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GIANT KILLER ALGORITHMS BACK FOR FOY

He's already taken down the colors of champion and GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile hero Hansen (Tapit), and **Algorithms** (Bernardini) gets a crack at Juvenile runner-up **Union Rags** (Dixie Union) in this afternoon's GII Fasig-Tipton Fountain of Youth S. at Gulfstream



Algorithms A Coglianesse

Park. Algorithms, whom jockey Javier Castellano has chosen to partner through the Triple Crown trail, has yet to taste defeat in his three-race career, including his five-length success in the GIII Holy Bull S. Jan. 29. Those trying to beat the 8-5 morning-line favorite will point to the fact that the Holy Bull was contested over a sloppy strip and will side

with Union Rags's experience at two turns. Algorithms will be joined in the starting gate by stablemate **Discreet Dancer** (Discreet Cat), perfect in two starts and also getting two turns for the first time. "I don't ever like to run two of my horses against each other, especially two undefeated colts," trainer Todd Pletcher told *Daily Racing Form*. "But this race is about these two horses' development, that's what our main focus is, not solely about this weekend but moving forward as well." Fountain of Youth field. p13

EL PADRINO TAKES RISEN STAR BOBBER



El Padrino (left)
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Let's Go Stable's **El Padrino** (Pulpit) gave trainer Todd Pletcher his second win in the GII Risen Star S. in three years, outslugging **Mark Valeski** (Proud Citizen) to score by a nose. It was 5 1/2 lengths back to **Z Dager** (Mizzen Mast) in third. El Padrino covered the mile-and-one-sixteenth distance in 1:42.96, the fastest time since Zarb's Magic (Zarbyev) set the stakes record of 1:42.80 back in 1996. Risen Star S. cont. p3

READY FOR PRIME TIME

She'd been the talking horse since her win in the G3 Blue Diamond Prelude S. a fortnight back, leading the ante-post markets, and **Samaready (Aus)** (More Than Ready) proved worthy of the hype Saturday, coming from just off the pace to take the A\$1-million G1 Blue Diamond S. at Caulfield. It was the first success in the event for

trainer Mick Price, who might have been celebrating a second Blue Diamond score were it not for a drug positive which saw Roedean (Aus) disqualified from the top spot in 2003. "It's mission accomplished isn't it?" Price said. "She's just



Samaready

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one of those fillies that just had a perfect prep." It was the third consecutive success for Samaready who debuted a winner at Flemington in December prior to her Prelude tally. Handy early before being shuffled back to midfield, Samaready pulled Craig Newitt up into a menacing third on the final quarter. Set down 400 meters from home, she accelerated sweetly and went on to a comfortable three-length victory. **No Looking Back (Aus)** (Redoute's Choice), the 11-2 second choice stayed on for second, with **Armed for Action (Aus)** (Exceed and Excel {Aus}) completing a 1-2-3 sweep for the fairer sex. **Blue Diamond** chart p11

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Overseas Targets for The Factor?

Fog City Stable and George Bolton's The Factor (War Front) led soon after the start, took pace pressure in the middle of the race, but held off a flying finish from Sway Away (Afleet Alex) to land the GII San Carlos S. Saturday at Santa Anita. Bob Baffert in a tux and tails? Could be.



Benoit photo

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Awesome Indeed!



Adam Coglianese

Robsham Stables LLC's Awesome Maria (Maria's Mon) made a victorious return to the races with a successful defense of her title in Saturday's GIII Sabin S. at Gulfstream Park. Royal Delta (Empire Maker), making her first start since her victory in the GI Breeders' Cup Ladies' Classic last November, was up in the final jump for second.

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EST	Race	Click for	TV
4:45p	Mac Diarmida S.-GII, GP	brisnet.com PPs	HRTV
5:13p	F-T Fountain of Youth S.-GII, GP	brisnet.com PPs	HRTV



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Undefeated 2YO SAMA READY became the 21st G1 winner for **MORE THAN READY** with his victory in yesterday's Blue Diamond S. (G1).

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Saturday, Fair Grounds

RISEN STAR S.-GII, \$300,000, FGX, 2-25, 3yo,
1 1/16m, 1:42.96, ft.

1--#**@EL PADRINO**, 116, c, 3, by **Pulpit**

1st Dam: **Enchanted Rock**, by **Giant's Causeway**

2nd Dam: **Chic Shirine**, by **Mr. Prospector**

3rd Dam: **Too Chic**, by **Blushing Groom (Fr)**

(\$210,000 yrl '10 KESEF). O-Let's Go Stable;
B-Emory A Hamilton (KY); T-Todd A Pletcher; J-Javier
Castellano; \$180,000. Lifetime Record: 5-3-1-1,
\$266,100. **Werk Nick Rating: A + + + *Triple Plus***.

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2--**Mark Valeski**, 116, c, 3, **Proud Citizen**--Pocho's
Dream Girl, by Fortunate Prospect. (\$22,000 RNA yrl
'10 KESEF). O/B-Brereton C Jones (KY); T-J Larry
Jones; \$60,000.

3--**Z Dager**, 116, c, 3, **Mizzen Mast**--Fees Waived, by
Wavering Monarch. (\$100,000 yrl '10 KESEF).
O-Zayat Stables LLC; B-Glencrest Farm LLC (KY);
T-Steven M Asmussen; \$30,000.

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Tizanexpense, Ted's Folly, Optimizer, Adena's Chance,
Mr. Bowling.

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A debut second at Saratoga Aug. 20, El Padrino walloped a field of Belmont maidens in the slop by better than a dozen lengths Oct. 29 and closed his promising freshman season with a third, beaten three-parts of a length, in the GII Remsen S. at Aqueduct Nov. 26. Underfoot conditions were in his favor on his seasonal debut at Gulfstream Jan. 29, as the flashy chestnut relished a good track and outraced Take Charge Indy (A.P. Indy) for a two-length allowance victory. Away without incident from the stalls, El Padrino took up a prominent position early on and was in the clear and in third, just off the flank of Mark Valeski--going long for the first time in his career--turning up the backside. Positions were largely unchanged following six furlongs in a moderate 1:13.15, and Mark Valeski went to the front in upper stretch, but was immediately challenged by the odds-on gamble. The two rivals hooked up for a final-furlong scrimmage and laid their bodies down, with El Padrino getting his nose down on the wire when it counted. A stewards' inquiry into possible bumping in the stretch was ultimately disallowed. The top two are expected back for the GII Louisiana Derby Apr. 1.

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Saturday, Gulfstream Park

DAVONA DALE S.-GII, \$350,000, GPX, 2-25, 3yo, f, 1 1/16m, 1:43 2/5, ft.

1--**@YARA, 116, f, 3, by Put It Back**

1st Dam: Ashlee's Lady, by Gilded Time

2nd Dam: Lady Laika, by Gone West

3rd Dam: Princess Laika, by Blushing Groom (Fr)

(\$22,000 RNA w/ing '09 OBSOCT; \$19,000 RNA yrl '10 OBSJAN; \$12,000 yrl '10 OBSAUG; \$24,000 2yo '11 OBSAPR). O-Peras International; B-Brambly Lane Farm & Steve Dwoskin (FL); T-Jose Garoffalo; J-Jesus Lopez Castanon; \$250,000. Lifetime Record: 6-3-0-0, \$363,920. **Werk Nick Rating: B+ . Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.**


2--**Grace Hall, 118, f, 3, Empire Maker--Season's Greetings (Ire)**, by Ezzoud (Ire). (\$95,000 yrl '10 KEESep). O-Michael Dubb, Bethlehem Stables & The Elkstone Group; B-Darley (KY); T-Anthony W Dutrow; \$50,000.

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3--**Captivating Lass, 116, f, 3, A.P. Indy--Folk**, by Quiet American. O-Darley Stable; B-Darley (KY); T-Kiaran P McLaughlin; \$25,000.

Margins: NK, 3HF, 2HF. Odds: 64.50, 0.80, 6.30. Also Ran: Disposablepleasure, The Cat's All That, Nuffsaid Nuffsaid, Frolic's Revenge, Salad Girl, Taker Home.

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Here To Win and Keertana ran final 16ths in :5.56 and :5.68 respectively in The Very One...Final turn deceiving, both covered same amount of ground, Here To Win just had more in reserve.

Yara at 64-1 covered 31ft more than favored Grace Hall in the Davona Dale.

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Davona Dale S. cont.

Blue-collar Yara outfought Grade I winner Grace Hall to cause a massive boilover in the GII Davona Dale S. The Florida-bred filly was well-backed in each of her first two career starts, finishing fourth at 2-1 in a key Calder maiden on her Aug. 27 debut before graduating by 5 3/4 lengths as the 7-5 chalk Sept. 11. An even fourth in the Oct. 1 Cassidy S. at Calder, the chestnut



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bounced back with a good-looking 5 1/4-length tally in the restricted Joe O'Farrell Juvenile Fillies S. on Florida Million Day Nov. 22. Yara caught a sloppy track for her seasonal debut in the GII Forward Gal S. over seven furlongs Jan. 29 and struggled home fourth, beaten over

22 lengths. Yara won the break and took the field into the first turn, but she could not drop down onto the fence, as Grace Hall showed good speed in her seasonal debut. Ramon Dominguez gave the Spinaway S. upsetter a bit more rein and the duo led past the 3/4-pole. The odds-on favorite looked to be going comfortably enough after six furlongs in 1:12.38 and still held the call entering the short stretch, but she never could shake off the stubborn Yara and settled for a near-miss second. "This is the biggest win of my career," Florida-based trainer Jose Garaffolo said. "I knew it was a tough field, but I was always confident that she would handle a distance." He added, "I picked this one out. The goal is the [GI] Kentucky Oaks with maybe a race before then. I usually wait to see how they come out of a race to make more immediate plans." Peras International is the nom-de-course of Venezuelan owner Anderson Castro. According to Garaffolo, Castro is investing in a handful of American-based horses.

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SAN CARLOS S.-GII, \$200,000, SAX, 2-25, 4yo/up, 7f, 1:20 2/5, ft.

1--**THE FACTOR**, 123, c, 4, by [War Front](#)

1st Dam: Greyciousness, by Miswaki

2nd Dam: Skatingonthinice, by Icecapade

3rd Dam: Rain Shower, by Bold Forbes

(\$50,000 wlng '08 KEENOV; \$40,000 yrl '09 FTKJUL; \$250,000 2yo '10 BESMAY). O-Fog City Stable & George Bolton; B-H & W Thoroughbreds (KY); T-Bob Baffert; J-Martin Garcia; \$120,000.

Lifetime Record: MGISW, 10-6-0-0, \$772,180. **Werk**

Nick Rating: C+. [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

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2--**Sway Away**, 118, c, 4, [Afleet Alex](#)--Seattle Shimmer, by Seattle Slew. (\$170,000 wlng '08 KEENOV; \$75,000 2yo '10 BESMAR). O-Batman Stable, Phillip Lebherz, et al; B-Billy Tillery & Bob Sliker (KY); T-Jeff Bonde; \$40,000.

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3--**Amazombie**, 123, g, 6, [Northern Afleet](#)--Wilsh Amaze, by In Excess (Ire). (\$32,000 RNA 2yo '08 BESJAN). O-Thomas C Sanford & William Spawr; B-Gregg Anderson (CA); T-William Spawr; \$24,000. Margins: HF, 1 3/4, HD. Odds: 0.70, 9.20, 2.10. Also Ran: Canonize, Rothko. Scratched: Mensa Heat. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#), the [brisnet.com PPs](#), the [free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree](#) or the [video replay](#).

Winner of the GI Pat O'Brien H. last year at Del Mar, The Factor took a step back when a tired eighth in the GI Breeders' Cup Dirt Mile at Churchill Nov. 5. But he rebounded with a stylish win in the GI Malibu S. over course and distance Dec. 26, and was odds-on here despite the presence of GI Breeders' Cup Sprint hero and Eclipse champ Amazombie. The Factor broke smartly from post three and hummed along through fractions of :22.55 and :44.50 while the Malibu runner-up Rothko (Arch) applied token pressure. Martin Garcia began to ride him in upper stretch, and the gray responded gamely, getting to the wire first as Sway Away's resolute rally came up a length short. There was a stewards' inquiry into an incident in upper stretch, where The Factor came in a bit on the rail-skimming Canonize (Aldebaran), but the result stood. According to trainer Bob Baffert, it was his barn's 11th straight win, and 16th from his last 17 starters. The Factor is being considered for the G1 Dubai Golden Shaheen Mar. 31 and for Royal Ascot, but Baffert was non-committal. "My plan is to see how he comes out of it," he said. "We have Dubai and George [Bolton, co-owner] has been kicking around the Ascot thing, but there are more negatives than there are positives to it. For right now, we just want to soak up the win and enjoy it."

Saturday, Fair Grounds

RACHEL ALEXANDRA S.-GIII, \$194,000, FGX, 2-25, 3yo, f, 1 1/16m, 1:43 1/5, ft.

1--**#@SUMMER APPLAUSE**, 118, f, 3, by [Harlan's Holiday](#)

1st Dam: Summer Exhibition, by Royal Academy

2nd Dam: Dewan's Flag, by Dewan

3rd Dam: Against All Flags, by Hoist the Flag (\$82,000 RNA yrl '10 FTKJUL). O-Gillian R Campbell Group Management Ltd & Greenwood Lodge Farm; B-Greenwood Lodge Farm Inc (KY); T-W Bret Calhoun; J-Robby Albarado; \$120,000. Lifetime Record: 5-3-1-0, \$202,906. *1/2 to Big Easy (Gulch), MSP, \$217,134. **Werk Nick Rating: D.** [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

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2--**Avie's Sense**, 116, f, 3, [Street Sense](#)--Fly for Avie, by Lord Avie. (\$120,000 RNA yrl '10 KEESEP). O/B-Tall Oaks Farm (KY); T-Josie Carroll; \$40,000.

3--**Inny Minnie**, 116, f, 3, [Hard Spun](#)--Inny River, by Seattle Slew. (\$210,000 RNA yrl '10 FTSAUG; \$240,000 2yo '11 KEEAPR). O-Jake Ballis; B-Equine Equity Partners LLC (KY); T-Steve Margolis; \$20,000. Margins: 1, 3HF, 2 3/4. Odds: 3.20, 10.70, 5.10. Also Ran: Believe You Can, Table Three Ten, Annaclone. Scratched: Applauding.

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Summer Applause debuted over 5 1/2 furlongs of the Woodbine Polytrack Oct. 30, but raced wide throughout and never made any real impact, finishing sixth. She improved for that experience, coming from off the pace to graduate by a widening 2 1/4 lengths at Woodbine Dec. 3. It was in her local and two-turn debuts Dec. 31 where the bay announced her arrival as a potential major player in the sophomore filly division, leading every step of the way en route to a seven-length victory against entry-level allowance competition Dec. 31. Believe You Can (Proud Citizen) beat her to the front when they hooked up last time in the Silverbulletday S. Jan. 21, and Summer Applause never could quite get to her and settled for a runner-up effort, with Inny Minnie a nostril back in third. Avie's Sense won the break this time and set a strong pace from Inny Minnie as Summer Applause, three wide into the clubhouse turn, raced along comfortably from fourth. Inny Minnie began to cut into Avie's Sense's lead as they raced around the final turn, but by now, Summer Applause was finding her best stride three deep on that bend. She was given a crack of Robby Albarado's whip in upper stretch and looked to have all the momentum, but Avie's Sense would not go down without a fight and it was only in the final 50 yards that Summer Applause had the race in the bag.



Lou Hodges photography

Today's Video Highlights

GII Risen Star S. (FG) El Padrino (Pulpit) outgames Mark Valeski (Proud Citizen).

GII Davona Dale S. (GP) Yara (Put It Back) causes a major upset.

GII San Carlos S. (SA) The Factor (War Front) takes them coast to coast.

GIII Sabin S. (GP) Awesome Maria (Maria's Mon) lives up to her name.

GIII Rachel Alexandra S. (FG) Summer Applause (Harlan's Holiday) edges clear.

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TAMPA BAY S.-GIII, \$150,000, TAM, 2-25, 4yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:40 2/5, fm.

- 1--**@ROMAN TIGER**, 116, g, 7, by **Tiger Ridge**
 1st Dam: **Sunny's Freckles**, by **Sam's Sunny Hour**
 2nd Dam: **Ann's Bluff**, by **Secretary of State**
 3rd Dam: **Dee Bluff**, by **Big Bluffer**
 (\$15,000 yrl '06 FTMOCT). O/T-Dennis J Manning; B-Bowling & Dodd (FL); J-Angel Serpa; \$90,000.
 Lifetime Record: 24-3-3-6, \$411,470. [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree](#). Werk Nick Rating: C+.
- 2--**El Commodore**, 118, g, 5, **El Prado (Ire)**--Fancy Clancy, by Rahy. O-Kinsman Stable; B-Kinsman Farm (KY); T-Gregory A Griffith; \$30,000.
- 3--**Swift Warrior**, 118, c, 4, **First Samurai**--Afleet Summer, by Afleet. (\$80,000 RNA yrl '09 KESEP). O-James Covello; B-Paget Bloodstock, Nearctic Bloodstock & Carhue Investments (KY); T-John P Terranova II; \$15,000.

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Margins: NO, HF, HF. Odds: 28.70, 33.40, 11.40.
 Also Ran: Allie's Event, Lentenor, Versailles Road, Moryba (Brz), Successful Mission, Guys Reward, Hoofit (NZ), Duke of Mischief, Union Bowman.
 Scratched: Uptowncharlybrown.



Tampa Bay S. cont.

Entering this, Roman Tiger had won exactly one race since 2008, a tally in the 2010 Island Whirl Florida Thoroughbred Charities S. at Gulfstream, so handicappers were excused for dismissing him as a 28-1 outsider here. But the veteran put it all together in his 24th trip to the post and came away with his first graded victory. Third, placed sixth, in the Bonnie Heath Turf Cup H. at Calder Nov. 12, the gelding was a solid fourth in a Gulfstream optional claimer Dec. 16, then finished sixth in the Sunshine Millions Turf Jan. 28. After a stumbling start from the rail draw, Roman Tiger saved ground in mid-pack under Angel Serpa as longshot El Commdore led. Roman Tiger inched closer heading into the far turn, stayed glued to the pine in the stretch and came flying up to the inside of the pacesetter to key a \$1,394 exacta by a nose. Swift Warrior launched an eye-catching rally for show honors. "I got nervous when he stumbled at the break, but he regained himself, and after he went by the stands the first time, Angel had him in perfect position," winning trainer Dennis Manning said. "I told him to save all the ground on the inside and sit five or six lengths off the lead, and when you ask him, he'll run. Then it was a matter of whether he was good enough, and today he was. I got lucky, and God was shining down on me today." It was a bittersweet moment for Serpa, who recorded his first graded victory only a day after learning of the death of his grandmother. "I knew my best chance was to stay put and save every inch of ground I could," Serpa said. "Some of the best horses in the race, I thought, were going to be stuck far outside. My horse was very comfortable down the backstretch and really wanted to do more, so I just let him pick his way forward, and when we got to the top of the stretch, it looked like there would be an opening for him and I asked him. Just for a second the hole seemed to close, but it opened up again right away, and he fired up inside every step. I don't feel lucky. I think I had the best horse."

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Saturday, Fair Grounds

MINESHAFT H.-GIII, \$120,000, FGX, 2-25, 4yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:43, ft.

1--#**@NATES MINESHAFT**, 118, r, 5, by [Mineshaft](#)

1st Dam: Angel's Tearlet (MSW & GSP, \$280,051), by Silver Deputy

2nd Dam: Willowy Miss, by Dust Commander

3rd Dam: Nantopic, by Ahoy

(\$8,000 yrl '08 FTKOCT). O-Windy Hill Farm; B-Cobra Farm (KY); T-Austin K Smith; J-Jesse M Campbell; \$75,000. Lifetime Record: 12-5-1-1, \$175,428. *1/2 to Mr. Trieste (Old Trieste), MSW, \$602,429. **Werk Nick Rating: A + + + *Triple Plus* Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.**

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2--**Fast Alex**, 119, h, 5, [Afleet Alex](#)--Unaffordable, by Unbridled. O-Jim Tafel LLC; B-James Tafel (KY); T-Greg Geier; \$25,000.

3--**Alma d'Oro**, 119, h, 6, [Medaglia d'Oro](#)--Brenda D S, by Fortunate Prospect. (\$75,000 wlng '06 KEENOV). O-Bourque Goldstein Thoroughbreds LLC; B-Fred N Sahadi (KY); T-Todd A Pletcher; \$12,500.

Margins: 2 3/4, 1HF, NO. Odds: 13.80, 3.70, 2.90.

Also Ran: Tres Borrachos, Mister Marti Gras, Thiskyhasnolimit. Scratched: Pants On Fire, Cool Blue Red Hot, Gladding.

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Nates Mineshaft, who defeated \$25,000 claimers over this track and trip in an off-the-turf affair Dec. 28, added a front-running optional claimer victory last time out Jan. 19. Looking for his third straight victory in his graded stakes debut, the bay ridgling was sent off the longest shot on the board. He took the lead soon after the start, going the opening quarter in :25.30 with favored Thiskyhasnolimit (Sky Mesa) in a stalking second. The favorite was pulled up after a half mile in :49.35, leaving Nates Mineshaft on a clear lead. Briefly challenged by Fast Alex, the longshot put that foe away in upper stretch and sailed clear in the race named for his sire. "If you saw the last race, he was worth the opportunity to try him in here," trainer Austin Smith said. "He just dominated that bunch. It wasn't anything like this bunch, but he is four-for-four on the racetrack and we were here and didn't have to ship anywhere, so we took a shot." Thiskyhasnolimit was pulled up on the backstretch with an injury to his right front leg. He was transported to Louisiana State University for surgery.

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Saturday, Fair Grounds

FAIR GROUNDS H.-GIII, \$122,500, FGX, 2-25, 4yo/up, a1 1/8mT, 1:51 4/5, gd.

1--**SMART BID**, 121, h, 6, by [Smart Strike](#)

1st Dam: **Recording (GSW, \$134,224)**, by Danzig

2nd Dam: **Ratings**, by Caveat

3rd Dam: **T. V. Ad**, by T. V. Commercial

O-Augustin Stable; B-George Strawbridge Jr (PA); T-H Graham Motion; J-Edgar S Prado; \$75,000.

Lifetime Record: MGISP, 20-5-7-4, \$891,813. *1/2 to Representing (Rahy), SW-Fr & Swi & GSP-Ger, \$262,968; Deal Making (Empire Maker), MSW & MGSP, \$237,687. **Werk Nick Rating: A + + +**. *Triple Plus*. [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

2--**Mr. Vegas**, 118, g, 5, [Freud](#)--Lhotse, by The Minstrel. (\$23,000 yrl '08 FTNAUG). O-Andrews T and S Racing; B-Berkshire Stud (NY); T-Richard R Scherer; \$25,000.

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3--**Dubious Miss**, 116, g, 8, E Dubai--Cryptoclover, by Mountain Cat. O-David P Holloway Racing, Inc; B-David P Holloway (KY); T-Paul J McGee; \$12,500. Margins: HD, 1HF, HD. Odds: 1.90, 2.70, 5.20.

Also Ran: Ioya Bigtime, Strike Impact, Derby Kitten, Achaemenes. Scratched: Uptowncharlybrown, Gleam of Hope, Mister Marti Gras. [Click for the brisnet.com chart, the brisnet.com PPs or the video replay.](#)

Smart Bid earned the win in Fair Grounds' GII Mervin Muniz Jr. Memorial H. by the length of his nose last year and duplicated that effort yesterday with a dramatic last-gasp victory. Settled in mid-pack as Mr.

Vegas took the field through fractions of :24.40, :49.60 and 1:14.41, Smart Bid rallied three wide into the lane and closed determinedly in deep stretch to just nip the pacesetter on the line. Second in last year's GI Woodford Reserve Turf Classic and Colonial Turf Cup, Smart Bid was fourth in the GI Eddie Read H. in July and second in the GII Sky Classic S. in August before ending the year with an eighth-place effort in the Sept. 17 PTHA Parx Cup. "He really does love Fair Grounds and he is just such a game horse," winning trainer Graham Motion said by



Smart Bid (green cap) sets sail for home
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phone after the race. "I was a little concerned because I thought [Edgar] waited a little bit longer than he normally does to ask him to run; normally he asks him quite early. But he obviously knew what he was doing and it just worked out great. Maybe we'll have to come back for the next one [the GII Mervin Muniz Memorial S. Apr. 1]."

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Saturday, Gulfstream Park

SABIN S.-GIII, \$98,000, GPX, 2-25, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:42 4/5, ft.

1--**AWESOME MARIA**, 123, m, 5, by [Maria's Mon](#)

1st Dam: **Discreetly Awesome**, by **Awesome Again**

2nd Dam: **Pretty Discreet**, by **Private Account**

3rd Dam: **Pretty Persuasive**, by **Believe It**

O-E Paul Robsham Stables LLC; B-Mrs E Paul Robsham (KY); T-Todd A Pletcher; J-John R Velazquez; \$60,000. Lifetime Record: GISW, 13-8-3-1, \$902,375. **Werk Nick Rating: A +**. [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

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2--**Royal Delta**, 123, f, 4, Empire Maker--Delta Princess, by A.P. Indy. (\$8,500,000 HRA '11 KEENOV). O-Besilu Stables; B-Palides Investments NV Inc (KY); T-William I Mott; \$20,000.

3--**Groupie Doll**, 121, f, 4, Bowman's Band--Deputy Doll, by Silver Deputy. O-Fred F & William B Bradley, Carl Hurst & Brent Burns; B-Fred & William Bradley (KY); T-William Bradley; \$10,000.

Margins: 8, HD, 2HF. Odds: 0.90, 1.10, 4.20. Also Ran: Canadian Mistress, Ghostly Darkness.

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Despite her victory in the GI Breeders' Cup Ladies' Classic Nov. 4, champion Royal Delta was sent off the second choice by the wagering public, and Awesome Maria proved them correct with another dominating performance over her favorite racetrack. A top-three sophomore filly of 2010 in a class which included Havre de Grace (Saint Liam) and Blind Luck (Pollard's Vision), Awesome Maria announced herself as a championship contender in her two appearances at this venue last winter, taking this race--contested over a mile--by 4 3/4 lengths before following up with an eight-length score in the GII Rampart S. In that race, the 2010 Ladies' Classic winner, the Bill Mott-trained Unrivaled Belle (Unbridled's Song), was a rusty third. Awesome Maria was 45 cents on the dollar for the GII Shuvee H. at Belmont Park May 21, but had to work the length of the stretch for a head success, and she completed an abbreviated, but undefeated season with a three-length tally as the 124-pound highweight in the the GI Ogden Phipps H. She was being readied for a start in the GI Ruffian H. at Saratoga in July, but suffered a non-displaced condylar fracture of her left foreleg, underwent surgery and was given the balance of the year off. Three wide out of the stretch the first time, Awesome Maria was joined to her outside by Royal Delta, handier than is her custom, and secured a three-path journey from third down the backstretch. Groupie Doll made a move from between horses to lead leaving the three-eighths pole, but Awesome Maria grabbed her soon thereafter, kicked clear into the stretch and raced away an easy winner. Royal Delta was a bit one-paced for the final two furlongs and was just able to touch Groupie Doll out of second. "She came back with a big effort," trainer Todd Pletcher said of the winner. "I thought she ran very well considering the length of the layoff. We were hoping to get a prep into. Turns out she didn't need it." Plans call for Awesome Maria to defend her title in the GII Rampart S. Mar. 31. Royal Delta is still scheduled to race that afternoon, some 8,000 miles away, in the G1 Dubai World Cup. "I was happy with her race," said Royal Delta's rider Jose Lezcano. "I don't think the distance helped her. Once we got into the stretch and she switched leads, she ran well but the distance was too short. I think she'll get much better from this race."

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Saturday, Gulfstream Park

THE VERY ONE S.-GIII, \$100,000, GPX, 2-25, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 3/8mT, 2:13 1/5, fm.

1--**HERE TO WIN (BRZ)**, 117, m, 6, by Roi Normand

1st Dam: Ascot Belle (Brz) (MSW-Brz),
by Falcon Jet (Brz)

2nd Dam: Indian Blossom, by Fred Astaire

3rd Dam: Floral Blossom, by Diplomat Way

O-Trick or Treat International; B-Haras Santa Ana do Rio Grande (Brz); T-Kiaran P McLaughlin; J-Joe Bravo; \$60,000. Lifetime Record: Ch. 3yo Filly-SAf, MG1SW-SAf, 16-5-2-3, \$232,035.

Werk Nick Rating: A + + + *Triple Plus*.

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2--**Keertana**, 121, m, 6, [Johar](#)--Motokiks, by Storm Cat.

O/B-Barbara Hunter (KY); T-Thomas F Proctor; \$20,000.

3--**Woodford Belle**, 117, m, 5, [Arch](#)--Tis Me, by

Notebook. O-Catesby W Clay; B-Runnymede Farm Inc, Johnson Camden Clay & James E Clay II (KY); T-Michelle Nihei; \$10,000.

Margins: 1, 4HF, NO. Odds: 11.20, 2.50, 53.30.

Also Ran: Casablanca Smile (Chi), Clarinet, Hasay (GB), Good Karma (Ity), Perfect Shirl, Middle Club (GB), Aquitaine, Full Moon Party. Scratched: Font, Dash Dot Dash, Shimmering Moment. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#), the [brisnet.com PPs](#) or the [video replay](#).**

Here to Win took a pair of South African Group 1s in 2010 to earn that nation's championship 3-year-old filly honors, and joined trainer Mike de Kock's string at Meydan last term after being acquired by this ownership group. She hit the board twice from four tries in Dubai, and was transferred to Kiaran McLaughlin to complete her 2011 season. The dark bay was a well-beaten eighth as the favorite in the Lady Baltimore S. over yielding Laurel sod Oct. 22, and subsequently hit the bench. She resurfaced going 8 1/2 furlongs here Jan. 13, and showed late interest to be third after some traffic trouble, but was still looking to return to her best form. Hugging the rail towards the back of this full field, Here to Win appeared full of run as she picked off horses along the inside entering the far turn--but she needed somewhere to go. The rail opened up at the head of the lane, and she drove through it, stiff-arming a bid from Keertana to post the upset. Perfect Shirl (Perfect Soul {Ire}), who was making her first start since upsetting the GI Breeders' Cup F/M Turf Nov. 4, never factored.

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Saturday, Hanshin, Japan

ARLINGTON CUP-G3, ¥71,300,000, Hanshin, 2-25, 3yo, 1600mT, 1:36.30, fm.

1--#**@JUST A WAY (JPN)**, 123, c, 3, by Heart's Cry (Jpn)

1st Dam: Sibyl (Jpn), by Wild Again

2nd Dam: Charon, by Mo Exception

3rd Dam: Double Wiggle, by Sir Wiggle

(¥12,000,000 yrl '10 JPNJUL). O-Akatsuki

Yamatoya; B-Shiraoi Farm; T-Naosuke Sugai; J-Yuichi

Fukunaga; ¥37,490,000. Lifetime Record 5-2-1-0.

* 1/2 to Sky No Dan (Jpn), GSP-Jpn, \$950,591.

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Nick Rating: **B+**.

2--**Olivine (Jpn)**, 123, c, 3, Daiwa Major (Jpn)--Shaanxi,

by Zilzal. O-Teruya Yoshida; B-Shadai Farm;

¥15,140,000.

3--**Archimedes (Jpn)**, 123, c, 3, Admire Moon (Jpn)--

Archeology, by Seeking the Gold. O-H H Sheikh

Mohammed; B-Darley Japan Farm; ¥9,370,000.

Margins: HF, 1 1/4, NK. Odds: 3.10, 5.00, 10.60.

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Saturday, Caulfield, Australia

PATINACK FARM BLUE DIAMOND S.-G1, A\$1,000,000, Caulfield (Melbourne), 2-25, 2yo, 6fT, 1:10.47, gd.

1-▲ **SAMAREADY (AUS)**, 120, f, 2, by [More Than Ready](#)

1st Dam: Samar (Aus), by Secret Savings
2nd Dam: Nice Choice (GB), by Touching Wood
3rd Dam: Dubai Spring, by Broadway Forli

(A\$150,000 yrl '11 INGEAS). O-Vinery Stud Synd, Greenwich Stud Synd, Echo Beach Bloodstock Synd, Newstead Synd & Encompass Bloodstock Synd; B-Mr G Harvey; T-Mick Price; J-Craig Newitt; A\$600,000. Lifetime Record: 3-3-0-0, A\$718,450. *1/2 to Night War (Aus) (General Nediym {Aus}), MGSW-Aus. [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#) Werk Nick Rating: B.

2--**No Looking Back (Aus)**, 120, f, 2, Redoute's Choice (Aus)--Mirror Mirror (Aus), by Dehere. (A\$500,000 yrl '11 MMGCYS). O-Nick Vass Bloodstock,

D Henderson, L Henderson, Team McDonnell Synd, B Headland, W Cook, B Pang & Realrosy Synd; B-Strawberry Hill Stud; T-G Waterhouse; A\$180,000.

3--**Armed For Action (Aus)**, 120, f, 2, [Exceed and Excel \(Aus\)](#)--

Brave and Bold (Aus), by Timber Country. (A\$90,000 yrl '11 INGEAS). O-J O'Neill, M Dominello, C Reid, M Pejic, R Scheriani, A Barritt, P N J Racing, B S Wilson, Token Croats Synd & Carty Racing; B-Milburn Creek Thoroughbred Stud; T-Anthony Freedman; A\$90,000.

Margins: 3, 2. Odds: 5-4, 11-2, 25-1.

Also Ran: Jimando (Aus), Rusambo (Aus), The Travelling Man (NZ), Mama's Choice (Aus), Real Stolle (Aus), Members Joy (Aus), Bush Aviator (Aus), Formidable (Aus), General Rippa (Aus), Applegate (Aus), Ferment (Aus), Andre Roo Hoo (Aus), Cambiaso (Aus). Scratched: Fire Thunderbolt (Aus), Mrs Gray (Aus), Pronto Pronto (Aus), Al Aneed (Aus).

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Samaready's victory helped ease the pain of Craig Newitt, who arrived at Caulfield on Blue Diamond Day in 2009 with hopes of a big win only to learn later in the day that his father had been killed in a car accident. "That day is a bit of a blur," Newitt stated. "I'll just replace it with this one. [This is] one of the greatest thrills I've had in racing. Mick and his staff have done a super job to get her here." Samaready will now be set for the G1 Golden Slipper S. at Rosehill Apr. 7, the world's richest race for juveniles at A\$3.5 million.

Saturday, Caulfield, Australia

CATHAY PACIFIC FUTURITY S.-G1, A\$500,000, Caulfield (Melbourne), 2-25, 3yo/up, 7fT, 1:23.82, gd. 1--**KING MUFHASA (NZ)**, 130, g, 7, by Pentire (GB)

1st Dam: Sheila Cheval (NZ), by Mi Preferido
2nd Dam: Silver Sheila (NZ), by Silver Dream (GB)
3rd Dam: Just Ours (NZ), by Just Whistle (Ire)

O-D L, Ms N N & S C Archer & Mrs D J Wright; B-C C E & J W Thompson; T-Stephen McKee; J-Nash Rawiller; A\$300,000. Lifetime Record: Horse of the Year, Ch. Miler, Ch. Sprinter & MG1SW-NZ (as Mufhasa {NZ}), 49-18-6-5, A\$2,516,760.

Werk Nick Rating: A + + (1SW).

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2--**Pinker Pinker (Aus)**, 126, f, 4, Reset (Aus)--Miss Marion (Aus), by Success Express. (A\$120,000 yrl '09 INGMEL). O-M D Kirby Nominees Pty Ltd; B-W Giovas & C Gordon; T-Greg Eurell; A\$90,000.

3--**Adamantium (NZ)**, 122, c, 3, Elusive City--Della Mimosa (NZ), by Generous (Ire). O-R Smith, B L Mathieson, H J Mackley & J B Parncutt; B-H J Mackley; T-Danny O'Brien; A\$45,000.

Margins: 1 1/4, 1 3/4. Odds: 11-8, 5-2, 9-1.

Also Ran: Playing God (Aus), Niwot (Aus), Wall Street (NZ), Bigelow (Aus), Scenic Shot (Aus). Scratched: Dao Dao (Aus), Danzylum (Aus), Doubtful Jack (Aus).

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Benefitting from the absence of supermare Black Caviar (Aus) (Bel Esprit {Aus}), Kiwi champion King Mufhasa faced little resistance in securing his ninth career Group 1 tally here. Last seen finishing second in Te Rapa's G1 Waikato Draft Sprint Feb. 11, the accomplished veteran was able to dictate terms on the front end under first-time pilot Nash Rawiller, and he kept finding more to hold G1 Cox Plate heroine Pinker Pinker (Aus) safely at bay. "Nash was able to dictate the race and we know how good Nash is in front," trainer Stephen McKee told *Racing and Sports*. "Without Black Caviar and a few other horses it made it a lot easier." Rawiller added, "He is an old cracker, isn't he? Full credit to him. He is probably not the best horse I've ever ridden but the stats suggest he is one of the hardest triers. To win his ninth Group 1 today in Australasia, and more importantly in Australia, is a magnificent effort for an old horse." McKee told *Racing and Sports* that the winner will be considered for the G1 George Ryders S. and/or the G1 All-Aged S.--both in April in Sydney.

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Saturday, Caulfield, Australia

SPORTINGBET OAKLEIGH PLATE-G1, A\$400,000, Caulfield (Melbourne), 2-25, 3yo/up, 5.5fT, 1:03.49, gd.

1--▲**WOORIM (AUS)**, 122, g, 6, by Show a Heart (Aus)
 1st Dam: Wabble (Aus), by Canadian Silver
 2nd Dam: Pelican Dancer (Aus), by Celestial Dancer (Ire)
 3rd Dam: Tilly Lass (Aus), by Grand Chaudiere (A\$65,000 RNA yrl '07 MMNAT). O-Showtime Breeding Pty Ltd Synd; B-Showtime Breeding Pty Ltd; T-Robert Heathcote; J-Damian Browne; A\$240,000. Lifetime Record: 37-11-6-3, A\$1,017,150. *Full to My Limit (Aus), GSP-Aus. **Werk Nick Rating: A + . Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.**

2--**Elite Falls (Aus)**, 115, f, 3, [More Than Ready](#)--Niagara Falls (Aus), by Danehill. (A\$300,000 yrl '10 INGEAS). O-K Biggs Enterprises P/L Synd, Topic Saric Synd, J Monterrubio, P Waller, Horseshoe Investments P/L Synd & Miss C Biggs; B-Ramsey Pastoral Co Pty Ltd; T-John O'Shea; A\$72,000.

3--**Facile Tigre (Aus)**, 118, g, 5, Catbird (Aus)--Cotton Bay (Aus), by Zabaleta. (A\$120,000 yrl '08 CJMMYS). O-Yarraman Park Stud Synd, T J & Mrs J A Hughes, M D Sullivan, Harvard Synd, D A R Ryan & P J Harris; B-Yarraman Park Stud Pty Ltd; T-Jason McLachlan; A\$36,000.

Margins: SHD, HD. Odds: 20-1, 50-1, 25-1. Also Ran: First Command (Aus), Sepoy (Aus), Bel Sprinter (Aus), Curtana (Aus), Diplomatic Force (Aus), Master of Design (Aus), African Pulse (Aus), Winter King (NZ), Stirling Grove (Aus), Yosei (Aus), Johannapine (Aus), Satin Shoes (Aus), Grand Nirvana (Aus), Eagle Falls (Aus). Scratched: Panipique (Aus). **Click for the [Racing Post chart](#), the [brisnet.com PPs](#) or the [free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree](#). Click for a [video replay](#).**

With favored champion Sepoy (Aus) (Elusive Quality) unable to carry the field's top weight all the way to the wire after working very hard early, it was a furious and wide-open finish that found outsider Woorim narrowly in front. A winner of the G3 Tab.com.au S. at Flemington two back last October, Woorim was seventh last time in the G1 Emirates S. Nov. 5. Cabooing the field early and still last with 1 1/2 furlongs remaining, the bay came with a late flourish on the outside to snatch the top spot in the final strides. Just a length separated the top five finishers. "There it is, finally," trainer Rob Heathcote told *Racing and Sports* as he celebrated his first career Group 1 tally. "It's a Group 1, it's the golden chalice for a trainer and right up there with the highlights of my life with the usual cliches like the birth of our kids and all of that." Woorim will now be pointed to the G1 Newmarket H. back at Flemington Mar. 10.

Saturday, Otaki, New Zealand

HAUNUI FARM WFA CLASSIC-G1, NZ\$200,000, Otaki, 2-25, 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:34.03, dead.

1--**VEYRON (NZ)**, 130, g, 6, by Thorn Park (Aus)
 1st Dam: Over the Limit (NZ), by Centro (NZ)
 2nd Dam: Limitless (NZ), by Sir Tristram (Ire)
 3rd Dam: Coverless (NZ), by Zamazaan (Fr)
 O/B-A J & Mrs I M Barker; T-Linda Laing; J-Mark Hills; NZ\$118,750. Lifetime Record: 19-12-3-0, NZ\$565,600. **Werk Nick Rating: A + + + *Triple Plus***. **Click for the [eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree](#).**

2--**Lady Kipling (NZ)**, 126, f, 4, Savabeel (Aus)--Akela (NZ), by Al Akbar (Aus). O-G Candy & L I Redshaw; B-Alchemy Family Trust & Windsor Park Stud Ltd; T-Murray Baker; NZ\$38,000.

3--**Guisseppina (NZ)**, 126, m, 5, Johar--Battocchi (NZ), by Success Express. O-P J & P M Vela; B-P J & P M Vela Ltd; T-Steven Ramsay & Julia Ritchie; NZ\$19,000.

Margins: 1, 1 1/4. Odds: 1.20, 8.90, 2.90. Also Ran: Hold It Harvey (Aus), Postmans Daughter (NZ), Vosne Romanee (NZ), Sadist (Aus), The Hombre (Aus), Eagle Mountain (GB), Jaggard (NZ). **Click for the [Racing Post chart](#) or the [free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree](#).**

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MUSKETIER A PERFECT 10?

Stella Perdomo's **Musketier (Ger)** (Acatenango {Ger}) looks to kick off his 10-year-old campaign in style and break through the \$1-million mark in career earnings in today's GII Mac Diarmida S. The veteran runner, third in today's GII Mac Diarmida S. The veteran runner, third in last year's Mac Diarmida, won last year's GII Elkhorn S. and GIII Singspiel S. before ending 2011 with a win in the Nov. 26 GII W L McKnight H. **Simmard** (Dixieland Band) was a half-length back in second in the McKnight. He was also a narrowly beaten second in the GI Northern Dancer S. at Woodbine in September and looks to improve on a seventh-place finish in last year's MacDiarmida. **Center Divider** (Giant's Causeway), second at today's 1 3/8-miles distance in the GII Bowling Green H. last September at Belmont, was fourth in the McKnight, but prepped for this with an allowance win over the Gulfstream lawn Jan. 21.

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

MAC DIARMIDA S.-GII, \$150,000, 4yo/up, 1 3/8mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	ML
1	Eagle Poise (K)	Empire Maker	Maragh	Motion	6-1
2	Musketier (Ger)	Acatenango (Ger)	Velazquez	Attfield	3-1
3	Newsdad (K)	Arch	Leparoux	Mott	6-1
4	Minister Colin	Smart Strike	Trujillo	Proctor	8-1
5	Simmard (K)	Dixieland Band	Castellano	Attfield	5-1
6	Mambo Meister	King Cugat	Cruz	Gleaves	12-1
7	Dixie Emperor (K)	Purge	Solis	Wolfson	12-1
8	Center Divider (K)	Giant's Causeway	Lezcano	Brown	4-1
9	Middie (K)	Officer	Bravo	Oliver	20-1
10	Crimson China (K)	Giant's Causeway	Rose	Motion	12-1

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DRAGON BREATHING FIRE FOR GOLD CUP

Ambitious Dragon (NZ) (Pins {Aus}) and **California Memory** (Highest Honor {Fr}), arguably the two best horses in training in Hong Kong, clash for the fourth time in their careers in today's Hong Kong Gold Cup over 2000 meters of the Sha Tin turf. The reigning Horse of the Year, Ambitious Dragon may have been feeling the effects of a tough prep when he could do no better than fourth to California Memory in the G1 Hong Kong Cup over the course and distance Dec. 11. Dropped back to the metric mile for the Jan. 29 Stewards' Cup--first leg of the Hong Kong Triple Crown --the Dragon swamped his rivals in the stretch with an impressive turn of foot and went on to decision **Xtension (Ire)** (Xaar {GB}) by 1 1/4 lengths. California Memory made decent late progress into third, beaten two lengths. "Ambitious Dragon has done well since his last race and he came on well this time last year," said trainer Tony Millard. "It is going to be a tough test against California Memory on Sunday and there are never any guarantees in races. He won well last time, but that was 1600 meters. The grey horse got too far back and things didn't go their way, so he will be very competitive this time."

Sunday, Sha Tin, Hong Kong, post time: 4:05 a.m. EST

CITIBANK HONG KONG GOLD CUP, HK\$8,000,000 (\$1,031,490), 3yo/up, 2000mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	ODDS
1	6	Ambitious Dragon (NZ)	Pins (Aus)	Whyte	Millard	Even
2	3	California Memory	Highest Honor (Fr)	Chadwick	A Cruz	2-1
3	4	Collection (Ire)	Peintre Celebre	Cheng	D Cruz	25-1
4	5	Irian (Ger)	Tertullian	Oliver	Moore	13-2
5	1	Xtension (Ire)	Xaar (GB)	Lloyd	Moore	11-1
6	7	Thumbs Up (NZ)	Shinko King (Ire)	Mosse	Fownes	12-1
7	9	Pure Champion (Ire)	Ftspsinthesnd (GB)	Angland	A Cruz	34-1
8	2	Mighty High (Fr)	Peintre Celebre	Clark	Moore	30-1
9	10	Packing Ok (Aus)	Redte's Chce (Aus)	DuPlessis	Moore	36-1
10	8	Super Pistachio (Ire)	Danehill Dancer (Ire)	Doleuze	A Cruz	42-1

All carry 126 pounds.

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Sunday, Gulfstream Park, post time: 5:13 p.m. EST

FASIG-TIPTON FOUNTAIN OF YOUTH S.-GII, \$400,000, 3yo, 1 1/16m

PP	HORSE	OWNER	BREEDER	TRAINER/JOCKEY	ML
1	Neck 'n Neck <i>(c, Flower Alley--Bootery, by Storm Boot)</i>	A Stevens Miles Jr	A Stevens Miles Jr-KY	Wilkes Lezcano	15-1
2	Algorithms (K) <i>(c, Bernardini--Ava Knowsthecode, by Cryptoclearance)</i>	Starlight Racing	Oakbrook Farm-KY	Pletcher Castellano	8-5
3	Fort Loudon <i>(c, Awesome of Course--Lottsia Talc, by Talc)</i>	Jacks Or Better Farm Inc	Jacks Or Better Farm Inc-FL	Gold Maragh	20-1
4	Casual Trick (K) <i>(r, Bernardini--Casual Look, by Red Ransom)</i>	Robert V LaPenta	W S Farish-KY	Zito Nakatani	8-1
5	Discreet Dancer <i>(c, Discreet Cat--West Side Dancer, by Gone West)</i>	E Paul Robsham Stable LLC	E Paul Robsham Stable LLC-FL	Pletcher Velazquez	3-1
6	News Pending (K) <i>(c, Harlan's Holiday--Motivated Sreva, by Lear Fan)</i>	Klaravich Stables Inc/W H Lawrence	Jayde Inc-KY	Romans Desormeaux	20-1
7	Union Rags <i>(c, Dixie Union--Tempo West, by Gone West)</i>	Chadds Ford Stable	Phyllis M Wyeth-KY	Matz Leparoux	2-1
8	Csaba <i>(c, Kitten's Joy--High Chant, by War Chant)</i>	Bruce Hollander & Cary Shapoff	Kenneth L & Sarah K Ramsey-KY	Gleaves Lopez	20-1

FLORIDA

Yesterday's Results:

9th-GPX, \$48,450, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$62,500), NW2\$X, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:42 4/5, fm.

SAFE CROSSING (f, 4, **Stormy Atlantic**--Ava Darling, by **Gilded Time**), a debut winner at Keeneland last April, added a Delaware allowance victory July 9 in her next start, but hadn't seen the winner's circle in five starts since. Most recently second in a Feb. 4 allowance over this course, the dark bay filly was sent off at 3-1. Unhurried out of the gate, Safe Crossing raced three wide in mid-pack in a tightly bunched field through a pedestrian opening quarter-mile. She pulled her way into contention down the backstretch through a half in :50.92 and outkicked Millennia (Milwaukee Brew) to the wire to win by a head, with Zapparition (Ghostzapper) a neck back in third. Sales history: \$125,000 yrl '09 KEESEP; \$180,000 2yo '10 FTMMAY. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or [video replay](#).** Lifetime Record: GSW, 8-3-2-0, \$100,050.

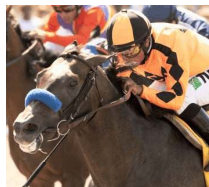
O-Augustin Stable. B-Oakbrook Farm (KY). T-Jonathan E Sheppard.

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5th-GPX, \$42,500, Alw, NW1\$X, 4yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:35, fm.

SHARNBERRY (GB) (f, 4, **Shamardal**--Wimple {**SP-Eng**}, by **Kingmambo**), runner-up in the G3 Fred Darling S. at Newbury last April, closed out her European campaign for St Albans Bloodstock and trainer Ed Dunlop with a fourth-place finish in the Listed EBF October S. at Ascot Oct. 1. The bay closed from 10th to finish fourth in a local allowance Jan. 28, and was favored at 5-2 to get it right this time. Changing tactics here, Sharnberry led through fractions of :23.51 and :48.33, and kept on finding more in the stretch, staying on for a one-length victory over So Much Love (Giant's Causeway). Sales history: 120,000gns yrl '09 TATOCT. Lifetime Record: GSP-Eng, 12-2-1-2, \$77,408. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or the [video replay](#).**

O-Andrew Stone. B-Rabbah Bloodstock Limited (GB). T-H Graham Motion.



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2:25p HRTV **5th-GPX, \$53,500, OC75K/NWX1, 3yo, f, 1 1/16mT**
 Eclipse Thoroughbred Partners' **SWEET CAT (Kitten's Joy)**, a maiden winner over the Saratoga lawn last September, was second in the GIII Jessamine S. and makes her first start since running third behind Stephanie's Kitten (Kitten's Joy) in the GII Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies Turf Nov. 4. **Heart of Destiny (Lion Heart)**, another maiden winner over the Saratoga turf, was second behind Stephanie's Kitten in the GI Darley Alcibiades S. over Keeneland's Polytrack last October. The Hurstland Farm and James Greene runner returns to the sod for trainer James Baker after running a dull ninth over Churchill's main track in the Oct. 31 GII Pocahontas S. last time out. Siena Farm homebred **Anna Sophia (Oasis Dream (GB))** was an impressive debut winner at Belmont last June, but has not been seen since finishing a well-beaten fifth in the Aug. 14 GII Adirondack S. She makes her turf bow here for trainer Bill Mott. [brisnet.com pps](#)

2:53p HRTV **6th-GPX, \$53,500, OC75K/NW1X, 3yo, 7f**
 Flagg Lake's **FORWARD MARCH (Distorted Humor)**, a \$2.05-million KEESEP yearling, was a dominant five-length debut winner at Monmouth Park Sept. 5, but hasn't been seen since. He has been training strongly for Shug McGaughey for this return. Dogwood Stable's Liberty Bound (Mr. Greeley) looks to follow up on his impressive debut victory over six furlongs at this track Jan. 21. [brisnet.com pps](#)

3:21p HRTV **7th-GPX, \$51,500, Msw, 3yo, f, 7 1/2fT**
STREET CREW (Street Cry {Ire}), a half-sister to MGSW Critical Eye (Dynaformer), debuts for trainer Amy Tarrant's Hardacre Farm. The chestnut filly was a \$350,000 OBSMAR juvenile purchase. [brisnet.com pps](#)

3:28p HRTV **5th-FG, \$46K, Msw, 3yo, f, 1 1/16mT**
 Prime Equestrian's **PRIME MAKER (Empire Maker)**, a \$300,000 KEEAPR juvenile, closed to be third after a slow start in an off-the-turfer at this distance in her Feb. 5 debut for trainer Mike Maker. Spendthrift Farm's **Treasured Up (Medaglia d'Oro)**, a \$450,000 FTSAUG yearling, was runner-up on debut over the synthetic at Turfway Dec. 3 and third over Fair Grounds' main track Jan. 5 and now tries the lawn for trainer Al Stall. The dark bay filly is a half-sister to MGSW Choctaw Nation (Louis Quatorze). **Francisca (Mizzen Mast)**, a half-sister to MGSW Willcox Inn (Harlan's Holiday) moves to the lawn after running 11th in the same Feb. 5 off-the-turf event that produced Prime Maker. Mike Stidham trains the chestnut for John Chandler. [brisnet.com pps](#)



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6th-GPX, \$42,500, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$75,000), NW1X, 3yo, f, 1m, 1:37 1/5, ft.

ZO IMPRESSIVE (f, 3, [Hard Spun](#)--Zoftig {GISW, \$401,024}, by [Cozzene](#)), a half-sister to the very talented Zaftig (Gone West), GISW, \$408,700, continues to look like a filly with a future after another daylight victory in Hallandale. The nearly white miss romped by 6 1/4 lengths on debut sprinting six furlongs at Gulfstream Jan. 22, and was the 5-2 second choice here adding two panels. Up to press three wide after breaking from post six under Rajiv Maragh, the Live Oak homebred ranged up to even terms on the turn and, once given her cue, edged away with every stride to win by 4 1/2 lengths. Favored In *Lingerie* (Empire Maker), making her first start for Eclipse Thoroughbreds and partners and trainer Todd Pletcher following an impressive debut victory at Turfway Jan. 14, was second best. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$49,800. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or the [video replay](#).** O-Live Oak Plantation. B-Live Oak Stud (KY). T-Thomas Albertrani.

7th-GPX, \$42,500, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$75,000), NW1X, 3yo, 1 1/16mT, 1:40 4/5, fm.

OUR ENTOURAGE (c, 3, [Street Cry {Ire}](#)--Sand Springs {GISW, \$1,270,058}, by [Dynaformer](#)), a maiden winner over the Belmont lawn last September, was fifth in the Oct. 8 GI Dixiana Breeders' Futurity S. at Keeneland and again in the Nov. 26 GII Remsen S. at Aqueduct. Favored at 6-5 in this return to the turf, the bay colt chased the pace through fractions of :23.88 and :47.60. He was sent after the pacesetter into the final turn and took over after three-quarters in 1:11.88 before holding sway over the late-closing Easy Crossing (English Channel) to win by one length. The winner, a \$350,000 KEESEP yearling, is a half-brother to Mellon Martini (Sadler's Wells, SW & GSP-Fr). **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or [video replay](#).** Lifetime Record: 5-2-1-0, \$84,100. O-Repole Stable. B-Colts Neck Stables LLC (KY). T-Todd A Pletcher.

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3rd-GPX, \$41,600, Msw, 3yo, 5fT, :55 2/5, fm.

LOST DECADE (c, 3, [Mizzen Mast](#)--Copper Rose, by Unbridled) made up some ground to fill the place spot sprinting five panels over the Gulfstream lawn Dec. 15. Stretched to a mile, he broke slowly and never got going, trailing home 11th in a throw-out race. The bay worked well for this--including a five-furlong bullet from the gate in :59 flat Feb. 15--and was offered at 5-1 odds returning to sprints. Jockey Paco Lopez settled him in a mid-pack position, and the pair came charging down the outside to get up and defeat firster Lofty Heart (Lion Heart) by a half-length. Sales history: \$60,000 wlng '09 KEENOV; \$240,000 2yo '11 OBSAPR; \$75,000 RNA yrl '10 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, \$32,805. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or [video replay](#).**

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3:49p
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8th-GPX, \$51,500, Msw, 3yo, 7f

Juddmonte homebred **Night Site** ([Giant's Causeway](#)) debuts for trainer Bill Mott. The chestnut colt is out of MGISW Sightseek (Distant View) and is a half-brother to GSP Raison d'Etat (A.P. Indy). Also debuting is Twin Creeks' **Bulldog Legend** ([Discreet Cat](#)), a \$235,000 FTKJUL yearling from the Dale Romans barn; and **Prince of Spain** ([Giant's Causeway](#)), a son of MGISW Spain (Thunder Gulch) and a full-brother to G1SP Dreamtheimpossible and 3/4 to GSW and GISP Plan (Storm Cat). [brisnet.com pps](#)

7:07P
HRTV

8th-SAX, Baffle S., \$70K, 3yo, 6 1/2fT

Kaleem Shah's **BRIGAND** ([Flutter](#)), a debut winner over the Hollywood synthetic, was second in the July 17 GIII Hollywood Juvenile Championship, makes his turf bow off a fourth-place effort in Del Mar's Aug. 7 GII Best Pal S. The \$925,000 OBSMAR juvenile has been workly sharply for his return. [brisnet.com pps](#)



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Yesterday's Results:

BUSHER S., \$75,000, AQU, 2-25, 3yo, f, 1 1/16m, 1:46, ft.

1--**#SWEET SEVENTEEN**, 116, f, 3, by [Hard Spun](#)

1st Dam: **Play Ballado** (SW & MGSP, \$190,270), by **Saint Ballado**

2nd Dam: **Piccolo Player**, by **Capote**

3rd Dam: **Family Style**, by **State Dinner**

O-Mrs John Oxley; B-John C Oxley (KY); T-H Graham Motion; J-Alan Garcia; \$45,000. Lifetime Record: 5-3-2-0, \$142,985. *5th SW for sophomore sire (by Danzig).

2--**Off Limits**, 116, f, 3, [Include](#)--Swinging, by Wild Again. O-WinStar Farm LLC. \$15,000.

3--**Better Lucky**, 116, f, 3, [Ghostzapper](#)--Sahara Gold, by Seeking the Gold. O-Darley Stable. \$7,500.

Margins: HD, 4HF, NK. Odds: 1.05, 1.70, 5.20.

Also Ran: Lisa T., Marvelous Margaret, Plum.

Scratched: Super Quiet.

Sweet Seventeen began her career with a pair of wins, including a Keeneland allowance in October. A clear-cut second in Woodbine's Glorious Song S. Nov. 13, she filled that same slot when beaten only a neck in Aqueduct's two-turn Busanda S. Jan. 7. Up to lead early before yielding the advantage to Marvelous Margaret (Put It Back), the bay pressed through splits of :23.94 and :48.85. She made her move as the rallying Better Lucky joined her to the outside, quickly leaving that foe toiling and opening up by a length or two. Off Limits soon came charging down the outside, but Sweet Seventeen dug in and found the wire in time. [Click for the brisnet.com chart or the video replay.](#)

2nd-AQU, \$54,880, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$50,000), NW1X, 3yo, 1m70y, 1:44 1/5, ft.

SUMMER SUNSET (g, 3, **Lawyer Ron**--**Viva La Viva**, by **Crafty Prospector**) was claimed for \$25,000 out of a one-mile race in which he finished 6 3/4 lengths in front at Aqueduct Dec. 29, but former connections--owner Paul Braverman and trainer Karl Grusmark--had the misfortune of watching the departing gelding be DQ'd to sixth. Bumped up to this level last out by his new team, Summer Sunset ran a solid third Feb. 3, and was the

2-1 second choice to improve. Put on the lead, he cut out sensible :24 2/5 and :49 2/5 splits and had enough to hold the 3-5 choice Festive Spirit (Malibu Moon) by a head. Summer Sunset was not in for a tag, though the runner-up, trained by Todd Pletcher, was claimed by trainer Charlton Baker and Blue Stork Stables. Sales history: \$20,000 yrl '10 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 7-2-0-2, \$57,610. [Click for the brisnet.com chart or video replay.](#)

O-Francis J Paolangeli. B-Liberation Farm & Stonewall Farm (KY). T-Dominic G Galluscio.

3rd-AQU, \$60,000, Msw, 3yo, 6f, 1:11 2/5, ft.
CAPITAL GOODS (c, 3, [Corinthian](#)--T. K. O. Lady, by **Two Punch**), a half to The Lady's Groom (Runaway Groom), MSW & MGSP, \$424,783; and Marina De Chavon (Exploit), SW, \$159,515, tired to fourth at 9-2 odds in his unveiling at the Big A Dec. 3. In the slop next out, he just missed by a head when second going six panels Jan. 27, and was a 3-1 shot here. He pressed Luckysdream (Will He Shine) from the break, then staved off the challenge of the rail-skimming Rockin Boogie (Rockport Harbor) to win by a neck. Luckysdream held for third. Sales history: \$170,000 wlng '09 KEENOV; \$65,000 yrl '10 FTKOCT. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, \$50,500. [Click for the brisnet.com chart or video replay.](#)

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7th-AQU, \$55,000, Msw, (S), 3yo, 1m, 1:39 3/5, ft.
AWESOME VISION (c, 3, [Awesome Again](#)--**Blind Canyon** {MSP, \$225,960}, by **Valley Crossing**) was a troubled fourth in his unveiling over six furlongs at this track Jan. 28 and was adding blinkers for this second go. The 2-1 second choice, bumped at the break, was taken off the pace and saved ground while racing well back in a spread out field. He steadfastly closed ground down the lane and surged to the lead late to score by 2 1/4 lengths over pacesetting longshot Sky Colors (Carry My Colors). The winner was a \$65,000 FTNAUG yearling. [Click for the brisnet.com chart or video replay.](#) Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$35,500.

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Yesterday's Results:

MIRACLE WOOD S., \$76,500, LRL, 2-25, 3yo, 7f, 1:23 1/5, ft.

1--#**THE LUMBER GUY**, 116, c, 3, by **Grand Slam**

1st Dam: Boltano, by Unbridled's Song

2nd Dam: Buckaroo Zoo, by Buckaroo

3rd Dam: General Chanel, by General Holme

O-Barry K Schwartz; B-Stonewall Farm (NY);

T-Michael E Hushion; J-Julian Pimentel; \$45,000.

Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$75,000.

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2--**Brimstone Island**, 116, c, 3, **Tiznow**--Broad Sound, by Broad Brush. (\$170,000 yrl '10 KEEJAN).

O-William A Campbell. \$15,000.

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3--**Rocky Gap**, 116, c, 3, **Rockport Harbor**--Flowerbud, by Cape Town. (\$10,000 yrl '10 FTMOCT). O-Team Gaudet. \$8,250.

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Margins: 4 1/4, 5 3/4, 1. Odds: 0.40, 9.50, 19.40.

Also Ran: Friscan, Mr. Handsome, Bear's Delite.

Scratched: Pass You Bye Bye, Romp City, Runnin Bull.

The Lumber Guy romped home by 9 1/4 lengths when facing fellow New York-breds in his debut at Aqueduct Jan. 28, earning a 90 Beyer Speed Figure, and was heavily favored facing open stakes company. The grey colt recovered from an awkward beginning and was soon in command through a :22 4/5 wind-assisted first quarter. He got to the half in :46.38 and, despite a stiff headwind in the lane, finished up well to be easily the best. "He came out of



The Lumber Guy
Jim McCue, MJC

the gate and he bobbed a little bit," explained winning rider Julian Pimentel. "Right away, he took off. I tried to slow him down as best I could. Around the turn he relaxed for me and then, when he felt that horse [Brimstone Island] come to him, he took off again. He looks like a nice horse. He did that very easily. It was impressive." [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [video replay](#).



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Yesterday's Results:

COLONEL POWER S., \$75,000, FGX, 2-25, 4yo/up, a5 1/2fT, 1:04 1/5, gd.

1--**COUNTRY DAY**, 116, h, 6, **Speightstown**--Hidden

Assets (GSW, \$298,313), by Mt. Livermore.

O/B-Richard, Bertram & Elaine Klein (KY); T-Steve

Margolis; J-James Graham; \$45,000. Lifetime

Record: GSP, 19-7-4-2, \$503,829. *1/2 to Due Date

(El Prado {Ire}), MSW & MGSP, \$276,788; and Good

Deed (Broken Vow), SW.

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2--**Chamberlain Bridge**, 122, g, 8, War Chant--She's Got Class, by Trempolino. O-Carl R Moore Management LLC. \$15,000.

3--**Cactus Son**, 118, g, 4, Cactus Ridge--Alex's Angel, by Repriced. O-Dwight Sprague. \$7,500.

Margins: 1, NO, NK. Odds: 1.60, 3.00, 15.10.

Country Day hadn't won since 2010, but was second three times last year, including the GII Breeders' Cup Turf Sprint Nov. 5 and the Bonapaw S. last time over this course Dec. 17. Taking up a stalking spot three wide behind splits of :22.42 and :46.31, the homebred asserted at the head of the lane as longshot Cactus Son snuck up the fence. That pair exchanged blows, although there was significant real estate between them laterally, and Country Day levelled off late to prevail. A late rally from 2010 BC Turf Sprint winner Chamberlain Bridge snatched second money from Cactus Son. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or the [video replay](#).

VALDALE S., \$50,000, TPX, 2-25, 3yo, f, 1m (AWT), 1:39 2/5, ft.

1--**LOTTA LOVIN**, 122, f, 3, **Repent**--Passionate Terri,

by Unzipped. O-William Butler; B-Horses of Course

Inc (PA); T-Michael J Maker; J-Victor Lebron;

\$30,380. Lifetime Record: 10-5-0-0, \$135,683. *1/2

to Passionate Bird (Birdonthewire), MSW, \$275,399;

and Pretty Miss Trippi (Trippi), SP, \$235,576.

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2--**Sweetnessngoodness**, 118, f, 3, Cuvee--Regal Ballet, by Stravinsky. O-Smokey Lynne Bare & Ira P Mersack. \$9,800.

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3--**Dixie Jackpot**, 118, f, 3, Bandini--Dixie Lass, by Misbah. O-Chandley Farms LLC & Tammy Freeman. \$4,900.

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Margins: 3HF, 4, 1. Odds: 0.80, 10.00, 46.60.

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Valdale S. cont.

Lotta Lovin handled her first route of ground here with no trouble to string together back-to-back-to-back wins. Transferred from Marty Wolfson to Mike Maker last fall, the bay could do no better than sixth in Penn National's Nov. 23 Blue Mountain S. for state-breds. She returned in the six-furlong Dec. 26 Gowell S. here, and overcame an incident at the gate to win by a half-length. Lotta Lovin was coming off a seven-length drubbing in the Cincinnati Trophy S. Jan. 21, and garnered odds-on favoritism despite the stretch out. Attending the pace along the inside early, the chalk was shuffled back a bit as the field bunched up. She was tipped to the outside by Victor Lebron at the head of the lane and bobbled a bit as she struggled with her lead changes, but leveled off nicely to bound clear. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or the [video replay](#).**

NODOUBLE BREEDERS' S., \$50,000, OPX, 2-25, (S), 3yo/up, c/g, 6f, 1:10 2/5, ft.

1--**COMEDERO**, 117, g, 5, **Posse--Pawnee Patti (SP, \$107,901)**, by Sir Richard Lewis. (\$50,000 RNA yrl '08 KEESEP). O-Peter Redekop B C Ltd; B-McDowell Farm (AR); T-Michael Stidham; J-M Clifton Berry; \$30,000. Lifetime Record: GSW, 18-11-2-1, \$669,814.

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2--**Destinare**, 116, g, 4, Hesabull--Torn, by Storm and a Half. O-Triple R Stable. \$10,000.

3--**The Mallard Man**, 117, g, 6, Sunday Break (Jpn)--Y Worry B Happy, by Bucksplasher. O-Five Star Racing Stable. \$5,000.

Margins: 3HF, HD, 2. Odds: 0.40, 24.70, 5.60.

Comedero, hero of the 2010 GIII Chick Lang S. at Pimlico, finished in the money in four of five attempts last term, including a win in Delaware's Vincent A. Moscarelli Memorial S. in May and a second-place finish in the H.B.P.A. Jefferson Co Commission H. at Chuck Town last time Oct. 14. Seeking to defend his title in this event, Comedero dueled through an opening quarter in :21.79 and never broke a sweat while drawing clear in the stretch to an easy win. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or the [video replay](#).**

5th-OPX, \$47,000, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$65,000), NW1X, 3yo, f, 6f, 1:11 4/5, ft.

LIVI MAKENZIE (f, 3, **Macho Uno--Greta's Joy, by Joyeux Danseur)**, a debut winner at Canterbury in June, hit the board in each of her next two attempts, most recently completing the exacta over track and trip Feb. 5. Backed at 2-1 here, she mixed it up through fractions of :21.92 and :45.96, and had plenty left in the stretch, drawing off to score by 2 3/4 lengths. Sales history: \$5,500 yrl '10 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-1, \$49,474. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or the [video replay](#).**

O-J L Didier. B-S Pierce & B Langley (KY). T-R Moquett.

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5th-FGX, \$41,000, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$17,500), NW1X, 4yo/up, 1m70y, 1:41 4/5, ft.

NEHRO (c, 4, **Mineshaft--The Administrator {SW, \$115,221}), by Afleet**), off since running fourth in last year's GI Belmont S., returned an easy winner. Sent off the 2-5 favorite, the Zayat Stables runner broke sharply, but was taken in hand as Majestic Harbor (Rockport Harbor) set the pace through fractions of :23.38 and :47.17. The bay colt took dead aim on the pacesetter turning for home and surged to the lead before powering clear under a hand ride to win by 7 1/4 lengths. Majestic Harbor was second. Nehro hit the Derby runner-up trifecta last spring with second-place efforts in the GII Louisiana Derby, GI Arkansas Derby and GI Kentucky Derby. The \$170,000 KEESEP yearling is a half-brother to Saint Marden (Saint Ballado, GSW, \$159,800); and Sweet Lips (Kris S., SW & GSP, \$565,138). **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or [video replay](#).** Lifetime Record: MGISP, 8-2-3-0, \$909,692. O-Zayat Stables LLC. B-Mt Brilliant Farm LLC (KY). T-Steven M Asmussen.

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8th-OPX, \$46,000, Msw, 3yo, 1 1/16m, 1:45 2/5, ft.

+ **KID SIDNEY (g, 3, **Lemon Drop Kid--Sidneys Angel Face, by Skip Away**)**, assigned the one hole while negotiating two turns in his unveiling here, delivered an 11-1 upset after a slow start. He trailed the field early, began to advance entering the far turn, came five wide into the stretch and got up by a head after a long drive. Skyring (English Channel) was second. Sales history: \$20,000 yrl '10 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$27,600. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or [video replay](#).**

O-PHWL Partnership. B-Robert F Jones & Diane Jones (KY). T-William H Fires.

10th-OPX, \$46,000, Msw, 3yo, 6f, 1:11 2/5, ft.

+ **JIMMER (c, 3, **Elusive Quality--Lucette {SW}**), by Dayjur**), given a 9-1 chance to debut with a victory, sat within striking distance, gamely split horses at the head of affairs and reported home a 1 1/2-length winner over Sark (English Channel). Jimmer, a \$385,000 FTSAUG yearling purchase, is a half-brother to Everyday Heroes (Awesome Again), GSW, \$240,800. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$27,600. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or [video replay](#).**

O-WinStar Farm LLC. B-Marathon Farms Inc (MD). T-Shannon Ritter.

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2nd-FGX, \$38,000, Msw, 3yo, 6f, 1:09 4/5, ft. **MACHO MACHO** (c, 3, **Macho Uno**--Dazzling Contrast, by General Meeting), a \$160,000 KEESEP yearling purchase, hooked the very promising Bourbon Courage (Lion Heart) in his Fair Grounds debut Feb. 3, and could do no better than a well-beaten sixth. Bet down to 5-2 off that 16-length defeat, the gray was prominent in the early stages, pressing the early leader from second. With Miguel Mena aboard, Macho Macho took over at the head of affairs, opened a clear lead in the stretch and was never seriously threatened by the late rally of first-time starter Parabellum (Street Sense), who was 2 1/4 lengths back in second. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$22,640. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or the [video replay](#).

O-Jerry Durant. B-C Kidder, J K Griggs & Linda Griggs (KY). T-Neil J Howard.

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3rd-FGX, \$38,000, Msw, (S), 3yo, 6f, 1:11, ft. + **AD ON FIRST** (c, 3, **Lydgate**--Grable, by Dehere) lit up the tote board at 14-1 in this first go. Drawn widest of all in post 13, the bay recovered nicely after receiving a solid bump at the start to press the early leaders from third. Hung out three wide on the far turn, he hit the front in the stretch and powered clear nicely to score by 3 1/4 lengths over Goose N Juice (Rahy's Secret). The victor is a half-brother to Get In Da House (Grand Appointment), MSW, \$160,492; Tommy's Turn (Conquistador Cielo), MSP, \$186,982. Sales history: \$25,000 yrl '10 LTBSEP. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$22,416. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or the [video replay](#).

O-D R D Stable. B-Neal McFadden & J Adcock (LA). T-Patrick Mouton.



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CALIFORNIA



Yesterday's Results:

CLOCKER'S CORNER H., \$75,260, SAX, 2-25, 4yo/up, f/m, a6 1/2fT, 1:12 1/5, fm.

1--**MIZDIRECTION, 122, f, 4, Mizzen Mast**--Deceptive, by **Clever Trick**. (\$85,000 yrl '09 KEESEP; \$50,000 2yo '10 FTMMAY). O-Jungle Racing LLC, Danny Grohs, William Strauss, Borris Beljac & Kevin Nish; B-Joseph J Perrotta (KY); T-Mike Puype; J-Mike E Smith; \$44,400. Lifetime Record: 9-5-3-1, \$300,111.

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2--**Givine (Fr)**, 117, m, 5, Blackdown (Fr)--Viguerie (Fr), by Double Bed (Fr). O-Marsha Naify. \$14,800.

3--**Remit**, 118, m, 5, Tapit--Free Spin, by Olympio. O-Winchell Thoroughbreds LLC. \$8,880.

Margins: 2HF, 1HF, HD. Odds: 0.20, 6.80, 6.10.

Mizdirection, second in last year's GII San Clement H., was coming off a 1 3/4-length victory over this downhill turf course in the Jan. 2 GIII Monrovia S. The prohibitive favorite to make it three straight, the gray filly jumped out to the early lead, set the pace through fractions of :22.11 and :44.38 and was unchallenged to the wire. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [video replay](#).

8th-SAX, \$62,480, Alw, NW2\$X, 4yo/up, 1mT, 1:33 2/5, fm.

TIGAH (GB) (c, 4, **Dalakhani {Ire}**--**Macina {Ire}** {GSP-Ger}, by **Platini {Ger}**) came up just a nose short in his final French start for Mikel Delzangles in Le Bouscat's Prix Millkom Sep. 10, and was fifth in his first stateside try in a similar spot to this Jan. 29. He was given a 3-1 chance to improve with more time to acclimate, and improve he did. Unhurried early behind quick splits, the bay was left with a lot to do at the top of the stretch, but he tipped out and picked up speed rapidly to seize command late by a half-length from Irish Art (Artie Schiller). The winner is a half-brother to Practitioner (GB) (Dr Fong), SP-Eng & HK, \$559,256. Sales history: 45,000gns wlng '08 TATDEC; €120,000 yrl '09 ARQUG; €135,000 HRA '11 ARQARC. Lifetime Record: SP-Fr, 8-3-2-1, \$92,590. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or the [video replay](#).

O-Karnel Jawl. B-Newsells Park Stud Limited (GB). T-John W Sadler.

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4th-GGX, \$32,060, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$32,000), NW1\$X, 3yo, f, 6f (AWT), 1:11, ft.

DISTINCTIVE YOLIE (f, 3, [With Distinction](#)--Siphoneous, by Siphon {Brz}) graduated by 1 1/2 lengths in her debut over this track and trip Jan. 21. The 2-1 shot set a pressured pace through fractions of :23.12 and :46.89, opened up turning for home and finished 3 1/2 lengths the best. Favored Roll Your Eyes (Popular) closed for second. Sales history: \$12,500 wlng '09 OBSOCT; \$40,000 yrl '10 OBSAUG; \$45,000 2yo '11 BESMAY. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [video replay](#). Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$35,100.

O-Steve Lam, Michael Nentwig, Roger Newman & Ray Pagano. B-Thoroughbred Management LLC (FL). T-William E Morey.

WESTERN U.S.

Yesterday's Results:

BORDERLAND DERBY, \$150,000, SUN, 2-25, 3yo, 1 1/16m, 1:43, ft.

1--**ISN'T HE CLEVER**, 121, g, 3, by [Smarty Jones](#)

1st Dam: [Sharp Minister](#), by [Deputy Minister](#)

2nd Dam: [Sharp Call](#), by [Sharpen Up](#) (GB)

3rd Dam: [Savage Call](#), by [Jungle Savage](#)

(\$45,000 yrl '10 KEESEP). O-J Kirk & Judy Robison; B-Monticule (KY); T-Henry Dominguez; J-Alejandro Medellin; \$90,000. Lifetime Record: 6-4-1-0, \$215,960. *1/2 to [Sharp Writer](#) (Capote), MSW & GSP, \$212,450; and [Dijeerr](#) (Danzig), GSW-Eng & SP-UAE, \$314,169.

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2--**Zackn'mat**, 121, c, 3, [Northern Afleet](#)--Pic Me for Fun, by [Piccolino](#). (\$60,000 yrl '10 FTKJUL). O-Gem Inc; B-Donald Draper & Donald L Boyd (KY); T-Martin F Jones; \$33,000.

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3--**Major Hope**, 121, c, 3, [Lemon Drop Kid](#)--Double Major, by [Bertrando](#). (\$57,000 RNA yrl '10 KEESEP). O-Cathy & Bob Zollars; B-Pam & Martin Wygod (KY); T-Steven M Asmussen; \$15,000.

Margins: 1 3/4, 10, NK. Odds: 1.50, 1.00, 5.20.

Also Ran: [So Far So Fast](#), [Tequila Factor](#), [Justanoldsong](#), [Strong Resolve](#).

After winning by daylight in his first two races at Zia Park in September and October respectively, Isn't He Clever came up a half-length short of making it three in a row when second in Remington's Clever Trevor S. Nov. 11. He returned to New Mexico for this track's 6 1/2-furlong Riley Allison Futurity S. Dec. 30, and made a mockery of that event when he romped by 11 3/4 lengths with a 97 Beyer Speed Figure. He tried the big leagues in Santa Anita's GII Robert B. Lewis S. Feb. 4, and faded to fifth--promoted to fourth--after setting the pace. **Cont.**

Perched out wide to stalk splits of :47.90 and 1:12.08, Isn't He Clever put a head in front leaving the home bend. Favored recent Santa Anita maiden winner Zackn'mat chased Isn't He Clever home, but his exertions were in vain as the leader continued finding more and more. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or the [video replay](#).



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*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, 165/21/1

6-SA, Aoc, 6 1/2f, Cha Cha Latte, \$60K BAR MAR 2yo, 8-1

[ATTILA'S STORM](#) (Forest Wildcat), JEH-NM, \$2K, 48/7/0

7-SUN, Msw, 1m, Fire Run, 4-1

[CORINTHIAN](#) (Pulpit), Gainesway, \$40K, 241/23/2

1-SA, Msw, 7f, Light of Life, \$35K OBS APR 2yo, 6-1

[DISCREET CAT](#) (Forestry), Darley, \$30K, 215/30/1

11-GP, Stk, 1 1/16m, Discreet Dancer, 3-1

8-GP, Msw, 7f, +Bulldog Legend, \$235K FTK JUL yrl, 6-1

5-FG, Msw, 1 1/16mT, Sharilyn Jean, \$30K KEE SEP yrl, 15-1

[EXCLUSIVE QUALITY](#) (Elusive Quality), Journeyman, \$4K, 122/20/1

6-GP, Aoc, 7f, Dreaming of Neno, \$11K RNA OBS OCT wnl, 3-1

[HAL'S IMAGE](#) (Halo's Image), 23/2/0

6-GP, Aoc, 7f, Jordan's Image, 6-1

[HARD SPUN](#) (Danzig), Darley, \$50K, 244/36/5

8-GP, Msw, 7f, Spin Out, \$250K KEE SEP yrl, 3-1

11-SUN, Stk, 1m, Glinda the Good, \$200K RNA KEE SEP yrl, 9-5

[KUMA](#) (Unbridled's Song), 7/1/0

6-TP, Aoc, 1m, Princess Kuma

[LATENT HEAT](#) (Maria's Mon), Woods Edge, \$15K, 157/20/1

8-GP, Msw, 7f, Unbridled Fire, \$230K KEE SEP yrl, 4-1

1-SA, Msw, 7f, Nihilist, \$95K OBS MAR 2yo, 1-1

6-FG, Msw, 6f, Nola Tip, \$20K OBS APR 2yo, 8-1

[SAINT ANDDAN](#) (A.P. Indy), Journeyman, \$5K, 79/19/1

6-SA, Aoc, 6 1/2f, Woebegon, \$125K OBS APR 2yo, 4-1

[SCAT DADDY](#) (Johannesburg), Ashford, \$30K, 180/36/6

7-GP, Msw, 7 1/2fT, Preach Tome Daddy, \$220K FTF FEB 2yo, 6-1

[SHAKESPEARE](#) (Theatrical {Ire}), Hill N Dale, \$20K, 74/8/1

8-GP, Msw, 7f, Dramatist, \$75K OBS MAR 2yo, 15-1

[SPANKEY COME HOME](#) (Came Home), 7/0/0

7-SUN, Msw, 1m, Retreat Home, 8-1

[STEVIE WONDERBOY](#) (Stephen Got Even), Airdrie, \$18K, 111/15/2

6-SA, Aoc, 6 1/2f, Starship Flare, \$25K OBS MAR 2yo, 6-1

[STREET SENSE](#) (Street Cry {Ire}), Darley, \$75K, 210/20/2

5-GP, Aoc, 1 1/16mT, Street Savy, \$95K RNA KEE SEP yrl, 10-1

6-SA, Aoc, 6 1/2f, Night Dance, \$150K KEE SEP yrl, 10-1

5-FG, Msw, 1 1/16mT, Extra Cool, 20-1

7-GP, Msw, 7 1/2fT, S S Pinafore, \$130K KEE SEP yrl, 10-1

[TOMPEST](#) (Storm Cat), 10/0/0

7-SUN, Msw, 1m, Done With Flair, 5-1

[UTOPIA \(JPN\)](#) (Forty Niner), McMahan, \$8K, 151/11/0

5-AQU, Alw, 6f, Gabrilicious, 30-1

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+ Roma Kitten, f, 3, [Kitten's Joy](#). See "Breeders' Edition Europe."

BRITAIN



Yesterday's Results:

BLUESQ.COM CLEVES S.-Listed, £33,000, Lingfield, 2-25, 4yo/up, 6f (AWT), 1:10.21, stn.

1-#**OASIS DANCER (GB)**, 126, g, 5, by [Oasis Dream \(GB\)](#)--**Good Enough (Fr) (G1SP-Fr)**, by **Mukaddamah**. (52,000gns yrl '08 TATOCT). O-Mrs M E Slade; B-Whitsbury Manor Stud & Mrs M E Slade; T-Ralph Beckett; J-Jim Crowley; £18,714. Lifetime Record: 19-6-2-0, £597,200. *1/2 to Smart Enough (GB) (Cadeaux Genereux {GB}), GSP-Nor & SP-GB, \$129,256.

2--**Fratellino (GB)**, 126, h, 5, Auction House--Vida (Ire), by Wolfhound. (£2,200 yrl '08 DONOCT; 58,000gns RNA HIT '09 TATHIT). O-Sale Of The Century; B-Lleyt Stud; T-Alan McCabe; £7,095.

3--**Capone (Ire)**, 126, g, 7, Daggers Drawn--Order of the Day, by Dayjur. (€10,500 yrl '06 TATIRE). O-Brooklands Racing; B-S J Macdonald; T-Scott Dixon; £3,551.

Margins: HF, HF, 2 1/4. Odds: 6-5, 25-1, 6-1.

Also Ran: Docofthebay (Ire), Sugar Beet (GB), Googlette (Ire), Gorgeous Goblin (Ire), Requisite (GB), Roodle (GB), Dasho (GB), Palace Moon (GB). [Click for the Racing Post chart](#) or the [video replay](#).

Oasis Dancer has been mainly in the wilderness since bagging the valuable Tattersalls Timeform Million at Newmarket in 2009, but he regained winning form in a Wolverhampton conditions heat Dec. 10 to close last year. He followed up by justifying favoritism in a course-and-distance handicap on seasonal return last time Jan. 7, and did so again to claim a belated first stakes success here. Stalking the leading trio from the outset, he was set alight when carried wide off the home turn and quickened smartly under a final-furlong drive to gamely prevail from the tenacious Fratellino.



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GET YOUR BET ON AT BLUESQUARE.COM WINTER DERBY TRIAL S.-Listed, £33,000, Lingfield, 2-25, 4yo/up, 1 1/4m (AWT), 2:05.58, stn.

1-#**JUNOOB (GB)**, 125, g, 4, **Haafhd (GB)**--**Faydah**, by **Bahri**. (3,500gns HIT '11 TATHIT). O-Alan Solomon; B-Shadwell Estate Company Ltd; T-Tom Dascombe; J-Richard Kingscote; £18,714. Lifetime Record: 11-5-1-1, £36,137.

2--**Tinshu (Ire)**, 124, m, 6, Fantastic Light--Ring of Esteem (GB), by Mark of Esteem (Ire). (12,000gns RNA wnlg '06 TATDEC; 10,000gns yrl '07 TATOCT; 25,000gns RNA HIT '11 TATDEC). O-Llewelyn, Runeckles; B-Mrs M L Parry & P M Steele-Mortimer; T-Derek Haydn Jones; £7,095.

3--**Loyalty (GB)**, 126, g, 5, Medicean (GB)--Ecoutila, by Rahy. (88,000gns yrl '08 TATOCT). O-Brian Johnson (Northamptonshire); B-Ecoutila Partnership; T-Derek Shaw; £3,551.

Margins: 1 1/4, HF, NK. Odds: 3-1, 6-1, 9-2.

Also Ran: King's Trail (Jpn), True To Form (Ire), Tappanappa (Ire), Our Joe Mac (Ire), Veroon (Ire), Emma's Gift (Ire), Oceanway, Mister Green (Fr). [Click for the Racing Post chart](#) or the [video replay](#).

Junoob was acquired by current connections following a Dec. 2 course-and-distance claiming score, and provided an immediate dividend when running second to Tinshu in the Listed Quebec S. over the same strip Dec. 17. He garnered a 12-furlong conditions event here on seasonal bow Jan. 20 and ran fourth in a Jan. 28 course-and-distance handicap last time. Anchored in rear throughout, he was shaken up turning for home and swooped late in the short straight to deny old rival Tinshu with plenty in hand.

FRANCE



Yesterday's Results:

GRAND PRIX DU CONSEIL GENERAL DES ALPES MARITIMES-Listed, €75,000, Cagnes-sur-Mer, 2-25, 4yo/up, 1 9/16mT, 2:42.18, sf.

1-#**GRIRAZ (FR)**, 125, g, 7, by **Nombre Premier (GB)**--**Niraz (Fr)**, by **Nikos (GB)**. O-Serge Kinast & Mme Nicole Garde Dubord; B-Michel Berlatto; T-Jean-Laurent Dubord; J-Ioritz Mendizabal; €37,500. Lifetime Record: 48 starts, 12 wins, 21 places, €230,520.

2--**Sant'alberto (Ity)**, 121, c, 4, Colossus (Ire)--Adya (Fr), by Sillery. O-General Racing Horse SRL & Vincenzo de Siero; B-Gianluca Boesso; T-Fabrice Chappet; €15,000.

3--**Da Paolino (Fr)**, 125, g, 5, Enrique (GB)--Tora Tune (Fr), by Green Tune. O-Gerard Cohen & Didier Prod'homme; B/T-Didier Prod'homme; €11,250.

Margins: 1, 1, NO. Odds: 3.30, 9.00, 2.00.

Also Ran: Agent Secret (Ire), Thomaraz (Fr), Anemos (Fr), Shawnee Saga (Fr), Letty (GB), Lake Drop, Ok Coral (Fr). [Click for the Racing Post chart](#).



Griraz opened this campaign with scores at Pau on New Year's Day and here Jan. 23, and ran second in a Feb. 8 conditions heat over this course and distance last time. He took the shortest route along the rail and settled three lengths off the pace for most of this stamina test. Angled outside for his bid passing the two pole, the grey hit the front with 100 meters remaining and stayed on well under continued cajoling to safely garner a first black-type rosette.

PRIX POLICEMAN-Listed, €55,000, Cagnes-sur-Mer, 2-25, 3yo, 1 1/4m (AWT), 1:59.72, stn.

1-#**SAONOIS (FR), 123, c, 3, by Chichicastenango (Fr)**

1st Dam: **Saonoise (Fr), by Homme de Loi (Ire)**

2nd Dam: **Sa Majeste (Fr), by Garde Royale (Ire)**

3rd Dam: **Scamandre (Fr), by Labus (Fr)**

O-Pascal Treyve & Jean-Pierre Gauvin; B-EARL Haras de Nonant le Pin; T-Jean-Pierre Gauvin; J-Antoine Hamelin; €27,500. Lifetime Record: 9 starts, 4 wins, 5 places, €85,200.

2--**Espero (Fr), 123, c, 3, Verglas (Ire)--Queen's Conquer (GB), by King's Best.** (€28,000 yrl '10 ARQOCT).

O-Mme Beatrice Hermelin & Jean-Claude Rouget; B-P Richou; T-Jean-Claude Rouget; €11,000.

3--**Mobaco (Fr), 128, c, 3, Slickly (Fr)--Lunaa (Fr), by Anabaa.** O/B-Jean-Claude Seroul; T-Frederic Rossi; €8,250.

Margins: 4, 2, 1HF. Odds: 2.70, 4.40, 2.80.

Also Ran: Sir Jade (Fr), Remus de la Tour (Fr), Swing Alone (Ire), Glamour Star (Ger), Correct (GB), Private Riviera (GB). [Click for the Racing Post chart.](#)

Saonois closed last term with scores at Lyon-Parilly and Deauville, and lined up for this stakes bow coming off a runner-up finish in a course-and-distance conditions event on seasonal bow Feb. 4. The crowd's choice broke sharply and raced in a harrying second through the early stages here. Assuming command at halfway, he steadily increased his advantage in the straight and came under late urging to easily register a personal best.

MIDDLE EAST



HAPPY TODAY TOPS ERA SALE

Four-year-old colt **Happy Today** (Gone West) topped the ERA Horses in Training Sale at Meydan yesterday with a bid of AED310,000 (*US\$83,430*). Abdulla Ali Ahmed scooped up the bay, who was offered as [lot 69](#) by his trainer M. Al Muhairi. Happy Today, stakes-placed in Britain with an overall record of 12-1-2-0, is a 3/4-brother to the English highweight and Group 1 winner Zafeen (Fr) (Zafonic). Out of 125 offerings to go through the ring, a total of 103 sold for an aggregate of AED3,421,000 and an average of AED33,214. For more information on the sale, click [here](#).

AUSTRALASIA

GROUP WINNERS BY EUROPEAN SIRE:

#**@Rollout the Carpet (Aus), f, 2, Holy Roman Emperor (Ire)--**

Out of Egypt, by Red Ransom. Matamata (New Zealand), 2-25, Matamata Breeders' S.-G2, 2yo, f, 6fT, NZ\$62,500 to winner. B-J Cameron; T-J McVean.

No Evidence Needed (Aus), m, 5, Shamardal--Generosa (NZ), by Generous (Ire). Rosehill (Sydney), 2-25, Southern Cross S.-G3, 3yo/up, 6fT, A\$75,000 to winner. B-J B Cummings, B Halcombe, T Kostos, M Alexeeff, L Smith & Dato Tan Chin Nam; T-John P Thompson. *GSW & MG1SP-Aus.

Lucas Cranach (Ger), h, 5, Mamool (Ire)--Lots of Love (Ger) (SW-Ger), by Java Gold. Caulfield (Melbourne), 2-25, Peter Young S.-G2, 3yo/up, 1 1/8mT, A\$120,000 to winner. B-Gestut Graditz; T-Anthony Freedman. *GSW-Ger, SW-Fr, G1SP-Aus.

BREEDERS' EDITION AMERICA

BLACK-TYPE RESULTS:

TURF PARADISE DERBY, \$75,000, TUP, 2-25, 3yo, 1 1/16m, 1:43 4/5, ft.

1--**TAYLORS DEAL, 122, g, 3, Second in Command--Fleet Amyanne, by Western Fame.** (C\$21,000 yrl '10 BRCSEP). O-North American Thoroughbred Horse Company Inc; B-Clive & Linda Lytle & Can-A-Mex Farms (BC); T-Sandi Gann; J-Mario Gutierrez; \$44,175. Lifetime Record: 5-3-1-0, \$79,928.

2--**Makors Finale, 122, c, 3, Makors Mark--Coup de Foudre, by Basket Weave.** O-K C Krieg III. \$14,250.

3--**Born Force, 122, g, 3, Political Force--Born Twice, by Opening Verse.** (\$1,200 yrl '10 FTKOCT). O-Diana Jensen. \$7,125.

Margins: 2 1/4, HF, 2 1/4. Odds: 4.90, 4.60, 32.90.

GENTILLY S., \$60,000, FGX, 2-25, (S), 3yo, a1mT, 1:39 4/5, gd.

1--**#LOOK AT THE TIME, 116, g, 3, Brahms--Alashir (SW-Per), by Alysheba.** (\$2,500 yrl '10 LTBSEP). O-Hooties Racing LLC; B-Mike Paciera (LA); T-Wesley E Hawley; J-Corey J Lanerie; \$36,000. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, \$60,974.

2--**Benwill, 116, c, 3, Leestown--Dynaspice, by Dynaformer.** O-Danny Ray Butler. \$12,000.

3--**Beckyboy, 116, c, 3, Suave--Tanuki, by Affirmed.** (\$15,000 yrl '10 TEXAUG). O-Larry L Johnson. \$6,600.

Co-bred & Raised by GOOD WIN FARM

Margins: 3 1/4, HD, HF. Odds: 3.10, 4.70, 16.50.



DOWNTHE DUSTY ROAD BREEDERS' S., \$50,000, OPX, 2-25, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10 2/5, ft.

1--**ALL ABOUT ALLIE**, 117, f, 4, **Storm and a Half--Be Good Molly**, by Proper Reality. O-Sanders Brothers; B-Roy Gene Sanders (AR); T-David E Whited; J-M Clifton Berry; \$30,000. Lifetime Record: 15-7-1-2, \$233,867.

2--**Explosive Disco**, 123, f, 4, Explosive Truth--My Disco Dancer, by Sword Dance (Ire). O-Dr K K & Dr Vilasini Jayaraman. \$10,000.

3--**Bikini Bella**, 117, m, 5, Cinnamon Creek--Bellaczar, by Borzoi. O-Ernie Witt. \$5,000.

Margins: 3, 5 3/4, 4HF. Odds: 0.90, 5.90, 2.60.

NON BLACK-TYPE RESULTS:

ARIZONA OAKS, \$35,000, TUP, 2-25, 3yo, f, 1m, 1:37 2/5, ft.

1--**#REGAL BETTY**, 121, f, 3, **Congrats--Singsingasong {SP}**, by Sultry Song. (\$64,000 yrl '10 OBSAUG; \$250,000 2yo '11 OBSMAR). O-Michael Talla; B-Michael & Judy Crowe (FL); T-John W Sadler; J-Antonio Lopez Castanon; \$21,483. Lifetime Record: 6-2-0-0, \$63,633.

Another **IBS** 2YO Auction Purchase

2--**Lasso From El Paso**, 121, f, 3, **Smoke Glacken--Our Tune**, by Concorde's Tune. (\$4,700 yrl '10 KEEJAN; \$35,000 yrl '10 KEESEP). O-Frank & Karen Lewkowitz & Eric Kruljac. \$6,930.

3--**My Kentucky Rose**, 121, f, 3, **Macho Uno--Mini Marker**, by Marquetry. (\$20,000 yrl '10 KEESEP). O-North American Thoroughbred Horse Company Inc. \$3,465.

Margins: 3, 5 1/4, 3/4. Odds: 2.40, 0.80, 1.90.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

4th-**AQU**, \$57,000, Opt. Clm. (\$14,000), NW1X, (S), 4yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:47, ft.

SO SCOTT (g, 5, **More Than Ready--Flamelight {Ire}**, by **Seattle Slew**) Lifetime Record: 8-2-4-1, \$99,700.

O/B-Stonewall Farm (NY). T-Michael E Hushion. *\$35,000 RNA 2yo '09 OBSFEB.

8th-**PRX**, \$52,350, NW1X, 4yo/up, 6f, 1:11 1/5, ft.

FOREST REGENT (h, 5, **Forest Camp--Touche de Velours**, by **Meadowlake**) Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-1, \$69,550. O-Robert McGregor. B-John A DeVault III & Sue S DeVault (FL). T-Robert McGregor. *\$4,000 yrl '08 KEESEP. **Full to The Pharaoh, GSP, \$274,710.

9th-**PRX**, \$50,700, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000), NW3X, 4yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11, ft.

HIGH QUALITY (m, 5, **Elusive Quality--Golden Sphinx**, by **Storm Cat**) Lifetime Record: 16-4-2-1, \$139,998.

O-Farnsworth Stables LLC. B-Iron County Farms Inc (KY). T-Anthony W Dutrow. *\$330,000 yrl '08 KEESEP.

8th-**FGX**, \$45,000, 2-24, Opt. Clm. (\$62,500), NW3X, 4yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:03 2/5, ft.

STARLITE STARBRITE (m, 5, **Mutakddim--Starlight Surprise {SW, \$171,643}**, by **Salutely**) Lifetime Record: SP, 17-6-5-0, \$233,906. O/B-Andrena Van Doren (KY). T-Thomas M Amoss.

1st-**FGX**, \$41,000, Opt. Clm. (\$30,000), NW1X, (S), 3yo, 6f, 1:09 4/5, ft.

BUCKTOWN (g, 3, **Leestown--Rosie City**, by **Carson City**) Lifetime Record: 8-2-2-0, \$60,015. O-Ed Wright Cattle Company & Miles Childers. B-J Adcock (LA). T-Bernard S Flint. *\$45,000 yrl '10 TEXAUG. **Full to Equestrian Girls, MSW, \$299,582; Lee City Slew, SW, \$159,414.

8th-**LRL**, \$37,000, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000-\$20,000), NW2X, 4yo/up, f/m, a1 1/16m, 1:46 2/5, ft.

REGAL NURSE (m, 5, **Monarchos--Staff Nurse**, by **Arch**) Lifetime Record: 19-11-1-2, \$111,381. O-Midwest Thoroughbreds Inc. B-Claiborne Farm (KY). T-Jamie Ness. *\$1,000 yrl '08 KEESEP; \$2,900 RNA 2yo '09 ILLAPR.

7th-**LRL**, \$35,000, NW1X, 4yo/up, 1m, 1:37 2/5, ft.

MAGNIFI CAT (c, 4, **Storm Cat--Oneofacat {SP, \$144,785}**, by **Deputy Minister**) Lifetime Record: 11-2-3-3, \$83,320. O-Richard Santulli. B-Colts Neck Stables LLC (KY). T-Alan E Goldberg.

1st-**PEN**, \$34,748, Opt. Clm. (\$32,000), NW2X, 4yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:46 2/5, ft.

THE COGNAC KID (g, 5, **Hennessy--Irish Daisy {SW & MGSP, \$364,197}**, by **Allen's Alydar**) Lifetime Record: 21-3-3-3, \$141,385. O-Peter Kazamias. B-John T Crane Jr & Margaret M Crane (PA). T-Dimitrios K Synnefias. *\$155,000 2yo '09 OBSMAR; \$140,000 RNA yrl '08 KEESEP.

8th-**GGX**, \$34,720, Alw, NW1\$X, 4yo/up, 1m (AWT), 1:38, ft.

CODY PEAK (c, 4, **Thunder Gulch--C'Est La Cat**, by **Mountain Cat**) Lifetime Record: MSP, 16-3-3-2, \$84,020. O-Jerry Hollendorfer & Gerald Lubeck. B-Dr Jerry Bilinski, Martin Zaretsky & Harry Patten (NY). T-Jerry Hollendorfer. *\$85,000 wlng '08 FTKNOV.

6th-**LRL**, \$33,250, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000-\$35,000), NW1X, 3yo, f, 5 1/2f, 1:05, ft.

PENNIES APPEAL (f, 3, **Successful Appeal--Four Pennies {SW, \$167,154}**, by **Gulch**) Lifetime Record: 8-4-1-0, \$73,830. O-Robert L Cole Jr. B-Kinsman Farm (KY). T-Howard E Wolfendale.

9th-**SUN**, \$30,500, Opt. Clm. (\$15,000), NW2RYX, (S), 4yo/up, 1m, 1:37 4/5, ft.

MAX BEAN (g, 6, **Thatsusinthelbean--Funtime Had by All**, by **Desert Wine**) Lifetime Record: 30-9-6-5, \$154,446. O-Raymond Simpson. B-Tina L & C P Hourigan (NM). T-Weston Martin. *\$4,500 RNA yrl '07 ARZOCT; \$2,000 RNA yrl '07 RUIAUG.



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8th-CTX, \$27,300, 2-24, NW3L, (S), 4yo/up, 7f, 1:29 2/5, ft.

SMOKEN BOBBE (g, 5, Fitz--Lemonade Party, by Lucky North) Lifetime Record: 14-2-3-3, \$58,920. O/B-Garvis V Williamson (WV). T-Tina Malgarini-Mawing. * 1/2 to Miss Hamma (Roaring Camp), MSW, \$301,028.

8th-HOU, \$22,000, 2-24, NW2L, 3yo, f, 6f, 1:10 3/5, ft.

GEORGE'S PRAYER (f, 3, Songandaprayer--Grand Consequence {SP}, by Grand Slam) Lifetime Record: 6-2-2-1, \$37,520. O-Gar Oil Corp. B-Mike Abraham (KY). T-Joe S Offolter. *\$12,500 yrl '10 FTKOCT.

6th-TAM, \$18,200, Opt. Clm. (\$75,000), NW1X, 3yo, 5 1/2f, 1:03 4/5, ft.

UP JUMPS A MONSTER (g, 3, Proud Citizen--Hail the Flag, by Devil's Bag) Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$20,801. O/T-Rob Chabot. B-The Neuman Group (KY). *\$25,000 2yo '11 OBSMAR; \$14,000 RNA yrl '10 KEESEP.

HANDICAP RESULTS:

8th-TAM, \$30,000, Hcp, 4yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:16, ft.

WHITE MERLOT (f, 4, Proud Accolade--Playful Princess, by Meadowlake) Lifetime Record: GSP, 11-4-3-3, \$136,750. O-Drake Smith. B-Robert Walsh (FL). T-Robert G Smith. *\$4,500 wlng '08 OBSOCT.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Donate, f, 3, City Zip--Hollow Sky, by Yes It's True. HAW, 2-25, 5 1/2f, 1:05 4/5. B-Curtis C. Green (KY).

Sky Blue Mongolia, g, 3, Pulpit--Emery Board (SW & GSP, \$158,290), by Grindstone. DED, 2-24, 7f, 1:27 1/5. B-Ocala Horses LLC (KY). *\$80,000 yrl '10 KEESEP. **1/2 to Secret File (Smart Strike), GSP, \$125,663.

Unremitting, c, 3, Rahy--Accessory, by Royal Academy. FGX, 2-25, a1 1/16mT, 1:46 3/5. B-Ramona S Bass & Arthur A Seeligson III (KY).

G'night, g, 3, Street Theatre--All Night Long (Ire), by Night Shift. SAX, 2-25, (S), a6 1/2fT, 1:14 1/5. B-Baseline Equine LLC (CA).

Ride Around Sally, f, 4, Mancini--Timely Rhythm, by Count the Time. TPX, 2-25, 6f (AWT), 1:13 2/5. B-Spade Stable (IN). * 1/2 to Lucky Chuck (Evansville Slew), SW, \$147,509.

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CONDITIONS RESULTS:

FRANCE, Cagnes-sur-Mer, 13.30, €30,000, 4yo/up, 6 1/2f (AWT), 1:17.58, stn.

YARUBO (FR) (c, 4, Muhtathir {GB}--Miss Mission {Ire} {SP-Fr}, by Second Empire {Ire}) Lifetime Record: MSP-Fr, 13 starts, 5 wins, 7 places, €116,850. O-Antonio Caro; B-F Bayrou & P McNulty; T-Jean-Claude Rouget. *€55,000 yrl '09 ARQAUG.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Rapid Heat Lad (Ire), c, 3, Aussie Rules--Alwiya, by Tremolino. Lingfield, Britain, 2-25, Mdn, 3yo, 1 1/2m (AWT). B-Roundhill Stud & Gleadhill House Stud Ltd. *4,000gns yrl '10 TATOCT.

+ Roma Kitten, c, 3, Kitten's Joy--Victory Way, by Golden Missile. Naples, Italy, 2-24, Mdn, 3yo, 1 1/16mT. B-Kenneth L & Sarah K Ramsey.

THIS DATE IN HISTORY...

February 25, 1990...The 11th race at Charles Town was declared a no-contest because the starting gate could not be removed from the track after the race had begun. The track announcer warned the jockeys to pull up their mounts, and the track subsequently refunded all wagers on the race.

February 25, 1998...The purse of the Breeders' Cup Distaff was increased from \$1 million to \$2 million, effective with that year's Breeders' Cup Championship at Churchill Downs.

February 25, 1999...Jockey **Robbie Davis** got his 3,000 win aboard Inevitably Private in the fourth race at Gulfstream Park.

February 26, 1973...With **Secretariat** having been named Horse of the Year for 1972 and champion two-year-old, Claiborne Farm announced that the colt had been syndicated for a then-record \$6,080,000--equivalent to 32 shares at \$190,000 each.

February 27, 1982...Florida apprentice **Mary Russ** became the first female jockey to win a Grade I stakes in North America when she captured the Widener H. aboard Lord Darnley at Hialeah.

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