

WHISPER HILL MAKES NOISE AT KEENELAND



Mandy Pope Keeneland

Only eight lots into Monday's second session at Keeneland September, the auction had its third seven-figure yearling when Mandy Pope's Whisper Hill Farm paid a session-topping \$1 million for a daughter of Unbridled's Song out of star broodmare Silvery Swan (Silver Deputy). Pope, sitting with a team of advisors including bloodstock agent Chris Brothers, did her bidding while sitting in the sales pavilion. After signing the ticket, she admitted, "I've never spent anywhere near this kind of money on a horse before, but I just fell in love with her, and I have a thing about grays anyway."

Of what attracted her to the filly ([hip 116](#)), Pope added, "Physically, she was very classy. She was very well-balanced. She's a little immature, but she's a May foal, so she's going to grow. And she has the correct length of body to go with her legs, which sometimes you have to watch with Unbridled's Songs a little bit; they get a lot of body. She's very elegant and classy. Her attitude was wonderful--nothing fazed her. And, of course, her pedigree is wonderful. If she can run like her brothers did, she'll be a very lovely horse, and she'll have a home for the rest of her life."

Silvery Swan is the dam of Grade I winners Roman Ruler (Fusaichi Pegasus) and El Corredor (Mr. Greeley), as well as graded stakes winner Silver Tornado (Maria's Mon) and Grade I-placed Maimonides (Vindication). Pope admitted the filly's residual value as a broodmare was the main reason she was willing to go that extra bit to secure the yearling. "We'll race her and then breed her," Pope said. "[Her potential broodmare value] was a pretty major factor, because we do breed mares, and we're more inclined to spend that kind of money on mares. If something does go wrong with her racing career, she's a wonderful broodmare, and I still have a classy horse with a bright future ahead of her."

Whisper Hill is breeder of current handicap star Tizway (Tiznow), winner of this year's G1 Metropolitan H. and G1 Whitney H. Asked the size of the Whisper Hill broodmare band, Pope said, "Twenty-five. Well, 26 now. No, wait, not yet. In about three years. Let's race her first." The million-dollar baby was the Florida horsewoman's second gray Unbridled's Song filly acquisition at the Keeneland sale. She paid \$400,000 to bring home [hip 52](#) during Sunday's first session.

Dual Toppers for Hill 'n' Dale...

John Sikura's Hill 'n' Dale was co-breeder of Sunday night's \$1.4-million topper, and put the million-dollar sales back-to-back Monday night with the \$1-million Unbridled's Song filly. Sikura, battling a case of laryngitis, was gratified with the results. "We've been trying to collect special mares over the last several years," he said. "They are expensive, and you need that reward in the sales ring, not just to justify buying those mares, but to make them viable long-term. It's good when it works out." The unraced Silvery Swan, now 18, has been battling physical issues, according to Sikura, and will likely not be bred again. Her yearling was co-bred by Betz Thoroughbreds, Needham, Liberation Farm and Hill 'n' Dale. Asked what made the yearling a standout, Sikura said, "I think the first obvious attraction is her pedigree; the mare has produced two Grade I winners, and everything has run out of the mare. This is the last foal out of a great mare, so she is a really special, unique filly. As far as the physical, she was an end of May foal, but very leggy, and looked like a filly that would really turn into something special." Of Hill 'n' Dale's results through the first two days of the September sale, Sikura said, "We had a group of powerful horses and they sold well. None of them exceeded expectations. We expected a good sale, and we are very happy with the way they've sold." -*Jessica Martini*

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Silvery Lining...

Not for the first time, a yearling out of Silvery Swan has sparked fireworks at Keeneland September. In fact, when her daughter by Unbridled's Song lit up the board to the tune of \$1 million Monday night, it was the third seven-figure KEESEP success for the mare. A filly by Mr. Greeley out of Silvery Swan brought \$2.7 million at this venue in 2005, and GISP Maimonides (Vindication), her foal of that year, brought \$4.6 million in 2006. Unraced Silvery Swan was bred by Carl Icahn's Foxfield operation, which was managed by the topper's co-breeder Rob Whiteley before Whiteley went out on his own with Liberation Farm.



Keeneland photo

A Balanced Result...

Multiple Grade I winner Balance (Thunder Gulch) was a headliner at Keeneland last September when her first foal by A.P. Indy sold for \$4.2 million. Her second foal, a colt by Street Cry (Ire), didn't quite reach those heights yesterday, but acquitted himself admirably when selling for \$750,000 to the bid of bloodstock agent John McCormack. McCormack, who was seated alongside Japanese buyer Nobutaka Tada, declined to say who had purchased the yearling, but did say the youngster would be heading to Japan. "I was underbidder on Balance as a yearling," McCormack revealed last night. "It is a special case to see her produce one after another very good horse. The horse last year was very good, and this horse perhaps was a stronger version that probably will take a bit of time, but he was a good-moving horse. He's a very athletic horse, and it's proven to be a good pedigree--the siblings around her are really performing. You have to believe that if the cream can rise, it is going to do it with this horse."



Keeneland photo

Tada has been the most active of a bevy of Japanese buyers through two days of the Keeneland sale, signing the tickets on five yearlings, including the \$585,000 purchase of an Unbridled's Song colt out of Oonagh Maccool (Ire) (Giant's Causeway) Sunday.

McCormack, who has been going to Japan for over two decades now, attributed the strong Japanese presence to an advantageous conversion rate. "I think you'd have to say that, with the yen to the dollar at .70 at the moment, it's in their favor to buy here. The euro to the yen is favorable to the Japanese, and the U.S. dollar to the yen is very favorable. People play into the currency exchanges. I see it with Hong Kong. In Hong Kong, they would be buying a lot of horses in Australia, but the Australian dollar has gone to 1.07, 1.08, so it's effectively a little bit less expensive in Europe. People follow those trends, naturally, because when there is money at stake, it has a bearing."



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**KEENELAND SEPTEMBER YEARLING SALE
Monday, September 12**

SESSION:	2011	2010
Catalogued	105	106
No. Offered	92	92
No. Sold	62	58
RNAs	30	34
% RNAs	32.6%	36.9%
No. \$500K+	11	7
High Price	\$1,000,000	\$2,050,000
Gross	\$20,340,000	\$20,340,000
Average (% change)	\$328,065 (-6.4%)	\$350,690
Median (% change)	\$300,000 (-4%)	\$312,500



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- Tapit Colt Hip 163 sold to Glen Hill Farm for **\$375,000**
- Tapit Filly Hip 194 sold to Shadwell Estate Company, Ltd for **\$325,000**
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Bell Happy With Sale...

Mill Ridge Sales consigned the Street Cry (Ire) colt out of Balance on behalf of his breeder Jerry Amerman. Amerman Racing purchased Balance for \$260,000 out of the 2004 Keeneland September sale, and the mare went on to win three Grade I events; her half-sister Zenyatta (Street Cry {Ire}) reached superstar status while claiming the Horse of the Year title last season.

Mill Ridge's Headley Bell said the yearling's \$750,000 price tag was in line with expectations.

"It was probably about what we expected," Bell said. "Last year, we were so very fortunate that two people hooked up on the horse and they took it to those numbers. This year, we just didn't seem to have the two to take it that far, but it's a fair price in this market."

Asked to describe the yearling, Bell said, "I thought he was a special individual, impeccably bred and a truly athletic horse. I think they bought a real athlete, and we wish them the very best." Of the overall market, Bell added, "It's a selective market and we've got select horses here and people to buy those horses. There is money for quality horses; we'll see how the rest of the week goes." -JM

CORRECTION: A photo caption on page 1 of Monday's TDN incorrectly identified the man Shawn Dugan was with as her husband, Neil Drysdale. It was, in fact, Patrick Lawley-Wakelin. Said Dugan, "If Patrick and I were married, one of us would be doing time right now..."



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KEENELAND SEPTEMBER YEARLING SALE

Monday, September 12

CUMULATIVE:	2011	2010
Catalogued	211	211
No. Offered	191	185
No. Sold	129	127
RNAs	62	58
% RNAs	32.4%	31.3%
No. \$500K+	27	18
High Price	\$1,400,000	\$4,200,000
Gross	\$45,600,000	\$44,305,000
Average (% change)	\$353,488 (+1.3%)	\$348,858
Median (% change)	\$300,000 (+5.2%)	\$285,000

BOOK 2

Tuesday, September 13 11:00 a.m.

Wednesday, September 14 11:00 a.m.

Thursday, September 15 11:00 a.m.

BOOK 3

Saturday, September 17 10:00 a.m.

Sunday, September 18 10:00 a.m.

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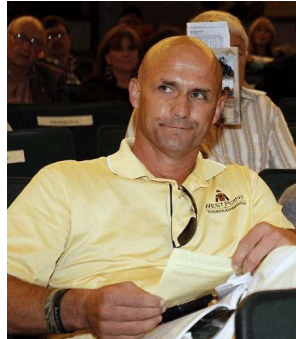
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Aussie Flying High at Keeneland..

Ron Gilbert is the very sort of man that one might expect from the great nation of Australia--industrious, rugged, straightforward, and one who enjoys good company and a good time. However, the tough-as-nails master of Highgrove Stud in Queensland was brought to tears as [Hip 127](#), a filly by Curlin out of Tears I Cry (Chester House), was led out of the ring following a \$700,000 final bid from West Point Thoroughbreds, marshaled by Terry Finley.

While garnering plenty of pats on the back following yesterday's shining success, Gilbert--who needed a moment to compose himself after the hammer dropped --was quick to spread the accolades, crediting his fellow countrymen, bloodstock advisor Vin Cox and Jim FitzGerald of Knockgriffin Farm, which prepped the yearling.



Terry Finley Keeneland photo

"We're taking advice from people we believe in and, so far, it's been perfect," offered Gilbert.

Also well counseled, Finley, situated in the center of the pavilion during the bidding process, admitted that the well-bred dark bay--who appeared to be on the short list of several buyers at Keeneland this week--deserved all the attention.

"She just really grabbed us from the very beginning," said Finley. "The Curlins sold well at Saratoga, and everyone who looked at our short list were very excited about her. All in all, we're very excited to have her."

As for the asking price, Finley added, "We thought she would bring \$400,000-\$500,000."

And while the figure might have marked the bowing out point of the team, Finley indicated that a new client from Wall Street--who wished to stay under the radar for the time being--proved to be the deciding factor.

"We would have been done at about \$500,000, but our client gave us the go ahead and get her," he said.

Later in the session, Team West Point was back in action, securing [Hip 186](#), a filly by Distorted Humor. The chestnut is out of Lady Lochinvar (Lord at War {Arg}), dam of MGSW Master Command and Aurora Lights (Pulpit) and X Star (Pulpit), third in the GI Spinaway S.

The attractive filly was offered by Brookdale Sales, acting on behalf of Highgrove.

"We thought she was eligible to get into that zone," said Brookdale's Joe Seitz. "She's from a deep family, and she had been very popular all week. We weren't surprised, but it was a wonderful price."

He Comes From Land Down Under...

Gilbert secured SW and GSP Tears I Cry while in foal to Horse of the Year Curlin for \$735,000 at Keeneland's 2009 November Breeding Stock Sale. Tears I Cry is out of Mount Helena (GB) (Danzig), a half-sister to G1 Dubai World Cup and GI Stephen Foster H. hero and leading sire Street Cry (Ire) (Machiavellian) and SP Helsinki (GB) (Machiavellian), dam of European champion juvenile and sire Shamardal.

"We were looking for international pedigrees," said Gilbert, explaining the decision to purchase the U.S.-campaigned mare. 'Tears I Cry was certainly something we could relate to, being out of the family of Street Cry and Shamardal, who have been very successful in Australia."

According to Gilbert, the young Lane's End resident stallion also proved a draw in acquiring the mare.

"That she was in foal to Curlin was very good for me: a first-season sire and champion racehorse," Gilbert explained. "Luckily, we've been blessed with a very attractive filly."

Gilbert--who amassed his fortune through several ventures, including a building development company in Australia--achieved success through his business exploits, and decided that he needed to enjoy some of fruits of his labor. Attempting to solve that problem, he ventured to Magic Millions in the '90s armed with only a catalog and the desire to own a Thoroughbred.

"I'd always loved Thoroughbreds, so we went to the Magic Millions sale and bought a couple of fillies," he said. "We raced those fillies and, before we knew it, we had a small broodmare band."

In a decision to have his operation--and his stock--nearby, Gilbert decided to establish Highgrove Stud in Darling Downs, 20 minutes from his hometown of Toowoomba.



Ron Gilbert

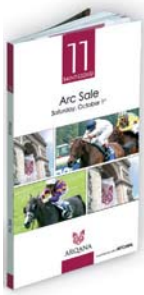


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Lot 2 **Salto** (rating : 110 / 1600m)

c.2008 - Pivotal x Danzigaway

From one of the top Wertheimer families (his dam, the brilliant Danzigaway is a half-sister to Gold Away who has already produced Silent Name), Salto showed his talent from the age of two. 2nd to Godolphin's French Navy on two occasions, he lost his maiden tag at third asking and capped his juvenile season with a 2nd to Roderic O'Connor in the Criterium International (Gr.1, 1600m). At three, the Freddy Head trainee returned to winning ways at Deauville, taking a competitive conditions race over the Deauville mile. He was last seen when a close 4th in the Prix Quincey (Gr.3, 1600m), finishing less than two lengths behind the very smart Sandy's Charm. Salto is a pure miler who has performed over right handed, left handed and straight courses.



SALTO, Prix Lavandin

Lot 4 **Surfrider**

(rating : 110 / 1400-1800m)

c.2008 - Dansili x Ecoutila

A half-brother to the smart Enticement, from the family of Green Tune and Pas de Réponse, Surfrider won first time out at Deauville as a juvenile before running 3rd in the Prix des Chênes (Gr.3). He took another step up at three when landing the competitive Classic trial Prix Djebel (Gr.3) over 1400m at Maisons-Laffitte. He has not been since his unplaced effort in the Poule d'Essai des Poulains, where he was not able to perform at his best, and is offered to dissolve a partnership with only three outings under his belt this season.



SURFRIDER, Prix Djebel Gr.3

Lot 35 **Sandagiyr**

(rating : 104 / 1600m)

c.2008 - Dr Fong x Sanariya

A half-brother to the triple Gr.1 heroine Sarafina, Sandagiyr notched two victories this year over Chantilly's selective mile.

He notably took the Prix de Pontarmé (L.) in good style, defeating the smart Cool Dude and Mister Iceman, and started in the Gr.1 Prix du Jockey Club only days later.

Fresh on the back of a good summer break, this talented, lightly-raced colt is ready to tackle an end-of-season campaign with serious ambitions.



SANDAGIYR, Prix de Pontarmé L.

Lot 43 **French Fifteen**

(1600m)

c.2009 - Turtle Bowl x Spring Morning

5th on his debut, French Fifteen opened his account at second asking and hasn't looked back since, notching four wins in a row. The easy winner of a conditions race, he stepped up effortlessly to Stakes level, landing the Criterium de l'Ouest (L.). Last year's winner of this race was Dream Peace, who was subsequently sold at the Arc Sale...and went on to even greater things at three, notably winning the Gr.2 Prix de la Nonette.



FRENCH FIFTEEN, Critérium de l'Ouest

Lot 45 **Cool Dude**

(rating : 98 / 1600 - 2000m)

c.2008 - Lemon Drop Kid x Toupie

Out of the Group victrix Toupie, Cool Dude opened his account at second asking.

Stepped up straight to Stakes level, he ran 3rd in the Prix de Suresnes (L., 1800m), only two lengths from the smart Slow Pace who subsequently filled the runner-up spot in a very hot Prix Guillaume d'Ornano Gr.2. 2nd in the Prix de Pontarmé (L.) a month later, Cool Dude returned to winning ways in a coveted conditions race at Chantilly over 1800m, before achieving a close 5th in the Prix Eugène Adam (Gr.2, 2000m), only a head behind Slow Pace and less than two lengths from the winner.

Lot 49 **Glorious Sight**

(rating : 115 / 1600 - 2000m)

f.2008 - Singspiel x Zelding

Glorious Sight hails from the wonderful family of Last Tycoon, Zipping, Valentine Waltz, which is still extremely current as reminded by dual Gr.1 winning miler Immortal Verse, and Anglesey St. victrix Fire Lily (f.2009, a grand daughter of Zelding). And she has lived up to this extraordinary lineage throughout the season. The winner of three races in three weeks, culminating with the Prix Finlande (L.), she only found Golden Lilac too good in the Poule d'Essai des Pouliches, and ran against the same champion as well as Goldikova's younger sister Galikova in a top class renewal of the Gr.1 Prix de Diane, where she finished third. A gorgeous and tough-as-nails filly with an immaculate pedigree, Glorious Sight looks an outstanding racing and breeding prospect - a very rare commodity.



GLORIOUS SIGHT, Prix Finlande L.

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Land Down Under cont.

"We decided to build a farm from scratch," Gilbert said. "I'm in construction, so I came to Kentucky for a month and had a look around, and I was very intimidated. It took me six months after that to build the farm, because what you see here is first class. When you want to replicate this, it's not easy to do." Highgrove Stud, which was developed on a 165-acre tract of prime lava formed soil, serves as the primary residence for the operation's yearlings, while nearby Balmoral houses the broodmare band and weanlings. Gilbert, who offers about a dozen yearlings to the local Australian market every season, currently has 24 broodmares, but that may change in the near future, as the horseman is likely to return to Kentucky for the November Breeding Stock sale.

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KEENELAND SEPTEMBER YEARLINGS

MONDAY'S TOP COLTS

Hip	Sire	Dam	Price (\$)
<u>147</u>	Street Cry (Ire)	Balance	750,000
	<i>B-Mrs Jerry Amerman (Ky)</i>		
	Consigned by Mill Ridge Sales, agent		
	Purchased by John McCormack Bloodstock		
<u>183</u>	Elusive Quality	Kobla	650,000
	<i>B-Edward P Evans (Va)</i>		
	Consigned by Lane's End, agent for the complete dispersal of the Estate of Edward P Evans (Spring Hill Farm)		
	Purchased by Tom McGreevy, agent for Fox Hill Farm		
<u>162</u>	Henrythenavigator	Crystal Crossing (Ire)	625,000
	<i>B-Ben Sangster (Ky)</i>		
	Consigned by Four Star Sales, agent		
	Purchased by D L O'Byrne		
<u>160</u>	Street Cry (Ire)	Commodities	550,000
	<i>B-G Watts Humphrey Jr (Ky)</i>		
	Consigned by Lane's End, agent		
	Purchased by Shadwell Estate Co Ltd		
<u>157</u>	Arch	Chatham	475,000
	<i>B-Stone Farm (Ky)</i>		
	Consigned by Stone Farm		
	Purchased by John McCormack Bloodstock		



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MONDAY'S TOP FILLIES

Hip	Sire	Dam	Price (\$)
<u>116</u>	Unbridled's Song	Silvery Swan	1,000,000
	<i>B-Betz Thoroughbreds/Needham/Liberation Farm/Hill 'n' Dale (Ky)</i>		
	Consigned by Hill 'n' Dale Sales Agency, agent		
	Purchased by Whisper Hill Farm		
<u>140</u>	Tapit	Zealous Cat	725,000
	<i>B-Winchell T'breds LLC & Gainesway T'breds (Ky)</i>		
	Consigned by Gainesway, Agent XX		
	Purchased by Besilu Stables		
<u>127</u>	Curlin	Tears I Cry	700,000
	<i>B-Ron Gilbert & Highgrove Stud (Ky)</i>		
	Consigned by Brookdale Sales, agent for Highgrove Stud		
	Purchased by West Point Thoroughbreds Inc		
<u>186</u>	Distorted Humor	Lady Lochinvar	600,000
	<i>B-Mr & Mrs Larry D Williams & WinStar Farm (Ky)</i>		
	Consigned by Elm Tree Farm LLC (Mr & Mrs Jody Huckabay), Agent V		
	Purchased by West Point Thoroughbreds Inc		
<u>136</u>	Candy Ride (Arg)	Wickedly Wise	535,000
	<i>B-Y-Lo Racing Stables (Ky)</i>		
	Consigned by Lane's End, agent		
	Purchased by Robert & Lawana Low		



Monday's Top Fillies cont.

Hip 195	Sire Bernardini	Dam Miss Audrey	Price (\$) 500,000
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B-WinQuest Thoroughbreds LLC (Ky)

Consigned by Woods Edge Farm (Peter O'Callaghan), agent
Purchased by Stonestreet Stables & George B Bolton

207	Indian Charlie	Proud Spell	500,000
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B-Brereton C Jones (Ky)

Consigned by Brereton C Jones/Airdrie Stud, agent
Purchased by Besilu Stables

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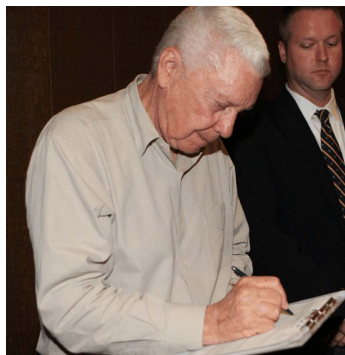


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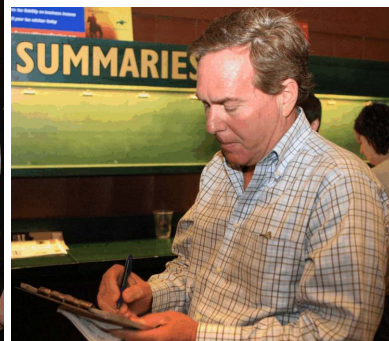


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Porter Lands Full to Quality Road for \$650,000...

The Edward P. Evans dispersal continued last night at Keeneland September, and the star of the show was no surprise. [Hip 183](#), an Elusive Quality full-brother to the brilliant performer Quality Road, led the way for the Lane's End-handled dispersal on the strength of Rick Porter's \$650,000 offer. Porter, who operates under the Fox Hill Farm banner, bid out back just under the rear bid spotter and, after signing the ticket for the leggy, handsome colt, was congratulated by Chris Baker--farm manager for Evans's Spring Hill Farm. Cont. p7

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Porter cont.

"I had talked to Chris before the sale, and he figured he'd bring from \$750,000 to \$1 million," Porter related afterward. "And I said, 'Chris, I'll be gone by then.' But I thought we bought him for a reasonable price. Tom McGreevy comes up with our short list, and this horse was one of our A+ horses. It was just a matter if he was going to be in our range or not. And he was just about to get out of our range."

A Mar. 11-foaled bay, the colt was produced by the 16-year-old mare Kobla (Strawberry Road {Aus}), a full-sister to champion 3-year-old filly Ajina. Quality Road, a star during the 2009 and 2010 seasons, set tracks records when winning the GI Florida Derby at three and the GI Donn H. at four, and also established a new course record when winning the GII Amsterdam S. at Saratoga. His final tally included victories in the GI Woodward S. and GI Met Mile and earnings of over \$2.2 million. Quality Road stood his first season at Lane's End this spring.

Porter said the colt fit into his program of buying two-turn horses that can figure in the prestige races at three. "But a lot of people are hoping they're buying horses who can do that," he said.

Porter also offered an update on his star filly Havre de Grace (Saint Liam), who is coming off a win over males in the GI Woodward S., and goes next in the GI Beldame S. at Belmont Oct. 1.

"She's doing great," said Porter. "I talked to Larry [Jones, trainer] about her today, and she came out of the race great. We'll head to the Beldame, then we'll have to see how Tizway handles a mile and a quarter in the Gold Cup. But we've got to get through the Beldame first."

Tizway (Tiznow), winner of the GI Met Mile and GI Whitney H., could be Havre de Grace's main rival for Horse of the Year honors. He'll be favored in the 1 1/4-mile GI Jockey Club Gold Cup--on the same day as the Beldame--and a victory there could spell a showdown with Havre de Grace in the GI Breeders' Cup Classic at Churchill Downs.

"She'll go a mile and a quarter--she ran a 1/2 Rag when she finished a nose second to Blind Luck [in the 10-furlong GII Delaware H. in July]--but it's not her best distance," said Porter. "A mile and an eighth is her best distance. But she can do a mile and a quarter, and right now, a lot of those boys can't. We'll see what happens. We might enter both [the BC Classic and Ladies' Classic], and see what kind of posts we get."

On Sunday night, the Evans dispersal produced a Medaglia d'Oro--Grand Prayer half-brother to GISW Malibu Prayer (Malibu Moon) ([hip 68](#)) who made \$500,000 from John Ferguson. Last night, an Indian Charlie colt out of MGSW Gold Mover (Gold Fever) ([hip 174](#)) went to Shadwell Estate Company for \$350,000, and a Lemon Drop Kid full-brother to GISW Christmas Kid sold to Brushwood Stable for \$325,000.

-Lucas Marquardt

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Y-Lo Racing Stables, the 10-year-old breeding and racing partnership of Yvonne Cordova (the Y) and Lolita Raquiza (the Lo), scored one for the little guys last night at September. The longtime friends sat with members of their Florida-based team as [hip 136](#), a filly by Candy Ride (Arg)--Wickedly Wise named Wicked Ride, brought \$535,000. Florida horseman Tom McCrocklin signed the ticket for owners Robert and Lawana Low. The gray was consigned by Will Farish's Lane's End. The transaction is notable because the Y-Lo purchased the filly's dam Wickedly Wise (Tactical Cat) for just \$23,000 back in 2006, and from the mare has already bred Grade I winner Wickedly Perfect (Congrats) and the Grade II-placed Ash Zee (Exchange Rate).

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The Y-Lo team: Alex Chavez, Lolita Raquiza, Yvonne Cordova and Alli Foil DVM Lucas Marquardt



Y-Lo cont.

"She's being our biggest coup," Cordova smiled when talking about the 10-year-old mare Wickedly Wise. "She wasn't very expensive, and she's turned into our best producer."

Cordova and Raquiza, who are residents of California, but who operate both breeding and breaking and training operations in Florida, found Wickedly Wise at the 2006 OBS October Sale.

"She was a leggy, big mare with good conformation, and we figured, being in foal to Exchange Rate, we'd at least get our money back," explained Raquiza.

That they did, after selling the resulting foal, Ash Zee, to White Church for \$100,000 as a KEENOV weanling. Zayat Stables purchased the filly a year later for \$375,000 at FTKJUL, and for that operation

If that was a sterling result for Cordova and Raquiza, it would only get better. And in less than a week. On Oct. 8, Wickedly Wise's then 2-year-old daughter, the filly Wickedly Perfect, won the GI Darley Alcibiades S. at Keeneland. Wickedly Perfect was later retired after selling to Japanese interests for \$800,000 at Keeneland January, but had done enough to set the bar high for this filly.

"We knew she was nice--we thought she was nicer than Wickedly Perfect--so are expectations were high but reasonable," said Cordova. "But we're really happy with the results."

Added Raquiza, "We hope she'll be successful for Candy Ride, but there's a lot of her mother in her. She really stamps her babies. Their heads are all the same, their bodies are all the same. They're just beautiful foals."

Wickedly Wise did not produce a foal this year, and is back in foal to Smart Strike. Y-Lo has roughly 15 mares split between their 110-acre breeding farm in McIntosh, Florida, and in California, and also have some mares in Kentucky. They also co-own the 43-acre Oak Ridge Equine Center in Morriston, Florida. Raquiza, the managing partner of Y-Lo, retired from a career as a nurse administrator in 2004 to devote all her time to the racing business, while Cordova is an entertainment insurance specialist in California. -Lucas Marquardt



Wickedly Perfect Horsephotos

Ash Zee ran second in the GII Indiana Oaks last year, on Oct. 2.

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Median Up a Tick, Average Near Even at Keeneland...

Following a second night of selling at Keeneland September that seemed to have a flatter feel than Sunday's opener, numbers at the world's biggest yearling sale remained roughly equal to a year ago. Cumulative average was \$353,488, up 1.33% from 2010, while median was up 5.26%, to \$300,000. The cumulative RNA rate remained high at 32.4%; a year ago, it was 31.35%. Keeneland's Walt Robertson said he was satisfied with the results from Book 1. "It seemed like there were lots of buyers for lots of horses, and I thought it felt pretty good," he said. "I thought it was a pretty good horse sale tonight." Asked if he was surprised there weren't more million-dollar horses, he added, "I think I came in here not to be surprised--I had no expectations." Keeneland Director of Sales Geoffrey Russell said that the figures on the sales sheets simply reflect the world economic climate. "The market is the difference--2008 changed the value of a horse like it changed the value of a house," he said. "The old million-dollar horse is now a \$500,000 horse. That's where we are."



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KEENELAND SEPTEMBER - MONDAY

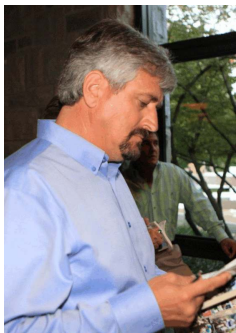
Hip	Sex	Sire	Dam	Price
<u>114</u>	c	<u>Tapit</u>	Seeinsbelieven	425,000
<i>B-Gainesway Thoroughbreds (KY)</i>				
<i>Consigned by Gainesway, Agent VIII</i>				
<i>Purchased by D L O'Byrne</i>				

Gainesway acquired Seeinsbelieven (Carson City) for \$270,000 from KEENOV 2008. The now 9-year-old foaled a filly by Corinthian in 2009, unraced Credible, and was bred to Gainesway's top-class stallion Tapit for 2010. The sire's popularity was evident when the colt she produced from that mating went through the ring last night. The mare was barren for 2011, and was bred back to Tapit for 2012.

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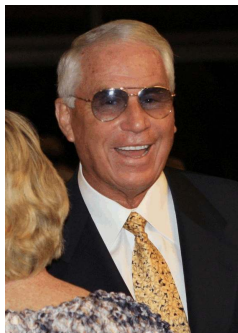
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122 c **Distorted Humor** **Tabarin** **300,000**
B-Dixiana Farms (KY)
Consigned by Lane's End, agent
Purchased by Twin Creeks Racing

Tabarin (El Prado {Ire}) was in foal to Mr. Greeley when she was acquired for \$170,000 by William Shively's Dixiana Farms at KEENOV 2008. The resulting filly, unraced Groton Circle, brought \$240,000 at this sale last year, and this colt made it two solid hits in a row for the operation. Tabarin had a filly by Smart Strike this year. Shively, a Florida businessman, purchased the Dixiana property in 2004. He also owns Woodlynn Farm in Lexington, where his yearlings are stabled, with the broodmare band at Dixiana.

136 f **Candy Ride (Arg)** **Wickedly Wise** **535,000**
B-Y-Lo Racing Stable (KY)
Consigned by Lane's End, agent
Purchased by Robert & Lawana Low
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157 c **Arch** **Chatham** **475,000**
B-Stone Farm (KY)
Consigned by Stone Farm
Purchased by John McCormack Bloodstock

Arthur Hancock's Stone Farm snapped up stakes-placed Chatham (Maria's Mon), with this foal in utero, for \$190,000 at KEENOV 2009. A year later, Arch's son Blame snapped the great Zenyatta's unbeaten streak, and Hancock reaped a hefty profit on his investment last night. He also bought the mare's weanling filly back in 2009; now a juvenile, the daughter of Broken Vow is named Pinkie Pact and has yet to start. Chatham has a 2011 filly by Empire Maker.

195 f **Bernardini** **Miss Audrey** **500,000**
B-WinQuest Thoroughbreds LLC (KY)
Consigned by Woods Edge Farm (Peter O'Callaghan), agent
Purchased by Stonestreet Stables & George Bolton

198 c **Bernardini** **Moroccan Rose** **420,000**
B-Suarez Racing (KY)
Consigned by Gainesway, Agent IV
Purchased by Tom McGreevy, agent for Fox Hill Farm

Bernardini provided two of the rare pinhooking scores in Book 1 at KEESEP. The first, a bay filly named Positively Grand that sold as hip 195, was bought by Twin Peaks Racing for \$270,000 at KEENOV 2010, and nearly doubled in value her second time through the ring. Three hips later, a colt by the champion that had been picked up for \$150,000 at the same sale, more than tripled the outlay from Crone Stud Farms.

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KEENELAND SEPTEMBER TUESDAY

Hip 222, colt, Lemon Drop Kid--Receipt, by Dynaformer
Consigned by Three Chimneys Sales, agent

This Apr. 21 foal is out of a stakes placed daughter of G1 Acorn S. and Matron S. heroine Finder's Fee (Storm Cat), who is out of Grade I winner Fantastic Find (Mr. Prosector). "He is out of nice Dynaformer mare, from a Phipps family and is just a really nice horse," said Three Chimney's Case Clay.

Hip 258, f, Raven's Pass--Rumors Are Flying, Kris S.
Consigned by Elm Tree Farm LLC (Mr. & Mrs. Jody Huckabay), Agent I

G1 Breeders' Cup Classic winner Raven's Pass (Elusive Quality) sees yearlings from his first crop sell this year. This filly, named Great Timing, is a half-sister to SW No Use Denying (Maria's Mon) and MGSP Badge of Truth (Silver Deputy), as well as the 3-year-old filly Happy Choice (Broken Vow), who just missed her first black-type badge when second by a neck in the Hatoof S. at Arlington Aug. 13.

Hip 284, Distorted Humor--Secret Thyme, by Storm Cat
Consigned by Eaton Sales, agent

The Apr. 19 foal is out of the unraced Secret Thyme, a half-sister to G1 Acorn S. winner Forest Secrets (Forest Wildcat) and Grade III winner Rumor Has It (Awesome Again). "This is a great cross," said Eaton's Reiley McDonald. "This colt is really smooth and very typical of the sire."

Hip 297, c, Distorted Humor--Shining Through, by Deputy Minister

Consigned by Trackside Farm (Tom Evans), agent for Trackside Farm, Tenlane Farm & Liberation Farm

From the family of champions El Gran Senor and Try My Best whose second dam is Irish highweight Solar (Halo), this colt is a half-brother to the Group 1-winning speedster Bahamian Pirate (Housebuster), as well as the talented Todd Pletcher runner Strong Hope (Grand Slam).

Hip Happenings cont. p12

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Hip 301, colt, Pulpit-Shop Again, by Wild Again
Consigned by Mill Ridge Sales, agent

This February foal is out of SW Shop Again, a half-sister to Grade I winner Miss Shop (Deputy Minister) and to GSW and MGISP Trappe Shot (Tapit). Mill Ridge's Headley Bell said, "He is a well-balanced, strong athletic colt."

Hip 307, filly, Bernardini-Silk n'Sapphire,
by Smart Strike

Consigned by Valkyre Stud (Catherine J Parke)

This dark bay yearling, a half-sister to GI Breeders' Cup F/M Turf winner Shared Account (Pleasantly Perfect), has attracted plenty of attention around barn 43. "She is a very classy filly," reported Catherine Parke. "She has the 10 body and a great walk and such a wonderful disposition. She is a trainer's dream." Parke purchased Silk n'Sapphire, in foal to Pleasant Tap, for \$40,000 out of the 2008 Keeneland November sale. The resulting filly brought \$475,000 at this sale a year ago.

Hip 316, c, Bernardini--Skip a Dare, by Skip Away
Consigned by Select Sales, agent

Few sires are hotter right now than Bernardini, whose son Stay Thirsty put himself in the mix for divisional honors with a victory in the GI Travers S. at Saratoga. This colt, from the family of Miss Oceana (Alydar), is a half-sibling to GSP Freyga (Touch Gold). "He looks like a lot of the good Bernardinis do, and we've got our fingers crossed that the wave of popularity for the stallion will keep carrying on," said Select Sales' Andrew Cary. "He's a beautiful horse, a real classy horse, and looks like the kind of two-turn Derby horse that everyone wants."

Hip 357, filly Speightstown-Styler, by Holy Bull
Consigned by Mill Ridge Sales, agent

This March filly is out of a full-sister to GI Kentucky Derby winner Giacomo and a half to multiple Grade I winner Tiago (Pleasant Tap). "She is a good-sized athletic filly," reported Mill Ridge's Headley Bell. "This is a chance to get into Giacomo's family, which is a rare thing. I think this is a very promising filly."

Hip 374, colt, Candy Ride (Arg)--Sweet and Clever, by Mr. Greeley, by Mr. Greeley

Consigned by Three Chimneys Sales, Agent

This first foal out of unraced Sweet and Clever, the Feb. 5 foal is from the extended family of Grade I winner Dispute, Adjudicating and Time for a Change. "Candy Ride could probably not get any hotter than he is right now," said Case Clay.

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Hip Happenings cont.

Hip 399, filly, Speightstown--Tap Gold, by Pleasant Tap

Consigned by Lane's End, agent for the Complete Dispersal of the Estate of E P Evans (Spring Hill Farm)

Out of MSP Tap Gold, this February foal is from the family of Withallprobability (Mr. Prospector) and Summer Colony (Summer Squall). "This is an exceptionally nice Speightstown filly," said Spring Hill farm manager Chris Baker. "She looks like all-American dirt and speed, but should be able to carry it two turns. She's got good bone, good foot, she's correct and she just has that look about her like she wants to do something. She has that presence to her; she looks like she means business. She is a very solidly made filly."

Hip 427, filly Tapit--Tjinouska, by Cozzene

Consigned by Gainesway, Agent XIV

The bay is a half-sister to MGSP In the Slips (More Than Ready). "She is a big, rangy, good-moving filly who resembles Tapit's champion 2-year-old filly Stardom Bound," commented Gainesway's Michael Herson. "This Gainesway home-grown filly is out of a Cozzene mare. She should love the turf and looks like she will get the classic Oaks distance."

Hip 437, Tapit--Trickski, by Peteski

Consigned by Taylor Made Sales Agency, Agent LXXXII

This is a half-sister to crack sprinter Dearest Trickski (Proudest Romeo), who accounted for the GI La Brea S., GII A Gleam H. And GIII Rancho Bernardo H. "She could have easily been in Book 1," said Taylor Made's Mark Taylor. "She is a big, scopey, beautiful moving filly, who is very correct."

Hip 444, filly, Henrythenavigator--Twenty Eight Carat, by Alydar

Consigned by Eaton Sales, Agent

The young Coolmore sire enjoyed inspiring returns during the opening session, and Eaton is high on this daughter of the first season sire. She is out of Twenty Eight Carat, already responsible for Irish Highweight 2-year-old filly Heart Shaped (Storm Cat) and GI Champagne S. winner A P Valentine (A.P. Indy). "She is just a very pretty filly," said Eaton's Reiley McDonald. "She has a lovely shoulder and a nice, big long walk."

Hip 489, f, More Than Ready--Who Did It and Run, by Polish Numbers

Consigned by Hidden Brook Farm, Agent XIII

A registered Maryland-bred, this filly was produced by Who Did It and Run, a MGSW of over \$325,000. The mare has produced a pair of stakes horses, the stakes winning American Victory (Victory Gallop) and the graded-placed Who's Cozy (Cozzene). "She's just a different kind," said Hidden Brook's Sergio de Sousa. "She's a very athletic, good-moving filly from a good family, and she's from a program that produces a lot of good horses. I think she's going to be a very nice prospect for someone."

North American Top 2yo Colts
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Name (Sire)	Record	Earnings
1 Union Rags (Dixie Union) O-Chadds Ford Stable. B-Phyllis M. Wyeth (KY). T-Matz Michael R. \$145,000 yrlg 2010 FTSAUG; \$390,000 2yo 2011 FTFEB.	2-2-0-0	\$318,800
2 Banner Bill (Rockport Harbor) O-R Plus Partners. B-Ron Magers & Robert Marcocchio (IL). T-Biamonte Ralph J.	4-3-0-0	\$228,315
3 Drill (Lawyer Ron) O-Watson Karl Pegram Michael E & Weit. B-Stonewall Farm Stallions (KY). T-Baffert Bob. \$300,000 yrlg 2010 KEESEP.	3-2-0-0	\$188,150
4 Menlo Castle (Forest Danger) O-Healy Conor. B-Huntington Stud Farm Corp. (ON). T-Biamonte Ralph J. \$19,284 yrlg 2010 ONTSEP.	4-2-1-1	\$184,456
5 Currency Swap (High Cotton) O-Klaravich Stables Inc & Lawrence Wi. B-Stonecliff Farm (FL). T-Pompay Terri. \$42,000 wnlg 2009 OBSOCT; \$70,000 yrlg 2010 FTKJUL.	2-2-0-0	\$180,000
6 Creative Cause (Giant's Causeway) O-Steinmann Heinz. B-James C Weigel (KY). T-Harrington Mike. \$135,000 yrlg 2010 KEESEP.	3-2-1-0	\$173,000
7 Majestic City (City Zip) O-Bloom Jeffrey. B-Trackside Farm Robert Evans & Helen (KY). T-Miller Peter. \$30,000 yrlg 2010 KEESEP; \$180,000 2yo 2011 OBSMAR.	4-3-0-1	\$165,570
8 Fort Loudon (Awesome Of Course) O-Jacks Or Better Farm Inc. B-Jacks Or Better Farm Inc. (FL). T-Gold Stanley I.	6-3-0-2	\$151,205
9 She Digs Me (Henny Hughes) O-Robinson J Kirk & Judy. B-Rutherford, Mike G. (KY). T-Asmussen Steven M. \$50,000 yrlg 2010 KEESEP.	5-3-1-0	\$148,670
10 Jack's In The Deck (Love Of Money) O-Skeedattle Associates. B-Bowman Thomas Dr. & Mrs. (MD). T-Graham Robin L.	4-2-1-1	\$143,760

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NEWS TODAY

FIRST DUDE TO STAND AT DOUBLE DIAMOND

First Dude (c, 4, Stephen Got Even--Run Sarah Run, by Smart Strike), retired after posting a nose win in the July 9 GI Hollywood Gold Cup, will stand his first season at his owner/breeder Donald Disney's Double Diamond Farm near Ocala in 2012. "We're very excited to offer breeders the opportunity to breed to First Dude," said Disney. "We plan to support his books with our best mares. I believe Florida is the best place to breed and raise Thoroughbreds, and that's why we made the decision to stand him in Florida." In addition to his Gold Cup score, First Dude won the GIII Alysheba S. at Churchill. He was runner-up in the GI Preakness S. and GII Pennsylvania Derby and third in the GI Belmont S., GI Travers S. GI Haskell Invitational S. and GI Blue Grass S. The bay earned \$1,442,140.

OPEN LETTER TO THE INDUSTRY

Editor's Note: This week, advertising and marketing executive Fred Pope distributed the following editorial to industry publications. It can be read in its entirety by clicking on the link at the end of this excerpt.

TIME TO CHANGE THE STRUCTURE

By Fred A. Pope

In the movie *Field of Dreams*, the theme was "If you build it, they will come."

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RACETRACK Round-Up

Masked Marvel to Race On...

Saturday's G1 St Leger winner **Masked Marvel (GB)** (Montjeu {Ire}) is set to remain in training as a 4-year-old, connections have announced. No immediate plans have been set for the John Gosden-trained colt following his three-length success in the Doncaster



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Classic, but owner Bjorn Nielsen's Racing Manager Jeremy Brummitt was looking forward to his future yesterday. "I haven't discussed with John what we're going to do next this year," Brummitt told *PA Sport*. "Our main aim is to make sure the horse has his normal

regime until John comes back from the Keeneland sales in America. We perhaps wouldn't be keen to tackle soft ground, although that would hopefully become less of a spectre as he gets older. Next year, everything is on the board. He's always looked a big, scopey horse that could only improve with age." He continued, "Another 12 months on his back, and he may be capable of even greater things. It would be wrong to assume the extra distance has brought about the improvement--it was the timing of the race, the preparation in the build-up to the race, and his growing sense of maturity. At the weekend, he would have won a St Leger if it was run over a mile and a quarter."

Excelebration Fine after Moulin Triumph...

Excelebration (Ire) (Exceed and Excel {Aus}) has emerged from Sunday's G1 Prix du Moulin de Longchamp no worse for the wear. Trainer Marco Botti is waiting before deciding on the Giuliano Manfredini, Michael Tabor, Derrick Smith and Susan Magnier colorbearer's next start. "He got back this morning in good order and we're happy with him," Botti said. "There is no reason to decide on targets right now, as we can make a decision with the ground situation nearer the time. I think his two options at this stage are the G1 Queen Elizabeth II S. [at Ascot Oct. 15] and the [G1] Breeders' Cup Mile [at Churchill Downs Nov. 5], and there is plenty of time to decide. We will see how the horse trains in the next couple of weeks. Taking in both would be unlikely, but it will be something I will discuss with the owners. He has improved since the spring and is a much stronger horse now, but Ascot would be a tough task taking on Frankel (GB) (Galileo {Ire}) again. He is up to that level and is definitely going the right way, and [Sunday] against older horses he did well on that [soft] ground. We might get good ground at Ascot, as usually that is what it is there."

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A-W Futurity Top Two on Path to Rematch...

Shared Property (Scat Daddy) and **Take Charge Indy** (A.P. Indy), first and second, respectively, in Saturday's GIII Arlington-Washington Futurity S. in Chicago, are expected to meet again in Keeneland's G1 Dixiana Breeders' Futurity S. Oct. 8. "That was a lot of fun [Saturday]," said conditioner Tom Amoss, who trains Shared Property for Jerry Namy. "He ate up everything [Saturday night], and we're hoping he has a big future in front of him. Nothing has been decided for sure just yet, but there's a big chance we'll run him next in the Breeders' Futurity." Chuck and Maribeth Sandford and Secure Investments' Take Charge Indy came out of his one-length defeat at the hands of Shared Property equally well. "He ran a little green, but he ate up good last night and he's doing super good today," trainer Patrick Byrne said Sunday. "We're going to point him to the Futurity at Keeneland for his next start." He added, "I can't wait to see how he runs when we put the blinkers on him next time--he's got a lot of talent." GIII Arlington-Washington Lassie S. heroine **Rocket Twentyone** (Indian Charlie) also appears Kentucky-bound. "We have nothing rock solid in mind for her just yet, but we're planning on going down to Churchill Downs and camping out after Arlington," conditioner Tom Howard said. "Maybe there will be a deal for us at Keeneland (G1 Darley Alcibiades S. Oct. 7) and, if that works out for us, maybe they'll have another deal for us at Churchill Downs."



RETIRED

DUNCAN RETIRED

Duncan (GB) (Dalakhani {Ire}--Dolores {GB}), by Danehill) has been retired to his owner/breeder Philippa Cooper's establishment in West Sussex, the *Racing Post* revealed yesterday. Following the 6-year-old gelding's dead-heat with Jukebox Jury (Ire) (Montjeu {Ire}) in Saturday's G1 Irish St Leger, he will join his G2 Doncaster Cup-winning half-brother Samuel (GB) (Sakhee) at Normandie Stud. Also successful in this year's G2 Yorkshire Cup and last year's G2 Prix Foy, the John Gosden trainee won six of his 19 starts and over £370,000 in prize money. "He's been a wonderful servant and now he has won a Group 1, he has gone out on a high, so I felt it best to retire him rather than keep him in training as a 7-year-old," Cooper told the *Post*.

Darley
Flying Start

**From Start
to Finish...**

with Darley Flying Start's Sophie Ignarski

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

This instalment comes as we prepare to enter the fifth week of the Darley Flying Start program, a fact that seems difficult to believe. Our time on the program so far has flown by, with an intense schedule of lectures, visits, practical work and projects introducing us to many different aspects of the racing industry.

We have all settled in well, and have been made to feel very welcome here at Kildangan Stud, our home for the remaining seven weeks we will spend in Ireland. As part of our University College Dublin-based anatomy and physiology module, we were pleased to welcome the eminent equine geneticist Dr Emmeline Hill to Kildangan to speak to us about equine genetics.

As well as providing a detailed insight into her research into the 'speed gene,' her lecture generated a great deal of debate within the group regarding implications of the project for the global breeding and racing industries. One trainee proposed that the information generated by such testing could potentially lead to the addition of 'stayer,' 'middle distance' or 'sprinter' to future sales catalogue entries, while other members of the group argued that the test offers little information to breeders that is not already easily deduced from a horse's pedigree.

HITTING THEIR STRIDE

TOP ROUTING 3YO COLTS IN LATE SUMMER

Horse	Ragozin #
☆ MR. COMMONS	5 1/4
STAY THIRSTY	5 1/4
TREASURE BEACH (GB)	5 1/4
COIL	7 3/4

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A slightly more traditional view of the fundamentals of horse breeding was provided in the form of a lecture from Darley's pedigree expert, Charles Spiller, and for now, at least, it seems even with the advent of such advanced technology, the 'glorious uncertainty' of breeding remains.

As well as being kept busy with our lecture schedule, we were pleased to begin the practical element of the training with several afternoons spent at RACE (Racing Academy and Centre of Education) in Kildare.



The Darley Flying Start Trainees at Laytown Races



Darley Flying Start Blog cont.

In preparation for breaking the yearlings at Kildangan, trainees were taught the essentials of tacking up, lunging and driving on some especially co-operative ex-racehorses. One particular challenge included grooming and tacking up (in less than 10 minutes) as if for a race, which yielded varying degrees of success amongst the trainees. While some completed the task without fault, others (including yours truly...) were on the receiving end of comments from the instructors such as, 'if I were the jockey, there's no way I'd get on that horse!'

Suffice to say, we all learned a lot and hope to put our skills to good use with the yearlings in the forthcoming weeks.

We have also had the opportunity to meet some interesting guests at the Stud over the past few weeks. Hanako Sonobe (a 2005 Darley Flying Start graduate) and Kenichirou Mishima from Darley Japan visited Kildangan and answered plenty of questions from the group about the Japanese Darley operation and racing industry. Hanako and Kenichirou were introduced to the group by our Japanese trainee, Madoka Kamei. Madoka graduated from Gakushuin University with a Bachelor of Business Administration, and worked for Darley Japan for a year prior to beginning the Darley Flying Start program, both within the racing department and on the Stud with mares and foals. In the long term, she hopes to return to Japan as a stud or racing manager.

As usual, we have been able to fit in several excellent race meetings outside our work timetable. One particular highlight was seeing So You Think (NZ) (High Chaparral {Ire}) hold off Snow Fairy (Ire) (Intikhab) in a thrilling finish to the G1 Irish Champion S. at Leopardstown.

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HITTING THEIR STRIDE

TOP ROUTING 3YO FILLIES IN LATE SUMMER

Horse	Ragozin #
IT'S TRICKY	5 1/4
SUMMER SOIREE	5 1/4
☆ ANNE'S BEAUTY	6 1/2
ROYAL DELTA	6 3/4

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We were also excited to witness the impressive debut at The Curragh of Born To Sea (Ire) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}) , the final foal of the superstar mare Urban Sea (Miswaki).

An alternative to the traditional race meeting was provided in the form of a trip to Laytown, which plays host to the last remaining beach meeting in the

Northern Hemisphere held under the Rules of Racing. Against a striking coastal backdrop, horses race over six or seven furlongs, an annual tradition that dates back



to 1876. A fantastic day's racing was had by the group, not to mention a taste of some famous Irish craic!

As summer begins to wind down here in Ireland, we have several assignments, projects and presentations coming our way, so deadlines are fast approaching. With several big events on the horizon for us, including the upcoming Goffs Orby sale and the G1 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe, we look forward to some busy and very exciting weeks ahead.



PEDIGREE INSIGHTS

BY ANDREW CAULFIELD

QATAR PRIX VERMEILLE-G1, €350,000, Longchamp, 9-11, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/2mT, 2:34.38, sf.

1--▲**GALIKOVA (FR)**, 120, f, 3, by [Galileo \(Ire\)](#)

1st Dam: **Born Gold**, by **Blushing Groom (Fr)**

2nd Dam: **Riviere d'Or**, by **Lyphard**

3rd Dam: **Gold River (Fr)**, by **Riverman**

O/B-Wertheimer & Frere; T-Freddy Head; J-Olivier Peslier; €199,990. Lifetime Record: Lifetime Record: 7 starts, 5 wins, 2 place, €699,880. *1/2 to Goldikova (Ire) (Anabaa), Horse of the Year-Eur, 2x Ch. Turf Mare, Hwt. 3yo-Fr at 7-9.5f, 2x Hwt. Older Mare-GB & Fr, at 7-9.5f, MG1SW-Fr, GB & US, \$6,885,603; Gold Round (Ire) (Caerleon), GSW-Fr; Born Something (Ire) (Caerleon), GSP-Fr & MSP-US, \$153,270; Red Tune (Fr) (Green Tune), GSP-Fr, \$114,719; Gold Sound (Fr) (Green Tune), GSW-Fr & SW-US, \$368,756. **Werk Nick Rating: A.**

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Last week's European action underlined exactly why Galileo, Montjeu, Oasis Dream and Dansili currently hold the top four places on the British and Irish leading sires' list.

In highlighting her Arc potential in landing the G1 Prix Vermeille, Galikova became Galileo's ninth Northern Hemisphere Group 1 winner of the year, and his seventh from his spectacular 2008 crop.

Oasis Dream hit another hot streak, thanks to Power (G1 National S.), Prohibit (G3 Prix du Petit Couvert) and the unbeaten listed winner Bronterre. He bankrolled another £207,000 from Reply's victory in the Weatherbys Insurance £300,000 2yo S.

Dansili, for his part, was responsible for three stakes winners, including the group winners Requito and Bewitched. These two already ranked among Dansili's impressive 2011 total of 13 individual group/graded winners. You'll appreciate just how impressive this total is when I point out that *TDN's* General Sire List ([click here](#)), sorted by graded winners, shows Dansili top of the table, with a narrow advantage over Galileo and Montjeu. These three hold a sizeable advantage over the likes of Giant's Causeway and Smart Strike.

Masked Marvel's record-setting victory in the St Leger also moved Montjeu up to third place among the most prolific sires of English Classic winners since the start of the new millennium. Although his first 3-year-olds didn't race until 2005, he now a total of five English Classic winners, the others being the Derby heroes Motivator, Authorized and Pour Moi and the St Leger winner Scorpion. Masked Marvel's win puts Montjeu only two behind his sire Sadler's Wells and one behind Kingmambo,

Of course, Montjeu's impact at Classic level hasn't been confined to England, as his first seven crops of 3-year-olds also produced three winners of the Irish Derby. Another two of his sons, Montmartre and Scorpion, won the Grand Prix de Paris, many people's idea of France's true equivalent to the Derby. The French and Irish equivalents to the St Leger can no longer be considered Classics, since they were opened to older horses, but it is worth mentioning that Montjeu has made his mark on these, too.

WEEKEND HIGHLIGHTS IN EUROPE...

St Leger-Gr.1 (N.T.R)	1 st Masked Marvel	MONTJEU
Irish St Leger-Gr.1	1 st Jukebox Jury	MONTJEU
Prix Vermeille-Gr.1	1 st Galikova	GALILEO
La Coupe de Marseille-L.R.	1 st Arizona Run	HURRICANE RUN
Premio Repubblica Marinare-L.R.	1 st Cherry Collect	ORATORIO
Open Sprint Championship-L.R.	1 st Giant Sandman	FOOTSTEPSINTHESAND
Flame of Tara Stakes-L.R.	1 st Coral Wave	ROCK OF GIBRALTAR

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Golden Rose-Gr.1	1 st Manawanui	ORATORIO
	2 nd Golden Missile	FASTNET ROCK

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Pedigree Insights cont.

Montjeu's daughter Montare took the 2006 Prix Royal-Oak and, three days ago, his wonderfully game 5-year-old Jukebox Jury held on to dead-heat in the Irish St Leger.

Obviously, when it comes to siring top performers over 1 1/2 miles or more, Montjeu has few--if any--equals. In an era when stamina is almost a dirty word, I hasten to add that the Montjeus' staying power doesn't preclude them from being reasonably precocious.

GALIKOVA (IRE), f, 2008

Galileo (Ire)	Sadler's Wells	Northern Dancer	Nearctic
		Fairy Bridge	Natalma
	Urban Sea	Miswaki	Bold Reason
		Allegretta (GB)	Special
Born Gold 7-1-2-0 14Fls, 1Ch, 4GSW, 2SW	Blushing Groom (Fr)	Red God	Mr. Prospector
		Runaway Bride (GB)	Hopespringseternal
	Riviere d'Or G1SW, 8-4-2-0 8Fls, 1GSW	Lyphard	Lombard (Ger)
		Gold River (Fr)	Anatevka (Ger)
		4Fls, 2GSW, 1SW	Nasrullah (GB)
			Spring Run
			Wild Risk (Fr)
			Aimee (GB)
		Northern Dancer	
		Goofed	
		Riverman	
		Glaneuse (Fr)	

Like his sire Sadler's Wells before him, Montjeu was himself unbeaten in a pair of juvenile starts, one of them at stakes level. Two of Montjeu's Epsom Derby winners, Motivator and Authorized, were Group 1 winners at two and his latest winner, Pour Moi, also scored as a juvenile. His three Irish Derby winners all won at two, including Fame At Last, who won the G1 Criterium de Saint-Cloud (and has now won at Group 1 level at every age from two to five).

Jukebox Jury's record also epitomizes all that is good about the best sons of Montjeu. He was sufficiently forward to race six times as a 2-year-old, notably defeating the very smart miler Cityscape to win the G2 Royal Lodge S. prior to finishing second in the G1 Racing Post Trophy. Jukebox Jury added three more group wins at three, including the G1 Preis von Europa, and he also has group victories to his credit at the ages of four and five, taking his total to seven. Add in his soundness and his patent will to win, and Jukebox Jury is surely worthy of a stallion career.

Masked Marvel was also fast enough and mature enough to make a winning debut at two, no doubt helped by the fact that his dam, the German-bred Waldmark, won her only juvenile start for Sir Michael Stoute. A mile proved to be Waldmark's best trip, and she was considered an unlucky loser after meeting traffic problems in the G2 Falmouth S.

TALE OF EKATI 

Tale of the Cat - Silence Beauty (Jpn),
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By a remarkable coincidence, Waldmark is a half-sister to another of 2011's European Classic winners. Waldpark, her half-brother by Dubawi, won the G1 Deutsches Derby at Hamburg, where one of his opponents was Brown Panther, runner-up to Masked Marvel in the St Leger.

With Darshaan and Acatenango as her grandsires, it is easy to see why Waldmark was expected to be suited by middle distances (she was second in a listed race over a mile and a quarter). Her dam Wurftaube stayed well enough to win the G2 Deutsches St Leger, a race in which one of her sons, Waldvogel, later finished third. This family isn't all about stamina, though. Waldmark's sister Waldbeere produced Wiesenpfad, a six-time Group 3 winner from a mile to a mile and a quarter, when mated to the miler Waky Nao.

Masked Marvel's broodmare sire, Mark of Esteem, made his name as a top-class miler, despite being by Darshaan. As Darshaan's story has become inextricably linked with Sadler's Wells, it is no surprise that owners of good Mark of Esteem mares have made sons of Sadler's Wells one of their first ports of call. Montjeu has six stakes winners among his 54 foals out of Darshaan mares. They include four group winners, headed by Pour Moi, Blue Bajan (a Group 2-winning stayer) and Honolulu (third in the St Leger and winner of the G2 Doncaster Cup over 2 1/4 miles).

Another son of Sadler's Wells doing very well with Mark of Esteem mares is Galileo, with three group winners. Pride of place among them goes to his Irish Derby and Secretariat S. winner Treasure Beach.

Mention of Galileo reminds me that Montjeu is destined always to be compared to his famous stud companion. It is vital to remember that Montjeu is no longer as prolific as Galileo. Whereas Frankel, Nathaniel, Treasure Beach, Roderic O'Connor, Misty For Me, Golden Lilac and Galikova come from a Galileo crop of 161, Masked Marvel, Pour Moi and their fellow Group 1 winner Recital come from a crop of only 78 foals.

Galileo's 2007 crop, featuring Group 1 scorers Cape Blanco and Lily of the Valley and four other group winners, contains 158 foals. On the other hand, Montjeu's 2007 crop numbers 109, but it has produced the G1SWs St Nicholas Abbey, Jan Vermeer and Joshua Tree, plus the group-winning fillies Maria Royal, Sarah Lynx and Pink Symphony (the last two being part of a 2011 renaissance by Montjeu's young daughters, which also include the Group 3 winner Pacifique, the Group 2-placed Campanillas and the listed winner Bernieres).

The gap between the two stallions' crop size looks set to continue, as Montjeu has 76 2-year-olds, which equates to 42% of Galileo's 182. Approximate figures for 2010 are 68 foals for Montjeu, compared to more than 140 for Galileo, and Montjeu reportedly covered 118 mares in 2010, compared to Galileo's 177.



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Sunday, Hipodromo de Maronas, Uruguay

GRAN PREMIO POLLA DE POTRILLOS-G1, \$58,677, Hipodromo de Maronas, 9-11, 3yo, 1600m, 1:35.07, ft.

1--▲**BOBY DI JOB (BRZ)**, 123, c, 3, by Job di Caroline (Brz)

1st Dam: Fidelidad (Brz), by Villach King (Brz)

2nd Dam: Oclara (Brz), by Regimen

3rd Dam: Cla (Brz), by Earldom

O-Stud La Fe; B-Haras Curitiba; T-Jorge H. Firpo;

J-Luis A Caceres. Lifetime Record: 6-4-0-1.

Werk Nick Rating: C+. [Click for the](#)

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2--**Dopplavu (Uru)**, 123, c, 3, Robin des Pins--Dobleve (Uru), by Vermal (Arg). O-Stud Vida Nueva; B-Haras Don Alfredo; T-Elio A. Umpierrez.

3--**Nansouk (Brz)**, 123, c, 3, Special Nash (Ire)--Andor Rica (Brz), by Tandoro Dancer (Brz). O-Stud Mangueira; B-Haras Mabruk; T-Jorge da Luz.

Margins: 5 3/4, 1, 1.

Also Ran: Palafrenero (Uru), Hermano Lo (Brz), Rusoperez (Arg), No Stress (Uru), Amon (Uru), El Gemelo (Uru), El Profe (Uru), Ares (Uru). Non-runners: Brujo de Olleros (Brz), Quente Demais (Brz).

Sunday, Hipodromo de Monterrico, Peru

GRAN PREMIO POLLA DE POTRANCAS-G1, \$23,507, Hipodromo de Monterrico, 9-11, 3yo, f, 1600m,

1:41 4/5, ft.

1--▲**CUBAGE (PER)**, 123, f, 3, by Quintillon

1st Dam: Engreida (Per), by Swiss Native

2nd Dam: Magic Carpet (Arg), by Dancing Flight

3rd Dam: Procelaria (Arg), by Malambo (Arg)

O-Stud Diego Enrique; B-Haras Alydar; T-Sabino Arias; J-M Arenas; Lifetime Record: 3-3-0-0. *1/2 to Allianz Arena (Per) (Prospector's Cap), G1SW-Per.

Werk Nick Rating: 1st SW from this cross. [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

2--**Dama Juana (Per)**, 123, f, 3, Unbridled's King--Adorada (Per), by Apprentice. O-Stud Chipipe; B-Haras Gina Santa Rosa; T-L Hammond.

3--**Catibel (Per)**, 123, f, 3, Flanders Fields--Shooting Star (Per), by Mashhor Dancer. O-Stud Paracas; B-Haras San Pablo; T-J Bueno.

Margins: 1HF, NO, 5 1/4.

Also Ran: Abayyan (Per), Tormentita, Carla Brunella (Per), Lady Solange (Per), Lady Estefania (Chi), Legisladora (Per), Hard Weekend, Morfina (Per), Camry (Per), Beckett (Per), Lady Kenia (Per). Non-runner: Buenaventura (Per).

Wednesday, Cidade Jardim, Brazil

GRAN PREMIO IPIRANGA-G1, \$37,012, Cidade Jardim, 9-7, 3yo, 1600mT, 1:32.87, sf.

1--#**@KARA DE BIRIGUI (BRZ)**, 124, c, 3, by Banking (Arg)

1st Dam: Lovely Minister (Brz), by Mane Minister

2nd Dam: Special Dark (Brz), by Banquet Table

3rd Dam: Sawmill Dollars, by Our Native

O-Stud Birigui; B-Haras Birigui; T-Walfrido Garcia; J-Francisco Leandro; Lifetime Record: 7-3-2-1. *1/2 to Fada de Birigui (Brz) (Tremolino), G1SP-Brz; and Jorge de Birigui (Brz) (Romarin {Brz}), MGSW & MG1SP-Brz. Werk Nick Rating: C+.

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2--**Gipsy Bullet (Brz)**, 124, c, 3, Romarin (Brz)--Glaura (Brz), by Fantastic Dancer (Brz). O/B-Paulo Rodolfo Fischer; T-R Solanes.

3--**E do Iguassu (Brz)**, 124, c, 3, Romarin (Brz)--Gitanilla (Brz), by MInstrel Glory. O/B-Haras Rio Iguassu; T-A Pereira.

Margins: HD, NK, 1HF. [Click for the Racing Post chart.](#)

Wednesday, Cidade Jardim, Brazil

GRAN PREMIO HENRIQUE DE TOLEDO LARA-G1, \$37,012, Cidade Jardim, 9-7, 3yo, f, 1800mT,

1:45.64, sf.

1--#**DESEJO INFINITO (Brz)**, 124, f, 3, by Nedawi (GB)

1st Dam: Felicidade-Bela (Brz), by Notation

2nd Dam: Boa e Bela (Brz), by Ghadeer (Fr)

3rd Dam: Blue Savannah, by Sir Harry Lewis

O-Silvyo Cybulski; B-Stud Eternamente Rio; T-Olavo Jeronimo; J-Francisco Leandro. Lifetime Record: 7-3-0-0. Werk Nick Rating: D (1SW).

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2--**In the Stars (Brz)**, 124, f, 3, Romarin (Brz)--Miss Dance (Brz), by Dance Bid. O/B-Beverly Hills Stud; T-A Correa.

3--**Choreograph (Brz)**, 124, f, 3, Sulamani (Ire)--Crazy Jet (Brz), by Notation. O/B-Haras Tango; T-W Tosta. Margins: 1 3/4, 1 3/4, 3/4.

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“He didn't train on as a 3-year-old, as he had some physical issues,” said Attfield. “He had a back issue that needed a lot of time, so we just gave him the rest of the 3-year-old year off.” With his physical problems a thing of the past, Attfield believes his 4-year-old could be ready for a breakthrough performance. “He's training super now,” he remarked. “He's doing as well as he's ever done, actually. Whether or not he can step up into that kind of competition, we'll find out, but I don't think he's ever been better.” Hollinger prepped for the Woodbine Mile with a six-furlong work in 1:12 on the local training turf Sunday morning. “He worked very, very well and finished strong,” said Attfield. “It was a good work. [Jockey Tyler Pizarro] was very happy with him.”



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RETURN TO GLORY FOR HOLLINGER?

He hasn't visited the winner's circle since taking the Coronation Futurity going nine panels on the Woodbine Poly in November of 2009, but trainer Roger Attfield is hopeful that Robert Harvey and Al Wortzman's **Hollinger** (Black Minnaloushe) can harken back to his glory days in Sunday's GI Ricoh Woodbine Mile. The grey was perfect in four starts during his juvenile season in 2009, also annexing the Cup and Saucer S. en route to honors as the champion 2-year-old colt in Canada that year. But he failed to hit the board in two sophomore attempts, and is looking to build on a third in the July 13 Ontario Jockey Club S. at seven furlongs on the turf and a fourth in the GIII Seagram Cup at 1 1/8 miles on the synthetic.

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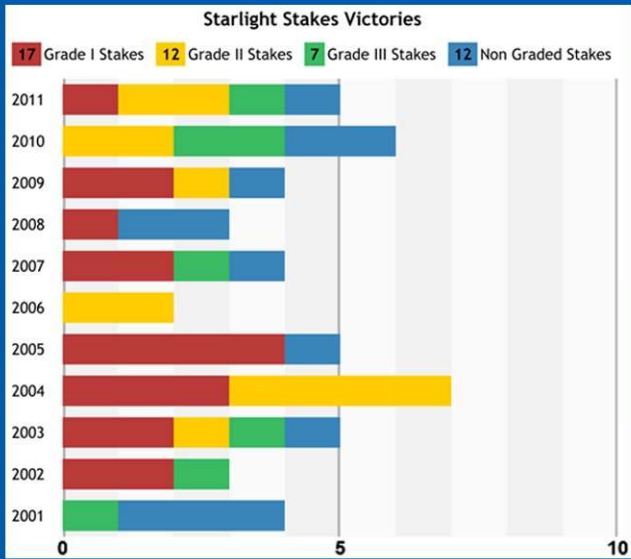
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		2011 Yearling Sales							2010 Yearling Sales			
Rank by Average		Fyr	Loc	R	Sold	Average	Median	Top Colt	Top Filly	Sold	Average	Median
1	A.P. INDY	F94	KY	7	6	\$ 604,166	\$412,500	\$1,400,000	\$ 775,000	19	\$544,736	\$300,000
2	STREET CRY (IRE)	F04	KY	13	11	539,090	550,000	1,200,000	400,000	30	273,577	210,000
3	BERNARDINI	F08	KY	22	18	512,704	465,000	1,200,000	950,000	37	201,209	150,000
4	CURLIN	F10	KY	6	3	433,333	450,000	450,000	700,000	0	--	--
5	GALILEO (IRE)	F03	IRE	16	15	433,046	287,420	718,550	2,443,070	55	380,403	274,410
6	MEDAGLIA D'ORO	F06	KY	32	17	423,231	400,000	1,200,000	525,000	45	144,284	95,000
7	DISTORTED HUMOR	F00	KY	12	9	412,777	450,000	550,000	600,000	26	381,153	235,000
8	INDIAN CHARLIE	F90	KY	9	8	395,000	400,000	550,000	775,000	42	134,440	117,500
9	UNBRIDLED'S SONG	F98	KY	35	20	356,750	250,000	775,000	1,000,000	49	181,204	150,000
10	DYNAFORMER	F91	KY	10	6	333,445	282,835	725,000	215,670	18	277,284	216,085
11	STREET SENSE	F09	KY	8	7	332,327	225,000	500,000	650,000	43	129,933	125,000
12	MONTJEU (IRE)	F02	IRE	10	9	321,912	258,678	488,852	862,260	36	197,715	140,772
13	NEW APPRCH (IRE)	F10	ENG	5	3	320,952	373,646	373,646	402,388	0	--	--
14	DIXIE UNION	F02	KY	5	4	320,000	312,500	250,000	525,000	39	98,421	70,000
15	KINGMAMBO	F95	KY	1	1	316,162	316,162	316,162	-	2	260,000	260,000
16	WAR FRONT	F08	KY	8	4	313,750	322,500	425,000	435,000	33	39,613	27,000
17	TAPIT	F06	KY	23	15	311,800	300,000	425,000	725,000	39	116,128	70,000
18	DANSILI (GB)	F02	ENG	6	5	287,274	186,823	273,182	718,550	27	226,004	183,737
19	SMART STRIKE	F98	KY	6	5	262,987	229,936	300,000	400,000	36	239,078	162,500
20	HNRYTHNVIGTR	F10	KY	13	6	254,611	200,000	625,000	-	0	--	--
21	DALAKHANI (IRE)	F05	IRE	8	6	251,599	230,048	402,584	222,859	27	99,491	75,165
22	GIANT'S CUSEWAY	F02	KY	20	17	250,440	260,000	550,000	350,000	54	161,483	132,390
23	TIZNOW	F03	KY	15	10	249,500	212,500	450,000	250,000	50	159,500	127,500
24	MONSUN (GER)	F97	GER	5	5	244,370	258,804	388,206	316,162	9	199,740	134,232
25	INVNCBLE SPRT (IRE)	F04	IRE	8	5	239,141	201,194	632,632	230,048	40	137,086	112,147
26	PULPIT	F99	KY	5	3	238,333	190,000	190,000	350,000	26	155,500	117,500
27	AWESOME AGAIN	F00	KY	4	2	225,000	225,000	350,000	100,000	35	90,641	60,000
28	MANDURO (GER)	F09	IRE	3	3	223,258	72,115	72,115	574,840	43	53,698	36,166
29	ARCH	F00	KY	5	5	218,600	250,000	475,000	280,000	30	95,083	77,500
30	OASIS DREAM (GB)	F05	ENG	11	9	218,292	158,081	455,224	215,565	54	211,813	132,841
31	MARJU (IRE)	F93	IRE	1	1	216,285	216,285	216,285	-	21	44,198	38,417
32	TOUCH GOLD	F00	NY	2	2	214,000	214,000	400,000	-	18	22,105	8,000
33	SLICKLY (FR)	F04	FR	2	2	209,133	209,133	-	346,152	12	18,632	14,559
34	RAVEN'S PASS	F10	IRE	9	7	207,599	210,000	225,000	431,340	0	--	--
35	LEMON DROP KID	F02	KY	8	7	206,142	210,000	325,000	210,000	53	75,822	50,000
36	CANDY RIDE (ARG)	F06	KY	11	9	203,888	175,000	400,000	535,000	17	78,000	37,000
37	ELUSIVE QUALITY	F00	KY	13	6	199,839	133,412	650,000	186,823	57	92,020	62,000
38	MALIBU MOON	F01	KY	15	11	189,090	165,000	350,000	310,000	59	152,364	95,000
39	GREEN TUNE	F97	FR	5	1	187,447	187,447	187,447	-	8	36,014	24,628
40	MINESHAFT	F05	KY	2	2	186,000	186,000	350,000	22,000	24	70,083	48,500
41	DNHILL DNCR (IRE)	F98	IRE	18	15	166,420	129,339	373,646	287,420	40	180,514	153,410
42	SPEIGHTSTOWN	F06	KY	6	4	161,177	129,086	108,172	300,000	40	92,171	70,500
43	ANABAA	F98	FR	13	11	157,520	129,402	287,420	359,275	30	77,783	46,925
44	BROKEN VOW	F03	KY	4	3	156,733	27,000	440,000	-	44	47,274	37,500
45	KITTEN'S JOY	F07	KY	2	1	155,000	155,000	155,000	-	23	19,262	6,500
46	BIG BROWN	F10	KY	11	9	153,888	120,000	310,000	220,000	0	--	--
47	HALLING	F98	ENG	2	1	150,895	150,895	-	150,895	15	26,683	25,524
48	MACHO UNO	F05	KY	4	3	145,000	45,000	45,000	350,000	54	28,648	15,500
49	GOLD AWAY (IRE)	F01	FR	1	1	144,230	144,230	144,230	-	24	30,318	20,944
50	TEOFILO (IRE)	F09	IRE	12	9	133,290	100,597	100,597	344,904	47	159,181	133,526
51	SKY MESA	F05	KY	7	6	126,533	107,500	155,000	300,000	11	52,681	40,000
52	SHAMARDAL	F06	IRE	10	9	126,305	86,538	345,072	115,352	50	100,308	83,517



Top 75 Sires of Yearlings, cont.

53	HARD SPUN	F09	KY	12	9	123,555	85,000	290,000	260,000	62	107,862	85,000
54	HARRICNE RUN (IRE)	F08	IRE	6	6	122,748	75,700	316,162	143,710	48	61,849	50,429
55	BIRDSTONE	F06	KY	3	3	122,333	87,000	225,000	55,000	16	37,218	19,500
56	EXCHANGE RATE	F03	KY	15	11	115,365	90,000	105,000	350,000	30	56,531	27,000
57	MR. GREELEY	F97	KY	7	4	113,924	132,512	150,000	158,158	63	167,089	115,000
58	ACC LAMATION (GB)	F05	IRE	19	19	112,200	114,107	216,285	114,107	73	70,506	46,404
59	MOTIVATOR (GB)	F07	ENG	2	2	111,747	111,747	50,466	173,028	30	41,606	23,091
60	HARLAN'S HOLIDAY	F05	KY	16	13	108,923	55,000	310,000	65,000	44	71,959	40,958
61	ROCK HARD TEN	F07	KY	6	5	108,000	60,000	125,000	250,000	38	81,868	55,000
62	MIDNIGHT LUTE	F10	KY	20	18	107,888	88,500	310,000	220,000	0	--	--
63	PIVOTAL (GB)	F98	ENG	8	6	106,374	102,006	93,457	172,536	41	159,662	125,275
64	AUTHORIZED (IRE)	F09	ENG	9	5	105,582	86,538	201,292	215,565	46	70,369	49,973
65	DYLN THOMAS (IRE)	F09	IRE	13	12	101,677	93,412	208,481	143,710	57	81,482	44,748
66	CAPE CROSS (IRE)	F01	IRE	5	5	101,309	79,326	93,723	200,000	57	84,766	66,523
67	MORE THAN READY	F02	KY	8	7	97,253	97,806	150,000	150,000	46	90,743	72,500
68	TALE OF THE CAT	F00	KY	15	11	95,482	72,000	400,000	72,000	49	81,265	54,000
69	NAYEF	F05	ENG	4	2	94,285	94,285	74,765	113,806	30	100,298	56,933
70	PEINTRE CELEBRE	F99	IRE	7	6	94,039	94,895	158,158	115,024	13	45,267	44,080
71	AZAMOUR (IRE)	F06	IRE	4	3	93,511	43,269	43,269	194,008	15	86,929	78,172
72	RAMONTI (FR)	F10	ITY	1	1	89,655	89,655	89,655	0	0	--	--
73	FLASHY BULL	F09	KY	9	9	87,444	70,000	200,000	250,000	48	24,039	16,000
74	EXCD AND EXCL	F05	ENG	8	8	87,288	85,253	129,339	113,806	47	56,603	38,484
75	GRT JURNY (JPN)	F09	FR	2	2	86,522	86,522	0	108,142	0	--	--

Top 25 Freshman Sires of Yearlings

Rank by Average			2011 Yearling Sales, Freshman Only					
	Loc	Ring	Sold	Average	Median	Top Colt	Top Filly	
1	CURLIN	KY	6	3	\$433,333	\$450,000	\$450,000	\$700,000
2	NEW APPROACH (IRE)	ENG	5	3	320,952	373,646	373,646	402,388
3	HENRYTHENAVIGATOR	KY	13	6	254,611	200,000	625,000	-
4	RAVEN'S PASS	IRE	9	7	207,599	210,000	225,000	431,340
5	BIG BROWN	KY	11	9	153,888	120,000	310,000	220,000
6	MIDNIGHT LUTE	KY	20	18	107,888	88,500	310,000	220,000
7	RAMONTI (FR)	ITY	1	1	89,655	89,655	89,655	-
8	READY'S IMAGE	KY	5	3	82,333	80,000	150,000	80,000
9	STREET BOSS	KY	16	12	78,002	47,500	285,000	190,000
10	LITERATO (FR)	FR	6	4	72,820	79,313	122,561	100,933
11	BUSTIN STONES	NY	2	2	72,500	72,500	-	87,000
12	DIVINE PARK	KY	6	3	71,666	75,000	40,000	100,000
13	FIRST DEFENCE	KY	4	3	71,000	60,000	-	120,000
14	MOUNT NELSON (GB)	ENG	11	11	67,781	55,423	172,536	173,028
15	BROTHER DEREK	KY	5	3	66,666	60,000	-	110,000
16	TAMAYUZ (GB)	IRE	5	5	66,417	64,669	79,040	115,024
17	STREET HERO	KY	6	2	59,000	59,000	-	100,000
18	DUKE OF MARMALADE (IRE)	IRE	14	10	58,554	48,774	129,771	81,914
19	MAJESTIC WARRIOR	KY	16	11	58,063	50,000	137,000	95,000
20	ASTRONOMER ROYAL	FR	8	8	53,534	54,071	86,514	57,676
21	FALCO	FR	8	8	51,915	51,923	79,326	79,304
22	TIZ WONDERFUL	KY	19	16	47,231	41,500	85,000	130,000
23	WAR PASS	KY	4	4	40,250	13,250	130,000	10,500
24	LINNGARI (IRE)	FR	2	2	37,499	37,499	60,576	14,423
25	INTO MISCHIEF	KY	10	9	35,777	19,000	65,000	125,000

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NORTH AMERICA



First-crop starters to watch: Tuesday, Sept. 13

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

- CHARGING INDIAN** (Indian Charlie), 3/0/0
6-HOO, Msw, 5 1/2f, Carnegie Tall, 30-1
- CITY WEEKEND** (Carson City), 13/0/0
6-HOO, Msw, 5 1/2f, Boogiewoogieblues, 8-1
- MASTER COMMAND** (A.P. Indy), Taylor Made, \$15K, 82/5/1
6-DEL, Msw, 6f, +Launch Commander, \$60K KEE SEP yrl
- NOBLE CAUSEWAY** (Giant's Causeway), Crestwood, \$5K, 87/4/1
6-HOO, Msw, 5 1/2f, Notoriously Noble, 3-1
- SCIPION** (A.P. Indy), Murmur, \$6K, 30/2/0
6-DEL, Msw, 6f, Won the War, \$20K EAS SEP yrl
- SILVER WAGON** (Wagon Limit), Hurricane Hall, \$5K, 26/2/0
4-HOO, Msw, 5 1/2f, Another Trick, \$10K FTK OCT yrl, 9-5

First/Second-crop starters to watch: Tuesday, Sept. 13

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

- BELLAMY ROAD** (Concerto), Paul Mill, \$13K, 144/39/7
4-HOO, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Angels Trace, \$17K FAL MIX yrl, 8-1

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AQUEDUCT

Apriority (Grand Slam), 4f, :48.34, 1/7

BELMONT

- Awesome Feather (Awesome of Course), 5f, 1:00.98, 2/7
- B Shanny (Street Cry {Ire}), 5f, 1:03.45, 6/7
- Girolamo (A.P. Indy), 4f, :49.08, 7/22
- Justin Phillip (First Samurai), 5f, 1:02.14, 3/7
- Mr. Fantasy (E Dubai), 5f, 1:02.23, 5/7
- Nicole H (Mr. Greeley), 3f (tr.), :38.41, 3/3
- Vineyard Haven (Lido Palace {Chi}), 4f, :49.32, 8/22
- Winchester (Theatrical {Ire}), 4f, :50.23, 15/22

CHURCHILL DOWNS

- Court Vision (Gulch), 5f, 1:02.00, 15/20
- Flashy Lassie (Flashy Bull), 5f, 1:01.00, 6/20

HOLLYWOOD

- Awesome Gem (Awesome Again), 4f, :48.80, 8/23
- Bourbon Bay (Sligo Bay {Ire}), 6f, 1:13.80, 4/6
- Miss Match (Arg) (Indygo Shiner), 6f, 1:13.60, 3/6

MONMOUTH

- Brian (Roman Ruler), 3f, :37.40, 1/2
- Brock (Distorted Humor), 5f, 1:01.40, 1/6
- She Digs Me (Henny Hughes), 4f, :51.20, 18/22

SANTA ANITA

- A Z Warrior (Bernardini), 5f, 1:00.40, 3/44
- Plum Pretty (Medaglia d'Oro), 6f, 1:13.80, 6/14
- Sweet Swap (Candy Ride {Arg}), 4f, :47.40, 4/46
- Take Control (A.P. Indy), 4f, 1:02.00, 25/44
- Zazu (Tapit), 6f, 1:14.00, 8/14



AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS

IN BRITAIN:

Commandingpresence, m, 5, **Thunder Gulch**--Sehra, by Silver Hawk. Brighton, Britain, 9-12, Hcp, 3yo/up, 5f 59ydsT. B-Lazy Lane Farms Inc. *4,600gns HIT '09 TATFEB.

IN JAPAN:

Meiner Etranger, c, 2, **Stevie Wonderboy**--Amybdancing (SP-US), by Diablo. Sapporo, 9-11, Novice Race, 8 1/2f. Lifetime Record : 2-1-0-0, \$64,103. O-Thoroughbred Club Ruffian; B-Karen S & Gary M Farrar; T-Toru Miya. *\$40,000 wnlg '09 KEENOV; \$40,000 yrl '10 FTKJUL. **Ranged up from second and was able to hold his ground to the end despite a sharp acceleration by the runner-up for a narrow victory. Winning jockey Yuichi Shibayama commented, "His performance after he shifted into top gear proved that he could compete at a higher class." ***4th winner for freshman sire (by Stephen Got Even).



IN ARGENTINA:

Soleado, c, 4, **Bernstein**--Sun Spray, by Woodman. Palermo. 9-10, Mdn., 1200m, 1:10.25. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0. B-La Pasion America.



EUROPE



BRITAIN

Yesterday's Results:

Kempton Park, 15.10, Mdn, £5,100, 2yo, f, 1m (AWT), 1:40.26, stn.

+ MISDEMEANOUR (IRE) (f, 2, Azamour {Ire}--Miss Takeortwo {Ire} {SP-Eng}, by Danehill Dancer {Ire}), a €14,000 GOFSP yearling and £38,000 GOFMAR juvenile, was held up in mid-division throughout the early stages. Angled off the rail at the quarter pole, the 15-2 shot ran on well under pressure to lead inside the final furlong and score by two lengths from Parisian Princess (Ire) (Teofilo {Ire}). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, £3,299. [Video, courtesy Racing UK.](#)

O-Thurloe Thoroughbreds XXIX; B-Ceka Ireland Ltd; T-Richard Hannon.

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2.10 Yarmouth, Mdn, £5,700, 2yo, f, 6f 3ydsT
JELLICLE (IRE) (Successful Appeal) represents the back-to-back G1 St Leger winning combination of trainer John Gosden and jockey William Buick in this racecourse bow. Princess Haya of Jordan's Darley-bred bay is a half-sister to this year's GI Acorn S. and GI Coaching Club American Oaks victress It's Tricky (Mineshaft), and faces 14 rivals here.

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IRELAND



Yesterday's Results:

Listowel, 15.45, Hcp, €30,000, 2yo, 1mT, 1:49.00, sf.

SECRETARY OF STATE (IRE) (c, 2, [Danehill Dancer {Ire}](#)--[Akuna Bay](#), by [Mr. Prospector](#)), runner-up in a similar event at Killarney last time Aug. 23, tracked the early pace in third sporting first-time blinkers. Ridden to the front with 1 1/2 furlongs to race, the 4-1 second choice kept on well to score by a length from French Quebec (Ire) (Excellent Art {GB}) while carrying topweight. The victor is a 3/4 brother to Sugar Ray (Danehill), GSP-Eng, \$162,931. Lifetime Record: 7-1-4-0, €31,908. [Video, courtesy attheraces.com](#).

O-Derrick Smith, Susan Magnier & Michael Tabor; B-Barronstown Stud and Pacelco SA; T-Aidan O'Brien.



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Listowel, 14.45, Mdn, €15,000, 2yo, f, 6f 60ydsT, 1:28.41, sf/hy.

SWERVE (GB) (f, 2, [Oasis Dream {GB}](#)--[Avoidance {SP-Eng}](#), by [Cryptoclearance](#)), fourth in a Curragh maiden on debut Aug. 28, raced close up in second from the outset. Nudged into a clear advantage 1 1/2 furlongs from home, the 15-8 favorite romped by 8 1/2 lengths from Legal Peace (Ire) (Lawman {Fr}). "She got a good position from a good draw and just outclassed them," rider Pat Smullen commented. "We think a bit of her. Hopefully, it's onwards and upwards from here." Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, €11,200. [Video, courtesy attheraces.com](#).

O-Khalid Abdullah; B-Juddmonte Farms Ltd; T-Dermot Weld.



FRANCE



Yesterday's Results:

Saint-Cloud, 14.20, Cond, €29,000, 2yo, f, 1mT, 1:43.80, sf.

GAAZAAL (IRE) (f, 2, [Iffraaj {GB}](#)--[Safqa {GB}](#), by [Singspiel {Ire}](#)), a first-up seventh at Deauville Aug. 2, broke well from her inside gate and raced second for most of this one. Nudged along soon after turning for home, the 42-5 chance took a slender advantage from pacesetter Magic Motif (Giant's Causeway) inside the two pole and kept on well under whipless cajoling thereafter to comfortably account for that rival by a length. Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 1 win, 0 places, €14,500.

O-Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum; B-Shadwell Estate Company Ltd; T-Freddy Head.



GERMANY



Sunday's Result:

Hannover, 14.00, Mdn, €5,100, 2yo, 1mT, 1:41.30, gd.

+ ALL FOR YOU (GER) (f, 2, [Shirocco {Ger}](#)--[All About Love {Ger}](#), by [Winged Love {Ire}](#)) was settled towards the rear of the small field. Shaken up on the final bend, the 19-5 shot stayed on under pressure to collar Reine Liberte (Ger) (Big Shuffle) 100 yards from home and win by 1 1/2 lengths. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, €3,000.

O-Gestut Ittlingen; B-Gestut Hof Ittlingen; T-Torsten Mundry.

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ITALY

Sunday's Late Results:

Milan, 14.30, Cond, €22,500, 2yo, 1mT, 1:39.50, gd. LUI E LA LUNA (GB) (c, 2, [Nayef](#)--Luna d'Estate {GB}, by [Alzao](#)), who took a maiden here first time up Aug. 31, broke quickly and soon led. Ridden at the quarter pole, the 4-5 chalk ran on well to best Saluggia Dream (Ire) (Martino Alonso {Ire}) by 1 1/4 lengths. The victor is a half-brother to Zenone (Ire) (Orpen), SW-Ity, \$220,288. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, €17,000. O-Scuderia Blueberry SRL; B-Razza Del Sole SRL; T-Grizzetti Galoppo.

BREEDERS' EDITION AMERICA

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

7th-KDX, \$29,000, Opt. Clm. (\$45,000), NW2X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:40 4/5, fm.

FANTASTIQUE (f, 3, [More Than Ready](#)--Totally Crafty {SP}, by [Crafty Prospector](#)) Lifetime Record: 13-3-2-1, \$68,422. O-Fernando Larrain. B-James T Scatuorchio (KY). T-Oscar Modica. * \$60,000 yrl '09 FTKJUL; \$47,000 2yo '10 OBSFEB; \$65,000 RNA 2yo '10 KEENOV.

Selected by Marette Farrell. Purchased by EQWOS Bloodstock.

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6th-KDX, \$27,000, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 6fT, 1:11 2/5, fm.

ELLE SPECIAL (f, 4, [Giant's Causeway](#)--Peinture Ancienne, by [Seeking the Gold](#)) Lifetime Record: 10-2-0-1, \$45,632. O-Jerry Jamgotchian. B-Shell Bloodstock (KY). T-Herbert R Reed.

8th-SUF, \$20,090, NW1X, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:11 2/5, ft. TOMORROWS WILDCAT (g, 3, [Wildcat Heir](#)--Jackie Ramos, by [Afleet](#)) Lifetime Record: 7-3-1-1, \$30,442. O-Monarch Stables Inc. B-Debra Posgai & Donna Russell (FL). T-John Rigattieri. * \$7,200 yrl '09 OBSAUG; \$19,000 RNA wIng '08 KEENOV; \$22,000 RNA 2yo '10 OBSAPR.

7th-SUF, \$20,090, NW1X, 3yo/up, 1m70y (off turf), 1:47 1/5, ft.

DOUBLE DEVILISH (g, 6, [Silk Broker](#)--Make the Double, by [Double Negative](#)) Lifetime Record: MSP, 32-3-4-5, \$72,712. O/B/T-Adel Salim (MA).

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

+ **Kinginthecity, f, 2, [Friends Lake](#)--Salsa City, by Salt Lake. DEL, 9-12, (C), 5 1/2f, 1:05 2/5. B-Moreau Bloodstock International Inc. (FL). * \$3,500 yrl '10 FTMOCT.**

Gospel Hour, c, 2, [Songandaprayer](#)--Emma Loves Marie, by Wild Again. KDX, 9-12, 6fT, 1:12 4/5. B-Cynthia Knight (KY). * \$8,500 yrl '10 KEEJAN. ** 1/2 to Dat Yo Miz Blue (Cure The Blues), GSW, \$806,291; Dust Me Off (With Approval), GSW, \$218,440.

+ **On Down the Road, c, 3, [Desert God](#)--On the Avenue, by Talent Town. ZIA, 9-12, (S), 6f, 1:10 2/5. B-Joe Allen (NM).**

Gypsy Lou, f, 3, [Elusive Quality](#)--Win's Fair Lady (MSW, \$150,485), by Dehere. DEL, 9-12, 1 1/16m (off turf), 1:46 2/5. B-My Meadowview LLC (KY). * 1/2 to First Passage (Giant's Causeway), GSW, \$306,144.

Dannhauser, c, 3, [Johannesburg](#)--Hatpin (SW & MGSP, \$257,897), by Smart Strike. PRX, 9-12, 1 1/16m (off turf), 1:45 2/5. B-Audley Farm (VA). * \$270,000 yrl '09 KEESEP; \$350,000 2yo '10 FTFFEB.

Brookdale Grad - 1/2 bro [Hip 862](#) selling at KEESEP

Hidden Brook purchased for Paul Pompa

Witchy One, f, 3, [Smart Strike](#)--Prof. McGonagall, by Storm Cat. KDX, 9-12, 6fT, 1:12 3/5. B-Alex G Campbell Jr Thoroughbreds LLC (KY). * 1/2 to It's Tea Time (Dynaformer), GSW & GISP, \$411,152.

AMERICAN-SIRED WINNERS

IN AUSTRALASIA:

Typeface (Aus), g, 4, [Elusive Quality](#)--Lucida (Aus), by Danehill. Sandown (Melbourne), 9-7, Hcp, 4yo/up, 6fT. B-Mrs S Suduk.

IN ARGENTINA:

Que Me Dices (Arg), c, 4, [Bernstein](#)--Queen Tango (Arg), by Lode. Palermo, 9-10, Cond., 1000m, :55.09. Lifetime Record: 12-4-5-0. B-Haras Santa María de Araras.

Trekking (Arg), c, 4, [Grand Reward](#)--Adventurer (Arg), by Southern Halo. Palermo, 9-10, Cond., 1400m, 1:22.61. Lifetime Record: 13-4-2-3. B-Haras La Quebrada.

Very Pure (Arg), f, 4, [Pure Prize](#)--Verite d'Amour (Arg), by Lode. Palermo, 9-10, Mdn., 1200m, 1:12.34. Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-1. B-Haras Santa Maria de Araras.

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CONDITIONS RESULTS:

FRANCE, Saint-Cloud, 15.20, 9-12, €24,000, 3yo, 1 5/16mT, 2:12.40, sf.

SUZY WONG (GB) (f, 3, [Auction House](#)--Dance Flower {Ire}, by [Cape Cross](#) {Ire}) Lifetime Record: 6 starts, 2 wins, 3 places, €22,880. O/B-Giles Pritchard-Gordon; T-Rupert Pritchard-Gordon. Cont. p4



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FRANCE, Chateaubriant, 18.40, 9-12, €23,000, 4yo/up, 1 5/8mT, 3:00.35, vsf.

FOUNDATION FILLY (GB) (f, 4, Lando {Ger}--Fureau {Ger}, by Ferdinand) Lifetime Record: 15 starts, 3 wins, 7 places, €64,700. O-Robert Jeffock; B-E Puerari & Mochila SA; T-Francois Doumen. *€250,000 yrl '08 ARQAUG. **1/2 to Floriot (Ire) (Monsun {Ger}), G1SW-Ity, SP-Ger, \$394,069.

ITALY, Milan, 15.10, 9-11, €18,000, 3yo, 1 1/8mT, 1:51.70, gd.

BILLY BUDD (IRE) (c, 3, Shamardal--Baranja {GSP-Ity}, by St. Jovite) Lifetime Record: G1SP-Ity, 10-5-1-1, €86,887. O-Scuderia Brooms di Sergio Bazzani; B-Mario Parola; T-Stefano Botti.

ITALY, Milan, 18.00, 9-11, €18,000, 3yo/up, 5fT, :58.50, gd.

DAGDA MOR (ITY) (c, 4, Martino Alonso {Ire}--Bagnolese {Ity}, by Cape Cross {Ire}) Lifetime Record: MSW & GSP-Ity, 22-9-5-4, €177,123. O-Scuderia Effevi SNC di Villa FEC; B-Razza Del Velino SRL; T-Stefano Botti.

ITALY, Milan, 16.15, 9-11, €13,500, 3yo, 7 1/2fT, 1:32.40, gd.

CARATTERACCIO (IRE) (c, 3, Oasis Dream {GB}--Carattere {Ire}, by Indian Ridge {Ire}) Lifetime Record: 7-4-0-1, €27,965. O/B-Razza La Tesa SPA; T-Edmondo Botti.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Go Dutch (Ire), c, 2, **Dutch Art (GB)**--Paix Royale (GB) (SP-Fr), by Royal Academy. Brighton, Britain, 9-12, Mdn, 2yo, 6f 209ydsT. B-Wiji Bloodstock & Gerry Mullins. *27,000gns RNA wnlg '09 TATDEC; 27,000gns yrl '10 TATOCT. **1/2 to Peach Pearl (GB) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}), SW-Fr, \$108,556. ***25th winner for freshman sire (by Medicean {GB}).

Willoc (Fr), c, 2, **Gold Away (Ire)**--Seed Pearl (GB), by Lordmare (Fr). Cholet, France, 9-11, Mdn, 2yo, c/g, 1 3/16mT. B-A & Mme C Choupeault.

Impendor (Ire), c, 2, **Holy Roman Emperor (Ire)**--Landela (GB), by Alhaarth (Ire). Tours, France, 9-11, Cond, 2yo, 7f 165ydsT. B-E M J Flynn & Abbeville Stud. *€36,000 wnlg '09 GOFNOV; €50,000 yrl '10 ARQAUG; €90,000 2yo '11 ARQMAY.

First Winner for Freshman Sire

Le Bahamien (Fr), c, 2, **Kentucky Dynamite**--La Bahamienne (Ire), by Fasliyev. Saint-Cloud, France, 9-12, Cond, 2yo, c/g, 1mT. B-Cyril Morange & Ian Fair. *1st winner for freshman sire (by Kingmambo).

Tipsy Tangerine (Ger), f, 2, **Soviet Star**--The Spring Flower (Ger) (SW & GSP-Ger), by Kornado (GB). Dusseldorf, Germany, 9-11, Cond, 2yo, 7fT. B-Gestut Kussaburg. *€8,000 RNA yrl '10 BBAOCT.

Dragon Ball (Fr), f, 2, **Tremolino**--Anamiglia (GB), by Anabaa. Cholet, France, 9-11, Mdn, 2yo, f, 1 3/16mT. B-SCEA des Prairies & P Cochard.

Way French (Fr), f, 2, **Way of Light**--French Actress, by Theatrical (Ire). Pompadour, France, 9-11, Mdn, 2yo, 6fT. B-Ecurie Biraben. *€3,000 RNA yrl '10 ARQOCT.

Eviane (Fr), f, 3, **American Post (GB)**--Elegante (Ger), by Acatenango (Ger). Tours, France, 9-11, Cond, 3yo, 7f 165ydsT. B-T Koehler. *1/2 to Eclair de Lune (Ger) (Marchand de Sable), GISW-US, GSP-Fr, \$576,013.

Kuheylah Asil (Fr), f, 3, **Anabaa Blue (GB)**--Les Yeux Mauves (Fr) (MSP-Fr), by Tot ou Tard (Ire). Evreux, France, 9-11, Cond, 3yo, 6 1/2fT. B-Pierre Talvard & SARL Winning Bloodstock Agency. *€7,000 yrl '09 ARQOCT; €17,000 RNA HIT '10 BBAOCT.

Aux Quatre Saisons (Fr), f, 3, **Dansili {GB}**--Red Stella (Fr) (SW-Fr), by Rainbow Quest. Tours, France, 9-11, Cond, 3yo, 1 3/8mT. B-Wertheimer & Frere.

Miss Catsy (Ire), f, 3, **Hurricane Cat**--Miss Sissy (Fr), by Sicyos. Chateaubriant, France, 9-12, Mdn, 3yo, 1950mT. B-Henri-Alex Pantall & Mme Y Chabot.

Ensemble (Fr), f, 3, **Iron Mask**--Only Seule, by Lyphard. Evreux, France, 9-11, Cond, 3yo, 1 1/8mT. B-Wertheimer & Frere. *1/2 to Occupandiste (Ire) (Kaldoun {Fr}), G1SW-Fr, \$299,209; Only Green (Ire) (Green Desert), MSW & GSP-Fr, \$164,864.

Fly the Stars (Ger), g, 3, **Lomitas (GB)**--Fly to Win (Ire) (SP-Ger), by Ali-Royal (Ire). Dusseldorf, Germany, 9-11, Mdn, 3yo, 1 1/16mT. B-Eckhard Sauren.

Cinta (GB), f, 3, **Monsun (Ger)**--Night Year (Ire), by Jareer. Dax, France, 9-11, Mdn, 3yo, 7fT. B-Mme Mette Campbell Andenaes. *1/2 to Near Honor (Ger) (Highest Honor {Fr}), SW & G1SP-Ger, \$241,787; Near Dock (Ger) Docksider), SW & MGSP-Ger, GSP-Ire, SP-GB, \$136,113.

Sun Quest (Fr), f, 3, **Rainbow Quest**--Extra Fancy, by Danzig. Chateaubriant, France, 9-12, Mdn, 3yo, 1 5/8mT. B-SCEA Haras de Manneville. *€20,000 yrl '09 ARQAUG.

Acacalia (Ger), f, 3, **Ransom O'War**--Adorea (Ger) (SP-Ger), by Dashing Blade (GB). Hannover, Germany, 9-11, Mdn, 3yo, f, 1m 165ydsT. B-Gotz Meyer zu Reckendorf. *€14,000 RNA yrl '09 BBASEP. **1/2 to Avenir Rubra (Ger) (Lomitas {GB}), MSW-Ger.

Quadrant (Ire), g, 3, **Shamardal**--Quite Elusive, by Elusive Quality. Ffos Las, Britain, 9-11, Mdn, 3yo/up, 1mT. B-Trebles Holford Farm Thoroughbreds. *57,000gns yrl '09 TATOCT.

Taruma (Ger), f, 3, **Sabiango (Ger)**--Tala (Fr) (SW-Fr), by Lomitas (GB). Hannover, Germany, 9-11, Mdn, 3yo, 1 3/8mT. B-Stiftung Gestut Fahrhof.

Fabulouslyspirited (GB), f, 3, **Selkirk**--Fabulously Fast (GISW-US, \$213,100), by Deputy Minister. Kempton Park, Britain, 9-12, Mdn, 3-4yo, f, 1m (AWT). B-Newsells Park Stud.

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IN SO. HEMISPHERE:

- State of Wealth (Aus)**, c, 3, **Ad Valorem**--Girona (Aus), by Giant's Causeway. Doomben (Brisbane), 9-10, Hcp, 4yo/up, 5f 120ydsT. B-Darley.
- Atlantic Jewel (Aus)**, f, 3, **Fastnet Rock (Aus)**--Regard (Aus), by Zabeel (NZ). Moonee Valley (Melbourne), 9-10, Cond, 3yo, f, 6fT. B-G J Perry.
- Kelinni (Ire)**, g, 3, **Refuse to Bend (Ire)**--Orinoco (Ire), by Darshaan (GB). Canterbury (Sydney), 9-7, Hcp, 4yo/up, 6f 55ydsT. B-Newberry Stud Farm Ltd.
- Old Bill (GB)**, g, 4, **Danehill Dancer (Ire)**--Marula (Ire), by Sadler's Wells. Canterbury (Sydney), 9-7, Hcp, 4yo/up, 7f 200ydsT. B-Vimal Khosla, Gillian Khosla & Templeton Stud.
- Tiger Tees (NZ)**, g, 4, **Dubawi (Ire)**--Parfore (NZ), by Gold Brose (Aus). Rosehill (Sydney), 9-10, Hcp, 4yo/up, 6fT. B-M J Ryan.
- Zubbaya (Aus)**, f, 4, **Dubawi (Ire)**--Sabkha, by Green Desert. Sandown (Melbourne), 9-7, Hcp, 4yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2fT. B-Darley.
- Princess Fontaine (Aus)**, f, 4, **Fantastic Light**--Dandasila (Aus), by Danehill Dancer (Ire). Sandown (Melbourne), 9-7, Hcp, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 5/16mT. B-Mrs D C Mildern.
- Gybe (Aus)**, f, 4, **Fastnet Rock (Aus)**--Great Notice, by Nureyev. Rosehill (Sydney), 9-10, Sheraco S.-Listed, 4yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2fT, A\$60,000 to winner. B-Reavill Farm Thoroughbreds Pty Ltd.
- Addiction to Rock (Aus)**, g, 4, **Rock of Gibraltar (Ire)**--Bellediction (Aus), by Blevic (Aus). Gawler (South Australia), 9-11, Hcp, 4yo/up, 6fT. B-H W Pinkus & Coolmore Australia.
- Irish Dream (Aus)**, m, 5, **Falbrav (Ire)**--Queen Emma (Fr), by Irish River (Fr). Moonee Valley (Melbourne), 9-10, Hcp, 4yo/up, f/m, 6fT. B-Emily Krstina (Aust) Pty Ltd.
- Tanby (Aus)**, g, 5, **Galileo (Ire)**--Dane Belltar (Aus), by Danewin (Aus). Moonee Valley (Melbourne), 9-10, Hcp, 4yo/up, 1 9/16mT. B-S Bennetts.
- Montgomery (NZ)**, g, 6, **Montjeu (Ire)**--All Zalute (NZ), by Zabeel (NZ). Sandown (Melbourne), 9-7, Hcp, 4yo/up, c/g, 1 5/16mT. B-C C & Mrs C A Chamberlain.
- Our Cannavaro (NZ)**, g, 7, **Viking Ruler (Aus)**--Soleil Etoile (NZ), by Star Way (GB). Doomben (Brisbane), 9-10, Hcp, 4yo/up, 1 3/8mT. B-W G & Mrs H G Bax.

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This Week in History...

September 13, 1989...Jockey **Pat Day** won eight of the nine races on the card at Arlington International Racecourse.

September 14, 1853...**West Australian** won the St. Leger S. by three lengths and became England's first Triple Crown winner.

September 14, 1959...The new \$32 million **Aqueduct**, operated by the New York Racing Association, opened.

September 14, 1986...**Alysheba** broke his maiden at Turfway Park in his third start. Trained by Jack Van Berg, the juvenile colt would go on to win the following year's Kentucky Derby and Preakness S., and would be selected as the 1988 Horse of the Year after taking the Breeders' Cup Classic.

September 14, 1989...**Go for Wand** commenced her career with a four-length victory at Belmont Park.

September 15, 1973...**Secretariat** won the Marlboro Cup Invitational H. in the then-world record time of 1:45 2/5 for 1 1/8-miles. He defeated his stablemate, Riva Ridge, by 3 1/2-lengths. The winner's share of the purse, \$150,000, made Secretariat a millionaire.

September 16, 1978...For the first time in history, two Triple Crown winners met in a race, the Marlboro Cup at Belmont Park. **Seattle Slew**, the 1977 Triple Crown winner, defeated **Affirmed**, the 1978 Triple Crown winner, by three lengths.

TDN Euro is:

England:	Sean Cronin (CAFE Racing)
	Tom Frary (CAFE Racing)
	Barry Sangster (CAFE Racing)
	Gavin Dobson (CAFE Racing)
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