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### FALBRAV GOES OUT A WINNER

Making the final start of his illustrious career, **Falbrav (Ire)** (Fairy King) made short work of the field in yesterday's G1 Hong Kong Cup at Sha Tin. Sent off the 7-10 favorite, the five-year-old closed from midfield to take over as they entered the straight and powered past **Rakti (GB)** (Polish Precedent) in the final furlong to win going away. He now retires to stud in Japan. "Without a



**Falbrav** HKJC Photo

doubt, he is the best 2000-meter horse in the world," winning jockey Frankie Dettori said. "He is up there with the best I have ridden. His performance was electric today." Falbrav stamped himself as one of the finest at the distance with the triumph, adding it to victories in the G1 Juddmonte International S. and G1 Coral-Eclipse S. **HK Cup cont. p2**

### Sunday, Sha Tin, Hong Kong

**HONG KONG CUP-G1**, HK\$18,000,000, Sha Tin, 12-14, 3yo/up, 2000mT, 2:00.9, gd/fm.

1--**FALBRAV (IRE)**, 126, h, 5, by Fairy King

1st Dam: Gift of the Night (SP-Fr), by Slewpy

2nd Dam: Little Nana (Fr), by Lithiot

3rd Dam: Nenana Road (Fr), by Kirkland Lake (GB)

O-T Yoshida & Scuderia Rencati; B-Azienda Agricola Francesca; T-Luca Cumani; J-Frankie Dettori; HK\$10,200,000. Lifetime Record: Hwt. Older Horse-Itly at 9.5-11 & 11-14f, MG1SW-Eng & Ity, G1SW-Jpn & Fr, G1SP-Ire, GISP-US, 26-13-5-5, HK\$46,676,030.

2--**Rakti (GB)**, 126, c, 4, Polish Precedent--Ragera (Ire), by Rainbow Quest. O-Gary A Tanaka; B-Azienda Agricola Rosati Colareti; HK\$4,000,000.

3--**Elegant Fashion (Aus)**, 122, m, 5, Danewin (Aus)--Wily Trick, by Clever Trick. O-Dr & Mrs Gene Tsoi Wai Wang; B-Emirates Park Pty Ltd; HK\$1,800,000.

Margins: 2, 1 1/4, HF. Odds: 0.70, 5.40, 5.40.

Also Ran: Bright Sky (Ire), Self Flit (NZ), Dr More (Aus), Eishin Preston, Blue Stitch (GB), Tigertail (Fr), Precision (Fr), Denon, Weightless (GB), Magnaten, Dano-Mast (GB).

### LAND OF ENCHANTMENT

**Vallee Enchantee (Ire)** (Peintre Celebre) charged from the back of the pack to defeat an accomplished group of males in the G1 Hong Kong Vase, the first event on the International Races program at Sha Tin yesterday. Weighing in at a feathery 815 pounds, the daughter of the 1993 Hong Kong Cup runner-up Verveine finished a disappointing seventh in the G1 Prix de Diane (French Oaks) at Chantilly June 8, but proved her staying ability with a six-length triumph in the G2 Prix de Pomone over 2700 meters Aug. 10. Fourth, beaten just over three lengths in the Sept. 14 G1 Prix Vermeille, the homebred bounced back with a 1/2-length victory over **Kalabar (GB)** (Kahyasi {Ire}) and **Fair Mix (Ire)** (Linamix {Fr}) in the G2 Prix du Conseil de Paris Oct. 19. Vallee Enchantee raced towards the back of the pack in heavy traffic and had just one beat turning for home. The bay responded when asked for her best in upper stretch, knifed through an opening at the 200 and outfinished **Polish Summer (GB)** (Polish Precedent) for the win. "She took a little time to organize herself, but she's got a terrific turn of foot and came home well," said winning rider Dominique Boeuf. "She's very small, but she has a big, big heart." **Vase chart, p3**



**Vallee Enchantee** HKJC Photo



**Lucky Owners** HKJC Photo



**Silent Witness** HKJC Photo

### THEIR LUCKY DAY...

**Lucky Owners (NZ)** (Danehill) gave Hong Kong-based trainer Tony Cruz and jockey Felix Coetzee their second International event on the day with a narrow win in the Mile...**p2**

### SILENCE IS GOLDEN...

**Silent Witness (Aus)** (El Moxie), also representing team Cruz/Coetzee, ran his record to a perfect eight-for-eight with a one-length victory as the 3-10 favorite in the Sprint...**p3**



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# Hong Kong Cup cont.

## A Model of Versatility...

**Falbrav** won 13 of his 26 career starts, also accounting for the G1 Queen Elizabeth II S. at Ascot, G1 Prix d'Ispehan at Longchamp, G1 Premio Presidente Della Repubblica in Rome, G1 Gran Premio de Milano in Milan and the G1 Japan Cup in Tokyo during his four seasons on the track. He made his penultimate appearance in the G1 Breeders' Cup Turf at Santa Anita in October, finishing just a head behind the dead-heating duo of Johar and High Chaparral (Ire). Odds-on to end his racing career on a high note at Sha Tin, the bay rallied from the outside as they headed into the stretch, then angled to the rail and accelerated past the leaders for an impressive swan song. "I was 100-percent confident," Frankie Dettori said. "When I pressed the button, he exploded. I nearly peed myself. It took my breath away, the way he quickened." Trainer Luca Cumani added, "He won this like he is the best horse in the world and I am so pleased that he goes out on a winning note. This is one of the very best moments for me, to travel the horse so far and have him in top-class form is fantastic." **Click here for the HKJC chart or click for a video replay: [modem](#) or [broadband](#). Click for the [free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree](#).**



The Cup Winner's Circle  
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**HONG KONG MILE-G1**, HK\$14,000,000, Sha Tin, 12-14, 3yo/up, 1600mT, 1:34.3, gd/fm.

1--▲**LUCKY OWNERS (NZ)**, 126, c, 4, by **Danehill**

1st Dam: Miss Priority (NZ), by Kaapstad (NZ)

2nd Dam: Benediction (Ire), by Day Is Done (Ire)

3rd Dam: Cathedra (GB), by So Blessed (GB)

O-Mr & Mrs Leung Kai Fai; B-Mrs J A & Mr P Hogan; T-Tony Cruz; J-Felix Coetsee; HK\$8,000,000.

Lifetime Record: 11-7-3-0, HK\$13,588,900.

2--**Bowman's Crossing (Ire)**, 126, g, 4, Dolphin Street (Fr)--Biraya (GB), by Valiyar (Ire). O-Dr Chang Fuk To & Maria Chang Lee Ming Shum; B-Eclipse Bloodstock; HK\$3,000,000.

3--**Lohengrin (Jpn)**, 126, c, 4, Singspiel (Ire)--Carling (Fr), by Garde Royale (Ire). O-Shadai Race Horse Ltd; B-Shadai Farm; HK\$1,500,000.

Margins: HF, 3/4, 3/4. Odds: 5.40, 35.00, 0.90.

Also Ran: Admire Max (Jpn), Firebreak (GB), Meridian Star (Aus), Telegnosis (Jpn), Ho Choi (GB), Special Kaldoun (Ire), Mister Acpen (Chi), Passing Glance (GB), Citizen Kane (Arg), Ninetyfive Emperor (Aus), Olympic Express (GB).

Lucky Owners gave trainer Tony Cruz and jockey Felix Coetsee a memorable double with a game effort. A winner of three of his first six starts during his inaugural Hong Kong campaign last season, the son of Danehill made his first three efforts of this year versus Class 1 competition in Hong Kong, all at 1600 meters, winning by a half length Sept. 13 before going down to defeat by a short head Oct. 11. He got back in the win column with a narrow victory Nov. 2 and punched his ticket to the International Races with a hard-fought, short-head success over Ho Choi (GB) (Pivotal {GB}) in the HK-G2 International Mile Trial Nov. 22. Deftly guided over to the inside from the seven hole, the bay was able to save all the ground as favored Lohengrin was forced to race wide outside the erratic pacesetter Ninetyfive Emperor (Aus) (Rory's Jester {Aus}). The Japanese raider was carried out even further into the stretch by the weakening front-runner, while Lucky Owners had a clear run and was able to split horses decisively at the sixteenth pole to register the win. "He travelled well, he was always relaxed," Coetsee said. "He was on the rail and when he came into the home straight, he accelerated very well. He's very gutsy." Bowman's Crossing, who only drew into the race upon the scratching of Sarafan, ran on well to complete the Hong Kong exacta. **Click here for the HKJC chart or click for a video replay: [modem](#) or [broadband](#). Click for the [free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree](#).**



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**Sunday, Sha Tin, Hong Kong**

**HONG KONG SPRINT-G1**, HK\$10,000,000, Sha Tin, 12-14, 3yo/up, 1000mT, :56.5, gd/fm.

1--▲**SILENT WITNESS (AUS)**, 126, g, 4, by El Moxie  
 1st Dam: Jade Tiara (Aus), by Bureaucracy (NZ)  
 2nd Dam: Jade Amanda (NZ), by Grosvenor (NZ)  
 3rd Dam: Comptroller (NZ), by Smuggler (GB)  
 O-Arthur Antonio & Betty da Silva; B-I K Smith;  
 T-Tony Cruz; J-Felix Coetzee; HK\$5,700,000.  
 Lifetime Record: 8-8-0-0, HK\$12,636,900. \* Formerly  
 Eltira (Aus).

2--**National Currency (SAf)**, 126, c, 4, National  
 Assembly--Enchanted Dollar, by Spend A Buck. O-G J  
 Beck, A Christoforou, et al; B-Highland Farms Stud  
 (Pty) Ltd; HK\$2,200,000.

3--**Cape of Good Hope (GB)**, 126, g, 5, Inchinor (GB)--  
 Cape Merino (GB), by Clantime (GB). (25,000gns yrl  
 '99 DONSEP). O-Exors of the Estate of the late  
 Ronald Carstairs; B-Mrs D Ellis; HK\$1,000,000.  
 Margins: 1, 3/4, 1 1/4. Odds: 0.30, 6.00, 64.00.  
 Also Ran: Firebolt (Ire), Acclamation (GB), The Trader  
 (Ire), The Tatling (Ire), Cheerful Fortune (NZ), Into The  
 Night (Aus), All Thrills Too (Aus), Grand Delight (Aus),  
 Dantana (Aus), Bomber Bill (Aus), Deportivo (GB).

The race was billed as a showdown between unde-  
 feated Silent Witness and South Africa's National Cur-  
 rency and the duo put on a great show for the Sha Tin  
 faithful, with the former taking his record to a perfect  
 eight-for-eight. The bay announced his arrival with a  
 win over Horse of the Year Grand Delight (Aus) (Hurri-  
 cane Sky {Aus}) in a domestic Group 2 last June and  
 returned from a four-month absence to take the HK-G3  
 Sha Tin Sprint Trophy Oct. 11. He most recently domi-  
 nated by 2 1/2 lengths in the HK-G2 International Sprint  
 Trial Nov. 22 and was odds-on in his Group 1 bow.  
 Away well from the 11 hole, Silent Witness seized the  
 early advantage, but was content to relinquish the lead  
 to the South African raider and took up an outside  
 stalking position from second. Put to a drive with 1 1/2  
 furlongs to race, he gained gradually on National Cur-  
 rency, collared that one inside the final 200 meters and  
 edged clear. "National Currency led me early on, but my  
 horse was always travelling comfortably and at half  
 way I knew I had him," explained victorious rider Felix  
 Coetzee. Said losing trainer Michael Azzie, "Mine did  
 not go down without a fight, but the winner was awe-  
 some." Click [here](#) for the HKJC chart or click for a  
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**Sunday, Sha Tin, Hong Kong**

**HONG KONG VASE-G1**, HK\$14,000,000, Sha Tin, 12-14, 3yo/up, 2400mT, 2:28.2, gd/fm.

1--▲**VALLEE ENCHANTEE (IRE)**, 117, f, 3, by [Peintre Celebre](#)  
 1st Dam: Verveine (Hwt. Older Mare-Fr at 7-9.5f,  
 MGSW & MG1SP-Fr, GSP-HK, \$424,182), by  
 Lear Fan

2nd Dam: Venise, by Nureyev

3rd Dam: Virunga (Fr), by Sodium (GB)

O-Ecurie Wildenstein; B-Dayton Investments Ltd;  
 T-Elie Lellouche; J-Dominique Boeuf; HK\$8,000,000.  
 Lifetime Record: MGSW-Fr, 10-5-0-2,  
 HK\$9,314,310. \*1/2 to Victory Cry (Ire) (Caerleon),  
 GSW-Fr; and Volga (Ire) (Caerleon), GSW-Fr, GSW-  
 NA, \$1,021,628.

2--**Polish Summer (GB)**, 126, h, 6, Polish Precedent--  
 Hunt The Sun (GB), by Rainbow Quest.  
 O/B-Juddmonte Farms; HK\$3,000,000.

3--**Warrsan (Ire)**, 126, h, 5, Caerleon--Lucayan Princess  
 (GB), by High Line (GB). O/B-Saeed Manana;  
 HK\$1,500,000.

Margins: 3/4, SHD, HF. Odds: 7.15, 5.00, 3.20.

Also Ran: Roosevelt (Ire), Fair Mix (Ire), River Dancer  
 (Ire), Imperial Dancer (GB), Kalabar (GB), Indian Creek  
 (GB), Red Pepper (GB), Fields of Omagh (Aus), Maktub  
 (Ity), Industrial Success (Ire), Sabiango (Ger).

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| <u>Date</u> | <u>Race</u>             | <u>Track</u> |
|-------------|-------------------------|--------------|
| Dec. 20     | GI Hollywood Futurity   | Hollywood    |
|             | GII Dahlia H.           | Hollywood    |
|             | GIII Ladies H.          | Aqueduct     |
| Dec. 21     | GI Hollywood Starlet S. | Hollywood    |
|             | GIII Ladies H.          | Aqueduct     |
| Dec. 26     | GI Malibu S.            | Santa Anita  |
| Dec. 27     | GI La Brea S.           | Santa Anita  |
|             | GII W L McKnight H.     | Calder       |
|             | GII La Prevoyante H.    | Calder       |
|             | GIII Fred W. Hooper H.  | Calder       |
| Dec. 28     | GII San Gabriel H.      | Santa Anita  |
| Dec. 29     | GIII Monrovia H.        | Santa Anita  |

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**SECOND SNOWSTORM KOS EAST COAST** The second major snowstorm of the season hit the East Coast yesterday, causing five tracks to cancel their Sunday cards. Aqueduct, Charles Town, Laurel Park, Mountaineer Park and Philadelphia Park all cancelled racing yesterday. The Big A, which was also closed for simulcasting, will run Sunday's program, including the Damon Runyan S., on Wednesday, with the first post set for 12:30 p.m.

**KENTUCKY DECEMBER MIXED SALE SET FOR TODAY** The Fasig-Tipton Kentucky December Mixed Sale will be held today at the Newton Paddocks in Lexington. The 254-hip catalogue includes broodmares, racing and broodmare prospects, weanlings, yearlings and horses of racing age. Covering sires represented include Cryptoclearance, Favorite Trick, Skip Away and Spectacular Bid. There are also weanlings from the first crops of Brahms, City Zip, King Cugat and Strategic Mission, as well as by established stallions such as Langfuhr, Private Terms and Tale of the Cat. There are yearlings by sires including Artax, Eastern Echo, Louis Quatorze, Phone Trick and Real Quiet. Bidding begins at 11 a.m. The complete catalogue is available at [www.fasigtipton.com](http://www.fasigtipton.com).

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**Yesterday's Results:**

**9th-FGX, \$38,000, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$80,000),** NW2\$RT6M, 3yo/up, 1 1/16fT, 1:44 4/5, ft.  
**FREEFOURINTERNET (h, 5, Tabasco Cat--Dixie Chimes, by Dixieland Band)** picked up his first win of the season as a 20-1 outsider, winning the Oct. 4 GII Kelso Breeders' Cup H. at Belmont Park by a nose. The effort earned him a trip to the Oct. 25 Breeders' Cup at Santa Anita, and the bay did not disgrace himself in running sixth, 3 1/4 lengths behind Six Perfections (Fr), at 57-1 in the GI Mile. The 17-10 choice against much less lofty company here, the \$200,000 FTFEB juvenile trailed for a half, but circled the field as they raced into the stretch and closed strongly to get up for a one-length tally over Classic Par (Sky Classic). Lifetime Record: GSW-US, MSW-GB, 25-6-2-6, \$521,924.  
O-Equirace Com Llc, Amy Bondon-Peltz & Ronald L Peltz. B-Edward P Evans (KY). T-Joan Scott.

**7th-FGX, \$30,000, Alw, NW1X, 2yo, 1m (off turf),** 1:40 4/5, ft.

**AMERICA ALIVE (c, 2, American Chance--Alive With Hope {GSP, \$184,629}, by Alydar)** was dropped into maiden-claiming company after failing to hit the board in two special weight contests and promptly won by 9 1/2 lengths over a sloppy Churchill strip Nov. 6. Bet down to even-money favoritism when this one was taken off the sod, the Neil Howard trainee bided his time near the back of the pack before commencing his run on the turn. Faced with a resolute foe in Forum Rules (Open Forum), America Alive responded to a Robbie Albarado drive and edged past by a half-length margin. Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-0, \$33,300.  
O-Mill House & James & Nicholas Brady. B-Mill House (KY). T-Neil J Howard.

**3rd-FGX, \$28,000, Msw, 3,4,5yo, 6f, 1:11, ft.**  
+ **CLOUD WALKER (c, 3, Phone Trick--Velvet Tulip {GSP, \$210,613}, by Valid Appeal)**, debuting as the 5-2 second choice, tracked intently off the pacesetter before blowing past and bounding home a convincing seven-length victor. The dark bay was a \$200,000 KEESEP yearling. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$16,800.  
O-Tracy Farmer. B-Brylynn Farm, Inc (FL). T-T Amoss.



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**5th-FGX, \$28,000, Msw, 2yo, f, 6f, 1:12 2/5, ft.**  
**APARECIDA (f, 2, Pulpit--Alleged Thoughts, by Alleged)** took some action at the windows in her debut, going off a 9-2 chance, and ran a troubled third sprinting five furlongs in the slop at Churchill Oct. 26. Offered at 7-5 odds this time, the chestnut broke alertly from post 11, pressed the pace from a wide perch, dug in at the top of the lane and prevailed after an extended drive by 1 1/4 lengths. The victress was a \$225,000 KEENOV weanling and a \$125,000 KEESEP yearling. Twice a Delight (Afternoon Deelites) was second, while firster Empty Portrait (Coronado's Quest), a half sister to GISW Include (Broad Brush), ran an even fourth. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$21,070.  
 O-Gaines-Gentry Thoroughbreds, Olin Gentry, et al.  
 B-Nursery Place & R Manfuso (KY). T-Ronny W Werner.

**Hadif Mare Tops Texas Mixed Sale:**

**Hadette** (Hadif--Buckarett, by Buckaroo), a seven-year-old mare in foal to Yes It's True (Is It True), brought a final bid of \$35,000 to top Fasig-Tipton's Texas December Mixed Sale at Lone Star Park yesterday. A half to MSW Bucquestor, Hadette was consigned by Kellie Creek Farm, agent, and purchased by Servel Ranch-Mexico. The first crop by Grade I winner Yes It's True are yearlings. The average for the one-day Mixed Sale saw a 12-percent gain, while the median was up 5 percent. For complete results, go to [www.fasigtipton.com](http://www.fasigtipton.com).



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**Yesterday's Results:**

**CAT'S CRADLE H.**, \$105,300, HOL, 12-14, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 7 1/2f, 1:27 4/5, ft.

1--**VALENTINE DANCER, 118, f, 3, In Excess (Ire)--**

**Gilded Dancer, by Mr. Prospector.** O/B-Al & Sandee Kirkwood (CA); T-Craig Anthony Lewis; J-V Espinoza; \$63,180. Lifetime Record: 15-5-3-3, \$318,006.

2--**Super High, 118, f, 4, High Brite--Image of Super, by Zanthé.** O-Harris Farms Inc. \$21,060.

3--**Cee's Valley Girl, 116, f, 4, Cee's Tizzy--Valley Deb, by Debonair Roger.** (\$8,500 2yo 2001 BESJAN). O-Wright Robert J. \$12,636.

Margins: HD, NO, 2HF. Odds: 3.70, 14.10, 2.30.

On the board in eight of her last 10 starts, versatile Valentine Dancer added to her resume with a rallying win on the Hollywood main track. The bay tried the turf for the first time this spring, winning a pair of races at Hollywood before running third in the July 6 Flawlessly S. Sixth in the Aug. 2 GII San Clemente H. at Del Mar, she was second vs. Del Mar stakes company (once on the grass and once on the dirt) in her next two. The Cal-bred earned her first stakes score in the Oct. 12 H.C. Ramser Sr. H. going a mile on the turf at Santa Anita, but weakened late in her latest and had to settle for third in the 10-furlong Cal Cup Distaff H. Dropping back to an extended sprint with the switch back to the dirt, she settled in midfield early and found running room between horses late to get up for a narrow score.

**6th-HOL, \$41,440, Alw, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:37 3/5, fm.**

**SEA JEWEL (f, 3, Sea Hero--Set Them Free {MSW, \$173,275}, by Stop the Music)** showed a lot of promise at two, running third behind Composure in the GII Oak Leaf S. and fourth to champion Storm Flag Flying in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies. Given a two-month break after that effort, the chestnut returned to finish second, beaten only 3/4 of a length by Atlantic Ocean, in the Jan. 5 GIII Santa Ysabel S., then was sidelined for 10 months. She made her comeback in an optional claimer at Santa Anita Nov. 2, finishing an even fifth. The 17-10 chalk in her second start off the layoff, the Moss homebred had them all in front of her through the opening six furlongs, but rallied past her rivals to win by a widening two lengths. La Perfecta (Chi) (Foxhound) completed the exacta. Lifetime Record: MGSP, 7-2-1-1, \$170,180.

O/B-Mr & Mrs Jerome S Moss (KY). T-John A Shirreffs.

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**5th-HOL, \$36,648, Msw, 2yo, f, 6f, 1:09 4/5, ft. MAZELLA (f, 2, Mazel Trick--Wonderful {SP}, by Olympio),** off the board at Del Mar in her first two starts, improved to be third in her next two before finishing second in her most recent outing at Hollywood Park Nov. 15. The chestnut filly was sent right to the front, shook off an early challenger and was never threatened late as she cruised under the line three lengths ahead of Healthy Addiction (Boston Harbor) as the 2-1 second choice. A \$38,000 KEESEP yearling and a \$55,000 BESMAY juvenile, she becomes the 12th winner for her freshman sire (by Phone Trick). Lifetime Record: 6-1-1-2, \$40,820.

O-Barry & Judith Becker. B-Hinkle Farms (KY). T-Jay M Robbins.

## ★ WEST ★

**Yesterday's Results:**

**3rd-GGX, \$28,000, Msw, 2yo, 6f, 1:09, wf. SILENT GOLD (c, 2, Formal Gold--Escopazzo, by Capote)** flashed speed in his career opener at Bay Meadows in mid-October, but tired to be a non-threatening fourth in the six-furlong event. The \$23,000 WASSEP yearling, the public's 7-2 second choice, matched strides with longshot Free Cocktails (Free House) through rapid opening fractions of :21 2/5 and :44 1/5. Inheriting the lead when that one packed it in, Silent Gold still had enough in the tank to rebuff the challenge of 3-5 pick Itsaprospector (Crafty Prospector) by a measured half-length. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$17,500.

O-Lorraine & Rod Rodriguez. B-Ronald A & Nina M Hagen (WA). T-Greg R James.

**7th-SUN, \$19,000, Msw, 2yo, f, 6f, 1:11 2/5, ft. SO SILENT (f, 2, Storm Boot--Inner Peace, by Seattle Slew)** was a well-beaten sixth in his Nov. 4 debut at Churchill vs. \$50,000 maiden claimers. Here, the 5-1 shot took control of affairs early and edged away by a widening 5 1/4 lengths on the line. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$11,400.

O/B-Everest Stables Inc (KY). T-Henry Dominguez.

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## FRESHMAN FOCUS

**First-crop progeny to watch: Monday, December 15**

*Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 2000 Fee, #2yos/Winners/SW*

*Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)*

**CRYPTO STAR** (Cryptoclearance), Murmur, \$4K, 42/5/1 8-PHA, Alw, 1m, Vision of Sue, \$30K EAS MAY 2yo, 5-2  
**FAMILY CALLING** (Mr. Prospector), Hidden Point, \$5K, 76/18/0 9-CRC, Alw, 1 1/16mT, Callter

**FASLIYEV** (Nureyev), Coolmore, \$20K, 112/31/7 9-CRC, Alw, 1 1/16mT, Faswiga

**FRISK ME NOW** (Mister Frisky), Old Frankfort, \$5K, 31/3/0 1-MNR, Msw, 1 1/8m, Dual Doppler, \$20K FTK OCT yrl, 5-2

**LIL'S LAD** (Pine Bluff), Lane's End, \$10K, 65/10/1 1-MNR, Msw, 1 1/8m, Looks Right, 7-2

**MENIFEE** (Harlan), Stone, \$15K, 37/7/0 9-CRC, Alw, 1 1/16mT, Menifeeque, \$200K FTS AUG yrl

**SAHM** (Mr. Prospector), Shadwell, \$5K, 34/4/1 6-PHA, Msw, 5 1/2f, Star of Sahm, 3-1

**SILVER CHARM** (Silver Buck), 3 Chimneys, \$25K, 75/14/0 8-PHA, Alw, 1m, Silver Lure, \$60K EAS OCT yrl, 7-2



## EUROPE



## ★ ITALY ★

**Sunday, Pisa, Italy**

**CRITERIUM DI PISA-BLANDFORD SE-Listed, €53,550, Pisa, 12-14, 2yo, 7 1/2fT, 1:31.20, gd/sf.**

**1--DISTANT WAY, 121, c, 2, Distant View--Grey Way (GSW-Ity, GSP-US, \$173,449), by Cozzene.**

O-Allevamento La Nuova Sbarra; B-Grundy Bloodstock; T-Lorenzo Brogi; J-M Pasquale; €29,750. Lifetime Record: 6 starts, 3 wins, 2 places, €56,270.

**2--Bravio Tazio (Ire), 121, c, 2, Sri Pekan--Exemina, by Slip Anchor (GB). O-Scuderia Effevi; €13,090.**

**3--Melon Rouge (Ire), 121, c, 2, Croco Rouge (Ire)--Rince Deas (Ire), by Alzao. O-Scuderia Chemin de Fer; €7,140.**

Margins: 2 1/4, 5. Odds: 5.94.

Also ran: Tebage Delle Vigne (Ity), Cartoceto (Ire), Petardias Magic (Ire), Treno dei Desideri (Ire), Andry Boy (Ire), Indian Bridge (Ire), Catalunyla (GB), Cay Sal (Ire), Kyoto (Ity), Bod Revolution (Ire). Scr: Grigora.







## BREEDERS' EDITION AMERICA

### STAKES RESULTS:

**JOHNIE L. JAMISON H.**, \$133,200, SUN, 12-14, (S), 3yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:16 2/5, ft.

1--**CIENTO, 124, h, 5, Prospector Jones--Centurn, by Ack Ack.** O-Hawkins & Robertson; B-Richard Brunacini (NM); T-Dick Cappellucci; J-S Gonzalez Jr; \$79,920. Lifetime Record: 28-15-5-2, \$569,644.

2--**Hesa Bad Cat, 120, c, 3, Devon Lane--Roman Fascination, by Romeo.** (\$35,000 yrl '01 RUIAUG). \$26,640.

3--**Urlacher, 119, c, 4, Quiero Dinero--Fancy Express, by Expressman.** \$13,320.

Margins: NK, 1 3/4, 1HF. Odds: 1.30, 2.70, 10.50.

**COCODRIE S.**, \$40,000, DED, 12-13, (S), 3yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:20 2/5, ft.

1--**#ALICE FROM MARIGNY, 118, h, 5, Wild Gale--Seven From Heaven, by Star Gallant.** O-Elizabeth Bourgeois; B-Jake V Morreale (LA); T-Howard Alonzo; J-S J Bourque; \$24,000. Lifetime Record: 34-7-5-6, \$122,700.

2--**Soot, 121, c, 3, Super Native (Ire)--Go Katy Go, by Snow Chief.** \$8,000.

3--**Wild Chill, 118, h, 5, Wild Gale--Iglloo Nymph, by Far North.** (\$9,600 yrl '99 LTBAUG; \$10,000 2yo 2000 LOUAPR). \$4,400.

Margins: 5 1/4, HF, 3 3/4. Odds: 3.10A, 1.40, 3.10A.

**KINGWOOD S.**, \$35,000, HOU, 12-13, 3yo, a1m70yd, 1:43 2/5, gd.

1--**LEO'S LAST HURRAHY, 117, c, 3, Leo Castelli--Kate's Hurrahy, by Rahy.** O-Ken Murphy Thoroughbreds Ltd; B-Joseph F Archer (TX); T-Robert A Young; J-F Valdez; \$21,000. Lifetime Record: 16-6-3-3, \$377,968.

2--**Record Assembly, 122, c, 3, Record Catch--Assembly Time, by Noble Assembly.** \$7,000.

3--**Kool Humor, 122, c, 3, Distorted Humor--Aly Sara, by Saratoga Six.** (\$35,000 yrl '01 KEESEP; \$60,000 2yo 2002 FTFEB). \$3,850.

Margins: NK, 2 1/4, 4 1/4. Odds: 5.90, 8.00, 1.20.

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**DESIGNATED DANCER S.**, \$34,000, CRC, 12-14, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:41 1/5, fm.

1--**#YOUNG STAR, 117, f, 4, Capote--Agotarar (MSW & GSP, \$124,150), by Saratoga Six.** O-Live Oak Plantation; B-Live Oak Stud (KY); T-William I Mott; J-R R Douglas; \$20,400. Lifetime Record: 20-5-4-5, \$165,366. \*3/4 to Parrott Bay (A.P. Indy), GSP, \$214,550.

2--**Madeira Mist (Ire), 122, f, 4, Grand Lodge--Mountains of Mist (Ire), by Shirley Heights (GB).** \$6,800.

3--**Cat's Glow, 115, f, 4, Sir Cat--Regents Glow, by Vice Regent.** (\$30,000 wlng '99 OBSOCT; \$65,000 yrl '00 FTKJUL; \$75,000 2yo 2001 OBSFEB). \$3,740.

Margins: 1 1/4, NO, 3/4. Odds: 5.90, 1.10, 11.30.

### ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

**8th-HAW, \$34,000, Opt. Clm.** (\$50,000-\$40,000), NW4X, 3yo/up, f/m, a1m70yd, 1:39 3/5, ft.

**BALLA TWINE (m, 5, Twining--Double Wedge {MG1SW, \$435,522}, by Northern Baby)** Lifetime Record: 26-9-3-1, \$169,500. O-Stalesky, Lloyd, Barlaf & Belpedio. B-Morven Stud, Ltd (VA). T-Michele Boyce. \*\$3,500 yrl '99 KEESEP.

**8th-FGX, \$32,000, Opt. Clm.** (\$40,000), NW2X, 3yo/up, f/m, a1m40yd, 1:43, ft.

**ITALIAN DREAMS (f, 3, Pentelicus--Cherokee Dee {SP}, by Cherokee Fellow)** Lifetime Record: 9-3-1-0, \$43,000. O-Michael W Bean & Daniel G Switzer. B-Sandra L Moffett (FL). T-Daniel G Switzer.

**9th-MNR, \$31,700, 12-13, NW4L, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11 3/5, ft.**

**WINLOC'S SUNSHINE (f, 4, Distinctive Pro--Cherokee Chill {SW, \$244,032}, by Cherokee Fellow)** Lifetime Record: 10-4-2-1, \$77,117. O-Script R Farm. B-Raymond A Roncari & Leslie Roncari-Marconi (NY). T-John Prognos. \*1/2 to Winloc's Glorious (Anjiz), SW, \$246,061.

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**9th-SUN, \$30,200, NW3L, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11 3/5, ft.**

**BETSY N (f, 3, Waki Bob--Rose Song, by Hardy Hawk)** Lifetime Record: 9-3-2-0, \$49,591. O/T-Jack R Hemby. B-Dr James D Bailey (NM).

**6th-HAW, \$28,000, NW1X, 3/up, f/m, 6f, 1:09 2/5, ft.**

**FINDING SPEED (f, 3, Distorted Humor --At Breakneck Speed, by Golden Act)** Lifetime Record: 7-2-1-0, \$31,340. O-Richard E Trebat. B-Jeff Helget & Lynn Chleborad (KY). T-Jere R Smith Sr. \*\$110,000 wlng '00 KEENOV.

**6th-CTX, \$26,800, 12-13, NW3L, 2yo, 6 1/2f, 1:23 1/5, gd.**

**KOKANDO (c, 2, Kokand--Helen's Pick, by Ruthie's Native)** Lifetime Record: MSP, 6-3-2-0, \$66,974. O-Janice McKee Jones. B-Marshall Lippert & John F Jones Jr (WV). T-George E Morrison. \*1/2 to Blue Marlin (Strawberry Road {Aus}), GSW-Per.

**8th-SUN, \$26,169, NW3L, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:37 3/5, ft.**

**TRONE (c, 3, Queen's Gray Bee--Treegees, by Geiger Counter)** Lifetime Record: 19-3-3-4, \$50,755. O/B-Dereld Crawford (OK). T-Gary W Cross.

**8th-TPX, \$25,840, NW3L, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11 3/5, ft.**

**BALLADO'S HALO (f, 4, Saint Ballado--Goulash {SW & GSP, \$162,975}, by Mari's Book)** Lifetime Record: 16-3-2-1, \$69,418. O-Oak Haven Farm. B-Aaron U & Marie D Jones (KY). T-Edward Harrison Frederick. \*\$50,000 yrl '00 KEESEP. \*\*Full to Ashado, GISW, \$610,800.

**9th-TPX, \$25,580, NW1X, 2yo, 6f, 1:12 1/5, ft.**

**DOLLAR A DIP (c, 2, Benny the Dip--Happy Sunshine, by Secreto)** Lifetime Record: 5-2-1-0, \$22,620.

O-Horned Owl Stable. B-Phillips Racing Partnership (KY). T-Austin K Smith. \*\$8,000 yrl '02 KEESEP.

\*\*1/2 to Machikane Teruteru (Silver Hawk), SP-Jpn, \$405,351.

**8th-CRC, \$24,000, NW2L, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m (off turf), 1:47 2/5, sy.**

**MONKEY JUNIOR (c, 3, Dr. Caton--Verbal Intrigue, by Dahar)** Lifetime Record: 10-2-1-2, \$56,560. O-J Graffeo. B-Four Horsemen's Ranch (FL). T-Stephen L Dimauro. \*1/2 to Monkey Puzzle (Country Pine), GSW, \$422,997.

**7th-DED, \$18,255, 12-13, Opt. Clm. (\$30,000), NW4L, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:42 3/5, ft.**

**I. B.'S HALO (f, 3, Sunny's Halo--I. B.'s Gem, by Pay Tribute)** Lifetime Record: 12-4-3-0, \$69,270. O-Ira B McNeely Jr. B-Dana Dean (TX). T-Pamela P Simpson. \*1/2 to I. B. Deone (Naevus), SW, \$123,166.

#### ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

**Tenace, g, 2, Double Honor--Medical Record, by Shananie.** CRC, 12-14, (C), 6f, 1:12 2/5.

B-Farnsworth Farms (FL). \*\$80,000 2yo 2003 OBSAPR.

**Ringold, c, 2, Goldminers Gold--Judy's Magic, by Wavering Monarch.** CTX, 12-13, 6 1/2f, 1:24 3/5.

B-Eh "Beau" Lane, III (Ky). \*1/2 to She's Got the Beat (Sultry Song), GISP, \$397,096.

**Stormy Terms, f, 2, Storm Boot--Given Terms, by Private Terms.** TPX, 12-14, 5f, 1:00 2/5. B-Pope, Marc & Pope McLean, Jr (KY). \*\$50,000 yrl '02 KEESEP.

**Worldliness, f, 2, Suave Prospect--World Change, by Globe.** CRC, 12-14, (S), (C), 6f, 1:13. B-Farnsworth Farms (FL).

**Jimmy Cracked Corn, g, 2, The Name's Jimmy--Romantess (SW), by Proudest Roman.** TPX, 12-14, 5f, :58. B-Eugene J Kubicki Sr (Ky).

**\*Cajuns Crown, c, 3, Crowning Decision--Dainty Shirley Ann, by Determined Man.** DED, 12-13, (S), 5f, 1:00 3/5. B-Houston Cormier (La). \*Eviction Notice (Imperial Falcon) won the race, but was DQ'd to third.

**Rustic Kitten, f, 3, Doc's Leader--Shock Me Forever, by Contorsionist.** HAW, 12-14, (S), 1 1/16m, 1:44. B-Howard E Nelson (IL).

**Lady Gelaine, f, 3, Subordination--Lady Paoshan, by Native Prospector.** MNR, 12-13, 6f, 1:13 3/5. B-Greg Fox & David Romanik (Ky).



## SOPHOMORE SPOTLIGHT

**First-time starters/stakes runners: Monday, Dec. 15**

*Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 1999 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/SW  
Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)*

**PARTNER'S HERO** (Danzig), Northview, \$8K, 112/36/3  
6-PHA, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Cascarina, 8-1

## BREEDERS' EDITION EUROPE

**SO. HEMISPHERE WINNER BY EUROPEAN STALLION:**

**Russian Pearl (NZ), c, 3, Soviet Star--Velinda (NZ), by Veloso (NZ).** Ellersie (Auckland), 12-14, Bonecrusher S.-Listed, 3yo, 1 5/16mT, NZ\$37,500 to winner. B-C P & Mrs M J A Howells & P Setchell; T-Bruce & Stephen Marsh. \*G1SW-NZ. \*\*1/2 to Promise Me (NZ) (Lord Waverley {NZ}), SW-Aus; Lady Sunshine (NZ) (Lord Waverley {NZ}), SP-NZ.