



## TAKE CHARGE INDY RETIRED TO WINSTAR

Grade I-winning millionaire **Take Charge Indy** (A.P. Indy--Take Charge Lady, by Dehere) has been retired following a left foreleg injury he suffered in Sunday's GII Monmouth Cup. He will stand the 2014 breeding season at WinStar Farm. "I was on the lead with a big smile on my face," said rider Gary Stevens after the Monmouth Cup, in which Take Charge Indy was a 3-5 favorite. "He was cruising. The only question was how much would he win



**Take Charge Indy** *Reed Palmer*

by." The 4-year-old underwent successful surgery at Hogan Equine in Cream Ridge, NJ Monday morning. "It's unbelievable how classy this horse is," said Dr. Patty Hogan, who performed the procedure. "The surgery went very well. He's a super patient." Originally campaigned by Chuck and Maribeth Sanford, the Pat Byrne trainee was a 6 1/2-length debut winner over the Arlington Polytrack and graded stakes-placed as a juvenile before annexing the GI Florida Derby in front-running fashion the following March. WinStar acquired the breeding rights to Take Charge Indy last August, and he finished off his sophomore season with a runner-up effort in the GI Clark H. last November. Among Take Charge Indy's exploits at four was a six-length romp in the GII Alysheba S. under the Twin Spires May 3 for which he earned a 109 Beyer Speed



**Take Charge Indy** *Reed Palmer*

Figure. "We purchased Take Charge Indy because of his gene pool," explained WinStar Farm President and CEO Elliott Walden. "Considering he might be the last great son of A.P. Indy, his mother winning three Grade Is, and he being a Grade I winner as well, we feel he has a tremendous chance at stud. When I first went to see him, I thought I was looking at A.P. Indy himself." The son of Take Charge Lady--an eight-time graded stakes winner of \$2,480,377--is a half-brother to this year's GII Rebel S. winner Will Take Charge (Unbridled's Song), runner-up in Saturday's GII Jim Dandy S. A stud fee for Take Charge Indy will be announced at a later date.

## TRAVERS FIELD CONTINUES TO TAKE SHAPE

Sunday's GI Haskell Invitational romper **Verrazano** (More Than Ready) bounced out of his effort in good order, and trainer Todd Pletcher confirmed Monday that the **"TDN Rising Star"** will be pointed to Saratoga's GI Travers S. Aug. 24, where he will likely face stablemate **Palace Malice** (Curlin), who added the GII Jim Dandy S. to his GI Belmont S. tally Saturday at the Spa. "He shipped back great and looks really good this morning," Pletcher said of Verrazano from his Saratoga base yesterday morning. "It was a powerful performance. The [June 16 GIII] Pegasus, with the misfortune of Itsmyluckyday (Lawyer Ron) getting hurt, kind of left everyone not knowing how well he ran. I think he put any questions about that to rest yesterday." Of the Let's Go Stable, Tabor, Magnier and Smith colorbearer's date with Dogwood's Palace Malice in the Travers, the conditioner said, "We're fortunate to have two such outstanding colts. You hate to run horses against each other from the same barn, but in this case I think it's the logical case for both horses and both owners. We'll see how they both come back and both train, but right now it certainly looks like they're likely to show up in the Travers." **Travers cont. p4**



**Pletcher greets Verrazano and John Velazquez after Haskell**  
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leading 3yo **Verrazano** will now be the likely favorite in next month's **Travers S. (G1)** after his record-setting 9 <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>-length romp in the **Haskell Invitational (G1)**.

*[watch race]*

3yo G1 Wnrs	Beyer
<b>Verrazano</b>	<b>116</b>
Palace Malice	107
Oxbow	106
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**Monday, Saratoga**

**HONORABLE MISS H.-GII**, \$200,000, SAR, 7-29, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:09 3/5, ft.

1--**DANCE TO BRISTOL**, 119, f, 4, by [Speightstown](#)

1st Dam: Dance to Dawn, by Louis Quatorze

2nd Dam: Expressive Dance, by Riva Ridge

3rd Dam: Exclusive Dancer, by Native Dancer

(\$42,000 2yo 2011 FTMMAY). O-Susan H Wantz; B-Mr & Mrs David Garner (KY); T-Ollie L Figgins III; J-Xavier Perez. \$120,000. Lifetime Record: 17-9-7-0, \$620,880. Werk Nick Rating: B+.

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2--**Classic Point**, 117, f, 4, [Flatter](#)--Discerning, by Langfuhr. O/B-Joseph V Shields Jr (FL); T-H Allen Jerkens. \$40,000.

3--**Munnings Sister**, 116, f, 4, [Speightstown](#)--

La Comete, by Holy Bull. O/B-Charles E Fipke (KY);

T-Barclay Tagg. \$20,000.

Margins: NK, 2 1/4, 2 1/4. Odds: 0.85, 14.00, 13.00.

Also Ran: Promise Me a Cat, Burban, Livi Makenzie, Glorious View. Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#), the [brisnet.com PPs](#) or the [free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree](#). [VIDEO](#).

Maryland-based Dance to Bristol had been off the board just once in her career, and entered this off five straight victories. She aired by nine lengths and earned a gaudy 106 Beyer Speed Figure in Charles Town's Apr. 20 Sugar Maple S., and took Pimlico's Skipat S. by open lengths May 17.

The bay handled deeper waters with a handy score in Belmont's GIII Bed o' Roses H. last time, and showed no signs of slowing here in her Spa debut. Off the pace and in between horses as the Allen Jerkens-trained



**Dance to Bristol (outside) gets up late**  
NYRA/Coglianesse Photo

Classic Point bowled along on the front end, the favorite was forced to steady back slightly in the tightly compact field entering the bend. She recovered quickly, however, and pilot Xavier Perez sat chilly entering the straight as he awaited the first sign of daylight. The seas parted around the eighth pole, and Dance to Bristol charged to the fore to hand the 'Chief' backers a bad beat and get the job done. "[It was] not the cleanest of trips she's ever had, and you don't know how she's going to react because she's always had nice, perfect trips," said trainer Ollie Figgins III. "You couldn't draw them up any better, and today is the first time she had to do that. It was nice." He added, "The biggest thing is how she comes out of the race. We'll see how she is in the next day or two, next week. The [Aug. 23 GI] Ballerina is absolutely where we'd like to be." Dance to Bristol's second dam took the 1982 Ballerina when it was a Grade III, and produced GI Brooklyn H. and GII Jim Dandy S. winner Chief Honcho (Chief's Crown).

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**Travers cont. from p1**

Calumet Farm's GI Preakness S. winner **Oxbow** (Awesome Again), who exited his fourth-place finish in the Haskell with a soft-tissue injury, is unlikely to make the Travers. "The X-rays were all perfectly clean," Hall of Fame trainer D. Wayne Lukas said. "It's what you guys would call an ankle sprain, it looks like. I was more concerned with a condylar [fracture] or something like that but, boy, he had a pretty set of X-rays. It's amazing. For a horse with that many [starts], they were really clean." Lukas would not rule out a Travers tilt, but was realistic in his assessment Monday. "You never know," he acknowledged. "Horses react differently to different situations. After seeing everything [Sunday], I felt comfortable in that I didn't rule out the Travers, but that's probably the reality of it. I would say the fall and looking toward the Breeders' Cup seems reasonable." Lukas does expect to have an entrant for the "Midsummer Derby," however, in Jim Dandy runner-up **Will Take Charge** (Unbridled's Song).



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**Fort Larned Tunes Up for Whitney...**

Janis Whitham's **Fort Larned** (E Dubai) fired a warning shot to his competition Monday as he turned in his final work for Saturday's GI Whitney H. at Saratoga. The decisive winner of Churchill's June 15 GI Stephen Foster H. was clocked in 1:00.71 over the Spa main track, good for the fastest of 31 spins at the distance. "Everything went good; we're very happy," said trainer Ian Wilkes. "It was just how he did it. It was a little crisp work, just the right way. I put a horse out there in front for him. I didn't want to hurt the other horse... but I wanted something for him to look at." Fort Larned emerged as a star of the older horse division with a victory over Grade I winners Ron the Greek (Full Mandate) and Flat Out (Flatter) in this event a year ago before annexing the GI Breeders' Cup Classic to complete his 4-year-old season. "It would be special," Wilkes said of winning back-to-back Whitneys. "I'm fortunate enough to train a few horses for Marylou Whitney, which would make it even more special." Expected to challenge Fort Larned are **Alpha** (Bernardini), **Cross Traffic** (Unbridled's Song), **Csaba** (Kitten's Joy), **Fast Falcon** (Awesome Again), **Mucho Macho Man** (Macho Uno) and **Successful Dan** (Successful Appeal). The field for the \$750,000, nine-furlong race will be drawn Wednesday.



**THE ONE SALE THAT CONTINUES TO SHAPE THE 3-YEAR-OLD SEASON!**

After taking two of the three classics, Keeneland September Sale graduates continue to dominate 3YO graded stakes races.



This weekend, **VERRAZANO** stormed to a record victory in the Haskell Invitational (G1) and **PALACE MALICE** won the Jim Dandy Stakes (G2).

Now on to the Travers!

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# RACETRACK ROUND-UP

## Shanghai Bobby Back on the Tab...

Starlight Racing and the Coolmore contingent's **Shanghai Bobby** (Harlan's Holiday) had his first work back since being diagnosed with a minor pelvic stress fracture after a fifth-place finish in the GI Florida Derby Mar. 30. Last year's champion 2-year-old colt breezed three furlongs in an easy :38.95 over the Saratoga main track. "It was his first work back, and it went very well," trainer Todd Pletcher said. "It was just an easy three-eighths. It was nice to get him back on the work tab. He went just nice and easy by himself, just getting him back into a routine. He did exactly what we were hoping he would do, and seemed to handle it well." Pletcher said that the two-time Grade I winner is unlikely to appear in the afternoon at this year's Saratoga meet. "We'll kind of start to pick it up gradually as we go along," Pletcher said of Shanghai Bobby's training routine going forward. "Basically, he'll be on a weekly work schedule from here, but I don't see him making a race here at Saratoga."



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## Grandeur, Mull of Killough Pointing to Arlington...

Yvonne Jacques' **Grandeur (Ire)** (Verglas {Ire}), who ran second to Mukhadram (GB) (Shamardal) in Saturday's G2 York S., is pointing to the Aug. 17 GI Arlington Million, according to trainer Jeremy Nosedo. Successful in last year's GII Oak Tree Derby for Nosedo and the GII Hollywood Turf Cup for Stateside conditioner Pat Gallagher, the 4-year-old was returned to his former conditioner and opened this campaign with a fourth in the G2 Princess of Wales's S. at Newmarket in his penultimate outing. "Grandeur ran a lifetime best and it was a great performance," stated Nosedo. "He was beaten only three-quarters [of a length], giving away three pounds, by one of the best horses we've seen this season in England. Our plan was to use these two races as stepping stones [to America] and we remain bang on course for the Arlington Million." He will be joined at the Chicago track by Jane Chapple-Hyam trainee **Mull of Killough (Ire)** (Mull Of Kintyre), who remains on course for the 31st renewal of the 10-furlong feature following a second to Aljamaaheer (Ire) (Dubawi {Ire}) in the G2 Summer Mile S. at Ascot earlier this month. "Mull of Killough is heading for the Arlington Million," Chapple-Hyam told *Racing Post*. "With the booking of Joseph O'Brien and a track and distance likely to suit, he has all the ingredients to run a good race."

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# LANE'S END





**Pearl Secret Season Curtailed by Injury...**

Qatar Racing Limited's G1 King's Stand S. third **Pearl Secret (GB)** (Compton Place {GB}), has suffered a fractured splint bone while preparing for this week's G2 King George S. at Goodwood and will not race again this season, trainer David Barron has revealed. "He did his final piece of work on Friday and was in great shape," Barron told *Racing Post*. "I could not have been happier with him. He pulled up perfectly sound on Saturday and was fine when we put him on the walker, and we can only assume the injury occurred while he was on it. I have never heard of a fractured splint bone in quite such a position under the knee. He ran such a blinder at Royal Ascot to finish a close third in a Group 1 on his first run of the season. Everyone involved has been so patient in allowing the horse to mature and develop. Among the many top sprinters I have trained, he is without doubt the quickest."

**Aubby K cont.**

The 4-year-old Ralph Nicks charge was preparing for a tilt at the GI Ballerina H. at the Spa Aug. 23.

"She was pulling up after the work when [jockey] Edgar [Prado] said he heard something pop," Nicks told *DRF*. "She broke the base of her sesamoid off. It happened after she completed the work. He had almost pulled her up when it happened."

Nicks noted that he and Spence had intended to race Abby K through the end of the year, after which she would be bred or sold.

"[Spence] and I will talk tomorrow and decide whether we'll sell her privately or run her through the ring in the fall," Nicks told *DRF*. "She was a very, very good racehorse who unfortunately had a spotty career. She's been very good to me. She gave me my first Grade I win as a trainer and was one of the best horses I've trained on my own."

Abby K earned 'Rising Star' status when graduating by 15 1/2 lengths on debut at Belmont in September 2011, and added her first black-type score in the GII Inside Information S. at Gulfstream Mar. 17. She followed up with the Humana Distaff score, and was most recently third in the GIII Chicago H. in her lone synthetic try at Arlington June 29. She retires with four wins from nine starts and earnings of \$435,004.



**Abby K** Leslie Martin

**RETIREMENTS**

**AUBBY K INJURED, RETIRED**

James Spence's ☆ **"TDN Rising Star"** ☆ **Abby K** (Street Sense--Lily Capote, by Capote), winner of the GI Humana Distaff at Churchill Downs May 4, has been retired after fracturing a sesamoid while pulling up after a work at Saratoga yesterday, according to *Daily Racing Form*.

**10 Graded/Stakes winners in 2013 including:**

*Forty Tales* wins the **Amsterdam S.-G2**, his third Graded win in a row!

**FORTY TALES**, 3c

Amsterdam S.-**G2** on Sunday (6½f, Saratoga)  
Woody Stephens S.-**G2** (7f, Belmont Park)  
Derby Trial S.-**G3** (8f, Churchill Downs)

**TALE OF A CHAMPION**, 5h

Charles Whittingham Mem. H.-**G2** (8¼f, BHP)

**A SHIN TOP**, 3c

New Zealand Trophy-**G2** (8f, Nakayama)  
Nikkan Sports Sho Shinzan Kinen-**G3** (8f, Kyoto)

**CATRAGEOUS**, 3f

Wine Country S.-**L.R.** on Saturday (8f, Santa Rosa)

**SHE'S A TIGER**, 2f

Landaluce S.-**L.R.** on 13th July (6f, BHP)



**Tale Of The Cat**

*One To Watch:* **CHASE MY TAIL** (2f) won her maiden at Saratoga by 3¼ lengths last Thursday





# BLACK-TYPE PREVIEW

## THE ROAD BACK

Formerly a rock-solid pattern-race performer, **Caspar Netscher (GB)** (Dutch Art {GB}) has to prove he still has the right material as he returns from a failed spell at stud in today's G2 Lennox S. at Glorious Goodwood. Previously handled by Alan McCabe, Charles Wentworth's flagbearer took the G2 Gimcrack S. and G2 Mill Reef S. at two and the following year's G3 Greenham S. and G2 Mehl-Mulhens-Rennen to earn his place at Morristown Lattin Stud, but with a minority of his mares in foal, the rehabilitation process for a return to racing has been undertaken by David Simcock. "He has settled in well and I couldn't be happier with him," that trainer said. "He has proven very straightforward, but we haven't rushed him. He was a horse who was let down to become a stallion and the likelihood is that he will improve for the run. The Lennox seems a nice starting point for him, it looks like being a competitive race and I am looking forward to running him." Heading the opposition is Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum's G2 Summer Mile winner **Aljamaaheer (Ire)** (Dubawi {Ire}), who was gaining compensation in that July 13 Ascot contest following third and second placings, respectively, in the G1 Lockinge S. at Newbury May 18 and G1 Queen Anne S. at Royal Ascot a month later. "Aljamaaheer took his last race in his stride and I don't have any concerns dropping back to seven furlongs," said trainer Roger Varian. "He has run well at the track in the past and we are just hoping for no more rain." Richard Hannon saddles a trio of live contenders, with Richard Hughes siding with the G3 Criterion S. winner **Producer (GB)** (Dutch Art {GB}), who had earlier beaten Aljamaaheer in the Listed King Richard III S. at Leicester Apr. 27 prior to his latest win in the seven-furlong contest at Newmarket June 29. Also in the armory is **Libranno (GB)** (Librettist) and the progressive **Professor (GB)** (Byron {GB}), who rattled up a brace of six-furlong listed successes in the space of eight days last month in the Listed Sandy Lane S. at Haydock and Listed Cathedral S. at Salisbury. "Hughesie is very keen on Producer, who did a super piece of work last week," Hannon commented. "He is a seven-furlong specialist and has won around the track so, together with his preference for fast ground, he is ticking all the right boxes. He is such a straightforward horse that he can be ridden any way, which, at Goodwood, is another plus. Libranno has the outside draw which won't make things easy, but he was only beaten two lengths in this race as a 3-year-old, and did even better 12 months ago when chasing home Chachamaidee. Professor is an improving 3-year-old, who has won two listed races and has a cracking draw just one off the rail, so we go there with three live candidates."

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### Tuesday, Goodwood, Britain, post time: 3:05 p.m.

#### BET365 LENNOX S.-G2, £150,000, 3yo/up, 7fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	8	Aljamaaheer (Ire)	Dubawi (Ire)	Hanagan	Varian	132
2	1	Boom and Bust (Ire)	Fststpsnthesnd (GB)	Baker	Tregoning	128
3	3	Caspar Netscher (GB)	Dutch Art (GB)	Kelly	Simcock	128
4	5	Fencing	Street Cry (Ire)	Buick	Gosden	128
5	11	Krypton Factor (GB)	Kyllachy (GB)	Fallon	Nass	128
6	12	Libranno (GB)	Librettist	Cosgrave	Hannon	128
7	10	Mnsieur Chevalier (Ire)	Chevalier (Ire)	Spencer	O'Gorman	128
8	9	Pastoral Player (GB)	Pastoral Prsts (GB)	G Lee	Morrison	128
9	6	Producer (GB)	Dutch Art (GB)	Hughes	Hannon	128
10	4	Red Jazz 	Johannesburg	Barzalona	C Hills	128
11	7	Garswood (GB)	Dutch Art (GB)	Moore	Fahey	121
12	2	Professor (GB)	Byron (GB)	Queally	Hannon	121

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**STRONG CASE FOR CASSE IN PRINCE OF WALES**

Trainer Mark Casse appears to have a veritable stranglehold on today's Prince of Wales S., which will be contested over 1 3/16 miles of dirt at Fort Erie as the second leg of Canada's Triple Crown. The leading Woodbine-based conditioner, whose four entrants make up the top four choices on the morning line, has won two of the last four Prince of Wales renewals, including last year's event with filly Dixie Strike (Dixie Union). **Uncaptured** (Lion Heart) was Canada's Horse of the Year last season as a juvenile during a campaign that included dirt scores in the GII Kentucky Jockey Club and GIII Iroquois S. Winless in four starts as a sophomore, the John Oxley colorbearer most recently finished a narrow second in Churchill's GIII Matt Winn S. Oxley's silks will also be carried by **Dynamic Sky** (Sky Mesa), third in the Queen's Plate last time July 7; and the filly **Spring to the Sky** (Spring At Last), winner of the GI Darley Alcibiades S. last year and second in the June 9 Woodbine Oaks. The bay was fourth in the Queen's Plate. Casse's quartet is rounded out by Gabe Grossberg's **Jagger M** (Harlan's Holiday), most recently fifth in the Queen's Plate.

**Tuesday, Fort Erie, post time: 7:47 p.m. EDT**

**PRINCE OF WALES S.**, \$500,000, (S), 3yo, 1 3/16m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	ML
1	Uncaptured	Lion Heart	Mena	Casse	9-5
2	Dynamic Sky	Sky Mesa	Rosario	Casse	3-1
3	Spring in the Air	Spring At Last	Boulanger	Casse	4-1
4	Rackman	Niigon	McAlaney	Nosowenko	30-1
5	River Seven	Johannesburg	Da Silva	Gonzalez	12-1
6	Jagger M	Harlan's Holiday	Bridmohan	Casse	6-1
7	Niigon's Glory	Niigon	Bahen	Halden	15-1
8	Power Phil	Philanthropist	Contreras	Tiller	12-1

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**Tuesday, Goodwood, Britain, post time: 2:30 p.m.**

**BET365 MOLECOMB S.-G3**, £50,000, 2yo, 5fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER
1	8	Ambiance (Ire)	Camacho (GB)	Harley	Channon
2	5	Anticipated (Ire)	Whipper	Hughes	Hannon
3	1	Brown Sugar (Ire)	Tamayuz (GB)	Dobbs	Hannon
4	9	Justice Day (Ire)	Acclamation (GB)	Hanagan	Elsworth
5	4	Meritocracy (Ire)	Kheleyf	Spencer	Cole
6	6	Sleeper King (Ire)	Holy Rmn Emperor (Ire)	Makin	K Ryan
7	3	Supplicant (GB)	Kyllachy (GB)	Moore	Fahey
8	7	Majestic Alexander (Ire)	Bushranger (Ire)	Callan	Evans
9	2	Reroute (Ire)	Acclamation (GB)	Buick	Walker

All carry 126 pounds bar Majestic Alexander & Reroute, 123.

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**Wednesday, Goodwood, Britain, post time: 3:05 p.m.**

**QIPCO SUSSEX S.-G1**, £300,000, 3yo/up, 1mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	5	Declaration of War	War Front	J O'Brien	A O'Brien	133
2	3	Gregorian (Ire)	Clodovil (Ire)	Buick	Gosden	133
3	2	Reply (Ire)	Oasis Dream (GB)	Heffernan	A O'Brien	133
4	6	Trade Storm (GB)	Trade Fair (GB)	Spencer	Simcock	133
5	4	Dawn Approach (Ire)	New Approach (Ire)	Manning	Bolger	125
6	1	Leitir Mor (Ire)	Hly Rmn Empr (Ire)	Whelan	Bolger	125
7	7	Toronado (Ire)	High Chaparral (Ire)	Hughes	Hannon	125

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# TDN *Q&A*



**Walter von Kanel**

With its name tied in with such prestigious racing events as the Longines Hong Kong International races, the Prix de Diane Longines, the Kentucky Derby, Royal Ascot and the Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe, luxury watch company Longines has become one of the most visible brands in racing worldwide. Lucas Marquardt sat down with Walter von Kanel, President of Longines, to discuss the company's involvement in racing, including some recently announced sponsorships.

**LM:** Treve recently shaved two seconds off the course record when winning the Longines Prix de Diane. Do we think she was trying to impress Longines in the hopes of becoming its next ambassador?

**WV:** As official timekeeper of the Chantilly racecourse for the third year, we were indeed very excited. The 2013 edition of the Prix de Diane Longines was amazing.

**LM:** Longines has become the preeminent sponsor of flat racing in the world. What makes Thoroughbred racing a good match for Longines?

**WV:** Longines has a long tradition in the field of equestrian sports. Its commitment actually dates back to 1878, with the production of a chronograph engraved with a jockey and his mount. This model was seen on the racetracks in 1881 and was extremely popular among jockeys and horse lovers. So it is pretty much a logical choice. Moreover, both Longines and horse racing share the values of performance, tradition and elegance.



**Olivier Peslier & Solemia win the 2012 Arc**

**LM:** On June 16, you announced a long-term partnership between the International Federation of Horseracing Authorities (IFHA) and Longines, wherein Longines will sponsor the IFHA's World's Best Racehorses Rankings. Is the idea to tie the best in horse racing to the best in watchmaking? [Click here.](#)

**WV:** This partnership is, in a way, an obvious next step for our involvement in equestrian sports. Beginning this year, we have signed a long-term agreement with the FEI [Federation Equestre Internationale]. The partnership with the IFHA confirms our commitment to horseracing.

**LM:** In April, Longines and Churchill Downs announced a five-year sponsorship deal for the Kentucky Oaks. Were you able to make this year's Oaks?

**WV:** No, unfortunately I haven't been able to go to Churchill Downs this year. We have a lot of events throughout the world, and as it is important for me to work closely with all of our markets, I travel a lot. But I definitely have to go there once!



**Team Orb receives their Longines watches**

**LM:** Are you a fan of horse racing?

**WV:** I really like horses and I appreciate the tension we can feel while watching the races. And as it is a very elegant sport, true to Longines slogan, "Elegance is an attitude," I do like it very much.

**LM:** Of the overseas racecourses (that is, overseas for we Americans) you've visited, do you have any favorites? Are there any races or events in particular that Longines sponsors that you'd recommend to American race fans?

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**Q & A cont.**

**WV:** Every racecourse has its own specificities, its own atmosphere. I would recommend the Prix de Diane Longines at Chantilly and the Royal Meeting at Ascot racecourse for those who love to combine elegance with action; the Grand Prix Longines Lydia Tesio in October at Capannelle racecourse in Rome for those who would like to enjoy the Roman sun, and in November the Longines Hong Kong International races at Sha Tin racecourse in Hong Kong.

**LM:** Have you ever owned a racehorse? If not, any interest?

**WV:** No, I have never owned one. But I grew up on a farm and had some horses, but not of the same kind, of course.

**LM:** Give us some fashion tips--what's your favorite Longines watch style?

**WV:** Above all, I love classical watches. I cannot choose one favorite Longines watch, as I am very involved in the product development. But currently, I wear a model of the latest collection, Conquest Classic - a chronograph in gold with a black dial. I like its sporty, yet elegant design.

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## PEDIGREE INSIGHTS

BY ANDREW CAULFIELD

**Saturday, Ascot, Britain**

**KING GEORGE VI & QUEEN ELIZABETH S.**

(SPONSORED BY BETFAIR)-G1, £1,000,000, Ascot, 7-27, 3yo/up, 1 1/2mT, 2:24.60 (NTR), gd/fm.

1--**NOVELLIST (IRE), 133, c, 4, by Monsun (Ger)**

1st Dam: **Night Lagoon (Ger) (Hwt. 2yo Filly & GSW-Ger, by Lagunas (GB))**

2nd Dam: **Nenuphar (Ire), by Night Shift**

3rd Dam: **Narola (Ger), by Nebos (Ger)**

(€100,000 RNA yrl '10 BBASEP). O/B-Dr Christoph Berglar; T-Andreas Wohler; J-Johnny Murtagh; £603,962. Lifetime Record: Hwt. 3yo-Ger & lty at 11-14f, G1SW-lty & Fr & MGSW & G1SP-Ger, 10-8-1-0, £1,055,837. **Werk Nick Rating: A + + .**

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The Sire Lists on the *TDN* site are all the more useful because they can be sorted in so many different ways. For example, the General Sire List can be rearranged to show the year's most prolific sires of Grade I winners, and the current list is dominated by stallions based outside North America. **Cont. p11**



Group winners in 2013

- 1 MAUREEN** (3f) Fred Darling Stakes-Gr.3, Newbury, 20 April
- 2 RICH TAPESTRY** (5g) The Sprint Cup-Gr.2, Sha Tin, 28 April
- 3 VICTORY LAUREL** (3c) Premio Tudini-Gr.3, Capannelle, 19 May
- 4 CHARLES THE GREAT** (4g) Sha Tin Vase-Gr.3, Sha Tin, 26 May
- 5 AMARILLO** (4c) John of Gaunt Stakes-Gr.3, Haydock, 8 June
- 6 LEITIR MOR** (3c) Ballycorus Stakes-Gr.3, Leopardstown, 13 June
- 7 WILSHIRE BOULEVARD** (2c) Anglesey Stakes-Gr.3, Curragh, 20 July
- 8 PRINCESS NOOR** (2f) Princess Margaret Stakes-Gr.3, Ascot, 27 July

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**Caulfield cont.**

Pride of place goes to Germany's former superstar stallion **Monsun (Ger)** (Konigsstuhl {Ger}), with a team of four led by Novellist, hero of the G1 Grand Prix de Saint Cloud and of Saturday's King George. The quartet is completed by Estimate (Ire), who gave the Queen a cherished victory in the G1 Gold Cup at Royal Ascot, Maxios (GB), winner of the G1 Prix d'Isphahan, and Silasol (Ire), the smart French filly who landed the G1 Prix Saint-Alary.

It's said that you can judge a man by the company he keeps, and this is very true of Monsun. The next five stallions on the Group 1 list--all with three Northern-Hemisphere-foaled Group 1 winners to their credit--are England's



**Johnny Murtagh greets Andreas Wohler**  
*Racing Post*

England's **Dansili** (Danehill), who moved onto this mark when Laughing (Ire) defeated another of his daughters, Dream Peace (Ire), in Saturday's GI Diana S.; Japan's **Deep Impact** (Sunday Silence), England's **Dubawi** (Dubai Millennium), the former Kentucky

stallion **Empire Maker** (Unbridled) and Ireland's **Galileo** (Sadler's Wells). To achieve their three Group 1 winners, these five outstanding stallions, respectively, required 203, 283, 177, 146 and 238 runners. Yet Monsun's foursome has emerged from a total of only 71.

This low figure reflects the fact that Monsun was in his late teens when his four recent Group 1 winners were conceived, and he was never asked to cover large numbers of mares at his Gestut Schlenderhan base. Equineline credits him with "only" 705 named foals from 15 crops of racing age, which equates to 47 foals per crop. No fewer than 18 of his progeny have scored at the highest level and his total of group/graded winners stands at a highly impressive 55.

**NOVELLIST (IRE), c, 2009**

<b>Monsun (Ger)</b>	Konigsstuhl (Ger)	Dschingis Khan (Ger)	Tamerlane (GB)	
		Konigskronung (Ger)	Donna Diana (Ger)	
	Mosella (Ger)	Surumu (Ger)	Tiepoletto (Fr)	
		Monasia (Ger)	Kronung (Ger)	
<b>Night Lagoon (Ger)</b> Hwt. 2yo Filly & GSW-Ger, \$89,720 6 Fls, 5 Wnrs, 1 G1SW	Lagunas (GB)	Ille De Bourbon	Literat (Ger)	
		Liranga (Ger)	Surama (Ger)	
	Nenuphar (Ire) SW-Ger 11 Fls, 7 Wnrs, 1 GSW, 1 SW	Night Shift	Authi (Ire)	
		Narola (Ger)	Monacensia (Ger)	
		13 Fls, 3 SW		Nijinsky II
				Roseliere
		Literat (Ger)		
		Love In (GB)		
		Northern Dancer		
		Ciboulette		
		Nebos (Ger)		
		Nubia (Ger)		

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Novellist is the first King George winner for Monsun, who died at the age of 22 in the summer of 2012. The 4-year-old will also be bidding to become the first winner of the Arc for Monsun, whose best previous efforts in the Longchamp championship have been fourth places from Shirocco in 2005 and Getaway in 2007 and third place by Masterstroke last year. That said, Monsun might already have had an Arc winner on his resume had Manduro not been injured in winning his trial.

Monsun could also be represented in the Arc by Triple Threat and Okovango, a pair of Group 2-winning 3-year-olds trained by Andre Fabre. Monsun also sired the dam of Pastorius (Soldier Hollow), another possible Arc contender whose record features a narrow victory over the odds-on Novellist in last year's G1 Deutsches Derby, plus a second Group 1 win in this year's Prix Ganay.

If Novellist is to win the Arc, he will have to match the achievements of the likes of Ribot, Ballymoss, Dancing Brave, Lammtarra and Dylan Thomas, all of whom won the King George and the Arc in the same season. The ease of his Ascot victory suggests that this progressive colt may well be up to the task, especially when he proved so superior at Ascot to the two representatives of the Classic generation, which traditionally prove so hard to beat in the Arc. It is also reassuring that he recorded both his previous Group 1 victories on soft, so he is effective on quite a range of ground conditions. **Cont. p12**



Novellist has now won eight of his 10 starts. As mentioned earlier, one of his defeats came when Pastorius caught him close home in the Deutsches Derby--a race which also eluded Monsun. This son of Konigsstuhl triumphed in six of his eight starts as a 3-year-old, but failed by a length and a half to cope with his stablemate Lando in the Derby at Hamburg. Monsun made ample amends for that Derby defeat by siring three winners of the race in Samum, Shirocco and Schiaparelli. Samum has also sired a Deutsches Derby winner in Kamsin and Monsun's daughters have been responsible for the last two winners, Pastorius and Lucky Speed.

Novellist's male line has exerted a powerful influence on the Deutsches Derby, as his grandsire Konigsstuhl won the 1979 edition before siring two winners. Novellist is inbred 4x4 to Literat, a son of two German Classic winners. Literat won the German equivalent of the 2000 Guineas, as well as the main Derby trial, but finished lame when a very hot favorite for the 1968 Deutsches Derby.

Part of Monsun's appeal to Europe's top breeders was that he was an outcross for so many mares. Monsun's grandsire, the champion German juvenile Dschingis Khan, was conceived in Ireland, but his male line, descending from Blandford, had virtually died out in the flat-racing sector in Britain and Ireland until Shirocco and Manduro joined the Darley team.

Monsun flourished with mares from the Northern Dancer line, which have supplied no fewer than 12 of his 18 Group 1 winners. Shirocco, Manduro, Maxios, Getaway and the G1 Oaks d'Italia winner Guadalupe were all produced by granddaughters of Northern Dancer, and Novellist is out of Night Lagoon, a mare inbred 4x3 to Northern Dancer.

Novellist's broodmare sire Lagunas, the Deutsches Derby winner of 1984, was previously best known as the broodmare sire of Kazzia, winner of the G1 1000 Guineas and G1 Oaks in Britain.

There are also plenty of links to Germany's Classics to be found in connection with Novellist's female line. His dam Night Lagoon won the G3 Preis der Winterkonigin to become Germany's top 2-year-old filly of 2003 and she started favorite for the German 1000 Guineas (in which she disappointed). Novellist's second dam Nenuphar, a seven-furlong listed winner by Night Shift, also produced Night Tango, runner-up in the 2005 Deutsches Derby.

There are numerous good winners if you delve further back, as this female line has a long and very distinguished history in Germany. For example Novellist's fifth dam, the Priamos mare Night Music, was a top 2-year-old. She was also a sister to Nightlife, whose name recently cropped up as the fourth dam of the runaway German Group 1 winner Nymphaea.

The many admirers of traditional German bloodlines will like the fact that Novellist's eighth dam, Naxos, was a Classic-winning sister to Neckar, a Deutsches Derby winner who sired three winners of the same Classic. Novellist's sixth dam Nigeria produced Novelle, winner of the German Oaks in 1983, and Nigeria is also the fourth dam of Night Magic (Preis der Diana and Grosser Preis von Baden), Next Desert (Deutsches Derby) and Next Gina (Preis der Diana).

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**LUKAS NAMED TO KHRC**

Hall of Fame trainer D. Wayne Lukas, who conditions this year's GI Preakness S. winner Oxbow (Awesome Again), has been appointed to the Kentucky Horse Racing Commission by Governor Steve Beshear. The governor also appointed Dr. James David Richardson to the commission and reappointed Frank Jones, Burr James Travis and Dr. Jerry Yon. The terms of all five will expire July 1, 2016.

 **Saratoga**

**Equine Advocates to Auction Derby Tickets**

The 12th annual Equine Advocates Awards Dinner and Charity Auction is set for Thursday at the Saratoga Springs City Center from 6:00-9:30 p.m., with the feature item up for grabs being a trip to the 2014 Kentucky Derby. The 'Ultimate Kentucky Derby Experience' includes a table for four in the Turf Club at Churchill Downs May 2 and 3, with food and beverage included, as well as two rooms for three nights at the Brown Hotel in Louisville. In addition, the winner will have the chance to tour three Lexington horse farms. All proceeds from this and other auction items will go to Equine Advocates, an organization that rescues and cares for neglected horses. Bidding is not restricted to those in attendance; anyone may bid now through Thursday by calling 917-757-6383, or by e-mailing [karen@equineadvocates.org](mailto:karen@equineadvocates.org).

**Saratoga 150 Contest Winner Announced:**

Kevin Brockley of Gansevoort, New York, has been selected from a random draw from Saratoga150.com as the winner of a \$15,000 win wager on the GI Whitney H. Aug. 3. The wager, which has been funded by Saratoga 150 Honorary Chairs Marylou Whitney and John Hendrickson, is the first of five of its kind to be offered at the current meet; the remaining four will take place the next four Saturday's on the day's feature race and, if successful, the winner will get to keep all money won. To enter to win the wager, visit [www.saratoga150.com/contest](http://www.saratoga150.com/contest).

**Yesterday's Results:**

**2nd-SAR, \$85,000, Msw, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8m, 1:49, ft.**

**WEDDING TOAST (f, 3, [Street Sense](#)--Golden Sheba, by Coronado's Quest)** closed to be second going 6 1/2 panels at Belmont June 19 and was installed the 8-5 favorite to go one better here. Without Lasix for her route debut, the dark bay took charge early, led through splits of :24.48 and :49.40 and drew clear late to score by 2 1/2 lengths over Flores Island (Giant's Causeway).

**Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#).** Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$65,000.

O-Darley Stable. B-Darley (KY). T-Kiaran P McLaughlin.

**3rd-SAR, \$80,000, Msw, 3yo/up, f/m, 5.5fT, 1:01 4/5, fm.**

**KISS ME LOLA (f, 4, [Shakespeare](#)--Smart Sis, by Beau Genius)**, runner-up in her debut going six furlongs over Woodbine's Polytrack Oct. 12, returned with a third while trying the same distance over the Belmont turf June 5. Installed the lukewarm 5-2 choice, the bay stalked the early pace through opening fractions of :21.21 and :44.05. Mounting her challenge approaching the quarter pole, Kiss Me Lola opened up a solid advantage and was 1 1/4 lengths clear of Quay (Tapit) at the wire. The winner is a half to Sis City (Slew City Slew), GISW, \$795,764. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#).** Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-1, \$66,424.

O-William Schettine & William Haines. B-W Schettine (KY). T-Lisa L Lewis.

**Mott Keeps Birthday Streak Alive:**

*Courtesy Jenny Kellner, NYRA*

Hall of Fame trainer Bill Mott kept the tradition of winning a race at Saratoga Race Course on his birthday alive on Monday, taking race nine with his final of five entries, 8-5 favorite Revenue (Exchange Rate). This is the seventh straight year, and 15th of the past 19, that Mott has saddled a winner on his birthday when there was racing conducted at the Spa. Last year, Mott also won race 9, the Nani Rose S., with Alaura Michele (Arch). "There's relief now that we got that win out of the way," said Mott, who turned 60 on Monday. "I want to win races every day. It doesn't matter whether it's my birthday or any other day. I'm compelled to try and win every time we come over." Earlier in the day, Mott was second in race two, fifth in race three, fourth in race four and seventh in race eight, the GII Honorable Miss H., with Glorious View (Pleasant Tap). "It's a nice way to finish the day off," Mott added. "At least they won't throw rotten tomatoes at me on the way out."

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SARATOGA

- Graydar (Unbridled's Song), 3f, :38.80, 8/11
- Capo Bastone (Street Boss), 4f, :48.91, 19/47
- Doctor Chit (War Front), 4f, :48.91, 19/47
- Eastwood (Speightstown), 4f, :49.22, 23/47
- Fort Larned (E Dubai), 5f, 1:00.71, 1/31
- Saginaw (Peruvian), 4f, :50.40, 39/47
- Shanghai Bobby (Harlan's Holiday), 3f, :38.95, 10/11
- Summer Front (War Front), 5fT, :59.06, 1/27
- Teen Pauline (Tapit), 5fT, :59.37, 2/27

KEENELAND

- Daisy Devine (Kafwain), 4f, :47.20, 1/4
- Redwood Kitten (Kitten's Joy), 6f, 1:16.00, 1/1

CHURCHILL DOWNS

- Prayer For Relief (Jump Start), 5f, 1:01.40, 10/29
- Sabercat (Bluegrass Cat), 4f, :51.80, 37/44



## Eastern U.S.

### Yesterday's Results:

**STRIKE YOUR COLORS S.**, \$50,250, DEL, 7-29, 2yo, 5 1/2f, 1:03 1/5, ft.

1--**LONG ON VALUE, 120, c, 2, by Value Plus**

1st Dam: Long Message, by Orientate

2nd Dam: Reverse the Call, by Phone Trick

3rd Dam: Pontresina, by Prove Out

(\$3,000 yrl '12 FTMOCT). O-Frances Hesse; B-Snow Lantern Tbreeds (VA); T-R Allen; J-D Centeno. \$30,000. Lifetime Record: 3-3-0-0, \$81,600.

2--**Mr. Rover, 118, c, 2, Roman Ruler--Colcon, by Pleasant Colony.** (\$22,000 yrl '12 KEESEP).

O-Double K Stable. \$10,000.

3--**Sandbar, 118, g, 2, War Pass--Summer Cruise, by Vicar.** O-WS Farish & Gasparilla Stable LLC. \$5,500.

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Margins: 6, 1HF, 3/4. Odds: 1.20, 18.40, 2.50.

Long on Value kicked off his career with a win on the Delaware dirt June 10 before adding a score in his turf debut in the July 6 Jamestown S. at Colonial Downs. Favored to remain undefeated in this return to the dirt, the bay took command early, extended his advantage throughout and was clear of the rest late to post a six-length victory. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#).

**3rd-DEL, \$43,646, Msw, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10 3/5, ft. FUNNY LADY (f, 3, Sharp Humor--Losing Faith, by Broken Vow)** kicked off her career with a second-place finish in Delaware's restricted Small Wonder S. last

October before closing out the year with fifth and third-place efforts over Aqueduct's inner track Dec. 14 and Dec. 30, respectively. Installed the 4-5 choice for her 2013 return, the chestnut settled behind early pacesetter Distinctivelyalady (With Distinction) through the opening quarter mile, moved narrowly in front of that rival by the half-way marker and drew off with ease late to score by five lengths, Distinctivelyalady held for second. Sales history: \$18,000 yrl '11

KEEJAN. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#). Lifetime Record: SP, 4-1-1-1, \$47,420.

O-Candy Stable (Moelis). B-Edmond Hogan & Karen Hogan (KY). T-Michael J Trombetta.

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**3rd-PID, \$35,450, Msw, 2yo, f, 6f (AWT), 1:11 3/5, ft. + WHISKEY ROSE (f, 2, Don't Get Mad--Miss Hissy Fit, by Aldebaran),** sent off at 19-1, was far back in the

early going and improved her position through a half in :46.06. Swung out five wide turning for home, the bay hit the front late and was a length ahead of Summer in Bali (In Summation) at the wire. Sales history: \$1,200 yrl '12 FTKOCT. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$21,000.

O-Livin the Dream Racing. B-University of Kentucky (KY). T-Nick Joseph Caruso.

**6th-FLX, \$20,000, Msw, 2yo, 5f, :59 3/5, ft. + TOPE (g, 2, Utopia {Jpn}--Touchmeifyoucan, by Touch Gold),** given a 7-1 shot in this unveiling, was up to press Frantastic (Andromeda's Hero) through an opening quarter in :22.47. Poking his head in front after a half in :46.27, the gelding opened up a comfortable advantage in the stretch and remained a half-length ahead of his rival at the wire. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$12,000.

O/T-Timothy P Murphy. B-Richard & Kay Zwirn (NY).

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## Del Mar

### Sunday Night's Results:

**10th-DMR, \$76,250, Msw, 3yo/up, 8.5fT, 1:40 4/5, fm.**

**HORIZONTALYSPEAKIN (g, 3, Medallist--Platinum Record, by Valley Crossing)** was off the board in a trio of starts, including a fourth in his latest going a mile over the Hollywood lawn June 22. Sent off the 6-1 choice this time, the gelding took charge early, led at every call and was 1 1/2 lengths clear of Corinthian's Song (Corinthian). [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#). Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-0, \$50,470.

O-Hronis Racing LLC. B-Blue Seas Music Inc (MD).

T-John W Sadler.

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### IN JAPAN:

**All Stay**, c, 2, **Cape Cross (Ire)**--Flowerette, by Victory Gallop. Hakodate, 7-28, Mdn, 9fT. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$71,429. O-Shuji Ishikawa; B-Indian Creek Farm; T-Yoshito Yahagi. \* 1/2 to Arraignment (Include), GSP, \$157,407. \*\*\$150,000 yrl '12 KEESEP.

**Air Weaver**, c, 4, **Dixie Union**--Bellehop, by Hennessy. Hakodate, 7-28, Plate Race, 8.5f. Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-1, \$138,265. O-Lucky Field Inc.; B-Cardinal Farm LLC; T-Kazuhide Sasada. \* 1/2 to Gallon (Victory Gallop), MSW, \$262,076. \*\*\$65,000 yrl '10 KEESEP.

## ROOKIES

### First/Second-crop starters to watch: Tuesday, July 30

*Sire (Sire's Sire), current farm, 2009 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/BlackTypeWnrs \* Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)*  
**SPRING AT LAST** (Silver Deputy), WinStar, \$15K, 126/32/4  
8-FE, Stk, 1 3/16m, Spring in the Air, \$130K OBS MAR 2yo, 4-1

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## Britain

### Yesterday's Results:

**Windsor**, 18.30, Mdn, £4,000, 2yo, f, 5f 10ydsT, :59.50, gd/fm.

**ORIEL (GB)** (f, 2, **Fastnet Rock {Aus}**--**Labisa {Ire}**, by **High Chaparral {Ire}**) finished out with the washing in the June 19 G2 Queen Mary S. at Royal Ascot, and hit the board in a Newmarket maiden last time July 11. Roused from the gate to race prominently until pushed along after halfway here, the 4-6 chalk took over at the eighth pole and was all out in the closing stages to repel Trinity River (GB) (Three Valleys) by a neck. Sales history: 60,000gns yrl '12 TATOCT. [VIDEO, courtesy attheraces.com](#). Lifetime Record: 5-1-1-2, £6,022. O-Highclere Thoroughbred Racing (Petrushka); B-Michael Kerr-Dineen; T-Richard Hannon.

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**Ayr**, 14.00, Mdn, £4,000, 2yo, 6fT, 1:15.62, sf.  
+ **LES GAR GAN (IRE)** (f, 2, **Iffraaj {GB}**--**Story {GB}**, by **Observatory**), who RNA'd at 10,000gns as a TATGNS breezer, was always traveling well behind the leaders. Eased to the front at the quarter pole, the 13-8 favorite ran on well under whipless coaxing to score by 1 1/4 lengths from Toboggan Star (GB) (Lucky Story). [VIDEO, courtesy Racing UK](#). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, £2,588. O-Middleham Park Racing XLIII; B-Sean O'Sullivan; T-Keith Dalgleish.

## France

### Yesterday's Results:

**Clairefontaine**, 15.20, Cond, €34,000, 3yo, 1 3/8mT, 2:21.90, sf.  
**NOTAIRE (IRE)** (c, 3, **Nayef--Aiglonne {GSW-Fr & GSP-US}**, \$139,218}, by **Silver Hawk**), who ran fourth in a similar event at Longchamp last time July 6, was always handy in the second rank here. Pushed to the front in early stretch, the 5-2 second choice was ridden out to score by a length from Zamaam (GB) (Muhtathir {GB}). The winner is a 1/2 to Apophis (Ire) (Rainbow Quest), SP-Fr, \$177,023; Democrate (GB) (Dalakhani {Ire}), GSW-Fr, \$140,001; and Aigue Marine (GB) (Galileo {Ire}), SW-Fr & GSP-US, \$123,119. Sales history: €50,000 RNA yrl '11 ARQOCT. [Click for Equidia VIDEO](#). Lifetime Record: 3 starts, 2 wins, 1 place, €32,900. O-Ecurie Skymarc Farm & Famille Moussac; B-Haras du Mezeray SA & Ecurie Skymarc Farm; T-Pascal Bary.

**Clairefontaine**, 14.20, Mdn, €24,000, 2yo, c/g, 7fT, 1:26.30, sf.

**ECTOT (GB)** (c, 2, **Hurricane Run {Ire}**--**Tonnara {Ire}**, by **Linamix {Fr}**), runner-up in a July 1 Compiègne maiden, was settled just off the early speed in third. Taking over on the bridle before the furlong marker, the 8-13 pick sauntered home by 1 1/2 easy lengths from Under the Radar (Fr) (Footstepsinthesand {GB}). The winner is a 1/2 to Most Improved (Ire) (Lawman {Fr}), G1SW-Eng & GSP-Ire, \$331,142. Sales history: €75,000 yrl '12 ARQAUG. [Click for Equidia VIDEO](#). Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 1 win, 1 place, €16,800. O-Gerard Augustin-Normand & Mme Elisabeth Vidal; B-Ecurie Skymarc Farm & Ecurie des Monceaux; T-Elie Lellouche.

**Clairefontaine**, 14.50, Mdn, €24,000, 2yo, f, 7fT, 1:27.20, sf.

**MING ZHI COSMOS (FR)** (f, 2, **Duke of Marmalade {Ire}**--**The Wise Lady {Fr}** {MGSP-Fr}, by **Ganges**) was unplaced in a Compiègne maiden on debut July 1 and soon led in this one. Holding sway for the most part, the 26-1 outsider was ridden out inside the final eighth to hold the fast-finishing Testina (Ire) (Lawman {Fr}) by 1 1/4 lengths. The winner is a 1/2 to Good Bye My Friend (Fr) (Kendor {Fr}), MSP-Fr, \$280,108; and Melodyman (Fr) (Green Tune), SW-Fr, \$112,283. Sales history: €77,000 yrl '12 ARQAUG. [Click for Equidia VIDEO](#). Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 1 win, 0 places, €12,000.

O-Teo Ah Khing; B-Pierre Lepoudry; T-Nicolas Clement.



# Ireland

**Yesterday's Result:**

**Galway, 18.10, Mdn, €16,500, 2yo, c/g, 7fT, 1:31.42, yl. MUSTAJEEB (GB) (c, 2, [Nayef--Rifqah, by Elusive Quality](#)), fourth in a hot maiden won by Sir John**



**Mustajeeb** *Racing Post*

Hawkins (Henrythenavigator) going six furlongs at The Curragh May 26, soon led in this return. Coming under pressure to maintain his buffer on the home turn, the 11-8 joint favorite was driven out inside the final furlong to prevail by 2 1/2 lengths from Friendship (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}), and provided trainer Dermot Weld with a remarkable 22nd

victory in this race. "He was very raw and green at The Curragh, and he was very professional today," commented jockey Pat Smullen. [VIDEO, courtesy attheraces.com](#). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, €12,045. O-Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum; B-Shadwell Estate Company Ltd; T-Dermot Weld.

## BREEDERS' EDITION AMERICA

**BLACK-TYPE RESULTS:**

**STRIKE YOUR COLORS S.**, \$50,125, DEL, 7-29, 2yo, 5 1/2f, 1:04 2/5, ft.

1--#**BARRACUDA WAYNE, 119, g, 2, by Weigelia**  
 1st Dam: Madelaine, by Wayne County (Ire)  
 2nd Dam: McMoment, by Timeless Moment  
 3rd Dam: Ever Irish, by Irish Escapade

O-Richard P Hesse; B-Wynoaks Farm LLC & St Omers Farm (PA); T-Randy Allen; J-Jose C Caraballo. \$30,000. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, \$54,900. \*1/2 to Phasmes (Parker's Storm Cat), Ch. Imp. 3yo Filly-Kor.

2--**No Fruit Degroote, 118, c, 2, In Summation--Blazing Fizz, by Slew Gin Fizz.** (\$25,000 yrl '12 OBSAUG). O-Debmar Stables. \$10,000.

3--**Rope, 118, c, 2, Henny Hughes--Confederate Bond, by Broken Vow.** (\$8,000 wIng '11 KEENOV; \$4,000 yrl '12 FTKOCT). O-PTK, LLC. \$5,500.

Margins: 1HF, 3HF, 5HF. Odds: 23.10, 2.00, 1.30.

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He's Had Enough (Tapit), 3f, :35.20, 1/37  
 Redressthebalance (Ire) (Ramonti {Fr}), 4f, :49.00, 14/44

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Merit Man (With Distinction), 5f, :59.80, 3/31  
 Obviously (Ire) (Choisir {Aus}), 5f, :59.60, 1/31  
 Pataky Kid (Rockport Harbor), 4f, :47.00, 3/47

**ALLOWANCE RESULTS:**

**4th-SAR, \$95,000, Opt. Clm. (\$100,000), C, 3yo/up, 1 1/8m, 1:48 3/5, ft.**

**DON DULCE (g, 5, [Maria's Mon--Sweet Eloise {SP, \\$104,843}](#), by Sky Classic) Lifetime Record: SW, 26-7-5-4, \$357,800. O-Midwest Thoroughbreds Inc; B-Pin Oak Stud LLC (KY). T-Jamie Ness. \*\$75,000 HRA '12 KEEJAN. \*\*1/2 to Wherethewestbegins (Gone West), GSP, \$179,769; Sweet Relish (Smoke Glacken), SW & GSP, \$196,630. \*\*\*In for a \$100,000 tag.**

**7th-SAR, \$77,000, Opt. Clm. (\$14,000), NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, 1 1/8m, 1:51, ft.**

**JADE RUN (g, 4, [Jade Hunter--Gallant Princess, by Slew Gin Fizz](#)) Lifetime Record: 6-2-1-1, \$98,162. O-Pats Stable. B-Hoyer Racing LLC (NY). T-Carl J Domino.**

**6th-SAR, \$72,000, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, 5.5fT, 1:02 1/5, fm.**

**BIZARROWORLD (g, 4, [Put It Back--Amandy {SP}, by Lil's Lad](#)) Lifetime Record: 18-3-4-3, \$110,668. O-Flying Zee Racing Stables, LLC. B-Sienna Farms LLC (NY). T-Luis Cabrera. \*\$20,000 yrl '10 FTNAUG.**

**Graduate of Donna Freyer's Custom Care Equine LLC**

**2nd-PID, \$35,100, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), NW1X, 3yo, 6f (AWT), 1:10 4/5, ft.**

**BAFFOONERY (g, 3, [Eddington--La Pique Dame, by Gulch](#)) Lifetime Record: 6-2-0-2, \$45,631. O/B-John B Penn (FL). T-Joseph Cheeks.**

**ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**

**Rock 'n' Roll Cat, c, 3, [Cougar Cat--Smartenclassy, by Regal Classic.](#) MNR, 7-28, 6f, 1:12 4/5. B-Cooney Racing LLC (KY).**

**Time for Spring, g, 3, [Spring at Last--Arch De Lee, by Arch.](#) PRX, 7-29, (C), 6f, 1:12 2/5. B-Dr Scott A McManus (PA). \*\$10,000 yrl '11 FTMOCT.**

**Trained at Crupi's New Castle Farm**

**Dupay, g, 3, [Stormello--Lady Jove, by Lord Carson.](#) FLX, 7-29, 5 1/2f, 1:06. B-Tesoriero Stable (NY).**

## BREEDERS' EDITION EUROPE

**CONDITIONS RESULTS:**

**BRITAIN, Wolverhampton, 14.15, £4,250, 2yo, 7f 32yds (AWT), 1:28.47, stn.**

**AL BAZ (GB) (c, 2, [Sixties Icon {GB}--Aileen's Gift {Ire}, by Rainbow Quest](#)) Lifetime Record: 6-2-1-0, £6,767. O-Saif Ali; B-Norman Court Stud; T-James Tate. \*65,000gns yrl '12 TATOCT. \*\*1/2 to Nijoom Dubai (GB) (Noverre), GSW-Eng; and Samitar (GB) (Rock of Gibraltar {Ire}), GISW-US, G1SW-Ire & GSW & G1SP-Eng, \$1,065,854.**



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**ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**

**Classic Pursuit (GB), c, 2, Pastoral Pursuits (GB)--**  
Snake's Head (GB), by Golden Snake. Windsor,  
Britain, 7-29, Mdn, 2yo, 6fT. B-B & B Equine Ltd.  
\*13,500gns wnlg '11 TATDEC; £15,000 yrl '12  
DONAUG; £14,000 2yo '13 DONAPR.

**Pretzhof (Ire), f, 2, Red Rocks (Ire)--Pagnottella (Ire) (SP-  
lty), by Dansili (GB). Merano, Italy, 7-28, Mdn, 2yo, f,  
7 1/2fT. B-Allevamento Bosco Grosso SNC. \*€2,500  
RNA wnlg '11 GOFNOV. \*Eighth winner for freshman  
sire (by Galileo {Ire}).**

**First Winner for Freshman Sire**

**Thibodeau (Ire), c, 2, Storm Mountain (Ire)--Diva  
Aggressiva (GB), by Tobougg (Ire). Merano, Italy,  
7-28, Mdn, 2yo, c/g, 7 1/2fT. B-Scuderia Micolo &  
Carlo Pierobon. \*First winner for freshman sire (by  
Montjeu {Ire}).**

**Guinnevre (Ire), f, 3, Duke of Marmalade (Ire)--Galistic  
(Ire) (SW-Ire, \$128,367), by Galileo (Ire). Munich,  
Germany, 7-28, Mdn, 3yo, 1mT. B-Forenaghts Stud.  
\*€40,000 wnlg '10 GOFNOV; €47,000 RNA yrl '11  
ARQAUG; 37,000gns yrl '11 TATDEC.**

**Josefa Goya (GB), f, 3, Sakhee's Secret (GB)--Maria  
Theresa (GB), by Primo Dominie (GB).  
Wolverhampton, Britain, 7-29, Mdn, 3yo/up, 5f  
20yds (AWT). B-Fonthill Stud. \*£1,600 RNA yrl '11  
ASCNOV. \*\*1/2 to Intrepid Jack (GB) (Compton  
Place {GB}), GSW-Eng, \$301,146.**

**Electric Sound (Ger), c, 3, Silvano (Ger)--Esturia (Ger),  
by Java Gold. Munich, Germany, 7-28, Mdn, 3yo,  
1 3/8mT. B-Gestut Ammerland.**

**Alissio (Ger), c, 3, Soldier Hollow (GB)--Astica (Ger)  
(MSP-Ger), by Surumu (Ger). Bad Harzburg, Germany,  
7-28, Mdn, 3yo, 1 1/4mT. B-Gestut Brummerhof.  
\*€26,000 yrl '11 BBASEP. \*1/2 to Acambaro (Ger)  
(Goofalik), GSW & G1SP-Ger, \$160,549; Addicted  
(Ger) (Diktat {GB}), GSW-Ger; and Artica (Ger)  
(Pentire {GB}), SW-Ger.**

 **WINNERS BY AMERICAN SIRE**

**IN JAPAN:**

**Pointblank (Jpn), c, 3, Ghostzapper--Point Ashley, by  
Point Given. Hakodate, 7-28, Novice Race, 8.5f.  
Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-1, \$83,673. O-Carrot Farm;  
B-Northern Farm; T-Yasuo Tomomichi.**

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