

JOYEUSE IMPRESSES IN DEBUT

Juddmonte homebred **Joyeuse (GB)** (Oasis Dream {GB}), a half-sister to superstar Frankel (GB) (Galileo {Ire}), made her keenly anticipated debut Tuesday at Lingfield and made short work of the competition. The 2-year-old filly's 3 1/4-length victory earned her

★ **"TDN Rising Star"** ★ status. Just off the early lead, the bay gained command with 1 1/2 furlongs to run without being asked by jockey Tom Queally and drew clear easily.

"Any winning filly is nice, but that was great,"

Juddmonte Racing Manager Teddy Grimthorpe told *Racing Post*. "With a filly like this, you are always a bit apprehensive, as the weight of expectation is so enormous. The great thing is she settled pretty nicely. She had a bit of a look when she came through, but then went on to win the race quite comfortably."



Joyeuse
Racing Post photo

As for where the filly could start next, Grimthorpe added, "She looked pretty comfortable at this trip and, whether [trainer] Henry [Cecil] would want to step her up to seven furlongs, I don't know. We've talked about the [June 21 G3] Albany S., but we'll have to see how she comes back from this."

Queally was impressed with the effort and sees improvement ahead.



Henry Cecil, Tom Queally and Teddy Grimthorpe (file photo)
Racing Post photo

"I was happy with the way she did it," Queally said. "The ground was on the slow side and better ground would bring out more in her. She was green in the preliminaries, but she was very professional in the race and went about her business nicely. I'm sure better races lie ahead."

Joyeuse is the fifth foal, and first filly, out of multiple stakes winner and group-placed Kind (Ire) (Daneshill). In addition to the unbeaten Frankel, she is a half to group winners Bullet Train (GB) (Sadler's Wells) and Noble Mission (GB) (Galileo {Ire}). Barren to Galileo in 2012, she produced a colt by the Coolmore stallion this year.

[VIDEO, courtesy attheraces.com.](#)

BOUDOT POISED FOR BIGGEST TEST

Rookie jockey Pierre-Charles Boudot yesterday received a vote of confidence from the connections of the leading G1 Investec Derby contender **Ocovango (GB)** (Monsun {Ger}). Having partnered Prince Faisal's unbeaten colt in all three of his starts and in last Thursday's "Breakfast With the Stars" gallop at Epsom, the 20-year-old rookie will bid to emulate Mickael Barzalona in winning the blue riband on his first ride in the race on Saturday. With just one ride in Britain behind him--a third on Brigantin (Cozzene) in the 2011 G1 Gold Cup at Royal Ascot--it is the plan to give him experience of Epsom on Friday's Investec Oaks card. Ted Voute, the owner's racing and bloodstock manager, told *PA Sport* yesterday, "Pierre-Charles is a very good jockey and is third in the championship in France. Andre Fabre did a similar thing with Mickael, and look what happened there. We are trying to find him a ride for Friday, but it's very difficult. Either way, we're very confident we have the right man for the job. He knows the horse inside out, but I would think he still needs a bit of luck in running, like all the jockeys do. I certainly don't see him as a negative." **Cont. p3**

FASTNET COLT TOPS WEANLING SALE

A new international entrant in the Australian Thoroughbred industry made his mark during the second session of the Magic Millions National Sale Tuesday. Hong Kong-based businessman Cheng Ting Kong teamed up with stud Eliza Park to complete a successful sale with eight purchases, including three of the session's five top sellers. **Cont. p5**

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Qatar Racing Buys Stake in Oaks Runner

Qatar Racing purchased a half-share in Friday's G1 Investec Oaks hopeful **Secret Gesture** (GB) (Galileo {Ire}). The filly, winner of the May 11 Listed Lingfield Oaks Trial, remains with trainer Ralph Beckett.

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Secret Gesture
Racing Post photo

Amazombie Sidelined

Champion sprinter suffers setback after training accident and will not race this summer.

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Amazombie
Benoit

Patinack Dispersal Begins at MM

The first offerings from the Patinack Farm dispersal went through the ring at Magic Millions during the National Weanling sale and the dispersal continues with the broodmare section of the sales series today.

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Vinery Sales, Millennium Team Up

Vinery Sales and Millennium Farms have announced a new partnership to form an expanded sales division managed by Derek MacKenzie.

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Boudot Poised for Epsom Test (cont. from p1)

Ocovango enjoys some parallels with 2011 winner Pour Moi (Ire) (Montjeu {Ire}), as he comes into the Classic on the back of a win in the G2 Prix Greffulhe at Saint-Cloud May 4.

“He’s a lovely mover, and the covering at Epsom is just magical,” Voute added. “Everyone says he needs cut in the ground, but I walked the course when he ran at Saint-Cloud on his last two starts and it was perfect ground both times, especially in the Greffulhe. We appear to be coming in under the radar, which is just how we like it. He’ll have a quiet week and will come to England later in the week with a companion he always travels with. All is well, and we are slowly getting more and more excited. It’s very special to get a horse good enough to run in the Derby--it’s what we aim for in our business.” Any firm ground fears appeared to ease considerably yesterday, with heavy and persistent rainfall altering the conditions. Epsom’s Clerk of the Course Andrew Cooper tweeted, “16mm rain at Epsom today ahead of Investec Derby Festival. Taken it well and ground a mix of good and good to soft. GoingStick 7.0.”

IN OTHER NEWS...

A Daily Roundup of Racing Articles in Other Media

Racing in the Future--but not just yet

“You can’t move mountains overnight, but moving a mountain is exactly what the Hong Kong Jockey Club has tried to do by building a training centre in Conghua, near Guangzhou.” **Michael Cox, Southern China Morning Post**

Doping Scandal Rocks Middle East Endurance

“Prominent European federations are pressuring the Fédération Equestre Internationale to “clean up” endurance riding in the Middle East, citing the high incidence of doping and equine fractures in the area.” **Chronicle of the Horse**

Calder Gates Closed on Memorial Day: Effects of Florida conflict already being felt

“The ill effects of the looming conflict between Gulfstream and Calder are beginning to show. In what has to be a first, Calder decided not to race on Memorial Day, probably the first time a racetrack, whose season is in progress, has gone dark on the summer kickoff holiday.” **Horseraceinsider**

Commentary: Racing board chair David Israll under fire “As chairman of the California Horse Racing Board, David Israel finds himself herding an industry in great need of learning how to play nice. All you had to do Thursday was listen to the CHR’s monthly meeting in Sacramento to hear Israel, as the lead cowboy, reverting to F-bombs and anger to lasso this crew up.” **Ed Zieralski, San Diego Union-Times**

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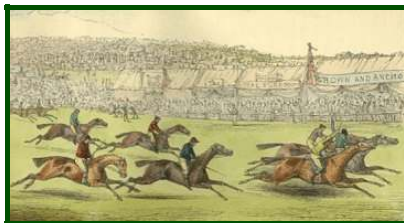
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Classic Corner

Qatar Buy Into Gesture...

Qatar Racing yesterday purchased a half-share in Friday's G1 Investec Oaks protagonist **Secret Gesture (GB)** (Galileo {Ire}) ahead of the Classic. Currently trading as favorite for the 1 1/2-mile contest as a result of her 10-length success in the May 11 Listed Lingfield Oaks Trial, the Ralph Beckett trainee will remain with that conditioner, but will race in the Qatar silks instead of her other part-owner Newsells Park Stud. David Redvers told *PA Sport* yesterday, "We've bought a 50% share and Newsells Park Stud will retain the other 50%. Nothing else will change, apart from she will run in our colours. She looks to have a big future, she was very impressive at Lingfield so you'd think that she will handle Epsom okay." Redvers also confirmed that the filly's regular jockey Jim Crowley would retain the ride rather than handing over the reins to the establishment's retainee Jamie Spencer. Crowley commented, "I'm really looking forward to it and it's very nice of them to keep me on the filly. I've been very lucky for Sheikh Fahad in the past. She handled Lingfield very well and the reason she went there is because it is similar to Epsom. I went down to Ralph's the other day to give her a last bit of work and I couldn't have been happier."

RACETRACK ROUND-UP

AMAZOMBIE SIDELINED

A training accident has sidelined 2011 champion sprinter **Amazombie** (Northern Afleet)'s 2013 campaign, according to *Daily Racing Form*. The 7-year-old has not started since finishing eighth in last year's G1 Breeders' Cup Sprint. Trainer Bill Spawr reported the gelding was coming off the Hollywood training track when he was cut off by a pony. Amazombie "wheeled and almost went down...he wrenched his [left] ankle," Spawr told DRF. While X-rays did not reveal any serious injury, the ankle was still swollen Monday. "We're on hold right now, he is going to miss Del Mar," Spawr said. On the board in 23 of 29 starts to date, Amazombie has won 12 times and earned \$1,920,378. He capped his championship season with a win in the Breeders' Cup Sprint. He also won the 2012 G1 Bing Crosby S. and 2011 G1 Ancient Title S.

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SALES NEWS

FASTNET COLT TOPS WEANLING SALE

By Rob Burnet, *Thoroughbrednews.com.au*

(cont. from p1)

Among Cheng's A\$935,000 (US\$900,735) spend was the day's top seller, lot [290](#) a bay colt by Fastnet Rock (Aus)--Sorority Girl (NZ) (Stravinsky) from the draft of Erinvale Thoroughbreds, as agent. Cheng, under his Sun Kingdom banner, signed for the colt on a winning bid of A\$290,000 (US\$279,372).

Eliza Park's David O'Callaghan, who worked closely with the international investor, said the colt was a stand out. "Mr. Cheng really loves Fastnet Rock and thinks he is one of the most successful sires in the country," said O'Callaghan.

Originally the Sun Kingdom/Eliza team was looking to buy weanlings to resell, but that strategy was altered.

"The market turned out to be very strong on quality lots, so we changed tack a bit and decided to buy lots who could be aimed at the racetrack," said O'Callaghan.

This comment on the strength of the sale was repeated by both vendors and buyers after the two days. One experienced vendor said that he could not remember having as many observations on X-rays for star lots in his draft, even at yearling sales, as over the past days of the sale and inspection days. The end result for that draft was a yearling-sale average. Conversely a buyer, who also commented off the record, said that, due to the strength of the market, it was difficult to buy the right types for the 2014 yearling sale.

The results of the sale may well signal a further upward shift in the market to match recent yearling sales. Pending increases in stakes for racing in New South Wales have been well flagged, and recently both South Australia and West Australia have reported on their stakes increases, as they maintain the necessary parity with the Eastern States.



Lot 290 *Magic Millions photo*

Victoria has followed New South Wales with an increase in race fields' fees. These two states will continue to lead the way with stakes increases and this in turn will filter back to yearling prices, and then back to weanling prices as buyers seek to benefit from the eight-month plus differential in prices.

Over A\$8.5 million was traded over the two day select National Weanling Sale on 237 lots sold at an average price of A\$36,042 (US\$34,718). The clearance rate was an excellent 87%.

"When you're selling the best part of nine from each 10 lots through the ring, it tells us it's been a fantastic sale," said Magic Millions Managing Director Vin Cox. "Statistics across the board are well up on last year and that's a wonderful way to kick off the National Sale series. To see good participation from all corners of the globe is very rewarding and reflects well on the Australian bloodstock industry."

The first session of the National Broodmare Sale commences at 10 a.m. Wednesday.

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MAGIC MILLIONS NATIONAL WEANLINGS Tuesday, May 28, 2013

<u>SESSION TOTALS</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2012</u>
Catalogued	136	120
No. Offered	106	116
No. Sold	99	98
RNAs	7	18
% RNA	6.6%	15.5%
Gross	A\$3,760,100	A\$3,630,200
Average (% change)	A\$37,981 (+2.5%)	A\$37,043

<u>CUMULATIVE</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2012</u>
Catalogued	341	370
No. Offered	273	308
No. Sold	237	244
RNAs	36	64
% RNA	13.2%	20.8%
Highest Price	A\$290,000	A\$255,000
Gross	A\$8,541,950	A\$8,397,200
Average (% change)	A\$36,042 (+4.7%)	A\$34,415

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Patinack Farm Reduction Commences...

The Patinack Farm Reduction Sale over the entire Magic Millions National Sale on the Gold Coast commenced this week with the Weanling Select and General Sessions on Monday and Tuesday. All lots were sold on an unreserved basis. In total, 19 lots from Patinack Farm were sold in the select session for a gross of A\$256,000, and a further four lots in the general session for A\$11,000, for a total of A\$267,000 (US\$257,192). The highlight of the select session was [lot 70](#), the bay colt by Lope De Vega (Ire) out of the Danehill Dancer (Ire) mare Dancescape (Aus). The colt is from the first crop of G1 Prix du Jockey Club winner Lope De Vega (by Shamardal) with Dancescape a winner at two and stakes placed. She is a 3/4-sister to Group 2 winner Blur (Aus) (by Flying Spur {Aus}) and a full-sister to Group 3 winner Shrewd Rhythm (Aus). This is her second foal and Edinburgh Park Stud went to A\$95,000 (US\$91,511) to secure him.

Other notable sales were [lot 37](#), a bay colt by Lope De Vega out of the winning Beautiful Crown mare Bella Coureuse (Aus), for A\$28,000 (US\$26,972) to well-known New Zealand bloodstock agent Paul Willetts, and [lot 98](#), the bay filly by Casino Prince (Aus) out of the unplaced Encosta de Lago (Aus) mare Factor of Safety (Aus), for A\$30,000 (US\$28,894) to Wall Street Thoroughbreds.

**MAGIC MILLIONS NATIONAL WEANLINGS
TUESDAY'S TOP SIX LOTS**

Hip	Sex	Sire	Dam	Price (A\$)
290	c	Fastnet Rock (Aus)	Sorority Girl (NZ)	280,000
		<i>B-Erinvale Investments Pty Ltd & S McGrath Consigned by Erinvale Thoroughbreds, agent Purchased by Sun Kingdom/Eliza Park</i>		
324	f	Exceed and Excel (Aus)	Up State (GB)	250,000
		<i>B-n/a Consigned by Rothwell Park, agent Purchased by Sun Kingdom/Eliza Park</i>		
311	c	Commands (Aus)	Terrenora (Aus)	210,000
		<i>B-n/a Consigned by Rothwell Park, agent Purchased by Sun Kingdom/Eliza Park</i>		
260	c	Snitzel (Aus)	Royal Pageant (Aus)	210,000
		<i>B-R Harding Consigned by Kitchwin Hills, agent Purchased by Martin Byrne Bloodstock Pty Ltd</i>		
255	f	Encosta de Lago (Aus)	Rosa's Spur (Aus)	210,000
		<i>B-M A Pitt Consigned by Bellerive Stud, agent Purchased by John Foote Bloodstock</i>		

UPCOMING MAJOR NORTH AMERICAN STAKES

Date	Race	Track
June 1	The Californian S.-GII	BPH
	Aristides S.-GIII	CDX
	Hendrie S.-GIII	WOX
June 2	Affirmed H.-GIII	BHP
	Vigil S.-GIII	WOX
June 7	Brooklyn H.-GII	BEL
	Jaipur S.-GIII	BEL
June 8	Belmont S.-GI	BEL
	Just a Game S.-GI	BEL
	Manhattan H.-GI	BEL
	True North H.-GII	BEL
	Woody Stephens S.-GII	BEL
	C Whittingham Memorial H.-GI	BPH
	Honeymoon H.-GII	BPH
Early Times Mint Julep H.-GIII	CDX	

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VINERY SALES TEAMS WITH MILLENNIUM

Tom Simon's Vinery Sales has announced it is partnering with Ro Parra's Millennium Farms to form an expanded sales division, according to a release from the two organizations. Derek MacKenzie, director of sales at Vinery Sales, will manage the operation. MacKenzie joins Millennium's team of farm manager Bobby Miller, business manager Jay Ted Neel, stallions and boarding manager Brian Lyle, assistant farm manager Jose Rodarte and office manager Kerrie Cahill.

MacKenzie joined the staff at Vinery in 2008. The Canadian native worked at the Irish National Stud and Windfields Farm before becoming farm manager at Green Gates Farm in Lexington.

"I am excited to begin my new role at Millennium Farms, and look forward to building on the consignment business we started at Vinery Sales," MacKenzie said in a statement. "The team and facilities at Millennium Farms are top notch. I look forward to focusing on our customers' needs."

Neel added, "The opportunity to partner with Vinery Sales is a significant step designed to increase our presence at all major sales, and we look forward to selling horses for Vinery and its clients. We are also thrilled to add Derek MacKenzie to our team at Millennium Farms, and we look forward to helping Vinery Sales continue to provide superior customer service."

Simon's broodmares and foals will be moved to Millennium Farms, but he will continue to operate Vinery New York at Sugar Maple Farm.



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New York

Take2 Gives Retirees Another Chance to be Champions:

Felton (Lion Hearted) recently took home the TAKE2 Hunter Championship for owner and breeder Jean Bickley at the St Christopher's Horse Show in Pennsylvania. The dark bay made four starts at Parx in his short racing career and was not very successful. He has found his niche in his new career as a hunter jumper and is currently seventh in the standings for TAKE2 2013 Hunter Champion with half of the show season still to go. TAKE2 is a new program created by the New York Thoroughbred Horseman's Association, New York Racing Association, and New York Thoroughbred Breeders Inc. in order to promote retired racehorses in their second careers. Besides the TAKE2 Hunter Champion, the program also offers a TAKE2 Jumper Champion, which are for the hunter and jumper accumulating the most points for the 50 shows on the TAKE2 2013 calendar. The winner of each title will receive \$1,500 and a TAKE2 cooler. "Thoroughbreds have a hard time competing against Warmbloods, that's been a problem in the show horse world for years," Bickley said. "They are like apples and oranges, very different, but programs like TAKE2 offer Thoroughbreds a place to be competitive and a chance to shine on their own." Bickley, who works as an assistant to Peter Brant, sold Felton as a show horse when her homebred failed as a racehorse, but bought him back three years ago. The gelding is often shown by Bickley's trainer and other professionals, but she does take Felton around the show ring herself as well. "Thoroughbreds are multi-purpose, useful, and fun," Bickley said. "They are alive and, for the most part, brave, and they are quirky-it's fun to figure them out. The great ones are really great, and I like the challenge."

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New York report cont.

Belmont Visits the Big Apple:

Belmont Park will go to Grand Central Terminal for the inaugural GI Belmont S. Fan Festival June 7. The event will take place on the east side of Vanderbilt Hall from 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. and will offer a variety of activities. There will be a "Tweet to the Finish" contest and Twitter users following @NYRANews can tweet the hashtag of the horse they think will win the Belmont. A winner will be randomly selected and the prize is a Belmont S. day trackside hospitality package for two. Hospitality packages for other June dates will be awarded to three runner-ups. There will also be a "stakes stampede" racing game, where you propel a virtual horse by running in place; mini Belmont races, complete with mechanical horses, a bugler and race announcer Larry Lederman; and winner's circle photos in a replica of the Belmont winner's circle.

Eastern U.S.

Yesterday's Results:

8th-PRX, \$50,500, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), NW2X, 3yo/up, 1m70y, 1:43 4/5, my.

BOWMAN'S BEAST (g, 4, Bowman's Band--Show Biz, by Candy Stripes) has one blemish to his record with a runner-up effort in his debut here Feb. 3, but he has been on a hot streak since. He graduated impressively by a dozen lengths Feb. 26 and followed that up with an 11 1/2-length romp in an Apr. 2 allowance. The chestnut scored a decisive 7 3/4-length victory last out going a mile and 70 yards in allowance company May 6. After scratching from last Saturday's Majestic Light S. at Monmouth, the gelding was sent off the 6-5 favorite here and set the pace easily from the two-path. Bowman's Beast took it up a notch to pull away from challengers as they came out of the far turn and held off a strong late run from St. Moose (Lemon Drop Kid) for a 1 1/2-length score. Sales history: \$1,000 yrl '10 FTKOCT. Lifetime Record: 5-4-1-0, \$100,200. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#).**

O-JMC Stables. B-Michael Heitzmann (KY). T-C Lynch.

6th-PRX, \$48,980, Msw, 3,4,5yo, 7f, 1:26 2/5, my.

TWO COMMA GUY (c, 3, Dixie Union--Cosmic Colors, by Broad Brush), unraced at two, was third in his debut at Keeneland Apr. 13 and took third again last out going 6 1/2 furlongs in a Belmont maiden May 2. The 6-5 chalk ran on the outside a few lengths off the early pacesetters. Two Comma Guy inched up on the leaders as they approached the turn and took command at the head of the stretch. The bay held off late challengers for a 3/4-length victory over Jack's the Won (Black Mambo). Sales history: \$110,000 yrl '11 KEESEP; \$95,000 RNA 2yo '12 FTFFEB; \$55,000 2yo '12 FTMMAY. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-2, \$37,600. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#).**

O-Three Diamonds Farm. B-Empire Equines LLC (KY). T-Michael Trombetta.

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Top Weekly Stakes Races

Horse	Sire	Race	BRIS Speed
Dark Cove	Medaglia d'Oro	Louisville H.-G3	111
Tiz Miz Sue	Tiznow	Ogden Phipps H.-G1	108
Master Rick	Master Command	Lone Star Park H.-G3	107
Sahara Sky	Pleasant Tap	Metropolitan H.-G1	107
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3rd-PID, \$34,850, Msw, 3yo, f, 6f (AWT), 1:10 2/5, ft.
TRANSPORTATION (f, 3, Giant's Causeway--Alternate {MSW & MGSP, \$550,695}, by Seattle Slew) ran second in her debut going seven panels in a Tampa maiden special weight Feb. 14. The 5-2 chalk broke well and ran just off the rail near the back of the pack. Transportation swung out to the center of the track as she exited the turn and ran down the leaders for a 2 1/2-length score over Holy Heartly (Lion Heart). The winner is a half-sister to Alternation (Distorted Humor, MGSW, \$1,054,227). **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#).** Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$24,570.

O-Pin Oak Stable. B-Pin Oak Stud, LLC (KY). T-H Graham Motion.

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IN BRITAIN:

Blackball, g, 3, [Speightstown](#)--Wild Decision, by Wild Again. Yarmouth, 5-28, Hcp, 3yo, 1m 3ydsT. B-Turner Breeders LLC. *\$75,000 yrl '11 KEESEP; 62,000gns yrl '12 TATAPR. **3/4 to Sweet Jo Jo (Grand Slam), SW & GSP, \$134,210.

ROOKIES

First/Second-crop starters to watch: Wednesday, May 29

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

[CURLIN](#) (Smart Strike), Lanes End, \$75K, 219/25/2

4-PID, Msw, 6f, +Bold Curlin, \$130K KEE SEP yrl, 5-1

[MAJESTIC WARRIOR](#) (A.P. Indy), Ashford, \$20K, 175/43/4

6-DEL, Stk, 1m, Rienzi, \$350K FTF MAR 2yo, 9-5

[MIDNIGHT LUTE](#) (Real Quiet), Hill N Dale, \$20K, 195/24/4

6-DEL, Stk, 1m, Where's Dominic, \$70K RNA EAS MAY 2yo, 6-1

[UNBRIDLESENSATION](#) (Unbridled's Song), 19/2/0

1-EVD, Msw, 4f, +Native Sensation, 7-2

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Britain

CASPAR RETURNS TO WENTWORTH

Charles Wentworth has purchased back his past flagbearer **Caspar Netscher (GB)** (Dutch Art {GB}) after the colt proved subfertile at Morristown Lattin Stud. Successful four times for trainer Alan McCabe in pattern company, including in the G2 Gimcrack S. and G2 Mill Reef S. during his juvenile season, the 4-year-old has returned to training with David Simcock after successfully getting only a trio of mares in foal. Wentworth, who won back the colt in a sealed-bid auction organised by the insurers, told the *Racing Post*, "I think it was in March I heard he had got only three mares in foal from 54, none of them mine, and as soon as I heard he was going to be on the market again, I was keen to have him back." Simcock added, "He's done about five weeks' trotting and been very straightforward to deal with, but he hasn't done anything quick. I'm not going to put a date on when we hope to get him back on track, or what we might aim him for. His temperament is excellent and I don't see any need to consider gelding him."

Yesterday's Results:

Leicester, 16.00, Mdn, £6,500, 2yo, f, 5f 2ydsT, 1:02.51, gd.

+ **KAIULANI (IRE)** (f, 2, [Danehill Dancer {Ire}](#)--**Royal Shyness {GB}** {SW-US, G1SP-Eng, \$191,543}, by **Royal Academy**), the subject of strong support into 2-1 favoritism, raced in third early before traveling smoothly into contention approaching the final furlong. In front with 150 yards remaining, the €100,000 GOFORB yearling was comfortably on top at the line, where she held a two-length margin over Excel's Beauty (GB) (Exceed and Excel {Aus}). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, £4,205. [VIDEO, courtesy attheraces.com](#). O-Mrs T P Radford & Tails Partnership; B-Summerhill Bloodstock & Lynch Bages; T-Mick Channon.

Leicester, 16.30, Mdn, £6,500, 2yo, 5f 218ydsT, 1:14.00, gd.

+ **TOORMORE (IRE)** (c, 2, **Arakan--Danetime Out {Ire}**, by **Danetime {Ire}**), who was sent off the 5-2 joint favorite, was forwardly placed from his widest stall and traveled with enthusiasm behind the pace. Committed with 1 1/2 furlongs remaining, the £36,000 DONAUG yearling held off his market rival Ertijaal (Ire) (Oasis Dream {GB}) to score by a neck. Veya (Giant's Causeway), the half-brother to Bachelor Duke (Miswaki), made little impact, but showed some promise to be seventh. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, £4,205. [VIDEO, courtesy attheraces.com](#). O-Middleham Park Racing IX & James Pak B-Bec Bloodstock; T-Richard Hannon.

• ON THE WORKTAB •

BELMONT

Honorable Dillon (Tapit), 4f, :59.98, 39/44
Mr. Commons (Artie Schiller), 5f, 1:00.83, 2/7
My Happy Face (Tiz Wonderful), 5f, 1:00.90, 3/7

CHURCHILL DOWNS

Carve (First Samurai), 5f, 1:01.40, 4/11
Cyber Secret (Broken Vow), 5fT, 1:01.40, 3/4
Heavenly Landing (Pulpit), 5fT, 1:01.80, 4/4

CHURCHILL TRAINING

Fear the Kitten (Kitten's Joy), 4f, :49.80, 2/6

SANTA ANITA

Dhaamer (Ire) (Dubai Destination), 3f, :38.40, 4/6
Governor Charlie (Midnight Lute), 4f, :48.60, 1/13
Jaycito (Victory Gallop), 4f, :48.60, 1/13
Jimmy Creed (Distorted Humor), 4f, :49, 5/13

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Lingfield, 17.50, Mdn, £4,500, 2yo, f, 6fT, 1:14.22, gd.
 + **JOYEUSE (GB)**, f, 2, by **Oasis Dream (GB)**
 1st Dam: Kind (Ire) (MSW-Eng, GSP-Ire, \$132,389), by Danehill
 2nd Dam: Rainbow Lake (GB), by Rainbow Quest
 3rd Dam: Rockfest, by Stage Door Johnny

The subject of encouraging home reports, Joyeuse started at 10-11 and initially raced with the type of enthusiasm and vigor which characterised her dam's own performances. Restrained to race behind the leading quartet, the bay--who sported a hood like her half-sibling Noble Mission (GB) (Galileo {Ire})--moved smoothly into the front line approaching the quarter pole with Tom Queally sitting motionless. Leading with 1 1/2 furlongs remaining, she needed only to be shaken up to assert for an impressive 3 1/4-length verdict over Dancealot (GB) (Lawman {Ire}). Joyeuse is a half-sister to Frankel (GB) (Galileo {Ire}), Horse of the Year, Co-Ch. 2yo Colt, Ch. 3yo Colt & Hwt. Older Horse-Eur, Co-Hwt. 2yo-Colt-Eng, Hwt. 3yo Colt-Eng at 7-9.5f, Hwt. Older Horse-Eng at 7-9.5f & 9.5-11f, MG1SW-Eng, \$4,788,744; Noble Mission (GB) (Galileo {Ire}), GSW-Eng, \$247,757; and Bullet Train (GB) (Sadler's Wells), GSW-Eng, \$177,615. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, £3,068. [Click for the Racing Post result](#) or the [free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree](#). [VIDEO, courtesy attheraces.com](#).
 O-Khalid Abdullah; B-Juddmonte Farms Ltd; T-Sir Henry Cecil.

Yarmouth, 18.40, Mdn, £4,000, 3yo/up, 1m 3ydsT, 1:41.05, gd/fm.
STABLEFORD (GB) (c, 3, **Smart Strike--Paris Winds {Ire} {SW-US, GSP-Ire, \$177,916}**, by Galileo {Ire}), runner-up over this trip at Doncaster on debut May 13, was up to lead from the outset. Pushed clear inside the final furlong, the 5-4 favorite recorded a three-length success from Clear Pearl (Giant's Causeway). Stomachion (Ire) (Duke of Marmalade {Ire}), the son of Insight (Fr) (Sadler's Wells), made ground without threatening at any stage and finished seventh. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, £3,358. [VIDEO, courtesy attheraces.com](#).
 O-Sangster Family; B-Ben Sangster & Swettenham Stud; T-Brian Meehan.

OBSERVATIONS
on today's European racing scene

7.25 Kempton, Mdn, £4,500, 2yo, f, 6f (AWT)
BEWITCHMENT (GB) (Pivotal {GB}) debuts in the same maiden in which her G1 Cheveley Park S. winning half-sister Hooray (GB) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}) made an instant impact in three years ago. Sir Mark Prescott sends Cheveley Park Stud's homebred up against another well-connected sort in Julie Wood's **Manderley (GB)** (Clodovil {Ire}), a Richard Hannon-trained full-sister to dual Group 1-placed Gregorian (Ire).

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:
4th-FLX, \$22,000, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, 1m70y, 1:44 2/5, ft.
STOPTHEFEVER (g, 5, Roaring Fever--Shortstop, by Allen's Prospect) Lifetime Record: 25-6-6-3, \$97,680. O-Maggi Moss. B-Barbara Graham & Henry Waring (NY). T-Chris Englehart. *\$1,000 RNA yrl '09 FTMOCT. ** 1/2 to Stopbluffing (Pine Bluff), SP, \$358,838.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:
Oasis At Midnight, f, 3, **Midnight Lute**--Per Se, by Deputy Commander. PRX, 5-28, (C), 1m, 1:41 3/5. B-Beclawat Stable (KY). *\$110,000 yrl '11 KEESEP.
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Raising Dakota, f, 3, **War Chant**--Cabo De Noche, by Cape Town. PID, 5-28, 1m (AWT), 1:39 3/5. B-K & G Stables (KY). * 1/2 to Pants on Fire (Jump Start), MGSW, \$985,760. ** Won by 5 1/2 lengths.

BREEDERS' EDITION
EUROPE

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:
Passion Blanche (GB), f, 2, **Dutch Art (GB)**--Siren Sound (GB), by Singpsiel (Ire). Salon-de-Provence, France, 5-28, Mdn, 2yo, 5 1/2fT. B-Meon Valley Stud. *30,000gns yrl '12 TATOCT.
 + **Sunny Harbor (Ire)**, f, 2, **Indian Haven (GB)**--Kathy Sun (Ire), by Intikhab. Redcar, Britain, 5-28, Mdn, 2yo, f, 6fT. B-D Ryan, D S Ryan & R A Williams.
Gianni (Fr), c, 3, **Kentucky Dynamite**--Loretta Gianni (Fr) (MGSP-Fr), by Classic Account. Toulouse, France, 5-27, Cond, 3yo, 1 1/2mT. B-Mme Patricia Morange. * 1/2 to Whim (Fr) (Poliglote {GB}), SW-Fr.
 + **Sussudio (Fr)**, c, 3, **Nayef**--Soudaine (Ger) (SW & GSP-Ger), by Monsun (Ger). Strasbourg, France, 5-28, Cond, 3yo, 1 1/4mT. B-Baron Georg Von Ullmann.
Simply Elegant (Ire), f, 3, **Tamayuz (GB)**--Femme Fatale (GB) (SW-Eng), by Fairy King. Lingfield, Britain, 5-28, Mdn, 3yo/up, 7f 140ydsT. B-J Hanly, A Stroud and T Stewart. *100,000gns yrl '11 TATOCT.

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