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Dunaden the Toast of the Town Ahead of Vase...

One would think a taxing effort in a race like the G1 Emirates Melbourne Cup and a subsequent lengthy journey from Australia to Hong Kong would exact at least some sort of toll on an equine athlete. But if Dunaden (Fr) (Nicobar {Fr}) is feeling any hangover from those events, he sure isn't showing it. The 5-year-old, who races in the name of Sheikh Fahad Bin Abdullah Al Thani's Pearl Bloodstock, worked seven furlongs over the Sha Tin turf course Tuesday,



Dunaden

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streaking home to cover his final 400 meters in a sparkling :22.5 seconds, with a final eighth of a mile in :11.08. Craig Williams, who lost the mount for the Melbourne Cup due to a suspension, was aboard for trainer Mikel Delzangles. "He is just showing how

well he is feeling in Hong Kong, in a different climate at the end of a long year," Williams, formerly based in the region, told South China Morning Post. Delzangles was duly pleased with the move. "He seems to have taken [Tuesday's] fast work very well and I am extremely happy with his preparation," he commented. "The Vase looks very open since Snow Fairy (Ire) (Intikhab) went. The French brigade is good, and it will be interesting to see what we can do here. Dunaden won on a quick surface over the distance at Geelong so he should be all right come Sunday." Dunaden, upset winner of the G3 Prix de Barbeville at Longchamp in April, closed out the French portion of his campaign with a ninth in the G2 Prix Kergorlay, a race used by American (Dynaformer) as a springboard to Melbourne Cup success in 2010. He prepped for the "race that stops a nation" by winning the G3 Geelong Cup before outnodding Red Cadeaux (GB) (Cadeaux Genereux {GB}) at Flemington. CXHKIR cont. p2

FRANKIE GOES TO HOLLYWOOD

Weemissfrankie (Sunriver), who suffered her first career defeat to likely champion My Miss Aurelia (Smart Strike) in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies Nov. 4, looks to return to the win column in Saturday's GI Hollywood Starlet S., where she'll face just five of her fellow 2-year-old fillies. The New York-bred, whose late sire was a full brother to the multiple champion Ashado, won her first three career starts, including the GI Del Mar Debutante S. and GI Oak Leaf S., but couldn't quite keep pace in the Juvenile Fillies, finishing nine lengths adrift of the winner.



Weemissfrankie EquiSport

A victory Saturday would make her the first filly since Excellent Meeting in 1998 to sweep the Debutante, Oak Leaf and Starlet. Charm the Maker (Empire Maker) was spotting Weemissfrankie valuable experience in the Oak Leaf. Making just the second start of her career, the McAnally homebred was beaten a length into third in what was her two-turn debut at Santa Anita Oct. 2. She returned to the synthetic track for her latest, a 1 1/4-length tally from Killer Graces (Congaree) in the Nov. 13 Sharp Cat S. Garrett Gomez has been aboard for each of her three starts and has a return call this weekend. Hollywood Starlet field p5

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Top-Rated Cirrus des Aigles in Fine Fettle...

Cirrus des Aigles (Fr) (Even Top {Ire}) was perhaps past his peak when he finished seventh behind Snow Fairy at 45-1 from a high draw in last year's G1 Hong Kong Cup. The price will be much, much lower this time when the 5-year-old, the top-rated runner at the meeting according to the international rankings, takes his shot this year. The gelding will be making a remarkable 11th trip to the post in 2011 and has been nothing short of sensational, with five victories including a last-out upset of So You Think (NZ) (High Chaparral {Ire}) in the G1 Qipco Champions S.



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at Ascot Oct. 15. Even when he has been relegated to second, he has covered himself in glory, filling that spot when just a neck behind the great Goldikova (Ire) (Anabaa) in the G1 Prix d'Ispahan in May and missing by a similar margin to Sarafina (Fr) (Refuse to Bend {Ire}) in the G1 Grand Prix de Saint-Cloud in June. Whereas Cirrus des Aigles entered last year's Cup just two weeks after a midpack finish in the G1 Japan Cup, he is much better rested—and in dramatically better form—than he was in 2010 and will take a lot of beating Sunday. "It went easier than last year because we did not go to Japan this time," commented Jean-Jacques Poincelet, assistant to trainer Corinne Barande-Barbe. "The autumn in France was milder too [it was snowing over Paris early in December a year ago]." The fact that Cirrus des Aigles is race-fit translates into a pretty easy time of things leading up to Sunday's race. "He cantered a bit slower than yesterday on the all-weather, but over a longer distance with exercise rider Zoe Gargoulaud up," Poincelet continued. "We should get him to work on the turf with Fred Spanu on Friday. He has been riding him regularly going into the big races and we want them to reunite over the all-weather tomorrow before they actually work together. That being said, Cirrus does not need much work here as he's done what was required at home before flying over." **Cont. p3**



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CX Hong Kong International Races cont.

Last an Unfortunate Memory...

The home team will be well-represented in the Cup, with reigning Hong Kong Horse of the Year **Ambitious Dragon (NZ)** (Pins {Aus}) and **California Memory** (Highest Honor {Fr}) the leading chances. The latter has



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become a fan favorite locally, given his grey coat and penchant for barnstorming finishes. However, his last appearance, a fourth at odds-on in the G2 Jockey Club Cup Nov. 20, was full of trouble, as he could not find running room late and went down by 1 1/4 lengths. Trainer

Tony Cruz, who conditioned the immortal Silent Witness (Aus) (El Moxie), thinks he can do much better this weekend. "He's a very easy horse to train and he's done very well since that race," said the one-time leading jockey in Hong Kong. "He should be right this time. He'll be taken back as usual and we'll just have to hope the gaps come for him."

The 'Moore' the Merrier in the Mile...

For as many top horses that the legendary John Moore has trained, only the longshot 2008 G1 Hong Kong Sprint winner **Inspiration (Aus)** (Flying Spur {Aus}) has struck for the stable in the 'modern' era of the International Races. That has a reasonable



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chance to change this weekend when Moore sends out a trio of runners in the G1 Hong Kong Mile. **Xtension (Ire)** (Xaar {GB}) showed that he could compete at this level when he came from the back of the field to win the G1 Champions Mile over this course last

May, but is in search of his first win since. Just touched out of the victory by California Memory in the Sha Tin Trophy H. Oct. 30, he ran on well for fifth, beaten under a length, by his stable companion **Destined for Glory (Ire)** (Azamour {Ire}) in the G2 Jockey Club Mile Nov. 20. "Xtension has done everything right in all his lead-up races, even from the wide gate the other day--he has had a perfect preparation," Moore commented. "He has been at his peak for his last two races and I couldn't get him any fitter. From a good gate, he will be one of the horses to beat." Xtension won the G2 Vintage S. in 2009 and was fourth in the G1 English 2000 Guineas in 2010 for trainer Clive Cox.

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Moore also suggests that **Destined for Glory** is worth a longshot look this weekend, calling him the "dark horse" in the race.

"He has proved his ability to mix it at the very highest level, and given the same sort of run as when he won the Group 2 [Jockey Club Mile] the other day, you would have to say he has an each-way chance. He has a tendency to sweat up, which is typical of Azamour's, so we will have to see how he handles the day."

The third of the Moore brigade is the classy **Able One (NZ)** (Cape Cross {Ire}), runner-up to Good Ba Ba (Lear Fan) in the 2008 Mile and victorious in the 2010



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running of the Champions Mile. The 9-year-old was the wire-to-wire winner of the G2 Jockey Club Mile last year and was ante-post favorite for the big race, but was an 11th-hour scratch and has not had his picture taken since. "Given that he's allowed to dictate in front, he's always a danger when getting away with cheap sectionals and then finishing strong to the line," Moore warned.

He's not yet showing his age - he has very few miles on the clock and is very well at the moment."

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Rocket Man Readies for Sprint...

With jockey Barend Vorster in the irons, Singapore's **Rocket Man (Aus)** (Viscount {Aus}), a dual Group 1 winner this season, worked 800 meters on turf yesterday morning at Sha Tin, going the final 400 meters in a solid :23.1 ahead of Sunday's G1 Hong Kong Sprint. In his two most recent appearances in Singapore, the 6-year-old has taken to jumping shadows, and trainer Patrick Shaw had the gelding equipped with a shadow roll Wednesday. (HKJC photo)



Sacred Kingdom Making Fourth Sprint Appearance...

Sacred Kingdom (Aus) (Encosta de Lago), winner of the Sprint in 2007 and 2009 and a close third to J J the Jet Plane (SAf) (Jet Master {SAf}) and Rocket Man 12 months ago, makes his fourth appearance in the six-furlong affair and is showing few signs of slowing down despite being eight years old. Sixth to Rocket Man on that one's home turf in the G1 KrisFlyer International Sprint in May, Sacred Kingdom has just one start under his belt this season, a near-miss second to **Entrapment (Aus)** (Halo Homewrecker) when conceding that then-undefeated rival 12 pounds in the Sha Tin Sprint Trophy H. Oct. 1. "Sacred Kingdom is as good as I can get him," trainer Ricky Yiu offered. "I've been really happy with these last two weeks of preparation, and now it depends on how well he holds his condition. I've kept him fresh, he's a good horse and we will find out on Sunday if he's as good as he was. The race is like last year with similar competitors."



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Dettori Two-Timer Secures CXIJC....

With riding victories in the first and last of the four legs of the Cathay Pacific International Jockeys' Championship Wednesday night at Happy Valley, Frankie Dettori amassed a total of 30 points to win the event for the third time. Dettori got the evening off on a high note with a victory aboard Travel Guide (NZ) (Al Akbar {Aus}), but New Zealand's James McDonald



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edged to the front with a score astride the John Moore-trained Sunny More (Ire) (Daneshill Dancer {Ire}) to go along with his runner-up effort in the first race, which took McDonald to 18 points. Dettori drew even with six points via a second-place effort with Ambitious

Treasure (NZ) (O'Reilly {NZ}) in the third leg, setting the stage for an interesting final race. Named on the Tony Cruz runner Regency Winner (Ire) (One Cool Cat), the Italian put the 5-year-old to sleep near the back of the pack and produced him late, as his nearest rivals could not make any impact. "When it came to the last race, I had a lot of luck, and it worked out well in the end," Dettori commented. "I love coming here and riding in Hong Kong. Not bad for an old [man]!!" he grinned.

PREVIEWS

Saturday, Hollywood Park, post time: 7:37 p.m. EST

HOLLYWOOD STARLET S.-GI, \$402,000, 2yo, f, 1 1/16m (AWT)

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	Weemissfrankie	Sunriver	Bejarano	Eurton	120
2	Charm the Maker [Ⓚ]	Empire Maker	Gomez	McAnally	120
3	Lady Pecan	Concerto	Garcia	Baffert	120
4	Killer Graces	Congaree	Talamo	Hollendorfer	120
5	Mi Vida	Distorted Humor	Flores	Guillot	120
6	Self Preservation	Lion Heart	Rosario	Cecil	120

Saturday, Gulfstream Park, post time: 4:45 p.m. EST

SUGAR SWIRL S.-GIII, \$100,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	Pomeroy's Pistol	Pomeroy	Castellano	Tarrant	120
2	Pica Slew	Pico Central (Brz)	Contreras	Lynch	117
3	Roman Treasure [Ⓚ]	Roman Ruler	Bravo	Iwinski	114
4	Catch a Thief [Ⓚ]	Flatter	Lopez	Hills	117
5	Indulgence	Macho Uno	Leparoux	Wolfson	117
6	Strike the Moon	Malibu Moon	Prado	Trombetta	116
7	Moontune Missy [Ⓚ]	Forest Wildcat	Cruz	Harty	117
8	Third Chance	Kafwain	Santana	DiVito	116

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If all of us assume some responsibility maybe we can make a dent in the problem and take pressure off the retirement facilities. Seems to me like a good place for the HPBA and the state breeder organizations to take a leadership role.

The need to address the situation of after racing life for our horses is critical. If you haven't read the article that appeared in Fortune magazine recently you should. (Click here to read [Racing Industry Silent About Slaughtered Thoroughbreds](#)). But be forewarned, you won't feel like eating breakfast after you do.

Craig Bendoroff
Denali Stud

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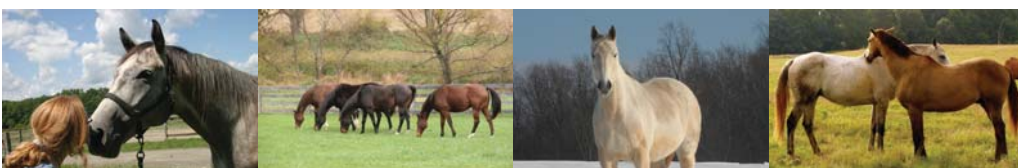
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CHRISTIE CALLS OFF TALKS IN NJ

The future of racing in New Jersey was thrown into the air this week after Gov. Chris Christie called off talks to allow for the private management of the state-owned Monmouth Park and The Meadowlands. The debate centers around a portion of Thoroughbred racing dates and who controls them. According to sources, an agreement was reached on June 21, 2011 that gave the New Jersey Thoroughbred Horsemen's Association control of the license that permits Thoroughbred racing at The Meadowlands. Last year, the license was used to conduct 21 additional days at Monmouth following the track's 50-day Elite Summer Meet.

The agreement was reached during a summit to arrange for the private takeover of Monmouth and The Meadowlands, a stated goal of a Christie administration that said it wanted New Jersey out of the racing business. Attending were representatives of Morris Bailey, the New York real estate developer who, under lease with the state, plans to hold 71-day meets at Monmouth for each of the next five years; and Jeff Gural, another real estate developer who plans to take over The Meadowlands and its beleaguered Standardbred operations.

But last Friday, representatives of the governor balked.

"We went to Monmouth to proceed with the lease signing for Gural and Bailey, and the governor's office informed us that they would not be honoring the June 21 agreement, and that we would not be getting the The Meadowlands Thoroughbred permit," said NJTHA President John Forbes. "They said it was because the [NJ Attorney General's] office was uncomfortable with the state racing commission transferring it to the horsemen. They said we had the rest of Friday through Monday to come up with a new deal that was satisfactory, or the governor was going to call off the deal and shut down racing." Christie pulled the plug on negotiations late Monday.

What happens next is a question mark. Thoroughbred horsemen, who "need the security that control of some racing days would provide," said Forbes, believe they signed the agreement in good faith and that it has legal standing. "We told them we would honor the agreement, and that we wanted it honored," said Forbes. The dispute now appears to be headed to court.

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RTIP PANELS EXAMINE TAKEOUT, VET ISSUES

By Nicole Mattei-Lincé

The hot topic of takeout opened Wednesday's Symposium panels with "Takeout: Then, Now and in the Future". Presented by Harness Tracks of America, panelists Steve May, Vice President and Business Manager of the Association of Racing Commissioners International; and Dr. Caroline Betts, an associate professor of economics at the University of Southern



May (left) and Betts

California, introduced what later turned out to be the theme of the day: the need for improved communication and a willingness to change the business model of American racing.

May and Dr. Betts attempted to answer the problematic question of whether there was an ideal takeout rate. Turns out, if there is one, we simply don't have the resources or necessary data to figure it out. While explaining the effects of altering takeout, May commented that the industry has been deciding current takeout rates based on a study done by Arthur Gruen in 1976.

"To cite studies from 1976 is just not good business practice," May stated. The industry needs player profile data in order to find the optimal rate; if it even exists. Unfortunately, this data is difficult to come by, although player rewards programs are becoming a useful resource. Dr. Betts also stressed the need for more controlled studies using actual horse players to evaluate how the revenue stream would shift from changing the takeout.

Veterinarians are also struggling with intra-industry communications and may seek to change their business model as well. The three veterinarian panel of "Veterinarian/Client Relationships: The Veterinarian's Dilemma" expressed concerns veterinarians often encounter as the middleman between owners and trainers. Dr. Scott Palmer, Hospital Director and Staff



Vet Panel

Surgeon at the New Jersey Equine Clinic, explained how medication and equine health practices are "not as open and transparent an environment as one would like."

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“Everything comes down to communication,” said Dr. Jeff Blea, co-managing partner of VonBluecher, Prida, and Blea, Inc. “That’s the crux of the problem; if the trainer’s not communicating to the owner, we’ve got to step in.” At the same time, veterinarians fear losing clients, which often dictates how much is said between owners, trainers, and veterinarians.

The solution? Work with stakeholders such as TOBA or the local HBPA to address their concerns and help define the expectations of all parties involved. One method suggested was the implementation of a joint contract between the owner, trainer, and veterinarian.

The innovative theme of Symposium was not lost though, as panels were held discussing the possibility of introducing new wagering products to the States, such as single-pool wagering. According to Ben Pinnick, co-founder and CEO of the U.K. based specialized gaming and financial services technical consulting company, i-neda, “changes can be made in existing totes, without changing the whole system.”



Ben Pinnick

Wednesday’s final panel “Touting New Developments in the Tote” also touched on expanding wagering options for customers.

JOCKEYS’ GUILD RESPONDS TO CDI LETTER

In an attempt to resolve an ongoing dispute with Churchill Downs and in response to a letter circulated Tuesday by the parent company of Churchill Downs, Calder, Arlington Park and the Fair Grounds, Terry Meyocks, national manager of The Jockeys’ Guild, vowed to meet “any time and any place” about “any concerns they have.” The dispute stems from the apparent unwillingness of CDI to renew with the organization when their current agreement expired at the end of this month. CDI’s contribution to the Guild amounted to \$330,000 this year, money which is used to provides a variety of benefits to its members, including temporary disability, accidental death and dismemberment insurance and life insurance. Meyocks said the Guild is willing to take unusual steps towards acting in good faith. “If CDI is serious about wanting to talk, I will immediately recommend to the Jockeys’ Guild board of directors that we open our books to an independent financial audit to show exactly how our money is spent and where it comes from,” he said. “The Guild believes in total transparency. At the same time, we’d like to know where CDI has spent the \$2.4 million per year it claims to spend on safety issues.” The Guild claims it has paid out more than \$4.1 million in benefits since 2007. According to Guild statistics from 2010, approximately one in five jockeys was injured badly enough that he or she was unable to ride, at least temporarily.

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GRADED PURSES AT BIG A TO JUMP 44%

Thirteen graded races worth \$3.75 million, highlighted by a pair of Grade I events on Wood Memorial Day Saturday Apr. 7, anchor the New York Racing Association's upcoming Winter/Spring Meet at Aqueduct. That represents a 44% jump in graded purses from 2011, when 11 graded events were held. The 79-day meet begins on New Year's Day. The purse increase is due to the opening of slot facilities at Genting's Resorts World Casino New York City at Aqueduct. During the first year of the casino's operations, 6.5% of the revenue from the Video Lottery Terminals must go to NYRA's purse structure.

The \$1 million GI Resorts World Casino NYC Wood Memorial S. for 3-year-olds once again is the centerpiece of the meet, with the Apr. 7 card also including the \$400,000 GI Carter H. for sprinters aged three and up, the \$250,000 GIII Bay Shore S. for 3-year-olds, and the GIII Comely S. for 3-year-old fillies.

The stakes schedule also sees the return of two graded events after a one-year hiatus. The \$200,000 GIII Withers S., for 3-year-olds, will be run Saturday, Feb. 4, while the \$200,000 GII Top Flight S. for fillies and mares will be contested Saturday, Mar. 3. The former, which was typically run later in the calendar, will now serve as a prep for the \$400,000 GIII Gotham S. Mar. 3.

Aqueduct's slate of graded stakes also includes the \$150,000 GIII Cicada S. Mar. 10; the \$150,000 GIII Excelsior H. Mar. 17; the \$200,000 GII Distaff H. Apr. 14; and the \$200,000 GII Jerome S. Apr. 21. In addition, the Big A will offer 16 listed and New York-bred stakes, beginning New Year's Day with the \$75,000 Interborough S. and the \$75,000 Ladies H.

"We are very excited to announce this enhanced Aqueduct winter stakes schedule," said NYRA Vice President and Director of Racing P.J. Campo. "Placing the Withers in early February on a card also featuring the Toboggan and Correction creates another marquee day of racing during the meet. Additionally, with the Gotham's purse increased to \$400,000 to go along with the addition of the Withers, our 3-year-old stakes program is on par with any track in the country. We are hopeful that our horsemen will respond positively to the new stakes schedule and believe it will generate a lot of interest for our fans." The stakes schedule, approved by the NYRA Board of Directors, now awaits approval from the New York State Racing and Wagering Board.

NEW YORK



Yesterday's Results:

EAST VIEW S., \$65,000, AQU, 12-7, (S), 2yo, f, 1m70y, 1:45 4/5, sy.

1--**#DOUBLE MINT, 116, f, 2, Eltish--Darby Haven {SP, \$175,458}**, by Grace of Darby. O-Team West Side Stables & Annie Zabar; B-Team West Side Stables (NY); T-Dominic G Galluscio; J-Charles C Lopez; \$39,000. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, \$53,200.

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2--**Motion Lounge, 116, f, 2, Rockport Harbor--Purely Surprized**, by Pure Prize. (\$18,000 yrl '10 KEEJAN; \$93,000 yrl '10 KEESEP). O-Brooklyn Boyz Stables. \$13,000.

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3--**Cute Cadet, 116, f, 2, Officer--Azucaa**, by Future Storm. O-El Coqui Stable. \$6,500. Margins: 10 3/4, NK, 3 1/4. Odds: 13.30, 2.40, 7.80.

Double Mint, sixth in her debut sprinting against maiden \$35,000 state-breds at Saratoga Aug. 29, showed her appreciation for the slop when winning in \$25,000 company at Belmont Oct. 19. Asked to go a route of ground this time, the chestnut assumed a narrow advantage early, but was soon headed by a very eager Berning Carbs (Bernardini). Back in front after a half in :49.19, Double Mint was clear turning for home and turned on all boosters late to score by an eye-catching 10 3/4-length margin. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or a [video replay](#).**

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TODAY'S INSIGHTS

2:32p HRTV 5th-GP, \$51K, Msw, 2yo, 6f
TOWERING (Discreet Cat) seeks to become the 16th winner for his hot freshman sire GISW Discreet Cat as he makes his first trip to post. Sporting five bullet works for trainer Joseph Cantanese, Towering looks to follow in the footsteps of another son of the Darley sire, ☆ **"TDN Rising Star"** ☆ Discreet Dancer, who smashed the track record at 5 1/2 furlongs in his debut at Gulfstream Park Dec. 3. Towering will be joined in the gate by **Ecabroni (Smoke Glacken)**, a Todd Pletcher-trainee; and **One Sock Down (Dehere)** who's been working well towards his debut for trainer Edward Coletti.
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PANDERA S., \$58,800, AQU, 12-7, 2yo, f, 6f, 1:11 3/5, sy.

1--**#DANCE TO BRISTOL, 120, f, 2, Speightstown--Dance to Dawn, by Louis Quatorze.** (\$42,000 2yo '11 FTMMAY). O-Susan H Wantz; B-Mr & Mrs David Garner (KY); T-Ollie L Figgins III; J-Elias Peltroche; \$36,000. Lifetime Record: 5-2-3-0, \$74,600.
 * 1/2 to Sahara Heat (A.P. Indy), GSW, \$170,858.

2--**Well Kept, 122, f, 2, Henny Hughes--Alinechka, by Danzig.** (\$15,000 yrl '10 KEESEP; \$70,000 RNA wlng '09 KEENOV; \$95,000 RNA 2yo '11 OBSMAR). O-Treadway Racing Stable. \$12,000.

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3--**Defy Gravity, 122, f, 2, Bandini--Quickest, by Forest Wildcat.** (\$2,500 wlng '09 KEENOV; \$19,000 yrl '10 FTMOCT). O-Roland Reeley. \$6,000.

Margins: NO, 7 3/4, 6. Odds: 5.00, 0.55, 4.00.

Dance to Bristol, runner up in her first two starts, broke through in style, winning a 5 1/2-furlong test in the slop at Laurel Oct. 29. Moved up to stakes company for her latest, she was a close-up second in Laurel's Smart Halo S. Nov. 19. Moderately backed to remain undefeated on a wet track, the chestnut press an honest early pace set by Well Kept, was near even terms with her rival while hugging the rail in the stretch and got her nose down right at the right time to eke out the victory. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [video, replay.](#)

4th-AQU, \$49,000, Msw, 2yo, f, 6f, 1:12 4/5, sy.
 + **BETTER LUCKY (f, 2, Ghostzapper--Sahara Gold {GSW, \$248,742}, by Seeking the Gold)**, sent off the longest shot on the board at 6-1, settled near the back of the short five-horse field through the opening quarter in :23.03. Improving her position to third after a half, the bay swung out for the stretch drive and wore down Kaleidoscope (Elusive Quality) midstretch before drawing off to graduate by 4 1/4 lengths. She is a half to Sahara Heat (A.P. Indy), GSW, \$170,858. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [video replay.](#) Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$30,000.
 O/B-Darley Stable (KY). T-Thomas Albertrani.

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EASTERN U.S.

Yesterday's Results:

7th-TAM, \$30,000, Alw, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10, ft.
IT'S ME MOM (f, 3, Put It Back--She Too, by Stormy Atlantic), winner of the Presque Isle Debutante at two, added a pair of scores over the Presque Isle synthetic earlier this spring, including the May 17 Inaugural S. Given some time off following a lackluster eighth in the Satin N Lace S. over that oval June 21, she returned to the dirt to take her latest by a nose in Suffolk's R M O'Malley S. Oct. 22. Sent off the even-money choice this time, It's Me Mom jumped out to take a comfortable lead, extended her advantage throughout and was 8 1/4-lengths clear of Promised Mandate (Full Mandate) at the wire. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [video replay.](#) Lifetime Record: MSW, 12-7-2-1, \$305,200.
 O/B-Thomas & Jean M Bosch (FL). T-Lynne M Scafe.



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CENTRAL U.S.

Yesterday's Results:

4th-FGX, \$43,000, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000), NW2X, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10 2/5, ft.

CORNIPIPER (c, 3, Indian Charlie--Tamboorens-shampan, by Deerhound), a winner two back going 5 1/2 panels at Delaware Sept. 26, tired to fourth most recently in a muddy edition of the Jimmy V S. at Churchill Downs Nov. 4. Sent off the 4-5 choice, the bay pressed the opening pace, moved to the head of affairs in the final furlong and outgunned Moonlark (Gone West) late to eke out a half-length win. Sales history: \$60,000 HRA '11 FTHRS. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#). [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made](#).**

Lifetime Record: 6-3-1-0, \$99,846.

O-Scott & Evan Dilworth. B-Heiligbrodt Racing Stable (KY). T-Steven M Asmussen.

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CALIFORNIA

Yesterday's Results:

COOL AIR S., \$66,640, HOL, 12-7, (R), 3yo/up, f/m, 6fT, 1:09 2/5, fm.

1--BRIECAT, 124, m, 6, Adcat--Silk Briefcase, by Marlin. O-Holly & DavidWilson; B-Ocala Oaks Inc & Don R Graham (FL); T-Vladimir Cerin; J-Victor Espinoza; \$38,040. Lifetime Record: MGSW & GISP, 30-10-4-0, \$627,981.

2--Givine (Fr), 120, f, 4, Blackdown (Fr)--Viguerie (Fr), by Double Bed (Fr). O-Marsha Naify. \$12,680.

3--A Jealous Woman, 118, m, 5, Muqtarib--Miss Free Bird, by Fly So Free. O-Three Cent Stable. \$9,768. Margins: NO, 1 1/4, 1 1/4. Odds: 6.70, 1.10, 7.10.

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Winner of the GII Las Palmas H. over this turf course and the Treasure Chest S. over the Delta main track in 2010, Briecat was fifth in the Sunshine Millions Distaff Jan. 29 before finishing runner-up in the GII Buena Vista H. at Santa Anita Feb. 21. Sidelined off a fourth as the chalk in the restricted Santa Lucia S. in Arcadia Mar. 27, the chestnut was resuming over a distance she'd never tried before on the turf and proved game in the finish. Midpack and fifth for the run to the far turn, Briecat was angled off the inside and was right off the leaders' heels turning for home. Victor Espinoza had a chance to go widest for the drive, but instead chose to split rivals and Briecat won a tooth-and-nails battle to the wire.

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TIME IS RUNNING OUT ON INCENTIVES

Two major investment incentives are set to expire at the end of the year. These incentives offer tremendous opportunities for those in the market for horses, equipment or other farm additions.

100% Bonus Depreciation - write off the entire cost of new qualified depreciable property if the property is put in service before 1/1/2012. Property is new if its original use commences with the taxpayer. Examples of new property include new tractors/farm equipment, yearlings and barns.

\$500,000 Expense Allowance - write off the cost of new or used qualified depreciable property, up to \$500,000, if the property is put in service before 1/1/2012. This year it is more applicable to used property since 100% bonus depreciation covers new property. An example of used property is a broodmare (pregnant or barren) because her original use was for racing. The buyer of a pregnant mare simply puts her in service upon purchase; the buyer of a barren mare must prepare her in 2011 to be bred in 2012.

To take advantage of either incentive, the taxpayer must purchase the qualified property and place it in service prior to 1/1/2012.

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1st-HOL, \$56,350, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$80,000), C, 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:35, fm.

1--EL GATO MALO, 120, g, 6, El Corredor--One Bad Cat, by Mountain Cat. (\$95,000 yrl '06 FTKOCT; \$130,000 RNA yrl '06 KEESEP; \$95,000 RNA 2yo '07 OBSMAR). O-West Point Thoroughbreds; B-Kenneth C Roberts (KY); T-Craig Dollase. Lifetime Record: MGSW, 21-7-3-4, \$638,466.

AMERICA'S BEST SELLERS...TAYLOR MADE

2--Sandor (GB), 120, g, 5, Fantastic Light--Crystal Star (GB), by Mark of Esteem (Ire). (26,000gns yrl '07 TATOCT).

3--Posse Power, 120, c, 4, Posse--Stellarina, by Pleasant Colony.

Margins: 2 1/4, NO, 1. Odds: 1.60, 3.70, 11.20.

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**1st-HOL, cont.**

El Gato Malo, winner of the Gill San Rafael S. and Gill Lone Star Derby at three, added a score in Golden Gate's McCann Mojave S. the following season. Runner up in his sole start at five in the Dallas Turf Cup H., the dark bay hit the board in his first three starts this term, including the most recent in the one-mile Windy Sands S. at Del Mar Sept. 3 followed by the nine-furlong R M Hinds H. on the Fairplex dirt Sept. 25. Dropped back in trip and to the sod for the Oct. 10 Gill Morvich S., he was eighth, beaten only 4 3/4 lengths. Third in the 7 1/2-panel restricted Yo Eleven S. on the CushionTrack here Nov. 11, the gelding went off the 8-5 choice to get back on track here. Settled just off a modest early pace, El Gato Malo continued to press the issue down the backstretch. Ready to move approaching the stretch, he took over and drew off to post the easy victory. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or a [video replay](#).**

Morning Line Joins Shirreffs:

Morning Line (Tiznow), winner of this year's GI Carter H., has been transferred to the California barn of trainer John Shirreffs. The 4-year-old reportedly had bone chips removed from both knees following an unplaced effort in the GI Whitney H. at Saratoga this summer. A \$700,000 Keeneland September yearling purchase previously trained by Nick Zito, Morning Line won the 2010 GII Pennsylvania Derby and was nipped at the wire in the GI Breeders' Cup Dirt Mile. He will enter stud at William S. Farish's Lane's End Farm upon completion of his racing career.

**AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS****IN BRITAIN:**

Sketchy Evidence, c, 3, **Officer**. See "Breeders' Edition, Europe."

**First-crop starters to watch: Thursday, December 8**

*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

5-HOL, Msw, 6fT, Cajun Market

5-HOL, Msw, 6fT, Spring Bloom

DISCREET CAT (Forestry), Darley, \$30K, 118/16/0

5-GP, Msw, 6f, +Towering, 8-1

7-FG, Msw, 5 1/2fT, +Cat Lore, \$45K RNA OBS MAR 2yo, 3-1

HARD SPUN (Danzig), Darley, \$50K, 143/24/3

8-FG, Aoc, 1m, Hard Nosed, \$70K RNA FTF FEB 2yo, 8-1

7-FG, Msw, 5 1/2fT, +Spun Lake, \$45K KEE SEP yrl, 8-1

LATENT HEAT (Maria's Mon), Woods Edge, \$15K, 96/11/1

7-FG, Msw, 5 1/2fT, +Hidden Heat, \$37K OBS OPN 2yo, 6-1

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

2-AQU, Msw, 6f, A. P. Hutchy, \$38K RNA OBS OPN 2yo, 12-1

SEEKING THE BEST (IRE) (Seeking the Gold), Hill N Dale, \$8K, 46/3/0

8-LRL, Aoc, 5 1/2f, Island Memories, 20-1

First/Second-crop starters to watch: Thurs., December 8

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

ARAGORN (IRE) (Giant's Causeway), Lane's End, \$30K, 142/47/1

7-HOL, Stk, 1mT, Anniversary Girl, \$19K RNA KEE SEP yrl

BEST MINISTER (Deputy Minister), Getaway Thoroughbred Farm, \$7K, 50/1/0

5-HOL, Msw, 6fT, +Wild to Win

UNBRIDLED ENERGY (Unbridled's Song), Crestwood Farm, \$10K, 129/44/1

8-RP, Stk, 5 1/2f, It's My Party, \$90K F '10 KEE NOV, 12-1

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INDUSTRY INFO**KEEP To Hold Online Stallion Season Auction:**

The Kentucky Equine Education Project (KEEP) announced yesterday it is holding an online stallion season auction beginning Friday, Dec. 16 at 12:01 a.m. EST, and running through Thursday, Dec. 22. at 12:00 p.m. EST. Proceeds will go to KEEP, which promotes Kentucky horse racing and lobbies for the state's signature industry. Thus far, Winstar Farm, Airdrie, Ashford, Spendthrift, Vinery, Richland Hills, Darby Dan, Three Chimneys, Millennium, Runnymede and Hill 'n' Dale have contributed seasons, and additional seasons are expected to be added right up to the beginning of the auction. All seasons are offered as "live foal guaranteed to seven days" seasons. KEEP, which has pushed for expanded gaming in Kentucky, helped establish the Kentucky Breeders Incentive Fund, which has returned more than \$75 million to the horse industry. It has also worked to add the equine industry to the Kentucky Proud Program, making local horse farmers eligible for various benefits and financial grants. KEEP Chairman and Kentucky Downs President Corey Johnsen urged horsemen to support the cause. "I understand first hand the importance of KEEP, as Kentucky Downs opened Sept. 1 with Instant Racing," he explained. "Instant Racing would not have happened without the efforts of KEEP and its work with other leaders in our industry, and I believe that Instant Racing will contribute more than \$4 million to purses and Breeders Incentives in 2012." He continued, "While we have had many successes, we still have work to do. Kentucky's horse industry must be put on a level competitive playing field with our surrounding states. Therefore, the work of KEEP is more important than ever. We appreciate that so many farms have stepped up to make a contribution and help fund the organization." For more information, visit www.horseswork.com.



Industry Info cont.

Belfiore Named Director of Communications for NYTHA:

Andy Belfiore, whose experience in the Thoroughbred industry range from hotwalker to leading journalist, has been named the director of communications for the New York Thoroughbred Horsemen's Association, it was announced yesterday. A native of Massachusetts, Belfiore began her career on the backstretch at Belmont Park before joining current NYTHA president Rick Violette Jr. as an assistant trainer. After spending five years in the communications and marketing departments at NYRA, she assumed the role of editor of chief with this publication, which she served with distinction for 18 years. "With her knowledge of both the frontside and the backside and the talents she displayed at the *Thoroughbred Daily News*, Andy is a natural fit for a significant need at NYTHA," Violette commented. Added Belfiore, "I am very excited about being given this opportunity to work with New York's horsemen during what is a pivotal moment in the history of New York racing. NYTHA has done great work as the voice of its membership and I look forward to using my unique experience from both the backstretch and the frontside to help further the efforts of the organization."

Broadbent, McClain, Rubinstein Appointed to EMC:

Edited Press Release

Richard F. "Happy" Broadbent IV, a vice president of Churchill Downs Incorporated (CDI), Ellen McClain, executive vice president and chief operating officer with the New York Racing Association, and Josh Rubinstein, vice president for development with Del Mar Thoroughbred Club, have been appointed by the Thoroughbred Racing Associations of North America (TRA) to the Equibase Management Committee, it was announced today by Nick Nicholson, chairman of Equibase. Broadbent replaces Bill Mudd, who served two years as a member of the committee. McClain replaces Hal Handel, who served two terms as a member, while Rubinstein replaces Craig Fravel, who served as a member since 1996 before being named president of Breeders' Cup Ltd. earlier this year. Other members of the committee are Peter Berube, Christopher McErlean, and Mike Rogers representing the TRA; and Sherwood Chillingworth, C. Steven Duncker, James L. Gagliano, Ian D. Highet, Nick Nicholson and Ogden Mills Phipps representing The Jockey Club. "Bill was very active during his time on the committee, we are deeply indebted to Hal for his dedication and service to Equibase for two different terms," said Nicholson, "and we were extremely fortunate to have had the benefit of Craig's leadership over the past 15 years. Like Bill, Hal and Craig," Nicholson continued, "Happy, Ellen and Josh possess the business acumen, diverse skill sets and a passion that will benefit Equibase and the racing industry in the years ahead."

Lakow Named TRF Chief Executive:

Mike Lakow, a former executive with the New York Racing Association and manager of administrative operations for Hill 'n' Dale Farm from 2005 through 2010, has been named the chief executive officer of the Thoroughbred Retirement Association. "I am looking forward to putting all of my experience in the racing and breeding industry to work on behalf of the horses, and I would like to thank the TRF board for putting their trust in me," Lakow said in a press release. "I have long admired TRF's innovative programs and their mission as a lifetime retirement home for retired racehorses. One of my goals will be to substantially expand TRF's prison-based farms." Lakow will be based at the TRF's offices in Saratoga Springs. Departing CEO Rob Hinkle has been elected to the TRF board.

FRANCE



Yesterday's Results:

PRIX LYPHARD-Listed, €52,000, Deauville, 12-7, 3yo/up, 1 3/16m (AWT), 1:59.00, stn.

1--**#VODKATO (FR), 123, g, 3, Russian Blue (Ire)--Perfidie (Ire), by Monsun (Ger)**. (€57,000 yrl '09 ARQAUG; €195,000 RNA HIT '11 ARQNOV). O-Deauville Racing Club SAS; B-Haras d'Etreham & Vision Bloodstock Ltd; T-Stephane Wattel; J-Thierry Thulliez; €26,000. Lifetime Record: 8 starts, 3 wins, 3 places, €82,260.

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2--**Polytechnicien**, 131, h, 5, Royal Academy--Golden Party, by Seeking the Gold. O/B-Wertheimer & Frere; T-Andre Fabre; €10,400.

3--**Persiste et Signe (Fr)**, 125, g, 4, With Approval--Mahima (Fr), by Linamix (Fr). (€50,000 yrl '08 ARQAUG; €80,000 RNA HIT '10 ARQNOV). O-Ecurie Kazak; B-Elevage Haras de Bourgeauville; T-Nicolas Clement; €7,800.

Margins: 2HF, 1 1/4, NK. Odds: 6.10, 2.00, 15.00. Also Ran: Cherry Linx (Ire), Nicea (Ger), Ideology (GB), Divine Music (Ire), Belle Masquee (Ire), Plantagenet (Spa), Don't Hurry Me (Ire). Also Ran (not classified): Mont Pelato, Garmerita (Fr), Garde Slickly (Fr), Le Roi Mage (Ire), Lumpaz (Fr), Glentire (Ger).

Vodkato took four starts to get off the mark, but, after his maiden win over nine furlongs at Chantilly June 15, kept on improving. He was most recently second in the Listed Prix le Fabuleux over that trip at Maisons-Laffitte Oct. 8. Racing wide towards the rear early, the bay swooped on the long-time leader Persiste et Signe approaching the furlong pole, and was quickly beyond recall as Polytechnicien appeared on the scene.



ITALY



Thursday, Siracusa, post time: 4:55 p.m.

CRITERIUM DEL MEDITERRANEO-Listed, €42,840, 2yo, c/g, 1mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER
1	7	Agapunthus (Ity)	Daggers Drawn	Rispoli	S Botti
2	1	Call Kheley (Ire)	Kheleyf	Gentilesca	Impelluso
3	6	Coin De Mire (GB)	Amadeus Wolf (GB)	Pasquale	Bordonaro
4	3	Dr Planet (Ire)	Dr Fong	Cannarella	Caruso
5	5	Gold Symphony	Touch Gold	Guerrieri	Postiglione
6	4	Masterel (Ity)	Masterful	C Demuro	S Botti
7	2	Super Ruben (GB)	Motivator (GB)	Bietolini	Cannavo

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ASIA



Yesterday's Results:

QUEEN SHO-Listed, ¥42,500,000, 12-7, Funabashi, 3yo/up, f/m, 1800m, 1:53.20, sy.

1--**#CLAVE SECRETA (JPN)**, 119, f, 3, **Wild Rush--**

Secret Room (Jpn), by Taiki Shuttle. O-Sunday Racing; B-Northern Farm (JPN); T-Masayuki Kawashima; J-K Tosaki; ¥25,000,000. Lifetime Record: 15-10-0-0, ¥182,250,000.

2--**Precious Gems (Jpn)**, 117, f, 4, Symboli Kris S--
Precious Cat, by Storm Cat. O-Hidaka Breeders Union.

3--**Colorful Days (Jpn)**, 119, f, 3, Fuji Kiseki (Jpn)--Ivory
Color (Jpn), by Kurofune. O-Sunday Racing.

Margins: HF, 2, HF. Odds: 1.50, 8.20, 5.80.

SOUTH AFRICA



NATIONAL STUD, CHILDWICK TRUST, SUMMERHILL STUD PARTNERING FOR STUDENT PROGRAM

Edited press release

Britain's National Stud and The Childwick Trust have announced a partnership with Mick Goss's Summerhill Stud, home to the Al Maktoum School of Management Excellence. The three organisations have arranged for for one School of Excellence graduate to have a fully funded place on the internationally renowned 'Diploma in Stud Practice and Management' run annually at The National Stud. The scholarship will provide the graduate from the School of Excellence with the opportunity to further their career by experiencing a Northern Hemisphere season, attaining internationally renowned qualifications and managerial skills at the heart of the British Thoroughbred breeding industry.

The Diploma in Stud Practice and Management is recognised globally, with 24 students a year experiencing a combination of practical Thoroughbred stud work with seminars and academic lectures during the five month residential course starting in January 2012. The Childwick Trust will fund a scholarship covering the costs of the successful applicant attending the Diploma program. A number of the school's students come from disadvantaged communities from all over South Africa, and training at the School of Excellence was established to improve young people's opportunities and skills within the Thoroughbred breeding industry. Brian O'Rourke, managing director at The National Stud, explained, "We're delighted to be working with the School of Excellence and Summerhill Stud to offer a successful graduate the opportunity to study with us here at The National Stud in Newmarket. We hope that the scholarship sets precedence for future opportunities with other countries and similar education initiatives in the years to come." Summerhill's Mick Goss added, "We believe the overseas placement will develop a management-focused role and fast-track our graduate into a world they might never have accessed without the scholarship, with the hope that they bring their experiences back to fellow students at home." Anthony Cane, Trustee of the Childwick Trust, commented: "Horseracing has an incredibly rich heritage in Britain and we wanted to be part of bringing this learning experience to a South African graduate for the first time. We've been active in South Africa since the establishment of The Jim Joel Education and Training Fund in Johannesburg during the late 1980s, and we look forward to working with The National Stud, to bring the education excellence of the Northern and Southern Hemispheres together. We appreciate that it is not the language you speak with horses, instead the skills you need are universal and the most important attribute is passion, something that we're sure the chosen graduate will bring in abundance."

SOUTH AMERICA



BADGE OF SILVER SHUTTLE TO PERU

Airdrie Stud has confirmed that **Badge of Silver** (Silver Deputy--Silveroo, by Silver Hawk) will shuttle to Alfredo Galdos' Haras Los Azahares in Peru for the 2012 Southern Hemisphere season. The 11-year-old will stand the upcoming breeding season for \$6,000. From his first two crops, Badge of Silver has sired Silver Medallion, a multiple graded winner on these shores, as well as recent Peruvian Classic hero Fly Lexis Fly, who is expected to target the 2012 GI Kentucky Derby.



BREEDERS' EDITION AMERICA

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

9th-AQU, \$43,000, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, 1m70y,
1:44 1/5, sy.

ARTIE LUVSTO PARTY (g, 3, [Artie Schiller](#)--Golden Park, by Touch Gold) Lifetime Record: 13-2-1-2, \$86,843. O-Donald Newman. B-Breed of Characters, LLC (NY). T-Thomas M Bush. *\$70,000 yrl '09 FTNAUG.

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3rd-FGX, \$41,440, NW1X, 3yo/up, a5 1/2fT, 1:04 3/5, gd.

HARVEST HOME (g, 6, [Smart Strike](#)--Quiet Cheer {MSW, \$242,031}, by No Louder) Lifetime Record: 18-3-1-5, \$122,578. O/T-Louie J Roussel III. B-Sam-Son Farm (ON). *1/2 to Mountain Beacon (Mt. Livermore), SP, \$153,267; full to Burst Of Fire, GSP, \$299,642; and Smart Roar, SW, \$120,925.

7th-SUN, \$35,000, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000), NW26MX, 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:04 1/5, ft.

SQUIGGLE (f, 3, [Pioneering](#)--Impertinent Music, by Stop the Music) Lifetime Record: MSP, 12-5-5-0, \$127,910. O-David Wolochuk. B-George W Brown (KY). T-David Wolochuk. *\$13,000 2yo 2010 OBSJUN.

8th-HAW, \$35,000, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10 1/5, ft.

HINKSON CREEK (g, 3, [Pioneering](#)--Little Mo {MSP, \$291,412}, by Little Missouri) Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-0, \$35,530. O/T-Steve Manley. B-Greg Michalson (IL).

9th-SUN, \$34,000, 12-6, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:11 2/5, ft.

REAL FLAXY (g, 3, [Premeditation](#)--Conceal the Deal, by Devil His Due) Lifetime Record: 15-4-1-1, \$60,270. O/B-John Pinkerton (NM). T-Henry Dominguez.

2nd-TAM, \$21,400, Opt. Clm. (\$32,000), NW2X, 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:17 2/5, ft.

TAYLORS IRISH (m, 5, [Drewman](#)--Brandon's Ride, by Mister Frisky) Lifetime Record: 36-5-12-4, \$142,977. O-Michael Newman. B-Diane D Cotter (FL). T-Charles R Harvatt. \$27,000 2yo 2008 OBSAPR. *1/2 to Bushmills Best (Concerto), SW, \$137,279; Toby's Corner (Bellamy Road), GISW, \$722,240.

The **brisnet.com** 'Race of the Day' is the
6th Race, \$37,000 Allowance, at Hawthorne.
For pps and a complete race analysis, click [here](#).

8th-TAM, \$17,200, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT,
1:37 3/5, fm.

BUTTERDISH (f, 4, [Pioneering](#)--Cynical Princess, by Badger Land) Lifetime Record: 21-4-2-1, \$54,393. O-Blue Top Holding Stables. B-George W Brown MD (KY). T-Jorge Navarro. *\$9,000 2yo '09 OBSJUN.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

My Kinda Pretty, f, 2, [Abajo](#)--A Real Chimes, by Chimes Band. SUN, 12-6, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:06 2/5. B-Pierre & Leslie Amestoy (NM). *\$1,700 RNA yrl '10 RUIAUG. **SP.

Little Kick, c, 2, [Artie Schiller](#)--Starcrossed Affair, by Black Tie Affair (Ire). HAW, 12-7, 6f, 1:10 2/5. B-Nick Bentley (KY). *\$5,500 yrl '10 FTKOCT.

Exotic Slew, g, 2, [Bertrando](#)--Exotic Wishes, by A.P. Indy. HOL, 12-7, (S), 6fT, 1:09 4/5. B-Pam & Martin Wygod (CA). *\$22,000 yrl '10 BESOCT.

BREEDERS' EDITION EUROPE

CONDITIONS RESULTS:

FRANCE, Deauville, 14.05, €29,000, 3yo, 6 1/2f (AWT), 1:19.70, stn.

MIL AZUL (SPA) (c, 3, [Russian Blue {Ire}](#)--Cuittled, by Charismatic) Lifetime Record: 13 starts, 5 wins, 7 places, €74,950. O-Marquise de Villatoya; B-Cuadra San Marcos; T-J L de Salas Molto.

FRANCE, Marseille Pont-de-Vivieux, 19.40, 12-6, €19,000, 3yo/up, 7 1/2f (AWT), 1:27.47, stn.

RIDGE CITY (IRE) (c, 4, [Elusive City](#)--Absolutely Cool {Ire}, by Indian Ridge {Ire}) Lifetime Record: SP-Fr, 22 starts, 4 wins, 16 places, €103,650. O-Antoine Capozzi, Henry Blanc & SARL Winning Bloodstock Agency; B-I O'Shaughnessy; T-P Khozian. *€18,000 yrl '08 TATIRE.

MAIDEN WINNERS:

+ **Al Malek (Fr), c, 2, [Anabaa](#)--Rouge (Fr), by Red Ransom. Deauville, France, 12-7, Mdn, 2yo, 6 1/2f (AWT). B-Haras du Quesnay. *€60,000 RNA yrl '10 ARQAUG.**

Alexandre d'Or (Fr), c, 2, [Gold Away \(Ire\)](#)--Reine Annicka (Fr), by Lord of Men (GB). Deauville, France, 12-7, Mdn, 2yo, 6 1/2f (AWT). B-Aubry-Dumand Elevage.

Quizzed (GB), f, 2, [Oratorio \(Ire\)](#)--Tree Peony (GB), by Woodman. Kempton Park, Britain, 12-7, Mdn, 2yo, 1 1/4m (AWT). B-Hascombe and Valiant Studs. *22,000gns yrl '10 TATOCT; 32,000gns HIT '11 TATAUT. **1/2 to Primevere (Ire) (Singspiel {Ire}), SW-GB.

Telstar (Ger), c, 2, [Speedmaster \(Ger\)](#)--Thiara (Ger), by Kornado (GB). Deauville, France, 12-7, Mdn, 2yo, c/g, 1 3/16m (AWT). B-Gestut Schattauer & Stall Granum.



Birthday Sun (Ger), f, 3, **Areion (Ger)**--Boucheron (Ger), by Turfkonig (Ger). Deauville, France, 12-7, Cond, 3yo, f, 7 1/2f (AWT). B-M Haller. *€12,000 RNA yrl '10 BBAOCT. *Full to Birthday Lion (Ger), SW-Ger.

Gammarrh (Fr), c, 3, **Layman**--Emouna Queen (Ire), by Indian Ridge (Ire). Deauville, France, 12-7, Cond, 3yo, c/g, 7 1/2f (AWT). B-M T Mimouni.

Sketchy Evidence, c, 3, **Officer**--Drawing a Blank, by El Prado (Ire). Kempton Park, Britain, 12-7, Mdn, 3yo/up, 6f (AWT). B-Stoneway Farm. *\$9,000 wnlg '08 KEENOV; £30,000 yrl '09 DONAUG.

Calypso Cay (GB), g, 3, **Tiger Hill (Ire)**--Tessa Reef (Ire) (MSW-Fr), by Mark of Esteem (Ire). Lingfield, Britain, 12-7, Mdn, 3-5yo, 1 1/4m (AWT). B-Darley.

 **EUROPEAN-SIRED WINNERS**

IN AUSTRALASIA:

Sweet Music (Aus), g, 3, **Choisir (Aus)**--Blue Music (Aus), by Bluebird. Moonee Valley (Melbourne), 12-2, Hcp, 3yo, 4f 170ydsT. B-Lindsay Park Stud Pty Ltd & S B & M S Millar.

Xanadu (NZ), f, 3, **Elusive City**--Forest Dream (Aus), by Forest Glow. Ellerslie (Auckland), 12-3, Hcp, 3yo, 1mT. B-Little Avondale Trust.

Her Diamond Rock (Aus), f, 3, **Fastnet Rock (Aus)**--Snow Hero (Aus), by True Hero. Caulfield (Melbourne), 12-3, Hcp, 3yo, f, 7fT. B-Mr B Grayling & Mr Neil Shaw.

Affirmative (NZ), f, 4, **Cape Cross (Ire)**--Just Say Yes (NZ), by Zabeel (NZ). Trentham (Wellington), 12-3, Hcp, 3yo/up, 1mT. B-Sir Patrick & Lady Hogan.

Single (Aus), g, 4, **High Chaparral (Ire)**--Myself (GB), by Nashwan. Rosehill (Sydney), 12-3, Hcp, 4yo/up, 7 1/2fT. B-Bloomsbury Stud.

Kimberley Courtney (NZ), f, 4, **Ishiguru**--Ya Face (NZ), by Yachtie (Aus). Trentham (Wellington), 12-3, Hcp, 4yo/up, 7fT. B-Ms D L Steer.

Santos (NZ), g, 4, **No Excuse Needed (GB)**--Carinda (NZ), by The Jogger. Trentham (Wellington), 12-3, Hcp, 4yo/up, 1 1/2mT. B-Mrs B A Jones.

Canali (Aus), g, 5, **Exceed and Excel (Aus)**--Angora (Aus), by Baratheia (Ire). Caulfield (Melbourne), 12-3, Hcp, 4yo/up, 5 1/2fT. B-Mr J B Cummings & Mr P Butts.

Despereaux (NZ), g, 5, **Spartacus (Ire)**--Quick Lip (NZ), by Casual Lies. Ellerslie (Auckland), 12-3, Hcp, 4yo/up, 1 3/8mT. B-Mrs A P Lincoln.

Pacific Rose (NZ), m, 7, **Cape Cross (Ire)**--Royal Annie (Aus), by Blues Traveller (Ire). Ellerslie (Auckland), 12-3, Hcp, 4yo/up, 1 3/8mT. B-G A Pollard.

Abbey Trelae (NZ), m, 7, **Traditionally**--Tralae (Aus), by Snippets (Aus). Ellerslie (Auckland), 12-3, Hcp, 4yo/up, 7fT. B-Karremans Bloodstock Ltd.



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