



ACCLAMATION VALIDATION IN THE CLASSIC

Acclamation (Unusual Heat) led every step of the way under the cagey Pat Valenzuela and gamely held off favored **Twirling Candy** (Candy Ride {Arg}) to win the GI Pacific Classic by the length of his nose at Del Mar Sunday. The 5-year-old, who races for his breeder, Judy and Bud Johnston's Old English Rancho, in partnership with the couple's son and daughter-in-law Peter and Mary Hilvers, was looking for his third straight Grade I victory yesterday, but had never won on anything but turf. In the winner's circle after the Cal-bred's victory Bud Johnston pointed to trainer Bob Baffert, who trains Classic fourth-place finisher **Game on Dude** (Awesome Again) and laughed, "He's been telling me not to run; all week, he's been telling me, 'That horse is just a turf horse.'" Baffert responded, "And now you know why!" Johnston admitted the close finish was, "heart-wrenching," but added, "I didn't think [Twirling Candy] was going to catch him." **Cont. p3**



Acclamation Benoit

Sunday, Del Mar

TVG PACIFIC CLASSIC S.-GI, \$1,000,000, DMR, 8-28, 3yo/up, 1 1/4m (AWT), 2:00 3/5, ft.

1--**ACCLAMATION**, 124, h, 5, by **Unusual Heat**

1st Dam: **Winning in Style**, by **Silveyville**

2nd Dam: **Lady With Style**, by **Fleet Discovery**

3rd Dam: **Solidity**, by **Solidarity**

O-Peter & Mary Hilvers & E W & Judy Johnston; B-Old English Rancho (CA); T-Donald Warren; J-Patrick A Valenzuela; \$600,000. Lifetime Record: MGISW, 27-8-2-6, \$1,538,048. *1/2 to **Strut Your Stuff** (Bold Badgett), SP, \$233,137; **Always in Style** (Lucayan Prince), SP, \$135,902. **Werk Nick Rating: A+ + .** [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

2--**Twirling Candy**, 124, c, 4, [Candy Ride \(Arg\)](#)--House of Danzing, by Chester House. O-Craig Family Trust, William Farish & Martin Wygod; B-Sidney H & Jenny Craig (KY); T-John W Sadler; \$200,000.

3--**Stately Victor**, 124, c, 4, [Ghstzapper](#)--Collect the Cash, by Dynaformer. (\$250,000 2yo '09 ADNMR; \$110,000 RNA yrl '08 KEESEP). O-F Thomas & Jack Conway; B-Adena Springs (KY); T-M Maker; \$120,000.

Hidden Brook consigned for Adena Springs

Margins: HD, 4, NO. Odds: 4.40, 2.40, 15.60.
 Also Ran: **Game On Dude**, **Quindici Man**, **Tres Borrachos**, **Don Cavallo**, **Jeranimo**, **Setsuko**.
 Scratched: **Bourbon Bay**, **Great Warrior** (Brz).

Breeders' Cup Challenge Stakes

MAYBE, BABY

One of 2011's main stories, Michael Tabor, Derrick Smith and Susan Magnier's **"TDN Rising Star"**



Maybe
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Maybe (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}), just won't give up the winning habit. She used yesterday's G1 **Moyglare Stud S.** to take her record to five-for-five in customary straightforward fashion. As he had in the Aug. 7 G2 **Debutante S.** over this track and trip, Joseph O'Brien let the enthusiastic bay stride to the

front with a quarter mile remaining, and she kept up a relentless gallop to comfortably hold **Fire Lily (Ire)** (Dansili {GB}) by 1 3/4 lengths. "Everything went very smoothly and she's very uncomplicated," trainer Aidan O'Brien said of the 8-13 favorite. "She has the gears. She is progressing and loves her racing." **Cont. p2**

THE FACTOR RETURNS VICTORIOUS

The Factor (War Front), off since running seventh in the GI Arkansas Derby in April, returned to the races with a sparkling performance in the GI Pat O'Brien S. at Del Mar yesterday. The lone sophomore in the field, The Factor battled favored **Smiling Tiger** (Hold That Tiger), put that foe away in upper stretch and forged clear to a 1 3/4-length win over **Camp Victory** (Forest Camp). **Cont. p4**

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Sunday, The Curragh, Ireland

MOYGLARE STUD S.-G1, €225,000, Curragh, 8-28, 2yo, f, 7fT, 1:24.26, gd.

1--▲**MAYBE (IRE)**, 126, f, 2, by [Galileo \(Ire\)](#)

1st Dam: Sumora (Ire) (SW-GB), by Danehill
2nd Dam: Rain Flower (Ire), by Indian Ridge (Ire)
3rd Dam: Rose of Jericho, by Alleged

(€340,000 yrl '10 ARQAUG). O-Michael Tabor, Derrick Smith & Susan Magnier; B-Epona Bloodstock Ltd; T-Aidan O'Brien; J-Joseph O'Brien; €130,500.

Lifetime Record: 5-5-0-0, €262,638. **Werk Nick**

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

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2--**Fire Lily (Ire)**, 126, f, 2, [Dansili \(GB\)](#)--Beauty Is Truth (Ire), by Pivotal (GB). O-Michael Tabor, Susan Magnier & Derrick Smith; B-Beauty Is Truth Syndicate; T-David Wachman; €45,000.

3--**La Collina (Ire)**, 126, f, 2, [Strategic Prince \(GB\)](#)--Starfish (Ire), by Galileo (Ire). (£42,000 yrl '10 DONAUG). O-Joerg Vasicek; B-Manister House Stud; B-Kevin Prendergast; €22,500.

Margins: 1 3/4, 3, SHD. Odds: 8-13, 8-1, 3-1.

Also Ran: Rubina (Ire), Princess Sinead (Ire), Teolane (Ire), Criostal (Ire), Soon (Ire). Scratched: Chieftess (Ire), Coral Wave (Ire), Miss Ellany (Ire).

Breeders' Cup Challenge Stakes

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Moyglare Stud S. winner's circle

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Let go at 8-1 on debut at Naas May 11, Maybe surprised a few with a rare show of strength over six furlongs en route to a 4 1/2-length success, and it was clear that the sky was the limit for this well-bred filly. Her high cruising speed and tenacity were in full effect again at Royal Ascot next time, where the highly regarded Hannon-trained colt Fort Bastion (Ire) (Lawman {Fr})--who since finished runner-up in the G3 Acomb S. --chased her tail in the June 18 Listed Chesham S. over seven panels. Back against her own sex and racing with a three-pound penalty in the G3 Silver Flash S. at Leopardstown July 14, the bay recorded a neck defeat of La Collina, and that form took on an extra dimension at this venue three weeks ago when the runner-up defeated the G2 Coventry S. winner Power (GB) (Oasis Dream {GB}) in the G1 Phoenix S. On the undercard that afternoon, Maybe was disposing of more wannabes in the Debutante, and that race read even better after the third Lightening Pearl (Ire) (Marju {Ire}) ran away with the G3 Round Tower S. earlier yesterday. Breaking best of all to lead for the initial yards, Maybe was quickly headed and given a tow by stable companion Soon (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) up to the three-furlong marker, where Joseph O'Brien was still sitting pretty. He asked her to take control with a quarter mile remaining, with all her rivals off the bridle, and chief rival La Collina under pressure. Sealing the result in a matter of strides when allowed to stride on, Maybe was chased all the way to the line by Fire Lily, but was always keeping daylight between them. "She wasn't doing a stroke in the Silver Flash and came on for that, so I was pretty confident that we'd beat La Collina today," the winning rider explained. "She's very uncomplicated and quickens up when you want her to go on. She is a very big filly and is getting heavier all the time, so hopefully she'll keep on improving." Maybe is now set to follow the same path as last year's winner Misty For Me (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) and take in the G1 Prix Marcel Boussac at Longchamp Oct. 2. "The French race is an option next and we'll definitely think about it," trainer Aidan O'Brien said. "Looking at her today, you'd say a mile would be no problem for her. Her form is very solid and seems to keep coming."

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Acclamation Wires Pacific Classic (cont. from p1)

Acclamation (Unusual Heat), sent off at 4-1, angled over to the rail after the break and, under a patented Pat Valenzuela ride, was unchallenged on the lead through fractions :24.57, :48.65 and 1:12.88 with Game on Dude his nearest competitor a length adrift.



Acclamation (right) and Twirling Candy Benoit

Chantal Sutherland and Game on Dude moved to challenge the pacesetter turning for home and the top two were quickly joined by favored Twirling Candy. Game on Dude began shortening stride at midstretch, and it looked like Twirling Candy had every chance to run down Acclamation, but the winner was always finding more and gamely finished the 1 1/4 miles in track-record time of 2:00.61.

The final half-mile was run in :47.73, with a final quarter-mile in :24 flat. "He broke alertly for me and I wanted the lead," Valenzuela,



Benoit

who won the inaugural Pacific Classic with Best Pal 20 years ago, explained. "He took me there and I was able to slow it down. They came to me at the five-eighths, but I let him run and he was fine with it. At the sixteenth, Twirling Candy came to me and had every right in the world to run by. But my horse stuck his neck out and fought the battle. He wouldn't let him by."

Don Warren, who has been training for Old English Rancho for 33 years, added, "I liked the way he cleared [the field] and got to the front going past the stands the first time. My horse was pretty much off the bridle, pricking his ears and looking into the infield a little bit.

"I was watching the fractions and, when I saw :48 3/5, I thought that was good," Warren continued. "I didn't want him to slow it too much, because then you get riders taking a shot at you early and I didn't want them taking a shot at me, I want them to leave me



Johnston and Valenzuela Benoit

alone early. The fractions were adequate, and it looked like he still had some horse left at the three-eighths pole. It looked like he would be tough to get by and, he was tough to get by." Acclamation is the fifth Cal-bred to win the Pacific Classic.

John Sadler, trainer of Twirling Candy, admitted he was content with the performance of the runner-up. "He ran a very big race," Sadler said. "We're very happy, other than not getting the win. We just came up a head short. We got the trip we

thought he would get. We thought he would pick that horse up, but that horse just out-bobbed him a little bit. But he ran real well."

Untouchable Acclamation...

Acclamation came into the Pacific Classic with a three-race win streak over the California turf this summer. Since running 10th over a sloppy dirt track in the GIII Charles Town Classic in April, the bay earned his second straight victories in both the GII Jim Murray H., which he won by seven lengths May 14, and the GI Charles Whittingham H., which he won by 3 1/2 lengths June 11. He was coming off a 3 1/4-length triumph in the July 23 GI Eddie Read H.

Old English Rancho a California Tradition...

The late Ellwood Johnston, who made his fortune with a pie delivery company, bought his first race horse in 1938. In 1948, the first stallion to stand at his Ontario farm was Old English, leading *Daily Racing Form* columnist Oscar Otis to christen the operation Old English Rancho. In 1957, Johnston's son Bud took over management of the farm. Old English Rancho has bred over 200 stakes winners, including Iron Maiden, the dam of 1957 Kentucky Derby winner Iron Leige and granddam of 1955 Derby winner Swaps. Old English Rancho, which is now based in Sanger, California, was leading North American breeder in 1971 and 1972.

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Sunday, Del Mar

PAT O'BRIEN S.-GI, \$250,000, DMR, 8-28, 3yo/up, 7f (AWT), 1:21 2/5, ft.

1--▲**THE FACTOR**, 118, c, 3, by **War Front**

1st Dam: Greyciousness, by Miswaki
2nd Dam: Skatingonthinice, by Icecapade
3rd Dam: Rain Shower, by Bold Forbes

(\$50,000 wlng '08 KEENOV; \$40,000 yrl '09 FTKJUL; \$250,000 2yo '10 BESMAY). O-Fog City Stable & George Bolton; B-H & W Thoroughbreds (KY); T-Bob Baffert; J-Martin Garcia; \$150,000.

Lifetime Record: 6-4-0-0, \$457,180. **Werk Nick Rating:**

C+. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.

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2--**Camp Victory**, 119, g, 4, Forest Camp--Victory Trick, by Clever Trick. (\$39,000 RNA yrl '08 FTKJUL; \$90,000 2yo '09 OBSMAR). O-Jacobsen & Miller Featherston; B-Atkins Homes Inc (VA); T-Mike R Mitchell; \$50,000.

3--**Crown of Thorns**, 121, h, 6, **Repent**--Crowning Touch, by Thunder Gulch. (\$300,000 2yo '07 OBSMAR). O-Spendthrift Farm LLC; B-Clover Leaf Farms II Inc (FL); T-Richard E Mandella; \$30,000.

Margins: 1 3/4, HF, HD. Odds: 1.70, 5.90, 3.30.

Also Ran: Smiling Tiger, Don Tito. Scratched: Caracortado.

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The Factor, co-owned by David Shimmon's Fog City Stable and George Bolton, stamped himself as a



David Shimmon & Martin Garcia *Benoit*

★ **"TDN Rising Star"** ★ with a track-record setting 8 1/4-length maiden score at Santa Anita Dec. 26. He put himself squarely on the Triple Crown trail with wins in the Feb. 20 GII San Vicente S. and GII Rebel S., but suffered a hairline fracture to a hind ankle while running seventh in the Apr. 16 GI Arkansas Derby and went to the sidelines. Facing older horses for the first time here, the gray colt battled favored Smiling Tiger (Hold That Tiger) through fractions of

:22.41 and :44.28.

The Factor forged clear as Smiling Tiger began to fade after six furlongs in 1:08.60 and the gray flashed under the wire a confident winner. "He was just cruising," reported winning rider Martin Garcia. "[Smiling Tiger] was outside and [Joel Rosario] was riding to get up front. My horse was running easy. He took me up in there without even trying. My horse is really fast. And you saw it today: not



The Factor

Benoit

only is he fast--maybe as fast a horse as I've ever ridden--but he'll keep on going. He wasn't getting tired or backing up there at the end at all. He's a really nice horse." Winning trainer Bob Baffert added, "When this horse is really on his game he is an extraordinary horse. I'm just glad to have him back. He's got the most beautiful stride I've ever seen on a horse. It's like he barely picks up his feet." **To read about Kim Valerio's successful pinhook of The Factor, click [here](#) for the TDN's Feb. 17 article.**

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GI Pat O'Brien H. The Factor (War Front) sparkles in return.

GII Del Mar Mile Caracortado (Cat Dreams) just gets there.

GII Del Mar H. Celtic New Year (North Light {Ire}) holds off Bourbon Bay (Sligo Bay {Ire}).

GII Play the King S. Havelock (Great Notion) sneaks through for the win.

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Saturday, Del Mar

DEL MAR MILE H.-GII, \$200,000, DMR, 8-27, 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:34 1/5, fm.

1--**CARACORTADO**, 120, g, 4, by Cat Dreams

1st Dam: Mons Venus, by Maria's Mon

2nd Dam: Bid to the Mint, by Key to the Mint

3rd Dam: Cautious Bidder, by Bold Bidder

O-Blahut Racing LLC & Lo Hi Racing; B/T-Mike Machowsky (CA); J-Joseph Talamo; \$120,000.

Lifetime Record: MGISP, 17-8-2-3, \$774,105.

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Nick Rating: A+.

2--**Mr. Commons**, 116, c, 3, [Artie Schiller](#)--Joustabout, by Apalachee. (\$70,000 yrl '09 FTKJUL). O/B-St George Farm Racing LLC (KY); T-John A Shirreffs; \$40,000.

3--**Calimonco**, 118, h, 5, Storm Cat--Sweet Life, by Kris S. O-Martin J Wygod & Ballena Vista Farms Inc; B-Pam & Martin Wygod (KY); T-John W Sadler; \$24,000.

Margins: NO, HF, HD. Odds: 1.40, 2.70, 12.40.

Also Ran: Victory Pete, Champ Pegasus, Our Nautique (NZ). Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#), the [brisnet.com PPs](#) or the [free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree](#). Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.

Caracortado, looking for his first win since taking the Sunshine Millions Turf in January at Santa Anita, was beaten just a neck when second to Courageous Cat (Storm Cat) in the July 2 GI Shoemaker Mile and was coming off a third-place effort in the July 23 GI Eddie

Read H. The favorite stumbled at the break, but recovered quickly to contest the pace in the early strides before being taken in hand to settle in mid-pack.

Tipped out five wide at the top of the lane, the chestnut gelding finished full of run, completing the last quarter in :22, to just nose out Mr. Commons for the victory. "I know we only just got there, but I was confident," commented winning rider Joe Talamo. "We had talked before, and [trainer] Mike [Machowsky] and I both said we had to get



Caracortado *Benoit*

him more in the race. He's been coming from too far back and not getting there. But today, he was up closer and I was very confident; I could feel I had a lot of horse under me. When we turned for home, I knew I was going to get there."

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Sunday, Del Mar

DEL MAR H.-GII, \$200,000, DMR, 8-28, 3yo/up,
1 3/8mT, 2:14 4/5, fm.

1--#**@CELTIC NEW YEAR**, 114, g, 4, by **North Light (Ire)**

1st Dam: **Reggae Queen**, by **Dynaformer**

2nd Dam: **Valid Victress**, by **Valid Appeal**

3rd Dam: **Grecian Victory**, by **Dr. Fager**

(\$19,000 RNA yrl '08 KEESEP). O-Michael Jawl;
B-Adena Springs (KY); T-John W Sadler; J-Victor
Espinoza; \$120,000. Lifetime Record: GISP,
17-5-1-5, \$294,422. **Werk Nick Rating: C. Click for
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2--**Bourbon Bay**, 121, g, 5, **Sligo Bay (Ire)**--Coral
Necklace, by **Conquistador Cielo**. (\$1,700 yrl '07
KEESEP). O-David & Jill Heerensperger; B-Adena
Springs (KY); T-Neil D Drysdale; \$40,000.

3--**Imponente Purse (Brz)**, 117, g, 5, **Public Purse**--
White Tea (Brz), by **Sunny's Halo**. O-Jessica
Coudelaria; B-Ulisses Lignon Carneiro (Brz); T-A C
Avila; \$24,000.

Margins: HD, HD, 2 3/4. Odds: 4.50, 0.70, 7.30.

Also Ran: **Make Music for Me**, **Soul Candy**, **Medici Code**
(GB). ***Breeders' Cup Challenge Stakes***

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[catalogue-style pedigree](http://catalogue-style.pedigree). Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.

Celtic New Year won for a \$62,500 tag over the Santa Anita lawn in March and then vaulted into graded stakes company. The bay gelding was third--beaten just a half-length--in the Apr. 17 GII San Juan Capistrano H., then was second in the June 11 GI Charles Whittingham H. and was coming off a third-place effort in the July 17 GIII Sunset H. Lightly weighted at 114 pounds, Celtic New Year stalked in third as Make Music for Me (Bernstein) bowled along through pedestrian early splits. Soul Candy (Birdonthewire) darted from last to first after three-quarters in 1:15.10 and surged clear, but his advantage was fleeting as Celtic New Year forged to the lead in upper stretch and then gamely held off favored Bourbon Bay in the final strides. "He has just been getting better," said winning rider Victor Espinoza. "Every time I ride him, he's better. I worked him a mile the other day and he felt great. I had a lot of confidence today. I knew he was going to run big. And he did." Winning trainer John Sadler added, "This horse was on the east coast last year and last fall [owner] Mike [Jawl] called and said he wanted to ship this horse to California and wondered if I wanted him. I said, 'Sure I want him.' We got him here in California and he just started to come around and got better as the year went on. We thought he was a good third in the San Juan Capistrano and we thought he was a very good second in the Whittingham. We were favored in the Sunset and he ran third, but he has proven himself to be a very good horse in these distance races. We just saved him for this race late in the meet and it worked out."

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Sunday, Woodbine

PLAY THE KING S.-GII, \$208,219, WOX, 8-28, 3yo/up, 7fT, 1:21 2/5, fm.

1--**@HAVELOCK**, 117, g, 4, by Great Notion
 1st Dam: Piconeach (NZ) (SP), by Spectacular Love
 2nd Dam: Delightful Prospect, by Exploding Prospect
 3rd Dam: Delightful Dame, by Aythorpe
 O/B-Silverton Hill LLC (MD); T-Darrin Miller;
 J-Jermaine V Bridgmohan; \$122,244. Lifetime
 Record: 12-5-0-2, \$274,321. **Werk Nick Rating: D +**.
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2--**Riding the River**, 117, g, 4, Wiseman's Ferry--Glow Ruby Go, by Rubiano. (\$3,500 yrl '08 FTKOCT).
 O-Dominion Bloodstock, D Ball & HGHR Inc; B-Juliana Orem (KY); T-David Cotey; \$40,748.

3--**Fatal Bullet**, 117, g, 6, [Red Bullet](#)--Sararegal, by Regal Classic. (\$27,000 2yo '07 ADNMAR). O-Bear Stables Ltd; B-Adena Springs (FL); T-Reade Baker; \$20,374.

Margins: HD, NO, NK. Odds: 18.65, 28.90, 15.70.
 Also Ran: Gypsy Ring, Occasional View, Grand Adventure, Great Mills, Signature Red, Jungle Wave, Mikoshi, Stormy Lord, Court of the Realm.
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Havelock made his first trip north of the border off a narrow victory in the July 16 Arlington Sprint H. Dismissed at 18-1, the Silverton Hill homebred attended



Havelock (right) defeats Riding the River (left) and Fatal Bullet (middle)
M Burns

the pace of Fatal Bullet through an opening quarter in :22.4 while racing along the rail, and was just off that rival through a half in :45.72. He looked to be one-paced in the stretch, but found his best gear late to

sneak through along the inside of the tiring pacesetter in the dying strides to record a narrow victory, while Riding the River closed on the outside to get his nose in front of Fatal Bullet for second. "We've been targeting sprints and turf," confirmed winning trainer Darrin Miller. "Arlington's close to home and this looked like the next logical place to try, to step up and try a graded race with him. It's fallen in place for us." As for what is next for Havelock, Miller said, "I'm sure we'll toss around [the Sept. 18 GI Ricoh Woodbine Mile]. Before [this race] I would have said no, but considering the way he gutted it out today, we'll think about it."

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Sunday, Deauville, France

LUCIEN BARRIERE GRAND PRIX DE DEAUVILLE-G2,
 €200,000, Deauville, 8-28, 3yo/up, 1 9/16mT,
 2:45.00, vsf.

1--**CIRRUS DES AIGLES (FR), 132, g, 5, by Even Top (Ire)**

1st Dam: Taille de Guepe (Fr), by Septieme Ciel

2nd Dam: Roots (Fr), by Funambule

3rd Dam: Ruma (Fr), by Rheffic (Fr)

O-Jean-Claude-Alain Dupouy & Xavier Niel; B-Yvon Lelimoizin & Benoit Deschamps; T-Corine Barande-Barbe; J-Franck Blondel; €114,000. Lifetime Record: MG1SP-Fr, 36 starts, 12 wins, 22 places, €913,827. **Werk Nick Rating: A + + .** [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

2--**Silver Pond (Fr), 132, c, 4, Act One (GB)--Silver Fame, by Quest for Fame (GB).** O/B-Haras du Quesnay; T-Carlos Laffon-Parias; €44,000.

3--**Marinus (Fr), 129, h, 5, Numerous--Marende (Fr), by Panoramic (GB).** (€70,000 yrl '07 DEAAUG; €105,000 HIT '09 ARQARC). O-Saeed Nasser Alromaiti; B-David, Julien & Virginie Elias de Proenca; T-Freddy Head; €21,000.

Margins: 10, SHD, 5. Odds: 0.40, 4.30, 13.00.

Also Ran: Ted Spread (GB), Agent Secret (Ire), Ivory Land (Fr).

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Cirrus des Aigles has flirted with the top table, hitting the board in three Group 1 events this term. Adding to his victory in June's G3 La Coupe at Longchamp, he secured the July 20 G3 Grand Prix de Vichy, by an easy three-lengths in his next-to-last start, and increased his winning margin to eight lengths when annexing the G3 Prix Gontaut-Biron going 10 furlongs here two weeks ago. Cirrus des Aigles was positioned second going past the judge first time until taking over while keeping wide down the backstraight. Still on the bridle as his rivals toiled rounding the home turn, he was coaxed clear inside the final quarter mile to win this prestigious event by daylight. "I have run out of words to describe this horse and how much fun it is to be around him," enthused winning conditioner Corine Barande-Barbe. "Race after race, whatever the ground or distance, he gives a better performance each time. I imagine he is still improving, and we have yet to see him reach his limit. The plan is to now go for the [G2] Prix Dollar [at Longchamp Oct. 1] and then the [G1] Champion S. [at Ascot Oct. 15]. After that, we shall take back him to the Far East."

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Sunday, Baden-Baden, Germany

141ST BESTWETTEN.DE GOLDENE PEITSCH-G2,

€70,000, Baden-Baden, 8-28, 3/up, 6fT, 1:09.61, sf.

1--**SILVERSIDE**, 130, h, 5, by [Pleasantly Perfect](#)

1st Dam: Lyrical Ghost, by Silver Ghost

2nd Dam: Lyrical Prayer, by The Minstrel

3rd Dam: Belle Gallante, by Gallant Man (GB)

(\$30,000 yrl '07 KEESEP; 19,000gns RNA 2yo '08 TATAPR; €26,000 2yo '08 BBAMAY). O-Safsaf Canarias SRL; B-Edward P Evans; T-Frederic Sanchez; J-Julien Grosjean; €40,000. Lifetime Record: 26 starts, 9 wins, 7 places, €282,402. **Werk Nick Rating: C+**. [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

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2--**Smooth Operator (Ger)**, 130, g, 5, Big Shuffle--Salzgitter (GB), by Salse. O-Stall Jenny; B/T-Mario Hofer; €15,500.

3--**Clairvoyance (Ire)**, 127, f, 4, Shamardal--Crystal View (Ire), by Imperial Ballet (Ire). (£80,000 yrl '08 DONAUG). O-Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum; B-Old Carhue Stud; T-H Pantall; €6,500.

Margins: 2HF, HD, 1. Odds: 2.70, 9.00, 19.00.

Also Ran: Rose Blossom (GB), Aslana (Ire), Amico Fritz (Ger), Golden Eagle (GB), Mood Music (GB). Scratched: Verde Mar (Brz), War Artist (Aus).

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Silverside has been prolific at Madrid, winning there eight times, but embarked on a largely unsuccessful world tour after gaining the latest of those victories last October. Off the board in three Meydan events in early spring, he ran third in the Apr. 3 G3 Prix Edmond Blanc at Saint-Cloud before slipping to eighth in the G2 Prix du Muguet back at that Paris venue May 1. The bay then ran fourth when returning to the Spanish capital June 19, and came here off a third in the July 28 G3 Polar Cup at Oslo's Ovrevoll track. Dropping down to six furlongs for the first time in his career, Silverside broke well to race on the front end throughout this top domestic sprint. He wrested control from last year's winner, Amico Fritz (Ger) (Fasliyev), approaching the final eighth and was ridden clear in the closing stages to light up the boards with a lifetime best. In earning a first group-race win, Silverside also provided trainer Frederic Sanchez and jockey Julien Grosjean with landmark scores. "Silverside is an excellent traveller, and the [six-furlong] trip is just right for him, too," explained Chantilly-based Sanchez.



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Sunday, Deauville, France

PRIX QUINCEY LUCIEN BARRIERE-G3, €80,000,

Deauville, 8-28, 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:39.50, vsf.

1--@ZINABAA (FR), 126, g, 6, by Anabaa Blue (GB)

1st Dam: Zigrala (Fr), by Linamix (Fr)

2nd Dam: Zigreen (Fr), by Zino (GB)

3rd Dam: Fiddler's Green (Fr), by Zeddaan (GB)

O-Ecurie Victoria Dreams; B-Mlle Victoria Dubois, Julien Dubois & Etienne Dubois; T-Michel Mace; J-Yannick Letondeur; €40,000. Lifetime Record:

14 starts, 8 wins, 5 places, €163,850. **Click for the [eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree](#). Werk Nick Rating:**

A + +.

2--Sandy's Charm (Fr), 123, f, 3, [Footstepsinthesand \(GB\)](#)--

First Charm (Fr), by Anabaa. (€70,000 yrl '09 ARQOCT). O-Mme Magalen Bryant; B-Jean-Philippe Dubois; T-Francois Rohaut; €16,000.

3--African Story (GB), 128, g, 4, Pivotal (GB)--Blixen, by Gone West. O-Godolphin SNC; B-Darley; T-Andre Fabre; €12,000.

Margins: SNK, 1HF, NK. Odds: 14.10, 1.30, 2.60.

Also Ran: Salto (Ire), Big Hunter (Fr), Unnefer (Fr), Handsome Maestro (Ire), Garde Slickly (Fr), Usbeke (Ger). **Click for the [Racing Post chart](#).**

Zinabaa closed last term with a pair of handicap seconds at Nantes and Angers, and opened this campaign in similar vein with scores at Compiègne and Longchamp. After hitting the board in the May 28 Listed Grand Prix de Bordeaux, he graduated in the June 28 Listed Grand Prix de Compiègne. The French-bred was a last-out fifth to Cirrus des Aigles (Fr) (Even Top {Ire}) in the July 20 G3 Grand Prix de Vichy. Moving smoothly in fourth until stoked up passing the two pole in this pattern-race debut, he was sent in pursuit of Sandy's Charm entering the final eighth and kept on strongly for two flicks of the persuader to inhale that pacesetter on the line. "They crawled throughout the Grand Prix de Vichy last time, and he is not the sort of horse that can quicken instantly," explained trainer Michel Mace. "He needs a good pace and rhythm from the start, and that's what he got here. He loves heavy ground, too, so conditions were perfect for him today. He was winning at Pompadour around this time last year, so you can say he has improved tremendously. We'll have a look at the program, but he'll most probably come back in the [G2] Prix Daniel Wildenstein [at Longchamp Oct. 1]."

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Sunday, Deauville, France

PRIX DE MEAUTRY LUCIEN BARRIERE-G3, €80,000, Deauville, 8-28, 3yo/up, 6fT, 1:12.10, vsf.

1--**MARCHAND D'OR (FR)**, 127, g, 8, by **Marchand de Sable**

- 1st Dam: **Fedora (Fr)**, by **Kendor (Fr)**
- 2nd Dam: **Far But Near**, by **Far North**
- 3rd Dam: **Kesar Queen**, by **Nashua**

O/B-Mme Carla Giral; T-Mikel Delzangles; J-Davy Bonilla; €40,000. Lifetime Record: Ch. Sprinter-Eur, Hwt. 3yo-Fr at 5-7f, Hwt Older Horse-GB & Fr at 5-7f, MG1SW-Fr, G1SW-GB, 35 starts, 12 wins, 12 places, €1,446,500. **Werk Nick Rating: A + + + *Triple Plus***. **Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.**

2--**Definitely (GB)**, 127, g, 5, Diktat (GB)--Perfect Night (GB), by Danzig Connection. O/B-S Emmet & Miss R Emmet; T-Roger Charlton; €16,000.

3--**Le Valentin (Fr)**, 127, g, 5, Slickly (Fr)--Vallabelle (Fr), by Valanour (Ire). O-Mlle Françoise Perree & Yves de Nicolay; B-Mlle Françoise Perree & Gunter Rohe; T-Yves de Nicolay; €12,000.

Margins: HF, NK, 1HF. Odds: 2.70, 9.00, 19.00. Also Ran: Fred Lalloupet (GB), Morache Music (GB), Stark Danon (Fr), Nuit de Glace (Fr), Time Prisoner, Split Trois (Fr), Rock Jock (Ire). Also Ran (not classified): Bluster (Fr), Mariol (Fr), Chopouest (Fr), Poppet's Treasure (GB), Izalia (Fr). Scratched: Chinese Wall (Ire). **Click for the [Racing Post chart](#).**

Marchand d'Or bagged three straight editions of the G1 Prix Maurice de Gheest--from 2006 to 2008--and emerged from the wilderness to run third in this year's renewal here last time Aug. 7. Anchored in rear as the gates opened, he weaved a passage into contention approaching the final eighth and kept on willingly under Davy Bonilla's urging to oust British challenger Definitely nearing the line. "The old boy is still around, and he ran a great race in the Maurice de Gheest last time," said conditioner Mikel Delzangles. "This was an easier race, and the soft ground did not hurt his chances. He is entered in both the [G1] Prix de l'Abbaye and the [G1] Prix de la Foret [at Longchamp] on Arc weekend [Oct. 2], and he will run in one or the other."

Sunday, The Curragh, Ireland

DANCE DESIGN S.-G3, €67,500, Curragh, 8-28, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8mT, 1:55.48, gd.

1--**@BIBLE BELT (IRE)**, 124, f, 3, by **Big Bad Bob (Ire)**

- 1st Dam: **Shine Silently (Ire)**, by **Bering (GB)**
- 2nd Dam: **Walliser (Ire)**, by **Niniski**
- 3rd Dam: **Dingle Bay (Ire)**, by **Petingo (GB)**

O/B-Anamoine Ltd; T-Jessica Harrington; T-Jessica Harrington; J-Fran Berry; €43,875. Lifetime Record: 6-4-0-1, €111,244. *Full to Bob Le Beau (Ire), SW & MGSP-Ire, \$242,979. **Werk Nick Rating: A + + . Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.**

2--**Wild Wind (Ger)**, 124, f, 3, **Danehill Dancer (Ire)**--Woman Secret (Ire), by Sadler's Wells. (€260,000 yrl '09 ARQAUG). O-Susan Magnier, Michael Tabor & Derrick Smith; B-Ecurie des Monceaux; T-Aidan O'Brien; €13,500.

3--**Look At Me (Ire)**, 124, f, 3, **Danehill Dancer (Ire)**--Queen Cleopatra (Ire), by Kingmambo. O-Susan Magnier; B-Queen Cleopatra Syndicate; T-Aidan O'Brien; €6,750.

Margins: 1 1/4, 3/4, 2. Odds: 15-8, 5-1, 20-1. Also Ran: Obama Rule (Ire), Blaze Brightly (Ire), Marvada (Ire), Duchess of Foxland (Ire), One Spirit (Ire), Primevere (Ire), Contredanse (Ire), Gemstone (Ire), Field Day (Ire), Aoife Alainn (Ire), Good Time Sue (Ire), Haziyna (Ire). Scratched: Handassa (GB). **Click for the [Racing Post chart](#). [Video, courtesy attheraces.com](#).**

Third in the G3 C L Weld Park S. over seven furlongs here in September, Bible Belt returned to win a nine-furlong handicap at Leopardstown July 14 before following up in impressive style in the Listed Hurry Harriet S. over an extended nine furlongs at Gowran Park last time Aug. 10. Settled in mid-pack early off the strong tempo, the bay angled wide and quickened decisively to lead approaching the furlong marker en route to a convincing first pattern score. "She's a good filly and is progressive," jockey Fran Berry said. "They went a good gallop and, when she found the gap, she found two lengths very quickly and the race was over. The obvious race is the G2 Blandford S. [back at this venue Sept. 11], and she's entitled to take her chance."

UPCOMING EUROPEAN GROUP 1 RACES

Date	Race	Track
Sept. 3	Irish Champion S.	Leopardstown
	Matron S.	Leopardstown
	Sprint Cup	Haydock
Sept. 4	Grosser Preis von Baden	Baden-Baden
Sept. 10	St. Leger S.	Doncaster
	Irish St. Leger S.	The Curragh
	Vincent O'Brien National S.	The Curragh
Sept. 11	Prix Vermeille	Longchamp
	Prix du Moulin	Longchamp
Sept. 23	Fillies' Mile	Newmarket
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Sunday, The Curragh, Ireland

MARKET SLIDE FLYING FIVE S.-G3, €57,500, Curragh, 8-28, 3yo/up, 5fT, :58.34, gd.

1--**AMOUR PROPRE (GB)**, 129, g, 5, by **Paris House (GB)**

1st Dam: **Miss Prim (GB)**, by **Case Law (Ire)**

2nd Dam: **Calamanco (GB)**, by **Clantime (GB)**

3rd Dam: **Laena (GB)**, by **Roman Warrior (Ire)**

(1,500gns yrl '07 DONOCT; 54,000gns RNA HIT '10 TATHIT). O-Simon Broke & Partners; B-Sheila Oakes; T-Henry Candy; J-Dane O'Neill; €37,375. Lifetime Record: 13-5-2-0, €155,394. **Werk Nick Rating:**

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

2--**Sole Power (GB)**, 134, g, 4, **Kyllachy (GB)**--

Demerger, by **Distant View**. (32,000gns yrl '08 DONSEP). O-S Power; B-G Russell; T-E Lynam; €11,500.

3--**Roicead**, 129, g, 4, [Giant's Causeway](#)--**Coachella**

(GB), by **Danehill**. (\$400,000 RNA yrl '08 KEESEP).

O/B-M G Daly; T-B Duke; €5,750.

Margins: 1 3/4, NK, 1. Odds: 15-8, 5-1, 7-2.

Also Ran: **Move In Time (GB)**, **Invincible Ash (Ire)**, **Celerina (Ire)**, **Empowering (Ire)**, **Anadolu (Ire)**. Scratched: **Katla (Ire)**. [Click for the Racing Post chart. Video, courtesy attheraces.com.](#)

While he did not exactly go missing after wins in Ascot's G3 Cornwallis S. in October of his juvenile campaign and the G3 Palace House S. the following May, Amour Propre spent the rest of 2009 and all of 2010 as an also-ran. Returning to something like his old form when second to Masamah (Ire) (Exceed and Excel {Aus}) in York's City Walls S. July 9, he chased home the same rival in the G2 King George S. again over this trip on his latest outing July 28. Sent up to race with Sole Power and Roicead early, the chestnut looked to be traveling worst of the trio passing the quarter pole, but kept finding to outstay his rivals.

Sunday, The Curragh, Ireland

GO AND GO ROUND TOWER S.-G3, €52,500,

Curragh, 8-28, 2yo, 6fT, 1:11.17, gd.

1--**#@LIGHTENING PEARL (IRE)**, 124, f, 2, by **Marju (Ire)**

1st Dam: **Jioconda (Ire) (SW & GSP-Ire)**, by **Rossini**

2nd Dam: **La Joconde (GB)**, by **Vettori (Ire)**

3rd Dam: **Lust (GB)**, by **Pursuit of Love (GB)**

(€125,000 yrl '10 GOFSP). O-Pearl Bloodstock Ltd; B-Castlemartin Stud & Skymarc Farm; T-Ger Lyons; J-Johnny Murtagh; €34,125. Lifetime Record:

4-2-1-1, €53,425. *Full to **Jolie Jioconde (Ire)**,

GSP-Ire. **Werk Nick Rating: 1st SW for cross. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.**

2--**Experience (Ire)**, 127, f, 2, [Excellent Art \(GB\)](#)--

Kloonlara (Ire), by **Green Desert**. O-Derrick Smith, Susan Magnier & Michael Tabor; B-Whisperview Trading Ltd; T-David Wachman; €10,500.

3--**An Ghalanta (Ire)**, 124, f, 2, [Holy Roman Emperor \(Ire\)](#)--

Alamanta (Ire), by **Ali-Royal (Ire)**. O-Mrs J S Bolger;

B/T-Jim Bolger; €5,250.

Margins: 5, 3/4, 3. Odds: 6-4, 9-2, 4-1. Also Ran: **Boris Grigoriev (Ire)**, **Captain Obvious (Ire)**, **Lady Pastrana (Ire)**. Scratched: **Aaraas (GB)**. [Click for the Racing Post chart. Video, courtesy attheraces.com.](#)

Runner-up to Experience over this trip on debut at Navan June 15, Lightning Pearl opened her account in decisive fashion under a positive ride in a Roscommon maiden over a furlong further July 4. She ran third behind the all-conquering Maybe (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) in the Aug. 7 G2 Debutante S. last time. The bay made light of reverting to sprinting here to readily reverse form with Experience. Trainer Ger Lyons is considering a tilt at either the G1 Cheveley Park S. Sept. 24, the [Oct. 1] £150,000 Listed Redcar Two-Year-Old Trophy or G1 Prix Marcel Boussac Oct. 2 for Lightning Pearl now. "A Group 1 is important, so if we get a chance we'll take it," Lyons said. "The owner also sponsors at Longchamp and there is a mile race there for her, so we'll have to decide about that."

Sunday, Goodwood, Britain

SUPREME S.-G3, £50,000, Goodwood, 8-28, 3yo/up, 7fT, 1:28.01, gd.

1--**LIBRANNO (GB)**, 125, c, 3, by **Librettist**

1st Dam: **Annabelle Ja (Fr)**, by **Singspiel (Ire)**

2nd Dam: **Alamea (Ire)**, by **Ela-Mana-Mou (Ire)**

3rd Dam: **Adjala (Ire)**, by **Northfields**

(26,000gns RNA yrl '09 TATOCT). O-McDowell Racing; B-Oliver McDowell; T-Richard Hannon; J-Richard Hughes; £28,355. Lifetime Record:

13-5-1-1, £193,397. **Werk Nick Rating: A. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.**

2--**Jacqueline Quest (Ire)**, 123, f, 4, [Rock of Gibraltar \(Ire\)](#)--**Coquette Rouge (Ire)**, by **Croco Rouge (Ire)**. (€60,000 yrl '08 GOFMIL). O-Noel Martin; B-Roundhill Stud & C & M Murphy; T-Ian Williams; £10,750.

3--**High Standing**, 126, g, 6, **High Yield--Nena Maka (GB)**, by **Selkirk**. (\$24,000 RNA wnlg '05 KEENOV; \$80,000 yrl '06 KEESEP; 55,000gns 2yo '07 TATAPR; 56,000gns HIT '08 TATAUT). O-Tony Bloom; B-Dr Melinda Blue; T-William Haggas; £5,380. Margins: SHD, 1, NK. Odds: 7-2, 10-1, 12-1.

Also Ran: (DH-4th) **The Cheka (Ire)**, **Hooray (GB)**, **Doncaster Rover**, **Balthazaar's Gift (Ire)**, **Karam Albaari (Ire)**. Scratched: **Lechevalier Choisi (Ire)**, **Palace Moon (GB)**. [Racing Post chart. Video, courtesy Racing UK.](#)

Since his brace of pattern-race successes in the G2 July S. at Newmarket and G2 Richmond S. last summer, Libranno has struggled to make the last jump to Group 1 level and labored under the burden of carrying a penalty in lesser company. Despite that issue, the bay has managed to maintain an admirable level of consistency, and registered a third group win in Newmarket's G3 Criterion S. over this trip June 25. The homebred ran fourth in both the G1 July Cup back there July 9 and the G2 Lennox S. over this track and trip July 26, then faded out of contention in a rare unplaced effort in Deauville's G1 Prix Maurice de Gheest over 6 1/2 furlongs last time Aug. 7. Granted an easy lead here, he was pressed and passed by last year's disqualified G1 1000 Guineas winner Jacqueline Quest passing the eighth pole, but proved more willing than that rival in the run to the line to grab the prize back.



Sunday, Ovrevoll, Norway

MARIT SVEAAS MINNELOP-G3, NKr1,300,000,

Ovrevoll, 8-28, 3yo/up, 1 1/8mT, 1:53.50, hy.

1--**@ENTANGLE (GB)**, 127, m, 5, by Pivotal (GB)

1st Dam: Entwine (GB), by Primo Dominie (GB)

2nd Dam: Splice (GB), by Sharpo (GB)

3rd Dam: Soluce (Ire), by Junius

(3,200gns HIT '08 TATDEC). O-KAOK; B-Cheveley Park Stud Ltd; T-Arnfinn Lund; J-Jacob Johansen; NKr800,000. Lifetime Record: Ch 3yo Filly & Ch. Older Mare-Scan, MSW-Swe, 20-13-4-1, NKr2,789,450. **Werk Nick Rating: A + + + *Triple Plus***. [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

2--**Sir Lando (GB)**, 130, c, 4, Lando (Ger)--Burqa (GB), by Nashwan. (8,000gns RNA wnlg '07 TATDEC; €65,000 yrl '08 ARQAUG). O-Stall Perlen; B-Stowell Hill Ltd; T-Wido Neuroth; NKr260,000.

3--**Bank of Burden**, 132, g, 4, Hawk Wing--Wewantital (GB), by Pivotal (GB). (\$50,000 RNA wnlg '07 KEENOV; €40,000 RNA yrl '08 ARQAUG). O-Oslo Racing Stables & IORR Stables; B-Bjarne Minde; T-Niels Petersen; NKr120,000.

Margins: NO, 1HF, 4. Odds: 4.85, 3.50, 5.30.

Also Ran: Boxing Day (GB), Palermo (Ger), Theatrical Award (Nor), Giant Sandman (Ire), Tertullus (Fr), Runaway (GB), Mulan (Ger), Handsome Hawk (Ire), Alpacco (Ire), Hot Wing (Ire).

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Entangle, last year's runner-up in this event, bagged a seventh stakes score in the May 31 Listed Bloomers' Vase at Taby, and improved her record in the Listed Polar Mile Cup here June 16. She ran fourth, one place behind yesterday's G2 Goldene Peitsche hero Silverside (Pleasantly Perfect), in a competitive renewal of the G3 Polar Cup here again last time July 28, and prevailed by the minimum margin in this to claim a first group-race triumph. Entangle broke sharply from her outside box and raced under a tight rein in a prominent second. Sent to the front at the top of the straight, she went clear at the two pole, but required forceful urging in the closing stages to just hold the late surge of Sir Lando by a pixel.

JAPANESE RESULTS

Sunday, Sapporo, Japan

KEENELAND CUP-G3, ¥76,810,000, Sapporo, 8-28, 3yo/up, 1200mT, 1:08.60, fm.

1--**CURREN CHAN (JPN)**, 119, f, 4, by Kurofune

1st Dam: Spring Ticket (Jpn), by Tony Bin (Ire)

2nd Dam: Kazumi Harukoma (Jpn), by Marzensky (Jpn)

3rd Dam: Senshu Takara (Jpn), by Venture (Fr)

O-Takashi Suzuki; B-Shadai Farm; T-Takayuki Yasuda; J-Kenichi Ikezoe; ¥40,567,000. Lifetime Record: 11-7-2-1. *1/2 to Spring Song (Jpn) (Sakura Bakushin O {Jpn}), GSW-Jpn, \$1,829,204. [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#) **Werk Nick Rating: A + +.**

2--**B B Guldán (Jpn)**, 128, h, 7, Chief Bearhart--All the Chat (NZ), by Westminster (NZ). O-Bando Farm; B-Bando Farm; ¥16,162,000.

3--**Pas de Trois (Jpn)**, 123, c, 4, Swept Overboard--Grand Pas de Deux (Jpn), by Fuji Kiseki (Jpn). O-Katsumi Yoshida; B-Northern Farm; ¥10,081,000. Margins: NK, NO, 3/4. Odds: 0.90, 19.70, 13.10. [Click for the Racing Post chart.](#)

Sunday, Niigata, Japan

NIIGATA KINEN-G3, ¥82,400,000, Niigata, 8-28, 3yo/up, 2000mT, 1:59.10, fm.

1--**NARITA CRYSTAL (JPN)**, 127, h, 5, by Special Week (Jpn)

1st Dam: Precious Lover (Jpn), by Pentire (GB)

2nd Dam: Countess Steffi, by Geiger Counter

3rd Dam: Steven's Treat, by Raise a Bid

O-Osumi Inc.; B-Shiraoi Farm; T-Kazuyoshi Kihara; J-Yutaka Take; ¥43,420,000. Lifetime Record: 25-8-6-3. **Werk Nick Rating: B.** [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

2--**Sunrise Vega (Jpn)**, 123, h, 7, Admire Vega (Jpn)--Opus One (Jpn), by Theatrical (Ire). O-Takao Matsuoka; B-Shimokobe Farm; ¥17,120,000.

3--**Sacred Valley (Jpn)**, 126, h, 5, Tanino Gimlet (Jpn)--Holy Brown (Jpn), by Fuji Kiseki (Jpn). O-Katsumi Yoshida; B-Northern Farm; ¥11,060,000. Margins: NK, 1 1/4, NK. Odds: 7.20, 26.10, 4.60.

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BLACK-TYPE PREVIEWS

Tuesday, Baden-Baden, Germany, post time: 6:15 p.m.

AMERICAN EXPRESS ZUKUNFTS-RENNEN-G3,

€55,000, 2yo, 7fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	2	Amaron (GB)	Shamardal	Helfenbn	Lowe	128
2	3	Amarillo (Ire)	Holy Roman Emperor (Ire)	Starke	Schiergen	126
3	8	Pakal (Ger)	Lord of England (Ger)	Hellier	M Hofer	126
4	5	Percy Jackson (GB)	Sir Percy (GB)	J Fahy	Coakley	126
5	1	Spirit Danon (Ire)	Whipper	Suborics	Schiergen	126
6	7	Caitania (Ire)	Aussie Rules	de Vries	Hiller	122
7	6	Fashion (Ger)	Anabaa	Pedroza	Wohler	122
8	4	Sun of Jamaica (GB)	Cape Cross (Ire)	S Hofer	M Hofer	122

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Saturday, Hipodromo Chile, Chile

CLASICO MIL GUINEAS-G1, Hipodromo Chile, 8-27, 3yo, f, 1600m, 1.35.22, my.

1--**AMANI (CHI)**, 121, f, 3, by Morning Raider

1st Dam: Just Fine (Chi), by Doneraile Court

2nd Dam: Ruby Red (Chi), by Crowning Tribute

3rd Dam: Set Moon (Chi), by Settlement Day

O/B-Haras Sumaya; T-Marco Pavez; J-Hernan Ulloa;

P21,000,000. Lifetime Record: 7-7-0-0,

P73,990,000. Werk Nick Rating: B. Click for the

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

2--**Nueve Lunas (Chi)**, 121, f, 3, Hurricane Cat--Single

Bet (Arg), by Lorenzoni. O-Stud Burlesco; B-Haras

Santa Sara; T-Juan Pablo Baeza; P5,250,000.

3--**Alucina (Chi)**, 121, f, 3, Powerscourt (GB)--Allanite,

by Bold Executive. O-Stud Vendaval; B-Haras Paso

Nevado; T-Juan Carlos Silva; ùP3,150,000.

Margins: 8HF, HF, 3. Odds: 1.30, 3.20, 32.50.

Also Ran: Miral (Chi), Rocca Celestial (Chi), Cabinda

(Chi), Boulders Beach (Chi), Chere Lustre (Chi), Kiss the

Hurricane (Chi), War Machine (Chi), Victory Roar (Chi).

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Amani ran her record to a perfect seven-for-seven with yet another impressive romp in the first leg of Chile's Filly Triple. The budding superstar registered her smallest margin of victory in a Group 3 event back in March, winning by 3 1/4 lengths, then crushed the competition in her next four outings, including an 8 1/4-length laughter in the G1 Premio Tanteo de Potrancas in June. She was odds-on Saturday, and did not disappoint. Rated at the back of the pack, she closed on the field around the bend and overpowered her rivals down the lane to win, once again, as much the best. She goes next in the second leg of the Triple, the G1 Grand Criterium Mauricio Serrano Palma Oct. 1.



RACETRACK Round-Up

HILDA'S PASSION INJURED

Hilda's Passion (Canadian Frontier) exited her 9 1/4-length victory in Saturday's GI Ballerina S. with a non-displaced condylar fracture of her right front ankle and will undergo surgery today at Rood and Riddle Equine Hospital. "As far as those kinds of fractures, it's relatively minor," reported trainer Todd Pletcher. "We'll see after surgery what our plans are." The 4-year-old filly has won eight of 14 starts to date, including last year's GII Raven Run S. and this term's GIII Hurricane Bertie S., GII Inside Information S. and GII Vagrancy H.

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STAY THIRSTY OK AFTER TRAVERS WIN

Repole Stable's **Stay Thirsty** (Bernardini) exited his victory in Saturday's GI Travers S. in fine shape, according to trainer Todd Pletcher. Pletcher called his charge's effort "courageous." "The way it unfolded, he was under pressure from start to finish," Pletcher said. "It was a 'he fended off all challengers the whole way' kind of race." Stay Thirsty also impressed owner Mike Repole. "Yesterday, with the way the race played out, he had to run the entire 1 1/4 miles," Repole said. "He stumbled at the start, dragged Javier [Castellano] to the lead, was pressured by Shackleford (Forestry), had to fight to keep his position. I mean, he fended off opponent after opponent and wasn't in a comfortable spot until he crossed the wire. It was a gutsy, brilliant performance." Repole was also proud of the effort of returning juvenile champion **Uncle Mo** (Indian Charlie), who was second in the GI Foxwoods King's Bishop S. "Uncle Mo ran a really special race yesterday," Repole said. "He had 150 days on the shelf, lost 150 pounds and had to put it back on, and then lost a shoe in the race. It was a brilliant performance. If he had won yesterday, he probably would have been a candidate for the comeback story of the year. Considering what he has been through, we have to really see how he comes out of the race. We will need to check his weight, his blood, and really make sure everything is 100%. If he comes out of the race well, and continues to do as well as he has the last six weeks in Saratoga, then we could have a horse that could run in the GI Breeders' Cup Dirt Mile or GI Classic. But again, he is a horse that, considering what he has been through, we have to see how he comes out of the race before we make any types of plans."

Shackleford to Regroup...

GI Preakness S. winner **Shackleford** (Forestry) attended the pace before tiring to eighth in Saturday's Travers. "He came out good; we'll just go home and regroup," trainer Dale Romans said. "We don't have an explanation for it. He wasn't quite on the bit. He's still on track for the Breeders' Cup." Romans also trains **Sassy Image** (Broken Vow), who finished last as the favorite in the GI Ballerina S. after blowing the turn. The trainer reported the filly tore a quarter on her left front in the race. "That's why she was getting out like she did," Romans confirmed. "She might have done it while she was coming out of the gate."



in sharper focus.

Saturday, Saratoga

BALLSTON SPA S.-GII, \$200,000, SAR, 8-27, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:40, fm.

1--**DAVERON (GER)**, 118, m, 6, by **Black Sam Bellamy (Ire)**

1st Dam: **Darwinia (Ger)**, by **Acatenango (Ger)**

2nd Dam: **Dynamis (Ire)**, by **Dancing Brave**

3rd Dam: **Diasprina (Ger)**, by **Aspros (Ger)**

O-Team Valor International; B-Carlton Consultants Ltd (GER); T-H Graham Motion; J-Eddie Castro;

\$120,000. Lifetime Record: SW-Ger, 16-7-3-1,

\$457,642. **Werk Nick Rating: A. Click for the**

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Team Valor International President Barry Irwin was not on hand to see Daveron swoop to victory in Saturday's GII Ballston Spa S. at Saratoga. Irwin was on the other side of the Atlantic, checking out the catalogue for the BBAG Yearling Sale in Baden-Baden, which starts Friday.

It is fitting that he was in Germany for the victory, however. Not only is Daveron a Team Valor International-purchased graduate of the sale, bringing €100,000 in 2006, but the operation has had an outstanding season with horses connected to that country. In addition to the Ballston Spa heroine, GI Kentucky Derby hero Animal Kingdom (Leroidesanimaux {Brz}) is also descended from German stock.

It was with Animal Kingdom's dam that the appreciation of the German bloodlines began.

"In the fall of 2005, I saw a story in *TDN* about a racing/broodmare prospect named Dalicia (Ger) (Acatenango {Ger}) that was being sold in a German mixed sale," Irwin explained. "I researched her, liked what I saw, and had German agent Dirk Eisele phone me from the sale, where I had him make bids for me. We got her for about €400,000, which was a record price for a mare being sold at public auction in Germany."

What made her worth the price?

"I liked Dalicia because she was gorgeous, she was improving with age and she had form," he said simply.

Dalicia, bred in Germany by Carlton Consultants, took seven starts to break her maiden, graduating going a mile and a quarter, and going on to beat German Horse of the Year and GI Arlington Million runner-up Soldier Hollow (GB) (In the Wings {GB}) in the G3 Preis der Sparkassen-Finanzgruppe at Baden-Baden.

The mare made five starts in California, with a win and a fourth in the GII Beverly Hills H. under the tutelage of trainer Neil Drysdale. She joined the Team Valor International broodmare band, and her first foal was Animal Kingdom.

After Dalicia was retired, Irwin found himself heading to Germany.

"I attended the BBAG sale for the first and [until this year] only time, and landed on two fillies, one being Daveron and the other being [MSP] Mona Lisa (Ger)

(Spinning World)," Irwin recalled. "As is my style, I don't look at the catalogue until after I have inspected all the horses. I was thrilled to learn that Daveron's dam and Dalicia's dam were full-sisters. I bought her and left her in Germany with trainer Andreas Trybuhl, who in 2004 missed winning the [G1] German Oaks by a nose for us with a Monsun (Ger) filly named La Ina (Ger)."



Daveron as a yearling

"Daveron trained and won like another German Oaks prospect, but she encountered some problems, needed a break, and missed the last half of her season at three."

The chestnut returned at four to win a listed event, then headed to the U.S. But she did not take to the American routine.

"We gave her to Christophe Clement and, although she won her debut brilliantly with a 95 Beyer number, she was an emotional wreck training at the racetrack, so I sent her to Graham Motion, who trains offsite at Fair Hill."

The move has proved profitable--Daveron has won four of her last five outings, and added the Ballston Spa to a win in the GIII Beaugay S. earlier this year.

Now Irwin is shopping in Germany once again, but he has no idea what the budget will be.

"I am back at the Baden-Baden sale for the first time since I bought Daveron and Mona Lisa," he remarked, adding, "When I attend any sale, I have no idea if I am going to buy any horses or a lot of horses. It all depends on what I find. I would like to buy a couple of German fillies, if I find something that I consider suitable for exportation at a later date."

For Irwin, there are pros and cons to the German market.

"I have found German breeders much like breeders in South Africa, in that they pay more attention to pedigree than conformation," he offered. "As an American racing man, I demand that the horses I buy have correct front legs and a good pastern angle. That is not easy to find in Europe outside of Ireland and sometimes England. So I am never really very hopeful of finding a lot of suitable looking animals for reasonable prices."

But, he continued, "The reason I have bought and hope to continue to buy German horses is that they are the offspring of drug-free parents, and they are very tough, sound horses. I admire the horses and the breeders, as they have strict standards."



Saturday Night's Results:

ALISON MCCLAY S., \$50,000, PEN, 8-27, (R), 3yo, f, 5fT, :57, fm.

1--**#CLASSY ZIP, 116, f, 3, City Zip--Hanna's Harmony, by Stormin Fever.** O/B-David Ross (VA); T-Michael V Pino; J-William P Otero; \$30,000. Lifetime Record: 8-5-0-2, \$127,383.

2--**Ocean Princess, 122, f, 3, Indian Ocean--Far Sighted Sal, by Distant View.** O-Ronald W Rogers. \$10,000.

3--**Honey Chile, 122, f, 3, Invisible Ink--Christmas Time, by Gilded Time.** O-Peachtree Stable. \$5,500.

Margins: 2, 2, 1 1/4. Odds: 6.30, 12.00, 1.30.

Classy Zip was third in the Alywow S. at Woodbine June 5, but fourth at 4-5 in the Oakley S. last time at Colonial July 30. Up close in the early going after breaking from the rail, the homebred steadied entering the turn. She rebounded quickly, however, to take over and open up entering the stretch and hold sway from there. [Click for the brisnet.com chart.](#)

2nd-CTX, \$26,400, Msw, 2yo, 4 1/2f, :53 3/5, sy. + GLIB (c, 2, Great Notion--Red Valentine, by Dehere) was dismissed at 9-1 despite his conditioner's gaudy 32% win rate with firsters. Stalking a loose leader, Glib swept by with giant strides at the head of affairs and splashed home to earn his diploma by 7 1/4 lengths. Bear's Delite (Go for Gin) was second. Sales history: \$4,700 RNA yrl '10 FTMOCT. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$15,600. [Click for the brisnet.com chart.](#) [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O-Gina Rosenthal. B-Mr & Mrs Charles McGinnes (MD). T-John J Robb.



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3rd-WOX (Msw) Shakespeare's Brew (Shakespeare) overcomes trouble to win impressively first out.



Yesterday's Results:

1st-APX, \$44,691, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$80,000), NW3\$X, 3yo/up, 1 1/4m (AWT), 2:08, ft.

GLEAM OF HOPE (c, 4, City Zip--Victorious Vice, by Vice Regent) took the Gill Jefferson Cup S. under the Twin Spires last June, and was promoted from fourth to third in the Gill American Derby over the lawn here next out July 17. He was turned over to Al Stall Jr. from Anthony Reinstedler at the beginning of this season, but was off the board in a pair of \$100K optional claimers at Churchill Downs in May. Making his first run for Michael Stidham, the 3-5 shot was bumped at the start and relegated to last. He made an early move into contention entering the far turn, and wore down pacesetting Legendary King (Brahms) from there to score by 3/4 of a length. The winner is a half to Forest Prince (Hansel), SW, \$302,812. Lifetime Record: GSW, 15-5-1-2, \$310,412. [Click for the brisnet.com chart.](#) [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O/B-Dr & Mrs A C Asbury (KY). T-Michael Stidham.

9th-ELP, \$25,610, Msw, 2yo, f, 5 1/2fT, 1:03 1/5, fm. + RAZZLEBERRY (f, 2, Vindication--Sogna Di Me {GB} {SP-ity}, by Danehill), a \$3,700 bargain buy KEESEP yearling, was ignored at 13-1 for this first go, but showed good early interest to track the pace through a half in :45.49. She grabbed the lead with a furlong to run and held off a late rally from Miss Ruud (Van Nistelrooy) to graduate by a neck. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$15,600. [Click for the brisnet.com chart.](#)

O-Robert Adleta. B-Clovelly Farms (KY). T-W D Mogge.



Yesterday's Results:

3rd-WOX, \$67,765, Msw, 2yo, 6fT, 1:10 1/5, fm.

+ SHAKESPEARE'S BREW (c, 2, Shakespeare--Brusque {Ch. 2yo Filly-Can, GSW, \$265,464}, by Canaverl) had an upbeat worktab on display for this unveiling, and was backed down to 6-1 from a 20-1 morning line. Left at the gate, the homebred made up ground to be in mid-pack while racing widest of all behind a half in :47.28. He spun past the field turning for home, and quickly opened up daylight to cruise by three lengths without any doubt. Heavy favorite Laugh Track (Distorted Humor) was second. Shakespeare's Brew is the third winner for his freshman sire (by Theatrical {Ire}). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$41,013. [Click for the brisnet.com chart.](#) [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O/B-Dr Frank Justice & Meadow Oaks Farm LLC (ON). T-Kevin Attard.





Canadian Report cont.

Saturday Night's Results:

BIRDCATCHER S., \$50,935, NPX, 8-27, 2yo, c/g, 6 1/2f, 1:18 4/5, ft.

1--**DOUGS BUDDY**, 119, c, 2, **Badge of Silver**--Floral Park, by Forest Wildcat. (\$7,500 yrl '10 KEESEP). O-Doug Blair; B-Langsem Farm Inc (KY); T-Joan Petrowski; J-Rico W Walcott; \$30,561. Lifetime Record: 3-3-0-0, \$72,119.

2--**Silver Baubles**, 118, g, 2, Gilded Time--Silver Seven, by Silver Deputy. O-Bar None Ranches Ltd. \$10,187.

3--**Kiribrassy**, 118, g, 2, Kiridashi--I'm a Brass Lady, by Brass Minister. O-J Halerewich & D J McCurdy. \$5,094. Margins: 1 3/4, 4 1/4, 3/4. Odds: 0.35, 7.65, 9.80.

Dougs Buddy romped by seven lengths on debut here July 20, and aired in the Edmonton Juvenile S. just 10 days later by a six-length margin. The heavy chalk didn't do it in such devastating fashion this time, but he always led and held clear to reward the chalk bettors.

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Yesterday's Results:

8th-DMR, \$91,070, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$62,500), NW2\$X, 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:33 3/5, fm.

ATTICUS JACK (g, 5, **Atticus--Cremedelacramer**, by **Avenue of Flags**), an allowance winner over the Hollywood lawn two starts back in April, was a narrowly beaten fourth in the California Dreamin H. over this course last time out July 24. The 5-1 shot stalked the pace, rallied three wide into the lane, took over in deep stretch and scored by a half-length over Tamarack Smarty (Smart Strike). Lifetime Record: SP, 13-5-0-4, \$195,990. Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#).

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O-Janet Lyons, Jeremy Peskoff & Wind River Stables. B-Greg & Valorie Scherr (CA). T-Brian J Koriner.

6th-DMR, \$64,050, Msw, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:44, fm.

BORN LUCKY (f, 3, **Flower Alley--Suave Queen {SP, \$229,405}**), by **Suave Prospect**) was second in her last three tries--most recently over track and trip Aug. 10--and was the co-favorite at 2-1 with Correspondent (Rock Hard Ten). She set the pace through splits of :24.13, :49.21 and 1:15.07 and held off

Correspondent's game charge up the rail by a half-length. Sales history: \$22,000 yrl '09 KEEJAN; \$18,000 yrl '09 KEESEP; \$150,000 2yo '10 BESMAR. Lifetime Record: 6-1-3-1, \$80,000. Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#). Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.

O-Blahut Racing LLC & Mary Heider. B-My Meadowview LLC (KY). T-Michael Machowsky.



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Saturday Night's Results:

8th-GGX, \$31,780, Msw, 2yo, f, 5 1/2f (AWT), 1:05, ft.

+ **MADOFFWITHTHEMONEY** (f, 2, **Tribal Rule--Courageously**, by **Bold Ruckus**) was 15-1 on the morning line, but went off at 5-1 with several stamina-building six-furlong drills on the page. She was off a step slowly, but quickly recovered to set the pace and draw off to a 3 1/4-length victory over Bluegrass Story (Bluegrass Cat). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$19,500.

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O-Mary Sue Aldrich & George Chakmakian, George. B-G Chakmakian & F Aldrich (CA). T-Sтивен Miyadi.

7th-GGX, \$27,390, Msw, 2yo, f, 5 1/2f (AWT), 1:04 4/5, ft.

OBLIVION (f, 2, **Johar--March to the Sea**, by **Mud Route**) made a middle move before fading to sixth on debut at Sacramento July 23, but took support here to go off at 3-1. The homebred stalked along the outside, made a sweeping move turning for home while traveling quite sweetly and drew off to win by four lengths. Favored Milania (Bernardini) got second money. Sales history: \$4,500 RNA yrl '10 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$15,230. Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#). Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.

O/B-Desperado Stables Inc (KY). T-Steve M Sherman.



First-crop starters to watch: Monday, August 29

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

ANY GIVEN SATURDAY (Distorted Humor), Darley, \$40K, 89/3/0

6-SAR, Msw, 5 1/2fT, +At the Palace, \$30K EAS MAY 2yo, 4-1

DEFER (Danzig), Empire Stud, \$7K, 22/0/0

6-SAR, Msw, 5 1/2fT, Princess Phoebe, 5-1

MY GOLDEN SONG (Unbridled's Song), Valor Farm, \$2K, 36/3/0

5-RUI, Alw, 6f, Ramblin Cadden, 8-1

STONESIDER (Giant's Causeway), Highcliff, \$3K, 40/1/0

6-SAR, Msw, 5 1/2fT, Stock Fund, 5-2

THE WAY HOME (Giant's Causeway), 15/2/1

5-RUI, Alw, 6f, Who Left Who, 7-2

First/Second-crop starters to watch: Monday, August 29

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

HENNY HUGHES (Hennessy), Darley, \$40K, 215/52/4

5-RUI, Alw, 6f, +Flame Broiled, \$13K KEE SEP yrl, 9-2

POMEROY (Boundary), Vinery Ltd., \$13K, 154/46/5

5-PRX, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Brooklyn Cowboy, \$43K OBS APR 2yo, 9-2





AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS

IRELAND:

Crusade, c, 2, Mr. Greeley. See "Ireland."
Castle Bar Sling, g, 6, Diesis (GB). See "Breeders' Edition, Europe."

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3.55 Warwick, Mdn, £4,600, 2yo, 7f 26ydsT

FARRAAJ (IRE) (Dubai Destination) made a highly encouraging debut at Sandown last month when just failing to get to the smart Archbishop (Arch), and will be favored to go one better for the Sheikh Ahmed bin Rashid Al Maktoum-Roger Varian combination. The half-brother to last year's leading freshman sire Iffraaj (GB) meets **Romantic (Ire) (Holy Roman Emperor)**, Yvonne Jacques' half-brother to the 1997 G1 Grand Criterium hero and sire Second Empire (Ire). He showed little for the Sir Henry Cecil stable on debut at Lingfield earlier this month.

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2	2	Gerfalcon (GB)	Hawk Wing	M Dwyer	Meehan	128
3	5	Gold City (Ire)	Pivotal (GB)	Durcan	bin Suroor	128
4	7	Gusto (GB)	Oasis Dream (GB)	de Sousa	Hannon	128
5	3	Mr Musicmster (GB)	Amadeus Wolf (GB)	J Millman	R Millman	128
6	1	Redact (Ire)	Strategic Prince (GB)	Winston	Hannon	128
7	10	Daraa (Ire)	Cape Cross (Ire)	Robinson	C Brittain	123
8	6	Last Bid (GB)	Vital Equine (Ire)	Allan	T Eastrby	123
9	11	On the Dark Side (Ire)	Kheleyf	Makin	K Ryan	123
10	4	Pressure Drop (Ire)	Desert Style (Ire)	J Fahy	J Hughes	123
11	9	Roger Sez (Ire)	Red Clubs (Ire)	Tudhope	T Eastrby	123

Yesterday's Results:

Yarmouth, 14.00, Mdn, £5,500, 2yo, f, 6f 3ydsT, 1:15.48, sf.
 + **ALSINDI (IRE) (f, 2, Acclamation {GB}--Needles and Pins {Ire} {SW-GB & GSP-Fr}, by Fasliyev)**, sent off at 11-2, missed the break, but soon made up ground to race behind the leaders out wide. Making smooth progress to lead passing the quarter pole, the 70,000gns TATOCT yearling was pushed out to register a convincing 3 1/4-length verdict over Silke Top (GB) (Librettist). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, £3,558.
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 O-S Manana; B-D G Hardisty Bloodstock; T-C Brittain.

IRELAND

Yesterday's Results:

Curragh, 14.15, Mdn, €17,000, 2yo, 6fT, 1:13.16, gd.
CRUSADE (c, 2, Mr. Greeley--La Traviata {GSW-US, \$129,248}, by Johannesburg), eighth on debut in York's seven-furlong Convivial Maiden S. nine days previously, was sluggish from the gates before being rushed up to race in the front line. Edging ahead before halfway, the 5-2 pick gradually drew clear in the closing stages despite hanging and running greenly to post a two-length success from Pearl In the Sand (Ire) (Footstepsinthesand {GB}). "He's a lovely colt, and the York maiden rode like a good race," jockey Colm O'Donoghue said of the bay, who may now be aimed at the Listed Blenheim S. back at this venue Sept. 10. "He appreciated the better ground today, and the drop to six wasn't a problem for him. He'll come forward in time. He is a good-moving, strong colt, so I didn't want to be breaking his stride, and he galloped out to the line really well." Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, €11,730. [Video, courtesy attheraces.com.](#)
 O-Michael Tabor, Derrick Smith & Susan Magnier; B-La Traviata Syndicate; T-Aidan O'Brien.

GERMANY

Yesterday's Result:

PREIS DES CASINO BADEN-BADEN-Listed, €20,000, Baden-Baden, 8-28, 3yo/up, 1 3/4mT, 2:58.06, sf.
 1--**#ROSELLO (GER), 116, c, 3, by Lecroix (Ger)--Rote Rose (Ger), by Zinaad (GB)**. O-M Magdalena Holl; B-R Paulick; T-S Weis; J-A Best; €12,000. Lifetime Record: 7 starts, 3 wins, 1 place, €31,050.
 2--**Fair Boss (Ire), 116, c, 3, Mamool (Ire)--Fair Dream (Ger), by Dashing Blade (GB)**. (€10,000 RNA yrl '09 BBASEP). O-WH Sport International; B-Stall Parthenaue; T-Waldemar Hickst; €5,000.
 3--**Oriental Fox (Ger), 116, c, 3, Lomitas (GB)--Oriental Pearl (Ger), by Big Shuffle**. O/B-Gestut Auenquelle; T-Uwe Ostmann; €2,000.
 Margins: 1 1/4, 1 3/4, 8. Odds: 18.90, 3.60, 3.50.
 Also Ran: Flamingo Fantasy (Ger), Mombasa (Ger), Burma Gold (Ire), Lord Emery (Ger), Egon (Ire), Lignon's Hero (Brz), Out of Eden (GB).



Saturday's Result:

Baden-Baden, 18.15, Cond, €102,500, 2yo, f, 6fT, 1:12.68, sf.

SURVEY (GER) (f, 2, Big Shuffle--Shadow Queen {Ger}, by Lando {Ger}), who shed maiden status in an Aug. 6 Bad Doberan conditions heat last time, recovered from an early bump to lead after the initial strides of this valuable event. Stoked up off the home turn, the 73-10 chance was ridden out inside the final furlong to comfortably best old rival Amelie Beat (Ger) (Electric Beat {GB}) by three lengths. Lifetime Record: 4 starts, 2 wins, 2 places, €57,800.

O-LMGW-Bloodstock; B-Roland Lerner; T-Mario Hofer.



NORWAY

Yesterday's Results:

SUBARU NORSK DERBY-Listed, NKr1,100,000, Ovrevoll, 8-28, 3yo, 1 1/2mT, 2:40.30, hy.

1--**WITHOUT FEAR (FR), 130, g, 3, by Refuse to Bend (Ire)**

1st Dam: **Kansas (GB), by Kahyasi (Ire)**

2nd Dam: **Khalafiya (Ire), by Darshaan (GB)**

3rd Dam: **Khalisiyn (GB), by Shakapour (Ire)**

(€47,000 yrl '09 ARQAUG). O-Stall Bonne Nuit;

B-Ralph Meahjohn; T-Arnfinn Lund; J-Fredrik Johansson; NKr550,000. Lifetime Record: SW-Swe, 9-6-2-1, NKr1,667,708.

2--**Manchester (Fr), 130, c, 3, Domedriver (Ire)--**

Metaline (Fr), by Dr Fong. (€5,000 yrl '09 BBASEP).

O-Stall Zucchini; B-Patrick Chedeville; T-Niels Petersen; NKr275,000.

3--**Cawett Cove (Ire), 130, c, 3, Hawk Wing--Memory**

Motel (Den), by Always Fair. (€2,000 wnlg '08 GOFNOV). O-IORR Stables; B-Bjarne Minde; T-Niels Petersen; NKr132,000.

Margins: 1, 5, 14HF. Odds: 0.55, 3.70, 11.50.

Also Ran: **Alvin (Den), Apilado (Ger), Marked By Zorro (Ire), Chelsea (Swe), Favoritten (Nor), Azincourt (Ire), Royal Games (Nor), Ariann (Nor), Brown Beauty (Nor), Sophies Love (Nor), Heather Honey (Nor).**

ERIK O STEENS MEMORIAL-Listed, NKr400,000,

Ovrevoll, 8-28, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/2mT, 2:41.70, hy.

1--**LA ZONA (IRE), 134, m, 5, by Singspiel (Ire)--Reine**

de Neige (GB) (MSP-GB), by Kris (GB). (60,000gns wnlg '06 TATDEC; 155,000gns yrl '07 TATOCT).

O-Stall Perlen AB; B-Century Farms; T-Wido Neuroth; J-Fredrik Johansson; NKr200,000. Lifetime Record: SW-Swe, 21-9-7-3, NKr2,348,500.

2--**Grafitti (GB), 134, m, 6, Dansili (GB)--Reading Habit,**

by Half a Year. (42,000gns yrl '06 TATOCT). O-Fam E Nagell-Erichsen; B-Newsells Park Stud; T-Niels Petersen; NKr100,000.

3--**Fair Flair (Ire), 130, m, 7, Fruits Of Love--Percision**

Vision (Ire), by Eagle Eyed. O-Stall Hope; B-John Quinn; T-Pal Jorgen Nordbye; NKr48,000.

Margins: 1HF, HF, 2HF. Odds: 1.05, 8.90, 11.70.

Also Ran: **What Budget (GB), Geordie Iris (Ire), Mariyca (Ire), Whirly Dancer (GB), Holly Golightly (Swe), Freja (Ire).**

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AMERICA**

BLACK-TYPE RESULTS:

CONNIE ANN S., \$51,500, CRC, 8-28, 3yo/up, f/m, 5fT, :55 4/5, gd.

1--**DON'TTALKTOME, 119, m, 5, Cactus Ridge--**

Withdrawn, by Phone Trick. O-World Thoroughbreds Racing Inc; B-Good Genes Farm Inc (KY); T-Chad J Stewart; J-Fernando Jara; \$30,000. Lifetime Record: GSP, 17-5-1-5, \$209,248.

2--**Miss Maggie Girl, 116, f, 3, Malibu Moon--Unhurried,**

by Out of Place. O-Vegso Racing Stable. \$11,000.

3--**Musical Romance, 123, f, 4, Concorde's Tune--Candlelightdinner, by Slew Gin Fizz. (\$22,000 2yo '09 OBSAPR). O-Pinnacle Racing Stable & William A Kaplan. \$6,000.**

Margins: 3HF, 1, 1HF. Odds: 7.50, 17.00, 1.20.

SYLVIA BISHOP MEMORIAL S., \$50,950, CTX, 8-27, (S), 3yo, f, 7f, 1:27 2/5, sy.

1--**#BLUSHING B. J., 119, f, 3, Rock Slide--B. J. Bear, by Rakeen. O/B-Tim & Judy Grams (WV); T-Timothy C Grams; J-Oscar Flores; \$35,156. Lifetime Record: 9-4-2-3, \$116,554.**

2--**Princess Cecilia, 119, f, 3, Sharp Humor--Cecilia's Crown, by Chief's Crown. (\$27,000 RNA wlng '08 KEENOV; \$34,000 yrl '09 FTKJUL). O-Barbara Armstrong & Gavin-Ty Racing LLC. \$10,190.**

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3--**Buckle Bunny Babe, 119, f, 3, Stephen Got Even--Serafina Pekkala, by Seeking the Gold. O-Longfield Racing. \$5,604.**

Margins: 2, 6 3/4, . Odds: 0.80, 1.10, 4.20.

First Stakes Winner for Freshman Sire

BARBARA SHINPOCH S., \$45,000, EMD, 8-28, 2yo, f, 1m, 1:36 4/5, ft.

1--**#SWEET SAGA, 115, f, 2, Slew's Saga--Cielo Dulce, by Cahill Road. O-Riverbend Stable; B-Gerald & Gail Schneider (WA); T-Larry D Ross; J-Gallyn Vick Mitchell; \$24,750. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-2, \$31,020. *First winner and black-type winner for freshman sire (by Seattle Slew).**

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2--**Talk to My Lawyer, 113, f, 2, Lawyer Ron--Infernal McGoon, by Wekiva Springs. (\$30,000 yrl '10 KEESEP). O-Will This One Do Stable. \$9,000.**

3--**Exclusive Diva, 119, f, 2, Bernardini--Puxa Saco, by Dehere. (\$170,000 RNA yrl '10 KEESEP). O-Northwest Farms LLC. \$6,750.**

Margins: HF, 2 1/4, NK. Odds: 9.50, 4.20, 1.00.

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ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

7th-DMR, \$73,080, 8-27, Opt. Clm. (\$62,500), NW2\$X, 3yo/up, 6 1/2f (AWT), 1:15 3/5, ft.

DETAILS R SKETCHY (g, 5, Great Notion--Wilya Love Me, by Afternoon Deelites) Lifetime Record: 19-4-3-5, \$206,712. O-Baltazar Siquieros. B-Blue Seas Music Inc (MD). T-Hector O Palma.

9th-WOX, \$72,326, Opt. Clm. (\$62,500-\$60,000), NW2X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/4mT, 2:02 4/5, fm.

HAPPY CLAPPER (f, 4, Awesome Again--Phil's Pill, by Cozzene) Lifetime Record: MSP, 11-3-3-1, \$195,369. O-John B Lally. B-Adena Springs (ON). T-Michael J Doyle. *\$47,000 2yo '09 ADNMAR.

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7th-WOX, \$70,860, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 7f (AWT), 1:24 1/5, ft.

PLEASANTFRIDAY (f, 3, Pleasant Tap--Ruby Friday {SW, \$211,927}, by Distinctive Pro) Lifetime Record: 7-2-1-1, \$113,071. O-Trinity Racing Stables Inc. B-Dr Victoria Banks (ON). T-Terry Jordan. *\$18,568 yrl '09 ONTSEP.

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5th-DMR, \$66,750, 8-27, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), NW1\$X, (S), 3yo/up, 1m (AWT), 1:36 2/5, ft.

(MEGA HEAT, g, 4, Unusual Heat--Laguna Sunrise, by Native Prospector) Lifetime Record: 6-3-0-0, \$80,400. O-Sharon Alesi, Ciaglia Racing LLC & Rob Dyrdek. B-Madeline Auerbach (CA). T-Peter Eurton.

5th-WOX, \$62,138, NW2L, (S), 3yo/up, 1 1/16m (AWT), 1:45 4/5, ft.

SQUEEZE THE FOX (g, 4, Foxtrail--Squeezetoy, by Stuka) Lifetime Record: 13-2-2-3, \$73,254. O-Gary McMaster. B-J M Stritzl Stables Inc (ON). T-Daryl G Ezra.

9th-APX, \$38,735, 8-27, NW1\$X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:44 2/5, fm.

BARBIES M (f, 3, Afleet Alex--Real Doll {SW, \$153,932}, by Known Fact) Lifetime Record: 7-2-0-1, \$49,897. O-Flaxman Holdings Ltd. B-William B Harrigan & Mike Pietrangelo (KY). T-Andrew McKeever. *\$40,000 yrl '09 KEESEP.

10th-APX, \$38,735, 8-27, NW1\$X, 3yo/up, f/m, 5fT, :57 2/5, fm.

ATLANTIC VOYAGE (f, 3, Stormy Atlantic--Wilshewed, by Carson City) Lifetime Record: 6-2-0-1, \$54,105. O-Edward A Cox Jr. B-Al Eisman & William Currin (KY). T-James P DiVito. *\$235,000 RNA yrl '09 KEESEP. **Full to Stormello, GISW, \$700,100.

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5th-RPX, \$36,800, 8-27, NW2L, (S), 3yo, f, 7 1/2fT, 1:31 1/5, fm.

SCARLET MIST (f, 3, Pure Prize--Ruby Sky, by Sky Classic) Lifetime Record: SP, 10-2-1-0, \$57,715. O/B-Ronald & Lynn Mock (OK). T-Mark W Buehrer.

5th-PEN, \$33,280, 8-27, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m70y, 1:44 3/5, ft.

OVER SPICED (m, 5, Indy King--Over Dere, by Dehere) Lifetime Record: 36-4-6-7, \$76,614. O-James C Wolf. B-John R Duffey (FL). T-Timothy C Kreiser. *\$7,200 RNA wlng '06 OBSOCT.

3rd-GGX, \$33,208, NW2\$X, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f (AWT), 1:11 1/5, ft.

TRAPPER'S BOUNTY (f, 4, Trapper--K'S Bounty, by Pirate's Bounty) Lifetime Record: 13-5-1-2, \$136,388. O/B-Joseph P Morey Jr Revocable Trust (CA). T-William J Morey Jr.

6th-RPX, \$32,920, 8-27, NW2X, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:09 2/5, ft.

HERECOMESBERT (c, 4, Purge--Star Quality {Arg}, by Southern Halo) Lifetime Record: MGSW-Arg, 13-4-2-0, \$78,971. O-Jack G Brooks. B-Grapestock LLC (KY). T-W Bret Calhoun. *\$50,000 yrl '08 KEESEP.

9th-GGX, \$32,812, 8-27, NW1\$X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:37 4/5, fm.

SWEETLY PEPPERED (f, 4, Peppered Cat--Sweet Bimbo, by Allawinir) Lifetime Record: 16-4-4-1, \$95,724. O-Alexander A Paszkeicz Living Trust. B/T-Alex Paszkeicz (CA).

6th-CRC, \$31,500, Opt. Clm. (\$16,000), NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:37 3/5, gd.

PETITE RIVIERE (f, 4, Sligo Bay {Ire}--Rivery, by Riverman) Lifetime Record: 7-2-2-0, \$35,310. O/B-Edward A Krista & Amy Seltzer (FL). T-Curtis L Garrison. *\$23,000 RNA 2yo '09 OBSAPR.

7th-CTX, \$27,100, 8-27, NW3L, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 7f, 1:28 1/5, sy.

HOT SAUCE (f, 4, Prized--Some Likeit Hott, by Crusader Sword) Lifetime Record: 6-3-2-1, \$60,600. O-Richard & Ellen Schwartz & O'Sullivan Farm LLC. B-O'Sullivan Farms LLC (WV). T-George G Yetsook.

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 DEL MAR
 Banned (Kitten's Joy), 5fT, 1:02.00, 4/4
 Secret Circle (Eddington), 7f, 1:29.40, 7/8
 Switch (Quiet American), 4f, :48.00, 15/55



8th-CTX, \$27,100, NW3L, (S), 3yo/up, 4 1/2f, :52 2/5, my.

HOMBRE (g, 3, Out of Place--Anytime Kris, by Brocco) Lifetime Record: 4-3-0-0, \$47,500. O/T-C Allen Johnson. B-Dr Maurice F Casey III (WV). *\$1,500 yrl '09 FTMOCT.

5th-CTX, \$27,000, 8-27, NW3LX, 3yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:20 2/5, sy.

PLANTATION (g, 4, Luftikus--Stalda, by Chenin Blanc) Lifetime Record: SW, 6-5-0-1, \$105,760. O-Nellie Mae Cox. B-Nellie M Cox & Rose Retreat (WV). T-R Jenkins.

8th-MNR, \$23,000, 8-27, NW3L, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11 1/5, ft.

SPLENDOR TOWN (f, 3, Speightstown--Touch of Splendor {SP}, by Charismatic) Lifetime Record: 10-3-2-2, \$85,471. O-KatieRich Stables. B-Morris B Floyd, Pat Farrah, Dan Tsujioka & Dave Alban (KY). T-Mark Hubley. *\$42,000 yrl '09 KEEJAN; \$37,000 RNA yrl '09 FTKOCT.

9th-MNR, \$23,000, 8-27, NW3L, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:12, ft.

LAY LINE FORCE (c, 3, Forest Grove--Intriguing Slew, by Seattle Slew) Lifetime Record: 8-3-0-0, \$33,020. O/B-Thomas J Young (KY). T-Paul McEntee.

6th-CBY, \$20,077, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, 1m, 1:40 1/5, ft.

COCONINO SLIM (g, 4, Slew City Slew--Wonder Luck {SW, \$129,546}, by Wonder Lark) Lifetime Record: 7-2-1-1, \$30,166. O/B-Catherine DeCourcy (MN). T-McLean Robertson. *1/2 to Brassy Wells (Dixie Brass), MSW, \$164,200; and Only You (Pembroke), MSP, \$196,277.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Toluca, f, 2, Bertrando--Freelovin Fran, by Free House. DMR, 8-27, (S), 5 1/2f (AWT), 1:04 1/5. B-Jim Wilson & Richard Beharry (CA).

+ **Blue Collar Boy, g, 2, Calkins Road--Affirm the Bid, by Affirmed.** GGX, 8-28, 5 1/2f (AWT), 1:05 2/5. B-Mr & Mrs Thomas A Shapiro (CA).

+ **Heated Debate, f, 2, Closing Argument--Feel the Heat, by Unusual Heat.** APX, 8-28, (C), 5 1/2f (AWT), 1:07 3/5. B-Ron Kirk, John Bates & Greg McDonald (KY). *\$5,000 yrl '10 FTKOCT.

Don't Send a Boy, g, 2, Compadre--Oh My Surprise, by Tethra. WOX, 8-28, (S), 7f (AWT), 1:24 2/5. B-Danny Zita (ON). *C\$4,000 yrl '10 ONTSEP.

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+ **Somerset Swinger, f, 2, Gazebo--Gate Swinger (SW, \$117,162), by Wayne's Crane.** CBY, 8-28, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:07. B-Malkerson Stables LLC (MN).

It Takes Heart, c, 2, Put It Back--Halo's Geisha, by Halo's Image. CRC, 8-28, (C), 5f, 1:00 3/5. B-Mark Lloyd & Mildred J Martinez (FL). *\$28,000 2yo '11 OBSAPR.

Another Nitty, f, 2, K One King--She's Nitty Gritty, by On the Sauce. EVD, 8-27, (S), 1m, 1:42 4/5. B-Steve Crowe (LA). *\$1,200 2yo '11 EVDMAR.

+ **Foreign Girl, f, 2, Run Production--Foreign Envoy, by Zarbyev.** LAD, 8-28, (S), 6f, 1:11 3/5. B-Foxwood Plantation Ltd (LA). *Full to Foreign Production, MSW, \$373,625.

Charlie's the Man, c, 3, Indian Charlie--Social Woman, by Woodman. WOX, 8-28, 1 1/8m (AWT), 1:52. B-James & Janeane Everatt & J Arika Everatt-Meeuse (ON). *SP. **\$85,000 yrl '09 KEESEP. ***1/2 to Social King (King Of Kings {Ire}), SW, \$174,040.

Goodbye Jane, f, 3, Speightstown--Goodbye Stranger, by Broad Brush. EVD, 8-27, a1mT, 1:37. B-Mt Brilliant Farm LLC (KY). *\$4,500 RNA yrl '09 KEESEP.

Appella's Wonder, f, 3, Three Wonders--Appella (SW), by World Appeal. CRC, 8-28, 1 1/16mT, 1:45 2/5. B-Jerry M & Jeanne H Cutrona (FL). *\$10,000 wlng '08 OBSOCT; \$16,000 RNA yrl '09 OBSAUG. **1/2 to Tahkodha Hills (Prospector's Halo), GSW, \$548,274.

Cincinnati Kid, g, 5, Lycius--Terminal Buck, by Stacked Pack. SAR, 8-27, (S), 1 1/16mT, 1:42 1/5. B-Dr Gerardus S Jameson (NY). *1/2 to Buck Mountain (Prosper Fager), MSP, \$218,001; and Frivolous Buck (Catienus), MSWP, \$193,729.

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EUROPE**

HANDICAP RESULT:

IRELAND, Curragh, 17.00, 8-28, €100,000, 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:37.63, gd.

CASTLE BAR SLING (g, 6, Diesis {GB}--Lady of the Woods, by Woodman) Lifetime Record: 44-5-5-2, €151,341. O-Bartholomew Murphy; B-Hopewell Investments LLC; T-T O'Mara. *\$22,000 RNA yrl '06 KEESEP; 37,000gns 2yo '07 DONAPR.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Maastricht (Ire), c, 2, Tiger Hill (Ire)--Eurolink Raindance (Ire) (GSW-US, MSP-GB, \$203,498), by Alzao. Beverley, Britain, 8-28, Mdn, 2yo, 1m 100ydsT.

+ **Why Not (Ger), c, 3, Konigtiger (Ger)--Win For Us (Ger)** (Hwt 3yo-Ger at 14f+, GSW-Ger, GSP-Itly, Fr & US, \$190,312), by Surumu (Ger). Baden-Baden, Germany, 8-27, Cond, 3yo, 1 1/8mT. B-Stiftung Gestut Fahrhof. *€150,000 yrl '09 BBASEP. **1/2 to Win For Sure (Ger) (Stravinsky), SW & G1SP-Itly, SW & MGSP-Ger, GSP-UAE, \$345,483.

Willow (Ger), c, 3, Where or When (Ire)--Win Now (Ger), by Monsun (Ger). Magdeburg, Germany, 8-27, Mdn, 3yo, 1 1/8mT. B-Gestut Rottgen.