRTLE'S GRAY (f, 4, Oratory--Trustees Gray, by Flying Chevron) Lifetime Record: SP, 15-3-1-4, \$118,160. O-Jeff Zlonis. B-Rhapsody Farm, Alan & Dora Alcon (NY). T-David P Duggan. *\$1,000 wlng '07 NYBOCT; \$3,000 yrl '08 FTMOCT; \$37,000 RNA 2yo '09 OBSAPR.

8th-FLX, \$25,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:45 1/5, ft.

JOHANNESBURG SMILE (c, 4, Johannesburg--Serenity's Smile {MSP, \$178,634}, by Dixie Brass) Lifetime Record: MSP, 17-5-3-5, \$207,220. O/B-Francis J Paolangeli (NY). T-Dominic G Galluscio.

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ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Stinking Creek, c, 3, Tapit--Galilani, by Storm Creek. SAR, 8-8, (C), 1 1/8m, 1:56 1/5. B-Mark Reid Bloodstock & DDS Stable (PA). *\$90,000 yrl '09 FTMOCT; \$60,000 RNA yrl '09 FTKJUL.

BREEDERS' EDITION EUROPE

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Esquinade (Fr), f, 2, Archange d'Or (Ire)--Estafilade (Fr), by Gold Away (Ire). Clairefontaine, France, 8-8, Mdn, 2yo, f, 7fT. B-Richard Corveller.

Bountiful Girl (GB), f, 2, Bahamian Bounty (GB)--Cheeky Girl (GB), by College Chapel (GB). Thirsk, Britain, 8-8, Mdn, 2yo, 7fT. B-E J Harper & Whitsbury Manor Stud. *£10,000 yrl '10 DONAUG.

Royal Award (GB), f, 2, Cadeaux Genereux (GB)--Red Sovereign (GB), by Danzig Connection. Lingfield, Britain, 8-8, Mdn, 2yo, 5f (AWT). B-Miss Jaqueline Goodearl. *14,000gns RNA wlng '09 TATDEC.

Amazing Storm (Ire), c, 2, Clodovil (Ire)--Forest Storm, by Woodman. Windsor, Britain, 8-8, Mdn, 2yo, 6fT. B-Nore Lee Syndicate. *€10,000 RNA wlng '09 GOFNOV; €17,000 yrl '10 GOFSP; £88,000 2yo '11 DONAPR.

Dutch Heritage (GB), c, 2, Dutch Art (GB)--Starstone (GB), by Diktat (GB). Thirsk, Britain, 8-8, Mdn, 2yo, 5fT. B-Red House Stud. *32,000gns yrl '10 TATDEC. **17th winner for freshman sire (by Medicean {GB}).

• ON THE WORKTAB •

SARATOGA

DOMINUS (Smart Strike), 4f (tr), :52.11, 85/91
DROSSELMAYER (Distorted Humor), 5fT (tr), :59.04, 2/6
FINALE (Scat Daddy), 4f (tr), 49.75, 31/91
GEORGIE'S ANGEL (Bellamy Road), 4f (tr), :52.08, 84/91
HILDA'S PASSION (Canadian Frontier), 4f (tr), :49.89, 37/91
J C's PRIDE (Henny Hughes), 4f, :48.15, 3/57
ROYAL DELTA (Empire Maker), 5fT (tr), :59.04, 2/6
MYTHICAL TRUTH (Yes It's True), 3f, :38.05, 13/14
SHANKOPOTAMUS (Greatness), 4f, :51.67, 54/57
WINCHESTER (Theatrical {Ire}), 5fT (tr), :59.89, 5/6
WINTER MEMORIES (El Prado {Ire}), 5fT (tr), :59.29, 4/6

DEL MAR

CALIFORNIA FLAG (Avenue of Flags), 4f, :49.60, 28/39
COZI ROSIE (Pleasantly Perfect), 6f, 1:12.40, 3/11
DAZZLING DISPLAY (Dehere), 6f, 1:14.40, 9/11
MR. COMMONS (Artie Schiller), 5f, :58.60, 2/46
THE FACTOR (War Front), 6f, 1:13.20, 4/11
UNCLE SAM (Tapit), 6f, 1:14, 8/11

FAIR HILL

CHECK THE LABEL (Stormin Fever), 5f, 1:01.20, 1/4
CRIMSON CHINA (Giant's Causeway), 5f, 1:01.20, 1/4



European Breeders' Edition cont.

Key of Journey (Fr), f, 2, **Great Journey (Jpn)**--Kayza (Ger), by Acatenango (Ger). Granville et Saint Pur sur Mer, France, 8-7, Mdn, 2yo, 1mT. B-Ecurie D. *Third winner for freshman sire (by Sunday Silence).

L'Omignon (Fr), c, 2, **Green Tune**--Cozystorm, by Cozzene. Clairefontaine, France, 8-8, Mdn, 2yo, c/g, 7fT. B-Haras Saint James.

Ruster (Fr), c, 2, **Indian Rocket (GB)**--Tairchope (Fr), by Astair (Fr). La Teste de Buch, France, 8-8, Mdn, 2yo, c/g, 1mT. B-Jean-Marie Lapoujade.

Stormy Howard (Fr), c, 2, **Stormy River (Fr)**--Marcela Howard (Ire), by Fasliyev. Rochefort-sur-Loire, France, 8-7, Mdn, 2yo, 1mT. B-B F Leclere and A Berty. *€14,000 wnlg '09 ARQDEC; €26,000 yrl '10 ARQOCT. **Sixth winner for freshman sire (by Verglas {Ire}).

Queens Sandridge (Ire), c, 2, **Zamindar**--Cabriole (GB), by Dansili (GB). Wolverhampton, Britain, 8-8, Mdn, 2yo, 5f 216yds (AWT). B-David Eiffe. *€42,000 yrl '10 TATIRE; 50,000gns 2yo '11 TATAPR.

Lucky Legs (Ire), f, 3, **Danehill Dancer (Ire)**--Singing Diva (Ire), by Royal Academy. Windsor, Britain, 8-8, Mdn, 3yo/up, 1m 67ydsT. B-Lynch Bages Ltd. *68,000gns yrl '09 TATOCT.

Hisaabaat (Ire), g, 3, **Dubawi (Ire)**--Phariseek (Ire) (MSP-Ire), by Rainbow Quest. Ballinrobe, Ireland, 8-8, Mdn, 3yo, 1 1/8mT. B-Ballylinch Stud. *€140,000 yrl '09 GOFMIL.

Supercharged (Ire), f, 3, **Iffraaj (GB)**--Glympse (Ire), by Spectrum (Ire). Wolverhampton, Britain, 8-8, Mdn, 3-4yo, 5f 20yds (AWT). B-D J Maher. *€17,000 RNA wnlg '08 GOFNOV; €13,500 yrl '09 GOFMIL; 28,000gns 2yo '10 TATAPR.

Areef (Ire), f, 3, **Kheleyf**--Sanpala (GB), by Sanglamore. Carpentras, France, 8-7, Cond, 3yo, 7 1/2fT. B-Kildaragh Stud. *60,000gns yrl '09 TATOCT; 11,500gns HIT '11 TATJUL. **1/2 to Silver Touch (Ire) (Dansili {GB}), GSW-Eng & G1SP-Fr, \$162,429.

Puissance de Lune (Ire), c, 3, **Shamardal**--Princess Serena, by Unbridled's Song. La Teste de Buch, France, 8-8, Mdn, 3yo, 1 3/16mT. B-Round Hill Stud. *50,000gns yrl '09 TATOCT.

Sommernachtstraum (Ger), c, 3, **Shirocco (Ger)**--Salonblue (Ire) (MSW & GSP-Ger), by Bluebird. Dusseldorf, Germany, 8-7, Mdn, 3yo, 1 3/8mT. B-Gestut Wittekindshof. *€30,000 yrl '09 BBASEP. **SP-Ger. ***1/2 to Monblue (GB) (Monsun {Ger}), SW-Ity, \$157,670.

Ratisbona (Ger), f, 3, **Sholokhov (Ire)**--Rondinay (Fr), by Cadeaux Genereux (GB). Bad Doberan, Germany, 8-6, Mdn, 3yo, f, 1m 165ydsT. B-Gerhard Kredel. *€13,000 RNA yrl '09 BBASEP. **1/2 to Rock My Soul (Ire) (Clodovil {Ire}), MSW-Ger & GSP-Fr, \$135,204.

Saderann (GB), c, 3, **Sinndar (Ire)**--Sagalina (Ire), by Linamix (Fr). Montier-en-Der, France, 8-7, Mdn, 3yo, 1 7/16mT. B-His Highness The Aga Khan's Studs SC.

 EUROPEAN-BRED WINNERS

IN JAPAN:
Clever Best (Jpn), g, 3, **King's Best**--Fionula (Ire), by Singspiel (Ire). Hakodate, 8-6, Novice Race, 8.5f. Lifetime Record: 8-1-0-0, \$89,744. O-Masaaki Tanabe; B-Okazaki Farm; T-Hiroki Sakiyama.

THIS DATE IN HISTORY...

August 10, 1936...Seabiscuit defeated one opponent when he captured a Saratoga H. by four lengths in his final start for the Wheatley Stable. He'd subsequently be acquired by automobile magnate Charles Howard.

August 10, 1982...Mary Russ became the first female jockey to surpass the \$1 million mark in earnings when she finished third in the fourth race at Saratoga.

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Stallion	Sire	G1 Winners
Galileo (Ire)	Sadler's Wells	7
Montjeu (Ire)	Sadler's Wells	3
Danehill Dancer (Ire)	Danehill	2
Dubawi (Ire)	Dubai Millennium (GB)	2
Dynaformer	Roberto	2
Medaglia d'Oro	El Prado (Ire)	2
Mineshaft	A.P. Indy	2
Oasis Dream (GB)	Green Desert	2
Refuse to Bend (Ire)	Sadler's Wells	2
Sakhee	Bahri	2
Tiznow	Cee's Tizzy	2

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