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LORD NELSON EDGES TEXAS RED IN VICENTE

Peachtree Stable's **Lord Nelson** (Pulpit) got the best of favored **Texas Red** (Afleet Alex) in the final strides to win Sunday's GII San Vicente S. at Santa Anita by a neck. Lord Nelson broke from the inside and chased the pace while racing along the rail through an opening quarter in :23.08, as an unhurried Texas Red trailed the six-horse field. Lord Nelson dropped back slightly after a measured half in :45.98 and was tipped out four wide to re-engage at the top of the stretch. Texas Red, sent off the 3-5 favorite in his first start since winning the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile, loomed a threat into the stretch, but needed a seam to run through. Kent Desormeaux angled the favorite to the inside and he quickly collared longshot **Sir Samson** (Smart Strike), but Lord Nelson was finding his best stride on the outside and the 9-5 shot surged to the lead in the shadow of the wire.



Lord Nelson
Benoit

"Texas Red was the horse to beat and I was waiting for him," said winning rider Rafael Bejarano. "When he came to us, I let him [Lord Nelson] go and my horse took off again."

Winning trainer Bob Baffert trusted his rider. "I was concerned with the one hole, but they were going easy and he was behind them. I thought they were going slow and he's a fast horse, but Rafael's been working him and he knows the horse really well. He had him going nice and easy and he went wide and looked like he was sort of hanging. I saw the Desormeaux horse coming up the rail and I thought, 'Well, he's [Lord Nelson] gone.' But he sort of kicked back in."

Trainer Keith Desormeaux was far from devastated by Texas Red's runner-up finish. "It's a little disappointing, you know, because it's so close to winning, but the long-term goal is well within reach," Desormeaux said. "The pace was slow. They go faster for maiden 30s, so you'd have seen a more visible cut if the pace was quicker. Still, to do what he did, you can't be disappointed."

The trainer's brother, jockey Kent Desormeaux, agreed. "It was a tough beat because he flew home," the rider said. "I had to carry another horse around the turn, there was a little bumping and shoving. That horse was trying to keep getting in my line and I was just trying to move forward in my line so I'd say that was the difference today. He had a real rally at the end. The pace wasn't much, so they had something left. He was trying to catch horses with gas in the tank still."

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Sunday, Santa Anita

SAN VICENTE S.-GII, \$200,250, SAX, 2-1, 3yo, 7f, 1:22, ft.

1--**@LORD NELSON**, 118, c, 3, by **Pulpit**

1st Dam: African Jade, by Seeking the Gold

2nd Dam: Miss Linda (Arg), by Southern Halo

3rd Dam: Miss Peggy (Arg), by Fitzcarraldo (Arg)

(\$340,000 yrl '13 KEESEP). O-Peachtree Stable;

B-Clearsky Farms (KY); T-Bob Baffert; J-Rafael

Bejarano. \$120,000. Lifetime Record: 5-3-0-0,

\$249,571. [Click for eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

Werk Nick Rating: B+.

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2--**Texas Red**, 123, c, 3, **Afleet Alex**--Ramatuella (Chi), by Jeune Homme. (\$17,000 yrl '13 KEESEP). O-Erich Brehm, Wayne Detmar, Lee Michaels, Keith Desormeaux, et al; B-Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC (KY); T-J Keith Desormeaux. \$40,000.

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3--**Sir Samson**, 118, c, 3, **Smart Strike**--Sweet August Moon, by Malibu Moon. O-Legacy Ranch & Shirley MacPherson; B-Legacy Ranch & Team MacPherson (KY); T-Brian J Koriner. \$24,000.

Margins: NK, 3/4, 1 1/4. Odds: 1.90, 0.70, 23.70.

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Calculator Sidelined

Calculator (In Summation), impressive winner of the GIII Sham S., has been sidelined by an unspecified injury. The gray colt was earning his first career victory in the Sham. He was second behind champion American Pharoah (Pioneer of the Nile) in both the GI Del Mar Futurity and GI FrontRunner S.



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Espinoza Impressed by Chrome '15

Jockey Victor Espinoza thinks reigning Horse of the Year California Chrome (Lucky Pulpit) could be even better in 2015. The flashy chestnut tuned up for his seasonal return with a five-furlong work at Los Alamitos Sunday.



California Chrome
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Pletcher Sophomores on Tab

Trainer Todd Pletcher sent out a trio of promising sophomores to work Sunday at Palm Beach Downs. Competitive Edge (Super Saver), off since winning the GI Hopeful S., GI Champagne S. winner Daredevil (More Than Ready) and TDN Rising Star J S Back (Tale of the Cat) were all on the work tab.



Competitive Edge
A Coglianese

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Another Rising Star for Williamson

Warren Williamson has another TDN Rising Star by Lane's End stallion Curlin on his hands as his homebred Curlin's Fox (Curlin) debuts in style at Santa Anita Sunday. Texas Ryano (Curlin) earned the distinction over the same turf course last January.

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Lord Nelson Edges Texas Red in Vicente *(cont. from p1)*

Keith Desormeaux said his plan for Texas Red remains the same. "Right now, the plans are still as I've been saying," the trainer said. "He's probably going to go to the [Feb. 21 GI] Risen Star and then we'll come back for the [GI] Santa Anita Derby on April 4."

Baffert, who has a bevy of talented sophomores in his stable, said plans for Lord Nelson are undecided.

"We'll play it by ear," Baffert said. "We're just trying to stay healthy...but I like what he did today. Coming up to the race, he was really training well, but sometimes they'll do that and won't run. But he ran like he'd been working."

Baffert also trains juvenile champion American Pharoah (Pioneerof the Nile) and GI Los Alamitos Futurity winner Dortmund (Big Brown).

Lord Nelson, a \$340,000 Keeneland September yearling, graduated with a half-length victory in his five-furlong debut over Del Mar's synthetic track July 19. Stretched to 1 1/16 miles, he was fourth behind American Pharoah, with Texas Red third, in the Oct. 13 GI FrontRunner S. He romped home by 6 3/4 lengths in the six-furlong Speakeasy S. at Santa Anita Oct. 13, but connections opted to skip the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile.



Lord Nelson, outside, gears up as Texas Red takes lead. *Benoit*

After bobbling at the break, the chestnut colt came home fifth behind El Kabeir (Scat Daddy) when stretched back to 1 1/16 miles for the Nov. 29 GI Kentucky Jockey Club S.

Bred by Clearsky Farms, Lord Nelson is the first foal out of African Jade (Seeking the Gold). The mare, who sold for 37,000gns at the 2010 Tattersalls July sale, produced a colt by Arch in 2013 and a filly by Harlan's



Bob Baffert and Rafael Bejarano *Benoit*

Holiday in 2014 and she was bred to Speightstown last year. Her Arch colt RNA'd for \$175,000 at the 2014 Keeneland September sale. African Jade is a daughter of Argentinian champion and U.S. Grade I stakes winner Miss Linda (Arg) (Southern Halo), who sold for \$750,000 in foal to Gone West at the 2005 Keeneland November sale.

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CALCULATOR SIDELINED

Calculator (In Summation), impressive winner of the Jan. 10 GI Sham S., has been sidelined by an unspecified injury, according to *Daily Racing Form*. The injury was discovered after the gray colt worked a bullet five furlongs in 1:00.40 at San Luis Rey Training Center Saturday. "We're hoping for a full recovery, hoping for a fall campaign," trainer Peter Miller told *DRF's* Jay Privman. "To call it a disappointment is an understatement. It's a punch in the stomach, whether this happened on Feb. 1 or July 1." Calculator was breaking his maiden with his 4 1/4-length victory in the Sham. He was second behind champion American Pharoah (Pioneerof the Nile) in both the GI Del Mar Futurity and GI FrontRunner S.

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ESPINOZA LOOKS FOR IMPROVED CHROME

Jockey Victor Espinoza thinks reigning Horse of the Year **California Chrome** (Lucky Pulpit) may be even better in 2015. "I think he's stronger this year," Espinoza said after piloting the flashy chestnut through a five-furlong work at Los Alamitos Sunday in 1:01.60. "The way he feels when I work him, he's bigger and more mature. From last year to this is a big difference. He's been working really strong. I believe he'll run as good as a 4-year-old as he did at three."

California Chrome is expected to make his 2015 debut in the Feb. 7 GII San Antonio Invitational at Santa Anita. Trainer Art Sherman had been hoping to see more in Sunday's work.

"I thought he was going to work him faster," Sherman admitted. "Victor told me that he goes so easy he was afraid he would go too fast if he clucked to him. I was looking for a minute and change; that would have helped me a lot more going into this race. I think it's a good work, but I would have liked a sharper workout for this race. He's doing so good though, so...his gallop-out was stronger than it has been. He galloped out [six furlongs] in 1:11.80. He was so strong pulling up. He'll be fresh and ready, I can tell you that."

Also working towards next Saturday's San Antonio, GI Clark H. winner **Hoppertunity** (Any Given Saturday) worked six furlongs Sunday at Santa Anita in 1:14.20. "He's running," trainer Bob Baffert confirmed after the work. "That's good for him."

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TALENTED PLETCHER SOPHOMORES DRILL

Trainer Todd Pletcher sent out a trio of promising sophomores to work Sunday at Palm Beach Downs. Unbeaten **Competitive Edge** (Super Saver), off since winning the Sept. 1 GI Hopeful S., breezed a half-mile in :48.42. "He's coming back," Pletcher explained. "That was his third half back. He seems to be rounding into form. We'll give him a five-eighths next week, but he's still probably a month away."

Let's Go Stable and WinStar Farm's **Daredevil** (More Than Ready), winner of last year's GI Champagne S., breezed four furlongs in :48.29. "That was his third work back," Pletcher said. "He's also rounding into form. He's on a similar schedule to Competitive Edge." Pletcher said the chestnut colt, off since running a troubled 11th in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile, may make his next start in the Feb. 28 GII Swale S.

Double Diamond Farm's **J S Bach** (Tale of the Cat), who was tabbed a **"TDN Rising Star"** after his 8 1/2-length maiden score at Gulfstream Jan. 17, breezed four furlongs in :48.61. "We're considering the [GII] Risen Star or the [GII] Fountain of Youth on Feb. 21," Pletcher said.

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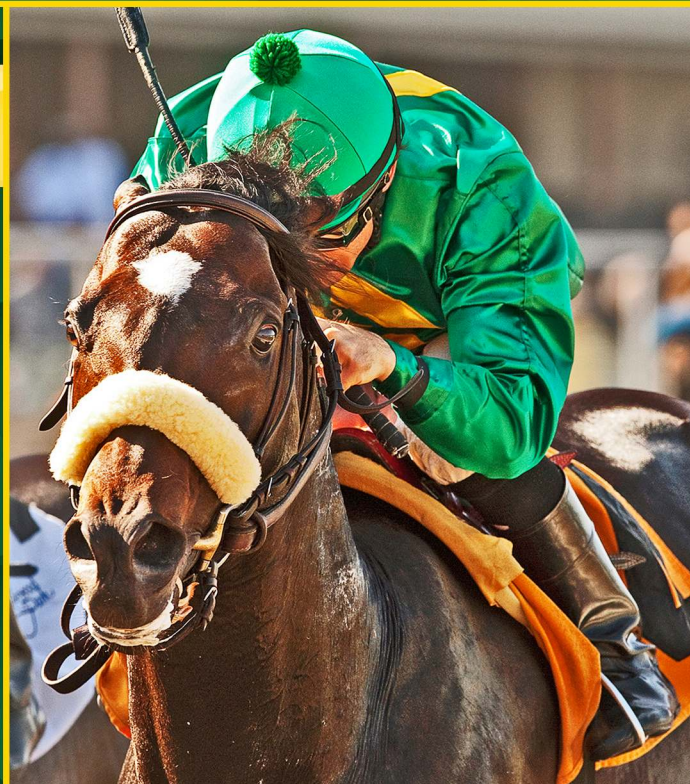
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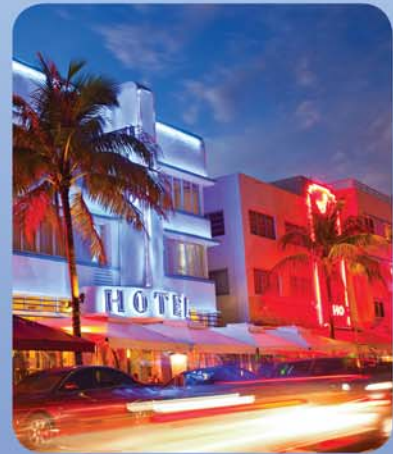
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Rounding out the quartet, Sumaya U.S. Stable's **Protonico** (Giant's Causeway), runner-up behind Hoppertunity (Any Given Saturday) in the Clark, worked in :47.93 in company with Race Day (Tapit).

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PLETCHER QUARTET TUNES UP FOR DONN

Trainer Todd Pletcher sent his four contenders for the Feb. 7 GI Donn H. out to work four furlongs at Palm Beach Downs Sunday morning. The lightly raced **Liam's Map** (Unbridled's Song), coming off a win in the Dec. 13 Harlan's Holiday S., went the distance in company with GIII Razorback H. winner Golden Lad (Medaglia d'Oro) in :47.81. "He's proud of himself," Pletcher said of the Teresa Viola Racing Stables runner. "He looks good. He's carrying his conditioning well. He put in a good breeze this morning. He's a very good work horse."

Last year's GI Besilu Florida Derby winner **Constitution** (Tapit) breezed a half-mile in :49.01. "I thought it was a pretty good breeze, typical of what we see from him," Pletcher said. "Javier [Castellano] worked him. He seems to get along well with him. They went away easy, finished up well and galloped out strong. It was what we were hoping to see. He's an ambitious work horse, so we didn't want to do too much with him." Constitution, owned by WinStar Farm and Twin Creeks Racing Stables, has been off since running third in the GI Clark H. last November.

WinStar Farm's **Commissioner** (A.P. Indy), second in last year's GI Belmont S., worked in :48.58 in company with Tropical Park Oaks winner Sandiva (Ire) (Footstepsinthesand {GB}). "I thought he worked very well," Pletcher said. "He's not exactly like Constitution. He's not a tremendously willing work horse. For him, I thought it was a spirited work." In his only start since the Belmont, Commissioner was a close-up third in a Jan. 10 Gulfstream allowance.



Line of Thunder, whose GI Kentucky Derby-winning son **Thunder Gulch** was pensioned from stallion duties last week, continues to enjoy retirement at Jim and Pam Robinson's Brandywine Farm. The 28-year-old mare lives with fellow retirees **Champagne Glow** and **Jeanne Jones**.

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GODOLPHIN RIDERS TO GO GLOBAL

Godolphin's retained jockeys William Buick and James Doyle are likely to rack up some considerable air miles this year after Sheikh Mohammed's bloodstock advisor John Ferguson confirmed the riders would likely partake in the Sydney Autumn Carnival, and could also receive assignments in America.

Ferguson noted he has had positive conversations with Godolphin's trainers in both countries about the possibility of using Buick and Doyle, who have both ridden winners in Dubai this year.



William Buick wins last year's G1 Middle Park S. on Godolphin's Charming Thought
Racing Post

"We have a very strong team of horses in Australia, as well as in America, and when you have world-class jockeys, it makes sense for them to ride for you in the world-class races," Ferguson said. "I know all the trainers we have in Australia and the United States have been impressed with William and James.

John O'Shea, who trains for Godolphin in Australia, was at Meydan on Thursday to see James ride a treble."

He added, "We shouldn't forget we also have James McDonald riding for us in Australia, who is seriously talented."

Buick and Doyle look set to divide their time between Dubai and Australia until the Dubai World Cup card Mar. 28.

"Timing-wise things fit quite well," Ferguson noted. "The Golden Slipper meeting at Rosehill is the weekend before the Dubai World Cup and then some of the big meetings at Randwick immediately follow the World Cup. The key race days in Australia are in March, April and May, which is their Autumn Carnival, then it's quiet during the summer down there before the Spring Carnival later in the year."

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FRENCH RETURN POSSIBLE FOR KAZEEM

John Deer's **Al Kazeem (GB)** (Dubawi {Ire}), a triple Group 1 winner in 2013 and second in last year's G1 Champion S. after returning to training due to subfertility, could start off his 7-year-old campaign this year in France.

"We'll see how things go, but my thoughts would be that he could come back in a Group 2 at Longchamp in early April [Prix d'Harcourt]," Deer said. "That would obviously have to be run by Roger, but that's what I'm thinking at the moment. He's a big, strong, older horse now, so hopefully he'll be ready to return, and then there's a Group 1 in France three weeks later [Prix Ganay] that he could run in."

Al Kazeem won the 2013 G1 Tattersalls Gold Cup, G1 Prince of Wales's S. and G1 Coral Eclipse for trainer Roger Charlton and was purchased by The Royal Studs to stand last year. After he got a small number of mares in foal, Deer purchased his homebred back and returned him to Charlton. Al Kazeem won last year's G3 Winter Hill S. at Windsor, and after finishing off the board in the G1 Irish Champion S. and G1 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe, ran Noble Mission (GB) (Galileo {Ire}) to a quarter-length in the Champion S.

"It was wonderful to see him run so well at Ascot at the end of last season," Deer reflected. "I was so pleased, it was almost like winning, to be honest, as it is very unusual for a horse to come back from stud and run as well as he did. The Champion S. also came only 13 days after the Arc, so there must be a question mark over whether he was at his very best."

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1--**@AIR KHALIFA**, 123, h, 6, by **Discreet Cat**
 1st Dam: **Chez La Femme**, by **Afternoon Deelites**
 2nd Dam: **She's Ecstatic**, by **Sauce Boat**
 3rd Dam: **She's Armed**, by **Truxton King**

O-Lucky Field Inc.; B-Winchester Farm; T-Katsuhiko Sumii; J-Kosei Miura. ¥37,567,000. Lifetime Record: 18-8-6-2. **Werk Nick Rating: A. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.**

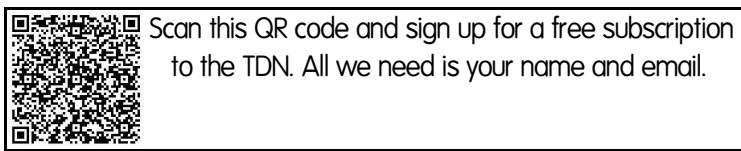
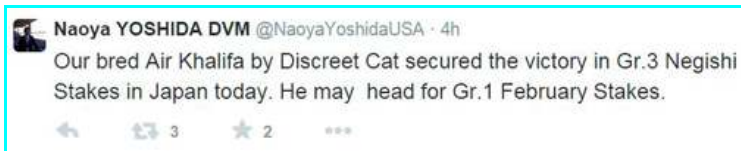
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2--**Wide Bach (Jpn)**, 126, h, 6, Adjudicating--Green Hill Red (Jpn), by Scan. O-Kyoko Habata; B-Tsuneo Yagi. ¥15,162,000.

3--**Admire Royal (Jpn)**, 123, h, 8, by King Kamehameha (Jpn)--Must Be Loved (Jpn), by Sunday Silence. (¥155,000,000 wnlg '07 JRHAJUL) O-Riichi Kondo; B-Northern Farm. ¥9,381,000.

Margins: 1, HF, NK. Odds: 2.40, 3.50, 101.70.

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Sunday, Kyoto, Japan

SILK ROAD S.-G3, ¥72,970,000, Kyoto, 2-1, 4yo/up, 1200mT, 1:07.90, fm.

1--**AM BALL BLEIBEN (JPN)**, 122, m, 6, by Rule of Law
 1st Dam: **Cherry Koman (Jpn)** (SW-Jpn, \$943,950), by **Splendid Moment (Ire)**

2nd Dam: **Cherry Girl (Jpn)**, by **Crowned Prince**
 3rd Dam: **Cherry Venus (Jpn)**, by **Partholon (Ire)**

O-Nobuyuki Ito; B-Fujiwara Farm; T-Nobuharu Fukushima; J-Ken Tanaka. ¥38,679,000. Lifetime Record: 26-8-3-2. * 1/2 to My Masterpiece (Jpn) (Soccer Boy {Jpn}), SP-Jpn, \$370,553. **Werk Nick Rating: B. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.**

2--**Sudden Storm (Jpn)**, 123, h, 6, Storming Home (GB)--Birjand (GB), by Green Desert. O-H H Sheikh Mohammed; B-Darley Japan Farm. ¥15,194,000.

3--**Seiko Raiko (Jpn)**, 126, h, 8, by Kurofune--Fine Seiko (Jpn), by Sunday Silence. O-Mieko Takekuni; B-Meiji Farm. ¥9,597,000.

Margins: 3/4, HF, NK. Odds: 3.40, 5.70, 35.70.

Click for the [JRA chart and video](#).

MOMENT OF CHANGE TO MISS AUTUMN

Moment of Change (Aus) (Barely A Moment {Aus}), winner of last year's G1 C.F.

Orr S. and G1 Futurity S., will miss an Australian autumn campaign after undergoing colic surgery yesterday. The 6-year-old gelding was being prepared to defend that double by trainer Peter Moody.



Moment of Change
Racing and Sports

"We took him to the vet clinic and we tried to treat him without surgery and waited as long as we could, but they had to operate on him just before lunchtime," Moody told *Racing and Sports*. "He's up and recovering at this point, which is good, but he's not yet out of the woods. He's an old stable favorite that's done a hell of a job for us, so his welfare will be paramount going forward. Hopefully for all of us it will involve racing, but that's something we'll determine down the track."

Moment of Change also won the 2012 G1 Sir Rupert Clarke S.

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Marty and Pam Wygod's homebred **Prospect Park** (Tapit) turned heads with his impressive 5 1/4-length allowance tally ([video](#)) at Santa Anita Friday and trainer Cliff Sise, Jr. admits he has been impressed by his charge's progress.

"I loved the horse on Friday," Sise, who has some 30 horses in training at his base at San Luis Rey Downs, said. "He changed so much from the race before. He ran good that day, but he got sick two nights before with a little colic. We don't know how much that took out of him. He was OK the morning of the race, so we ran him and he won. After that race he came back and trained like a different horse. He was stronger, and everything's going good at the right time now."



Prospect Park
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Prospect Park graduated by a neck in his fourth start at Santa Anita Dec. 27. In Friday's one-mile allowance, the dark bay colt was forced to wait for racing room turning for home, but once clear he bounded home effortlessly.

After some time away from the racetrack, Sise has recently returned to training.

"I stopped as a trainer to run Rancho Paseana for Jenny Craig for two years," Sise explained. "That was enjoyable, but when San Luis Rey reopened, I came back to training in January of last year."

The 63-year-old breaks many of the Wygods' 2-year-olds.

"Marty always wanted me to break his babies," Sise said. "Marty was nice enough last year to send all the 2-year-olds to me. I didn't know if I was going to get them ready for other trainers or what. But he came out one day and we had a little celebration at the barn and told me he was going to let me run Prospect Park, so as of right now, everything's good."

As for what is next for the colt, who is a half-brother to Grade I winner Silent Sighs (Benchmark) and to multiple graded stakes winner Proposed (Benchmark), Sise said, "I'll leave that up to Marty Wygod. We'll try to find the easiest spot for him."

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New York

Yesterday's Results:

FRANKLIN SQUARE S., \$125,000, AQU, 2-1, (S), 3yo, f, 6f, 1:12 1/5, ft.

1--#**HARD TO STAY NOTGO**, 116, f, 3,

[More Than Ready](#)--[Whichwaydidshego](#), by Storm

Cat. O/B-Chester & Mary R Broman (NY); T-James A Jerkens; J-Angel S Arroyo. \$75,000. Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-1, \$173,800. *1/2 to Mark My Way (Noonmark), MSW, \$178,510.

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2--**Golden Gem**, 116, f, 3, Wildcat Heir--Gold Plum, by Cahill Road. O-My Meadowview Farm LLC. \$25,000.

3--**Graeme Crackers**, 117, f, 3, [Macho Uno](#)--Graeme Central, by Graeme Hall. O-Ralph M Evans. \$12,500. Margins: 5HF, 3 3/4, HD. Odds: 6.60, 1.95, 9.90.

Hard to Stay Notgo was five lengths the best first out at Saratoga against fellow Empire-breds Aug. 6. The filly was second in the Seeking the Ante S. there Aug. 24 before finishing a well-beaten third in Belmont's muddy Joseph A Gimma S. Sept. 21. Off a three-month break, Hard to Stay Notgo was slightly overlooked at odds of 6-1 for this return to the races. The dark bay was away well and moved up between horses to set the pace shortly after the break through an opening quarter in :23.55. Never seriously pressed, she effortlessly drew away down the lane for the victory.

"She's hit or miss, and she's a little problematic to train, but she's a vintage inner-track type filly,"



commented Steve Moyer, assistant to winning trainer Jimmy Jerkens. "She's naturally very fast; that's all she wants to do. We liked her when she broke her maiden at Saratoga, and we loved her when she ran back in the

[Seeking the Ante]. She trained really, really good coming into this race; the problem was there was never a New York-bred [allowance race] in the book. She couldn't have been any better in the receiving barn and the paddock today, and before she wasn't like that. We're thrilled with her performance." [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#).

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5th-AQU, \$60,000, Msw, 3yo, 1 1/16m, 1:47 2/5, ft. DONTBETWITHBRUNO (c, 3, [Tiz Wonderful](#)--Stomping, by Dixieland Band) was fourth in his rained-off debut Nov. 29 and was much improved when a narrow second going an extended mile over this course Jan. 11. Dontbetwithbruno was away well from the outside and moved to the front to briefly set the pace before settling into a pressing position. The 2-1 chance rebid for the lead on the turn and held a slight advantage at the top of the lane. Money Multiplier (Lookin At Lucky), who had trailed the field down the backstretch, charged up to take control by midstretch, but a game Dontbetwithbruno battled back to get a nose down in front on the wire. The winner is a half to Cyber Secret (Broken Vow), MGSW, \$652,993. Sales history: \$52,000 wlng '12 KEENOV; \$100,000 yrl '13 KEESEP; \$180,000 2yo '14 OBSMAR. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, \$52,200. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#). O-Repole Stable. B-Sun Valley Farm (KY). T-Todd Pletcher.

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

▶ Eastern U.S.

Yesterday's Results:
7th-LRL, \$51,828, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000-\$35,000), NW1X, 3yo, f, 6f, 1:11 3/5, ft.
SPOTTED HEART (f, 3, Lion Hearted--Red Valentine, by Dehere) showed steady improvement in her first three tries in the maiden ranks before finishing fifth in the restricted Maryland Million Lassie S. over this same trip and surface Oct. 18. Returned to open maiden company and kept at six panels, she graduated by a neck here Nov. 20 before coming right back to annex the Maryland Juvenile Filly Championship S. for state-breds over seven furlongs Dec. 26. Sent postward as the 3-1 second choice for this slight cutback in distance, the bay bided her time toward the rear of the field behind a quarter-mile in :23.78 and bid for the lead five wide entering the lane. Asked for more in the center of the track, the sophomore dueled with My Magician (Street Magician) down the lane and prevailed by a head over that rival. The winner, a \$10,000 FTMMAY yearling turned \$62,000 FTMMAY juvenile purchase, is a half to Glib (Great Notion), MSW, \$193,160. Lifetime Record: SW, 7-3-1-1, \$153,592. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#). O-Copper Penny Stables. B-Mr & Mrs Charles McGinnes (MD). T-Mark Shuman.

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▶ Florida

Yesterday's Results:
10th-GPX, \$42,000, Alw, NW1X, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:41 1/5, fm.
NIGHT SONG (m, 5, [Midnight Lute](#)--Deep South, by Unbridled's Song) was a second-out maiden winner going 7 1/2 panels over this turf course last March and followed with a fourth-place effort when extended to this distance at Churchill May 3. Freshened up for the Saratoga meet, she was an even seventh sprinting 5 1/2 furlongs on the turf Aug. 9 prior to checking in fifth in the GII Ballston Spa S. Aug. 23 over this same trip and surface. The grey then traveled south with her trainer and set the pace before tiring to seventh in an allowance at Gulfstream Park West Nov. 23. Most recently a rallying runner-up over a grassy mile here Dec. 28, the mare was sent postward as the 5-2 co-second choice for this try. Night Song raced at the rear of the main pack behind a half-mile in :46.83 and swept five wide entering the lane. Continuing a prolonged rally in midstretch, she forged clear to register a 1/2-length victory over Sumba Sunset (Street Cry {Ire}). The winner was a \$120,000 OBSJUN juvenile purchase. Lifetime Record: 8-2-2-0, \$74,740. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#). O-Hardacre Farm LLC. B-Dapple Bloodstock (KY). T-Amy Tarrant.

8th-GPX, \$40,000, Msw, 3yo, 5 1/2f, 1:05, ft.
+ GRAND BILI (c, 3, [City Zip](#)--Woodsmoke {MSW, \$198,157}, by Langfuhr) was sent off at odds of 6-1 for his debut. The gray moved up steadily after the break to sit in second behind prohibitive favorite Tennessee (Giant's Causeway) through splits of :22.45 and :46.00. Grand Bili pressured that foe on the bend and, although Tennessee initially found another gear in the lane, was able to chase down that rival and hit the wire 3/4 of a length in front. "He's a really impressive horse," said winning pilot Javier Castellano. "He's by City Zip, who was a really fast horse. He really surprised me when I saw him in the paddock. I had never been on him before. He's a big horse and it impressed me how quick he was out of the gate. He put me in perfect position at every point of the race. I just monitored my speed and turning for home, he had such a beautiful stride. I think when they stretch him out he's going to appreciate the distance." A full sister sold for \$90,000 at the 2014 Keenealnd September sale. Sales history: \$30,000 yrl '13 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$24,000. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#). O-Grupo 7C Racing Stable. B-Gustav Schickedanz (ON). T-Gustavo Delgado.



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5th-GPX, \$40,000, Msw, 4yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f,
1:18 3/5, ft.

+ **SPYIN FEELIN** (f, 4, [Speightstown](#)--**Say It With Feelin, by Deputy Minister**), dismissed at odds of 22-1 for this first outing, set the pace from along the rail, remained in charge through the turn and shook clear in the stretch to finish 4 3/4 lengths clear of Avalanche Girl (Bernstein). Spyin Feelin was running without Lasix. Sales history: \$170,000 yrl '12 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$24,000. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#).

O-Jim & Susan Hill. B-Blue Heaven Farm LLC (KY). T-Read Baker.

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6th-GPX, \$40,000, Msw, 3yo, 5fT, :55 1/5, fm.
+ **CITY OF VENGEANCE** (g, 3, [City Zip](#)--**Avenging Tomisue, by Belong to Me**) established the early lead through an opening quarter in :21.78, remained comfortably in command through the turn and spurred away down the stretch to win by 5 1/2 lengths at odds of 7-1. Twizzle (Speightstown) completed the exacta. The winner is a half to Striking Tomisue (Smart Strike), SW, \$195,209. "He's always been a scorcher," winning trainer Wesley Ward said. "He's been one that we thought about bringing over to Royal Ascot last year as a 2-year-old, but he had a bunch of little minor things and just never did come around. We gelded him and turned him out at the owner and breeder's farm and brought him back, and he's just been perfect ever since. He's done everything right and he skipped along today." Sales history: \$60,000 yrl '13 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$24,000. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#).

O-Richard Santulli, Wayne Lyster & Gatewood Bell. B-Ashview Farm LLC & Colts Neck Stables LLC (KY). T-Wesley A Ward.

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11th-GPX, \$40,000, Msw, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT,
1:43 4/5, fm.

RAMBLE (f, 4, [Stroll](#)--**Mila, by Unbridled**) closed well to be third on debut over this same trip and course last January and was subsequently put on the shelf for over 11 months following that effort. Adding Lasix, she returned to finish a troubled third in another 1 1/16-mile turf test here Dec. 14, and followed with a sixth-place effort as the favorite in a off-the-turf event Jan. 11. Given a 5-1 shot for this return to the lawn, the bay raced four wide around the opening bend and pressed a pair of pacesetters through a half-mile in :48.83. Taking command under confident handling approaching the far turn, Ramble kicked clear and powered home to notch a 1 3/4-length victory. Guilty Verdict (Medaglia d'Oro) rallied to gain second. The winner's dam was originally purchased by Dell Hancock for \$300,000 as a KEESEP yearling in 1998. Claiborne Farm was the name on the ticket when she brought \$1 million as a broodmare in 2004. Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-2, \$31,240. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#). O/B-Dell Hancock & Adele B Dilschneider (KY). T-W Mott.

Kentucky

Saturday Night's Results:

96ROCK S., \$69,345, TPX, 1-31, 3yo, 6 1/2f (AWT), 1:18 3/5, ft.

1--**THE GREAT WAR**, 122, c, 3, by [War Front](#)

1st Dam: **Guide**, by Pulpit

2nd Dam: **Tour**, by Forty Niner

3rd Dam: **Fun Flight**, by Full Pocket

(\$1,000,000 yrl '13 KEESEP). O-Michael Tabor, Derrick Smith, Mrs John Magnier & Joseph Allen; B-Claiborne Farm (KY); T-Wesley A Ward; J-Albin Jimenez. \$43,710. Lifetime Record: SW-Ire, 9-4-1-0, \$248,856.

2--**Two Step Temper**, 118, c, 3, Two Step Salsa--Sue's Temper, by Temperance Hill. (\$55,000 2yo '14 OBSJUN; \$85,000 RNA 2yo '14 OBSAPR). O-Get Away Farm. \$9,400.

3--**Serious Talk**, 118, g, 3, Forestry--Agapanthus, by Theatrical (Ire). (\$10,000 yrl '13 FTKOCT). O-Michael M Hui. \$7,050.

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Margins: 7 1/4, 7, 3/4. Odds: 0.10, 12.10, 8.30.

The Great War began his career under the care of Aidan O'Brien, starting seven times as a juvenile in Ireland and Great Britain. He registered three victories



The Great War
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during his European campaign, culminating with a score in the Blenheim S. traveling six panels over the lawn at the Curragh Sept. 28. Sent to America for a try in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile over 1 1/16 miles at Santa Anita Nov. 1, the colt chased a fast pace and held on to finish fourth behind Texas Red (Afleet Alex), Carpe Diem

(Giant's Causeway) and Upstart (Flatter). Transferred to the barn of Wesley Ward following that effort, the \$1 million Keeneland September yearling purchase was hammered down to heavy favoritism for this seasonal debut. Away without incident, The Great War pressed the pace two wide through a quarter-mile in :23.04 and spurred clear on the far turn. The bay raced unopposed into the stretch and glided home to a comfortable victory. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#).



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Yesterday's Results:

5th-FGX, \$40,000, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$17,500), NW1X, 4yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11, ft.

CINNAMON SPICE (f, 4, [Candy Ride {Arg}](#)--Violent Beauty, by Gone West) was third in his first two career starts for trainer Chad Brown at Gulfstream last February and Keeneland Apr. 9. After transferring to the Larry Jones Stable, the dark bay graduated by 6 1/4 lengths when cutting back in distance in a rained-off Fair Grounds contest Jan. 4. Supported as the 1-5 pick here, Cinnamon Spice pressed the pace from along the rail down the backstretch and gained command on the turn. She opened up down the lane and finished 7 1/2 lengths clear of Cora Mesa (Sky Mesa). The winner is a half to Violence (Medaglia d'Oro), GISW, \$623,000. Sales history: \$350,000 yrl '12 KEESSEP. Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-2, \$55,120. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#).

O-Fox Hill Farms Inc. B-Dell Ridge Farm LLC (KY). T-J Larry Jones.

LANE'S END Sales Graduate

▶ California

Yesterday's Results:

3rd-SAX, \$60,750, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$62,500), NW2\$X, 4yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:36 2/5, fm.

GENDER AGENDA (GB) (f, 4, [Holy Roman Emperor {Ire}](#)--Friendlier {GB}, by Zafonic) last found the winner's circle in an allowance at Del Mar Sept. 3 and has since finished second in the Unizip Me S. here Sept. 27 and in Del Mar's Kathryn Crosby S. Nov. 7. She was fourth stepping up in company in the GI Matriarch Nov. 30 and sixth in the Gil Monrovia Jan. 15. The 2-1 pick stalked three wide in third early, was in contention in the stretch, and rallied between foes to take command in the final furlong and hit the wire a half-length clear of Elektrum (Ire) (High Chaparral {Ire}). Sales history: 75,000gns RNA HRA '13 TATHIT. Lifetime Record: MSP, 13-3-3-2, \$145,897. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#).

O-Keith Brackpool, Alon Ossip & Timothy Ritvo. B-Middle Park Stud Ltd (GB). T-Carla Gaines.

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5th-SAX, \$57,750, Msw, 3yo, f, a6 1/2fT, 1:13 2/5, fm.

+ CURLIN'S FOX, f, 3, Curlin
1st Dam: **Foxysox (GB) (MGSW & GISP, \$715,015), by Foxhound**
2nd Dam: **Triple Tricks (Ire), by Royal Academy**
3rd Dam: **Tricky Note, by Song (GB)**

Curlin's Fox boasted a strong worktab in preparation for this unveiling, including a last-out six-panels bullet in 1:12.00 Jan. 24, and was hammered down to 3-5 favoritism. The chestnut rated in midpack through the early going and was fanned about six wide down the hill. The homebred cruised up to take the lead at the top of the lane, grabbed command by midstretch and, still under a hand ride, finished 3/4 of a length clear of Emyvale Court (Stormy Atlantic). Racing for Williamson, dam Foxysox won the 2008 Gil Bayakoas S. and Gil Santa Barbara S. Foxysox produced a Lonhro (Aus) filly in 2013 and a Lonhro colt in 2014. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$33,600. [Click for the brisnet.com chart, the free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree or VIDEO](#). O-Warren B Williamson. B-Williamson Racing LLC (KY). T-Carla Gaines.

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Fred Seitz Joins WHOA:

Brookdale Farm owner Fred Seitz has joined the Water Hay Oats Alliance. In a statement in support of the organization which supports the passage of federal legislation to prohibit the use of performance-enhancing drugs in horse racing, Seitz said, "I started walking hots at age 10, was a full-fledged groom and exercise rider at 16, and over the past 40 years have been a farm manager, sales company employee, owner, breeder, consignor, trainer, stallion manager and constant supporter of our now troubled industry/sport."

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STAKES RESULTS:

TOMBALL S., \$50,000, HOU, 1-31, (S), 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:44 3/5, fm.

1--**#1 AM JANE DOUGH, 118, f, 4, My Golden**

Song--Strawberry Smile, by Strawberry Road (Aus).

O/B-Rose Mary Chandler (TX); T-Danny Pish; J-Deshawn L Parker. \$30,000. Lifetime Record: MSP, 11-3-2-1, \$90,710. *1/2 to Skip a Smile (Skip Away), MSW, \$479,519.

2--**Molly's Honour, 118, m, 5, Etesaal--Honour Shaker,** by Honour and Glory. O-Joey Keith Davis. \$10,000.

3--**Wampas Kitty, 118, m, 7, Captain Countdown--Ms. Winfrey,** by Sunny's Halo. O-Gwen Harrison. \$4,250.

(DH)3--**Expect Royalty, 123, m, 5, Valid Expectations--Autumn Sky,** by Skywalker. O-Leroy James Pollok. \$4,250.

Margins: HF, NK, 1, 1. Odds: 2.00, 4.60, 2.00, 6.30.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

3rd-AQU, \$59,000, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000), NW2\$X, (S), 4yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:40 2/5, ft.

JCS AMERICAN DREAM (f, 4, Catienus--American Passage, by Quiet American) Lifetime Record: 19-3-3-4, \$177,283. O-Shooting Star Stable. B-Miracle Man Racing Partners LLC (NY). T-William H Turner Jr.

9th-PRX, \$54,500, 4yo/up, 7f, 1:23 1/5, ft.

PRAETEREO (h, 7, Giant's Causeway)--Deb's Charm {GSP}, by Silver Charm) Lifetime Record: SW, 42-7-6-11, \$457,022. O-E & G Stable; B-B P Walden, H Sexton & Giants Causeway Syndicate (KY).

T-Michael M Moore. *\$265,000 wlng '08 KEENOV; \$250,000 yrl '09 KEESEP. **1/2 to Simply Spiteful (Speightstown), SW, \$159,861.

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7th-PRX, \$52,220, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), NW2X, 4yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:18 1/5, ft.

BURN CONTROL (f, 4, Bernstein--Essential Fear {Ire}, by Pivotal {GB}) Lifetime Record: SP, 7-3-1-1, \$103,700. O-Pewter Stable & Matt Nestor. B-Castleton Lyons & Kilboy Estate (KY). T-Kathleen A Demasi. *\$12,000 yrl '12 KEESEP; \$14,000 RNA 2yo '13 OBSJUN; \$40,000 HRA '14 OBSJAN.

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7th-FGX, \$42,120, Opt. Clm. (\$62,500), NW3X, 4yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:45 2/5, ft.

STREET SPICE (g, 5, Street Sense--Allspice {GSW}, \$317,496}, by Coronado's Quest) Lifetime Record: MSP, 21-4-3-2, \$186,517. O/B-Jim Tafel LLC (KY). T-Greg Geier. **1/2 to Country Flavor (Empire Maker), GSW, \$240,074; All Stormy (Stormy Atlantic), GSP, \$197,406.

8th-LRL, \$42,000, NW1X, 4yo/up, a1 1/16m, 1:46, ft.

STREET BULLET (g, 4, Street Sense--Crown of Diamonds, by Distorted Humor) Lifetime Record: 7-4-0-0, \$76,210. O-Patricia Schuler. B-Rabbah Bloodstock LLC (KY). T-Dale Capuano. *\$97,000 yrl '12 FTKOCT; \$45,000 RNA yrl '12 FTSAUG.

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6th-FGX, \$38,000, Opt. Clm. (\$30,000), NW2L, (S), 3yo, f, a5 1/2fT, 1:05 3/5, fm.

FLASHY SHOES (f, 3, Lydgate--Intractable {MSP}, \$272,258}, by Sandpit {Brz}) Lifetime Record: 5-2-0-2, \$53,360. O-Joe Agular. B-J Adcock (LA). T-Samuel Breaux. *\$1,000 yrl '13 ESLSEP; \$13,000 2yo '14 ESLAPR.

5th-PEN, \$33,300, 1-31, NW1X, (S), 4yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:41 2/5, ft.

MAJESTIC KAZ (m, 5, Here's Zealous--Chatte Galore, by Buddha) Lifetime Record: 16-4-4-1, \$103,070. O-M-Z Racing Partnership. B-Kaz Hill Farm (PA). T-Marcos Zulueta.

4th-GGX, \$30,671, Opt. Clm. (\$62,500), NW2\$X, 4yo/up, 1m (AWT), 1:36 2/5, ft.

QUICK AND SILVER (g, 4, Dunkirk--Royal Confection {SP}, by Candi's Gold) Lifetime Record: 10-3-1-0, \$61,160. O-Ellen & Peter Johnson. B-Elizabeth P & David J Whelan, Teresa & Steve Murphy (FL). T-William Delia. *\$25,000 yrl '12 KEEJAN; \$67,000 yrl '12 FTKJUL; \$165,000 2yo '13 OBSMAR. **1/2 to Karama (Macho Uno), SW & GSP, \$201,471.

6th-SUN, \$29,770, NW2L, (S), 3yo, f, 5 1/2f, 1:07, ft.

BABY VAMP (f, 3, Southwestern Heat--Lullabytime, by Unbridled Time) Lifetime Record: 6-2-2-1, \$85,430. O-Reliance Ranches LLC. B-Fred Alexander (NM). T-Todd W Fincher. *\$15,000 yrl '13 RUIAUG.

6th-TPX, \$26,500, NW3L, 4yo/up, 1m (AWT), 1:39 1/5, ft.

VANITY FEATURE (g, 6, Pulpit--Performing Diva {GSP}, \$103,134}, by Storm Cat) Lifetime Record: 9-3-2-0, \$91,682. O/B-W Bruce Lunsford (KY). T-Thomas Drury Jr.

8th-TPX, \$25,872, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), NW1\$X, 4yo/up, 1m (AWT), 1:39 4/5, ft.

BEN BAUN (h, 5, Artie Schiller--Incredible Cat, by Storm Cat) Lifetime Record: 8-2-3-0, \$46,901. O/T-Conor Heaney. B-Agricola Dell 'Olmo Srl (KY).



7th-CTX, \$29,000, 1-31, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), C, 4yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:18 1/5, ft.

RICHARD CROY (g, 5, Montbrook--Jill Rabbit, by Captain Bodgit) Lifetime Record: 28-6-5-4, \$86,427. O-Kera Stable. B-Don F Kutik (FL). T-Hector Garcia.

8th-CTX, \$27,000, 1-31, NW1X, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:45, ft.

MORNINGSBREAKING (f, 4, Fiber Sonde--Miss Grey Dawn, by Southern Halo) Lifetime Record: 8-3-2-2, \$63,921. O/T/B-Cynthia E O'Bannon (WV).

3rd-HOU, \$21,000, 1-31, NW1X, (S), 4yo/up, f/m, 1m70y, 1:45 2/5, ft.

C C'S SONG (f, 4, My Golden Song--Candy's Cleopatra {SP, \$227,703}, by Wayne's Crane) Lifetime Record: 5-2-0-1, \$25,720. O/B-Charles McKamie (TX). T-W Bret Calhoun.

10th-HOU, \$21,000, 1-31, NW1X, (S), 4yo/up, 6f, 1:12 3/5, ft.

AWESOME J T (g, 4, Chief Three Sox--Colleague, by Cherokee Run) Lifetime Record: SP, 23-3-3-4, \$52,462. O-Anjo Racing Inc. B-Stoneview Farm Inc (TX). T-Andrew Konkoly. *\$1,600 RNA yrl '12 TEXAUG.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Pepper Roani, c, 3, **Broken Vow**--Ho Joy, by Silver Ghost. TPX, 1-31, 1m (AWT), 1:40 2/5. B-Dr & Mrs Stuart Brown & Happy Tales Inc (KY). *\$15,000 wlng '12 KEENOV; \$50,000 yrl '13 KESEEP; \$155,000 2yo '14 OBSMAR.

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Arabian Queen, f, 3, **Desert Party**--Zinned, by Silver Deputy. FGX, 2-1, a1mT, 1:41 2/5. B-John J Greely III (KY). *\$60,000 2yo '14 OBSJUN.

Partytime Chill, f, 3, **Desert Party**--Time of Peace, by Slew City Slew. AQU, 2-1, (S), (C), 6f, 1:13 4/5. B-Thomas-Burleson (NY). *\$40,000 wlng '12 KEENOV; \$110,000 yrl '13 FTNAUG; \$50,000 2yo '14 FTMMAY; \$190,000 RNA 2yo '14 FTFMAR.

Limited Edition, f, 3, **Lion Hearted**--Holy Holiday, by Holy Bull. CTX, 1-31, (S), 7f, 1:28 1/5. B-Francis W Daniel III (WV).

Westbrook Sunset, f, 3, **Montbrook**--Western Tornado, by Proud Citizen. TAM, 2-1, 6f, 1:11 2/5. B-Ocala Stud (FL). *\$15,000 HRA '14 OBSOCT.

Yourdreamsormine, c, 3, **Mr. Sekiguchi**--Fly Apple Shu, by Forbidden Apple. GPX, 2-1, (C), 6f, 1:12. B-Bridlewood Farm (FL). *\$4,500 RNA wlng '12 OBSOCT; \$37,000 2yo '14 OBSJUN.

Fleetcharlie, g, 3, **My Pal Charlie**--Will Be Fleet, by Northern Afleet. DED, 1-31, (S), 6 1/2f, 1:22 2/5. B-Michael Murray (LA).

College Holly, f, 3, **Super Saver**--Maddie's Promise (SW, \$241,257), by Dehere. OPX, 2-1, 1m, 1:43 3/5. B-Normandy Farm LLC (KY). *\$40,000 yrl '13 FTKOCT.

Star of Beauty, f, 4, **Gemma's Star**--Tactical Play, by Tactical Cat. HOU, 1-31, 5 1/2f, 1:06 4/5. B-Don Allen (LA).

Snik Snak, f, 4, **Maimonides**--Jesse's Song, by Unbridled's Song. CTX, 1-31, 6 1/2f, 1:20 4/5. B-Arindel Farm LLC (FL).

Pontiff, h, 5, **Giant's Causeway**--Preach (GISW, \$304,656), by Mr. Prospector. HOU, 1-31, 1/16mT, 1:44 2/5. B-Claiborne Farm (KY). *\$310,000 yrl '11 KESEEP. **1/2 to Pulpit (A.P. Indy), MGSW, \$728,200; Tell It (Storm Cat), SP, \$162,283; and Urban Poet (Dynaformer), GSP-GB.

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Holy Boss (Street Boss), 4f, :52.00, 25/37

PALM BEACH DOWNS

Angela Renee (Bernardini), 5f, 1:01.69, 5/6
 Commissioner (A.P. Indy), :48.58, 10/19
 Competitive Edge (Super Saver), 4f, :48.42, 8/19
 Constitution (Tapit), 4f, :49.01, 14/19
 Daredevil (More Than Ready), 4f, :48.29, 6/19
 Feathered (Indian Charlie), 4f, :48.42, 8/19
 Liam's Map (Unbridled's Song), 4f, :47.81, 2/19
 Mshawish (Medaglia d'Oro), 4f, :47.60, 1/19
 Protonico (Giant's Causeway), 4f, :47.93, 4/19

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Yesterday's Results:

1st-CHD, £8,000, Mdn, 3yo/up, f, 6f (AWT), 1:14.23, ft.

+ **WANTING (IRE) (f, 3, Acclamation {GB}--Bold Desire {GB}, by Cadeaux Genereux {GB})**, sent off the even-money favorite, stalked the early pace traveling strongly. Sent to the front passing the furlong pole, the 140,000gns TATDEC weanling was hand ridden to comfortably best her stable companion Simple Elegance (Street Cry {Ire}) by 2 1/4 lengths. The winner is a full-sister to Parliament Square (Ire), SW-Ire & G1SP-Fr, \$126,458. The winner's third dam is the GI Frizette and GI Matron S. winner Some Romance (Fappiano). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, £5,175. [VIDEO, courtesy attheraces.com](#).

O-Godolphin. B-J Doyle (IRE). T-Charlie Appleby.

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Asia

FAN FAVORITE BUCHIKO WINS AT KYOTO

The spotted 3-year-old filly **Buchiko (Jpn)** (King Kamehameha {Jpn}) extended her unbeaten record to two when drawing away impressively to win an allowance over a field of colts on the Kyoto dirt yesterday ([video](#)). Tracking the leaders in third while racing keenly in the three path down the backstretch, Buchiko drew even with the front runners at the top of the lane and exploded clear with one slap of the whip. The margin was an eased-up 3 1/2 lengths. Buchiko was one of 11 winners in Japan yesterday for her sire, a new record that bested the previous mark of nine set by Sunday Silence.

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BUCHIKO's trainer looking at 3/7 G3 1600m Tulip Sho (1,000 Guineas Trial) TURF next for the talking horse #possibly?



“We’d hoped to post figures in line with last year’s successful sale and spirited competition right throughout the week has ensured we have achieved that, which is very pleasing. A big thank you has to go out to everyone involved this week, internationals and locals. It is a credit to our vendors to have a week as successful as this one was, and we wish buyers all the best with their Karaka purchases.”

Taking top billing yesterday was [lot 1176](#), a son of Iffraaj (GB) out of the O’Reilly (NZ) mare Skimmio (NZ) who sold to Paul Chow’s Tartan Meadow Bloodstock for NZ\$85,000.

“He was a little bit over my authorized budget but he’s one of the four horses that were on my list and it’s the last day so there are no more to choose from tomorrow,” said Chow. “This year has been good because I have had new clients on board. We have bought 11 horses so far during the sales. They’re not necessarily going back to Hong Kong, we will wait and see how they develop. Karaka is always where I start my year when I’m buying for my clients as we have bought a number of quality horses here.”

Chow ended the day as leading buyer, buying three for a total of NZ\$145,000.

Five horses fetched in excess of NZ\$60,000 yesterday, compared to just one last year. The second highest price of NZ\$70,000 on the day belonged to [lot 1190](#), a colt by another British-based shuttler in Showcasing (GB), the sire of last weekend’s Karaka Millions winner Hardline (NZ). Lot 1190, from the family of G1 Cox Plate and G1 Melbourne Cup hero Might and Power (NZ) (Zabeel {NZ}), sold to Nigel Tiley. Showcasing had another colt sell for NZ\$60,000 yesterday.

For the full results, visit www.nzb.co.nz.


Australasia

FESTIVAL SALE CONCLUDES NZB SERIES

The single-session New Zealand Bloodstock Festival Yearling Sale yesterday drew to a close NZB’s six-session yearling sale series. Figures were largely on par with last year’s, with 192 yearlings changing hands for NZ\$2,816,650, whereas last year 207 sold for NZ\$2,941,500. The buyback rate jumped up to 28.8% from 19.1% 12 months ago, while the average was up 3.2% to NZ\$14,670, and the median was unchanged at NZ\$10,000.

In total, 898 lots sold over the six days of trade for NZ\$67,388,650. The overall average was up 3% to NZ\$75,403, and the median was unchanged at NZ\$45,000.

“It has been a very solid week of selling, with a strong buying bench demonstrating good demand for the horses on offer,” said NZB’s Co-Managing Director Petrea Vela.



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• Catalogued	329	290
• No. Offered	270	256
• No. Sold	192	207
• RNAs	78	49
• % RNAs	28.8%	19.1%
• High Price	NZ\$85,000	NZ\$77,500
• Gross	NZ\$2,816,650	NZ\$2,941,500
• Average (% change)	NZ\$14,670 (+3.2%)	NZ\$14,210
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CONDITIONS RESULTS:

1st-PAU, €17,000, 2-1, 4yo/up, 7 1/2f (AWT), 1:34, ft.

PASSION BLANCHE (GB) (f, 4, Dutch Art {GB}--Siren Sound {GB}, by Singspiel {Ire}) Lifetime Record: SP-Fr, 14 starts, 5 wins, 7 places, €88,150. O-Bernard Magrez Horses & Jean-Claude Rouget. B-Meon Valley Stud (GB). T-Jean-Claude Rouget. *30,000gns yrl '12 TATOCT; 50,000gns HRA '14 TATDEC.

4th-PIS, €11,000, 2-1, 4yo/up, 8fT, 1:36.80, sf.

SALFORD SECRET (IRE) (c, 4, Sakhee's Secret {GB}--Dhuyooft {Ire}, by Sindar {Ire}) Lifetime Record: GSW-Ity, 17-7-3-1, €120,954. O-Mario Lanfranchi. B-Hyphen Bloodstock (Ire). T-Riccardo Santini. *8,200gns wnl '11 TATDEC; £20,000 2yo '13 DONAUG; 28,000gns 2yo '13 TATHIT.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Carlo Bay (Fr), c, 3, Diktat (GB)--Lady Cree (Ire), by Medicean (GB). PAU, 1-31, 7 1/2f (AWT), 1:33 3/5. B-J I Olave (FR). *€67,000 yrl '13 ARQOCT.

Primesor (Ire), f, 3, Orpen--Exgray (Ire), by Exceed and Excel (Aus). PAU, 1-31, 7 1/2f (AWT), 1:35 3/5. B-Haras du Mont Dit Mont (FR).



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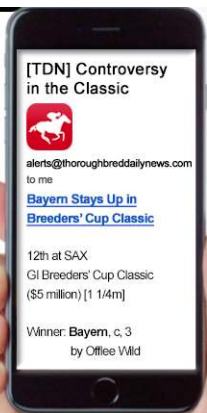
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Forjatt (Ire), g, 7, Iffraaj (GB)--Graceful Air (Ire), by Danzero. Abu Dhabi, 2-1, Cond, NH 4yo/up & SH 3yo/up, 1400mT. B-Michael Downey & Roalso Ltd. *GSW-UAE, \$232,004. **€28,000 wnl '08 GOFNOV; 60,000gns yrl '09 TATOCT.

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