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AMERICAN PHAROAH FINE AFTER REBEL

Zayat Stables' **American Pharoah** (Pioneerof the Nile) exited his runaway victory in Saturday's GII Rebel S. in fine shape and is expected to return to trainer Bob Baffert's California base Monday. "This horse, he does things effortlessly," Baffert said Sunday. "It wasn't really taxing on him. It turned out all right. He didn't have to go too fast early." Baffert said he is keeping his options open for the juvenile champion, but the Apr. 4 GI Santa Anita Derby and Apr. 11 GI Arkansas Derby are likely options. "We'll see how he is when he gets back [from Arkansas]," Baffert said of American Pharoah's next start. "We'll see how he's doing. We've got lots of options." The Arkansas Derby is expected to draw Rebel third and fourth-place finishers **Bold Conquest** (Curlin) and **The Truth or Else** (Yes It's True).



American Pharoah
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LARGE U.S. CONTINGENT SET FOR DUBAI

by *Michele MacDonald*

The largest group of American challengers since Meydan Racecourse opened in 2010 is scheduled to fly to Dubai Mar. 17 to prepare for the 20th anniversary of the Dubai World Cup program, which will include nine races worth a total of \$30 million.

Led by Horse of the Year **California Chrome** (Lucky Pulpit) and champion turf horse and older male **Main**



California Chrome & trainer Art Sherman
Horsephotos

international manager, referring to a few injury-related defections, "but we're very happy with it."

"I think this is going to be the new trend--more Americans going to Dubai," said Joe Santarelli, the Mersant official who is helping to coordinate the flight arrangements. **Cont. p7**

Sequence (Aldebaran), the squadron is expected to include 14 runners when the flight, coordinated by Mersant International, leaves the U.S.

"It could have been even more," said Martin Talty, the Dubai Racing Club's

HOOP OF COLOUR BEST IN SANTA ANA

Flaxman Holdings' homebred **Hoop of Colour** (Distorted Humor), looking to go two-for-two in the U.S. for trainer Graham Motion, produced a powerful late kick to win Sunday's GII Santa Ana S. at Santa Anita by 3/4-lengths over **Three Hearts** (Hat Trick {Jpn}). The bay filly, a 12-1 outsider, settled into a stalking third as fellow Motion trainee **Rusty Slipper** (Lemon Drop Kid) set a pedestrian pace with Three Hearts in close attendance. Tipped out to the three path on the turn, Hoop of Colour reeled in Three Hearts in deep stretch to win going away.

"Today, right out of the gate, I was set up perfect, she broke well," said winning rider Drayden Van Dyke, who teamed with Motion to take the GI Frank E. Kilroe Mile last weekend aboard Ring Weekend (Tapit). "The only other speed was Three Hearts and the other Motion horse, Rusty Slipper. I got right behind Rusty Slipper; my horse threw her ears up and she was so relaxed. Near the half-mile pole only two horses were in front of me, so I got out, stayed off Three Hearts' hip and I had clear sailing from there when I asked her to run with no trouble." **Cont. p3**



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Bobo Ready for OBS

Fresh off the \$800,000 pinhook of a Smart Strike colt at Fasig-Tipton's Florida sale, Tami Bobo has a strong hand for this week's OBS March sale. Brian DiDonato talks to the Ocala horsewoman, who sends colts by Tapit, Bernardini and Smart Strike through the sales ring during the two-day auction.



Tami Bobo and Hip 178

Lucas Marquardt Photo

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Singular Victory at Saint-Cloud

Affaire Solitaire (Ire) (Danehill Dancer {Ire}) secured the first group win of his career with a narrow victory in Sunday's G3 Prix Exbury at Saint-Cloud.

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Golden Slipper Field Takes Shape

The field for this week's G1 Golden Slipper looks likely to be dominated by trainers John O'Shea and Gai Waterhouse, who are each set to saddle four runners in the world's richest juvenile race. The Waterhouse contingent is headed by race favorite and 'TDN Rising Star' Vancouver (Aus) (Medaglia d'Oro). The Hall of Famer will also put the tack on English (Aus) (Encosta de Lago {Aus}), Flamboyant Lass (Aus) (Stratum {Aus}) and Speak Fondly (Aus) (Northern Meteor {Aus}).



Trainer John O'Shea

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Able Friend On Top

Able Friend (Aus) (Shamardal) finds running room late for a dramatic tally in Sunday's G1 Queen's Silver Jubilee Cup at Sha Tin, while Luger (Aus) (Choisir {Aus}) found the line first in the BMW Hong Kong Derby.



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Sunday, Santa Anita Park

SANTA ANA S.-GII, \$201,000, SAX, 3-15, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8mT, 1:49, fm.

1--#**@HOOP OF COLOUR**, 118, f, 4, by **Distorted Humor**
 1st Dam: Surya (MGSW, \$400,965), by Unbridled
 2nd Dam: Wild Planet, by Nureyev
 3rd Dam: Ivory Wings, by Sir Ivor

O/B-Flaxman Holdings Ltd (KY); T-H Graham Motion; J-Drayden Van Dyke. \$120,000. Lifetime Record: 5-3-1-0, \$164,906. *1/2 to Aruna (Mr. Greeley), GISW, \$994,924. **Werk Nick Rating: A+.** Click for the **eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.**

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2--**Three Hearts**, 118, m, 5, **Hat Trick (Jpn)**--Secret Heart (SAf), by Fort Wood. O/B-Team Valor International (KY); T-Neil D Drysdale. \$40,000.

Bred by Team Valor, Raised at Denali Stud

3--**Winning Rhythm**, 118, m, 5, **Giant's Causeway**--Relaxing Rhythm, by Easy Goer. O-Stronach Stables; B-Adena Springs (KY); T-Patrick Gallagher. \$24,000.

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Margins: 3/4, 1, HF. Odds: 12.40, 8.50, 41.80. Also Ran: Testa Rossi (Fr), Rosalind, Diversy Harbor, Rusty Slipper, Queen of The Sand (Ire), Lady of Gold. Scratched: Elektrum (Ire), Indecise. Click for the **brisnet.com chart**, the **brisnet.com PPs** or the **free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree**. **VIDEO**, sponsored by **Fasig-Tipton**.

"Drayden won on her first time here and she's been training great since then, and this race kind of came up, so we thought we'd just take a shot, and it worked out well," added Motion's assistant trainer Alice Clapham.

Favored Diversy Harbor (Curlin), off the pace early, swung out four wide for the stretch run, but could make no impact in the lane and came home sixth. "There was no pace," jockey Gary Stevens reported.

A winner of two of four starts in England for trainer Lady Cecil, the lightly raced Hoop of Colour is now two-for-two in the U.S. She scored a two-length allowance victory over the Santa Anita turf course in her first start for Motion Feb. 5.

The final foal out of 2002 GII Dahlia H. and GIII Royal Heroine S. winner Surya (Unbridled), Hoop of Colour is a half-sister to 2011 GI Juddmonte Spinster S. winner Aruna (Mr. Greeley). Aruna produced fillies by War Front in 2014 and 2015. Her second dam, Wild Planet, also bred and campaigned by the Niarchos family, was group placed in England and a stakes winner in France.

As for what is next for Hoop of Colour, Clapham said, "I'm sure Graham will talk to the owners and sort that out. We might run her back here in that mile and quarter turf race [GIII Santa Barbara H. Apr. 18], or she might go to Keeneland."

BOBO'S INVESTMENTS CONTINUE TO PAY OFF by *Brian DiDonato*

Secure Investments is the perfect name for Tami Bobo's operation, which will offer seven juveniles during the OBS March 2-Year-Olds in Training Sale to be held Tuesday and Wednesday in Ocala. "I had my daughter at a young age, and I had to make a living," explained the Ocala-based horsewoman. "I did what I had to do to making a living. I trained Arabians, I rode horses for people, I would save my money and go to the local auction barn and buy everyone's rejects. That's what I did--I bought [Quarter] horses for \$200-\$500 and I'd turn them for a modest profit. I saved my money and I was able to buy a better quality of horse through the years. In my late 20's, I started being able to buy some pretty high-end, classy Quarter Horses. Long story short, I started having huge success showing them at places like the Quarter Horse Congress." **Cont. p4**



Tami Bobo and Hip 178
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Bobo, whose entrepreneurial spirit trumped her self-admitted lack of technological expertise, also bought and sold horse-related domain names, developing equine information centers for various locales.

In 2010, she met her business partner, and made her first foray into the Thoroughbred business when she joined him at that year's Keeneland September sale. Insisting that she invest her own money alongside her partner's, Bobo selected a group of horses that included eventual GI Florida Derby hero Take Charge Indy (A.P. Indy). The son of MGISW Take Charge Lady (Dehere) was purchased privately after he RNA'd for \$80,000. Bobo broke and trained him and then kept a piece of him during his racing career after selling to Chuck and Maribeth Sandford.



Hip 169

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"I didn't have a clue about the Thoroughbred industry," she recalled. "I didn't know if I was supposed to gallop them one mile or an eighth of a mile. I had no idea. So, basically, I let the horses dictate to me what we needed to do and I'd call my partner occasionally and ask questions."

Clearly Bobo figured the Thoroughbreds out quickly. In her short time in the business, she has had a hand in a number of additional stand-out runners, including graded stakes winners Rydilluc (Medaglia d'Oro), Mucho Mas Macho (Macho Uno), Sheza Smoke Show (Wilko); last year's stakes-winning, Grade III-placed juvenile Hashtag Bourbon (Super Saver); the GSP \$75,000 KEESEP yearling to \$500,000 FTFMAR '13 pinhook Almost Famous (Unbridled's Song); and last month's good-looking Gulfstream maiden breaker Tapitry (Tapit).

Bobo enjoyed her greatest score to date with a Smart Strike--My Miss Storm Cat colt who she purchased privately after he RNA'd at Keeneland September for \$325,000 and sold to Live Oak Plantation for \$800,000 at the Mar. 4 Fasig-Tipton Florida sale.

"It was an amazing feeling," said Bobo, who is based at the Eclipse Training Center. "For me, I appreciate the buyers who have bought my horses. I feel like without the right buyers at the end of the deal--after all my training, I can only bring them so far. They have to go on from there."

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Bobo seems to have a knack for selecting well-bred yearlings who fall through the cracks due to perceived physical shortcomings.

"I look for pedigree and balance, first and foremost," she noted. "I want a proven, producing sire and I want some substance in the pedigree. As far as conformation, balance is key... I want balance in all my horses, regardless of whether they're upright or a little sickle-hocked or a little cow-hocked--those are obstacles that with certain types of training can be overcome. I think my Quarter Horse background has really helped me because I've bought some horses with different issues that a lot of people have passed on. I think in an assembly-line training operation, those horses would fall through the cracks. But when you only train 14 of them and you're hands-on daily, you can set up a program for each individual horse to succeed."

Bobo said she generally has about 14 horses in her program, but her 2015 class of juveniles is 22-head strong--the most she's ever had.

Among Secure Investments's offerings at OBS is a Tapit colt ([hip 169](#)) out of the multiple Grade II-winning and Grade I-placed millionaire Gotta Have Her (Royal Academy).

The grey was a \$160,000 Keeneland September yearling and breezed in [:10 2/5](#). "He's a spectacular colt, my Tapit," Bobo said.

Secure Investments also consigns a son of Smart Strike catalogued as [hip 178](#). The \$55,000 KESESEP buy is a half to MGSW Lead Story (Editor's Note) and two additional stakes winners and hails from the family of Grade I winners Unbridled Elaine, Glitter Woman and Political Force. He covered a furlong in [:10 1/5](#) without blinkers.



Hip 352, a Giant's Causeway filly who worked in [:10 1/5](#). *LM Photo*

"If I was going to say I have another horse who's going to step up and be the real deal 2-year-old and get out there and run early, this colt absolutely can," Bobo said. "He's a sensational colt--and not because I just sold a Smart Strike. This truly is an exceptional colt."

Bobo will also send a Bernardini colt into the ring as [hip 118](#). Out of a stakes-winning, graded stakes-placed half to GI Breeders' Cup F/M Turf winner Perfect Shirl (Perfect Soul {Ire}) and GISW Shakespeare (Theatrical {Ire}), the [:10 2/5](#) breezer was a \$75,000 September purchase.

"He kind of came down the lane a little green when he saw all those people in the stands," Bobo said of his under-tack show performance. "That's just not something we can

prepare these horses for. When we breeze them at home and prep them, we don't have crowds of people and cameras... So unfortunately, he wasn't able to debut himself as I was hoping he could, but he's a phenomenal colt and a phenomenal mover."



Hip 118

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With a focus on Classic pedigrees and sturdier athletes, Bobo's juveniles rarely burn up the track on preview day, but buyers have no trouble finding them.

"I think the horsemen are going to find my horses," she said. "Year after year, I've noticed that I'm not the bullet work--I've never been the bullet work. My horses are 100% what they are, and that's exactly what they are. I'm never the bullet work at the sale, but my horses go on and they run, and they run and they run."

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1--#**@AFFAIRE SOLITAIRE (IRE)**, 121, h, 5, by **Danehill Dancer (Ire)**
 1st Dam: Arlesienne (Ire) (SW & GSP-Fr), by Alzao

2nd Dam: Ange Bleu, by Alleged

3rd Dam: Albertine (Fr), by Irish River (Fr)

(€110,000 HRA '13 ARQARC). O-Luigi Roveda; B-Dayton Investments Ltd (Ire); T-Patrick Khozian; J-Nicolas Perret. €40,000. Lifetime Record: 22 starts, 4 wins, 13 places, €163,970. *1/2 to Aizavoski (Ire) (Monsoon {Ger}), MSW & MGSP-Fr, \$487,835; and Andromeda Galaxy (Fr) (Peintre Celebre), SW & GSP-Fr, \$139,279. **Werk Nick**

Rating: A. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.

2--**Meadow Creek (GB)**, 121, c, 4, **Dansili (GB)**--Gentle On My Mind (Ire), by Sadler's Wells. O-Prince A A Faisal; B-Nawara Stud Company Ltd (GB); T-Andre Fabre. €16,000.

3--**Arkaitz (Spa)**, 121, c, 4, Pyrus--Lady Cree (Ire), by Medicean (GB). O-Trofeu Empresarial SL; B-Cuadra San Ignacio (Spa); T-Francisco Rodriguez Puertas. €12,000.

Margins: NK, NK, HD. Odds: 22.90, 20.00, 20.00. Also Ran: Cocktail Queen (Ire), Garlingari (Fr), Celtic Rock (GB), Petit Chevalier (Fr), Planetaire (GB), Dartagnan d'Azur (Fr), Pinturicchio (Ire), Vif Monsieur (Ger), Allez Henri (Ire). Scratched: Rose Vista (Fr). **Click for [Racing Post result](#), [Video](#), sponsored by [Fasig-Tipton](#).**

Successful in a pair of midsummer events at Vichy last year, Affaire Solitaire was off the board in the Oct. 4 G2 Prix Daniel Wildenstein at Longchamp and the G3 Prix Perth at this track Oct. 30 before running second in the Dec. 2 Listed Prix Lyphard at Deauville. He returned to run ninth in a Jan. 13 Cagnes conditions heat and came here off a runner-up finish in the Listed Grand Prix de la Riviera Cote d'Azur back at that venue Feb. 8.

The bay held a handy position just behind the leaders along the fence after breaking well from the three hole. Afforded the luxury of a gap up the inner soon after turning for home, he seized the opportunity with aplomb to lead just inside the quarter-mile marker and was driven out to post a lifetime best as a re-energized pack reduced arrears in the dying embers. "He ran great in the listed race at Cagnes-sur-Mer last time, but we felt he'd have won with a better draw there, and he proved that today," insisted jockey Nicolas Perret. "We had a dream trip through the race and you can't win a Group 3 with a bad horse. It has taken him time to mature and he's at the top of his game now."

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This colt, pictured at Oghill House Stud in Co. Kildare, Ireland, at nine days old is by Dawn Approach (Ire) and out of Pleasantry (GB) (Johannesburg), a half-sister to last year's Cartier Horse of the Year Kingman (GB) (Invincible Spirit {Ire})

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Source: Dr Statz, Thoroughbred Owner and Breeder, March 2015. Fees added.

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WORLDWIDE NEWS

Large U.S. Contingent Set for Dubai (cont. from p1)

The number of American horses traveling is a sharp increase from the previous five editions of the World Cup held at Meydan. From 2010 through 2014, an average of seven horses made the annual trip from the U.S., compared to an average of 14 that traveled for the previous five editions of the World Cup program held at Nad Al Sheba.

Last year, only three horses represented the U.S. in Dubai, with none in the G1 Dubai World Cup, which is the richest race on the globe with a \$10-million purse.

The late withdrawal of GI Donn H. winner Constitution (Tapit) with a sore shin, and the hoof problem that kept GI Breeders' Cup Classic winner Bayern (Offlee Wild) on the sidelines prevented those top runners from competing in Dubai, but there is still plenty of American star power.

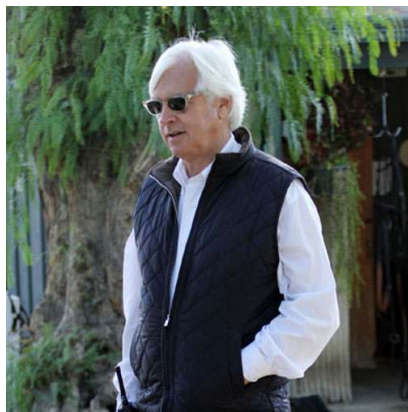
Seven of the runners are Grade/Group 1 winners. California Chrome will attempt to become the third GI Kentucky Derby winner to also capture the World Cup, following Silver Charm (Silver Buck) in 1998 and Animal Kingdom (Leroidesanimaux {Brz}) in 2013.

Also entered for the Dubai World Cup is **Lea** (First Samurai), winner of the 2014 Donn and runner-up in that race this year, who is trained by inaugural World Cup-winning conditioner Bill Mott.

Main Sequence is one of two Breeders' Cup winners slated to race in Dubai and will be a key contender in the \$6-million G1 Dubai Sheema Classic. Trainer Graham Motion also is

sending the champion's Flaxman Holdings stablemate **Quadrivium** (Henrythenavigator) as a traveling companion with the possibility of running in the \$1-million G2 Godolphin Mile.

Bob Baffert, the only American trainer to win two editions of the Dubai World Cup, with Silver Charm and then Captain Steve (Fly So Free) three years later, will be represented this year by 2013 GI Breeders' Cup Sprint winner **Secret Circle** (Eddington) in the \$2-million G1 Dubai Golden Shaheen. American-trained horses have won nine of the 15 runnings of the Golden Shaheen since the sprint became a major race on the World Cup program in 2000, although only one of the past five runnings. *Cont. p8*



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Other Grade/Group 1 winners expected to compete in Dubai are **Big Macher** (Beau Genius), also set for the Golden Shaheen; Argentine-raced **Galicado (Arg)** (Asiatic Boy {Arg}), now trained by Ron McAnally, aimed at the \$2-million G2 UAE Derby; and **Mshawish** (Medaglia d'Oro), slated for the \$6-million G1 Dubai Turf by Todd Pletcher.

Green Mask (Mizzen Mast), who finished second in the Gulfstream Park Turf Sprint S. last month for Wesley Ward, is considered "a strong possibility" to receive an invitation to the G1 Al Quoz Sprint, Talty said, and has been tentatively set to travel to Dubai.

Zayat Stables' **Prayer For Relief** (Jump Start) is being targeted at the Godolphin Mile, but he will join the care of South African trainer and Dubai stalwart Mike de Kock. Several other runners also have been listed as tentative, Santarelli said, but Talty indicated they were not likely to receive invitations.

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Main Sequence

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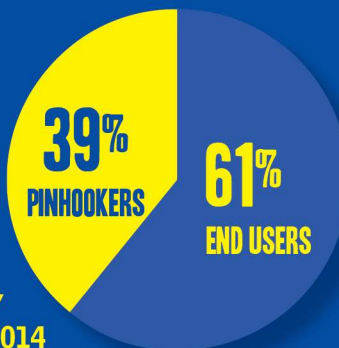
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Galicado (Arg) (Asiatic Boy {Arg})	McAnally	G2 UAE Derby
Green Mask (Mizzen Mast)	Ward	G1 Al Quoz Sprint
Lea (First Samurai)	Mott	G1 Dubai World Cup
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GOLDEN SLIPPER FIELD TAKING SHAPE

With under a week left until the A\$3.5-million G1 Golden Slipper, the field for the world's richest juvenile race is starting to take shape, and it is expected to be dominated by trainers Gai Waterhouse and John O'Shea, who are set to saddle four runners



Trainer John O'Shea
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each, according to *Racing and Sports*. The Waterhouse contingent is headed by race favorite and 'TDN Rising Star' **Vancouver (Aus)** (Medaglia d'Oro). The Hall of Famer will also put the tack on **English (Aus)** (Encosta de Lago {Aus}), **Flamboyant Lass (Aus)** (Stratum {Aus}) and **Speak Fondly (Aus)** (Northern Meteor {Aus}).

Godolphin trainer John O'Shea has confirmed the riding plans for his quartet. Godolphin's newly signed Australian contract rider James

McDonald will be aboard **Exosphere (Aus)** (Lonhro {Aus}), currently second in the betting after winning the G2 Skyline S. Feb. 28, while James Doyle and William Buick will jet in for the mounts on **Haptic (Aus)** (Exceed and Excel {Aus}) and 'TDN Rising Star' **Ottoman (Aus)** (Exceed and Excel {Aus}), respectively. Hugh Bowman will ride Godolphin's **Furnaces (Aus)** (Exceed and Excel {Aus}).

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Sunday, Sha Tin, Hong Kong

QUEEN'S SILVER JUBILEE CUP-G1, HK\$10,000,000 (US\$1,287,522), Sha Tin, 3-15, 3yo/up, 1400mT, 1:21.10, gd.

1--**ABLE FRIEND (AUS)**, 126, g, 5, by [Shamardal](#)
1st Dam: **Ponte Piccolo (NZ)**, by **Volksraad (GB)**
2nd Dam: **Baronia (NZ)**, by **Half Iced**
3rd Dam: **Barron Fey (GB)**, by ***Scottish Rifle** (A\$550,000 yrl '11 INGEAS). O-Dr & Mrs Cornel Li Fook Kwan; B-Ramsey Pastoral Co Pty Ltd; T-John Moore; J-Joao Moreira; HK\$5,700,000. Lifetime Record: 16-10-4-1, HK\$42,300,430. [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree](#). Werk Nick Rating: B.

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2--**Beauty Flame (Ire)**, 126, g, 5, [Footstepsinthesand \(GB\)](#)--Lucy Diamonds (Ire), by Orpen. (€7,500 wnlg '10 TATFLT). O-Kwok Siu Ming; B-Tommy Murphy; T-Tony Cruz; HK\$2,200,000.

3--**Gold-Fun (Ire)**, 126, g, 6, **Le Vie dei Colori (GB)**--Goodwood March (GB), by **Wolfhound**. (10,000gns yrl '10 TATOCT). O-Pan Sutong; B-Michael Downey & Roalso Ltd; T-Richard Gibson; HK\$1,000,000.

Margins: 2 1/4, 3/4, 1HF. Odds: 3-10, 9-1, 6-1. Also Ran: Dundonnell, Ambitious Dragon (NZ), Rewarding Hero (GB), Real Specialist (NZ), Dan Excel (Ire), Gordon Lord Byron (Ire), Secret Sham (Aus), Divine Calling (Aus). [Click for the HKJC.com chart, HKJC.com PPs and video](#). [Click for the free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree](#).

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1 Curlin (\$35,000)	12
2 BIG BROWN (\$8,500)	11
3 Tiz Wonderful (Sent to Korea)	10
4 Into Mischief (\$35,000)	9
5 Midnight Lute (\$25,000)	6

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On Saturday afternoon in Hot Springs, Arkansas, USA, American Pharoah (Pioneerof the Nile) made his off odds of 2-5 look like a gift with his romp in the GII Rebel S. Early Sunday morning, Able Friend was as close to a sure thing as there could be in the HK\$10-million G1 Queen's Silver Jubilee Cup, and the strapping chestnut made 35 cents on the dollar look like the value of the year with yet another stirring victory.

Able Friend, who one year ago to the day was fighting out one of the most thrilling Derby finishes in history with fellow superstar Designs



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On Rome (Ire) (Holy Roman Emperor {Ire}), has arguably become the best miler in the world since. After easily defeating champion Hong Kong miler Gold-Fun in the the G2 Jockey Club Mile Nov. 23 and again in the G1 Longines Hong Kong Mile Dec. 14, he bested Beauty Flame in the G1 Stewards' Cup Jan. 25, each time with condescending ease. He weighed in for this sharper feature at 1267 pounds, fully 48 pounds fitter than he was at the beginning of the season, and realistically, the only thing that could possibly beat him was racing luck. And so it was. Well, almost.

Drawn post four, Able Friend was dropped out to third last as stablemate Secret Sham (Aus) (Shamardal) set the early pace from the well-bet Beauty Flame (Ire). Able Friend had company to his outside throughout, first from Ambitious Dragon (NZ) (Pins {Aus}) down the back and from defending QSJC winner Gold-Fun on the turn, and it was soon clear that the only option available to the white-hot Joao Moreira was a gamble up the fence. Locked away inside by Real Specialist (NZ) (Storming Home {GB}) entering the final 300 meters, Able Friend would have had the entirety of the racing world holding its collective breath, but he was able to just ease away from the rail, causing Tye England to snatch up Real Specialist for a stride, was able to come around Beauty Flame once into the clear and sailed home the clear-cut winner. Beauty Flame repeated the finish from the Stewards' Cup ahead of Gold-Fun. Dundonnell (First Defence) was a respectable fourth, while 2013 QSJC victor Ambitious Dragon finished off well for fifth after racing keenly early on.

"I was just about to call my cardio specialist!" said a relieved trainer John Moore.

Joao Moreira, fresh from his victory atop Brazen Beau (Aus) (I Am Invincible {Aus}) in Saturday's G1 Lexus Newmarket H. at Flemington, was also counting his blessings post-race.

"We didn't want to be on the inside taking a risk, but the way the race unfolded, I ended up being there and I had to ride him for luck," said the Magic Man, who copped a three-meet ban for his actions in the stretch.

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"I was holding him on the hand all the way, and then suddenly the horse that was leading just moved a little bit, the gap came and he just kept on running past the leading horse," Moreira continued. "He has such a great turn-of-foot and he's just so enjoyable to sit on top of."

Able Friend is set to reappear in the Chairman's Trophy Apr. 7 as a prep for the G1 Champions Mile May 3. The world beckons thereafter with a trip to Royal Ascot for the G1 Queen Anne S., with the G1 Yasuda Kinen in Tokyo a perhaps less-preferred June option.

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Luger

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Sunday, Sha Tin, Hong Kong

BMW HONG KONG DERBY, HK\$18,000,000 (US\$2,317,515), Sha Tin, 3-15, NH/SH4yo, 2000mT, 2:01.28, gd.

1--**#LUGER (AUS)**, 126, g, 4, by **Choisir (Aus)**
 1st Dam: Miss Conception (Aus), by Danzero (Aus)
 2nd Dam: Prefer An Angel (NZ), by Mi Preferido
 3rd Dam: Bright Devil (NZ), by Harrisand (NZ)
 (A\$260,000 yrl '12 INGEAS). O-Terry Fok Kwong Hang; B-Bylong Park Thoroughbreds; T-John Size; J-Zac Purton; HK\$10,440,000. Lifetime Record: 10-7-2-0, HK\$15,028,750. *Full to Psychologist (Aus), MGSW-Aus.

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2--**Got Fly (Fr)**, 126, g, 4, Early March (GB)--Godream (Fr), by Loup Solitaire. (€4,000 RNA yrl '12 ARQNOV). O-Marcus Lee Tze Bun; B-Earl Haras De Maquet; T-Richard Gibson; HK\$3,960,000.

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3--**Romantic Touch (Aus)**, 126, g, 4, Northern Meteor (Aus)--Deamess (Aus), by Snippets (Aus). O-Ming Shui Sum; B-Gooree Park Stud Pty Ltd; T-Benny Yung; HK\$1,800,000.

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Margins: 3/4, NK, 1. Odds: 38-10, 11-1, 154-1. Also Ran: Helene Happy Star (Ire), Giant Treasure, Beauty Only (Ire), Anticipation (Ire), Thunder Fantasy (Aus), Contentment (Aus), Gun Pit (Aus), Redkirk Warrior, Golden Sleep (SAf), Obliterator (Ire), Dynamism (GB). [Click for HKJC.com chart](#), [HKJC.com PPs](#) & [video](#).

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The questions surrounding Luger were many heading into Sunday's HK\$18-million BMW Hong Kong Derby at Sha Tin Racecourse. Winner of six of his nine career appearances, he suffered from a heart irregularity after an 11th-place effort in November that cast his very participation in this race in some serious doubt. He was a vet scratch from a Dec. 28 race, but made it back to defeat last weekend's Hong Kong Macau Trophy winner Arpinati (GB) (Lucky Story) Feb. 15 and it was on to the Derby.

Then came the draw.

The bay was assigned the 12 hole for the 2000-meter test, a definite negative with a short run to the first turn, and combined with the fact he'd never been further than a mile, the gelding was friendless ante-post and was as high as 8-1 during the day. He steadily trimmed down, and as so often is the case in Hong Kong, the late money came and Luger was sent off at 38-10 second choice behind Hong Kong Classic Cup runner-up Redkirk Warrior (GB) (Notnowcato {GB}). The money proved smart in the finish.

Away well from the high gate, Luger came across and was handy to the strong early pace set by Obliterator (Ire) (Oratorio {Ire}) and the prompting Hong Kong Classic Cup hero Thunder Fantasy (Aus) (Lucky Owners {NZ}), but was unable to get in and was forced to face the breeze three wide as the tempo remained solid through the middle stages. Redkirk Warrior and Joao Moreira found a good position in midfield just to the inside of the consistent Giant Treasure (Mizzen Mast), while Romantic Touch and Helene Happy Star raced side-by-side near the tail of the field.

Christophe Soumillon still had Obliterator at the head of affairs as the Derby field reached the stretch, but he was soon running on empty, and Luger swept to the front three off the inside in upper stretch. Got Fly, ground-saving for the opening mile for Ryan Moore, worked his way around a one-paced Giant Treasure and inside of Beauty Only to try to make a race of it with 250 meters to run, but Luger was staying on powerfully down the outside, hit the front and held sway for the victory. Romantic Touch, dispatched at better than 150-1 despite a last-out fourth to Luger Feb. 15, followed the winner's move into the final furlong and just couldn't quicken with him late. Helene Happy Star, the former Listed Newmarket S. winner Barley Mow, closed off well for a promising fourth, while favored Redkirk Warrior, the surprisingly strong favorite, met trouble at two spots in the stretch and was never able to fully extend.

"Three wide without cover is not the ideal position to be in, but I just kept telling myself in the back of my head that I was on the best horse in the race and not to worry too much about it--just try to keep him in his rhythm and keep him balanced and keep him happy," explained Zac Purton, who got the mount--his first of the season for John Size--when Douglas Whyte elected to retain the ride on Giant Treasure. "There wasn't a stage in the race when I could make a move to go forward, so I wasn't really left with many other options--I just had to cop it and try and keep him happy and get the job done."

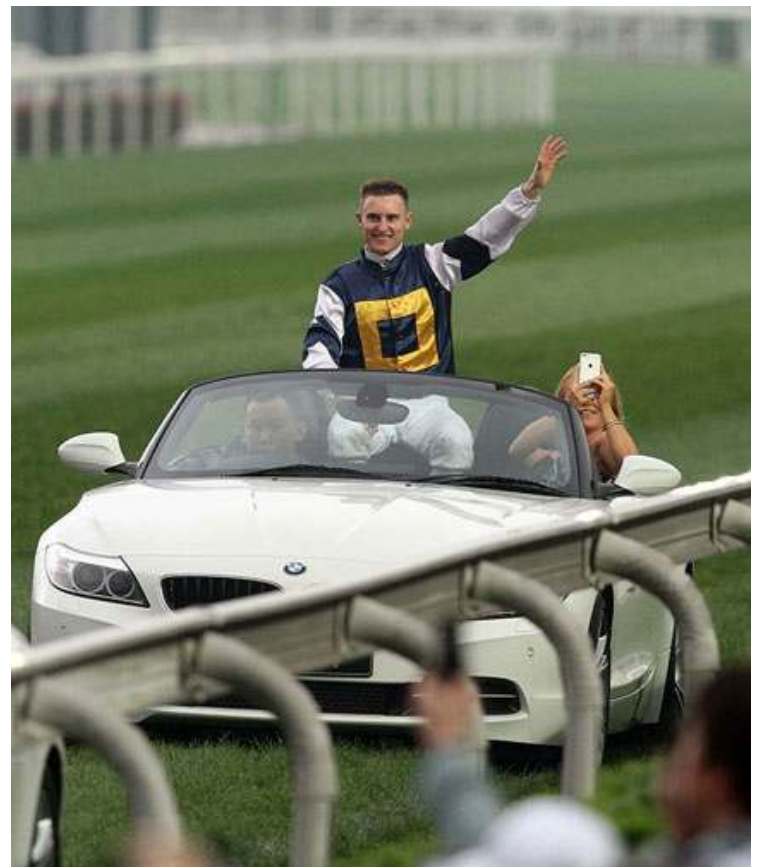
It was the second Derby success in four years for the legendary Size, who sent out Fay Fay (NZ) (Falkirk {NZ}) to an upset score in 2012.

"Luger's always been impressive, every time he has been to the races, really," he said. "He has been a good horse from the first day he set foot on a racetrack. He made very slow progress because I didn't race him very much as a 3-year-old, and then he has been lightly raced this season, too. But he has always shown that he would be a Group 1 horse."

An amusing sidebar to the Derby played out at an altitude of 35,000 feet, as Ryan Moore, who had ridden the Saturday program at Lingfield, had his flight out of London delayed approximately three hours. He landed at Hong Kong International Airport--a fair piece of real estate away from Sha Tin--at around 4 p.m. local time and was reportedly fast-tracked through immigration. He arrived about 20 minutes before the Derby field was to enter the parade ring.

Size said there were no immediate plans for Luger, though horses like Vengeance of Rain (NZ), Akeed Mofeed (GB) and Designs On Rome (Ire) have parlayed Derby success into victory in the G1 Queen Elizabeth II Cup. That 2000-meter event is scheduled this year for Apr. 26 at Sha Tin.

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Zac Purton takes a victory lap *HKJC.com*



Sunday, Hanshin, Japan

HOCHI HAI FILLIES' REVUE-G2, ¥97,400,000, Hanshin, 3-15, 3yo, f, 1400mT, 1:22.50, fm.

1--**@#QUEENS RING (JPN)**, 119, f, 3, Manhattan Cafe (Jpn)

1st Dam: Aqua Ring (Jpn), by Anabaa

2nd Dam: Sea Ring (Fr), by Bering (GB)

3rd Dam: Blue River (Fr), by Riverman

O-Tetsuya Yoshida; B-Shadai Farm; T-Keiji Yoshimura; J-Mirco Demuro. ¥51,330,000. Lifetime Record: 3-3-0-0. **Werk Nick Rating: C+**. [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

2--**Perfica (Jpn)**, 119, f, 3, Zenno Rob Roy (Jpn)--

Stealin' Kisses, by Sky Mesa. O-Koji Maeda; B-North Hills. ¥20,380,000.

3--**Moon Express (Jpn)**, 119, f, 3, Admire Moon (Jpn)-- Amore Pegasus (Jpn), by Mejiro Ryan (Jpn). O-Laurel Racing; B-Saka Farm. ¥13,190,000.

Margins: 3/4, HF, HF. Odds: 2.60, 16.40, 3.60.

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Queens Ring remained unbeaten in three starts and put herself firmly in line for the Apr. 12 G1 Oka Sho (Japanese 1000 Guineas) with a score in this prep. A first-out winner going nine furlongs at Nakayama Dec. 21, Queens Ring followed up with a two-length score over a mile in allowance company over that same strip Jan. 17. Wheeling back another furlong here, the dark bay dropped back to travel in the second half of the field immediately after breaking from gate 17 of 18. Swinging wide off the turn, Queens Ring used the length of the stretch to reel in her rivals under a confident Mirco Demuro and post an ultimately comfortable victory.

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Sunday, Nakayama, Japan

LAUREL R C SHO NAKAYAMA HIMBA S.-G3, ¥67,370,000, Nakayama, 3-15, 4yo/up, f, 1800mT, 1:47.50, fm.

1--**BOUNCE SHASSE (JPN)**, 119, f, 4, by Zenno Rob Roy (Jpn)

1st Dam: Rich Dancer (GB), by Halling

2nd Dam: Fairy Flight (Ire), by Fairy King

3rd Dam: Rising Tide (Ire), by Red Alert (Ire)

O-Carrot Farm; B-Northern Farm; T-Kazuo Fujisawa; J-Hironobu Tanabe. ¥35,539,000. Lifetime Record: G1SP-Jpn, 12-4-0-1. *1/2 to Stubbs Art (Ire) (Hawk Wing), G1SP-Eng, \$195,632; and Floor Craft (Jpn) (Fuji Kiskei {Jpn}), SP-Jpn, \$645,630. **Werk Nick Rating: D.** [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

2--**Ice Follies (Jpn)**, 119, m, 6, Stay Gold (Jpn)--

Lilium (Jpn), by Kurofune. O-Sunday Racing; B-Shiraoui Farm. ¥14,154,000.

3--**Power Spot (Jpn)**, 117, m, 7, Suzuka Mambo (Jpn)--

Sexy Shoes (Jpn), by Paradise Creek. O-Grand Farm; B-Grand Farm. ¥8,870,000.

Margins: NK, 1, 3/4. Odds: 4.20, 4.90, 6.10.

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Sunday, Abu Dhabi, UAE

ABU DHABI CHAMPIONSHIP-G3, AED400,000, Abu Dhabi, 3-15, NH4yo/up & SH 3yo/up, 2200mT, 2:13.50, gd.

1--**@DORMELLO (IRE)**, 125, h, 7, by [Dansili \(GB\)](#)

1st Dam: Field of Hope (Ire) (G1SW-Fr, SW & GSP-Ity & GSP-HK, \$490,647), by Selkirk

2nd Dam: Fracci (GB), by Raise A Cup

3rd Dam: Fancy Walk (GB), by Tower Walk (GB)

(€210,000 RNA yrl '09 ARQAUG) O-Sheikh Ahmed bin Rashid Al Maktoum; B-Grundy Bloodstock SRL; T-Dhruba Selvaratnam; J-Oisin Murphy.

AED240,000. Lifetime Record: MSW-Fr, 27-6-2-4.

*1/2 to Olympian Odyssey (GB) (Sadler's Wells), G1SP-Eng, \$189,358; Ransom Hope (GB) (Red Ransom), MSW & GSP-Ity, \$333,359; and Field of Dream (GB) (Oasis Dream {GB}), SW-Eng & Ity, \$524,519. **Werk Nick Rating: A++.** [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

2--**Sanshaawes (SAf)**, 125, g, 5, Ashaawes--Vicario

(SAf), by Northern Guest. O-Sheikh Ahmed bin Mohammed bin Khalifa Al Maktoum; B-Oldlands Stud. T-Mike de Kock. AED80,000

3--**Vaasa (Ire)**, 125, c, 4, Dalakhani (Ire)--La Sylphide

(Swi), by Barathea (Ire). O-Sultan Ali; B-Darley; T-Ahmad bin Harmash. AED40,000.

Margins: HF, 1, NO.

Also Ran: Antinori (Ire), Ducab (Ire), Zamaam (Ire), More Aspen, Derbaas, Yaseer (Ire), Anahita (Fr), Tinghir (Ire), Ottoman Empire (Fr), Indiana Jones (Arg).

Dormello, a dual stakes winner in France during the early part of his career, earned his first group score and handed jockey Oisin Murphy the opening leg of a feature-race double when scoring here. Dormello experienced a rather rusty start to his campaign, warming up at Jebel Ali late last year with a pair of well-beaten fourths, and the turning of the calendar didn't appear to help, as he checked in a distant eighth in that dirt track's Listed Jebel Ali S. Jan. 9. He perked up a bit when fifth, beaten 3 3/4 lengths, in a Meydan handicap three weeks later, and put it all together to score by 4 1/4 lengths last out at Jebel Ali Feb. 20. Biding his time through the early stages of this turf contest, Dormello was produced by Murphy with about 200 meters to run and nailed the pacesetting Sanshaawes on the line.

"This has been a lucky race for us over the years," said trainer Dhruba Selvaratnam. "We were very hopeful of a big run after he won well at Jebel Ali on his previous start. Oisin has given him a very good, confident ride. Hopefully the horse will get an invitation to the [G1] Dubai Sheema Classic and be able to run on World Cup night."

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OLYMPIC GLORY TO SHUTTLE DOWN UNDER

Sheikh Joaan Al Thani's **Olympic Glory (Ire)** (Choisir {Aus}), who is currently covering his first book of mares at Haras de Bouquetot in France, will shuttle to Arrowfield Stud in Australia later this year for the Southern Hemisphere breeding season.

The decision to shuttle the four-time Group 1-winning sprinter/miler is the first move by Sheikh Joaan's Al Shaqab into Australian breeding.



Sheikh Joaan, Olympic Glory and Frankie Dettori

Photo courtesy Arrowfield

"H.E. Sheikh Joaan is delighted that Olympic Glory will be standing at Arrowfield," said John Warren, an advisor to Al Shaqab. "John Messara's team have a wealth of experience standing top-class stallions and are committed to making Al Shaqab's first venture into the Australian

Thoroughbred industry a success."

Arrowfield Chairman John Messara added, "Olympic Glory is a first-class stallion prospect and as such is a major asset for Australian breeders and also a significant first step in Australia's relationship with H.E. Sheikh Joaan. We look forward to launching Olympic Glory's Southern Hemisphere career with a strong book of mares."

Olympic Glory will stand for A\$19,250 (US\$14,700) and will be available for viewing at Arrowfield's Stallion Open House in August.

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COLLECT THE CASH, 8, Dynaformer--Worldly Possession, by Valid Appeal
Foal born Feb. 4, a filly by Ghostzapper. Will be bred back to Awesome Again. Owned and boarded at Adena Springs. Accomplishments: GISW, \$430,960. Dam of Stately Victor (Ghostzapper), GISW, \$950,704.

HONORIA (IRE), 10, Sadler's Wells--Tedarshana (GB), by Darshaan (GB)
Foal born Feb. 6, a filly by Street Cry (Ire). Will be bred to Giant's Causeway. Owned and boarded at Gallaghers Stud. Accomplishments: SW-Ire. Dam of Maximova (Danehill Dancer {Ire}), SW & GSP, \$248,950.

PERFECT STING, 19, Red Ransom--Valid Victress, by Valid Appeal
Foal born Feb. 15, a filly by Awesome Again. Will be bred back to Bernardini. Owned and boarded at Adena Springs. Accomplishments: Ch. Turf Mare, MGSW, \$2,202,042. Dam of Smart Sting (Smart Strike), GSW, \$413,156.

DANKA, 21, Strawberry Road (Aus)--Paloma Blanca, by Blushing Groom (Fr)
Foal born Feb. 17, a colt by Street Sense. Will be bred back to More Than Ready. Owned and boarded at Pin Oak Stud. Accomplishments: Dam of Bedanken (Geri), MGSW, \$539,629; and Much Obligated (Kingmambo), MSW & MGSP, \$422,371.

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OGYGIAN DIES

Three-time Grade I winner **Ogygian** (Damascus--Gonfalon, by Francis S.) died Saturday night at Old Friends in Georgetown, Kentucky. At 32, he was the oldest pensioner at the retirement facility. A homebred for Tartan Farms, Ogygian won the 1985 GI Futurity S. and 1986 GI Jerome H. and Dwyer S. After standing at stud in Japan, the bay was repatriated in 2005, along with 1992 GI Breeders' Cup Turf winner Fraise, courtesy of Fraise's owner, Madeleine Paulson-Pickens. "When Ogygian first arrived, I received an unexpected phone call from turf writer Russ Harris," said Michael Blowen, president and founder of Old Friends. "He said to me, 'I saw Secretariat and Seattle Slew and all the big races for several decades, and you, sir, have the greatest horse I ever laid eyes on.' I couldn't agree more. We are honored that Ogygian allowed us to care for him for these past 10 years. He was one-of-a-kind."

New York

Sunday's Results:

CICADA S., \$98,000, AQU, 3-15, 3yo, f, 6f, 1:13 3/5, gd.

1--**#NOBLE AND A BEAUTY**, 114, f, 3, by Noble Causeway

1st Dam: **Overandabeauty** (MSP, \$159,472), by Grand Slam

2nd Dam: **Tap Your Heels**, by Unbridled

3rd Dam: **Ruby Slippers**, by Nijinsky II

O/B-My Meadowview Farm LLC (KY); T-Richard A Violette Jr; J-Jose L Ortiz. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 3-2-1-0, \$116,000.

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

2--**Eloquent Tribute**, 114, f, 3, **Tapit**--Mayfield, by Exploit. (\$175,000 yrl '13 KEESEP). O-Michael J Ryan. \$20,000.

DROMOLAND FARM BRED, BORN, RAISED

NBS GRADUATE

3--**Overprepared**, 120, f, 3, **Quality Road**--Daily Special, by Dayjur. (\$125,000 yrl '13 FTKOCT; \$310,000 2yo '14 OBSMAR). O-Repole Stable. \$10,000.

LANE'S END Bred, Raised & Sold

NBS GRADUATE

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

Margins: 8, HD, 1 1/4. Odds: 1.55, 6.00, 4.40.

Also Ran: Hard to Stay Notgo, Spotted Heart.

Just a nose short of victory in the Ruthless S. over track and trip Jan. 4 after winning on debut at this oval Nov. 30, Noble and a Beauty was the slim second choice to earn her first black-type victory and she duly delivered. The chestnut perched three off the rail in third as 6-5 favorite Hard to Stay Notgo (More Than Ready) zipped through a :23.96 opening quarter. Noble and a Beauty challenged the crowd's pick with two furlongs remaining and quickly distanced herself from her rivals to win with ease.

"She gets all the credit," said Rusty Myers, assistant to winning trainer Rick Violette. "I just hang around with her. She was very professional, although at one



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point when he went to hit her, she ducked in a little bit. When he went to hand-riding she just responded very nicely. Two turns has been the ultimate goal, we'll see what we can do on the outer track." Added owner Leonard Riggio, "This was one of the most exciting races I've had with any horse. It's very satisfying to win

with her as her owner and breeder; we've always thought the world of her. My trainer and jockey [Jose Ortiz] both think she can stretch out, so we have some options going forward." Overandabeauty, acquired by Riggio's My Meadowview Farm for \$750,000 as a Keeneland September yearling, is a half-sister to leading sire Tapit. She produced a 2-year-old colt by Malibu Moon in 2013 and a Tiznow filly last year. She recently foaled another colt by Malibu Moon this term. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton](#).**

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3rd-AQU, \$57,000, Alw, NW1\$X, (S), 3yo/up, 1m70y, 1:47, gd.

MARKET CONDUCT (c, 3, **Super Saver**--Charleston Springs {SP}, by Capote), a debut winner at Saratoga in August against Empire-breds, finished third in two state-bred stakes at Belmont in the Bertram F. Bongard Sept. 21 and the Sleepy Hollow S. Oct. 18. He never factored when seventh when stretching out in the GII Remsen S. over the main track here Nov. 29. The prohibitive 4-5 pick was unhurried early, but moved up to sit in a stalking position midway down the backstretch. Market Conduct moved up along the rail on the turn and gained command from the inside by midstretch as a trio of foes vied for the lead. The bay kept a narrow margin and edged clear late for the half-length victory. Persuasive Devil (Closing Argument) completed the exacta. The winner is a half to Sandy's Slew (Limehouse), SP, \$256,998. Sales history: \$100,000 yrl '13 FTNAUG. Lifetime Record: MSP, 5-2-0-2, \$119,000. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton](#).**

O-Klaravich Stables Inc & William Lawrence. B-Robert Hahn (NY). T-Chad C Brown.

VINERY SALES GRADUATE



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6th-AQU, \$60,000, Msw, 3yo, 1m70y, 1:45 2/5, gd. ALL HANDS (c, 3, Unbridled's Song--Away {SW & MGSP, \$277,550}, by Dixieland Band), 12th in his debut going six furlongs at Gulfstream Park Jan. 3, gained Lasix and was sent off at 7-1 for this second attempt. The handsome grey won the battle for the lead and coasted through fractions of :23.70 and :48.05 and was still traveling sweetly snug while against the pine after six furlongs in 1:14.34. All Hands extended his advantage in the final quarter mile to win as he pleased by seven lengths. Arbitrator (Quality Road) made up ground late to be runner-up. The winner is a full to the ill-fated Eight Belles, a MGSW and runner-up in the 2008 GI Kentucky Derby and earnings of \$708,650. He is also a half-sibling to Escape Route (Elusive Quality), MSP-UAE, \$368,559. Darley purchased dam Away in foal to Unbridled's Song for \$2.5 million at the 2008 Keeneland November Sale. She produced a filly by Bernardini last year. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$36,400. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton](#). O-Godolphin Racing LLC. B-Darley (KY). T-Kiaran P McLaughlin.

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▶ Eastern U.S.

Sunday's Results:

7th-PRX, \$49,600, Alw, NW1X, 3yo, 1 1/16m, 1:46 3/5, gd.

UNRIVALED (c, 3, Super Saver--Safely, by Unbridled) made his first three career starts for breeder WinStar Farm and trainer Kellyn Gorder before being claimed by Waldorf Racing Stable and trainer Marya Montoya for \$30,000 in October. He then finished second in the Parx slop Dec. 9 and graduated by 15 lengths here Dec. 23. Last week he was privately purchased by Tam Valor. Bet down to 4-5 favoritism, Unrivaled was away well from the inside and caboosed the field early. Still well off the leaders heading into the far turn, the bay shifted into gear and began to quickly pick off rivals as he entered the stretch. With about four lengths to make up by midstretch, Unrivaled continued to cruise down the lane, catching the dueling leaders in the final furlong and finishing five lengths the best. Blitzensmajikreign (Street Magician) was second. Dam Safely sold for \$10,000 at the 2012 Keeneland November Sale. She is out of GISW Oath (known Fact), dam of GSW Honest Man (Unbridled's Song). Sales history: \$60,000 RNA yrl '13 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 6-2-2-1, \$69,520. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton](#).

O-Team Valor International. B-WinStar Farm LLC (KY). T-Marya K Montoya.

7th-LRL, \$40,000, Msw, 4yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:06 1/5, my.

JUSTONEOFKIND (f, 4, More Than Ready--Queen's Court, by Monarchos), a one-paced 10th when going a mile over the Belmont lawn June 15, was given some time off and was back on the worktab in December. Sent off at 13-1, the grey settled in a ground-saving trip against the rail near the rear of the field. Angled around rivals off the bend, Justoneofakind burst free of her foes to win by 3 1/2 lengths. Pop of Color (Old Fashioned), the crowd's pick, was runner-up. The winner hails from the extended family of GI Kentucky Derby winner Street Sense (Street Cry {Ire}) and MGSW & GISP Mr. Greeley (Gone West). Sales history: \$290,000 wnlg '11 KEENOV; \$425,000 RNA yrl '12 FTSAUG. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$23,050. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton](#).

O-Peter V Demos. B-Patinack Farm (KY). T-Linda Rice.



▶ Florida

Sunday's Results:

11th-GPX, \$45,800, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$62,500), NW2X, 4yo/up, 6f, 1:09 3/5, ft.

ROCK FALL (c, 4, Speightstown--Renda {MSW & GSP, \$160,593}, by Medaglia d'Oro), eighth on debut here last Apr. 12, showed drastic improvement to graduate in a dominant wire-to-wire score over today's same trip in an off-the-turfer at Belmont May 11. The dark bay annexed another six-panel event at the Elmont oval as the odds-on favorite June 4 before heading to the sidelines for the remainder of 2014. Bet down to even-money favoritism for this return to the races, Rock Fall broke towards the rear of the field, but quickly secured position racing three wide in mid-pack behind a quarter-mile in :21.89. Sent up to challenge for the lead on the far turn, he gained command turning for home and opened up a clear advantage by midstretch. The colt was kept busy by his rider and held safe a late bid from Puntrooskie (In Summation) to win by one length. SF Bloodstock purchased Renda, with this foal in utero, for \$130,000 at the 2010 Keeneland November sale. The winner sold for \$250,000 as a FTSAUG yearling. Lifetime Record: 4-3-0-0, \$117,990. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton](#). O-Stonestreet Stables LLC. B-SF Bloodstock LLC (KY). T-Todd A Pletcher.





8th-GPX, \$42,000, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), NW1X, 4yo/up, 7f, 1:22 2/5, ft.

DEMANDER (g, 4, [Yes It's True--Bootery](#), by Storm Boot) was a second-out graduate in a one-mile event here last March for trainer Ian Wilkes, but was unable to return to the winner's circle in six subsequent tries in 2014. Offered for a \$50,000 tag in his seasonal bow--a 1 1/16-mile turf contest here Jan. 30--the gelding finished an even sixth, and was claimed out of the race by these connections. Overlooked at odds of 12-1 for this return to the main track, the chestnut stalked the pace from the three path through a half-mile in :45.73 and followed favored Indian Brut (Indian Charlie) into the lane. Demander wrested command away from that rival in mid-stretch and pulled away to a 2 1/4-length score. Dance Champion (Medaglia d'Oro) endured a troubled trip, but moved late to secure the runner-up position. The winner, an \$80,000 KEESEP yearling turned \$150,000 OBSMAR juvenile buy, is a half to Neck 'n Neck (Flower Alley), MGSW, \$725,562. Lifetime Record: 10-2-0-1, \$72,049. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton](#). O-Matthew Schera. B-A Stevens Miles Jr (KY). T-George Weaver.

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9th-GPX, \$42,000, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$35,000), NW1X, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8mT, 1:48 1/5, fm.

FASHION FUND (GB) (f, 4, [Oasis Dream {GB}](#)--So Silk {GB}, by Rainbow Quest), winless in four starts overseas for Brian Meehan, made the successful switch to American soil for Shug McGaughey. The 4-year-old had not visited the winner's circle since her grassy Keeneland maiden victory in her first stateside appearance last April, but had posted several solid efforts regardless, including a second in the eight-panel Riskaverse S. over the Saratoga lawn Aug. 29. An extremely wide fourth in the Gill Valley View S. over 1 1/16 miles of Keeneland sod to close out her year Oct. 17, Fashion Fund was bet down to 6-5 favoritism and rewarded her backers in this class drop. Never out of touch with the pacesetters in fourth against the inside rail, the British-bred soon launched her bid three wide with three panels yet to cover. Fashion Fund displayed a sharp turn of foot up the home straight and scored by 1 1/4 lengths over Empress Maker (Empire Maker). The winner is a half to Silk Sari (GB) (Dalakhani {Ire}), GSW & G1SP-Eng, \$363,227. Her dam is out of English high weight and MG1SW Gossamer (GB) (Sadler's Wells), a full-sister to GI Breeders' Cup Mile hero and dual high weight Baratheia (Ire) (Sadler's Wells). Sales history: 155,000gns yrl '12 TATOCT. Lifetime Record: 11-2-1-5, \$165,880. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton](#). O-Andrew Rosen. B-Fittocks Stud Ltd & Arrow Farm Stud (GB). T-Claude R McGaughey III.

5th-GPX, \$40,000, Msw, 3yo, f, 7f, 1:24 1/5, ft.
+ **MUNASARA (f, 3, [Bernardini](#)--Lahudood {GB} {Ch. turf mare & MGSW, \$1,695,373}, by Singspiel {Ire})**, a Shadwell homebred daughter of 2007 champion grass mare and GI Breeders' Cup Filly and Mare Turf victress Lahudood (GB), made her career debut a winning one in an authoritative score. Perhaps tipping her hand with a pair of recent bullet works at Palm Meadows, the bay was hammered down to 4-5 favoritism for this initial try. Away to an alert beginning, she tracked the pace in the three path through a quarter-mile in :22.71 and edged closer on the far turn. Munasara took command entering the stretch and drew clear under moderate urging from Hall of Fame rider John Velazquez. Longshot Milaya (Eskendereya) rallied late to gain place honors. The winner also comes from the extended family of MSW Mamdooha (Daaher), winner of Saturday's Correction S. at Aqueduct for this barn. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$24,000. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton](#). O/B-Shadwell Farm LLC (KY). T-Kiaran P McLaughlin.



Javier Castellano celebrates his 100th win of the Gulfstream meet with owner Andrew Rosen. Castellano, who won the ninth aboard Rosen's Fashion Fund (GB), made a quick return to the winner's circle guiding Pure of Spirit to victory in the 10th race and Rock Fall (Speightstown) in the 11th. Castellano rode in Saudi Arabia Saturday and made it to the track for Gulfstream's eighth race after his flight from Riyadh to London to Miami landed in Florida at 3 p.m. Post time for the race was 4:30 p.m.
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7th-GPX, \$40,000, Msw, 4yo/up, 1 1/8mT, 1:48 4/5, fm.

CROWNED HEART (IRE) (c, 4, [Distorted Humor--Justenuffheart {MSW & GSP, \\$373,229}](#), by Broad Brush) reported home seventh after a rough trip when unveiled going a mile on the main track here Feb. 19. Sporting blinkers for this return to action and first time over the lawn, the \$500,000 KEESEP yearling was overlooked at 21-1. He settled in a stalking second as the leader skipped away from the pack early. That foe began to tire after a :47.37 half-mile and Crowned Heart engaged him from the outside turning for home. In charge in upper stretch, the bay colt was headed by Reach for a Kitten (Kitten's Joy) inside the final 50 yards, but fought back along the inside to win the bob by a nose. The winner is a full-sibling to Justenuffhumor, MGSW & GISP, \$533,900; and is a half-sibling to Dreaming of Anna (Rahy), champion 2-year-old filly & GISW, \$2,024,550; and Lewis Michael (Rahy), MGSW, \$811,714. Justenuffheart died after producing colts by Galileo in 2012 & 2013. Sales history: \$500,000 yrl '12 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$24,400. [Click for the \[brisnet.com chart\]\(#\) or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.](#)

O-Live Oak Plantation. B-Mt Brilliant Farm & Ranch LLC (IRE). T-Edward Plesa Jr.

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12th-GPX, \$40,000, Msw, 3yo, f, 1 1/16mT, 1:42, fm. + ASCOT GIRL (f, 3, Rockport Harbor--Cinnamon Girl, by Meadowlake), sent off at over three times her

morning line when 48-1 in this debut, was left at the start and trailed the field into the first turn. Still dead last midway on the bend, she came with a bold six wide move at the head of the lane and powered past the field up the center of the course to win by a half length over Casco Passage (Medaglia d'Oro). The winner's dam produced 2-year-old filly Marching Charging to the cover of Songandaprayer in 2013 and has a 2014 Discreet Cat yearling. Sales history: \$47,000 yrl '13 FTKJUL; \$210,000 2yo '14 OBSJUN. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$24,000. [Click for the \[brisnet.com chart\]\(#\) or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.](#)

O-Augustin Stable. B-David Soblick (KY). T-Michael R Matz.

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6th-TAM, \$20,000, Msw, 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:42 2/5, fm.

WING FOOT (g, 4, [Giant's Causeway--Vignette {SW, \\$132,803}](#), by Diesis {GB}) could do no better than a debut ninth after lacking running room and having to steady in a Keeneland turf affair last April. Switched to the Belmont turf, the chestnut trailed home 12th in a 10-furlong event June 12 and did not face the starter for the remainder of 2014. Newly gelded, he was sent off at 5-1 from an 8-1 morning line and exchanged a bump with a rival shortly after exiting the stalls. Overracing near the back of the field, he finally settled against the rail for the backstretch run. Angled off the inside turning for home, Wing Foot rallied past rivals but still had work to do midway through the stretch. With a perfectly timed ride by Luis Garcia, the 4-year-old streaked up the center of the course to win in the final two jumps. It was a half-length back to Bird Tap (Tapit) in second. Vignette produced a full-sister to the winner in 2013 and a full-brother in 2014. The winner is a half to Lucarno (Dynaformer), Co. Hwt.-Eng at 14f+, G1SW-Eng, \$1,145,464; Thought Worthy (Dynaformer), GSW-Eng, \$342,075. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$11,957. [Click for the \[brisnet.com chart\]\(#\) or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.](#)

O-Augustin Stable. B-George Strawbridge Jr (PA). T-H Graham Motion.

Central U.S.

Sunday's Results:

8th-OPX, \$66,500, Alw, NW1X, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:46 1/5, my.

PAGANOL (c, 4, Tiz Wonderful--Glittering Tax {SP}, by Artax), a distant 10th in the GIII Southwest S. last February for Cody Autrey, was put under the care of Chris Hartman and shelved for the remainder of the season. An even fourth sprinting here Jan. 15, the 4-year-old refused to settle and reported home seventh as the 8-5 favorite when stretched out to a mile at this oval Feb. 13. Sent off at 8-1, the chestnut rewarded his backers handsomely getting a flyer from the stalls and quickly distancing himself from the field. Sean Bridgmohan let Paganol roll to an eight-length lead after a half mile in :47.61 and the closest his foes got was 5 1/4 lengths after six furlongs in 1:13.33. Still going easily, the Kentucky-bred dropped the hammer at the head of the lane and glided away to win by 8 3/4 lengths. Wry (Distorted Humor) and Sheikinator (Curlin) dead-heated for second, five lengths in front of the remainder of the strung out field. Sales history: \$40,000 yrl '12 FTKJUL; \$250,000 2yo '13 OBSMAR. Lifetime Record: 5-2-0-0, \$77,205. [Click for the \[brisnet.com chart\]\(#\) or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.](#)
O-James L & Ywachetta H Driver. B-Bob Feld & Mark Toothaker (KY). T-Chris A Hartman.

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10th-FGX, \$41,000, Msw, 3yo, f, a1mT, 1:40 3/5, yl. GREAT MAJESTIC (f, 3, [Majestic Warrior](#)--Great Humor, by Distorted Humor) was runner-up by a half-length over this course and distance on debut Feb. 22. Given a 5-1 chance to get it done here, Great Majestic was well off the early pace as she rated along the rail. She angled to the outside as the field headed into the turn and circled the field. Four wide at the top of the lane, she came in and bumped a rival, but continued to rally down the stretch. The dark bay grabbed the late lead and finished a head in front of Dating Lady Luck (Arch). Sales history: \$30,000 yrl '13 KESEP. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$32,000. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton](#). O-Farm D'Allie Racing Stables. B-Kinsman Farm (FL). T-Oscar Modica.

LANE'S END Sales Graduate

Saturday Night's Results:

6th-DED, \$42,500, Alw, NW1X, (S), 3yo, 5f, :59, ft. HALF OUR CLASS (c, 3, [Half Ours](#)--Spot the Class, by Holy Mountain), third at first asking versus Louisiana-breds here Dec. 31, graduated as the 4-5 favorite over track and trip Jan. 24. Overlooked at odds of 11-1 in this spot, the gray duelled for the lead through a swift quarter in :21.76, but drifted back to second turning for home. He launched another challenge into the home straight and got the better of Where Y'at Joe Joe (Good and Tough) by three-parts of a length at the wire. The winner is a half to Ruling Class (Mazel Trick), SW, \$311,994. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-1, \$52,480. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton](#).

O/B-Allen Romero (LA). T-Terry M Romero.

California

Sunday's Results:

8th-SAX, \$59,544, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000), NW1\$X, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:44 1/5, ft.

HONEY RIDE (f, 4, [Candy Ride {Arg}](#)--Tarlow {GISW, \$439,740}, by Stormin Fever) got off the mark in her third start here last year before finishing fourth in the GI Santa Anita Oaks in April and sixth in the GI Honeymoon S. trying the turf in May. Honey Ride was put on the shelf for the summer and returned with a sixth in an optional claimer over the Del Mar synthetic Nov. 8 and was second in an optional claimer going a mile here Feb. 16. The 8-5 choice was off the pace and three wide around the first turn. She moved up to sit in third down the backstretch, bid for the lead on the turn, duelled with Sky Mega (Sky Mesa) down the stretch and hit the wire a half-length in front. The winner is a half to Katie's Garden (Elusive Quality), SP, \$159,800. Lifetime Record: 8-2-1-1, \$113,750. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton](#). O/B-Mr & Mrs Jerome S Moss (KY). T-John W Sadler.

9th-SAX, \$57,250, Msw, 3yo, f, a6 1/2fT, 1:13 1/5, fm.

AVENGE (f, 3, [War Front](#)--Lerici, by Woodman) was fifth first out over the Del Mar synthetic Nov. 15 and completed the trifecta trying the main track here Jan. 19. Most recently, she was fourth on the turf here Feb. 14. The dark bay moved up to set the pace shortly after the break. When pressured at the top of the lane, the 5-1 chance dug in and edged clear to finish 2 1/2 lengths in front of Boat Drinks (Midshipman). Sales history: \$650,000 yrl '13 FTSAUG. Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-1, \$44,800. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton](#).

O-Ramona S Bass. B-Lerici Syndicate (KY). T-Richard E Mandella.

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Kentuckian (Tiznow), 4f, :48.00, 8/49
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- PALM BEACH DOWNS
Commissioner (A.P. Indy), 4f, :50.01, 5/15
Competitive Edge (Super Saver), 4f, :49.41, 3/15
Sandiva (Ire) (Footstepsinthesand {GB}), 4f, :50.01, 5/15
- PALM MEADOWS
Big Blue Kitten (Kitten's Joy), 4f, :50.05, 19/27
Clothes Fall Off (Daaher), 3f, :38.95, 4/4
Granny's Kitten (Kitten's Joy), 5f, 1:01.75, 10/20
Prayer for Relief (Jump Start), 5f, :59.30, 1/20

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First/second-crop starters to watch: Monday, March 16

*Sire (Sire's Sire), current farm, 2011 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/BlackTypeWnrs * Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)*

- CABO LOBO** (Salt Lake), 3/1/0
7-PRX, Msw, 6 1/2f, Bobby C, \$5K OBS OPN 2yo, 20-1
- JONESBORO** (Sefapiano), Lake Hamilton Equine Associates, \$500, 42/1/0
- 9-WRD, Msw, 6f, Storm On the Way, 12-1
- [LOOKIN AT LUCKY](#) (Smart Strike), Ashford Stud, \$15K, 175/35/3
- 2-TUP, Alw, 5 1/2f, Sheza Lucky Strike, \$50K RNA ARZ NOV yrl, 10-1
- SILVER CITY** (Unbridled's Song), Valor Farm, \$2K, 33/8/1
- 3-WRD, Msw, 6f, Silver Diablo, 7-2

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DANNY FURR MEMORIAL TROPHY, 2yo, Maiden Fillies, 1/4m, :25 3/5.

- 1--**INDULGENT**, f, 2, [Bernardini](#)--Fast Cookie (GSW, \$557,480), by Deputy Minister. O-Godolphin; B-Darley (Ky); T-Tim Jones; J-Jordan Pruiksma. *1/2 to Frosted (Tapit), MGSP, \$246,800.
- 2--**Overtly**, f, 2, [Street Cry \(Ire\)](#)--Nalani (Ire), by Sadler's Wells.
- 3--**Great Import**, f, 2, [Discreet Cat](#)--Trade Only, by Unbridled.

COWARD TROPHY, 2yo, Maidens, 1/4m, :23 4/5.

- 1--**Unnamed**, f, 2, **Love of Money--My Rib**, by Partner's Hero. (\$19,000 RNA yrl '14 FTMSEP). O-Brooke Bowman; B-Dr & Mrs Thomas Bowman & Brooke Bowman (Md); T-Cary Frommer; J-Adan Moreno. *1/2 to My Magician (Street Magician), SW.



- 2--**Dothat Dance**, c, 2, Louis Quatorze--Guess The Dance, by Austin Powers (Ire).
- 3--**Aiken's Alley**, c, 2, Flower Alley--Bragadocious, by Salem Drive. (\$19,000 RNA yrl '14 FTMSEP).

BRUCE DUCHOSSOIS MEMORIAL TROPHY, 2yo, Maiden Colts, 1/4m, :24.

- 1--**TRADE ZONE**, c, 2, [Bernardini](#)--Connie Belle (SW, \$172,254), by Storm Cat. O-Godolphin; B-Darley (Ky); T-Tim Jones; J-Rebekah Hammond.
- 2--**James Lane**, c, 2, [Bernardini](#)--Brushed Gold, by Touch Gold.
- 3--**Numbered**, c, 2, [Bernardini](#)--Seventh Street, by Street Cry (Ire).

CITY OF AIKEN TROPHY, 3yo/up, 4 1/2f, :53.

- 1--**GLOWING EMBER**, g, 5, [Bernstein](#)--Fanfire, by Elusive Quality. (\$53,000 yrl '11 FTNAUG). O-Dogwood Stable; B-Gallagher's Stud (NY); T-Brad Stauffer; J-Gene Tucker.
- 2--**Bubuzela**, m, 5, Rockport Harbor--Maemy (Brz), by Punk (Arg). (\$10,000 yrl '11 KEESEP).
- 3--**St. Tahaddeus**, g, 4, Love of Money--Glowing Honour, by Honour and Glory. (\$27,000 RNA 2yo '13 FTMMAY).

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STAKES RESULTS:

- BORGATA S.**, \$75,000, DED, 3-14, (R), 4yo/up, 1m, 1:39, ft.
- 1--**#BELLARMINE**, 118, h, 5, **Magna Graduate--Aly Capri**, by Alydar. (\$25,000 wlng '10 KEENOV; \$40,000 yrl '11 FTKJUL). O-Looch Racing Stables Inc; B-John W Phillips (KY); T-Thomas M Amoss; J-Gerard Melancon. \$45,000. Lifetime Record: 23-7-2-4, \$274,405. *1/2 to Aly's Alley (Alwuhush), GSW & MGISP, \$902,210.

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- 2--**School Spirit**, 118, g, 6, Pulpit--Just a Ginny, by Go for Gin. (\$300,000 yrl '10 KEESEP). O-Hardy Racing Stables LLC. \$15,000.
- 3--**Ide Be Cool**, 116, g, 4, Ide--Cool Climate, by Bowman's Band. O-Henry Ray Dunn. \$7,500. Margins: 2, 4, 6. Odds: 1.30, 1.80, 4.90.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

- 6th-OPX**, \$66,500, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:11 4/5, my.
- ROCK CITY ROADHOG** (g, 5, **Valid Expectations--Hanyah**, by Hansel) Lifetime Record: MSP, 28-7-7-5, \$207,077. O-Maggi Moss. B-McDowell Farm (AR). T-Chris Richard.

8th-LRL, \$58,550, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000-\$35,000), C, 4yo/up, 6f, 1:10 3/5, my.

JACK'S IN THE DECK (g, 6, **Love of Money--Thracian**, by Partner's Hero) Lifetime Record: GSW, 16-4-3-1, \$275,914. O- M E Jones & Robin Graham. B-Dr & Mrs Thomas Bowman (MD). T-Robin L Graham.

6th-LRL, \$45,000, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000-\$20,000), NW2X, 4yo/up, 6f, 1:11 2/5, my.

MR. O'LEARY (h, 5, [Tale of the Cat](#)--Gazzella, by Tiznow) Lifetime Record: 11-4-2-1, \$162,145. O-Lawrence P Roman & David Jacobson. B-International Equities Holding Inc (KY). T-David Jacobson. *\$160,000 yrl '11 KEESEP.



6th \$44,000, Opt. Clm. (\$62,500), C, 4yo/up, f/m-FGX,, a5 1/2fT, 1:04 2/5, yl.

STARSHIP DUCHESS (m, 6, [Speightstown](#)--Heir to the Queen, by King of Kings {Ire}) Lifetime Record: MSP, 16-7-3-1, \$189,116. O/T-Louie J Roussel III. B-Hindman Limited Partnership, LLLP (KY). *\$50,000 RNA yrl '10 KEESEP; \$30,000 RNA 2yo '11 OBSAPR.

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8th-DED, \$42,500, 3-14, NW1X, (S), 4yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:20, ft.

CAJUN STREAKER (g, 7, **Burning Roma--Streak of Malagra {MSW, \$162,318}**, by Malagra) Lifetime Record: 54-9-13-8, \$166,757. O-Brandon Hebert. B-Judice Farms Inc (LA). T-Eduardo Ramirez.

2nd-GGX, \$40,062, 4yo/up, 1m (AWT), 1:37 1/5, ft. **MARINO'S WILD CAT** (g, 6, **Marino Marini--Faxene, by Dayjur**) Lifetime Record: MSW, 14-7-2-0, \$240,500. O-G C C I. B-Roy Guinnane (CA). T-Clifford DeLima.

8th-PRX, \$37,400, NW2X, (S), 4yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:12, gd.

TOTAL TALENT (f, 4, **Talent Search--Tubacity, by Dixie Brass**) Lifetime Record: 11-6-1-1, \$124,130. O-Silver Trail Stables LLC. B-Glenn E Brok (PA). T-Ramon Preciado. *\$20,000 yrl '12 FTMOCT.

1st-HAW, \$34,972, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), NW2\$X, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:09 4/5, ft.

CREATIVE ART (h, 5, **Shore Breeze--Creative Miss {MSW, \$288,342}**, by Creative) Lifetime Record: 25-8-10-2, \$176,924. O-William Stiritz. B-John F Haran (IL). T-Scott Becker.

7th-GGX, \$30,069, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000), NW1\$X, 3yo, 6f (AWT), 1:10 3/5, ft.

KRSTO SKYE (c, 3, **City Zip--Princess Lianna {SP, \$224,975}**, by American Chance) Lifetime Record: 7-2-2-1, \$47,820. O/B-Andy & Marilyn Smolich (KY). T-Steven Specht.

8th-CTX, \$27,000, 3-14, NW1X, 4yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:47 1/5, my.

TIZRACER (g, 5, **Tiznow--G City Gal {GISP, \$298,733}**, by Elusive Quality) Lifetime Record: 17-5-2-1, \$101,985. O/T-Bob E Buskey III. B-Woodford Thoroughbreds (KY). *\$450,000 yrl '11 KEESEP.

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6th-CTX, \$26,000, 3-14, NW2LX, 4yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:19, my.

COMEONLETSPLAY (g, 4, **Luftikus--Ginger Crumb, by Hansel**) Lifetime Record: MSP, 17-5-7-1, \$173,116. O/B/T-John A Casey (WV). *Full to Hold On Tight, MSP, \$152,638; and I Got a Answer, SW, \$142,875.

8th-TPX, \$25,825, 3-14 NW2L, 4yo/up, 6 1/2f (AWT), 1:18 1/5, ft.

ANMAAT (g, 5, **Mustanfar--Dufoof, by Kingmambo**) Lifetime Record: 6-2-1-0, \$36,817. O/T-Genaro Garcia. B-Shadwell Farm LLC (KY). *\$4,000 HRA '14 KEENOV.

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7th-HAW, \$23,100, C, (S), 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:46 2/5, ft.

WILDWOOD NAFIR (g, 3, **Cherokee Rap--Nafir {GB}, by Mark of Esteem {Ire}**) Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-1, \$35,628. O/B-William Stiritz (IL). T-Scott Becker.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Top Figure, f, 3, **Big Top Cat--Figurative**, by Broad Brush. FGX, 3-15, (S), a5 1/2fT, 1:05 2/5. B-Circle H Farms (LA). *\$20,000 RNA yrl '13 LTBSEP.

Party Crasher, g, 3, **Desert Party--Meadow Darling**, by Meadowlake. GPX, 3-15, (C), 7f, 1:26 2/5. B-Lonnie Stokes (FL). *\$40,000 2yo '14 OBSAPR.

Whisper Win, f, 3, **Five Star Day--Serene Lady**, by Judge T C. CTX, 3-14, (S), 4 1/2f, :54. B-Adam Letts & Keturah Letts (WV).

Karlyrae's warrior, c, 3, **Majestic Warrior--Karly Rae**, by Indian Charlie. OPX, 3-15, (C), 6f, 1:12 4/5. B-Alex & JoAnn Lieblong (KY).

Little Love, c, 3, **Not for Love--Doolittle**, by Polish Numbers. LRL, 3-15, 6f, 1:11 3/5. B-William M Backer Revocable Trust (MD). *\$27,000 yrl '13 FTMSEP; \$90,000 2yo '14 FTMMAY.



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So Let It Be So, f, 3, **Sky Mesa--So N So** (SW), by Freud. AQU, 3-15, (S), (C), 6f, 1:15 1/5. B-Donald Newman (NY).

Taipan's Advantage, g, 3, **Teufflesberg--Royal Advantage**, by Regal Classic. TAM, 3-15, (C), 6f, 1:10 2/5. B-Lorna Possler (FL).

Additional Maiden Winners cont.

Mi Tia, f, 4, **Colonel John--Racing Quality**, by Elusive Quality. TPX, 3-15, 6f (AWT), 1:12. B-Doug Branham (KY). *\$200,000 yrl '12 FTKJUL; \$10,000 HRA '15 KEEJAN. **Won by 6 1/4 lengths.



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Easygoestiz, c, 4, **Monba--Basket Stitch**, by Tiznow. DED, 3-14, 1m, 1:42 1/5. B-Valerie McNeely Equivine Farm (PA). *\$10,500 yrl '12 FTMOCT; \$78,000 2yo '13 FTMMAY.

Willy Be Wild, g, 4, **Offlee Wild--Perpetual Motion**, by Kingmambo. SAX, 3-15, (C), 5 1/2f, 1:03 3/5. B-Kobak Thoroughbreds, Bramer Thoroughbreds & Benwillaw Thoroughbreds (KY). *\$18,000 RNA yrl '12 FTKFEB; \$60,000 yrl '12 OBSAUG; \$80,000 2yo '13 BESMAR. **1/2 to Royal F J (Royal Academy), GSP, \$472,230.

Chaulk O Lattey, f, 4, **Silic (Fr)--Business Model**, by Bertrando. SAX, 3-15, (S), a6 1/2fT, 1:14. B-Nadine Anderson (CA). *1/2 to Buck's Bro (Benchmark), SP, \$209,935.

Pure of Spirit, m, 5, **Purim--Princess of Ghosts**, by Silver Ghost. GPX, 3-15, 1 1/8mT, 1:51. B-Mckee Stables Inc (KY). *\$3,700 RNA yrl '11 KEEJAN.; \$10,000 yrl '11 OBSAUG; \$5,000 HRA '13 KEENOV.

Van Lier, g, 6, **Stormin Fever--Echo Spring**, by Wekiva Springs. HAW, 3-15, 6f, 1:12 1/5. B-Robert Golembiewski (IL).



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Mr. Owen, c, 3, Invincible Spirit (Ire). See "France."

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Sunday's Results:

PRIX MAURICE CAILLAULT-Listed, €55,000, STC, 3-15, 3yo, c/g, 10fT, 2:09.04, vsf.

1--**PIMENT ROUGE (FR)**, 123, c, 3, by **Evasive (GB)**

1st Dam: **Red Sea (Fr)**, by **Marignan**

2nd Dam: **Kamiya (Fr)**, by **Kalamoun (GB)**

3rd Dam: **Shahinaaz (Fr)**, by **Venture (GB)**

(€15,000 yrl '13 ARQOCT). O-Patrick Tual, Chantal Briard, Anthony Bolis, Lucien Hassine, Helene Petit. Alain Zanoni, Christian de Asis Trem & Roger Del Bucchia; B-Didier Blot & Christian de Asis Trem (Fr); T-Christian Scandella; J-Alexis Badel. €27,500.

Lifetime Record: 7 starts, 5 wins, 1 place, €96,000.

2--**High Dynamite (Fr)**, 123, c, 3, Kentucky Dynamite--Highborne (Fr), by Anabaa. (€7,000 wlng '12 ARQDEC; €45,000 2yo '14 ARQMAY). O-Mme Jade

Prescillia Angelini & Stephane Szwarc. €11,000.

3--**Khareef (Ire)**, 123, c, 3, Monsun (Ger)--Hanami (GB), by Hernando (Fr). O-Guy Heald. €8,250.

Margins: SNK, 2HF, HD. Odds: 5.80, 4.40, 7.50.

Also Ran: Meteoric (Ire), Almanaar (GB), Abraham (Ire), Optimus Prime (Fr), Red Tornado (Fr). [Click for the Racing Post result. Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.](#)

Piment Rouge, who prevailed twice at Lyon-Parilly before running sixth in the Aug. 2 Listed Prix des Jouvenceaux et des Jouvencelles at Vichy, ran second at Marseille-Borely next time Sept. 30 and maintained his prefect tally at Lyon with another win back there Oct. 19. He earned a first black-type badge when annexing the Listed Prix Delahante back at Marseille last time Nov. 9 and doubled up in this seasonal bow. Reined back at the break to race in rear as Optimus Prime (Fr) (Deportivo {GB}) enjoyed a clear lead, Piment Rouge was pushed along in early stretch and swooped late under continued urging to oust High Dynamite in a bobbing finish. "I knew Optimus Prime would set a strong pace so I decided to sit quietly at the rear," explained rider Alexis Badel. "He quickened in very good style in the latter stages of the race. I think he's a really nice horse with good potential and plenty of scope for improvement."

PRIX ROSE DE MAI-Listed, €55,000, STC, 3-15, 3yo, f, 10fT, 2:16.90, vsf.

1--**#PRINCESS CHARM (IRE)**, 123, f, 3, by **Rip Van Winkle (Ire)**

1st Dam: **Gold Charm (Ger)** (SW-Fr), by **Key of Luck**

2nd Dam: **Goldkatze (Ger)**, by **Czaravich**

3rd Dam: **Goldkuste (GDR)**, by **Wildschutz (GDR)**

(€15,000 RNA wlng '12 ARQDEC; €8,000 yrl '13 ARQOCT). O-Gerard Tocze, Carlos Lerner, Yann Lerner, Michel Tocze, Romain Tocze & Mme Sylviane Tocze; B-Malcolm Parrish (Ire); T-Carlos & Yann Lerner; J-Antoine Hamelin. €27,500. Lifetime Record: 6 starts, 3 wins, 2 places, €60,200. *4th stakes winners for second-season sire (by Galileo {Ire}).

2--**Starsic (Fr)**, 123, f, 3, Sageburg (Ire)--L'Hommee (Fr), by Voix du Nord (Fr). O-Mme Anita Louboutin. €11,000.

3--**Runner Runner (Ire)**, 123, f, 3, Dark Angel (Ire)--Distant Piper (Ire), by Distant Music. (€22,000 RNA yrl '13 GOFSP). O-PJL Racing 1. €8,250.

Margins: NK, SNK, 1. Odds: 8.90, 3.20, 4.50.

Also Ran: Urjuwaan (GB), Shanawest (Fr), Annouville (Fr). [Click for the Racing Post result. Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.](#)

Princess Charm closed a four-race juvenile campaign with wins at Pornichet-la-Baule Dec. 1 and Deauville Dec. 26, and opened her sophomore term with a conditions fourth back at Deauville last time Mar. 5. The bay was reined back to race fourth after showing prominently in the initial stages. Last off the bridle in the straight, she was nudged along to challenge with 300 meters to go and came under a late drive to claim a career high nearing the line. "She showed good quality last year and had done well over the winter," commented trainer Carlos Lerner. "She was not quite ready at Deauville, but that race helped her prepare for today. We now have to move up in class and go for a group race, but it's too early to decide which one."

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1st-STC, €25,000, Mdn, 3yo, c/g, 8fT, 1:44.42, vsf.

MR. OWEN (c, 3, Invincible Spirit {Ire})--Mrs. Lindsay {GISW-Can & G1SW-Fr, \$1,201,335}, by **Theatrical {Ire}**), a debut runner-up going 10 furlongs at Cagnes-sur-Mer last time Feb. 11, broke well and raced in a stalking second for most of this turf debut. Cruising to the front approaching the two pole, the 33-10 chance was soon in command and kept on strongly under mild coaxing in the closing stages to account for Makflawless (Fr) (Makfi {GB}) by a snug two lengths. The winner is out of the GI E.P. Taylor S. and G1 Prix Vermeille winner Mrs. Lindsay, who is herself a half-sister to Grade III winner and Saturday's GI Santa Margarita S. second Dame Dorothy (Bernardini). Sales history: \$95,000 RNA yrl '12 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 1 win, 1 place, €17,300. [Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.](#)

O-Mathieu Offenstadt, Bettina Jenney & Francois Rohaut. B-Derry Meeting Farm (PA). T-Francois Rohaut.

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2nd-STC, €25,000, Mdn, 3yo, f, 8fT, 1:45.92, vsf.
+ ROSENAL (GB) (f, 3, Pivotal {GB}--Rose Trail, by Kingmambo) was handily placed in fifth for most of this debut. Nudged along with 500 meters remaining, the 33-10 chance came under further encouragement inside the final quarter mile and ran on strongly to deny Novecento (Fr) (Mr. Sidney) by a short neck in the dying strides. The winner descends from the G1 Golden Slipper winner Bint Marscay (Aus) (Marscay {Aus}). Lifetime Record: 1 start, 1 win, €12,500. [Video](#), [sponsored by Fasig-Tipton](#).
 O-Godolphin SNC. B-Darley (GB). T-Andre Fabre.

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Sunday's Result:

2nd-SRO, €11,000, 3-15, Mdn, 3yo, 8fT, 1:37.50, gd.
SOPRAN ACHILLE (IRE) (c, 3, Cape Cross {Ire}--Sopran Londa {Ire} {GSW-Ity & SP-US, \$145,942}, by Danehill) who ran second, narrowly beaten by the group-placed Yucatan (Ity) (Muhtathir {GB}) in his debut in September, was a disappointing fifth in his second and last juvenile start over 6 1/2 furlongs of this course Sept. 24. He looked like a different horse yesterday, however, and won by three lengths off a 5 1/2-month layoff. The Leonardo Ciampoli's homebred appeared in trouble when boxed in at rail but finally found a clear gap in the last 300 meters and kicked for home strongly. The winner is a half to Cima De Triomphe (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}), Hwt. 3yo-Ity at 11-14f, G1SW-Ity & GSW-Eng, \$942,318. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, €6,494.

O-Leonardo Ciampoli. B-Azienda Agricola Sant'Uberto (Ire). T-Bruno Grizzetti & Luigi Riccardi.

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CONDITIONS RESULTS:

4th-MDM, €27,000, 3-15, 3yo, 7fT, 1:36.80, hy.
SWEET REVENGE (FR) (c, 3, Evasive {GB}--Sweet Alabama {Fr}, by Enrique {GB}) Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 2 wins, €21,500. O-Geraldine Bouquil & Andre Ladeveze. B-Geraldine Bouquil (Fr). T-Thierry Lemer.

1st-LYO, €27,000, 3-15, 3yo, 8fT, 1:48.82, gd/sf.
TOUNGI (IRE) (f, 3, Rock of Gibraltar {Ire}--Tounsi {Fr}, by Sendawar {Ire}) Lifetime Record: 3 starts, 2 wins, 1 place, €30,300. O/B-Jean-Claude Seroul (Ire). T-Frederic Rossi. *1/2 to Fadela Style (Fr) (Desert Style {Ire}), SW & GSP-Fr, \$179,106; and Carnevalo (Ire) (Slickly {Fr}), SP-Fr, \$162,437.

3rd-ANG, €27,000, 3-15, 3yo, 10fT, 2:11.81, gd/sf.
SILVERWAVE (FR) (c, 3, Silver Frost {Ire}--Miss Bio {Fr}, by River Mist) Lifetime Record: 3 starts, 3 wins, €31,500. O-HSpirit. B-Mlle Marie-Laure Collet, Jean Collet & Mme Marylene Collet (Fr). T-Alain Couetil.. *€60,000 RNA yrl '13 ARQOCT; €420,000 HRA '14 ARQNOV. **3/4 to Stormy River (Fr) (Verglas {Ire}), Hwt. 3yo-Fr at 7-9.5f, G1SW-Fr & G1SP-Eng, \$895,581.

1st-CAP, €18,700, 3-15, Cond, 3yo, f, 8fT, 1:40.99, gd/sft

SOUND OF FREEDOM (IRE) (f, 3, Duke of Marmalade {Ire}--Paint In Green {Ire} (MSP-Ity, \$128,710), by Invincible Spirit {Ire}). Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, €12,325. O-Scuderia Effeve. B-Razza Del Velino (Ire). T-Stefano Botti. *€55,000 yrl '13 ITYSEP.

4th-CAP, €18,700, 3-15, Cond, 3yo, c&g, 8fT, 1:38.26, gd/sft

GENERAL SHERMAN (IRE) (c, 3, Teofilo {Ire}--Cromac {Ity} {SW-Ity}, by Machiavellian). Lifetime Record: 3-2-1-0, €14,756. O/B-La Nuova Sbarra (Ire). T-Endo Botti. *1/2 to Kykuit (Ire) (Green Desert) GSW-Ity, \$198,095; and Rockmaster (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) G1SP-Ity, \$225,143.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

+ **Win Coiff (Fr)**, f, 3, [Raven's Pass](#)--Coiffure (GB), by King's Best. ANG, 3-15, 3yo, 10 1/2fT, 2:22.68. B-Breeding Capital V & W McAlpin (Fr).

Imprimeur (Ire), c, 3, [Rock of Gibraltar \(Ire\)](#)--Rotative (GB), by Spinning World. LYO, 3-15, 11fT, 2:28.76. B-Jean-Claude Seroul (Ire).



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