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They both broke their maidens at first asking going 1 1/16 miles on the Saratoga turf, and both hail from the owner/trainer combo of Jim Scatuorchio and Todd Pletcher. But can **Captain Webb** follow in the hoofsteps



**Captain Webb** Adam Coglianese

of his champion sire, English Channel (Smart Strike)? He will take his next step toward matching the 10 stakes wins and \$5,319,028 in earnings that his dad compiled in today's GII With Anticipation S. at Saratoga. Sent off at 3-2 in his career opener July 30, Captain Webb sat just off a moderate early pace over a rain-softened Spa sod

before pulling away to win by 2 1/2 lengths ([video](#)). The runner-up that afternoon, Daddy Nos Best (Scat Daddy), came back to break his maiden Saturday. "We were pleased the horse who ran second came back and won this weekend," said Pletcher. "We've liked the way he's trained all summer, and his first start was what we were hoping it'd be. We're optimistic." Another son of English Channel, Bluegrass Hall's **Optimizer**, overcame a wide trip to graduate at first asking over this course and distance Aug. 6, and the neck margin of victory flattered the opposition ([video](#)). His connections expect him to handle the jump up in class. "He has the pedigree to be there," said Will VanMeter, assistant to trainer D. Wayne Lukas. "He's been working well, so we're pretty confident he's going to run well. Wayne's philosophy, especially with the 2-year-olds, is that we'll run against one-other-thans whether it's a stakes or it's an allowance race. Obviously, the quality of the competition is going to be a lot stiffer, but you don't really know who you are going up against. They all have the same conditions. If he has a debut maiden winner, he likes to wheel them back in a stakes."

**Thursday, Saratoga, post time: 5:32 p.m. EDT**  
**WITH ANTICIPATION S.-GII, \$150,000, 2yo, 1 1/16mT**

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	ML
1	Captain Webb	English Channel	Velazquez	Pletcher	3-1
2	Knock Rock (K)	Corinthian	Maragh	Schwartz	8-1
3	Fox Rules	Roman Ruler	Grabowski	Ferraro	20-1
4	Dullahan (K)	Even the Score	Desormeaux	Romans	7-2
5	Splendiferous	Pleasantly Perfect	Bridgmohan	Margolis	6-1
6	State of Play (K)	War Front	Dominguez	Motion	5-1
7	Two Months Rent (K)	Purim	Castellano	Toner	6-1
8	Sportswriter	Maybry's Boy	Curatolo	Martin	12-1
9	Optimizer	English Channel	Albarado	Lukas	8-1
10	Clip the Coupons-MTO	Congrats	Castellano	Brown	1-1

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**FLAT OUT SHARP FOR WOODWARD**

All eyes will be on **Havre de Grace** (Saint Liam) in the GI Woodward S. at Saratoga Saturday, but the race will be far from a slam dunk for the filly. **Flat Out** (Flatter)

earned a field-best 113 Beyer when taking the nine-panel GII Suburban H. by 6 1/2 lengths at Belmont Park July 2, and followed up with a second-place effort in the GI Whitney H. Aug. 6 that earned him a 106. He may have been compromised by slow fractions of :49 and 1:13 4/5 in his



**Flat Out** Adam Coglianese

latest, but the presence of the speedy **Rule** (Roman Ruler) should ensure saltier splits, and the 5-year-old has been training like the proverbial boogie bear lost in the forest at Monmouth, most recently working a bullet five furlongs in :57 1/5 Aug. 18. Trainer Charles "Scooter" Dickey sent the bay to Pennsylvania to avoid any problems with Hurricane Irene, then shipped him to Saratoga Monday. After battling quarter cracks and a fractured shoulder with Flat Out, Dickey feels he has him on top of his game for the Woodward. "He's sound and it's a good feeling to know he's doing well," the conditioner said. **Field, p3**

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**Thursday, Baden-Baden, Germany, post time: 7:00 p.m.**  
**78TH DARLEY OETTINGEN-RENNEN-G2, €70,000,**  
3yo/up, 1mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	6	Alianthus (Ger)	Hernando (Fr)	de Vries	J Hirschbrger	130
2	8	Blue Panis (Fr)	Panis	Lemaire	Chappet	127
3	4	Le Big (Ger)	Big Shuffle	Helfenbein	Stoltefuss	127
4	9	Neatico (Ger)	Medicean (GB)	Starke	Schiergen	127
5	3	Santino (Ger)	Rock of Gibraltar (Ire)	Scratched	SCR	SCR
6	1	Shamalgan (Fr)	Ftstpsinthesnd (GB)	Minarik	Savujev	127
7	7	Sir Oscar (Ger)	Mark of Esteem (Ire)	Suborics	Potters	127
8	2	Walero (Ger)	Big Shuffle	Clijmans	Ostmann	127
9	9	Point Blank (Ger)	Royal Dragon	S Hofer	Mario Hofer	122

**Alianthus**, unbeaten in four pattern events this term, will line up at short odds coming off a win in the G2 Grafenberger Meilen-Trophy at Dusseldorf. **Neatico** is another with recent stakes form at Dusseldorf, having bagged the Listed Henkel-Meile there last time. Sole French raider **Blue Panis**, runner-up in the 2010 GII Oak Tree Derby at Hollywood Park, was a last-out third in the July Listed Prix Jacques de Bremond at Vichy.

**Saturday, Saratoga, post time: 4:39 p.m. EDT**  
**PERSONAL ENSIGN INVITATIONAL S.-GI, \$300,000,**  
3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/4m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	Acronym	Empire Maker	Lezcano	Mott	116
2	Ask the Moon	Malibu Moon	Castellano	Wolfson	120
3	Pachattack (K)	Pulpit	Maragh	Butler	116
4	Protesting	A.P. Indy	Velazquez	McGaughey	116
5	Super Espresso (K)	Medaglia d'Oro	Dominguez	Pletcher	116
6	Tiz Miz Sue	Tiznow	Rocco Jr	Hobby	116

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

**FOREGO S.-GI, \$250,000, 3yo/up, 7f**

PP HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1 Jackson Bend	Hear No Evil	Nakatani	Zito	124
2 Sidney's Candy	Candy Ride (Arg)	Velazquez	Pletcher	124
3 Golddigger's Boy	Jump Start	Elliott	Preciado	124
4 Jersey Town (K)	Speightstown	Velasquez	Tagg	124
5 Hamazing Destiny (K)	Salt Lake	Albarado	Lukas	124
6 Escrow Kid	City Place	Castillo	Doran	124
7 Aikenite	Yes It's True	Castellano	Pletcher	124
8 Regal Ransom	Distorted Humor	Dominguez	bin Suroor	124
9 Rule by Night (K)	Malibu Moon	Cohen	Asmussen	124

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

**DEL MAR DEBUTANTE S.-GI, \$250,000, 2yo, f, 7f**

PP HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1 Evelyn's Dancer (K)	Songandaprayer	Baze	Taylor	116
2 Coup de Coeur (K)	Exchange Rate	Rosario	Bonde	118
3 Wild Truffles (K)	Offlee Wild	Quinonez	Powell	116
4 Self Preservation	Lion Heart	Valenzuela	Cecil	122
5 Silent Saga	Silent Name (Jpn)	Espinoza	Cho	118
6 Weemissfrankie	Sunriver	Bejarano	Eurton	118
7 Emerald Gold	War Front	Gomez	Proctor	118
8 Killer Graces	Congaree	Talamo	Hollendorfer	122
9 Woebegon	Saint Anddan	Pedroza	Miller	118
10 Dreamcaster (GB)(K)	Bernardini	Garcia	Baffert	118

**Saturday, Monmouth Park, post time: 5:55 p.m. EDT**

**MOLLY PITCHER S.-GII, \$250,000, 3yo/up, f/m,**

1 1/16m

PP HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1 Payton d'Oro (K)	Medaglia d'Oro	Saez	Jones	117
2 Blind Date	Not For Love	Russell	Smith	117
3 Check Point	Posse	Marquez Jr	Goldberg	117
4 Debonair Darling	Formal Dinner	Trujillo	Sacco	117
5 Quiet Giant	Giant's Causeway	Leparoux	Pletcher	119
6 Absinthe Minded	Quiet American	Luzzi	Lukas	117
7 Champagne d'Oro (K)	Medaglia d'Oro	Desormeaux	Guillot	117
8 Tesoro de Amor	Medaglia d'Oro	Lopez	Plesa Jr	117
9 Arena Elvira (K)	Ghostzapper	Bravo	Mott	117

**Saturday, Monmouth Park, post time: 4:53 p.m. EDT**

**SAPLING S.-GIII, \$100,000, 2yo, 6f**

PP HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1 Voodoo Daddy	City Zip	Leparoux	Asmussen	121
2 Jagati (K)	Yes It's True	Lanerie	Kenneally	121
3 Scallion	Lion Heart	Hill	Biancone	121
4 Sum of the Parts	Speightstown	Lopez	Amoss	121
5 Managed Account (K)	Malibu Moon	Carmouche	Pompay	121
6 Love Those Boots	Love of Money	Franklin	Bailes	121
7 High Heat (K)	Latent Heat	Rose	Trombetta	121
8 Deliburnsky	Flatter	Cotto Jr	Wilson	121
9 Black Rhino (K)	El Corredor	Sanchez	Ward	121
10 She Digs Me (K)	Henny Hughes	Trujillo	Asmussen	121
11 Space Traveler (K)	Malibu Moon	Bravo	Pletcher	121

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

**SEAWAY S.-GIII, \$150,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 7f**

PP HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1 Rashnaa (K)	Tapit	Contreras	Tiller	117
2 Comic Marvel	Distorted Humor	Pizarro	Mott	117
3 Live and Love	Distorted Humor	McAleney	Black	117
4 Amiable Grace (K)	Alphabet Soup	Wilson	Doyle	119
5 Valli With a Vow	Broken Vow	Clark	Carroll	117
6 Dance to the Moon	Perigee Moon	Callaghan	Doyle	117
7 Trip Mom (K)	El Corredor	Da Silva	Asmussen	113
8 Embur's Song (K)	Unbridled's Song	Husbands	Pletcher	124
9 Atlantic Hurricane	Halo's Image	Ramsammy	Simon	117

**Saturday, Arlington Park, post time: 5:37 p.m. EDT**

**WASHINGTON PARK H.-GIII, \$100,000, 3yo/up,**

1 1/8m

PP HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1 Maristar (K)	Giant's Causeway	Baird	Butler	113
2 Burj Alzain (Ire)	Marju (Ire)	Geroux	Butler	114
3 Color Me Blue	Flatter	Thornton	Williamson	114
4 Dark Cove (K)	Medaglia d'Oro	Alvarado	McPeck	117
5 Workin for Hops	City Zip	Graham	Stidham	119
6 Hoosier Kingdom	Repent	Santana	Herrell	113
7 General Quarters (K)	Sky Mesa	Theriot	McCarthy	119
8 Mister Marti Gras	Belong to Me	Perez	Block	119

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

**WOODWARD S.-GI, \$750,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/8m**

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	Ice Box (K)	Pulpit	Lezcano	Zito	126
2	Mission Impazible (K)	Unbridled's Song	Velazquez	Pletcher	126
3	Giant Oak	Giant's Causeway	Bridgmohan	Block	126
4	Rule	Roman Ruler	Castellano	Pletcher	126
5	Convocation (K)	Pulpit	Maragh	Jerkens	126
6	Havre de Grace (K)	Saint Liam	Dominguez	Jones	123
7	Flat Out	Flatter	Solis	Dickey	126
8	Mambo Meister	King Cugat	Jara	Gleaves	126

**Havre de Grace** arrived at Saratoga Race Course about 6 p.m. Wednesday evening after a van ride from Delaware Park ([video](#)). Trainer Larry Jones was at the wheel for the 300-mile trek. "We had a very uneventful trip," said Jones. "It was good coming through New York at this time of day. She's come in good." The rough weather over the weekend forced a change of plans, but her conditioner is hopeful that the schedule mapped out will get his charge to the Woodward in good order. "We had to alter her training this week due to dear old Irene," said Jones. "She didn't get her customary Monday blowout. where she gets to ripping and romping and doing her :57s. We had to gallop that day and were lucky to find a place to gallop. She did have a little blowout [Tuesday], galloped out well, and seems very good this morning. We're going to hope it's the way we should have been training her."



Havre de Grace and Larry Jones arrive at Saratoga NYRA Photo

# RACETRACK Round-Up

## New Rider for Winter Memories...

**Winter Memories** (El Prado {Ire}), who suffered her first loss of the year when fourth at 2-5 in the GII Lake Placid S. Aug. 21, will have a new rider for her next start, *Daily Racing Form* reports. Jose Lezcano, who was aboard for the filly's first seven appearances, will be replaced by Javier Castellano. Castellano had a stellar Saturday at the Spa, with four wins including the GI Ballerina S. and GI Travers S. "[Lezcano has] done well with her," trainer Jimmy Toner told *DRF*. "It's just one of those things where the owners feel like they wanted to make a change. Castellano's riding very well right now. He's on top of his game, and we just wanted to jump on the bandwagon."

## Albertus Maximus Retired...

GISW **Albertus Maximus** (Albert the Great-Chasethewildwind, by Forty Niner) has been retired and will enter stud in 2012 at Shadwell Farm in Lexington. The 7-year-old has not raced since the 2009 G1 Dubai World Cup. "We realized that Albertus was not going to return to his Grade I form, so the decision was made to retire him to stud," said Shadwell Vice President Rick Nichols. "He is a strongly made horse with obvious talent on both synthetic and dirt, and raced successfully on both coasts." Bred by Marianne and Brandon Chase, the bay carried that couple's colors to victory in the \$1-million Breeders' Cup Dirt Mile at Santa Anita in 2008, and was subsequently secured by Shadwell. He captured the 2009 GI Donn H. for that operation in his penultimate career start. Albertus Maximus's record stands at 17-6-3-2 with earnings of \$1,328,230. Though the 2012 stud fee has yet to be announced, Shadwell will waive the fee next season for approved mares, and a bonus of \$5,000 will be awarded to the breeder of his first winner. A bonus of \$10,000 will be awarded to the breeder of his first black-type winner.

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# TDN **Q&A**

The 59th Round Table Conference on Matters Pertaining to Racing, held Sunday, Aug. 14, at the Gideon Putnam Hotel in Saratoga Springs, was highlighted by the presentation of a major industry study entitled, "Driving Sustainable Growth for Thoroughbred Racing and Breeding."

The study was based on exhaustive research that included the analysis of more than 600,000 races over the course of 11 years, more than 150 interviews with industry stakeholders, 1,800 interviews with current and potential racing fans, 30 in-depth interviews with fans, a survey of 920 Thoroughbred owners, and more than 200 interviews with regulators and opinion leaders. McKinsey and Company reached the following conclusion:

"The core values of racing are still powerful, but we are losing the battle for new bettors and new fans. Serious intervention is required to stabilize the fan base and position the industry to resume growth."

"Without new growth strategies, Thoroughbred racing handle will decline by 25% in the next decade. The number of viable tracks will decline by 27%. The losses of an owner will grow 50%, and the foal crop will decline by at least 9%."

"Without new growth strategies, we project that the Thoroughbred racing handle in 2020 will be down 44% from its 2003 peak, and down 25% from 2010."

The results may not have proved startling, but McKinsey and Company used their research to develop a nine-point proposal designed to help point the Thoroughbred industry in the right direction, and The Jockey Club responded by committing to a multi-million dollar plan to put that proposal into action.

### The nine recommendations from the study, "Driving Sustainable Growth for Thoroughbred Racing and Breeding"

- Increased television coverage
- A free-to-play website
- Fewer, better races and better scheduling to increase field size and showcase the best product
- Creation of a social game
- Innovative wagering platforms
- Track-integrated ADW
- Racing integrity reforms
- Encouragement of ownership through greater transparency
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**TDN Q & A cont.**

To get a closer look at The Jockey Club's initiative, which is still in the planning stages, *TDN* sat down for a Q & A with Jim Gagliano, who became the president and chief operating officer of The Jockey Club on Jan. 1, 2010 after serving more than five years as executive vice president and chief administrative officer; and Jason Wilson, the vice president of business development for The Jockey Club since October of 2010.



**Jim Gagliano (left) and Jason Wilson (above)**

**When did The Jockey Club first decide to commission the McKinsey Study?**

**Jim Gagliano:** I began in this role in January, 2010, and during the course of the first six-to-eight months it had come up to me several times with a few good friends and advisors that it might be the time to renew a study of the industry. We had done one in 1975, and when I went back and looked at it, I thought it was right on the mark at the time. It was interesting to look back over that time and see how accurate it was. Part of the motivation for a new study was to get a level set as to where we are, and where we are going. The other part of it was to get advice on how the industry, and specifically The Jockey Club, could put its resources into play to point us in a better direction.

**How much input did The Jockey Club have as to the scope of the Study and the questions that were asked?**

**JG:** McKinsey interviewed all of our stewards, many of our members and all members of our management team, and came to these recommendations. We had quite a bit of input, but, remember, this is a report they prepared for us. This was McKinsey's report. We didn't steer it in any way other than to provide input and let them weigh, objectively, the path.

**Jason Wilson:** McKinsey came up with all the questions on the surveys and all the questions to the interviewees. They led that effort. We just connected them with the people in the industry.

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**How long did it take to get the results of the Study?**

**JG:** We began the process by looking at firms [to conduct the study] last fall. We engaged McKinsey in the early part of 2011. The preparation of the Report was about a 3 1/2-month process, which was largely concluded by the middle of June. Then we agreed to continue to engage them to help us with the implementation of our initiatives, and they're doing that for the balance of this year. We've been driving at a number of initiatives pretty much since we got the results. We received the report and we began acting on it almost right away.

**Was there anything in the Study that came as a surprise, or were the results in line with what you expected to see?**

**JG:** There are a lot of things in the report that, to some, were not new ground, but we thought what was very valuable was the emphasis they placed on certain things over others. Television is certainly not new; even free-to-play games or social games are ideas that have been around, but they quantified for us how we should go about it, and what impact would result. It's really helped us order our priorities, and those are among the highest.



TDN Q & A cont.

What initiative have been deemed most important?

**JG:** We have high priorities right now--TV, social game, free-to-play game, the owners' tool and the predictive tool [to help design a racing schedule that will increase handle and field size and better showcase the top races] are all heading down tracks, where we've applied resources, appointed project managers, and are meeting on these daily. There's not really one over the other in that group.

**JW:** I would say they all have a sense of urgency. Based on where we're going, and where McKinsey has said the industry is going to be in the next five-to-10 years without any change, we think getting these things off the ground sooner rather than later makes the most sense.

Who is working with The Jockey Club on the development of television coverage?

**JG:** We're in touch with a lot of people--racetracks, industry leaders. One of the real limiting aspects of television is what you can acquire [in terms of air time]. We're spending some time with some major networks who are telling us that they usually begin their planning cycle for sporting events, especially on weekends, about four years out, so we are kind of hunting and pecking through the schedules to try to find where they match best with what's available on significant networks. The major leagues are already planning their schedules, and every couple of years there's something called the Olympics--that dominates a lot of time on some networks. World Cups, Olympics, playoffs--these really do dominate an awful lot of time, and sometimes those coincide with our major racing seasons.

**JW:** But we are working with other industry participants to try to get something that works for 2012.  
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**What format will the television coverage take?**

**JG:** We have a desire to take our best racing and to get more of that on television, in formats that make sense to the consumer, to the sporting fan. That's job one.



We've identified an opportunity to do so with races before the Triple Crown; we've identified opportunities for major races in the fall leading to the Breeders' Cup, and there are some other significant

events, especially in the beginning part of the summer, that are currently without television coverage. That's our first priority--America's best races. But it's interesting to note that, since the Round Table, we have heard from no less than 20 independent producers, many of whom want to talk about our sport, with ideas for reality shows.

**JW:** Another interesting dynamic is, in some of our discussions with the network producers, they have said, 'What you're pitching is interesting, but here's another idea that maybe makes sense, and here's some people that you should talk to.' It's really had kind of a snowball effect as far as opportunities are concerned, and we're actively sorting through all of those opportunities. They run the gamut from reality shows to game shows to other types of shows.

**When does The Jockey Club expect to finalize plans for television coverage for 2012?**

**JG:** We'd like to have in hand in the next couple of months a very powerful programming schedule for next year. That's a deadline we've set for ourselves. As far as any other racing programming, that's secondary.

**How far along is the development of the free-to-play game and the social game?**

**JW:** While they are on two separate tracks, they are at the same point in the process. We have sent out RFPs [requests for proposals] on both of those initiatives to some pretty good developers. I should point out that both of those initiatives are being spearheaded by individuals who have significant experience. On the free-to-play side of things, it's being headed by someone with major-league experience building fantasy sports games. On the social gaming side, it's being spearheaded by a gentleman who's responsible for developing one of the top social games that's out there now. But they are both in the RFP stages; we have received some responses, and we expect to have all those responses in a September time frame, with the goal of launching them in the first half of 2012.

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**Is The Jockey Club hands-on in the development process?**

**JW:** It's an iterative process. We are definitely relying on their expertise, but there are certain things we think should be included in both those initiatives.

On the free to play site, number one, it needs to be fun. I know that's basic, but many of the games I have seen introduce racing in a tutorial fashion that makes it seem more like work than play. This is not unique to racing. Number two, it needs to have the ability to migrate people to different levels of engagement (e.g, beginner, league play, handicapping contests). If that can be done in one game, then it is great. I suspect it will take a suite of games to get this exactly right. Number three, it has to reintroduce the social aspect of racing to an online community, so we are very focused on how the user will interact with others, and not just how they will interact with the game.

On the social game, number one--and again, it's a basic point--it should be family friendly. Aside from that, we're more open on its development.

For both: they should be able to support a televised series and integrate with content across these platforms in some manner. It could just be cross promotion, but there may be other tie-ins.



**TDN Q & A cont.**

There are games already in development, so you may be seeing the roll-out of some games as early as the Breeders' Cup, which are being run independent of us. But we've learned about them and we're trying to help them along in any way that we can. We think this is definitely an area where the industry as a whole can innovate, and there are people out there who are willing and able to pick up this ball.

**How will the free-to-play and social games affect the growth of racing's fan base?**

**JW:** This is certainly a new way to bring new fans into the sport, but the focus isn't solely on bringing them to the track, because I think we recognize that people are consuming our sport in a lot of different ways, especially on line. While getting people to the track has historically been one of the most popular ways of getting them involved, certainly using new media also has a role in that. And one of our biggest competitive advantages is that we're the only form of legal gambling available on-line and frankly, people don't know that.



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**JG:** In McKinsey's research, they revealed to us that there is still very low knowledge of our competitive advantage with regard to on-line wagering--people don't know it. There was a very famous commissioner of a major sports league that they interviewed who shared that he didn't know it. He's been in Washington, lobbying on internet sports gambling on behalf of his league for probably many years, and he didn't know that racing has this advantage. Getting the message out there is an important part of what we have to do.

**How can The Jockey Club promote the concept corroborated by the McKinsey Study that fewer races and fewer racing days, as well as better spacing of graded events, would be beneficial to the industry?**

**JG:** We need to build a predictive tool that works, that gives race planners confidence that the data going into it will translate into good advice about their schedules--that's probably the first order of business. Working with McKinsey's quantitative analysts, we're in the process of doing that, and we've been very encouraged by the models they've built. Those models are built upon more than 600,000 races, and dissecting all the pools associated with those races.

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## NTRA REPORT FROM CAPITOL HILL



### INVESTMENT INCENTIVE IN PLACE FOR YEARLING SALES

The Tax Relief Act authorizes a significant investment incentive for Thoroughbred yearling buyers this year in the form of 100 percent bonus depreciation. This incentive allows buyers to write off the entire cost of qualifying property, such as a yearling or new farm equipment, on their tax return. Click on the resources below to learn more.

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**JW:** Going back to the beginning of this study, we've been in constant contact with the racetracks. As the initiative for the predictive tool was being formed, and as the algorithms were being developed for it in the July-August time frame, we did contact some of the folks on the front line to see what the reception would be with this, and what functionality they would like to see. We do plan on going out to racetracks at the end of next month, to do more of a formal road show, but we recognize that getting buy-in from the tracks is very important, so we've sought to get their input as early in the process as we possibly could.

**JG:** We're doing the predictive tool through our subsidiary company InCompass, which has contracts with about 100 different racetracks and racing organizations across the United States--virtually all of them. We sell suites of software products every day to these folks, so we know them well, we deal with them well, we know what they need, and that's an advantage. I liken this a little bit to the equine injury database. When we initiated that a few years ago, the same questions came up--how do you get buy-in, how do you get folks to use it? Well, we work hard at it, we have relationships, we think we've built credible data systems, and our staff is ready and willing to roll up their sleeves and work with track representatives to make sure we have the right product. **Cont. p10**



TDN Q & A cont.

**Is the owners' tool in the same stage of development?**

**JW:** Along the same lines as the scheduling tool, we are seeking input from owners. As part of the McKinsey study, there was a survey of approximately 900-1,000 owners, and we continue to talk to them in limited small focus groups, to see how they would use a tool like this, what functionality they would like. We've recently signed up a project manager for this, and I think we'd like to see it rolled out on a similar time frame [as the free-to-play and social games], the first half, or the first quarter of 2012.

**Does The Jockey Club have a position on exchange wagering, one of the innovative wagering platforms the Study suggested be explored?**

**JG:** No. McKinsey made some recommendations for some trials; we think that makes a lot of sense. We're a different market than the markets that have had success with exchange wagering, and we think that our market should be sensitive to the pricing, but it all begins with trials. I know that there are two states that have already begun to develop a framework for those trials [California and New Jersey], and we think that would be very interesting.

**Has The Jockey Club set specific goals for what is expected to be accomplished through these initiatives?**

**JW:** This is a five-year plan and, specifically, our goal for 2016 is to eliminate the annual 4% erosion of fan base that McKinsey has identified. Within that, what we would hope to do is reduce the number of defections by about 100,000 people per year, attract about 100,000 new fans per year, and that should get us to eliminating that erosion. At the same time, our goal is to grow our handle by about 20%. That is 20% from where we think the handle is going to be in 2016- I think McKinsey has identified an overall decline of about 20%; we hope to recapture that by 2016.

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**QUIET AMERICAN COLT TOPS HEILIGBRODT DISPERSAL** **Shiro** (Quiet American--Tammany Hall, by Clever Trick), an unraced 2-year-old half-brother to MSW No Reason (Precise End), brought a final bid of \$37,000 from Terrell Jarrett Jr. to top Phase III of the Heiligbrodt Racing Stable Dispersal, held Tuesday after the Fasig-Tipton Texas Summer Yearlings Sale at Lone Star Park. The bay, who RNA'd for \$20,000 as a KEENOV weanling, was consigned as [hip 453](#). Forty-two of the 46 Heiligbrodt horses offered by Pike Racing, agent, were sold, bringing an aggregate of \$299,500 and an average of \$7,131. The median price was \$4,600. There were seven withdrawn. A filly by City Zip out of the multiple stakes winning Malagra mare Streak of Malagra topped the Texas Summer Yearlings Sale. Consigned by Pauls Mill Bloodstock on behalf of Judice Farms as [hip 210](#), the chestnut brought \$78,000 from Bill W. Cunningham. For complete results, go to [www.fasigtipton.com/ci/sales/year/2011](http://www.fasigtipton.com/ci/sales/year/2011).



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## APPOINTMENTS

### CARL McENTEE

- Joins the Northview Stallion Station as director of bloodstock services for both the Maryland and Pennsylvania divisions.
- Previously worked at Ghost Ridge Farm in Pennsylvania, where he was involved in acquiring stallions for the Ghost Ridge roster.
- A fifth generation horseman, he graduated from Cambridge College in England in 1997 with a degree in equine biology and breeding management.

### Yesterday's Results:

**P. G. JOHNSON S.**, \$75,000, SAR, 8-31, 2yo, f, 1 1/16mT, 1:42 4/5, gd.

1--#**ALaura MICHELE**, 118, f, 2, by [Arch](#)

1st Dam: **Isobel Baillie (GB) (SP-Fr)**, by **Lomitas (GB)**

2nd Dam: **Dubai Soprano (GB)**, by **Zafonic**

3rd Dam: **Ring of Music (GB)**, by **Sadler's Wells**

O/B-Siena Farms LLC (KY); T-William I Mott; J-Eddie Castro; \$45,000. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, \$81,260.

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[Hip 2693](#) - 1/2 sister selling at KeeSep with **TAYLOR MADE**

2--**New Wave**, 118, f, 2, [Tale of the Cat](#)--Ecology, by Unbridled's Song. (\$300,000 yrl '10 KEESEP). O-G Watts Humphrey Jr. \$15,000.

3--**Bourbonstreetgirl**, 118, f, 2, [Langfuhr](#)--Amaretta, by Woodman. (\$29,000 RNA w/ing '09 KEENOV; \$29,000 RNA yrl '10 KEESEP; \$32,000 2yo '11 OBSMAR). O-Bourbon Lane Stable, John L Moirano, Kevin Brady, & Tom Girard. \$7,500.

A McMahon and Hill purchase for Bourbon Lane Stables and partners

Margins: 2 1/4, 1 1/4, NK. Odds: 3.20, 16.70, 7.00. Also Ran: Putthebabiesdown, Crazy Party, My Due Process. Scratched: Zultanite, Idle Dice, Visionaria (GB).

Despite a pedigree tilted decidedly towards grass--her fourth dam is Glorious Song--Alaura Michelle tried a 4 1/2-furlong event over the Churchill main track May 5 in a single start for trainer Greg Fox, stumbled early on and checked in an even sixth. Turned over to Bill Mott, the dark bay was

switched to the infield, and it paid dividends, as she set the pace and graduated by 4 1/4 lengths at Belmont Park June 29. Stretching out to two turns off a pair of solid recent works, Alaura Michelle settled one from



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the tail while clipping the hedge, and advanced a spot or two entering the far turn. Angled off the inside and three wide exiting that bend, she took aim on the front rank, was a bit late to change her leads, but went about her business and was going away late. Odds-on Crazy Party (A.P. Indy) got a good ground-saving trip and cut the corner into the stretch, but emptied out in the final furlong and finished well back in fifth. "I was really confident in my filly," said winning rider Eddie Castro. "She's a nice filly that I have ridden before and that I enjoy riding. I was able to sit back, even with the slow fractions, and make her relax very well. She had a nice kick in the end to get up." Mott nominated the GIII Miss Grillo S. at Belmont Oct. 2 as the next start for the winner. [Click for the brisnet.com chart.](#) [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)



**Saratoga Report cont.**

**LADY TAK S.**, \$75,000, SAR, 8-31, (R), 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:16 1/5, ft.

1--**KID KATE, 123, f, 4, Lemon Drop Kid--Run Kate Run, by Cherokee Run.** (\$55,000 RNA yrl '08 KEESEP). O/B-Dell Ridge Farm LLC (KY); T-Chad C Brown; J-Eddie Castro; \$45,000. Lifetime Record: MGSP, 17-7-3-3, \$370,429.

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2--**Moontune Missy, 121, m, 5, Forest Wildcat--Moonsong, by Deputy Minister.** (\$150,000 yrl '07 KEESEP). O-Gold Mark Farm LLC. \$15,000.

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3--**Katy Now, 121, f, 4, Tiznow--Katy Kat, by Forest Wildcat.** (\$175,000 yrl '08 KEESEP). O-Mill House. \$7,500.

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Margins: 1, 3/4, NK. Odds: 1.90, 2.85, 2.55.

Third in the GII Distaff S. at Aqueduct in April and in the Nany S. at Belmont the following month, Kid Kate was fourth to recent GIII Endine S. heroine Eve Giselle (Five Star Day) in the the June 25 Sweet n' Sassy S. at Delaware. She improved to round out the exacta at 23-1 behind Tamarind Hall (Graeme Hall) in the Gill Bed o' Roses H. downstate July 3, and was coming into this off a 1 1/4-length success in the restricted Rachel Alexandra S. at the Spa Aug. 1. Favored for a second consecutive black-type success, Kid Kate bided her time in fourth as Moontune Missy showed the way up front. She was guided out widest of all into the lane and gradually reeled in the pacesetter for the victory. [Click for the brisnet.com chart.](#) [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

**10th-SAR, \$58,000, Alw, Opt. Clm.** (\$35,000), NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2fT, 1:02, gd.

**YADIRA (f, 4, Pulpit--Heavenly Cat, by Tabasco Cat)** was slightly disappointing when a well-beaten seventh at debut odds of 5-1 over the Churchill main track July 2, but she atoned for that effort in her latest, a gate-to-wire success over this track and distance Aug. 3. In touch with longshot leaders to the far turn, Yadira responded when set down in upper stretch, drove through between rivals in the final sixteenth and went on to take it by three-parts of a length. Battingstar (Grand Slam) was second best. Yadira is a half to Capitano (Belong to Me), MSW & MGSP, \$576,894; Heavenly Ransom (Red Ransom), GSW, \$181,720; Dilemma (Grand Slam), GSW, \$367,056; and Heavenly Ransom (Unbridled's Song), SP, \$220,902. Sales history: \$250,000 RNA wlng '07 KEENOV; \$260,000 yrl '08 KEESEP; \$575,000 2yo '09 FTFFEB. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, \$61,439 . [Click for the brisnet.com chart.](#) [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#) O-Padua Stables. B-Twin Hopes Farm Inc (KY). T-Steven M Asmussen.

**Another IBS 2yo Auction Purchase**

**Hip 865 - 1/2 sister selling at KeeSep with TAYLOR MADE**

**The SARATOGA Spotlight Race of the Day**



by Brian DiDonato

**Race 11 - Msw, 2yo, f, 5 1/2fT**

Cheyenne Stables went to \$350,000 to secure **Composition** (Malibu Moon) at FTFFEB after the bay worked :10 2/5 ([video](#)). She was unveiled on the main track here Aug. 4, and briefly raced into contention while wide before fading to last. There's very good reason to believe that Composition's future is on grass, however. For one, she's with Christophe Clement--a capable trainer on any surface, but one who is best known for his ample ability with turf. It's unlikely that Cheyenne Stables, who employ a number of conditioners, would have sent a dirt sprinter to Clement. Composition's dam side is also all turf. She's out of MSP grasser St Lucinda (St. Jovite), who produced Manan Mclir (Royal Academy), GSW and GISP on turf; Sandra's Rose (Old Trieste), SW and MGSP sprinting on turf; and Charming N Lovable (Horse Chestnut {SAf}), SW on grass. Composition worked five furlongs over the Oklahoma sod here Aug. 18 in 1:02 1/5 with the dogs up--that drill appears to have come in company with Golden Rock (Bernardini), another 2-year-old filly who was third in her grass debut Aug. 5 and who was entered in the postponed Junior Champion S. scheduled for the Monmouth lawn last Saturday. There are several interesting pedigrees in this race, but Composition's debut has helped to dirty her form a bit while giving her afternoon experience.

**Yesterday's Results:** New Wave was second as the 16-1 longest shot on the board. For more Saratoga analysis, visit the [TDN Blog](#).

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**4th-SAR, \$52,000, Msw, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8m,** 1:52 2/5, ft.

**EMPRESS OF GOLD (f, 3, Empire Maker--Circle of Gold, by Seeking the Gold)**, fifth as the favorite going Churchill's one-turn mile June 4, stretched back to a two-turn route June 30 and nearly got it done, missing by a neck. She was the crowd's selection in a course-and-distance test over an extremely slow main track Aug. 8 and dueled the entire way before settling for yet another neck defeat. Allowed to dictate a very moderate pace this time, the dark bay got six furlongs in 1:14.30, was shaken up in the stretch and walked home an eight-length winner. Maria's Own (Maria's Mon) was second best. Empress of Gold is a half-sister to Chatham (Maria's Mon), MSP, \$156,431. Sales history: \$330,000 yrl '09 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 8-1-3-1, \$71,063. [Click for the brisnet.com chart.](#) [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O-Brushwood Stable. B-Overbrook Farm (KY). T-William I Mott.



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**Saratoga Report cont.**

**7th-SAR, \$52,000, Msw, 2yo, 5 1/2f, 1:04, ft.**  
**OFFICER PRADO (c, 2, Officer--Prado Lady, by El Prado {Ire})** was one of two in this field with prior racetrack experience, but the lion's share of the attention went to Mr. Style (Bluegrass Cat), who finished closest to track-record setter J C's Pride (Henny Hughes) in his debut July 27. Officer Prado improved off a fourth in his first start at Churchill Downs July 3 to run second to Giant Surprise (Giant's Causeway) in a local maiden July 30. Mr. Style won the break and took a short lead early on, but Officer Prado was ridden along to keep pace and was able to hold his spot at the rail. The duo turned for home nearly stride for stride, but Officer Prado was doing slightly the better in the final 100 yards and took it by head as the 3-1 second choice. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, \$42,555. [Click for the brisnet.com chart.](#)  
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 O/B-Kathryn East (TX). T-Steven M Asmussen.

**Thursday, Saratoga, post time: 4:58 p.m. EDT**

**ISLAND WHIRL S.**, \$75,000, 3yo/up, [R], 7f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER
1	Avenging Spirit	Tapit	Lezcano	Barbara
2	Congressional Page	Oriente	Dominguez	Trombetta
3	Rule by Night	Malibu Moon	Castellano	Asmussen
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**EAST**

**Tuesday's Late Results:**

**3rd-PID, \$41,200, 8-30, NW2L, (S), 3yo/up, 5 1/2f (AWT), 1:04, ft.**  
**SCHILLING (g, 3, Artie Schiller--Bezelle {GB} {Ch. 2yo Filly-Ire, GSW-Eng & Ire, MSW-US, \$202,479}, by Dominion {GB})** was haltered for \$12,500 out of a third-place effort against fellow Pennsylvania-breds July 27, but upset a state-bred maiden-special-weight field at 21-1 Aug. 11 in his first go for these connections. Let go here at 6-1, the bay gelding was able to get a reasonably easy lead and was never menaced, scoring by 4 3/4 lengths. Schilling is a half to Bastille (Quiet American), MSW, \$305,083; and Zooming Zellie (King of Kings {Ire}), GSP-SAF. Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-1, \$49,890. [Click for the brisnet.com chart.](#) [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)  
 O-Gregory G Baldwin & Glenn S Wismer. B-Daniel M Ryan (PA). T-Glenn S Wismer.



**CENTRAL**

**Yesterday's Results:**

**1st-HOO, \$38,000, Alw, NW1X, 2yo, 6f, 1:10 1/5, ft.**  
**LET'S GET CRACKIN (g, 2, Eddington--I'maknightschoice {SW}, by Knights Choice)** graduated by three lengths at second asking at Prairie Meadows June 14 prior to posting runner-up efforts in the Iowa track's Prairie Gold Juvenile S. July 16 and in the Prairie Meadows Juvenile Mile Aug. 13. The 2-1 second choice showed good speed to hound odds-on Canigotoo (Menhal) to that one's outside. He engaged that one in earnest in upper stretch and drove past for a 3 3/4-length tally. Sales history: \$23,000 yrl '10 KEESER. Lifetime Record: MSP, 5-2-2-1, \$68,700. [Click for the brisnet.com chart.](#)  
 O-Robson Thoroughbreds. B-Hopewell Investments LLC (KY). T-Timothy E Martin.



**Yesterday's Results:**

**GENEROUS PORTION S.**, \$100,000, DMR, 8-31, (S), 2yo, f, 6f (AWT), 1:10 1/5, ft.  
**1--HELEONOR RUGBY, 123, f, 2, Tribal Rule--Eleanor Rose (SW, \$204,779), by In Excess (Ire).** (\$27,000 2yo '11 BESMAR). O-Jessica Coudelaria; B-Dr John Piconi (CA); T-A C Avila; J-Christian Santiago Reyes; \$60,000. Lifetime Record: GSP, 6-3-1-2, \$188,900.  
**2--Roar Baby Roar, 120, f, 2, Roar--Babe in the City,** by Carson City. O-Mr & Mrs Larry D Williams. \$20,000.  
**3--Lookin for Jonesy, 120, f, 2, Purge--Champ's Rocket,** by Fabulous Champ. O-Capehart, Jones & Myers Jr. \$12,000.  
 Margins: 1, NO, 1 3/4. Odds: 6.00, 5.90, 1.90.

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[P. G. Johnson S. \(SAR\)](#) Alaura Michelle (Arch) drops her name into BC Juvenile Fillies Turf consideration.  
[Lady Tak S. \(SAR\)](#) Kid Kate (Lemon Drop Kid) rolls past late for the win.  
[7th-SAR \(Msw\)](#) Officer Prado (Officer) outslugs odds-on Mr. Style (Bluegrass Cat).  
[1st-DMR \(Msw\)](#) Charm the Maker (Empire Maker) opens her account at first asking.



**Generous Portion S. cont.**

Heleonor Rugby, a maiden winner in her second attempt on the Hollywood all-weather June 2, ran second in a stakes on the dirt at Pleasanton a month later. She came back July 22 to take the CTBA S. at Del Mar, and was a generous price after finishing a solid third in the Gill Sorrento S. Aug. 5. Tucked in at the fence while just off the leaders early, she chased Roar Baby Roar into the lane, taking over inside the final sixteenth before edging clear. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#). [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made](#).**

**6th-DMR, \$83,300, Alw, Opt. Clm.** (\$62,500), NW2\$X, 3yo/up, f/m, 5fT, :56, fm.

**WEST RULER (f, 4, Tribal Rule--West Greeley, by Mr. Greeley)** was haltered for \$32,000 from breeder James Wong and trainer Doug O'Neill after a debut maiden win at Oak Tree in 2009 and, after a long wait, is proving an astute claim. The bay took a starter allowance and was third in the California Breeders' Championship S. for her new connections as a juvenile, but missed her entire sophomore season. She had two wins, a second and two thirds in her first seven starts following her return in March, taking an open allowance on the turf at Hollywood in July and most recently running third by a half length in an optional claimer over this course and trip Aug. 11. The slight 2-1 choice this time, she rated in fourth until they came off the bend, then rallied on the outside to get up for a 3/4-length score over Nice Meidel (Bernstein). Lifetime Record: MSP, 11-5-2-3, \$218,296. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#). [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made](#).**

O-La Cresta Farm. B-James Wong (CA). T-John W Sadler.

**1st-DMR, \$63,350, Msw, 2yo, f, 6f (AWT), 1:11 1/5, ft.**

**+ CHARM THE MAKER (f, 2, Empire Maker--Charm the Giant {Ire} {GSW, \$336,309}, by Giant's Causeway)** sported an outstanding worktab for a barn not known for striking at first asking, and was dispatched at a well-backed 2-1 second choice. Content to lay fifth of this sextet as favored My Bashert (With Distinction) cut out the running, the homebred began picking off rivals while wide on the turn. Kept to her task, Charm the Maker struck the front with a sixteenth to race and pulled impressively clear, scoring by 4 1/4 lengths. Fly Solo (Scat Daddy) was second, while My Bashert tailed off to finish last. Sales history: \$400,000 RNA yr1 '10 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$37,800. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#). [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made](#).**

O-Deborah McAnally. B-Ron McAnally & Deborah McAnally (KY). T-Ronald L McAnally.

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# TODAY'S INSIGHTS

**2:42p 4th-SAR, \$53k, Alw, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8mT**

**HR/TVG** A pair of impressive first-out maiden winners square off in this entry-level allowance. Don Adam's **STAR TORINA (A.P. Indy)** was dismissed at nearly 12-1 for her July 24 debut over 8 1/2 furlongs, a mistake given that her full brother Adriano took the grassy Gill Kent S. back in 2008. The Bill Mott trainee set a very strong pace that afternoon and was never headed, scoring by 1 3/4 lengths. Team Valor International and Andreas Jacobs' **Humadea (GB) (Medicean {GB})** did her work from off the pace, but pulled clear late to take her career bow by 3 1/4 widening lengths Aug. 4 going a half-furlong longer than this. The chestnut is a daughter of Humaita (Ger) (Surumu {Ger}), who won the 2004 Gill Glens Falls H. at the Spa for Jacobs and trainer Graham Motion. [brisnet.com pps](#)

**4:24p 7th-SAR, \$55k, Alw/Opt. Clm., 3yo/up, 1mT**

**HR/TVG** Columbine Stable's **J. B.'S THUNDER (Thunder Gulch)**, last year's GI Dixiana Breeders' Futurity S. upsetter, makes his much-anticipated sophomore debut here. A debut winner just over a year ago on this turf course, in which he defeated subsequent GSW Santiva (Giant's Causeway), he led throughout for a 5-1 tally in the Breeders' Futurity. After racing close to the early pace in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile, he weakened readily and finished ninth. **Lethal Combination (Broken Vow)** won the Gill Saranac S. over these weeds, but the gelding makes his first start of the season and is entered for the \$50,000 tag today. [brisnet.com pps](#)

**6:36p 11th-SAR, \$50k, Msw, 2yo, f, 5 1/2fT**

**HR/TVG** Brereton C. Jones's **CONSTANTINOPE (Istan)** is well-bred for this surface, as the homebred is kin to Silver Reunion (Harlan's Holiday), victorious in the Gill Endeavour S. and runner-up in this track's Gill Ballston Spa S. in 2010. **Run a Risk (Distorted Humor)** had her career debut washed off the lawn and that effort is best forgiven. She too is nicely bred for the turf, as half-brothers Rey de Café (Kingmambo) and El Crespo (A.P. Indy) are graded-stakes winners on the surface and Tricky Causeway (Giant's Causeway) is a Listed winner. [brisnet.com pps](#)

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## APPOINTMENTS

### JOHN D'AMATO AND PAOLO ROMANELLI

- Have been named the new U.S. representatives for the Italian Thoroughbred Sales Company, SGA.
- D'Amato is owner of Palm Tree Stable, which races in the U.S. and Italy.
- Romanelli is president of Ital-Cal Horse Management.
- Will both be based in Florida.



## AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS

### IN BRITAIN:

**Protaras**, c, 4, [Lemon Drop Kid](#). See "Breeders' Edition Europe."



### First-crop starters to watch: Thursday, September 1

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

**ARTICLE OF FAITH** (Storm Cat), So.Indiana Eq, \$2K, 25/2/0  
2-HOO, Msw, 6f, +Article, 8-1

**COMMANDER'S SHOES** (Deputy Commander), 8/0/0

6-LAD, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Valentine Shoes, 12-1

**CORINTHIAN** (Pulpit), Gainesway, \$40K, 135/3/0

9-SAR, Stk, 1 1/16mT, Knock Rock, \$40K OBS APR 2yo, 8-1

11-SAR, Msw, 5 1/2fT, +Thisizsparta, \$70K KEE NOV wnl, 4-1

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

9-SAR, Stk, 1 1/16mT, Optimizer, 8-1

7-HOO, Msw, 6f, English Code, \$20K KEE SEP yrl, 30-1

9-SAR, Stk, 1 1/16mT, Captain Webb, 3-1

**EXCLUSIVE QUALITY** (Elusive Quality), Journeyman, \$4K, 76/3/0

6-LAD, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Exclusive Madame, 8-1

**FLASHY BULL** (Holy Bull), Airdrie, \$10K, 97/9/1

2-HOO, Msw, 6f, +Flashy Kid, \$20K KEE SEP yrl, 7-2

**FRIENDLY ISLAND** (Crafty Friend), Sugar Maple, \$5K, 34/1/0

3-SAR, Stk, 6f, Victory Island, \$60K KEE SEP yrl, 6-5

**HARD SPUN** (Danzig), Darley, \$50K, 143/11/1

11-SAR, Msw, 5 1/2fT, Inny Minnie, \$240K KEE APR 2yo, 5-1

**ISTAN** (Gone West), Airdrie, \$10K, 44/3/0

11-SAR, Msw, 5 1/2fT, +Constantinople, 6-1

**L'GRANDE D'ORO** (Grand Slam), 2/0/0

7-LAD, Msw, 6f, Big Gold Jet, 12-1

**LAWYER RON** (Langfuhr), Stonewall, \$30K, 80/6/0

11-SAR, Msw, 5 1/2fT, Certainty, \$55K KEE APR 2yo, 20-1

**MAYBRY'S BOY** (Broad Brush), 5/1/0

9-SAR, Stk, 1 1/16mT, Sportswriter, 12-1

**POLITICAL FORCE** (Unbridled's Song), Claiborne, \$15K, 73/6/0

7-HOO, Msw, 6f, Political Race, \$22K KEE SEP yrl, 12-1

**PRIMARY SUSPECT** (Hennessy), McDowell, \$2K, 32/2/0

6-LAD, Msw, 5 1/2f, Primarily Payton, 6-1

**PURIM** (Dynaformer), Richland Hills, \$10K, 74/0/0

3-EVD, Msw, 1m, Dynabird, \$5K KEE JAN yrl, 15-1

9-SAR, Stk, 1 1/16mT, Two Months Rent, \$17K KEE SEP yrl, 6-1

**SCAT DADDY** (Johannesburg), Ashford, \$30K, 111/11/1

11-SAR, Msw, 5 1/2fT, Dorothy's Spirit, \$120K KEE SEP yrl, 9-2

**SORCERER'S STONE** (Gulch), Judice, \$2K, 28/1/0

3-EVD, Msw, 1m, Stone Keeper, 8-1

3-EVD, Msw, 1m, Sorcerer's Cajun, 20-1

**SOUTHERN SUCCESS** (Dixieland Band), 16/0/0

4-HOO, Msw, 6f, Beacher, 30-1

**STREET SENSE** (Street Cry {Ire}), Darley, \$75K, 114/5/0

11-SAR, Msw, 5 1/2fT, +Aubby K, 5-1

### First/Second-crop starters to watch: Thursday, Sept. 1

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

**CONGRATS** (A.P. Indy), Vinery Ltd., \$13K, 181/61/4

9-SAR, Stk, 1 1/16mT, Clip the Coupons, \$100K OBS AUG yrl, 1-1

**FIRST SAMURAI** (Giant's Causeway), Claiborne Farm, \$40K, 161/35/4

7-HOO, Msw, 6f, +Ninja Cat, \$55K KEE SEP yrl, 10-1

**LION TAMER** (Will's Way), Clear Creek Stud LLC, \$5K, 42/12/0

7-LAD, Msw, 6f, +Lion Warrior, \$7K TEX AUG yrl, 15-1

**ROCKPORT HARBOR** (Unbridled's Song), Darley, \$20K, 215/64/4

6-LAD, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Rock Steady Baby, \$9K OBS APR 2yo, 7-2

3-SAR, Stk, 6f, Harbor Mist, \$40K NEW OCT wnl, 4-1

**WAR FRONT** (Danzig), Claiborne Farm, \$13K, 139/44/8

9-SAR, Stk, 1 1/16mT, State of Play, \$13K KEE SEP yrl, 5-1

11-SAR, Msw, 5 1/2fT, +Peace Preserver, \$75K OBS MAR 2yo, 15-1

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### HOOF IT SISTER DOMINATES PREMIER OPENER

Doncaster's Premier Yearling Sale got underway yesterday, with a full-sister to leading sprinter Hoof It (GB) (Monsieur Bond {Ire}) finishing up clearly best after selling to Dwayne Woods for £147,000. Also a full-



**Lot 165**  
DBS/Sarah Farnsworth

sibling to this year's G3 Summer S. winner and last year's G2 Queen Mary S. third Ladies Are Forever (GB), and closely related to three other winners, Jamie Railton's [hip 165](#) proved hot property, with Woods prevailing after a battle with Blandford Bloodstock. "She's been bought for a partnership that will include [the breeder] Reg Bond," Woods told the *Racing Post*. "A trainer will be chosen depending on who joins the syndicate." The only other to make six figures was Grove Stud's [hip 224](#), a son of Acclamation (GB) whose second dam is the listed-winning Aga Khan mare Kermiyana (Ire) (Green Desert). The colt fell to McKeever Bloodstock for £105,000. He was purchased on behalf of owner Steve Parkin, whose horses run under the name Clipper Logistics, and he will be trained by Roger Varian. Acclamation, whose current crop of 2-year-olds are flying the flag, was also responsible for the sale of Stowell Hill's [hip 54](#), a January-foaled daughter of the group-placed Bandanna (GB) (Bandmaster) knocked down to Jane Allison for £70,000.

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**An Oasis Of Quality...**

Oasis Dream (GB) had only three catalogued and two of those made a splash early on in the trading. Gill Richardson was on hand to pay £85,000 for Croom House Stud's [hip 32](#), an April-foaled filly whose dam is a half to the 2000 G2 Rockfel S. winner Sayedah (Ire) (Darshaan {GB}). Her page includes Kayrawan (Mr. Prospector) and Haatef (Danzig), whose first crop are selling this week. Bought on behalf of owner Jon Aisbitt, she will enter training with Mick Channon. "She was just a lovely looking filly who walked very well and looked a real 2-year-old," Richardson told the *Post*. "Jon wanted a 2-year-old type and she shouldn't take too long to get ready. Jon is starting to put a broodmare band together. He's put a lot into it--he picks them out on pedigree and I look at them." Also in demand was an Oasis Dream colt consigned by Mountarmstrong Stud, who was snapped up by trainer Jedd O'Keeffe for £65,000. [Hip 22](#) is the first foal out of the listed-winning Alexander Alliance (Ire) (Danetime {Ire}), whose page features the pattern-race sprinters Ruby Rocket (Ire) (Indian Rocket {GB}) and Swiss Diva (GB) (Pivotal {GB}), among others. Kyllachy (GB) also proved popular, with three of his representatives in the top eight. All colts, they were Trickle-down Stud's [hip 174](#), a full-brother to the triple group scorer Arabian Gleam (GB), who sold to Richard Frisby Bloodstock for £85,000; Tally-Ho Stud's [hip 209](#), a son of the listed-placed Ivania (GB) (First Trump {GB}), who was one of a number secured by Ross Doyle, at £80,000; and another from the Jamie Railton draft in [hip 160](#), a £78,000 purchase by McKeever Bloodstock, whose dam is a half to the listed scorer Ronaldsay (GB) (Kirkwall {GB}).

**Got There In the End...**

Blandford Bloodstock just missed out on buying 2010 G1 Prix Jean-Luc Lagardere winner Wootton Bassett (GB) (Iffraaj {GB}) last year, but the agency's Richard Brown was in no mood to be denied for that colt's Kheleyf half-brother yesterday. Consigned by Furnace Mill Stud on behalf of breeder Laundry Cottage Stud, [hip 52](#) also boasts the dual listed-winning juvenile Katla (Ire) (Majestic Missile {Ire}) and listed-placed Mister Hardy (GB) (Kyllachy {GB}) close up, and fetched £80,000. Brown, who outbid Wootton Bassett's trainer Richard Fahey, revealed to the *Racing Post* that he had been bought for owner Sheikh Sultan bin Khalifa al Nahyan. "We're buying selectively for the sheikh and trainers will be decided once the sales are over," Brown told the trade daily. "This was an attractive colt who is related to a very good horse."

Wootton Bassett's sire Iffraaj (GB) carried all before him in 2010 and his first representative into the ring sold to this sale's stalwarts, Peter and Ross Doyle Bloodstock, for £72,000. From the draft of Cooneen Stud, [hip 75](#) is out of a half to the stakes winner Insan Mala (Ire) (Barathea {Ire}). The Doyles purchased Parkway Farm's [hip 13](#), a Choisir (Aus) half-brother to the useful He's a Humbug (Ire) (Tagula {Ire}) for £65,000. Ross Doyle told the *Racing Post*, "[Choisir] has been very lucky for us. We bought his first winner, Fat Boy (Ire), and other good ones, such as Sir Parky (Ire) and Chandlery (Ire). This horse was a good walker, good colour and looked like a 2-year-old who had a bit of scope and could go on." The Doyles also purchased Kilminfoyle House Stud's [hip 45](#), the sole yearling by English Channel in the book. The February-foaled son of Arabian Peninsula (Mr. Prospector), who was listed as a \$12,000 purchase by BBA Ireland at last month's Fasig-Tipton Kentucky July sale, brought £56,000 yesterday. "The horses here suit [trainer Richard] Hannon well--they're a consistent bunch of nice horses who they can get on with and run," Doyle added.

Aiden O'Ryan later paid £80,000 for the Castlebridge Consignment's [hip 173](#), an Oratorio (Ire) three-parts sister to the smart Ballydoyle performer Emperor Hadrian (Ire) (Holy Roman Emperor {Ire}). That colt was fourth in last year's G1 Phoenix S. and G2 Superlative S. and hails from the family of Dutch Art (GB).

**Same Story...**

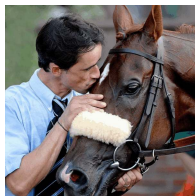
At the close of trading, the first session had a familiar look to its equivalent of 12 months ago, with the average of £27,724 up by 1% and the median of £21,000 matching the figure of 2010. "We are very satisfied with a very solid day of trading," said DBS Managing Director Henry Beeby. "The improved clearance rate is especially gratifying given the current climate and there is every reason to believe that there is more of the same Thursday." Today's concluding session starts at 10 a.m. Full results, catalogue and updates are available on [www.dbsauctions.com](http://www.dbsauctions.com).



**DBS Premier Yearling Sale  
Wednesday, Aug. 31, 2011**

SESSION TOTALS	2011	2010
Catalogued	245	240
No. Offered	229	228
No. Sold	194	187
RNAs	35	41
% RNA	15.3%	18%
High Price	£147,000	£120,000
Gross	£5,378,500	£5,134,500
Average (% change)	£27,724 (+1%)	£27,457
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**DONCASTER'S TOP FOUR LOTS WEDNESDAY**

Hip	Sex	Sire	Dam	Price (£)
<u>165</u>	filly	<u>Monsieur Bond (Ire)</u>	<u>Forever Bond (GB)</u>	147,000
Consigned by Jamie Railton (Agent) Purchased by Dwayne Woods				
<u>224</u>	colt	<u>Acclamation (GB)</u>	<u>Keriyka (Ire)</u>	105,000
(€46,000 wnlg '10 GOFNOV) Consigned by Grove Stud Purchased by McKeever Bloodstock				
<u>032</u>	filly	<u>Oasis Dream (GB)</u>	<u>Alsharq (Ire)</u>	85,000
Consigned by Croom House Stud Purchased by Gill Richardson Bloodstock Ltd				
<u>174</u>	colt	<u>Kyllachy (GB)</u>	<u>Gleam of Light (Ire)</u>	85,000
Consigned by Trickle-down Stud Purchased by Richard Frisby Bloodstock Ltd				

**317, c, Exceed and Excel (Aus)--Papabile, by Chief's Crown**

Consigned by Biddestone Stud  
Exceed and Excel produced Britain's leading juvenile filly of 2011 in Best Terms (GB) and this April-foaled colt has obvious interest as a half-brother to the de Walden's top-miler and sire Grand Lodge.

**475, c, Dark Angel (Ire)--Western Sky (GB), by Baratheia (Ire)**

Consigned by Selwood Bloodstock  
Dark Angel has gotten off to a flying start at stud and this half-brother to last year's champion 2-year-old filly in Germany Djumama (Ire) (Aussie Rules) ticks a lot of boxes. Djumama has gone on to win in the G3 Schwarzgold-Rennen and finish runner-up in the G1 Preis der Diana this season and is an immediate relative of the sire Baratheia Guest (GB) (Baratheia {Ire}).

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**Thursday, Salisbury, post time: 3:50 p.m.**  
**IRISH STALLION FARMS EBF DICK POOLE FILLIES'**  
**S.-Listed, £25,000, 2yo, f, 6fT**

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER
1	7	Cockney Fire (GB)	Cockney Rebel (Ire)	Gannon	Evans
2	6	Dreamwriter	Tale of the Cat	R Hughes	Hannon
3	10	Elbe (GB)	Dansili (GB)	Queally	Cecil
4	11	Hidden Passion	Elusive Quality	Kelly	Meehan
5	8	Inetrobil (Ire)	Bertolini	Makin	K Ryan
6	5	Mary Fildes (Ire)	Chineur (Fr)	Morris	S Moore
7	4	Miss Azeza (GB)	Dutch Art (GB)	Spencer	Simcock
8	9	Misty Conquest (Ire)	Mujadil	Kingscote	Dascombe
9	1	Pimpernel (Ire)	Invincible Spirit (Ire)	Dettori	Al Zarooni
10	3	Responsive (GB)	Dutch Art (GB)	Fortune	Morrison
11	2	Sajwah (Ire)	Exceed & Excel (Aus)	R Hills	C Hills

All carry 124 pounds.

**DBS PREMIER YEARLING SALE -- THURSDAY**

**262, f, Duke of Marmalade (Ire)--Margot (GB), by Sadler's Wells**

Consigned by Oak Lodge Stud  
One of the first crop by the high-class Duke of Marmalade, this half-sister to two winners is out of a half to the Classic-winning sire Footstepsinthesand (GB) and the dam of this year's G2 Coventry S. hero and G1 Phoenix S. runner-up Power (GB) (Oasis Dream {GB}).

**264, c, Kheleyf--Masai Queen (Ire), by Mujadil**

Consigned by Owenstown Stud  
This March-foaled bay is a half-brother to the recent G2 Vintage S. winner and G2 Superlative S. runner-up Chandlery (Ire) (Choisir {Aus}), whose dam is a full-sibling of the listed-placed Mombassa (Ire) and half to the listed winner and group-placed Gwaihir (Ire) (Cape Cross {Ire}).

**299, f, Pivotal (GB)--Noelani (Ire), by Indian Ridge (Ire)**

Consigned by New England Stud  
One of only two in the catalogue by Cheveley Park's pre-eminent sire, this April-foaled chestnut is out of a dual group-winning full-sibling of the champion sprinter and sire Namid (GB).

**Yesterday's Results:**

**Carlisle, 17.05, Mdn, £3,500, 2yo, 5f 193ydsT, 1:14.60, gd.**

**DUKE OF FIRENZE (GB) (c, 2, Pivotal {GB}--Nannina {GB} {Co. Hwt. Older Mare-Eng at 7-9.5f, MG1SW-Eng, \$900,727}, by Medicean {GB}),** a first-up third at Windsor July 25, chased the leaders in midfield after the initial strides of this second go. Angled to the rail at halfway, the 4-6 chalk made continued smooth headway to lead approaching the final eighth and was pushed out in the latter stages to easily best Glamorous Angel (Ire) (Dark Angel {Ire}). [Video, courtesy Racing UK.](#) Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, £2,746.  
O/B-Cheveley Park Stud; T-Sir Michael Stoute.

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**2.40 Salisbury, Cond, £7,000, 2yo, 1mT**

**KINGLET (Kingmambo)** gained a narrow verdict at Newmarket last month, despite blowing the start, and the merit of that debut performance received a significant boost when runner-up Most Improved (Ire) (Lawman {Fr}) prevailed by five lengths back at Headquarters next time. Godolphin's homebred, a Mahmood Al Zarooni-trained son of the 2005 G1 Coronation S. and GI Queen Elizabeth II S. runner-up Karen's Caper (War Chant), gets an opportunity to bolster his portfolio before making the inevitable transition to stakes company. He faces a half dozen opponents, including Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum's impressive Newmarket maiden winner **Farhaan (Jazil)**; and Richard Hannon trainee **Lord Ofthe Shadows (Ire) (Kyllachy {GB})**, who was runner-up in the Listed Stonehenge S. over course and distance three weeks ago.

**3.15 Newbury, Mdn, £10,000, 2yo, f, 6f 212ydsT**

**FIRDAWS (Mr. Greeley)**, a daughter of the 2005 G1 Epsom Oaks victress Eswarah (GB) (Unfuwain), gets a second chance to open her account following a highly promising debut at Newbury three weeks ago. Her 16 rivals include **Baba Diva (Ire) (Danehill Dancer {Ire})**, who is out of a half-sister to Oratorio (Ire) (Danehill); and **Forgive (GB) (Pivotal {GB})**, who is out of a half-sister to Acclamation (GB) (Royal Applause {GB}). Other notable contenders include **Pearls From Sydney (GB) (Librettist)**, who is a granddaughter of MG1SW Culture Vulture (Timeless Moment); and **Safarjal (Ire) (Marju {Ire})**, who is a granddaughter of blue hen Height of Fashion (Fr) (Bustino {GB}).

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**GERMANY**



**Thursday, Baden-Baden, post time: 4:40 p.m.**

**KRONIMUS-RENNEN-Listed, €20,000, 2yo, 6ft**

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	2	Chica Loca (Fr)	American Post (GB)	Lemaire	Figge	128
2	4	Arabian Falcon (GB)	Dutch Art (GB)	Minarik	Sprengel	127
3	3	Portovino (Fr)	Cape Cross (Ire)	Suborics	E O'Neill	127
4	6	Alpha (Ger)	Electric Beat (GB)	Krowicki	Moser	123
5	1	Matchday (GB)	Acclamation (GB)	Helpfenbein	Mader	121
6	5	Paraisa (GB)	Red Ransom	Pedroza	Wohler	121



**SOUTH AMERICA**



**ENRIQUE OLIVERA NAMED JOCKEY CLUB PRESIDENT**

Enrique Olivera, former mayor of Buenos Aires, has been named the new president of the Jockey Club Argentino. Olivera defeated Bruno Quintana, who had been serving as president since 2002, in an election Tuesday, receiving 38% of the votes, with 1,214 in his favor. The outgoing president earned 32%, at 1,002. Owner of Haras Los Olivos, Olivera named Raul Nelson to head up the racing commission, a role he served in the past, and whose management has been deemed of the highest order.



Enrique Olivera

**BREEDERS' EDITION**  
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**ALLOWANCE RESULTS:**

**1st-WOX, \$64,105, NW3L, (S), 3yo/up, 6f (AWT), 1:10 3/5, ft.**

**OLD BLUE EYES (g, 3, Old Forester--Princess Sophie, by Mutakddim)** Lifetime Record: SP, 7-3-2-1, \$121,339. O-Star Five Stable. B-James T Sabiston (ON). T-Pat Parente. \*\$1,114 yrl '09 ONTSEP.

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**9th-SAR, \$47,000, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), NW2X, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10 2/5, ft.**

**RISKY RACHEL (f, 4, Limehouse--Dancin Renee {GSW, \$497,546}, by Distinctive Pro)** Lifetime Record: 8-3-2-1, \$104,000. O/B-Sanford Bacon (NY). T-H James Bond.

**6th-PID, \$43,780, 8-30, NW2\$Y, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f (AWT), 1:09 2/5, ft.**

**PROMISED MANDATE (f, 4, Full Mandate--Hines Farley Rules, by King of Kings {Ire})** Lifetime Record: 31-7-4-5, \$131,317. O/B-Jack Treadway & Sharon Treadway (FL). T-Manuel Criollo.

**7th-PID, \$41,400, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m (AWT), 1:39 1/5, ft.**

**SKY GLOW (f, 4, Grand Slam--Cosmic Fire {MGSP, \$255,688}, by Capote)** Lifetime Record: 11-4-1-1, \$85,140. O/B-Patricia Pavlish (KY). T-Timothy E Hamm. \*1/2 to Cosmonaut (Lemon Drop Kid), MGSW & MGISP, \$1,397,723.

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**3rd-HOO, \$41,000, NW3L, (S), 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:45 3/5, ft.**

**SEATTLE BY THE SEA (g, 8, Seattle Syn--Little Sea, by One Little Hustler) Lifetime Record: 64-3-13-7, \$132,249. O-Kerry Currier & Dale Huber. B-Huber, Baker & Youngcourt (IN). T-Dale Huber. \* 1/2 to Down By the Sea (Presidential Order), MSW, \$139,262.**

**7th-HOO, \$38,000, 8-30, NW1LX, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:43 1/5, ft.**

**AFLEETING LADY (f, 4, [Afleet Alex](#)--Oatsee {SP}, by Unbridled) Lifetime Record: 10-2-2-1, \$80,679. O-Michael Lauffer & W D Cubbedge. B-James M Lauffer & W D Cubbedge (KY). T-Dale L Romans. \* 1/2 to Baghdadaria (Royal Academy), MGSW, \$725,433; Lady Joanne (Orientate), GISW, \$987,094; and Shackelford (Forestry), GISW, \$1,705,666.**

**4th-HOO, \$38,000, 8-30, NW2L, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11 4/5, ft.**

**WON FOR RANDY (f, 3, Explicit--Monhegan Island, by Air Forbes Won) Lifetime Record: 7-2-1-1, \$54,325. O-Amy Youngblood & Mary Graf. B-Randall Eugene Graf (IN). T-M James Hauswald.**

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ARLINGTON PARK

Jordy Y (Congrats), 6f, 1:14.00, 1/1

DEL MAR

Chocolate Candy (Candy Ride {Arg}), 3f, :36.00, 5/16  
Go Forth North (North Light {Ire}), 4f, :49.80, 36/49  
Kinsale King (Yankee Victor), 3f, :35.20, 1/16  
Miss Match (Arg) (Indygo Shiner), 3f (T), :38.80, 2/2

FAIR HILL

Union Rags (Dixie Union), 4f, :50.40, 8/8

MONMOUTH

Get Serious (City Zip), 4f, :49.60, 18/36  
Joe Vann (Silver Deputy), 4f, :49.20, 9/36  
Our Year (Grand Slam), 5f, :59.20, 1/13  
Pomeroy's Pistol (Pomeroy), 4f, :48.20, 2/36

SANTA ANITA

C J Russell (El Corredor), 6f, 1:12.80, 2/10  
Take Control (A.P. Indy), 4f, :48.00, 2/19

SARATOGA

Bold Warrior (Bernardini), 7f, 1:27.09, 1/1  
Chipshot (Peace Rules), 4f, :51.12, 45/54  
Court Vision (Gulch), 5f (T), 1:02.00, 11/18  
Dyani (Dynaformer), 3f (tr), :38.22, 7/11  
Fusa Code (Fusaichi Pegasus), 5f, 1:02.45, 15/28  
Mr. Fantasy (E Dubai), 5f, 1:02.07, 7/28  
Mythical Truth (Yes It's True), 5f, 1:03.06, 19/28  
Perregaux (Distorted Humor), 4f (T tr), :49.37, 35/54  
Pinckney Hill (A.P. Indy), 5f (T), 1:02.44, 14/18  
Souper Spectacular (Giant's Causeway), 4f (T), :49.55, 40/44  
Tapizar (Tapit), 5f, 1:02.87, 17/28  
Tizway (Tiznow), 4f (tr), :49.56, 8/21  
Wilburn (Bernardini), 4f, :48.89, 15/54  
Wine Police (Speightstown), 4f, :51.76, 48/54  
Yankee FORTUNE (Yankee Gentleman), 5f, 1:00.07, 1/28

**5th-HOO, \$38,000, 8-30, NW2L, (S), 3/up, 6f, 1:12, ft. COMING ON (g, 3, Presidential Order--Jennierees, by Gold Case) Lifetime Record: 8-2-2-1, \$63,552. O/B-Lake Shore Farm (IN). T-Mort Shirazi.**

**ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**

+ **Sarah Hug**, f, 2, **Article of Faith**--Michels Sister, by Pacific Waves. HOO, 8-31, (S), 6f, 1:13 4/5. B-South River Ranch Inc (IN). \*Second winner for freshman sire (by Storm Cat).

**Night Officer**, c, 3, **Officer**--Perilous Night (SW, \$129,880), by Coronado's Quest. DEL, 8-31, 6f, 1:10 1/5. B-Fitzhugh LLC (MD).



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**CONDITIONS RESULTS:**

**FRANCE, Clairefontaine, 15.20, 8-31, €33,000, 4yo/up, 1mT, 1:39.90, vsf.**

**POLARIX (GB) (h, 5, Linamix {Fr}--Freezing, by Bering {GB}) Lifetime Record: MSP-Fr, 39 starts, 6 wins, 26 places, €198,650. O-Mme Claude Guitton; B-Wertheimer & Frere; T-Henri-Alex Pantall.**

**FRANCE, Clairefontaine, 18.25, 8-31, €29,000, 3yo, 1 13/16mT, 3:21.70, vsf.**

**NORASHMAN (IRE) (g, 3, Sinndar {Ire}--Nalear {Fr}, by Lear Fan) Lifetime Record: 6 starts, 3 wins, 3 places, €42,300. O-H H The Aga Khan; B-H H The Aga Khan's Studs SC; T-Jean-Claude Rouget.**

**ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**

**Roman Seal (Ire)**, f, 2, **Holy Roman Emperor (Ire)**--Gilded Vanity (Ire), by Indian Ridge (Ire). Kempton Park, Britain, 8-31, Mdn, 2yo, 6f (AWT). B-Lynchbages Edgeridge Ltd & Glenvale Stud. \*€65,000 yrl '10 GOFSP.

**Royal Reyah (GB)**, c, 2, **Royal Applause (GB)**--Dilys (GB), by Efisio (GB). Bath, Britain, 8-31, Mdn, 2yo, 5f 161ydsT. B-Hopkins, Kittow & Mrs Perry.

**Passing Stranger (Ire)**, f, 3, **Dixie Union**--Square Pants, by King of Kings (Ire). Folkestone, Britain, 8-31, Mdn, 3yo, 6fT. B-Atha Bloodstock. \*55,000gns wnlg '08 TATDEC; \$235,000 RNA yrl '09 KEESEP.

**Poacher (Ire)**, c, 3, **Pivotal (GB)**--Silent Honor (Ire) (GSW-Eng), by Sunday Silence. Clairefontaine, France, 8-31, Mdn, 3yo, 1 1/8mT. B-Darley.

**Eclipseoftheheart (GB)**, f, 3, **Shamardal**--Heart Stopping, by Chester House. Kempton Park, Britain, 8-31, Mdn, 3yo/up, 7f (AWT). B-B Smith & Miss I Williams. \* 1/2 to Lolly for Dolly (Ire) (Oratorio {Ire}), MGSW-Ire & GSW-Eng, \$343,817.

**Protaras**, c, 4, **Lemon Drop Kid**--Seven Moons (Jpn), by Sunday Silence. Folkestone, Britain, 8-31, Mdn, 3yo/up, 1 1/2mT. B-Flaxman Holdings Ltd.