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Game On Dude
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(Awesome Again), a head-scratching seventh as the 6-5 chalk in the GI Breeders' Cup Classic Nov. 3, headlines a field of five in Saturday's GIII Native Diver S. at Betfair Hollywood Park. The 5-year-old has done little wrong in three prior attempts over the Cushion, including wins in this term's GI Hollywood Gold Cup H. and GII Californian S. He was also second, beaten a nose in the 2011 Gold Cup. Mike Smith has the call for Hall of Famer Bob Baffert. **Richard's Kid** (Lemon Drop Kid), second behind Game On Dude in the Gold Cup while under the care of Baffert, also returns to action following the Classic. The hard-knocking 7-year-old rallied from far back to



Bob Baffert & Joe Torre
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finish a non-threatening fifth in the big one. Sophomore **Nonios** (Pleasantly Perfect), second-best behind Game On Dude in the GI Awesome Again S. Sept. 29, tackles his elders again following a well-beaten sixth in the Classic.

Saturday, Betfair Hollywood Park, post time: 5:01 p.m. EST
NATIVE DIVER H.-GIII, \$250,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/8m (AWT)

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FRESHMEN TO THE FORE AT TATTERSALLS

by Emma Berry

A first-crop son of Highclere Stud's Paco Boy (Ire) (Desert Style {Ire}) held top honours on the opening day of the Tattersalls

December Foal Sale, selling for 52,000gns (US\$87,441) to Rob Speers on a day which saw a great improvement in clearance rate, which was up by 11 points to 76%.

In keeping with that rise, the aggregate increased by 23% to 1,745,000gns, with the median up 4% to 6,500gns and the average also being boosted by 10% to 10,379gns.

Speers, usually the racing and bloodstock advisor to owner Ibrahim Araci, was acting on his own behalf this time around and plans to return the March-born top lot (485) out of Tincture (GB) (Dr Fong) to the sales ring next year. Tincture, third in the 2005 Listed Cheshire Oaks, is a half-sister to Grade III winner and successful producer Miss Caerleona (Fr) (Caerleon).

"I didn't come here expecting to buy him, but I really liked him and foals are only going to get more expensive as the week goes on," Speers said. "I've liked the Paco Boy foals I've seen so far--they all seem to have good shape and move well." **Cont. p3**



Wednesday's topper - Paco Boy colt
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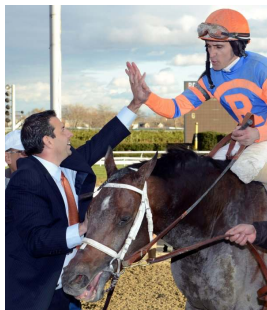


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Dominguez Out for Three Weeks

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Dominguez & Mike Repole celebrate Stay Thirsty's win in the Cigar Mile
Adam Coglianese

Writers Up: Richard Zachariah

The Nathan Tinkler story is a cautionary tale and proof again that money alone cannot buy racing or breeding success. And certainly not in the timeframe that Tinkler had in mind. With the downturn in China's demand making coal prices below the cost of production, his wealth has halved, and his horse empire is under immediate threat of being liquidated. Now it remains to be seen if Nathan Tinkler can survive the onslaught, with observers saying it will be the coal business, not the horses, that eventually decide his fate. Richard Zachariah weighs in.

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Thursday's Insights: BHP - RC7

Peachtree Stables' MAMMA KIMBO (Discreet Cat) drilled a field of Santa



Mamma Kimbo
Coady Photography

Anita maidens by over five lengths last February, and validated her "TDN Rising Star" designation as a with a front-running victory in the GII Fantasy S. at Oaklawn last April. She ventured cross-country for the GII Black-Eyed Susan S. May 18, but she folded badly after setting a moderate pace and is unraced since that fourth-place effort. A good effort here could lead to a start in the GI La Brea S. at Santa Anita Dec. 26.

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MAIMONIDES IN KENTUCKY

MAIMONIDES, a \$4.6 million Keeneland September Yearling, son of Champion Vindication, and half-brother to El Corredor and Roman Ruler, is now standing at Vinery in Kentucky for the 2013 season.

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TATDEC cont.

There has been plenty of debate regarding the rash of stallions retiring to stud in recent years after just one season on the track, but it would be hard to fault the racing credentials of Paco Boy, who embarked on his secondary career on the back of four consecutive seasons in training with 11 victories to his name. Eight of those came at group level, including top-flight wins in the Queen Anne S., Lockinge S. and Prix de la Foret.



Paco Boy Horsephotos

As ever, there was plenty of interest in the offspring of first-season sires at Park Paddocks. From Alfred Nobel (Ire) (Danehill Dancer {Ire}) through to Zebedee (GB) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}), there are almost enough freshman sires represented at Tattersalls throughout this week to fill the alphabet. Of the 22 different newcomers to stud in 2011 with foals catalogued, some, such as 2010 GI Breeders' Cup Classic winner Blame (Arch) and the tough-as-teak Youmzain (Ire) (Sinndar {Ire}), have just one representative, while there are 27 members of the dual G1 King's Stand S. winner Equiano (GB) (Acclamation {GB}) 's first crop being offered.

Another freshman was responsible for the second-most expensive lot of the day, and Lope de Vega's (Ire) race record is another that bears up to close scrutiny. The dual French Classic-winning son of Shamardal now stands at Ballylinch Stud and, having been the leading first-season sire at last week's foal sale at Goffs, he has also made a good start at Tattersalls, with his sole offering on Wednesday (lot 511) being selected by pinhookers Willie Browne and Mark Dwyer for 46,000gns. The early February colt is out of a Sakhee half-sister to the South African champion 3-year-old filly Kundalini (El Gran Senor).



Lope de Vega
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**TATTERSALLS DECEMBER FOAL SALE
WEDNESDAY, NOV. 28, 2012**

SESSION TOTALS:	2012	2011
No. Catalogued	261	262
No. Offered	221	234
No. Sold	169	152
RNAs	52	82
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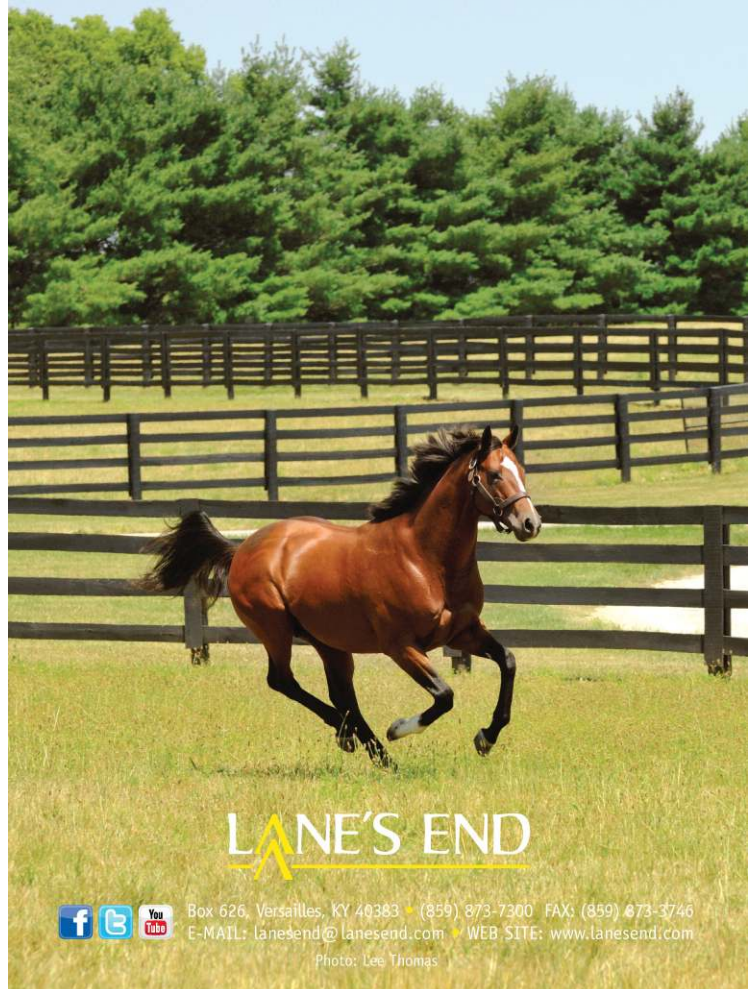
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Also near the top of the leader board was a colt by another freshman, this time a son of Derrinstown Stud's G1 Prix Morny winner Arcano (Ire) (Oasis Dream {GB}). Consigned by Mickley Stud for Bill and Nicholas Whittle, the grandson of G2 Mill Reef S. winner Golden Silca (GB) (lot 354) made 41,000gns when knocked down to Ross Doyle on behalf of Jimmy Murphy's Redpender Stud.

Proof is in the Racing...

Despite the freshman demand, there's always a buyer for young stock by a tried-and-trusted stallion who routinely gets early speedy types, and the dependable Royal Applause (GB) flew the flag for the older brigade when his son out of Group 3-placed Umniya (Ire) (Bluebird {Ire}) (lot 452) went the way of successful breeder and pinhooker Roger O'Callaghan of Tally Ho Stud for 42,000gns.

"He's by a solid sire who has been good to us this year," said O'Callaghan, referring to the €95,000 sale of a Royal Applause yearling at Goffs' Orby Sale. That colt had been bought for 35,000gns at Tattersalls last year.

The 19-year-old Royal Applause, who stands at the Queen's Royal Studs at Sandringham, was also responsible for the top-priced filly of the day, a Brook Stud-consigned daughter of the Pursuit of Love (GB) mare Rolexa (GB) (lot 512), the dam of dual winner Seventeen Seventy (GB) (Byron {GB}) and a 2-year-old full-brother to this foal named Mayaasem, who has been placed this year for Sheikh Hamdan Al Maktoum.

Dutch Doubles...

Dutch Art (GB) has only had two crops to race so far, but it's hard to fault the start he has made to his breeding career, which has prompted his fee for next year at Cheveley Park Stud to double from the £6,000 for which his foals selling this week were conceived. Deservedly his popularity continues, with six of his weanlings selling on Wednesday for an average of 28,917gns.

The leader among them was a colt out of the unraced Diktat (GB) mare Authoritative (GB) (lot 507) from the



Lot 507 - Dutch Art colt
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family of Needwood Blade (GB), who made 46,000gns. He was bought by Julie Wood, one of Richard Hannon's major owners and a real enthusiast for the sales circuit, who now buys under the Woodstock banner.

"I like Dutch Art and I had a nice one by him who was unfortunately unable to make it to the racecourse, so I wanted to replace him," said Wood. "He vetted well and has a bit of scope."

The colt, consigned by Juliet Minton's Mill House Stud, will spend his yearling year at Catridge Farm Stud before eventually going into training with Hannon.

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Trickledown Effect...

Trickledown Stud has a rock-solid reputation as a successful consignor and on the back of that has a massive draft of 72 foals catalogued, 15 of which sold during the opening session for a total of 127,000gns. That put Paul and Sara Thorman's operation in second position on the vendors' table behind The Castlebridge Consignment, which swept the board in all three books of the October Sale and is once again in pole position, having sold six weanlings for 141,500gns, including three of the top 10.

The sale continues at 10 a.m. today. For complete results and catalogue updates, visit tattersalls.com.

TATTERSALLS DECEMBER FOALS - WEDESDAY'S TOPPERS

Hip	Sex	Sire	Dam	Price (gns)
485	c	Paco Boy (Ire) <i>B-Highclere Stud and Floors Farming (GB)</i> Consigned by Voute Sales Ltd, agent Purchased by Rob Speers	Tincture (GB)	52,000
511	c	Lope de Vega (Ire) <i>B-Ruskerne Ltd (Ire)</i> Consigned by The Castlebridge Consignment Purchased by Oaks Farm Stables	Awani (GB)	46,000
507	c	Dutch Art (GB) <i>(8,000gns i/u '11 TATDEC)</i> <i>B-Hockham Lodge Stud (GB)</i> Consigned by Mill House Stud, agent Purchased by Woodstock	Authoritative (GB)	46,000
509	c	High Chaparral (Ire) <i>(25,000gns i/u '11 TATDEC)</i> <i>B-Clive Dennett (GB)</i> Consigned by The Castlebridge Consignment Purchased by Ashtown Bloodstock	Cool Catena (GB)	42,000
452	c	Royal Applause (GB) <i>(24,000gns i/u '11 TATDEC)</i> <i>B-Triple H Stud Ltd (GB)</i> Consigned by John Troy, agent Purchased by Tally-Ho Stud	Umniya (Ire)	42,000



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[630](#), f, Manduro (Ger)--Artisia (Ire), by Peintre Celebre

Consigned by Drumachon Stud

This April-foaled chestnut is a half-sister to three winners, including 2011 G1 Melbourne Cup runner-up Red Cadeaux (GB) (Cadeaux Genereux {GB}), who RNA'd at 40,000gns when sent through the ring during the 2006 edition of this sale. That sibling bagged this year's G2 Yorkshire Cup and also placed in the 2011 G1 Hong Kong Vase and the 2012 G1 Coronation Cup.

[638](#), c, Raven's Pass--Superfonic (Fr), by Zafonic

Consigned by The Castlebridge Consignment

Weanlings by third-crop sire Raven's Pass (Elusive Quality) enjoyed high status at the recent Goffs November Sale, and this is his first offering of the week to pass through the Park Paddocks ring. The February foal is a half-brother to two winners, and is out of a winning half-sister to the peerless Goldikova (Ire) (Anabaa), last term's G1 Prix Vermeille heroine Galikova (Fr) (Galileo {Ire}), and four other black-type performers.

[774](#), c, Dubawi (Ire)--Speciosa (Ire), by Danehill Dancer (Ire)

Consigned by Trickledown Stud

This April-foaled bay is out of 2006 G1 1000 Guineas victress Speciosa, herself produced from a half-sister to multiple Group 1 winner Pride (Fr) (Peintre Celebre). Speciosa was also a sibling to the tough U.S. campaigner Major Rhythm (Rhythm).

**TATTERSALLS DECEMBER FOALS
OUTS - THURSDAY**

540, 552, 553, 558, 565, 587, 597, 604, 626,
643, 650, 652, 654, 668, 669, 675, 685, 689, 692,
693, 705, 708, 722, 752, 758, 765, 766, 768, 795

HIP 243 SUPPLEMENTAL ENTRY: La La's Cookin, a 2YO daughter of Harlan's Holiday from the family of leading 2YO UNLIMITED BUDGET

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NEWS TODAY

DOMINGUEZ SIDELINED

Leading rider Ramon Dominguez will be out of action for the next three weeks after bruising his foot recently at Aqueduct. The injury didn't seem to slow down Dominguez at the Big A last weekend, though. The two-time Eclipse Award winner guided home Stay Thirsty (Bernardini) in the GI Cigar Mile H., Dance Card (Tapit) in the GI Gazelle S., and Overanalyze (Dixie Union) in a thrilling renewal of the GI Remsen S. "It wasn't getting better, so he saw a specialist who advised him to take some time off," agent Steve Rushing commented. "Nothing is broken." Aqueduct will be closed between Dec. 17-



Ramon Dominguez & Mike Repole celebrate Stay Thirsty's win in the Cigar Mile
Adam Coglianese

25 for its regular holiday break. Dominguez is scheduled to return to the saddle when racing resumes Dec. 26. Through Sunday, Dominguez has won a leading 309 races on the NYRA circuit in 2012. "He's going to take a few weeks off, and that will take us through the winter break," Rushing said. "He'll be back the day after Christmas."

NO SHA TIN TRIP FOR ATO, RED JAZZ

Foreign challengers **Red Jazz** (Johannesburg) and **Ato (SAf)** (Royal Academy) will take a pass on their respective engagements in the Hong Kong international races Dec. 9. British-based Red Jazz had a "bad scope," according to a tweet Wednesday from trainer Charlie Hills. His defection from the G1 Longines Hong Kong Mile leaves a field of 12. Singapore speedster Ato will not take part in the G1 Longines Hong Kong Sprint, leading to a current list of 13 contenders for the 1200-meter contest.



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SHACKLEFORD (c. by Forestry). Classic winner, see record.

LADY JOANNE (f. by Orientate). 6 wins in 11 starts at 2 and 3, \$987,094, Alabama S. [G1] (SAR, \$360,000), Golden Rod S. [G2] (CD, \$133,684), Dogwood S. [G3] (CD, \$101,698), Banshee Breeze S.-R (SAR, \$49,200), 2nd Mother Goose S. [G1] (BEL, \$50,000), Juddmonte Spinster S. [G1] (KEE, \$100,000), 3rd Pocahontas S. [G3] (CD, \$10,972).

AFLEETING LADY (f. by Afleet Alex). 7 wins at 4 and 5, 2012, \$473,526, Falls City H. [G2] (CD, \$98,704), Turnback the Alarm H. [G3] (BEL, \$90,000), Lady's Secret S. [L] (MTH, \$45,000), 2nd Falls City H. [G2] (CD, \$37,583), Fleur de Lis H. [G2] (CD, \$32,017), 3rd Mari Hulman George S. [L] (HOO, \$11,070).

BAGHDARIA (f. by Royal Academy). 6 wins, 2 to 4, \$725,433, Indiana Breeders' Cup Oaks [G3] (HOO, \$237,076), Silverbulletday S. [G3] (LAD, \$161,520), Iowa Oaks [G3] (PRM, \$120,000), Sweetheart S. [L] (DED, \$45,000), 3rd Louisville Breeders' Cup S. [G2] (CD, \$32,591), Black-Eyed Susan S. [G2] (PIM, \$27,500).

STEPHANOATSEE (r. by A.P. Indy). 3 wins at 2 and 3, 2012, \$213,000, Barbaro S. [L] (DEL, \$60,000), 2nd Count Fleet S. [L] (AQU, \$30,000), 3rd Discovery H. [G3] (AQU, \$15,000).

RACE RECORD: At 2, one win in 2 starts; at 3, two wins (Preakness S. [G1] (PIM, \$1,100,000)), 4 times 2nd (Haskell Invitational S. [G1] (MTH, \$200,000), Florida Derby [G1] (GP, \$200,000), Breeders' Cup Dirt Mile [G1] (CD, \$180,000), Indiana Derby [G2] (HOO, \$100,137)); at 4, 2012, three wins (Metropolitan H. [G1] (BEL, \$450,000), Clark H. [G1] (CD, \$266,054), Churchill Downs S. [G2] (CD, \$265,578)), once 2nd (Kelso H. [G2] (BEL, \$80,000)), once 3rd (Carter H. [G1] (AQU, \$40,000)). Totals: 6 wins, 5 times 2nd, once 3rd. Earned \$3,090,101.

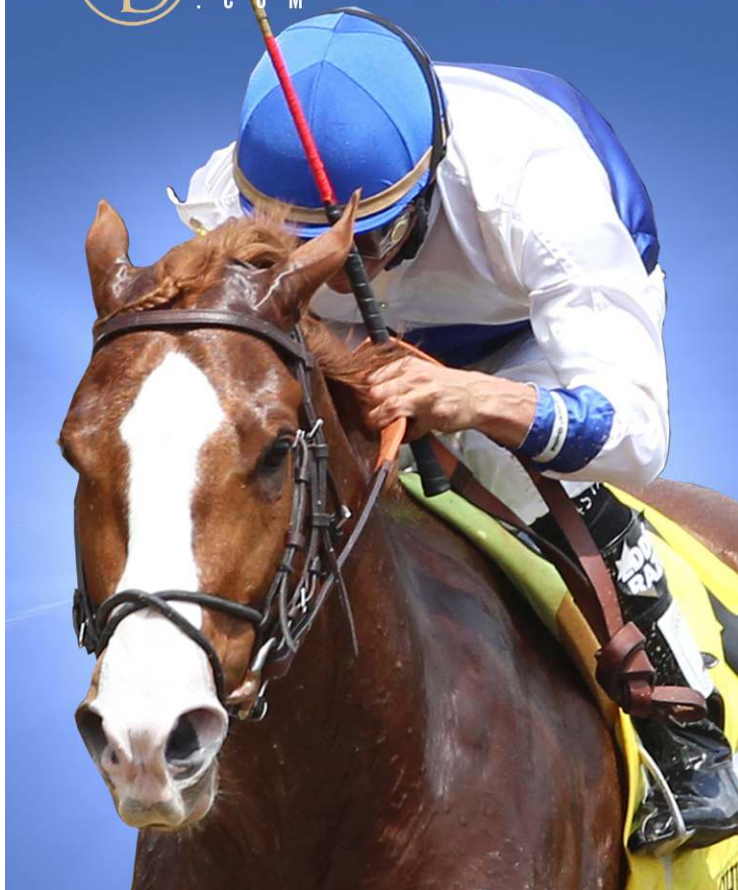


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BORDERLESCOTT RETIRED

Owners James Edgar and William Donaldson have taken the decision to retire their dual G1 Nunthorpe S. hero **Borderlescott (GB)** (Compton Place {GB}--Jeewan {GB}, by Touching Wood), according to trainer Robin Bastiman. The 10-year-old, who bagged his first Nunthorpe at Newmarket in 2008 and a second at York the following year, was a last-out 10th in the Oct. 26 Listed Mercury S. at Dundalk, bringing down the curtain on an illustrious career. "We've decided to retire him as we were a bit worried after his last run," Bastiman told *PA Sport*. "He wasn't quite right, he was probably telling us in a way, so we roughed him off after that. The owners have given the horse to my daughter Rebecca, and he'll be staying with us. He's part of the yard. It's a sad day, but he's done us proud. He'll be 11 next year and there's all these young sprinters coming along. They lose their pace eventually, and he's had to run against the best all the time with his rating. "The highlight was when he won the Nunthorpe at York on home ground," Bastiman continued. "The first time he won it was at Newmarket as York was abandoned and, with him being a Yorkshire horse, that was the day. There have been plenty of good days and he's simply been a great horse. He's out in the field now and is happy. He's taking it well at the moment."

Bastiman added, "He's been a star, he's got a good home, and my daughter will look after him."

Borderlescott, whose final success came in the Beverley Bullet Sprint Sept. 1, retires with a career record of 66-14-17-8, and earnings of £775,879.

BLACK-TYPE PREVIEWS

Friday, Otaki, New Zealand

LEVIN RACING CLUB LEVIN CLASSIC-G1, NZ\$250,000 (\$205,884),

3yo, 1600mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	9	Touch Win (NZ)	Excellent Art (GB)	Colgan	James	125
2	19	Irish Rebel (NZ)	Danhill Dncr (Ire)	Cameron	Bridgman	125
3	5	Sacred Star (Aus)	Flying Spur (Aus)	Innes	Pke/Dnghe	125
4	13	Southern Lord (Aus)	Stratum (Aus)	Myers	Tait	125
5	1	Julinsky Prince (NZ)	Darci Brahma (NZ)	Riddell	Auret	125
6	10	Le Choix (Aus)	Choisir (Aus)	Waddell	Mmy/Ormsby	125
7	4	Zinko (NZ)	Shinko King (Ire)	DuPlessis	Mrdch/Olson	125
8	13	Batman (NZ)	Falkirk (NZ)	Allpress	Lennox	125
9	14	Canny Franco (Aus)	Canny Lad (Aus)	Bullard	Rae	125
10	17	Addictive Habit (NZ)	Colombia (NZ)	Calder	Sommervell	125
11	6	Big Iron (NZ)	Towkay (Aus)	Harris	Carters	125
12	18	Coastal Express (NZ)	Lcky Unicorn (NZ)	Spratt	Zmmrmn	120
13	15	Park Princess (NZ)	Thorn Park (Aus)	Parkes	Auret	120
14	11	Soriano (NZ)	Savabeel (Aus)	Bosson	Rogersons	120
15	16	Pouri Chimes (NZ)	Occidental Tourist	Johnson	McV/Brne	120
16	2	High Fashion (NZ)	O'Reilly (NZ)	Tinsley	Gray	120
<i>Also Eligible</i>						
17	8	Deane Martin (NZ)	Keeper (Aus)	No Rider	Wallace	125
18	7	King Kamada (NZ)	Shinko King (Ire)	No Rider	Latta	125
19	3	Kansas (NZ)	O'Reilly (NZ)	Ser	Ser	Ser

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Writers Up

with Richard Zachariah

AUSTRALIA'S HORSE BUSINESS HOLDS ITS BREATH FOR ITS NEWEST METEOR

Legendary horseman Robert Sangster died saying he knew about a quarter of what there was to know about the Thoroughbred business. His wariness of being a know-all was a part of his charm and underpinned long-term survival at the pointy end of this business.

Yet no one could say Sangster was inhibited when it came to spending a dollar. He was bold, brave when others were timid, and confident horses would repay the debt.

Sangster would have been a wise counsel for Australia's latest meteor in Thoroughbred's, one-time coal mining billionaire Nathan Tinkler.

But would Tinkler--who has gambled A\$300 million on building a racing and breeding empire in just four years--have listened?

His frenetic four-year buying spree and tumultuous engaging and disengaging with staff and the bloodstock business at large would indicate not.

The Tinkler story is a cautionary tale and proof again that money alone cannot buy racing or breeding success. And certainly not in the timeframe that Tinkler had in mind.

A former electrician who worked down the mines and still just 37, Tinkler rode the coal mining boom, struck it lucky and in 2007 started investing in horses and farms in a rush to rub shoulders with the racing and breeding establishment.

His new wealth made him capable of doing what he wanted, and accolades including 'Australia's richest man under 40' and 'youngest billionaire' put him in the frame of mind that he was untouchable in any business he entered.

However, with the downturn in China's demand making coal prices below the cost of production, his wealth has halved, and his horse empire is under immediate threat of being liquidated.

Tinkler is not the first Australian coal baron to finance a horse empire and then feel the cold winds of a market downturn. There have been at least three mine-owning families over the past 150 years who have risen spectacularly in the horse game and then disappeared without trace.

Now it remains to be seen if Nathan Tinkler can survive the onslaught, with observers saying it will be the coal business, not the horses, that eventually decide his fate.

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2010 Champion 2-Year-Old Male

UNCLE MO puts in another awesome display to win the BC Juvenile and remain unbeaten.

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Mind you, Tinkler has 1,350 horses, huge numbers acquired in just four years as opposed to (for example) Sheikh Mohammed's 1,000 in Australia, accumulated over 30 years of careful selection, and including the Ingham's meticulously bred 400 strong broodmare band and resident champion stallions.

Tinkler's major wealth lies in his 20% shareholding in a coal company worth currently around A\$570 million, but it is his borrowings of A\$638 million that has the big fellow stepping around land mines that daily threaten to blow him up.

Ironically, Tinkler probably owns the two best 3-year-olds in the country, the G1 Caulfield Guineas-winning colt and half-brother to Black Caviar, All Too Hard, as well as the G1 Flemington heroine Nechita. Worth \$20 million in a package, the glamorous duo do not put a dent in his big spending or on-going costs.

On results seen by this writer, Tinkler's Patinack Farm has spent A\$77,500,000 (US\$81,182,431) on 410 horses at Australian auctions since 2008, at an average price of A\$190,000. In October on the Gold Coast, Patinack's first real entry into the selling market, it sold 303 horses for a total A\$4,105,000 at an average of A\$13,500.

In a further breakdown of this unreserved reduction sale, Patinack traded 203 mares for A\$2.7 million at an average of A\$14,500 and 100 racehorses for A\$1.3 million at just \$12,000 a head, a long way from the average purchase price of A\$190,000.

While these figures do not match each horse's purchase and sale price, they give one an idea of how difficult it is to recapture the market price when sold against a background of threatened liquidation.

Now Tinkler, who has never denied his expenditure of A\$300 million is in reduction mode, and despite the October sale of 303 horses, he still has a 1,350-strong team of all ages and sizes, including racing and breeding stock, 200 staff at two farms in the Hunter Valley and one in Cunungra south east Queensland and racing stables in Brisbane and Sydney costing a crippling A\$500,000 a week.

It was so different when he began with the wind beneath his wings, the enthusiasm of a rich newcomer with all the best wishes of an industry looking for new blood. He was feted for a while and there seemed no end to China's appetite for coking coal or his for horses.

That moment has passed.

As Tinkler ducks and weaves clinging to survival, I am sure if he had his time over again, he would do it so differently. There would be greater caution in the auction ring and accumulation not just for its own sake. Thoroughbred empires take a lot of building, as I am sure the Aga Khan or John Magnier would attest. They are not overnight successes, nor vehicles for a fast buck.

However, the truth that is experience in this game is hard bought, there is no GPS for the unwary, nor as Tinkler is finding out a parachute. **Cont. p10**

2011 Champion 2-Year-Old Male

HANSEN defeats Grade 1-winning 2YO's Union Rags (2nd), Creative Cause (3rd) and Dullahan (4th) to win the BC Juvenile and remain unbeaten.

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First noticed at Deauville in France in 2007, the Patinack buying cavalcade moved to the Gold Coast in March, 2008 where he unloaded A\$18.5 million at Gerry Harvey's Magic Millions, saving that sale from post-crash depression.

In being the sale's savior, he made an important friend in Harvey, who continues to stake his existence with a recently reported A\$20-million advance. Whether this 'loan' is guaranteed by horseflesh or just Harvey's faith in his survival is conjecture.

Harvey has cause to trust him. In the past five years, Harvey has been owed millions by Tinkler for horses bought, but all has ended well when the account has been paid and interest bills collected along the way.

Gerry Harvey, who has 1,200 horses himself and is one of our major owners and breeders, may well be Tinkler's greatest supporter in the horse business which is collectively holding its breath that its newest and biggest player survives.

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Mark Arsenault, Boston Globe
"Las Vegas casino developer Steve Wynn, who failed to persuade Foxborough to accept a lavish \$1 billion gambling resort, is investigating land on the Mystic River for a possible casino bid in Everett, which could create a clash among gambling titans for the state's most lucrative casino license."

Stivers, Thayer Named KY House Leaders
Jack Brammer, Lexington Herald-Leader
"Robert Stivers, a Manchester attorney who has been the Senate majority leader for three years, will replace David Williams as president of the Kentucky Senate. Sen. Damon Thayer of Georgetown, a proponent of expanded gambling in Kentucky, will be the Senate's new majority floor leader."

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Rank by Average		Fyr	Loc	2012 Weanling Sales						2012 Yearling Sales		
				Ring	Sold	Average	Median	Top Colt	Top Filly	Sold	Average	Median
1	GALILEO (IRE)	F03	IRE	1	1	\$ 625,000	\$ 625,000	\$ -	\$ 625,000	58	\$602,443	\$345,154
2	SEA THE STARS (IRE)	F11	IRE	1	1	397,606	397,606	397,606	-	34	406,898	302,708
3	MEDAGLIA D'ORO	F06	KY	3	2	390,000	390,000	160,000	620,000	33	299,310	200,000
4	BERNARDINI	F08	KY	2	2	327,500	327,500	295,000	360,000	41	249,976	170,000
5	NEW APPROACH (IRE)	F10	ENG	1	1	320,650	320,650	-	320,650	56	179,300	124,973
6	STREET CRY (IRE)	F04	KY	3	3	293,333	280,000	-	350,000	19	330,000	200,000
7	RAVEN'S PASS	F10	IRE	5	4	253,314	243,694	359,128	205,216	12	262,618	176,817
8	WAR FRONT	F08	KY	13	9	237,778	175,000	800,000	175,000	32	230,724	204,550
9	DANSILI (GB)	F02	ENG	1	1	230,868	230,868	-	230,868	13	286,503	218,250
10	TAPIT	F06	KY	9	6	230,833	237,500	310,000	350,000	59	260,515	260,000
11	MORE THAN READY	F02	KY	10	5	167,000	110,000	400,000	150,000	35	110,823	90,000
12	GIANT'S CAUSEWAY	F02	KY	11	10	164,200	145,000	260,000	450,000	50	151,418	100,000
13	INDIAN CHARLIE	F90	KY	13	10	162,500	157,500	165,000	325,000	33	143,576	90,000
14	DANEHILL DANCER (IRE)	F98	IRE	2	2	148,141	148,141	-	256,520	28	158,822	154,125
15	SPEIGHTSTOWN	F06	KY	4	3	143,333	140,000	-	240,000	31	146,661	110,000
16	TIZNOW	F03	KY	8	6	138,000	152,500	250,000	190,000	40	181,800	145,000
17	BLAME	F12	KY	13	13	136,154	150,000	320,000	175,000	0	--	--
18	UNBRIDLED'S SONG	F98	KY	8	5	127,000	125,000	170,000	190,000	42	184,905	140,000
19	ARCH	F00	KY	11	6	124,500	112,500	150,000	270,000	36	150,474	115,000
20	QUALITY ROAD	F12	KY	24	14	122,857	82,500	410,000	170,000	0	--	--
21	SMART STRIKE	F98	KY	5	5	114,240	95,000	135,000	255,000	34	238,284	170,000
22	LOOKIN AT LUCKY	F12	KY	15	10	114,000	75,000	500,000	100,000	0	--	--

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Breeding Stock Sale
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23	QUIET AMERICAN	F93	KY	4	2	112,500	112,500	25,000	200,000	9	29,000	17,000
24	DISTORTED HUMOR	F00	KY	2	2	110,000	110,000	150,000	70,000	30	320,400	287,500
25	HARLAN'S HOLIDAY	F05	KY	21	14	101,571	53,500	400,000	70,000	64	89,881	75,000
26	MALIBU MOON	F01	KY	26	15	96,467	60,000	205,000	190,000	75	151,013	130,000
27	INVINCIBLE SPIRIT (IRE)	F04	IRE	8	8	95,874	75,032	224,455	141,086	76	189,640	129,884
28	LOPE DE VEGA (IRE)	F12	IRE	7	7	94,755	79,391	141,086	160,325	0	--	--
29	FASTNET ROCK (AUS)	F06	IRE	2	2	93,630	93,630	-	128,260	23	148,105	101,241
30	ELUSIVE QUALITY	F00	KY	13	10	91,600	86,000	135,000	230,000	48	105,702	75,000
31	HARD SPUN	F09	KY	20	15	89,600	70,000	260,000	140,000	46	101,570	60,000
32	LEMON DROP KID	F02	KY	12	9	84,333	75,000	170,000	87,000	52	99,320	66,000
33	SHAMARDAL	F06	IRE	2	1	83,369	83,369	83,369	-	60	130,582	95,315
34	MAKFI (GB)	F12	ENG	3	2	80,163	80,163	134,673	25,652	0	--	--
35	PIVOTAL (GB)	F98	ENG	1	1	71,826	71,826	71,826	-	28	231,872	167,964
36	ESKENDEREYA	F12	KY	13	7	71,286	35,000	210,000	35,000	0	--	--
37	TEOFILO (IRE)	F09	IRE	7	7	68,515	59,000	179,564	59,000	75	112,925	67,494
38	PROUD CITIZEN	F05	KY	8	7	67,664	20,000	320,650	20,000	16	59,613	43,500
39	CAPE CROSS (IRE)	F01	IRE	4	2	67,337	67,337	84,652	50,021	61	116,505	84,803
40	UNUSUAL HEAT	F99	CA	1	1	65,000	65,000	65,000	-	10	84,050	37,500
41	PACO BOY (IRE)	F12	ENG	6	5	64,911	66,586	96,195	12,805	0	--	--
42	AWESOME AGAIN	F00	KY	9	7	62,429	62,000	80,000	100,000	29	89,316	45,000
43	BAHAMIAN BOUNTY (GB)	F99	ENG	4	3	61,744	70,428	84,513	30,291	51	52,452	40,496
44	RIP VAN WINKLE (IRE)	F12	IRE	14	11	61,084	66,695	70,543	96,195	0	--	--
45	SUPER SAVER	F12	KY	28	22	61,000	50,000	175,000	105,000	0	--	--
46	MARJU (IRE)	F93	IRE	3	2	60,276	60,276	112,869	7,683	10	61,587	61,657
47	HENRYTHENAVIGATOR	F10	KY	26	17	58,412	60,000	110,000	120,000	49	69,412	45,000
48	MEDICEAN (GB)	F03	ENG	2	2	57,695	57,695	89,782	25,608	45	66,039	36,120
49	CANDY RIDE (ARG)	F06	KY	14	12	57,542	36,000	220,000	75,000	55	83,991	50,000



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50	HIGH CHAPARRAL (IRE)	F05	IRE	5	4	57,335	73,755	76,956	76,830	75	86,937	58,760
51	DUTCH ART (GB)	F09	ENG	7	7	57,101	52,168	107,738	37,022	47	84,465	70,869
52	ACCLAMATION (GB)	F05	IRE	16	13	55,616	51,220	128,260	64,130	64	100,702	63,200
53	MAJESTICPERFECTION	F12	KY	23	16	55,000	41,000	105,000	145,000	0	--	--
54	TALE OF THE CAT	F00	KY	11	8	54,750	33,000	125,000	36,000	42	75,837	46,075
55	EXCHANGE RATE	F03	KY	12	11	54,227	45,000	130,000	125,000	38	97,401	75,000
56	KYLLACHY (GB)	F04	ENG	4	3	53,386	53,781	53,781	57,717	34	79,059	61,215
57	BROKEN VOW	F03	KY	8	6	53,367	23,500	140,000	32,000	46	79,394	56,000
58	NETWORK (GER)	F03	FR	2	2	52,753	52,753	82,622	-	0	--	--
59	CONGRATS	F08	KY	25	18	50,500	40,000	80,000	100,000	27	42,804	27,000
60	ACT OF WAR	F09	IN	1	1	50,000	50,000	-	50,000	0	--	--
61	ARCANO (IRE)	F12	IRE	17	15	48,959	42,326	179,564	71,826	0	--	--
62	STREET BOSS	F10	KY	10	6	48,833	53,500	75,000	26,000	42	62,386	50,000
63	STORMY ATLANTIC	F00	KY	11	10	48,200	28,500	130,000	125,000	36	77,296	67,500
64	EQUIANO (FR)	F12		8	8	48,070	42,913	115,434	51,304	0	--	--
65	TAMAYUZ (GB)	F10	IRE	2	2	48,019	48,019	19,208	76,830	34	75,178	61,598
66	MINESHAFT	F05	KY	7	6	46,250	47,500	70,000	80,000	41	62,427	40,000
67	DIVINE PARK	F10	KY	4	1	45,000	45,000	-	45,000	18	95,756	35,000
68	LAWMAN (FR)	F09	IRE	11	8	44,221	32,685	115,434	23,047	63	63,562	40,368
69	CITY ZIP	F03	KY	17	12	44,083	50,000	67,000	70,000	48	43,958	36,000
70	ROYAL APPLAUSE (GB)	F99	ENG	8	8	43,338	42,326	84,513	67,313	68	72,773	52,324
71	KING'S THEATRE (IRE)	F98	IRE	23	17	40,341	42,078	66,097	56,104	6	31,078	30,880
72	PIONEEROF THE NILE	F11	KY	7	6	40,333	40,000	55,000	45,000	51	78,261	60,000
73	PHILANTHROPIST	F08	ON	1	1	40,000	40,000	-	40,000	5	23,634	10,100
73	NOT FOR LOVE	F97	MD	1	1	40,000	40,000	40,000	-	12	42,667	33,000
75	AZAMOUR (IRE)	F06	IRE	9	7	39,741	44,818	53,869	51,304	52	34,267	20,499
76	MIDSHIPMAN	F12	KY	12	6	39,167	41,000	65,000	-	0	--	--

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78	MYBOYCHARLIE (IRE)	F11	AUS	5	4	37,642	22,719	102,608	2,524	41	56,460	33,927
79	AQLAAM (GB)	F11	ENG	3	3	37,422	43,608	67,313	43,608	24	76,355	63,905
80	CURLIN	F10	KY	10	10	36,900	32,500	67,000	17,000	54	69,935	44,000
81	MIZZEN MAST	F02	KY	6	5	36,400	35,000	37,000	72,000	24	46,810	35,000
82	AFLEET ALEX	F07	KY	11	5	36,140	42,000	50,000	60,000	59	46,190	22,000
83	TALE OF EKATI	F12	KY	13	8	36,125	30,000	60,000	75,000	0	--	--
84	DESERT PARTY	F12	KY	14	10	36,000	38,000	42,000	85,000	0	--	--
85	NAYEF	F05	ENG	1	1	35,854	35,854	35,854	-	31	52,609	47,052
86	KITTEN'S JOY	F07	KY	13	8	35,625	37,500	60,000	52,000	42	63,055	50,000
87	MUTAKDDIM	F98	KY	1	1	35,000	35,000	-	35,000	6	17,263	10,000
88	SKY MESA	F05	KY	11	8	34,813	32,500	45,000	80,000	56	72,212	52,000
89	MUNNINGS	F12	KY	22	18	34,694	28,500	82,000	67,000	0	--	--
90	IFFRAAJ (GB)	F08	IRE	6	6	34,073	28,217	66,695	8,323	63	36,489	20,878
91	WARRIOR'S REWARD	F12	KY	31	20	33,900	28,000	95,000	67,000	0	--	--
92	STARSPANGLED BANNER (AUS)	F12	IRE	8	6	33,749	35,884	46,098	12,805	0	--	--
93	U S RANGER	F11	KY	8	5	33,600	21,000	40,000	80,000	27	38,126	20,000
94	NORTHERN AFLEET	F00	KY	11	10	33,500	18,000	75,000	75,000	31	36,432	25,000
95	ZEBEDEE (GB)	F12	IRE	36	34	33,321	26,196	83,369	105,001	0	--	--
96	COLONEL JOHN	F11	KY	35	22	33,273	25,000	140,000	40,000	52	89,567	75,000
97	BIG BAD BOB (IRE)	F07	IRE	12	12	32,429	25,446	76,956	21,769	3	14,101	9,559
98	SOLDIER OF FORTUNE (IRE)	F11	FR	1	1	32,013	32,013	32,013	-	32	51,851	47,402
99	FLATTER	F05	KY	7	5	32,000	17,000	42,000	70,000	31	42,724	35,000
100	BIG BROWN	F10	KY	16	13	31,462	32,000	60,000	45,000	38	75,605	41,000

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Rank by Average		Loc	2012 Weanling Sales, Freshman Only					
			Ring	Sold	Average	Median	Top Colt	Top Filly
1	BLAME	KY	13	13	\$136,154	\$150,000	\$ 320,000	\$ 175,000
2	QUALITY ROAD	KY	24	14	122,857	82,500	410,000	170,000
3	LOOKIN AT LUCKY	KY	15	10	114,000	75,000	500,000	100,000
4	LOPE DE VEGA (IRE)	IRE	7	7	94,755	79,391	141,086	160,325
5	MAKFI (GB)	ENG	3	2	80,163	80,163	134,673	25,652
6	ESKENDEREYA	KY	13	7	71,286	35,000	210,000	35,000
7	PACO BOY (IRE)	ENG	6	5	64,911	66,586	96,195	12,805
8	RIP VAN WINKLE (IRE)	IRE	14	11	61,084	66,695	70,543	96,195
9	SUPER SAVER	KY	28	22	61,000	50,000	175,000	105,000
10	MAJESTICPERFECTION	KY	23	16	55,000	41,000	105,000	145,000
11	ARCANO (IRE)	IRE	17	15	48,959	42,326	179,564	71,826
12	EQUIANO (FR)		8	8	48,070	42,913	115,434	51,304
13	MIDSHIPMAN	KY	12	6	39,167	41,000	65,000	-
14	TALE OF EKATI	KY	13	8	36,125	30,000	60,000	75,000
15	DESERT PARTY	KY	14	10	36,000	38,000	42,000	85,000
16	MUNNINGS	KY	22	18	34,694	28,500	82,000	67,000
17	WARRIOR'S REWARD	KY	31	20	33,900	28,000	95,000	67,000
18	STARSPANGLED BANNER (AUS)	IRE	8	6	33,749	35,884	46,098	12,805
19	ZEBEDEE (GB)	IRE	36	34	33,321	26,196	83,369	105,001
20	AFLEET EXPRESS	KY	7	5	28,400	38,000	38,000	45,000
21	SUMMER BIRD	KY	13	10	27,950	22,000	70,000	47,000
22	FAST COMPANY (IRE)	IRE	32	27	27,474	24,328	109,021	26,891
23	DISCREETLY MINE	KY	19	14	26,071	27,500	50,000	37,000
24	APPROVE (IRE)		22	20	25,839	24,909	61,464	40,976
25	KANTHAROS	FL	4	4	21,625	20,500	33,000	-

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26	SHOWCASING (GB)		9	8	20,827	14,304	50,021	10,097
27	CONCORD POINT	KY	9	7	19,643	22,000	24,000	30,000
28	ALFRED NOBEL (IRE)	IRE	22	14	19,370	11,488	83,226	12,733
29	VALE OF YORK (IRE)	IRE	23	19	18,948	12,804	76,830	10,261
30	LINE OF DAVID	KY	10	9	18,278	10,000	65,000	27,000
31	LORD SHANAKILL	IRE	28	25	17,077	16,645	34,571	51,304
32	MAWATHEEQ		3	3	16,390	17,927	23,560	17,927
33	COOL COAL MAN	FL	2	2	14,750	14,750	22,000	7,500
34	TEMPLE CITY	KY	10	7	14,029	7,000	60,000	7,000
35	DANSANT (GB)		2	2	14,026	14,026	17,851	-
36	GETAWAY (GER)		33	26	14,002	9,357	76,266	2,805
37	HELLVELYN (GB)		13	13	13,489	10,097	37,022	14,304
38	MULLIONMILEAN HOUR (IRE)		6	5	13,463	13,463	15,146	13,463
39	HOLD ME BACK	KY	14	9	13,278	10,000	32,000	27,000
40	JUSTENUFFHUMOR	NY	5	4	12,875	6,750	12,500	37,000
41	STIMULATION (IRE)		7	6	11,582	12,450	16,828	8,414
42	TIZDEJAVU	KY	8	7	10,857	12,000	15,000	18,000
43	LE CADRE NOIR (IRE)	IRE	2	2	10,564	10,564	11,524	-
44	SILVER FROST (IRE)		1	1	8,323	8,323	-	8,323
45	ASK (GB)		10	7	7,004	6,357	10,806	-

Sales reflected in this report:

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RULE TO VINERY NEW YORK

WinStar Farm homebred **Rule** (Roman Ruler--Rockside, by Personal Flag) has been retired from racing and will stand at Vinery New York in 2013. The millionaire, produced by a half-sister to dual Classic winner Funny Cide (Distorted Humor), will stand for a



Rule
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\$6,500 fee (stands and nurses). "Rule is a natural for New York, and his pedigree should be a very familiar one to local breeders," said Elliott Walden, President & CEO of WinStar. "Obviously, his dam is the sister of perhaps New York's best racehorse ever in Funny Cide, who was the first

Kentucky Derby winner we bred, and the horse that really put WinStar on the map." Trained by Todd Pletcher, Rule concluded his juvenile campaign with a win in the GIII Delta Jackpot. The dark bay also won the GIII Sam F. Davis S. at three, the Birdstone S. at Saratoga at four, and the GII Monmouth Cup at five. Rule also hit the board in the GI Donn H., GI Florida Derby and GI Woodward S. Walden continued, "Rule is an awesome-looking individual and a precocious, high-quality racehorse in his own right, winning a Grade II this year over Flat Out (in the Monmouth Cup) and placing in three of North America's most coveted Grade I races during his career." Rule heads to the breeding shed with a record of 20-6-2-6 and earnings of \$1,162,350.

GULFSTREAM MEET BEGINS WITH CLAIMING CROWN

The 90-day Gulfstream Park meeting, highlighted by the \$1-million GI Florida Derby Mar. 30, kicks off with the Claiming Crown Saturday, Dec. 1. The seven-race series, boasting \$850,000 in purses restricted to horses that have competed at least once in a claiming race, has attracted full fields,



Adam Coglianese

including a dozen for the featured Jewel S. "We're ecstatic to play host to the 14th running of the Claiming Crown on our opening day," Gulfstream President Tim Ritvo said. "Horses competing in the claiming ranks are many of the toughest in the world. They're game and they build loyal followings within the Thoroughbred community, whether with fans, owners or trainers. I think this is a great opportunity for Gulfstream to help showcase these Thoroughbreds. It's also a great way to kick off what we believe will be a memorable winter meeting."

New York

Yesterday's Results:

4th-AQU, \$52,000, Msw, (S), 2yo, f, 5 1/2f, 1:06 1/5, my.
 + **LITTLE ROCKET (f, 2, [Yes It's True--How About Now {GSW, \\$166,376}](#), by Pentelicus)** carried a big pedigree and a promising worktab into this career debut and duly obliged as the 11-10 chalk. Ridden by Mike Luzzi, replacing the sidelined Ramon Dominguez, the bay filly was beaten for speed and was taken hold of from about fourth to the turn. Full of run while behind horses at the quarter pole, she found daylight one off the inside and ran out an easy 3 1/2-length winner. Rockin Mandy (Bustin Stones) was a well-bet second. Little Rocket is a half-sister to War Paint (Devil's Bag), MSP, \$156,149; Sweet Sweet (Honour and Glory), MSW, \$191,341; and Lovely Lil (Tiznow), GSW, \$299,890. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$31,200. [Click for the **brisnet.com** chart or **Video, sponsored by Taylor Made Sales.**](#)
 O-Barry K Schwartz. B-Stonewall Farm (NY). T-Michael E Hushion.

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8th-LRL (Alw) Awesome Devine (Fairbanks) remains perfect in two career starts.
4th-AQU (Msw [S]) Homebred Little Rocket (Yes It's True) lives up to her name on debut.

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2nd-FLX, \$18,000, Msw, 2yo, 6f, 1:14 4/5, ft. SWEET BONDS (c, 2, Sweetsouthernsaint--Chamberly, by Outflanker), a green fourth on his local debut Nov. 15, was the 8-5 second choice to get it right at second asking. Roused along to lead narrowly early on, the Florida-bred, with Michael Davila Jr. up, carried them into the stretch and was just able to fend off a persistent bid from first-time starter Belief System (Read the Footnotes)--with brother John Davila Jr. in the irons--by a head. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$11,700. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#).**
O-River Card Stable. B-Alice Hauff (FL). T-James S Acquilano.

TODAY'S INSIGHTS

4:00p TVG **2nd-BHP, \$48K, Alw/Opt. Clm. (\$40K), 3yo/up, f/m, 10fT SALEZ (IRE) (Manduro {Ger})** makes her U.S. debut off a brief, but promising 2-year-old campaign in France. Trained in Europe by Pia Brandt, who was also a co-owner with the filly's breeder, Ecurie Monceaux, Salez graduated by four lengths at second asking at Vichy and concluded that portion of her career with a fourth, at odds of 5-2, to subsequent G1 Criterium International winner and G1 English 2000 Guineas runner-up French Fifteen (Fr) (Turtle Bowl {Ire}) in the Listed Prix des Fourages last Sept. 11. She is in the hands of trainer Simon Callaghan, who is lethal with this kind of horse. [brisnet.com PPs](#)

6:35p TVG **7th-BHP, \$52K, Alw, 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f (AWT)** Peachtree Stables' **MAMMA KIMBO (Discreet Cat)** drilled a field of Santa Anita maidens by over five lengths last February, and validated her **★ "TDN Rising Star" ★** designation as a with a front-running victory in the GII Fantasy S. at Oaklawn last April. She ventured cross-country for the GII Black-Eyed Susan S. May 18, but she folded badly after setting a moderate pace and is unraced since that fourth-place effort. A good effort here could lead to a start in the GI La Brea S. at Santa Anita Dec. 26. Jerry and Ann Moss's **Sister Moon (Malibu Moon)** can also earn a berth in that event with a strong performance here. The homebred, a two-time winner from four career starts, is having her first run since being upset at odds of 1-20 in the GIII Railbird S. at this venue May 19. Jay Em Ess Stable's **Vision In Gold (Medaglia d'Oro)** won the GII Santa Maria S. in 2011 and resumes off a runner-up effort in defense of her title in that race Feb. 18. [brisnet.com pps](#)

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Florida

Yesterday's Results:

10th-CRC, \$34,200, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), NW2X, 3yo/up, f/m, 5fT, :56 1/5, fm.

TRIPPIN' ALONG (f, 3, [Trippi](#)--Susie Smile, by Smile) broke her maiden sprinting over this main track Aug. 19 and added an allowance victory going this course and distance Sept. 20, but failed to handle the stretchout to a mile and was fifth of six in the grassy Frances A. Genter S. Oct. 13. She missed by a half-length with the addition of blinkers at this level Nov. 8 and was the 2-1 second choice to get back to winning ways here. Last but not one early, the homebred crept into contention at the quarter pole, came out three wide for the drive and edged away late to take it by a widening 1 3/4 lengths from favored Slew's Exchange (Exchange Rate). The winner is a half to Katy Smiles (Limit Out), MSW, \$214,560; and Straight Faced (Straight Man), MSW, \$269,800. Sales history: \$22,000 RNA 2yo '11 OBSJUN. Lifetime Record: 7-3-2-1, \$71,130. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made Sales.](#) O/B-Adam J & Suzette Parker (FL). T-Stephen L DiMauro.

2nd-CRC, \$36,400, Msw, 2yo, 1 1/16mT, 1:45, fm.
ACT OF MADNESS (g, 2, Act of Duty--Touch of Madness, by Sword Dance {Ire}) caught a yielding local turf course and was bumped at the start of his Oct. 17 debut, but gave a decent account of himself with a close fifth-place finish. Heads apart for the lead in this second go, the homebred was nudged clear approaching the stretch and held sway late for a 3/4-length success as the 5-2 third choice. Favored Mizzen the Cookies (Mizzen Mast) saved ground throughout, brushed the hedge turning for home and rounded out the exacta. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$23,210. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made Sales.](#) O/B-Gilbert G Campbell (FL). T-Kathleen O'Connell.

Eastern U.S.

Yesterday's Results:

8th-LRL, \$40,000, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000-\$35,000), NW1X, 2yo, 6f, 1:12 2/5, ft.

AWESOME DEVINE (c, 2, Fairbanks--Formalities Aside, by Awesome Again) faced \$10,000 maiden taggers in his Sept. 22 bow at Delaware Park and came with a three-wide run en route to a four-length victory. Deepest down the backstretch in his first try against winners, the 3-1 chance swept four wide to lead midway on the turn. He turned for home with a narrow advantage and was able to sustain his run to score by 1 3/4 lengths. Alpha Mike Foxtrot (Two Punch) was second best. Sales history: \$9,500 yrl '11 FTMOCT. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$31,080. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made Sales.](#) O-Florence Patitucci. B-Dr & Mrs Thomas Bowman & Milton P Higgins III (MD). T-Juan C Vazquez.

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Danehill Dreamer (half sister, by Danehill) has a filly foal by **NEW APPROACH**; is in foal to **NEW APPROACH** and visits **NATHANIEL** in 2013.

Wild Mimosa (half sister, by Dynaformer) in foal to **POUR MOI**; visits **INVINCIBLE SPIRIT** in 2013.

The Family is Bearing Fruit



▶ Central U.S.

Keeping Up With the Joneses:

Courtesy Fair Grounds Barn Notes/Graham Ross

Larry and Cindy Jones, the husband-and-wife training duo with their perennial herd of stakes horses, were



Larry Jones & Havre de Grace
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partially in residence once again on the Fair Grounds Race Course & Slots backstretch Wednesday morning. Still in absentia was Larry, who is due in at the New Orleans oval Thursday as Fair Grounds begins the second racing week of its 2012-13 meeting, which runs through Mar. 31. "I got

here a week ago Monday," said Cindy, tongue-in-cheek, Wednesday morning as she put some finishing touches on one of the stalls in their barn. "I've been doing Larry's work as well as my own up to now, so it seems like the more things change, the more they stay the same." Always quick with a quip--as is her husband--the Joneses remain one of the most likeable tandems in racing, and they have almost all of their Fair Grounds stakes winners from last season with them once again. "Believe You Can (Proud Citizen) has been here for a little while now," said Mrs. Jones, speaking of last spring's GII Fair Grounds Oaks heroine who went on to victory in Churchill's GI Kentucky Oaks.

"Mark Valeski (Proud Citizen) got down here a couple of days ago," she added of last spring's GII Louisiana Derby and GII Risen Star S. runner-up who went on to win the GII Dwyer S. at Belmont Park later in the season. "Today was the first day we took him to the track." What about Mr. Bowling (Istan), who won Fair Grounds' GIII Lecomte S. last January before wrenching his back in the Risen Star and being taken out of training? "He's here, too," Cindy said, completing her updates on that trio of 3-year-olds owned by Breton Jones. "We had to turn him out after he hurt himself in the Risen Star, but he's back with us now." She continued, "The only one we don't have back from last year is [Fox Hill Farms'] Havre de Grace (Saint Liam)."

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Thayer Elected as Senate's New Majority Floor Leader:

Senator Damon Thayer of Georgetown, Kentucky, was named the Senate's new majority floor leader in an election held Tuesday evening. The proponent of expanded gambling in Kentucky replaces Senator Robert Stivers of Manchester. "While honored to be elected Floor Leader yesterday, I also want to congratulate the rest of the new Senate leadership team--Senate President Robert Stivers, President pro tem Katie Stine, Caucus Chairman Dan Seum and Caucus Whip Brandon Smith," Thayer offered on his Facebook page. "I am eager to work together for the good of Kentucky!"



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ROOKIES

First/Second-crop starters to watch: Thursday, Nov. 29

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

SUNRIVER (Saint Ballado), Empire Stud, \$15K, 114/18/2
6-FG, Msw, 5 1/2fT, +Raglin River, 8-1

First-crop starters to watch: Thursday, November 29

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

BROTHER DEREK (Benchmark), Airdrie, \$10K, 42/4/0

2-RP, Msw, 6 1/2f, In Plain Sight, \$110K FTK JUL yrl, 5-1

CHATAIN (Forest Wildcat), 14/3/0

2-RP, Msw, 6 1/2f, Rosie Chatain, \$4K TEX APR 2yo, 12-1

COWTOWN CAT (Distorted Humor), Journeyman, \$8K, 43/11/0

2-RP, Msw, 6 1/2f, +Battle Creek Lady, \$39K RNA EAS MAY 2yo, 9-2

6-CRC, Msw, 1 1/16mT, Sharapova Slams, \$27K OBS APR 2yo, 4-1

CURLIN (Smart Strike), Lanes End, \$75K, 104/12/0

6-CRC, Msw, 1 1/16mT, +Naked Watch, \$55K RNA KEE SEP yrl, 6-1

FAIRBANKS (Giant's Causeway), Northview PA, \$8K, 68/6/0

2-RP, Msw, 6 1/2f, Chena Miss, \$4K RNA TEX AUG yrl, 20-1

2-RP, Msw, 6 1/2f, +Gospel Faira, \$2K KEE SEP yrl, 15-1

STREET HERO (Street Cry {Ire}), Vinery, \$5K, 49/7/1

8-LRL, Aoc, 1m, Holiday Road Girl, 5-1

TIZ WONDERFUL (Tiznow), Spendthrift, \$13K, 109/11/1

2-HAW, Msw, 1mT, Tiz Playtime, \$4K KEE SEP yrl, 12-1

WAR PASS (Cherokee Run), Lanes End, \$30K, 65/7/1

1-AQU, Msw, 1 1/16mT, Charity Reins, \$100K EAS MAY 2yo, 5-2

ZANJERO (Cherokee Run), Millennium, \$10K, 63/3/0

6-CRC, Msw, 1 1/16mT, Kiasu, \$15K RNA OBS APR 2yo, 8-1

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2012 INVESTMENT INCENTIVES EXPIRE SOON

Small business owners have through December 31, 2012 to take advantage of this year's investment incentives. The \$125,000 expense allowance for new or used qualified depreciable property and 50% bonus depreciation for new qualified property allow taxpayers to write off a portion of the cost of such property beyond normal depreciation rates.

Yearlings, broodmares, racehorses, tractors, farm equipment and barns are examples of potentially eligible property. For each incentive, the property must be purchased and placed in service during 2012 to be considered.

The expense allowance and bonus depreciation also may be used together in some cases to reduce taxable income. Please consult with a tax professional for details on how you may benefit.

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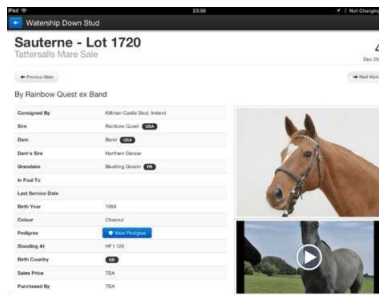
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going forward. "Most people now use hand-held devices which can download apps, and that's why we wanted to develop one which gives the buyer all the information about our sales draft," Simon Marsh, general manager of Watership Down Stud and Kiltinan Castle Stud, said. "People can view races for free and find out all the latest updates right up to the day of the sale. The state-of-the-art technology benefits both the buyer and our clients for whom we aim to get the best possible results in the sales ring." The app is available on iTunes.

**Yesterday's Results:**

BETDAQ CASINO GAMES WILD FLOWER S.-Listed, £33,000, Kempton Park, 11-28, 3yo/up, 1 1/2m (AWT), 2:32.02, stn.

1--**MEDIA HYPE (GB)**, 132, h, 5, **Tiger Hill (Ire)--Hyperspectra (GB)**, by **Rainbow Quest**. (50,000gns RNA yrl '08 TATOCT; 8,500gns HIT '11 TATHIT; 50,000gns RNA HIT '12 TATHIT). O-Light Valley Stud & Elaine Burke; B-Meon Valley Stud; T-Elaine Burke; J-Martin Harley; £18,714. Lifetime Record: GSP-Swe, 13-4-1-2, £66,764. * 1/2 to France (GB) (Desert Prince {Ire}), GSW & G1SP-Ire, \$256,400.

2--**Roxy Flyer (Ire)**, 127, m, 5, **Rock of Gibraltar (Ire)--Dyna Flyer**, by **Marquetry**. (35,000gns yrl '08 TATOCT). O-F & Mrs F Cotton & Mrs S Conway. £7,095.

3--**Harris Tweed (GB)**, 136, g, 5, **Hernando (Fr)--Frog (GB)**, by **Akarad (Fr)**. O-Brian Haggas. £3,551. Margins: 3 3/4, 1HF, SHD. Odds: 3-1, 4-1, 5-2. Also Ran: **Communicator (GB)**, **Solfilia (GB)**, **Wildomar (GB)**, **Qushchi (GB)**, **Art Scholar (Ire)**, **Bountiful Girl (GB)**.

Following a third placing in the prestigious John Smith's Cup H. over an extended 10-furlong trip at York July 14, Media Hype was fifth at longer distances in the Listed Prix de Reux at Deauville Aug. 2 and Taby's G3 Stockholm Cup International Sept. 9. He was fourth in the Listed Floodlit S. over this course and distance last time Nov. 7, but made the leap forward to open his black-type account in impressive style here. Settled in a perfect stalking third after a fast break, the flashy bay traveled with ease and, after being committed on the front end passing the quarter pole, extended his advantage without being asked a serious question. **Click for the [Racing Post chart](#). [Video](#), [courtesy Racing UK](#).**

Kempton Park, 17.30, Mdn, £5,000, 2yo, 6f (AWT), 1:12.88, stn.

RIVELLINO (GB) (c, 2, **Invincible Spirit {Ire}--Brazilian Bride {Ire}** {GSW-Ire, \$129,407}, by **Pivotal {GB}**), third behind subsequent G2 Mill Reef S. hero **Moohaajim (Ire)** (Cape Cross {Ire}) on debut over this trip at Ascot July 22, dropped to seventh on testing ground in Ayr's Listed Harry Rosebery S. over a furlong shorter last time Sept. 21. Quick to break and racing in a stalking third early, the 5-4 favorite took command with 300 yards remaining and asserted for a convincing 2 1/4-length success from **Serenity Spa (GB)** (Excellent Art {GB}). Sales history: 48,000gns RNA yrl '11 TATOCT; €38,000 yrl '11 GOFNOV; 57,000gns 2yo '12 TATAPR. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-1, £5,158. [Video](#), [courtesy Racing UK](#).

O-Melba Bryce; B-Castlemartin Sky & Skymarc Farm; T-Elaine Burke.

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Lingfield, 12.00, Mdn, £4,900, 2yo, 1m (AWT), 1:38.31, stn.

+ **MIGHTY YAR (IRE)** (c, 2, **Teofilo {Ire}--Karaliyfa {Ire}**, by **Kahyasi {Ire}**) settled off the pace through the early fractions of this first go. Making headway into contention at halfway, the 11-1 chance was stoked up on the home turn and kept on well under final-furlong urging to assert by a half-length from **Don Padeja (GB)** (**Dansili {GB}**). Sales history: €44,000 wnlg '10 GOFNOV; 45,000gns yrl '11 TATOCT. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, £3,170. [Video](#), [courtesy attheraces.com](#). O-R A H Evans; B-Gerry Flannery Developments; T-Henry Cecil.

Kempton Park, 18.30, Mdn, £2,500, 3-5yo, 7f (AWT), 1:24.59, stn.

ROCKALONG (IRE) (c, 3, **Rock of Gibraltar {Ire}--High Spot {GB}**, by **Shirley Heights {GB}**), runner-up over a mile at Lingfield last time Nov. 8, started as the 6-4 joint-favorite and was positioned in second early tracking **Kalokagathia (Ire)** (**Kodiac {GB}**). Sent to work at the top of the stretch, the 170,000gns TATOCT yearling wore down that rival with a furlong to race en route to a 2 1/4-length success. Rockalong is a half-brother to **Missit (Ire)** (Orpen), GSW-US & GSP-GB, \$322,920. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, £2,322. [Video](#), [courtesy Racing UK](#).

O-Nagy El Azar; B-Churchtown House Stud; T-Luca Cumani.

Ireland

MCDONOGH HANDED AGA KHAN RETAINER

Declan McDonogh will ride for His Highness The Aga Khan in Ireland next season, it was announced yesterday. Following the departure of Johnny Murtagh in August, the role had remained vacant, but speculation ended at last by the appointment of the 2006 Irish champion jockey, who has ridden for the Kevin Prendergast stable. Pat Downes, the Irish bloodstock manager to the owner-breeder, told *Racing Post*, "Declan McDonogh will be the retained rider for His Highness the Aga Khan in Ireland next year. He has ridden for us in the past and rode a few winners for us at the back-end of the 2012 season, including Zand, who looked a nice prospect when he won his 2-year-old maiden at Leopardstown last month. We have a nice team of horses for next season and we're looking forward to the new arrangement. Declan will be riding the team we have with John Oxx. We also have some horses with Michael Halford and his stable jockey, Shane Foley, has done well for us in the past, so I'd imagine it will be mix-and-match situation between both riders where those horses are concerned."





Declan McDonogh cont.

McDonogh, who has partnered Rebelline (Ire) (Robellino), Termagant (Ire) (Powerscourt {GB}), Kingsfort (War Chant) and La Collina (Ire) (Strategic Prince {GB}) to Group 1 glory, said, "I'm thrilled at getting the job with His Highness and it will be an honour and a privilege to be riding regularly in the famous green-and-red colours next year. I would like to sincerely thank Kevin Prendergast, his wife, Lesley, and all of their owners for all the support they've given me over the years and I look forward to continue riding for them when I can. I have a one-month licence to ride in Japan and will be heading there for January before returning to prepare for the new season."

Germany

ROUND OF EIA TESTS NEGATIVE AT COLOGNE

A second row of tests for Equine Infectious Anemia (EIA) at Cologne racecourse and training center have returned negative for every inmate, including stranded star Danedream (Ger) (Lomitas {GB}). Placed under quarantine at the end of September following a case of the highly infectious disease, the track's final testing will be carried out Jan. 2, when the ban will be lifted if the results are again negative.

GERMAN RUNNERS ON THE MOVE

Manfred Ostermann's Gestut Ittlingen has purchased this year's G3 Karin Baronin von Ullmann-Rennen heroine **Survey (Ger)** (Big Shuffle) for an undisclosed sum from owner Eckhard Sauren. Also runner-up in the G3 Hamburger Stutenmeile, 3-year-old filly hails from the legendary Schwarzgold damline. Ittlingen has also sold the 4-year-old colt **Saltas (Ger)** (Lomitas {GB}) to the Swiss owner Philipp Sander, whose horses are trained by Philipp Scharer in his native country. Saltas, a 3/4-brother to this year's G1 Preis der Diana heroine Salomina (Ger), has himself placed in group company several times, including a third in last year's G1 Deutsches Derby. Due to depart for Switzerland as soon as the current quarantine restrictions are lifted at Cologne, his main target is expected to be the Grand Prix de St Moritz.

SCALO MOVED TO HARLEY

Gestut Ittlingen's five-time group-winning **Scalo (GB)** (Lando {Ger}) will join the Paul Harley stable from Andreas Wohler's yard at Ravensberg. Successful in the 2010 G1 Preis von Europa, which saw him crowned Horse of the Year in Germany, the 5-year-old will eventually be unable to stand in his native country after racing under medication during his final three starts at Woodbine this season. Third in the GII Sky Classic S. there Aug. 19, he was fourth in the Sept. 16 GI Northern Dancer Turf S. and seventh in the Oct. 14 GI Canadian International.

BREEDERS' EDITION AMERICA

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

7th-AQU, \$59,000, Opt. Clm. (\$14,000), NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, 1m, 1:38 3/5, gd.

PEARL OF WISDOM (g, 3, [Bob and John](#)--Maggie's Pearle, by Bright Launch) Lifetime Record: 10-2-2-0, \$109,420. O-Flying Zee Racing Stables LLC. B-Belvedere Farm Inc (NY). T-Rudy R Rodriguez. *\$45,000 yrl '10 FTNAUG.

8th-AQU, \$56,000, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), NW3X, (S), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:11, gd.

READYTODEFER (g, 3, [Defer](#)--Ms. Readiness, by More Than Ready) Lifetime Record: 13-4-4-1, \$187,875. O-Parting Glass Racing (Thomas J Gallo). B-Mr & Mrs John O'Hagan (NY). T-Bruce N Levine.

7th-LRL, \$40,000, NW1X, 3yo/up, 5 1/2f (off turf), 1:04 2/5, ft.

JOEY WHISPERS (g, 4, [Langfuhr](#)--Missy Turtle, by Kyle's Our Man) Lifetime Record: 22-3-5-6, \$118,190. O-Michelle and Claudio Stable Inc. B-Harvey A Clarke Racing Stable LLC (KY). T-Claudio A Gonzalez. *\$80,000 yrl '09 FTKOCT.

6th-PEN, \$36,792, 11-27, NW1X, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:39 2/5, gd.

MILES LONG GONE (g, 4, [Candy Ride {Arg}](#)--Carter's Lady, by Banker's Gold) Lifetime Record: 19-5-0-3, \$90,850. O-Joseph E Besecker. B-Danny Turner & Candy Ride Syndicate (PA). T-Timothy C Kreiser. *\$8,500 RNA wlng '08 KEENOV; \$27,000 yrl '09 KEESEP.

8th-CTX, \$26,100, 11-27, NW2LX, 3yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:20 2/5, ft.

WAVES AND TIDES (g, 4, [Cape Town](#)--Heater, by Dixieland Heat) Lifetime Record: SW, 13-6-2-0, \$133,600. O/B-Coleswood Farm Inc (WV). T-Jeff C Runco. *1/2 to Sea Rescue (Mutakddim), SW, \$383,296.

8th-MNR, \$20,200, 11-27, NW2L, 3yo/up, 5f, 1:00 2/5, ft.

FIVE TIMES AGAIN (g, 3, [Flashy Bull](#)--Soixante Deux, by Forty Niner) Lifetime Record: 10-2-4-1, \$38,519. O-Willie E & Patricia D Hayes. B-Equus Farm (KY). T-Claudia Marshall Godsey. *\$27,000 RNA yrl '10 FTKJUL.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Brother Bob, c, 2, [Brother Derek](#)--You'renotlistening (GSW, \$372,000), by Kennedy Road. AQU, 11-28, (C), 6f, 1:11 3/5. B-Brereton C Jones (KY). *\$60,000 yrl '11 KEESEP. **1/2 to Your Bluffing (Pine Bluff), MSW, \$149,895; and Nacho Friend (Friends Lake), MGSP, \$398,406. ***Fourth winner for freshman sire (by Benchmark).

LEINAN Scored BIG in the Glorious Song



LEINAN was the first winner for her sire with an impressive Maiden Special Weight win at Keeneland in April. She returned to the winners circle after capturing Woodbine's Glorious Song S. in her stakes debut, her record stands at 4-2-2-0 \$143,773.

Leading Kentucky Freshman Sires of Stakes Winners / 2YOs

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Toni With An I, f, 2, [Exchange Rate](#)--Cowtown Kitty, by El Corredor. CTX, 11-27, 4 1/2f, :54 2/5. B-Gulf Coast Farms LLC (KY). *\$17,000 wnlg '10 KEENOV; \$5,000 yrl '11 KEESEP.

AMERICA'S BEST SELLERS...TAYLOR MADE

L's Ticket to Ride, c, 2, [Mr. Livingston](#)--Silverous, by Silver Buck. CRC, 11-28, 1 1/16mT, 1:44 4/5. B-David & Teresa Palmer (FL).

Icprideicpower, f, 2, [Raffie's Majesty](#)--Touchmeifyoucan, by Touch Gold. FLX, 11-28, 1m, 1:46 2/5. B-Richard & Kay Zwirn (NY).

Smokey Deputy, c, 2, [Smoke Glacken](#)--Northern Deputy, by Deputy Commander. RPX, 11-28, 6 1/2f, 1:17 1/5. B-H V Farms Ltd (KY).

The Chaplains Wife, f, 3, [Ecclesiastic](#)--Widow Women, by Synastry. PEN, 11-27, (S), 6f, 1:13. B-Lydee Shea, Robert Losey, William Ezzell & Paul McGinty (PA).

Relentless Repent, g, 3, [Repent](#)--Relentless, by Sought After. CTX, 11-27, 4 1/2f, :53 2/5. B-Burk, Sciarra & Zamarripa (FL). *\$1,000 yrl '10 KEESEP.

Hidden Brook yearling graduate

BREEDERS' EDITION EUROPE

CONDITIONS RESULTS:

FRANCE, Marseille-Borely, 19.15, €30,000, 3yo, 1 1/4m (AWT), 2:09.48, stn.

ESPERO (FR) (c, 3, Verglas {Ire})--Queen's Conquer {GB}, by King's Best Lifetime Record: SP-Fr, 3 starts, 5 wins, 5 places, €83,200. O-Gerard Augustin-Normand & Jean-Claude Rouget; B-P P Richou; T-Jean-Claude Rouget. *€28,000 yrl '10 ARQOCT.

FRANCE, Marseille-Borely, 20.15, €19,000, 4yo/up, 1 5/8m (AWT), 2:45.18, stn.

KENMOUR (FR) (g, 5, Azamour {Ire})--Marie de Ken {Fr} {GSW-Fr, \$134,554}, by Kendor {Fr} Lifetime Record: MSP-Fr, 27 starts, 5 wins, 17 places, €148,050. O-Jean-Claude Seroul; B-SCEA Ecurie Bader; T-Frederic Rossi. *€130,000 HIT '10 ARQARC. **1/2 to Ana Marie (Fr) (Anabaa), Hwt. Older Mare-Fr at 9.5-11f, MGSW & MG1SP-Fr, G1SP-GB, \$353,778; Charmo (Fr) (Charnwood Forest {Ire}), GSW & GISP-US, MGSP-Fr, \$500,805; Zatonic (Fr) (Zafonic), GSP-Fr.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Bay Laurel (Ire), f, 2, [Baltic King \(GB\)](#)--Bayleaf (GB) (MSP-GB), by Efisio (GB). Wolverhampton, Britain, 11-28, Mdn, 2yo, f, 7f 32yds (AWT). B-D Veitch & R O'Callaghan. *€13,000 wnlg '10 GOFNOV; 18,500gns yrl '11 TATOCT; £3,500 HIT '12 DONHIT. **1/2 to Folio (Ire) (Perugino), GSP-GB, \$171,283; and Bathwick Bear (Ire) (Kodiac {GB}), SW-GB & SP-Fr, \$118,673.

First Winner for Freshman Sire

Breakneck (Fr), f, 2, [Chichi Creasy \(Fr\)](#)--Street Money (Ire), by Mark of Esteem (Ire). Marseille Pont de Vivaux, France, 11-28, Mdn, 2yo, 7 1/2f (AWT). B-Haras de la Gisloterie. *First winner for freshman sire (by Chichicastenango {Fr}).

Zeus Magic (GB), c, 2, [Zamindar](#)--Milly of the Vally (GB), by Caerleon. Lingfield, Britain, 11-28, Mdn, 2yo, 1m (AWT). B-The Kingwood Partnership. *20,000gns wnlg '10 TATDEC. **1/2 to Scott's View (GB) (Selkirk), MSW-GB, G1SP-UAE & HK, GSP-Ger, \$906,086; and Mac Melody (Ire) (Entrepreneur {GB}), SW-GB.

THIS DATE IN HISTORY...

November 28, 1974...Tony Bentley debuts as track announcer at Fair Grounds, a position he held for 22 years.

November 28, 1982...Landaluce, who won her five lifetime starts by a total of 46 1/2 lengths, died of a viral infection. She was buried in the infield at Hollywood Park, where she had won her first two races. Trained by D. Wayne Lukas, Landaluce was later voted Champion Two-Year-Old Filly of 1982 over another undefeated filly, Princess Rooney.

November 28, 2003...King Robyn annexed the GIII Hollywood Turf Express S., giving him the distinction of having won a stakes race during every Southern California race meet in 2003. Trained by Jeff Mullins, the bay also captured the San Pedro S. at Santa Anita, Harry Henson S. at Hollywood Park in the spring, Green Flash S. at Del Mar, Foothill S. at Fairplex, and GIII Morvich H. at Oak Tree.

November 30, 1989...Jockey Kent Desormeaux surpassed Chris McCarron's 15-year record for most number of victories in a single season when he rode his 547th winner for the year at Laurel Racecourse.

UPCOMING MAJOR NORTH AMERICAN STAKES		
Date	Race	Track
Nov. 30	GIII La Prevoyante H.	CRC
	GIII Tropical Turf H.	CRC
Dec. 1	GIII Native Diver S.	BHP
Dec. 2	GIII Vernon O. Underwood S.	BHP
Dec. 8	GI Hollywood Starlet S.	BHP
	GII Bayakoa S.	BHP
	GIII Sugar Swirl S.	GP
Dec. 15	GI CashCall Futurity	BHP
	GII Hollywood Turf Cup	BHP
Dec. 16	GIII Valedictory S.	WO
Dec. 26	GI La Brea S.	SA
	GI Malibu S.	SA
Dec. 29	GIII Mr. Prospector S.	GP