

## STRONG BOOK 2 OPENER AT KEENELAND

by Jessica Martini and Brian DiDonato

The Keeneland November Breeding Stock Sale continued Wednesday in Lexington with a strong first Book 2 session highlighted by a \$1.15-million unraced 2-year-old daughter of Tapit. For the session, 229 horses sold for \$30,788,000. During last year's Book 2 opener, 271 head grossed \$29,701,000. The average rose 22.67% to \$134,445 and the median was up 17.65% to \$100,000.

"I thought today's sale was excellent," Keeneland's Director of Sales Geoffrey Russell said at the close of business Wednesday. "Foals sold very, very well, mares sold good and, obviously, prime 2-year-old prospects also sold well."

Stonestreet Stables made its third seven-figure purchase of the November sale to secure session-topping **Royal Obsession** (Tapit) ([hip 762](#)) from the Three Chimneys-consigned dispersal of Nat Rea's Regis Farms.

The gray filly was the most expensive Book 2 horse to sell at Keeneland November since Quiet Now (Tiznow) brought \$1.85 million in 2011 out of the Ned Evans/Spring Hill Farm dispersal. The top price at last year's third session was \$850,000, paid for a weanling colt by War Front.

There were four horses over \$400,000 Wednesday, all mares, compared to five over that mark a year ago. A colt by Uncle Mo ([hip 623](#)) was Wednesday's top-priced weanling, selling for \$370,000.

The buy-back rate for the session was 27.30%. It was 19.82% a year ago. Russell acknowledged that buyers continue to be selective in their bidding. **Cont. p4**



Hip 762 | Keeneland

## ONE FOR THE AGES

By Barry Weisbord

In June 2014, I questioned the wisdom of the Breeders' Cup's decision to award the 2015 World Championships to Keeneland. No knock on Keeneland, which does a wonderful job of putting on its racing and sales every year, but I wondered aloud if the track was too small and the town was too small to accommodate the people who would descend upon Lexington from all over the world. I worried, I said, that there wouldn't be enough restaurants, hotels, seating and parking to handle everyone.


I have just completed a 15-day stint in town for the Breeders' Cup and the sale and I have three words to say: *I was wrong*.

Oh, wait...three more: *It was spectacular*.

In fact, I couldn't be more impressed with how Keeneland, the Breeders' Cup and Lexington handled the event.


From the moment I got off the airplane, it was like stepping into a world wrapped in Breeders' Cup purple. Signs at the airport, a banner over downtown counting down the minutes, host hotels dressed in signage and Breeders' Cup logos worn by everyone, and an energy downtown that was unlike that in any host city I have seen.

Throughout the week, owners thoroughly enjoyed the Lane's End breakfast marquee, and the structure built for the purpose was spot-on. **Cont. p3**




2016 STALLION ROSTER  
CALUMET FARM


PREMIER STALLIONS



**ENGLISH CHANNEL**  
\$25,000 LFSN



**OSBOW**  
\$17,500 LFSN



**RED ROCKS (IRE)**  
\$12,500 LFSN

RESERVE STALLIONS  
\$7,500 LFSN

New* Real Solution - Kitten's Joy	Point Given - Thunder Gulch
New* Eye of the Leopard - A.P. Indy	Muskettier (GER) - Acatenango (GER)
New* American - Dynaformer	Raison D'Etat - A.P. Indy
New* Grey Swallow (IRE) - Daylami (IRE)	Ready's Image - More Than Ready
New* Aikenite - Yes It's True	Snapy Halo (ARG) - Southern Halo

www.CalumetFarm.com

# A Golden Opportunity

Back-To-Back **Breeders' Cup-G1 Winner**,  
**Track-Record Setter**, & **Champion Sprinter**

The Best Son Of Leading Sire  
**INTO MISCHIEF**

*Bred 179 mares in 2015*

COME SEE HIM AT OUR  
**OPEN HOUSE**  
DURING KEENELAND NOVEMBER

2016 Fee: \$15,000 S&N

# GOLDENCENTS

Into Mischief / Golden Works,  
by Banker's Gold

  
**SPENDTHRIFT**  
The Breeders' Farm

859.294.0030  
[www.spendthriftfarm.com](http://www.spendthriftfarm.com)



**PRESIDENT & CO-PUBLISHER**

Barry Weisbord @barryweisbord  
barryweisbord@thetdn.com

**SR. V.P. & CO-PUBLISHER**

Sue Finley @suefinley  
suefinley@thetdn.com

**V.P., INTERNATIONAL OPERATIONS**

Gary King @garykingTDN  
garyking@thetdn.com

**EDITORIAL**

editor@thetdn.com

**Editor-in-Chief:** Jessica Martini

**Managing Editor:** Alan Carasso

**Senior Editor:** Steve Sherack

**Racing Editor:** Brian DiDonato

**Associate Editor:** Justina Severni

**Associate Editor:** Christie DeBernardis

**Assistant Editor:** Heather Anderson

**Assistant Editor:** Ben Massam

**ADVERTISING**

advertising@thetdn.com

**Director of Advertising:** Alycia Borer

**Art Director:** Lia Kusch

**Sr. Ad Coordinator/Dir. of Distribution:**

Sarah K. Andrew

**Advertising Designer:** Amanda Crelin

**Advertising Assistant:** Amanda Foster

**Social Media Strategist:** Nichola Henry

**CUSTOMER SERVICE**

customerservice@thetdn.com

**Director of Customer Service:**

Vicki Forbes

**INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY**

**Director of IT:** Robert Williams

robertwilliams@thetdn.com

**Director of Internal IT:** Ray Villa

rayvilla@thetdn.com

**WORLDWIDE INFORMATION**

**International Editor:** Kelsey Riley

kelseynriley@gmail.com

**Newmarket Bureau, Cafe Racing:**

Sean Cronin & Tom Frary

caferacing@aol.com

60 Broad Street, Suite 100

Red Bank, NJ 07701

732-747-8060 | 732-747-8955 (fax)

[www.thoroughbreddailynews.com](http://www.thoroughbreddailynews.com)

[www.thetdn.com](http://www.thetdn.com)

# in this issue...



*Mohaymen (Tapit), who co-topped last year's KESEEP sale at \$2.2 million, kept his perfect record in tact with a victory in Aqueeduct's GII Nashua S.*

A. Coglianesse

**Story page 15**

## THE WEEK IN REVIEW

13

Columnist Bill Oppenheim recaps one of the biggest week's in racing, providing an analysis of the Breeders' Cup, Fasig-Tipton November sale and the start of the Keeneland November sale.

## FIRST STAKES WINNER FOR 'CARLOS'

16

*Big World (Custom for Carlos) became her freshman sire (by More Than Ready)'s first black-type winner with a narrow score over Flora Dora (First Dude) in the Big A's GIII Tempted S. Wednesday.*

## AMBIENCE RIGHT FOR OAKS

19

Thursday's penultimate meeting of the Melbourne Cup carnival sees the fillies take center stage in the A\$1 million G1 Crown Oaks, and Godolphin looks to Ambience (Aus) (Street Cry {Ire}) to continue the current hot streak of her late sire Down Under.

**LOTS OF NEW YORK-BRED  
WEANLINGS, BROODMARE  
PROSPECTS AND HORSES  
OF RACING AGE LEFT TO COME  
AT KEENELAND NOVEMBER**

[Click Here](#)

for a list and remember:

**It pays to buy, breed  
and sell NY breds.**



518.587.0777 • [www.nytbreeders.org](http://www.nytbreeders.org)

THE FUND

518.388.0174 • [www.nybreds.com](http://www.nybreds.com)



## From the Publisher

### One for the Ages cont. from p1

The weather Tuesday and Wednesday dampened some of the early activities downtown, but it was still impossible to go anywhere and not feel something important was happening in Lexington. The Breeders' Cup's week-long use of the Apiary (one of the most outstanding private event facilities I've ever been



American Pharoah | Horsephotos

to) for the race participants was genius. It really helped the owners and breeders feel like they were participating in an event of the highest quality. The Taste of the World party for race participants was the best one ever, with WinStar Farm

transforming a foaling barn into a magnificent space, with the best collection of chefs yet, topped off by a fantastic concert by Tim McGraw. It set the tone for the weekend that things were going to be done right.

Keeneland and the Breeders' Cup's contribution to the infrastructure and the way the event was carried out was incredible. My seats--along with 8,000 other people--were in one of the temporary chalet structures, and they were fabulous. Our vantage point was great, as was the service, food and drink. We were able to move about within the area and visit with other people nearby. No matter where your tickets were, you were encouraged to enjoy the facility and to view the saddling area. Saturday after the races, I told friends that it was the best racetrack hospitality experience of my life.

Keeneland faced many challenges with entrance and egress issues, and in allowing people to move about the building, and they more than met those challenges.

I also believe it was the best collection of racehorses for not just a Breeders' Cup, but for any race card in my lifetime anywhere in the world, even taking into account the loss of a couple of major horses due to sickness or scratches. It was, of course, topped off by the performance of a lifetime.

Having experienced this first-hand, I have to say that Keeneland was more than up to the task, Lexington embraced the event like the horse capital of the world, and making them a permanent part of the rotation is the only logical conclusion.

So...when are we going back?



# LANE'S END

## 2016 STUD FEES

---

CANDY RIDE (ARG)	<b>\$60,000</b>
CITY ZIP	<b>\$40,000</b>
DISCREETLY MINE	<b>\$5,000</b>
HONOR CODE	<b>\$40,000</b>
LANGFUHR	<b>\$5,000</b>
LEMON DROP KID	<b>\$40,000</b>
LIAM'S MAP	<b>\$25,000</b>
MINESHAFT	<b>\$25,000</b>
MORNING LINE	<b>\$10,000</b>
NOBLE MISSION (GB)	<b>\$25,000</b>
QUALITY ROAD	<b>\$35,000</b>
STEPHEN GOT EVEN	<b>\$5,000</b>
THE FACTOR	<b>\$25,000</b>
TWIRLING CANDY	<b>\$15,000</b>
UNION RAGS	<b>\$35,000</b>



# SKY KINGDOM

Empire Maker - Sky Beam, by Kingmambo

Multiple Graded SW &  
Track Record-Setter  
By Emerging Sire of Sires  
**EMPIRE MAKER**

*New For 2016*  
Fee: \$5,000 S&N



 **DARBY DAN**  
**SHARE THE**  
**UPSIDE**  
program

 **DARBY DAN**  
.COM

Contact Ryan Norton: (859) 254-0424



**Strong Book 2 Opener at Keeneland cont. from p1**

"These are long-term investments these people are making, mares tend to be around for a while, so with any holes in produce records or coverings, buyers have been very picky," he explained. "The foal market is very strong. We've seen some very good prices for foals. If you're being selective, you have to stretch to buy what you want. If you're not being selective, you'll take whatever you're given. These people are very specific as to what they want. They want the best of the best in whichever market they're in. Like in September, and now in November--they're willing to stretch for them. Now, what happens when they stretch for them is they leave some others behind."

Through three sessions, Keeneland has sold 508 horses for a total of \$139,666,000. The average of \$274,933 is up 19.12% from the same period of last year's sale and the median is up 28.0% to \$160,000.

The November sale continues through Nov. 13 with sessions beginning daily at 10 a.m.

**Royal Obsession the Queen of Keeneland**

Horses from the complete dispersal of Nat Rea's Regis Farms always figured to be among the most coveted offerings at this year's Keeneland November sale, and the unraced, but in-training 2-year-old **Royal Obsession** (Tapit) hogged the spotlight Wednesday as Barbara Banke's Stonestreet Stables went all the way to \$1.15 million for her. The grey was consigned as [hip 762](#) by Three Chimneys Farm, who is handling the sales of all 41 Regis dispersal offerings ([click here for more](#)).

Out of a half-sister to GISW Magnificent Song (Unbridled's Song), Royal Obsession was a \$550,000 weanling buy by John Moores and Charles Noell's Merriebelle Stables here in 2013. Regis picked her up for \$1 million at last year's Fasig-Tipton Saratoga sale, and eventually turned her over to conditioner Steve Asmussen. **Cont. p5**



**Royal Obsession**  
ThoroStride Photo



# FIVE days of foals at Europe's leading Foal Sale

**2015 Classic/Gr 1 winners inc.**

**SHALAA**  
Middle Park, Gr. 1,  
Prix Morny, Gr.1.  
*sold Tattersalls December Foal Sale for 100,000gns*



*Tattersalls*

**Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2015**

November 24<sup>th</sup> 25<sup>th</sup> 26<sup>th</sup> 27<sup>th</sup> 28<sup>th</sup>



➔ Air fare assistance available subject to purchase


 USA Representative **Lincoln Collins** Tel: +1 859-846-4376 [www.tattersalls.com](http://www.tattersalls.com)

**Royal Obsession the Queen of Keeneland cont.**

“This filly is on her fourth five-furlong breeze (1:00.60, 6/45, at Churchill Downs Oct. 30 {[ThoroStride video](#)}),” noted Case Clay of Three Chimneys. “She’s just doing really well--she beautiful, has a lot of potential and she’s ready to run. Hopefully Stonestreet will have some good luck with her very soon.”

Stonestreet was represented by another juvenile filly last week in homebred Rachel’s Valentina (Bernardini--Rachel Alexandra), who completed the exacta in the GI Breeders’ Cup Juvenile Fillies, and has been active--as usual--at Keeneland November.

“She’s beautiful, she cost a lot of money as a yearling, and she’s been training absolutely lights-out super,” said Banke’s bloodstock advisor John Moynihan of Wednesday’s topper. “We have horses with Steve, and he was extremely high on her, so we decided to take a shot. She’s close to running, and looks like she’ll run far, so she looks like a great prospect for next year.”

Of the price tag, he said, “I thought she was going to bring a million dollars, but I didn’t know where she was going to go past that...They’d given a million for her, she’s trained absolutely super and done nothing wrong, so it wasn’t that much of a premium to have to pay over what they initially paid for her as a yearling. We’re happy.”

After congratulating Banke on her purchase, Rea discussed his decision to leave the horse business. The Canadian businessman, who founded the auto parts company Martinrea International, is moving to Texas and committing all of his time and resources to pursue opportunities in the oil business.

“You can’t be in [the horse] business even 10% of the time--you have to be fully vested and you have to be available,” he said. “For the next four or five years, I’m just totally devoting all of my energy to oil. In this industry I’ve met so many great people, and I think that’s the toughest thing--not having that interaction with the people that I’ve met--so many great friends, and I’m going to miss that part of it. Celebrating the wins and losses, that’s going to be the tough thing to walk away from.”



Nat Rea | Keeneland Photo

Twenty Regis dispersal offerings have sold so far this week for a total of \$9.24 million, topped by GI Kentucky Oaks runner-up **Shook Up** (Tapit), who went for \$1.65 million to Three Chimneys during Monday’s opening session. **Cont. p6**

Tattersalls, source of the dams of the winners of **54 Gr.1s** in 2015 to date.



- GOLDEN HORN** (ex FLECHE D'OR purchased for 62,000 gns) Derby Gr.1, Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe Gr.1, etc,
- POSTPONED** (ex EVER RIGG (Lot 2015) purchased for 26,000 gns) King George VI & Queen Elizabeth Stakes Gr.1
- GUST OF WIND** (ex STARRYSTARRYNIGHT purchased for 170,000 gns) AJC Australian Oaks Gr.1
- LEGATISSIMO** (ex YUMMY MUMMY purchased for 460,000 gns) 1000 Guineas Stakes Gr.1, etc,
- MIKKI QUEEN** (ex MUSICAL WAY purchased for 300,000 gns) Yushun Himba (Oaks) Gr.1, etc,
- MAKE BELIEVE** (ex ROSIE'S POSY purchased for 400,000 gns) Poule d'Essai des Poulains Gr.1, etc,



Tattersalls

**TATTERSALLS DECEMBER SALE**

The World's Most International Thoroughbred Sale  
**Yearlings** November 23, **Foals** November 24 – 28  
**Breeding Stock** November 30 - December 3

**GRAND ARCH** Turf Mile Stakes Gr.1  
 (ex BACINELLA purchased for 22,000 gns)

→ Air fare assistance available subject to purchase



**Royal Obsession the Queen of Keeneland cont.**

There's one horse who Rea won't yet part with. He owns well-pedigreed Gil Pennsylvania Derby runner-up Iron Fist (Tapit) with none other than Stonestreet. The Jerry Hollendorfer trainee was a sharp allowance winner at Del Mar Sunday.

"Jerry told me 'Whatever you do, don't sell this horse! This horse could pay for all the other horses,'" Rea said. "I enjoy Stonestreet and Barbara and her great team, and I get to drink some of her great wine after some of the wins... I'll still keep my heart and passion and soul in the business, and I'll miss all the friends and people that I've met, but hopefully in four or five years I can come back." --@BDiDonato

**Woodford Comes 'Prepared'**

John and Susan Sykes's Woodford Thoroughbreds landed 'TDN Rising Star' Overprepared (Quality Road) Wednesday, fending off the likes of Kempton Bloodstock's Steve Castagnola to secure the bay 3-year-old for \$450,000. Consigned by Taylor Made Sales Agency, Agent XLII as [hip 725](#), the Repole Stable colorbearer was offered in foal to another former Repole representative, champion juvenile and leading freshman sire Uncle Mo (Indian Charlie).

"She was gorgeous--she was an absolutely beautiful physical," said Woodford General Manager Matt Lyons, who signed the

ticket while seated next to John Sykes. "She's a half to a Grade I winner, she's nice and young and she's in foal to a good horse. She was our pick for the day on physical. She's a really beautiful mare."

A half to GI Personal Ensign S. winner Shadow Cast (Smart Strike), Overprepared was a \$125,000 Fasig-Tipton October yearling who blossomed into a \$310,000 OBSMAR juvenile after a [:10 2/5](#) breeze.

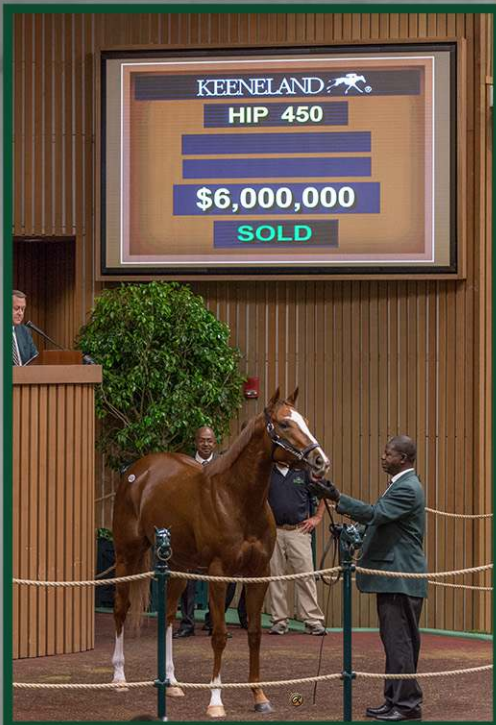
Turned over to trainer Todd Pletcher, Overprepared was a debut winner at Belmont last October before finishing third in



Overprepared | A. Coglianesse

Laurel's Smart Halo S. the following month. She stretched to an extended mile to annex Aqueduct's Busanda S. this January, and was stakes-placed once more before retiring this May.

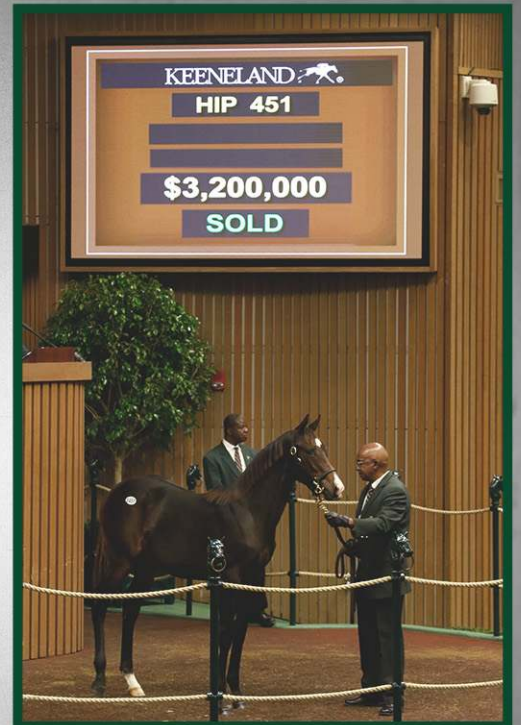
Uncle Mo, who was also a 'TDN Rising Star' who flattered that distinction by taking home champion 2-year-old honors in 2010, has been represented this year by likely fellow Eclipse winner and GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile hero Nyquist, as well as local GI Darley Alcibiades S. winner Gomo (Uncle Mo). **Cont. p7**



Take Charge Brandi

GI Winner  
**TAKE CHARGE**  
**INDY**

A.P. Indy - Take Charge Lady  
**\$17,500 S&N**



War front - Take Charge Lady

**Woodford Comes Prepared cont.**

He is the earnings leader among freshman sires standing in North America by a multiple of more than three.

Woodford has acquired 10 mares so far at Keeneland November for a combined \$3.46 million. Among those



Via Villagio | Benoit Photo

purchases was GSW **Via Villagio** (Bernardini), \$750,000, consigned by Denali Stud, Agent XXVIII as [hip 469](#) in foal to Tiznow; and Mill Ridge Sales-consigned

**Justmeandmyshadow** (Tiznow), the dam of this year's GIII Delaware Oaks upsetter Calamity Kate (Yes It's True). Offered in foal to Bodemeister as [hip 334](#), Justmeandmyshadow cost \$525,000.

"The market's strong for the nice mares," Lyons noted. "We've bought a few the last couple of days,

and there's plenty of competition for the top ones. It seems that people forgot September very fast and prices are strong. It's a little concerning the way these stud fees are going up, so we're trying to buy some mares in foal to the right horses, and we think we got a nice one here today." --@BDiDonato

Paramount Sales  
**SESSION TOPPERS**  
PAT COSTELLO 859.296.6455 • [paramountsales.net](http://paramountsales.net)

**KEENELAND NOVEMBER**

**WEDNESDAY'S TOP BROODMARES**

Hip	Name	Status	Price (\$)
<a href="#">762</a>	Royal Obsession	racing/b/mare prospect B-Marbat (KY)	1,150,000
Consigned by Three Chimneys Farm, agent for the dispersal of Regis Farm Purchased by Stonestreet			
<a href="#">725</a>	Overprepared	i/f Uncle Mo B-William Farish, Jr. (KY)	450,000
Consigned by Taylor Made Sales Agency, Agent XLII Purchased by Woodford Thoroughbreds			
<a href="#">629</a>	Harbor Mist	i/f Speightstown B-Saratoga Select Broodmares (NY)	410,000
Consigned by Nursery Place, agent Purchased by Whisper Hill Farm, LLC			
<a href="#">728</a>	Passion Overflow	i/f Quality Road B-Swettenham Stud (KY)	410,000
Consigned by Lane's End, agent Purchased by Margaret O'Toole			

THE NO.1 **BESTSELLER**

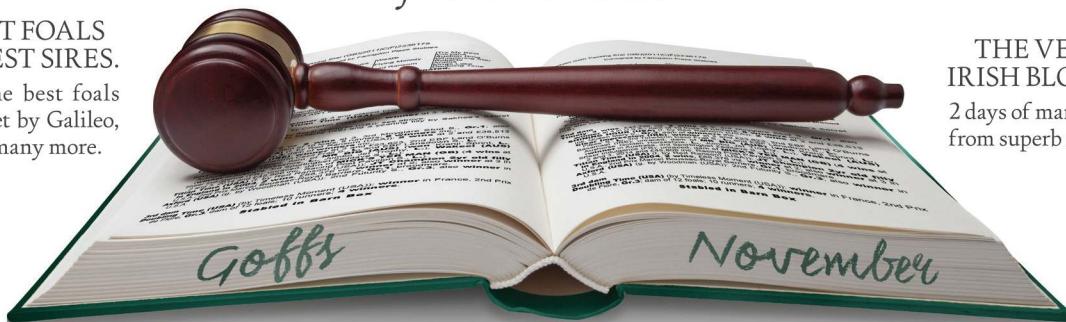
"REAL QUALITY, REAL VALUE  
and ALL IN EUROLAND"

"THE BOOK  
of THE YEAR"

"THIS IS A MUST ATTEND SALE  
for ALL SERIOUS BUYERS"

THE BEST FOALS  
BY THE BEST SIREs.  
5 days of the best foals  
on the market by Galileo,  
Dubawi and many more.

THE VERY BEST  
IRISH BLOODLINES.  
2 days of mares and fillies  
from superb families.



**Goffs November Sale** 16 - 22 November 2015

Travel assistance for overseas buyers

**GOFFS**  
SINCE 1866



**PAYNTER**

POWERED UP WEANLINGS

**\$250,000**

Colt purchased by  
**Stonestreet Stables**  
Wednesday at  
**KEENOV**

“Balanced, correct colt with a huge walk. I liked a lot about the Paynters I saw.”

-Barbara Banke



Look for more first weanlings  
selling this week at Keeneland.

Awesome Again - Tizso, by Cee's Tizzy  
2016 Fee: \$20,000 S&N

[www.WinStarFarm.com](http://www.WinStarFarm.com) | Office: (859) 873-1717

Kyle Wilson: (859) 699-8589 | Caroline Walsh: (859) 537-2527 | Sean Tugel: (859) 940-0456

**WINSTAR**

**Wednesday's Top Broodmares cont.**

- 586** **Empress Maker** racing/b'mare prospect **360,000**  
*B-Forging Oaks (KY)*  
 Consigned by Three Chimneys Farm, agent for the dispersal of Regis Farm  
 Purchased by F.T.I
- 612** **Golden Finale** b'mare prospect **350,000**  
*B-Paul Robsham Stables (FL)*  
 Consigned by Lane's End, agent for Paul Robsham Stables LLC  
 Purchased by Sea Horse Breeders, LLC
- 840** **Une Cherise** i/f Bodemeister **335,000**  
*B-Martin Cherry (KY)*  
 Consigned by Three Chimneys Farm, agent for the dispersal of Regis Farms  
 Purchased by WinStar Farm

**KEENOV—WEDNESDAY'S TOP WEANLINGS**

- | <u>Hip</u>   | <u>Sex</u> | <u>Sire</u>             | <u>Dam</u>        | <u>Price (\$)</u> |
|--|------------|-------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| <b>623</b>   | colt       | <b>Uncle Mo</b>         | <b>Gypsy Sage</b> | <b>370,000</b>    |
| <i>B-Parrish Hill Farm &amp; Ashford Stud (KY)</i>                                       |            |                         |                   |                   |
| Consigned by Summerfield (Francis & Barbara Vanlangendonck), agent for Parrish Hill Farm |            |                         |                   |                   |
| Purchased by Copper River Farm   |            |                         |                   |                   |
| <b>642</b>   | colt       | <b>Giant's Causeway</b> | <b>Hot Trip</b>   | <b>330,000</b>    |
| <i>B-Regis Farms LP (KY)</i>   |            |                         |                   |                   |
| Consigned by Three Chimneys Farm, agent for the dispersal of Regis Farm                  |            |                         |                   |                   |
| Purchased by Crupi's New Castle  |            |                         |                   |                   |
| <b>627</b>   | colt       | <b>More Than Ready</b>  | <b>Happy Now</b>  | <b>320,000</b>    |
| <i>B-Fred Hertrich III &amp; John D. Fielding (KY)</i>                                   |            |                         |                   |                   |
| Consigned by Taylor Made Sales Agency, Agent CXLIII                                      |            |                         |                   |                   |
| Purchased by Crupi's New Castle  |            |                         |                   |                   |
| <b>844</b>   | filly      | <b>Speightstown</b>     | <b>Veronique</b>  | <b>290,000</b>    |
| <i>B-Breffni Farm (KY)</i>   |            |                         |                   |                   |
| Consigned by Lane's End, agent   |            |                         |                   |                   |
| Purchased by Blue Sky Stables  |            |                         |                   |                   |
| <b>576</b>   | colt       | <b>Curlin</b>           | <b>Dyning Out</b> | <b>270,000</b>    |
| <i>B-R &amp; B International (KY)</i>  |            |                         |                   |                   |
| Consigned by Lane's End, agent   |            |                         |                   |                   |
| Purchased by McMahan & Hill Bloodstock, agent  |            |                         |                   |                   |



Tel: 718.978.8200  
[www.mersant.com](http://www.mersant.com)

**SPONSORS OF THE FOLLOWING STATS FOR THE:**

**KEENELAND NOVEMBER SALE**

SESSION TOTALS	2015	2014
• Catalogued	410	410
• No. Offered	315	338
• No. Sold	229	271
• RNAs	86	67
• % RNAs	27.30%	19.82%
• No. \$500K+	1	2
• No. \$1m+	1	0
• High Price	\$1,150,000	\$850,000
• Gross	\$30,788,000	\$29,701,000
• Average (% change)	\$134,445 (+22.67)	\$109,598
• Median (% change)	\$100,000 (+17.65%)	\$85,000
CUMULATIVE	2015	2014
• Catalogued	901	857
• No. Offered	700	697
• No. Sold	508	544
• RNAs	192	153
• % RNAs	27.43%	21.95%
• No. \$500K+	56	46
• No. \$1m+	22	18
• High Price	\$6,000,000	\$3,900,000
• Gross	\$139,666,000	\$125,553,000
• Average (% change)	\$274,933 (+19.12%)	\$230,796
• Median (% change)	\$160,000 (+28%)	\$125,000

**WinStar Gets Harbor Mist**

WinStar Farm president and CEO Elliott Walden came out on top Wednesday with a \$410,000 bid for the stakes-winning **Harbor Mist** (Rockport Harbor), who sold carrying her first foal by WinStar resident Speightstown. Consigned by Nursery Place, agent, the 6-year-old was catalogued as [hip 629](#).

"She's just a nice mare in foal to the right horse, so we're just real pleased with her," Walden said. "That was the top end [of what I expected]--I thought she'd bring \$300,000-\$400,000."

**Cont. p9**

**GOFFS**  
PROPERTY

**FOR SALE**

*One of Ireland's finest stud farms*

Home to world renowned thoroughbreds for almost half a century, including 2015 Gr.1 performer, **Guitafan**.

T: +353 45 981 048      Meadow Court Stud on c.80.94 ha (c.200 acres). The Curragh, Co. Kildare, Ireland.

GOFFSCOUNTRY.COM

**WinStar Gets Harbor Mist cont.**

When asked about the overall market, the prominent horseman said, "I think its been fair, and not crazy. It got a little crazy [Tuesday] with some really good bloodstock, but it should be that way. I feel like it's a good market."



Elliot Walden | Keeneland

A winner of Saratoga's Anne M. Clare S. as a juvenile for Phil Serpe and Flying Zee Stables, Harbor Mist was purchased privately after four more stakes placings by John Donaldson. She was third in the 2013 Touch of Love S. at Aqueduct for Donaldson and trainer Bruce Levine.

The dark bay is a half to GSP Jaramar Rain (Thunder Gulch), who produced MGSP Imperial Council (Empire Maker).

"She's a beautiful mare," said

Nursery Place's Happy Broadbent. "I give all the credit to the Nursery Place team for how fantastic the mare looked." --

[@BDiDonato](#)

**Dilger Stretches for Uncle Mo Colt**

A weanling colt by leading freshman sire Uncle Mo is destined for a return to the sales ring next year after selling to pinhooker Gerry Dilger of Dromoland Farm for \$370,000 during Wednesday's third session of the Keeneland November sale. [Hip 623](#) is out of Gypsy Sage (Hennessy) and is from the family of Group 1 placed Cordoba and Grade I placed Normandy Invasion.

"He's a really nice colt with good size and I liked him very much," Dilger said. "And what can I say about the sire--he's on fire."

With his first crop running this year, Uncle Mo has been represented by GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile winner and likely Eclipse champion 2-year-old Nyquist, as well as GI Darley Alcibiades S. winner Gomo.

Dilger admitted he knew he would have company bidding on the weanling.

"I thought there would be people there for him--I knew I wouldn't be alone," the Irishman said. "So I did stretch for him a little. The good ones are tough--they are selling lights out. But we just have to keep going at them."

The weanling was consigned by Francis and Barbara Vanlangendonck's Summerfield as agent for Parrish Hill Farm. Parrish Hill, which co-bred the colt with Ashford Stud, purchased Gypsy Sage, then three, for \$7,000, at the 2008 Fasig-Tipton Kentucky February sale. [@JessMartiniTDN](#)

S

Hip 1411 | **EMERALD GAL**

Dam of top 3yo filly

**SARAH SIS**

Three-time Graded winner in 2015, including a recent victory in the **\$250,000 Raven Run S. (G2)** at Keeneland.

Selling Friday at KEENOV in foal to **Street Sense**



[▶ watch race](#)

**Select Sales Agency**  
Barn 7

S

710 Central Avenue, Lexington, KY 40502  
P: 859.219.0909 F: 859.475.0054

Carrie Brogden 859.983.1109 | Andrew Cary 859.963.8379 | Amy Bunt 703.216.8444 | Jay Goodwin 859.509.8377

## Bonne Chance Picking Up Where Regis Left Off

Four-year-old filly **Empress Maker** (Empire Maker), out of the Three Chimneys-consigned complete dispersal of Nat Rea's Regis Farms, will be heading to Rea's former property after bringing \$360,000 at Keeneland November Wednesday.

As [previously reported](#) in the *TDN*, a new entity operating under the name Bonne Chance Farm has purchased Rea's Woodford County nursery, and Bonne Chance's General Manager Kieran Lalor--who managed Rea's operation for two years--has been helping to fill the empty stalls this week.

Empress Maker ([hip 586](#)), a daughter of MGISW Ticker Tape (GB) (Royal Applause {GB}), was consigned as a broodmare prospect. The \$400,000 KEEJAN short yearling and \$350,000 KEESEP RNA was last seen rallying to take a restricted added-money event at Delaware Sept. 12 for conditioner Graham Motion.

"I know her history," Lalor said. "She's out of a very good mare--she's a stakes winner by Empire Maker... I feel very lucky that we got her for this price. I thought she'd bring a lot more."

While Lalor declined to reveal the identity of Bonne Chance's principal, he said that the owner was from Brazil and was looking to build a breed-to-race operation. Three Chimneys chairman Gonçalo Torrealba, who also hails from Brazil, was instrumental in brokering Bonne Chance's purchase of Rea's farm.

Signing as F. T. I., Lalor and associates have purchased six mares so far this week for \$2.195 million. Among those acquisitions was Canadian champion, Triple Tiara winner and GI Breeders' Cup F/M Turf runner-up **Sealy Hill** (Point Given), who was also consigned by Three Chimneys as part of the Regis dispersal and went for \$750,000 Monday. A \$590,000 Fasig-Tipton February purchase in 2013, Sealy Hill is already responsible for graded stakes winners Hillaby (Distorted Humor) and Belle Hill (Sky Mesa).

Lalor admitted that his familiarity with the Regis offerings has been an advantage.

"For me, it's great--especially with the bloodstock," Lalor said. "I know a lot of the animals, and there's a comfort level in coming to a public auction and knowing the animals ahead of time. We've tried on a bunch of them, so it's nice. We get to stay at the same place, and we're very passionate about the property and everything we've built there. And we're very excited with the new owner. He's a great man, very passionate about the animals. He's gone back home now, but we spent all morning walking through the fields and he's very excited."

Bonne Chance also purchased a Bodemeister--Renda half-sister to this year's dual Grade I winner Rock Fall (Speighstown) for \$300,000 at Keeneland September, and a \$90,000 Animal Kingdom weanling filly at Sunday's Fasig-Tipton sale.

--@BDiDonato

## BIEDERMAN REAL ESTATE —AND AUCTIONEERS—

### Turn-Key Kentucky Horse Farms



**575 Muir Station, Lexington** Listing Price.....\$2,125,000  
 •116 Acres Adjacent to Gainesway Farm•32 stall in two barns  
 •4 bedroom 3.5 Bath Residence•50x80 Equipment Bldg  
 •Round-pen•7 Fields•9 Paddocks



**Two Bucks Farm, Versailles** Listing Price.....\$2,995,000  
 •Birthplace of KY Derby winner MONARCHOS•132 Acres  
 •5,000 sqft Historic Residence•36 Stalls•Covered Arena  
 •6 Fields and 13 Paddocks



**3676 Briar Hill Rd, Lexington** Listing Price.....\$1,395,000  
 •85 Acres•Renovated Federal Residence•32 Stalls in 3  
 Barns•1,500 sqft Guest Cottage•6 Fields and 10 Paddocks  
 •Two Spring Fed Lakes



**Brittany Farm, Versailles** Listing Price.....\$9,950,000  
 •560 Acres Near Winstar•150 Stalls•20 Fields & 46  
 Paddocks•Historic Residence •6 BD•4 EE Residences  
 •Stallion Complex•Excellent Soils & Location

## BIEDERMAN REAL ESTATE —AND AUCTIONEERS—

See all Central Ky Properties on the  
 Web at [BiedermanRealEstate.com](http://BiedermanRealEstate.com)

1076 Wellington Way • Lexington • Ky 40513 859-277-2030

**Tom Biederman**  
 Broker/Auctioneer  
 (859)312-0606



### Crestwood Quick out of the Blocks

The McLean family's Crestwood Farm enjoyed a pair of strong results early in Wednesday's third session of the Keeneland November sale, first selling a weanling by The Factor for \$200,000 ([hip 497](#)) to Cavalier Bloodstock and following up with the very next hip through the ring when a weanling by Scat Daddy ([hip 498](#)) brought \$230,000 from de Meric Stables.

The second of those transactions represented a major score for the operation. The Scat Daddy colt is the first foal out of Beaucoup (English Channel), a mare Pope McLean purchased with this foal in utero for \$33,000 at last year's Keeneland November sale.

"She is from a really nice family and she is a really nice-looking mare," McLean said of the now 6-year-old, who is a half-sister to Grade I winner Never Retreat (Smart Strike).

McLean admitted he was pleased to get Beaucoup at that price last November.

"We thought it was a bargain at the time," he said. "We thought she'd bring more. So we were very pleased with the price we got her for and then of course Scat Daddy kept getting hotter and hotter. So we got lucky, too."

McLean added of the mare's first foal, "He was typical of a Scat Daddy. He had good size and a lot of leg under him and he'll improve a whole lot, I'm sure, as a yearling and on as a 2-year-old, too. He's the kind that there is a lot of upside to him. Everything was there. He just needed to come on. Once he comes on, he'll be super. The price didn't shock us."

One of about 40 mares in Crestwood's commercial broodmare band, Beaucoup was bred back to Alternation this year.

McLean admitted he was seeing a continuing polarization in the marketplace.

"I think it's the same [at Keeneland November] as all the other markets--you're either up here or there is no demand at all for something at the bottom that has problems," he said. "But if you have a good one, you get rewarded." [@JessMartiniTDN](#)

### Graydar Proving Popular at Keeneland

Grade I winner Graydar (Unbridled's Song) has proven popular with his first weanlings going through the Keeneland November sales ring this week. The 6-year-old stallion, who stands at Taylor Made for \$15,000, was represented by a pair of \$185,000 weanlings Wednesday. Cavalier Bloodstock paid that amount for [hip 591](#), a son of Fiery Pulpit (Pulpit), and McMahon & Hill Bloodstock matched that price for [hip 632](#), a colt out of Heavenly Ghost (Ghostzapper). Through three days of the November sale, Graydar has had five weanlings sell for an average of \$125,800 and a median of \$135,000.

The positive early results are no surprise to Taylor Made's Mark Taylor, who likened Graydar's first crop to that of his late sire.

## MAJOR CATALOG UPDATE!

Consigned by Bluewater Sales LLC, Agent VIII

<b>Barn</b> <b>8</b>	<b>ZLOTY</b> Bay Filly; foaled 2011	<b>Hip No.</b> <b>1707</b>
-------------------------	--	-------------------------------

**2nd in the Little Miss Magic Stakes on 10/24**

**By EXCHANGE RATE** (1997), Black-type winner of \$479,803, Tom Fool H. [G2], etc. Sire of 11 crops of racing age, 1087 foals, 742 starters, 61 black-type winners, 2 champions, 561 winners, \$40,904,832, including Reckless Abandon, Park S. [G1], etc.), Kallithea (\$252,200, etc.), Ermine (\$880,134, Apple Blossom, Dancing [G1] (to 4, 2015, \$719,282), etc.)

**1st dam**  
**A. P. Reality**, by Pulpit. Winner at 2, \$109,100, ers' Cup S. [G3] (WO, \$50,000), 3rd at 3, \$97,291). Dam of 7 registered foals, 2-year-old of 2015, 4 to race, 1 winner.

**Zloty** (f. by Exchange Rate), Black-type winner.

**2nd dam**  
**HALO REALITY**, by Prospector's Halo. 4th at 3, Ring S. [L] (CRC, \$60,000), 2nd at 3, (CRC, \$10,000), 3rd Stage Door Bet S. [L] (S-R (OTC, \$5,000)).

**A. P. Reality** (f. by Pulpit), Black-type-placed. **Can't Stop the Kid** (c. by Montbrook), 2nd at 3, S-R (OTC, \$5,000).

**Need an Angel**, 6 wins at 2 and 3, \$143,000. Deputy Reality. Dam of 5 foals, 4 to race, 1 winner.

**TEETH OF THE DOG** (c. by Bluegrass), 2nd at 3, \$100,000. Er S. [G2] (BEL, \$120,000), Easy Goer S. [L] (BEL, \$100,000), etc. sorts World Casino New York City Wood Memorial S. [G3] (PRX, \$38,500).

**3rd dam**  
**MY YANKEE GIRL**, by In Reality. Unraced. Dam of 6 winners, including HALO REALITY. Black-type winner, above.

**4th dam**  
**ESSENE**, by Arts and Letters. Unraced. Half-sister to FUNISTRADA [G2].

**WAKONDA** [L], **Kunjar** [L], Dam of 8 foals to race, 7 winners, including Minocqua. Winner at 3. Great-granddam of **MAGNA BREEZE** (\$169,624). Tannasie. Unraced. Dam of 1 foal--**McReality**. 2 wins at 3, \$44,260, 3rd Golden Gopher S. (CBBY, \$2,750).

**RACE RECORD:** At 2, one win, twice 3rd in 3 starts; at 4, 2015, one win, 3 times 2nd (Little Miss Magic S., (GPW \$14,550)), once 3rd (Chelsea Flower S. (BEL \$10,000)) in 7 starts. Totals: two wins, 3 times 2nd, 3 times 3rd. Earned \$131,034.

**Engagements:** Breeders' Cup.  
Foaled in Florida.  
Racing or broodmare prospect.



Sells FRIDAY

Barn 8



BLUEWATER  
Meg Levy • 859-619-7190

"We had seen all the Graydars before the sale and we were really blown away," Taylor said. "It was deja vu back to Unbridled's Song's first crop. There were Unbridled's Songs that were gray, there were bigger ones, there were more medium-sized ones, but they all had this intangible quality--they were just nice horses. And I think that's what I am seeing with Graydar. You can't say they are a certain cookie cutter mold, but they just have this intangible class about them. And I think that is what people are picking up on and that's what they like."



Graydar | Taylor Made

Graydar, beaten once in six starts, won the 2013 GI Donn H. for Twin Creeks Racing Stable. He also captured that year's GII Kelso H. and GII New Orleans H.

Taylor looks for the positive reviews to continue for Graydar. "We thought his weanlings would be well received and luckily we've been right so far," Taylor commented. "I think the momentum will just keep growing. There are some really nice ones still coming up in the sale." [@JessMartiniTDN](#)

[Facebook](#)    [Twitter](#)    [E-mail](#)    [Print](#)

# One in 310 Australians is a racehorse owner.

Play video and learn why.



## THE POWER OF PASSION

Attracting the world  
to Australia.

Tom Reilly

CEO Aushorse Marketing  
M | +61 (0) 423 146 334  
E | tom@tbaus.com

Jessica McKeown

Communications Manager  
M | +61 (0) 498 807 205  
E | jess@aushorse.net.au



# AUSHORSE

Aushorse.com.au

# NOTHING BUT NET

brought to you by  
  
**MUIRFIELD INSURANCE**  
*"Securing the Finest"*  
 Michael T. Levy  
 Bryce Burton • 859.253.1114 • [www.muirfieldinsurance.com](http://www.muirfieldinsurance.com)

## KEENELAND NOVEMBER SALE --

### WEDNESDAY

Hip	Name	Status (in foal)	Price (\$)
<b>661</b>	<b>Kimberlite</b>	<b>i/f Paynter</b>	<b>250,000</b>

*B-Kilroy Thoroughbred Partnership (KY)*  
 Consigned by Select Sales, Agent IX  
 Purchased by Crupi's New Castle Farm

Jose Espinoza scooped up unraced mare Kimberlite in foal to Flower Alley for \$35,000 at the 2014 Keeneland January Sale. Her value increased after her 2013 foal by Magna Graduate, Magna Light, was second in the GIII Sanford S. and GI Hopeful S. this summer.

<b>519</b>	<b>Catch the Moon</b>	<b>i/f Shanghai Bobby</b>	<b>240,000</b>
------------	-----------------------	---------------------------	----------------

*B-Castleton Lyons & Kilboy Estate (KY)*

Consigned by Legacy Bloodstock, Agent VI

Purchased by Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC

This stakes winning mare was purchased by Bob Austin for just \$30,000 in foal to Colonel John at the 2013 Keeneland January Sale. That Colonel John foal, Coked and Loaded, sold for just \$16,000 as a KEESEP yearling, but since his win in the GIII Iroquois S. and recent fifth in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile, improved his dam's value eightfold.

<b>498</b>	<b>colt Scat Daddy--Beaucoup</b>	<b>230,000</b>
------------	----------------------------------	----------------

*B-Pope, Marc & Pope McLean, Jr. & Phil Hager (KY)*

Consigned by Pope McLean (Crestwood Farm), agent

Purchased by de Meric Stables, agent

Pope McLean signed the \$33,000 ticket to buy dam Beaucoup in foal to Scat Daddy at this sale last year. After a successful year for runners by that Coomore stallion, the investment paid off handsomely.

<b>650</b>	<b>filly Malibu Moon--In the Slips</b>	<b>220,000</b>
------------	--	----------------

*B-Hunter Valley Farm & Beechwood Farming Investments (KY)*

Consigned by Hunter Valley Farm, agent

Purchased by Gary Contessa, agent

Pacific Bloodstock secured the More than Ready mare In the Slips with this foal in utero for \$105,000 at last year's Keeneland November sale. The weanling filly matured to more than double Pacific Bloodstock's original investment.



# GRAYT

## FIRST WEANLINGS

<b>\$185,000</b>	Colt at Keeneland November Breeder: Taylor Brothers Properties, Pollock Farms, Pat Payne, et al
<b>\$185,000</b>	Colt at Keeneland November Breeder: Amy Bayle, Lori Allen, & Catherine Jennings
<b>\$150,000</b>	Colt at Fasig-Tipton November Breeder: Bill Harrigan & Mike Pietrangelo
<b>\$135,000</b>	Colt at Keeneland November Breeder: James C. Weigel

LOOK FOR MORE SELLING THIS WEEK AT KEENELAND.

UNBRIDLED'S SONG - SWEETEST SMILE, BY DEHERE | 2016 FEE: \$15,000 S&N

# GRAYDAR

From the desk of...

# BILL OPPENHEIM



## THE WEEK IN REVIEW

First, the Breeders' Cup at Keeneland. There were a few minor glitches but the overwhelming consensus was they pulled it off, and how. For sales regulars any kind of racing, even the regular meet, is disconcerting, but this had even more

potential for things going wrong. But it was so good regular racegoers were saying how much easier it was to get in and out, and get around, than even at the regular meet. The racing was fantastic, there were no incidents, and we saw some great performances, notably from **Liam's Map** in the GI Breeders' Cup Dirt Mile on Friday, and from **Tepin** in the GI Breeders' Cup Mile, and of course from **American Pharoah** (Beyer 120) in the GI Breeders' Cup Classic on Saturday.

American Pharoah thus became the first horse ever to win the Triple Crown and the Breeders' Cup Classic (newly dubbed the 'Grand Slam'), since the Breeders' Cup was still just a gleam in



The Breeders' Cup at Keeneland | Dan Silvestri/Impact Photography

John Gaines's eye the last time we had a Triple Crown winner, 37 years ago. He also easily qualifies as the most exciting (and expensive) sire prospect to retire since Frankel three years ago.

The 2-year-old dirt races each resulted in decisive

champions. The Medaglia d'Oro filly **Songbird** blitzed her rivals in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies, running a Beyer 99, while **Nyquist**, from Uncle Mo's first crop, scored his fourth straight decision over the Birdstone colt, Swipe, in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile, though running a second slower and earning a Beyer figure of only 89. It's hard to argue with the result, though: their California form held up to the pound, and they beat the GI Breeders' Futurity winner and the GI Champagne S. winner decisively.

Nyquist's win sent Ashford's **Uncle Mo** into the lead as not only leading North American freshman sire, but also North America's leading sire of 2-year-olds, over long-time 2015 leader and barn mate **Scat Daddy**; the current margin is a little over \$200,000. Scat Daddy has six 2015 GSW 2-year-olds, and eight 2015 black-type winning 2-year-olds, so even if he doesn't overhaul Uncle Mo he has had one hell of a breakthrough year-- which is sure to be reflected in a steep hike in his 2016 stud fee.

Cont. p14

4 first crop foals sold at Keeneland with a top price of

# \$800,000

and an average of

# \$295,000

“Declaration of War, thus far, is the best son of War Front to retire [to stud]. The filly had a great walk and obviously she has a spectacular pedigree. We're excited to have her.”

CRAIG BERNICK OF GLEN HILL FARM, PURCHASER OF THE \$800,000 FILLY

# DECLARATION OF WAR

TALENTED AND TOUGH - THE REAL WAR HORSE!

• ASHFORD • COOLMORE® • ASHFORD •

A M E R I C A

Aisling Duignan, Dermot Ryan, Charlie O'Connor, Andre Lynch, Adrian Wallace or Scott Calder. Tel: 859-873-7088. Fax: 859-879 5756.

**Bill Oppenheim cont.**

Songbird's sire, Darley's **Medaglia d'Oro**, is third on the 2016 NA juvenile sire list, followed by Claiborne's **War Front**, sire of GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Turf winner Hit It A Bomb as well as Europe's top 2-year-old colt, Air Force Blue; remember, earlier this year, all the whisperings that War Front had seemingly gone quiet? Wrong! Darley's **Bernardini** and Gainesway's **Tapit** are five-six on the juvenile sire list, and of course Tapit is well on his way to his second straight North American sire championship (almost \$17m), with Medaglia d'Oro a strong second (\$12.6m).

The first three days of the November sales--Fasig-Tipton Sunday and Keeneland Book 1 Monday and Tuesday--were broadly similar to last year, but with some important differences. As you will see from the accompanying Weekly Sales Ticker, Fasig's gross was down \$20-million while their clearance rate from the catalogue dropped 9%, from 55% to 46% of the catalogue listed as sold. Keeneland Book 1 had a 57% clearance rate from the catalogue, down from 61%. Overall the three days combined--really the crux of the November market--was off 4% in gross (\$7-million), off 2% in average, and with 5% fewer selling from those catalogued. It did feel decidedly soft in places, yet for all that it is still very difficult to buy a nice mare or weanling.



Uncle Mo | Coolmore

Especially if it's by, or in foal to, Tapit, War Front, or Medaglia d'Oro. Tapit is the leading North American covering sire ([click here](#)), with seven mares in foal averaging over \$1.5-million, and second by weanling average ([click here](#))--eight averaged \$595,000 through the first three days--among sires with two or more sold in either category. But War Front, second in covering sire average (four, averaged \$1,175,000), had a blockbuster \$2,037,250 average from four foals sold, including the new \$3.2-million record filly out of Take Charge Lady sold as part of a spectacular consignment of weanlings from Hill 'n' Dale Farm. Medaglia d'Oro was third on both covering sire average (10 mares in foal to him averaged \$856,000) and weanling average (two, averaged \$480,000) among North American sires with two or more sold in the respective categories.

The leading North American first-year sire (first foals 2015, or F2015) by weanling average for the first three days was Ashford's **Declaration of War** (four, averaged \$295,000), though those foals were actually part of his single European-sired crop.

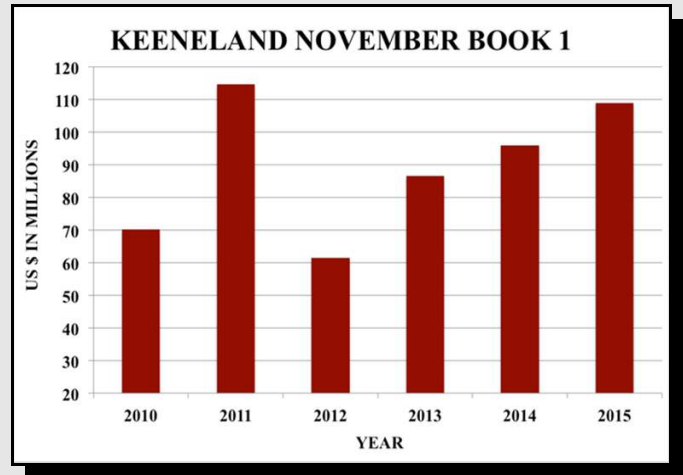
**Cont. p15**

# Weekly Sales Ticker

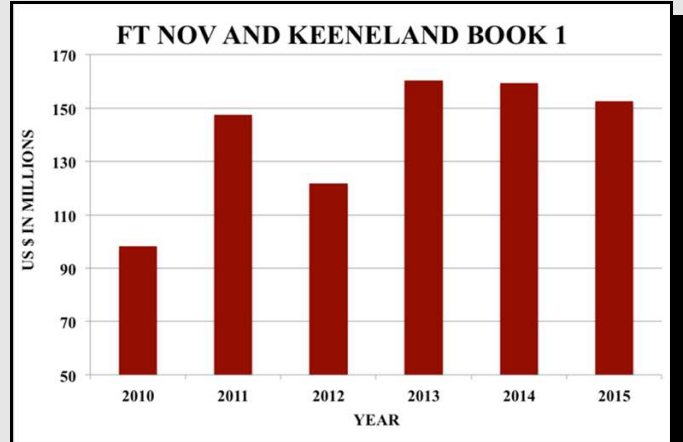
by Bill Oppenheim

"Fasig sold just 46% of their catalogue on Sunday, down from 55% in 2014, and their gross dropped by \$20-million. Keeneland Book 1, by contrast, was up \$13-million, though their clearance rate from the catalogue was down 4%. The upshot for November's key 'first three days' was that the gross was down by \$7-million (4%), the average was off 2%, and the clearance rate was down by 5%. Demand was very strong for top foals while prices for mares seemed broadly in line with last year."

– Bill Oppenheim



YEAR	CAT	RING	SOLD	%W/D	%S/R	%S/C	GROSS	AVG
2015	491	385	279	21.6%	72.5%	56.8%	\$108,787,000	\$390,244
2014	447	359	273	19.7%	76.0%	61.1%	\$95,852,000	\$351,106
2013	399	304	242	23.8%	79.6%	60.7%	\$86,532,000	\$357,570
2012	400	303	209	24.3%	69.0%	52.3%	\$61,505,000	\$294,282
2011	430	353	285	17.9%	80.7%	66.3%	\$114,681,500	\$402,391
2010	515	404	326	21.6%	80.7%	63.3%	\$70,345,000	\$215,782



YEAR	CAT	RING	SOLD	%W/D	%S/R	%S/C	GROSS	AVG
2015	691	525	371	24.0%	70.7%	53.7%	\$152,544,000	\$411,170
2014	647	511	381	21.0%	74.6%	58.9%	\$159,530,000	\$418,714
2013	621	467	371	24.8%	79.4%	59.7%	\$160,391,000	\$432,321
2012	589	437	296	25.8%	67.7%	50.3%	\$121,725,000	\$411,233
2011	585	462	364	21.0%	78.8%	62.2%	\$147,426,500	\$405,018
2010	701	537	415	23.4%	77.3%	59.2%	\$98,341,500	\$236,967

Data compiled by Brianne Stanley

**Bill Oppenheim cont.**

Claiborne's 2013 GI Kentucky Derby winner, **Orb** (Malibu Moon), was the leading F2015 sire to have stood in North America, with six weanlings averaging \$144,166, ahead of Darley's **Animal Kingdom** (Leroidesanimaux), the 2011 GI Kentucky Derby and 2013 G1 Dubai World Cup winner; he'd had four weanlings sell through Tuesday, for an average of \$123,750. The picture is less clear yet on North American first-year covering sires (2016), though the dam of GI Breeders' Cup Sprint winner Runhappy brought \$1.6-million in foal to Airdrie's **Cairo Prince**, and three mares in foal to WinStar's **Paynter** averaged \$463,333 over the first three days.

 Facebook
  Twitter
  E-mail
  Print

Contact Bill Oppenheim at [bopp@erb.com](mailto:bopp@erb.com) (cc [suefinley@thetdn.com](mailto:suefinley@thetdn.com)).

**Wednesday, Aqueduct**

**NASHUA S.-GII**, \$200,000, AQU, 11-4, 2yo, 1m, 1:36.01, ft.

1--**@MOHAYMEN, 116, c, 2, by Tapit**

1st Dam: **Justwhistledixie (MGSW & GISP, \$449,427)**, by **Dixie Union**

2nd Dam: **General Jeanne**, by **Honour and Glory**

3rd Dam: **Ahpo Hel**, by **Mr. Leader**

(\$2,200,000 Ylg '14 KEESEP). O-Shadwell Stable; B-Clearsky Farms (KY); T-Kiaran P. McLaughlin; J-Junior Alvarado. \$120,000. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$165,000. \*1/2 to New Year's Day (Street Cry {Ire}), GISW, \$1,154,000. **Werk Nick Rating: B. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.**

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

2--**Flexibility**, 116, c, 2, Bluegrass Cat--Santa Vindi, by Vindication. (\$80,000 Ylg '14 SARAUG; \$185,000 2yo '15 FTFMAR). O-Klaravich Stables, Inc. & William H. Lawrence; B-WinStar Farm, LLC (NY); T-Chad C. Brown. \$40,000.

**NY-BRED OWNER AWARD: \$8,000** [nybreds.com](http://nybreds.com)

3--**Sail Ahoy**, 116, c, 2, **Bernardini**--Matlacha Pass, by Seeking the Gold. O/B-Phipps Stable (KY); T-Claude R. McGaughey III. \$20,000.

Margins: 1 3/4, NK, 3 1/4. Odds: 1.10, 2.75, 6.30.

Also Ran: River Dell, Magna Light, Jay's Way, Pilot House.

Scratched: Sunny Ridge.

Click for the [Equibase.com](http://Equibase.com) chart, the [TJCIS.com](http://TJCIS.com) PPs or the [free Equineline.com](http://freeEquineline.com) catalogue-style pedigree. **VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

The well-bred Mohaymen ran to his odds and kept his perfect record in tact with a decisive victory in the GII Nashua S. Off a bit slowly, the chalk caboosed the field through an opening quarter in :23.47 and moved into a two-wide third through a half in :46.90. Drawing even with the pacesetter entering the far turn, the juvenile rolled clear in the lane to score his first black-type victory. Flexibility just beat out a stubborn Sail Ahoy for second.



Mohaymen | A. Coglianese

"We were a little worried about the kickback, how he would break, and the others that have had more racing experience than him," winning conditioner Kiaran McLaughlin said. "But he's a very talented horse and I'm

glad he lived up to the betting public's odds. He's got a great pedigree. It's just great to win for Shadwell Stable, Rick Nichols [General Manager of Shadwell Farm] and everybody in Lexington. I've been with them for 22 years, so it's a special win. We definitely have Derby fever. [His next race] would be the [GII] Remsen [S. at Aqueduct Nov. 28] or the [GII] Kentucky Jockey Club at Churchill Downs on the same day."

Co-topping last year's Keeneland September sale when sold for \$2.2 million, Mohaymen was also the heavy favorite in his six-panel unveiling at Belmont Park Sept. 19, where he donned cap and gown by a half-length. (Click [here](#) for KEESEP sale story).

**Cont. p16**

**Three Chimneys Open House**

Saturday November 7th to Sunday November 8th  
10 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Breeders welcome daily between  
9 a.m. and 3 p.m.

  
**THREE CHIMNEYS**

How often  
have you  
– **or anyone** –  
seen a three-year-old  
filly as good as  
**Rachel Alexandra?**  
According to  
the ratings,  
not since the  
**1970s.**

And then  
along comes  
**Songbird.**

Sit back and watch  
him strike gold  
again.

**Or get involved...**



**GII Nashua S. cont.**

The gray's dam Justwhistledixie, who won the GII Davona Dale S. and GII Bonnie Miss S. in 2009 before finishing second in that term's GI Acorn S., made her mark as a broodmare right away courtesy of her first foal New Year's Day (Street Cry {Ire}) who captured the 2013 GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile. Mohaymen is her third foal and she has not produced any offspring since, but was bred to Tapit this year. Justwhistledixie's half-sister Tapas (Tapit) sold to Castleton Lyons for \$750,000 during the first session of the Keeneland November sale Monday as part of the Regis Farm dispersal.

Facebook
 Twitter
 E-mail
 Print

**First Stakes Winner for Freshman Sire**

**Wednesday, Aqueduct**

**TEMPTED S.-GIII**, \$200,000, AQU, 11-4, 2yo, f, 1m, 1:37.19, ft.

1--#@**BIG WORLD**, 115, f, 2, by Custom for Carlos

**1st Dam: Tensas Wedding Joy, by Broken Vow**

**2nd Dam: Xylophone, by Dehere**

**3rd Dam: Joyous Melody, by Phone Trick**

(\$98,000 Ylg '14 OBSAUG). O-Maggi Moss; B-Curt Leake & Elm Tree Farm, LLC (LA); T-Anthony W. Dutrow; J-Jose L. Ortiz. \$120,000. Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-2, \$185,600. \*First stakes winner for her freshman sire (by More Than Ready). **Werk**

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

**Raised at Elm Tree Farm**

**EQB yearling auction purchase • www.EQB.com**

**Sold by Summerfield Sales**

**MCKATHAN BROTHERS Training Graduate**

2--**Flora Dora**, 121, f, 2, [First Dude](#)--Aidan, by Dixieland Band.

(\$87,000 Ylg '14 FTSAUG). O-Coffeepot Stables; B-Dizney Double Diamond LLC (FL); T-Marialice Coffey. \$40,000.

**Bred by and Raised at DOUBLE DIAMOND FARM**

**TAYLOR MADE FOR YOU!**

3--**Banree**, 117, f, 2, [Macho Uno](#)--Grand Glory, by Distorted

Humor. (\$80,000 Ylg '14 KEESEP). O-Mark Dodson; B-Adena Springs (KY); T-Wesley A. Ward. \$20,000.

**Bred, raised, SOLD by 8-time Eclipse Award-winning Breeder ADENA SPRINGS**

**McElroy Equine Yearling Purchase**

Margins: HF, 3/4, 2 3/4. Odds: 4.20, 10.00, 2.80.

Also Ran: Disco Rose, Welcoming, Hi Holiday. Click for the [Equibase.com chart](#), the [TJCIS.com PPs](#) or the [free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree](#). **VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

Big World became the first black-type winner for her freshman sire (by More Than Ready ) with a narrow score in the GIII Tempted S. Challenging Banree for the lead through an opening quarter in :24.05, Big World was just a nose in front of that rival as she loped along the rail through a half in :47.85.

**Selling TOMORROW, 11/6 • BARN 8**

**HIP 1706  
ZIPPITY GOOMBA**

**• In foal to *UNCLE MO* •**

- **Stakes Mare retired sound with a win in her final start**
- **Meets NY Residency Mare Requirements**



1/2 Brother **BELLAMY WAY**  
3rd in the Albany S.  
at Saratoga on 8/28  
**Earnings now \$98,890**

1/2 Brother **CUT TO ORDER**  
5th in the  
\$250,000 Commonwealth Cup S. (G2)  
at Laurel Park on 9/19  
(got beat 4 and change  
for the whole enchilada)  
**Earnings now \$106,500**



Meg Levy • 859.619.7190  
[WWW.BLUEWATERSALES.COM](http://WWW.BLUEWATERSALES.COM)

Banree stubbornly kept after the bay in the lane, but Big World inched a bit further ahead each time and held off a late run from Flora Dora to score her second straight success. Banree stayed on well for third. Heavily favored Welcoming (Tapit) failed to fire and checked in fifth.

"I didn't give [Jose Ortiz] any instructions at all," winning trainer Tony Dutrow remarked. "I told him she's an easy ride and he would know what to do when the gates opened. I noticed the speed was looking at her and they were going soft, so he took advantage of it."



**Big World | A. Coglianese**

"It was a little weird. On paper, it looked like there was a little more speed in there, but my filly broke very well and I noticed it was going easy in front, so I took advantage of it," Ortiz commented. "We went :24 and :47 and that's pretty good. When I asked her to go, she responded very well. I want to thank all the connections for the opportunity. She's pretty good." **Cont. p17**

**Gill Tempted S. cont.**

Third behind “TDN Rising Star” Tonasah (Malibu Moon) on debut at Belmont July 2, Big World completed the trifecta once again at Saratoga Aug. 2 after having the misfortune of running into “TDN Rising Star” Rachel’s Valentina (Bernardini), who won the GI Spinaway S. a month later and finished second in the GI Breeders’ Cup Juvenile Fillies Oct. 31. Earning her diploma last time in a seven-panel affair upstate Sept. 6, the juvenile was further flattered when that race’s runner-up and \$1.9 million OBS record setter Inheritance (Tapit) earned “TDN Rising Star” honors next time out. The winner’s dam produced a Creative Cause colt in 2014 and a full-brother to the winner this year before being bred back to Trappe Shot.

[Facebook](#)
[Twitter](#)
[E-mail](#)
[Print](#)

**MONGOLIAN SATURDAY RETURNS TO GP**

Mongolian Stable’s GI Breeders’ Cup Turf Sprint upsetter **Mongolian Saturday** (Any Given Saturday) has returned to his winter base at Gulfstream Park and is in good shape following his championship victory.

Breaking from the far outside post in the 14-horse Turf Sprint, Mongolian Saturday stalked the pace early and held off a late charge from “TDN Rising Star” Lady Shipman (Midshipman) to score a 15-1 upset.

“The good thing about the race was the post position. It matters a lot,” said assistant trainer Santiago Aragon, who doubles as Mongolian Saturday’s exercise rider. “This time we got the outside. The horse relaxes when he’s on the outside. The other wins he’s had have always been from the outside. We got a good post and stalked the leaders and Florent did a good job and relaxed him the whole way. Turning for home, he got a good kick at the end and ran really huge.”

Mongolian Saturday is likely to make one more start this year at Gulfstream and could possibly make a trip overseas.

“We’re planning to run him one or two more races and then send him to the farm and let him relax,” Aragon said. “The boss is planning to go to Royal Ascot, so we’ll think about that, too. We’ll see what kind of races there are. We’re planning to run him on the turf the whole year. Talking with the trainer, we were going to stretch him out a little bit. Maybe we will try him here in an allowance race and see how he handles it. He’s a different horse now. He’s a big, strong horse and he’s more relaxed, more calm. I think he’ll go up to a mile. We’ll see what happens.”

[Facebook](#)
[Twitter](#)
[E-mail](#)
[Print](#)

**TODAY’S FEATURED VIDEO REPLAYS** sponsored by **Fasig-Tipton**

[CLICK HERE](#) to watch all of our featured video replays.

*Mohaymen (Tapit) remains perfect in the GII Nashua S. at Aqueduct.*

**Exchange Rate**

**One of Danzig’s Best Sons**

**G1 Winner Sunset Glow sells for \$1,375,000 at KEENOV**

Exchange Rate is the sire of 12 SWRs in 2015.

**THREE CHIMNEYS**  
 859.873.7053 | www.threechimneys.com  
[f](#) [t](#) [e](#) @three\_chimneys

**SHEER DRAMA’S FUTURE STILL UNDECIDED**

Harold Queen’s dual Grade I winner **Sheer Drama** (Burning Roma)’s future is still uncertain at this time. Trainer David Fawkes brought the chestnut to her owner’s Ocala farm following a fourth-place effort in Keeneland’s GI Breeders’ Cup Distaff Friday.

“She’ll stay at the farm for about a month and then we’ll evaluate her and decide whether he wants to bring her back or breed her,” the conditioner said of the GI Personal Ensign H. and GI Delaware H. victress. “I’m hoping he leans this way.”



**Sheer Drama | Adam Mooshian**

As for her effort in the Distaff, Fawkes commented, “Everything went good. I thought she ran excellent. She just drew a bad post and it compromised us. She shipped good, she trained well, she did everything right for us. Being an evenly matched race, you couldn’t be compromised that much and win. Still, she ran huge. Finishing fourth and not getting beat that far, I thought it was excellent.”

[Facebook](#)
[Twitter](#)
[E-mail](#)
[Print](#)

**Saturday, Churchill Downs, post time: 5:15 p.m. EST**


**CHILUKKI S.-GII**, \$200,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m

PP HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1 Birdaththewire ☼	Summer Bird	Lanerie	Romans	120
2 Ahh Chocolate	Candy Ride (Arg)	Hernandez	Howard	118
3 Serene Melody	Street Cry (Ire)	Leparoux	LoPresti	121
4 Spelling Again	Awesome Again	Bridgmohan	Cox	121
5 Ambusher ☼	Stephen Got Even	Landeros	Wilkes	121
6 Gold Medal Dancer	Medaglia d'Oro	Quinonez	Von Hemel	123
7 Keen Pauline ☼	Pulpit	Mena	Romans	120
8 Shanon Nicole	Majestic Warrior	Albarado	Corrigan	121

**Owners:** 1-Forum Racing, IV (Tom Camp), 2-Stoneway Farm (James L. Stone), 3-The Robert B. and Beverly J. Lewis Trust (Beverly J. Lewis), 4-Seajay Racing, LLC (Donald Giffen), 5-Lothenbach Stables, Inc. (Robert J. Lothenbach), 6-Pin Oak Stable, LLC (Josephine Abercrombie), 7-Stonestreet Stables, LLC (Barbara Banke), 8-Sierra Farm (Edmund & Sharon Hudon).  
**Breeders:** 1-Lynn & Kathy Jones, 2-Stoneway Farm, 3-The Robert and Beverly Lewis Trust, 4-George Strawbridge, 5-Robert B. Tillyer & Martin J. Keogh, 6-Pin Oak Stud LLC, 7-Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC, 8-Connie Apostelos.

**FEATURE PRESENTATION • GIII LONG ISLAND H.**

Over 80 In-Foal Mares Selling with 2016 Seasons @KEENOV  
 10X Leading North American Breeder  
 8X Eclipse Award-winning Breeder



ADENA SPRINGS KENTUCKY / [www.AdenaStallions.com](http://www.AdenaStallions.com) / (859) 987-1798

**Saturday, Aqueduct, post time: 3:50 p.m. EST**

**LONG ISLAND H.-GIII**, \$200,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/2mT

PP HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1 Goldy Espony (Fr)	Vespono (Ire)	Carmouche	Brown	120
2 Rosalind	Broken Vow	Alvarado	Brown	119
3 Danza Cavallo (Fr)	Sunday Break (Jpn)	Ortiz	Brown	119
4 Evidently	Smart Strike	Cancel	Lerman	115
5 Gotachancetodance	English Channel	Saez	Pletcher	114
6 Mei Ling ☼	Empire Maker	Velazquez	Pletcher	112
7 Courtesan ☼	Street Sense	de Sousa	Clement	116
8 Mutatis Mutandis (Ire)	Mastercraftsman (Ire)	Velazquez	Walker	118
9 Crisolles (Fr)	Le Havre (Ire)	Rosario	Clement	116
10 Walk Close ☼	Tapit	Franco	Clement	117
11 Interrupted	Broken Vow	Rispoli	Motion	115

**Owners:** 1-Swift Thoroughbreds, Inc. and Bradley Thoroughbreds, 2-Bethlehem Stables LLC, Dubb, Michael and Highclere America, 3-Dubb, M., Sheep Pond Partners, Bethlehem Stables LLC and The Elkstone Group LLC, 4-Lerman, Roy, S., 5-Pletcher, Joan and Scatuorchio, Terry, 6-Schwartz, Barry, K., 7-Ramona S. Bass, LLC, 8-Chasemore Farm, 9-China Horse Club, 10-Highland Yard LLC, 11-Pin Oak Stable. **Breeders:** 1-Henri Alex Pantall & Yvette Chabot, 2-Hurstland Farm, Inc., James H Greene Jr. & Pin Oak Stud, LLC, 3-Sylviane Jeffroy, 4-Lambholm, 5-Bellevue Farm, 6-Mr. & Mrs. Larry D. Williams, 7-Ocala Stud & Joseph M. O'Farrell III & John David O'Farrell, et al., 8-Kildaragh Stud, 9-Franklin Finance S.A., 10-Brookdale Farm, Jack Swain & Jon & Sarah Kelly, 11-Pin Oak Stud LLC.

**IN OTHER NEWS**  
 A daily roundup of racing articles in non-industry media

Sponsored  
 by *Haras des Capucines*

**SELLING AT ARQANA DECEMBER:  
 HIP 112 - 2yo filly, LAKOTA TREATY**

A full-sister to MGSW PEACE BURG  
 from the family of PISTOLET BLEU  
[Click for Catalogue Page](#)

**HARAS DES CAPUCINES • EUROPEAN SALES MANAGEMENT**  
 Michel Zerolo • Eric Puerari • US: 305-538-2080 • FR: 011-33-6-08-91-04-34

**What Will Be Pharoah's Lasting Impact on the Sport?**

*"It's too soon to know what sort of lasting effects American Pharoah could have on horse racing. Already, though, his trainer has seen plenty of short-term positives."* **Jonathan Lintner, *The Courier-Journal***

**Michelle Payne's Melbourne Cup Win Reveals Chauvinistic Side of Australian Horse Racing**

*"When Michelle Payne got off her Melbourne Cup-winning horse Prince of Penzance and accused racing of being a "chauvinistic sport", she did not exempt the owners of her mount from criticism."* **Melissa Davey, *The Guardian***



Lane's End 2016 Stud Fees	
Candy Ride (Arg)	\$60,000
City Zip	\$40,000
Discreetly Mine	\$5,000
Honor Code	\$40,000
Langfuhr	\$5,000
Lemon Drop Kid	\$40,000
Liam's Map	\$25,000
Mineshaft	\$25,000
Noble Mission (GB)	\$25,000
Quality Road	\$35,000
Stephen Got Even	\$5,000
The Factor	\$25,000
Twirling Candy	\$15,000
Union Rags	\$35,000



## AMBIENCE RIGHT FOR OAKS

Thursday's penultimate meeting of the Melbourne Cup carnival sees the fillies take center stage in the A\$1 million G1 Crown Oaks, and Godolphin looks to **Ambience (Aus)** (Street Cry {Ire}) to continue the current hot streak of her late sire Down Under. The bay, who has never been off the board in six starts, was an eye-catching winner of the local prep, the G2 Wakeful S. over 2000 meters, here on Saturday, and Godolphin stable jockey James McDonald told *Racing.com* his mount's greatest



Trainer John O'Shea and jockey James McDonald | *Racing and Sports*

attribute is her versatility. "She's a pretty adaptable filly that relaxes really well and has a good turn of foot and she sustains a really good gallop, which is great sign for this type of race," McDonald told the site. "We're lucky that she's able to be ridden in different ways; she

box-seated last Saturday and she came from second-last at Randwick [when winning an Oct. 3 handicap]. The good thing about her is her turn of foot, so she'll be able to get herself out of any trouble if she needs to." Trainer John O'Shea told *Racing.com*, "She's had a great preparation and has done really well in the past few days since the race so I'm really looking forward to the race. She's a filly that can reel off really good sectionals and I think she's adept in any sort of ground, so we're really looking forward to the race."

The form of **Jameka (Aus)** (Myboycharlie {Ire})'s G2 Moonee Valley Vase win Oct. 24 was boosted significantly last Saturday when the third-placed Tarzino (NZ) (Tavistock {NZ}) ran away with the G1 Victorian Derby, and the Ciaran Maher-trained Jameka is another who is remarkably consistent, having finished off the board just once in eight starts. She was second in the G1 Thousand Guineas prior to her last-out score and the only query with her is the likely wet track. That scenario also applies to race favorite **Sacred Eye (Aus)** (High Chaparral {Ire}), who has finished first or second in all four starts and was the winner of the G3 Caulfield Classic over 2000 meters Oct. 17. Co-trainer David Hayes told *Racing.com* her pedigree suggests she could handle the off going.

"High [Chaparrals] normally do and she's a very good stayer," Hayes told the site. "I think we'll be OK, but there's only one way to find out."

"This is one of the better Oaks you'd see when you look at the fact her opposition have got form around the Derby winner," Hayes added. "It's hard to be too confident, but I know she's very good. I think she probably deserves to be favorite, but it'll be interesting to see how she handles the conditions."

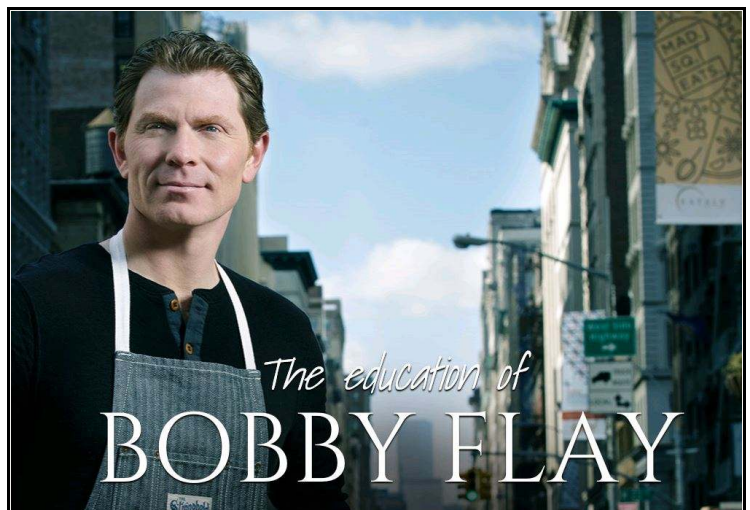
[Facebook](#)
[Twitter](#)
[E-mail](#)
[Print](#)

### Thursday, Flemington, Australia

**CROWN OAKS-G1**, A\$1,000,000 (US\$725,940), 3yo, f, 2500mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER
1	Muzyka (Aus)	Danehill Dancer (Ire)	Avdulla	Rya
2	Dawnie Perfect (Aus)	Big Brown	Cassidy	Connors
3	Dulverton (Aus)	Commands (Aus)	Dunn	Smerdon
4	The Grey Flash (Aus)	Not A Single Doubt (Aus)	Parnham	Laing
5	Pasadena Girl (NZ)	Savabeel (Aus)	Bowman	Moody
6	Ritzy (Aus)	Medaglia d'Oro	McEvoy	Cummings
7	Zarabeel (NZ)	Savabeel (Aus)	Baster	Corstens
8	Jameka (Aus)	Myboycharlie (Ire)	Oliver	Maher
9	Sacred Eye (Aus)	High Chaparral (Ire)	Moore	Hyes/Dbernig
10	Ambience (Aus)	Street Cry (Ire)	McDonald	O'Shea
11	Princess Aria (Aus)	Oratorio (Ire)	Walker	Connors
12	Honestia (Aus)	Monaco Consul (NZ)	Williams	Thompson

All carry 122 pounds.



The new TDN longform multimedia feature by Lucas Marquardt, [The Education of Bobby Flay](#), is now up on [thetdn.com](http://thetdn.com). How did Flay go from successful businessman to successful racehorse owner and breeder? By holding onto three words: save your powder.

*Five  
two-year-old  
G1 winners  
in six crops.  
Only Danzig  
ever had more.  
Two Travers winners  
in his first two crops.  
Not even Danzig  
managed that.  
And not forgetting  
the biggest-priced  
yearling filly of 2015.*

*Look on enviously  
while it happens  
to others.  
Or get involved...*



**Saturday, Flemington, Australia**

**DARLEY CLASSIC-G1, A\$1,000,000 (US\$725,940), 3yo/up, 1200mT**

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER
1	Terravista (Aus)	Captain Rio (GB)	Bowman	Pride
2	Srikandi (Aus)	Dubawi (Ire)	McEvoy	Maher
3	Bring Me The Maid (Aus)	Sebring (Aus)	Boss	Moody
4	Chautauqua (Aus)	Encosta de Lago (Aus)	Dunn	Hawkeses
5	Tiger Tees (NZ)	Dubawi (Ire)	Newitt	Pride
6	Flamberge (Aus)	Exceed and Excel (Aus)	Duric	Moody
7	Buffering (Aus)	Mossman (Aus)	Browne	Heathcote
8	Boban (Aus)	Bernardini	G Schofield	Waller
9	Delectation (Aus)	Shamardal	McDonald	Waller
10	Lumosty (Aus)	Fastnet Rock (Aus)	Shinn	Smerdon

All carry 129 pounds bar Srikandi, Bring Me the Maid and Lumosty, 124 pounds.

**Saturday, Flemington, Australia**

**EMIRATES S.-G1, A\$1,000,000 (US\$725,940), 3yo/up, 1600mT**

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	Moriarty (Ire)	Clodovil (Ire)	G Schofield	Waller	118
2	Sons Of John (Aus)	Oratorio (Ire)	Penza	Attard	116
3	Lucky Hussler (Aus)	Husson (Arg)	Boss	Weir	128
4	Messene (Aus)	Lonhro (Aus)	Dunn	Hawkeses	118
5	Magic Artist (Ire)	Iffraaj (GB)	Shinn	Wohler	119
6	Ecuador (NZ)	High Chaparral (Ire)	Prebble	Waterhouse	118
7	Amovatio (Aus)	Al Maher (Aus)	Winks	Waller	117
8	Politeness (Aus)	Street Sense	Newitt	Smerdon	117
9	Disposition (Aus)	Reset (Aus)	Oliver	Freedmans	120
10	Bow Creek (Ire)	Shamardal	McDonald	O'Shea	122
11	Turn Me Loose (NZ)	Iffraaj (GB)	McEvoy	Baker	124
12	He Or She (Aus)	Kendel Star (Aus)	C Schofield	Hyes/Dbrnig	116
13	Rock Sturdy (Aus)	Fastnet Rock (Aus)	Tourneur	Pride	116
14	Coronation Shallan (Aus)	Strategic (Aus)	Dee	Scott	116
15	Arod (Ire)	Teofilo (Ire)	Williams	Chpple-Hym	127
16	May's Dream (Aus)	New Approach (Ire)	Parnham	Weir	116



**THOROUGHBRED RACING ECONOMIC INDICATORS FOR OCTOBER 2015**

Indicator	U.S. Wagering*	U.S. Purses	Race Days
Oct. 2015	\$970,337,732	\$123,177,590	380
Oct. 2014	\$824,351,544	\$104,745,793	414
% Change	+17.7%	+17.6%	-8.21%
YTD 2015	\$9,274,266,245	\$954,713,286	4,158
YTD 2014	\$9,057,222,435	\$951,205,410	4,328
% Change	+2.4%	+0.37%	-3.93%

Stats provided by Equibase Company

\*Includes worldwide commingled wagering on U.S. races.

**WE'RE EVERYWHERE YOU WANT TO BE**

*Upcoming Sales Distribution Dates:*

**Keeneland November Breeding Stock Sale**  
*October 30-November 13*

**Goffs November Foal & Breeding Stock Sale**  
*November 16-22*

**Tattersalls December Sales**  
*November 22-December 3*

**Arqana December Breeding Stock Sale**  
*December 4-8*

**Magic Millions Gold Coast Yearling Sale**  
*January 5-12, 2016*

**Keeneland January Horses of All Ages Sale**  
*January 9-15*



To see **YOUR AD** in the TDN at upcoming sales worldwide, call today!

**732.747.8060**

[advertising@thoroughbreddailynews.com](mailto:advertising@thoroughbreddailynews.com)

## CADEAUX COMES THROUGH SURGERY

Popular globetrotting gelding **Red Cadeaux (GB)** (Cadeaux Genereux {GB}), who was pulled up after suffering an injury in the late stages of Tuesday's G1 Melbourne Cup, underwent surgery at Werribee Wednesday and emerged from the operation in good order, trainer Ed Dunlop told *rv.racing.com*. The 9-year-old fractured the medial sesamoid in his left-fore fetlock nearing the wire of the two-mile race, and had surgery at the University of Melbourne Equine Centre. Dunlop explained the surgery followed much consultation with experts.

"Following the scans undertaken yesterday we consulted with world leading veterinary surgeons on sesamoid bone injuries to determine the best course of action to address Red Cadeaux's injury," he told *rv.racing.com*. "Having received their advice, myself, Robin [Trevor-Jones], Steve [Nicholson] and the vets who have taken care of Red Cadeaux during his trips to Australia met today and consulted with his owner Ronnie Arculli on the steps we would take. It was decided that surgery was the best option for the horse and that Dr. Ben Ahern from the University of Adelaide School of Animal and Veterinary Science, an expert in these injuries, would fly in to conduct the surgery alongside Dr. Chris Whitton and Dr. Liz Walmsley from the University of Melbourne Veterinary Hospital Equine Centre. The vets have advised me that the surgery went well and that Red Cadeaux is comfortable standing back in his box and has eaten, which is fantastic news for all."

"I would personally like to thank everyone who has offered their support and we will keep everyone informed of how he progresses," Dunlop added.

Dunlop announced Red Cadeaux's retirement immediately following the injury. The chestnut ends his racing career with earnings of \$7,850,451, making him the highest-earning Thoroughbred in British racing history. He won seven of 54 starts, with a career high being a win in the 2012 G1 Hong Kong Vase. Red Cadeaux finished second in the Melbourne Cup three times, and was also runner-up in the 2013 G1 Dubai World Cup; Australia's G1 Queen Elizabeth S. earlier this year; and Epsom's G1 Coronation Cup in 2012. He finished third in Japan's G1 Tenno Sho Spring and the G1 Irish St Leger.



Red Cadeaux | *Racing Post*

[Facebook](#)
[Twitter](#)
[E-mail](#)
[Print](#)

### Aga Khans Studs 2016 Stud Fees

#### Gilltown Stud, Ireland

Sea The Stars (Ire)	€125,000
Born To Sea (Ire)	€10,000

#### Haras de Bonneval, France

Siyouni (Fr)	€30,000
Charm Spirit (Ire)	€27,500
Makfi (GB)	€20,000
Dalakhani (Ire)	€15,000
Sindar (Ire)	€4,000

**Don't Miss Out on Postings from the TDN on facebook**

Due to recent changes on Facebook, you may want to check the **"Get Notifications"** tab. Hover your mouse over the **"LIKE"** button to receive all of our post updates.

The TDN is the Wall Street Journal for the Thoroughbred industry worldwide - it is its leading daily information source. Give us 15 minutes and we'll tell you what you need to know, and what you can't afford NOT to know.

Community Page about Horse racing

Liked

- Get Notifications
- Show in News Feed
- Settings...
- Add to Interest Lists...

About - Report a Problem

# New York

**Wednesday's Results:**

**6th-AQU, \$67,000, Alw, 11-4, (NW1\$X), 3yo/up, f/m, 1 3/8mT, 2:18.04, fm.**

**PROMOTIONAL (f, 3, [Artie Schiller](#)--Instant Thought, by Kris S.)** reported home third in her Delaware turf bow July 22 and graduated stretched to 1 1/8 miles there Aug. 18. Extended an additional eighth of a mile, the dark bay ran second in a grassy Belmont allowance Oct. 7 and was 3-1 to improve in this spot. The sophomore tracked the top pair while relaxed from the garden spot through a mile half in :50.79 and continued to save ground for the backstretch run. Give her cue after a mile in 1:42.39, Jose Lezcano steered Promotional through a narrow gap at the rail and she hit the afterburners inside the final eighth to win by two lengths. Affileo (GB) (Teofilo {Ire}) completed the exacta. The winner is a half to Marketing Mix, MGISW, \$2,015,893, whose Tapit weanling filly sold for \$1.1 million to Shadwell as hip [hip 366](#) at Keeneland November Tuesday. Lifetime Record: 5-2-1-1, \$80,100. **Click for the [Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.](#)**

O/B-Glen Hill Farm (FL); T-Thomas F. Proctor.

**7th-AQU, \$67,000, Alw, 11-4, (NW1\$X), 3yo/up, 1m, 1:35.06, ft. MARKING (c, 3, [Bernardini](#)--Seventh Street {MGISW, \$716,000}, by Street Cry {Ire})** maintained his perfect record with a facile success at Aqueduct Wednesday afternoon. The bay earned 'TDN Rising Star' status and a 91 Beyer in his Belmont debut when motoring home first by 2 3/4 lengths Sept. 23 and the betting public made the Godolphin homebred the heavy 3-5 crowd's pick for this second appearance. Flashing



Marking | Coglianese/NYRA

good early speed from stall seven, Jose Lezcano wrangled Marking back to perch three deep in third as a rival sizzled through a testing half in :45.62. Always traveling nicely, the sophomore sauntered up to take a head advantage after six furlongs in 1:10.07 and quickened home to score by 5 1/2 lengths over longshot Gridley Here (Repent), who was far back early. The winner's dam foaled a colt by Tapit in 2015 and was bred back to that sire this spring. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$85,200. **Click for the [Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.](#)**

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

**1st-AQU, \$60,000, Msw, 11-4, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:36.77, ft.**

**BACKSIDEOFTHEMOON (r, 3, [Malibu Moon](#)--Ballado's Thunder {SW & GSP, \$285,667}, by Saint Ballado),** a debut fourth to impressive 'TDN Rising Star' Marking (Bernardini) going 6 1/2 panels at Belmont Sept. 23, filled that spot again extended to 1 1/16 miles Oct. 11. A 3-1 shot here, the ridgling dueled with Street Jersey (Street Cry {Ire}) to his inside and Big House (Eskendereya) to his outside through even splits of :23.64 and :47.21. Still sandwiched between those foes after six panels in 1:11.67, Backsideofthemoon began to assert, putting away a tiring Big House by midstretch and eventually vanquishing 9-5 chalk Street Jersey late to win by two lengths going away. Ballado's Thunder foaled a colt by Creative Cause in 2014 and a foal by Custom for Carlos in 2015. She was bred back to Trappe Shot. Sales history: \$150,000 RNA Ylg '13 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$43,500. **Click for the [Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.](#)**

O-Lake Lonely Racing; B-Doug Branham (KY); T-Leo O'Brien.



**6th-FL, \$23,000, Msw, 11-4, 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:06.82, ft.**

**+A B ADVANTAGE (f, 3, [Posse](#)--Weefc, by Tapit),** hammered down to 9-5 favoritism for this unveiling, zipped straight to the front end and quickly established an uncontested lead. She poured it on in the lane to graduate by 5 1/2 lengths. Taramislew (Andromeda's Hero) was second. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$13,800. **Click for the [Equibase.com chart.](#)**

O/T-Paul W. Barrow; B-Andiamo Farm (NY).

# Eastern U.S.

**MRMA Crab Feast Scholarship & Charity Auction Saturday:**

The Maryland Racing Media Association's Crab Feast Scholarship and Charity Auction Banquet will take place Saturday evening at 6 p.m. in the Carriage Room at Laurel Park. The MRMA will honor Hall of Fame trainer King Leatherbury, outgoing Maryland Racing Commission chairman Bruce Quade, the connections of champion sprinter Xtra Heat, and Northview Stallion Station's Richard Golden. The MRMA will also hand out approximately \$25,000 in scholarships to Maryland residents attending colleges and universities. There will also be a silent auction featuring American Pharoah memorabilia and other racing memorabilia along with tickets to local sporting events. For more information call (301)459-4408 or go to the Maryland Thoroughbred Horsemen's Association office at Laurel Park.

# ▶ Florida

**Wednesday's Results:**

**6th-GPW, \$43,000, Msw**, 11-4, 2yo, f, 1m, 1:40.86, ft.  
**LITTLE PRISCILLA (f, 2, [Majestic Warrior](#)--[Silver Wench {SP}](#), by [Silver Ghost](#))** made up some ground to be sixth after hesitating at the start of her debut across town Sept. 19 and was 4-1 to put it all together in this route bow. Away in good order, the dark bay kept a close eye on the frontrunner from a wide third through a half in :48 even and was poised to pounce as noses pointed for home. She thrust her head in front midway on the far turn and sprinted down the lane to score by 7 1/4 lengths. Determined Lady (Big Drama) was 4 1/2 lengths clear of the remainder. Sales history: \$4,000 Ylg '14 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$24,500. [Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.](#)

O-Little Dreams Racing; B-Lantern Hill Farm LLC & Russell Reineman Stables Inc. (KY); T-Carlo Vaccarezza.



**I Spent It Retired to Ocala Stud:**

Alex and JoAnn Lieblong and Three Chimneys Farm's **I Spent It** (Super Saver), winner of last term's GII Saratoga Special S., has been retired from racing and will stand at Ocala Stud. A stud fee will be announced later.

"I Spent It was a tremendously-gifted 2-year-old, and he looks like what you would expect of a \$600,000 juvenile when you see him physically," said Ocala Stud's J. Michael O'Farrell. "He represents the first graded stakes winner sired by Super Saver, who is emerging as the best Kentucky Derby winner the industry has seen at stud since Seattle Slew. So we think I Spent It is a very exciting and current horse for the Florida market, and breeders are going to gravitate to this horse when they see him. We want to thank Mr. and Mrs. Lieblong and Three Chimneys for the opportunity to stand I Spent It at Ocala Stud."

A debut winner at Belmont Park, I Spent It captured the Saratoga Special next out before finishing second to recently retired "**TDN Rising Star**" Competitive Edge (Super Saver) in the Spa's GI Hopeful S. last September. Unplaced in three starts this term, the sophomore retires with a record of 7-2-1-0 and earnings of \$347,640.

**CORRECTION:** Spendthrift Farm stallion Court Vision stood at Park Stud in Ontario for his first years at stud, however he will be standing at Spendthrift in Kentucky for the 2016 season at a fee of \$6,500.

## NTRA REPORT FROM CAPITOL HILL

**NTRA RECOGNIZES SUPPORTERS AMONG BREEDERS' CUP WINNERS**

The NTRA congratulates the connections of all of the winners of Breeders' Cup World Championship races and offers special thanks to those listed below who contributed to the [NTRA Legislative Action Campaign](#) through the ¼% Check-off and/or Foal programs during the past year.\*

- Gary Barber, Owner of Catch a Glimpse, winner of the Juvenile Fillies Turf
- Brookdale Farm LLC, Co-Breeder of Stopchargingmaria, winner of the Distaff
- Wayne Lyster, Bryan Lyster and Gray Lyster, Breeders of Runhappy, winner of the Sprint
- Normandy Farm, Breeder of Mongolian Saturday, winner of the Turf Sprint
- Kenneth L. and Sarah K. Ramsey, Owner and Breeder of Stephanie's Kitten, winner of the F/M Turf
- Reddam Racing LLC, Owner of Nyquist, winner of the Juvenile
- Teresa Viola Racing Stable, Owner of Liam's Map, winner of the Dirt Mile
- Town and Country Farms Corp., Owner of Stopchargingmaria, winner of the Distaff

The NTRA Legislative Action Campaign funds the NTRA's federal legislative work on Capitol Hill. Buyers and sellers may contribute at all major sale companies by donating one quarter of one percent of a horse's sale price. Owners and breeders also may participate by contributing \$50 per foal in the NTRA Foal program.

\*Participation Aug. 2014 through Sept. 2015, not including the 2015 Keeneland September Yearling sale.

For more information contact Joe Bacigalupo, director of government relations and membership development, (859) 422-2677 or visit [www.SupportHorseRacing.org](http://www.SupportHorseRacing.org).

# ▶ Kentucky

**Wednesday's Results:**

**8th-CD, \$63,431, Alw (NW3\$X)/Opt.** Clm (\$80,000), 11-4, 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:17.12, ft.

**MILAM (f, 4, [Street Sense](#)--[Autumnal](#), by [Forestry](#))** ended 2014 with a third in the GIII Dogwood S. at this venue Sept. 14 and resurfaced with another third-place effort in a Keeneland allowance Apr. 10. Off the board in three subsequent starts including a Parx optional claimer Sept. 26, the 4-year-old was 6-1 to return to her winning ways and attended the pace just off a rival's right shoulder through a quarter in :23.52. She attacked after a half in :47.11 and, although exchanging some bumps with Miss Melinda (Malibu Moon) to her outside in the straight, prevailed by a head in a thriller. A stewards inquiry was initiated, as well as a claim of foul from Miss Melinda's rider, but both were disallowed and the finishing order was allowed to stand. Sales history: \$95,000 Ylg '12 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: SW & MGSP, 14-4-2-3, \$224,420. [Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.](#)

O-Joseph W. Sutton; B-Fred W. Hertrich III & John D. Fielding (KY); T-Eddie Kenneally.



# CLASSIC WINNER AT 3 MET MILE WINNER AT 4

WINNER OF THREE GRADED STAKES AT ONE MILE IN 2014  
INCLUDING THE GRADE 1 METROPOLITAN HANDICAP

AS A 3YO, WINNER OF THE BELMONT STAKES (G1), DEFEATING KENTUCKY DERBY  
CHAMPION ORB AND PREAKNESS STAKES WINNER OXBOW.

AS A 4YO, WINNER OF 4 STRAIGHT GRADED STAKES RACES  
POSTING THE HIGHEST BEYER UP TO ONE MILE IN 2014.

**GRADE 1 METROPOLITAN HCP.**  
DEFEATING 4 OTHER GRADE 1  
WINNERS POSTING A  
112 BEYER SPEED FIGURE

**GRADE 2 NEW ORLEANS HCP.**  
BY 4 3/4 LENGTHS POSTING A  
114 BEYER SPEED FIGURE

**GRADE 2 GULFSTREAM PARK HCP.**  
DEFEATING TWO GRADE 1 WINNERS  
AND A CHAMPION

**GRADE 3 WESTCHESTER STAKES**  
BY 9 3/4 LENGTHS POSTING A  
114 BEYER SPEED FIGURE



PALACE MALICE

HORSE OF THE YEAR - CURLIN

  
THREE CHIMNEYS

CLASSIC WINNER AT 3 · MET MILE WINNER AT 4

PALACE  MALICE

HORSE OF THE YEAR CURLIN'S BEST SON

**Kentucky Report cont.**

**9th-CD, \$57,255, Alw, 11-4, (NW1X), 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:39.37, gd.**

**OBSIDIAN SPLENDOR (g, 3, Temple City--French Lady, by French Deputy)**, fourth in his turf bow at Ellis Park Aug. 21, managed a narrow win to don cap and gown sprinting at Kentucky Downs Sept. 14. Eighth when trying allowance company for the first time at Keeneland after making all the running, the gelding's blinkers were removed and he was a 22-1 longshot for this return. Steered to the fence, Obsidian Splendor lulled his rivals to sleep, with a 2 1/2-length lead through a half in :49.24. Gotten after by Carson Sullivan in upper stretch, he increased his margin of victory to 5 3/4 lengths. Gustnado (Smart Strike) was best of the rest. The winner is a half to Deputy G (Matty G), GSW, \$175,597 and On the Loose Again (Jump Start), GSP, \$267,788. French Lady foaled a 2014 filly by Gemologist and a Take Charge Indy weanling colt. She was bred back to Temple City this spring. Sales history: \$60,000 Wlg '12 FTKNOV; \$70,000 RNA Ylg '13 KEESEP; \$33,000 2yo '14 OBSOPN. Lifetime Record: 7-2-0-1, \$114,766. [Click for the Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton](#).

O-Kiplings Farm LLC; B-John O'Meara (KY); T-James F. Fugate.

**4th-CD, \$53,535, Msw, 11-4, 2yo, f, 1m, 1:38.71, ft.**

**ANNABELLE (f, 2, Uncle Mo--Jacky Halo {Arg} {MGSP-Arg}, by Southern Halo)**, sixth behind subsequent Rags to Riches S. heroine Stageplay (Curlin) and second-out 'TDN Rising Star' Carina Mia (Malibu Moon) at Keeneland Oct. 10, was bet down to be the 2-1 second choice behind even-money favorite Calamity Jane (Cowboy Cal). Caught several paths off the rail, the bay dropped back to sit third last behind a moderate early tempo. Let out a notch, she ranged up three deep in third after six panels in 1:12.91 and kept finding to defeat Calamity Jane by a neck at the wire. The latter was blocked behind a wall of horses for most of the stretch drive before finally escaping that pocket inside the final 50 yards to finish well. Annabelle is the 20th winner for her freshman sire (by Indian Charlie) and is a half-sister to Renacere (Arg) (Pure Prize), GSW & G1SP-Arg. Jacky Halo, a full to Argentinean champion and MG1SW-Arg Halo Ola (Arg) and G1SWs-Arg Snappy Halo (Arg), and Sebi Halo (Arg), foaled a filly by Lemon Drop Kid in 2014 and a filly by Flatter in 2015. She was bred back to Candy Ride (Arg) this term. Sales history: \$110,000 Ylg '14 FTKJUL; \$145,000 RNA 2yo '15 OBSMAR; \$130,000 2yo '15 EASMAY. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$33,224. [Click for the Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton](#).

O-Mark D. Breen; B-Clearsky Farms (KY); T-Brad H. Cox.

 Hip 1894 - Half sis sells at KEENOV with TAYLOR MADE



**KIP ELSER'S**  
**KIRKWOOD STABLES**  
TWO-YEAR-OLDS TO GO



**WEST POINT**  
THOROUGHBREDS

# Shoot For **SECOND CHANCES**

## Sporting Clays Charity Tournament



**Shooters of All Levels Welcome, Beginners and Experienced**  
**Team Discounts, Sponsorship Opportunities**  
[hfsporting.com](http://hfsporting.com)     [trfsc.org](http://trfsc.org)

*For more information please call 803-432-0210*  
**COME ON OUT, YOU'LL HAVE A BLAST!**



**FRIDAY,**  
**NOVEMBER 20,**  
**2015**

**12pm Registration**  
**1pm Shotgun Start**

Benefiting Retired Racehorses of the Thoroughbred Retirement Foundation of South Carolina



*Hermitage Farm*  
**SHOOTING SPORTS**

**Kentucky Report cont.**

**Top Jocks Pose for Hats Off to the Horses Fundraiser:**

For the third consecutive year, former jockey Rosie Napravnik will model handcrafted Kentucky Derby hats to support the "Hats Off to the Horses: The Road to the Derby," an online fashion auction that raises money for Old Friends. This year Napravnik was joined by her husband trainer Joe Sharp and their new baby Carson. Jockey Julien Leparoux also posed with his wife Shea and their son Mitchell, as did Brian Hernandez, his wife Jamie and their daughter Joshlyn. The six hats will go on the block the first of every month between now and the 2016 running of the Kentucky Derby. The fashion auction kicked off Nov. 1 with Napravnik and Sharp showcasing the "The Silver Charm," a design inspired by the 1997 Kentucky Derby winner who is now retired at Old Friends.

# TODAY'S INSIGHTS

**7th-WO, \$55.9K, Msw, 2yo, f, 5f (awt), 3:55 p.m. ET**

**SEIZE THE RING (Tiznow)**, a half-sister to Canadian champion juvenile and SW Catch the Thrill (A.P. Indy) out of Sam-Son homebred and Canadian champion sophomore filly and GSW Catch the Ring (Seeking the Gold), faces the starter for the first time from the Malcolm Pierce barn and exits from stall one. The second choice on the morning line will have to contend with fellow firster **Calling Rhy Rhy (City Zip)**, a half-sister to Gil Forward Gal S. heroine and MGISP Bickersons (Silver Deputy) for Robert Harvey and trainer Roger Attfield. [Click for TJCS.com PPs.](#)

**7th-CD, \$55K, Msw, 3yo/up, 6f, 3:45 p.m. ET**

LNJ Foxwoods has already enjoyed considerable success with the likes of GI Frizette S. heroine Nickname (Scat Daddy) and 'TDN Rising Star' and GIII Dogwood S. winner Super Majesty (Super Saver), and they hope this trend continues with **WRATH OF RUTHIE (Distorted Humor)** from the Steve Asmussen barn Thursday. Purchased for \$650,000 from the 2013 FTSAUG yearling sale, the bay is out of a half-sister to GISW Dancing Forever (Rahy) and her second dam is GISP Dancinginmydreams (Seeking the Gold), herself a full-sister to champion and MIGSW Heavenly Prize. [Click for TJCS.com PPs.](#)

 Facebook
  Twitter
  E-mail
  Print

**NOW AVAILABLE: TDN App 2.2**  
 Push notifications when the PDF is posted and for news alerts on your homescreen, PDF re-orientates for portrait and landscape, Larger photo library, Minor bug fixes  
*You asked for it... you got it!*  


# ROOKIES

**First-crop starters to watch: Thursday, November 5**

- 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, 123/11/1  
7-WO, Msw, 5f, +Gwendoline H, \$37K FTK OCT yrl, 20-1
  - ATTEMPTED HUMOR** (Distorted Humor), 9/0/0  
3-DED, Msw, 5f, +Hermano Pilon, 20-1
  - CAPE BLANCO (IRE)** (Galileo {Ire}), JBBA Shizunai Stallion Stn, \$18K, 165/7/0  
8-AQU, Msw, 1mT, Vino Blanco, \$32K RNA KEE SEP yrl, 15-1
  - COURT VISION** (Gulch), Spendthrift Farm, \$10K, 53/6/0  
5-CT, Msw, 4 1/2f, +Song and a Vision, 10-1
  - DUBLIN** (Afleet Alex), Keane Stud, \$8K, 71/2/0  
8-AQU, Msw, 1mT, King Dublin, \$32K OBS OPN 2yo, 30-1
  - GIANT OAK** (Giant's Causeway), Millennium Farms, \$8K, 40/1/0  
6-RP, Msw, 1mT, Sperling, 5-1
  - GIANT SURPRISE** (Giant's Causeway), Rockridge Stud, \$4K, 30/3/2  
8-AQU, Msw, 1mT, Cause for Surprise, 5-2
  - HUNT CROSSING** (Corinthian), 15/0/0  
5-CT, Msw, 4 1/2f, Templar's Cross, 10-1
  - SIDNEY'S CANDY** (Candy Ride {Arg}), WinStar Farm, \$15K, 87/5/0  
3-DED, Msw, 5f, +Landing Eagle, \$100K OBS MAR 2yo, 7-2
  - 8-GPW, Mcl, 1mT, Little Paul, \$9K KEE SEP yrl, 4-1
  - TIZWAY** (Tiznow), Spendthrift Farm, \$25K, 73/4/2  
7-WO, Msw, 5f, +Tizwar, \$37K KEE SEP yrl, 12-1
  - UNCLE MO** (Indian Charlie), Ashford Stud, \$35K, 165/20/6  
7-WO, Msw, 5f, +Motown Melody, 3-1

**First/second-crop starters to watch: Thursday, November 5**

- Sire (Sire's Sire), current farm, 2011 Fee, # foals of racing age/Winners/BlackTypeWnrs \* Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)*
- SAVONAROLA (GB)** (Machiavellian), 3/0/0  
5-RP, Msw, 6f, +Hudson, 6-1
  - SUPER SAVER** (Maria's Mon), WinStar, \$20K, 204/55/8  
7-WO, Msw, 5f, +Frugal Franny, \$80K KEE SEP yrl, 10-1

# BREEDERS' EDITION AMERICA

**ALLOWANCE RESULTS:**  
**5th-HAW, \$22,680, 11-4, (NW1\$X), 3yo/up, 5fT, :56.96, gd.**  
**OH MY TODD (g, 7, Artie Schiller--Polish Angel, by Polish Navy)**  
 Lifetime Record: 45-8-6-6, \$94,392. O-Ramiro E. Martinez; B-Winwoods Farm (KY); T-Jere R. Smith, Jr. \*\$15,000 Ylg '09 KEESEP.

**ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**  
**Miracle Girl, f, 2, Scat Daddy--Box Office Queen (SP, \$102,040),**  
 by Pulpit. GPW, 11-4, (C), 1mT, 1:40.99. B-George Krikorian (KY). \*\$80,000 Ylg '14 KEESEP; \$220,000 2yo '15 OBSMAR.  
 \*\*Won by 8 1/4 lengths.

**2yo Purchase by Joe Brocklebank, Agent**

Breeders' Edition America cont.

**Folded Wings**, f, 4, **Lemon Drop Kid**--Gilded Wings (MSP, \$180,150), by Gilded Time. CD, 11-4, 1 1/8mT, 1:54.93. B-Pin Oak Stud, LLC (KY). \*\$24,000 RNA Ylg '12 KEESEP; \$35,000 2yo '13 OBSAPR.

**Late Night Mark (Ire)**, g, 4, **Marju (Ire)**--Khatela (Ire), by Shernazar (Ire). AQU, 11-4, (C), 1 1/16mT, 1:45.10. B-Swordlestown Little (IRE). \*€75,000 Ylg '12 GOFFEB; €80,000 Ylg '12 GOFORB.

## ▶ Europe

### FOUR VYING FOR 'BEST JOCKEY' TITLE

Four jockeys are in contention for the Longines World's Best Jockey title for 2015 with five races remaining in the contest. Frankie Dettori has a narrow lead of 100 points over Victor Espinoza (90 points). Dettori finished second aboard Golden Horn (GB) (Cape Cross {Ire}) in the G1 Longines Breeders' Cup Turf Oct. 31 and filled the same spot on Max Dynamite (Fr)



Frankie Dettori | *Racing Post*

(Great Journey {Jpn}) in the G1 Melbourne Cup three days later, while Espinoza won Saturday's G1 Breeders' Cup Classic with American Pharoah (Pioneerof the Nile) and was second in the G1 Breeders'

Cup Distaff a day earlier aboard Stellar Wind (Curlin). Maxime Guyon, the Wertheimer brothers' retained rider, is third with 88 points, and Javier Castellano is fourth with 86 points.

The scoring for the award is based on performances in the 100 highest-rated Group/Grade I races established for the year by the Longines World's Best Racehorse Rankings Committee. The scoring includes races from Dec. 1 of last year until Nov. 30 this year. Jockeys earn 12 points for a win, six points for placing second, and four points for placing third. The final five races in the series are Saturday's G1 Darley Classic and G1 Emirates S. in Australia; the G1 Mile Championship in Japan, the G1 Cigar Mile in the U.S. and the G1 Japan Cup.

**BRITAIN** results sponsored by  Destination Europe  
www.destinationeuropereading.com

### Wednesday's Results:

**32RED FLOODLIT S.-Listed**, £40,000, KEM, 11-4, 3yo/up, 12f (AWT), 2:31.91, ft.

1--**#MISSED CALL (IRE)**, 125, m, 5, **Authorized (Ire)**--**Incoming Call, by Red Ransom**. (75,000gns yrl '11 TATOCT) O-Malcolm C Denmark; B-Francois Drion & Partners (IRE); T-James Fanshawe; J-Tom Queally. £22,684. Lifetime Record: GSP-Eng, 18-4-4-2, £75,584.

2--**Hamelin (Ire)**, 130, g, 5, Cape Cross (Ire)--Love Divine (GB), by Diesis (GB). O-Lordship Stud. £8,600.

3--**Dartmouth (GB)**, 124, c, 3, Dubawi (Ire)--Galatee (Fr), by Galileo (Ire). O-The Queen. £4,304.

Margins: NK, HF, 1. Odds: 10.00, 9.00, 1.88. [Click for the Racing Post result.](#) [Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.](#)

Stepping out of handicap company to run fifth in the Aug. 22 Listed Chester S., Missed Call improved to finish second in Ascot's Oct. 3 G3 Cumberland Lodge S., and gained a narrow verdict in determined fashion here. The bay was settled off the pace in seventh after the initial exchanges, but slipped one spot along the back straight. Making smooth headway on the outside once into the stretch run, she was shaken up passing the two pole and driven out in the closing stages to claim a career high in the shades of the post.

**4th-KEM, £6,600, Mdn**, 11-4, 2yo, 7f (AWT), 1:25.87, ft.

**ESTIDRAAK (IRE) (c, 2, Ifraaj {GB})--Gold Hush, by Seeking the Gold**, runner-up going an extended seven furlongs at Wolverhampton on debut last time Oct. 20, made a swift exit and raced on the front end from the bell in this return. Shaken up passing the quarter-mile marker, the 8-13 lock surged clear under whipless rousting thereafter to graduate by an easy seven lengths from Coherent (Ire) (Rip Van Winkle {Ire}). Sales history: 130,000gns yrl '14 TATOCT. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, £5,232.

[Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.](#)

O-Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum; B-W Maxwell Ervine (IRE); T-Sir Michael Stoute.

**3rd-KEM, £6,100, Mdn**, 11-4, 2yo, f, 8f (AWT), 1:38.96, ft.

**+PERSUASIVE (IRE) (f, 2, Dark Angel {Ire})--Choose Me {Ire} {SW & MGSP-Ire, \$388,395}, by Choisir {Aus}**, a €180,000 GOFORB yearling, chased the leaders in midfield from flagfall in this first at-bat. Afforded a dream rail in the straight, the 16-1 chance quickened to lead along the fence with 1 1/2 furlongs to go and was ridden out in the closing stages to hold the late thrust of Secret Sense (Shamardal) by a neck. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$6,086. [Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.](#)

O-Cheveley Park Stud; B-J F Tuthill (IRE); T-John Gosden.

**British Report cont.**

**2nd-KEM, £6,100, Mdn**, 11-4, 2yo, f, 8f (AWT), 1:40.51, ft.

**+THE BLACK PRINCESS (FR) (f, 2, Iffraaj {GB}--Larceny {Ire}, by Cape Cross {Ire})**, was sluggish from the gate, but recovered to sit in mid division for most of this unveiling. Making stealthy headway under pressure in the straight, the 11-4 second choice quickened to the fore approaching the final eighth and was pushed out late to easily account for market rival Bombilate (Kitten's Joy) by two lengths. Sales history: €170,000 Ylg '14 ARAUG. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$6,086. [Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.](#)

O-R J H Geffen; B-Petra Bloodstock Agency Ltd (FR); T-John Gosden.

**3rd-NOT, £5,000, Mdn**, 11-4, 2yo, 8f 75yT, 1:51.63, sf.

**+GOOD TRIP (IRE) (c, 2, Dansili {GB}--Counterclaim {GB} {GSP-Ity & SP-Fr, \$168,238}, by Pivotal {GB})** raced in rear through the early fractions of this first go. Pushed along soon after turning for home, the 9-2 chance was ridden to challenge at the eighth pole and kept on well under continued urging to deny West Drive (Ire) (Sea the Stars {Ire}) by 3/4 of a length in the dying strides. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$4,987. [Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.](#)

O-Godolphin; B-Darley (IRE); T-Saeed bin Suroor.

**2nd-NOT, £5,000, Mdn**, 11-4, 2yo, 8f 75yT, 1:49.28, sf.

**+WAJEEZ (IRE) (c, 2, Lope de Vega {Ire}--Chanter {GB}, by Lomitas {GB})** was positioned in a handy fourth from the outset of this debut. Nudged along in early stretch, the 7-2 second favorite eased to the front inside the two pole and was urged ever clear before gearing down late to score by an impressive seven lengths from Twobeelucky (GB) (Tobougg {Ire}). "He's been steadily in and out of work all year, but his shins kept bothering him, so I couldn't run him," explained trainer John Gosden. "I waited until the end of the year and he's handled the [soft] going really well, as many by his father [Lope de Vega] do. He traveled well, picked up well and has given [jockey] Graham [Lee] a nice feel, so we know he goes in this ground, which could be key to his future. Most young horses grow out of sore shins, it's not unusual and is common among 2-year-olds. I have had the odd horse at three continue with it so I hope he doesn't do that. He could do no more than win today, but I do think the ground will be the key to him." Sales history: €48,000 Ylg '14 GOFFEB; 190,000gns Ylg '14 TAOCT. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$4,987. [Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.](#)

O-Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum; B-Swordlestown Stud (IRE); T-John Gosden.

**DBS AUTUMN GETS UNDERWAY**

DBS staged the first day of its Autumn Sale--the horses in training section--Wednesday, with figures coming in slightly below last year's. A high buyback rate of 40.8% saw just 109 of the 184 horses offered find new homes, with those lots grossing £844,900, compared to £1,457,350 for 166 horses sold last year.



Matthew Houldsworth | DBS

The average was down 11.7% to £7,751, while the median dipped 9% to £5,000.

The leading light of the day was [lot 139](#), the 2-year-old colt **Receding Waves (GB)** (Dick Turpin {Ire}) who has won three times this year for trainer

Richard Hannon. Purchased by Howson and Houldsworth and Will Douglass on behalf of Charlie Gordon-Watson for £80,000, the juvenile will continue his racing career in Qatar. Also signed for by Howson and Houldsworth and headed overseas is the second-highest priced lot, [232](#), a five-time winning 5-year-old entire named **Ayaar (Ire)** (Rock Of Gibraltar {Ire}) offered by the Luca Cumani stable. Ayaar will be headed to Australia to be trained by Cumani's son, Matt, who is to begin training Down Under next year.

The second day of the Autumn Sale Thursday will feature yearlings, and will begin at 10 a.m. local time.

[Facebook](#)
[Twitter](#)
[E-mail](#)
[Print](#)

		<p><b>Tel: 718.978.8200</b> <a href="http://www.mersant.com">www.mersant.com</a></p>
<b>SPONSORS OF THE FOLLOWING STATS FOR THE:</b>		
<b>DBS AUTUMN SALE</b>		
<b>SESSION TOTALS</b>	<b>2015</b>	<b>2014</b>
• Catalogued	227	264
• No. Offered	184	200
• No. Sold	109	166
• RNAs	75	34
• % RNAs	40.8%	17%
• High Price	£80,000	£65,000
• Gross	£844,900	£1,457,350
• Average (% change)	£7,751 (-11.7%)	£8,779
• Median (% change)	£5,000 (-9%)	£5,500

*First-Crop Yearlings*  
*Shining Bright*

7 six-figure yearlings, including

\$425,000 - 3rd highest colt  
by a Freshman Sire

\$250,000

\$160,000

\$140,000




# *Astrology*

A.P. Indy's *Only Graded SW 2YO*  
& *Classic-Placed 3YO At Stud*



A STONESTREET / Bolton Stallion

Inquiries to: Taylor Made Stallions 

859.885.3345 | [www.TaylorMadeStallions.com](http://www.TaylorMadeStallions.com)

*A.P. Indy - Quiet Eclipse, by Quiet American*

**British Report cont.**

**MEADE BUYS PASTORAL PURSUITS**

Martyn Meade, owner of Ladyswood Stud, has purchased the stallion **Pastoral Pursuits (GB)** (Bahamian Bounty {GB}--Star {GB}, by Most Welcome {GB}) and will continue to stand him at the National Stud in Newmarket, where he stood this year for £4,000. The 14-year-old Pastoral Pursuits, himself the winner of the G1 July Cup, has sired Group 3 winners Pastoral Player (GB) and Rose Blossom (GB).

Meade said, "Pastoral Pursuits has already proven himself as a stallion that is really going places and represents great value for the owner and breeder. I believe with the right book of mares his quality of stock can continue to improve and there will no doubt be more stakes winners. There will be a very generous breeders incentive available for approved mares."

 Facebook
  Twitter
  E-mail
  Print

**FRANCE** results sponsored by  Destination Europe  
 www.destinationeuropacing.com

**Wednesday's Results:**

**GRAND PRIX DU NORD-Listed**, €55,000, LCR, 11-4, 3yo, 10 1/2fT, 2:18.90, vsf.

1--**ROYAL DOLOIS (FR), 128, c, 3, Silver Frost (Ire)-- Mixture (GB), by Linamix (Fr)**. (€18,000 Ylg '13 AROCT). O-Nadine Vandabeele; B-Thierry de la Heronniere (FR); T-Jean-Michel Lefebvre; J-Pierre-Charles Boudot. €27,500. Lifetime Record: 24-5-4-4, €177,725.

2--**Game Theory (Ire), 125, f, 3, Aussie Rules--Atullia (Ger), by Tertullian**. (€60,000 Ylg '13 AROCT). O-Mme James Norton. €11,000.

3--**Kloud Gate (Fr), 128, g, 3, Astronomer Royal--Talkata (Ire), by Suave Dancer**. (€14,000 Ylg '13 AROCT). O-Razza Della Sila SRL & Thoroughbred Bloodstock Agency. €8,250.

Margins: 3, 1 1/4, HF. Odds: 4.00, 6.90, 15.80. **Click for the Racing Post result. Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

Thoroughly exposed with 23 prior races already on the resume coming into this test, Royal Dolois garnered the July 21 Listed Grand Prix du Lion d'Angers before finishing last of eight in the Sept. 19 G3 Prix du Prince d'Orange at Longchamp, and lined up here off a score in the Oct. 6 Listed Prix Le Fabuleux at Maisons-Laffitte. The grey made light of his outside draw and grabbed an immediate lead after a slick getaway. Holding sway until stoked up on the home turn, he maintained a relentless gallop under continued rousting in the straight to register a third black-type score in decisive fashion.

**1st-LCR, €18,000, Mdn, 11-4, 2yo, f, 9fT, 2:01.50, vsf.**

**CLASSE VENDOME (FR) (f, 2, Kendargent {Fr}--Place Vendome {Fr}, by Dr Fong)**, a debut sixth going one mile at Saint-Cloud last time Oct. 2, raced in second passing the judge first time upped one panel here. Maintaining a stalking role into the straight, the 29-10 favorite claimed a slender advantage with 300 meters remaining and drew off under whipless coaxing inside the final furlong to prevail by a comfortable 2 1/2 lengths from Accord d'Argent (Fr) (Kendargent {Fr}). The winner is a half to G1 Poule d'Essai des Poulains victor Style Vendome (Fr) (Anabaa), G1SW-Fr, \$601,741; and to G1 Poule d'Essai des Poulains runner-up Prestige Vendome (Fr) (Orpen), MG1SP-Fr, \$284,392. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, €9,000. [Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.](#) O-Guy Pariente; B-Guy Pariente Holding (FR); T-Nicolas Clement.

**IRELAND** results sponsored by  Destination Europe  
 www.destinationeuropacing.com

**SUPPLEMENTARY ENTRIES FOR GOFFS**

Six supplementary entries are lined up for Goffs' Open Yearling and Horses in Training Sale Nov. 6, including four horses in training and two yearlings. Those offerings include [lot 285](#), the 2-year-old filly **La Tendresse (GB)** (Raven's Pass), who is twice placed, and [lot 286](#), the three-time winning 4-year-old **Vivat Rex (Ire)** (Fastnet Rock {Aus}).

**BREEDERS' EDITION EUROPE**

**CONDITIONS RESULTS:**

**1st-DOR, €5,000, 11-3, 3yo, 9f (AWT), 1:59.59, ft.**

**LOS CERRITOS (SWI) (c, 3, by Dr Fong--La Coruna {Swi}, by Arazi)** Lifetime Record: GSW-Ger, 8-2-0-2, €41,100. O-Stall Leon; B-Gestut Sohrehof (SWI); T-Markus Klug. \*€7,500 RNA Ylg '13 BBAGA; €15,000 2yo '14 BBAGMX.

**ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**

**Apilobar (Fr), c, 2, Slickly (Fr)-Popee (Fr) (SP-Fr, \$133,337), by Take Risks (Fr)**. LCR, 11-4, 9fT, 2:00. B-SCEA des Prairies & Jean-Paul Daniel (FR). \*€18,000 Ylg '14 OSSPT.

**Lamps of Heaven (Ire), f, 3, Invincible Spirit (Ire)--Star Studded (GB), by Cadeaux Genereux (GB)**. SOU, 11-3, 5f (AWT), 1:00.50. B-Limetree Stud (IRE). \*80,000gns Wlg '12 TATFOA; 40,000gns RNA Ylg '13 TATYEA. \*\*1/2 to Zumbi (Ire) (Dubawi {Ire}), MGSP-Eng, \$174,363.