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## ONE SUPER GAME

**Game On Dude** (Awesome Again), who put together a standout 2011 season, got 2012 off to a rousing start with a dominant victory in Sunday's GII San Antonio S. at Santa Anita. Slowly into stride, the 1-5



Co-owner Joe Torre with Bob Baffert and Chantal Sutherland Benoit

favorite trailed the field of seven in the opening yards of the nine-furlong contest, but he soon pulled his way up to challenge longshot **Skipshot** (Skip Away) into the first turn. He pressed the pacesetter through an opening quarter-mile in :45.91, surged to the lead without being asked and quickly opened up a clear

advantage through three-quarters in 1:09.12. Chantal Sutherland asked Game on Dude for more turning into the homestretch as **Uh Oh Bango** (Top Hit) came to challenge, but the dark bay gelding was never in any danger and easily beat that foe by an eased-down 5 1/4 lengths. **Cont. p3**

**SAN ANTONIO S.-GII**, \$200,000, SAX, 2-5, 4yo/up, 1 1/8m, 1:46 4/5, ft.

1--**GAME ON DUDE**, 123, g, 5, by [Awesome Again](#)

1st Dam: **Worldly Pleasure** (SW, \$183,095), by Devil His Due

2nd Dam: **Fast Pleasure**, by Fast Play

3rd Dam: **Sis Pleasure Fager**, by What a Pleasure

(\$210,000 RNA yrl '08 KEESEP). O-Diamond Pride

LLC, Lanni Family Trust, Mercedes Stable LLC & B

Schiappa; B-Adena Springs (KY); T-Bob Baffert;

J-Chantal Sutherland; \$120,000. Lifetime Record:

MGISW, 15-6-4-1, \$2,254,658. **Werk Nick Rating:**

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2--**Uh Oh Bango**, 123, h, 5, Top Hit--French Debutante, by French Deputy. O/B-Triple AAA Ranch (AZ); T-R Kory Owens; \$40,000.

3--**Victory Pete**, 118, h, 7, Five Star Day--Blabby B., by Tabasco Cat. (\$75,000 2yo '07 BESMAR; \$17,000 RNA wlng '05 OBSOCT). O-Ellen & Peter Johnson; B-American Equistock Inc (FL); T-A Barba; \$24,000.

Margins: 5 1/4, 12 1/4, 5 1/4. Odds: 0.30, 4.30, 8.40.

Also Ran: Skipshot, El Gato Malo. Scratched: Tres Borrachos, Ashtar (Chi). **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#), the [brisnet.com PPs](#), the [free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree](#) or the [video replay](#).**

## ALPHA GOOD BET FOR NEW YORK PREPS

Godolphin's **Alpha** (Bernardini) came out of his victory in Saturday's GIII Withers S. in fine shape, according to trainer Kieran McLaughlin, and the colt could now be aimed at New York's next two Triple Crown prep races.

"We'll look at the [Mar. 3 GIII] Gotham/[Apr. 7 GI] Wood, talk to [Godolphin racing manager] Simon Crisford and see if we

want to run him two more times, or one more time," said McLaughlin. "We like having him here in New York."

McLaughlin said Alpha may ship to Florida to train if the decision is made to run in just the

Wood. He has been training in New York to avoid crossing paths

with Godolphin's

Consortium (Bernardini), who was sixth and last in the

Jan. 29 GIII Holy Bull S. at Gulfstream Park. "We

thought Consortium was equally good, and we wanted to split them up," McLaughlin explained. "Then he ran

terrible in the slop, in the Holy Bull at Gulfstream. We

still think he's a good colt, but we're not sure which way we are going to go with him."

**Withers runner-up on to Gotham ... p4**



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**Setsuko**  
*Equisport*

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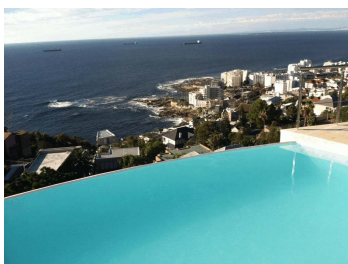
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**The Usual Q.T.**  
*Benoit*

## Out of Africa

The TDN's Marie Kizenko will have you packing your bags for South Africa with stories and photos from her recent trip.



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## Fasig-Tipton February

Fasig-Tipton's Kentucky Winter Mixed sale gets underway today in Lexington and the TDN's Lucas Marquardt is ringside with Farnsworth Stable's Robert and Myron Miller.

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**Game on Dude Wins San Antonio (cont. from p1)**

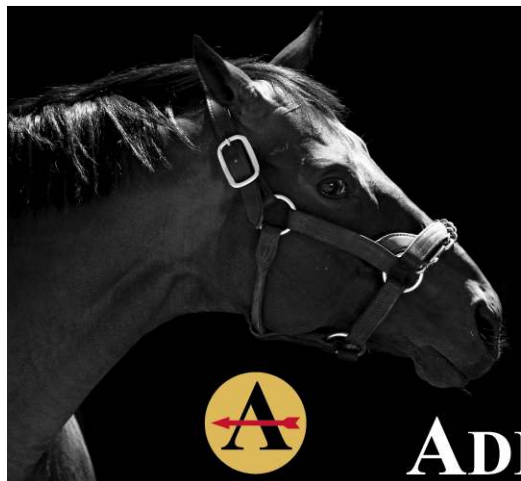
“He’s such a good horse,” confirmed Sutherland. “He was strong today and had a lot left. He wasn’t even sweating when he came back; it was like a workout for him.”

Trainer Bob Baffert was satisfied with Game on Dude’s return effort. “[Joe] Talamo was out there [on Skipshot] going really fast, I thought, you have to watch out for certain jockeys picking up speed. But [Sutherland] put the horse in a good spot and that’s what you have to do to this horse. You have to let him run, and once he gets to running, it’s come get me. He’s tough. He likes to run like that.”

Of what is next for Game on Dude, Baffert said both the Mar. 3 GI Santa Anita H. and Mar. 31 G1 Dubai World Cup were under consideration. “We’re just going to enjoy it right now,” Baffert said. “He’s nominated to Dubai, but the thing about Dubai is it’s getting more and more difficult for American horses to win there because of the new track layout and the synthetic, you don’t know what to expect. We’re going to leave all options open for now.”

Joe Torre, who co-owns the winner with Ernie Moody, the Lanni Family Trust and Bernie Schiappa, was getting to watch Game on Dude live for the first time in the San Antonio and enjoyed the experience. “This is exciting,” said the former skipper of the New York Yankees. “This is the first time I’ve been able to watch him in person. Last time, at the Breeders’ Cup, my daughter had a performance, so that obviously took precedence. It’s been a great day.” Asked if his longtime baseball colleague Don Zimmer was watching the race, Torre said, “I spoke with Don yesterday and all he wanted to know was ‘What are the odds going to be?’ He likes to play 20-1 shots, so I don’t think he got involved today.”

On the board in seven of eight starts in 2011, Game on Dude was second in the GIII Charles Town Classic, GI Hollywood Gold Cup and third in the GIII Lone Star Park H. After running fourth in the GI Pacific Classic, he came a half-length winner of the Oct. 1 GI Goodwood S. before ending his campaign with a runner-up effort behind Drosselmeyer in the Nov. 5 GI Breeders’ Cup Classic.



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**Sunday, Tokyo, Japan**

**TOKYO SHIMBUN HAI-G3**, ¥72,830,000, Tokyo, 2-5, 4yo/up, 1600mT, 1:32.80, fm.

1--**GARBO (JPN)**, 123, h, 5, by **Manhattan Caf, (Jpn)**  
**1st Dam: Yamato Damashii (Jpn), by Generous (Ire)**  
**2nd Dam: Haha Gozen (Jpn), by Fast Topaze**  
**3rd Dam: K.T.Lute (Jpn), by Dandy Lute (Fr)**  
 O-Kazuyoshi Ishikawa; B-Shinichi Takamura;  
 T-Hidekatsu Shimizu; J-Shu Ishibashi; ¥38,581,000.  
 Lifetime Record: 22-3-5-1. **Click for the**  
[eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree](#). **Werk Nick Rating:**  
**A + + + \*Triple Plus\*.**

2--**Cosmo Sensor (Jpn)**, 123, h, 5, King Kamehameha (Jpn)--Keiai Ballade (Jpn), by Rivlia. (¥9,500,000 yrl '08 JRAJUL). O-Big Red Farm; B-Kawagoe Farm; ¥15,166,000.

3--**Hit Japotto (Jpn)**, 123, h, 5, Fuji Kiseki (Jpn)--Taiki Twinkle (Jpn), by Real Shadai. O-Tsuru Nishimori; B-Kanaishi Stud; ¥9,583,000.

Margins: NK, 2HF, NK. Odds: 15.80, 5.70, 13.90.

**Click for the [Racing Post chart](#) or [Japanracing.jp video](#).**

**Sunday, Kyoto, Japan**

**KISARAGI SHO-G3**, ¥71,260,000, Kyoto, 2-5, 3yo, 1800mT, 1:47.00, fm.

1--**@#WORLD ACE (JPN)**, 123, c, 3, by **Deep Impact (Jpn)**  
**1st Dam: Mandela (Ger) (SW & G1SP-Ger,**  
**GSP-US & Fr, \$141,248), by Acatenango (Ger)**  
**2nd Dam: Mandellicht (Ire), by Be My Guest**  
**3rd Dam: Mandelauge (Ger), by Elektant (GB)**  
 O-Sunday Racing; B-Northern Farm; T-Yasutoshi Ikee;  
 J-Futoshi Komaki; ¥37,462,000. Lifetime Record:  
 3-2-1-0. **Werk Nick Rating: 1st SW on Cross. Click**  
**for the [eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree](#).**

2--**Historical (Jpn)**, 123, c, 3, Deep Impact (Jpn)--Brilliant Very (Jpn), by Northern Taste. O-Hideko Kondo; B-Northern Farm; ¥15,132,000.

3--**Veiled Impact (Jpn)**, 123, c, 3, Deep Impact (Jpn)--Violet Love (Jpn), by Dr Devious (Ire). O-Shadai Race Horse; B-Shadai Farm; ¥9,366,000.

Margins: 1HF, 3, 1HF. Odds: 1.10, 7.00, 5.50.

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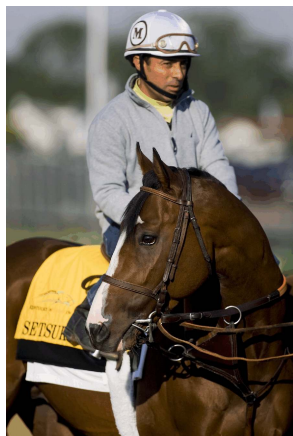
# RACETRACK ROUND-UP

## ON TO GOTHAM FOR SPEIGHTSCITY

GIII Withers S. runner-up **Speightscity** (Speightstown), fifth behind Alpha after a stumbling start in the Jan. 7 Count Fleet S., will likely make his next start in the Gotham. "He had a very bad trip [in the Count Fleet]," said Marcelo Arenas, assistant to trainer Gary Contessa. "But he's a nice horse, and we really think he's the best horse we have in the barn. We believed in him, and he showed us yesterday he can do it. He ran a big race."

## SETSUKO EYES BIG CAP

**Setsuko** (Pleasantly Perfect), narrowly beaten when second in a controversial running of last year's GI Santa Anita H., is on target for a second start in the Big 'Cap Mar. 3 after an easy allowance victory at Santa Anita Saturday ([video](#)). "His schedule was a little tight, which is why I wasn't sure he would make the Big 'Cap this year, but it worked out fine," trainer Richard Mandella said yesterday. "Three weeks ago, I didn't think he was quite that fit and then his works just stepped right up so I said, 'Let's go.' He ran good yesterday and came out good, so we'll give it another try." Setsuko's 2 1/4-length victory Saturday came in his first start since finishing ninth in last year's GI Pacific Classic and was just his second win in 17 starts. The 5-year-old gelding was runner-up in the 2010 GI Santa Anita Derby and GIII Sham S. and again in last year's GII Californian S. and to date he has career earnings of \$506,486.



**Setsuko**  
*Equisport*

## THE USUAL Q.T. READY FOR SAN MARCOS

**The Usual Q.T.** (Unusual Heat), who returned from an eight-month layoff to run third in the Jan. 16 GII San Gabriel S., will look to get back in the winner's circle in Saturday's GII San Marcos S. The 6-year-old worked six furlongs at Santa Anita Friday in 1:15.60 and trainer Jim Cassidy is expecting an improved effort from the millionaire. "His schedule was a bit advanced to make the San Gabriel," Cassidy admitted. "We've had more time to prepare for this race. Not only that, I think the mile and a quarter will be easier on him...and he's doing well. Victor [Espinoza] was very happy with his work on Friday."



**The Usual Q.T.**  
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"Two of the truest barometers for measuring the health of the Thoroughbred industry are its results in the sales ring and its commitment to its classic contests. When early nominations for the 2012 Triple Crown races were released Saturday, it further confirmed that confidence has returned in the sport following a spell of economic hardship." **Alicia Wincze Hughes**, *Lexington Herald-Leader*

## Del Mar on Track to Host Breeders' Cup Races

"They are in the most preliminary stage of the process, but the Del Mar Thoroughbred Club has taken a big first step to host a Breeders' Cup, the Super Bowl of horse racing held over two days every November. Craig Dado, DMTC's vice president of marketing, confirmed that Del Mar was asked to complete and submit a "declaration of interest" by Feb. 1 if it wishes to host a future Breeders' Cup. The event is set for Santa Anita this year in November, but future sites have not been picked. Dado said the earliest Del Mar could host the Breeders' Cup would be 2015, but that's providing a number of hurdles are cleared." **Ed Zieralski**, *U-T San Diego*

## Today's Video Highlights

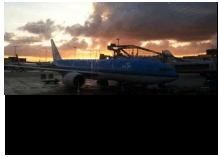
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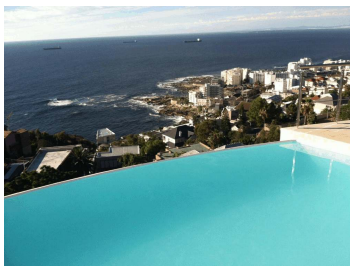
with Marie Kizenko  
from South Africa

## Out of Africa...

After five days of full-on blue skies and unrelenting sun, there was a small sense of relief when last Monday dawned a bit cool and cloudy, perfect for heading out to the nearby countryside and Drakenstein Stud and L'Ormarins. Farm manager Ross Fuller took us around the property and introduced us to Mike Robinson, who oversees the 2-year-olds and lay-ups. There is a sandy, all-weather track that finishes with a 600-meter straight, rising to an incline to meet the mountain's foothills, and an equine treadmill that has the same view. The treadmill gets up to an impressive speed; just looking at it gives one a workout.

We then headed over to the stallion barn. Horse Chestnut was the first to stroll out, happily playing on the shank held by his man Schedreck. It's always a treat to get up close and personal to a truly great racehorse, who was a bit sleepy in the mid-morning until Ross played a clip of a mare whinnying. Well, that certainly got Horse Chestnut's attention, and he struck a perfect pose for the cameras in attendance. Trippi was the next to come out, and he has a slightly more fiery personality than his barn mate. The youngsters we'd seen by him--including Agra, as well as others who have yet to start--were something of a type, being bright bays with scant markings, and have been very popular here. A total of 33 sold at last week's Cape Premier sale for an average price of R538,636 (about US\$72,000), and he's slated to cover another full book this year.

If you're interested in a different type of horsepower, the L'Ormarins estate also includes the Franschoek Motor Museum ([www.fmm.co.za](http://www.fmm.co.za)). Four massive structures house classic cars from every era. Model Ts to Formula One; you name it, they had it. I was able to keep my drool in check until confronted by the 1958 Mercedes roadster, silver with lipstick red interior...but it's probably just as well that the keys were locked up safely.



Monday evening saw us invited to a "sundowner" party in Bantry Bay hosted by the lovely Rose Leheup. An eclectic guest list, ranging from some owners and trainers to Italian exotic skins merchants (not a euphemism), all watching yet another postcard sunset/moonrise over the infinity pool to musical accompaniment. Stop the race! Pure bliss.

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## Bay Breeze...

Prior to heading to Cape Town, I'd asked my friend Lena if she'd want to escape a cold January in New York and do some exploring of the beaches and wineries after the sale and races wrapped up. Turns out I didn't need to do much arm twisting, and we broke off from the herd to explore the eastern coast of the Cape peninsula. We headed to Kalk Bay and settled in for lunch at



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Olympia Cafe & Deli (134 Main Road, +021 788 6396) upon the Liesl King's starred recommendation. YUM. Fresh juices to rejuvenate Monday's excesses, followed by superlative mussels and kingklip, a local firm-fleshed fish that was simply grilled, accompanied by baby potatoes, cherry tomatoes and olives. I'm still salivating. There were also several bohemian shops that offered some offbeat fashions, shoes and accessories--think Montauk to the Hamptons-esque Camps Bay, and I splurged on a pair of locally made lavender slippers at Cape to Cairo (100 Main Road, +021 788 4571). Note to self: am hoping the exchange rate of rand to US\$ is as favorable as I thought it was...

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We convinced our taxi driver Faruz to ferry us around for the day, since neither of us was really up for driving twisty-turny coastal roads on the wrong side. He duly drove us to Boulders Beach to see the smartly turned-out African penguins basking in the summer sun.



We'd been told that there would be little-to-no swimming in the ocean due to bracing water temperatures, but we did find a sheltered cove called Windmill Beach. Well, I say "found," but only through the assistance of an Englishman walking his border collie. He led us through some thickets and

several sketchy paths until we finally came upon a small beach. Huge boulders kept the crashing waves at bay, and at long last I was able to dip my toes in the Indian Ocean. The water was, you know, refreshing, but offered up some beautiful shells and sea glass to add to the collection.

### Wine-Not...

Wednesday saw us meet Faruz in the morning to head back up to the wine country near Stellenbosch. Our first stop was the cheetah outreach program at Spier ([www.spier.co.za](http://www.spier.co.za)), a wine farm/hotel/spa establishment that also has several restaurants. For a little over R100 one can also pet one of the cheetahs, but I was quite happy to stay on the other side of the heavy mesh fence and watch the sleek creatures parade the perimeter. Know your limits!

We headed to Jordan ([www.jordanwines.com](http://www.jordanwines.com)) to sample their local vintages. All rather fine, but the standout was the Mellifera, described with the three magic words "noble late harvest." It quickly became apparent that a substantial repast would be needed if we were to make it through the day, and we headed



into the city of Stellenbosch itself. Facebook had told me that a friend-of-a-friend was also in town from Denmark, so we all met for lunch at Asta La Pasta (at the corner of Dorp and Market Streets, +21 887 7300). Robust sauces on homemade pasta were just what the doctor ordered before setting out to Tokara ([www.tokara.co.za](http://www.tokara.co.za)). One walks through a cool modern art collection on the way to the tasting room overlooking the

fabulous countryside. Both the reserve white and red were excellent, and I was unable to resist adding a bottle of the late harvest Sauvignon Blanc to the Kizenko wine cellar. *Cont. p7*

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*Kingmambo – Class Kris, by Kris S.*



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Across the road is the Delaire Graff estate ([www.delaire.co.za](http://www.delaire.co.za)), which was also hosting a fashion shoot. It certainly had a more formal vibe than the other places visited that day, and their Coastal Cuvee Sauvignon Blanc was the pick of the litter.

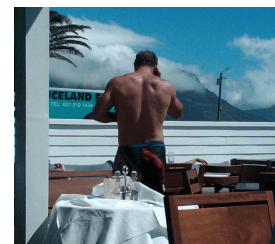
We swung back to L'Ormarins to pick up a bottle of red for Sue Finley (Sue, I'll do my best to keep it safe until Wednesday), then drove through the quaint town of Franschoek on our way back to Spier to dine in the treetop tables at Moyo. Moyo offers cuisine from the breadth of Africa, but the highlight was a simple starter salad of bitter greens, roasted pumpkin and feta.

**Blown Over to/by The Bungalow...**

Upon our return to the city center Wednesday night, the local wind known as the southeaster was gusting through at gale forces. This narrowed our beach options for Thursday, and we opted for Clifton, since the locals all indicated that it would be a bit more "protected" than others on the Atlantic side. Our umbrella put up a valiant fight on Beach 3, but ultimately succumbed after about an hour, so we climbed back up the stairs to the road.

There we were met by a howling wind that, if harnessed, could probably power the whole of the Western Cape for weeks. Luckily, a few hundred meters away was a sign for The Bungalow (3 Victoria Road, Clifton, +21 438 5600).

The Bungalow is a new spot that had been recommended to us by a South African expat living in New York. We were greeted by cool lounge music and a staff that didn't look askance at two windblown women garbed in gauzy beach cover-ups. We sat down at 2 p.m. and couldn't bring ourselves to leave. Two tables away, a large group of brawny men, that, um, filled the eye.



They were enjoying themselves, too.

"They look like athletes," I said helpfully.

"Yes," Lena replied. "But older."

Our waiter, Stanley from Zimbabwe, informed us that these chaps were some of South Africa's rugby legends, including Percy Montgomery. All very nice, in keeping with the hospitable nature of the locals, and they wished us a pleasant remainder of our stay.



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One bottle of white followed another as the sun blazed its way to the horizon, so we decided to simply shift over to The Bungalow's lounge area for the duration.

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There we met two women, Fay and Vivi, who were looking forward to an upcoming trip to the Big Apple.

"You were here for the Met, yes?" asked Fay. "Then you must meet my friend Harry."

Harry was another charmer--apparently, South Africa's full of them--and, upon returning from another stroll to the bar, asked if I was here doing television commentary.

"Strictly print, I'm afraid," I replied. We chatted for a bit about Igugu and Met Day, then he drifted away.

He came back from bar a few minutes later and said, "Look, a friend of mine here swears he saw you on t.v."

And then it all came back to me.

Last Friday, in between our trip to Philippi and the second yearling sale session, it had been arranged for the visiting press to be interviewed by Tellytrack's Dave Mollett. I guess my few minutes made it on air, but it never occurred to me that someone I'd meet at a swanky lounge would have seen it.

So Harry brought over his friend Hymie, a one-time bookmaker who at one point also had shares in some racehorses. Hymie--a dead-ringer for soupmeister Gary Sable--sat down to tell me his thoughts on Igugu, betting and the general state of racing in South Africa.

"The prize money isn't much here, it's true," he said. "But the training costs are smaller, too. It's much easier to make do here, I imagine." Thank you, our newest TDN subscriber, for the summation, and for the safe transport back to the hotel just before midnight.

**Some Final Thoughts:**

- God bless digital cameras and iPhones, because I stopped counting once I hit the 900 mark of pictures taken (after five days). I was almost overwhelmed by the end, wondering how many pictures of the sea and sky people could handle, and yet kept right on pointing and clicking. Crazy.
- Public restroom facilities. No matter where we were--from high-end restaurants to sidewalk cafes to the humble spots by the beach--all fantastically clean and secure. New York State Thruway, you've got a loooooong way to go.
- The bread. Try as one might to avoid excessive carbs, it was nearly impossible to stay away from the bread everywhere we went. Some just multi-grain, some just rolls studded with roasted pumpkin seeds, all worth it. Trust me.
- The people. I've meet friendly sorts throughout my travels, but, as a whole, this is an extremely welcoming nation. Black or white, across the strata of society, everyone we came across greeted us with a smile, and generously answered any questions. You can take my word for it, but, better yet, hop on a plane and experience it for yourself.--MK



You can also pick up a copy of the TDN today at the Fasig-Tipton Kentucky Winter Mixed Sale.

# LEADING ACTIVE SIRE

## BY GRADE 1 WINNERS

U.S. BLACK-TYPE G1 WINNERS

DYNAFORMER 16  
2012 FEE: \$150,000

UNBRIDLED'S SONG 13  
2012 FEE: \$85,000

GIANT'S CAUSEWAY 12  
2012 FEE: \$85,000

DISTORTED HUMOR 9  
2012 FEE: \$100,000

SMART STRIKE 9  
2012 FEE: \$85,000



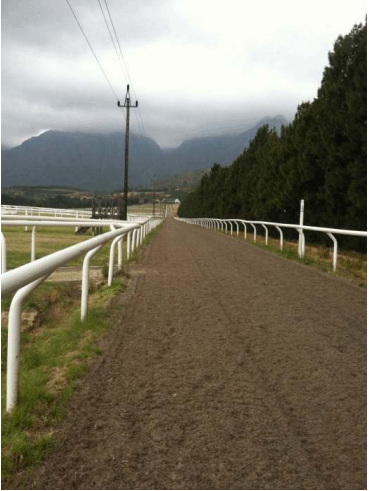
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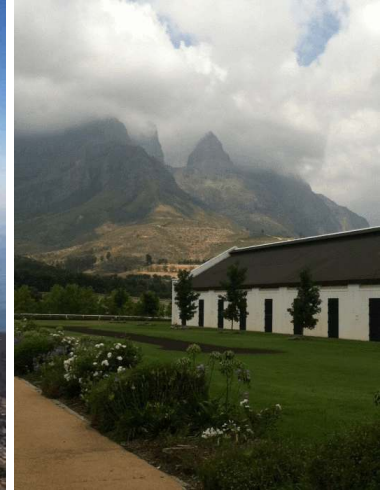
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Drakenstein track



view from Table Mountain



Drakenstein Stud



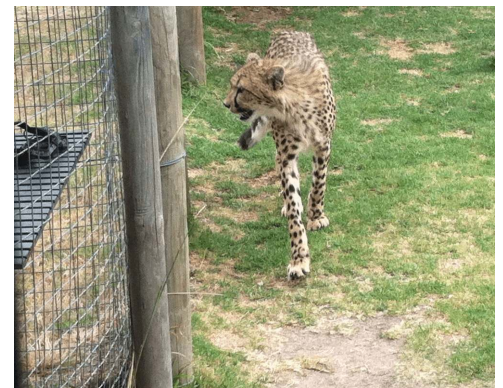
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**FASIG'S WINTER MIXED SALE TODAY**

Fasig-Tipton holds its single-session Kentucky Winter Mixed Sale today in Lexington, and for buyers, it's one last chance to fill their broodmare orders before the breeding season begins in less than 10 days. A total of 424 horses and one stallion share--to the Vinery stallion Congrats--comprise the catalogue. Last year's sale was topped by an Indian Charlie--Lady's Legacy weanling filly from the family of champion Indian Blessing (Indian Charlie) who was knocked down to S F Bloodstock for \$245,000. Paul Pompa, Jr. paid the top price for a filly or mare when he landed



Hatta Diamond (Street Cry {Ire}), in foal to Bernardini, for \$170,000. The 2011 sale average was \$15,418, down 3% from the previous year, while the median of \$5,700 was up 14%. RNAs came a rate of 22.8%. For full catalogue, updates outs and results, or to watch the sale live via streaming video, visit

[www.fasigtipton.com](http://www.fasigtipton.com).

*Ringside Feature.. p7*

**FLORIDA**

**Yesterday's Results:**

**7th-GPX, \$45,000, Alw, Opt. Clm.** (\$62,500), NW2\$X, 4yo/up, 1mT, 1:35 3/5, fm.

1--**STREET GAME, 119, c, 4, Street Cry (Ire)--Thunder Achiever (GSW, \$366,122), by Thunder Puddles.**  
O-Flying Zee Stable; B-Nustar Breeding LLC (NY); T-Philip M Serpe. Lifetime Record: GSW, 9-4-1-1, \$167,712.

**NY-breds Start With a Bigger Advantage** [nybreds.com](http://nybreds.com)

2--**Plead, 119, g, 5, Langfuhr--High Court (Brz), by Blush Rambler.**

3--**Mahubo (SAf), 119, g, 6, National Emblem (SAf)--Garden Verse (SAf), by Foveros (GB).**

Margins: NO, 1 3/4, HD. Odds: 2.40, 11.90, 1.70.

Florida report cont. p2

**FASIG-TIPTON WINTER MIXED OUTS**

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**GPX-7 cont. from p1**

Street Game reeled off three straight victories last year, including a 7 1/4-length romp in Belmont's GIII Hill Prince S. June 18. Weakening late to be fifth when asked to go 10 panels in the GII Virginia Derby July 16, the chestnut didn't fare much better when seventh after a wide trip in the GII Hall of Fame S. at the Spa Aug. 12. Settled in a stalking position in the early going of this one, Street Game bided his time down the back stretch and was well positioned to strike turning for home. Slipping through along the inside late, the 4-year-old got his nose down on the wire ahead of the game closer Plead. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or the [video replay](#).**

**9th-GPX, \$50,400, Msw, 3yo, 6f, 1:11, ft.**  
 + **BAHAMIAN SQUALL (c, 3, [Gone West](#)--Midway Squall, by Storm Bird)**, sent off at 6-1, was content to settle in sixth through opening splits of :22.64 and :45.40. Swung out by Luis Saez for the stretch run, the dark bay mowed down pacesetter Closerwalk (Street Sense) to score by 1 1/4 lengths. The winner is a half to Squall City (Carson City), SW, \$173,190; British Attitude (Broad Brush), MSP, \$183,583; Acadia Breeze (Royal Academy), SP, \$152,066; and 3/4 to Apriority (Grand Slam), GSW & GISP, \$371,223. Favored Spin Out (Hard Spun), debuting for Nick Zito, attended the pace before tiring to fourth. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or the [video replay](#).** Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$32,000.

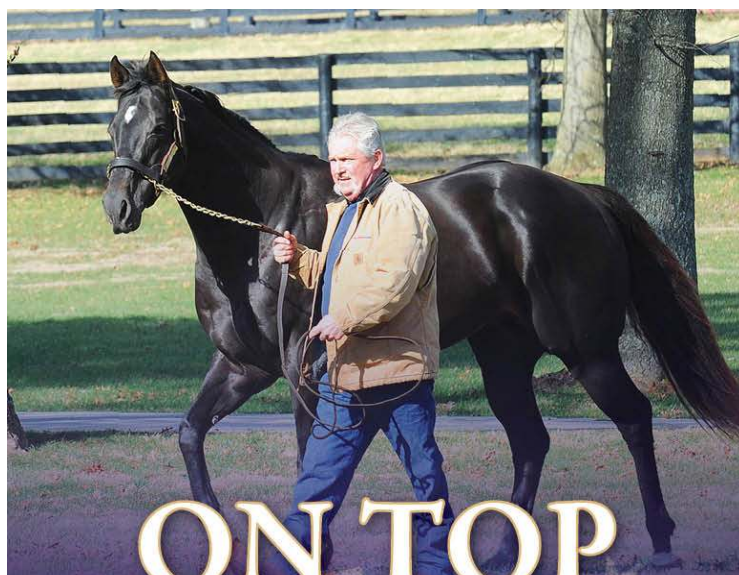
O/B-Donald R Disney (FL). T-David Fawkes.

**10th-GPX, \$42,500, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$75,000), NW1X, 3yo, 1 1/8mT, 1:48 2/5, fm.**

**EXOTHERMIC (c, 3, [Empire Maker](#)--Irridescence {SAf} {Co-Ch. 3yo Filly-SAf, MG1SW-SAf, GISP-US, G1SP-HK & Eng, \$265,098}, by Caesour)**, a rank 58-1 outsider when he won going away in his debut over a flat mile on the Gulfstream sod Dec. 29, was granted a 5-1 chance this time. Content to sit well off the early pace as part of a strung-out field, the bay was ridden to take closer order heading into the turn, moved four wide into the stretch and, despite running a bit greenly, was full of run late to post the three-length decision. The fast-closing News Pending (Harlan's Holiday) got up for place honors over Saturday Launch (Any Given Saturday). Favored Fantastic Song (Lemon Drop Kid) didn't fire and was unplaced. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or the [video replay](#).** Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$49,800.

O-Green Lantern Stables LLC. B-Green Lantern Stables, LLC (KY). T-George R Arnold II.

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# ON TOP Down Under

*"READY'S IMAGE was a clear leader of the first-season sires and was within a bid of heading the sale overall, five of his seven lots offered selling at an average of \$60,500 with a top-price of \$100,000."*

-Australian & New Zealand Bloodstock News, Jan. 25

- First Crop Australian Yearlings Sold  
 Inglis Sydney Classic Yearling Sale
- 177 c o/o Toppinga 100,000
  - 572 c o/o Mystic Chantry 65,000
  - 334 c o/o Daloot 57,500
  - 280 c o/o Bye Bye Tata 52,000
  - 178 c o/o Treasured 28,000

# READY'S IMAGE

*More Than Ready-Clever Phrase, by Clever Trick*  
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Gulfstream cont.

4th-GPX, \$40,500, Msw, 3yo, 1m, 1:37 2/5, ft.  
**ENDER KНИЕVEL** (c, 3, [Distorted Humor](#)--Ender's Sister {MSW & MGSP, \$525,048}, by A.P. Indy), who failed to hit the board in his first two tries, was runner-up in his final start for trainer Rusty Arnold in a 6 1/2-furlong test here Dec. 24. Making his route bow this time, the chestnut didn't break quickest of all but soon rushed up to take control. Narrowly in front through modest splits of :24.80 and :47.63, the 4-5 choice was well within himself at the eighth pole as second choice Tiz Yankee (Tiznow) tried to narrow the gap about a length and a half behind. Despite Tiz Yankee's best effort, however, the chestnut flipped on the switch at the head of the lane and powered home a much-the-best seven-length winner for his new trainer, Todd Pletcher, who racked up the frequent flyer miles this weekend when heading to the Big A Saturday to saddle Calibrachoa in the GIII Toboggan H. Big Blue Spirit (GB) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}) closed to be third. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or the [video replay](#). Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-0, \$35,280.  
 O-Alto Racing LLC. B-Green Lantern Stables, LLC (KY). T-Todd A Pletcher.

6th-GPX, \$40,500, Msw, 3yo, f, 8.5f, 1:45 2/5, ft.  
**WAIT TIL DAWN** (f, 3, [Giant's Causeway](#)--Path of Thunder {MSW, \$246,170}, by Thunder Gulch), while bred to excel on the sod, failed to show her best on the green stuff, including a seventh-place finish at this distance at the Big A Nov. 9. Given a chance over the local main track when asked to show a little more early speed than in the past, the dark bay responded by finishing a narrow second going a sixteenth shorter Jan. 8. Sent off the 4-5 choice, Wait Til Dawn settled into a comfortable stalking position through opening splits of :24.21 and :48.84. Moved up to take control with minimal effort, the dark bay was given some encouragement in the stretch and she responded, crossing the wire 2 3/4-lengths clear of the Darley entry of Closing Move (Bernardini) and Glorietta Bay (A.P. Indy). The winner is a full to Excited, GSW, \$244,796. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or the [video replay](#). Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-1, \$37,951.  
 O-Michael B Tabor. B-Chelston (KY). T-Todd A Pletcher.

## Today's Video Highlights

- [4th-GP \(Msw\)](#) 3yo colt **Ender Knievel** (Distorted Humor) wins big in first start for Pletcher.
- [6th-GP \(Msw\)](#) 3yo filly **Wait Til Dawn** (Giant's Causeway) wins for red-hot Pletcher barn.
- [9th-GP \(Msw\)](#) 3yo colt **Bahamian Squall** (Gone West), 3/4 to Apriority, gets up in career debut.
- [10th-GP \(Alw\)](#) 3yo colt **Exothermic** (Empire Maker) could be a rising star in turf division.



# TOPPING The Competition

Top 10 Active NA First Crop Yearling Sires 5 or More Sold Ranked by 2012 fee to Average Ratio

<b>READY'S IMAGE</b>	7.1
First Defence	6.5
Midnight Lute	4.7
Divine Park	4.5
Majestic Warrior	4.1
Henrythenavigator	3.9
Tiz Wonderful	3.5
Curlin	3.4
Street Boss	3.4
Big Brown	2.7

\*Yearling Averages per TDN Instatistics

# READY'S IMAGE

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# NEW YORK



**Yesterday's Results:**

**3rd-AQU, \$58,800, Msw, 3yo, f, 6f, 1:13 3/5, ft.**  
 + **NITARA** (f, 3, [Indian Charlie](#)--Conja, by Cherokee Run), sent off at 9-2, was perched on the outside of favored Stay Composed (Bernstein), who carved out an opening quarter in :23.63. Nitara soon poked her head in front of the rival and inched ahead turning for home. Put down for the drive, the bay was four lengths clear of Catch the Spirit (Fusaichi Pegasus) at the wire. Stay Composed faded to fourth. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or the [video replay](#).** Sales history: \$8,500 yrl '10 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$36,000. O-Harold Lowenstine & Kay Reed. B-Zayat Stables & Morning Bloodstock (KY). T-Eric R Reed.

# CENTRAL U.S.



**Jimmy George Celebrates 5-Win Anniversary:**

Jimmy George rode five winners on the Fair Grounds card on Feb. 4, 1942 and Saturday 22 members of the late jockey's family gathered at the New Orleans track to commemorate the achievement. George retired from the saddle in 1949 and died several years ago. His sons John and Tim and his 78-year-old brother Ed were among the contingent to fly from Ohio for the anniversary. "Dad never wanted my brother or me to grow up on the racetrack, so he kept us away from it as kids," said John George. "He wanted us to go to college and find something else to do with our lives, but we both love going to the races here and back home at River Downs, Churchill and Keeneland. In fact, when I was a kid, I used to help Gaston Galjour install TVs around the plant at Keeneland." After his riding career, George owned and operated a tavern in Cincinnati. "Dad had no idea that 70 years later we'd still be celebrating his achievement," his son added. "Now, we're all looking forward to coming back to Fair Grounds again for the 75th anniversary."

**Yesterday's Results:**

**7th-OPX, \$40,000, Msw, 3yo, 6f, 1:12 1/5, ft.**  
**SILVER DANDY** (c, 3, [Badge of Silver](#)--Conversion, by Alydeed), fourth in a Jan. 16 test here, went off the 9-5 choice this time. Held in a tracking third early, the dark bay swung out three wide to take control at the head of the stretch and was one-length clear of Limehouse Blues (Limehouse) at the wire. Sales history: \$62,000 2yo '11 OBSMAR; \$42,000 yrl '10 FTKJUL. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$26,000. O-Cheyenne Stables LLC & Litsch Family LLC. B-Aron Yagoda & David Bechtol (KY). T-Donnie K Von Hemel.  
**CROMWELL BLOODSTOCK** 2yo Purchase

## 2012 #1 Sire by NA Earnings

### REVERON

1st Gulfstream Park Derby

3rd Sam F. Davis S.-G3

# SONGANDAPRAYER

UNBRIDLED'S SONG - ALIZEA

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**Saturday Night's Results:**

**LA. BRED PREMIER NIGHT CHAMPIONSHIP S.**, \$200,000, DED, 2-4, (S), 4yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:45 3/5, my.

- 1--**STAR GUITAR**, 125, h, 7, [Quiet American](#)--Minit Towinit (MSW, \$112,245), by Malagra. O/B-Brittlyn Stable Inc, M & E Benoit (LA); T-Albert M Stall Jr; J-Corey J Lanerie; \$120,000. Lifetime Record: GSP, 28-22-0-2, \$1,635,862. \*1/2 to Favorite Minit (Favorite Trick), SW, \$107,485; Grand Minit (Grand Slam), MSW, \$323,428.
- 2--**Classic Cascade**, 116, g, 5, High Cascade--Angry Nurse, by Sky Classic. O-Patti Turner. \$38,000.
- 3--**Populist Politics**, 118, c, 4, Don't Get Mad--Cedar Summer, by Souvenir Copy. (\$20,000 yrl '09 TEXAUG; \$70,000 2yo '10 OBSAPR). O-Klaravich Stables, Inc and William H Lawrence. \$18,000. Margins: 3 1/4, 1, HF. Odds: 0.60, 66.30, 4.40.

One has to go back to November of 2010 to find the last defeat registered by millionaire Star Guitar. The winner of his sole start against open company in the Evangeline Mile H. last August, he added a win in the state-bred Gold Cup Nov. 5 before annexing the nine-furlong Louisiana Classic Dec. 10. Far back in the early going of his seasonal bow, the gelding advanced on the backstretch, was in contention on the turn and drove clear late to add another victory to his resume.



**E.J. Perrodin Retires:**

Jockey Elvis Joseph "E. J." Perrodin has announced his retirement from the saddle. The 55-year-old Louisiana native won 3,083 races during his riding career. He rode six winners on a single Fair Grounds card on Nov. 18, 1979.

# CALIFORNIA

**Yesterday's Results:**

1st-SAX, \$58,058, Msw, 4yo/up, 1mT, 1:35 3/5, fm. TIZ A TRIP (c, 4, [Tiznow](#)--High Margin {MSW, \$270,252}, by Repriced), third last time over this course and trip Jan. 5, was sent off the 2-1 second choice this time. Settled in seventh early, the bay angled out on the second turn, needed racing room at the quarter pole, came on between foes in the stretch and drew off to post a 3 3/4-length victory over Fordham Road (Giant's Causeway). [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or the [video replay](#). Lifetime Record: 5-1-0-1, \$41,009. O-Gary W and Pamela Ziebarth. B-Diane Logue (KY). T-John W Sadler.



## AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS

**IN FRANCE:**

Splinter Cell, h, 6, Johannesburg. See "Breeders' Edition Europe."

• ON THE WORKTAB •

GULFSTREAM PARK

Flat Out (Flatter), 4f, :49.60, 24/51  
Martini (Yes It's True), 3f, :37.40

HOLLYWOOD PARK

Sister Moon (Dixie Union), 3f, :35.80, 1/14

OAKLAWN PARK

Caleb's Posse (Posse), 4f, :48.40, 1/96  
Junebugred (Corinthian), 5f, 1:02.00, 10/56

PALM MEADOWS

Awesome Maria (Maria's Mon), 4f, :49.22, 23/47  
Big Blue Nation (Bluegrass Cat), 5f, 1:01.08, 5/24  
Brethren (Distorted Humor), 4f, :53.42, 47/47  
Cal Nation (Distorted Humor), 4f, :48.70, 16/47  
Disposablepleasure (Giacomo), 5f, 1:02.44, 17/24  
Gemologist (Tiznow), 3f, :39.88, 10/10  
Her Smile (Include), 5f, 1:00.03, 2/24  
It's Tricky (Mineshaft), 5f, 1:02.19, 14/24  
Mission Impazible (Unbridled's Song), 5f, 1:01.78, 12/24  
Ruler On Ice (Roman Ruler), 4f, :50.66, 37/47  
Silver Medallion (Badge of Silver), 4f, :49.21, 22/47

PAYSON PARK

Havelock (Great Notion), 4f, :51.00, 12/15

SANTA ANITA

Astrology (A.P. Indy), 4f, :52.80, 47/47



**2012 #1 Sire by Winners**

► **MUSICAL FLAIR**  
1st Needles S. - Gulfstream

**Diski Dance**  
2nd Toboggan S.-G3 - Aqueduct

Plus 3YO **SAY A NOVENA**  
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# SONG AND A PRAYER

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# ROOKIES



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BlackTypeWnrs \* Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)

**ECCLESIASTIC** (Pulpit), Regal Heir, \$5K, 73/6/0  
8-PRX, Alw, 1m, Maples Way, 8-1  
**SCAT DADDY** (Johannesburg), Ashford, \$30K, 180/33/5  
8-PRX, Alw, 1m, Benimari, \$45K KEE SEP yrl, 10-1

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**Career Victory** Who: Jockey Julio Felix  
When: Saturday, Feb. 4  
**#2,500** Where: 8th race, Turfway Park  
With: J. Pa



# RINGSIDE... with Lucas Marquardt

## Farnsworth Well Represented at F-T...

For Farnsworth Stable's Robert and Myron Miller, it's a matter of sticking with what works. The father-and-son team have enjoyed great success on the track in



Farnsworth's Myron Miller

recent years claiming fillies and mares and turning them in Grade I performers. Just last season, they haltered Ask the Moon (Malibu Moon) for \$75,000 at Belmont, then watched her win the GI Ruffian H. and GI Personal Ensign S. in consecutive starts. Jessica Is Back (Put It Back), a \$50,000 claim in 2009, won the following season's GI Princess Rooney H. at Calder. Both were conditioned by Marty Wolfson, who along with Tony Dutrow is Farnsworth's primary conditioner.

But while the Millers originally intended to develop a Florida-based breeding operation to go along with their burgeoning racing stable, they've decided their collective hearts aren't in the breeding game, and are in the process of selling off their 20-strong broodmare band.

"I do a whole lot better at racing than at breeding, so as horses come off the track I'm going to start selling them," laughed Myron Miller on Friday.

Ask the Moon, fresh off a sixth-place try in the GI Breeders' Cup Ladies' Classic, was sent through the Fasig-Tipton November Sale and sold to S F Bloodstock for \$800,000, and now Farnsworth returns to Newtown Paddocks with a less heralded but nonetheless solid group of mares. The Millers have upwards of eight horses entered through the drafts of both Lane's End and Hidden Brook, including no fewer than three black-type winners.

Maybe the most recognizable of the bunch is the 7-year-old **Amazing** (Greatness--Total Wonder, by Awesome Again), whom Santa Anita handicappers remember as the filly who ran GISW Evening Jewel (Northern Afleet) to a half-length in the Sunshine Millions Distaff in January of 2011 (in third was eventual GISW Ultra Blend {Richly Blended}).

Like many of Farnsworth's success stories, Amazing was acquired by way of the claim box. Farnsworth haltered her away from Paul Pompa, Jr. and trainer Rick Dutrow, Jr. for \$75,000 at Saratoga in August of 2010. In addition to her runner-up try in the Sunshine Millions, Amazing finished second in two other black-type events for Farnsworth and Wolfson and banked roughly \$180,000 for her new connections in 2010 and 2011. Tracing back to the blue hens Ballade, Wings of Grace and Battle Creek Girl, Amazing sells as a broodmare prospect through Hidden Brook as [hip 244](#).

Also selling as a broodmare prospect is the 5-year-old **Stephanie Got Even** (Stephen Got Even--Chateaumist, by Trempolino), who is offered by Lane's End as [hip 186](#). Produced by a half-sister to MGSW Fantastic Fellow (Lear Fan) and from the family of G1 Epsom Derby winner Henbit, Stephanie Got Even went on a five-race winning skein in 2010 and 2011 that was capped by a victory in the American Beauty S. at Oaklawn last January.

Acquired privately by Farnsworth shortly thereafter, Stephanie Got Even was kept primarily in graded company last year and had the misfortune of running into a couple of real monsters. She was third, beaten 7 3/4 lengths, to the speedy Hilda's Passion (Canadian Frontier) in the GI Inside Information S. at Gulfstream in March, then went unplaced in her next two in races featuring Awesome Maria (Maria's Mon), Unrivaled Belle (Unbridled's Song) and Sassy Image (Broken Vow). In what would be her career finale, she was a 10-1 chance in the GI Princess Rooney S. at Calder in July and ran a big one, finishing fourth, beaten 1 1/4 lengths, by a couple of Eclipse finalists in Sassy Image and subsequent Breeders' Cup heroine and champion female sprinter Musical Romance (Concorde's Tune). She missed third by a nose.

## CLOSING THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 9TH

Sat, Feb. 18, 2012	\$200,000 Barbara Fritchie H. - Grade II	7F	Open f & m 3yo/UP
Sat, Feb. 18, 2012	\$100,000 John B. Campbell H.	1 1/8	Open 3yo/UP
Mon, Feb. 20, 2012	\$200,000 General George H. - Grade II	7F	Open 3yo/UP

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“Coming home, I actually thought we were going to win,” said Miller. “She’s a big, pretty filly. We bought her, I think, for \$200,000, and she ran well for us. But she got injured and we had to retire her. If I was in the breeding business, she’s the kind of filly I’d keep, but we’re just going to go a different direction.”



Jehan at Monmouth EquiPhoto

Another of the Farnsworth highlights at Fasig, the Lane’s End-consigned 6-year-old mare **Jehan** (Forest Wildcat--Classy

Date, by Saint Ballado), was acquired not via the claim box or private sale, but through public auction. The Millers secured her for \$125,000 from the sale of Zayat Stable horses at the 2010 Keeneland November Sale. “She might be the nicest of the group--she’s a beautiful black filly,” said Miller. “Jehan was actually in the Princess Rooney too, and at the eighth pole, she was in the lead and I thought *she* was going to win.” Jehan wound up fading to sixth, but in her start before the Princess Rooney, had won the Red Cross S. at Monmouth for Farnsworth. Jehan sells as a racing or broodmare prospect as [hip 384](#). “She’s racing sound and was on her way back to Marty Wolfson when we decided to run her through,” said Miller. “If I don’t get what I want for her, I’ll just put her back in training and she’ll head down to Gulfstream.” This is the first time the Millers have sold at the Fasig Winter Mixed Sale. “The market for mares has been strong, and I’m friends with Max Hodge at Fasig-Tipton, and he said to bring ‘em over and we’ll run them through,” said Miller. “Instead of putting them in foal and selling them in November, we figured we’d sell them now and people can put them in foal to the stallions they like. The timing worked out perfect.”

## FRANCE



### Yesterday’s Result:

**Pau, 13.00, Cond, €20,000, 3yo, 9f 165yds (AWT), 2:05.50, stn. SAMBA BRAZIL (GER) (f, 3, Teofilo {Ire}–Sasuela {Ger}, by Dashing Blade {GB}),** who was first going nine furlongs at Lyon la Soie last time Oct. 31, raced in a midfield fifth after an adequate break in this seasonal bow. Angled outside with 350 meters remaining, the 9-10 chalk cruised to the fore passing the eighth pole and surged clear thereafter to easily best Alduides (Ire) (Rock of Gibraltar {Ire}) by five lengths. The winner is a half to Soberania (Ger) (Monsun {Ger}), G1SP-Ger & lty, \$232,570; and Seismos (Ire) (Dalakhani {Ire}), SW-Fr & GSP-Ger. Sales history: €150,000 yrl ‘10 ARQAUG. Lifetime Record: 3 starts, 2 wins, 1 place, €19,100.

O-Ecuries des Monceaux & Mme Michaela Faust;  
B-Gestut Karlshof; T- Jean Claude Rouget.

## CATALOGUE UPDATE

*Selling Monday at Fasig-Tipton Kentucky:*

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## BRITAIN



### MEETS AFFECTED BY SNOW

Arctic conditions across Britain have disrupted race meets at Wolverhampton and Kempton. The former’s Saturday meet was halted after four races on a seven-race card and the course faces an early-morning inspection to ascertain if racing can take place today. “The Saturday forecast was for the snow to turn into rain and we’ve been left with three inches of wet snow on the track,” Wolverhampton’s Clerk of the Course Fergus Cameron told *PA Sport*. “There is a slow thaw going on, but we had fog Sunday morning which slowed the process. We will take the snow off and then work the track. In view of our current position an inspection is sensible, but if the forecast is correct we are confident of racing [Monday].” Kempton’s Sunday meet was also abandoned due to excessive snowfall and an inability to guarantee public safety. “We had six centimeters overnight and, sadly, we have had to abandon,” explained Clerk of the Course Brian Clifford. “The machines we wanted to use kept clogging up and in the timeframe we had, with it being an afternoon meeting, it would be too big a gamble. It’s not just the track, the general areas and infrastructure wouldn’t be clear in time.” In France, Sunday’s mixed meet at Pau was abandoned after three races.



# AUSTRALASIA

## CO-TOPPERS CONCLUDE KARAKA

A pair of yearlings who elicited bids of NZ\$70,000 put the finishing touches on the New Zealand Bloodstock's 86th National Yearling Sales Series at



**Lot 274, by Coats Choice (Aus)**  
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Karaka yesterday. Last year's top price of NZ\$60,000 was surpassed three times Sunday during the single-session Festival Sale, initially when [lot 1274](#) stepped into the ring. A colt by Berkley Stud's resident sire Coats Choice (Aus) (Redoute's Choice {Aus}) and out of Illusive Hope (Aus) (Spectrum {Ire}), the chestnut was knocked down to Michael Stedman for NZ\$70,000 to set the standard for the afternoon. "He was purchased for a client of Lance Noble's, and we are very happy with him," commented Stedman. "The horse looks to be a good athlete with clean legs and decent x-rays, and he looks like he has a good chance of running well. He was also very well prepared, and is a credit to Berkley Stud. We have been impressed with the results of Coats Choice recently, and this colt was just one of the most athletic-looking colts on the grounds today. We are very pleased to be able to get a horse like him; we got him for a little more than we anticipated, but it was worth it to secure the horse we were happy with."

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That price was equaled late in the session when Matamata trainer Graham Richardson won the battle for [lot 1417](#), a colt by Cecconi (Aus) (Encosta de Lago {Aus}). Westbury Stud consigned the son of Storm Brose (NZ) (Gold Brose {NZ}). The leading buyer of the Festival Sale with five purchases for NZ\$143,500 at an average of NZ\$28,700, Richardson was impressed with the youngster. "The colt was a real nice sort, and I had to have him," said Richardson. "I purchased him for a syndicate of friends. I paid a little bit more than I intended to, but he was too nice a horse to let go." Richardson added, "I'm very surprised with how strong the Festival Sale has been--I actually cannot remember a stronger Festival Sale--and there has been a good presence of Kiwi buyers, too, which is good to see."



**Lot 1417, by Cecconi (Aus)**  
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Richardson's observations were backed up by the final session figures. The median of NZ\$12,000 soared 41% from last year's NZ\$8,500, matching the record set in 2008. The NZ\$15,300 average was up 26% and is the second highest on record. Moreover, the clearance rate was a strong 77%, up significantly on last year's 62%. New Zealand Bloodstock Co-Managing Director Petrea Vela said it was a fitting end to the sale series. "We have experienced a very strong day of selling today at Karaka," she said. "With such tough international competition earlier in the week, the locals have made up for it with depth and strength to their activity today. Both the Select and Festival Sales have held up strongly against last year's figures and to match the record median here today shows a robust display from the domestic market. We are very grateful for the support of all of our buyers and vendors from here and overseas throughout the week, and wish buyers the very best of luck with their Karaka purchases."

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**Karaka Sale cont.**

Over the series' six days of selling, a total of 985 horses sold for NZ\$77,334,300 at a combined average of NZ\$78,512, down 6.4% from a year ago. The median of NZ\$47,500, up 5.5%, was the highest since 2008, and the sale realized a solid clearance rate of 75%. The sale was topped by a Fastnet Rock (Aus)--Nureyev's Girl colt who went to David Ellis for NZ\$1.75 million.



**Yesterday's Results:**

**CHAIRMAN'S SPRINT PRIZE**, HK\$4,500,000 (\$580,246), Sha Tin, 2-5, 3yo/up, 1200mT, 1:08.98, fm.

1--**JOY AND FUN (NZ)**, 126, g, 8, Cullen (Aus)--Gin Player (NZ), by Defensive Play. O-Mr & Mrs Johnny Wong Chun Nam; B-L Williams; T-D Cruz; J-B Doyle; HK\$2,565,000. Lifetime Record: 51-11-5-4.

2--**Lucky Nine (Ire)**, 126, g, 5, Dubawi (GB)--Birjand (GB), by Green Desert. O-Dr Chang Fuk To & Maria Chang Lee Ming Shum. HK\$990,000.

3--**Sunny King (Ire)**, 126, g, 9, Desert Sun (GB)--Princess Mood (Ger), by Muhtarram. O-Matthew Wong Leung Pak. HK\$517,500.

Margins: 3/4, 1, 1 3/4. Odds: 10-1, 1-1, 29-1.

After a pair of hard-trying runner-up finishes in his last two, veteran Joy and Fun came away with a well-



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deserved success in this second Leg of the Hong Kong Speed Series, and might well have booked his ticket to Dubai. A dead-heat second to Lucky Nine in the G1 Cathay Pacific Hong Kong Sprint on the International card at Sha Tin Dec. 11, when he finished on even terms with Entrapment (Aus) (Halo Homewrecker), Joy and Fun had to settle for the place spot once again when a neck adrift of Eagle Regiment (Aus) (El Moxie) in the Centenary Sprint Cup--the first leg of the series--on Jan. 12. Overcoming a wide draw this time, he raced without cover while three deep through the opening stages. His cheek-pieced head took aim on the leaders in upper stretch and, with a determined run, he took charge 200 meters from home and wasn't going to be caught late.

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"He's been knocking on the door in all the big races, and he couldn't have done it any better," said winning rider Brett Doyle. Trainer Derek Cruz, who was visibly delighted following the race, is now hoping to send the 8-year-old to Dubai for the 1000m G1 Al Quoz Sprint over the Meydan lawn. "We have always had Dubai in mind for the horse after this," said Cruz. "He has done so well for us that we will take it step by step. He has maintained his condition, so we will sit back and wait about future plans."

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**NZB NATIONAL SALES SERIES  
Combined Figures**

<b>CUMULATIVE</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>2011</b>
Catalogued	1,444	1,622
Offered	1,310	1,459
No. Sold	985	1,050
RNA	325	408
%RNA	24.8%	28%
Highest Price (NZ\$)	1,750,000	875,000
Gross (NZ\$)	77,334,300	88,094,250
Average (NZ\$)	78,512 (-6.4%)	83,899
Median (NZ\$)	47,500 (+5.5%)	45,000

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# BREEDERS' EDITION AMERICA

## BLACK-TYPE RESULTS:

**LA. BRED PREMIER NIGHT DISTAFF S.**, \$150,000, DED, 2-4, (S), 4yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:40, my.

1--**WARRIOR MAID, 120, m, 6, Holy Bull--Rejoice, by Marsayas.** (\$9,500 RNA yrl '07 TEXAUG).

O/B-Russell Welch (LA); T-Eric L Heitzmann; J-Eddie Martin, Jr; \$90,000. Lifetime Record: 21-7-2-7, \$390,889.

2--**Lawyer Tiffany, 123, f, 4, Pure Prize--Daytime Delight, by More Than Ready.** O-Fletcher B Clement and Dennis Milligan. \$28,500.

3--**Rileys Monarch, 118, m, 5, Monarchos--Callie's Clown, by St. Jovite.** O-TK Riley Farms LLC. \$13,500.

Margins: 3/4, 6HF, NK. Odds: 6.40, 1.50, 9.10.

**LA. BRED PREMIER NIGHT PRINCE S.**, \$125,000, DED, 2-4, (S), 3yo, 7f, 1:26 3/5, sy.

1--**CAJUN CHARLIE, 121, g, 3, Afternoon Deelites--Cigar Charlie (SW, \$236,203), by Tour d'Or.**

O-Heartlines Horse Ranch, LP; B-Pete Barta (LA); T-Brian S House; J-Tracy J Hebert; \$75,000. Lifetime Record: 5-3-1-0, \$193,908. \*1/2 to Cigar Starter (Jump Start), SW, \$169,240.

2--**Zip Motion, 118, c, 3, City Zip--Some Came Running, by Phone Trick.** (\$5,500 2yo '11 EVDMAR). O-Set-Hut. \$23,750.

3--**Freddie One Bite, 118, g, 3, Forest Wildcat--Etoile Petite, by Robannier.** (\$15,000 yrl '10 TEXAUG). O-Dan Lynch, Ken Sentel and Merrill Scherer. \$11,250.

Margins: 6HF, 2, 4 1/4. Odds: 4.00, 4.00, 15.40.

**LA. BRED PREMIER NIGHT STARLET S.**, \$125,000, DED, 2-4, (S), 3yo, f, 7f, 1:27 4/5, sy.

1--**LITTLE MS PROTOCOL, 121, f, 3, El Corredor--Character Builder (GSP, \$186,307), by Coronado's Quest.** O/B-Coteau Grove Farms LLC (LA); T-Patrick Devereux, Jr; J-Diego Saenz; \$75,000. Lifetime Record: 7-4-1-0, \$228,840.

2--**Bleu Darling, 118, f, 3, Saint Anddan--Penn Central, by Sultry Song.** O-Brittlyn Stables and Tyron Benoit. \$23,750.

3--**Lindomo, 120, f, 3, Giacomo--Our Linda Lou, by Victory Gallop.** (\$8,000 yrl '10 TEXAUG). O-S A S Partners. \$11,250.

Margins: NK, 6HF, 2 1/4. Odds: 2.00, 2.90, 61.20.

**LA. BRED PREMIER NIGHT MATRON S.**, \$100,000, DED, 2-4, (S), 4yo/up, f/m, 5f, :58, sy.

1--**SPEEDACIOUS, 123, m, 5, Yankee Gentleman--Blushing Trish, by Rahy.** (\$30,000 yrl '08 TEXAUG). O-Carl R Moore Management LLC; B-Elm Tree Farm, LLC (LA); T-W Bret Calhoun; J-Miguel Mena; \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 19-9-2-4, \$471,854. \*1/2 to Prince Benjamin (Roar), MSP, \$249,656.

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2--**Little Polka Dot, 116, m, 6, Orientate--Silky Oaks, by Regal Intention.** O-Maggi Moss. \$20,000.

3--**Esther Carl, 118, f, 4, Sefapiano--Kirsten, by Rare Brick.** O-Alamae Schultz. \$10,000. Margins: 5, 4 1/4, 1HF. Odds: 0.70, 1.40, 13.50.

**LA. BRED PREMIER NIGHT SPRINT S.**, \$100,000, DED, 2-4, (S), 4yo/up, 5f, :58 1/5, sy.

1--**SU CASA G CASA, 116, c, 4, During--Seda Fina, by Known Fact.** (\$10,000 yrl '09 TEXAUG; \$45,000 2yo '10 TEXMAR). O-Thomas Galvin; B-Dennis Ray Bryant & Mike Brossett (LA); T-W Bret Calhoun; J-Miguel Mena; \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 10-5-3-0, \$331,021.

2--**Call, 118, g, 4, Rodeo--Tuner River, by Fraser River.** O-James Alexander. \$19,000.

3--**Bold Recruit, 118, g, 4, Lost Soldier--Lady Radkey, by Cutlass Fax.** (\$7,700 RNA yrl '09 FTKOCT). O-Raintree Farm. \$10,000. Margins: 2, 1 3/4, 1. Odds: 6.50, 4.20, 0.80.

**LA. BRED PREMIER NIGHT LADIES STARTER S.**, \$70,000, DED, 2-4, (S), 4yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:41, sy.

1--**NANA KNOWS, 118, m, 5, Gold Tribute--Bold Threat, by Bold Ruckus.** (\$6,200 2yo '09 EVDMAR). O-Robert E Orth and Wesley Hawley; B-Joseph Adcock & Neal McFadden (LA); T-Wesley E Hawley; J-Miguel Mena; \$42,000. Lifetime Record: 22-6-1-4, \$233,233. \*1/2 to Classic Threat (Regal Classic), MSW, \$174,685.

2--**See the Stream, 119, f, 4, Ford Every Stream--Channel Vision, by Lens.** (\$6,000 yrl '09 LTBSEP). O-Ryan B Thomas. \$13,300.

3--**Moon Larry, 118, f, 4, Lunarpal--Larry's Case, by Gold Case.** (\$1,000 RNA yrl '09 TEXAUG). O-Benny Blackmon. \$6,300.

Margins: HD, 2 1/4, NK. Odds: 4.00, 7.00, 2.10.

**LA. BRED PREMIER NIGHT GENTLEMEN STARTER S.**, \$70,000, DED, 2-4, (S), 4yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:46, sy.

1--**GET IN DA HOUSE, 120, g, 4, Grand Appointment--Grable, by Dehere.** (\$14,000 yrl '09 LTBSEP). O-Robert E Orth and Wesley Hawley; B-Neal McFadden & J Adcock (LA); T-Wesley E Hawley; J-Miguel Mena; \$42,000. Lifetime Record: 11-6-1-2, \$202,492. \*1/2 to Tommy's Turn (Conquistador Cielo), MSP, \$186,982.

2--**Willist, 118, g, 9, Dance Brightly--Icy Reality, by Proper Reality.** O-Howard Romero. \$13,300.

3--**Ima Chu Chu Train, 118, g, 6, Valid Belfast--I'ma Chu Chu, by Glaring.** O-Frank Alaimo. \$6,300. Margins: 5HF, 4 1/4, HD. Odds: 0.50, 8.50, 23.20.



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**LA. BRED PREMIER NIGHT RAGIN CAJUN STARTER S.,**

\$55,000, DED, 2-4, (S), 4yo/up, 5f, :58 1/5, my.

1--**#REDHOTRUSH, 123, g, 5, Joe's Son Joey--**

**Crumbley's Heart (SP), by Aspro.** (\$100 yrl '08 LOUOCT). O-Sure Profit Racing, LLC; B-Joseph Bjorne Tosterud (LA); T-John Troy Hardy; J-CJ McMahon; \$33,000. Lifetime Record: 24-9-0-2, \$136,897.

2--**Huffs Hunter, 118, g, 6, Huff--Beau Diamond, by Social Diamond.** O-John Girault Bird. \$10,450.

3--**Brendyn Jo, 119, g, 7, Catastrophe--Shades of Jade, by Jade Hunter.** (\$3,700 2yo '07 TEXMAR).

O-End Zone Athletics, Inc. \$5,500.

Margins: 1HF, NK, 1HF. Odds: 2.80, 9.90, 4.70.

**JERSEY LILLY S., \$50,000, HOU, 2-4, 4yo/up, f/m,**

1 1/16mT, 1:44, fm.

1--**PLEASANTLY BLESSED, 118, m, 8, Pleasant Tap--**

**Benedicida (MSW, \$126,000), by Silver Ghost.** O/T-Steven M Asmussen; B-Doug & Linda Neece (KY); J-Roman Chapa; \$30,000. Lifetime Record: 30-11-12-1, \$409,586. \* 1/2 to Cat Hop (Cat Thief), SW, \$276,401.

2--**Artemus Kitten, 118, f, 4, Kitten's Joy--Chianti Red, by Woodman.** O- Kenneth L and Sarah K Ramsey. \$10,000.

3--**Always in My Heart, 118, m, 6, Hennessy--Vow That Binds, by Miswaki.** O-Pin Oak Stable. \$5,500.

Margins: 1, NK, 1 1/4. Odds: 1.90, 2.90, 9.50.

**ALLOWANCE RESULTS:**

**8th-AQU, \$52,000, NW1X, (S), 4yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:12 1/5, ft.**

**FIONA STORM (m, 5, Ground Storm--Lovely Fiona {SW, \$146,805}, by Not For Love)** Lifetime Record: 29-6-7-5, \$117,260. O-Louis Zito, Donall Fingleton and John Crean. B-Joseph Parisi (NY). T-Bruce N Levine.

**2nd-FGX, \$45,000, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000), C, (S), 4yo/up, 6f, 1:09 4/5, ft.**

**SOUTHERN DUDE (g, 4, Lion Tamer--Viva Vega, by Cobra King)** O-Midwest Thoroughbreds, Inc. B-Summer Grove Farm LLC & Lemon Tree Farm (LA). T-Thomas M Amoss. Lifetime Record: SP, 7-4-0-1, \$109,267.

\*\$27,000 yrl '09 TEXAUG.

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

**WASH PARK (g, 5, Ecton Park--Go for Glamour {GISP, \$146,760}, by Pine Bluff)** Lifetime Record: 12-5-2-1, \$102,064. O-Keith Plaisance. B-Andrea Singer Pollack Revocable Trust (KY). T-Ron Faucheux. \*\$22,000 RNA yrl '08 KEESEP.

**8th-FGX, \$42,600, Opt. Clm. (\$17,500), NW1X, 4yo/up, 1m70y, 1:43 4/5, ft.**

**FRIENDLY BANTER (c, 4, Distorted Humor--Sometime {Ire}, by Royal Academy)** Lifetime Record: 8-2-1-1, \$77,048. O-Louie Roussel III and Ronald Lamarque. B-B P Walden, P Madden, Dearborn Stable, G McDonald & Winstar Farm LLC (KY). T-Louie J Roussel, III.

\*\$190,000 RNA yrl '09 FTSAUG. \*\*1/2 to Art Deco (Ire) (Peintre Celebre), GSW-Eng.

**8th-OPX, \$42,000, Opt. Clm. (\$50,000), NW16MX, 4yo/up, 1m, 1:39 1/5, ft.**

**OMNISCIENT (h, 6, Pulpit--Actceptional, by Noactor)** Lifetime Record: SW & GSP, 21-5-3-5, \$287,853.

O/T-Steven M Asmussen. B-North Wales LLC (KY).

\*\$100,000 yrl '07 KEESEP; \$280,000 2yo 2008

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**6th-FGX, \$41,000, Opt. Clm. (\$30,000), NW1X, (S), 3yo, 1m70y, 1:45 3/5, ft.**

**FOUR JOES (g, 3, Jump Start--Little Miss Deb {SP}, by Valid Wager)** Lifetime Record: 6-2-0-1, \$58,312.

O-Steve D Roe and L Patricia. B-Roy Zuppardo (LA).

T-Patrick Mouton. \*\$7,700 yrl '10 LTBSEP.

**2nd-OPX, \$40,500, Opt. Clm. (\$75,000), NW1X, 3yo, f, 6f, 1:11 3/5, ft.**

**FAST RESOURCE (f, 3, Bob and John--Colee Bear, by Wild Rush)** Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, \$38,100. O-Young Stables LLC and K and J Hall LLC. B-Dr Dan W White (OK). T-W Bret Calhoun. \*\$22,000 yrl '10 TEXAUG.

**1st-GGX, \$31,980, Opt. Clm. (\$32,000), NW1\$X, 3yo, f, 5 1/2f (AWT), 1:04 1/5, ft.**

**LADY HOKULEA (f, 3, Roman Ruler--Tennis Lady {GSW, \$283,047}, by Broad Brush)** Lifetime Record:

4-2-0-0, \$29,130. O-Kama'aina Thoroughbreds.

B-Wayne Hash, Jamie & Richard Ethington & The Roman Ruler Syndicate (KY). T-Lloyd C Mason.

\*\$19,000 yrl '10 KEESEP.

**8th-GGX, \$30,700, 2-4, NW1\$X, 4yo/up, 1 1/16m (AWT), 1:45, ft.**

**DUKE OF DOOM (g, 4, Repent--Paperback Princess, by Notebook)** Lifetime Record: SP, 10-3-3-3, \$84,700.

O-Tnt Racing. B-Shade Tree Thoroughbreds Inc (FL).

T-William E Morey.

**3rd-FGX, \$28,000, Opt. Clm. (\$30,000), 4yo/up, 1 1/8m (off turf), 1:52, ft.**

**GHOSTWALKING (g, 5, Ghostzapper--Two Trail Sioux {GSW & GISP, \$664,960}, by Indian Charlie)** Lifetime

Record: 15-5-3-2, \$129,138. O-Home Run Stable and

Vickie L Foley. B-W S Farish and Steve Mooney (KY).

T-Vickie L Foley. \*\$300,000 yrl '08 KEESEP.



U.S. Breeders' Edition cont.

**8th-CTX, \$26,400, 2-5, NW2L, (S), 4yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:22, ft.**

**DOLLYS AFFAIR (m, 6, Black Tie Affair {Ire}--Western Music, by Lord At War {Arg})** Lifetime Record: 10-2-1-0, \$37,780. O-Anne S McDonald. B-Donna M Hayes (VA). T-Timothy L Wright.

**9th-TPX, \$24,138, Opt. Clm. (\$20,000), NW1\$X, 4yo/up, f/m, 1m (AWT), 1:39 2/5, ft.**

**GLOBE TROT (f, 4, A.P. Indy--Trip {MGSW, \$888,773}, by Lord At War {Arg})** Lifetime Record: 11-2-2-3, \$51,453. O-Arthur G Stollery. B-Claiborne Farm (KY). T-Dale L Romans. \*\$100,000 yrl '09 KEESEP. \*\*3/4 to Passport (Pulpit), SW, \$279,478.

**5th-OPX, \$24,000, Opt. Clm. (\$30,000), 3yo, 1m, 1:40 3/5, ft.**

**DOGWOODS BARTO (g, 3, Latent Heat--Wood Dixie Dance, by Woodman)** Lifetime Record: 5-3-0-1, \$46,494. O-Midwest Thoroughbreds, Inc. B-Jane Parrott & Dogwood Farms (KY). T-Brad H Cox. \*\$19,000 RNA wlng '09 KEENOV.

**9th-HOU, \$21,000, 2-4, NW1X, (S), 4yo/up, 5f, :58 4/5, gd.**

**MASTER TIME (g, 4, Dance Master--Trinity Bluffs, by Gilded Time)** Lifetime Record: 17-3-1-2, \$34,242. O/B-Hall's Family Trust (TX). T-Danele Durham.

**1st-HOU, \$21,000, 2-4, NW1X, (S), 4yo/up, f/m, 5f, :58 3/5, gd.**

**CIRCUSTOWN ROSE (f, 4, Wimbledon--Cats Legend {SP}, by Gold Legend)** Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-0, \$35,243. O-Ox Creek Farms Inc. B-Clarence Scharbauer Jr (TX). T-W Bret Calhoun. \*\$15,000 yrl '09 TEXAUG.

**ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**

**Silver Dandy, c, 3, Badge of Silver--Conversion, by Alydeed.** OPX, 2-5, 6f, 1:12 1/5. B-Aron Yagoda & David Bechtol (KY). \*\$62,000 2yo '11 OBSMAR; \$42,000 yrl '10 FTKJUL.

**Briteness, f, 3, High Brite--Sonora Dancer, by Latin American.** SAX, 2-5, (S), 6f, 1:09 1/5. B-Charles Giordano & Kirk Marten (CA).

**Ok Listen Up, f, 3, Oratory--Todays Kitten, by Tomorrows Cat.** CTX, 2-4, (S), 7f, 1:29 2/5. B-Karl B. Johnson Sr. (WV).

**Bonita Saleeta, f, 3, Porto Foricos--Saleeta, by Seattle Sleet.** FGX, 2-5, (S), 6f, 1:11 3/5. B-William T. Reed (LA).

**Teeny Liz, f, 3, Proud Citizen--Fact of Matter, by Summer Squall.** FGX, 2-5, 1 1/16m (off turf), 1:46 4/5. B-Mt. Brilliant Farm LLC (KY). \*\$15,000 yrl '10 KEESEP.

**Time for Trouble, g, 4, Heres Your Trouble--Ryder Time, by Distant Ryder.** HOU, 2-4, (S), 1m, 1:41 2/5. B-Charles Hukill (TX).

**Mum's Joke, f, 4, It's No Joke--Stately and Mum, by Stately Cielo.** CTX, 2-4, 6 1/2f, 1:22. B-Four Quarters Corp. (CA). \*\$1,100 RNA yrl '09 BESJAN.

**Tivoli, f, 4, Mizzen Mast--Island Melody (SW, \$176,900), by Islefaxyou.** TPX, 2-5, 6 1/2f (AWT), 1:19 4/5. B-Janeen Oliver (KY). \*\$15,000 2yo '10 OBSJUN; \$13,000 RNA yrl '09 KEEJAN.

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**CONDITIONS RESULTS:**

**FRANCE, Pau, 14.15, 2-5, €15,000, 5yo/up, 9f 165yds (AWT), 2:07.20, stn.**

**SPLINTER CELL (h, 6, Johannesburg--Rock Salt {GB}, by Selkirk)** Lifetime Record: SP-Ity & Eng, 32 starts, 7 wins, 15 places, €102,889. O-Mme Valerie Motheu; B-Old Carhue Stud; T-Audrey Voraz. \*\$145,000 RNA wlng '06 KEENOV; 25,000gns yrl '07 TATDEC. \*\*1/2 to Termagant (Ire) (Powerscourt {GB}), G1SW-Ire, \$234,838.