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## FIVE STAR SHOW AT GOFFS

The progeny of Sea the Stars (Ire) got the first-crop sire off to the dream start widely expected yesterday as the concluding session of the Goffs November Sale saw his five foals to be offered sell for a total of €2.86-million for an average of €572,000. Topping the quintet was hip 734, the impeccably bred colt out of Jim Bolger's accomplished broodmare Affianced (Ire)



Hip 734

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(Erins Isle {Ire}). She is already responsible for Ballydoyle's high-class middle-distance performer Soldier of Fortune (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}), who captured the 2007 G1 Irish Derby and the following year's G1 Coronation Cup and now stands at

Haras du Logis Saint Germain; and Group 3 winner Heliostatic (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}), who has sired a group winner of his own from his first crop in Crius (Ire). Bolger's Redmondstown Stud sold three of the top four by the sensational Christopher Tsui homebred, and this particular blueblood will race in the yellow and blue silks made famous by his sire after John Clarke prevailed with a record-setting bid of €850,000. Earlier in the session, Clarke was outbid on the much-anticipated daughter of Finsceal Beo (Ire) (Mr. Greeley) (see below). "He had it all," said Clarke. "He had the physique, the walk and the pedigree. He looks like an athlete, and it was an easy decision to make. After seeing what the other fillies made, we knew that he was going to be in this sort of price range." **Cont. p2**

### GOFFS NOVEMBER FOAL SALE THURSDAY, NOV. 17, 2011

CUMULATIVE	2011	2010
Catalogued	757	694
No. Offered	654	585
No. Sold	496	399
RNAs	158	186
% RNA	24.2%	31.8%
No. €500k+	3	0
Highest Price	€850,000	€260,000
Gross	€14,423,200	€10,134,900
Average (% change)	€29,079 (+14.5%)	€25,401
Median (% change)	€16,000 (+6.7%)	€15,000

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## SUCCESSFUL KEENOV CONCLUDES

Boosted by two hugely successful dispersals, broad international participation, strong demand for weanlings and a reduced supply of available stock, the Keeneland November Sale finished an 11-day run yesterday that surpassed the expectations of nearly every industry observer. When the last hammer fell late Thursday afternoon, the sale average had jumped 62.2%, from \$50,322 in 2010 to \$81,641, while the median of \$24,000 was up 41.1%. The RNA rate was 19.9%.



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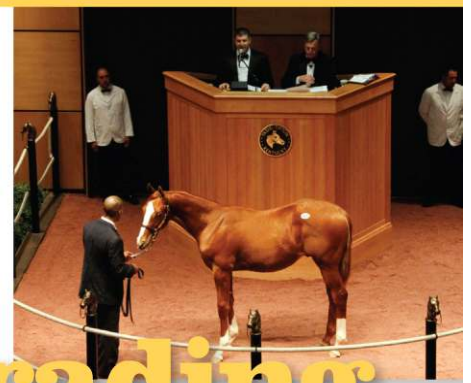
The story of the sale was the respective dispersals of the late Edward P. Evans's Spring Hill Farm, handled by Lane's End, and that of the late Saud bin Khaled's Palides Investments N.V. Inc, whose horses were consigned by Khaled's Chanteclair Farm. Together, the dispersals grossed \$72,759,000--34.9% of the November gross--accounted for 16 of the 23 seven-figure horses, and helped propel an entire market forward.

"I think we had a very successful 11 days," said Keeneland Director of Sales Geoffrey Russell. "The inclusion of two major dispersals certainly helped us out tremendously. I think the dispersals attracted a wider range of buyers, and we were able to recruit more extensively and get more people's attention. But not only did we have two good dispersals--we had a very good catalogue." **Cont. p7**

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**Four More...**

First into the fray for the Sea the Stars brigade was his eagerly awaited first offering out of the MG1SW Finsceal Beo (Ire) (Mr. Greeley). Consigned by Michael Ryan's Al-Eile Stud as hip



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[581](#), the chestnut filly is the second foal out of Europe's champion 2-year-old filly of 2006 who also registered a Classic double in the following year's G1 English and Irish 1000 Guineas and split those efforts with a

narrow miss in the G1 Poule d'Essai des Pouliches. Auctioneer Henry Beeby asked for an opening bid of €500,000 before the action began at €100,000. However, the volleys lasted less than five minutes, and it was bloodstock agent John McCormack--acting on behalf of an undisclosed client--who outlasted Clarke to prevail. "She's a filly with absolutely superb lineage and as a physical specimen she matched that," said McCormack. "You'd have to think that she will have every chance. She's a lovely, good-walking filly by a great horse and don't forget that the dam very nearly won the English, Irish and French 1000 Guineas in the space of three weeks."

The second of the Sea the Stars to sell for €800,000 was Redmondstown Stud's hip [685](#), a bay daughter of Scribonia (Ire) (Danehill), who was secured by Mertoun Paddocks. A half-sister to a pair of daughters of Galileo who have placed in the 1000 Guineas in Cuis Ghaire (Ire) and Gile Na Greine (Ire), she also has the classy Indian Ridge (Ire) distaffers Luminata (Ire) and Aretha (Ire) close up. Mertoun's Rob Spears did the bidding on behalf of Ibrahim Araci, owner of the Classic-placed Native Khan (Fr) (Azamour {Ire}). "She's a foundation mare," Spears offered. "She's a fantastic filly from an excellent family, and over the last 12 months the good fillies and mares at the breeding stock sales have been coming in at a premium price range. €800,000 is a lot of money, but we believe that she represents a sound investment." Moments later, the Redmondstown's hip [687](#) continued the irresistible momentum for the stallion when selling to Julie Wood for €300,000. Out of a winning full sister to Teofilo (Ire)--who was also prominent on Thursday's results sheet--the purchase of the March foal was the end part of the masterplan.



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"We've been waiting a while for this day," Wood explained. "This filly, like the other ones today, came from good, well-connected families, and it was quite special when these foals were coming into the ring, as you could feel the atmosphere around the ring. I bought an Exceed and Excel colt for €90,000 here [Wednesday], and I do tend to buy a few foals every year. In fact, half of the 2-year-olds I had this year were bought as foals."

Earlier, the lowest-priced of the Sea the Stars quintet became the first colt at the sale to break through the six-figure barrier. Hip [601](#), a March-foaled bay from Bill Dwan's Castlebridge Consignment, is out of 2003 Listed Blue Wind S. victress Humilis (Ire) (Sadler's Wells) from the family of Balanchine and was hammered down to Blandford Bloodstock's Richard Brown for €110,000. **Cont. p3**

## APPOINTMENTS

### JESSICA MARTINI

- Has been appointed Editor in Chief of the *Thoroughbred Daily News*.
- Previously served as *TDN's* Senior Editor.

### ALAN CARASSO

- Has been appointed Managing Editor of the *Thoroughbred Daily News*.
- Previously served as *TDN's* Associate Editor.



**Four For T...**

Aside from the Sea the Stars show, Darley's Teofilo (Ire) was able to steal whatever limelight was left over when accounting for four of the top 11 lots himself. Following a successful freshman year on the track which culminated with the win of Parish Hall (Ire) in last month's G1 Dewhurst S. at Newmarket, the former champion's stock was in high demand yesterday. His chestnut daughter from the Rockfield Farm consignment kept the early-afternoon ball rolling when selling for €200,000 to Derrinstown Stud's Stephen Collins. Hip [591](#), an April foal closely related to this semester's G2 Doncaster Cup victor Saddler's Rock (Ire) (Sadler's Wells), also hails from the family of the 2004 G1 Epsom Derby hero and sire North Light (Ire). "She's an especially nice filly by an exciting young stallion," Collins commented. "There was just a lot to like about her, and the cross has worked well with the family on several occasions." As the session drew to a close, Epona Bloodstock paid €115,000 for Foston Stud's hip [750](#), a half-brother to Deposer (Ire) (Kheleyf), who was fourth in the 2008 GI Lane's End Breeders' Futurity and



Hip 755

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second in the following year's G3 Jersey S. Shortly after, John Ferguson paid €150,000 for hip [755](#), Castlemartin Stud's half-brother to the group-placed Brazilian Bride (Ire) (Pivotal {GB}) who hails from the family of Henrythenavigator, Beethoven (Ire) (Oratorio {Ire}) et al. The Kildangan

Stud resident fell one bid short of a quartet of six-figure lots when hip [605](#)--a March-foaled colt consigned by Cloney Stud--was also knocked down to John Ferguson for €95,000. Related to two winners, he is out of a half-sister to the 2007 GI Hollywood Derby and 2008 GI Shoemaker Mile winner Daytona (Ire) (Indian Ridge) and his third dam is the dual Classic heroine L'Attrayante (Fr).

**GOFFS NOVEMBER FOAL SALE  
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SESSION	2011	2010
Catalogued	228	200
No. Offered	191	174
No. Sold	160	138
RNAs	31	36
% RNA	16.2%	20.7%
No. €500k+	3	0
Highest Price	€850,000	€260,000
Gross	€9,310,400	€6,865,500
Average (% change)	€58,190 (+17%)	€49,750
Median (% change)	€36,000 (+9.1%)	€33,000

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**Darley Delight...**

Teofilo was not the only Darley sire to feature prominently yesterday, as Shamardal was also responsible for a colt who broke the six-figure mark. From Tinnakill House Stud, hip [641](#) is a half-brother to this term's G3 Prix Edmond Blanc winner Skins Game (GB) (Diktat {GB}) and 2006 Listed Prix Occitanie victress Epatha (Ire) (Highest Honor {Fr}). He sold to Brian Grassick Bloodstock for €130,000. "I've bought her for a client, Clodagh McStay, to resell next year," Cathy Grassick commented. "Clodagh got on well with an Invincible Spirit foal that she bought here last year, and, hopefully, this colt will be as lucky. He's a good sort and comes from an excellent farm." Moments earlier, John Ferguson made another high-profile purchase when paying €95,000 for hip [643](#), a son of Pivotal (GB) from Luke Lillingston's Mount Coote Stud. Out of the dual Group 1 runner-up Musicanna (GB) (Cape Cross {Ire}), his family includes the 2008 G2 Goldene Peitsche scorer and dual Champion Overdose (GB) (Starborough {GB}) who won last Sunday's G3 Premio Umbria for a second time.

Duke of Marmalade's first crop created a splash at this venue last year and even more so at this autumn's yearling sales, and he was making waves again yesterday. His hip [644](#), a colt sent up by Churchtown House Stud, was another to hold firm at €95,000. Purchased by Eddie O'Leary's Lynn Lodge Stud, he is a half-brother to SP Bala (With Approval), herself the dam of this term's GII Nassau S. victress and GI Diana S. third Bay To Bay (Sligo Bay {Ire}). He is expected to rejoin the circuit at next term's yearling sales. Later, the sole offering by Mr. Greeley provided another highlight. From J K Thoroughbreds, hip [670](#) is the first foal out of 2007 G3 Oh So Sharp S. winner Raymi Coya (Van Nistelrooy) who descends from the top-class Try Something New (Hail the Pirates), dam of the champion Somethingdifferent (Green Forest). BBA Ireland secured the chestnut filly for €110,000.

**Yearling Sale Caps Day of Days For Goffs...**

Far from being a damp squib, the 19-lot Yearling Sale which proceeded the Foals had a star turn of its own. Hip [764](#) from Castlemartin Stud is an Elusive City half-sister to this year's G1 Cheveley Park S. and G3 Round Tower S. winner Lightening Pearl (Ire) (Marju {Ire}) who sold to David and Diane Nagle's Barronstown Stud for €100,000. The same consignment was responsible for the second-highest lot from the family of the aforementioned hip 755 in the foal sale. Hip [776](#), by Invincible Spirit (Ire), is a son of Brazilian Bride whose Teofilo half-brother sold for €150,000, and he fetched a respectable €38,000 when bought by Kirsty Keightley. Another son of Invincible Spirit--consigned by Jason Kelly as hip [773](#)--was snapped up by Michael Orlandi for €26,000. He is a half-brother to the listed-placed John Gosden trainee Questioning (Ire) (Elusive Quality).

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**Beeby Beaming...**

At the end of a barnstorming session, a statement from Goffs Chief Executive Henry Beeby said it all. "Sea the Stars is an Irish legend like no other, so it is fitting he should dominate proceedings at today's Goffs November Foal Sale," he said. "However, I think even the most seasoned bloodstock observers have been taken aback by the unprecedented interest in his first crop of foals. We have beaten our highest foal price on three separate occasions and are truly delighted that the faith placed in the Goffs November Sale by both Jim Bolger and Michael Ryan has been repaid aplenty. Our sincere thanks go to both of them and all our other vendors who have helped us put on some show over the last three days. We have always said that the Goffs November Sale is about the best of Irish and Irish breeders have responded to our efforts with a catalogue of real quality that has clearly appealed to the massive crowd that has attended this sale on all three days." Beeby continued, "Indeed, the Sea the Stars foals have been sold to buyers from Hong Kong, Turkey, America and England, and the three top prices comfortably surpass the Goffs foal record set back in 1984 when a daughter of Golden Fleece realized Ir500,000 guineas. But the three days have been about more than just five foals, as we have witnessed a sustained demand from start to finish. In fact, day one really set the tone with turnover, average and median jumping by 122, 51 and 80%, respectively. The momentum continued on Wednesday with more impressive gains, and today has been on fire, with pinhookers and end-users battling for a catalogue of real quality and depth. That buoyancy has resulted in impressive gains on all three days and another 14% rise in average (the average rose by the same amount last year) for the whole sale, endorsing our consistent cry that the best sell better at Goffs. Our fervent hope is that these results will continue to convince more and more Irish breeders that they can and will achieve the very best results in the Goffs sales ring. All we need are their best and we will return the best." Selling of the breeding stock begins today at 10 a.m. Full results can be found on [www.goffs.com](http://www.goffs.com).

**CORRECTION:** In Thursday's *TDN*, we incorrectly reported the owner of the FIPS Agency. FIPS is the property of the FBA and is managed by Herve Bunel.

**GOFFS NOVEMBER YEARLING SALE  
THURSDAY, NOV. 17, 2011**

	2011
Catalogued	18
No. Offered	14
No. Sold	11
RNAs	3
% RNA	21.4%
Gross	€212,400
Average (% change)	€19,309
Median (% change)	€6,000

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**GOFFS WEDNESDAY - TOP EIGHT LOTS**

Hip	Sex	Sire	Dam	Price
<u>734</u>	c	Sea the Stars (Ire)	Affianced (Ire)	850,000
		Consigned by Redmondstown Stud Purchased by Sunderland Holdings Inc.		
<u>581</u>	f	Sea the Stars (Ire)	Finsceal Beo (Ire)	800,000
		Consigned by Al-Eile Stud Purchased by John McCormack Llc		
<u>685</u>	f	Sea the Stars (Ire)	Scribonia (Ire)	800,000
		Consigned by Redmondstown Stud Purchased by Mertoun Paddocks		
<u>687</u>	f	Sea the Stars (Ire)	Senora Galilei (Ire)	300,000
		Consigned by Redmondstown Stud Purchased by Woodstock		
<u>591</u>	f	Teofilo (Ire)	Grecian Bride (Ire)	200,000
		Consigned by Rockfield Farm Purchased by Derrinstown Stud		
<u>755</u>	c	Teofilo (Ire)	Braziliz	150,000
		Consigned by Castlemartin Stud Purchased by John Ferguson		
<u>641</u>	c	Shamardal	Mouriyana (Ire)	130,000
		(72,000gns RNA in utero '10 TATDEC) Consigned by Tinnakill House Purchased by Brian Grassick Bloodstock		
<u>750</u>	c	Teofilo (Ire)	Bezant (Ire)	115,000
		Consigned by Foston Stud Purchased by Epona Bloodstock		

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*Consigned by His Highness The Aga Khan's Studs*

This is a rare offering from the most sought-after draft of all, being the high-class former Sir Michael Stoute trainee who was second in the 2002 GI E.P. Taylor S. and third in the G1 1000 Guineas. Her latest runner is the G3 Sceptre S.-winning 3-year-old filly Alanza (Ire) (Dubai Destination) and she is in foal to Raven's Pass.

Hip 919, Aliwiyya (Ire), f, 4, Anabaa--Aliya (Ire), by Darshaan (GB)

*Consigned by His Highness The Aga Khan's Studs*

From the same family as the preceding lot, this is a half-sister to the disqualified 1989 G1 Epsom Oaks winner and G1 Irish Oaks runner-up Aliya (Ire) (Darshaan (GB)) and the 2009 G1 Irish St Leger and G1 Prix du Cadran heroine Alandi (Ire) (Galileo (Ire)), as well as the listed scorer Aliyfa (Ire) (Spinning World). Offered in foal to Ifraaj (GB), her page also includes the top-class runners and sires Azamour (Ire) and Desert Story (Ire).

Hip 942, Banimpire (Ire), f, 3, Holy Roman Emperor (Ire)--My Renee, by Kris S.

*Consigned by Glebe House Stables*

This jewel of the two-day Sale is the ultra-tough and resilient Jim Bolger trainee who barely missed a gig this term and annexed five Pattern races highlighted by Royal Ascot's G2 Ribblesdale S. Also a nose second in the Irish Oaks and third in the G1 Prix de l'Opera, the descendant of the champion Detroit (Fr) is one of the best of her sex to sell anywhere in 2011.

Hip 1003, Kirinda (Ire), f, 3, Tiger Hill (Ire)--Kerania (Ire), by Daylami (Ire)

*Consigned by His Highness The Aga Khan's Studs*

Another notable from the Aga Khan's draft, this is the John Oxx-trained filly whose best effort so far came when finishing runner-up in the Curragh's G3 Kilboy Estate S. in July. From a family of talented distaffers, she is also out of a half to last year's G2 Adelaide Cup runner-up Kerdem (Ire) (Rainbow Quest).

**Goffs November Mares--Day One Outs**  
791, 792, 793, 796, 799, 802, 803, 848, 851, 868, 891, 902, 905, 930,  
933, 936, 949, 985, 996, 997, 1009, 1011, 1026,  
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## KEENELAND NOVEMBER Breeding Stock Sale

### Keeneland November Sale Concludes (cont. from p1)

The Evans dispersal saw a broad range of breeding and racing stock go under the hammer. Selling without reserve, 166 horses and four stallion shares brought a total of \$55,820,000--or 26.8% of the sale's gross receipts. The Evans dispersal horses averaged \$328,353, and featured a dozen horses that brought seven figures, including eight that brought \$2 million or more. Topping the group was the 7-year-old Grade I winner



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**Christmas Kid** (Lemon Drop Kid), who, selling in foal to Bernardini, realized a bid of \$4.2 million from Coolmore connections. The 4-year-old racing or broodmare prospect **Quiet Giant** (Giant's Causeway), a Grade II-winning half-sister to Horse of the Year Saint Liam (Saint Ballado), sold for \$3 million, while her weanling half-sister by Medaglia d'Oro sold for a Keeneland record \$2.6 million. Ben Leon Jr.'s Besilu Stables purchased both fillies, and went in for four others from the dispersal for a total of \$11.4 million.

Khaled's Palides Investments dispersal was smaller, with 30 horses selling, but generated some of the sale's biggest fireworks. That included the sale topper, the GI Breeders' Cup Ladies' Classic winner **Royal Delta** (Empire Maker), who made a spectacular \$8.5 million after Leon outlasted Adena Springs chief Frank Stronach. Leon said the pro-tem divisional champion would return to training at four. Royal Delta became the third-highest filly or mare ever to sell at Keeneland, after the \$10.5 million Playful Act (Ire) (Sadler's Wells) in 2007 and the \$9-million Ashado (Saint Ballado) in 2005. Besilu also purchased a Smart Strike weanling half-sister to Royal Delta for \$1.6 million, while Stronach secured the other two seven-figure horses from the dispersal: Royal Delta's dam **Delta Princess** (A.P. Indy), who cost \$2.6 million; and that mare's three-parts sister **Camargue** (Mineshaft), who went for \$1.65 million. The Palides dispersal grossed \$16,939,000 and averaged \$564,633.

Besilu's Leon, a South Florida health insurance magnate, was November's leading buyer, purchasing nine horses for \$22.4 million--a \$2,488,889 average. Stronach checked in second, with seven purchases for \$10,680,000 (\$1,525,714 average), followed by Bluegrass Hall, with 26 bought for \$5,835,000 (\$224,423 average). Lane's End Farm was the leading consignor, with 351 horses sold for \$66,155,100 (\$188,476 average). **Cont. p8**



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As the sale came to end, there were few who didn't give the event a thumbs up. "It's been a lot better than we expected," said Taylor Made Sales' Mark Taylor. "We came into Fasig-Tipton [November] and Keeneland with some nice top-end horses, but aside from that, we weren't sure how the market would hold up. But I think it's held up pretty well. There are still people getting hurt, people who are barely getting back the stud fees they put into a mare, but in general, there has been more demand across the board. Overall, it's probably 10-15% better than I would have predicted."

Taylor agreed with Russell that the Evans and Khaled dispersals were a big boon to others selling at November. "It gets people in here, and they don't just buy dispersal horses," he said. "On some of those dispersal horses, they were getting blown out of the water, and so they'll go and find something else. It's a case of the rising tide lifting all boats."

### Numbers Down, Numbers Up...

The economic collapse of 2008 forced a dramatic reduction in the number of mares being bred over the last three years, and many said that November's catalogue--slashed by two sessions--was indicative of a trend that's helping fuel growth.

"The foal crop is getting down to the point where demand is meeting supply," said Mark Taylor. "Breeders are thinking, 'Hey, if I can raise a good horse and get lucky on the vetting, I can make money.' There were breeders I talked to last year who said they were selling all their stock and getting out of the business. Then this year, they stepped back in and bought a few mares. It's an addiction. But it still is tough; the cost of product is so high. The cost of raising them has gone up, vet work's gone up, and reproductive costs have gone up, while stud fees remain to be seen. But now, at least breeders feel they have a shot."

Machmer Hall's Carrie Brogden, who also heads Select Sales, agreed. "I think we're meeting supply and demand," she said. "I think a lot of the junk isn't being bred anymore. It's rare now to see a foal with two or three blank dams, and I agree--mares like that shouldn't be bred."

Said Geoffrey Russell, "Breeders have done a very good job of not putting into production horses they don't feel are commercial."

Overseas buyers have been active at Keeneland in recent years and continued to be at the November Sale. Alain and Gerard Wertheimer of France, the Australian-based Waratah Thoroughbreds and Japan's Katsumi Yoshida all were busy at the top level of the market, while varied Koreans and South Americans, among others, helped provide depth throughout the sale.

"The American-bred is a popular animal, and other countries who are developing or emerging tend to like American-bred horses," Russell said of the latter group of buyers. "They like the fact we have speed in our pedigrees, and it's always been a major international selling point."

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Russell tipped his hat to Keeneland's Chauncey Morris, who has overseen the sale company's push to expand internationally. "The work Chauncy has done in his time here at Keeneland with the emerging markets program has helped dramatically," he said. "In the second week, the Southeast Asia markets and South American markets were very strong."

It was recently announced that Morris is leaving Keeneland to take the position of CEO for Thoroughbred Breeders of Australia and Aushorse.

Brogden applauded the participation of foreign-based horsemen, but said there potential negatives. "It's crazy how many of the mares who cost \$30,000 or under are being sold to foreign connections," she said. "The one thing is that I think it can really affect the stallions. We sold a mare to the Koreans in foal to Summer Bird. She was a nice mare; that could have been Summer Bird's Grade I winner. It will be interesting to see how it affects the market." **Cont. p9**

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**Keeneland Concludes cont.**

For Taylor, at least part of the stabilization of the industry, both at the bloodstock sales and, before that, at the yearling sales, can be attributed to a back-to-basics approach taken by Taylor Made and other operations. In particular, he said reducing extraneous production costs have helped position breeders to get into the black. "When my dad [Joe Taylor] was running farms--he ran Gainesway for 40 years--you had a good teaser and a good teasing guy," said Taylor. "There is a playbook for getting it down cheaper, and I think a lot of people leaning that way and trying to keep down production costs. It got to be that we were spending so much money on preventative medicine and supplements and such, and we've gotten back to just feeding them right, keeping them outside as much as possible, using common sense on the vet work, and trying to raise a good, strong-boned horse. Then you take them into the sales ring and let the market decide what they're worth."

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No. Offered	3,186	3,358
No. Sold	2,554	2,929
RNAs	632	708
% RNAs	19.9%	21.1%
No. Over \$1 million	23	8
High Price	\$8,500,000	\$2,550,000
Gross	\$208,511,200	\$147,392,900
Average (% change)	\$81,641 (+62.2%)	\$50,322
Median (% change)	\$24,000 (+41.1%)	\$17,000

SESSION TOTALS:	2011	2010
Catalogued	299	374
No. Offered	212	309
No. Sold	157	225
RNAs	55	84
% RNAs	25.9%	27.2%
No. Over \$50K	0	2
High Price	\$27,000	\$70,000
Gross	\$803,800	\$1,669,900
Average (% change)	\$5,120 (-31%)	\$7,422
Median (% change)	\$3,500 (-22.2%)	\$4,500

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**KEENOV TOP FIVE WEANLINGS**

Hip	Sex	Sire	Dam	Price (\$)
<u>201</u>	f	<u>Medaglia d'Oro</u>	Quiet Dance	2,600,000
<i>B-Estate of 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 Besilu Stables				
<u>36</u>	f	<u>Henrythenavigator</u>	Vertigineux	1,500,000
<i>B-Orpendale, Chelston &amp; Wynnatt (KY)</i>				
Consigned by Select Sales, Agent				
Purchased by Adena Springs				
<u>204</u>	f	<u>Smart Strike</u>	Raging Fever	1,000,000
<i>B-Estate of 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 Stonestreet Stables & George Bolton				
<u>314</u>	f	<u>Smart Strike</u>	Delta Princess	1,600,000
<i>B-Palides Investments N.V. (KY)</i>				
Consigned by Chanteclair Farm, Agent for the Complete Dispersal of Palides Investments N.V. Inc. (Saud bin Khaled)				
Purchased by Besilu Stables				
<u>294</u>	f	<u>Smoke Glacken</u>	Camargue	900,000
<i>B-Palides Investments N.V. (KY)</i>				
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Purchased by Besilu Stables				

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**KEENOV SEVEN-FIGURE BROODMARES**

Hip	Name	Status	Price (\$)
<b>427</b>	<b>Royal Delta</b> <i>(f, 3, Empire Maker--Delta Princess, by A.P. Indy)</i> Consigned by Chanteclair Farm, Agent for the Complete Dispersal of Palides Investments N.V. Inc. (Saud bin Khaled) Purchased by Besilu Stables	racing/b'mare prospect	8,500,000
<b>78</b>	<b>Christmas Kid</b> <i>(m, 7, Lemon Drop Kid--Christmas Gift, by Green Desert)</i> Consigned by Lane's End, Agent for the Complete Dispersal of the Estate of Edward P Evans (Spring Hill Farm) Purchased by Aisling Duignan	i/f Bernardini	4,200,000
<b>203</b>	<b>Quiet Giant</b> <i>(f, 4, Giant's Causeway--Quiet Dance, by Quiet American)</i> Consigned by Lane's End, Agent for the Complete Dispersal of the Estate of Edward P Evans (Spring Hill Farm) Purchased by Besilu Stables	Racing/B'Mare Prospect	3,000,000
<b>261</b>	<b>Unrivaled Belle</b> <i>(m, 5, Unbridled's Song--Queenie Belle, by Bertrando)</i> Consigned by Eaton Sales, Agent Purchased by Brushwood Stable	b'mare prospect	2,800,000
<b>313</b>	<b>Delta Princess</b> <i>(m, 12, A.P. Indy--Lyphard's Delta, by Lyphard)</i> Consigned by Chanteclair Farm, Agent for the Complete Dispersal of Palides Investments N.V. Inc. (Saud bin Khaled) Purchased by Adena Springs	i/f <b>Distorted Humor</b>	2,600,000
<b>210a</b>	<b>Blind Luck</b> <i>(f, 4, Pollard's Vision--Lucky One, by Best of Luck)</i> Consigned by Taylor Made Sales Agency, Agent CLXV Purchased by Mike Puhich, Agent for Mark Dedomenico	Racing/B'Mare Prospect	2,500,000
<b>63</b>	<b>Buster's Ready</b> <i>(f, 3, More Than Ready--Beatem Buster, by Honour and Glory)</i> Consigned by Lane's End, Agent for the Complete Dispersal of the Estate of Edward P Evans (Spring Hill Farm) Purchased by Wertheimer Et Frere	Racing/B'Mare Prospect	2,400,000
<b>69</b>	<b>Cat Moves</b> <i>(m, 5, Tale of the Cat--Dance Move, by Capote)</i> Consigned by Lane's End, Agent for the Complete Dispersal of the Estate of Edward P Evans (Spring Hill Farm) Purchased by Adena Springs	i/f <b>Malibu Moon</b>	2,400,000
<b>41</b>	<b>Weekend Strike</b> <i>(m, 5, Smart Strike--Weekend Storm, by Storm Bird)</i> Consigned by Lane's End, Agent for the Complete Dispersal of the Estate of Edward P Evans (Spring Hill Farm) Purchased by Barronstown Stud	i/f <b>Quality Road</b>	2,300,000
<b>383</b>	<b>Love Me Only (Ire)</b> <i>(f, 3, Sadler's Wells--Mariah's Storm, by Rahy)</i> Consigned by Eaton Sales, Agent Purchased by Summerwind Farm	i/f <b>Sea the Stars (Ire)</b>	2,100,000
<b>92</b>	<b>Dance Quietly</b> <i>(f, 3, A.P. Indy--Quiet Dance, by Quiet American)</i> Consigned by Lane's End, Agent for the Complete Dispersal of the Estate of Edward P Evans (Spring Hill Farm) Purchased by Besilu Stables	Racing/B'Mare Prospect	2,000,000
<b>161</b>	<b>Malibu Prayer</b> <i>(f, 3, A.P. Indy--Grand Prayer, by Grand Slam)</i> Consigned by Lane's End, Agent for the Complete Dispersal of the Estate of Edward P Evans (Spring Hill Farm) Purchased by Besilu Stables	i/f <b>Smart Strike</b>	2,000,000

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<b>152</b>	<b>Life At Ten</b> <i>(m, 6, Malibu Moon--Rahrahsixboombah, by Rahy)</i> Consigned by Three Chimneys Sales, Agent Purchased by Adena Springs	B'Mare Prospect	1,950,000
<b>805</b>	<b>Quiet Now</b> <i>(m, 6, Tiznow--Quiet Dance, by Quiet American)</i> Consigned by Lane's End, agent for the Complete Dispersal of the Estate of Edward P. Evans (Spring Hill Farm) Purchased by Claiborne Farm Bloodstock	i/f <b>City Zip</b>	1,850,000
<b>293</b>	<b>Camargue</b> <i>(m, 4, Mineshaft--Lyphard's Delta, by Lyphard)</i> Consigned by Chanteclair Farm, Agent for the Complete Dispersal of Palides Investments N.V. Inc. (Saud bin Khaled) Purchased by Adena Springs	i/f <b>Street Sense</b>	1,650,000
<b>414</b>	<b>Porte Bonheur</b> <i>(m, 6, Hennessy--Sous Entendu, by Shaded)</i> Consigned by Paramount Sales, Agent LXII Purchased by Waratah Thoroughbreds	i/f <b>Tiznow</b>	1,600,000
<b>95</b>	<b>Dark Sky</b> <i>(m, 6, Storm Cat--Media Nox {GB}, by Lycius)</i> Consigned by Lane's End, Agent for the Complete Dispersal of the Estate of Edward P Evans (Spring Hill Farm) Purchased by Summerwind Farm	i/f <b>Quality Road</b>	1,500,000
<b>338</b>	<b>Gypsy's Warning (SAf)</b> <i>(m, 6, Mogok--Gypsy Queen {SAf}, by Royal Chalice {SAf})</i> Consigned by Denali Stud (Craig & Holly Bendoroff), Agent XV Purchased by Flaxman Holdings Limited	racing/b'mare prospect	1,050,000
<b>125</b>	<b>Grand Prayer</b> <i>(m, 10, Grand Slam--Lyrical Prayer, by The Minstrel)</i> Consigned by Lane's End, Agent for dispersal of Estate of E Evans Purchased by Besilu Stables	i/f <b>Medaglia d'Oro</b>	1,000,000



## RACETRACK ROUND-UP

### PERUVIAN DERBY WINNER HEADS NORTH

Peruvian dual Classic winner **Fly Lexis Fly** (Badge of Silver) could find himself on the fast track to the GI Kentucky Derby. Owner Oscar Pena has ambitions of heading to the United States for a crack at the GI Kentucky Derby at Churchill Downs May 5. "We are going to ship him to Gulfstream Park and later head to the Kentucky Derby to live that dream," said Pena, principal of Stud Dona Licha, who celebrated his first Derby triumph and third classic victory only two years after founding his stable. Argentine born and East Coast-based trainer Angel Penna Jr. has been selected to aim Fly Lexis Fly at major races for 3-year-olds in the United States to attempt to accumulate enough graded stakes earnings to earn a starting spot in the Derby. Through five starts in Peru, Fly Lexis Fly has banked approximately \$106,500.



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Conditioned in Peru by four-time Derby winning jockey Arturo Morales, Fly Lexis Fly closed out his Peruvian campaign last Sunday scoring by 10 3/4 lengths in the G1 Clasico Derby Nacional (Peruvian Derby). Fly Lexis Fly was bred by Kenneth and Sarah Ramsey and was sold for \$5,000 at the 2010 Fasig-Tipton October fall yearling sale through the Ramsey Farm consignment. His second dam is GISW Bail Out Becky and hails from the female family of successful international sire More Than Ready (Southern Halo).

### FUTURITY MAY BE NEXT FOR EMPIRE WAY

**Empire Way** (Empire Maker), the full-brother to likely 3-year-old filly champion Royal Delta who was tabbed a **★ "TDN Rising Star" ★** after his debut win at Hollywood Sunday ([video](#)), could make his next start in the Dec. 17 GI CashCall Futurity. "I was pretty impressed," trainer Mike Harrington said of the debut. "He didn't run very fast, but the way he did it was impressive. I knew he could run, but I didn't tell people he was going to win, because he's a two-turn horse and I didn't know if he'd get up at 6 1/2 furlongs. But things set up for him. Sometimes things just fall into place."

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## BLACK-TYPE PREVIEWS

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CATHAY PACIFIC JOCKEY CLUB CUP-G2, HK\$3,000,000, 3yo/up, 2000mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	3	California Memory (K)	Highest Honor (Fr)	Chadwick	A Cruz	128
2	4	Mighty High (Fr)	Peintre Celebre	Lloyd	Moore	128
3	12	Thumbs Up (NZ)	Shinko Forest (Ire)	Prebble	Fownes	123
4	8	Irian (Ger)	Tertullian	Beadman	Moore	123
5	1	Mr Medici (Ire)	Medicean (GB)	Mosse	Ho	123
6	2	King Dancer (Ire)	Danehill Dncr (Ire)	Guyon	Woods	123
7	9	Super Satin (NZ)	Danehill Dncr (Ire)	Doleuze	Fownes	123
8	5	Jacobee (GB)	Mark of Esteem (Ire)	Clark	Moore	123
9	11	Super Pistachio (Ire)	Danehill Dncr (Ire)	Coetzee	A Cruz	123
10	10	Pure Champion (Ire)	Ftstpsinthesnd (GB)	Whyte	A Cruz	123
11	7	Packing Ok (Aus)	Redte's Chce (Aus)	DuPlessis	Moore	123
12	6	Carthage (Fr)	Peintre Celebre	Callan	D Cruz	123

Sunday, Sha Tin, Hong Kong

CATHAY PACIFIC JOCKEY CLUB MILE-G2, HK\$3,000,000, 3yo/up, 1600mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	9	Ambitious Dragon (NZ)	Pins (Aus)	Guyon	Millard	128
2	7	Beauty Flash (NZ)	Golan (Ire)	Mosse	A Cruz	128
3	12	Xtension (Ire)	Xaar (GB)	Lloyd	Moore	128
4	5	Able One (NZ)	Cape Cross (Ire)	Beadman	Moore	123
5	3	Flying Blue (Aus)	Piccolo (GB)	Whyte	Size	123
6	2	Sight Winner (NZ)	Faltaat	Angland	Size	123
7	6	Fair Trade	Danewin (Aus)	Prebble	Fownes	123
8	1	Destined for Glory (Ire)	Azamour (Ire)	Clark	Moore	123
9	11	Chater Way (GB)	Oasis Dream (GB)	Purton	Ferraris	123
10	4	Outdoor Pegasus (GB)	Dubawi (Ire)	Leung	Yiu	123
11	10	New Deerfield (GB)	Choisir (Aus)	Doyle	D Cruz	122
12	8	New Greenfield (GB)	Oasis Dream (GB)	Callan	D Cruz	122

Sunday, Sha Tin, Hong Kong

CATHAY PACIFIC JOCKEY CLUB SPRINT-G2, HK\$3,000,000,

3yo/up, 1200mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER
1	4	Dim Sum (GB)	Kyllachy (GB)	Doleuze	Moore
2	7	Entrapment (Aus)	Halo Homewrecker	Whyte	Size
3	11	Joy and Fun (NZ)	Cullen (Aus)	Doyle	D Cruz
4	5	Little Bridge (NZ)	Faltaat	Mosse	Shum
5	1	Rich Unicorn (Aus)	Danehill Dancer (Ire)	DuPlessis	Size
6	6	Multiglorry (Aus)	King of Danes (Aus)	Chadwick	A Cruz
7	10	Let Me Fight (Ire)	Hawk Wing	Prebble	Moore
8	2	Admiration (Aus)	Encosta de Lago (Aus)	Beadman	Moore
9	3	Final Answer (GB)	Kyllachy (GB)	Lloyd	Moore
10	9	Supreme Win (Aus)	Fastnet Rock (Aus)	Guyon	Man
11	8	California Choice (Aus)	Redte's Chce (Aus)	Coetzee	A Cruz

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1	Moonlit Beauty	Perigee Moon	Olguin	Le Blanc Jr	119
2	Zermatt (K)	Tiznow	Wilson	Pletcher	115
3	Ariana D	Rock Slide	Moreno	Silvera	119
4	Amiable Grace (K)	Alphabet Soup	Contreras	Doyle	119
5	Mullins Beach	Speightstown	Stein	Carroll	115
6	Embur's Song (K)	Unbridled's Song	Husbands	Pletcher	124
7	Happy Week (K)	Distorted Humor	Husbands	Pletcher	115
8	Dance to the Moon	Perigee Moon	Callaghan	Doyle	117
9	Atlantic Hurricane	Halo's Image	Ramsammy	Simon	121
10	Miss Lola (K)	Bernstein	Campbell	Cox	117

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## IN MY OPINION...

*Monday's meeting of the Race Day Medication Committee of the Kentucky Horse Racing Commission featured testimony from a number of industry participants. Arthur Hancock shared his testimony with the TDN.*

Ladies and Gentlemen,

I am a fourth-generation horseman and I am here today because I love the horse...I love this industry and I feel that we're in danger of losing it. Sadly, statistics bear this out. The recent McKinsey Report on Thoroughbred racing points out that a vast majority of the population, over 75%, regards racing as a sport in which drug use runs rampant. The report also says that this majority of the population has a very negative perception of the sport. I think that is worth repeating...the vast majority of the population has a very negative perception of our sport. How in the world can we expect to thrive and be popular when a vast majority of the population views us in such a negative light?

Another fact the McKinsey Report points out is that racing is losing 4% of its fan base a year. At this rate, the time will come when the business of horse racing will not be sustainable...and we'll be out of business. Remember, at one time we were the number one spectator sport in America. This is indeed a very sad state of affairs.

But let me go back in time for a moment.

In 1966, I went to work for Eddie Neloy who was the leading trainer in the United States. No race day medication was allowed. No Lasix, no Butazolidin, NO NOTHING. Fans loved racing and Belmont Park was at capacity for the big race days. The only time the veterinarians came to our barn was when a horse had colic, a temperature, or an injury. Things have certainly changed in the last 40 years. Nowadays if you go to the backside at four in the afternoon, you are likely to see a veterinarian's van parked at almost every barn.

At most racetracks in this country on most race days, 100% of the horses are racing on butazolidin and 85-90% are racing on Lasix. If that is an indication of the true level of soundness of our horses, we are in deep, deep trouble.

Drugs are not free of charge. The only person who pays these bills is the owner, and these bills can run a thousand dollars or more a month, which can be up to \$12,000 a year. If the training bill is \$80 a day, which comes to \$30,000 a year, then these vet charges of \$12,000 add 40% a year to the expenses paid by the owner for owning a racehorse.

Race day lasix alone costs owners one hundred million dollars a year. A lot of owners are leaving the game because of these expenses, and a whole lot more are very unhappy about them.

But that's not the only concern about the drug issue. The public doesn't want it. Period. That's all that really matters because they are the fans, and our fans keep us in business. Again, the McKinsey Report bears this out. We have experienced a 37% drop in handle and a 30% drop in attendance in the last decade alone. Only 22% of the general public has a positive impression of our sport and only 46% of racing fans would recommend our sport to others. What the McKinsey Report is saying in a nutshell is that you cannot market a flawed product. You sell the sizzle and not the steak. The fans have spoken. We must listen to our customers or continue to lose them.

Many say the drugs these horses get are "therapeutic." But, therapeutic drugs are given to horses who are in therapy and who are recovering from an illness or injury. Is every horse in every race ill or injured? Therapeutic drugs, by definition, are used for healing and curing. Drugs that mask pain and enhance performance are not "therapeutic," they are what they are...performance enhancing drugs.

I was speaking to English trainer John Gosden the other day and he said the Europeans have a new name for The Breeders' Cup...The Bleeders' Cup. What a sad commentary on our championship races. Don't tell me that if you give a horse lasix and it loses as much as 25 pounds that this is not performance enhancing. If that's the case, why even weigh the jockey?

Ladies and gentlemen, 50 years ago horses averaged 45 lifetime starts and now they average 13 lifetime starts. Proponents will say that these so called "therapeutic drugs" are needed to fill races, when the opposite is obviously the case. Statistics prove it. Since 1960, the number of annual starts has dropped from 11.3 per year to 6.23 in 2009--a drop of nearly 50%. What in the world are we doing to ourselves? Imagine the economic impact on owners and trainers alike, as well as the fans, whose heroes have short lived careers.

On another note, our horse sales were once driven by an international market. This September, all the million-dollar yearlings were bought by Americans and this November only five of 18 million-dollar mares went abroad, notwithstanding the fact that dollars are very, very cheap. The November sale has been good so far because the life's work of some of our top breeders and the pedigrees they've created have been on the block, but watch and see what happens toward the end of the sale. We will be giving horses away for nothing, just as we did at the end of the September yearling sales. It is difficult to attract investors when the vast majority of the population has such a negative perception of our business.

In the words of a top Australian bloodstock agent, "You are isolating yourselves, and while the international market will still buy broodmares and an occasional well-bred yearling, they won't purchase many horses in training." Why would they? American racehorses have been over-loaded with drugs and we have bred five generations of drug-dependent horses.



A top English bloodstock agent, Hugo Lascelles said, "We no longer have the confidence in your stallions we used to have, because we don't know if the horse's performance was enhanced chemically or was natural, so we are becoming more and more reluctant to purchase their offspring."

Or perhaps Louis Romanet, chairman of The International Federation of Horse Racing Authorities said it best, "How can we still recognize as world champions, horses who run with medication?"

And what about the horse himself? We love our horses. The noblest of God's creatures. There is a current attitude: "Drug 'em, Break 'em down and slaughter 'em." And to those who do this to these noble creatures, I say this...so dies the victim...so dies the vampire. And by the vampire, I mean the industry that allows this to happen.

Now then, let's take a look at just one of our competitors, NASCAR. I personally remember when Kentucky horsemen laughed and talked about those folks in North Carolina who were racing cars and trying to make it into a business. Now look where they are and where we are.

Traffic is backed up for miles as thousands arrive at NASCAR events. Major companies and CEO's sponsor and attend these events. Even more telling is the ongoing planning for a private airport to support Kentucky Speedway, the NASCAR track just a few miles down the road from Turfway Park, the weak sister Thoroughbred track that is struggling to survive. NASCAR needs this airport because there are so many planes coming into greater Cincinnati that they get backed up both landing and departing.

NASCAR allows NO CHEATING and if you're caught for even a minor infraction, penalties are severe. NASCAR fans have confidence in their sport. When the integrity of an industry is called into question time and time again, the support for that industry will decline, and NASCAR knows that. People who cheat repeatedly deserve no quarter. We need the squeaky clean, milk mustache image that NASCAR has.

If you want our Kentucky Horse industry to survive and thrive, we must do away with performance enhancing race day medications. Follow the model set by Europe, Asia, Australia and the rest of the racing world.

Ladies and gentlemen, As "The Horse Capitol of the World," let's lead the way by becoming the first state and the first racing jurisdiction to do the right thing. Let's ban race day medication. Let's rejoin the international Thoroughbred market with clean, medication-free rules of racing and horses raced on their performance, and not on some drug they may have been given. Let's create a level playing field for everyone--horses, jockeys, trainers, veterinarians, owners and fans alike, and restore our reputation around the world and with our fans here at home.

Thank you,

Good afternoon

Arthur B. Hancock, III

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Kentucky State Racing Commission

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## IN MEMORIAM

### JET MASTER: TRIBUTE TO A SOUTH AFRICAN AND RACING ICON

By James Trotter

"He is a freak...it's as if the rest of the breed is here, and he is up there." --Jet Master as described by Anthony Thompson, Widden Stud

Jet Master was a freak. With the benefit of hindsight many have hypothesised over his success--perhaps his



Jet Master


size comes from his double-cross of Hail to Reason, perhaps this, perhaps that--but the reality of it is that, in the billions of genetic possibilities that could come about in any one mating, he was just that: a horse that comes only once in a lifetime. A horse in a billion. A freak.

It is incredible how a horse can make such an impact on the world--not only in his achievements, but in his effect on people's lives. I can unequivocally say Jet Master affected mine. To someone like my mom, who works with his babies every day, his death is like the loss of a part of her life, a friend. To his owners, who took joy in watching every runner of his on the track, he meant even more; he was a reason to live.

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**Darley**  
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**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.

As the Irish phase of the program drew to a close, our final task was to present our ideas for the Darley-sponsored Irish Oaks to an invited audience of Curragh racecourse management, Horse Racing Ireland representatives and Darley management. Each trainee put forward suggestions for a particular area, including television coverage of the race, sponsor hospitality and racecard design. While some of the ideas mentioned under the 'blue-sky thinking' category (such as a rain-proof underground racecourse designed to hold off the worst Irish weather) may not have been strictly feasible, many suggestions were well received by the audience with the possibility of implementation in the future. While the trainees breathed quiet sighs of relief, there was little time for rest as we prepared to board a flight to London to begin the second phase of the program in Newmarket.

Our journey to England was relatively uneventful, save for a missing passport that generated a few last minute palpitations! Upon our arrival, we hit the ground running with a tour of Dalham Hall Stud, our home ground for this phase of the program and the centre of Darley's breeding operation in England. Having settled into our house (a stone's throw from the Tattersalls sales complex), a packed first week ensued, including visits to the Jockey Club and the Horseracing Forensic Laboratory as well as a trip to Newmarket's Rowley Mile racecourse for its last meeting this year. One highlight for the group was a visit to Roger Varian's Kremlin House stables, two days after success for his yard in the form of the second-placed Nahrain in the GI Breeders' Cup Filly & Mare Turf. An early morning outing to Newmarket's famous gallops provided an opportunity to see the fantastic spectacle of horses working, a compelling reminder of the town's title as 'the home of horse racing.'

For this phase of the program we have been participating in three week-long rotations at the British Racing School, Darley's pre-training centre at Hamilton Hill and at the Dalham Hall office. My group was first to embark on a week at the British Racing School with the (perhaps ambitious) objective of teaching us how to ride a Thoroughbred in a 'safe and controlled fashion.' Short stirrups, racing tack, legups and considerable muscle fatigue were all on the cards for a group of somewhat novice trainees. With a few thrills (but fortunately no spills) we progressed from some tentative canters around the outdoor arena to completing 8 furlongs on the round gallop, with the help of some trusty ex-racehorses. As a result of my ride on 'Vanderlin' I can now claim to have ridden a group winner, surely the dream of any young jockey! As well as our practical rotations we have also had

some interesting lectures on a range of topics, including bloodstock insurance, legal matters, doping control and racing analysis. The eminent veterinary surgeon Dr. Geoff Lane spoke on the subject of wind soundness and described the latest implant techniques used to treat laryngeal hemiplegia, surprising us with the revelation that the first surgeries on horses with this condition were performed as long ago as 1845. James Crowhurst

from the Newmarket Equine Hospital lectured on the role of the vet at the sales and guided us through the importance of x-rays, physical examination and clinical history in avoiding undesirable stock.

Although our stay here is relatively short, our timetable is full as ever and it looks set to be a great few weeks ahead of us. We are looking forward to attending the Tattersalls breeding stock and foal sales at the end of November as well as visits to Cheveley Park Stud, Godolphin and Juddmonte's Banstead Manor Stud. I will keep you posted with all our news.



Trainees at the British Racing School

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## TDN INSTA-TISTICS LEADING SIRES BY WEANLING AVERAGES

Rank by Average	Fyr	Loc	2011 Weanling Sales						2011 Yearling Sales			
			Ring	Sold	Average	Median	Top Colt	Top Filly	Sold	Average	Median	
1	MEDAGLIA D'ORO	F06	KY	2	2	\$1,637,500	\$1,637,500	\$ -	\$2,600,000	82	\$205,451	\$156,748
2	A.P. INDY	F94	KY	3	3	348,333	420,000	420,000	475,000	10	407,000	312,500
3	SMART STRIKE	F98	KY	11	11	333,636	125,000	220,000	1,600,000	25	133,317	125,000
4	QUIET AMERICAN	F93	KY	2	2	312,500	312,500	115,000	510,000	22	49,431	24,500
5	FOOTSTEPSINTHESAND (GB)	F06	IRE	1	1	300,000	300,000	-	300,000	49	39,246	20,466
6	STREET CRY (IRE)	F04	KY	5	5	279,000	250,000	475,000	450,000	20	345,523	225,000
7	BERNARDINI	F08	KY	11	10	275,000	280,000	440,000	325,000	51	335,405	275,000
8	TAPIT	F06	KY	15	13	263,461	240,000	375,000	700,000	60	211,513	195,000
9	HENRYTHENAVIGATOR	F10	KY	19	11	214,363	90,000	130,000	1,500,000	46	100,954	64,790
10	SMOKE GLACKEN	F99	KY	5	5	212,000	52,000	77,000	900,000	22	27,281	13,500
11	DISTORTED HUMOR	F00	KY	1	1	200,000	200,000	-	200,000	27	236,259	180,000
12	UNBRIDLED'S SONG	F98	KY	5	5	192,000	160,000	285,000	390,000	56	230,232	182,500
13	INDIAN CHARLIE	F90	KY	6	5	174,000	180,000	210,000	275,000	38	199,178	160,000
14	MALIBU MOON	F01	KY	23	19	162,157	130,000	350,000	320,000	43	115,662	100,000
15	EMPIRE MAKER	F05	JPN	6	4	161,250	140,000	180,000	280,000	18	155,666	112,500
16	GIANT'S CAUSEWAY	F02	KY	5	4	151,250	150,000	220,000	200,000	61	165,596	129,822
17	MORE THAN READY	F02	KY	12	9	144,111	155,000	195,000	290,000	40	95,470	58,500
18	STREET SENSE	F09	KY	8	7	141,000	110,000	250,000	295,000	46	150,441	100,000
19	LEMON DROP KID	F02	KY	11	11	138,909	80,000	82,000	700,000	46	124,041	75,000
20	DYNAFORMER	F91	KY	1	1	130,000	130,000	-	130,000	20	205,783	157,500
21	SPEIGHTSTOWN	F06	KY	6	6	129,333	135,000	220,000	150,000	41	105,412	75,000
22	ARCH	F00	KY	8	6	115,333	117,500	150,000	135,000	29	128,278	65,000
23	ELUSIVE QUALITY	F00	KY	14	11	113,000	95,000	525,000	170,000	50	98,599	57,500
24	WAR FRONT	F08	KY	21	14	109,428	110,000	190,000	170,000	19	214,457	150,000
25	COLONEL JOHN	F11	KY	15	10	105,900	102,500	170,000	155,000	0	--	--
26	BIRDSTONE	F06	KY	6	4	92,750	31,500	16,000	300,000	24	48,245	17,500
27	OFFICER	F04	KR	2	2	88,500	88,500	150,000	-	25	28,653	16,000
28	DIXIE UNION	F02	KY	11	8	87,375	75,000	87,000	170,000	55	95,219	50,000
29	HARD SPUN	F09	KY	21	19	86,210	70,000	195,000	260,000	63	98,444	80,000
30	TALE OF THE CAT	F00	KY	15	15	82,466	55,000	425,000	110,000	57	72,054	57,000
31	TIZNOW	F03	KY	7	5	82,000	75,000	-	140,000	39	161,128	105,000
32	SCAT DADDY	F09	KY	7	7	81,714	70,000	170,000	70,000	42	45,624	30,000
33	FLASHY BULL	F09	KY	2	1	80,000	80,000	80,000	-	33	53,536	40,000
34	ROMAN RULER	F07	KY	17	11	78,272	17,000	170,000	400,000	9	36,481	18,000
35	EXCHANGE RATE	F03	KY	8	8	75,687	82,000	130,000	150,000	43	65,351	40,000
36	CANDY RIDE (ARG)	F06	KY	15	13	74,807	30,000	250,000	190,000	60	110,569	77,500
37	KITTEN'S JOY	F07	KY	12	12	73,250	56,000	125,000	160,000	16	68,757	49,000
38	REPENT	F05	NY	1	1	67,000	67,000	67,000	-	8	16,837	11,000
39	MINESHAFT	F05	KY	11	8	66,625	62,500	135,000	90,000	16	113,937	67,500
40	STORMY ATLANTIC	F00	KY	11	10	62,550	47,000	225,000	65,000	40	57,667	38,500
41	PULPIT	F99	KY	2	1	60,000	60,000	60,000	-	21	171,438	175,000
42	LANGFUHR	F99	KY	3	2	59,000	59,000	100,000	18,000	35	34,334	18,000
43	AWESOME AGAIN	F00	KY	9	9	58,111	52,000	100,000	22,000	19	191,868	65,000
44	ZENSATIONAL	F11	KY	19	10	56,400	38,500	160,000	60,000	0	--	--
45	CURLIN	F10	KY	16	11	53,636	50,000	100,000	125,000	41	136,780	95,000
46	BIG BROWN	F10	KY	18	14	53,535	42,500	140,000	35,000	37	93,467	80,000
47	U S RANGER	F11	KY	12	11	53,381	25,000	190,000	75,000	0	--	--
48	HARLAN'S HOLIDAY	F05	KY	14	13	52,884	35,000	150,000	135,000	66	59,459	47,500
49	AFLEET ALEX	F07	KY	12	10	51,850	33,000	170,000	95,000	50	57,784	37,500
50	FORT PRADO	F11	IL	3	3	51,666	57,000	75,000	-	0	--	--

Sales reflected in this report:

2011 Cths September At Calgary, 2011 Fasig-Tipton Kentucky November - Mixed, 2011 Keeneland November Breeding Stock Sale, 2011 Ocala Breeders Sales Co. - Mixed.



## TDN INSTA-TISTICS

### Leading Freshman Sires by Weanling Average

		2011 Weanling Sales, Freshman Only						
Rank by Average	Loc	Ring	Sold	Average	Median	Top Colt	Top Filly	
1	COLONEL JOHN	KY	15	10	\$105,900	\$102,500	\$ 170,000	\$ 155,000
2	ZENSATIONAL	KY	19	10	56,400	38,500	160,000	60,000
3	U S RANGER	KY	12	11	53,381	25,000	190,000	75,000
4	FORT PRADO	IL	3	3	51,666	57,000	75,000	-
5	OLD FASHIONED	KY	14	13	45,000	42,000	75,000	75,000
6	PARADING	KY	4	3	41,666	40,000	65,000	20,000
7	VISIONAIRE	KY	1	1	35,000	35,000	35,000	-
8	PIONEEROF THE NILE	KY	14	12	31,666	25,000	42,000	100,000
9	KODIAK KOWBOY	KY	8	7	23,928	20,000	70,000	25,000
10	COWBOY CAL	KY	24	19	20,563	25,000	45,000	30,000
11	DUNKIRK	KY	30	20	16,350	13,500	50,000	60,000
12	THEWAYYOUARE	KY	6	6	14,250	18,500	20,000	23,000
13	MAIMONIDES	FL	1	1	12,500	12,500	-	12,500
13	IN SUMMATION	FL	3	2	12,500	12,500	15,000	10,000
15	BENNY THE BULL	FL	5	4	12,250	12,000	12,000	17,000
16	MONBA	PA	3	3	12,000	10,000	25,000	10,000
17	TIAGO	NY	2	2	11,000	11,000	17,000	5,000
18	YESBYJIMMINY	FL	3	3	7,966	5,700	-	15,000
19	GIANT GIZMO	ON	1	1	3,200	3,200	3,200	-
20	DENIS OF CORK	FL	2	1	3,000	3,000	-	3,000

### LEADING FIRST-YEAR COVERING SIRES BY AVERAGE

		2011 Covering Sires, Freshman Only					
Rank by Average	Loc	Ring	Sold	Average	Median	Top Mare	
1	QUALITY ROAD	KY	50	48	\$ 283,208	\$150,000	\$2,300,000
2	BLAME	KY	10	10	229,000	152,500	800,000
3	ESKENDEREYA	KY	28	19	108,789	85,000	245,000
4	LOOKIN AT LUCKY	KY	19	12	95,083	100,000	250,000
5	STARSPANGLED BANNER (AUS)	RE	1	1	87,818	87,818	87,818
6	MAKFI (GB)	ENG	1	1	59,108	59,108	59,108
7	SUMMER BIRD	KY	11	11	57,090	21,000	400,000
8	SUPER SAVER	KY	17	12	54,750	33,500	130,000
9	PACO BOY (IRE)	ENG	3	3	53,929	16,888	143,549
10	VALE OF YORK (IRE)	RE	3	2	47,708	47,708	75,996
11	DESERT PARTY	KY	9	8	30,062	13,500	140,000
12	ZEBEDEE (GB)	RE	1	1	28,709	28,709	28,709
13	DISCREETLY MINE	KY	24	21	23,928	25,000	55,000
14	WARRIOR'S REWARD	KY	17	15	23,333	18,000	90,000
15	MIDSHIPMAN	KY	8	8	22,562	13,500	90,000
16	MAJESTIC PERFECTION	KY	12	9	19,944	17,000	50,000
17	CONCORD POINT	KY	3	3	15,666	13,000	28,000
18	MUNNINGS	KY	15	11	13,500	13,000	30,000
19	TALE OF EKATI	KY	10	10	12,450	10,000	35,000
20	KANTHAROS	FL	2	2	12,100	12,100	20,000
21	LINE OF DAVID	KY	4	4	9,725	7,350	23,000
22	AFLEET EXPRESS	KY	13	13	9,646	8,000	30,000
23	TEMPLE CITY	KY	6	6	9,483	5,350	23,000
24	HOLD ME BACK	KY	7	6	8,533	4,250	29,000
25	ALL AMERICAN (AUS)	KY	5	5	8,300	5,000	20,000

Sales reflected in this report:

2011 Canadian T.H.S. At Ft. Langley - Yearlings, 2011 Cths September At Calgary, 2011 Fasig-Tipton Heiligbrodt Racing Stable Dispersal, 2011 Fasig-Tipton Kentucky November - Mixed, 2011 Keeneland November Breeding Stock Sale, 2011 Ocala Breeders Sales Co. - Mixed, 2011 Tattersalls July Sale.



## TDN INSTA-TISTICS LEADING COVERING SIRES BY AVERAGE

Rank by Average			2011 Covering Sire Sales						2011 Yearling Sales		
			Fyr	Loc	Ring	Sold	Average	Median	Top Mare	Sold	Average
1	SEA THE STARS (IRE)	F11	IRE	1	1	\$2,100,000	\$2,100,000	\$2,100,000	0	--	--
2	BERNARDINI	F08	KY	10	8	960,625	490,000	4,200,000	51	335,405	275,000
3	A.P. INDY	F94	KY	1	1	750,000	750,000	750,000	10	407,000	312,500
4	DISTORTED HUMOR	F00	KY	9	6	630,000	235,000	2,600,000	27	236,259	180,000
5	TIZNOW	F03	KY	11	7	622,857	330,000	1,600,000	39	161,128	105,000
6	SMART STRIKE	F98	KY	10	7	607,142	325,000	2,000,000	25	133,317	125,000
7	MEDAGLIA D'ORO	F06	KY	10	8	579,375	467,500	1,500,000	82	205,451	156,748
8	MALIBU MOON	F01	KY	17	15	405,000	140,000	2,400,000	43	115,662	100,000
9	INDIAN CHARLIE	F90	KY	15	14	386,571	277,500	2,300,000	38	199,178	160,000
10	TAPIT	F06	KY	11	10	386,000	335,000	850,000	60	211,513	195,000
11	MORE THAN READY	F02	KY	8	6	310,833	275,000	565,000	40	95,470	58,500
12	STREET SENSE	F09	KY	10	8	307,750	135,000	1,650,000	46	150,441	100,000
13	GIANT'S CAUSEWAY	F02	KY	23	15	299,333	240,000	950,000	61	165,596	129,822
14	QUALITY ROAD	F12	KY	50	48	283,208	150,000	2,300,000	0	--	--
15	CANDY RIDE (ARG)	F06	KY	21	19	275,000	160,000	1,400,000	60	110,569	77,500
16	ELUSIVE QUALITY	F00	KY	16	13	230,538	190,000	530,000	50	98,599	57,500
17	BLAME	F12	KY	10	10	229,000	152,500	800,000	0	--	--
18	PULPIT	F99	KY	9	9	187,444	180,000	360,000	21	171,438	175,000
19	CAPE CROSS (IRE)	F01	IRE	2	2	184,554	184,554	310,000	42	146,546	80,913
20	UNBRIDLED'S SONG	F98	KY	15	13	176,230	160,000	370,000	56	230,232	182,500
21	ARCH	F00	KY	12	12	171,666	95,000	525,000	29	128,278	65,000
22	TALE OF THE CAT	F00	KY	12	9	141,500	50,000	620,000	57	72,054	57,000
23	WAR FRONT	F08	KY	15	12	141,250	125,000	250,000	19	214,457	150,000
24	CITY ZIP	F03	KY	27	26	128,269	39,500	1,850,000	40	39,312	21,000
25	SPEIGHTSTOWN	F06	KY	7	4	121,250	107,500	220,000	41	105,412	75,000
26	EXCHANGE RATE	F03	KY	7	3	111,333	60,000	260,000	43	65,351	40,000
27	SKY MESA	F05	KY	16	13	108,846	50,000	300,000	34	68,031	30,000
28	ESKENDEREYA	F12	KY	28	19	108,789	85,000	245,000	0	--	--
29	HARLAN'S HOLIDAY	F05	KY	22	14	106,357	77,500	360,000	66	59,459	47,500
30	CURLIN	F10	KY	16	12	105,666	57,500	385,000	41	136,780	95,000
31	LEMON DROP KID	F02	KY	16	14	105,285	97,500	240,000	46	124,041	75,000
32	CONGRATS	F08	KY	32	26	104,230	77,500	290,000	13	57,230	45,000
33	PIVOTAL (GB)	F98	ENG	1	1	101,329	101,329	101,329	36	149,150	102,006
34	LOOKIN AT LUCKY	F12	KY	19	12	95,083	100,000	250,000	0	--	--
35	STORMY ATLANTIC	F00	KY	18	16	89,375	61,500	270,000	40	57,667	38,500
36	MINESHAFT	F05	KY	15	12	88,333	53,500	300,000	16	113,937	67,500
37	STARSPANGLED BANNER (AUS)	F12	IRE	1	1	87,818	87,818	87,818	0	--	--
38	TAMAYUZ (GB)	F10	IRE	1	1	84,441	84,441	84,441	29	100,132	64,669
39	HENRY THENAVIGATOR	F10	KY	20	13	72,230	65,000	130,000	46	100,954	64,790
40	EXCEED AND EXCEL (AUS)	F05	ENG	1	1	70,930	70,930	70,930	47	109,249	97,366
41	BROKEN VOW	F03	KY	9	6	68,500	46,000	190,000	37	61,955	37,000
42	BLUEGRASS CAT	F08	KY	24	22	67,954	47,500	260,000	43	34,960	25,000
43	HALLING	F98	ENG	3	3	65,582	81,063	109,773	12	70,916	55,714
44	HARD SPUN	F09	KY	19	16	65,500	52,500	180,000	63	98,444	80,000
45	AQLAAM (GB)	F11	ENG	1	1	64,175	64,175	64,175	0	--	--
46	ARTIE SCHILLER	F08	KY	14	11	60,863	7,000	340,000	19	18,052	15,000
47	MAKFI (GB)	F12	ENG	1	1	59,108	59,108	59,108	0	--	--
48	KITTEN'S JOY	F07	KY	33	20	58,150	31,500	390,000	16	68,757	49,000
49	SUMMER BIRD	F12	KY	11	11	57,090	21,000	400,000	0	--	--
50	MOUNT NELSON (GB)	F10	ENG	7	6	55,167	38,843	135,105	33	64,062	55,423



# TDN Last WORD

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Robert Hammond, General Manager, Darby Dan Farm, KY.

This week, Robert Hammond took over the duties as General Manager at Darby Dan Farm after serving as Bloodstock Manager for 5 years at WinStar. The TDN caught up with the London native for a brief chat.



**Last time I cringed:** Whilst listening to a recording of my recent live interview on TVG. I was thanking participants in a stallion contest from all 52 US States. Luckily none of the Europeans in Lexington would have noted my error and everyone else had already switched over to HRTV.

**Last famous person I spoke to:**

I met Bobby Flay at the WinStar stallion barn breakfast. He was taller than he looks on TV and bears a striking resemblance to my old boss, Elliott Walden.

**Last time I cried:**

In 2010, when I was diagnosed with a brain tumor. All you need in life is family, friends and faith.

**Last bet I made:**

I bet on Darby Dan. It's a sure thing.

**Last time at Gym:**

I came to the sad realization that my tight-fitting Under Armour shirt that looked so good on a professional athlete does not suit the over-40's body type.

**Last Impulsive purchase:**

15 years ago, during a stay in Texas and a visit to Lone Star Park, I decided to buy a pair of blue/green cowboy boots and a lasso! I am yet to find the occasion to wear them.

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**CALIFORNIA OWNERS REACH AGREEMENT**

An agreement has been reached between two rival California Thoroughbred owners' organizations and the California Horse Racing Board and, pending certain amendments to the group's bylaws, the Thoroughbred Owners of California will hold an open election for all 15 seats on its board. The agreement ends the California Thoroughbred Horsemen's Association's attempts to decertify the TOC. Open elections for the TOC board, which will be open to all California owners, will begin Feb. 1, with votes accepted until Mar. 1.

"We're pleased that both sides have come together with a reasonable solution," CHRHB Chairman Keith Brackpool said in a statement. "With this issue behind us and the industry working in greater harmony, we hope to resolve other pressing issues as the new year progresses."

TOC Chairman Jack Owens added, "The TOC is glad that this matter is resolved and urges all its members to support the proposal." Owens, along with all the TOC board members voluntarily stepped down in advance of next year's elections.

Under the agreement, the CTHA will name up to 10 candidates on the election ballot. The group's president David Wilson, said, "The CTHA's primary goal was to end the discriminatory and exclusionary policies of the TOC and provide free and open elections, so that California Thoroughbred owners would be able to choose how they are represented. That goal has been achieved through this negotiated settlement."

The TOC bylaw changes involve eliminating restrictions on membership in the organization and creating two classes of membership on the board to accommodate owners and owner/trainers. If the bylaws are rejected, the TOC decertification process would be restarted.

**Pegram to Chair TOC...**

Mike Pegram was yesterday unanimously voted chair of the Thoroughbred Owners of California Board. "I am very pleased that Mike has agreed to accept this assignment," said outgoing chair Jack Owens, who will now serve as a vice chair. "Mike will make a wonderful voice and face for TOC. His commitment to racing is extraordinary and he cares deeply about the future of Thoroughbred racing in California. In many respects, he reminds me of Bob Lewis, a highly regarded ambassador for our industry."

Pegram added, "This is an assignment I take on in the hope that we can really make a difference to an industry I love. We have seen substantial purse increases in Southern California and have stabilized them in the North. This puts us in a more competitive position as we look to move the industry forward. Moreover, we need to focus on the many important issues facing us. I look forward to continuing to work with Jack and all the other TOC Directors as we work to make California the best racing venue in the U.S."

**NEW YORK** 



**Yesterday's Results:**

**SUNNY AND MILD S.**, \$57,000, AQU, 11-17, 3yo/up, 1 1/8m, 1:51 4/5, my.

1--**RON THE GREEK, 120, c, 4, Full Mandate--Flambe', by Fortunate Prospect.** O-Brous Stable, Wachtel Stable & Jack Hammer; B-Jack T Hammer (FL); T-William I Mott; J-Jose Lezcano; \$36,000. Lifetime Record: GSW, 14-4-2-1, \$200,665.

2--**Bigger Is Better, 121, c, 3, Grand Reward--Regal Angela, by Regal Intention.** O-Mary & Chester Broman Sr. \$12,000.

3--**Most Happy Fella, 120, g, 4, Ecton Park--Doyenne, by Deputy Minister.** (\$25,000 yrl '08 FTNAUG). O-Robert J Quigley. \$6,000.

 **Broken and Sold by Crupi's New Castle Farm** 

Margins: 5, 5, 1HF. Odds: 2.35, 8.90, 24.50. Also Ran: More Than a Reason. DNF: Rail Trip.

The complexion of this race changed as soon as the gates opened, when 2-5 Rail Trip (Jump Start) stumbled and lost rider Ramon Dominguez. Ron the Greek, winner of the 2010 Gill Lecomte S. for trainer Tom Amoss, had spent time in various shedrows since that early success. With conditioner Tom Albertrani in the first part of 2011, the Florida-bred made one appearance at Monmouth for trainer Peter Walder and, in his first try for Bill Mott, split Convocation (Pulpit) and Ice Box (Pulpit) in a Spa allowance on Mott's birthday July 29. Ron the Greek was the second choice in the wagering, and he secured a perfect spot in second after Rail Trip's early trouble. The 4-year-old made his move entering the stretch and drew off under a hand ride. **Cont. p2**



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**Sunny and Mild S. (AQU) Ron the Greek** (Full Mandate) romps after **Rail Trip** (Jump Start) dumps his rider early.

**3rd-AQU (Alw) Well Kept** (Henny Hughes) makes it two in a row.

**7th-WO (Alw) Champion Delightful Mary** (Limehouse) makes a winning return.

**1st-HOL (Msw) Milania** (Bernardini) graduates going long for the first time.



**Sunny and Mild S. cont.**

Rail Trip continued to race with his peers and completed the Big A circuit, while Dominguez appeared to be unharmed by the spill. [Click for the brisnet.com chart.](#) [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

**3rd-AQU, \$50,960, Alw, Opt. Clm.** (\$75,000), NW1X, 2yo, f, 6f, 1:11 4/5, my.

**WELL KEPT (f, 2, Henny Hughes--Alinechka, by Danzig)** debuted with a third-place finish at Saratoga Aug. 25. She came back a month later to wire a field of Belmont maidens by four lengths, and was 4-5 in this five-horse affair. After battling with Demi Tasse (Flatter) from the start, Well Kept asserted herself in the final furlong and went on to hand her early rival a 1 1/4-length decision. The winner's second dam is champion and recent Hall of Fame inductee Safely Kept (Horatius). Sales history: \$15,000 yrl '10 KEESEP; \$70,000 RNA wlng '09 KEENOV; \$95,000 RNA 2yo '11 OBSMAR. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-1, \$66,200. [Click for the brisnet.com chart.](#) [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O-Treadway Racing Stable. B-Colts Neck Stables LLC (KY). T-Leah Gyarmati.

**Broken & Sold by Crupi's New Castle Farm**

## EASTERN U.S.

**Yesterday's Results:**

**4th-CRC, \$31,500, Msw, 2yo, 1mT, 1:37 1/5, fm.**  
**DONT MESWIT GOLDIE (c, 2, Harlan's Holiday--Sea Pines {MSP}, by Exploit)** didn't make much of an impact in his first two tries on the Calder main track. Sent off as the 4-1 third choice in this infield shift, the dark bay secured a good spot just off the pace, rallied four wide and reeled in Kings Over (Trippi) to take it by a neck. Sales history: \$87,000 yrl '10 KEESEP; \$125,000 RNA 2yo '11 FTMMAY. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$20,130. [Click for the brisnet.com chart.](#) [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O/T-Steven Dwoskin. B-Bloodstock Holdings LLC (KY).

**Mating selected by EQWOS BLOODSTOCK**

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**Career Victory**  
**#6,385**  
 Jockey Mario Pino surpassed Eddie Delahoussaye for 13th on the all-time win list when he guided Torcello to victory in yesterday's 2nd race at Laurel.

The **brisnet.com** 'Race of the Day' is the 8th Race, \$53,000 Allowance, at Aqueduct. For pps and a complete race analysis, click [here](#).

**3rd-LRL, \$28,000, Msw, 2yo, f, 1m (off turf), 1:43 3/5, my.**  
**OFFICER'S HOLIDAY (f, 2, Officer--Illeria {GSW, \$392,692}, by Stop the Music)**, a half-sister to Include (Broad Brush), GISW, \$1,659,560, ran sixth in each of her first two starts sprinting, and improved to be third when stretched out at this track Nov. 2. Sent off at 6-1 here, the Maryland-bred was unhurried in the early stages, but kept on coming down the lane, and dug in late to deny firster Theatricality (Purim) by a neck at the wire. Officer's Holiday is also a sibling to Magic Broad (Broad Brush), GSW; Loaded Brush (Broad Brush), MSP, \$212,390; Implicit (Broad Brush), MSP, \$260,636; Magical Broad (Broad Brush), SW, \$155,470; and Encaustic (Broad Brush), MSW & GSP, \$645,330. Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-1, \$20,460. [Click for the brisnet.com chart.](#) [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)  
 O/B-Fitzhugh LLC (MD). T-Richard W Small.

**IT PAYS TO BREED MARYLAND-BREDS**

## CANADA

**Yesterday's Results:**

**7th-WOX, \$66,006, Opt. Clm.** (\$80,000-\$75,000), NW3X, 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f (AWT), 1:15 3/5, ft.  
**1--DELIGHTFUL MARY, 120, f, 3, Limehouse--Deputy's Delight, by French Deputy.** (\$500,000 2yo '10 OBSAPR). O-John C Oxley; B-Hobeau Farm Ltd (FL); T-Mark E Casse. Lifetime Record: Ch. 2yo Filly-Can, GISP, 7-4-1-1, \$411,277. \*1/2 to Delightful Kiss (Kissin Kris), GSW & GISP, \$1,093,692; Honour the Deputy (Honour And Glory), GSP, \$101,304.

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**2--Rashnaa, 122, m, 5, Tapit--Tanuki, by Affirmed.** (\$40,000 yrl '07 KEEJAN; \$50,000 yrl '07 KEESEP).  
**3--My Perfect Ten, 122, f, 3, Perfect Soul (Ire)--Deli Cat, by Bold Ruckus.**  
 Margins: 3, HF, 1HF. Odds: 1.35, 5.10, 3.20.

Delightful Mary graduated first time out in a six-furlong test at Woodbine as a 2-year-old, before blowing the doors off with a **TDN Rising Star** style performance when winning by eight lengths going two turns there. Bumped up to higher company for her next start, she was runner up in the 1 1/16-mile GIII Mazarine S. in October before coming home a credible third behind eventual champion Awesome Feather (Awesome of Course) in her dirt bow in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies. Given some time off that effort, the Florida-bred resumed with a narrow score in the OBS Championship series in Ocala Mar. 14. In her most recent start, the \$500,000 OBSAPR purchase was an uncanny seventh--beaten 6 1/2 lengths--in the Apr. 9 GI Ashland S. Well supported in this return, she stalked the early pace in third, took over late on the turn and drove clear to earn her first victory off the layoff. [Click for the brisnet.com chart.](#) [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)



# CENTRAL U.S.

# CALIFORNIA

**Yesterday's Results:**

**9th-CDX, \$45,074, Alw, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 3/8mT, 2:21, gd.**

**GAMBOLLING GIRL (f, 3, Johar--Buoyant {Ire} {GSP-Fr}, by Peintre Celebre)** rounded out the superfecta in her career opener, a sprint on the Presque Isle Tapeta July 8. She stretched out successfully on the Erie track Aug. 9, but hadn't faced the starter since, and was let go at 7-1 while going even further and moving to the spinach. Never too far behind a dawdling pace, the Pennsylvania-bred miss angled out to the center of the course in the stretch and finished up strongly for a 1 3/4-length success. Katherin's Kitten (Kitten's Joy) was second best. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, \$58,050.

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O-Augustin Stable. B-George Strawbridge Jr (PA).

T-H Graham Motion.

**4th-CDX, \$45,340, Msw, 2yo, f, 1 1/16m, 1:47 4/5, ft.**

**SKY HIGH LADY (f, 2, Sky Mesa--My Dear Lady {Arg} {MGSW & MG1SP-Arg}, by Mutakddim)** debuted with a second on the sweeping Woodbine turf course Sept. 9, and was beaten just two lengths when fourth next out in the Mazarine S. on the Polytrack Oct. 8. She was most recently third after a five-wide trip going a mile under the Twin Spires Oct. 30, and was the 6-5 choice to put it all together here. Well back in the early stages, the chestnut was roused by rider Shaun Bridgmohan heading into the far turn. Sky High Lady made a five-wide bid to reach contention, and though M'Dearest (Macho Uno) fought back valiantly on the inside, the favorite found the momentum late to score by a neck. Sales history: \$75,000 RNA yrl '10 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-1, \$53,121. Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#). [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O/B-John C Oxley (KY). T-Mark E Casse.

**Canterbury 2012 Dates Approved:**

The Minnesota Racing Commission yesterday approved dates for Canterbury Park's 2012 racing season. The track will conduct a 62-day Thoroughbred and Quarter Horse meet beginning May 18 and running through Sept. 3. "The 2012 race meet will closely resemble the meet we ran this year, minus the state government shutdown that caused Canterbury and the horse owners, trainers and breeders to lose 20 days of business," track president Randy Sampson said. "While the shutdown and loss of revenues had a negative impact on next season's purses, it is necessary to offer sufficient racing opportunities so that Canterbury continues to attract enough horses to make the meet a success."

**Yesterday's Results:**

**8th-HOL, \$46,050, Msw, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m (AWT), 1:44 2/5, ft.**

**ADMISSION (c, 3, Unbridled's Song--Arabis {SW, \$204,419}, by Deputy Minister),** a \$400,000 FTSAUG yearling, was benched following a fourth-place finish for a \$40,000 tag at Keeneland last October for trainer Eoin Harty. He sold for \$75,000 a few weeks later at KEENOV, and resurfaced for his new connections at Hollywood June 30. Eighth that day, the bay hit the board twice at Del Mar July 30 and Aug. 24, but most recently ran fifth at Santa Anita Oct. 6. The 5-2 chance utilized his rail post to make most of the running, and kicked clear in the lane for a 3 1/2-length score. Paro (Pulpit), a 4-year-old first-timer that's a half to GISW Giacomo (Holy Bull) and MGISW Tiago (Pleasant Tap), rallied to get second. Lifetime Record: 7-1-1-1, \$49,860. Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#). [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O-Divina Dy & Rodolfo G Mendoza. B-Aaron U & Marie D Jones (KY). T-Mike Puype.



**6th-HOL, \$45,700, Msw, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:42 1/5, fm.**

**TIZALWAYSOMETHING (f, 4, Tiznow--So Wistfullee {SP, \$142,742}, by Kris S.)** was sidelined following a third-place finish in a one-mile test over this course last November. The dark bay resurfaced Oct. 13 with a runner-up effort, and was the 5-2 second choice to go one better here. Tizawalwaysomething faced some early pressure on the lead, but shook loose in the lane and went on to post a 2 3/4-length triumph. Let's Go Cheyenne (Tiznow) was second best. Lifetime Record: 5-1-1-2, \$47,200. Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#). [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O-Alexis Barba, Peter O Johnson Sr & Ellen Johnson. B-Alexis Barba (KY). T-Alexis Barba.



UPCOMING MAJOR NORTH AMERICAN STAKES

Date	Race	Track
Nov. 19	GI Hollywood Turf Cup	HOL
	GIII Discovery H.	AQU
	GIII Delta Jackpot S.	DED
	GIII Delta Princess S.	DED
	GIII River City H.	CD
	GIII Kennedy Road S.	WO
Nov. 20	GIII Bessarabian S.	WO



1st-HOL, \$45,350, Msw, 2yo, f, 1 1/16m (AWT), 1:46 1/5, ft.

**MILANIA** (f, 2, Bernardini--Keeper Hill {MGISW, \$1,661,281}, by Deputy Minister), a \$190,000 KEENOV weanling, came on to get second in her June 25 unveiling at Pleasanton. Runner-up on Golden Gate's Tapeta Aug. 27, she rallied four wide in an Oct. 29 at that Bay Area oval, but missed by a half-length. The bay was trying two turns for the first time here, and was bet down to 4-5. Content to race in fourth on the outside, Milania made her move after six furlongs in 1:15.11 and found her best stride late to don cap and gown. It was 1 1/4 lengths back to Sage d'Oro (Medaglia d'Oro), who in turn had a head on Belle Gallantey (After Market). Lifetime Record: 4-1-3-0, \$42,900. [Click for the brisnet.com chart.](#) [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O-Olympia Star Inc. B-John A Chandler, Jamm Ltd, C R McGaughey III & Mill Ridge Farm (KY). T-Jerry Hollendorfer.



## STALLION NEWS

### CANADIAN FRONTIER TO LEMESA

**Canadian Frontier** (Gone West--Borodislew, by Seattle Slew) will relocate to Brett Brinkman's LeMesa stallions in Carencro, Louisiana, for the 2012 breeding season. The 12-year-old stallion, who previously stood at Airdrie Stud, is the sire of Grade I winners Hilda's Passion and No Such Word. From four crops to race, Canadian Frontier is the sire of four stakes winners and the earners of over \$3.8 million.



## INDUSTRY INFO

### End-of-Year Foal Registration Deadline Nears:

Applications for foal registration of yearlings and 2-year-olds must be submitted to The Jockey Club by Dec. 31 to avoid late registration fees. The late registration fee increases from \$525 to \$775 after Dec. 31 of the yearling year and from \$775 to \$2,000 after Dec. 31 of the 2-year-old year. Applications may be submitted on-line by signing up at [registry.jockeyclub.com](http://registry.jockeyclub.com).



### First-crop starters to watch: Friday, November 18

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

**AFTER MARKET** (Storm Cat), Lane's End, \$30K, 94/13/1

3-AQU, Msw, 1mT, Market Princess, 9-2

**BOB AND JOHN** (Seeking the Gold), Pin Oak, \$13K, 91/10/1

3-AQU, Msw, 1mT, Hanalei, \$18K OBS AUG yrl, 5-1

**EXCLUSIVE QUALITY** (Elusive Quality), Journeyman, \$4K, 76/11/1

6-WO, Alw, 6f, Quality Lass, \$82K OBS MAR 2yo, 2-1

**HARD SPUN** (Danzig), Darley, \$50K, 143/22/3

2-AQU, Aoc, 6f, Artest, 8-5

6-MTH, Msw, 1m, Hard Mystery, \$22K KEE SEP yrl, 8-5

3-AQU, Msw, 1mT, Lady Clara, \$50K EAS MAY 2yo, 20-1

**MASTER COMMAND** (A.P. Indy), Taylor Made, \$15K, 82/10/1

6-CD, Msw, 1m, +Quiet Command, \$50K KEE SEP yrl, 12-1

1-RP, Msw, 7f, Forty Winks, \$32K RNA TEX APR 2yo, 3-1

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

4-AQU, Alw, 6f, Sportswriter, 10-1

**PATRIOT ACT** (A.P. Indy), Questroyal, \$6K, 38/2/0

4-AQU, Alw, 6f, Coalition, 2-1

**SAINT ANDDAN** (A.P. Indy), Journeyman, \$7K, 62/13/1

2-PEN, Msw, 6f, Jackson's Rhythm, \$5K EAS SEP yrl, 20-1

6-WO, Alw, 6f, She's Got Tude, 6-1

**STORMELLO** (Stormy Atlantic), Vinery, \$15K, 36/4/0

3-HAW, Alw, 1 1/16m, Stormy Dude, \$7K FTK OCT yrl, 20-1

**WILD TALE** (Tale of the Cat), Mighty Acres, \$2K, 20/2/1

10-RP, Stk, 6f, Ted's Folly, \$1K HER NOV yrl

### First/Second-crop starters to watch: Friday, November 18

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

**BANDINI** (Fusaichi Pegasus), Walmac Farm, \$18K, 177/55/2

2-PEN, Msw, 6f, +Candyland Man, \$8K EAS SEP yrl, 12-1

**OSIDY** (Storm Cat), Elite Thoroughbreds, \$4K, 79/24/0

3-DED, Msw, 5f, +Movie Princess, 15-1

**POMEROY** (Boundary), Vinery Ltd, \$13K, 154/53/5

3-HOL, Msw, 6fT, +St. Sincere, \$115K OBS AUG yrl

**STRONG CONTENDER** (Maria's Mon), Stonewall Farm FL, \$10K, 91/21/0

2-PEN, Msw, 6f, +Strongest, \$6K EAS SEP yrl, 15-1



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Zenyatta Dark Bay or Brown Mare Foaled 2004	Street Cry (IRE) Vertigneux (1965)	Machiavellian Helen Street (GB) Kris S. For The Flag	Mr. Prospector Cozz De Folie =Troy (GB) =Waterway (FR) Roberto Sharp Queen *Fort In The Offing
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By STREET CRY (IRE) (1968), Black type winner, \$943,674. Sire of 5 crops, 428 foals, 267 starters, 41 black type winners, 150 winners, \$27,852,071. Sire of 9 producing daughters, 10 foals, 1 winner, including Tynne Song (B) 2, 2010, \$20,228).  
Het Dam  
VERTIGNEUX, by Kris S. Broodmare Of The Year: 2 wins at 4, \$60,480, in NAUS. Dam of 5 foals to race, 4 winners:  
ZENYATTA (f, by Street Cry (IRE)), Champion, one record;  
BALANCE (f, by Thunder Gulch), 6 wins, 2 to 4, \$1,048,491, in US; Won Santa Anita Oaks (G1), Santa Margarita Invitational Hcp (G1), Las Virgenes S. (G1), La Canada S. (G2), Sharp Cat S. (L1) (HOL, \$50,000), 2nd Hollywood Starlet S. (G1), Vanity Invitational Handicap (G1), 3rd Ashland S. (G1), La Brea S. (G1), Clement L. Hirsch Handicap (G2), Mirny Breeders' Cup Handicap (G2), Hidden Light S. (OR) (OSA, \$8,000).



# FRANCE



## Yesterday's Result:

**PRIX TANTIEME-Listed**, €52,000, Saint-Cloud, 11-17, 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:46.75, vsf.

1--**NO RISK AT ALL (FR)**, 126, c, 4, **My Risk (Fr)--**

**Newness (Ire)**, by **Simply Great (Fr)**. O/T-Jean-Paul Gallorini; B-Mme Sylvia Wildenstein; J-Gaetan Masure; €26,000. Lifetime Record: GSP-Fr, 7 starts, 3 wins, 2 places, €98,200.

2--**Stand My Ground (Ire)**, 126, g, 4, Cape Cross (Ire)--Perfect Hedge (GB), by Unfuwain. (62,000gns RNA yrl '08 TATDEC). O-Salinity Stables; B-NP Bloodstock Ltd; T-Pia Brandt; €10,400.

3--**Celebrissime (Ire)**, 126, g, 6, Peintre Celebre--Ring Beaune, by Bering (GB). O/B-Wertheimer & Frere; T-Freddy Head; €7,800.

Margins: SNK, NK, 3/4. Odds: 17.10, 27.00, 9.00. Also Ran: Abdel (Fr), Red Dubawi (Ire), Ball Prince (Ire), Private Jet (Fr), Pas Perdus (GB), Volcanico (Ire), Elke's Friend's (GB). Also Ran (not classified): Le Roi Mage (Ire), Primera Vista (GB), Simba (Fr), Nafar (Ger), Gotlandia (Fr), Amazing Beauty (Ger). Scratched: Pink Gin (Fr), Royal Bench (Ire).

No Risk At All, lightly raced with just three runs in each of his two prior campaigns, returned from a 17-month absence to bag this first start since running 16th in last year's G1 Prix du Jockey Club at Chantilly. He had previously landed the 2009 Listed Prix Isonomy and last term's Listed Prix Omnium II, both here, and ran second to Bekhabad (Fr) (Cape Cross {Ire}) in the G3 Prix de Guiche at Longchamp in his penultimate racetrack appearance. Settled in rear from the outset, he was sent wide turning for home and kept on strongly under a final-furlong drive to inhale Stand My Ground in the dying strides.

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## AL SHINDAGHA WINNER HEADS MACAU FEATURE

Four overseas raiders will face eight of Macau's best dirt horses in tonight's HK2.4 million (*about*

US\$308,000) Macau Sand Premier Cup at Taipa Racetrack.

The field's top-rated horse and likely favorite is **Dynamic Blitz (Aus)** (Elusive Quality), who looks to these shores for a surface on which he excels.

Possessed of only average form on turf, the gelding has showed much more talent on the Sha

Tin all-weather and took his game to a new level when landing the G3 Al Shindagha Sprint in Dubai last February. He is unplaced in two starts this season on the turf, but the one-time A\$1.4 million yearling purchase should be able to outclass this field with Olivier Doleuze in for the ride. **Doncaster Rover** (War Chant) and **Majestic Myles (Ire)** (Majestic Missile {Ire}) renew rivalries, having run first and second, respectively, in the Listed City of York S. Aug. 20. **Eclair Mystic (Aus)** (Stratum {Aus}) represents the stable of Robert Smerdon and has a Listed victory and pair of placings at Group 2 and Group 3 level in Australia last January and February.



**Dynamic Blitz** Andrew Watkins

## BREEDERS' EDITION AMERICA

### ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

**7th-HOL, \$52,350**, Opt. Clm. (\$62,500), NW2\$X, 3yo/up, 1 1/8m (AWT), 1:50 2/5, ft.

**KETTLE CORN** (c, 4, **Candy Ride {Arg}**--

**Somethingbeautiful**, by Lil E. Tee) Lifetime Record: 11-5-1-1, \$111,891. O-C R K Stable. B-Jim Plemmons (KY). T-John W Sadler.

**7th-AQU, \$50,400**, Opt. Clm. (\$50,000), NW1X, 3yo/up, 1m (off turf), 1:38 2/5, sy.

**COSMIC KING** (g, 5, **Lion Heart--Andromeda**, by Kris S.) Lifetime Record: 17-3-2-3, \$91,181. O-Kyle W Nagel. B-WinStar Farm LLC (KY). T-Dale L Romans. \*\$50,000 HRA '09 KEENOV.

**2nd-AQU, \$42,000**, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:11, my. **JUPITER TRIO** (c, 3, **Mutakddim--Fortunate Faith {GSW, \$251,635}**, by **Fortunate Prospect**) Lifetime Record: 8-2-2-1, \$76,320. O-DMZ Racing Stable & Off The Hook Racing. B-Delehanty Stock Farm (NY). T-Michael E Hushion. \*\$40,000 yrl '09 FTKJUL. \*\*1/2 to Z Fortune (Siphon {Brz}), GSW, \$432,942.



**8th-DED, \$40,000**, 11-16, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 7f, 1:27, ft.

**FEEL THE GREED (f, 3, Devil His Due--Urge to Splurge {SP}, by Successful Appeal)** Lifetime Record: 6-2-1-2, \$53,962. O-Richard W Tepera. B-Carrol J Castille (LA). T-Shane Wilson.

**1st-GGX, \$39,680**, Opt. Clm. (\$50,000), NW2\$X, 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:44, gd.

**LIFE IS A ROCK (c, 3, Globalize--Tadita, by Indian Charlie)** Lifetime Record: SP, 17-5-2-5, \$140,916. O/B-Jerry & Janet Hollendorfer & George Todaro (CA). T-Jerry Hollendorfer.

**4th-PEN, \$35,840**, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m70y, 1:45, gd.

**NEO'S GRAND FINALE (f, 3, Rimrod--Neolithic, by Deputed Testamony)** Lifetime Record: 13-3-4-3, \$82,132. O/B-James M Courtney (PA). T-Timothy C Kreiser. \*1/2 to Finally Here (Yarrow Brae), GSW, \$189,200.

**3rd-HAW, \$34,000**, NW1X, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:46, ft.

**PROSPECT KNIGHT (g, 3, Awesome Again--Skip Trial Miss, by Skip Trial)** Lifetime Record: 16-3-4-2, \$102,920. O-Bob Gary Racing LLC. B-Adena Springs (KY). T-Richard R Scherer. \*\$20,000 yrl '09 KEESEP.

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**4th-RPX, \$32,918**, 11-16, Opt. Clm. (\$35,000), NW2X, 3yo/up, 5fT, :56 3/5, fm.

**FLAT BLACK (g, 3, Flatter--Trailena {SW}, by Trail Dancer)** Lifetime Record: 9-3-0-2, \$54,184. O-Tony Jones & Tim Williams. B-Tony Jones (KY). T-Tim G Williams. \*\$11,000 RNA wlng '08 KEENOV.

**7th-LRL, \$31,000**, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000-\$20,000), NW2X, 3yo/up, 5 1/2f (off turf), 1:04 3/5, gd.

**KENS CAPE (g, 4, Cape Town--Wild Country, by Unbridled)** Lifetime Record: 20-4-2-3, \$113,890. O-PTK LLC. B-Overbrook Farm (KY). T-Dane Kobiskie. \*\$10,000 yrl '08 KEESEP.

**8th-LRL, \$31,000**, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 7f, 1:26 4/5, gd.

**M'S ANGEL (f, 3, Jump Start--Snow Angel, by Alphabet Soup)** Lifetime Record: 6-2-1-1, \$47,130. O-Tight Line Stable. B-Paradise Productions LLC & Janet & Chris Morris (KY). T-Gail M Hanford. \*\$13,000 yrl '09 KEESEP.

**9th-CTX, \$31,000**, 11-16, Opt. Clm. (\$32,000), C, 3yo/up, f/m, 4 1/2f, :51, sy.

**JOYOUS MUSIC (f, 3, Bellamy Road--Pyrite Queen, by Wavering Monarch)** Lifetime Record: 22-5-1-2, \$94,998. O-Rousseau Racing. B-John O Sutton (FL). T-Steven R Brown. \*\$2,500 RNA wlng '08 OBSOCT.

**6th-CTX, \$30,100**, 11-16, Opt. Clm. (\$20,000), NW1X, 2yo, f, 4 1/2f, :52 1/5, sy.

**FANTASY FOREST (f, 2, Forestry--Travelator {MSW & MGSP, \$647,672}, by A. P Jet)** Lifetime Record: 6-2-1-1, \$38,970. O/B-Cloverleaf Farms II Inc (KY). T-Timothy E Salzman.

**8th-CTX, \$26,100**, 11-16, NW2L, (S), 3yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:20 4/5, sy.

**ROBB'S WARRIOR (g, 3, Robb--Prima Facia, by Conquistador Cielo)** Lifetime Record: 23-2-3-3, \$62,950. O/B/T-John D McKee (WV).

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**ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**

**He Gone**, c, 2, **Borrego**--Madame Sunshine, by Nureyev. HAW, 11-17, 5fT, :58 2/5. B-R & R Thoroughbred Stables & Borrego Syndicate (IL). \*\$28,000 yrl '10 FTKFEB; \$37,000 yrl '10 FTKOCT; \$25,000 2yo '11 OBSAPR.

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**I'm All Spotted Up**, g, 2, **Fiber Sonde**--Squall Robbin, by Robb. CTX, 11-16, (S), 6 1/2f, 1:23 1/5. B-John D McKee (WV). \*Third winner for freshman sire (by Unbridled's Song).

+ **Unusual Hottie**, f, 2, **Unusual Heat**--Branca Como Neve (Brz) (SW & G1SP-Brz), by Ski Champ. HOL, 11-17, (S), (C), 6 1/2f (AWT), 1:18 1/5. B-Ali Nilforushan Equestrian LLC (CA). \*\$22,000 RNA yrl '10 BESOCT.

**My Unbridled Storm**, f, 3, **Unbridled Energy**--Rahy Come Home, by Rahy. AQU, 11-17, (S), 1m, 1:40. B-Patricia S Purdy (NY). \$5,000 wlng '08 NYBOCT; \$30,000 2yo '10 FTMMAY. \*\*Won by seven lengths.

+ **Lotta Distinction**, f, 3, **With Distinction**--Rebellious Nature, by Grand Slam. CRC, 11-17, (C), 5fT, :56 4/5. B-Herring Farms (KY). \*\$15,000 RNA yrl '09 OBSAUG.

**Hereisrjealous**, c, 4, **Here's Zealous**--Explosive Jasmine, by Roy. PEN, 11-16, (S), 6f, 1:12 4/5. B-Mr & Mrs Peter Sinetos (PA).

**BREEDERS' EDITION EUROPE**

**CONDITIONS RESULTS:**

**FRANCE, Saint-Cloud, 15.35**, €34,000, 3yo, 1 5/16mT, 2:27.87, vsf.

**VALYEVA (FR) (f, 3, Anabaa Blue {GB}--Vayeva {Ire}, by Kahyasi {Ire})** Lifetime Record: 3 starts, 2 wins, 0 places, €26,000. O-H H The Aga Khan; B-H H The Aga Khan's Studs SC; T-Mikel Delzangles.

**FRANCE, Saint-Cloud, 14.35**, €29,000, 3yo, 6 1/2fT, 1:27.61, vsf.

**CRUZADOR (IRE) (g, 3, Holy Roman Emperor {Ire}--Mona Stella {GSW-Fr}, by Nureyev)** Lifetime Record: 9 starts, 2 wins, 3 places, €31,350. O-Mme Magalen Bryant; B-Tower Bloodstock; T-Tony Clout. \*€95,000 yrl '09 ARQAUG. \*\*1/2 to Special Quest (Fr) (Rainbow Quest), G1SW-Fr, SW & MGSP-US, \$400,923; Moiava (Fr) (Bering {GB}), GSW-Fr; and Red Stella (Fr) (Rainbow Quest), SW-Fr.

**FRANCE, Pornichet-la-Baule, 13.45**, 11-17, €15,000, 2yo, 1 1/4mT, 2:10.86, gd.

**TEMPLE BAR (FR) (c, 2, Rock of Gibraltar {Ire}--Ozone Bere {Fr} {GSW-US, MSW-Fr, \$312,778}, by Verglas {Ire})** Lifetime Record: 4 starts, 2 wins, 2 places, €19,600. O/B-Jean-Claude Seroul; T-Frederic Rossi.

**ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**

**Ostrea (Fr)**, c, 2, **Early March (GB)**--Mia's Baby, by Rahy. Saint-Cloud, France, 11-17, Mdn, 2yo, 1mT. B-Mme Martine Malivet. \*€20,000 yrl '10 ARQOCT. \*\*Third winner for freshman sire (by Dansili {GB}).

+ **Metal Rocket (Fr)**, f, 2, **Muhtathir (GB)**--Tatante (Ire), by Highest Honor (Fr). Pornichet-la-Baule, France, 11-17, Mdn, 2yo, 1 1/8mT. B-Bruno Camus-Denais.

**Ocean Bay (GB)**, c, 3, **Dubai Destination**--Aldora (GB) (MSW-Eng, \$239,184), by Magic Ring (Ire). Kempton Park, Britain, 11-17, Mdn, 3-5yo, 7f (AWT). B-R G Levin.

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Rainbow View (Dynaformer)	Sea the Stars (Ire) (Cape Cross {Ire})
Fuisse (Fr) (Green Tune)	Siyouni (Fr) (Pivotal {GB})
Termagant (Ire) (Powerscourt {GB})	Kingsfort (War Chant)
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Workforce (GB) (King's Best)	Sarafina (Fr) (Refuse to Bend {Ire})
Frankel (GB) (Galileo {Ire})	Moonlight Cloud (GB) (Invincible Spirit {Ire})
Maybe (Ire) (Galileo {Ire})	Power (GB) (Oasis Dream {GB})

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Date	Race	Track
Nov. 24	GII Falls City H.	CD
	GIII Fall Highweight H.	AQU
	GIII My Charmer H.	CD
	GIII Hollywood Prevue S.	HOL
	GII Clark H.	CD
Nov. 25	GII Matriarch S.	HOL
	GII Go for Wand H.	AQU
	GIII Miesque S.	HOL
	GIII All American S.	GG
	GII Gazelle S.	AQU
Nov. 26	GII Hill 'n' Dale Cigar Mile	AQU
	GII Demoiselle S.	AQU
	GII Remsen S.	AQU
	GII Golden Rod S.	CD
	GII Kentucky Jockey Club S.	CD
	GII Citation H.	HOL
	GII W L McKnight H.	CRC
	GIII Fred W. Hooper H.	CRC
GIII Vernon O. Underwood S.	HOL	
Nov. 27	GII Hollywood Derby	HOL
	GIII Generous S.	HOL