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EASTER OFF TO A FAST START

By Kelsey Riley

The Inglis Australian Easter Yearling Sale got off to a strong beginning in Sydney Tuesday, with gains posted for the average (up 12% to A\$291,667) and median (up 17% to A\$210,000) from 12 months ago. A total of 132 yearlings changed hands for A\$38,500,000—a shade more than last year's first session gross of A\$38,349,250. The buyback rate was up 15 points to 27%, with three buybacks over the A\$500,000 mark. Three horses sold for A\$1 million-plus yesterday compared to four last year, but the number sold



Session-topping Fastnet Rock filly
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for A\$500,000-plus was up this year to 21 from 18. "There has been an incredible buzz around the sale, and day one has certainly lived up to that," said Inglis's Managing Director Mark Webster. "It is great to see Australian trainers and agents working closely with both international and local owners to secure the incredible athletes assembled at Easter."

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SPENDTHRIFT MOVES INTO AUSTRALIA

B. Wayne Hughes's Spendthrift Farm has purchased Yallabee Stud to be the base of its Australian Thoroughbred venture, the farm announced Tuesday. Renamed Spendthrift Australia, the Victoria property will be a full-scale operation—standing stallions, breeding and racing, as well as buying and selling in the Australian sales market. Garry Cuddy has been appointed to head Spendthrift Australia. He previously worked with Vin Cox Bloodstock and [Bloodstock.com.au](#).



B. Wayne Hughes (l) celebrates after Beholder's Breeders' Cup win
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From the desk of..
BILL OPPENHEIM

ELITE EIGHT

With next Saturday's GI Arkansas Derby at Oaklawn Park (100 points to the winner) and Keeneland's GIII Coolmore Lexington S. (10 points) the only remaining Derby preps with points, there are now eight colts which dominate the GI Kentucky Derby discussion, pending the confirmation of **American Pharoah** (Pioneer of the Nile) as one of those 'elite eight' (apologies for the basketball reference) in Arkansas.

Of the eight, two each are trained by Bob Baffert in the West and by Todd Pletcher in the East. Baffert trains American Pharoah and **Dortmund** (Big Brown), who is still undefeated in six starts after a relatively easy win in last Saturday's GI Santa Anita Derby (Beyer 106) over yet another Baffert trainee, **One Lucky Dane**, from the first crop by Ashford's Lookin At Lucky. Pletcher trains GI Toyota Blue Grass S. winner **Carpe Diem** (Giant's Causeway), who also had a relatively easy time of it, though his Beyer was only a 95, following a 98 in the GIII Tampa Bay Derby in his previous 2015 start. *Cont. p3*



Todd Pletcher & Carpe Diem looked ready to seize the Derby Saturday.
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American Pharoah
Benoit Photo

Zayat Duo Set For Arkansas Derby

Zayat Stables will be represented by a pair of runners in Saturday's GI Arkansas Derby at Oaklawn Park in the form of last year's champion juvenile **American Pharoah** (Pioneerof the Nile) and MGSP **Mr. Z** (Malibu Moon). Justin Zayat provided some insight on the pair during an NTRA media teleconference Tuesday.

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Able Friend Captures Chairman's Trophy

MG1SW **Able Friend (Aus)** (Shamardal) scored another strong victory in Sha Tin's Chairman's Trophy Tuesday, the final local prep for the G1 Champions Mile May 3. "I think he ran a little bit under what he can produce, but still he was just too good," rider Joao Moreira said



Able Friend
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'Signal Wows' Them in Breeze

Al Shaqab Racing's G1 QIPCO 2000 Guineas hopeful **The Wow Signal (Ire)** (Starspangledbanner {Aus}) pleased his connections during a work at Pontefract Tuesday under rider Frankie Dettori. Last term's G1 Prix Morny winner breezed seven furlongs at the West Yorkshire venue.

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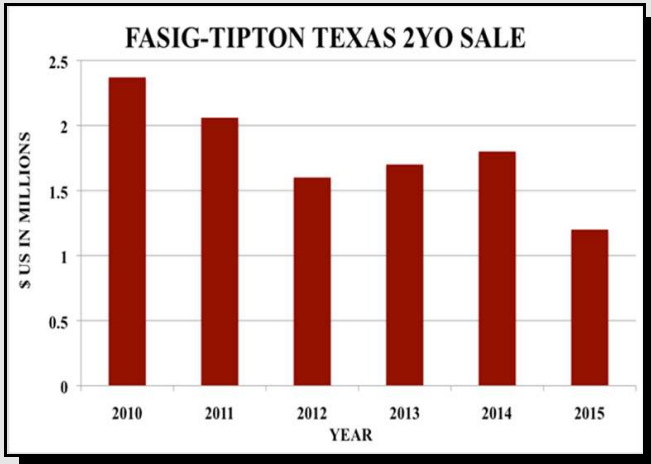


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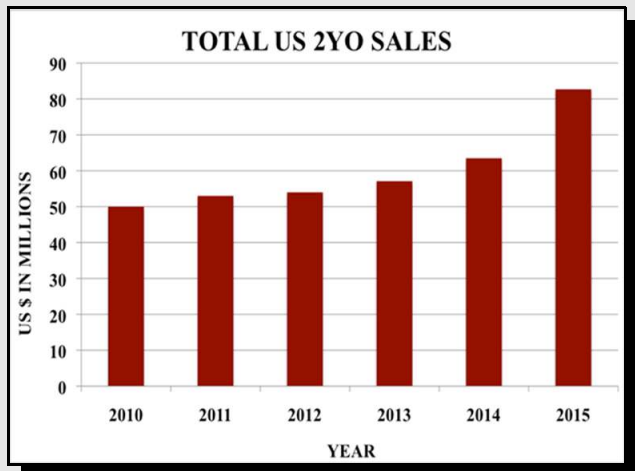
by Bill Oppenheim

"It's not just the boutique sales which are suffering while OBS goes from strength to strength: the Texas 2-year-old sale this year had about the same average as in 2010, but with half the horses sold and half the gross. As a lot of people have commented, that's a racing jurisdiction in trouble, while slot-driven neighbors New Mexico and Louisiana continue to flourish at their levels".

- Bill Oppenheim



YEAR	CAT	RING	SOLD	%W/D	%S/R	%S/C	GROSS	AVG
2015	123	99	66	19.5%	66.7%	53.7%	\$1,161,900	\$17,605
2014	138	124	80	10.1%	64.5%	58.0%	\$1,818,700	\$22,734
2013	134	106	74	20.9%	69.8%	55.2%	\$1,743,750	\$23,564
2012	150	119	80	20.7%	67.2%	53.3%	\$1,575,100	\$19,689
2011	167	132	98	21.0%	74.2%	58.7%	\$2,065,800	\$21,080
2010	223	192	139	13.9%	72.4%	62.3%	\$2,371,900	\$17,064



YEAR	CAT	RING	SOLD	%W/D	%S/R	%S/C	GROSS	AVG
2015	1,024	718	524	29.9%	73.0%	51.2%	\$82,702,400	\$157,829
2014	847	564	388	33.4%	68.8%	45.8%	\$63,481,200	\$163,611
2013	753	512	363	32.0%	70.9%	48.2%	\$57,090,750	\$157,275
2012	828	568	396	31.4%	69.7%	47.8%	\$54,035,100	\$136,452
2011	1,003	668	478	33.4%	71.6%	47.7%	\$52,999,800	\$110,878
2010	935	674	465	27.9%	69.0%	49.7%	\$49,782,900	\$107,060

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Bill Oppenheim cont. from p1

Pletcher also trains **Materiality** (Afleet Alex), who ran a 110 Beyer over a very tiring Gulfstream strip (the winning time was 1:52 1/5) in annexing the GI Besilu Stables Florida Derby in only his third lifetime start. Having only made his debut Jan. 15, he will attempt to become the first horse in 133 years to win the Kentucky Derby not having run at two.

Given that daunting statistic, many handicappers will prefer **Upstart** (Flatter), who ran second to Materiality in the Florida Derby, with a 108 Beyer and 12 1/2 lengths back to the third horse. Upstart strikes me as a horse with the right style for this particular race, as many of the other principal contenders like to race at or near the front, and he can lay off the pace without getting too far back. But he has contested all three Florida prep races: the GII Holy Bull S., which he won; the GII Fountain of Youth, which he won, then lost via disqualification; and the Florida Derby. He's had a tough campaign already. **Cont. p4**



Bill Oppenheim cont.

Dubai's ruler, Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid al-Maktoum, will have a runner via Godolphin Stable's **Frosted** (Tapit), who won Saturday's GI TwinSpires.com Wood Memorial S. (103 Beyer) after disappointing

when only fourth in the Fountain of Youth; and the Dubai ruler's cousin Sheikh Mohammed bin Khalifa al-Maktoum will also have a runner, after the runaway eight-length win by the Mike De Kock-trained **Mubtaahij** in the



All alone at the wire: Mubtaahij runs away with the UAE Derby.

Racing Post photo

G2 UAE Derby over 9 1/2 furlongs on Dubai World Cup day.

Rounding out the top eight is **Firing Line**, from the first crop of Spendthrift's Line of David. He dropped two photos to Dortmund in the GI Los Alamitos (formerly Cashcall) Futurity late last year, and in the GIII Robert B. Lewis S. (104 Beyer) in February, then clobbered the opposition by 14 lengths in the \$800,000 GIII Sunland Derby.

This reads like quite a solid list of horses, at least of nine-furlong horses. That tenth furlong makes it a whole different story, and I'm just not sure I can quite visualize how that might go yet. But one horse who ran like he might relish that extra furlong Saturday was **El Kabeir** (Scat Daddy), third in the Wood after getting far behind and finishing strongly without ever looking like he would trouble the leaders. He won the GIII Jerome S. and GIII Gotham S. and ran second in the GIII Withers S. on the Aqueduct inner track this winter and could be a lively outsider to hit the board.

FINAL FOUR

It looks like a strong edition of the GI Kentucky Oaks this year with major contenders from three regions: the West, the East, and the Midwest. California-based Hronis Racing (John Sadler, conditioner) bought the Curlin filly **Stellar Wind** after she won a one-mile Laurel Park maiden by nearly nine lengths in December, and she's since won the GIII Santa Ysabel S. and last Saturday's GI Santa Anita Oaks (98 Beyer) by 5 1/4 lengths. The Florida representative is the Dale Romans trainee **Birdatthewire**, from the first-crop of the ill-fated Summer Bird. She won the GII Gulfstream Park Oaks (89 Beyer) and the GII Forward Gal S. Larry Jones trains the two midwest contenders: the queen of Louisiana this winter, GIII Rachel Alexandra S. and GII Fair Grounds Oaks winner (Beyer 94) **I'm A Chatterbox**, from the first crop by Ashford's Munnings; and **Lovely Maria**, who gave her sire, Airdrie's Majesticperfection, a big boost with a game win in Keeneland's GI Ashland S. (91 Beyer) last Saturday. They'll all be stepping up from a mile and a sixteenth to a mile and an eighth, but it's sure shaping up as a hot race this year with Stellar Wind and I'm A Chatterbox the likely favorites, admittedly four weeks out.

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SECOND-CROP SIRE REPORT

After the weekend racing, **Munnings** has regained his lead on the [TDN YTD Second-Crop Sire List](#) over **Lookin At Lucky** (the first two both Ashford stallions), though the gap (through Monday) is now just \$34,000 after Lookin At Lucky's One Lucky Dane, as noted above, ran second in the GI Santa Anita Derby; Lookin At Lucky still leads Munnings on the [cumulative second-crop sire list](#). **Majesticperfection** moves into third in 2015 after Lovely Maria's Ashland win, with **Line of David** fourth, Taylor Made's **Eskendereya** fifth, and Spendthrift's **Warrior's Reward** moving into sixth after his colt, Tencendur, ran second in the Wood. Spendthrift in fact now has three of the top-10 2015 second-crop sires: #4 Line of David; #6 Warrior's Reward; and #10 Temple City, sire of Santa Anita Derby third, Bolo.

Summer Bird, who died soon after his export to Japan, ranks seventh, with GI Kentucky Oaks contender Birdatthewire, while Claiborne's **Blame** moves into eighth spot in 2015 after the win by March in the seven-furlong GIII Bay Shore S. on the Wood undercard. Darley's **Midshipman** is ninth, and **Temple City**, as mentioned, ranks 10th. Also with 2015 earnings over \$400,000, in order, are WinStar's **Super Saver**; Darby Dan's **Tale of Ekati**; and the Lane's End duo of **Quality Road** and **Discreetly Mine**. The latter, a half-brother to Discreet Cat by Mineshaft, might just be one to keep a little bit of an eye on.

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ZAYAT DUO READY FOR ARKANSAS DERBY

Zayat Stables will send out a pair of sophomores Saturday in Oaklawn's GI Arkansas Derby in juvenile champ **American Pharoah** (Pioneerof the Nile) and **Mr. Z** (Malibu Moon).

American Pharoah, who took the GI Del Mar Futurity and GI FrontRunner S. in the fall before scratching out of the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile due to a foot ailment. He's made just one start so far this year with a runaway win in the sloppy GII Rebel S. at Oaklawn.



American Pharoah
Benoit photography

"He's been doing extremely well," Justin Zayat said of the champion. "His works have been as impressive as they could be, he's holding his flesh very

well, he's coming into this race in as good shape as we can hope."

The homebred has never been truly tested or pressed so far in competition, and Zayat acknowledged that could be an issue.

"That's a concern to anyone that your horse hasn't been battle-tested, but that's more a credit to the horse," he explained. "He's a naturally brilliant horse. He does everything so effortlessly, and I think that's the reason why he's never been challenged."

American Pharoah has been on the front end for all of his wins, but Zayat believes the colt has the ability to come from off the pace if needed.

"We've actually rated him in the morning behind horses," Zayat offered. "If you watch him on the lead, he's not a headstrong horse that's trying to pull all the way. He's a relaxed horse, that's the way he runs he's very relaxed horse. He's not a cheap speed horse, he's a very rateable and controlled horse."

The multiple graded stakes placed Mr. Z was most recently ninth in the GII Louisiana Derby Mar. 28 and Zayat believes there's room for improvement.

"The horse, to me, still has more to prove," Zayat said. "If you look at [his third in] the [GI] Los Alamitos [Futurity], he was behind Dortmund and Firing Line who are very respected horses on the Derby trail. He's gone a little backwards since then, but he's been training forwardly, he's a healthy, sound horse. He's doing everything right and time will tell if he's a Derby horse."

Zayat concluded, "I honestly don't think he can hold a candle to American Pharoah at this moment...I think American Pharoah is the horse of a lifetime."

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Englehart Confident in "Big Luvy"...

Bridget's Big Luvy (Tiz Wonderful), recent winner of Laurel's Private Terms S. Mar. 21, will make his next start in Saturday's GI Arkansas Derby. The Jeremiah Englehart trainee worked a half-mile bullet in :47.40 at Oaklawn Sunday in preparation for this weekend's race.

"He breezed on Sunday and it was a nice move," Englehart said. "To me, watching it [it looked like it was done in] :49-:50. We looked at the watch and it was :47 2/5 and he galloped out in a minute flat. We're very happy with that."

Englehart is confident that his charge will run well this weekend, and admits that the Arkansas Derby will be a test against top company.

"I was expecting him to run well in the Private Terms and he did and I'm expecting him to run his race this time--if it's good enough to win, I'm not sure, but I think he's going to run his race and it's going to tell me where he's at. As far as his style, I'm going to let him do his thing. Angel [Cruz] knows him, and wherever he put him is going to be fine. I think this will be a measuring stick for him. I think he's a nice horse, and I think there's improvement. Hopefully, we'll see him jump forward off that last race and become a nice graded stakes 3-year-old and maybe a Kentucky Derby horse."

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Far Right On Track for Arkansas...

Harry Roseblum and Rob LaPenta's **Far Right** (Notional) currently has 22 points towards the GI Kentucky Derby and with a good effort in Saturday's GI Arkansas Derby at Oaklawn, could solidify his spot in the starting gate the first Saturday in May.

Far Right, who wrapped up his juvenile season with thirds in the Street Sense S. at Churchill Down and GIII Delta Downs Jackpot S., is perfect so far this year with victories in Oaklawn's Smarty Jones S. Jan. 18 and the GIII Southwest S. Feb. 22.



Far Right
Coady Photography

Far Right will line up against his most accomplished challenger Saturday when he faces off against juvenile champion American

Pharoah (Pioneer of the Nile), however trainer Ron Moquett is upbeat about his chances.

"I have the utmost confidence in my horse, and I don't think we've seen the best of my horse," the conditioner stated. "We've got some room to improve if we're going to catch [American Pharoah], but I think there's improvement there. We're excited about the opportunity to run against a very good, classy horse."

As for race tactics, Moquett said Far Right is going to run his typical race, coming from behind.

"Our job is to break, and go past [American Pharoah] when he's tired if we can," he explained. "That doesn't mean we're going to be eight lengths [behind], that doesn't mean we're going to be 12 lengths [behind], that means we're going to let Mr. [Mike] Smith decide where he wants to go and whatever the pace up front dictates us to have enough time to catch them down the stretch."

Moquett believes his trainee could do well in Kentucky if they make it to the starting gate and that Far Right's running style could be a major asset in a crowded field.

"I actually think his ability to maneuver in and around traffic and start and stop again is going to be in our favor in the big race, if we're lucky enough to get there," Moquett said. "In a seven or eight horse race, it shouldn't be that big of a deal, but I think that's going to become a really neat thing to have is maneuverability and the fact that he doesn't need to have everything go in his direction for him to run his race. I think the thing with him early on that was causing him trouble is he has a very big cruising speed. Whenever he puts on the gas he accelerates and if there's somebody four strides in front of him, the riders underestimate how quickly he'll get there. Other than the fact that everybody, especially Mike [Smith, rider in the Smarty Jones and Southwest] and Corey [Lanerrie, rider in the Delta Downs Jackpot], are very confident in him and they're not in the big hurry, they know that when they ask, they can do it, so hopefully, when they can seize the best path without the obstacles."

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DIVINING ROD PREPS FOR LEXINGTON

Lael Stable's **Divining Rod** (Tapit) registered a solid work last weekend in preparation for Saturday's GIII Coolmore Lexington S. The colt covered four panels in :48.40 at Keeneland Sunday.

"He had a good half mile and galloped out really well," trainer Arnaud Delacour said. "The gallop out was better than the work itself. He took to the track well."

Divining Rod was successful in his unveiling at Laurel in November and was third in an optional claimer at Tampa in December. He completed the exacta in the GIII Sam F. Davis S. there Jan. 31 before a third-place effort behind Carpe Diem (Giant's Causeway) and Ami's Flatter (Flatter) in the GII Tampa Bay Derby Mar. 7.

"He's always showed ability, and I was hoping he'd take a step forward in the Tampa Derby," Delacour continued. "The race didn't set up like we thought it would, he didn't break very well and he had the inside post, so we had to yield him early and he was pressured so he failed a little bit at the end. I think he learned a lot during that race and I think he came back in good shape. He's doing well at the moment, and I'm excited to run him Saturday."

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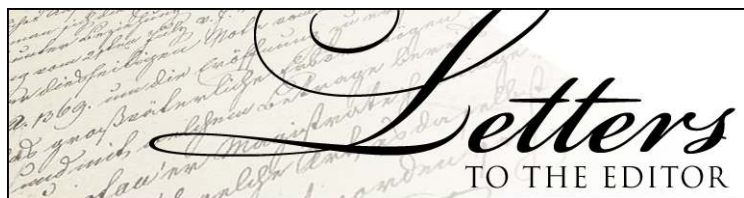

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JOHN ASHER:

Thank you for publishing a Letter to the Editor penned by Elizabeth Blythe, who expressed an interest in the upcoming centennial anniversary of the Kentucky Derby victory by Hall of Fame filly Regret. We at Churchill Downs will indeed celebrate her game-changing 1915 Derby triumph during the May 1-2 Kentucky Derby and Kentucky Oaks weekend.

On behalf of our staff, I apologize that Ms. Blythe did not get the information she was seeking at the time of her call, but we have yet to share all of our plans for Derby 141 with our staff or the general public. In recognition of the importance of college basketball in our region, we usually wait until after the NCAA college basketball championship game (scheduled tonight, as of this writing) for the roll-out of most of the details and information on events in the Kentucky Derby and Oaks Week celebration.

The victory by Harry Payne Whitney's homebred ranks high on anyone's short list of the most important Derbys in its 140 previous runnings. Many Derby enthusiasts rank Regret's front-running domination of males May 8, 1915 as the most important renewal the race that dates to 1875.

Her triumph was the last of three consecutive Derbys that Churchill Downs and Kentucky Derby legend Col. Matt Winn felt were the races that put the Kentucky Derby on the map as a premier American race and an important sports and social event. She followed Donerail in 1913, a 91-1 surprise who remains the biggest long shot in Derby history, and Old Rosebud, a champion who came to town the following year and won the Derby by eight lengths in record time.

Regret put an exclamation point on that successful run when she led throughout against 15 males in the Derby before an estimated 49,000 fans and was, according to the race's official chart, "eased up" at the finish. Winn had dreamed that a win by Regret would generate a flood of national headlines and the great filly's victory--the first by a female in the Derby's 41-year history--fulfilled that hope and more.

Col. Winn wrote in his 1945 biography, "Down the Stretch," that Regret's victory "put us over the top in the effort to get national recognition," and that with that triumph the Derby "thus was 'made' as an American institution."

The Derby's prestige received an added boost from Mr. Whitney, who called the race that his star filly had won "the greatest race in America at the present time and I don't care if she ever starts again." **Cont. p8**



John Asher Letter cont.

We are thankful that Regret did continue to run, winning nine of 11 races over four seasons to earn distinction as one of the greatest horses of the 20th century. It would be 65 years until Genuine Risk became the second of her gender to win the Derby, with Winning Colors--the last of only three fillies to complete the feat in 140 years--taking the roses eight years later.

The names of Regret, the Whitney family, trainer James Rowe Sr. and jockey Joe Notter will be heard frequently and honored during the celebration of Kentucky Derby Week 2015. Her triumph was a key moment in the growth of both the Kentucky Derby and Churchill Downs to their respective and ongoing roles as an iconic event and a revered and historic landmark in sport and popular culture.

One hundred years later, the saga of Regret is one to be celebrated and savored. And we assure Ms. Blythe and all Kentucky Derby fans that it will be.

Stay tuned.

--Respectfully, John Asher, Vice President of Racing Communications, Churchill Downs



No Persuasion Necessary...

Sheikh Mohammed bin Khalifa Al Maktoum has enjoyed a stellar season Down Under thanks to the exploits of his dual Group 1-winning juvenile Pride of Dubai (Aus) (Street Cry {Ire}), and 24 hours after that colt secured his second straight Group 1 in the G1 Sires' Produce S. the Dubaian was at Easter re-investing some of his prize money Tuesday. The dearest of his purchases was [lot 103](#), a filly by Fastnet Rock out of the regally bred



Sheikh Mohammed bin Khalifa Al Maktoum with Racing Manager Tim Stakemire
Aushorse

Perfect Persuasion, for A\$1.6 million. **Cont. p9**

INGLIS AUSTRALIAN EASTER YEARLING SALE DAY
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No Persuasion Necessary cont.

Sheikh Khalifa did his bidding in the restaurant at the top of the sales pavilion alongside his Racing Manager Tim Stakemire, who remarked, "She has a wonderful pedigree and is from a very happening family. There's lots of fillies in there that are all going to be bred up. We have a bit of the family already and we have some nice ones out of her, so we wanted a bit more."

Sheikh Khalifa owns Azumi (Aus) (Encosta de Lago {Aus}), a full-sister to Perfect Persuasion.

"We like [Azumi] a lot; she's leaving some lovely progeny, so hopefully this one will do the same and be a runner," Stakemire said. "The residual of her is quite big."

Perfect Persuasion has already produced a pair of stakes-placed winners in Papillon (Aus) (Rock of Gibraltar {Ire}) and Lady Sharapova (Aus) (Fastnet Rock {Aus}). The latter was a A\$800,000 purchase at this sale two years ago by the Hawkes training team, and is this filly's full-brother, now named Lighthouse Keeper (Aus), and is in training with Team Hawkes, topped this sale for A\$1.6 million 12 months ago when purchased by John Warren.

Stakemire said the filly would remain in Australia and possibly be trained by Peter and Paul Snowden, who handle Pride of Dubai.

"She had a bit of a presence about her, the way she walked--she had a lovely head, a lovely body, beautiful action, and I just think she'll be a runner for us," he said.

Harry Mitchell of Yarraman Park Stud, which consigned the filly, revealed that Yarraman owns Perfect Persuasion in partnership with Coolmore, where the filly was foaled and raised.

"We sold her mother for an equal Australian record price of A\$2.6 million, and she's doing a good job--she's paid everyone back. She throws lovely types, and this was a very nice filly. It was more than we expected, but we knew she was pretty popular."

Mitchell noted the mare has a Fastnet Rock foal and is back in foal to the champion sire.

Sheikh Khalifa secured another Fastnet Rock earlier in the session when signing for [lot 28](#), a half-sister to U.S. stakes winner Scrumdiddlyumptious (Roman Ruler), for A\$675,000. That youngster is also from the immediate family of GI Woodward S. victor It'smyluckyday (Lawyer Ron) and G1 French Guineas hero Astronomer Royal (Danzig).



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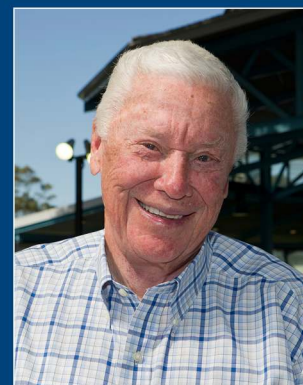
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**INGLIS AUSTRALIAN EASTER YEARLINGS
TUESDAY'S TOP LOTS**

Lot	Sex	Sire	Dam	Price (A\$)
<u>103</u>	f	<u>Fastnet Rock (Aus)</u>	Perfect Persuasion (Aus) <i>B-Katom (Aus)</i>	1,600,000
Consigned by Yarraman Park Stud Purchased by Sheikh Mohammed bin Khalifa Al Maktoum				
<u>41</u>	f	<u>Fastnet Rock (Aus)</u>	Mennetou (Ire) <i>B-Katom (Aus)</i>	1,300,000
Consigned by Coolmore Stud Purchased by BBA Ireland				
<u>79</u>	c	<u>Street Cry (Ire)</u>	Noesis (Aus) <i>B-Mr. D Guihot (Aus)</i>	1,000,000
Consigned by Willow Park Stud Purchased by George Moore Bloodstock				
<u>159</u>	c	<u>Fastnet Rock (Aus)</u>	Saywaan (Aus) <i>B-Sun Kingdom (Aus)</i>	900,000
Consigned by Eliza Park International Purchased by Coolmore Australia				
<u>156</u>	f	<u>Fastnet Rock (Aus)</u>	Satin Robes (Aus) <i>B-Linley Investments (Aus)</i>	760,000
Consigned by Coolmore Stud Purchased by Hawkes Racing				
<u>29</u>	c	<u>Snitzel (Aus)</u>	Lost for Words (NZ) <i>B-Canning Downs Pty Ltd (Aus)</i>	750,000
Consigned by Canning Downs Stud Purchased by Kitchwin Hills				
<u>136</u>	c	<u>I Am Invincible (Aus)</u>	Rivers Secret (Aus) <i>B-Yarraman Park Stud Pty Ltd (Aus)</i>	750,000
Consigned by Yarraman Park Stud Purchased by China Horse Club/Stonestreet Stables				
<u>8</u>	c	<u>Manhattan Rain (Aus)</u>	La Bamba (Aus) <i>B-Arrowfield Pastoral Pty Ltd (Aus)</i>	700,000
Consigned by Arrowfield Stud Purchased by Hong Kong Jockey Club				
<u>28</u>	f	<u>Fastnet Rock (Aus)</u>	Livelifloves <i>B-Caradale Pty Ltd (Aus)</i>	675,000
Consigned by Coolmore Stud Purchased by Sheikh Mohammed bin Khalifa Al Maktoum				
<u>74</u>	f	<u>Redoute's Choice (Aus)</u>	National Colour (SAF) <i>B-Arrowfield Group Pty Ltd (Aus)</i>	675,000
Consigned by Arrowfield Stud Purchased by Shadwell Australia				

“We have been really impressed with the quality at this sale and are very happy to invest in Australia where the racing product is really strong. We’ve had great experiences here.”

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Niarchos Family Lays Aussie Roots...

The Niarchos Family has won major stakes and accolades as an owner/breeder in both America and Europe, and they will look to take their success Down Under as the buyer of lot 41, a Fastnet Rock filly from Coolmore Stud, through BBA Ireland for A\$1.3 million early in the opening session of the Easter sale Tuesday. A half-sister, although bred on the same sireline, to last



Adrian Nicoll (right) trainer Lee Freedman
Aushorse

year’s G3 Princess Margaret S. winner and GI Breeders’ Cup Juvenile Fillies Turf third Osaila (Ire) (Danahill Dancer {Ire}) and G3 Dance Design S. victor Obama Rule (Ire) (Danahill Dancer {Ire}), the August-foaled bay will be the first racehorse for the Niarchos Family in Australia. Nicoll noted

they are involved in a pair of broodmares Down Under: Estelle Collection (NZ), the dam of champion sprinter Lankan Rupee (Aus), with Coolmore; and Group 1 winner Pear Tart (Aus) (Dehere), purchased by Nicoll on their behalf for A\$675,000 at the Magic Millions National Broodmare Sale two years ago.

“She’s for a European partnership headed by the Niarchos Family,” Nicoll confirmed. “She probably has the best pedigree in the whole catalogue. Being by Fastnet Rock is good; she’s a very athletic filly, and you just can’t buy those pedigrees.” **Cont. p11**



Niarchos Family Lays Aussie Roots cont.

Nicoll said a trainer hasn't been decided, but he said the filly would likely remain in Sydney.

Despite being bred Down Under, lot 41 has European roots. Her dam is an unraced daughter of French Horse of the Year and champion 3-year-old filly Detroit (Fr) (Riverman), who also produced G1 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe hero Carnegie (Ire) (Sadler's Wells) and three other stakes winners. It is also the family of G2 Ribblesdale S. winner and G1 Irish Oaks second Banimpire (Ire) (Holy Roman Emperor {Ire}). BBA Ireland has a history with Mennetou, having purchased her for 200,000gns at Tattersalls December in 2007, the year she produced Obama Rule, the first of her stakes winners. She was sold again in that ring four years later for 150,000gns.

Coolmore Swoops For A Fastnet...

The raging popularity of the champion sire Fastnet Rock continued late into the session and Coolmore, which stands the champion sire in Jerry's Plains, got into the mix when securing [lot 159](#), a colt from Eliza Park International, for A\$900,000. The strapping bay is out of Saywaan (Aus) (Zabeel {NZ}), a half-sister to G1 Sir Rupert Clarke S. winner Rewaaya (Aus) (Singspiel {Ire}).

Coolmore's Tom Magnier cited the Fastnet Rock--Zabeel cross, which has produced Group 1 winners Atlantic Jewel (Aus) and Planet Rock (Aus), as an appeal.

"He was a nice horse," Magnier said. "We loved his quality, and being out of a Zabeel mare we know the cross works, so fingers crossed for a bit of luck."

Of Fastnet Rock's success on both the racetrack and in the sales ring, Magnier added, "The breeders have supported the horse very well, and there's a lot of nice types by him around the complex here. He's the best horse in Australia so we're really lucky to have him."

Magnier said a trainer had not yet been identified for the colt.

"The horse we bought at the Magic Millions [a A\$460,000 Fastnet Rock colt] and the horses we buy this week, we'll just take them back to the farm and we'll work them out after that."

Coolmore enjoyed a great day out at day one of The Championships Monday courtesy of Pride of Dubai, in which it recently purchased an interest and will later stand at stud, and another successful owner from yesterday's meeting out shopping for Fastnet Rocks yesterday was Greg Ingham, who owns 20% of the G1 T J Smith S. winner Chautauqua (Aus) (Encosta de Lago {Aus}). He signed for [lot 156](#), a Fastnet Rock filly from Coolmore, for A\$760,000.

"She's a beautiful filly; I think the best filly in the sale," Ingham remarked.

The September-foaled bay, a daughter of stakes winner Satin Robes (Aus) (Ne Coupez Pas), is a full-sister to Saturn Rock (Aus), a stakes winner since the printing of the catalogue. Her third dam is the New Zealand Group 1 winner Lady Madonna (NZ) (Kingdom Bay {NZ}). She will join Chautauqua in the Team Hawkes stable.

Moore Sounds the Battle Cry...

Street Cry (Ire), the sire of three Group 1 winners Down Under prior to this season, has enjoyed an increased profile as of late thanks to the exploits of his fourth Group 1 winner, Pride of Dubai. The late Darley sire found his name in the spotlight once again Tuesday when a colt from Willow Park Stud fetched A\$1 million from Hong Kong agent George Moore.

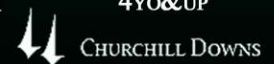
Moore revealed that the son of the stakes-winning Noesis (Aus) (Exceed and Excel {Aus}) ([lot 79](#)), from the family of G1 Blue Diamond S. winner True Jewels (Aus) (Brief Truce), had stretched his budget, but he said his strategy is to strike early this week. **Cont. p12**

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Moore Sounds the Battle Cry cont.

“We like a lot of horses in the sale, but I think the sale is going to be really strong, so with the earlier lots sometimes you just have to spend a bit more, because sometimes you might not be able to get the later lots,” he explained.

Moore said he is hoping to buy “six or seven” yearlings at Easter.



George Moore
Tattersalls

“[Last year] we were running a bit short on stock, where we should have spent a bit more early, so this year we’re starting strong,” he said. Moore said the colt could go to Dr. and Mrs. Cornel Li Fook Kwan, the owners of current star Hong Kong miler Able Friend (Aus) (Shamardal), but it is not set in stone. Should he go

to those owners, the colt will need to start off his career in Australia and earn a rating of 70+ before he is able to be exported to Hong Kong. Racehorse ownership in Hong Kong is strictly controlled by the Hong Kong Jockey Club, which grants its members a total of 25 ballots each year for Privately Purchased Griffins (PPGs).

“This horse, we don’t have a Griffin’s permit for him--just like Able Friend, we’ll have to qualify him. The new rules come into effect next season, [he will need a] 70+ rating, so we’ll have to qualify the horse then ship him over.”

Moore added, “A lot of the big clients are the only ones that will take a punt to qualify them for a permit as racehorses--a lot of the others want to have the permits before they come here and spend at the sales. It’s a very different system to Australia, where if you want a horse, you just buy a horse. You can’t do that in Hong Kong.”

Moore said he would put the colt on the export list nonetheless in case one of his clients holding a permit opts to take him.

“We have six clients with PPG permits, so they might just call me and say, ‘I want that horse,’” he said.

Moore noted the current exchange rate--A\$1 to HK\$5.94--is currently working in his favor.

“Its about 30% cheaper [to buy] than last year. We’ll spend a bit more, because it’s a lot cheaper for us,” he said.

Should he remain in Australia, Moore noted the Street Cry colt could join trainer John Sargent, with whom Able Friend’s owners currently have two other horses awaiting export.

“We haven’t decided on a trainer yet, but John Sargent is training the other two, so the owner might want all the horses together in the same stable,” Moore said.

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Horse	Sire	Race	BRIS Speed
Kobe's Back	Flatter	Commonwealth S.-G3	109
Frosted	Tapit	Twinspires.com Wood Memorial S.-G1	107
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Enchanting Lady	Tale of the Cat	Santa Paula S.	99
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Az Ridge	Toccet	Wildcat H.	97
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Charlie's Brother	With Distinction	Ocala Breeders' Sales Sophomore S.	92
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CHC, Stonestreet An Invincible Force...

While the older proven sires dominated proceedings yesterday, a young gun in I Am Invincible (Aus) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}) also got his name among the sale toppers when Stonestreet Stables partnered with the China Horse Club to secure [lot 136](#), a colt by that



Michael Wallace
Aushorse

champion first-season sire. Consigned by Yarraman Park, which stands I Am Invincible, the bay is a half to the Singapore stakes-placed Peace No War (Aus) (War Pass).

The China Horse Club’s Michael Wallace explained, “John [Moynihan] and Barbara [Banke] really liked the horse, so it just made sense to partner up on a great colt.”

Wallace noted the bay would go into training with Peter and Paul Snowden, who also condition Miracles of Life (Aus) (Not A Single Doubt {Aus}) for Stonestreet. Stonestreet purchased Miracles of Life, winner of the G1 Blue Diamond S. as a juvenile, for A\$900,000 at last year’s Magic Millions National Broodmare Sale and she has since won the G2 Challenge S. for them. **Cont. p13**



CHC, Stonestreet an Invincible Force cont.

Wallace said he thought Tuesday's opening session was tough for anything below the top rung.

"Without seeing the statistics, [the market is] probably a little polarized," he remarked. "The horses that aren't quite up to the mark for one reason or the next are really struggling."

B. Wayne Hughes's Spendthrift Farm was also in action Tuesday, purchasing a More Than Ready filly for A\$200,000 and a colt from the last crop of Northern Meteor (Aus) for A\$350,000.

Also hitting the A\$750,000 mark Tuesday was [lot 29](#), a Snitzel (Aus) (Redoute's Choice {Aus}) colt purchased by Kitchwin Hills' Michael Malone for an undisclosed client.

"We've had a bit of luck with Snitzels with the client I've purchased it for, and the Zabeel--Snitzel cross [has worked well]," Malone explained. "This colt I felt wasn't as bullish and heavy as some of the Snitzel colts in the sale, which I think is really important with a Snitzel. He's really elegant, and he has a bit of Zabeel about him also. I love Snitzel and Redoute's, and he's a nice horse so I'm very happy."

The second session of the Easter sale kicks off at 11 a.m. local time Wednesday.

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First Australian Purchase for Jacksons...

by Jessica Martini

While Roy and Gretchen Jackson were in the U.S. coping with a sick horse, trainer Gai Waterhouse was busy picking out the couple's first Australian purchase at Tuesday's first session of the Inglis Australian Easter Yearling Sale. Waterhouse signed the ticket at A\$460,000 to secure the filly by Encosta de Lago (Aus) on behalf of the Jacksons, who campaigned GI Kentucky Derby winner Barbaro.



Roy and Gretchen Jackson
Horsephotos

"It was a spur of the moment decision," Gretchen Jackson said of the purchase Tuesday afternoon. "And also we respect the breeding

down there and we wanted a filly. And we think Gai Waterhouse is a good trainer and Marette Farrell is the contact person and we really respect her, too. All things were a plus."

Waterhouse's instructions were simple. "We told her strictly fillies and gave her a price tag," Jackson said of the couple's wish list.

Jackson admitted the new addition to the couple's Lael Stables hasn't quite sunk in yet.

"We just had a horse colic and I had to put her down last night," Jackson explained. "I spent from 2:30 to midnight with this horse and--I'm not complaining--but my mind was on that horse."

Jackson continued, "And that horse was an exceptional horse--she ran 100 times. She was 25 and I was very fond of her. She was a work horse, tough as nails. So I haven't had much time to get excited over this because I'm still recovering. But it's great. I'm very excited about her. I saw a picture of her and she is beautiful."

The yearling, who sold as [lot 75](#), is out of Canadian stakes winner Native Legend (Tale of the Cat), a half-sister to graded stakes winner Prized Stamp (Prized). She was consigned by Coolmore Stud.

"I'm delighted to buy this horse for the Jacksons," Waterhouse commented. "Marette Farrell, who worked down here for me, suggested that they might be interested. We looked at several horses, but ended up on this one."

Jackson did not rule out future Australian purchases.

"If the price is right and everything goes perfectly, we'd welcome that opportunity," Jackson commented. "But right now, we're still dealing with this purchase."

The bay filly could also be the impetus for a trip. Asked if she and her husband had been to Australia, Jackson said, "No. But this would be an inspiration to go. Now we have to go. We're getting crazy in our old age. We're trying to stay with it and young and everything. Maybe this is a new venture and we'll find the fountain of youth in Australia."

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424, f, [Fastnet Rock \(Aus\)](#)--Gold Anthem (Aus), by Made of Gold

Consigned by Milburn Creek

This late August foal is not only a half-sister to the Australian and European champion Starspangledbanner (Aus) (Choisir {Aus}); she also hails from one of the most exciting families in the Australian stud book. Her second dam is a half-sister to the G1 Australian Oaks winner Circles of Gold (Aus) (Marscaj {Aus}), who is also the dam of multiple Group 1 winners Elvstroem (Aus) (Danehill) and Haradasun (Aus) (Fusaichi Pegasus), as well as Hveger (Aus) (Danehill), the dam of Coolmore's exciting European 3-year-old Highland Reel (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}). This filly is also closely related to G1 Thousand Guineas scorer Amicus (Aus) (Fastnet Rock {Aus}), who is out of her half-sister Gold Chant (Aus) (El Moxie). Gold Anthem had a full-brother to this filly sell for A\$2.4 million to John Warren at this sale in 2013, and last year her full-brother to Starspangledbanner fetched A\$450,000 from Sheikh Khalifa. He is now named Barood (Aus) and is in training with Peter and Paul Snowden.

437, f, [Fastnet Rock \(Aus\)](#)--Hips Don't Lie (NZ), by Stravinsky

Consigned by Coolmore Stud

Bred on the same cross at four-time Group 1 winner Mosheen (Aus) (Fastnet Rock {Aus}), this filly is the third foal out of the G2 Reisling S. winner Hips Don't Lie, whose first two foals made A\$900,000 and A\$1 million through this ring. The latter is the filly Lake Geneva (Aus) (Fastnet Rock {Aus}), who is likely the highest-rated maiden in the country, having finished third in both the G1 Blue Diamond S. and G1 Golden Slipper, Australia's two most important juvenile races, since the catalogue.

535, f, [Stratum \(Aus\)](#)--Dance Girl Dance (Aus), by Made of Gold

Consigned by Widden Stud

This bay's half-sister Flamenco Girl (Aus) (Snitzel {Aus}) was picked up by trainer Danny Bougoure for A\$220,000 on the Gold Coast last year, and won at first asking in November. Her apparent talent should help the merits of her younger sister, whose dam is a half-sister to the G2 Bill Stutt S. winner Hollowlea (Aus) (Hidden Dragon {Aus}).

565, c, [Commands \(Aus\)](#)--Loch Maryanne (Aus), by General Nediym (Aus)

Consigned by Kanangra

This early-September foal is the first progeny of Loch Maryanne, a half-sister to Group 3 winner Rezone (Aus) (Electric Zone) and stakes winner Danyon (Aus) (Success Express). Another half-sister to the dam has produced a stakes winner in South Africa.

585, c, [So You Think \(NZ\)](#)--Passageway, by Gold Fever

Consigned by Tyreel Stud

By the 10-time Group 1-winning first-season sire So You Think, this colt is out of a half-sister to the dam of GIII Miss Preakness S. winner Palanka City (Carson City). His third dam is Crimson Saint, who produced GI Breeders' Cup Mile and G1 July Cup winner Royal Academy (Nijinsky) as well as Terlingua (Secretariat), the dam of Storm Cat (Storm Bird), and Grade II winner Pancho Villa (Secretariat). It is also the family of Group 1/Grade I winners Crowded House (GB) (Rainbow Quest) and Ticker Tape (GB) (Royal Applause {GB}).

593, c, [Snitzel \(Aus\)](#)--Portrait (Aus), by Octagonal (NZ)

Consigned by Broadwater Thoroughbreds

By one of the hottest Australian sires at the moment in Snitzel, this September foal is a half-brother to the stakes-placed and 10-time winner Raeburn (Aus) (Danehill Dancer {Ire}). Further down the page is Group 2 winner and sire Jet Spur (Aus) (Flying Spur {Aus}).

Spendthrift Moves to Australia cont. from p1

The farm has already purchased two yearlings during the opening session of the Inglis Easter Yearling Sale Tuesday, for a total of \$A550,000.

Located in the Macedon Ranges in Romsey, Victoria, Yallambee is set on 602 acres. Recent Group 1 winners foaled and raised at the stud include G1 Sportingbet Classic S. heroine Rostova (Aus) (Testa Rossa {Aus}) and Rock Kingdom (Aus) (Rock of Gibraltar {Ire}). Yallambee also kickstarted the stud career of successful Australian sire Testa Rossa (Aus) (Perugino).

"Joining the Australian Thoroughbred community, with its great horsemen and long-standing traditions, is one of the most exciting things we've ever done here at Spendthrift, and it's something we've aspired to do for a long time," said Hughes, who has owned Spendthrift since 2004. "Spendthrift has always taken a real partnership approach with our breeders in the United States, and will look to do the same thing in Australia."

Ned Toffey, Spendthrift General Manager, added, "We have been impressed with the quality of bloodstock in Australia and how vibrant the industry is as a whole. We are excited to develop an operation in Australia that mirrors what we have built in the States. Through the stallions we stand and the programs we offer, we have always tried to provide breeders the best value possible, and we will look to replicate this at Spendthrift Australia." ***Cont. p15***



Spendthrift Moves to Australia cont.

“This is a very exciting opportunity for me, and our programs will be great for the Australian industry,” said Cuddy. “We have plans to stand stallions in 2015 at the former Yallabee Stud, and will announce our roster in the near future. We are delighted to announce that Rick and Christie Woodard have agreed to stay on and manage the farm. They bring a wealth of knowledge and many years of experience with them, which is great for Spendthrift.”

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Saturday, Royal Randwick, post time: 2:35 a.m. EDT

LONGINES QUEEN ELIZABETH S.-G1, A\$4,000,000 (US\$3,056,996),

3yo/up, 2000mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	13	Contributer (Ire)	High Chaparral (Ire)	McDonald	O'Shea	130
2	4	Criterion (NZ)	Sebring (Aus)	Williams	Hys & Dbrn	130
3	9	Happy Trails (Aus)	Good Journey	Oliver	Beshara	130
4	3	Red Cadeaux (GB)	Cdeux Genrux (GB)	No Rider	Dunlop	130
5	7	Fiveandahalfstar (Aus)	Hotel Grand (Aus)	Shinn	Cummings	130
6	1	Beaten Up (GB)	Beat Hollow GB)	Schofield	Waller	130
7	6	Spillway (GB)	Rail Link (GB)	Walker	Hys & Dbrn	130
8	2	Aomen (Ire)	Shamardal	Boss	Cummings	130
9	12	Adelaide (Ire)	Galileo (Ire)	Moore	Waller	129
10	5	To The World (Jpn)	King Kamhma (Jpn)	No Rider	Ikee	129
11	11	Tosen Stardom (Jpn)	Deep Impact (Jpn)	Berry	Ikee	129
12	10	Royal Descent (Aus)	Redt's Choice (Aus)	Moreira	Waller	125
13	8	Lucia Valentina (NZ)	Savabeel (Aus)	Bowman	Lees	125

Saturday, Royal Randwick, post time: 1:55 a.m. EDT

SCHWEPES SYDNEY CUP-G1, A\$1,600,000 (US\$1,222,436),

3yo/up, 3200mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	2	Protectionist (Ger)	Monsun (Ger)	Williams	Lees	128
2	5	Dominant (Ire)	Cacique (Ire)	Moreira	Moore	124
3	12	Red Cadeaux (GB)	Cadeux Genrux (GB)	Bowman	Dunlop	124
4	10	Who Sht Thbrmn (NZ)	Yamanin Vitl (NZ)	Shinn	Waller	120
5	9	Au Revoir (Ire)	Singspiel (Ire)	McEvoy	Moody	119
6	7	Hartnell (GB)	Authorized (Ire)	Berry	O'Shea	115
7	11	Akzar (Ire)	Selkirk	No Rider	Weir	115
8	1	Big Memory (Fr)	Duk Of Mrmlde (Ire)	Boss	McEvoy	115
9	6	Like a Carousel (Aus)	Helike	Schofield	Keys	115
10	3	Renew (Ire)	Dansili (GB)	Clark	Alexander	115
11	4	Grand Marshal (GB)	Dansili (GB)	Cassidy	Waller	115
12	8	Don Doremo (NZ)	Don Eduardo (NZ)	Clipperton	Laing	115

Saturday, Royal Randwick, post time: 1:15 a.m. EDT

CELLARBRATIONS QUEEN OF THE TURF S.-G1, A\$1,000,000

(US\$764,569), 3yo/up, f/m, 1600mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	4	Csmic Endeavour (Aus)	Nrthn Mtro (Aus)	Berry	Waterhse	125
2	10	Catkins (Aus)	Dubawi (Ire)	Moreira	Waller	125
3	15	Diademe (NZ)	Savabeel (Aus)	Moore	Baker	125
4	11	Diamond Drille (Aus)	Al Maher (Aus)	Shinn	Waterhse	125
5	1	Bonaria (Aus)	Rdt's Chce (Aus)	Bowman	Hyland	125
6	7	Noble Protector (GB)	Haafhd (GB)	Williams	Smerdon	125
7	13	Sports Illustrated (NZ)	Ft 'N' Fmos (Aus)	Bosson	Baker	125
8	12	Gypsy Diamond (Aus)	Nt a Sngl Dbt (Aus)	Clipperton	P & P Snwdn	125
9	3	Amanpour (Aus)	Nrthn Metor (Aus)	McEvoy	Waterhouse	125
10	14	Hera (NZ)	O'Reilly (NZ)	Avdulla	Lees	125
11	2	Intimate Moment (NZ)	Dubawi (Ire)	Purton	Waller	125
12	5	Telepathic (NZ)	Mossman (Aus)	Boss	Waller	125
13	6	Just a Blur (Aus)	Dne Shdow (Aus)	Collett	Jsph & Jns	125
14	8	First Seal (Aus)	Fastnt Rock (Aus)	McDonld	Thompson	120
15	9	Amicus (Aus)	Fastnt Rock (Aus)	Oliver	Waller	120

Saturday, Royal Randwick, post time: 12:35 a.m. EDT

ATC OAKS-G1, A\$1,000,000 (US\$764,569), 3yo, f, 2400mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	11	Thunder Lady (NZ)	Mastrcftman (Ire)	Purton	Sargent	123
2	1	Winx (Aus)	Street Cry (Ire)	Moreira	Waller	123
3	8	Fenway (Aus)	High Chparal (Ire)	No Rider	L & S Hope	123
4	12	Savaria (NZ)	Savabeel (Aus)	McDonld	Bergerson	123
5	2	Candelara (Aus)	Real Saga (Aus)	Bowman	Baker	123
6	6	Sweet an Speedy (Aus)	Street Cry (Ire)	Schofield	Moody	123
7	5	Wine Tales (Aus)	Tale of the Cat	Berry	Waller	123
8	3	Adrift (NZ)	Zabeel (NZ)	Oliver	Waterhouse	123
9	10	Rustic Melody (Aus)	Snitzel (Aus)	Avdulla	Lees	123
10	13	Ballet Suite (Aus)	High Chparal (Ire)	Moore	Waller	123
11	4	Wildenstein (Aus)	Rdt's Chce (Aus)	Loy	Perry	123
12	7	Gust of Wind (NZ)	Darci Brhma (NZ)	Angland	Sargent	123
13	9	Zarzali (Aus)	Hussonet	Williams	B & J Cmigs	123

Tuesday, Sha Tin, Hong Kong

CHAIRMAN'S TROPHY, HK\$3,875,000 (US\$499,861),

Sha Tin, 4-7, 3yo/up, 1600mT, 1:33.76, gd/fm.

1--**ABLE FRIEND (AUS), 128, g, 5, Shamardal--Ponte Piccolo (NZ), by Volksraad (GB).** (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\$2,208,750. Lifetime Record: MG1SW-HK, 17-11-4-1, HK\$44,509,180.

2--**Beauty Flame (Ire), 123, g, 5, Footstepsinthesand (GB)--Lucy Diamonds (Ire), by Orpen.** (€7,500 wnlg '10 TATFLT). O-Kwok Siu Ming. HK\$852,500.

3--**Rewarding Hero (GB), 123, g, 6, Exceed and Excel (Aus)--Caldy Dancer (Ire), by Soviet Star.** (80,000gns yrl '10 TATOCT). O-Lee Fung Tai. HK\$445,625.

Margins: 1 1/4, NO, NK. Odds: 1-10, 8-1, 11-1.

Also Ran: Dan Excel (Ire), Real Specialist (NZ), Glorious Days (Aus), Secret Sham (Aus), Rainbow Chic (Ire).

Carrying a five-pound penalty as one of two Group 1 winners in the field and weighing in better than 20 pounds heavier than he was for his last-out defeat of Beauty Flame in the G1 Queen's Silver Jubilee Cup Mar. 15, Able Friend was fractionally less brilliant than he has been in four previous runs, but nevertheless proved far too strong in this final local prep for the G1 Champions Mile May 3.



Able Friend racks up another one Tuesday at Sha Tin *HKJC.com*

The second highest-rated horse according the Longines World's Best Racehorse Rankings on the strength of wins in the G1 Longines Hong Kong Mile, the G1 Stewards Cup over 1600 meters and the aforementioned seven-furlong Queen's Silver Jubilee Cup, the big chestnut started a dime on the dollar Tuesday and jumped well to race in a more forward position than his last couple of runs as Beauty Flame burned across from the eight hole to take up the running. With Joao Moreira riding the heavy favorite in his typical quiet fashion, Able Friend was carted into the stretch by his stablemate Secret Sham (Aus) (Shamardal) before peeling off that one's heels in upper stretch. **Cont. p16**



Chairman's Trophy cont.

Having enjoyed a reasonably soft time of it on the lead, Beauty Flame had something left when confronted by Able Friend, who felt a rare left-handed whip inside the final 200 meters, but the result really never looked in serious doubt, as the certain Horse of the Year had a clear margin to spare over the pacesetter and Rewarding Hero, who closed off nicely from last.

"I think he ran a little bit under what he can produce, but still he was just too good," Moreira said of Able Friend, who, despite being short of his best, still clocked :21.96 for his final 400 meters. "He put himself in a perfect position and the race panned out for us. He got a clear run in the straight and I just had to help him out to get up to top speed, and he just got there." [Click for the HKJC.com chart, HKJC.com PPs and video.](#)

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RED CADEAUX TO QUEEN ELIZABETH

Ed Dunlop will keep **Red Cadeaux (GB)** (Cadeaux Genereux {GB}) over a mile and a quarter after declaring his entry in the G1 Longines Queen Elizabeth S. at Randwick Saturday, Apr. 11. The Newmarket handler had been considering letting the three-time G1 Melbourne Cup runner-up contest the G1 Schweppes Sydney Cup over two miles on the same card. However, due to a prolonged wet spell at the track turning the ground soft, Dunlop has opted to instead run the 9-year-old in the 10 furlong contest. It will be the second race in succession that Red Cadeaux has run over the trip after finishing fifth in the G1 Australian Cup at Flemington last month.

"The excellent Kerrin McEvoy will ride as Hugh Bowman is set to partner Lucia Valentina (NZ)," Dulop posted on his website. "The weather has been the overriding factor in our decision, with Sydney having experienced an extremely wet week. Obviously **Contributer (Ire)** (High Chaparral {Ire}) and **Adelaide (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}) will be tough to beat, but the Sydney Cup is a vintage renewal in itself with **Protectionist (Ger)** (Monsun {Ger}), **Who Shot Thebarman (NZ)** (Yamanin Vital {NZ}) and the well-weighted **Hartnell (GB)** (Authorized {Ire}) in the line-up. Hopefully we have made the right call."

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DEEP FIELD RETIRED TO NEWGATE FARM

Kia-Ora Stud and A R Bell's **Deep Field (Aus)** (Northern Meteor {Aus})--Listen Here {Aus}, by Elusive Quality) has been retired to Newgate Farm in New South Wales, Australia. Trained by Michael, Wayne and John Hawkes, the bay won his first five starts including the G2 Tab.Com.Au S. at Flemington in November of 2014 and later ran third in the G1 Lightning S. this February. He earned \$286,802 with a **Deep Field** is a full-brother to G1SW Shooting to Win (Aus). "A horse with amazing presence and a powerful sprinters physique, Deep Field was an electric sprinter that won his first five starts in succession by a combined total of 24 lengths," said Newgate Farm principal Henry Field. A fee will be announced at a later date.

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'SIGNAL' PLEASES IN WORK

John Quinn declared himself satisfied after Al Shaqab Racing's G1 QIPCO 2000 Guineas hopeful **The Wow Signal (Ire)** (Starspangledbanner {Aus}) went through his paces after racing at Pontefract under Frankie Dettori. Breaking from the mile start, the G2 Coventry S. and G1 Prix Morny winner worked over seven furlongs of the West Yorkshire venue, tracking the



The Wow Signal
Racing Post

90-rated Fuwairt (Ire) (Arcano {Ire}) with Ian Brennan aboard, before Dettori asked his partner to quicken off the bend. The Italian was a little animated as he came clear before being eased at the furlong marker, which was used as the line, finishing just over a length up after moving well throughout.

Quinn said, "The whole idea was to give him a day out. There are 26 days between today and the Guineas and this will have got him buzzed up nicely. I will obviously sit down with the owners before making a decision, but I'd say it is likely we'll go straight for the Guineas now."

Dettori added, "He hasn't run for a while and still feels a bit stuffy, but physically he looks great. I'll probably ride him work once more before the Guineas and I'd say it is highly unlikely that he'll run in the Greenham. We know he's got an engine and he'll be a lot better come the Guineas. This was the first stepping stone and today was all about getting him revved up."

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Keeneland 2015 Spring Stakes Schedule			
Date	Stakes	Division	Dst
Apr. 10	GI Maker's 46 Mile	4YOs&Up	1mT
Apr. 11	GI Jenny Wiley	4YOs&Up, F&M	1 1/16mT
	GIII Coolmore Lexington	3YOs	1 1/16m
	GIII Ben Ali	4YOs&Up	1 1/8m
Apr. 12	Giant's Causeway (L)	4YOs&Up, F&M	5 1/2fT
	GII Adena Springs Beaumont	3YO Fillies	7f, 184 ft
	GIII Appalachian	3YO Fillies	1mT
Apr. 17	GIII Hilliard Lyons	4YOs&Up, F&M	1 1/16m
	Doubledogdare		
Apr. 18	GII Dixiana Elkhorn	4YOs&Up	1 1/2mT
Apr. 24	GIII Bewitch	4YOs&Up, F&M	1 1/2mT

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Colonial Downs to Close All Horse Racing Wagering Venues:

Colonial Downs announced an immediate shutdown of all its remaining pari-mutuel venues Tuesday. The shutdown is due to legislation currently making its way through the 2015 Virginia Legislative Session that will deny Colonial Downs approximately \$2 million in annual operating funds. Senate Bill 1097 will reallocate funds previously used to offset Colonial Downs' live racing expenses towards a newly created Northern Virginia horsemen's coalition.

"We understand the political desire to accommodate the owners of race horses that reside in Virginia today, however, we don't think that it should be at the expense of a world-class turf course run by people who want to bring world-class racing to Virginia for decades to come," said Stan Guidroz, regional vice president of Jacobs Entertainment, which owns Colonial Downs. "We had been hopeful that the Virginia Racing Commission would approve our request to enter into a long-term contract with an alternative horsemen's group, who unlike the Virginia Horsemen's Benevolent and Protective Association, shares our goal of high-end racing. Unfortunately, the Virginia Horse Racing Commission has shown no willingness to grant such approval."

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Dayatthespa (City Zip)	Horse of the Year
	Turf Female
	Older Female
Palace (City Zip)	Male Sprinter
	Older Male
Artemis Agrotera (Roman Ruler)	Female Sprinter
	3-Year-Old Filly
Wonder Gal (Tiz Wonderful)	2-Year-Old Filly
Upstart (Flatter)	2-Year-Old Male
Samraat (Noble Causeway)	3-Year-Old Male
Lubash (Freud)	Turf Male
Cat Feathers (Catiemus)	Steeplechase Horse
M'Lady Doc (Doc's Leader)	Broodmare of the Year
Chester & Mary Broman	Breeder of the Year
Linda Rice	Trainer of the Year
Jose Ortiz	Jockey of the Year

INDUSTRY INFO

Brennan to Give Radio Interview:

Steve Byk and John Perrotta will be interviewing Bob Brennan Wednesday on the Steve Byk show on Sirius 220/XM Channel 206 and streaming at thoroughbredracingradionetwork.com at 11 a.m. They will be discussing the 30th anniversary of "quadruple crown year" at Garden State Park with Spend A Buck, as well as Dehere and Deputy Minister.

Brennan, who was found guilty of securities fraud in 1994 and ordered to pay a \$75 million fine to settle fraud claims, was found guilty of money laundering and bankruptcy fraud in 2001, and served almost 10 years in prison. He has not given an interview in 16 years.

TODAY'S INSIGHTS

6th-KEE, \$58K, Msw, 3yo, 6f, 3:40 p.m. ET

Godolphin homebred **BOONE STATION (Street Cry {Ire})** debuts in this rescheduled event for Kiaran McLaughlin after spending the winter working lights-out at Palm Meadows, including a four-furlong move in :48 3/5 (4/22) Mar. 26 after three straight bullets. He is out of GI Princess Rooney H. heroine Malibu Mint (Malibu Moon), who was snapped up by John Ferguson for \$1.3 million at the 2008 Fasig-Tipton November Sale. [Click for Brisnet.com PPs.](#)

8th-GP, \$43k, Msw, f, 3yo, 5f (T), 4:30 p.m. ET

STREET CASH (Street Boss), a Stronach Stables homebred, makes her first start in this spot for trainer Mark Hennig. The bay is a daughter of GI Queen Elizabeth II Challenge Cup winner Collect the Cash (Dynaformer), and a half-sister to GISW Stately Victor (Ghostzapper). She has been working steadily over the local main track since late January, and completed her prep work with a three-furlong move from the gate in :35 3/5 (2/8) Apr. 3. [Click for Brisnet.com PPs.](#)

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BELMONT PARK

V.E. Day (English Channel), 5f, 1:01.04, 3/40

GOLDEN GATE FIELDS

Kentuckian (Tiznow), 4f, :48.00, 2/9

Shared Belief (Candy Ride {Arg}), 6f, 1:14.60, 1/3

KEENELAND

Deceptive Vision (A.P. Indy), 4f, :50.20, 35/40

PAYSON PARK

Mean Season (Henny Hughes), 4f, :49.80, 1/3

SANTA ANITA

Bayern (Offlee Wild), 7f, 1:23.60, 1/4

Beholder (Henny Hughes), 3f, :38.80, 17/17

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IN SOUTH KOREA:

Cheon Gu, c, 3, Old Fashioned--So Much Fun, by Speightstown. Seoul, 4-5, Hcp. (\$50k), 1400m. B-Capistrano Bloodstock LLC (NY). *Won by five lengths to take his career record to three wins and a second from four starts. **\$11,000 yrl '13 FTNAUG; \$25,000 2yo '14 FTMMAY.

Dynamic Dash, c, 3, Pleasantly Perfect--See Rock City, by Tapit. Busan, 4-3, Hcp. (\$79k), 1800m. B-Fredericka V Caldwell & Mitchel Skolnick (NY). *1/2 to One More (Holy Bull), GSP, \$103,820. **\$12,000 RNA wnlg '12 KEENOV; \$19,000 yrl '13 FTKOCT.

Cool Touch, f, 3, Stormy Atlantic--Cajun Mistress (MSP), by Salt Lake. Seoul, 4-4, Hcp. (\$37k), 1200m. B-Craig Singer & The Stormy Atlantic Syndicate (FL). *Won by six lengths as the 4-5 chalk. **\$4,000 yrl '13 KEEJAN; \$22,000 yrl '13 FTKOCT; \$27,000 2yo '14 FTMMAY.

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Jibong Seungni, c, 3, Wildcat Heir--Christmas Party (SP), by Wild Again. Busan, 4-5, Hcp. (\$64k), 1400m. B-English Range Farm (FL). *\$9,000 RNA yrl '13 OBSAUG; \$30,000 2yo '14 FTMMAY.

Speed Made, g, 4, Ready's Image--Peaceful Journey, by Behrens. Busan, 4-5, Hcp. (\$96k), 1800m. B-Springland Farm, La Ciega & Walmac Farm (KY). *\$6,500 wnlg '11 KEENOV; \$47,000 yrl '12 KEESEP; \$32,000 RNA 2yo '13 OBSAPR; \$10,000 2yo '13 OBSJUN.

ROOKIES

First/second-crop starters to watch: Wednesday, April 8
*Sire (Sire's Sire), current farm, 2011 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/BlackTypeWnrs * Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)*

CHARITABLE MAN (Lemon Drop Kid), Taylor Mountain Farm, \$4K, 80/11/0 2-CT, Msw, 4 1/2f, Double Bogey Blues, 12-1

DISCREETLY MINE (Mineshaft), Lanes End, \$10K, 181/25/1

3-TAM, Aoc, 6f, Lord Tyrion, \$110K FTK HRA 2yo, 2-1

3-TAM, Aoc, 6f, Mr Lightning Boy, \$47K RNA KEE SEP yrl, 7-2

3-AQU, Mcl, 6 1/2f, Mizner Park, \$110K FTK JUL yrl, 12-1

JONESBORO (Sefapiano), Lake Hamilton Equine Associates, \$500, 42/2/0

9-OP, Msw, 6f, Redneck Attack, 6-1

9-OP, Msw, 6f, J P of Galilee, 12-1

JUSTENUFFHUMOR (Distorted Humor), McMahon of Saratoga, \$3K, 51/1/0

1-AQU, Mcl, 1m, Justenuffdior, \$9K RNA SAR AUG yrl, 30-1

KANTHAROS (Lion Heart), Ocala Stud, \$5K, 74/21/1

8-GP, Msw, 5fT, Get Air Lex, \$30K OBS APR 2yo, 9-2

MAJESTICPERFECTION (Harlan's Holiday), Airdrie Stud, \$10K, 124/27/3

7-OP, Aoc, 1 1/16m, Perfectly, 8-1

MIDSHIPMAN (Unbridled's Song), Darley, \$8K, 117/27/2

7-OP, Aoc, 1 1/16m, Allied Air Raid, \$50K OBS OPN 2yo, 4-1

MUNNINGS (Speightstown), Ashford Stud, \$10K, 165/40/4

2-CT, Msw, 4 1/2f, Miranda, \$14K EAS SEP yrl, 9-2

5-CT, Alw, 4 1/2f, Sir A. J. Munnings, 10-1

QUALITY ROAD (Elusive Quality), Lane's End, \$25K, 178/24/3

6-KEE, Msw, 6f, Heliodoro, \$150K KEE SEP yrl, 15-1

SUMMER BIRD (Birdstone), Japan, \$15K, 191/16/1

9-OP, Msw, 6f, Comic Bird, 1-1

3-AQU, Mcl, 6 1/2f, Rick Ant, \$150K OBS MAR 2yo, 20-1

SUPER SAVER (Maria's Mon), WinStar, \$20K, 203/29/4

3-TAM, Aoc, 6f, Hashtag Bourbon, \$130K OBS MAR 2yo, 6-1

WARRIOR'S REWARD (Medaglia d'Oro), Spendthrift Farm, \$13K, 173/25/1

1-KEE, Msw, 4 1/2f, +Wednesdays Only, \$39K RNA EAS SEP yrl, 12-1

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ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

8th-PRX, \$60,580, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), NW2X, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:12 2/5, ft.

FAT KAT (f, 4, Weigelia--Katarica Disco, by Disco Rico) Lifetime Record: 10-4-1-1, \$159,110. O-L & C Racing LLC, Squire Thoroughreds LLC & Wake The Dame. B-Wynoaks Farm LLC & St Omers Farm (PA). T-Robert E Reid Jr. *\$1,500 yrl '12 FTMOCT; \$50,000 2yo '13 FTMMAY.

7th-PRX, \$35,400, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 1m70y, 1:49 2/5, ft.

HISTORY BOOK (f, 4, Quiet American--Fidget, by French Deputy) Lifetime Record: 14-4-2-2, \$104,069. O-Main Line Racing Stable & Full Servis. B-Sienna Farms LLC (PA). T-Blane Servis. *\$5,000 RNA yrl '12 FTKOCT; \$60,000 2yo '13 OBSJUN. **1/2 to Laila's Jazz (Smooth Jazz), SP, \$201,917.

7th-SUN, \$32,285, 4-6, NW3L, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 1m70y, 1:41 1/5, ft.

DESERT LADY (f, 4, Desert God--Special Boot, by Storm Boot) Lifetime Record: 12-3-1-4, \$66,388. O/B-Cleber J Massey (NM). T-Joel H Marr.

9th-SUN, \$26,770, 4-6, NW1X, 3yo, f, 5 1/2f, 1:03 4/5, ft.

UNTRAVELED (f, 3, Canadian Frontier--Down the Street, by Ghazi) Lifetime Record: SP, 6-2-2-1, \$47,732. O-Greg & Darwin Green & Jeff Anderson. B-Brereton C Jones (KY). T-Greg Green. *\$4,500 yrl '13 KEESEP.

4th-WRD, \$24,000, NW3L, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:12, gd.

LINGERING SMOKE (f, 4, Mr. Nightlinger--Daddy Sez Smokem, by Smoke Glacken) Lifetime Record: 17-3-5-3, \$108,546. O/B-Carol J Waller (OK). T-Roger F Engel.

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3rd-TUP, \$22,500, 3yo, 6f, 1:09, ft.
SHREWD MOVE (c, 3, Closing Argument--Brief Mark, by Benchmark) Lifetime Record: SP, 8-3-1-1, \$54,192. O/B-Peggy Hopwood and Yeamans Racing Stable LLC (KY). T-Dan L McFarlane. *\$50,000 yrl '13 ARZOCT.

3rd-MVR, \$21,300, NW2L, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:16 4/5, sy.
PIXIE CHICK (f, 3, Horse Greeley--Holiday Rates, by Concorde's Tune) Lifetime Record: 6-2-0-0, \$31,845. O-Marion F Gorham. B-R Gorham & Mast Thoroughbreds LLC (OH). T-Robert M Gorham. *1/2 to My Bellamy (Bellamy Road), SW, \$190,957.




ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

James T., g, 4, Dunkirk--Sephora, by Newfoundland. WRD, 4-7, (S), 6f, 1:12 2/5. B-Harmony Stable LLC (OK).
Midnight Linger, g, 4, Mr. Nightlinger--Venus de Quick, by Elegant Gold. WRD, 4-7, (S), 6f, 1:12 3/5. B-Theodore Alexander (OK).
Roll Along Star, f, 4, Roll Hennessy Roll--Starlight Meeting, by General Meeting. SUN, 4-6, (S), 6f, 1:11 2/5. B-Winnie Vick (NM).
Life Said, c, 4, Successful Appeal--Elizaveta (SP, \$132,557), by Quiet American. PRX, 4-7, 1m70y, 1:47. B-George Strawbridge Jr (PA).

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Tuesday's Results:
1st-CHD, £5,000, Mdn, 3yo/up, 6f (AWT), 1:12.40, ft.
THAHAB (IRE) (c, 3, Dubawi {Ire}--Mise {Ire}, by Indian Ridge {Ire}), the €1-million Arqana Deauville August Sale topper of 2013, had been third on both starts on turf at Doncaster as a juvenile, most recently over this trip in November. He took a grip for the first furlong before being allowed to bowl along at the head of affairs. Never stressed to any degree, the 1-2 chalk stayed in second gear to dispose of Tadarrok (GB) (Elusive Quality) by six lengths. The winner is a half-brother to Nahoodh (Ire) (Clodovil {Ire}), G1SW-Eng & G1SP-Ire, \$454,894. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-2, £4,581. [Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.](#)
 O-Al Shaqab Racing. B-Ballylinch Stud (Ire). T-Richard Hannon.

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Tuesday's Results:
1st-NTS, €27,000, Cond, 3yo, 12fT, 2:47.18, sf.
SOUND MONEY (GB) (c, 3, Zamindar--Alpensinfonie {Ire}, by Montjeu {Ire}), who gained a narrow verdict at Fougères on debut last time Mar. 22, was roused from a slumbering start to occupy second after the early strides of this one. Inching closer on the home turn, the 41-10 third choice led at the top of the short straight and surged clear under whipless urging inside the final furlong to score by three lengths from Friedrichspalast (Ger) (Lord of England {Ger}). Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 2 wins, €18,000. [Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.](#)
 O-Guy Heald. B-GB Partnership (GB). T-Henri-Alex Pantall.

4th-TRB, €18,000, Cond, 3yo, 10 1/2fT, 2:12, gd/fm.
MANAASEK (IRE) (c, 3, Raven's Pass--Thaahira, by Dynaformer), a last-out fourth going one mile at Chantilly on sophomore bow Mar. 3, soon led and dictated a steady tempo in this one. Nudged along soon after straightening for home, the 31-10 third choice was ridden out inside the final 300 meters to account for Khayrawani (Fr) (Oratorio {Ire}) by two lengths, providing conditioner Jean-Claude Rouget with a second exacta on the card. Lifetime Record: 4 starts, 2 wins, 2 places, €25,700. [Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.](#)
 O-Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum. B-Shadwell Estate Company Ltd (Ire). T-Jean-Claude Rouget.

1st-TRB, €15,000, Mdn, unraced 3yo, 11 1/2fT, 2:24.10, gd/fm.
+ KARENINE (GB) (f, 3, High Chaparral {Ire}--Louvain {Ire} {GSW-Fr & MSW-US, \$223,742}, by Sinndar {Ire}) raced prominently through the early strides before settling in second passing the judge first time in this unveiling. Sent to the front rounding the home turn, the 33-10 second favorite stayed on strongly in the straight and was geared down nearing the line to comfortably best stablemate Al Anqa (GB) (Galileo {Ire}) by two lengths. The winner, a €400,000 ARQAUG yearling, is a half to 2013 G1 Poule d'Essai des Pouliches victress Flotilla (Fr) (Mizzen Mast), Co-Hwt. 2yo Filly & G1SW-Fr, GISW-US, MGSP-UAE, \$1,066,102; and Louvakhova (Maria's Mon), SW-US, \$116,316. Lifetime Record: 1 start, 1 win, €7,500. [Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.](#)
 O-Alain Jathiere & Eric Puerari. B-Eric Puerari, Oceanic Bloodstock & Mme Ariane Gravereaux (GB). T-Jean-Claude Rouget.

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CONDITIONS RESULTS:

2nd-LLD, €18,000, 4-6, 3yo, 10fT, 2:17.86, vsf.
OBJECTION (IRE) (f, 3, [Fastnet Rock {Aus}](#)--Ombrie {GB}, by Zafonic) Lifetime Record: 3 starts, 2 wins, 0 places, €15,500. O-Famille Moussac. B-Haras du Mezeray (Ire). T-Alain Couetil. *€55,000 RNA yrl '13 ARQAUG. **1/2 to Watar (Ire) (Marju {Ire}), Hwt. 3yo-Fr at 14f+, MGSW-Fr, \$409,846.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

- + **Priory (GB)**, f, 2, [Mullionmleanhour \(Ire\)](#)--Alectrona (Fr), by Invincible Spirit (Ire). LNG, 4-7, 5f (AWT), 1:00 4/5. B-Owen O'Brien (GB).
- + **Isidor (Ger)**, c, 3, [Adlerflug \(Ger\)](#)--Ijojo, by Giant's Causeway. COL, 4-6, 11fT, 2:23.84. B-Gestut Schlenderhan (Ger).
- Taratchi (Fr)**, c, 3, [Chichi Creasy \(Fr\)](#)--Al Tottara (Fr), by Tot Ou Tard (Ire). SSB, 4-6, 11f 165yT, 2:51.54. B-Haras de Preaux & Mille Brigitte Joly (Fr).
- Midnight Dance (Ire)**, f, 3, [Danehill Dancer \(Ire\)](#)--Dark Missile (GB) (GSP-Eng, \$327,600), by Night Shift. PNT, 4-7, 6fT, 1:19.70. B-Littleton Stud (Ire).
- Emirates Skywards (Ire)**, g, 3, [Dubawi \(Ire\)](#)--Mont Etoile (Ire) (GSW-Eng, \$215,908), by Montjeu (Ire). CHD, 4-7, 13f 66y (AWT), 2:53 4/5. B-Darley (IRE).
- Drummer (Ger)**, c, 3, [Duke of Marmalade \(Ire\)](#)--Douala (GB) (SP-Ger & Ity), by Dubawi (Ire). COL, 4-6, 8fT, 1:42.23. B-Stiftung Gestut Fahrhof (Ger). *€85,000 yrl '13 BBAAUG.
- Cosmic City (GB)**, g, 3, [Elusive City](#)--Cosmic Fire (Fr), by Dalakhani (Ire). NTS, 4-7, 12fT, 2:47.30. B-Niarchos Family (GB). *€8,000 yrl '13 ARQAUG.
- Putting Green (GB)**, c, 3, [Selkirk](#)--Ryella, by Cozzene. LNG, 4-7, 10f (AWT), 2:05 3/5. B-Miss K Rausing (GB). *88,000gns yrl '13 TATOCT.
- Wind Place and Sho (GB)**, g, 3, [Shirocco \(Ger\)](#)--Coh Sho No (GB), by Old Vic (GB). PNT, 4-7, 10f 6yT, 2:18.32. B-Rockville Pike Partnership (GB).

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Date	Race	Track
Apr. 9	GIII Count Fleet Sprint H.	OP
Apr. 10	GI Maker's 46 Mile	KEE
	GI Apple Blossom H.	OP
Apr. 11	GI Arkansas Derby	OP
	GI Jenny Wiley S.	KEE
	GII Oaklawn H.	OP
	GII Kona Gold S.	SA
	GIII Las Cienegas S.	SA
	GIII Top Flight H.	AQU
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Apr. 12	GI Beaumont S.	KEE
	GIII Appalachian S.	KEE

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