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RALIS RALLIES TO HOPEFUL SCORE

Reddam Racing's homebred **Ralis** (Square Eddie), coming off a runner-up effort versus fellow California-breds in Del Mar's Graduation S., made short work of the East Coast competition with an authoritative 5 3/4-length victory in Monday's GI Hopeful S. at Saratoga. The bay colt, whose lone previous victory came in a state-bred maiden at Santa Anita June 13, was let go at 6-1 in Monday's closing-day feature. He tracked pacesetting favorite **Magna Light** (Magna Graduate) while three wide down the backstretch through an opening quarter in :22.79. Ralis began reeling in the pacesetter after a half in :45.46, took charge with a sixteenth to run and bound clear.



Ralis | Horsephotos

The Hopeful victory completed an impressive Saratoga meeting for Javier Castellano, who was winning his sixth Grade I of the stand. Castellano also won the GI Woodward S., GI Whitney S., GI Travers S., GI Alabama S. and GI Alfred G. Vanderbilt. The Hopeful completed a holiday graded stakes double for the jockey, who guided Ironicus (Distorted Humor) to a win in the GI Bernard Baruch H. a race earlier.

"I'm very thankful," Castellano said of his Grade I haul. "A lot of people have given me a lot of support to be the number one jockey in Grade Is here in Saratoga. It's a good record and I'm proud to be participating at the best track in the country. I have a lot of support: my agent, my trainers and the owners." **Cont. p3**

WISE DAN RETIRED

Wise Dan (Wiseman's Ferry--Lisa Danielle, by Wolf Power {Saf}), who thrilled racing fans with his grit and determination through two Horse of the Year campaigns, was officially retired from racing Monday. The 8-year-old gelding, sidelined since last fall with an ankle injury, had been expected to make his return to the races in the Sept. 13 GI Woodbine Mile, but a tendon injury forced owner Morton Fink and trainer Charlie LoPresti to retire the valiant chestnut. "He'd been training lights out," LoPresti said Monday. "But we noticed some filling in his tendon this morning when we were giving him a bath. The vet suggested we scan it and it turns out he has a tear on the outside edge of his tendon." **Cont. p8**



Wise Dan | Coady Photography

NYQUIST GIVES REDDAM GRADE I DOUBLE

A mere three hours after winning the GI Hopeful S. at Saratoga, the colors of J. Paul Reddam were in the winner's circle for another juvenile Grade I event Monday, this time after **Nyquist** (Uncle Mo)'s victory in the GI Del Mar Futurity. "After the Hopeful, I was more excited than anything," said Reddam, who also won a Del Mar maiden with 2-year-old Where's the D (Blame) Monday. "I did get nervous before the Futurity, because, generally, as on odds-on favorite, we lose. I'm glad it's over."



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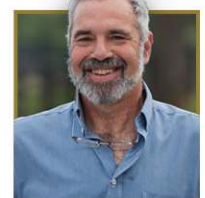
Nyquist, who was coming off an easy score in the Aug. 8 GI Best Pal S., is now a perfect three-for-three in his young career. On the lead in the initial strides, Nyquist was unhurried and allowed **Annie's Candy** (Twirling Candy) to take the early advantage. That 15-1 outsider sprinted through an opening quarter in :22.44 as Nyquist stalked from second. The 1-2 favorite inhaled the pacesetter after a half in :44.54 and shrugged off **Rockin Bayou** (Forefathers) at the top of the lane before striding clear to a 3 3/4-length victory. **Swipe** (Birdstone) closed for second and **Blameitonthelaw** (Blame) nipped Rockin Bayou for third.

"This is a super horse and, like any great athlete, it's a matter of staying healthy and, if he stays that way, he'll do some big things," said winning trainer Doug O'Neill. **Cont. p4**

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Isn't it Ironicus?

Confirming his position as one of the leading turf performers in the country, Ironicus (Distorted Humor) came home in course-record time to win the GII Bernard Baruch H. at Saratoga Monday. "We've thought he was a very good horse, and he continues to improve," said owner/breeder Stuart Janney. "His last couple of races have been terrific races."



Ironicus | Horsephotos

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Living the Life Master Again

Living the Life (Ire) (Footstepsinthesand {GB}) successfully defended her title in the GII Presque Isle Downs Masters S. Monday with a rail-skimming 3/4-length victory over Leigh Court (Grand Slam). The mare is unlikely to aim for the Breeders' Cup. "We might pick out something at Woodbine before the season ends, and we'll point for this race next year," trainer Gary Mandella said.



Living the Life |
Coady Photography

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Pedigree Insights: Rachel's Valentina

Andrew Caulfield examines the regal pedigree of Saturday's GI Spinaway S. winner TDN Rising Star Rachel's Valentina (Bernardini).

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Racing Says Goodbye to Cummings

The Australian racing industry turned out in force Monday for the state funeral of training icon Bart Cummings. "It was a fitting send-off for a man who, despite being allergic to horses and hay, became known as the "Cups King" for his 12 victories in the country's most storied race, the G1 Melbourne Cup," writes Andrew Hawkins.

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Ralis Rallies to Hopeful Win (cont. from p1)

“He broke well out of the gate today,” reported winning rider Javier Castellano. “I thought he was going to be a little too far back. He broke sharp from the gate. He had a great post outside to take a bit of a nice hold and to see how the race developed in the first quarter. He had a great position outside. It was perfect. It was a perfect trip. I’m very blessed to ride that horse.”



Ralis and Javier Castellano | Horsephotos

Trainer Rudy Rodriguez was pleased with the runner-up effort of Magna Light, who was controversially disqualified from a first-place finish in the GIII Sanford S. earlier in the meet.

“I thought we ran very well,” Rodriguez said. “The winner was really good. Our horse ran a really great race, he just got outrun. He ran big. We were coming in ready for the race. Jose [Ortiz] said when he came to the stretch he asked him and he gave him what he had and the other horse just went by him. We’ve got to talk to the owners [about what’s next] and regroup a little bit. We’ll look at a couple of races at Belmont and see what’s coming. He’s young, he’s fresh so we’ll space him a little bit between races so we can maybe give him another chance at Belmont.”

Fourth on debut sprinting 4 1/2 furlongs versus open company May 22, Ralis graduated over five furlongs at Santa Anita June 13. He was fifth in the Summer Juvenile Championship at Los Al July 12 and was coming off a runner-up effort behind stablemate Mrazek (Square Eddie) in the Aug. 5 Graduation S.

Ralis is the first graded stakes victor from three crops to race for Square Eddie, who won the GI Breeders’ Futurity for Paul Reddam in 2008. The 9-year-old stallion, who stands at Vessels Stallion Farm in California, has been represented this term by stakes winners Found Money and Mrazek, as well as graded stakes placed Smoove It. Ralis is the third foal out of Silar Rules (Ten Most Wanted), a daughter of graded stakes winner Morning Meadow (Meadowlake). The 9-year-old mare produced a full-brother to Ralis in 2014 and was bred back to that stallion this spring.

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Monday, Saratoga

HOPEFUL S.-GI, \$350,000, SAR, 9-7, 2yo, 7f, 1:22.30, ft.

1--#**@&RALIS**, 118, c, 2, by Square Eddie
 1st Dam: Silar Rules, by Ten Most Wanted
 2nd Dam: Morning Meadow, by Meadowlake
 3rd Dam: Morning Mirage, by Avatar
 O/B-Reddam Racing, LLC (CA); T-Doug F O'Neill; J-Javier Castellano. \$210,000. Lifetime Record: 5-2-1-0, \$268,989. **Werk Nick Rating: A+ . Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.**

2--**Magna Light**, 118, c, 2, Magna Graduate--Kimberlite, by Mineshaft. (\$5,000 Wlg '13 KEENOV; \$10,000 Ylg '14 OBSAUG; \$110,000 2yo '15 OBSAPR). O-M Dubb, M Imperio, E Alexander & Bethlehem Stables LLC; B-Elisabeth Alexander (KY); T-Rudy R Rodriguez. \$70,000.

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3--**Uncle Vinny**, 122, c, 2, **Uncle Mo**--Arealhotlover, by Untuttale. (\$175,000 Ylg '14 KEESEP). O-Starlight Racing; B-Gilbert G Campbell (FL); T-Todd A Pletcher. \$35,000.

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Margins: 5 3/4, 3, 2 1/4. Odds: 6.90, 2.05, 2.85. Also Ran: Sallisaw, Tom's Ready, Set the Trappe, Bullet Gone Astray. Scratched: Sticksstatelydude. **Click for the Equibase.com chart, the TJCIS PPs or the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree. VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

Nyquist Gives Reddam Grade I Double (cont. from p1)

"Any other track in the country--if I run a :44 half like that--I'm well in front," Mario Gutierrez, who teamed with Doug O'Neill and Paul Reddam to win the 2012 GI Kentucky Derby and GI Preakness S. with I'll Have Another (Flower Alley), said. "But here, they were all coming at me. I used him early, but then I didn't have to use him at all. He just coasted home. He's a nice colt, really nice." Asked if Nyquist matched up with I'll Have Another, Gutierrez said, "Can I compare him to I'll Have Another? No, not really different horses. Remember, I rode 'Another' as a 3-year-old. This one is only a 2-year-old."

Nyquist, who narrowly scored in his debut at Santa Anita June 5, became freshman sire Uncle Mo (Indian Charlie)'s first graded stakes victor when he captured the Aug. 8 Gil Best Pal S. by 5 1/4 lengths. A \$180,000 Keeneland November weanling, the bay sold for \$230,000 as a Keeneland September yearling. Bloodstock agent Dennis O'Neill signed the ticket at \$400,000 on the youngster after he worked a furlong in :10 2/5 at this year's Fasig-Tipton Florida sale. His dam, Seeking Gabrielle (Forestry), sold for \$45,000 at the 2011 Keeneland January sale. Carrying this foal, the mare RNA'd for \$90,000 at the 2012 Keeneland November sale. She sold for \$100,000 while in foal to Blame at the 2013 Keeneland November sale. Nyquist is the mare's first foal. She produced a filly by Blame in 2014 and was bred to Flatter this spring. **Cont. p5**

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Monday, Del Mar

DEL MAR FUTURITY-GI, \$300,250, DMR, 9-7, 2yo, 7f, 1:23.28, ft.

1--&**NYQUIST**, 122, c, 2, by **Uncle Mo**

1st Dam: Seeking Gabrielle, by Forestry

2nd Dam: Seeking Regina, by Seeking the Gold

3rd Dam: Fulbright Scholar, by Cox's Ridge

(\$180,000 Wlg '13 KEENOV; \$230,000 Ylg '14 KEESEP; \$400,000 2yo '15 FTFMAR). O-Reddam Racing LLC; B-Summerhill Farm (KY); T-Doug F. O'Neill; J-Mario Gutierrez. \$180,000. Lifetime Record: 3-3-0-0, \$333,600. **Werk Nick Rating: A.** Click for the [eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree](#).

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2--**Swipe**, 120, c, 2, **Birdstone**--Avalanche Lily, by Grand Slam. (\$5,000 Ylg '14 KEESEP). O-Big Chief Racing, LLC; B-Lou Oppenheim (KY); T-J. Keith Desormeaux. \$60,000.

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3--**Blameitonthelaw**, 118, c, 2, **Blame**--Letter of the Law, by Stormy Atlantic. (\$70,000 Ylg '14 KEESEP; \$320,000 2yo '15 OBSMAR). O-Doubledown Stables; B-Northern Bloodstock (KY); T-J W Sadler. \$36,000.

Brookdale Foaled, Raised & Sold

Margins: 3 3/4, 4 1/4, 1HF. Odds: 0.50, 8.80, 2.80. Also Ran: Rockin Bayou, Annie's Candy, Archaeo. Scratched: Nightly News, Mt Veeder. Click for the [Equibase.com chart](#), [TJCIS PPs](#) or [Equineline catalogue-style pedigree](#). [VIDEO](#), sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.

Sunday, Saratoga

BERNARD BARUCH H.-GII, \$250,000, SAR, 9-7, 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:38.54 (NCR), fm.

1--**IRONICUS**, 118, c, 4, by **Distorted Humor**

1st Dam: Meghan's Joy (MSP), by A.P. Indy

2nd Dam: Queens Wild, by Spectacular Bid

3rd Dam: Wild Applause, by Northern Dancer

O/B-Stuart S Janney III LLC (KY); T-Claude R McGaughey III; J-Javier Castellano. \$150,000. Lifetime Record: 11-5-4-1, \$573,790. *1/2 to Hunting (Coronado's Quest), GSW, \$286,395; Quiet Harbor (Silver Deputy), GSW, \$274,670; Norumbega (Tiznow), GSW, \$506,945; Seal Cove (Strong Hope), SW, \$261,700; Minister's Joy (Deputy Minister), MGSP, \$327,247. **Werk Nick Rating: A + + + *Triple Plus***. Click for the [eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree](#).

ELIGIBLE FOR **KY BREEDERS' INCENTIVE FUND** AWARDS UP TO \$5,000

2--**Grand Tito**, 116, h, 5, **Candy Ride (Arg)**--Golden Arches (Fr), by Common Grounds (GB). (\$225,000 Ylg '11 KEESEP). O-Grupo Seven C Stable; B-Hargus & Sandra Sexton & Ben P Walden Jr (KY); T-Gustavo Delgado. \$50,000.

3--**All Included**, 115, c, 4, Include--Eximius (GB), by Atticus. O/B-Wertheimer Et Frere (KY); T-Todd A Pletcher. \$25,000.

Margins: 1 1/4, NO, 1 1/4. Odds: 1.00, 27.75, 13.50. Also Ran: Vyjack, Constitution, Under Control (Brz), Charming Kitten. Click for the [Equibase.com chart](#), or the [TJCIS PPs](#). [VIDEO](#), sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.

Confirming his status as one of the country's leading turf runners, Ironicus charged to the lead in deep stretch to earn the second graded stakes victory of his career in course-record time. Never off the board in nine prior tries over the lawn, the steel gray earned his first graded triumph in Pimlico's GII Dixie S. May 16 and followed with an easy win in a one-mile Belmont allowance contest July 8. **Cont. p6**



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The colt recently came up a neck short when second in a loaded renewal of the GII Fourstardave H. Aug. 15 and was hammered down to even-money favoritism to return to the winner's circle Monday.

The Janney homebred assumed his usual spot reserved off the pace as Constitution (Tapit) rolled along on an unopposed lead through fractions of :23.32 and :46.36. Threaded between horses as the field condensed on the final bend, Ironicus angled to the outside and kicked on powerfully to win going away by 1 1/4 lengths. The course-record time was 1:38.54,

breaking the previous mark of 1:38.91 established by the legendary Fourstardave in 1991.

"Javier [Castellano] said he felt like he was sitting on the best horse and he said he wasn't going to go wide

today and took a chance and hung out," commented winning trainer Shug McGaughey. "I thought he rode another great race and a great horse. It was a little bit of a throw away because after the Fourstardave I didn't plan on running him here again, but he came out of his race good and he hasn't really been running that much, so I thought we might as well give him a chance. I'm very proud of the track record, any time you can do something like that it goes on the horse's record and you can get somebody to maybe take a look at it."

For owner/breeder Stuart Janney, the victory was confirmation of his faith in the colt. "We've thought he was a very good horse, and he continues to improve," Janney said. "His last couple of races have been terrific races. Last time, it didn't set up just the way we hoped. It was a slow pace and he had to go wide, and he still ran wonderfully. This time, he had a better trip, better pace, and he really finished beautifully. It was terrific."

Meghan's Joy, who sold for \$450,000 while in foal to Deputy Minister at the 2001 Keeneland November sale, was bred to Distorted Humor this spring.



Stuart Janney welcomes Ironicus back to winner's circle | Horsephotos

Monday, Presque Isle

PRESQUE ISLE DOWNS MASTERS S.-GII, \$400,000, PID, 9-7, 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f (AWT), 1:15.17, ft.

1--**LIVING THE LIFE (IRE)**, 115, m, 5, by [Footstepsinthesand \(GB\)](#)

1st Dam: **Colour And Spice (Ire)**, by **Machiavellian**

2nd Dam: **Looking Brill (GB)**, by **Sadler's Wells**

3rd Dam: **Glancing (GB)**, by **Grundy (Ire)**

(€9,000 Ylg '11 GOOY1). O-HnR Nothhaft Horse Racing; B-M Begley (IRE); T-G Mandella; J-J Bravo. \$240,000. Lifetime Record: 27-9-5-2, \$791,454.

Werk Nick Rating: A + + + *Triple Plus*. [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

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2--**Leigh Court**, 115, m, 5, [Grand Slam](#)--Padmore, by French Deputy. (\$1,000,000 4yo '14 FTKNOV). O-Speedway Stable LLC; B-Eugene Melnyk (KY); T-Michael Stidham. \$80,000.

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3--**Miss Mischief**, 114, m, 5, [Into Mischief](#)--Kid Majic, by Lemon Drop Kid. (\$85,000 Wlg '10 FTKNOV; \$125,000 Ylg '11 FTKJUL). O-Diane Manning; B-Allen Poindexter (KY); T-Dale Capuano. \$40,000.

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Margins: 3/4, 1HF, NK. Odds: 2.40, 1.30, 3.50.

Also Ran: Cactus Kris, Dauphine Russe (Fr), Miss Tapit, Pirate's Trove, Nellie Cashman. Scratched: Ageless.

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Living the Life successfully defended her title with a rail-riding score over favored Leigh Court. The Euro import was making just her second start in the States when she won the Masters as the favorite a year ago. She never landed a punch in the GI Breeders' Cup Filly & Mare Sprint in her next, finishing 10th, and was put away for the winter. Living the Life came back to win the Camilla Urso S. over Golden Gate's Tapeta in March, then was sixth in the GIII Las Cinegas on Santa Anita's downhill in mid-April. Left with too much to do when fifth in the Desert Stormer on the dirt at Santa Anita June 14, she showed a nice late kick to get up for place honors in the GII Great Lady M S. at Los Al July 11. With Joe Bravo in the irons, Living the Life showed better foot than is her norm and sat a good fourth as Leigh Court was in hand through comfortable :22.94 and :45.41 fractions. That rival kicked away a bit at the top of the lane, but Living the Life, full of run and angled toward the inside, came flying and was up in plenty of time. **Cont. p7**

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Living the Life | Coady Photography

Mandella confirmed that his filly would not try the Breeders' Cup again this year. "She ran well at Los Alamitos, so she can run well on dirt, but she's better on synthetic," he said. "She came out of the Breeders' Cup sick last year, and I think it was more that than the dirt, but I think she's about four or five lengths better on synthetic. We might pick out something at Woodbine before the season ends, and we'll point for this race next year."



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Monday, Parx

TURF MONSTER H.-GIII, \$300,000, PRX, 9-7, 3yo/up, 5fT, :55.81, fm.

1--**@PURE SENSATION**, 118, g, 4, by [Zensational](#)

1st Dam: Pure Disco (MSW, \$496,840), by Disco Rico

2nd Dam: V for Vera, by Concorde's Tune

3rd Dam: Pure Fire, by Fire Dancer

O/B-Patricia Generazio (FL); T-Christophe Clement;

J-Kendrick Carmouche. \$180,000. Lifetime Record:

13-4-4-2, \$461,345. **Werk Nick Rating: B+ . Click for the [eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree](#).**

2--**Mongolian Saturday**, 118, g, 5, Any Given

Saturday--Miss Hot Salsa, by Houston. (\$60,000 Ylg

'11 KEESEP). O-Mongolian Stable; B-Normandy Farm

(KY); T-Enebish Ganbat. \$60,000.

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3--**Sharp Sensation**, 121, g, 5, Sharp Humor--

Accusation, by Royal Academy. (\$55,000 Wlg '10

KEENOV). O-Jim & Susan Hill; B-Hunter Valley Farm

(KY); T-Reade Baker. \$33,000.

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stamped himself as a Breeders' Cup Mile contender with a record-breaking performance in Monday's \$250,000 BERNARD BARUCH H. (G2), setting a NEW COURSE RECORD OF 1:38.54

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Pure Sensation was the crowd's choice here in a field so evenly matched that *five* horses were sent off at 5-1, and he proved the public right. The Generazio homebred seems to have found a home on the grass after spending a good deal of his sophomore season, despite a win in the grassy Quick Call S. at Saratoga, on the main track. Off for nine months after running seventh in Honor Code (A.P. Indy)'s comeback allowance win at Aqueduct last fall, the gelding registered a victory in his own comeback facing optional claimers at Saratoga July 31, and was trying to improve to three-for-four on turf. Hounding Mongolian Saturday from the break, he pressed that foe through :21 1/5 and :44 splits and, in a thrilling final-furlong battle, got his nose down in the shadow of the wire.

Monday, Parx

GREENWOOD CUP S.-GIII, \$200,000, PRX, 9-7, 3yo/up, 1 1/2m, 2:33.64, ft.

1--**NECK 'N NECK**, 116, h, 6, by Flower Alley

1st Dam: Bootery, by Storm Boot

2nd Dam: Magic Way, by Runaway Groom

3rd Dam: Magic Blaze, by Broad Brush

O-Ted Mitzlaff; B-A Stevens Miles (KY); T-Ian R Wilkes; J-Paco Lopez. \$120,000. Lifetime Record: 28-6-4-5, \$965,962. Werk Nick Rating: A+. Click for the [eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree](#).

 Sells at **KEENOV** with **LANTERN HILL** 

 **BLACKWOOD GRADUATE** 

 Hip #131: Half-sis sells at **KEESEP** with **Hunter Valley** 

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2--**Majestic Harbor**, 121, h, 7, Rockport Harbor--
 Champagne Royale, by French Deputy. (\$20,000 Ylg '09 KEESEP). O-Gallant Stable; B-Liberation Farm & Brandywine Farm (KY); T-Paul J McGee. \$40,000.

 HALF-SIS HIP #159 AT **KEESEP** sells with **Brandywine Farm**

3--**For Greater Glory**, 119, h, 5, [Afleet Alex](#)--Lady's Touch, by Touch Gold. (\$120,000 RNA Ylg '11 KEESEP; \$290,000 RNA 2yo '12 OBSMAR). O-Alex & JoAnn Lieblong; B-Peter E Blum Thoroughbreds, LLC (KY); T-Steve Hobby. \$22,000.

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Margins: HF, 2HF, 7HF. Odds: 1.70, 4.30, 5.10. Also Ran: Desvelo (Arg), Our Caravan, Waynesborough, Turco Bravo (Chi), Indian Jones.

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Neck 'n Neck was looking for his first win since taking the GII Indiana Derby and GIII Ack Ack H. in the fall of his 3-year-old season in 2012, and got it here with a victory that lived up to his name. After racing just two times at four and three times at five, the 6-year-old has been busy this year. He ran well in two preps at Tampa over the winter, was second in the GIII Ben Ali S. at Keeneland in April, then finished third in a salty renewal of the GII Alysheba S. at Churchill May 11.

Less competitive when fifth and then fourth in the GII Brooklyn H. June 15 and GII Suburban H. July 4--both at Belmont--he came into this off a well-beaten third to Bay of Plenty (Medaglia d'Oro) and Mylute (Midnight Lute) in the Alydar S. at Saratoga Aug. 9. Partnered with Paco Lopez, Neck 'n Neck secured an inside position at the break and quickly hooked up with Majestic Harbor. The pair loped along through :25 2/5, :50 2/5 and 1:16 1/5 splits before Majestic Harbor took a clear lead up the backstretch. Lopez moved Neck'n Neck to the outside and once again engaged, and it was still those two at the top of the lane. Neck'n Neck was asked the question in earnest at the eighth pole and responded gamely to wear down Majestic Harbor.

Wise Dan Retired (cont. from p1)

Wise Dan was unbeaten in four starts last term, returning from emergency colic surgery in the spring for a dramatic victory in the 2014 GII Bernard Baruch H. He had been preparing for a defense of his GI Breeders' Cup Mile title when sidelined by an ankle injury last fall.

"Mr. Fink and I talked about it and we've all decided he should be retired at this age," LoPresti continued. "There's no point trying to bring him back again. I expect he'll retire to our farm here in Kentucky. He'll be turned out with his brother Successful Dan."

Wise Dan was named Horse of the Year in 2012 and 2013 after capping both campaigns with wins in the GI Breeders' Cup Mile. He also claimed the Eclipse statue as champion grass horse and champion older horse in both seasons. The 8-year-old retires with 23 wins--11 at Grade I level--from 31 starts and earnings of \$7,552,920. In addition to his Breeders' Cup double, the remarkable gelding also recorded back-to-back victories in the 2012 and 2013 Woodbine Mile, 2012 and 2014 GI Shadwell Turf Mile, 2013 and 2014 GI Woodford Reserve Turf Classic and 2013 and 2014 GI Maker's 46 Mile S. He was also a Grade I winner on dirt, having captured the 2011 GI Clark H., and a multiple graded stakes winner over the synthetics.

"We were trying to get to the Breeders' Cup and we thought Woodbine was the perfect place to get started," LoPresti said. "We were so excited about coming up, but it wasn't meant to be."

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WISE DAN
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2014
[GI Shadwell Turf Mile](#)
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2012
[GI Breeders' Cup Mile](#)
[GIII Ben Ali S.](#)

2011
[GI Clark H.](#)

SIXTH STRAIGHT SPA TITLE FOR PLETCHER

Todd Pletcher captured his sixth straight trainer's title, and 12th title overall, at Saratoga with a come-from-behind victory over Chad Brown. Pletcher trailed Brown for much of the 40-day meeting, but took the lead with three winners Saturday and sealed the win Monday to take the title 34 wins to Brown's 31.

"It feels good for the whole team," said Pletcher, who captured four Grade I races during the Saratoga meet.

"It was extremely stiff competition this year. Chad Brown and his team had a phenomenal meet. We're blessed."

Irad Ortiz, Jr. won his first Saratoga riding title. The 23-year-old got off to a quick start, caught fire in the middle of the 40-day meet, and cruised to the finish with 57 victories, four more than Javier Castellano.

"It's a dream come true to win a title in Saratoga," said Ortiz, who was nipped, 56-55, by Castellano for top honors at the Belmont spring meet. "I'm so happy and so thankful to everyone who supports me. All the owners and trainers, everyone is involved in this title. We came running last [year] and just missed. We just kept working hard and this year was the year."

Michael Dubb repeated as the meet's leading owner. Dubb and his various partnerships won 12 races at the stand, two more than Klaravich Stables in second. Patricia Generazio finished third with eight wins.



Todd Pletcher | *A Coglianese*

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	Steve Sherack	Brian DiDonato
GI Hopeful	Tom's Ready	Set the Trappe
Finish	5th at 9-1	6th at 5-1
Net	-\$100.00	-\$180.00
Bankroll	\$1,779.00	\$1,621.80

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PEDIGREE INSIGHTS

by Andrew Caulfield



Saturday, Saratoga

SPINAWAY S.-GI, \$350,000, SAR, 9-5, 2yo, f, 7f, 1:23.10, ft.

1--#**@&RACHEL'S VALENTINA**, 118, f, 2, by **Bernardini**

1st Dam: Rachel Alexandra (Horse of the Year, Ch. 3yo filly & MGISW, \$3,506,730), by Medaglia d'Oro

2nd Dam: Lotta Kim, by Roar

3rd Dam: Kim's Blues, by Cure the Blues

O/B-Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC (KY); T-Todd A Pletcher; J-John R. Velazquez. \$210,000.

Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$259,800. **Werk Nick**

Rating: A+. Click for the [eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree](#).

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To the unbridled joy of Rachel Alexandra's countless admirers, the 2009 Horse of the Year appears to be making an ideal start to her broodmare career. Each of her first two foals--the Curlin colt Jess's Dream and the Bernardini filly Rachel's Valentina--were named a 'TDN Rising Stars' during the Saratoga meet in August.

And now Rachel's Valentina has wasted no time in justifying this accolade, returning to Saratoga to become a GI winner in the Spinaway S.

Of course the birth of Rachel's Valentina wasn't without a price. Soon afterwards Rachel Alexandra was found to have suffered a damaged section of colon, which required removal, and she hasn't been bred since.



Rachel's Valentina | *NYRA/Coglianese*

Fortunately Stonestreet at least now have a daughter of similar promise, plus a winning sister in the \$700,000 Samantha Nicole.

The uninitiated much think it is simply a matter of course that a mare of Rachel Alexandra's huge talent would quickly become the dam of a Grade I winner, but I'm afraid that the breeding of racehorses is rarely so straightforward.

In 2010, when the *Blood-Horse* used the Jockey Club's database to analyse the records of more than 65,000 broodmares, they did find that Grade I-winning mares were indeed more successful as broodmares than less well-qualified individuals. Apparently, foals from Grade I-winning mares earn more than 2.3 times the average and are five times more likely to win a graded stake than the norm.

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I should quickly add, though, that the 462 Grade I-winning mares in the study produced 4,226 named foals and only 103 of the 4,226 became Grade I winners. That's 2.44%, or one in every 41, which puts into perspective Rachel Alexandra's feat of producing a Grade I winner as her second foal. For the record, the study showed that only 0.39% of all second foals develop into Grade I winners. If that sounds frighteningly low, it is one of the highest percentages in the birth order of foals, very similar to the figures for third, fourth and fifth foals.



Barbara Banke leads Rachel's Valentina | Horsephotos

Although this study told us that Grade I-winning fillies have the brightest future as producers, there are inevitably some serious disappointments among the very good fillies and mares which occasionally proved equal to defeating the males.

I thought it might be interesting to look at the other mares which, like Rachel Alexandra, have been voted Horse of the Year in living memory.

Calumet's Twilight Tear was the standout performer of 1944, when this daughter of Bull Lea enjoyed an 11-race winning sequence in building a record of 14 wins from 17 starts. In beating the males in the Pimlico Special, she equalled Seabiscuit's time for the event.

So how did Twilight Tear fare as a producer? The answer is pretty well. Her Blenheim II filly A Gleam compiled a record of 30-12-8-7, ranking among the best 2-year-old fillies of 1951 before becoming the queen of the 3-year-old fillies on the West Coast.

Twilight Tear's Alibhai gelding Bardstown wasn't nearly as precocious, but he shone from the ages of four to seven, retiring with earnings of over \$600,000-- a very large figure for that era--thanks partly to valuable victories in the Gulfstream Park H. and two editions of the Widener H. **Cont. p11**

RACHEL'S VALENTINA, c, 2013

Bernardini	A.P. Indy	Seattle Slew	Bold Reasoning	
		Weekend Surprise	My Charmer	
	Cara Rafaela	Quiet American	Secretariat	
		Oil Fable	Lassie Dear	
Rachel Alexandra HofY, Ch3yoF, MGISW, \$3,506,730 2Fls, 1GSW	Medaglia d'Oro	El Prado (Ire)	Fappiano	
		Cappucino Bay	Demure	
	Lotta Kim SW & GSP, \$146,485 5Fls, 1Ch, 1GSW	Roar	Spectacular Bid	Northern Fable
			Kim's Blues 11Fls, 3SW	Sadler's Wells
		Early Decision	Bailjumper	Lady Capulet
			Dubbed In	Forty Niner
Wild Applause	Cure the Blues			

G2 Del Mar Derby winner...

OM, previously best known for beating American Pharoah on his debut, became a Derby winner himself with an emphatic front-running victory in the \$250,500 contest.

LEADING 3YO SIRES BY STAKES WINNERS

RANK	STALLION	SW (SWins)	EARNINGS
1	MUNNINGS	7 (9) / 6 (8)	\$2,555,735
2	Medaglia d'Oro	6 (6)	\$2,552,995
3	Tapit	5 (5)	\$5,126,665
4	Curlin	5 (9)	\$4,565,749
5	Lookin At Lucky	5 (6)	\$2,811,143
6	Scat Daddy	4 (7)	\$2,786,146
7	Giant's Causeway	4 (6)	\$2,568,378

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Another filly was voted Horse of the Year in 1945, this being the highly accomplished Busher, whose impressive list of awards included those for 2-year-old filly, 3-year-old filly and handicap mare. In a year when racing was prohibited for four months, Busher still managed to clock up nine stakes victories and compile record earnings for a filly. The daughter of War Admiral and Baby League didn't have many foals, but one of them was Jet Action, who received 121 on the *Blood-Horse* Handicap for 3-Year-Olds in 1954. Busher's grand-daughter Bushfield also made an impact as a broodmare, with the Grade I winners Beau's Eagle, Favorite Funtime and Bishop Court Hill among her descendants.

Next in line comes the remarkable 1965 2-year-old filly Moccasin--that is, if you are prepared to include the awards from the Thoroughbred Racing Association and *Turf & Sport Digest*, rather than just the *Daily Racing Form* (which opted for the 4-year-old gelding Roman Brother).

Moccasin's claims rested on an unbeaten record of eight victories. This daughter of Nantallah and Rough Shod II was once described by Frank Talmadge Phelps as an "immense filly of 161/2 hands with feet nearly as large as a draughthorse's." She made the most of her physique, with a sequence of impressive displays. Such was her charisma that she topped two polls for Horse of the Year, even though she was weighted 6lb below the best of the juvenile colts--an individual called Buckpasser, who had triumphed in nine of his 11 starts.

Many of you will recognize that Moccasin's parentage made her a sister not only to the high-class Ridan and the very smart Lt Stevens, but also to the stakes-placed Thong. Needless to say, few broodmares make as enormous an impact as Thong, who numbers Nureyev, Sadler's Wells, Fairy King and Blame among her many notable descendants. That said, Moccasin also had an impressive record, producing the champion 2-year-old Apalachee, his fellow Irish Group winners Nantequos, Brahms and Belted Earl and the stakes-winning fillies Scuff and Flippers. More recently there have been Grade I wins for Bandini, out of a grand-daughter of Flippers, and Winning Prize, out of a great-grand-daughter of Scuff.

It is highly unusual to see a foreign-trained horse take Horse of the Year honors in the U.S., but Daniel Wildenstein's filly All Along did so in 1983. This grand-daughter of Round Table did so by adding decisive wins in the Rothmans International, Turf Classic and Washington D.C. International to her victory over 25 others in the Arc.

It is hard to imagine nowadays that fillies occupied the first four places in that particular Arc or that All Along was the fifth consecutive filly to win the Arc. Indeed she was the eighth in the space of 12 years. The next 24 years saw only one filly or mare win the Arc--Urban Sea in 1993--but we appear to be back in a female-centric period, with Zarkava, Danedream, Solemia and Treve taking five of the last seven editions.

All Along made an encouraging start as a broodmare in 1988, when her unimaginatively-named son Along All figured among the best European juveniles. Sadly she failed to produce another group winner and the family doesn't appear to be flourishing. Another of these Arc-winning fillies, the magnificent Allez France, produced just one foal of any note--her Group 3-winning Nureyev filly Action Francaise, who has two Group 3 winners to her credit.

On a much more positive note, Urban Sea ranks among the best broodmares of all time, as the dam of Galileo, Sea The Stars and six other stakes winners. Then there's Detroit, the 1980 winner who matched Urban Sea's feat of producing an Arc-winning son, namely the 1994 winner Carnegie. And don't forget Gold River, the 1981 winner who had three smart performers among her first four foals, only to fall victim to a lightning strike.

To get back to America's female Horses of the Year, Lady's Secret justifiably became everyone's favorite during a career which saw her amass 25 wins and nine seconds during a 45-race career. One of her wins came against the males in the GI Whitney H. Sadly the grey daughter of Secretariat proved nowhere near as effective as a broodmare, with only five winners--none of them a black-type earner--among her 12 foals. The only silver lining has been a Group 2 Japanese winner out of one of her daughters.

Japan, of course, is now also home to Azeri, where the 2002 Horse of the Year has 2013 and 2014 colts by the outstanding Deep Impact. She hasn't yet hit the Grade I target as a broodmare, but she wasn't far off with her Ghostzapper filly Wine Princess, a Grade II winner who was also Grade I placed.

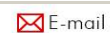
It is going to be fascinating to watch the development of the broodmare careers of the latest female Horses of the Year. The ultra-charismatic Zenyatta hasn't had much luck so far, as her 2014 War Front filly died and she wasn't bred that year. However, there is her 2-year-old Tapit colt Ziconic to look forward to and she was bred to War Front this year. It's hardly surprising that the 2011 heroine Havre de Grace has visited the same two stallions. This \$10,000,000 daughter of Saint Liam has a 2014 Tapit filly and a 2015 War Front colt.



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CHANTILLY ACE?

Chantilly host the G3 Prix d'Aumale on Tuesday, where **TDN Rising Star Antonoe** (First Defence) bids to put substance to style and place herself at the forefront of 2016's Classic aspirants. So impressive when scoring by 6 1/2 lengths on debut over 7 1/2 furlongs at Deauville Aug. 7, Khalid Abdullah's homebred received a boost on Saturday when the third Apple Betty (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) scored at La Teste de Buch.



Antonoe | Scoop Dyga

Her mettle will be tested by a trio of proven black-type performers in the Aug. 1 Listed Prix des Jouvenceaux et des Jouvencelles first and second **Ella Diva (Fr)** (Heliostatic {Ire}) and **Penjade (Fr)** (Air Chief Marshal {Ire}), and Leonidas Marinopoulos' **Aktoria (Fr)** (Canford Cliffs {Ire}) who

took Deauville's Listed Prix Six Perfections over seven furlongs also at the beginning of last month. Al Shaqab Racing's **Gherdaiya (GB)** (Shamardal) represents the Andre Fabre stable and is two-for-two after outings at Deauville July 2 and Aug. 2.

No filly has won the St. Leger since 1992, although Ralph Beckett has gone close twice in recent years. He sent out Look Here (GB) (Hernando {Fr}) to finish third in 2008 and Talent (GB) (New Approach {Ire}) to finish second in 2013. Beckett is confident of a bold show from Simple Verse on Saturday and commented, "She did a good piece of work nine days ago, and she has developed physically. She is not ground dependent--she has won on a fast surface and she has won on slow ground. We felt that with the fact that she is progressive and she is a certain stayer, supplementing her for Doncaster seemed like the right thing to do."

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BACK INJURY BLAMED FOR GORDON DEFEAT

MG1SW **Gordon Lord Byron (Ire)** (Byron {GB}) logged a rare below par effort in the G1 Haydock Sprint Cup on Saturday, finishing tenth of fifteen, but trainer Tom Hogan has revealed a re-occurrence of a back problem as a reason for the 7-year-old's poor effort. Gordon Lord Byron has suffered with back trouble a few times in the past and Hogan is optimistic that the latest bout will not keep him sidelined for too long.

"The vet came over from England, he identified the problem and has dealt with it," said the Tipperary trainer. "He is prone to back problems and it's just unfortunate it happened on Saturday as otherwise he was in tremendous form. We have to deal with these things all the time and hopefully we'll get it right the next day. We'll see how he is tomorrow, but he should be back in action fairly soon."

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Tuesday, Chantilly, France, post time: 5:10 p.m.

PRIX D'AUMAILE-G3, €80,000, 2yo, f, 8fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER
1	5	Antonoe	First Defence	Cheminaud	Bary
2	3	Gherdaiya (GB)	Shamardal	Benoist	Fabre
3	7	Pleasemetoo (Ire)	Vale of York (Ire)	Guyon	Smaga
4	1	Penjade (Fr)	Air Chief Marshal (Ire)	Blondel	Decouz
5	4	Ella Diva (Fr)	Heliostatic (Ire)	Forest	Rarick
6	2	Aktoria (Fr)	Canford Cliffs (Ire)	Peslier	Laffon-Parias
7	6	Alinstante (GB)	Archipenko	Eyquem	Prescott

All carry 121 pounds.

SIMPLE VERSE ADDED TO LEGER FIELD

Progressive filly **Simple Verse (Ire)** (Duke Of Marmalade {Ire}) has been supplemented for the G1 St. Leger at Doncaster this coming Saturday at a cost of £50,000. The Ralph Becket trained filly was unraced as a juvenile but has shown smart form this year and most recently won the G3 Lily Langtry S. at Goodwood over the St. Leger trip of a mile and six furlongs.

The 3-year-old also holds an entry in the G2 Park Hill S. for fillies only on Thursday but connections are keen to give her a chance at Classic glory. David Redvers, racing manager for part-owners Qatar Racing, told the *Racing Post*, "She has scoped clean and looks in great order, so she has been supplemented for the Leger."

PLANS FLUID FOR TWILIGHT SON

Trainer Henry Candy is keeping an open mind with regard to future plans for his current star sprinter **Twilight Son (GB)** (Kyllachy {GB}). The 3-year-old is now unbeaten in five starts following his narrow victory in last Saturday's G1 Haydock Sprint Cup. That was the colt's first run in a stakes race and Candy, who has a marvelous record with sprinters, is obviously delighted with what the horse has achieved in a short career so far. "He's very well. He's pretty tough now and has grown up at last," said the trainer. "It was a wonderful result. Whether he runs again [this season] is entirely up to him. We'll see how he is in his coat and in himself." Candy is also very much looking forward to 2016 with the horse who won a handicap race in Thirsk this time last year when rated 77. "He's got all of next year, but it was wonderful to get the job done," added Candy who trains just outside Lambourn. The G1 British Champion Sprint at Ascot in October is a possibility for Twilight Son and Candy may also have the smart **Limato (Ire)** (Tagula {Ire}) in mind for the same race.

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RACING SAYS GOODBYE TO BART CUMMINGS IN SYDNEY by *Andrew Hawkins*

Legendary handler Bart Cummings was remembered as "the shy racehorse trainer destined to become an Australian icon" as he was farewelled with a state funeral in Sydney Monday.

Dignitaries including Australia's Governor-General Sir Peter Cosgrove, New South Wales Premier Mike Baird and former Australian Prime Minister Bob Hawke joined trainers, jockeys, owners and hundreds of racing fans inside a packed St Mary's Cathedral to pay their respects to arguably the greatest horseman the nation has ever produced.



Bart Cummings (1927-2015)
bartandjamescumplings.com.au

It was a fitting send-off for a man who, despite being allergic to horses and hay, became known as the "Cups King" for his 12 victories in the country's most storied race, the G1 Melbourne Cup.

A classy, deeply religious affair--simple yet grand--it was reflective of the man being honored. His casket, brown oak with gold fittings,

sat at the head of affairs, adorned by two large portraits of the trainer, his 10th Melbourne Cup--won by Saintly (Aus) in 1996--taking pride of place next to the coffin. Cummings bred Saintly and raced him in partnership with Dato Tan Chin Nam.

And much like the race he came to dominate, the funeral stopped a nation, a number of television networks interrupting regular coverage to telecast the service.

The traditional Catholic mass, led by the Archbishop of Sydney Anthony Fisher, was at heart a family occasion. Readings and prayers were given by his children and grandchildren, including his training partner, grandson James, while close friend of more than 50 years Malcolm Wuttke had the congregation in hysterics with a number of witty anecdotes involving missed flights, Hugh Hefner and the Derby at Epsom ([video](#)).

"Bart was revered by Australians of every sort," Fr Fisher said. "From the cabbies who took him to Flemington and Randwick, to leaders of Government and industry who liked to be seen with him--even, I'm told, Her Majesty the Queen."

"Dad spent time with kings and queens, prime ministers, premiers and the common man. He treated all equally and gave them time," said Cummings's son and fellow trainer Anthony through tears. "There's always been a bit of larrikin about dad. There was always a bit of fun to be had and it was that, from the early days that drew people to him. As we'd seen all the way through, there hadn't been a bridle made to hold him back.

"In the end, he was more than a horseman, he was an icon, a legend, all of that; built from flames and hardship to go with success. Bob Hawke described him as a great and good Australian, enough said." ([video](#))

Perhaps it was appropriate, then, that the Australian national anthem, Advance Australia Fair, rung out as one of the early hymns. It was an odd ode, but one which no doubt would have left Cummings--a patriot whose green and gold stable colours were a nod to Australia's national colours--with a wry smile.



Anthony Cummings
anthonicummings.com.au

Among the mourners were five jockeys who rode Melbourne Cup winners for Cummings: J J Miller, Darren Beadman, Steven King, John Marshall and Blake Shinn, as well as the first lady of Australian racing, Gai Waterhouse, whose father T. J. Smith was Cummings's main rival through the 1970s and 1980s.

But chief among those in attendance was Cummings's wife Valmae, wheelchair-bound but stoic as ever. The devoted couple celebrated their 61st wedding anniversary two days before his death.

As the service came to a close, the bells of St Mary's Cathedral tolled loudly across Sydney--once for each of his 87 years--while Australia's normally-raucous parliament in Canberra came to a standstill for a minute's silence.

Cummings died of pneumonia surrounded by his family at his Princes Farm property on the outskirts of Sydney Aug. 30.

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Monday's Results:

11th-SAR, \$85,000, 9-7, (NW1\$X), 3yo/up, f/m, 1 3/16mT, 1:53.03, fm.

KITZYS ROCKET (f, 3, Parading--Ready At Nine, by More Than Ready) got within two lengths of winning in each of her first two career starts over the sod at Gulfstream, finishing third Mar. 8 and sixth Apr. 1. The dark bay rallied to check in fourth over a grassy mile at Belmont May 10 and improved to finish a well-beaten runner-up behind Trophee (Fr) (Mr. Sidney) going nine panels there June 19. Finding the Spa to her liking, she recently rallied to capture an 11-furlong turf test over the inner course here July 27. She was strongly backed as the 7-2 second choice in this final race of the 2015 Saratoga season and made use of her rail draw to secure position tracking the pace along the rail as Rock Me Again (Rock Hard Ten) showed the way through six furlongs in 1:11.39. Asked to pick up the tempo soon after, Kitzys Rocket angled out to the two path cornering for home and edged past the stubborn pacesetter in deep stretch after a protracted duel. The winner's dam produced a filly by Half Ours last year and was bred to D'Wildcat this year. Sales History: \$9,000 RNA Ylg '13 FTKOCT. Lifetime Record: 6-2-1-1, \$123,550. [Click for the Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton](#).

O-Julia Sears; B-June Glenn Thoroughbreds LLC & Stelly Stables LLC (KY); T-Barclay Tagg.

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8th-SAR, \$85,000, Alw, 9-7, (NW1\$X), 3yo, f, 1 1/16mT, 1:39.79, fm.

GAP YEAR (f, 3, Bernardini--Dubai Escapade {GISW, \$427,050}, by Awesome Again) was a debut third here last year behind subsequent graded winner Paulasilverlining (Ghostzapper) and was seventh stepping up in the GI Alcibiades Oct. 3 at Keeneland. She graduated there Oct. 23 and was sixth attempting graded company again in the GII Demoiselle S. at Aqueduct Nov. 29. Gap Year returned from a nine-month break to finish second trying the turf here Aug. 7. The 2-1 pick for the white-hot McLaughlin barn rated in second behind the freewheeling leader down the backstretch and took closer account on the turn. The Godolphin homebred reeled in the leader at the top of the lane and kicked clear en route to a 2 3/4-length score. Ortiga (Ire) (Dark Angel {Ire}) completed the exacta. Grade I winning dam Dubai Escapade has a yearling colt by Tapit and a weanling colt by Tapit. She was bred back to Bernardini this spring. Lifetime Record: 6-2-1-1, \$115,043. [Click for the Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton](#).

O-Godolphin Racing LLC; B-Darley (KY); T-Kiaran P. McLaughlin.

6th-SAR, \$83,000, Msw, 9-7, 2yo, f, 1 1/16mT, 1:43.51, fm.

+ THEORY OF CHANGE (f, 2, Archarcharch--Gal of Mine, by Mining) dismissed at odds of 7-1 despite her trainer's historical prowess with maidens on the grass, earned a narrow victory in her career debut on closing day at Saratoga.



Theory of Change (inside) holds off Miss Aja Brown | NYRA

The dark bay posted a steady local worktab dating back to early June and was sent downstate to Belmont to finalize her preparations for this unveiling. Away without incident, she assumed position racing

off the pace along the inside as Love the Kitten (Kitten's Joy) and Double Dose (Flatter) sparred through fractions of :24.39 and :49.39. Advancing along the rail as Miss Aja Brown (Big Brown) seized control turning for home, she unleashed a prolonged rally to get up by a head as that rival drifted out in deep stretch. The winner, the ninth for her freshman sire (by Arch), is a half to America America (Mister Baileys {GB}), MSW & GSP-US, MSP-Eng & SP-Ger, \$403,050; and So Long George (Arch), GSW, \$290,307. Dam Gal of Mine has a yearling filly by Paddy O'Prado and was bred to Point of Entry this spring. Sales history: \$95,000 Ylg '14 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$49,800. [Click for the Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton](#).

O-Klaravich Stables, Inc. & William H. Lawrence; B-Hidden Brook Farm (KY); T-Chad C. Brown.

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4th-SAR, \$83,000, Msw, 9-7, 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:36.13, fm.
BATTLE RED (g, 3, Kitten's Joy--Talking Treasure {MSW, \$361,737}, by Catienus) was the favorite in all eight previous starts-missing the board just once and finishing second six times-and so naturally broke through here in his first go at a price north of 2-1. Sent postward at 8-1 odds with Eric Cancel riding for the Pletcher barn, the gelding was asked for speed from the outside draw and raced out to lead through :24 1/5 and :48 1/5 fractions. **cont. p2**

SAR-4 result cont.

He was still going strong at the top of the stretch and found the wire in time as favored Infinite Wisdom (Smart Strike) rallied to within a neck. Sales history: \$125,000 Ylg '13 FTSAUG; \$180,000 RNA Ylg '13 FTKOCT; \$270,000 2yo '14 KEEAPR. Lifetime Record: 9-1-6-1, \$140,690. [Click for the Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.](#)

O-Jake Ballis & Rashard Lewis; B-Kenneth & Sarah Ramsey (KY); T-Todd Pletcher.

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2nd-SAR, \$73,000, (S), Msw, 9-7, 2yo, f, 5 1/2fT, 1:02.97, fm.

SURPRISE CAMEO (f, 2, Giant Surprise--Cameo Mio, by Belong to Me) was looking to become the second winner for her Repole/Pletcher-campaigned freshman sire (by Giant's Causeway), and the second for these connections. The chestnut attended the pace before tiring to a well-beaten third at 2-1 on the main track Aug. 7, and was the 8-5 pick moving to the sod.

Surprise Cameo broke alertly and was soon in front as the 5-1 Lady's First (Ghostzapper) was up to challenge. The pair carved out swift :21 4/5 and :44 3/5 fractions while clear of the rest, with Surprise Cameo asserting in the dying strides to win it a neck in a thriller as two rivals came flying late. Sales history: \$18,000 Wlg '13 FTNMIX; \$25,000 Ylg '14 SARAUG; \$80,000 2yo '15 OBSAPR. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$51,100. [Click for the Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.](#)

O-Repole Stable; B-Cedar Ridge Farm LLC (NY); T-Todd A Pletcher.

Trained at **Crupi's New Castle Farm**
SGV THOROUGHBREDS GRADUATE
VINERY SALES GRADUATE

Eastern U.S.

Monday's Results:

TURF AMAZON H., \$200,000, PRX, 9-7, 3yo/up, f/m, 5fT, :56.36, fm.

1--**RICHIES SWEETHEART, 118, f, 4, Bring the Heat--Make an Offer, by Officer.** O-Richard Ravin, Patricia's Hope LLC & Larry Rivelli; B-Larry Rivelli & Richard Ravin (IL); T-Larry Rivelli; J-E. T. Baird. \$120,000. Lifetime Record: 23-12-4-1, \$475,657.

SGV THOROUGHBREDS GRADUATE

2--**Joya Real, 119, m, 6, Eddington--Regal Locket, by Regal Classic.** O-Pewter Stable; B-G. L. Zwerling LLC (KY); T-Kathleen A. Demasi. \$40,000.

3--**Inspired by Grace, 117, f, 4, Curlin--Harve de Grace, by Boston Harbor.** (\$100,000 Ylg '12 KEESEP). O-Main Line Racing Stable, MarchFore Thoroughbreds & David Charlton; B-Lee McMillin & Ed Rudley (KY); T-John C. Servis. \$22,000.

Margins: 2, NO, 3/4. Odds: 4.80, 4.60, 43.80.

Also Ran: Thieves Guild, Indian Splendor, Everything Lovely, Strikinglybeautiful, Jewel of a Cat, Wellingtons Appeal, Richies Party Girl. Scratched: Devilish Love.

Richie's Sweetheart enjoyed much success in her native Illinois and shipped to Saratoga to capture an allowance event and Keeneland to run fifth in the Franklin County S. last year. Third in a Gulfstream allowance contest to kick off her 2015 campaign Jan. 25, the chestnut returned from a brief freshening to reel off



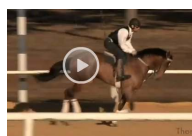
Richies Sweetheart | *Equi-Photo*

three straight victories, culminating with a score in Indiana Grand's Brandywine S. dashing five panels over a yielding course July 17. Recently a tiring fourth in the restricted Isaac Murphy H. going six panels over the all-weather surface at Arlington Aug. 1, Richies Sweetheart took solid public support as part of a two-horse entry in this return to open company. Away to a sharp beginning, she set the pace in the clear through a quarter-mile in :21.61 and found more en route to an open-length triumph. [Click for the Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.](#)

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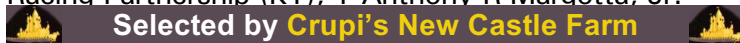
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6th-MTH, \$35,920, Msw, 9-7, 2yo, 6f, 1:12.15, ft.
JAY'S WAY (c, 2, [Gone Astray--Charms Way, by Salt Lake](#)) rallied on debut at Monmouth to finish second by 3/4 of a length as the 9-5 favorite Aug. 23. The Midwest Thoroughbred colorbearer was again favored for this second go, this time at 4-5. He broke on top and settled to press the pace on the outside of Piece of Eight (Lonhro {Aus}) through splits of :22.82 and :46.38. Jay's Way finally got the best of that rival in midstretch and opened up to win by 3 1/2 lengths. Jay's Way, the fifth winner for his freshman sire (by Dixie Union), is a half-sibling to Who What Win (Dance Brightly), SW, \$382,445; and Ayoumilove (Gibson County), SW, \$195,357. Dam Charms Way has a weanling filly by Gone Astray and was bred to Fort Larned this spring. Sales history: \$35,000 Ylg '14 OBSWIN; \$70,000 RNA Ylg '14 OBSAUG; \$50,000 2yo '15 OBSMAR. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$27,720. [Click for the Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton](#).

O-Midwest Thoroughbreds, Inc.; B-Jim Davis (FL); T-Jamie Ness.

8th-MTH, \$35,920, Msw, 9-7, 2yo, 6f, 1:13.08, ft.
+ MEMORIES OF WINTER (c, 2, [Hard Spun--Memories for Us, by Street Cry {Ire}](#)) saw the task at hand get easier when the odds-on pick, Remarkable Tale (Tale of Ekati), absolutely blew the break. That left Memories of Winter, the 5-1 second choice, in an early pace duel with Exclusivo (Warrior's Reward). He shook loose of that foe in the lane and held the late rally of Rahrahh (Archarcharch) safe by a half-length. Remarkable Tale rushed into contention, was eased in the lane and walked off. Sales history: \$8,000 Ylg '14 KEESEP; \$21,000 RNA 2yo '15 EASMAY. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$20,520. [Click for the Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton](#).

O-Thoroughbred Investments Fund LLC; B-Phillips Racing Partnership (KY); T-Anthony R Margotta, Jr.



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1st-PID, \$32,870, Msw, 9-7, 2yo, 5 1/2f (AWT), 1:05.53, ft.
ARTIE THRILLER (c, 2, [Artie Schiller--Break New Ground, by Sunday Break {Jpn}](#)) closed well to finish third in his five-panel unveiling over a sloppy surface at Penn National Aug. 20 and added Lasix for this first spin over the all-weather surface. The 5-2 choice pressed the pace four deep through a quarter-mile in :22.58, gained command turning for home and crossed the wire 1 1/4 lengths clear of first-timer Aerostar (Blame). The winner's dam produced a filly by Big Brown this year. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$22,935. [Click for the Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton](#).

O/B-Dr. Stephen G. & Debbie Jackson (KY); T-Flint W. Stites.

4th-TIM, \$30,247, Msw, 9-7, 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:21.03, ft.

IT'S A TREND (f, 3, [Bellamy Road--Thundering Heat, by Thunder Gulch](#)) was bought off this track at the 2014 Fasig-Tipton Midlantic Sale, and, 15 months later, ran a non-threatening second on debut Aug. 30. Hammered down to 2-5 favoritism in this second go, It's a Trend jump out to lead and made every pole a winning one in an easy three-length triumph. Sales history: \$18,000 RNA Wlg '12 KEENOV; \$25,000 Ylg '13 FTKOCT; \$40,000 2yo '14 EASMAY. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$22,620. [Click for the Equibase.com chart](#). O-R D M Racing Stable; B-Ron McCauley & Bellamy Road Syndicate (KY); T-Michael J. Trombetta.

Central U.S.

Monday's Results:

8th-RP, \$33,000, Msw, 9-7, 2yo, 6f, 1:11.96, ft.
+ DRINKIN' SONG (g, 2, [Cactus Ridge--Sazerac Song, by Phone Trick](#)) tipped his hand with a :47 2/5 drill over this strip Sept. 2 and was away as the 5-2 second choice. Slow into stride from the five hole, the Toby Keith homebred saved ground while trailing the bulk of the field. He angled out some for room, came between rivals like an old pro and fought his way past Rikki Tikki Taxi (Wilburn) to win by a head in a sharp effort. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$19,443. [Click for the Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton](#).

O/B-Dream Walkin' Farms Inc. (KY); T-Don Von Hemel.

5th-ELP, \$29,000, Msw, 9-7, 2yo, f, 7f, 1:22.60, ft.
PROGNOSIS (f, 2, [Tiznow--Copper State {MSW & MGISP, \\$486,141}](#), by [Jump Start](#)) never factored when ninth first time out going 5 1/2 furlongs over the Ellis Park turf Aug. 8. Getting Lasix for the first time, the 6-5 pick set the pace early as Maxine (Hat Trick {Jpn}) kept a close account through fractions of :22.95 and :46.19. That pair began to separate themselves from the field down the lane as they duked it out, and Prognosis was able to get a neck in front on the wire. It was another 14 1/2 lengths back to Angels and Arches (Archarcharch) in third. Dam Copper State has a yearling filly by Street Cry (Ire) and was bred to Distorted Humor this year. Sales history: \$150,000 Ylg '14 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$17,618. [Click for the Equibase.com chart](#).

O-Elizabeth Mitzlaff; B-Diamond A Racing Corp. (KY); T-Ian R. Wilkes.

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6th-ELP, \$28,880, Msw, 9-7, 2yo, f, 1mT, 1:35.84, fm.

LA PIBA (f, 2, [Lookin At Lucky](#)--Perfect Solution, by Seeking the Gold) didn't do much running at 12-1 odds in a turf sprint here July 24 and was a 7-1 chance stretching out. In a tracking position early, La Piba bid three wide under Didiel Osorio and outfinished Prudence (Pleasantly Perfect) to win by 3 1/4 lengths. Brian Hernandez, aboard the runner-up, lodged an objection alleging his mount was struck by Osorio's whip, but stewards let the result stand. The winner's dam had a colt by Midshipman in 2014 and a colt by Mobil this spring. Sales history: \$30,000 Wlg '13 KEENOV; \$45,000 2yo '15 OBSAPR. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$17,630. **Click for the [Equibase.com chart](#).** O-Forever Tango; B-Robert Muir, Des Scott & Sam Klein (KY); T-Ignacio Correas IV.

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6th-AP, \$21,600, (S), Msw, 9-7, 2yo, f, 5f (AWT), :59.34, ft.

(DH) + DISCREET CHARM (f, 2, [Discreetly Mine](#)--Divided We Fall, by You and I) Sales history: \$20,000 Ylg '14 KEESAP. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$8,640. O-Mellon Patch, Inc.; B-David G. Campbell (IL); T-Michael B. Campbell.

(DH) + RACHELSWILDFLOWER (f, 2, [Flower Alley](#)--Wild About Rachel, by Wild Rush) Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$8,640. O/B-Gary & Beth Leverton (IL); T-Frank J. Kirby.

Discreet Charm and Rachelswildflower, both first time starters who were given a 5-2 chance, hit the line in tandem at Arlington Monday. Rachelswildflower broke on top and briefly led before Discreet Charm, who was pressing along the outside, poked a nose in front. Discreet Charm remained about a nose in front for the majority of the stretch, but Rachelswildflower remained persistent and battled back to hit the wire in stride with Discreet Charm. Discreet Charm is a half-sibling to Divisa (Smoke Glacken), SP, \$259,350; and Sounds Impossible (Smoke Glacken), SP, \$191,045. Rachelswildflower is a half-sister to Wild Hope (Quaker Ridge), MSW, \$492,916. **Click for the [Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton](#).**

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- ◆ **Stakes:** purses of \$50,000/up
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- ◆ **Maiden Claiming Races:** purses of \$18,000/up & a minimum claiming price of \$40,000

Canada

AVOWAL S., C\$104,000, WO, 9-7, 3yo/up, f/m, 7fT, 1:21.82, fm.

1--#HARP N HALO, 118, f, 4, [Singing Saint](#)--Rich N Clever (MSP), by Richter Scale. (\$7,000 Ylg '12 FTKOCT; \$75,000 2yo '13 OBSOPN). O-Curragh Stables; B-Adena Springs (KY); T-John P. Terranova, II; J-Luis Contreras. C\$60,000. Lifetime Record: 8-4-1-0, \$136,249.

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2--Silent Treat, 118, m, 5, Silent Name (Jpn)--Crumpet, by Bold n' Flashy. O-Stablemates; B-Stablemates (ON); T-Scott H. Fairlie. C\$24,000.

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3--Stellar Path (Fr), 120, f, 4, Astronomer Royal--America Nova (Fr), by Verglas (Ire). (€140,000 Ylg '12 ARAUG; €380,000 3yo '14 ARQDEC). O-Trevor C. Stewart; B-SF Bloodstock LLC (FR); T-Christophe Clement. C\$11,000.

Margins: NK, HF, 3HF. Odds: 6.15, 1.60, 1.05. Also Ran: Zensational Bunny, On the Backstreets. Scratched: Green Doctor.

Harp N Halo kicked off her 4-year-old year with a decisive romp to break her maiden in her fourth start at Tampa in January and annexed an optional claimer there on Valentine's Day. Harp N Halo crossed the wire first in a rained-off optional claimer there Mar. 27, but



Harp N Halo | Michael Burns photograph

was disqualified for drifting out in the stretch and placed second. She tallied another wire-to-wire victory on the Saratoga turf Aug. 7. Harp N Halo pressed the early pacesetter Silent Treat down the backstretch and gained a slight advantage over that foe in the lane. She dug in for the final furlong and had enough left in the

tank for the win. "She is all about big heart," said Michael Devlin, owner of Curragh Stables. "Loves to win, never quits on us. We're very proud to have her in the stable. We're primarily based in New York, so we're not too far away. We keep an eye on things up here [at Woodbine]. Our trainer saw this race and we thought we'd give it a shot."

Harp N Halo is the first foal out of the multiple stakes placed Rich N Clever. That dam has a Super Saver yearling colt, as well as a weanling colt by Super Saver. She was bred to Astrology this spring. **Click for the [Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton](#).**

4th-WO, C\$72,134, Alw, 9-7, (NW1X), 3yo/up, 6 1/2fT, 1:14.59, fm.

SOLEMN TRIBUTE (g, 3, [Medaglia d'Oro--Loving Vindication, by Vindication](#)), well beaten in two starts as a juvenile, added Lasix and switched to the lawn to begin his 2015 season. The dark bay ran second and fifth in a pair of tries in \$32,000 taggers over the Tampa Bay lawn, respectively, and was transferred to this new barn following the latter Feb. 15 effort. Solemn Tribute showed marked improvement in his return to action, easily annexing a course-and-distance special weight event at odds of 32-1 July 26. Bet down to 5-2 favoritism in this first start against winners, the \$385,000 KEESEP yearling stalked the pace along the inside through a quarter-mile in :22.66, angled out into the lane and rallied to post a one-length score over Bear's Profit (Exchange Rate). Loving Vindication is responsible for a pair of full-siblings to the winner, the unraced juvenile colt Bezzerza and a weanling filly. She was bred to Hard Spun this year. Lifetime Record: 6-2-1-0, \$65,657. [Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.](#)

O-Lael Stables; B-Anderson Farms Ont. Inc. (ON); T-Brian A. Lynch.



CTHS YEARLING SALE TUESDAY

The CTHS Canadian Premier Yearling sale gets underway Tuesday at 11 a.m. in the Woodbine Racetrack sales pavilion. A total of 299 yearlings have been catalogued for the one-day auction, whose graduates include 2015 graded stakes winners Aldous Snow (Theatrical {Ire}), Black Hornet (Pioneering), Fanticola (Silent Name {Jpn}) and Skylander Girl (Stroll). During last year's premier sale, 135 yearlings grossed \$4,466,000 and averaged \$33,081 with a median of \$25,000. John Leblanc, agent, purchased the sale's top-priced lot of 2014, going to C\$325,000 to secure a full-brother to Canadian champion sophomore Pender Harbour (Philanthropist). A half-brother by Old Forester sells Tuesday as [hip 233](#) through the consignment of Sherry McLean's Northern Dawn as agent for Paradox Farm.

California

PIRATE'S BOUNTY S., \$102,250, DMR, 9-7, (C), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:09.18, ft.

1--**BIG MACHER, 121, g, 5, Beau Genius--Insight, by Kris S. (\$10,000 Ylg '11 BAROCT).** O-Tom Mansor & Tachycardia Stables; B-Ballena Vista Farm (CA); T-Richard Baltas; J-Rafael Bejarano. \$66,360. Lifetime Record: GISW, 17-7-2-2, \$684,038.

2--**Cherubim, 119, g, 4, Henny Hughes--Wings of an Angel, by Cherokee Run. (\$2,500 Wlg '11 KEENOV; \$22,000 Ylg '12 FTKOCT; \$50,000 2yo '13 OBSOPN).** O-Gerald Frankel; B-Ward Williford & Rick Strauss (KY); T-Philip D'Amato. \$17,320.



3--**Athens, 119, g, 4, Giant's Causeway--Questress, by Seeking the Gold. (\$550,000 Ylg '12 KEESEP).** O-Kretz Racing LLC; B-Shell Bloodstock (KY); T-George Papaprodromou. \$10,392.



Margins: 4 3/4, 3/4, 1 1/4. Odds: 1.10, 5.80, 12.10.

Big Macher, winner of last year's Gil Potrero Grande S. and GI Bing Crosby S., finished the season with a win in the state-bred Cary Grant S. here Nov. 23. He made only two previous starts this season, running fifth in both Santa Anita's Gil Palos Verdes S. Jan. 31 and in Meydan's G1 Dubai Golden Shaheen Mar. 28. The prohibitive favorite was off a bit slowly from the outside post and rated in midpack about four off the rail early. Big Macher moved up the outside to contest the leaders at the top of the lane, took command and shook loose for the decisive victory. [Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.](#)

DEL MAR JUVENILE FILLIES TURF S., \$101,500, DMR, 9-7, 2yo, f, 1mT, 1:37.63, fm.

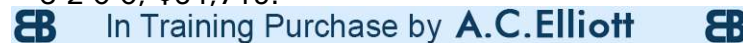
1--**#JAKABY JADE (GB), 119, f, 2, by Royal Applause (GB)**

1st Dam: Zia (Ger), by Grand Lodge

2nd Dam: Zephyrine (Ire), by Highest Honor (Fr)

3rd Dam: Petal Girl (GB), by Caerleon

(£5,000 RNA Ylg '14 DNPRM). O-Steven Keh & Slam Dunk Racing; B-Biddestone Stud (GB); T-Doug F. O'Neill; J-Flavien Prat. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, \$64,715.



2--**One Last Shot, 119, f, 2, Any Given Saturday--Tequilas Dayjur, by Dayjur. (\$57,000 Ylg '14 FTKOCT; \$230,000 2yo '15 OBSAPR).** O-Speedway Stable LLC; B-Dean Hayes & Darley (KY); T-Bob Baffert. \$20,000.



3--**Gomo, 119, f, 2, Uncle Mo--Gentle Audrey, by Elusive Quality. (\$75,000 2yo '15 OBSMAR).** O-Reddam Racing; B-J Liviakis (KY); T-D O'Neill. \$12,000.

Margins: 1HF, NO, 1HF. Odds: 7.40, 4.20, 3.00. Also Ran: Sheeza Milky Way, Imflatoutsweet, Optimism And Hope (Ire), Exactamente, Yodelsong, Baby Bea Scattin, She's On the Line, Find Joy. Scratched: Sutton's Smile. **Cont. p6**



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Del Mar Juvenile Fillies Turf S. result cont.

Jakaby Jade began her career campaigning in England for The Paddock Space Partnership II and trainer Jim Boyle. Seventh on debut in a five-panel turf dash at Windsor June 29, she improved to annex a maiden event over that same distance at Lingfield July 25. Privately purchased by these connections following that effort, the bay received only modest public support in this Stateside debut. The juvenile skimmed the rail at the rear of the field as longshot She's On the Line (Line of David) set the pace through fractions of :22.76 and :47.41. Inching closer as the pack condensed on the turn, Jakaby Jade rocketed through a narrow opening on the final turn and powered home to a convincing tally.

"It's been crazy [winning two stakes here plus the Hopeful at Saratoga], but everything has worked out perfectly," said trainer Doug O'Neill. "This is an average-sized filly and when we worked her over the grass [bullet 4 furlongs in :48.60 four days ago] we were worried we might have overworked her. But she has adjusted to the U.S. very quickly and very well. We got a great ride from Flavien [Prat] getting through on the inside like he did." [Click for the Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton](#).

ROLLING GREEN S., \$63,605, GG, 9-7, 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:42.23, fm.

1--**ALERT BAY, 123, g, 4, City Zip--Hickory (Chi) (Ch. miler, MSW & G1SP-Chi), by Dushyantor.** (\$65,000 Ylg '12 KEEJAN; \$42,000 RNA Ylg '12 KEESEP). O-Peter Redekop B. Co., Ltd.; B-Thomas Newton Bell & Ross John McLeod (CA); T-Blaine D. Wright; J-Russell A. Baze. \$39,300. Lifetime Record: GSW, 18-9-4-2, \$834,495.

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2--**G. G. Ryder, 123, c, 4, Chhaya Dance--Stormy Gigi,** by Storm Boot. O-Jerry Hollendorfer & George Todaro; B-Eagle Oak Ranch LLC (CA); T-Jerry Hollendorfer. \$13,000.

3--**Outside Nashville, 123, g, 5, Broken Vow--Mary Coughlan,** by Gulch. (\$30,000 Ylg '11 KEESEP; \$115,000 2yo '12 OBSMAR). O-John Carver, Jerry Hollendorfer & Green Smith; B-Siena Farms LLC (KY); T-Jerry Hollendorfer. \$6,000.

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Margins: 2 1/4, 1 1/4, 2HF. Odds: 1.40, 2.60, 2.60. Also Ran: Eagle Screams, Pepper Crown, Solomon Bay.

Alert Bay closed out his sophomore season with wins in the Zia Park Derby Nov. 26 and the turfy Gill Mathis Brothers Mile at Santa Anita Dec. 26. He won Arcadia's restricted California Cup Turf Classic going 1 1/8 miles Jan. 24 and was put on the shelf until Golden Gate's Albany S. where he finished fourth cutting back to five furlongs June 13. Fourth when returning to the dirt in Los Alamitos' state-bred Bertrando S. July 2, Alert Bay most recently completed the Gill Longacres Mile H. trifecta at Emerald Downs Aug. 16.

Back on the turf here, the favorite pressed G. G. Ryder through the opening stages, shifted into gear in the stretch as he took the lead and kept on for the win. [Click for the Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton](#).

6th-DMR, \$71,250, Msw, 9-7, 2yo, f, 5 1/2f, 1:04.54, ft. WHERE'S THE D (f, 2, Blame--Freudenau, by Meadowlake) never got involved when seventh in her trip-and-track debut Aug. 16 and was let go as an outsider at odds of 34-1 in this spot. Away in good order, she dueled for command to the outside of Escapee (Street Sense) through a quarter-mile in :21.92 and shook loose to open up a clear advantage turning for home. Kept to her task in the lane, the bay held safe a 1 3/4-length margin to the wire. Swift Lady (Awesome of Course) completed the exacta. The winner RNA'd for \$120,000 as a KEEJAN yearling, sold for \$30,000 as a KEESEP yearling and ultimately went for \$100,000 as an OBSOPN juvenile. The winner's dam has a weanling filly Cape Alava (Cape Blanco {Ire}). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$42,250. [Click for the Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton](#). O-ERJ Racing, LLC & Reddam Racing LLC; B-Jake Lantaff & Epona LLC (KY); T-Doug F. O'Neill.

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7th-DMR, \$71,250, Msw, 9-7, 2yo, f, 1mT, 1:39.01, fm.

DO THE DANCE (f, 2, Discreet Cat--Loure, by A.P. Indy) finished sixth beaten 11 lengths on debut sprinting five panels over the main track at Santa Anita June 4 and improved to check in third over a grassy mile there June 25. Adding blinkers for this first appearance at Del Mar, the bay was overlooked at odds of 13-1. Sent straight to the front, Do the Dance coasted along on an uncontested lead through a half-mile in :49.57 and kicked clear to post a 1 1/2-length victory. Aguacate (Sky Mesa) finished second best. The winner's dam produced a colt by Kitten's Joy last year, a filly by Blame this year and was bred back to Tale of the Cat. Sales History: \$20,000 Ylg '14 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-1, \$48,970. [Click for the Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton](#).

O-Tom Mansor, Purple Shamrock Racing & Gary Sherlock; B-Lester Kwok & Dr. Naoya Yoshida (KY); T-Gary Sherlock.

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1st-DMR, \$71,000, Msw, 9-7, 3yo/up, 7f, 1:23.25, ft. WAYMOND BOYD (c, 3, Distorted Humor--Cindy's Mom {MGSP, \$122,250}, by A.P. Indy) made the first two starts of his career over 6 1/2 furlongs here, finishing seventh July 26 and a distant second behind Skelton Pass (Temple City) Aug. 22. Pounded down to 8-5 favoritism to find the winner's circle going a half-furlong longer, the \$725,000 KEESEP yearling purchase moved to the front soon after the start and pressed first-timer Statesman (Candy Ride {Arg}) in the two-path through a quarter-mile in :22.85. **cont. p7**

DMR-1 result cont.

Gaining control midway on the turn, the confidently handled colt was confronted by Action Hero (Street Cry {Ire})--momentarily ceding the lead to that foe in midstretch--and battled back resolutely to prevail by a quarter-length. Cindy's Mom is responsible for the unraced juvenile filly Dandy Candy (Candy Ride {Arg}), a yearling colt by Speightstown and a weanling colt by Distorted Humor. She was bred back to Candy Ride this year. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, \$56,250. [Click for the Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton](#).

O-Spendthrift Farm LLC; B-Aaron U. & Marie D. Jones (KY); T-Bob Baffert.

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3rd-DMR, \$86,120, Msw, 9-7, 3yo/up, 5fT, :57.54, fm.

NO COMPARISON (f, 4, Vronsky--Perfectly Perfect, by Perfect Mandate) made two starts as a sophomore and finished fourth and fifth, respectively, in a pair of California-bred maiden races. Sent to the sidelines for an extended rest following her final Dec. 21 effort, the chestnut was dismissed at odds of 46-1 as the only female entrant in the field. No Comparison was forwardly placed along the rail through a quarter-mile in :22.25, angled out turning for home and avoided a spill when Tirpitz broke down and fell behind her. Continuing to press on, the filly seized control and reported home 3 1/4 lengths clear of Sleepwalker (Graeme Hall). Tirpitz was euthanized. Her rider, Corey Nakatani, took off his mounts for the remainder of the day and was reportedly taken to the hospital for observation. The winner is a half to Twenty Hawks, (Unusual Heat), GSW, \$337,766. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$58,800. [Click for the Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton](#).

O-The Elwood Johnston Trust; B-Old English Rancho (CA); T-Kenneth D. Black.

ROOKIES

First-crop starters to watch: Tuesday, September 8

*Sire (Sire's Sire), current farm, 2012 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/BlackTypeWnrs * Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)*

ARCHARCHARCH (Arch), Spendthrift Farm, \$10K, 123/9/0
7-IND, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Missindyarch, \$20K OBS OPN 2yo, 8-1

BIG DRAMA (Montbrook), Bridlewood Farm, \$10K, 68/7/1
4-PID, Alw, 6 1/2f, Save the Drama, \$20K OBS OCT wnl, 15-1

PADDY O'PRADO (El Prado {Ire}), Spendthrift Farm, \$15K, 106/5/0
1-PID, Msw, 1m, Ha' Penny Bridge, \$40K OBS WIN yrl, 7-2

SILVER MOUNTAIN (Victory Gallop), Nicks Farm, \$2K, 19/1/0
4-PID, Alw, 6 1/2f, Big Silver Hoss, 4-1

7-IND, Msw, 5 1/2f, Mountain Brooke, \$1K KEE JAN yrl, 30-1
SKYLORD (Sky Mesa), 7/0/0

7-IND, Msw, 5 1/2f, Check Or a Wreck, \$8K PED IND yrl, 6-5
TWIRLING CANDY (Candy Ride {Arg}), Lane's End Farm, \$15K, 92/12/0

4-PID, Alw, 6 1/2f, Twirling Tiger, \$20K KEE NOV wnl, 12-1

First/second-crop starters to watch: Tuesday, Sept. 8

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

DR LARGE (A.P. Indy), 20/1/1

7-IND, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Dont Call Me Large, 15-1

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STAKES RESULTS:

RUIDOSO DOWNS THOROUGHBRED CHAMPIONSHIP H., \$100,000, RUI, 9-7, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:47.09, ft.

1--**OL WINEDRINKER WHO, 123, g, 6, Sligo Bay (Ire)--Silverup, by Prenup.** O/B-Sam E Stevens & Sammy L Stevens (TX); T-Joel H Marr; J-Isaias D Enriquez. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 34-12-5-5, \$658,603.

2--**Bourbon Sense, 122, g, 4, Street Sense--Letter of the Law, by Stormy Atlantic.** (\$85,000 Ylg '12 KEESEP; \$100,000 2yo '13 OBSMAR). O-Dale Arnold; B-J. S. McDonald (KY); T-Ty Garrett. \$22,000.

3--**Isn't He Clever, 122, g, 6, Smarty Jones--Sharp Minister, by Deputy Minister.** (\$45,000 Ylg '10 KEESEP). O-J Kirk & Judy Robison; B-Monticule (KY); T-Henry Dominguez. \$10,000.

Margins: 2 1/4, 6, 17 1/4. Odds: 1.30, 6.60, 0.90.

SPEED TO SPARE S., C\$82,825, NP, 9-7, 3yo/up, 1 3/8m, 2:21.53, gd.

1--**KILLIN ME SMALLS, 126, g, 5, Marcavelly--Curly Girl, by Golden Missile.** O-Deltin Stable & Ed Welsh; B-Zayat Stables LLC (ON); T-Ernie J Keller; J-Ruben Lara. C\$42,300. Lifetime Record: 26-11-3-5, \$270,417.

2--**Wild Legend, 126, g, 4, Gold Legend--Wild Creek, by Chapel Creek.** O/B-Barbara Saunders (AB); T-Dale L Saunders. C\$19,317.

3--**For Cash, 126, g, 5, Stephen Got Even--Punching, by Two Punch.** O-Southview Ag 1998 Ltd.; B-Lyle & Phylis Farkash (AB); T-Dale Greenwood. C\$9,658.

Margins: 5, 9 1/4, HD. Odds: 2.70, 7.65, 0.80.

Also Ran: Classic Crusader, Deadly Truth, Toccative, Bodhisattva, Wild Crush.

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Dis.	Horse	Time	Date
2f	Go Time	:22.08	May 16, 2008
4 1/2f	Say a Novena	:50.93	June 12, 2011
5f	L B On Tour	:56.16	August 21, 1999
5 1/2f	Joey P.	1:01.91	May 12, 2007
6f	Idiot Proof	1:07.47	July 4, 2007
1m	Forty Niner	1:33.80	July 16, 1988
1m70yd	Cable Boy	1:38.78	May 26, 2007
1 1/16m	Formal Gold	1:40.20	August 23, 1997
1 1/8m	Spend a Buck	1:46.80	August 17, 1985
1 3/16m	Okamsel	1:59.60	June 20, 1951
1 1/4m	Carry Back	2:00.40	July 14, 1962
	Majestic Light		August 30, 1977
1 1/2m	Delosvientos	2:31.12	September 21, 2008
1 3/4m	Halconero	3:04.20	August 5, 1950

LIGHTHOUSE S., \$74,500, MTH, 9-7, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:45.56, ft.

1--**#MEI LING, 120, f, 4, Empire Maker--Lochinvar's Gold, by Seeking the Gold.** (\$500,000 Ylg '12 KEESep). O-Barry K. Schwartz; B-Larry D. Williams (KY); T-Todd A. Pletcher; J-Nik Juarez. \$45,000. Lifetime Record: 13-3-4-3, \$225,883.

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2--**Checkupfromzneakup, 116, f, 4, Dixie Union--Unbridled Lassie, by Unbridled.** (\$55,000 Ylg '12 KEESep). O-Michael Dubb, Bethlehem Stables LLC & Robert Sahn; B-Kilroy Thoroughbred Partnership (KY); T-Kelly Rubley. \$15,000.

3--**Blue Violet, 116, m, 5, Curlin--Gasia, by Silver Deputy.** O/B-Susan Knoll (KY); T-Larry Jones. \$7,500.

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Margins: 3/4, NK, 4. Odds: 2.90, 1.50, 3.20.

CTHS SALES S., C\$60,000, HST, 9-7, 2yo, c/g, 6 1/2f, 1:18.11, ft.

1--**#FEAR OF THE CAT, 116, g, 2, Abraaj--Imaflashycat, by Tale of the Cat.** (C\$7,500 Ylg '14 BRCSEP). O-Stuart & May Carmichael & David & Sylvea Gregory; B-Rob McDonald (BC); T-Sylvea Gregory; J-Richard Harvey Hamel. C\$34,200. Lifetime Record: 4-1-2-1, \$40,891.

2--**We Found Gold, 115, g, 2, Sungold--Page Design, by Staff Writer.** (C\$7,000 Ylg '14 BRCSEP). O-Terry Clyde & JoAnne McDonald; B-Lois E. Philp (BC); T-Mike Anderson. C\$12,000.

3--**Timber King, 115, g, 2, Second in Command--Chilli Chines, by Katowice.** (C\$39,000 RNA Ylg '14 BRCSEP). O-G. Robbins, D. Doman, V. & R. Gilker & L. Brindley; B-White House Stables, George Robbins & Darcia Doman (BC); T-Robert Gilker. C\$6,000.

Margins: 1, 1HF, 1. Odds: 0.75, 4.35, 7.35.

CTHS SALES S., (NB) C\$60,000, HST, 9-7, 3yo, c/g, 1 1/16m, 1:44.65, ft.

1--**MIGHTY FRASER, 119, g, 3, Second in Command--She's Fantastic (MSW, \$207,044), by Allen Charge.** (C\$9,000 Ylg '13 BRCSEP). O-North American Thoroughbred Horse Company, R. Morrison & P. Tom; B-Prescott Farms (BC); T-Troy Taylor; J-David G. Lopez. C\$33,000. Lifetime Record: 11-4-2-1, \$60,175.

2--**Torniador, 115, c, 3, Skimming--Harvest Gold, by Liberty Gold.** (C\$4,500 Ylg '13 BRCSEP). O-Ernesto Rojas Geovani Olade & Milton Palma; B-James Barry Doud (BC); T-Milton Palma. C\$12,000.

3--**Peace Arch, 117, g, 3, Marchfield--Coursing, by Regal Intention.** (C\$10,000 Ylg '13 BRCSEP). O-Victoria & Rob Gilker & George Robbins; B-Black Canyon Thoroughbreds Ltd (BC); T-Robert Gilker. C\$6,000.

Margins: 1 3/4, HF, HF. Odds: 5.20, 22.15, 6.70.

CTHS SALES S., C\$60,000, HST, 9-7, 2yo, f, 6 1/2f, 1:18.67, ft.

1--**#PRINCESS KATIE, 115, f, 2, Finality--Two to Get Ready (SW, \$136,596), by Perfect Mandate.** (C\$3,000 Ylg '14 BRCSEP). O-Ernest Chu; B-Prescott Farms (BC); T-Robert Gilker; J-Amadeo Perez. C\$33,000. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$24,846.

2--**Miss Finality, 118, f, 2, Finality--Miss Me Not, by Mass Market.** (C\$7,000 Ylg '14 BRCSEP). O-Maureen Goss, Canmor Farms & Adrienne Trombley; B-Mr. & Mrs. E. M. Dittloff & K. Dittloff (BC); T-Mark Cloutier. C\$12,000.

3--**Cyclone Cindy, 116, f, 2, Stephanotis--Cindiana Jones, by Delineator.** (C\$2,400 RNA Ylg '14 BRCSEP). O-Jim & Anne Alendal & Philip Hall; B-Jim Alendal (BC); T-Philip Hall. C\$6,000.

Margins: 4HF, 1, 3 1/4. Odds: 14.15, 5.70, 17.25. Also Ran: Free and Fast, Rosesforgrace, Hippie, Holly Hollywood, Leading Lady, Becka's Victory.

CLIFF GUILLIAMS H., \$50,000, ELP, 9-7, 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:40.00, fm.

1--**#KEY TO POWER, 116, h, 6, A.P. Indy--Exotic Wood (MGISW, \$890,695), by Rahy.** O-Premier Stables Unlimited; B-Pam & Martin Wygod (KY); T-Brendan P. Walsh; J-Brian Joseph Hernandez, Jr. \$30,000. Lifetime Record: 33-10-4-3, \$299,458.

2--**One Touch, 115, g, 4, Macho Uno--Zarrin, by Maria's Mon.** O-Sierra Farm; B-Sierra Farm (KY); T-Jimmy Corrigan. \$10,000.

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3--**Evan's Calling, 113, g, 5, Aragorn (Ire)--Thunder Calling, by Thunder Gulch.** (\$4,000 Ylg '11 KEESep). O-Krushna Padhi; B-Craig B. Singer (KY); T-Richard A. Martinez. \$5,500.

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Margins: 2, HD, 3/4. Odds: 3.50, 9.70, 11.20. Also Ran: Forfeit, Ultimo Trago, Rerun, Woodfield Springs, Spark Kit, Keg Party.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

6th-PRX, \$101,860, 9-7, (NW1X), 3yo/up, f/m, 1m 70y, 1:44.06, ft.

JAR OF HEARTS (m, 5, Lion Hearted--Swift Sefa, by Sefapiano) Lifetime Record: 13-4-2-4, \$173,251. O-Gumpster Stable LLC; B-Alina Maris Muther (PA); T-Kieron Magee. *\$4,000 Ylg '11 EASSEP.

6th-WO, C\$88,790, (NW2X)/Opt. Clm (\$45,174-\$47,056), 9-7, 3yo/up, 1 1/8mT, 1:46.90, fm.

SEEN IT ALL BEFORE (g, 6, Niigon--A Familiar Face, by Cloud Cover) Lifetime Record: SW, 16-4-2-1, \$260,101. O/B-Colebrook Farms (ON); T-Ashlee Brnjas. *Full to Reconnect, SW, \$396,911.



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5th-DMR, \$78,502, (NW1\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$40,000), 9-7, 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:35.64, fm.

YES YES YES (g, 4, [City Zip](#)--Peisinoe {SW & GSP, \$179,363}, by Yes It's True) Lifetime Record: 17-3-3-3, \$154,310. O-Always Believe Inc; B-Royal Pegasus LLC (KY); T-Peter Eurton. *\$27,000 Wlg '11 KEENOV; \$80,000 Ylg '12 KEESEP; \$100,000 2yo '13 BARMAR.

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7th-SAR, \$75,000, (S), 9-7, (NW1\$X), 3yo/up, 7f, 1:23.21, ft.

RECTIFY (c, 3, [More Than Ready](#)--Averymerrymoment, by Distorted Humor) Lifetime Record: 6-2-1-0, \$105,065. O-Parting Glass Racing (Thomas J Gallo); B-Mia Gallo & Mary Kopley (NY); T-William I Mott.

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6th-RP, \$44,880, (S), 9-7, (NW1X), 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:37.54, fm.

ISH RULES (c, 3, [Ish Ar](#)--Heavenly Rules, by Moses Tablet) Lifetime Record: 9-2-2-1, \$50,984. O/B-P & D Racing Stable (OK); T-M. Brent Davidson.

9th-MTH, \$42,400, 9-7, (NW1X), 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:35.13, fm.

HOT TO SEEK HER (g, 4, [Heatseeker](#) {Ire}--Gods Ear {SP, \$243,780}, by Unusual Heat) Lifetime Record: 21-3-2-1, \$81,286. O-Chuck Spina & Gayle Iola; B-Katherine Devall & Heatseeker Syndicate (FL); T-Chuck Spina. *\$27,000 Ylg '12 OBSAUG; \$50,000 2yo '13 OBSAPR.

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6th-PID, \$39,980, 9-7, (NW1X), 3yo/up, 5 1/2f (AWT), 1:04.04, ft.

INVISIBLE (g, 3, [Invisible Ink](#)--Megan Nicole, by Wild Zone) Lifetime Record: 17-3-4-4, \$110,553. O-Rodney T Eckenrode; B-William J Solomon (PA); T-Teresa Connelly.

8th-DEL, \$35,125, 9-7, (NW1X), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:09.82, ft.

GOLDEN MOON (g, 4, [Malibu Moon](#)--Getaway Girl, by Silver Deputy) Lifetime Record: 14-5-1-0, \$114,438. O-Hugh H Robertson; B-Indian Creek (KY); T-Campbell Wilson. *\$60,000 Ylg '12 FTKOCT. **1/2 to Northern Causeway (Giant's Causeway), GSW, \$265,367.

INDIAN CREEK SALES GRADUATE

3rd-GG, \$32,934, 9-7, 3yo/up, 5 1/2f (AWT), 1:02.78, ft.

STREAMSIDE (g, 6, [E Dubai](#)--Sweet Surrender, by Synastry) Lifetime Record: SW, 28-13-3-3, \$295,085. O-Bowman, Bowman, Evans, Hunter, James, Peterson, Sohl, Sohl & Temple; B-Bill Bowman, Speech Partnership & Hurstland Farm (KY); T-Sergio Ledezma.

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6th-TIM, \$31,890, 9-7, (NW1X), 3yo/up, f/m, 4f, :46.33, ft.

KILLIN THEM SOFTLY (m, 5, [Wildcat Heir](#)--Street Attack, by Street Cry {Ire}) Lifetime Record: 29-11-4-2, \$145,504. O-Joseph E. Besecker; B-Patrick Everard & Elizabeth Everard (FL); T-Hugh I. McMahon. *\$32,000 RNA Ylg '11 OBSAUG.

7th-TDN, \$31,000, 9-7, (NW4L), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10.46, ft.

DESERT VALLEY (f, 3, [Desert Party](#)--Atlas Valley {GSP, \$221,292}, by Capote) Lifetime Record: 13-4-1-3, \$94,044. O-Looch Racing Stables, Inc.; B-Randy Bloch, et al (KY); T-Anthony F. Rini.

4th-ELP, \$30,500, 9-7, (NW2L), 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:34.52, fm.

BOURBON HAPPENS (g, 3, [Parading](#)--Happenstance, by Hap) Lifetime Record: 5-2-1-0, \$46,025. O-Bourbon Lane Stable; B-John Reeve & Mary Jane McGaughey (KY); T-Charles LoPresti. *\$24,000 RNA Wlg '12 KEENOV; \$130,000 Ylg '13 KEESEP.

6th-CBY, \$30,000, 9-7, (NW1X), 3yo/up, f/m, 7 1/2fT, 1:31.69, fm.

WHO'S FOR GLORY (f, 4, [Hat Trick](#) {Jpn}--Vaguely Who {MSW, \$333,745}, by Hittias {GB}) Lifetime Record: 15-3-3-1, \$54,870. O/B-River Ridge Ranch (IA); T-Valorie Lund.

4th-LAD, \$27,000, (S),(NW4L)/Opt. Clm (\$25,000), 9-7, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m 70y, 1:43.54, ft.

ALIANA (m, 5, [Majestic Warrior](#)--Lake Como, by Salt Lake) Lifetime Record: MSP, 15-4-5-3, \$179,574. O-Michael Dubb & The Elkstone Group; B-Roger S Braugh (LA); T-Morris G Nicks. *\$47,000 RNA Ylg '11 KEEJAN; \$150,000 Ylg '11 KEESEP; \$95,000 RNA 5yo '15 FTKHRA.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Call to Honor, g, 2, [High Cotton](#)--All Saint's Day, by Gold Case. GP, 9-7, 6f, 1:12.12. B-Tracy Pinchin (FL). *1/2 o Holywell (Exclusive Quality), MSW, \$215,301; Sinister Brew (Milwaukee Brew), SW, \$159,189.

Flyboy Flynt, g, 2, [Second in Command](#)--Glory Is Forever, by Roar. WO, 9-7, 5 1/2f (AWT), 1:04.09. B-Phoenix Rising Farms (BC). *Full to Goldstryke Glory, SW & GSP, \$317,558.

Fiveoclocksomewhere, f, 2, [U S Ranger](#)--Private View, by City Zip. TIM, 9-7, 4f, :47.67. B-B.P. Walden Jr. (KY). *Won by 4 1/4 lengths.

Valueable Charmer, f, 2, [Value Plus](#)--Charm Spell, by Silver Charm. TDN, 9-7, 5 1/2f, 1:05.68. B-Big C Farm (FL). *\$6,000 Ylg '14 OBSAUG; \$13,000 2yo '15 OBSOPN.

Rhiana's Candy, f, 3, [Candy Ride](#) (Arg)--Rhiana (GISP, \$281,422), by Runaway Groom. ELP, 9-7, 1m, 1:37.45. B-Meadow Oaks Farm, LLC & Dr. Frank Justice (KY). *\$40,000 Ylg '13 FTKOCT; \$100,000 2yo '14 OBSMAR. **1/2 to Behindatthebar (Forest Wildcat), GSW, \$277,100.

Additional Maiden Winners cont.

Daddy's Thief, g, 3, **Cat Thief**--Back to Daddy, by Tiznow. PRX, 9-7, 6f, 1:11.32. B-HTR Racing LLC (NY). *\$9,500 RNA Ylg '13 EASDEC.

Girardoni, f, 3, **Fort Prado**--Radiant Rocket, by Peteski. AP, 9-7, 1mT, 1:37.29. B-Team Block (IL). *1/2 to Jaconet (Hussonet), MSW-Eng, \$161,374.

Precious Time, f, 3, **Grazen**--Rule the Storm (SP, \$282,939), by Tribal Rule. GG, 9-7, 6f (AWT), 1:11.43. B-Nick Alexander (CA).

Because I'm Happy, c, 3, **Street Sense**--Palace Pier (SW & GSP, \$238,300), by Out of Place. SAR, 9-7, (C), 6 1/2f, 1:16.95. B-Seclusive Farm & Prince Farm (KY).

Rue Royale, f, 3, **Unbridled's Song**--True Gatita, by Tale of the Cat. LAD, 9-7, 7f, 1:25.44. B-Nursery Place & Partners (KY). *\$65,000 Ylg '13 KEESEP; \$60,000 2yo '14 OBSOPN.

Big Brother Bubba, g, 4, **Louis Quatorze**--Sister Silver, by Saint Ballado. TIM, 9-7, 6 1/2f, 1:19.26. B-William T Bourne (MD).

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Prue, g, 4, **Mizzen Mast**--Sandi M, by Silver Hawk. RP, 9-7, 1mT, 1:37.51. B-Jico Inc. (KY).

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IN JAPAN:

+ **King Lion**, c, 2, **Kitten's Joy**--A Bit of Pressure (MSP, \$177,427), by High Yield. Sapporo, 9-5, Maiden, 7.5fT. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$52,824. O-Lion Race Horse; B-Nursery Place, Donaldson & Broadbent; T-Yoshito Yahagi. *\$225,000 Wlg '13 KEENOV; \$200,000 Ylg '14 KEESEP.

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+ **Chesutoke Lily**, f, 2, **Scat Daddy**--Santa Rosalia, by Saint Ballado. Niigata, 9-6, Maiden, 6f. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$52,824. O-Kenji Ryotokuji; B-Westwind Farm, Mike & Susan Harris; T-Ryo Takei. *\$85,000 Ylg '13 KEESEP; \$175,000 2yo '15 FTFMAR.

Tapigon, c, 3, **Tapit**--Golden Dawn (GSW, \$278,261), by Hennessy. Niigata, 9-5, Novice Race, 8fT. Lifetime Record: 7-1-0-1, \$76,723. O-Yasushi Kubota; B-Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC; T-Takeshi Okumara. *\$140,000 Ylg '13 KEESEP; \$170,000 2yo '14 OBSMAR.

Godly, h, 5, **Henny Hughes**--Aldebaran Light, by Seattle Slew. Niigata, 9-6, Ryotsuwan Tokubetsu, 9f. Lifetime Record: 8-2-4-1, \$227,899. O-Masamichi Hayashi; B-Sanford R Robertson; T-Ryo Takei. *1/2 to Balmont (Stravinsky), G1SW-Eng, GSP-Ire, \$472,607; and Eskendereya (Giant's Causeway), GISW, \$725,700. **\$220,000 Ylg '11 KEESEP.

 **EUROPEAN-BRED WINNERS**

IN JAPAN:

Exceed Limits (Ire), f, 3, **Exceed and Excel (Aus)**--Welsh Diva (GB) (GSW-Ity, MSP-Eng, \$102,944), by Selkirk. Sapporo, 9-6, Plate Race, 6fT. Lifetime Record: 9-2-1-2, \$194,622. O-Kazumi Yoshida; B-Ballymooney Foods Ltd; T-Naosuke Sugai. *1/2 to Fityaan (GB) (Haafhd {GB}), MSP-UAE, \$235,032. **75,000gns Wlg '12 TATDEC; 160,000gns Ylg '13 TATOCT.

Red Shanks (Ire), g, 6, **Galileo (Ire)**--Ardbrae Lady (GB) (GSW & MG1SP-Ire, \$302,649), by Overbury (Ire). Sapporo, 9-5, Sappro Sponichi Sho, 6fT. Lifetime Record: 18-4-0-3, \$436,975. O-Tokyo Horse Racing; B-Robert Power Bloodstock Ltd; T-Kazuo Fujisawa. *200,000gns Ylg '10 TATOCT.

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Monday's Results:

1st-WDS, £5,000, Mdn, 9-7, 2yo, f, 6fT, 1:12.97, gd.
QUICK MARCH (GB) (f, 2, **Lawman {Fr}**--**Strut {GB}** {SW & MGSP-Eng}, by **Danehill Dancer {Ire}**), who was third in a Goodwood maiden over this trip last time Aug. 29, settled in fourth early. Gaining the lead approaching the furlong pole, the 9-4 second choice drew away to score by five lengths from Heroic Heart (Fr) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}). The winner is a half-sister to Mince (GB) (Medicean {GB}), Hwt. 3yo Filly-Eng at 5-7f, GSW-Eng, \$269,665. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-1, \$6,091. [Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.](#)
 O-Lady Rothschild; B-The Rt. Hon. Lord Rothschild (GB); T-Roger Charlton.

2nd-WDS, £5,000, Mdn, 9-7, 2yo, f, 6fT, 1:14.00, gd.
 + **SUNFLOWER (GB)** (f, 2, **Dutch Art {GB}**--**Swan Wings {GB}**, by **Bahamian Bounty {GB}**), sent off the 7-2 joint-second favorite, raced in mid-division early before making her move up the rail and taking over approaching the furlong marker. Quickly asserting, the homebred was pushed out to score by a neck from the strong-finishing Gravity Flow (Ire) (Exceed and Excel {Aus}). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$4,906. [Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.](#)
 O-Mr Nicholas Jones; B-Coln Valley Stud (GB); T-Andrew Balding.

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OBSERVATIONS

on today's European racing scene

2.00 Leicester, Mdn, £8,000, 2yo, 7fT

CHESSE MASTER (IRE) ([Shamardal](#)) is the 1.7million gns TAOCT son of the high-class sprinter [Cassandra Go \(Ire\)](#) ([Indian Ridge {Ire}](#)), making him a half-brother to the triple Group 1 winner [Halfway To Heaven \(Ire\)](#) ([Pivotal {GB}](#)) and MGSW [Tickled Pink \(Ire\)](#) ([Invincible Spirit {Ire}](#)). [Charlie Appleby](#) introduces [Godolphin's](#) dark bay against another notable newcomer in [Lady Rothschild's Sky Ship \(GB\)](#) ([Raven's Pass](#)), a [Sir Michael Stoute](#)-trained son of the dual Grade 1 scorer [Angara \(GB\)](#) ([Alzao](#)).

5.05 Leicester, Mdn, £8,000, 2yo, f, 8f 60yT

LA MORTOLA (GB) ([Dubawi {Ire}](#)) debuts in the [Lord Lloyd-Webber](#) silks for the [John Gosden](#) stable and is a half-sister to the accomplished pair of [Jakkalberry \(Ire\)](#) ([Storming Home {GB}](#)) and [Crackerjack King \(Ire\)](#) ([Shamardal](#)) and also the 2007 G1 [Derby Italiano](#) hero [Awelmarduk \(Ire\)](#) ([Almutawakel {GB}](#)). She encounters [Khalid Abdullah's Sepal \(Afleet Alex\)](#), a [Charlie Hills](#)-trained homebred from the extended family of [Xaar \(GB\)](#) ([Zafonic](#)) who was an encouraging sixth in a [Newmarket](#) maiden last month.

Recorder to Miss Rest of Season:

Talented 2-year-old **Recorder (GB)** ([Galileo {Ire}](#)) has met with a training setback and will miss the rest of the season. Owned and bred by [The Queen](#), the well-bred colt looked a high-class sort when winning the G3 [Acomb S.](#) at [York](#) last month under [Frankie Dettori](#). Unfortunately his trainer [William Haggas](#) reported, "Recorder had a setback after [York](#) and is off games with an injury for the rest of the season. However, I hope very much to have him back next year for the 2,000 Guineas and hopefully the [Derby](#) as well."

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Monday's Results:

PRIX ETALONS LA CAUVINIÈRE - CRITERIUM DE L'OUEST-Listed, €55,000, CRA, 9-7, 2yo, 8f 55yT, 1:44.34, g/s.

1--**#TIME WARP (GB)**, 128, c, 2, [Archipenko](#)--[Here to Eternity](#), by [Stormy Atlantic](#). (€37,000 Ylg '14 TISEP). O-W E Sturt - [Osborne House](#); B-Kirsten Rausing (GB); T-Sir Mark Prescott; J-Cristian Demuro. €27,500. Lifetime Record: 8 starts, 4 wins, 3 places, €43,633.

2--**Zvalinska (Fr)**, 125, f, 2, [Sea the Stars \(Ire\)](#)--[Peinture Rose](#), by [Storm Cat](#). (€320,000 Ylg '14 ARAUG). O-Alain Jathiere. €11,000.

3--**Camp Courage**, 128, c, 2, [War Front](#)--[Storybook \(UAE\)](#), by [Halling](#). O-Joseph Allen. €8,250.

Margins: 1HF, 3/4, 3/4. Odds: 1.90, 1.60, 5.20. Also Ran: [Flambysister \(Fr\)](#), [Pastrida \(Fr\)](#), [Beruska \(Fr\)](#), [Ribot Dream \(Ire\)](#). [Click for the Racing Post result.](#)
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Unusually of late for a [Sir Mark Prescott](#) freshman, [Time Warp](#) has enjoyed a busy juvenile campaign and got off the mark at [Southwell](#) in his fifth start Aug. 6. The chestnut then reeled off a quickfire double, at [Sandown](#) Aug. 22 and at [Redcar](#) one week later, and maintained his momentum through this black-type bow. Roused from the gate to seize control after the initial strides, he was stoked up off the home turn and stayed on strongly under continued urging to register a career high in decisive fashion.

GRAND PRIX DE LA VILLE DE CRAON-MAYENNE-Listed, €60,000, CRA, 9-7, 3yo/up, 12fT, 2:29.14, g/s.

1--**BERNAY (IRE)**, 136, g, 4, [King's Best](#)--[Beringold \(GB\)](#), by [Bering \(GB\)](#). (€48,000 Ylg '12 AROCT). O-Gerard Augustin-Normand; B-Gerard Rollain (IRE); T-Christophe Ferland; J-Gregory Benoist. €30,000. Lifetime Record: 13 starts, 6 wins, 5 places, €160,000. *1/2 to [Don't Hurry Me \(Ire\)](#) ([Hurricane Run {Ire}](#)), GSW-Fr & GSP-Ity, \$133,473.

2--**Quidamo (GB)**, 129, g, 8, [Monsun \(Ger\)](#)--[Qelle Amie](#), by [Beau Genius](#). O-Stall Allez Les Bleus. €12,000.

3--**Amirant (Ger)**, 129, g, 7, [Shirocco \(Ger\)](#)--[A Winning Dream \(Ger\)](#), by [Law Society](#). O-Michel Marchal & Etienne Leenders. €9,000.

Margins: 2HF, NO, 1. Odds: 1.90, 6.30, 7.00. [Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.](#)

[Bernay](#), who was runner-up in the Apr. 24 Listed [Le Vase d'Argent](#) at [Toulouse](#), opened his stakes account in the May 23 Listed [Grand Prix de Bordeaux](#) and doubled that tally in the July 20 Listed [Prix Hubert Baguenault de Puchesse](#) at [Vichy](#) last time. Quickly away to sit second behind [Quidamo](#) here, he allowed that rival enough rope before powering to the front approaching the final furlong and on to a comfortable third stakes score.

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Monday's Results:

ARDILAUN HOTEL OYSTER S.-Listed, €55,000, GAL, 9-7, 3yo/up, f/m, 12fT, 2:41.94, yl.

1--**ZHUKOVA (IRE)**, 126, f, 3, [Fastnet Rock {Aus}](#)--[Nighttime \(Ire\)](#) (G1SW-Ire, \$299,507), by [Galileo \(Ire\)](#). (540,000gns RNA Ylg '13 TAOCT). O-Mrs C. C. Regalado-Gonzalez; B-Mrs C. L. Weld (IRE); T-Dermot Weld; J-Leigh Francis Roche. €35,750. Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-0, \$53,312.

2--**Almela (Ire)**, 126, f, 3, [Sea The Stars \(Ire\)](#)--[Aliya \(Ire\)](#), by [Darshaan \(GB\)](#). O-His Highness the Aga Khan. €10,450.

3--**Ebayya (Ire)**, 126, f, 3, [Azamour \(Ire\)](#)--[Ebalista \(Ire\)](#), by [Selkirk](#). O-His Highness the Aga Khan. €4,950.

Margins: HD, 1HF, 2HF. Odds: 7.00, 1.00, 14.00. [Click for the Racing Post result.](#) [Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.](#) cont. p12

Ardilaun Hotel Oyster S.result cont.

Fourth on debut over 10 furlongs at Fairyhouse May 28, Zhukova was off the mark next time in authoritative fashion at that distance at Navan June 13 before staying on strongly to be fourth in the G3 Give Thanks S. over this trip at Cork Aug. 4. Settled behind the leading quartet early, the bay started her run passing the half-mile marker and hooked up with Almela at the quarter pole. Gaining the edge over that stable



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companion a furlong later, she was made to work right to the line but proved game and resilient to earn a vital black-type success. "She's a filly who is getting better with racing and there is plenty of improvement in her as she is very raw," jockey Leigh

Roche commented. "At home, she's very leery but she had a bit in the tank there." Trainer Dermot Weld said, "We'll look at the Listed Princess Royal S. [at Newmarket Sept. 25] for Zhukova and we'll keep her as a 4-year-old, because I believe she'll run at Group 1 level then. She's 16. 2 hands and has all the quality for that level. Almela will go for the [Oct. 18] Listed Bluebell S. at Naas."

1st-GAL, €18,000, Mdn, 9-7, 2yo, 8f 73yT, 1:53.68, yl.

+ EBEDIYIN (IRE) (c, 2, [Raven's Pass](#)--Ebadiyla {Ire} {Hwt. Older Mare-Ire at 11-14f, G1SW-Fr & Ire, G1SP-Eng, \$284,895}, by Sadler's Wells), who attracted support into 6-1, tracked the leading trio early and was traveling strongly on the home turn. Taking time to find his top stride in the last furlong, the homebred wore down Cole Porter (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}), the son of A Z Warrior (Bernardini), in the shade of the post to score by a head. "He's a lovely colt in the making, but he was very idle and lazy at home," trainer Dermot Weld told *Irish-racing.com*. "He's a beautifully bred horse with great stamina. If I run him again this year it will probably be in the Listed Eyrefield S. on the last day of the season at Leopardstown, over a mile and a furlong--he stays real well. He's a horse to look forward to for next year and he'll be a mile-and-a-half horse. His half-brothers and sisters have been pretty illustrious, so hopefully he will live up to the page. It wasn't a surprise to me that he won. I got the feeling at home that the first day he sees a racecourse and gets a crack, that he'll take off and that's what he did." The winner is a half-brother to Eyshal (Ire) (Green Desert), SW-HK & G1SP-Ire, \$779,050. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$13,852. [Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.](#)

O-His Highness the Aga Khan; B-H H the Aga Khan's Studs S.C. (IRE); T-Dermot Weld.

3rd-GAL, €18,000, Mdn, 9-7, 2yo, f, 7fT, 1:32.22, yl. SIMANNKA (IRE) (f, 2, [Mastercraftsman {Ire}](#)--Simkana {Ire}, by Kalanisi {Ire}), who was tried in blinkers after a latest second in a Tipperary maiden over an extended seven-furlong trip Aug. 7, was restrained to sit in fourth early. Driven on the home bend, the 9-4 chalk overcame Rayisa (Ire) (Holy Roman Emperor {Ire}) in the final 150 yards to grind out a head success. Trainer Dermot Weld said, "She's been a model of consistency, but she is an idle filly so I thought the blinkers would help a bit. Next year, she'll run in one of the Guineas trials." Lifetime Record: 4-1-2-1, \$20,447. [Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.](#)

O/B-His Highness the Aga Khan (IRE); T-Dermot Weld.

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CONDITIONS RESULTS:

3rd-CRA, €27,000, 9-7, 3yo, 8f 55yT, 1:44.16, g/s. ROSE OF GLORY (FR) (f, 3, [Whipper--Rock Harmonie {Fr} {GSP-Fr}](#), by [Rock of Gibraltar {Ire}](#)) Lifetime Record: 5 starts, 2 wins, 1 place, €24,400. O-Mme Waltraut Spanner; B-Mme Micheline Leurson (FR); T-Pia Brandt. *€35,000 Ylg '13 AROCT.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Perkunas (Ire), g, 2, [Baltic King \(GB\)](#)--Zafine (GB), by Zafonic. BRG, 9-7, 6f 209yT, 1:22.49. B-Tally Ho Stud (IRE). *42,000gns 2yo '15 TATHIT.

Four On Eight (GB), c, 2, [Lawman \(Fr\)](#)--Pocket Watch (GB), by Pivotal (GB). WDS, 9-7, 8f 67yT, 1:45.18. B-Stuart Stuckey (GB).

Near England (Ire), f, 2, [Lord of England \(Ger\)](#)--Near Galante (Ger) (MSP-Ger), by Galileo (Ire). DRE, 9-6, 7fT, 1:28.30. B-Gestut Wittekindshof (IRE).

Vise le Ciel (Fr), c, 2, [Never On Sunday \(Fr\)](#)--Luna Rossa (Ire), by Lit de Justice. POM, 9-6, 6fT, 1:10.01. B-Stephan Hillou-Lespes, Francis Hillou-Lespes & Mlle Muriel Nagarott (FR). *3rd winner for freshman sire (by Sunday Break {Jpn}).

Eudokia (GB), f, 3, [Duke of Marmalade \(Ire\)](#)--Myth and Magic (Ire), by Namid (GB). BDB, 9-6, 10fT, 2:07.14. B-Ladyswood, Canning Down & D Farrington (GB). *9,000gns Ylg '13 TAOCT; 28,000gns 2yo '14 TATHIT.

Algaah (Ire), f, 3, [High Chaparral \(Ire\)](#)--Lumiere Noire (Fr) (SW-Ger, \$107,446), by Dashing Blade (GB). MER, 9-6, 8 1/2fT, 1:52.16. B-Haras du Mezeray (IRE). *€280,000 Ylg '13 ARAUG.

Alveena (Ire), f, 3, [Medicean \(GB\)](#)--Aliyfa (Ire) (Hwt. 3yo Filly-Ire at 13 1/2f+, SW-Ire, \$110,638), by Spinning World. GAL, 9-7, 12fT, 2:47.78. B-H H the Aga Khan's Studs S.C. (IRE).

Agosteo (Ger), c, 3, [Soldier Hollow \(GB\)](#)--Anna Thea (Ire) (GSW-Ger, \$155,411), by Turfkönig (Ger). BDB, 9-6, 11fT, 2:24.58. B-Gestut Rottgen (GER). *€67,000 Ylg '13 BBAGA.

+ Laboe (Ger), f, 3, [Thewayyouare](#)--Lupita (Ger), by Niniski. DRE, 9-6, 9 1/2fT, 2:04.30. B-Gestut Ebbesloh (GER).