

'STABLE MARKET' AT SEPTEMBER BREAK

Book 2 drew to a close yesterday at Keeneland September, and as buyers and sellers catch their breath during today's dark day, figures point to a stable yearling market in Lexington. The sale was represented by its seventh seven-figure yearling yesterday--an Empire Maker--Lu Ravi colt who made \$1.1 million selling to Japan's Big Red Farm--and brisk trade led to session-over-session gains. Thursday's session average of \$180,556 was up 10.9%, while the session median of \$140,000 was up 7.7%.

"Today was a very vibrant market," said Keeneland Director of Sales Geoffrey Russell. "Our auctioneers felt that, of the three days [of Book 2], this was the one that had more bounce to it."

The strong close to Book 2 put the cumulative average at \$202,829, up 5.2%, and the cumulative median \$150,000 unchanged from a year ago. Keeneland has sold 98 fewer horses during the reconfigured 2012 auction than in 2011, when six horses made seven figures. The cumulative RNA rate stands at 28.7%, up a bit from last year's figure of 27%.

"Looking at the numbers, it's a stable market," Russell continued. "A successful industry needs to have strong foundations, and this year is building off last year for a good, solid, stable market."

The numbers are particularly encouraging considering that last year's two top buyers, John Ferguson and Benjamin Leon's Besilu Stable, have been either very quiet (Ferguson) or absent (Leon).

"To be this close in the numbers shows the depth of the market, and I think it's a positive thing for our industry," said Russell. The sale resumes tomorrow and runs through Friday, Sept. 21, with all sessions beginning at 10 a.m. **Keeneland coverage cont. p3**

JOHN DUNLOP ANNOUNCES RETIREMENT

Leading trainer John Dunlop yesterday announced his decision to retire at the end of the current season, bringing a close to a 46-year career which resulted in 74 Group 1 winners and 10 British Classic successes.

In a statement issued yesterday, the 73-year-old longstanding patron of Castle Stables in Arundel said:

"I can confirm that I'll be retiring at the end of the current Flat turf season. There are several reasons behind the decision. I now have much reduced stable numbers and it is now less viable than it once was. My wife has also been ill for quite a while as well, so that has been a factor and I can also now live in the shadow of my very successful sons. I talked to the staff this morning and my owners yesterday and today." **Cont. p13**



Dunlop
Racing Post

CAMELOT TO FACE EIGHT IN ST LEGER

The unbeaten **Camelot (GB)** (Montjeu {Ire}), looking to become the first horse in 42 years to sweep the English Triple Crown, will face eight rivals while breaking from post seven in Saturday's G1 Ladbrokes St Leger S. "He is a jockey's dream to ride as everything comes naturally to him," jockey Joseph O'Brien said of the colt. "You let him come alive in your hands and he is actually very easy to ride. He is just unbelievable and is not like any other horse I have ever ridden." **Cont. p14**

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Catalogued	1047	1146
No. Offered	918	1032
No. Sold	655	753
RNAs	263	279
% RNAs	28.7%	27%
No. Over \$1 Million	7	6
High Price	\$1,650,000	\$1,400,000
Gross	\$132,853,000	\$145,216,500
Average (% change)	\$202,829 (+5.2%)	\$192,851
Median (% change)	\$150,000 (n/c)	\$150,000

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A Divine September

Divine Park is enjoying a standout start to his stud career, on the racetrack and in the sales ring. Steve Sherack talks to Airdrie's Brereton Jones.

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Brereton Jones
Horsephotos

Triple Crown on the Line

Camelot (GB) (Montjeu {Ire}) is the headliner, but jockey William Buick hopes to spoil the party with Thought Worthy (Dynaformer) in Saturday's G1 St. Leger.

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Camelot
Racing Post

Got Zip?

The speedy Reneesgotzip (City Zip) will take on sprint champion Amazombie (Northern Afleet) in the Oct. 6 GI Santa Anita Sprint Championship and trainer Peter Miller hopes the sophomore wins and is in to the GI Breeders' Cup Sprint.

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Seven-Figure Success for Woods Edge

Woods Edge Farm's Peter O'Callaghan was all smiles yesterday after selling his first seven-figure horse at auction. The milestone was courtesy of the session-topping Empire Maker colt out of dual Grade II winner Lu Ravi (A.P. Indy) who was hammered down to Big Red Farm/Shigeyuki Okada for \$1.1 million. "It's nice to do it for once; I'm not sure I'll ever do it again," O'Callaghan laughed from the rear walking ring. "Thanks very much to Elliott Walden, who was the underbidder, I'm pretty sure."

The colt, who will join his expatriated sire in Japan, is a three-parts brother to MSW & MGSP Ravi's Song (Unbridled's Song) and is a grandson of GSW At the Half (Seeking the Gold). It's the immediate family of champion Halfbridled (Unbridled). He sold as [hip 956](#).

"It's Wayne Lyster's family; he had [Lu Ravi] for a long time, and a lot of credit goes to him," said O'Callaghan. "We're bearing the fruit from a lot of his work."

The colt was bred by Japan's Nagako Fujita, who owns two horses in America, according to O'Callaghan: Lu Ravi and her daughter Ravi's Song, who is still in training with Carl Bowman. Last year, O'Callaghan and Fujita teamed to sell an Indian Charlie filly out of Lu Ravi for \$775,000 at September. The filly, named Natural Rush, was purchased by Besilu Stables. She hasn't started. Lu Ravi produced a Candy Ride (Arg) colt this spring.



Shigeyuki Okada
Keeneland photo

"She has always been an outstanding mare, and we've gotten some lovely foals out of her the last couple of years, but [yesterday's Empire Maker colt] is much the best she's ever had," said O'Callaghan. "He's the real deal. Every breeder strives to produce a horse like him."

He added, "We foaled and raised him, and it's great for everybody at the farm."

Despite the colt's quality, O'Callaghan said his first seven-figure transaction was somewhat unexpected. "You're always surprised when you sell a horse for that much," he admitted. "Our reserve was \$200,000, though we expected him to sell well past that. It's been hard going the last couple of days, but it's great to have a horse like him that makes it look easy." -Lucas Marquardt



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Hip	Sire	Dam	Price (\$)
<u>956</u>	Empire Maker	Lu Ravi	1,100,000
	<i>B-Nagako Fujita (KY)</i>		
	Consigned by Woods Edge Farm (Peter O'Callaghan), Agent VIII Purchased by Big Red Farm/Shigeyuki Okada		
<u>1021</u>	Smart Strike	Mon Belle	900,000
	<i>B-Peter E Blum Thoroughbreds (KY)</i>		
	Consigned by Dromoland Farm Inc, Agent I Purchased by Stonestreet Stables		
<u>1004</u>	Unbridled's Song	Miss Macy Sue	800,000
	<i>B-Albaugh Family Stable (KY)</i>		
	Consigned by Taylor Made Sales Agency, Agent CV Purchased by St. Elias/JJ Crupi, Agent		
<u>807</u>	Giant's Causeway	Good Vibes	750,000
	<i>B-Good Vibes Syndicate (KY)</i>		
	Consigned by Four Star Sales, Agent Purchased by Todd A Pletcher, Agent		
<u>847</u>	Empire Maker	Inda	625,000
	<i>B-Emory A Hamilton (KY)</i>		
	Consigned by Gainesway, Agent XXXI Purchased by Spendthrift Farm LLC		
<u>798</u>	Tapit	Gold Canyon	510,000
	(\$250,000 i/u '10 KEENOV)		
	<i>B-SF Bloodstock (KY)</i>		
	Consigned by Gainesway, Agent XXXV Purchased by Fog City Stables		
<u>876</u>	Distorted Humor	Justenuffheart	500,000
	<i>B-Mt. Brilliant Farm & Ranch (Ire)</i>		
	Consigned by Mt. Brilliant Farm Purchased by Live Oak Plantation		
<u>916</u>	Candy Ride (Arg)	Lake Naivasha	410,000
	<i>B-Emory A Hamilton (KY)</i>		
	Consigned by Gainesway, Agent XXXI Purchased by Maverick Racing		
<u>936</u>	Mr. Greeley	Life in Seattle	410,000
	<i>B-Lazy Lane Farms (VA)</i>		
	Consigned by Dapple Stud, Agent for Lazy Lane Farms LLC Purchased by Shortleaf Stable		
<u>772</u>	Unusual Heat	Freedom Dance	400,000
	<i>B-Harris Farms (CA)</i>		
	Consigned by Valkyre Stud (Catherine Parke), Agent Purchased by Mr. Ed Savant		

THURSDAY'S TOP FILLIES

Hip	Sire	Dam	Price (\$)
<u>1042</u>	Dynaformer	My Chickadee	650,000
	<i>B-B P Walden Jr & H G King III (KY)</i>		
	Consigned by Pauls Mill & Hugh G King III Purchased by Live Oak Plantation		
<u>960</u>	Indian Charlie	Macoumba	650,000
	<i>B-Malibu Farm (KY)</i>		
	Consigned by Mark Toothaker, Agent for Malibu Farm LLC Purchased by Solis Bloodstock, Agent		
<u>948</u>	Tiznow	Lorelei K	400,000
	<i>B-Aaron U & Marie D Jones (KY)</i>		
	Consigned by Taylor Made Sales Agency, Agent for Aaron & Marie Jones Purchased by Shadwell Estate Company Ltd		
<u>1019</u>	Galileo (Ire)	Mona Lisa (GB)	390,000
	<i>B-Storm Bloodstock (Ire)</i>		
	Consigned by Four Star Sales, Agent Purchased by Alberto Figueiredo Neto		
<u>886</u>	Malibu Moon	Kings Lynn	360,000
	<i>B-Paul F Gardner (KY)</i>		
	Consigned by Margaux Farm LLC, Agent XVIII Purchased by Live Oak Plantation		
<u>796</u>	Arch	Go Baby Go (Ire)	340,000
	<i>B-Morgan's Ford Farm (VA)</i>		
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Catalogued	304	322
No. Offered	264	282
No. Sold	198	209
RNAs	66	73
% RNAs	25%	25.8%
No. Over \$500K	9	5
High Price	\$1,100,000	\$1,350,000
Gross	\$35,750,000	\$34,040,500
Average (% change)	\$180,556 (+10.9%)	\$162,873
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Back to the Well...

Active earlier in the week at Keeneland, including a \$700,000 purchase for a son of Tapit on Wednesday, Stonestreet was uncharacteristically low key for most of Thursday's session of the September sale. That all changed shortly after [Hip 1021](#) strode into the arena. As the bidding quickly escalated to the half-million marker, the Stonestreet team of Barbara Banke and advisor John Moynihan sat silent, without offering a single bid. It wasn't until bidding reached the \$650,000 mark that Moynihan jumped into the fray, and after a swift battle, secured the colt for \$900,000, recording the second highest price of the session. Consigned by Dromoland Farm, the half-brother to stakes-winning Supreme (Empire Maker) was bred by Peter Blum.



John Moynihan
Keeneland photo

"He was a really good-looking colt," said Moynihan. "We bought one [Hip 67; purchased in partnership with George Bolton] the first day for \$350,000, so we are averaging our cost now. I really expected the horse to bring \$500,000-\$600,000, or maybe \$750,000. He was a really pretty horse, but man, was that a lot."

Stonestreet, in partnership with Bolton, has enjoyed a profitable run with Lane's End's Smart Strike, having campaigned Horse of the Year and Classic winner Curlin, juvenile champion filly My Miss Aurelia, graded stakes winner Dominus and Spring Hill Farm, winner of his career debut by 6 1/4 lengths at Gulfstream this past winter.

"We've had luck with the stallion," said Moynihan. "If you see a really pretty one, you go for it. My Miss Aurelia is gorgeous, Dominus is gorgeous and Curlin, of course, is Curlin. We have an affinity for the horse and we've had a lot of luck with him. And when Barbara has luck with a particular sire line, we tend to go back to the well. We just went really *deep* in this well."

According to Moynihan, Banke, who was seated alongside her advisor during the proceedings, was very eager to get the colt for the successful breeding and racing operation, founded by her late husband Jess Jackson, who passed away last year.

"He had great breeding, a great sire and we've had very good luck with that sire," Banke said of the colt. "He reminded me of Curlin and Dominus. He was very athletic and a very good mover. We will just hope for the best."

While Moynihan had to work hard and pay a premium to secure the Apr. 22 foal, Dromoland's Gerry Dilger was obviously pleased with the day's results.

"Yes it was," Dilger said, when asked if the price was more than he expected. "You never really know until you come to the grounds as you know, but the interest was building up all week. Around the horse today, we had all the players that I thought were there all week buying good, solid horses. So, I just left it in those people's hands and they worked out the horses' worth themselves."

Offering plenty appeal in the form of his leading sire Smart Strike, the colt also sported some important black-type on the bottom side of his page in the form of his 10-year-old dam Mon Belle, who is a full-sister to GI Kentucky Derby winner Monarchos. Peter Blum bought Mon Belle for \$290,000 at Keeneland November in 2005. For Blum, the mare's first produce was an Empire Maker filly foaled in 2007. Named Supreme, she won the Buckland S. and finished runner-up in the GIII Royal North S. The mare's next foal, Scenic Drive (Empire Maker), realized \$400,000 in the sales ring at the Keeneland September sale in 2008. In 2012, Mon Belle produced a filly by Speightstown.

"You can't ever tell in this market what a horse will bring, but it's really not a big surprise because the sky was the limit," explained Blum. "I had a few people saying that he was as nice a colt as any at the sale. Gerry also really liked him a lot. We wouldn't have been surprised if he brought more, but you have to be happy with that price. They got really nice horse."

- Christina Bossinakis

Well-Bred Unbridled's Song Colt Brings \$800k

Graded stakes winner Miss Macy Sue (Trippi--Yada Yada, by Great Above) was a top sprinter on the racetrack for Dennis Albaugh, winning 11 of 25 starts with just under \$900,000 in earnings, and placing a close third in the inaugural Breeders' Cup Filly & Mare Sprint at Monmouth Park. The 9-year-old continued to pay dividends for the Albaugh family at the Keeneland September Sale yesterday, when her son by leading sire Unbridled's Song brought \$800,000 from the relatively new St. Elias Stable.



Jim Crupi
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"He's just a beautiful horse," said Duncan Taylor of Taylor Made Sales Agency, which consigned the gray as [hip 1004](#). "The mare's nick with her ancestors is one of the best that's been bred to Unbridled's Song. The horse is gorgeous, well-balanced and was well-raised--it's a real compliment to everybody at our farm. He's always been just a dream to work with. His dam could run and was a sound mare. Every once in a while everything comes together right, and this time it all came together."

Taylor continued, "It's really good to see Unbridled's Song sell one like that. He's such a good sire and Emcee ran good the other day [capturing the GI Forego S. at Saratoga]. It shows that he could still get a yearling that could bring that type of money. From what I hear, there's a lot of good young Unbridled Songs out there. I think he's going to keep doing it."

Jimmy Crupi made the winning bid out back.

"They're based out of New York," Crupi said of St. Elias, while not disclosing the stable's principals. "He was just a standout--I loved him. He had everything in the right place. He looked like a racehorse. He looked like if he did something good, he could be a stallion."

Was Crupi expecting to have to pay that much?

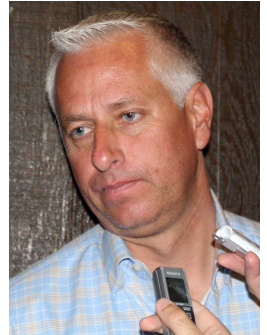
"I really wanted to go to about \$500,000, but you know how that happens," he replied. -Steve Sherack

A Giant Among Men...

Picking up where he left off Wednesday, trainer Todd Pletcher secured a colt by Giant's Causeway for \$750,000 during Thursday's fourth session of the Keeneland September sale. Stationed at his customary spot while leaning against the wall near the bid spotters stand out back, Pletcher got into the mix early for [Hip 807](#) and was the last man standing at the fall of the hammer.

"I thought he was outstanding," explained Pletcher. "I've had a lot of success with Giant's Causeway as a stallion. He's a world leading sire. Any time you get one that looks like he does and walks like he does, you have to try."

Consigned by Four Star Sales, the Apr. 2 foal it out of Good Vibes (Unbridled's Song), the dam of multiple graded stakes placed Hong Kong performer Sweet Orange (War Front), third in this year's G1 Audemars Piguet Queen Elizabeth II Cup. Sweet Orange competed as Warning Flag in Ireland as a 2-year-old, where he won the Irish Stallion Farms E.B.F. Star Appeal S., and was second in the G3 JRA Killavullan S. **Cont. p7**



Todd Pletcher
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“The price ended up being more than I thought it would be, but he’s one of those horses, the more you see, he’s such a great mover, the more you like him,” said David Greathouse of Four Star Sales. “He had been a very popular horse, so I thought he would bring about a half [million], I thought that was attainable, but you know how it goes. All the right people were on him.”

And listed among the ‘right people’ was the white haired gentleman that signed the ticket.

“I think he went to a good spot,” Greathouse said with a laugh.

Asked for his own reaction to the final price, Pletcher admitted, “We were up a little higher than we anticipated we’d go, but it seems that when you get the really outstanding individuals like him, you’ve got to be prepared to pay a little more.”

Pletcher, who was making his first purchase Thursday, rounded out the previous day as the third leading buyer with five head purchased for gross expenditures of \$1,630,000. Early in the week, the East Coast-based conditioner represented several buying interests, including Bill and Terry Mathis, Let’s Go Stable and Green Hills Farm.

“It’s for a group that I’m putting together, and I’m working on it still,” said Pletcher. “It’s some of the same people I’ve been buying for at the sale, I’m putting together a partnership.”

Although present at Keeneland since last Friday, Pletcher didn’t sign for anything during Monday’s opening session.

“I think if there were more really good horses on day 1 it would have been more successful,” he said. “I thought the individuals were a little light.”

Despite his absence from Book 1’s sale summary, Pletcher felt Book 2 packed plenty of punch.

“I think it’s been consistent with what we have seen in the past,” said Pletcher, when asked about the competition in the ring. “For whatever reason, there were a lot of nice horses [Wednesday] and it wasn’t necessarily to buy, but there were just more good horses.”

As for the overall market at Keeneland so far, Pletcher opined, “I think it’s showing signs of recovering, but it’s really hard to buy the really good ones. We haven’t had any blow-out prices, we’ve had four million horses, so when you find one it works out well.”

Weighing in on the current catalog format and sales schedule, Pletcher added, “Personally, the format of this sale has worked out really well. I felt like we were well prepared. I felt all the horses we wanted to see, we had to compare the first four days to each other to know where the horses [Thursday] compared to the horses on Monday. I didn’t mind the format.”—*Christina Bossinakis*

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Fog Rolls In for Tapit Colt...

Yearlings by Tapit have been in strong demand throughout September, and yesterday David Shimmon's Fog City Stable came away with a particularly attractive prospect after securing [hip 798](#), a colt by the Gainesway stallion, for \$510,000. Gainesway consigned the gray son of Gold Canyon (Mr. Prospector), a daughter of GI Santa Anita Oaks heroine Golden Treat (Theatrical {Ire}) and already the dam of GSW Adriano (A.P. Indy) and GSP Gold d'Oro (Medaglia d'Oro).

Bidding for the Apr. 14-foaled colt came down to Juddmonte's Garrett O'Rourke, sitting just under the press box, and members of the Florida-based McKathan cartel, led by J.B. McKathan, who stood in the doorway a few feet away on the phone with Shimmon.

"He's a beautiful Tapit colt, and Tapit seems to be the flavor of the year," said J.B. just after signing the ticket. "He's a really, smooth-moving, elegant colt with a nice pedigree, and he's very correct. And he's obviously very athletic."

The colt will now head to the McKathans' operation to be broken and trained. A trainer has not been decided on. Bob Baffert has conditioned some of Fog City's best runners, including Grade I winners The Factor (War Front) and Roman Ruler (Fusaichi Pegasus).

Asked if he thought he'd have to pay that much for the colt, McKathan said, "You never know with these things. He's a really nice colt, so I'm not surprised. David was game--he really wanted him."

The colt was bred by S F Bloodstock, which had purchased him in utero after securing Gold Canyon for \$250,000 at the 2010 Keeneland November Sale. The mare was part of a group of SF mares acquired to support the young stallions Super Saver (Maria's Mon) and Sidney's Candy (Candy Ride {Arg}). -Lucas Marquardt

Unusual Heat Colt Books Return Ticket to Cali...

A striking California-bred colt by Unusual Heat is heading back to the Golden State after trainer Bob Baffert signed for him for \$400,000. Consigned by Catherine Parke's red-hot Valkyre Stud as [hip 772](#), the bay was produced by Freedom Dance (Moscow Ballet) and is a half to the Grade I-winning sprinter Cost of Freedom (Cee's Tizzy). Baffert signed the ticket Mr. Ed Savant.



J.B. McKathan
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The colt, bred by Harris Farms, heads back to his home state some nine months after Parke first laid eyes on him in the field of a California client she declined to identify. "I was out looking at some mares and foals in January or February, and when I saw him, he just took my breath away," said Parke. "I kept looking at him, and the manager asked if I'd like to see him, and I said, 'Oh, I really would. This is an extraordinary animal.'"

Parke said she isn't much of a saleswoman, but her earnest enthusiasm for the colt was enough to convince his owner that Keeneland September was the right place for him. A few weeks after her visit, the colt was on a plane on his way to Parke's Georgetown, Kentucky-based farm.

"I'm not a big promoter, but I was just really taken with this horse and really believed in him," she said. "Everybody has their kind of horse, and for me he was just a 'wow' horse."

Baffert, apparently, concurred. "He told me he loved him and that he was a great individual, and that he always wanted to train an Unusual Heat and never had," said Parke.


The sale is another chapter in the compelling rags-to-riches story of Unusual Heat, the former claimer who rose from the humblest beginnings to become California's top sire. Owned by a syndicate headed by California owner/breeder Madeline Auerbach, trainer Barry Abrams and breeder David Abrams, the 22-year-old stallion has sired at least 27 stakes winners from 12 crops, including the Grade I winners The Usual Q. T., Unusual Suspect and Golden Doc A. Last year, he was represented by the dynamic Acclamation, named champion older male after winning the GI TVG Pacific Classic, GI Eddie Read and GI Charles Whittingham Memorial H. **Cont. p9**




Hip 798
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Hip 1853




Hip 1857

HIP 1482: Filly by Distorted Humor o/o Polish Flower (Danzig)

HIP 1853: Colt by Sky Mesa o/o Mettle (Silver Deputy)

HIP 1857: Filly by Hat Trick (JPN) o/o Mien (Nureyev)

Update: Half-brother, Afonso de Sousa (2010 by Henrythenavigator), broke his maiden by 9 lengths at Leopardstown and earned black type in the Acomb Stakes (G3) at York.



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“He’s had so many good horses, and he’s always on the leading sire lists for turf and synthetic horses, but they all run in California, so he hasn’t gotten the global attention he deserves,” Parke said of the Nureyev stallion. “I think Acclamation, being a champion, made people finally pay attention that he’s a very, very good sire.”

Unusual Heat stood the 2012 season at Harris Farm for a fee of \$20,000.

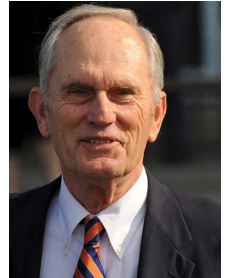
Parke’s big September so far includes the sale of Wednesday’s \$1.55 million Bernardini--Wilshewed topper. “It’s been a really good sale for me,” she confirmed. “We’ve brought four to the sale and they all sold. But they were all very good individuals and had good veterinary sheets. If you have a lovely animal, there’s a lot of depth to the market.” -Lucas Marquardt

Divine Park Fillies in High Demand...

Divine Park came within a long neck of being represented by his first graded winner courtesy of Dancinginthecircle’s game effort in the Gill Arlington-Washington Lassie S. last weekend ([video](#)), and the Airdrie Stud freshman sire has kept the momentum rolling in the ring through the first two books of the Keeneland September Sale. A trio of his fillies have grossed \$1,145,000, good for a hefty average of \$381,667. The son of Chester House currently commands a \$10,000 stud fee.

“We’re obviously extremely pleased,” Airdrie principal Brereton C. Jones commented. “If you look at them physically, and combine that with the fact that his 2-year-olds are running well, it looks like he may be the complete package.”

[Hip 81](#), a half-sister to GISWs Check the Label (Stormin Fever) and Include Me Out (Include) and stakes winner On the Menu (Canadian Frontier), made the biggest splash for the 2008 GI Metropolitan H. hero during the select session, ringing up \$500,000 from Mandy Pope’s Whisper Hill Farm. Out of the unraced 11-year-old Mazel Trick mare Don’t Trick Her, the chestnut was bred in Kentucky by Jones.



Brereton Jones
Horsephotos

“Don’t Trick Her, of course, is the only mare in the entire sale that has produced two Grade I stakes winners,” Jones revealed. “If you get a chance to buy a filly out of a mare like that, that’s a great kind of position to be in.”

[Hip 505](#), a half-sister to the multiple stakes winning and graded stakes placed ♂ **"TDN Rising Star"** ♂ Trickmeister (Proud Citizen), was locked up by Roy and Gretchen Jackson’s Lael Stable for \$385,000. The Apr. 29 foal out of Afternoon Trick (Afternoon Deelites) was co-bred by Jones and Timothy C. Thornton. *Cont. p10*

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A daughter of the aforementioned On the Menu rounded out the trifecta, bringing \$260,000 from Sierra Farm. The chestnut, also bred by the former governor of Kentucky, was consigned as [hip 149](#). She hails from the extended family of GISW Sweet Talker (Stormin Fever).

"If you've got a good horse with a respectable pedigree and it jumps through all the hoops, you can expect them to sell well," Jones said of the market.

Bret Jones' Dancinginthecircle, a tough luck third after getting bumped at the start and racing in tight quarters throughout from her rail draw at Arlington, will line up next in Keeneland's GI Darley Alcibiades S. Oct. 5.

"I thought she ran a fabulous race," Jones said. "She almost won it. Anytime you get 13 2-year-olds together running early in the year, you get a lot of difficulty, but she handled it exceptionally well. Ten yards past the finish line she was a half-length ahead. We feel good about her next start at Keeneland." -*Steve Sherack*

KEESEP 'Spend'-ing Spree...

B. Wayne Hughes' Spendthrift Farm has come out firing through the first four days of trade at the Keeneland September Sale, purchasing a total of eight yearlings for \$2,665,000. Hughes, doing his bidding out back, went to \$625,000 to land an Empire Maker colt out of a half-sister to GISW Brahms (Danzig) and a full-sister to graded winner La Reina (A.P. Indy) Thursday.

"Overall, I think the market is sort of fair," Hughes commented after being thanked for his purchase by Gainesway President Antony Beck and the colt's breeder Emory A. Hamilton. "There's good horses here and the prices are high, but they are not as high as they used to be."

Was Hughes close to reaching his capacity for the grandson of champion Queena (Mr. Prospector)? **Cont. p11**



B. Wayne Hughes, Emory Hamilton and Antony Beck
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"I would say that I was right there," Hughes admitted while standing alongside Spendthrift General Manager Ned Toffey. "We didn't really talk about it, though. I might've had a couple of more jumps, but that's it. That was enough."

Out of the winning 9-year-old A.P. Indy mare Inda, the bay was consigned on Hamilton's behalf by Gainesway, Agent XXXI, as [hip 847](#).

"It's very selective," Beck replied when asked how he thought the market was playing. "A lot of the big buyers seem to want to buy the same horse. It seems to be an even greater polarization in the market right now. A lot of good racehorses are going for less money than they should. But it's a fantastically strong market given that historically three of the strongest buyers in the last two years are not participating."

Spendthrift's other KEESEP yearling purchases include, [hip 61](#), a Dynafomer-Brisquette colt for \$360,000; [hip 494](#), a Dynaformer-Zuri Ridge colt for \$160,000; [hip 501](#), a Tapit-Adorahy colt for \$450,000; [hip 592](#), a Tiznow-Cabbage Key filly for \$330,000; [hip 619](#), a Pulpit-Charming N Lovable colt for \$100,000; [hip 670](#), a Bernardini-Crystal Symphony filly for \$480,000; and [hip 778](#), a Giant's Causeway-Fun Crowd filly for \$160,000. Later in the session, Hughes cashed in by playing the role of seller, getting \$650,000 for an Indian Charlie-Macoumba filly that he bred. She was consigned by Mark Toothaker as [hip 960](#). -SS

New Faces at Keeneland...

Keeneland added two new members to its team in advance of this year's September sale. Connie Van Onselder came on as Keeneland's new vice president and chief financial officer in late August, joining Ed Prosser, who was named as the sale company's European representative in July.

Van Onselder was previously the CFO of Lexington-based Unified Trust Company and Unified Financial Services, Inc. and has held several other executive positions in finance.



Connie Van Onselder
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"I'm so excited to be here," Van Onselder said during a break in the action yesterday. Asked if it was intimidating having started work just two weeks before the start of the world's largest Thoroughbred auction, she said, "The people are so nice and knowledgeable, and it's such a great team that I don't feel thrown to the wolves at all. I don't even feel like I've been thrown into the deep end."

A native of Battle Creek, Michigan, Van Onselder spent 26 years in Raleigh, North Carolina before relocating to Lexington two years ago with her husband Robert. The couple have four children and are enjoying life in the Bluegrass. **Cont. p12**



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"I like the combination in Kentucky of the Midwestern work ethic and Southern genteelness," she said.

A respected racing journalist for over 15 years, Prosser reported for publications like *Racing Post*, *Thoroughbred Owner & Breeder*, and *Horse & Hound*. Although he's currently in Lexington for the sale, Prosser is based out of London.

"Keeneland is one of those iconic companies in the racing and bloodstock world," he said about joining the Keeneland roster.

With Storm Cat now gone, it's fair to say there are fewer top-end American stallions whose progeny are in demand in Europe. But Prosser points out that there are a broad range of American sires who work overseas.

"Exchange Rate has [recent G1 Prix Morny winner] Reckless Abandon (GB) in Europe right now," he said. "And probably two of the best 2-year-old fillies are Certify, who is by Elusive Quality, and What a Name (Ire), who is by [the late] Mr. Greeley. A lot of the breeze-up guys haven't been active yet [at September] but will be in the next few days. They love American horses. Hard Spun had Red Duke, who sold at Keeneland, then topped the Doncaster Breeze-Up Sale last year before going on to win a Group 2." -Lucas Marquardt



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B-Machmer Hall and Haymarket Farm (KY)
 Consigned by Select Sales, Agent
 Purchased by Starlight Racing/Frank Brothers, Agent
 Machmer Hall scooped up this colt's dam for just \$30,000 at the 2009 Keeneland November Sale in foal to Forestry. While that resulting foal brought just \$18,000 as a yearling, her next foal, this Harlan's Holiday colt, more than compensated when scooped up by the group that raced his sire.

878 c War Front Kaileysgal 250,000

B-Curt Leake (LA)
 Consigned by Elm Tree Farm LLC (Mr. and Mrs. Jody Huckabay), Agent
 Purchased by Cam Allard
 Cam Allard signed the ticket on this colt's dam for just \$27,000 at the 2006 Keeneland November sale in foal to Cat Thief. While that colt did not prove profitable, her next foal did: Tensas Cold Front, a full brother to this colt, sold for \$40,000 as a yearling at TEXAUG. He has flashed promise in just four starts this year as a 3-year-old, winning his first two starts and finishing second in the Super Derby Prelude S. at Louisiana Downs. That colt's full brother proved popular yesterday.



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Hip	Sex	Sire	Dam	Price (\$)
749	c	Arch	Falling Springs	125,000

B-Peachtree Farm (KY)

Consigned by Taylor Made Sales Agency, Agent
 Purchased by Bradley Thoroughbreds, LLC

Peachtree Farm was able to secure Falling Springs (Mr. Prospector) for a modest \$47,000, carrying this foal at the 2010 Keeneland November sale, and they realized a healthy profit yesterday when the resulting Arch colt went through the Keeneland September ring.

805 f	War Front	Gone West Lady	260,000
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B-The 2N6 Ranch (KY)

Consigned by Hunter Valley Farm, Agent
 Purchased by Steven W. Young, Agent

The breeders of this filly opted to buy her back when she went through the ring as a \$95,000 RNA at last year's Keeneland November sale. Her dam, Gone West Lady, had been a \$19,000 RNA at the 2008 Keeneland November sale in foal to Chapel Royal, and the following year was bred to the obsolete stallion Aziz. The decision to go to War Front proved a profitable one last night.



(Nothing But Nets, cont.)

923 c Colonel John Latin Lynx 325,000
B-Haymarket Farm (KY)
 Consigned by Select Sales, Agent
 Purchased by Amerman Racing

Haymarket Farm secured Latin Lynx for \$32,000 at the 2007 Keeneland November sale. Her third foal, Sean Avery (Cherokee Run), made that price tag look cheap last August when he took the GI Alfred G. Vanderbilt H. at Saratoga, and that gelding returned to the races from a year layoff last week to win the Affiliate S. at Belmont. Haymarket enjoyed a significant return with Sean Avery's half brother yesterday.

989 f Kitten's Joy Merry Me In Spring 215,000
B-Mr. and Mrs. Robert Horton & Charles Middleton III (KY)
 Consigned by Warrendale Sales, Agent
 Purchased by Parapet Stable

Charles Middleton picked up Merry Me in Spring (Wekiva Springs) in foal to Medaglia d'Oro for \$57,000 at the 2008 Keeneland November sale. He sold that resulting foal at the same sale the following year for \$190,000, and realized another healthy profit last night when selling this filly for \$215,000.

1032 c Hard Spun Moyne Abbey 375,000
B-William F. Lynn (KY)
 Consigned by Three Chimneys Sales, Agent
 Purchased by Centennial Farms

William Lynn opted to buy back his mare Moyne Abbey when she was a \$90,000 RNA at the 2009 Keeneland November Sale, along with the Street Boss filly she was carrying. While that resulting foal has yet to see the racetrack, Lynn experienced a strong return with this Hard Spun colt, now named Moyne Spun, at Keeneland last night.

NEWS TODAY

Dunlop Announces Retirement (cont. from p1)

Having taken out a licence in 1966, the Gloucestershire-born John Dunlop took up duties at the Duke and Duchess of Norfolk's base in West Sussex and quickly established a formidable reputation. Saddling his first Classic winner in the 1970 Irish 1000 Guineas with Black Satin (Ind), he took his first Epsom Derby courtesy of Shirley Heights (GB) eight years later. Twelve months prior to that achievement, he sent out the first winner for Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum at Brighton and he later fused a special relationship with Sheikh Hamdan. It was for that renowned owner-breeder that he collected the 1994 Derby with Erhaab and a host of major prizes with the likes of Salsabil (Ire) (Sadler's Wells), Marju (Ire), Shadayid (Shadeed), Bahri and his son Sakhee. Among the other notable performers he trained during his illustrious career were the brilliant sprinter Habibt (Ire) (Habitat) and his other Classic scorers Silver Patriarch (Ire), Circus Plume (GB) (High Top {Ire}), Millenary (GB) (Rainbow Quest), Moon Madness (GB) (Vitiges {Fr}) and Quick as Lightning. He was also a director at his local Goodwood racecourse and was awarded an OBE for his charitable work. **Cont. p14**

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In recent years, Dunlop's influence has dwindled with the 2010 G3 Craven S. winner Elusive Pimpernel (Elusive Quality) and last month's G2 Lonsdale Cup scorer Times Up (GB) (Olden Times {GB}) two highlights. His sons Ed and Harry have become fully established as trainers since he made a complete recovery from a ruptured aorta in November 2001 and, at present, he has won almost 300 Pattern races worldwide and over 3,500 races in total.

"It's difficult to know where to begin, he's been at the top of the tree for so long," Ed Dunlop told *PA Sport*. "He's trained two Derby winners, numerous Classic winners and has been champion trainer. He's been a great inspiration to me and my brother and we obviously wish him a long and happy retirement. It's going to be a sad day for not only the whole Dunlop family when his career does come to an end at the end of the season, but I'm sure all his staff and his owners. There are so many memories from when I was young, too many to mention really--Shirley Heights winning the Derby and so on. I know how pleased he was when Snow Fairy won last weekend, having trained for Mrs Patino for many years himself of course. Certainly without him, I probably wouldn't have trained for Mrs Patino and therefore wouldn't have trained Snow Fairy. I owe him a huge debt for that and so many other things."

Also on hand to reflect on Dunlop's career was Willie Carson, who rode numerous big-race winners from Arundel. "He is one of the true legends of the sport," he said. "I rode a hell of a lot of winners for him. Just a few weeks ago, we were talking about it and I think it was around 680 winners. I rode a lot of class horses for him. Salsabil was one of the quickest fillies I ever rode and there were so many other great horses like Erhaab and Marju. John was the sort of trainer that could improve horses. Once he worked them out, he could get them to improve and improve and he was always spot-on with what he said. I always had a very good relationship with him and I always remember how he always used to say before a race 'there's plenty of time'. Sometimes there wasn't as much time as he thought, but he always portrayed coolness, tried to get the jockeys to relax and have confidence in themselves and the horses they were riding. He's a gentleman who everyone in racing has tremendous affection for. The Dunlop name is going to carry on in racing for years to come with his sons, but John was the one who started it all off. He is a master trainer and I can only give him the highest praise."

Godolphin's Racing Manager Simon Crisford served as assistant to Dunlop for a spell and said, "Quite simply, he was one of the greatest trainers of all time. He gave me my first chance in racing. I turned up and knocked on his door and he asked me what I could do. I told him I could wash his car and cut his ivy, so it just shows the measure of the man that he took me on and gave me a leg up in life. He has done so much charitable work down the years, he really is tireless working for worthwhile causes and he has always put everybody else first. There's a link with Sheikh Mohammed, also, as he trained his first winner way back when. I, along with everybody in racing I imagine, would like to wish him a very happy retirement."

YOSHIDA BUYS SALOMINA

Katsumi Yoshida has been revealed as the new purchaser of the unbeaten 3-year-old filly **Salomina (Ger)** (Lomitas {GB}). Bred by Gestut Bona, the July 5 G3 Hamburger Stuten-Preis winner had raced for the partnership of her breeder and Australian Bloodstock when annexing the G1 Preis der Diana after Jamie Lovett's operation had bought a share in her prior to that Aug. 5 Dusseldorf Classic. It has now been announced that the son of Teruya Yoshida, the part-owner of Danedream (Ger) (Lomitas {GB}), has bought the filly who will remain in training with Peter Schiergen in Cologne and will run in Sunday's G1 Prix Vermeille at Longchamp. "The deal went through on Monday," her trainer explained. "Things will remain unchanged, she will stay with me."

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THOUGHT WORTHY OF BUICK FAITH

Jockey William Buick yesterday opted to stay with **Thought Worthy** (Dynaformer) ahead of the fellow John Gosden trainee **Michelangelo (GB)** (Galileo {Ire}) in tomorrow's G1 Ladbrokes St Leger, for which nine colts will go to post. George Strawbridge's Aug. 22 G2 Great Voltigeur winner gained the vote of confidence from the yard's number one rider, who is looking for a third consecutive renewal following the wins of Arctic Cosmos (North Light {Ire}) and Masked Marvel (GB) (Montjeu {Ire}). Frankie Dettori enters the equation by taking the spare ride on Bjorn Nielsen's Michelangelo.

"I left it late because I wanted to get a feel of just how both horses were at home, but it didn't make things any easier as John Gosden has them both primed to run for their lives," Buick revealed in his blog on *Attheraces*. **Cont. p15**

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“Michelangelo breezed on Tuesday and I gave Thought Worthy the same sort of spin on Wednesday and I couldn’t split how well they were. In the end, it was the overall level of form that Thought Worthy has shown which swung my decision his way.” Prior to his York success, the homebred had finished fourth in the June 2 G1 Epsom Derby and third in the G2 King Edward VII S. at Royal Ascot 20 days later.

“Although many thought we stole the Great Voltigeur, it was really down to his adaptability and courage,” Buick added. “I think he’s better judged on that performance than the Derby. I know **Camelot (GB)** (Montjeu {Ire}) is going to be very hard to get by, but both the Clarehaven runners have the ability to bustle him up and I want to be on the one that pushes him hardest and I think that’s going to be Thought Worthy.”

Michelangelo was third in the G3 Gordon S. at Glorious Goodwood when last seen July 31 and earlier this week, John Gosden was convinced he has more to offer than that.

“Michelangelo has done nothing wrong in his four races and Goodwood is not everybody’s track,” he said. “He was staying on well at the end of that race and so did Arctic Cosmos before winning the St Leger two years ago.”

Of Thought Worthy, he added, “He’s from a family of tough staying horses. Thought Worthy’s brother Lucarno was also fourth in the Derby and won the Great Voltigeur. Lucarno then won the St Leger and I hope Thought Worthy can do the same. We are taking on a very fine horse in Camelot and naturally all the focus has been on him and the Triple Crown. But it takes other horses to make a race and Thought Worthy will stay the trip. Whether he can stay it fast enough is the question.”

As expected, Aidan O’Brien withdrew **Imperial Monarch (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}) and **Chamonix (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}), leaving the Triple Crown hopeful Camelot (GB) (Montjeu {Ire}) alone in his quest.

One of his compatriots **Ursa Major (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}) will have the bonus of having Johnny Murtagh on board and Thomas Carmody’s colt is on a steep upward curve, having beaten the G3 Curragh Cup scorer Hartani (Ire) (Shirocco {Ger}) in the G3 Irish St Leger Trial S. over 14 furlongs at The Curragh Aug. 25. Murtagh has forsaken his ride on the same day’s G1 Irish St Leger hopeful Royal Diamond (Ire) (King’s Best) to take the mount on Ursa Major.

“He has improved and improved and although it’s a big step up in class, he deserves his chance and he only has one shot at a Classic,” Murtagh said of Ursa Major. “We are here to win.” The colt’s owner Andrew Tinkler’s Racing Manager Tim Jones added, “He has improved with every run and we hope there is further improvement in him. It is typical of his breeding that he has improved as time has gone on. We are now throwing him in at the deep end on Saturday.”

After rain fell at the track yesterday, Doncaster’s Clerk of the Course Jon Pullin had come under some fire for his decision to water ahead of the meeting.

“We had a warm, dry week last week and we were 25c on Saturday and Sunday, which was when we were watering,” he explained. “On Sunday morning, we assessed the forecast and that was the first indication we had got of rainfall on Wednesday so we backed off the watering at that stage. No watering took place after Monday. I am fairly certain it will ride on the easy side still and they will probably kick the top out again today, having raced on it yesterday and opened it up, but I wouldn’t be surprised if by the end of the day it was good ground.”

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	(525,000gns ‘10 TATOCT)	

O-Derrick Smith, Susan Magnier & Michael Tabor; B-Sheikh Abdulla bin Isa Al-Khalifa; T-Aidan O’Brien; J-Joseph O’Brien. Lifetime Record: 5-5-0-0, £1,710,767.

	<i>Last Start--1st June 30 G1 Irish Derby</i>
2 8	Dartford Giant’s Causeway
	(45,000gns HIT ‘12 TATJUL)

O-Bjorn Nielsen; B-Juddmonte Farms Inc; T-John Gosden; J-Robert Havlin. Lifetime Record: 7-0-1-2, £2,842.

	<i>Last Start--5th Aug. 18 G3 Geoffrey Freer S.</i>
3 1	Encke Kingmambo
	O-Godolphin; B-Darley; T-Mahmood Al Zarooni; J-Mickael Barzalona.
	Lifetime Record: 5-2-2-1, £44,069.

	<i>Last Start--3rd Aug. 22 G2 Great Voltigeur S.</i>
4 9	Guarantee (GB) Authorized (Ire)
	(130,000gns wnl’g ‘09 TATDEC; 105,000gns RNA yrl ‘10 TATOCT; 50,000gns 2yo ‘11 TATAPR)

O-Highclere Thoroughbred Racing-Authorized; B-Highbury Stud Ltd; T-William Haggas; J-Phillip Makin. Lifetime Record: 4-3-1-0, £59,286.

	<i>Last Start--1st Aug. 25 York handicap</i>
5 6	Main Sequence Aldebaran
	O-Niarchos Family; B-Flaxman Holdings Ltd; T-David Lanigan; J-Ted Durcan. Lifetime Record: 7-4-2-0, £398,492.

	<i>Last Start--2nd Aug. 22 G2 Great Voltigeur S.</i>
6 4	Michelangelo (GB) Galileo (Ire)
	(550,000gns yrl ‘10 TATOCT)

O-Bjorn Nielsen; B-Denford Stud & Balmerino Bloodstock; T-John Gosden; J-Frankie Dettori. Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-2, £111,759.

	<i>Last Start--3rd July 31 G3 Gordon S.</i>
7 2	Thomas Chippendale (Ire) Dansili (GB)
	(375,000gns yrl ‘10 TATOCT)

O-Sir Robert Ogden; B-Premier Bloodstock; T-Sir Henry Cecil; J-Tom Queally. Lifetime Record: 6-3-0-0, £97,421.

	<i>Last Start--5th Aug. 22 G2 Great Voltigeur S.</i>
8 3	Thought Worthy Dynaformer
	O/B-George Strawbridge; T-John Gosden; J-William Buick. Lifetime Record: 6-3-1-1, £210,806.

	<i>Last Start--1st Aug. 22 G2 Great Voltigeur S.</i>
9 5	Ursa Major (Ire) Galileo (Ire)
	(100,000gns yrl ‘10 TATOCT)

O-Andrew Tinkler; B-Woodcote Stud Ltd; T-Tommy Carmody; J-Johnny Murtagh. Lifetime Record: 6-4-2-0, £83,871.

	<i>Last Start--1st Aug. 25 G3 Irish St Leger Trial S.</i>
	All carry 126 pounds.



GRADED/GROUP RESULTS

Thursday, Doncaster, Britain

DFS PARK HILL S.-G2, £80,000, Doncaster, 9-13, 3yo/up, f/m, 14f 132ydsT, 3:05.94, gd.

1--**WILD COCO (GER)**, 130, f, 4, by **Shirocco (Ger)**
 1st Dam: **Wild Side (Ger) (GSW-Ger)**, by **Sternkoenig (Ire)**
 2nd Dam: **Wild Romance (Ger)**, by **Alkalde (Ger)**
 3rd Dam: **Win Hands Down (Ire)**, by **Ela-Mana-Mou (Ire)**
 (60,000gns RNA yrl '09 TATOCT). O/B-Gestut Rottgen; T-Henry Cecil; J-Tom Queally; £45,368. Lifetime Record: 7-4-1-0, £103,818. *1/2 to Wilddrossel (Ger) (Dalakhani {Ire}), GSP-Ger.
Werk Nick Rating: A + + + *Triple Plus*.

Click for the [eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree](#).

2--**Hazel Lavery (Ire)**, 118, f, 3, [Excellent Art \(GB\)](#)--
 Reprise (GB), by Darshaan (GB). (37,000gns wnlg '09 TATDEC; 100,000gns yrl '10 TATOCT). O-R Morecombe, E O'Leary & R Scarborough; B-Longueville Bloodstock; T-Charles Hills; £17,200.

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3--**Estimate (Ire)**, 118, f, 3, Monsun (Ger)--Ebaziya (Ire), by Darshaan (GB). O-The Queen; B-H H The Aga Khan's Studs SC; T-Sir Michael Stoute; £8,608.

Margins: 1 1/4, SHD, SHD. Odds: 7-4, 16-1, 7-2.

Also Ran: Gallipot (GB), Ambivalent (Ire), Bite of the Cherry (GB), Monshak (Ire), Cracking Lass (Ire), Kailani (GB).

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Wild Coco had the talented Meeznah (Dynaformer) behind when winning the 12-furlong Listed Aphrodite S. at Newmarket last July before finishing fifth behind that rival in the G3 Lillie Langtry S. over 14 furlongs at Goodwood and eighth in the Listed Galtres S. at York the following month. Making a belated start to her current campaign when winning the latest renewal of the Lillie Langtry Aug. 2, the chestnut was settled behind the early pace by Tom Queally and allowed Estimate first run in the straight. Getting down to work, the homebred eventually wore down that rival with 100 yards remaining en route to an ultimately comfortable success, as Hazel Lavery stayed on without threatening. "She's brave and she's gutsy, as I thought Her Majesty's filly got a run on us, but she stuck to her guns," Queally said. "She's got a good cruising speed and I wanted to keep her going in that tempo. We think a lot of her and connections have been patient with her. She's going the right way and she's very nice."

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Thursday, Doncaster, Britain

JAPAN RACING ASSOCIATION SCEPTRE S.-G3, £55,000, Doncaster, 9-13, 3yo/up, f/m, 7fT, 1:25.37, gd.

1--**#@SUNDAY TIMES (GB)**, 122, f, 3, by [Holy Roman Emperor \(Ire\)](#)

1st Dam: **Forever Times**, by **So Factual**

2nd Dam: **Simply Times**, by **Dodge**

3rd Dam: **Nesian's Burn**, by **Big Burn**

(10,000gns RNA yrl '10 TATOCT). O-Allan Belshaw; B-Times of Wigan Ltd; T-Peter Chapple-Hyam; J-Jamie Spencer; £32,560. Lifetime Record:

G1SP-Eng, 9-2-1-0, £74,348. **Werk Nick Rating: B.**

Click for the [eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree](#).

2--**Gamilati (GB)**, 122, f, 3, [Bernardini](#)--Illustrious Miss, by Kingmambo. O-Godolphin; B-Darley; T-Mahmood Al Zarooni; £12,315.

3--**Valencha (GB)**, 126, m, 5, Domedriver (Ire)--Riverine (GB), by Risk Me (Fr). O-Pangfield Partners; B-Tim Billington; T-Hugh Morrison; £6,155.

Margins: 1, HF, NK. Odds: 22-1, 9-1, 14-1.

Also Ran: Instance (GB), Sentaril (GB), Appealing (Ire), Radio Gaga (GB), Regal Realm (GB), Alsindi (Ire), Libys Dream (Ire), Villeneuve (GB), Coolnagree (Ire), Bonnie Brae (GB), I'm So Glad (GB), Inetrobil (Ire), Neutrafa (Ire), Perfect Step (Ire), Miss Work of Art (GB).

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Sunday Times surprised a few when pushing Lightning Pearl (Ire) (Marju {Ire}) to a half length when runner-up in the G1 Cheveley Park S. over six furlongs at Newmarket in September before dropping back to fifth in the G2 Rockfel S. over this trip back at that venue a fortnight later. Sixth in the G3 Nell Gwyn S. on her third visit to the Rowley Mile Apr. 18, she followed that with a 10th in the May 6 G1 1000 Guineas and beat only one home in Warwick's Listed Eternal S. last time June 28. Steadied at the start by Jamie Spencer, the bay sat last of the main group racing up the center of the track and was hand ridden to close on the pack as the fast early tempo took its toll inside the final quarter mile. Gathering in Gamilati, who was one of only two to have raced towards the stand's rail, with 100 yards remaining, she was driven out to assert as the luckless Valencha closed fast and late. "[Trainer] Peter [Chapple-Hyam] thought she might just need it, as it was her first run back off a break, but she had the form if she came back to it," her jockey commented. "She ran very well in the Guineas, as she didn't like the ground, but made up a lot of ground before not getting home. They got racing way too far out and, although she normally travels well, I wasn't even traveling where I was so at some stage they were going to stop."

A # will distinguish first-time stakes-winners, a @ will indicate first-time graded stakes-winners, a ▲ will denote a first-time Grade/Group 1 winner, a + will indicate first-time starters, an (S) will be used for state-bred races.



RACETRACK ROUND-UP

RENEESGOTZIP TO SPRINT CHAMPIONSHIP

The speedy sophomore filly **Reneesgotzip** (City Zip) will tackle the boys in the Oct. 6 GI Santa Anita Sprint Championship with an eye towards the GI Breeders' Cup Sprint, according to *Daily Racing Form*. The six-furlong race is also expected to attract reigning sprint champion **Amazombie** (Northern Afleet). "She loves Santa Anita, three-quarters is better for her, and it's a 'Win and You're In,'" trainer Peter Miller told *DRF*. "Amazombie is a good horse, but I think the fillies are better than the colts." Reneesgotzip, owned by the Lanni Family Trust, began the year with a win in the Jan. 15 GII Santa Ynez S. Second in both the GI Las Virgenes S. and GI Santa Anita Oaks, the chestnut filly returned from four months on the sidelines to win the six-furlong C.E.R.F. S. in 1:08.23. "I worked her only four times in three months," Miller said. "She wasn't fit and tight, but she earned a 100 Beyer and almost broke the track record. She's just an amazing filly."

BLACK-TYPE PREVIEWS

DOUBLE VISION?

Winners of the G1 Gold Cup are a rare sight on Town Moor these days, but Godolphin have lit up today's G2 Doncaster Cup by sending **Colour Vision (Fr)** (Rainbow Quest) postward to attempt to defy a four-pound penalty for his Royal Ascot exploits. Double Trigger (Ire) (Ela-Mana-Mou {Ire}) was the last to complete the double in the same season in 1995, while Enzeli (Ire) (Kahyasi {Ire}) was successful the season after his Royal victory in 2000. Colour Vision's victory in the June 21 feature followed a clinical win in the G3 Sagaro S. re-routed from Ascot to Kempton May 2 and preceded a subsequent third in the Aug. 2 G2 Goodwood Cup over two miles. On the latter occasion, he was only beaten 1 3/4 lengths under the same penalty behind **Saddler's Rock (Ire)** (Sadler's Wells) and **Askar Tau (Fr)** (Montjeu {Ire}) and trainer Saeed bin Suroor is hopeful he can reverse the form on this more extreme trip. "Colour Vision worked nicely over seven furlongs on Sunday and I am very happy with him," he commented. "I think that Doncaster will suit him, as it is a flat track and two and a quarter miles also plays to his strengths. He came back well from his last race and I am hopeful of another good run." Last year's winner Saddler's Rock, who was authoritative when adding a second Cup victory at Goodwood, has since flopped when favored for the G2 Lonsdale Cup at York when only ninth behind **Times Up (GB)** (Olden Times {GB}) in that two-mile contest Aug. 25. Running too freely on that occasion, jockey Johnny Murtagh was at a loss to explain his demise. "I'm not sure what happened last time, but it was a messy race and John [Oxx]'s horses were running a bit in-and-out at that time," he said yesterday.

"He's very happy with him again now. Hopefully, there is no more rain as he likes the fast ground and he's in good shape. We're looking forward to him defending his title."

Friday, Doncaster, Britain, post time: 2:20 p.m.

STOBART DONCASTER CUP-G2, £100,000, 3yo/up, 2 1/4mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	10	Colour Vision (Fr)	Rainbow Quest	de Sousa	bin Suroor	131
2	2	Aaim To Prosper (Ire)	Val Royal (Fr)	Beuzelin	Meehan	127
3	1	Askar Tau (Fr)	Montjeu (Ire)	Baker	Tregoning	127
4	6	High Jinx (Ire)	High Chaparral (Ire)	G Lee	Fanshawe	127
5	5	Hurricane Higgins (Ire)	Hurricane Run (Ire)	Callan	Johnston	127
6	3	Masked Marvel (GB)	Montjeu (Ire)	Buick	Gosden	127
7	9	Saddler's Rock (Ire)	Sadler's Wells	Murtagh	Oxx	127
8	4	Times Up (GB)	Olden Times (GB)	Ahern	J Dunlop	127
9	8	Never Can Tell (Ire)	Montjeu (Ire)	Spencer	Osborne	124
10	7	Repeater (GB)	Montjeu (Ire)	Morris	Prescott	113

TRIPLE CERTIFIED

For the past two years, Godolphin have saddled the winner of today's G2 May Hill S. at Doncaster and the operation put forward **Certify** (Elusive Quality) in a bid for a three-peat today. Like the 2010 winner White Moonstone (Dynaformer), she comes here on the back of a success in the G3 Sweet Solera S. over seven furlongs at Newmarket Aug. 11 and that form received a significant boost on Sunday when the runner-up **Sky Lantern (Ire)** (Red Clubs {Ire}) took the G1 Moyglare Stud S. at The Curragh. "Certify is doing everything the right way," trainer Mahmood Al Zarooni said. "This will be a tough race for her, but the filly she beat last time out has won a Group 1, so the form is working out very well. She will have no problem with the step up to a mile but the only question mark is that she has run twice at Newmarket, whereas she is going to travel further to Doncaster. She is a nice, quiet filly, so I think that she will be all right with the journey, but it will be a new experience for her and you never know how they will cope until they travel." Another unbeaten filly **Ollie Olga** (Stormy Atlantic) also beat Sky Lantern in the G3 Prestige S. at Goodwood in the interim Aug. 25 and trainer Mick Channon is hoping that he can let her take her chance. "We've found out she's in season this morning, which is a nuisance and I'm not sure she's going to run," he told *PA Sport* yesterday. "We'll see what's happening later today and if she doesn't run, she'll probably go for the G1 Fillies' Mile [at Newmarket Sept. 28]." The William Muir stable have a potential star in **Purr Along (GB)** (Mount Nelson {GB}), who followed a third behind Roz (GB) (Teofilo {Ire}) in Sandown's Listed Star S. over seven furlongs July 26 with a game win in the G3 Prix du Calvados at Deauville over that trip Aug. 18. "For a small yard like ours, it's great to have a horse like her and we'll go to Doncaster and enjoy the day no matter what happens," her trainer told *PA Sport*. "Since the first day she worked, I knew she was very good and I don't think she's ground-dependant, that's the beauty of her. She has really thrived since Deauville, she looks a different filly. We're living the dream with her and whatever happens, I think she's a filly for next year."



Friday, Doncaster, Britain, post time: 2:55 p.m.

BARRETT STEEL MAY HILL S.-G2, £70,000, 2yo, f, 1mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER
1	5	Certify	Elusive Quality	Barzalona	Al Zarooni
2	8	Go Angelica (Ire)	Kheleyf	Buick	Simcock
3	4	Light Up My Life (Ire)	Zamindar	Ahern	Hannon
4	3	Lizzie Tudor (GB)	Tamayuz (GB)	Probert	Balding
5	9	Masarah (Ire)	Cape Cross (Ire)	de Sousa	C Brittain
6	7	Ollie Olga	Stormy Atlantic	M Harley	Channon
7	1	Purr Along (GB)	Mount Nelson	M Dwyer	Muir
8	6	Reyaadah (GB)	Tamayuz (GB)	Hanagan	C Hills
9	2	Roz (GB)	Teofilo (Ire)	Crowley	H Dunlop
10	10	Tuttipaesi (Ire)	Clodovil (Ire)	M Demuro	M Botti

All carry 124 pounds.

KITTY'S DELIGHT?

She was not expected to win the G2 Queen Mary S. at Royal Ascot, but **Ceiling Kitty (GB)** (Red Clubs {Ire}) proved even her own stable wrong there and may be able to surprise a few more today in the speed test for juveniles, the G2 Flying Childers S. at Doncaster. Having beaten the subsequent Aug. 25 Listed Roses S. winner **Hoyam (GB)** (Royal Applause {GB}) and her more-fancied barnmate Upward Spiral (GB) (Teofilo {Ire}) in that five-furlong Royal contest June 20, Andrew Black's bargain buy was geared towards the G1 Nunthorpe S. but failed to make the field for that all-aged sprint. Saddled with a three-pound extra burden as a result of tackling this lesser contest, the odds are stacked against her but she is the type to thrive on adversity. "She's got to give weight away, but there aren't really many options for her so she's got to go somewhere," jockey Richard Kingscote said. "The penalty will make life difficult, but we'll have a go." Hoyam got the better of Qatar Racing's well-regarded **Fire Eyes (GB)** (Exceed and Excel {Aus}) in the Roses over five furlongs at York last time, but the latter was having only his second start and may have room for improvement as he bids to emulate the success of his dam Wunders Dream (Ire) (Averti {Ire}) in this 10 years ago. Trainer David Brown told *PA Sport*, "He came out of his race at York good and he seems to have come on for it. He should know more about his job now. He's a progressive sort of horse.. With a couple of drying days at Doncaster, the ground could even dry out to be on the quick side of good and that would suit him." Having come up short over further, Andrew Tinkler's **Sir Prancealot (Ire)** (Tamayuz {GB}) reverts to the trip over which he took the Listed National S. at Sandown May 31. His fourth placings in the June 19 G2 Coventry S. at Royal Ascot and Aug. 19 G1 Prix Morny at Deauville came either side of a second to Reckless Abandon (GB) (Exchange Rate) in the G2 Prix Robert Papin over 5 1/2 furlongs at Maisons-Laffitte July 22 and he sets the standard on that form. "There are no stations on the five-furlong line at Donny, so it will be a case of utilising Sir Prancealot's speed," trainer Richard Hannon said. "He won the National S. at Sandown over five, so the trip is not a problem."

Friday, Doncaster, Britain, post time: 1:15 p.m.

POLYPIPE FLYING CHILDERS S.-G2, £70,000, 2yo, 5fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	1	Bungle Inthejungle (GB)	Exceed & Excel (Aus)	M Harley	Channon	126
2	5	Ceiling Kitty (GB)	Red Clubs (Ire)	Kingscote	Dascombe	126
3	3	Fire Eyes (GB)	Exceed & Excel (Aus)	G Lee	D Brown	126
4	8	Morawij (GB)	Exceed & Excel (Aus)	Callan	Varian	126
5	7	Sir Prancealot (Ire)	Tamayuz (GB)	Murtagh	Hannon	126
6	9	Welliesinthewater (Ire)	Footstepsinthesand (GB)	Gibbons	Shaw	126
7	2	Girl at The Sands (Ire)	Clodovil (Ire)	Crowley	Given	123
8	4	Hoyam (GB)	Royal Applause (GB)	Spencer	Bell	123
9	6	Sound of Guns (GB)	Acclamation (GB)	Buick	Walker	123

Saturday, Rosehill, Australia, post time: 2:00 a.m. EDT

DE BORTOLI WINES GOLDEN ROSE S.-G1, A\$1,000,000

(\$1,054,273), 3yo, 1400mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER
1	8	Epaulette (Aus)	Commands (Aus)	Berry	Snowden
2	3	Amorino (Aus)	Snitzel (Aus)	Cassidy	Ryan
3	9	Your Song (Aus)	Fastnet Rock (Aus)	Robl	A Cmngs
4	1	Kabayan (Aus)	Haradasun (Aus)	N Rawiller	Waterhse
5	5	Ninth Legion (Aus)	Fastnet Rock (Aus)	Bowman	A Cmngs
6	10	Albrecht (Aus)	Redte's Chce (Aus)	McEvoy	Snowden
7	2	Ashokan (Aus)	More Than Ready	McDonald	O'Shea
8	7	Shamexpress (NZ)	O'Reilly (NZ)	Brown	O'Brien
9	4	Doubtfully (Aus)	Nt a Sgl Dbt (Aus)	Byrne	Kendrick
10	6	Nechita (Aus)	Fastnet Rock (Aus)	Reith	Thompson

All carry 125 pounds, bar Doubtfully & Nechita, 120.

Saturday, Curragh, Ireland, post time: 6:05 p.m.

GAIN HORSE FEEDS IRISH ST LEGER-G1, €200,000, 3yo/up,

1 3/4mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	6	Aiken (GB)	Selkirk	Fortune	Gosden	137
2	8	Brown Panther (GB)	Shirocco (Ger)	Kingscote	Dascombe	137
3	7	Fame and Glory (GB)	Montjeu (Ire)	Spencer	A O'Brien	137
4	9	Royal Diamond (Ire)	King's Best	McCullagh	Carmody	137
5	2	Simenon (Ire)	Marju (Ire)	Smullen	W Mullins	137
6	3	Steps to Freedom (Ire)	Statue of Liberty	Manning	Harrington	137
7	5	Shu Lewis (Ire)	Pyrus	Gorey	Blake	134
8	4	Hartani (Ire)	Shirocco (Ger)	Lemaire	Oxx	126
9	1	Massiyn (Ire)	Zamindar	Foley	Halford	126

Saturday, Curragh, Ireland, post time: 6:40 p.m.

GOFFS VINCENT O'BRIEN S. (NATIONAL S.) -G1, €200,000, 2yo, c/f,

7fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER
1	4	Ayaar (Ire)	Rock of Gibraltar (Ire)	M Harley	Channon
2	8	Cristoforo Colombo	Henrythenavigator	J O'Brien	A O'Brien
3	2	Dawn Approach (Ire)	New Approach (Ire)	Manning	Bolger
4	7	Designs On Rome (Ire)	Hly Rmn Empr (Ire)	Grant	Flynn
5	6	Flying the Flag (Ire)	Galileo (Ire)	Heffernan	A O'Brien
6	5	Leitir Mor (Ire)	Hly Rmn Empr (Ire)	Whelan	Bolger
7	3	Nevis (Ire)	Dansili (GB)	O'Donoghue	A O'Brien
8	1	Probably (Ire)	Danehill Dancer (Ire)	Lordan	Wachman

All carry 129 pounds.

Saturday, Doncaster, Britain, post time: 4:15 p.m.

OLBG PARK S.-G2, £100,000, 3yo/up, 7fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER
1	3	Libranno (GB)	Librettist	Fallon	Hannon
2	7	Majestic Myles (Ire)	Majestic Missile (Ire)	Hanagan	Fahey
3	6	Pastoral Player (GB)	Pastoral Pursuits (GB)	Holland	Morrison
4	8	Penitent (GB)	Kyllachy (GB)	Tudhope	O'Meara
5	4	Soul (Aus)	Commands (Aus)	Dettori	bin Suuroor
6	5	Strong Suit	Rahy	R Hughes	Hannon
7	1	Foxtrot Romeo (Ire)	Danehill Dancer (Ire)	Murtagh	Smart
8	2	Lethal Force (Ire)	Dark Angel (Ire)	Kirby	Cox

All carry 130 pounds bar Foxtrot Romeo & Lethal Force, 126.



Saturday, Doncaster, Britain, post time: 2:25 p.m.

ONE CALL INSURANCE CHAMPAGNE S.-G2, £82,100, 2yo, c/g, 7fT

SC	PP HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER
1	6 Birdman (Ire)	Danehill Dancer (Ire)	Lane	Simcock
2	5 Dundonnell	First Defence	J Doyle	Charlton
3	2 Maxentius (Ire)	Holy Roman Emperor (Ire)	Buick	Chapple-Hyam
4	3 Tha'ir (Ire)	New Approach (Ire)	Dettori	bin Suroor
5	1 Toronado (Ire)	High Chaparral (Ire)	R Hughes	Hannon
6	4 Unsinkable (Ire)	Verglas (Ire)	Hanagan	Fahey

All carry 124 pounds.

Sunday, Woodbine, post time: 4:37 p.m. EDT

NORTHERN DANCER TURF S. PRESENTED BY VTECH-GI, \$500,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/2mT

PP HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	Celtic Conviction	Strut The Stage	Campbell	Doyle 119
2	Ojibway Signal	Niigon	Contreras	Bell 119
3	Al Khali (K)	Medaglia D'oro	Gomez	Mott 119
4	Scalo (GB)	Lando (Ger)	Rispoli	Woehler 121
5	Forte Dei Marmi (GB)	Selkirk	Solis	Attfield 123
6	Musketier (Ger)	Acatenango (Ger)	Velazquez	Attfield 121
7	Wigmore Hall (Ire)	High Chaparral (Ire)	Spencer	Bell 123
8	Irish Mission	Giant's Causeway	Stein	Frostad 109

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WISE DAN HEADLINES WOODBINE MILE FIELD

Morton Fink's **Wise Dan** (Wiseman's Ferry) will be looking for the second Grade I victory of his career when he faces eight rivals in Sunday's GI Ricoh Woodbine Mile. The 5-year-old gelding, who captured last year's GI Clark H. over the dirt at Churchill Downs, decimated the field while winning the Apr. 22 GIII Ben Ali S. over Keeneland's Polytrack in his 2012 debut. He missed by just a head when second in the June 16 GI Stephen Foster H. and is coming off a five-length victory over the Saratoga lawn in the Aug. 11 GII Fourstardave H. After yesterday's Mile draw, trainer Charles Lopresti was content with his charge's post three. "It's okay by me," Lopresti said of the draw. "He just won from the one-hole at Saratoga. If it was a great big field I might worry about it, but really with only nine horses...I'm glad we didn't get the one-hole and I wouldn't want to be all the way on the outside either. I'm happy with it."

Sunday, Woodbine, post time: 3:05 p.m. EDT

CANADIAN S.-GII, \$300,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8mT

PP HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	Moment Of Majesty (K)	Saint Liam	Olguin	Leslie 115
2	Laughing (Ire)	Dansili (GB)	Contreras	Goldberg 119
3	Stars To Shine (K)	Tale Of The Cat	Solis	Frostad 119
4	Barefoot Lady (Ire)	Fistpsinthesnd (GB)	Spencer	Fahey 117
5	All Star Heart	Arch	Blanc	McAnally 119
6	Shimmering Moment (K)	Afleet Alex	Russell	Abbott III 115
7	Smart Sting	Smart Strike	Velazquez	Attfield 117
8	Indian Pond	Speightstown	Da Silva	Casse 115
9	Kapitale (Ger)	Dubawi (Ire)	Demuro	Woehler 117

Sunday, Woodbine, post time: 4:04 p.m. EDT

ONTARIO DERBY-GIII, \$150,000, 3yo, 1 1/8mA (AWT)

PP HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	Patriotcandproud (K)	Proud Citizen	Da Silva	Casse 119
2	River Rush	Orientate	McAleney	Baker 119
3	Ultimate Destiny	Dance To Destiny	Bahen	Keogh 117
4	Gung Ho	Kitten's Joy	Velazquez	Maker 117
5	Colleen's Sailor	Northern Afleet	Gomez	Attfield 117
6	Prospective	Malibu Moon	Husbands	Casse 124
7	Stealcase (K)	Lawyer Ron	Husbands	Casse 117
8	Peyton (K)	Tale Of The Cat	Stein	Doyle 117
9	Any Given Royal (K)	Any Given Saturday	Contreras	Lynch 117

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Sunday, Woodbine, post time: 5:42 p.m. EDT

RICOH WOODBINE MILE S.-GI, \$1,000,000, 3yo/up, 1mT

PP HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	Riding The River	Wiseman's Ferry	Husbands	Cotey 121
2	Dance And Dance (Ire)	Royal Applause (GB)	Gomez	Vaughan 117
3	Wise Dan	Wiseman's Ferry	Velazquez	Lopresti 121
4	Artic Fern	Langfuhr	Stein	Keogh 117
5	Big Band Sound	Bernstein	Pizarro	Vella 121
6	Hunters Bay	Ghostzapper	Wilson	Baker 119
7	Cityscape (GB)	Selkirk	Doyle	Charlton 124
8	Hollinger	Black Minnaloushe	Solis	Attfield 117
9	Worthadd (Ire)	Dubawi (Ire)	Contreras	Prescott 119

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TOP 100 SIRES OF YEARLINGS BY AVERAGE

				2012 Yearling Sales						2011 Yearling Sales		
Rank by Average		Fyr	Loc	Ring	Sold	Average	Median	Top Colt	Top Filly	Sold	Average	Median
1	SEA THE STARS (IRE)	F11	IRE	10	7	\$470,580	\$246,360	\$1,480,080	\$443,448	0	--	--
2	A.P. INDY	F94	KY	12	9	466,111	335,000	600,000	1,100,000	10	407,000	312,500
3	GALILEO (IRE)	F03	IRE	17	16	402,005	357,222	500,000	1,354,980	49	378,469	231,897
4	DIVINE PARK	F10	KY	5	3	381,666	385,000	-	500,000	20	45,310	21,000
5	STREET CRY (IRE)	F04	KY	24	16	378,125	232,500	1,200,000	385,000	20	345,523	225,000
6	MEDAGLIA D'ORO	F06	KY	37	25	341,634	250,000	600,000	1,575,000	82	205,451	156,748
7	MONSUN (GER)	F97	GER	10	7	338,230	178,843	801,710	178,843	6	207,677	201,257
8	DISTORTED HUMOR	F00	KY	40	28	336,071	300,000	1,650,000	420,000	27	236,259	180,000
9	SMART STRIKE	F98	KY	36	21	319,523	235,000	900,000	1,300,000	25	133,317	125,000
10	EMPIRE MAKER	F05	JPN	40	28	306,035	200,000	1,100,000	500,000	18	155,666	112,500
11	TAPIT	F06	KY	56	43	302,721	285,000	700,000	525,000	61	208,862	190,000
12	BERNARDINI	F08	KY	42	32	300,531	237,500	1,550,000	480,000	51	335,405	275,000
13	RAVEN'S PASS	F10	IRE	3	1	270,996	270,996	270,996	-	28	178,193	145,000
14	WAR FRONT	F08	KY	26	22	268,032	215,000	1,050,000	260,000	19	214,457	150,000
15	DYNAFORMER	F91	KY	26	18	265,222	180,000	650,000	900,000	20	205,783	157,500
16	FASTNET ROCK (AUS)	F06	IRE	3	3	248,615	221,724	-	468,692	0	--	--
17	TIZNOW	F03	KY	33	25	233,880	200,000	500,000	500,000	39	161,128	105,000
18	UNBRIDLED'S SONG	F98	KY	48	29	218,931	150,000	800,000	575,000	56	230,232	182,500
19	INDIAN CHARLIE	F90	KY	26	16	209,187	150,000	270,000	650,000	38	199,178	160,000
20	SPEIGHTSTOWN	F06	KY	14	11	206,818	200,000	300,000	410,000	44	101,636	73,500
21	UNUSUAL HEAT	F99	CA	2	2	205,750	205,750	400,000	-	8	43,250	40,500
22	PULPIT	F99	KY	25	12	197,083	130,000	400,000	450,000	21	171,438	175,000
23	MALIBU MOON	F01	KY	53	41	195,219	165,000	450,000	550,000	44	113,102	100,000
24	ARCH	F00	KY	25	19	193,536	180,000	425,000	440,000	33	127,582	75,000
25	DAAHER	F09	KY	1	1	190,000	190,000	190,000	-	4	8,662	10,075
26	DUBAWI (IRE)	F07	ENG	11	9	189,016	148,008	554,310	246,840	23	134,254	115,352
27	BIG BROWN	F10	KY	13	8	187,250	117,500	825,000	170,000	37	93,467	80,000
28	AWESOME AGAIN	F00	KY	16	10	183,000	190,000	400,000	220,000	19	191,868	65,000
29	GIANT'S CAUSEWAY	F02	KY	50	38	176,552	107,500	750,000	310,000	61	165,596	129,822
30	MORE THAN READY	F02	KY	24	16	174,062	187,500	225,000	360,000	40	95,470	58,500
31	DANEHILL DANCER (IRE)	F98	IRE	8	5	172,535	123,180	271,348	94,971	50	190,866	135,043
32	BROKEN VOW	F03	KY	14	12	162,916	145,000	500,000	210,000	37	61,955	37,000
33	NEW APPROACH (IRE)	F10	ENG	9	8	156,698	113,942	117,021	296,016	29	196,552	145,792
34	PIVOTAL (GB)	F98	ENG	9	6	154,995	133,810	178,843	369,540	37	148,095	110,120
35	EXCHANGE RATE	F03	KY	13	8	154,625	120,000	320,000	300,000	44	63,991	39,510
36	HIGH CHAPARRAL (IRE)	F05	IRE	5	5	153,376	135,674	271,392	135,674	32	61,481	46,136
37	OASIS DREAM (GB)	F05	ENG	4	3	151,980	135,674	270,996	135,674	34	193,665	161,511
38	DIXIE UNION	F02	KY	31	23	147,117	125,000	410,000	200,000	55	95,219	50,000
39	HARD SPUN	F09	KY	32	22	145,554	92,500	400,000	80,000	65	97,788	80,000
40	INVINCIBLE SPIRIT (IRE)	F04	IRE	16	14	142,501	118,334	270,000	209,712	50	170,725	92,817
41	PYRO	F11		1	1	140,000	140,000	140,000	-	0	--	--
42	COLONEL JOHN	F11	KY	22	17	138,852	125,000	325,000	200,000	0	--	--
43	CANDY RIDE (ARG)	F06	KY	31	21	137,904	90,000	410,000	350,000	61	110,478	80,000
44	HARLAN'S HOLIDAY	F05	KY	28	24	136,736	115,000	380,000	250,000	67	59,191	45,000
45	ELUSIVE QUALITY	F00	KY	34	24	135,889	97,500	525,000	350,000	53	97,059	61,398
46	GHOSTZAPPER	F07	KY	6	5	130,400	75,000	260,000	32,000	26	39,622	25,000
47	CAPE CROSS (IRE)	F01	IRE	9	6	128,164	118,113	283,682	154,175	47	138,244	80,724
48	CURLIN	F10	KY	28	19	127,947	125,000	300,000	390,000	41	136,780	95,000
49	SHAMARDAL	F06	IRE	15	13	127,792	98,672	110,000	345,352	52	114,293	81,899
50	PIONEEROF THE NILE	F11	KY	14	12	127,500	122,500	250,000	130,000	0	--	--
51	TALE OF THE CAT	F00	KY	21	12	125,250	110,000	200,000	310,000	58	70,931	53,500



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52	PLEASANT TAP	F94	KY	1	1	125,000	125,000	-	125,000	15	25,559	20,000
53	KENDARGENT (FR)	F09	FR	2	2	123,274	123,274	129,528	-	1	5,448	5,448
54	AQLAAM (GB)	F11	ENG	2	2	120,034	120,034	42,724	197,344	0	--	--
55	CONGAREE	F06	NY	2	1	120,000	120,000	120,000	-	14	13,740	5,350
56	SCAT DADDY	F09	KY	12	10	119,050	122,500	175,000	250,000	42	45,624	30,000
57	BYRON (GB)	F08	ENG	2	1	118,800	118,800	118,800	-	35	13,706	8,150
58	BELLAMY ROAD	F08	KY	4	3	116,666	85,000	85,000	200,000	8	98,375	72,500
59	STREET SENSE	F09	KY	31	24	115,833	115,000	230,000	200,000	47	147,943	100,000
60	MR. GREELEY	F97	KY	27	18	113,295	92,543	410,000	150,000	44	85,750	62,500
61	ZENSATIONAL	F11	KY	15	11	112,727	85,000	260,000	180,000	0	--	--
62	STREET BOSS	F10	KY	14	12	111,738	85,000	350,000	200,000	60	50,576	30,500
63	ZAMINDAR	F99	ENG	5	3	110,979	80,067	80,067	246,680	32	63,887	49,888
64	LEMON DROP KID	F02	KY	31	24	107,958	90,000	280,000	190,000	47	122,108	75,000
65	KITTEN'S JOY	F07	KY	23	16	105,437	77,500	300,000	215,000	16	68,757	49,000
66	SHIROCCO (GER)	F08	ENG	1	1	104,856	104,856	-	104,856	42	37,162	31,085
67	ROMAN RULER	F07	KY	13	9	102,444	57,000	435,000	65,000	9	36,481	18,000
68	SKY MESA	F05	KY	17	14	100,642	63,500	280,000	270,000	34	68,031	30,000
69	OLD FASHIONED	F11	KY	20	14	99,214	68,500	250,000	360,000	0	--	--
70	MUHTATHIR (GB)	F02	FR	4	2	98,715	98,715	-	111,078	27	41,885	37,165
71	ARTIE SCHILLER	F08	KY	7	3	97,466	100,000	100,000	190,000	20	17,205	12,500
72	DALAKHANI (IRE)	F05	IRE	7	4	97,119	77,048	92,505	178,843	29	149,492	116,130
73	TEOFILO (IRE)	F09	IRE	15	14	96,667	75,103	320,684	148,104	50	108,368	86,896
74	MONTMARTRE (FR)	F11	FR	3	2	93,799	93,799	160,446	27,152	0	--	--
75	LE HAVRE (IRE)	F11	FR	4	3	93,689	86,352	147,816	86,352	0	--	--
76	MASTERCRAFTSMAN (IRE)	F11	NZ	30	18	93,582	62,909	293,040	86,352	0	--	--
77	MAJESTIC WARRIOR	F10	KY	9	7	92,857	65,000	220,000	65,000	51	41,296	25,000
78	MINESHAFT	F05	KY	17	15	92,800	60,000	270,000	80,000	16	113,937	67,500
79	LAWMAN (FR)	F09	IRE	14	10	92,527	77,093	283,682	120,892	45	47,986	36,325
80	MEDICEAN (GB)	F03	ENG	8	8	91,573	34,337	394,176	37,026	41	61,046	30,016
81	AUTHORIZED (IRE)	F09	ENG	8	6	91,380	62,688	135,498	209,678	36	69,201	41,645
82	ROCK HARD TEN	F07	KY	14	8	90,875	52,500	85,000	280,000	43	50,941	35,000
83	ELUSIVE CITY	F05	FR	26	18	90,193	69,732	234,384	246,360	64	50,458	35,781
84	ACCLAMATION (GB)	F05	IRE	14	13	90,178	66,460	205,920	141,841	67	132,466	97,806
85	STEPHEN GOT EVEN	F02	KY	1	1	90,000	90,000	90,000	-	17	18,058	15,000
86	DISCREET CAT	F09	KY	8	3	89,000	80,000	80,000	120,000	49	17,524	10,000
87	WAR PASS	F10	KY	9	6	87,833	63,500	175,000	65,000	33	66,227	42,000
88	ORPEN	F01	FR	5	1	86,394	86,394	-	86,394	12	21,257	15,068
89	MONTJEU (IRE)	F02	IRE	1	1	85,000	85,000	-	85,000	28	247,399	239,988
89	PROUD CITIZEN	F05	KY	6	5	85,000	60,000	210,000	70,000	29	35,200	15,000
89	DIXIE CHATTER	F11	CA	1	1	85,000	85,000	-	85,000	0	--	--
92	BROTHER DEREK	F10	KY	5	4	83,750	79,000	58,000	125,000	18	34,733	30,000
93	STORMY ATLANTIC	F00	KY	18	11	82,909	85,000	150,000	145,000	40	57,667	38,500
94	LANGFUHR	F99	KY	8	7	81,571	55,000	285,000	18,000	35	34,334	18,000
95	MR. SIDNEY	F11	FR	4	3	81,001	98,672	117,192	27,139	0	--	--
96	DANSILI (GB)	F02	ENG	1	1	80,171	80,171	80,171	-	21	185,654	143,710
97	BADGE OF SILVER	F08	KY	3	2	80,000	80,000	-	125,000	21	9,409	6,000
98	HURRICANE RUN (IRE)	F08	IRE	9	8	78,617	70,937	117,021	166,509	38	63,855	49,159
99	DUTCH ART (GB)	F09	ENG	15	12	78,236	64,878	135,674	174,064	50	59,740	51,175
100	HENRYTHENAVIGATOR	F10	KY	26	16	75,796	60,000	235,000	30,000	50	95,357	56,692

Sales reflected in this report: 2012 Arqana Deauville August Yearling Sale, 2012 CTHS At Winnipeg - Yearlings, 2012 Doncaster Bloodstock Sales Limited St. Leger Yearling Sale, 2012 Doncaster St. Leger Yearlings Sale, 2012 Fasig Tipton Texas Summer Yearlings, 2012 Fasig-Tipton At Saratoga Select Yearling Sale, 2012 Fasig-Tipton Kentucky Summer - Yearlings, 2012 Fasig-Tipton Saratoga-Preferred Yrlg, 2012 Iowa Tb Brdr's & Owner's Assoc-Yrlgs, 2012 Keeneland September Yearling Sale, 2012 Minnesota Tb Assoc - Yrlgs & Mixed, 2012 OBS Annual Selected & Open Yearling Sale, 2012 Oklahoma City Summer Thoroughbred Yearlings Sale, 2012 Tattersalls July Sale, 2012 Washington Horse Breeders Assoc. Summer Yearling & Mixed.



TOP 50 FRESHMAN SIRES OF YEARLINGS BY AVERAGE

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6	ZENSATIONAL	KY	15	11	112,727	85,000	260,000	180,000
7	OLD FASHIONED	KY	20	14	99,214	68,500	250,000	360,000
8	MONTMARTRE (FR)	FR	3	2	93,799	93,799	160,446	27,152
9	LE HAVRE (IRE)	FR	4	3	93,689	86,352	147,816	86,352
10	MASTERCRAFTSMAN (IRE)	NZ	30	18	93,582	62,909	293,040	86,352
11	DIXIE CHATTER	CA	1	1	85,000	85,000	-	85,000
12	MR. SIDNEY	FR	4	3	81,001	98,672	117,192	27,139
13	EINSTEIN (BRZ)	KY	1	1	70,000	70,000	-	70,000
14	SOLDIER OF FORTUNE (IRE)	FR	12	10	59,562	62,871	98,688	80,184
15	U S RANGER	KY	12	8	59,004	42,736	82,530	170,000
16	MYBOYCHARLIE (IRE)	AU	12	9	54,398	47,472	82,284	104,907
17	YEATS (IRE)	IRE	8	6	53,689	44,252	130,770	61,670
18	NAAQOOS (GB)	FR	15	9	50,273	35,435	49,344	92,565
19	ART CONNOISSEUR (IRE)	IRE	7	5	49,824	39,600	79,200	39,600
20	ZAMBEZI SUN (GB)	FR	1	1	49,344	49,344	49,344	-
21	BUSHRANGER (IRE)	AU	27	26	48,140	34,022	142,416	44,307
22	KODIAK KOWBOY	KY	11	6	47,283	34,000	100,000	40,000
23	TIAGO	NY	3	2	44,000	44,000	70,000	18,000
24	NOONMARK		7	2	42,500	42,500	67,000	-
25	TIME TO GET EVEN	CA	1	1	42,000	42,000	42,000	-
25	CONDUIT (IRE)	JPN	1	1	42,000	42,000	-	42,000
27	DANDY MAN (IRE)	IRE	15	13	41,213	34,812	118,680	-
28	DUNKERQUE (FR)		2	1	39,494	39,494	39,494	-
29	BEHINDATTHEBAR	LA	2	2	37,500	37,500	38,000	37,000
30	ARTISTE ROYAL (IRE)	FR	1	1	37,026	37,026	-	37,026
31	CHAMPS ELYSEES (GB)	ENG	7	3	36,527	27,152	55,503	-
32	DUNKIRK	KY	20	13	34,692	30,000	67,000	40,000
33	COWBOY CAL	KY	14	10	30,180	30,000	55,000	25,000
34	FOREFATHERS	LA	4	3	27,333	25,000	20,000	37,000
35	THEWAYYOUARE	KY	4	3	26,556	24,668	24,668	45,000
36	WINKER WATSON (GB)		3	3	26,388	34,812	34,848	-
37	INTENSE FOCUS	IRE	5	2	25,334	25,334	31,680	-
38	REBELLION (GB)	ON	1	1	25,318	25,318	25,318	-
39	VISIONAIRE	KY	3	2	25,250	25,250	45,000	5,500
40	MAJOR CADEAUX (GB)		6	6	22,979	20,581	53,801	22,176
41	ARCHIPENKO	ENG	5	3	22,226	25,318	33,307	-
42	IN SUMMATION	FL	20	17	18,758	15,000	65,000	22,000
43	PARADING	KY	5	2	18,000	18,000	25,000	-
44	CAPTAIN GERRARD (IRE)		17	13	15,398	11,274	30,065	23,760
45	TWO STEP SALSA	FL	15	14	12,571	10,000	32,000	25,000
46	BENNY THE BULL	FL	9	9	12,322	12,000	35,000	15,000
47	DENIS OF CORK	FL	6	5	10,900	10,000	20,000	14,000
48	YESBYJIMMINY	FL	6	5	10,280	3,000	30,000	2,100
49	MAIMONIDES	FL	3	3	8,066	8,000	8,000	15,000
50	CHITOUZ	TX	3	3	7,500	4,000	-	15,000

New York

Yesterday's Results:

GROOVY S., \$80,000, BEL, 9-13, 3yo, 6fT, 1:07 4/5, fm.

1--**#SPRING TO THE SKY**, 117, c, 3, by [Langfuhr](#)

1st Dam: **Seek To Soar**, by **Seeking the Gold**

2nd Dam: **Soaring Softly**, by **Kris S.**

3rd Dam: **Wings Of Grace**, by **Key To The Mint**

(\$55,000 yrl '10 FTSAUG). O-Anthony McCarthy; B-Phillips Racing Partnership (KY); T-Bruce R Brown; J-Javier Castellano. \$48,000. Lifetime Record: 7-2-1-1, \$110,100.

IN THE DARBY DAN TRADITION

Half sells with Hidden Brook at KeeNov


2--**Sum of the Parts**, 119, c, 3, [Speightstown](#)--Enjoy The Moment, by Slew's Royalty. (\$75,000 yrl '10 FTKJUL; \$150,000 2yo 2011 BESMAR). O-Klaravich Stables Inc & William H Lawrence. \$16,000.

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3--**Artest**, 122, c, 3, [Hard Spun](#)--Desire To Excel, by Mt. Livermore. O-Dennis Narlinger. \$8,000. Margins: HF, 1 3/4, 3/4. Odds: 3.40, 0.90, 4.60. Also Ran: Banner Bill, Manly, Sportswriter, Just Sayin, One Sock Down.

Spring to the Sky had the misfortune of running into Summer Front (War Front) on consecutive occasions, finishing fifth in the GIII Hill Prince S. after setting a strong pace and third to that foe when just off the speed in the Duluth S. at Saratoga July 22. He never really got close to the front in the GIII Saranac S. at the Spa Sept. 2 and checked in ninth last time out. A stalking second here as favored Sum of the Parts looked for his third consecutive stakes score and fourth win in succession, he looked ticketed for second when the chalk kicked clear. But he refused to go away and tagged Sum of the Parts in the waning strides for the victory. [Click for the brisnet.com chart.](#) [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

1st-BEL, \$70,000, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), NW1X, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:09 4/5, ft.

WAR COLONY (g, 4, **Not For Love--Colonial Stage**, by **Pleasant Colony**) caused an upset here, as **"TDN Rising Star"**  Fire and Ice (Unbridled's Song) failed to do any running and trailed in last. Consistent against much cheaper, the Virginia-bred drilled a field of beaten \$15,000 claimers at Aqueduct Apr. 15 before finishing runner-up in a pair of starter-allowances rained off the Belmont turf May 4 and 25. The chestnut most recently wired a field of optional claimers at this venue July 12, but was dismissed at 11-1 in a tougher spot. Settled in fourth just behind the first flight of horses, War Colony was shifted off heels to the four path entering the final furlong and outfinished Wild Target (Kafwain) by a head. The winner is a full-brother to Staged Affair, MSW, \$193,287. Fire and Ice never looked comfortable at any stage of the race and was beaten nine lengths in last. Sales history: \$29,000 RNA yrl '09 FTKJUL; \$62,000 2yo '10 FTMMAY. Lifetime Record: 15-4-3-2, \$137,793. [Click for the brisnet.com chart.](#) [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O-The Players Group. B-Mrs C Oliver Iselin III (VA). T-Chris J Englehart.

7th-BEL, \$54,000, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$14,000), NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 7f, 1:23 2/5, ft.

HALDANE (f, 3, **Raffie's Majesty--Treasure Always**, by **Summer Squall**) turned in an even fourth-place effort in her July 21 debut at Saratoga, but led past every pole to graduate by 3 1/4 lengths over a sloppy and sealed main track at the Spa Aug. 10. Let go at 20-1 in this first try against winners, Haldane sat back in fourth as a taxing speed duel developed ahead of her. Taking full advantage of that, the dark bay attacked three wide into the lane and pulled away for a five-length victory from Tapitude (Tapit). Haldane is a full-sister to Organizer, SW, \$436,841; Dr. V's Magic, MSW & GSP, \$327,892; and Raffie's Treasure, SW, \$179,409. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, \$71,400. [Click for the brisnet.com chart.](#) [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#) O-WellSpring Stables. B-Majesty Stud LLC (NY). T-Dominic G Galluscio.

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**New York Report cont.**

2nd-BEL, \$73,000, Msw, 3/up, f/m, 1m, 1:37 3/5, ft. CHEECHAKO (f, 3, [Invasor {Arg}](#)--Bird Harbor, by Boston Harbor), a debut sixth at Keeneland last October, added Lasix and missed by a neck in second at Churchill the following month and went missing. The homebred resurfaced in an Ellis maiden Aug. 17 and rallied nicely from midpack to finish 3/4 of a length back in second. Eased back to race one from the tail down the backstretch, Cheechako advanced inside on the turn before being shifted out in upper stretch. She took command just outside the eighth pole and edged away to best Lady Kierkegaard (Arch) by 2 1/2 lengths at odds of 5-1. The winner's female family includes champion GI Kentucky Oaks winner Bird Town (Cape Town) and her GI Belmont S.-winning half-brother Birdstone (Grindstone). Lifetime Record: 4-1-2-0, \$59,400. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#). [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O/B-Marylou Whitney Stables LLC (KY). T-Ian R Wilkes.

Florida**Yesterday's Results:**

8th-CRC, \$26,500, Alw, N1X, 2yo, f, 6f, 1:12 4/5, sy. TOUCH MAGIC (f, 2, [Lion Heart--Unifier, by Deputy Minister](#)) rallied from off the pace for a convincing 5 1/2-length victory against \$40,000 maidens over five furlongs Aug. 9 and was the 7-2 third choice with this hike in class. A touch slow from the gate, the chestnut bided her time at the back of the field before advancing inside on the turn. She scraped the paint and pushed through to lead at midstretch and went on to a 1 1/4-length victory from favored Crumb (Graeme Hall). Sales history: \$25,000 yrl '11 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$25,200. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#). [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O-Monsan Racing Partnership LLC. B-Hermitage Farm LLC (KY). T-Antonio Sano.



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[Groovy S. \(BEL\) Spring to the Sky](#) (Langfuhr) reels in favored Sum of the Parts (Speightstown).
[1st-PEN \(Msw\) Power Lady](#) (Discreet Cat) runs to her moniker, streaking clear by 11 3/4 lengths.

Eastern U.S.**Yesterday's Results:**

4th-LRL, \$38,000, Msw, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10 4/5, ft. WARRIOROFHEROSES (g, 3, [A.P. Warrior--Miss Savannah Rose {SW, \\$129,840}](#)), by Strategic Mission) came from last to be a promising third in his lone previous appearance Feb. 8. Backed into 4-5 for this return to action, the homebred was skittish in the stalls, but broke well and set a decent pace. Still well clear entering the final eighth of a mile, he had to dig in to hold on by a half-length over the debuting Connemara Coast (City Zip), who had seven lengths on the third. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$25,290. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#). [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)
O/B-Richard J Hackerman (NY). T-Damon R Dilodovico.

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1st-PEN, \$35,360, Msw, 2yo, f, 6f, 1:11 1/5, ft. + POWER LADY (f, 2, [Discreet Cat--Lady In Power, by Defensive Play](#)), a half-sister to Grace and Power (More Than Ready), SW & GISP, \$197,777, amassed an imposing worktab across the state at Parx and was dispatched the 17-10 chalk at first asking. The race was over a few strides out of the gate, as Power Lady lived up to her name, galloping home 11 3/4 lengths to the good of J. J's Jewel (Posse). Sales history: \$15,000 yrl '11 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$20,400. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#). [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O-Glorilu Stables. B-Keene Ridge Racing LLC (KY). T-John C Servis.

Central U.S.**"Celebration of the Horse" to Benefit Foundation:**

A "Celebration of the Horse" fundraising event to benefit the Grayson-Jockey Club Research Foundation will be held Oct. 26 at the Keene Barn at Keeneland. Presented by Great American Insurance, the evening will include cocktails, a buffet dinner, entertainment and a live auction. Auction items will include tickets to the 2013 U.S. Open tennis tournament in New York and the Indy 500 in Indianapolis. An original piece of artwork by equine cartoonist Pierre "Peb" Bellocq will also be auctioned. "As the 2012 racing season draws to a close, it is a good time to reflect on equine health and all that our foundation does to improve it through important research," said Edward L. Bowen, president of Grayson-Jockey Club Research Foundation. "We are grateful to Great American Insurance and Keeneland for their respective roles in this worthwhile evening." For more information, contact the foundation's vice president of development Nancy Kelly at (212) 521-5305 or nkelly@jockeyclub.com.



Central Report cont.

2nd-RPX, \$28,000, Msw, 2yo, f, 1m, 1:41 2/5, sy.
EASY TAP (f, 2, [Tapit](#)--[Easily, by Vicar](#)), a \$300,000 FTKJUL yearling, was a well-beaten eighth while making her debut over the Ellis Park lawn Aug. 11. Trying a sloppy main track in this second go, the chestnut filly was allowed to settle into stride early, angled to the outside for the stretch run and reeled in the leaders in the final furlong to score by 3/4 lengths at 2-1. Favored I Am Miss Brown (Big Brown) was second. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$16,952.
 O-Ron Winchell. B-Gaineway Thoroughbreds Ltd (KY). T-Steven M Asmussen.

California

Wednesday's Late Results:

C. B. AFFLERBAUGH S., \$50,000, FPX, 9-12, 2yo, 7f, 1:24 3/5, ft.

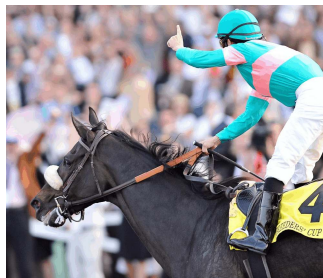
1--**#CARVING, 118, c, 2, by [Any Given Saturday](#)**
1st Dam: In Seconds, by Giant's Causeway
2nd Dam: Golden Gorse, by His Majesty
3rd Dam: Golden Petal, by Mr. Prospector
 (\$37,000 yrl '11 KEESEP; \$55,000 2yo '12 FTMMAY). O-Natalie J Baffert & Bode Miller; B-WinStar Farm LLC (KY); T-Bob Baffert; J-Martin Garcia. \$28,500. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$54,900.

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2--**Monument, 119, c, 2, Cindago--Grant Marty A Wish,** by Beautiful Crown. O-C R K Stable. \$10,000.

3--**Lovmeister, 118, c, 2, Nineeven--Walk West,** by West By West. O-Patsy London, John Winters, Templeton Horses LLC & Terry Lovingier. \$6,500. Margins: 3 1/4, 1, 1 1/4. Odds: 0.80, 1.60, 7.40.

Carving was first on debut going five panels at Del Mar in for a \$80,000 tag Aug. 23. The favorite, the first horse owned by Olympic skier Bode Miller, was bumped at the start, was held back down the backstretch, asserted for the lead turning for home and kicked clear in the stretch. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#).



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EI As, c, 2, [Badge of Silver](#)--Unusual Spring (SP-US, \$246,415), by Unusual Heat. Hipodromo de Monterrico, 9-9, Cond, 6f, 1:12.20. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$6,760. O-Stud Doña Licha; B-Glencrest Farm; T-Arturo Morales. *\$17,000 yrl RNA '11 KEEJAN; \$18,000 yrl '11 KEESEP. **Won by 6 3/4 lengths.

IN BRITAIN:

Veturia, f, 2, [Distorted Humor](#). See "Breeders' Edition Europe."

Tamarkuz, c, 2, [Speightstown](#). See "Britain."

Menadati, g, 4, [More Than Ready](#)--Ramatuelle (Chi) (GSP-US), by Jeune Homme. Chepstow, 9-13, Hcp, 3yo/up, 1m 14ydsT. B-Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC. *\$22,000 RNA yrl '09 KEESEP; 28,000gns 2yo '10 TATGNS; £12,000 HIT '11 DONAGH.

Black Spirit, g, 5, [Black Minnaloushe](#)--L'Extra Honor (SW-Fr), by Hero's Honor. Doncaster, 9-13, Hcp, 3yo/up, 10f 60ydsT. B-Arundel Farm LLC. *GSP-Fr & Eng. **68,000gns wnlg '07 TATDEC; 62,000gns yrl '08 TATOCT. ***1/2 to Heza Gone West (Gone West), GSP-US; and Majestic Roi (Ire) (Street Cry {Ire}), G1SW-Eng & GSW-Fr, \$346,684.

INDUSTRY INFO

RTIP Program Releases 2012 Symposium Agenda:

The Arizona Race Track Industry Program has released the agenda for its 2012 symposium. This year's conference, which runs from Dec. 3-6, will focus on racing's integrity, image, interactive networking and international collaboration. For a schedule of events, click [here](#).

#750 Zenyatta 2004

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Zenyatta	Street Cry (IRE)	Machiavellian	Mr. Prospector
Dark Bay or Brown Mare		Helen Street (GB)	Coup De Folie
Foaled 2004	Vertigineux (1995)	Kris S.	=Troy (GB)
		For The Flag	=Waterway (FR)
			Roberto
			Sharp Queen
			*Forti
			In The Offing

By **STREET CRY (IRE)** (1996), Black type winner, \$943,674. Sire of 5 crops, 428 foals, 287 starters, 41 black type winners, 160 winners, \$27,852,071. Sire of 9 producing daughters, 10 foals, 1 winner, including Teryns Song (to 2, 2010, \$20,228).

1st Dam

VERTIGINEUX, by Kris S. Broodmare Of The Year. 2 wins at 4, \$60,480, in NAUS. Dam of 5 foals to race, 4 winners--

ZENYATTA (f, by Street Cry (IRE)). Champion, see records.

BALANCE (f, by Thunder Gulch). 6 wins, 2 to 4, \$1,048,491, in US. Won Santa Anita Oaks [G1], Santa Margarita Invitational Hcp. [G1], Las Virgenes S. [G1], La Canada S. [G2], Sharp Cat S. [L] (HOL, \$80,000), 2nd Hollywood Starlet S. [G1], Vanity Invitational Handicap [G1], 3rd Ashland S. [G1], La Brea S. [G1], Clement L. Hirsch Handicap [G2], Milady Breeders' Cup Handicap [G2], Hidden Light S. [OR] (OSA, \$8,000).



ROOKIES

First-crop starters to watch: Friday, September 14

*Sire (Sire's Sire), current farm, 2009 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/BlackTypeWnrs * Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)*

KEYED ENTRY (Honour and Glory), Bridlewood, \$4K, 51/1/0

9-FPX, Stk, 7f, Hyena, \$22K OBS APR 2yo, 8-1

LIFESTYLE (Indian Charlie), 4/1/0

9-FPX, Stk, 7f, Fightin Mean Mad, \$200K BAR JUL 2yo, 8-5

MARCAVELLY (Johannesburg), 33/1/0

1-WO, Msw, 1m, Driven to Drink, 12-1

SHOWING UP (Strategic Mission), Adena Springs Fl, \$8K, 52/1/0

10-LRL, Msw, 5 1/2fT, Showmethetouch, \$6K EAS MAY 2yo, 20-1

SMOOTH BID (Rubiano), 15/0/0

1-WO, Msw, 1m, Synergist, 9-5

STORM ACCOUNT (Storm Cat), 7/0/0

3-HOO, Msw, 6f, +Dust Storm, 8-1

First/Second-crop starters to watch: Friday, Sept. 14

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

AWESOME GAMBLER (Coronado's Quest), Lovacres, \$3K, 85/16/1

9-FPX, Stk, 7f, Awesome Annie, 5-1

BOB AND JOHN (Seeking the Gold), Pin Oak, \$13K, 136/46/2

4-ASD, Stk, 1 1/8m, Jon's Golden Run, \$7K CTH MAN yrl, 8-1

DISCREET CAT (Forestry), Darley, \$30K, 215/67/3

3-PEN, Stk, 5fT, Discreet Evening, \$40K FTS AUG yrl, 6-1

EVIL MINISTER (Deputy Minister), 10/1/0

3-HOO, Msw, 6f, +Country Minister, 5-1

FLASHY BULL (Holy Bull), Airdrie, \$10K, 153/49/3

9-FPX, Stk, 7f, Rhodium, \$65K OBS APR 2yo, 12-1

MAGOO'S MAGIC (Awesome Again), 18/4/0

4-ASD, Stk, 1 1/8m, Gunton Road, \$950 RNA CTH MAN yrl, 10-1

4-ASD, Stk, 1 1/8m, Charlie Waffles, RNA CTH MAN yrl, 10-1

MR. MABEE (Storm Cat), 23/5/0

3-HOO, Msw, 6f, +Mabeewise, 9-2

MR. SEKIGUCHI (Storm Cat), Hill N Dale, \$5K, 61/11/1

10-LRL, Msw, 5 1/2fT, +Lilsex, \$8K EAS MAY 2yo, 20-1

POLITICAL FORCE (Unbridled's Song), Claiborne, \$15K, 122/34/0

6-BEL, Msw, 7fT, +Political Storm, \$62K KEE SEP yrl, 20-1

SAINTLY LOOK (Saint Ballado), 20/2/1

3-HOO, Msw, 6f, +Needmore Cash, 5-1

SCAT DADDY (Johannesburg), Ashford, \$30K, 180/62/7

2-RP, Msw, 6 1/2f, +J. Max, 9-2

STEVIE WONDERBOY (Stephen Got Even), Airdrie, \$18K, 111/25/2

10-FPX, Msw, 1 1/16m, +Equitius, \$170K KEE SEP yrl, 6-1

SUNRIVER (Saint Ballado), Empire Stud, \$15K, 114/15/2

5-BEL, Stk, 1m, I Bet Toni Knows, 3-1

5-BEL, Stk, 1m, Hot Splash, 8-1

WILD DESERT (Wild Rush), McMahon, \$8K, 71/8/1

5-BEL, Stk, 1m, Sunny Desert, \$2K OBS OCT wnl, 2-1

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2.30 Sandown, Mdn, £6,000, 2yo, 1m 14ydsT

FLYING OFFICER (**Dynaformer**) makes his debut for George Strawbridge and John Gosden 24 hours prior to the G1 St Leger bid of his full-brother Thought Worthy. His other sibling Lucarno managed the feat five years ago and if this newcomer has a share of that duo's ability he should make a bold show here. Among the blueblooded debutantes he tackles is Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum's **Adeem** (**Invasor {Arg}**), a John Dunlop-trained half-brother to the brilliant Sakhee (Bahri); Cheveley Park Stud's **Russian Realm** (**GB**) (**Dansili {GB}**), a Sir Michael Stoute-trained son of four-time Group 1 winner Russian Rhythm (Kingmambo); and Newsells Park Stud and Rachel Hood's **Wallenberg** (**GB**) (**Rock of Gibraltar {Ire}**), a stable companion of Flying Officer who is a half-brother to last year's St Leger hero Masked Marvel (**GB**) (Montjeu {Ire}) and this year's G3 Prix Penelope winner Waldlerche (**GB**) (Monsun {Ger}).

3.30 Doncaster, Cond, £17,500, 2yo, 7fT

ASHDAN (**GB**) (**Dansili {GB}**) bids to build on his taking debut win from the subsequent dual scorer Mutazamen (**GB**) (Sakhee's Secret) over this trip at Newmarket last month in this race won by Frankel (**GB**) (Galileo {Ire}) two years ago and by Librettist (Danzig) in 2004, Al Zir (Medaglia d'Oro) in 2009 and Ektihaam (Ire) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}) last year. Like his multiple Group-winning half-brother Day Flight (**GB**) (Sadler's Wells) and his 2007 G3 Prestige S.-winning full-sister Sense of Joy (**GB**), Khalid Abdullah's homebred is trained by John Gosden and he encounters a smart colt in Iraj Parvizi's **No Jet Lag** (**Johar**), a David Lanigan trainee who looks to have a bright future after wins at Lingfield in July and Redcar last month, and also the Aug. 18 Listed Washington Singer S. third **Ninjago** (**GB**) (**Mount Nelson {GB}**) from the Richard Hannon yard.

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DANDY MAN COLT LEADS THE WAY AT DONCASTER

A colt from the first crop of Dandy Man (Ire) topped a quiet first session of Doncaster Bloodstock Sales' St Leger Festival Sale yesterday when selling to Tom Malone and Alan McCabe for £30,000. Knockatrina House Stud's hip [51](#) was the sole offering by Ballyhane Stud's resident on the day and is a half-brother to the listed-winning and group-placed sire Soviet Flash (Ire) (Warning {GB}) and 2005 G3 Musidora S. third Play Me (GB) (Nashwan) descended from the blue-hen mare Mrs Moss (GB). Just behind that price was the £29,000 paid by A&A Bloodstock on behalf of Ahmad Al Shaikh for Herringswell Manor Stud's hip [39](#), a full-brother to the 2009 G2 Norfolk S. runner-up Reignier (GB) (Kheleyf). Topping the fillies was the final lot to sell during the session from Lumville Farm. Hip [84](#), a daughter of Shadwell's first-crop sire Naaqoos (GB) whose half-sibling Gaazaal (Ire) (Iffraaj {GB}) was third in the Listed Prix Volterra this term. DBS Managing Director Henry Beeby said, "As ever, tonight's sale witnessed a vibrant trade for the most commercial yearlings on offer and ended with a set of figures that finished roughly on a par with last year and we expect the theme to continue tomorrow night." Full results can be viewed on www.dbsauctions.com.



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SESSION	2012
Catalogued	84
No. Offered	79
No. Sold	40
RNAs	39
% RNA	49.4%
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Average	£9,868
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Yesterday's Results:

WEATHERBYS INSURANCE £300,000 2-Y-O S.

(COND), £300,000, Doncaster, 9-13, 2yo, 6 1/2fT, 1:19.70, gd.

1--**THE GOLD CHEONGSAM (IRE)**, 113, f, 2, by Red Clubs (Ire)

1st Dam: Fuerta Ventura (Ire) (SP-Itly), by Desert Sun (GB)

2nd Dam: Cradle Brief (Ire), by Brief Truce

3rd Dam: Lady Redford (Ire), by Bold Lad (Ire)

(70,000gns yrl '11 TATOCT). O-Arashan Ali; B-Tally-Ho Stud; T-Jeremy Noseda; J-Franny Norton; £206,900. Lifetime Record: 5-3-0-1, £238,394.

2--**Hajam (GB)**, 128, c, 2, Exceed and Excel (Aus)--Saabiq, by Grand Slam. (70,000gns yrl '11 TATOCT). O-Saif Ali; B-Rabbah Bloodstock Ltd; T-James Tate; £82,794.

3--**Haafaguinea (GB)**, 115, c, 2, Haafhd (GB)--Ha'penny Beacon (GB), by Erhaab. (30,000gns yrl '11 TATOCT). O-Exors of the Late Dennis Shaw; B-Bishop Wilton Stud; T-Clive Cox; £41,397.

Margins: NK, HF, HF. Odds: 11-4, 66-1, 33-1.

Also Ran: Indian Jade (GB), Parliament Square (Ire), Hototo (GB), King Dragon (Ire), Saint Jerome (Ire), Liber (GB), Salutation (Ire), Flyman (GB), Polski Max (GB), Pay Freeze (Ire), Letstalkaboutmoney (Ire), Colmar Kid (Ire), Carlton Blue (Ire), My Boy Bill (GB), Meringue Pie (GB), Beach Club (GB), Grey Blue (Ire), Lyric Ace (Ire). Scratched: Brazen (GB).

The Gold Cheongsam was tried as a maiden at Royal Ascot and was far from disgraced when fifth in the G3 Albany S. over six furlongs there June 22 before returning from a break to shed her maiden status at Newmarket July 27. Following up in a nursery again over this trip last time Aug. 4, the bay landed a gamble here for her Singapore and Malaysian connections. Prominent early before being taken back to race behind the early speed, the featherweight ground her way to the front approaching the furlong pole and showed spirit to ward off Hajam in the run to the line. Trainer Jeremy Noseda, who was at the Keeneland September Sale, said, "I am absolutely delighted. The rain-softened ground was far from ideal for her, but her class has carried her through. Her jockey Franny Norton got it right. I booked him two weeks ago because at that weight, I felt he was the go-to man. We thought he was the man for the job and I'm glad he's done it for us. We will head to the [Sept. 29 G1] Cheveley Park S. at Newmarket next. We'll just hope that we get proper good-to-firm ground. At six furlongs on good-to-firm ground, I think she would go there and be very competitive." [Video, courtesy attheraces.com](http://www.attheraces.com).

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Doncaster, 15.30, Mdn, £11,500, 2yo, 1mT, 1:41.47, gd.

+ **GLENARD (GB) (c, 2, Arch--Olaya {GSW-US & SW-Fr, \$292,649}, by Theatrical {Ire}),** a 65,000gns TATOCT yearling, was restrained in rear from the outset of this unveiling. Coming under pressure running to the two pole, the 14-1 chance received an educational smack approaching the final eighth and quickened smartly for four more inside the last 100 yards to nail Sicur (GB) (Dylan Thomas {Ire}) by a short head on the line. Space Ship (GB) (Galileo {Ire}), a son of Angara (GB) (Alzao), finished a further half length adrift in third. "He was very green, he's big and raw, but they don't win unless they've got talent," said rider Michael Hills. Trainer Charlie Hills added, "He's a good-looking horse, who we've always liked, and he's done pretty well to come and win from where he was. He has a lovely action and I thought he'd come on for the run, mentally more than anything. He has no fancy entries, except for the [G1 Epsom] Derby next year, and he's a big, scopey horse who will stay well. Something like the [Oct. 13 G3] Autumn S. [at Newmarket] is a possibility." Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, £7,439. [Video, courtesy attheraces.com.](#)

O-John C Grant; B-Denford Stud Ltd; T-Charles Hills.

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Wolverhampton, 18.20, Mdn, £3,500, 2yo, 7f 32yds (AWT), 1:28.40, stn.


TAMARKUZ (c, 2, Speightstown--Without You Babe, by Lemon Drop Kid), runner-up at Warwick last time Aug. 27, was in front for most of this, but was headed for a short period in mid contest. In command once more on the home turn, the 10-11 chalk coasted unchallenged to the wire in the straight to best Infinite Magic (More Than Ready) by a facile two lengths. Sales history: \$325,000 yrl '11 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, £3,563. [Video, courtesy attheraces.com.](#) O-Godolphin; B-John D Gunther; T-Saeed Bin Suroor.

France

OSARUS SEPTEMBER POSTS RECORD RETURNS

With the promise of the highest-quality selection to date, Osarus' fifth edition of the September Yearling Sale did not disappoint and yesterday delivered the auction house's best returns yet at its open-air venue at Bordeaux's La Teste de Buch racecourse. Last term's record-equalling high of €46,000, for an Indian Rocket colt which itself matched the 2010 peak, was revisited twice and the sale aggregate continued its year-on-year improvement, surging upward by a massive 57% on 2011's record take and through the seven-figure barrier for the first time. First to do so was Haras d'Haspel's [Hip 71](#), a Stormy River colt, who was knocked down to Marc-Antoine Bergracht's MAB Agency, acting on behalf of Anthony Forde and Ahmed Mouknass.

The April-foaled chestnut lays claim to the 1987 G1 Pretty Polly S., G1 Yorkshire Oaks and G1 Prix Vermeille victress Bint Pasha (Affirmed) as his third dam, and therefore hails from the family of last term's G2 Superlative S. hero Red Duke (Hard Spun), who also hit the board in this semester's G2 German 2000 Guineas at Cologne. In total, MAB Agency secured 10 lots for €204,000 and also included the fourth-highest price of the day, €40,000, for Haras de la Croix-Sonnet's [Hip 32](#). From Soldier of Fortune (Ire)'s first crop, the March-foaled filly is out of a half-sister to the 2000 G3 Prix Minerve heroine and G1 Prix Saint-Alary runner-up Folie Danse (Fr) (Petit Loup). However, the buyers' list was headed by Paul Basquin's Fretless Ltd, which bagged nine lots for an aggregate €224,000 and included the joint-session topper, a Sunday Break (Jpn) colt offered by Haras de Clairefontaine as [Hip 92](#). Fretless also registered the third-highest transaction of the day when going to €42,000 for Haras des Loges' [Hip 26](#), and it marked another dent by the freshman brigade, being the only offering in the catalogue by Haras du Mesnil incumbent Doctor Dino (Fr). The first foal out of a winning half-sister to the 2005 Listed Prix de Pontarme victor Nid d'Abeilles (Ire) (Green Desert), the January-foaled colt is from the family of champion wondermare Miesque (Nureyev). In addition to the spectacular rise in yield, and buoyed by a much-improved clearance rate, the average and median markers both made double-figure advances, moving up by 12.5% and 17.6%, respectively. The catalogue and full results can be viewed at www.osarus.com.

		OSARUS SEPTEMBER YEARLING SALE THURSDAY, SEPT. 13, 2012	
SESSION	2012	2011	
No. Catalogued	160	144	
No. Offered	152	135	
No. Sold	127	91	
RNAs	25	44	
% RNA	16.4%	32.6%	
High	€46,000	€46,000	
Gross	€1,554,500	€990,000	
Average (% change)	€12,240 (+12.5%)	€10,879	
Median (% change)	€10,000 (+17.6%)	€8,500	
Private Sales:			
Number	6	9	
Gross	€41,500	€44,500	
Adjusted Gross	€1,596,000	€1,034,500	
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French Report cont.

Friday, Lyon Parilly, post time: 3:15 p.m.

CRITERIUM DE LYON-Listed, €55,000, 2yo, 1mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	4	Mre Thn Stka (Fr)	Dutch Art (GB)	Soumillon	Graffard	126
2	2	Linguine (Fr)	Linngari (Ire)	Mendizabal	C Hills	126
3	6	Le Ring (Fr)	Slickly (Fr)	Blondel	F Rossi	126
4	8	Cassiopee (Fr)	Kentucky Dynamite	Hamelin	Barberot	122
5	1	Tiolache (Fr)	Layman	Pardon	Capitte	122
6	7	Vesper (Ger)	Sholokhov (Ire)	Veron	Munch	122
7	5	Green Daisy (Fr)	Green Tune	Rispoli	Heloury	122
8	3	Melodique (Fr)	Falco	Peslier	Laffon-Parias	122

New Zealand

MUFHASA CROWNED NZ HORSE OF THE YEAR

Nine-time Group 1 winner **Mufhasa (NZ)** (Pentire {GB}) earned his second New Zealand Horse of the Year title at New Zealand Thoroughbred Racing's 2011/2012 Horse of the Year Awards Tuesday night. The 8-year-old gelding, who earned his first Horse of the Year title in 2009, swept four Group 1 events last term: two in New Zealand, and two in Australia, where he competes as King Mufhasa. His most recent win at the highest level came in the Feb. 25 G1 Futurity S. at Caulfield in Australia, where he defeated last year's ill-fated G1 Cox Plate winner Pinker Pinker (Aus) (Reset {Aus}). Mufhasa was also crowned champion sprinter.

New Zealand Thoroughbred Racing 2011/2012 Champions	
Two-year-old:	Warhorse (NZ) (General Nediym {Aus})
Three-year-old:	Silent Achiever (NZ) (O'Reilly {NZ})
Middle distance:	Jimmy Choux (NZ) (Thorn Park {Aus})
Stayer:	Shez Sinsational (NZ) (Ekraar)
NZB Filly of the Year:	Planet Rock (NZ) (Fastnet Rock {Aus})
Jumps Horse:	Ima Heroine (NZ) (Heroicity {Aus})
Jockey:	James McDonald
Apprentice Rider:	Jason Collett
Jumps Jockey:	Richard Cully
Trainer:	John Sargent
Owner:	The Oaks Stud
Breeder:	Piper Farm Ltd (Alex & Cecile Smith)
Broodmare:	Triassic (NZ) (Tights)
Media Award:	Karyn Fenton Ellis
Dewar Stallion Trophy:	Zabeel (NZ) (Sir Tristram {Ire})
Grosvenor Award:	O'Reilly (NZ) (Last Tycoon)
Centaine Award:	Pins (Aus) (Snippets {Aus})

South America

WONDERTROSS DIES

Brazilian-based stallion **Wondertross** (Chief's Crown--Udeniably, by In Reality), sire of 2010 G1 Carlos Pellegrini winner and U.S. import Xin Xu Lin (Brz), died from colic on Sept. 9 at Haras Monte Althos, in Sao Paulo, reported *Raialeve*. Bred by George Steinbrenner's Kinsman Farm, the 16-year-old horse was runner-up in the 1999 GI Florida Derby. A full-brother to Grade II winner and sire Concerto and a half-brother to Grade III winner Illusioned (Woodman), Wondertross retired with four wins from 11 starts and earnings of \$254,339.

BREEDERS' EDITION AMERICA

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

4th-APX, \$46,000, NW2\$X, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f (AWT), 1:05, ft.

ZIPPING AWAY (m, 5, City Zip--Wild Note, by Wild Again) Lifetime Record: 18-6-5-1, \$162,046.

O-Midwest Thoroughbreds Inc. B-Barry Janks & Scott Goldsher (IL). T-Roger A Brueggemann.

9th-HOO, \$44,000, 9-12, Opt. Clm. (\$50,000), C, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:09 3/5, ft.

ST. MAXIMUS GATO (g, 5, Tactical Cat--Religious Colony, by Cherokee Colony) Lifetime Record: GSP, 16-5-3-3, \$225,721. O-Robert J Hunt. B-Barney & Anne Gallagher (IL). T-Donald F Hunt. *\$15,000 yrl '08 FTKOCT. **1/2 to Fight Girl (Fit To Fight), SW, \$111,544.

8th-LRL, \$43,000, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000-\$20,000), NW2X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:41 4/5, fm.

WHATABOOTIE (f, 4, Storm Boot--Whatabull, by Holy Bull) Lifetime Record: 20-4-4-3, \$111,596. O-Mary Jo Kuehn. B-Mr & Mrs Clyde Kuehn (KY). T-H A Smith.

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6th-HOO, \$41,000, NW2X, (S), 3/up, 1m, 1:38 3/5, ft. HE'S GOT THE FACTS (g, 3, Kafwain--Shes Got The Facts {SW}, by Known Fact) Lifetime Record: 6-2-2-0, \$57,580. O-Respite Farm. B-D Michael Cavey DVM (IN). T-Anthony J Granitz.

2nd-PEN, \$40,000, NW1X, (S), 3/up, 1m70yT, 1:39, fm. SAFARI ARTIE (c, 4, Artie Schiller--African Skyline, by Saint Ballado) Lifetime Record: 6-2-0-1, \$55,075. O-Broadway Stable. B-Joseph Boff (PA). T-J Michael Rogers. \$26,000 RNA yrl '09 FTMOCT.

4th-RPX, \$40,000, 9-12, 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:35, fm. SKIP A SMILE (g, 5, Skip Away--Strawberry Smile, by Strawberry Road {Aus}) Lifetime Record: MSW, 22-8-4-2, \$372,249. O/B-Rose Mary Chandler (TX). T-Steven M Asmussen.

5th-LRL, \$40,000, NW1X, 3/up, f/m, 8.5fT, 1:41, fm. INDY ANESTHESIA (f, 4, A.P. Indy--Two Trail Sioux {GSW & GISP, \$664,960}, by Indian Charlie) Lifetime Record: 14-2-1-1, \$70,245. O-George & Lori Hall. B-W S Farish & Mooney Stables LLC (KY). T-Kelly J Breen. *\$325,000 yrl '09 KEESEP.

8th-FPX, \$39,000, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000), NW1\$X, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:12 2/5, ft. SIBELLA (f, 3, Silic {Fr}--Isabel Brown, by Alwuhush) Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-0, \$54,100. O-Pacific Coast Thoroughbreds. B-Dinesh Maniar (CA). T-D Dunham.

5th-RPX, \$35,050, 9-12, Opt. Clm. (\$35,000), C, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:09 3/5, ft. OKIE RIDE (g, 5, Candy Ride {Arg}--Tic Tic {SP, \$101,952}, by Geiger Counter) Lifetime Record: MSW, 18-7-4-2, \$274,002. O/B-Richter Family Trust (OK). T-Kenneth Nolen. *1/2 to Explosive Okie (Burbank), MSP, \$203,517.

7th-CRC, \$28,000, NW2L, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m (off turf), 1:48, sy. FOR THE LUV OF LIL (g, 3, Greatness--Pick Of The Pack {SW, \$107,450}, by Lil's Lad) Lifetime Record: 9-2-4-1, \$59,700. O-Murray Durst. B-Lillian & Murray Durst (FL). T-Richard R Root.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Basone, c, 2, Bernstein--Crazy Woman Creek, by Wild Rush. LAD, 9-13, a1mT, 1:40 2/5. B-Ed Few (KY). *\$14,000 RNA yrl '11 KEESEP.

Hidden Brook foaled and consigned for Ed Few

Hip #1687: Half-sis sells Sunday with Hidden Brook

Buckingham Bull, f, 2, Flashy Bull--Royal Teresa, by Mountain Cat. BEL, 9-13, (C), 1mT, 1:38 2/5. B-Lois Meidinger & Dawn Lucas (KY). \$20,000 wlng '10 KEENOV; \$50,000 yrl '11 KEESEP.

Hidden Brook purchase and racing partnership

Broken and Trained by Randy Bradshaw

+ Higher Logic, f, 2, High Fly--Reason To Rhyme (MSW), by Mighty Adversary. HOO, 9-13, (S), 6f, 1:12 4/5. B-Bone Doctors Stable (IN). *Won by 14 lengths.

+ Ride Em Renee, f, 2, Killenaule--Schauncie, by Menifee. HOO, 9-13, (S), 6f, 1:14 3/5. B-Hunt and Smith Ventures (IN). *Won by 6 1/2 lengths.

Carameway, f, 2, Lawyer Ron--Adorable You, by Grand Slam. BEL, 9-13, (S), 7f, 1:25 2/5. B-Richard Greeley (NY). *\$65,000 RNA yrl '11 FTNAUG.

Hidden Brook raised and consigned for Richard Greeley

Broken and Trained by Randy Bradshaw

Copywriter, g, 2, Read The Footnotes--Good Listener, by Honor Grades. FLX, 9-13, 5f, :59 2/5. B-Carapan Farm LLC (NY).

+ Confucius, g, 2, Simon Pure--Read Me My Rights, by Lit De Justice. CTX, 9-13, 4 1/2f, :53 1/5. B-William Janulis & David Wichmann (FL). *\$23,000 RNA 2yo '12 FTMMAY.

Lil Man Will, g, 3, Cuvee--Mrs. Cook, by Mr. Greeley. RPX, 9-12, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:04 2/5. B-John James Revocable Trust (OK). *\$5,200 yrl '10 OKCAUG.

Rakin' Gold, f, 3, Newfoundland--Obsession For Gold (SP-PR), by Imperial Fling. BEL, 9-13, (S), 7fT, 1:22 2/5. B-Monhill Farm LLC (NY).

Satyana, f, 3, Street Cry (Ire)--Lovely Regina, by Deputy Minister. TPX, 9-13, 1m (AWT), 1:39. B-Padua Stables, LLC (KY). *1/2 to Thiskyhasnolimit (Sky Mesa), MGSW, \$777,828.

Dancing Lounge, c, 3, Theatrical (Ire)--Voodoo Lounge, by Pleasant Tap. DEL, 9-13, 1 1/2mT, 2:30 4/5. B-Jon Marshall (PA).

A # will distinguish first-time stakes-winners, a + will indicate first-time starters, an (S) will be used for state-bred races, a (C) will be used for maiden-claiming races.

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AQUEDUCT

Agave Kiss (Lion Heart), 5f, 1:02.12, 7/19

BELMONT

Data Link (War Front), 4f, :47.08, 1/28

Emma's Encore (Congrats), 5f, :59.17, 1/4

The Lumber Guy (Grand Slam), 4f, :50.88, 18/22

BETFAIR HOLLYWOOD PARK

Amani (Chi) (Morning Raider {Ire}), 6f, 1:14.00, 4/11

Bourbon Bay (Slingo Bay {Ire}), 6f, 1:15.80, 10/11

Jaycito (Victory Gallop), 4f, :48.40, 5/50

Miss Empire (Empire Maker), 4f, :49.00, 12/50

Smiling Tiger (Hold That Tiger), 3f, :36.80, 5/25

MONMOUTH

Currency Swap (High Cotton), 4f, :49.00, 2/11

SANTA ANITA

Sweet Swap (Candy Ride {Arg}), 5f, 1:00.40, 1/12

SARATOGA

Awesome Feather (Awesome Of Course), 5f (tt), 1:01.05, 1/3

Daddy Nose Best (Scat Daddy), 4f, :51.28, 16/16



BREEDERS' EDITION EUROPE

HANDICAP RESULTS:

BRITAIN, Doncaster, 13.15, £30,000, 2yo, f, 6 1/2fT, 1:19.47, gd.

JAMESBO'S GIRL (GB) (f, 2, Refuse To Bend {Ire}--Donna Anna {GB}, by Be My Chief) Lifetime Record: 7-4-2-0, £35,638. O-Hardisty Rolls; B-Lady Juliet Tadgell; T-Richard Fahey. *1,500gns yrl '11 TATOCT.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Excuse to Linger (GB), c, 2, **Compton Place (GB)**--Lady Le Quesne (Ire), by Alhaarth (Ire). Wolverhampton, Britain, 9-13, Mdn, 2yo, 5f 216yds (AWT). B-Mrs J Kersey. *£26,000 yrl '11 DONAUG; £52,000 2yo '12 DONAPR.

Veturia, f, 2, **Distorted Humor**--Dutchess Mojo, by Deputy Minister. Epsom, Britain, 9-13, Mdn, 2yo, 6fT. B-Gulf Coast Farms LLC. *\$45,000 yrl '11 KEESEP; 52,000gns 2yo '12 TATGNS.

AMERICA'S BEST SELLERS...TAYLOR MADE

Galveston (Fr), c, 2, **Green Tune**--Great News (Fr) (SW-Fr), by Bering (GB). Fontainebleau, France, 9-13, Mdn, 2yo, c/g, 1mT. B-Haras du Quesnay. *€30,000 RNA yrl '11 AROAUG

Amarantine (Fr), f, 2, **King's Best**--No Exit (Fr), by Exit to Nowhere. Fontainebleau, France, 9-13, Mdn, 2yo, f, 1mT. B-B.S.I. NV. *€25,000 RNA yrl '11 AROAUG. ** 1/2 to Howard le Canard (Fr) (Hamas {Ire}), SW-Fr & SP-Ger, \$223,365

Imperial Glance (GB), c, 2, **Passing Glance (GB)**--Juno Mint (GB), by Sula Bula (GB). Epsom, Britain, 9-13, Mdn, 2yo, 7fT. B-Mrs Sandie Newton.

Heading North (GB), f, 2, **Teofilo (Ire)**--Round the Cape (GB), by Cape Cross (Ire). Chepstow, Britain, 9-13, Mdn, 2yo, f, 7f 16ydsT. B-P T Tellwright.

Gifted Dancer (GB), f, 3, **Cadeaux Genereux (GB)**--Puteri Sas (Ire), by Fasliyev. Chepstow, Britain, 9-13, Mdn, 3yo, f, 7f 16ydsT. B-Ash Place Stud. *5,000gns yrl '10 TATOCT.

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