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WHO'LL RULE AT OLD HILLTOP?

Nine three-year-old colts will face the starter for this afternoon's second leg of horse racing's Triple Crown, the GI Preakness S. at Pimlico Race Course. And if recent history means anything at all, the news is pretty good for Jim Tafel's **Street Sense** (Street Cry {Ire}),



**Street Sense and Hard Spun
ready for rematch** *Horsephotos*

impressive winner of the GI Kentucky Derby a fortnight ago. During the period from 1987 to 1996, just two horses who wore the blanket of roses--Alysheba and Sunday Silence--were able to successfully follow up at Old Hilltop. But over the course of the last decade, the skies have turned considerably more sunny, as seven Derby winners have added the Preakness prior to fruitless attempts to secure the Triple Crown. Street Sense

put a few hexes to rest two Saturdays back, becoming the first winner of the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile to double up at Churchill and the first two-year-old champion since Spectacular Bid in 1979 to take the Run for the Roses. Can the homebred take the next step along the road to the coveted Triple Crown? "Let's just put it this way," trainer Carl Nafzger said. "I've only got to beat eight horses. If we get that done, we've done it. If we don't, well, we got beat. It's easier than 19 and a lot better than 30,000 [foals born in this generation] when we started." Jockey Calvin Borel, who hooked up with Street Sense and Nafzger yesterday morning, was slightly more confident. "Right now, I don't think he can get beat," he offered. "As good as he's doing, I'm positive he'd have to fall or have something happen bad for him to get beat, because after I worked him this week it was unbelievable. I couldn't believe he would go forward after running in the Kentucky Derby, with the race that he run there. If he don't fall, there's no way he'll be getting beat."

Super Mario's 'Home Court' Advantage...

Of 49-year-old jockey Mario Pino's nearly 5,900 career winners, almost 4,900 have come on the Maryland circuit. But there would be none bigger than a win in the Preakness aboard Fox Hill Farm's **Hard Spun** (Danzig). For all his experience in the saddle, little has, to this point, come close to the feeling he felt at the quarter pole on the first Saturday in May. "I'm trying to keep my composure," the Elliott City, Maryland, resident recollected. "I'm thinking about all the years when I was little and now I'm turning for home and I'm three in front and I'm still sitting there and I'm trying to keep focused, because I know it's a long way [in the stretch] at Churchill Downs and the roar of the crowd was just something, "I'll never have that feeling, three in front in the Kentucky Derby and thinking it's all over."



Mario Pino
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RAID LEAVES SUSAN FOES BLACK-EYED

Glencrest Farm LLC's **Panty Raid** (Include) was the recipient of a well-timed ride by Maryland's favorite son Edgar Prado and split horses late to land yesterday's GI Black-Eyed Susan S. on Preakness eve at Pimlico. The 2-1 second choice in the wagering was content to lay in fourth early on as Zayat Stable's **Baroness Thatcher** (Johannesburg) galloped along easily on the front end. Panty Raid came



Panty Raid *MJC/Jim McCue*

under a ride rounding the far turn, but was expertly steered off the heels of Baroness Thatcher at midstretch and was along late. Team Valor and Morris Bailey's **Winning Point** (Point Given) closed well late to snatch second money. **Black-Eyed Susan S. cont. p3**

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Preakness S. cont.

Curlin No 'B' Teamer for Asmussen...

It has been a whirlwind 100 days for **Curlin** (Smart Strike), who has gone from a Feb. 3 maiden victory at Gulfstream Park to his third-place finish in the GI Kentucky Derby. Trainer Steve Asmussen has been to the Preakness before with the likes of Snuck In (5th in 2000) and Easyfromthegitgo (5th in 2002), but it should be a different sort of experience this time around. "Those were nice horses, but those horses weren't capable of doing what we feel this horse is capable of doing," Asmussen's assistant, Scott Blasi, said Thursday morning. Blasi also thinks Curlin is improving in more intangible sorts of ways. "I've seen horses sulk after a race, but this horse was very upbeat and very energetic," Blasi said. "Just watching him around the barn, I think he's shown a little more life."

Pletcher Takes Two Cracks...

Somewhat unbelievably, trainer Todd Pletcher has started just one horse in the Preakness, but he'll triple that total this afternoon with **Circular Quay** (Thunder Gulch), sixth in the Derby; and **King of the Roxy** (Littleexpectations), most recently runner-up in the GI Santa Anita Derby Apr. 7. "Both of these horses are doing very well," the conditioner commented. Asked whether he prefers to be in the shadows instead of the spotlight--as in the Derby, where he saddled a quarter of the field--he deadpanned, "No, I'd rather be here with the Derby winner." The Preakness field is completed by Federico Tesio S. winner **Xchanger** (Exchange Rate); Derby Trial hero **Flying First Class** (Perfect Mandate); and **C P West** (Came Home) and **Mint Slewlep** (Slew City Slew), second and fourth, respectively, in the GIII Withers S. **More Preakness notes p9**

Saturday, Pimlico Race Course, post time: 6:09 p.m. EDT
132nd Running of the PREAKNESS S.-GI, \$1,000,000, 3yo, 1 3/16m

PP	HORSE	OWNER	BREEDER	TRAINER/JOCKEY	ODDS
1	Mint Slewlep <i>(c, <u>Slew City Slew</u>--Cry Me a River, by Gilded Time)</i>	Marshall E Dowell	Brent & Beth Harris-KY	Bailes Garcia	30-1
2	Xchanger <i>(c, Exchange Rate--Saragoza, by Crafty Prospector)</i>	Circle Z Stable	Oscar Martinez-FL	Shuman Dominguez	15-1
3	Circular Quay <i>(c, <u>Thunder Gulch</u>--Circle of Life, by Belong to Me)</i>	Michael & Doreen Tabor	Doreen Tabor-KY	Pletcher Velazquez	8-1
4	Curlin <i>(c, <u>Smart Strike</u>--Sherriff's Deputy, by Deputy Minister)</i>	Stonestreet, Padua, Bolton & Midnight Cry	Fares Farm Inc-KY	Asmussen Albarado	7-2
5	King of the Roxy <i>(c, Littleexpectations--Marrakesh, by Bold Forbes)</i>	Team Valor Stables LLC	Deborah Kopatz-OH	Pletcher Gomez	12-1
6	Flying First Class <i>(c, Perfect Mandate--Flying in Style, by Flying Sensation)</i>	Ellwood W Johnston	Old English Rancho-CA	Lukas Guidry	20-1
7	Hard Spun <i>(c, Danzig--Turkish Tryst, by Turkoman)</i>	Fox Hill Farms Inc	M Moran & Brushwood Stb-PA	Jones Pino	5-2
8	Street Sense <i>(c, <u>Street Cry {Ire}</u>--Bedazzle, by Dixieland Band)</i>	Jim Tafel LLC	James B Tafel-KY	Nafzger Borel	7-5
9	C P West <i>(c, <u>Came Home</u>--Queen's Legend, by Dynaformer)</i>	Robert V LaPenta	Caldara Farm-KY	Zito Prado	20-1

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Friday, Pimlico

BLACK-EYED SUSAN S.-GII, \$250,000, PIM, 5-18, 3yo, f, 1 1/8m, 1:50, ft.

1--#**@PANTY RAID**, 116, f, 3, by [Include](#)

1st Dam: **Adventurous Di (SP)**, by **Private Account**

2nd Dam: **Tamaral**, by **Seattle Slew**

3rd Dam: **Summer Legend**, by **Raise a Native**

(\$110,000 yrl '05 FTKJUL; \$275,000 2yo 2006 KEEAPR). O-Glencrest Farm LLC; B-Heaven Trees Farm (KY); T-Todd A Pletcher; J-Edgar S Prado; \$150,000. Lifetime Record: 5-3-1-0, \$242,275. *1/2 to Franc (Woodman), SW-Fr, \$153,319.

2--**Winning Point**, 116, f, 3, Point Given--Bibical Sense, by Blushing Groom (Fr). (\$30,000 yrl '05 FTKJUL; \$30,000 yrl '05 FTMOCT). O-Bailey, Morris & Team Valor; B-The Thoroughbred Corporation, Stephen A DiMauro & Dan Morgan (KY); T-Edmond D Gaudet; \$50,000.

3--**Baroness Thatcher**, 120, f, 3, Johannesburg--Natkeeta, by Gulch. (\$25,000 yrl '05 OBSJAN; \$130,000 2yo 2006 FTMMAY; \$27,000 yrl '05 KEESEP). O-Zayat Stables, LLC; B-Sally Andersen (KY); T-Patrick L Biancone; \$27,500.

Margins: 1, NK, 8. Odds: 2.40, 3.00, 1.70.

Also Ran: Moon Catcher, Fibbulator, Enchanting Star, Grace Happens, Fee Fi Fo Fum.

Panty Raid began her career auspiciously enough, graduating by 7 3/4 lengths at first asking going six furlongs at Saratoga Aug. 10. Sidelined off that single effort, her return to action was less encouraging, as she finished sixth in a Feb. 8 Gulfstream allowance won by Silver Knockers. Pressing on undaunted, she made her next appearance in the GIII Bourbonette Breeders' Cup S. at Turfway Mar. 24 and was second by a head. She prepped for this with a hard-fought allowance victory over the Keeneland Polytrack Apr. 13 and was a popular victress yesterday. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or the [free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree](#). [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

Friday, Pimlico Race Course

ALLAIRE DUPONT BREEDERS' CUP DISTAFF S.-GII, \$134,000, PIM, 5-18, 3/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:42 4/5, ft.

1--**@ROLLING SEA**, 118, f, 4, by **Sefapiano**

1st Dam: **Almost Sma**, by **Cure the Blues**

2nd Dam: **Glitzzy Gal**, by **Commemorate**

3rd Dam: **Starstruck Gal**, by **Stage Door Johnny**

O-Millennium Farms; B-Asiel Stable LC (IL); T-Steven M Asmussen; J-Garrett K Gomez; \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 20-8-3-4, \$403,624.

2--**Leah's Secret**, 120, f, 4, Tiger Ridge--Lady Cruella, by Capote. (\$50,000 yrl '04 OBSAUG). O-First Klass Stable LLC; B-Hartley/DeRenzo Thoroughbreds (FL); T-Helen Pitts; \$40,000.

3--**Kettleoneup**, 124, f, 4, Victory Gallop--Bugs Rabbit, by Storm Cat. O/B-Tom Crouch (KY); T-Michael Tomlinson; \$22,000.

Margins: 2 1/4, 3/4, 1 3/4. Odds: 5.80, 4.00, 1.20.

Also Ran: Lexi Star, Amantatude, Gasia, Fiery Pursuit. Scratched: Take a Check, Promenade Girl, Peak Maria's Way, Sugar Shake, Swap Fliparoo.

Rolling Sea made no fewer than a half-dozen starts at the Fair Grounds this winter, and finished with a rush, taking allowance races Feb. 9 and Mar. 3 prior to a victory in the Fortin H. Mar. 17. Tested for class in her most recent appearance--the GIII Sixty Sails H. at Hawthorne Apr. 21--the Illinois-bred made the lead at the eighth pole before yielding late to be third to Kettleoneup. Up to press the early pace of GII Louisville Breeders' Cup S. winner Fiery Pursuit (Carson City), Rolling Sea hounded that one throughout, pressed by leaving the three-eighths pole and finished willingly under a typically strong ride from Garrett Gomez. Leah's Secret, trying two turns for the first time, was a game runner-up, while Kettleoneup was never able to save any ground and stayed on to round out the triple. "I was able to ride confidently," Gomez said. "This is a really good horse. She rated quite well. She was relaxed throughout the race and when I called on her, she had all the answers needed today." [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or the [free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree](#). [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

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EMIRATES AIRLINE YORKSHIRE CUP-G2, £140,000, York, 5-18, 4yo/up, 1 3/4mT, 2:59.63, gd.

1--**SERGEANT CECIL** (GB), 129, g, 8, by King's Signet

1st Dam: Jadidh (GB), by Touching Wood

2nd Dam: Petrol (GB), by Troy (GB)

3rd Dam: Rambling Rose (GB), by Silly Season

O-Terry Cooper; B-D E Hazzard; T-Rod Millman; J-Jimmy Fortune; £79,492. Lifetime Record: Hwt. Older Horse-Fr at 14f+, G1SW-Fr, 46-10-14-6, £808,600.

2--**Geordieland** (Fr), 124, h, 6, Johann Quatz (Fr)--Aerde (Fr), by Highest Honor (Fr). (€24,000 yrl '02 DEAAUG). O-Mountgrange Stud; B-Mlle Michele Bliard; T-Jamie Osborne; £30,128.

3--**Bulwark** (Ire), 124, h, 5, Montjeu (Ire)--Bulaxie (GB), by Bustino (GB). O/B-Hesmonds Stud; T-Amanda Perrett; £15,078.

Margins: 3/4, 2, NK. Odds: 10-3, 17-2, 40-1.

Also Ran: Percussionist (Ire), Allegretto (Ire), Munsef (GB), Rising Cross (GB), Orcadian (GB), Kasthari (Ire). Also Ran (DNF): The Last Drop (Ire).

Sergeant Cecil laid claim to being Britain's favorite racehorse when completing the unique treble of Northumberland Plate, Ebor H. and Cesarewitch H. in 2005 and compounded his popularity with a trio of pattern wins last year, including the G1 Prix du Cadran. Undone by tactics when third in the G1 Prix Royal-Oak at Longchamp in October, he returned to be fourth in the Apr. 21 G3 John Porter S. at Newbury. Adopting his customary waiting tactics in rear, the eventual winner inched closer in the straight and responded to Jimmy Fortune's power drive in the closing stages to outstay the rallying Geordieland. Offering a guide to future targets, trainer Rod Millman said, "He's in the [G1] Ascot Gold Cup [June 21], then we've got the [G2] Lonsdale Cup back here again [Aug. 21] and then we'll possibly go to Ireland for the [G1] Irish St Leger [at The Curragh Sept. 15]. We'd like to take him [further] abroad at the end of the season for some of the Cup races in Japan or Hong Kong." [Click for the Racing Post chart](#) or the [free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree](#).

Friday, Pimlico Race Course

ADENA STALLIONS' MISS PREAKNESS S.-GIII, \$125,000, PIM, 5-18, 3yo, f, 6f, 1:10 2/5, ft.

1--**@TIME'S MISTRESS**, 122, f, 3, by [Mr. Greeley](#)

1st Dam: Doyenne, by Deputy Minister

2nd Dam: Seewillo, by Pleasant Colony

3rd Dam: Perfect Pigeon, by Round Table

(\$65,000 wIng '04 KEENOV). O-Charles Kidder; B-Dr William B Wilmot & Dr Joan M Taylor (KY); T-D Wayne Lukas; J-Mark Guidry; \$75,000. Lifetime Record: 11-4-0-4, \$214,761.

2--**Silver Knockers**, 116, f, 3, Silver Deputy--Knock Twice, by Two Punch. O-Elk Manor Farm; B-James M Moran Jr (MD); T-Nicholas P Zito; \$25,000.

3--**Richwoman**, 122, f, 3, Successful Appeal--Richbabe, by Richman. O/B-Heiligbrodt Racing Stable (FL); \$13,750.

Margins: 1 3/4, 3 3/4, 2 1/4. Odds: 7.90, 2.10, 9.20.

Also Ran: Acadia Breeze, Your Flame in Me, Magnetic Miss, Sea the Joy.

Scratched: You Asked, Five Star Daydream.

Time's Mistress wintered in Hot Springs, finishing third in the Jan. 27 Dixie Belle S. and in the Martha Washington S. Feb. 18 before posting a 12-1 upset in the Mar. 16 Honeybee S. A well-beaten fifth in the GII Fantasy S. at Oaklawn Apr. 6, the chestnut fought out the early pace in the May 5 GIII La Troienne S. before weakening to fifth, beaten three lengths. Even-money favorite Your Flame in Me (Boundary) sprinted away from the inside stall and set the pace as Time's Mistress saved ground from a midfield position. The frontrunner was joined to her inside by Silver Knockers, who put that one away and opened up by three at the eighth pole. But Mark Guidry steered Time's Mistress off the fence for the drive and charged past Silver Knockers to win going away. "[Trainer D.] Wayne [Lukas] did a great job. I was just a passenger," the winning jockey commented. "She ran great. The pace was a little quicker than I anticipated, but they kind of collapsed on the front end."

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Saturday, Newbury, Britain, post time: 2:45 p.m.
JUDDMONTE LOCKINGE S.-G1, £200,000, 4yo/up,
1mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	1	Jeremy	Danehill Dancer (Ire)	Stoute	126
2	3	Marcus Andronicus	Danehill	A O'Brien	126
3	2	Passager (Fr)	Anabaa	Head-Maarek	126
4	8	Ramonti (Fr)	Martino Alonso (Ire)	bin Suroor	126
5	5	Secret World (Ire)	Spinning World	Nosed	126
6	6	Peeress (GB)	Pivotal (GB)	Stoute	123
7	7	Red Evie (Ire)	Intikhab	Bell	123
8	4	Speciosa (Ire)	Danehill Dancer (Ire)	Sly	123

Sir Michael Stoute has won this seven times and has a stranglehold on this renewal with the first two favorites in **Peeress** and **Jeremy**. The former will be bidding to become the first dual winner since Soviet Line (Ire) achieved the feat for Freemason Lodge in 1995 and 1996. Peeress has improved with age, capturing the G1 Sun Chariot S. at Newmarket in 2005 before doubling her tally at the top level in this 12 months ago. She maintained her consistency throughout last term when third in the G1 Prix du Jacques le Marois at Deauville in August and runner-up to **Red Evie** in Leopardstown's G1 Matron S on her last start in September. "Peeress is ready for a run both physically and mentally and the ground has come in her favor," Cheveley Park Stud's Managing Director Chris Richardson told *PA Sport*. "She was a little unlucky last season not to add to her win in the Lockinge, but that's racing for you."



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Lockinge S. cont.

He added, "She's been working well. She is better with a bit of give underfoot and she will have a similar campaign to last year, but slightly dictated by what moisture there is in the ground. She goes on quicker ground but she is definitely better with a bit of cut." Jeremy's performance when running away with the G3 Jersey S. at Royal Ascot in June promised much, so it was disappointing that he failed to add to his resume throughout the season. He looked smart when outclassing his rivals in the G2 Sandown Mile on his four-year-old bow Apr. 28 and completes a strong Stoute hand. Godolphin took this three times in succession from 1998 to 2000 and rely on **Ramonti**, who proved a money-spinner for the Botti brothers last term. Having stamped himself as Italy's top miler with victories in the G2 Premio Emilio Turati and G1 Premio Vittorio di Capua at the San Siro in June and October and G2 Premio Ribot at the Capannelle in November, he covered himself in glory when third in the G1 Hong Kong Mile at Sha Tin in December. "This is Ramonti's first race for us and he has done very well so far," trainer Saeed bin Suroor commented. "He had a nice winter in Dubai and looks fresh and happy. He's ready to go, although he will improve from the race. I wouldn't want to see the ground become too soft at Newbury, as he prefers decent ground."



Stakes Previews cont.

Saturday, Pimlico, post time: 4:22 p.m. EDT

DIXIE S.-GII, \$250,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/8mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1	Can't Beat It	Atticus	Ma Wolfson	15-1
2	General Jumbo (GB)	Dansili (GB)	Motion	30-1
3	Cosmonaut	Lemon Drop Kid	Biancone	9-2
4	Dreadnaught	Lac Ouimet	Voss	10-1
5	Silver Tree	Hennessy	Mott	5-1
6	Woodlander	Forestry	Contessa	20-1
7	Stay Close (GB)	Belong to Me	Zwiesler	20-1
8	Wood Be Willing	Pulpit	Matz	30-1
9	Einstein (Brz)	Spend a Buck	Pitts	3-1
10	Outperformance	Aptitude	Violette	8-1
11	Mending Fences	Forestry	Ma Wolfson	10-1
12	Remarkable News (Ven)	Chayim	Penna Jr.	7-2

After numerous tough beats, including a head loss to Better Talk Now in this event 12 months ago,

Dreadnaught could be primed for a big race. The veteran went down by a neck when third in the Nov. 25 Laurel Turf Cup and was second by a neck in the Jan. 6 Fort Lauderdale S. at Gulfstream Park. Runner-up in the GII Mac Diarmida H. in South Florida Jan. 28, the gelding often fires fresh, as evidenced by his narrow defeat at the hands of Ashkal Way (Ire) in last year's GII Bernard Baruch H. **Cosmonaut** was a solid fourth in the GI Citation H. Nov. 24, but failed to handle 12 furlongs when fifth in the GI Hollywood Turf Cup Dec. 9. Rested thereafter, the Carl Lizza runner strolled home a very easy winner of an Apr. 21 allowance over the Keeneland sod and is the one to beat. **Einstein**, victorious in the GII Mervin Muniz Memorial H. two back, looks to make amends for his seventh as the favorite in the GI Woodford Reserve Turf Classic on Derby Day.



Dreadnaught Jim Lisa

Saturday, Belmont Park, post time: 4:48 p.m. EDT

SHUVEE H.-GII, \$150,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1	Swap Fliparoo	Exchange Rate	H Jerkens	9-2
2	Rahys' Appeal	Rahy	Bush	3-1
3	Sugar Shake	Awesome Again	Frankel	7-5
4	Last Romance	Wild Rush	Dutrow Jr	10-1
5	Teammate	A.P. Indy	H Jerkens	7-2
6	Silmaril	Diamond	Grove	12-1

Shuvee H. cont.

The Maryland-based connections of **Silmaril** have landed in this spot instead of staying at home for yesterday's DuPont Breeders' Cup, a race in which she upset Ashado two years ago. Despite that two-turn success, the vast majority of her better performances have come going around one bend, including her 3/4-length second in the GII Barbara Fritchie Breeders' Cup H. Feb. 17. Last seen finishing runner-up in the 8 1/2-furlong Northview Stallion Station S. at Laurel Apr. 21, she would not be disadvantaged by some moisture in the track and rain is in the forecast. **Swap Fliparoo** was a scratch from yesterday's DuPont in favor of this spot. The runaway winner of Gulfstream's GIII Sabin H. over a one-turn mile Feb. 17, the Hobeau runner failed to see out the nine panels of the GII Rampart H. Mar. 11 and finished third. Last year's GI Test S. winner filled the same spot in the seven-furlong GII Bed o' Roses Breeders' Cup H. at Aqueduct Apr. 21 and would also appreciate an off track. **Sugar Shake** is three-for-four at today's trip, but most recently took the 1 1/16-mile GI Santa Maria H. at Santa Anita Feb. 10.



Silmaril Jim McCue

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Saturday, Pimlico, post time: 2:49 p.m. EDT
EMIRATES AIRLINE MARYLAND BREEDERS' CUP
SPRINT H.-GIII, 3yo/up, 6f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	Semaphore Man	Formal Gold	K Von Hemel	116
2	Diabolical	Artax	S Klesaris	120
3	Celtic Innis	Yarrow Brae	Keefe	114
4	Sir Classic Chris	Catienus	Leatherbury	112
5	First Word	Chester House	Frankel	114
6	Fleet Valid	Montbrook	Trombetta	114
7	Talent Search	Catienus	Shuman	115
8	Euro Code	Forestry	Lake	114

Saturday, Woodbine, post time: 3:35 p.m. EDT
MARINE S.-GIII, C\$150,000, 3yo, 1 1/16m (AWT)

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER
1	Sahara Heat	A.P. Indy	Harty
2	Angel of the House	Chester House	Cotey
3	Skip Code	Skip Away	Casse
4	Bilbo	Point Given	Silvera
5	Include Us	Include	Attfield
6	Kuma	Unbridled's Song	Baker
7	Artie Hot	Black Minnaloushe	Gonzalez
8	Approval Rating	Lemon Drop Kid	Casse

All carry 115 pounds, except Skip Code, 119.

Sahara Heat is perfect in a pair of route attempts on the main track, taking a nine-furlong maiden by a nose at Gulfstream Park Mar. 3 before following up with a head success in Keeneland entry-level allowance company Apr. 14. **Skip Code** won last year's GIII Grey Breeders' Cup S. over this track and distance, but is winless in four tries since, including a fifth in the grassy Forerunner S. at Keeneland Apr. 19.

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Saturday, Pimlico, post time: 1:24 p.m. EDT
HIRSCH JACOBS S.-GIII, \$100,000, 3yo, 6f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	Southwestern Heat	Gone West	Salzman	116
2	Sports Town	Belong to Me	Terranova	116
3	Heart Throbbin'	Formal Gold	Leatherbury	120
4	Finallymadeit	Concerto	Negrete	118
5	Street Magician	Street Cry (Ire)	Trombetta	122
6	Hobbitontherocks	Lion Hearted	R Preciado	116
7	Stormin Baghdad	Stormin Fever	Pitts	118
8	Like Mom Like Sons	Carson City	S Attard	122

Finallymadeit was fifth to **Street Magician** in the Mar. 31 Aventura S. at Gulfstream before taking an Apr. 12 optional claimer rained off the turf by 6 1/4 lengths. The chestnut comes off an excellent third-place effort to MGSW Weigelia in the Apr. 28 Ponche H. at Calder and has a bullet in tow for this try. **Street Magician** took the Aventura by a hard-fought half-length and may have regressed in his latest, finishing fifth in the Apr. 28 GIII Withers S. He cuts back in distance for locally based connections. **Sports Town** would otherwise merit respect, however he is unlikely to run, having annexed Wednesday's Ogygian S. at Belmont Park.

Saturday, Pimlico, post time: 2:06 p.m. EDT

GALLORETTE H.-GIII, \$100,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	A True Pussycat	Yes It's True	Bush	116
2	Cozy Gain	Cozzene	Small	113
3	Aunt Henny	Hennessy	Matz	116
4	Grigorieva (Ire)	Woodman	Motion	114
5	Precious Kitten	Catienus	Frankel	122
6	Trick's Pic	Favorite Trick	Biancone	114
7	High Moment	High Yield	Jenkins	114
8	Debbie Sue	Citidancer	Smith	113
9	Humoristic	Sefapiano	Smith	114
10	Roshani	Fantastic Light	Pletcher	111
11	Feelin' the Breeze	Belong to Me	Elamri	111

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Saturday, Pimlico, post time: 5:10 p.m. EDT

W. D. SCHAEFER H.-GIII, \$100,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/8m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	Ryan's For Real	Sword Dance (Ire)	Alecci	114
2	Two Sixty Four	Dance Brightly	Keefe	112
3	Take the Bluff	Pine Bluff	Violette	112
4	Urban Conquest	Victory Gallop	Bazeos	111
5	Smelling Salts	Two Punch	Dennis	109
6	Belongs to Joe	Belong to Me	Gorham	112
7	Hesanoldsalt	Broad Brush	Zito	117
8	Sunriver	Saint Ballado	Pletcher	117
9	Flashy Bull	Holy Bull	McLaughlin	114

Saturday, Hollywood Park, post time: 5:55 p.m. PDT

WILL ROGERS S.-GIII, \$100,000, 3yo, 1mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	Sevengoldnmissiles	Golden Missile	G Mandella	115
2	Worldly (GB)	Selkirk	Cecil	119
3	Hurry Home Warren	Mancini	Mendoza	115
4	Laddies Poker	Stravinsky	Cerin	117
5	Candy's Bro	E Dubai	Hollendorfer	115
6	Silent Soul	Afternoon Deelites	Hofmans	119
7	Mayor Bozarth	Deputy Commander	Frankel	119
8	Yario (Ire)	Danehill Dancer (Ire)	Harty	115

Sunday, Rome, Italy

124TH DERBY ITALIANO-G1, €583,200, 3yo, c/f, 12fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY
1	10	Awelmarduk (Ire)	Almutawakel (GB)	Botti
2	5	Depp (Ity)	City on a Hill	Demuro
3	1	Elleno (Ire)	Celtic Swing (GB)	Convertino
4	13	Eternity Boy (Ire)	Monashee Mountain	Colombi
5	14	Fighting Johan (Ger)	Johan Cruyff (GB)	Bietolini
6	6	Furia Ceca (GB)	Mujahid	Pasquale
7	7	Habalwatan (Ire)	In the Wings (GB)	Egan
8	9	Il Cadetto (GB)	Zieten	Marcelli
9	8	Lucky Choice (Ity)	Shantou	Fancera
10	11	Rob's Love (Ity)	Rob's Spirit	Fiocchi
11	3	Shrek (Ger)	Pelder (Ire)	Pedroza
12	2	Sidereus (Ire)	Grand Lodge	Landi
13	4	Sopran Promo (Ire)	Montjeu (Ire)	Vargiu
14	12	Zar Solitario (GB)	Singspiel (Ire)	Dettori

All carry 128 pounds.

Sunday, Longchamp, France

PRIX D'ISPAHAN-G1, €250,000, 4yo/up, 9f 55ydsT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY
1	2	Palafamix (Fr)	Linamix (Fr)	Breux
2	5	Stormy River (Fr)	Verglas (Ire)	Thulliez
3	1	Willywell (Fr)	Jimble (Fr)	Soumillon
4	4	Manduro (Ger)	Monsun (Ger)	Pasquier
5	3	Turtle Bowl (Ire)	Dyhim Diamond (Ire)	Peslier

All carry 128 pounds.

Sunday, Longchamp, France

MONTJEU COOLMORE PRIX SAINT-ALARY-G1,

€250,000, 3yo, f, 1 1/4mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY
1	1	Coquerelle (Ire)	Zamindar	Lemaire
2	5	America Nova (Fr)	Verglas (Ire)	Bonilla
3	7	Believe Me (Ire)	In the Wings (GB)	Peslier
4	3	Anabaa's Creation (Ire)	Anabaa	Soumillon
5	4	Topka (Fr)	Kahyasi (Ire)	Jarnet
6	6	Party Girl (Fr)	Bering (GB)	Thulliez
7	2	Chinandega (Fr)	Chichicastenango (Fr)	Pasquier

All carry 126 pounds.

Sunday, Belmont Park

PETER PAN S.-GII, \$200,000, 3yo, 1 1/8m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY
1	Sir Whimsey	Jump Start	Coa
2	Hal's My Hope	Halo's Image	Velasquez
3	Prom Shoes	Include	Velazquez
4	Sightseeing	Pulpit	Prado
5	Vitruvius	E Dubai	Desormeaux
6	Fearless Vision	Vision and Verse	Gomez
7	Soaring By	Deputy Minister	Luzzi

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Sunday, Longchamp, France

PRIX VICOMTESSE VIGIER-G2, €130,000, 4yo/up,
1 15/16mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	6	Daramsar (Fr)	Rainbow Quest	Soumillon	126
2	2	Lord du Sud (Fr)	Linamix (Fr)	Lemaire	126
3	5	Montare (Ire)	Montjeu (Ire)	Pasquier	125
4	3	Le Miracle (Ger)	Monsun (Ger)	Boeuf	123
5	1	Spectaculaire (GB)	Spectrum (Ire)	Peslier	123
6	4	Ponte Tresa (Fr)	Sicyos	Crastus	120

Sunday, Baden-Baden, Germany

36TH GROSSER MERCEDES-BENZ-PREIS-G2, €90,000,
4yo/up, 1 3/8mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	4	Donaldson (Ger)	Lando (Ger)	Suborics	130
2	3	Prince Flori (Ger)	Lando (Ger)	de Vries	130
3	8	Schiaparelli (Ger)	Monsun (Ger)	Starke	130
4	2	Arcadio (Ger)	Monsun (Ger)	Hellier	127
5	7	Egerton (Ger)	Groom Dancer	Mundry	127
6	5	Expensive Dream (Ger)	Lomitas (GB)	Juracek	123
7	1	Mohandas (Fr)	Lomitas (GB)	Carvalho	123
8	6	Poseidon Adventure (Ire)	Sadler's Wells	Clos	123



FOALING NEWS

CLOSER THAN YOU THINK, 16, Ascot Knight--Royal

Discovery, by Tom Tulle

Foal born Apr. 23, a colt by Mr. Greeley.

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Triple Threats

Lukas: Preakness Biggest Hurdle for Sense...

Should Street Sense be able to win today's second jewel of racing's Triple Crown, trainer D. Wayne Lukas, who saddles **Flying First Class** (Perfect Mandate) in the



Wayne Lukas and Flying First Class
Horsephotos

main event, thinks the Derby winner can lock things up in the Belmont. "I think if he can get by this one, he's got a good shot," Lukas said. "I think he fits the Belmont a little bit better. He's obviously not going to have a distance limitation. He's got that stalking position and he's got that extremely good turn of foot and acceleration. I think you need that." He continued, "And [jockey] Calvin [Borel] is smart.

Most of the riders who lose the Belmont move too soon. If Calvin can sit and sit and get that acceleration, he'd have a great shot in the Belmont. I wouldn't want to take him on in the Belmont. I think we have a better chance to beat him here. If he gets by this one, we're going to anoint him." A five-time Preakness winner, Lukas believes Flying First Class is not without a chance this afternoon. "We've got to come with a career best, but I think we've got a shot."

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Preakness Notes cont.

Jones, Hard Spun Have Come a Long Way...

Trainer Larry Jones got into the racing business as an owner in 1980, giving \$800 for a horse named Ala Turf, and two years later took out a trainer's license. Over the past several years, Jones conditioned several nice fillies, including Grade I winners Island Sand and Wildcat Bettie B, GSWs Ruby's Reception, Josh's



Jones and Hard Spun
Horsephotos

Madelyn and Hello Liberty and MSW Gasia while stabled at Ellis Park and Turfway Park. Forced to relocate to Delaware Park after a tornado ripped through Western Kentucky and severely damaged Ellis Park in 2005, Jones was the beneficiary of a decision made by Richard Porter to remove his horses from the care of longtime trainer John Servis and redistribute them. **Hard Spun** (Danzig) was one of those that ended up in Jones's hands, but the conditioner admits that expectations weren't high at first for the colt. "This horse was one of the slower

ones to come around, and it seems like those were the ones I ended up getting," Jones said Friday morning. "[Porter] had placed a lot of horses earlier with some of the other trainers, and I guess they got all the extra horses they could handle." He continued, "I don't think this horse was highly thought of, from some of the reports we got. They had told me they had grouped all of his horses in groups 1, 2 and 3, and this was a group 3 horse, and that was what I got, the group 3 horses." The bay did nothing wrong at two, winning three starts by a combined 21 1/2 lengths, including the Pennsylvania Nursery S., a race won by 2004 Derby hero Smarty Jones. A winner in two of his three 2007 outings prior to his effort in the Run for the Roses, Hard Spun did his connections proud with his runner-up effort two weeks back. But after the race, Jones admitted that he thought if Hard Spun was going to win a Triple Crown race, it would be the Preakness. "This horse showed a fondness for this type of track," he explained. "It's...a little deeper than most tracks, but he gets to the bottom of it well. Plus, [the Preakness distance] is a little shorter and in years past it favored horses with a little turn of foot who lay closer to the pace than maybe sometimes the Derby does." With the trainer in the saddle, Hard Spun galloped seven furlongs yesterday morning. "Considering we've only had two weeks, I couldn't ask him to do better," said Jones. "I really don't know how he'd do better if we had three or four weeks."

☆ CLASSIC CORNER ☆

NELSON MISSES DERBY Derrick Smith, Susan Magnier and Michael Tabor's **Mount Nelson (GB)** (Rock of Gibraltar {Ire}) has lost the race against time to make the £1.25-million G1 Vodafone Derby and was the most notable withdrawal at yesterday's forfeit stage. Last year's G1 Criterium International winner had been forced to sidestep the G1 2000 Guineas after failing to shine in his homework and will now miss the June 2 Epsom Classic, for which 22 colts remain. Despite making some notable withdrawals, which also include **Macarthur (GB)** (Montjeu {Ire}), Aidan O'Brien still has a team of nine to call upon to oppose Saleh Al Homaizi and Imad Al Sagar's G2 Dante S. winner **Authorized (Ire)** (Montjeu {Ire}). The Ballydoyle entry is headed by Sunday's G2 Derrinstown Stud Derby Trial winner **Archipenko** (Kingmambo), while last week's G3 Chester Vase winner **Soldier of Fortune (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}), G3 Dee S. scorer **Admiral of the Fleet** (Danehill) and G2 Prix Hocquart winner **Anton Chekhov (Ire)** (Montjeu {Ire}) are able back-up. Godolphin have left in three, including **Eastern Anthem (Ire)** (Singspiel {Ire}), third behind A J Thompson's **Salford Mill (Ire)** (Peintre Celebre) in the May 5 Listed Newmarket S. and **Mythical Kid** (Lemon Drop Kid), only fifth in the Lingfield Derby Trial. Racing Manager Simon Crisford is hoping for improvement from both runners. "I can't say for sure that we will have a runner, but we'll have to see what the next 10 days bring, what the ground is like and the field is like," he said yesterday. "I think Eastern Anthem is probably a lot better than we saw at Newmarket and he's still quite an immature colt who has definitely got a future ahead of him. I don't think any of us felt that we saw the best of Mythical Kid the other day, as everything went wrong." Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum's G3 Lingfield Derby Trial winner **Aqaleem (GB)** (Sinndar {Ire}), who will bid to provide trainer Marcus Tregoning with a second consecutive renewal, Sultan Ahmad Shah's **Strategic Prince (GB)** (Dansili {GB}), from the Paul Cole stable successful in 1991 with Generous (Ire) and Highclere Thoroughbred Racing's G3 Sandown Classic Trial winner **Regime (Ire)** (Golan {Ire}), from the Michael Bell barn which sent out Motivator (GB) to win two years ago, are other notables. Epsom's Managing Director Stephen Wallis said, "The Vodafone Derby is taking shape and everybody was exhilarated by Authorized's performance yesterday. He is a worthy favorite, but there is still powerful opposition for him to beat before he can become a Derby winner."

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Classic Corner cont.

FRANKIE GETS GREEN LIGHT FOR AUTHORIZED RIDE

Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid al Maktoum has released Frankie Dettori from his Godolphin commitments for the G1 Epsom Derby, meaning the Italian can maintain his link with likely favorite **Authorized (Ire)** (Montjeu {Ire}). Following the partnership's highly impressive four-length success in Thursday's G2 Dante S. at York, Saleh al Homaizi and Imad al Sagar's colt was reported to be in good order by trainer Peter Chapple-Hyam yesterday. "I was thrilled with the horse's performance," he said. "It was a great day and we hope there is more to come with him. He seems fine after his race--good as gold. There are no problems at all with him." Despite Godolphin having a trio left in the June 2 Blue Riband, Racing Manager Simon Crisford acted yesterday to end any speculation as to whether Dettori might have to relinquish the ride by outlining Sheikh Mohammed's decision. "Hopefully, we'll have a runner, but we don't have a strong contender at the moment and when I spoke to Sheikh Mohammed last night, he was very aware of that situation," Crisford explained. "He offers all his support to Frankie and he felt it was the sporting and right thing to do to let him ride the favorite. If we can't win it, we'd love to see Frankie win it and good luck and all the best to him."

TIME HEADS OAKS 18 Khalid Abdullah's G3 Musidora S. winner **Passage of Time (GB)** (Dansili {GB}) yesterday headed the 18 remaining entries for the G1 Vodafone Oaks. Henry Cecil will be looking for his eighth success in the June 1 Epsom Classic and also trains the Niarchos Family's Listed Cheshire Oaks winner **Light Shift** (Kingmambo). "Obviously, there is a good chance that she will be in the Oaks line-up as long as we are happy with her homework leading up to Epsom," he said of the latter. Ed Dunlop will be seeking a second renewal following the exploits of Ouija Board (GB) in 2004 and has left in St Albans Bloodstock's Listed Pretty Polly S. winner **Dalvina (GB)** (Grand Lodge), while three-time winner Aidan O'Brien has a quartet of possibles headed by Roisin Henry and Susan Magnier's Cheshire Oaks runner-up **All My Loving (Ire)** (Sadler's Wells). His Highness the Aga Khan has the G3 Blue Wind S. winner **Four Sins (Ger)** (Sinndar {Ire}), from the John Oxx stable, while Godolphin have left in yesterday's Listed Swettenham Stud Fillies' S. scorer **Measured Tempo (GB)** (Sadler's Wells) and the Listed Lingfield Oaks Trial third **Folk Opera (Ire)** (Singspiel {Ire}).

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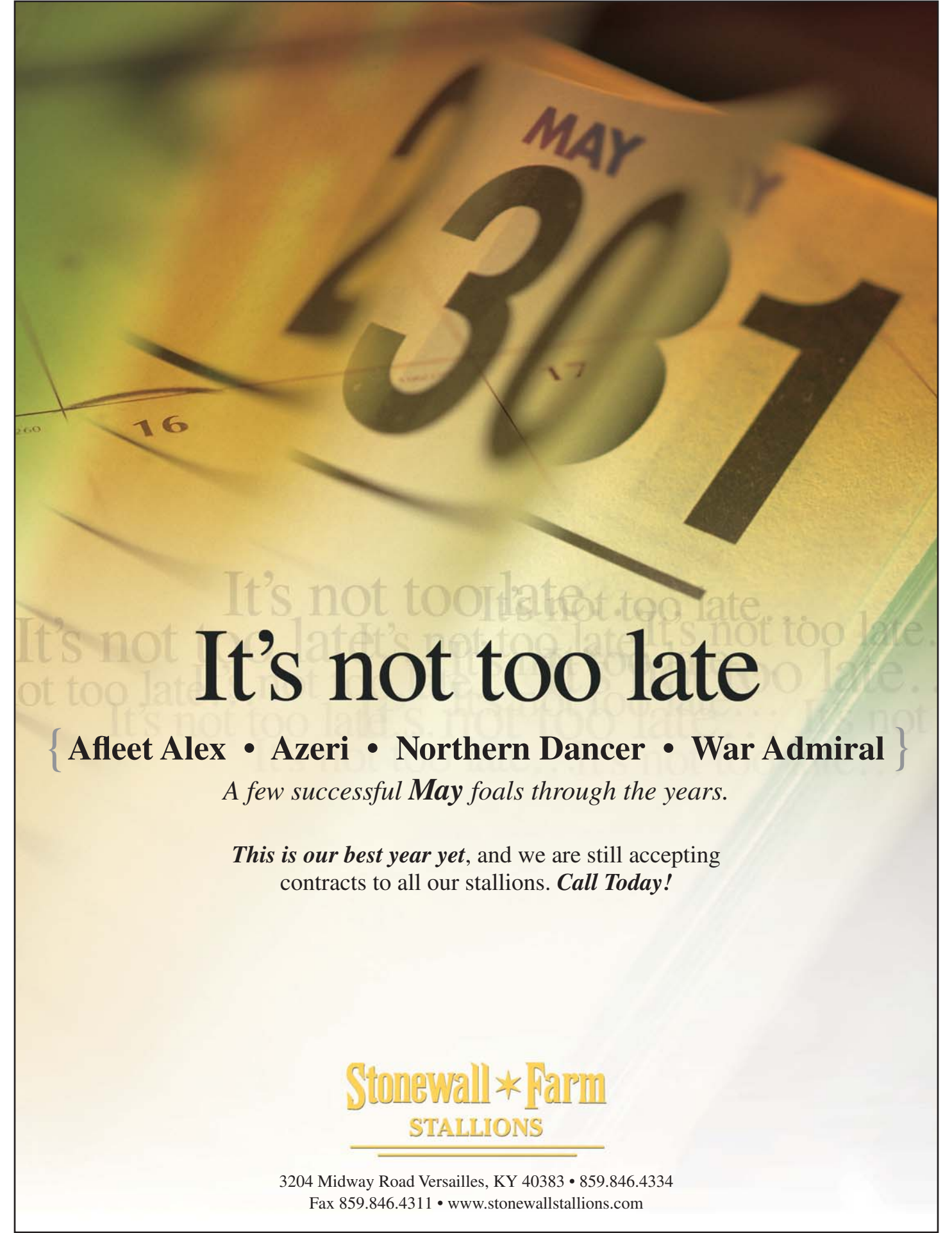
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TVG FILES SUIT AGAINST MAGNA, HRTV AND XPRESSBET

by Ryan Conley, courtesy Blood-Horse.com

TVG has filed pending litigation against Magna Entertainment Corp., HRTV and XpressBet for alleged patent infringement, the company announced May 18. The federal lawsuit, which is believed to be filed in United States District Court for the Central District of California, seeks monetary damages and unspecified "injunctive relief to prevent the [companies] from continuing to infringe" on two specific TVG patents, according to a news release. TVG claims its patents cover "important features of interactive wagering systems: audio or video racing feeds, and wagering on multiple tracks." In the release, TVG's general counsel, John Hindman, was quoted as saying the defendants "have been unwilling to license patents from us. While we have endeavored to work cooperatively with all industry participants, we ultimately have a responsibility to protect our valuable intellectual property from infringing use by others," Hindman said in the release. A spokeswoman representing TVG said May 18 the company would have no further comment on the matter beyond what is in the release, which indicated the litigation had been "initiated" in the California federal court. A copy of the complaint was not immediately made available by TVG, nor by court-related search methods.

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05-28 \$200,000 **Golden Gate Fields Breeders'**

Cup-III, GG, 3yo/up, 11ft (50)

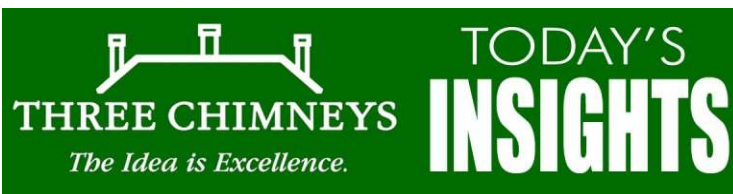
06-02 \$150,000a **Aristides Breeders' Cup-III, CD,**

3yo/up, 6f (150)

06-02 \$150,000a **Dogwood Breeders' Cup-III, CD, 3yo,**

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4:50p TVG 9th-MTH, \$60K, Monmouth Beach S., 3yo/up, f/m, 1m MAIZELLE (Seeking the Gold), a \$925K KEESEP yearling, has made just six starts to date, but has been first or second every time. The 4yo, runner-up in an optional claimer at Gulfstream in February, came back to take the Apr. 25 Chieftain's Command S. at Aqueduct last time out. [brisnet.com pps](#)

7:55p TVG 7th-HOL, \$46K, Msw, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f FINDING AURUM (Seeking the Gold), a \$300K KEESEP yearling, makes her debut. The dark bay is a 1/2 to MGSW & GISP Night Patrol (Storm Boot) and a 3/4 to SW & GSP Harbor Blues (Petionville). **Outra Rafaela (Silver Deputy),** out of MG1SW Nortak (Arg), was beaten only a length when a troubled fourth in her December debut over track and trip; makes second start. [brisnet.com pps](#)

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Yesterday's Results:

WAGON LIMIT S., \$67,750, BEL, 5-18, 4yo/up, 1 1/2m, 2:31 1/5, ft.

1--**#RISING MOON, 118, c, 4, Runaway Groom--Beat (MGSP, \$115,186),** by Nijinsky II. (\$130,000 yrl '04 KEESEP). O-Four Roses Thoroughbreds; B-Helen C Alexander & Helen K Groves Rev Trust (KY); T-Richard E Dutrow Jr; J-Eddie Castro; \$40,650. Lifetime Record: 5-3-0-0, \$88,550.

2--**Malibu Moonshine, 124, h, 5, Malibu Moon--Time to Coast,** by Coastal. (\$33,000 yrl '03 OBSAUG). O-Winning Move Stable, Medico Stable & Celebrity Group Stables. \$13,550.

3--**Funny Cide, 122, g, 7, Distorted Humor--Belle's Good Cide,** by Slewacide. (\$22,000 yrl '01 FTNAUG). O-Sackatoga Stable. \$6,775.

Margins: 4, 3HF, NO. Odds: 2.45, 2.65, 3.60.
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Wagon Limit S. cont.

Off the board in his first two starts, Rising Moon disappeared for nearly 14 months after running fifth on the grass at Gulfstream in January of 2006. The gray was ready for his return, overcoming a tough trip to get up for a head score going nine furlongs on the Gulfstream lawn Feb. 28, then galloped by nine lengths in an off-the-turf optional claimer Apr. 11. Stretching out to 12 furlongs as the slight choice here, he bided his time in second as Funny Cide led them along by as many as eight lengths through the opening mile. Rising Moon collared the 2003 Kentucky Derby winner on the far turn and pulled away to remain perfect this season.

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7th-BEL, \$47,000, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$50,000), NW2X, 3yo/up, 6fT, 1:09 3/5, gd.

PANGBURN (g, 5, Mighty--Misty Mom, by Arts and Letters), a 1/2 to Sweet Mama (High Brite), SW & GSP, \$117,075; and Fenton Lane (Trapp Mountain), SW, \$299,613, was four-for-six while racing near the bottom of the claiming ladder last year. Fourth in a money allowance at Turfway in his 2007 opener Jan. 31, he came back to win at that level Mar 10. The chestnut gelding was back in for a tag after running second in an optional test Mar. 28, changing hands for \$40,000 after a win at Keeneland Apr. 27, and was 23-1 to carry that form into New York allowance company here. Never far from the front, he angled to the outside in the stretch and rallied for a head victory over Ever a Friend (Crafty Friend). Lifetime Record: 12-7-2-1, \$109,041.

O-D Jacobson. B-Lavin Bloodstock (KY). T-D Balsamo.

TODAY'S VIDEO HIGHLIGHTS

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8th-BEL (Wagon Limit S.) Rising Moon (Runaway Groom) cruises to his third straight score.

6th-BEL (Alw) Limoncella (Lemon Drop Kid) comes back running in her sophomore bow.

3rd-PIM (Msw) Helsinki (Distorted Humor) powers to an 8 1/4-length victory.

7th-CDX (Msw) Star of Luvina (Five Star Day) goes gate to wire.



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6th-BEL, \$45,000, Alw, NW1X, 3/up, f/m, 6fT, 1:10 4/5, gd.
LIMONCELLA (f, 3, Lemon Drop Kid--Trip Around Heaven, by Halo) broke her maiden on the Saratoga turf last summer and finished third in the Oct. 7 Salem County S. at the Meadowlands two starts later, but was put away after finishing off the board in her next two starts. The dark bay had not been out since finishing seventh in the Nov. 25 Selima S. at Laurel. An 8-1 outsider in her return, she was on the bit while stalking the pace, squeezed through an opening in the stretch and outfinished Holy Trouble (Holy Bull) for a 3/4-length tally. Lifetime Record: SP, 8-2-0-1, \$67,354.

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O/B-De Savino Stable LLC (KY). T-Carlos F Martin.

★ EAST ★

Saturday, Pimlico, post time: 3:37 p.m. EDT

BARBARO S., \$100,000, 3yo, 1 1/16m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	Vow to Greatness	Broken Vow	Allen	116
2	Stonehouse	Chester House	Broussard	116
3	Silver Express	Unbridled's Song	Zito	116
4	Soaring By	Deputy Minister	Pletcher	116
5	Dancin Buddha	Buddha	Dennis	116
6	Chelokee	Cherokee Run	Matz	116
7	Zephyr Cat	Tactical Cat	Campitelli	116



East Report cont.

Yesterday's Results:

3rd-PIM, \$30,000, Msw, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:44 3/5, ft.

HELSINKI (c, 3, Distorted Humor--Well Dressed {SW, \$103,961}, by Notebook) was beaten just a half-length when runner-up going seven panels at Gulfstream last time out Mar. 31 and was bet down 1-2 in his route debut. At the back of the pack while racing wide early, the \$165,000 KEESEP yearling powered to the front on the final bend and opened up down the lane to take it by 8 1/4 lengths. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, \$25,460. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O-Four Roses Thoroughbreds. B-WinStar Farm, LLC (KY). T-Nicholas P Zito.

8th-CRC, \$26,000, Msw, 3,4,5yo, f/m, 6f, 1:12 1/5, ft.

+SECRET GIRLFRIEND (f, 3, Montbrook--Mill Waki's Best, by Miswaki), a 5-1 chance, went right to the front and was never headed, drawing off to a 3 1/4-length victory in her career opener. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$16,800.

O/B-Maurice Miller (FL). T-William P White.

Thursday Night's Results:

WONDERS DELIGHT S., \$45,650, PEN, 5-17, (S), 3yo, f, 6f, 1:09 1/5, ft.

1--#CANTREL, 122, f, 3, Gulch--Red Satin Slippers (MSP, \$144,868), by Peteski. O-Home Team Stables; B-Daniel M Ryan (PA); T-Scott A Lake; J-Jose Luis Flores; \$27,390. Lifetime Record: 4-3-0-0, \$64,650.

2--Blitzensfoxyvixsin, 122, f, 3, Partner's Hero--Blitzen's Echo, by Compelling Sound. \$9,130.

3--All Night Special, 122, f, 3, Clash by Night--Brillint Valay, by Carnivalay. \$5,022.

Margins: 18 1/4, 2HF, 4HF. Odds: 0.40, 14.20, 9.40.

Cantrel failed to land a blow when seventh in her debut, a maiden special at Delaware Aug. 15, but graduated next time out when dropped in for a \$40,000 tag at the same track Sept. 18. Put away for the winter, the chestnut took a Philly Park allowance by five lengths May 6 and was a prohibitive choice for her stakes debut here. She lived up to the billing by assuming command at the outset, and never looked back to win by a pole.

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★ CANADA ★

Yesterday's Results:

9th-WOX, \$30,128, Msw, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:47 2/5, ft.

GHETTO SUPERSTAR (c, 3, Touch Gold--Punchbowl {SW}, by Two Punch) was a well-beaten eighth his career opener, a seven-furlong sprint at Woodbine Apr. 27, but turned it around in his two-turn bow. The 8-5 favorite, he pressed the pace, put a head in front after six panels and drew away to a 3 1/4-length success. The winner is a full to Powerful Touch, MGSP, \$299,481. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$17,122.

O-Stonach Stables. B-Adena Springs (ON). T-Brian A Lynch.

★ CENTRAL ★

Yesterday's Results:

9th-CDX, \$52,500, Alw, NW2X, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:43 1/5, ft.

SHIFT IN POWER (g, 4, Monarchos--Newlywed, by Sky Classic), a \$260,000 FTKJUL yearling, was given a break after a Fair Grounds allowance score Feb. 26, returning to run second by a nose in a Keeneland allowance Apr. 21. A 5-1 shot off that effort, the gray closed from just off the pace to take the lead in the stretch and turned back the challenge of High Blues (High Yield) to win by a half-length. Lifetime Record: 6-3-1-0, \$91,550.

O-B Wayne Hughes. B-Nancy Cole & J J Mamakos (KY). T-Paul J McGee.

10th-CDX, \$48,200, Alw, NW1X, 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:42 4/5, fm.

LATTICE (c, 3, Arch--Lateral, by Rahy) graduated by a nose in his Mar. 30 bow on the turf at Gulfstream and came back to be second in an allowance test on the Keeneland lawn Apr. 27. Off at 3-1 to go one better this time, he rated in third, forged to the front at the top of the lane and held off Niagara Causeway (Giant's Causeway) for a head victory. The winner is a 1/2 to Cross (Mighty), SW, \$124,830. Lifetime Record: 3-2-1-0, \$64,870.

O/B-Claiborne Farm & Adele B Dilschneider (KY). T-William I Mott.

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4th-APX, \$30,500, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$50,000), NW1X, 3yo, 1 1/16m, 1:43 3/5, ft.

TIME SQUARED (c, 3, [Fusaichi Pegasus](#)--Indy Glory {SW & MGSP, \$283,422}, by A.P. Indy), the 2006 KEEAPR sales topper when sold for \$1,050,000, came from out of the clouds to break his maiden in his fourth start, winning by a length at Keeneland Apr. 6. The dark bay came back at 26-1 in the GI Blue Grass S. eight days later and finished sixth, beaten just three lengths, after getting off to a slow start. The 1-2 chalk facing a softer field here, he rated in fifth for six furlongs and rallied down the lane to hit the line 1 3/4 lengths to the good. Lifetime Record: 6-2-1-1, \$60,940.

O-Fab Oak Stable, Lakin & Giacobelli. B-Chester & Mary R Broman (NY). T-Patrick L Biancone.

5th-APX, \$30,500, Alw, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11 3/5, ft.

FOX FORCE FIVE (f, 3, [Cape Canaveral](#)--Fin de Siecle, by Explodent) beat up on \$15,000 maiden claimers in her Apr. 19 debut at Hawthorne, cruising by 8 1/2 lengths, and was 6-1 to repeat here. The \$8,500 ILLAPR juvenile trailed early, but hit the gas down the lane to win it by a neck over Lil Dove (Dove Hunt). Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$25,200.

O-Williams, Patton, Boeschen & Aguirre. B-Bull & Bear Stables (IL). T-Rey Aguirre.

7th-CDX, \$47,570, Msw, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:09 4/5, ft.

STAR OF LUVINA (f, 3, [Five Star Day](#)--Luvina, by Forest Wildcat) weakened to be fifth at Keeneland Apr. 27, but was ready to roll as the 17-10 choice in her second start. The \$35,000 KEENOV weanling and \$100,000 KEESEP yearling set the pace and had enough left in the tank to get to the wire 1 1/2 lengths ahead of Lily's Place (Belong to Me). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$31,338. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O-Par Three Stables. B-Richard Giacobelli (KY). T-Eddie Kenneally.

1st-APX, \$31,360, Msw, 2yo, f, 4 1/2f, :51 4/5, ft.

+ FLIGHT RULER (f, 2, [Minardi](#)--Harlan Cat, by Harlan) was let go at 11-1 at first asking, but proved clearly best. Always prominent while three wide early, she took control in the stretch and pulled away to a 2 3/4-length victory. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$16,800. O/B-Elkhorn Oaks Inc (KY). T-Laura Jackson.

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Thursday Night's Results:

2nd-LSX, \$25,000, Alw, NW1X, 3yo, f, 6f, 1:11 3/5, ft.

CAT SPLENDOR (f, 3, [Tale of the Cat](#)--Morning Splendor, by Broad Brush) won at first asking in a \$50,000 maiden claimer at Oaklawn Mar. 7 and followed up with a close fifth in an optional claimer at that track Apr. 12. Part of the favored 7-5 entry this time, the chestnut came three wide off the turn to grab the lead and held sway late by 1 3/4 lengths over Stormin Quality (Stormin Fever). Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, \$28,400. O/B-Millsap Stables Inc (KY). T-Donnie K Von Hemel.

★ WEST ★

Yesterday's Results:

5th-GGX, \$33,750, Msw, 2yo, 4f, :45 1/5, ft.

+IMAGINARY SAILOR (c, 2, [Mizzen Mast](#)--Imaginary Cat, by Storm Cat), a \$45,000 KEESEP yearling, was the even-money chalk at first asking. The gray pressed solid splits, took over in the stretch and strode away to a four-length tally. The winner is a 1/2 to Cause To Believe (Maria's Mon), GSW, \$403,843. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$16,500.

O-Peter Abruzzo & Jerry Hollendorfer. B-Overbrook Farm (KY). T-Jerry Hollendorfer.

★ INDUSTRY INFO ★

Comcast Adds TVG to Digital Cable in NJ:

Comcast Cable began delivering programming from the Television Games Network on its digital preferred channel 260 May 8. The partnership with Comcast gives TVG daily access to its digital cable subscribers and brings the network's total U.S. distribution to over 27 million homes. "Comcast is committed to providing our customers throughout New Jersey with a diverse range of programming options to cover their wide and varied interests," said Greg Arnold, regional senior vice president of Comcast Cable New Jersey. "The majority of our customers in New Jersey already are Digital Cable users, and we are pleased to offer them TVG's world-class racing coverage." For the first time in its history, TVG is providing exclusive coverage of the live race meeting at Monmouth Park. It also offers its viewers standardbred racing from the Meadowlands. While New Jersey residents may view racing on TVG, they remain restricted from opening a wagering account through the TVG platform.

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HorseRacing TV (HRTV) has expanded its coverage to include racing from the United Kingdom in association with Racing UK. The network launched its coverage with yesterday's G2 Yorkshire Cup from York, and this morning will broadcast the running of the G1 Lockinge S. from Newbury. HRTV plans on telecasting United Kingdom cards on Saturdays, most Fridays and selected other festival racing days. The centerpiece of HRTV's European coverage will be the G1 Vodafone Epsom Derby June 2.

★ AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS ★

IN FRANCE:

Earth Planet, c, 3, [Distant View](#). See "France."

IN BRITAIN:

+ Polar Circle, f, 2, [Royal Academy](#). See "Britain."

Ajhar, c, 3, [Diesis \(GB\)](#). See "Britain."

High Treason, g, 5, [Diesis \(GB\)](#). See "Britain."

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Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 2004 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/SW
Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)

AUTHENTICATE (Gone West), Le Mesa, \$3K, 50/1/0

3-CD, Msw, 5f, +Dr. Nick, \$160K OBS MAR 2yo, 5-1

CACTUS RIDGE (Hennessy), Walmac, \$7K, 69/1/0

3-CD, Msw, 5f, +Mr. Shortcake, \$180K KEE SEP yrl, 5-1

DEPUTY WILD CAT (Deputy Minister), Rising Hill, \$3K, 27/0/0

1-WO, Msw, 2f, Lunacat, \$5K OBS WIN yrl, 4-1

ENDEAVOURING (A.P. Indy), 12/0/0

3-MNR, Msw, 4 1/2f, +He's My Tuff, 15-1

POSSE (Silver Deputy), Vinery, \$10K, 74/0/0

3-CD, Msw, 5f, Hensley, \$70K KEE SEP yrl, 5-1

WHYWHYWHY (Mr. Greeley), Gainesway, \$8K, 62/0/0

3-CD, Msw, 5f, Nownownow, 7-2

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Second-crop starters to watch: Saturday, May 19

Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 2003 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/SW
Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)

BUDDHA (Unbridled's Song), Hill 'N' Dale, \$18K, 274/17/1
9-PIM, Stk, 1 1/16m, Dancin Buddha, \$95K EAS MAY 2yo, 20-1

CAME HOME (Gone West), Lane's End, \$40K, 157/22/0

12-PIM, Stk, 1 3/16m, C P West, \$750K KEE APR 2yo, 20-1

E DUBAI (Mr. Prospector), Darley, \$15K, 147/21/4

9-HOL, Stk, 1mT, Candy's Bro, \$90K KEE APR 2yo

FAPPIE'S NOTEBOOK (Notebook), Rising Hill, \$3K, 43/8/0

4-CRC, Msw, 1 1/16mT, +Sweet Notes

FRENCH ENVOY (Deputy Minister), Stonehedge, \$3K, 65/16/1

8-CT, Stk, 4 1/2f, Amazing Victoria, \$24K OBS APR 2yo, 10-1

INCLUDE (Broad Brush), Airdrie, \$13K, 170/39/4

6-WO, Stk, 1 1/16m, Include Us, \$125K FTK JUL yrl, 8-1

6-CBY, Stk, 6f, Sul Lago, 6-1

JOHANNESBURG (Hennessy), Ashford, \$25K, 275/41/8

8-DEL, Stk, 6f, Miss Goodnight, \$56K EAS SEP yrl, 10-1

LITTLEEXPECTATIONS (Valid Appeal), Q6 Ranch, \$4K, 73/11/1

12-PIM, Stk, 1 3/16m, King of the Roxy, \$8K KEE SEP yrl, 12-1

OFFICER (Bertrando), Taylor Made Farm, \$15K, 177/31/7

9-CD, Stk, 6f, Run Alex Run, \$170K KEE SEP yrl, 5-2

7-HOL, Msw, 6f, +Saucey Officer, \$180K KEE SEP yrl

PARENTS' REWARD (Mr. Prospector), Lou-Roe, \$2K, 20/4/1

12-RD, Stk, 1 1/16mT, Mini Mom, 8-5

12-RD, Stk, 1 1/16mT, Reapingtherewards, 8-5

RED BULLET (Unbridled), Adena Springs South, \$30K, 102/12/1

2-BEL, Msw, 6f, +Wild Wizard, \$260K ADS SPR 2yo

ROUNDUP (Deputy Minister), Fossett Crest Farm, \$1K, 8/0/0

8-CT, Stk, 4 1/2f, Veva E, 15-1

SNOW RIDGE (Tabasco Cat), Padua, \$5K, 116/28/1

8-CT, Stk, 4 1/2f, Snow Way, \$11K OBS APR 2yo, 9-2

STREET CRY (IRE) (Machiavellian), Darley, \$30K, 174/25/7

6-PIM, Stk, 6f, Street Magician, \$160K FTK JUL yrl, 8-5

12-PIM, Stk, 1 3/16m, Street Sense, 7-5

STRITZEL (Forty Niner), Beau Ridge Farm, \$500, 8/0/0

3-MNR, Msw, 4 1/2f, +Aye See More, 15-1

THUNDERELLO (Montbrook), Walmac, \$5K, 108/22/0

8-CT, Stk, 4 1/2f, Bird of War, \$13K OBS APR 2yo, 4-1

★ ON THE WORKTAB ★

AQUEDUCT

Silver Wagon (Wagon Limit), 6f, 1:13.61, 1/3

BELMONT PARK

Nobiz Like Shobiz (Albert the Great), 4f, :48.42, 3/35

CHURCHILL DOWNS

Saint Anddan (A.P. Indy), 4f, :49.60, 13/22

HOLLYWOOD PARK

Boboman (Kingmambo), 7f, 1:26.60, 2/5

Bordonaro (Memo {Chi}), 3f, :36.60, 5/18

Designed for Luck (Rahy), 5f, 1:01.20, 19/56

Lava Man (Slew City Slew), 4f, :49, 15/41

Three Degrees (Ire) (Singspiel {Ire}), 7f, 1:27.20, 4/5

KEENELAND

Bushfire (Louis Quatorze), 4f, :48.20, 8/34

Dr. Pleasure (Thunder Gulch), 5f, :59.80, 4/27

SARATOGA

Gun Salute (Military), 3f, :37.55, 5/21



★ BRITAIN ★

Yesterday's Results:

GLASGOW S.-Listed, £35,000, Hamilton Park, 5-18, 3yo, c/g, 11f 16ydsT, 2:25.77, gd.

1--**#BOSCOBEL (GB)**, 126, c, 3, by **Halling**

1st Dam: **Dunnes River**, by **Danzig**

2nd Dam: **Elizabeth Bay**, by **Mr. Prospector**

3rd Dam: **Life at the Top**, by **Seattle Slew**

O-Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum;

B-Darley; T-Mark Johnston; J-Joe Fanning; £19,873.

Lifetime Record: 5-4-1-0, £34,738. *1/2 to **Crested (GB)** (**Fantastic Light**), GSP-US, \$207,482.

2--**Dansant (GB)**, 126, c, 3, **Dansili (GB)**--**La Balagna (GB)**, by **Kris (GB)**. (€20,000 wnlg '04 **DEADEC**; 53,000gns yrl '05 **TATOCT**). £7,532.

3--**Western Adventure**, 126, c, 3, **Gone West--Larrocha (Ire)**, by **Sadler's Wells**. £3,769.

Margins: 6, SHD, 6. Odds: 6-4, 9-2, 2-1.

Also Ran: **Teslin (Ire)**. Scratched: **Serengeti (GB)**.

With stable companion and likely favorite **Serengeti (GB)** (**Singspiel {Ire}**) a late scratch, **Boscobel** was left in the driver seat and produced a power-packed front-running performance to record an impressive first stakes success. Three winter wins on the Polytrack at Kempton, Lingfield and Wolverhampton preceded a fine second to subsequent G3 Lingfield Derby Trial runner-up **Hearthstead Maison (Ire)** in a Newmarket handicap on his turf bow last time May 5. Set alight from the front by **Joe Fanning** at the top of the straight, the homebred stretched clear with the rising ground and was firmly in command at the line. "He was a little bit green in front, but once he quickened at the bottom of the hill he gave me a very good feel," his rider commented. "He got his head down and really raced and he's tough, so he'll take plenty of racing."

BRAVEHEART S.-Listed, £30,000, Hamilton Park, 5-18, 4yo/up, 12f 17ydsT, 2:39.35, gd.

1--**#SCRIPTWRITER (IRE)**, 122, g, 5, **Sadler's Wells--**

Dayanata (Ire), by **Shirley Heights (GB)**. O-Godolphin;

B-Newgate Stud Co; T-Saeed bin Suroor; J-Kerrin

McEvoy; £17,034. Lifetime Record: 7-4-1-0,

£38,738. *1/2 to **Courteos (GB)** (**Generous {Ire}**), GSW-Eng & Fr, GISP-NA, \$350,427.

2--**Camrose (GB)**, 124, g, 6, **Zafonic--Tularosa (GB)**, by **In the Wings (GB)**. £6,456.

3--**Acropolis (Ire)**, 118, g, 6, **Sadler's Wells--Dedicated Lady (Ire)**, by **Pennine Walk (Ire)**. (550,000gns yrl '02 **TATHOU**). £3,231.

Margins: SHD, 2, 3HF. Odds: 8-11, 10-1, 16-1.

Also Ran: **Akarem (GB)**, **Kames Park (Ire)**, **Lets Roll (GB)**, **Glitter Baby (Ire)**, **Luberon (GB)**. Scratched: **Mirjan (Ire)**.



1.35 Newbury, Mdn, £10,000, 2yo, 6f 8ydsT

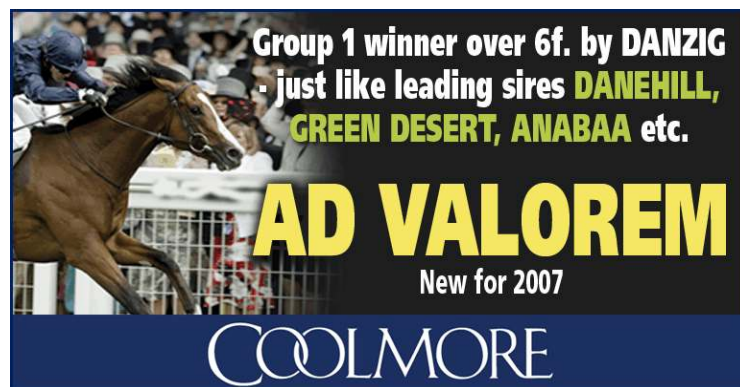
GREEK MYTHOLOGY (Mr. Greeley) is the latest off the Ballydoyle production line of two-year-olds, which has been highly efficient so far in 2007. Out of a half-sister to the top-class Dr. Caton from the family of last year's G1 Prix de Diane winner **Confidential Lady (GB)**, **Michael Tabor**, **Derrick Smith** and **Susan Magnier's** colt debuts in the race won in 1999 by **Mount Abu (Ire)**, in 2003 by the stable's **Grand Reward**, in 2004 by **Iceman (GB)** and last year by **Major Cadeaux (GB)**.

3.55 Chantilly, Mdn, €21,000, unraced 3yo, c/g, 1 5/16mT

ROCK SOLEIL (GB) (**Rock of Gibraltar {Ire}**) is the seventh offspring of **Juddmonte** mainstay **Hunt the Sun (GB)** to reach the track, and bids to maintain his dam's 100-percent record as a winner producer. The half to G1 **Dubai Sheema Classic** winner **Polish Summer (GB)** and G1 **Manhattan H.** hero **Meteor Storm (GB)** **Ecurie Wildenstein's War Party (GB)** (**Fantastic Light**), who is out of G2 **Prix Maurice de Nieuil** victress **War Game (Fr)**, herself a half to MG1SW **Westerner (GB)**.

4.40 Newmarket, Cond, £8,000, 2yo, 6fT

RIMROCK (IRE) (**Royal Applause (GB)**), a 120,000gns **TATOCT** yearling, represents trainer **Jeremy Nosedo**, who sent out half-sister **Simply Perfect (GB)** to land last term's G1 **Fillies' Mile**, and to finish third in the G1 **1000 Guineas** at this track May 6. He faces stern opposition, headed by the Mick Channon-trained **Silver Guest (GB)** (**Lujain**), a half-brother to G2 **Maurice Lacroix-Trophy** winner **Ajigolo (GB)**. He ran third to the **Royal Ascot** bound **Warsaw (Ire)** in the May 7 Listed **Coolmore S.** at **The Curragh**.



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Braveheart S. cont.

Scriptwriter showed the benefit of **Godolphin's** patience when beating subsequent group scorer **Topatoo (GB)** despite veering left in the closing stages in a competitive **York** handicap in October. He disappointed when down the field in the **November H.** at **Windsor** the next month, but was on best behaviour for his first stakes win here. Reserved in mid-division early, the bay was temporarily short of room as **Camrose** shook loose inside the final quarter, but when freed showed a convincing turn of acceleration to inhale that rival in the final stride. "He seems to have grown up a bit and did everything right there," jockey **Kerrin McEvoy** said.



British Report cont.

MICHAEL SEELY MEMORIAL FILLIES' S.-Listed, £30,000, York, 5-18, 3yo, f, 1mT, 1:40.86, gd.

1--**#SILVER PIVOTAL (IRE)**, 124, f, 3, by Pivotal (GB)

1st Dam: Silver Colours (SW-Eng), by Silver Hawk

2nd Dam: Team Colors, by Mr. Prospector

3rd Dam: Private Colors, by Private Account

(130,000gns yrl '05 TATOCT). O-The Distaff

Partnership; B-Stratford Place Stud; T-G Butler; J-N

Mackay; £17,034. Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-0, £23,837.

2--**Promising Lead (GB)**, 124, f, 3, Dansili (GB)--Arrive (GB), by Kahyasi (Ire). £6,456.

3--**Graduation (GB)**, 124, f, 3, Lomitas (GB)--Ceremonial (GB), by Lion Cavern. £3,231.

Margins: NK, 2, 1. Odds: 4-1, 10-11, 5-1.

Also Ran: Russian Rosie (Ire), Satulagi.

Fifth to G1 Epsom Oaks contender Measured Tempo (GB) in her only juvenile start, Silver Pivotal stepped off a Wolverhampton maiden win Apr. 16 to finish second in an Ascot conditions last time May 2. Rated off the pace from the outset of this stakes bow, she responded to a final-quarter drive to deny the enterprisingly ridden Promising Lead in the shades of the post. "I had a nice position and got a nice lead," said winning rider Nicky Mackay. "She took a while to get organized, but once she did so she stayed on very well. She's quite a big filly and will probably get further." Indicating a possible tilt at Breeders' Cup glory, trainer Gerard Butler explained, "We'll aim for the [G2] Ribblesdale S. [at Royal Ascot June 21] and then give her a nice break after that. I need to speak to the owners, but I'm leaning towards the [G1] Breeders' Cup Filly & Mare Turf [at Monmouth Oct. 27] with her."

SWETTENHAM STUD FILLIES' TRIAL S.-Listed, £26,000, Newbury, 5-18, 2yo, f, 10f 6ydsT, 2:08.46, gd/sf.

1--**#MEASURED TEMPO (GB)**, 124, f, 3, by [Sadler's Wells](#)

1st Dam: Allez Les Trois (GSP-US, GSW-Fr, \$151,109), by Riverman

2nd Dam: Allegretta (GB), by Lombard (Ger)

3rd Dam: Anatevka (Ger), by Espresso (GB)

O-Godolphin; B-Darley; T-Saeed bin Suroor; J-Frankie

Dettori; £14,763. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, £18,001.

*1/2 Anabaa Blue (GB) (Anabaa), G1SW-Fr, \$715,149.

2--**In Safe Hands (Ire)**, 124, f, 3, Intikhab--Safiya, by Riverman. (€75,000 yrl '05 GOFORB; 90,000gns HIT '06 TATAUT). £5,595.

3--**Ransom Captive**, 124, f, 3, Red Ransom--Cap Rouge, by Summer Squall. (\$125,000 yrl '05 KEESEP). £2,800.

Margins: 1HF, NK, 3. Odds: 4-11, 12-1, 20-1.

Also ran: Fiumicino (GB), Cast in Gold. Scratched: Promising Lead (GB).

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Fillies' Trial S. cont.

An impressive three-length winner on debut at Newmarket last October, Measured Tempo entered winter quarters with the G1 Epsom Oaks on the agenda. Making the first step toward that June 2 Classic, she bagged a maiden stakes score with the minimum of fuss here. Settled in fourth until edging closer once straightening for home, Measured Tempo was cajoled to the front with 1 1/2 furlongs remaining and kept on well from one flick of Frankie Dettori's persuader to score in comfortable fashion. "We are very happy with that performance and she will improve plenty from the race," commented trainer Saeed bin Suroor. "Her next target is the Oaks and she will enjoy the step up to a mile and a half at Epsom. It was only her second ever run, and Frankie [Dettori] was delighted with her. She moved well in the race and it is a case of so far, so good. She deserves to take her chance in the Oaks. It will be a very tough race, but she has the class to run very well."

ULTIMATE TRAVEL S. (REGISTERED AS THE CARNARVON S.)-Listed, £26,000, Newbury, 5-18, 3yo, 6f 8ydsT, 1:14.34, gd/sf.

1--**#SAKHEE'S SECRET (GB)**, 126, c, 3, by Sakhee

1st Dam: Palace Street (MSW & MGSP-Eng), by Secreto

2nd Dam: Majestic Street, by Majestic Prince

3rd Dam: Beaver Street (GB), by My Babu (Fr)

O/B-Miss B Swire; T-Hugh Morrison; J-Steve Drowne; £14,763. Lifetime Record: 5-3-0-1, £32,977. *1/2 to Palace Affair (GB) (Pursuit of Love {GB}), MSW-Eng, \$159,410; King's Caprice (GB) (Pursuit of Love {GB}), SP-Eng, \$188,320.

2--**Fontana Amorosa (GB)**, 121, f, 3, Cadeaux Genereux (GB)--Bella Lambada (GB), by Lammtarra. (13,000gns yrl '05 TATDEC). £5,595.

3--**Howya Now Kid (Ire)**, 126, c, 3, Daggers Drawn--Lear's Crown, by Lear Fan. (€9,000 wnlg '04 GOFNOV). £2,800.

Margins: 3, 3, 1 3/4. Odds: 1-4, 20-1, 15-2.

Also ran: Abby Road (Ire), Sparkling Eyes (GB).

Having ripped up a competitive handicap at Newmarket Apr. 18, Sakhee's Secret justified heavy favoritism and continued an upward trend with a smart performance in this stakes debut. Affording all four rivals a lead from flagfall, he eased into contention at the quarter-mile marker and was pushed clear once taking over at the distance to score as he pleased.

TDN Euro is:

England: Sean Cronin (*CAFE Racing*)
Tom Frary (*CAFE Racing*)

France: Claude Beniada

Germany: Christa Riebel

Ireland: Dave Keena

Italy: Giorgio Barsotti



British Report cont.

EBF MARYGATE S.-Listed, £25,000, York, 5-18, 2yo, f, 5fT, :58.73, gd.

1--**#JANINA (GB)**, 124, f, 2, by Namid (GB)

1st Dam: Lady Dominatrix (Ire) (GSW-Eng & GSP-Ire, \$142,081), by Danehill Dancer (Ire)

2nd Dam: Spout House (Ire), by Flash of Steel (Ire)

3rd Dam: Otterhill (GB), by Brigadier Gerard (GB)

(40,000gns wnlg '05 TATDEC; 110,000gns yrl '06 DONSEP). O-Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum; B-H G and J R Duffield; T-Barry Hills; J-Richard Hills; £14,817. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, £18,055.

2--**Tia Mia (GB)**, 124, f, 2, Dr Fong--Giusina Mia, by Diesis (GB). (20,000gns yrl '06 TATOCT). £5,602

3--**Cristal Clear (Ire)**, 124, f, 2, Clodovil (Ire)--Sprint to Light, by Blushing Groom (Fr). (37,000gns yrl '06 DONSEP). £2,800

Margins: 1, HD, 1 1/4. Odds: 5-2, 8-1, 11-2.

Also Ran: Dubai Princess (Ire), Liberty Belle (Ire), Loch Jipp, Shivering (GB), Feeling Proud, Jennifers Joy (Ire), Presto Levanter (GB). Kylaene (GB).

Janina secured a cozy success on debut at Haydock Apr. 28 and followed up in this hot renewal to bag a first stakes rosette. Racing in a close sixth from the bell here, she eased into third at halfway and responded to a closing-panel drive to outgame Tia Mia and Cristal Clear. "She's very good, very professional and very relaxed," said winning rider Richard Hills. "She traveled well, but took a little bit of time when I picked her up. It's very windy, there's a big crowd and she just hesitated for a few strides."

York, 2.15, Hcp, £50,000, 4/up, 1 1/2mT, 2:32.79, gd.

HIGH TREASON (g, 5, Diesis {GB}--Fabula Dancer, by Northern Dancer) went postward as the 5-1 selection having finished runner-up in a handicap at this meet two days earlier. Restrained in rear until cutting through the pack to challenge at the distance, the 50,000gns TATDEC yearling was driven out to wrest a half-length victory from Mutawaffer (GB) (Marju {Ire}) despite receiving a smack from the rival jockey's whip. High Treason is a half to Flamingo Paradise (GB) (Rainbow Quest), GSW-Ger, \$183,901; and Flamingo Road (Ger) (Acatenango {Ger}), MGSW & MG1SP-Ger, \$344,309. Lifetime Record: 21-5-4-2, £50,915.

O-S Rudolf; B-Helmut von Finck; T-William Musson.

✓ APPOINTMENTS

MARK WEBSTER

- The 39-year-old has been appointed as managing director of William Inglis & Son.
- Previously general manager of Nationwide News Limited.
- "I have been a racing and breeding enthusiast all my life," he said. "I am delighted to have been selected for this position."
- effective July 16

Newbury, 1.55, Cond, £11,000, 2yo, f, 5f 34ydsT, 1:05.22, gd/sf.

+**POLAR CIRCLE (f, 2, Royal Academy--Polar Bird {Ire} {MSP-US, SW-Eng & GSW-Ire, \$177,047}, by Thatching {Ire})** was the subject of impressive home reports and justified 11-8 favoritism in taking style. Racing keenly and greenly in second through the early stages, she seized command approaching the final eighth and was pushed out in the latter stages to easily hold the vain bid of Nijoom Dubai (GB) (Noverre) by 1 1/2 lengths. "She's a nice filly, just like her sister Fokine, who was tough and sharp," trainer Peter Chapple-Hyam told *PA Sport*. "We might have a look at Royal Ascot and the [June 20 G2] Queen Mary S." The victress is a half to Ocean Ridge (Storm Bird), MG1SP-Eng, GSW-Fr, \$217,850; and a full to Fokine, SP-HK, SW & MGSP-Eng, \$165,816. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, £6,855. O-Sangster Family; B-Swettenham Stud; T-Peter Chapple-Hyam.

Newbury, 4.40, Mdn, £10,000, 3yo, 10f 6ydsT, 2:09.39, gd/sf.

AJHAR (c, 3, Diesis {GB}--Min Alhawa {MSP-Eng}, by Riverman), a half to Mutasallil (Gone West), SP-UAE, \$192,396, completed a hat trick of seconds here last October and went postward for this return as the 7-4 second choice. Tracking the leaders in third along the rail, he was ridden along to challenge \$9.7-million KEESEP yearling Jalil (Storm Cat) at the quarter-mile marker and asserted under a drive to hold that rallying rival by a half length. Lifetime Record: 4-1-3-0, £10,716.

O-Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum; B-Shadwell Farm LLC; T-Marcus Tregoning.

Newmarket, 3.05, Mdn, £8,000, 3yo, f, 1 1/2mT, 2:32.94, gd.

LATANAZUL (GB) (f, 3, Sakhee--Karamah {GB}, by Unfuwain), runner-up at Ripon Apr. 28, was up to lead early. Pressed by Hypoteneuse (Ire) (Sadler's Wells) in the final half mile, the even-money pick had that rival's measure by the eighth pole and drew away for a five-length score. Lifetime Record: 5-1-3-0, £7,808.

O-Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum; B-Shadwell Estate Company Limited; T-John Dunlop.

Newmarket, 2.05, Mdn, £7,000, 2yo, f, 6fT, time: n/a, gd.

+**FESTOSO (IRE) (f, 2, Diesis {GB}--Garah {GB} {MGSP-Eng}, by Ajdal)**, sent off at 13-2, was buried in the pack early before being angled free to begin her run at the quarter pole. Responding to her rider's urgings, the homebred found her way to the front with 50 yards remaining before asserting for a head success. The victress is a half to Olden Times (GB) (Darshaan {GB}), GSW & MG1SP-Eng, G1SW-Fr, \$329,197. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, £4,533.

O-Prince A A Faisal; B-Nawara Stud Co Ltd; T-H Dunlop.



British Report cont.

Hamilton Park, 6.30, Mdn, £6,000, 2yo, 5f 4ydsT, 1:01.36, gd.
+ LIEUTENANT PIGEON (GB) (c, 2, Captain Rio {GB}--Blue Velvet {GB}, by Formidable), sent off the 9-4 second choice, broke well, but was soon at work to keep tabs on the leaders. Making headway past half-way, the 28,000gns DONSEP yearling reeled in Latin Class (Carson City) after the furlong pole before asserting for a two-length success. He becomes the second winner for his freshman sire (by Pivotal {GB}). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, £3,886.
 O-Dale and Ann Wilsdon; B-P A Mason; T-Brian Smart.

★ FRANCE ★

Saturday, Chantilly, post time: 3:20 p.m.

PRIX D'ANGERVILLE-Listed, €52,000, 3yo, f, 1mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER
1	3	Moquette	Maria's Mon	Pantall
2	8	Cinnamon Bay (GB)	Zamindar	Fabre
3	7	Air Bag (Fr)	Poliglote (GB)	Barande-Barbe
4	5	Tanguista (Fr)	War Chant	Bary
5	6	Nunez (Fr)	Zieten	Pritchard-Gordon
6	1	Lady of Swain	Swain (Ire)	Fabre
7	11	Nolas Lolly (Ire)	Lomitas (GB)	Suter
8	2	Green Lyons (Ire)	Green Desert	Head-Maarek
9	10	Maria Gabriella (Ire)	Rock of Gibraltar (Ire)	Laffon-Parias
10	4	Nini de Paris (Fr)	Lord of Men (GB)	Gallorini
11	9	Highest Height (Fr)	Highest Honor (Fr)	Smaga

All carry 123 pounds bar Cinnamon Bay, 128.

Yesterday's Results:

Lyon-Parilly, 3.50, Cond, €22,000, 3yo, 1mT, 1:43.23, sf.

EARTH PLANET (c, 3, Distant View--Razyana, by His Majesty), a half to Danehill (Danzig), G1SW-Eng, \$284,502, finished fourth at Maisons-Laffitte last time Apr. 20. He raced in sixth until making progress under pressure rounding the home turn. Grabbing the lead with 300 meters to go, the 7-5 pick kept on well for persistent urging and, despite a tendency to drift left, was pushed out to defeat Take Blood (Fr) (Take Risks {Fr}) by 1 1/2 lengths. Earth Planet is also a half to Euphonic (The Minstrel), SW & GSP-Fr, \$101,691; Eagle Eyed (Danzig), GSW-US, GSP-Fr, \$355,818; Harpia (Danzig), GSW-US, \$294,389; and Shibboleth (Danzig), GSW-Eng & US, \$187,319. Lifetime Record: 5 starts, 1 win, 3 places, €22,800.
 O-Khalid Abdullah; B-Juddmonte Farms; T-Andre Fabre.

Lyon-Parilly, 2.50, Cond, €19,000, 2yo, 5fT, 1:00.45, sf.
SALUT L'AFRICAIN (FR) (c, 2, Ski Chief--Mamana {Ire}, by Highest Honor {Fr}), runner up at Longchamp last time May 8, broke best of all to seize early control. Pushed clear approaching the final furlong, the 7-5 chalk enjoyed isolation in the closing stages to best Pull the Plug (Pulpit) by an easy eight lengths. Lifetime Record: 3 starts, 1 win, 2 places, €16,500.
 O/T-Robert Collet; B-SARL Classic Breeding, Edouard Gonfray & Maurice Hassan.

★ IRELAND ★

Yesterday's Results:

Cork, 6.20, Hcp, €32,500, 4yo/up, 5fT, :56.14, gd.
GRECIAN DANCER (GB) (f, 4, Dansili {GB}--Pizzicato {GB}, by Statoblest {Ire}), who scored a brace of handicap wins at The Curragh Apr. 15 and Naas six days later, found one too good at Gowran Park 12 days ago. She started as the 5-1 second choice here. Racing just off the furious early gallop, the 100,000gns TATOCT yearling hit the front approaching the eighth pole before drawing clear for a convincing 1 3/4-length defeat of Coseadrom (Ire) (Almutawakel {GB}). The victress is a half to Wunders Dream (Ire) (Averti {Ire}), MGSW-Eng, \$178,811. Lifetime Record: 11-4-2-1, €59,709.
 O-Dr M V O'Brien; B-John Ellis; T-Charles O'Brien.

Cork, 5.50, Mdn, €20,000, 2yo, 5fT, :58.18, gd.
CHINESE TEMPLE (IRE) (c, 2, Choisir {Aus}--Savage {Ire} {GSP-Ger, \$140,358}, by Polish Patriot), third over a panel further on debut a fortnight earlier, was sent off the 7-2 second favorite and broke fast to lead. Tackled by Marias Buddy (GB) (Reel Buddy) inside the final quarter mile, the €16,500 GOFNOV weanling kicked clear inside the final 100 yards to put 2 1/2 lengths between her and that rival, who dead-heated for second with Dream Rainbow (GB) (Oasis Dream {GB}). Chinese Temple marks the eighth winner for his freshman sire (by Danehill Dancer {Ire}). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, €15,020.
 O-Mrs G Hennessy; B-Peter Thorne; T-Daniel O'Sullivan.

Cork, 7.25, Mdn, €15,000, 3/4yo, 10fT, 2:07.63, gd.
SOROLLA (IRE) (c, 3, Danehill--Bonita Francita, by Devil's Bag) had been unlucky to run into Chariots of Fire (Ire) here Apr. 8, Consul General (GB) at Limerick Apr. 20 and Eyshal (Ire) at Gowran Park nine days later, but gave no quarter on each occasion. Showing no battle scars here, the 1-2 pick was soon in front and extended his advantage with every stride in the stretch to record a bloodless 13-length success. The winner is a half to Etterby Park (Silver Hawk), SW-Eng, \$168,139; Jules (Forty Niner), GSW-US, \$293,320; and Orpen (Lure), Hwt. 2yo Colt-Ire, G1SP-Ire, G1SW-Fr, \$168,960. Lifetime Record: 5-1-3-0, €17,526.
 O-Susan Magnier; B-Western Bloodstock; T-A O'Brien.

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★ GERMANY ★

Saturday, Baden-Baden, post time: 5:35 p.m.

FESTA-RENNEN-Listed, €25,000, 3yo, f, 1 1/8mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER
1	4	Boccassini (Ger)	Artan (Ire)	Rulec
2	2	Kirunavaara (Ire)	Galileo (Ire)	Hickst
3	3	La Blue Hill (GB)	Tiger Hill (Ire)	Steinmetz
4	6	Laeya Star (Ger)	Royal Dragon	Ostmann
5	5	Majounes Song (GB)	Singspiel (Ire)	Johnston
6	9	Naomia (Ger)	Monsun (Ger)	Rau
7	1	Red Diva (GB)	Zinaad (GB)	Hofer
8	7	Sweet Montana (Ger)	Lando (Ger)	Kleinkorres
9	8	Waky Love (Ger)	Royal Dragon	Mayer

All carry 126 pounds bar Boccassini, 130.

STRONG TRADE AT IFFEZHEIM

Yesterday's BBAG Spring Sale ended with the average and median rising by 22 percent as a result of a strong overseas presence. It was a tie for top honors between hip 47, the three-year-old filly **Taita (Ger)** (Big Shuffle), and hip 147, a juvenile colt by Lemon Drop Kid, who both sold for €70,000. Taita, who was promoted to the runner-up spot in the Listed Lanson-Cup here last Sunday, was consigned by her breeder Dr Christoph Burmester and was knocked down to Blandford Bloodstock. It was the Slovenian operation Agrolipt who signed the docket for hip 147, who is out of the graded-stakes winning Coronation Cup, herself a half-sister to Sea Hero and Hero's Honor. Dirk Eisele's BBA Germany secured hip 149, a two-year-old son of Grand Slam, for €67,000. From the family of Godolphin's Grand Hombro, he was consigned by Con Marnane's Bansha House Stables. Eisele's operation had earlier paid €61,000 for Rennstall Wohler's hip 121, a two-year-old filly from the first crop of the 2002 GI Breeders' Cup Mile hero Domedriver (Ire) out of the listed-placed and stakes-producing mare Susi Wong (Ire). Full results can be found on www.bbag-sales.de.



BBAG SPRING MIXED SALE FRIDAY, MAY 18, 2007

	2007	2006
No. Offered	115	112
No. Sold	82	89
RNAs	33	23
% RNA	28.7%	20.5%
Gross	€1,307,200	€1,166,700
Average	€15,450 (+ 22%)	€12,661
Median	€15,941 (+21.6%)	€13,109

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BREEDERS' EDITION AMERICA

STAKES RESULTS:

WHIMSCAL S., \$84,750, PIM, 5-18, (R), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10 4/5, ft.

1--**#LA CHICA RICA, 118, f, 4, Disco Rico--Colonial Conquest, by Colonial Affair.** O-Bella Cavello Stables LLC; B-High Five Stables (MD); T-Crystal G Pickett; J-Jozbin Z Santana; \$57,000. Lifetime Record: 18-6-5-1, \$192,376.

2--**Homesteader, 118, f, 4, Pioneering--Sugarloaf, by Regal Intention.** \$15,000.

3--**Waytotheleft, 122, m, 5, Abaginone--Waywayanda, by Belong to Me.** \$8,250.

Margins: HF, 5, 4HF. Odds: 4.80, 2.00, 1.00.

THE VERY ONE S., \$75,000, PIM, 5-18, 3yo/up, f/m, 5fT, :55 3/5, fm.

1--**UNBRIDLED SIDNEY, 124, m, 6, Unbridled's Song--Baltic Sea, by Danzig.** (\$350,000 yrl '02 KEESEP). O-Devenport, Douglas & Norrine; B-Pacelco SA & Gaines-GentryThoroughbreds (KY); T-Ronny W Werner; J-Calvin H Borel; \$45,000. Lifetime Record: GSP, 20-8-3-3, \$629,910. *1/2 to Prospect Bay (Crafty Prospector), GSW, \$185,000; Silver Dollar Kids (Meadowlake), MSP, \$152,080; and Caller One (Phone Trick), Hwt Older Horse-UAE at 5-7f, G1SW-UAE, MGSW & GISP-US, \$3,219,429.

2--**Wild Berry, 118, m, 6, Wild Event--Deer Berry, by Deerhound.** \$15,000.

3--**Keep On Talking, 118, f, 4, Royal Academy--Gin Talking, by Allen's Prospect.** \$8,250.

Margins: 3, HD, HF. Odds: 0.80, 7.40, 33.60.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

6th-WOX, \$81,098, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m70y (off turf), 1:45 1/5, ft.

EXECUTIVE FLIGHT (f, 4, Bold Executive--Harvest the Sky, by Skywalker) Lifetime Record: MSP, 16-7-3-3, \$360,008. O-William A Sorokolit, Jr. B-William A Sorokolit (ON). T-Darwin D Banach.

4th-CDX, \$50,000, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 3/8mT, 2:18 3/5, fm.

READY TO GOES (m, 5, Lord Avie--On My Toes {SP}, by Northern Baby) Lifetime Record: 10-2-1-3, \$58,916. O/B-Frances Hill Myers (KY). T-F Hill Parker.

4th-LAD, \$40,880, Opt. Clm. (\$35,000), NW2X, 3yo/up, f/m, a1mT, 1:39 4/5, gd.

TORTUGA FLATS (f, 4, Wild Zone--Tortuga Band {MSP}, by Dixieland Band) Lifetime Record: MSW, 13-7-2-0, \$276,380. O-John P Balensiefen. B-Joseph Adcock & Neal McFadden (LA). T-Ralph R Irwin. * Full to Lightsnatcher, SW, \$107,020; and 1/2 to Tortuga Straits (Gold Tribute), MSW, \$363,000.



9th-APX, \$38,160, Opt. Clm. (\$80,000), NW2\$R9MX, 3yo/up, f/m, a1 1/16mT, 1:44 2/5, gd.

ROUND HEELS (IRE) (m, 6, Daggers Drawn--Sigonella {Ire}, by Priolo) Lifetime Record: MSW-Fr, GSP-US, 12-3-1-1, \$148,157. O-Richard L Duchossois. B-Rozelle Bloodstock (IRE). T-Chris M Block.

8th-PIM, \$32,000, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:46 3/5, ft.

EARLYBIRD ROAD (f, 3, Cherokee Run--Kiss N Make Up, by Private Terms) Lifetime Record: SP, 17-5-3-1, \$108,415. O-Jack Jordan Racing LLC. B-James & David Egan & Chet Blackey (KY). T-William A Campbell. *\$45,000 yrl '05 KEESEP.

6th-PIM, \$32,000, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:12 4/5, ft.

FIVE STAR MAGIC (f, 3, Five Star Day--Crafty Magic, by Crafty Prospector) Lifetime Record: SP, 7-2-0-3, \$47,760. O-Star Horse Racing. B-Andrea Singer Pollack Revocable Trust (KY). T-Anthony Aguirre. *\$20,000 2yo 2006 FTMMAY.

8th-CTX, \$31,000, 5-17, NW16MX, 3yo/up, f/m, 7f, 1:27 3/5, ft.

AFLEET ANGEL (m, 7, Northern Afleet--Guarded Optimist, by Spend a Buck) Lifetime Record: 24-8-2-5, \$153,159. O-Lori Rice. B-Brett Rice (FL). T-Paula Bacon. *1/2 to Guardianofthegate (Gate Dancer), MSW, \$273,532.

9th-LAD, \$30,750, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11 2/5, ft.

ROCK IT SLEW (m, 5, Slew the Surgeon--Rock It Flyer {SW, \$167,513}, by Wind Flyer) Lifetime Record: 9-2-3-0, \$57,630. O-Scotty D McNair. B-Mr & Mrs Alan B Simpson (LA). T-Scotty McNair. *\$1,500 2yo 2004 LOUSEP.

7th-APX, \$30,500, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10 3/5, ft.

HANNA FOM SAVANAH (f, 3, Evansville Slew--Dustee Bottle, by Northern Wolf) Lifetime Record: 11-2-0-1, \$44,224. O/B-Barr Three LLC (IL). T-Michele Boyce.

6th-CRC, \$28,000, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), NW2X, 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:41 2/5, fm.

FANCY SILVER (c, 4, The Silver Move--Something Fancy, by Determinant) Lifetime Record: MSP, 17-3-3-5, \$111,730. O-Thunder Hoof Thoroughbreds. B-David Squier (FL). T-W Paschal Bignault.

5th-PIM, \$28,000, NW1X, 3yo/up, 1 1/8mT, 1:48 1/5, fm.

AMERICANER (GER) (c, 4, Acatenango {Ger}--After Eight Blues, by Bold Ruckus) Lifetime Record: 13-2-0-2, \$48,763. O-John M B O'Connor. B-Stiftung Gestut Fahrhof (GER). T-Bernardo Callejas.

7th-CTX, \$27,000, 5-17, NW3L, 3yo, f, 4 1/2f, :52 4/5, ft.

PATRICIA ANN B (f, 3, Boundary--Miss Chit Chat, by Phone Trick) Lifetime Record: 11-3-1-2, \$46,487. O-Black N' Tan Stable. B-Herman Sarkowsky (KY). T-Crystal G Pickett. *\$4,500 2yo '06 FTMMAY.

2nd-CRC, \$26,000, NW1X, 3yo, 1 1/16mT, 1:42 1/5, fm.

FAIR WEATHER STAN (g, 3, Tiger Ridge--J's Toy, by Mister Baileys {GB}) Lifetime Record: SP, 12-4-1-1, \$83,230. O/B-Joel Sainer (FL). T-J David Braddy.

5th-LSX, \$25,000, 5-17, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:42 3/5, fm.

FAST ON FRIDAY (g, 4, Pine Bluff--Short Skirt, by Mt. Livermore) Lifetime Record: 20-2-5-2, \$38,630. O-Heflin & Driver Racing LLC. B-Wilton Elege Scott (TX). T-Cody Autrey.

6th-FLX, \$22,600, NW1BX, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 1m70y, 1:45 3/5, ft.

DIXIE JAM (m, 5, Dixie Brass--Naskra's de Light {SW & MGSP, \$222,381}, by Star de Naskra) Lifetime Record: 30-3-8-2, \$98,881. O-Hesa Stable. B-Daniel Monosson (NY). T-Nirka Huertas.

8th-FLX, \$22,600, NW2BX, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 5f, :59 4/5, ft.

PAM D'MONIA (f, 4, Cryptoclearance--Take Sara {SP, \$125,826}, by Regal Remark) Lifetime Record: 37-6-11-4, \$193,494. O-Aces Full Racing Stable. B-Jim D Tilton Jr (NY). T-Michael A Lecesse. *\$1,200 wlng '03 FTMDEC.

7th-FLX, \$22,100, NW1BX, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 5f, 1:00, ft.

TONY'S GIRL (m, 7, Helmsman--Native Assembly, by General Assembly) Lifetime Record: 38-9-6-5, \$125,878. O-Christopher Prognos. B-Gregory Equine LLC (NY). T-John Prognos. *\$40,000 2yo 2002 OBSAPR.

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4th-FLX, \$22,100, NW1BX, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:12 4/5, ft.

TOWN GOSSIP (m, 5, **Williamstown--Crystalline**, by **Cure the Blues**) Lifetime Record: 15-5-0-1, \$40,048. O-Donald McCormick. B-Silvernails Farm (NY). T-Bruce D Anderson. *\$2,500 yrl '03 FTMSEP; \$27,000 2yo 2004 FTMMAY.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Nowhere Jones, f, 2, **Seneca Jones**--Outofnowhere (SW, \$108,173), by The Wicked North. LSX, 5-17, 4 1/2f, :52 3/5. B-Ken Murphy (TX).

+ **African Talker**, f, 2, **Wind Whipper**--Hot Talker, by Speak. CRC, 5-18, (C), 2f, :22 1/5. B-Dr. Afonso Martinez (FL). *\$13,000 2yo 2007 OBSAPR.

La Mancha, f, 3, **Ascot Knight**--Hasta Pronto, by El Prado (Ire). WOX, 5-18, (S), 6 1/2f, 1:19 3/5. B-Ian Jamieson (ON).

Executive Mist, f, 3, **Bold Executive**--Moon Mist (GSW, \$321,094), by Key to the Moon. WOX, 5-18, (S), 6 1/2f, 1:19. B-J. Campitelli (ON). *1/2 to Barlee Mist (Charlie Barley), GSW, \$674,117; and full to Bold Mist, SW, \$118,663.

Diva's Seastar, f, 3, **Broken Vow**--Taj Aire (SW), by Taj Alriyadh. GGX, 5-17, 1 1/16mT, 1:44 2/5. B-John & Doris Konecny (KY). *1/2 to R. Baggio (Chimes Band), MSW, \$314,895; Handyman Bill (Skywalker), SW, \$136,310; and Elusive Diva (Elusive Quality), MGSW & GISP, \$484,510.

Inside Risk, f, 3, **Out of Place**--Option Contract, by Forty Niner. PIM, 5-18, 6f, 1:12 3/5. B-Mike Rainier (KY). *1/2 to Shake The Dice (Boundary), SW, \$523,851.

That I Am, g, 3, **Rahy**--Lets Do Lunch (MSW, \$237,200), by Royal Roberto. APX, 5-18, (S), 1m, 1:37. B-Hill 'N Dale Farm (IL). *1/2 to Doc's Dilemma (Known Fact), MSW, \$198,050; and full to Apt to Be, GSW, \$489,560.

Tater Tutt, g, 3, **Untuttable**--Aloha Baby, by W. D. Jacks. BEL, 5-18, (C), 6f, 1:12 3/5. B-Mike & Beth Smith (FL). *\$7,500 yrl '05 OBSAUG; \$6,500 yrl '05 OBSJAN; \$65,000 2yo 2006 OBSAPR.

Sweet Corredor, f, 4, **El Corredor**--Dark Champagne (SP), by Hooched. BEL, 5-18, (S), 6fT, 1:11 1/5. B-Sez Who Thoroughbreds (NY). *1/2 to Dark Ending (End Sweep), GISW, \$293,792; and Champagne Ending (Precise End), SW & GSP, \$177,023.

Priceless Gem, f, 4, **Elusive Quality**--Cherished Jewel, by Private Account. CDX, 5-18, 6f, 1:10 3/5. B-Dr. Andy Senske & Dr. Ellen Teboe (KY). *\$30,000 wlng '03 KEENOV; \$60,000 2yo 2005 FTMMAY; \$55,000 HRA 2006 KEENOV.

Arroyo Trabuco, g, 4, **Maria's Mon**--Chart Topper (MSW, \$239,584), by Groovy. HOL, 5-17, (C), 6 1/2f, 1:16 4/5. B-Ten Broeck Farm Inc (KY). *\$85,000 wlng '03 KEENOV; \$120,000 yrl '04 KEESEP.

Cat's Revenge, g, 6, **Sir Cat**--Regents Glow, by Vice Regent. PIM, 5-18, 1 1/16mT, 1:43. B-Jane Pearson (KY). *\$16,000 yrl '02 FTKOCT. **Full to Cat's Glow, SW, \$120,359.

SO. HEMISPHERE WINNERS BY U.S. SIRES:

Gold Mount (NZ), c, 2, **Black Minnaloushe**--Message To My Girl (NZ), by Straight Strike. Warwick Farm (Sydney), 5-9, Mdn, 2yo, 5 1/2fT. B-R W Taylor.

Birthmark (Aus), c, 2, **Elusive Quality**--Indy Rose, by A.P. Indy. Kembla Grange (New South Wales), 5-5, Hcp, 2yo, 6fT. B-Darley Australia Pty Ltd.

General Eisenhower (Aus), c, 2, **Fusaichi Pegasus**--Moonflute (Aus), by Danehill. Moonee Valley (Melbourne), 5-5, Hcp, 2yo, 7f 145ydsT. B-G Harvey.

Emjay Hussey (Aus), g, 2, **Hussonet**--Amaranth, by Flying Paster. Caulfield (Melbourne), 5-12, Hcp, 2yo, 6fT. B-Arrowfield Pastoral Pty Ltd.

Sandton (Aus), f, 2, **Johannesburg**--Rasmiah (GB), by Sadler's Wells. Ballarata (Victoria), 5-5, Mdn, 2yo, f, 5fT. B-Orange Grove Thoroughbreds.

Patronyme (Aus), f, 2, **More than Ready**--Descendant (Aus), by Zeditave (Aus). Canterbury (Sydney), 5-7, Mdn, 2yo, f, 5 1/2fT. B-P P Rohan.

Stacked (Aus), f, 3, **Belong to Me**--Western Invasion (Aus), by Best Western (Aus). Randwick (Sydney), 5-12, Hcp, 3yo, f, 7fT. B-G Harvey.

For Action (Aus), g, 3, **More than Ready**--Khaptrist (NZ), by Sir Tristram (Ire). Canterbury (Sydney), 5-7, Hcp, 3yo/up, 5 1/2fT. B-Vinery Stud Pty Ltd.

Maruia Springs (NZ), f, 3, **Thunder Gulch**--Extra Heat (Aus), by Citidancer (Ire). Riccarton (Christchurch), 5-11, Mdn, 3yo/up, 1mT. B-W H Holdings Ltd.

Soaressa (Aus), f, 3, **Twining**--Wedgetail Eagle (Aus), by Lure. Caulfield (Melbourne), 5-12, Hcp, 3yo, f, 6fT. B-W Blass.

Borninthestates (NZ), g, 4, **Chief Bearhart**--Emanation (NZ), by lades (Fr). Riccarton (Christchurch), 5-11, Hcp, 3yo/up, 7fT. B-Dr C F Lim.

Lil' Monster (NZ), g, 5, **Honour and Glory**--Ulanova (NZ), by Classic Fame. Te Rapa (New Zealand), 5-5, Hcp, 3yo/up, 6fT. B-Mrs F C Wallace.

Irish Sky (NZ), g, 5, **Stravinsky**--Woodwind, by Woodman. Doomben (Brisbane), 5-12, Hcp, 3yo/up, 5 1/2fT. B-R G Walls.

BREEDERS' EDITION EUROPE

CONDITIONS RESULTS:

ITALY, Florence, 5.15, 5-17, €10,800, 3yo, 7 1/2fT, time: n/a, gd.

SANRIPOLI (IRE) (c, 3, **Danehill Dancer {Ire}--Wooderine, by Woodman)** Lifetime Record: 6-2-0-0, €11,475. O-Azienda Agricola S Uberto In Cerrecchia SRL; B-Leonardo Ciampoli; T-Valfredo Valiani.



ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

- Lampione (Ity)**, c, 2, **Dr Devious (Ire)**--Lia (Ity), by Horage (Ire). Siracusa, Italy, 5-17, Mdn, 2yo, 6fT. B-Azienda Agricola La Tortorella. *€10,000 yrl '06 ITYSEP.
- Salut Lisa (Fr)**, f, 2, **Sagacity (Fr)**--Salut Bebs (Fr), by Kendor (Fr). Dieppe, France, 5-18, Cond, 2yo, 5fT. B-Roger Jesus. *1/2 to Salut Thomas (Fr) (Adnaan {Ire}), MSW & MGSP-Fr, \$291,736.
- Mujahaz (Ire)**, c, 3, **Act One (GB)**--Sayedati Eljamilah, by Mr. Prospector. Newbury, Britain, 5-18, Hcp, 3yo, 11f 5ydsT. B-Shadwell Estate Company Ltd.
- Moon Rock (GB)**, c, 3, **Anabaa Blue (GB)**--Moonlight Melody (Ger), by Law Society. Dieppe, France, 5-18, Mdn, 3yo, 1 1/2mT. B-D Burkle.
- + **Limeira (GB)**, f, 3, **Bertolini**--Ligona (GB) (MSW-Ger), by Aragon (GB). Dortmund, Germany, 5-17, Mdn, 3yo, 1mT. B-Stiftung Gestut Fahrhof. *1/2 to Lateral (GB) (Singspiel {Ire}), Hwt. 2yo Colt-Ity, Hwt. 3yo-Ger at 7-9.5f, MGSW-Ger, G1SW-Ity, GSP-Fr, \$374,882.
- + **Banderella (Ire)**, f, 3, **Diktat (GB)**--Baskama (Ger), by Surumu (Ger). Dortmund, Germany, 5-17, Mdn, 3yo, f, 1m 165ydsT. B-Gestut Hony-Hof.
- Caroline's Secret (GB)**, f, 3, **Inchinor (GB)**--Blodwen, by Mister Baileys (GB). Baden Baden, Germany, 5-17, Mdn, 3yo, f, 1 1/4mT. B-Usk Valley Stud. *29,000gns yrl '05 DONSEP; €64,000 2yo '06 BBAMAY.
- Nans Joy (Ire)**, f, 3, **In the Wings (GB)**--True Joy (Ire), by Zilzal. Hamilton Park, Britain, 5-18, Mdn, 3yo/up, 9f 36ydsT. B-Mrs Brid Cosgrove.
- + **Longville (Ger)**, c, 3, **Lando (Ger)**--La Paz (Ger), by Roi Dagobert (Fr). Dortmund, Germany, 5-17, Mdn, 3yo, 1 1/4mT. B-Carlton Consultants Ltd. *1/2 to Longridge (Ger) (Surumu {Ger}), SW & MGSP-Ger, SP-Eng & Slo, \$166,290.

SO. HEMISPHERE WINNERS BY EUROPEAN SIRE:

- Apercu (Aus)**, f, 2, **Encosta de Lago (Aus)**--Making Fey (NZ), by Zabeel (NZ). Doomben (Brisbane), 5-12, Golden S.-Listed, 2yo, 6fT, A\$64,000 to winner. B-T J & J A Hughes Racing.
- Casual (NZ)**, g, 3, **Bertolini**--Casualaire (NZ), by Casual Lies. Otaki (New Zealand), 5-5, Hcp, 3yo, 1mT. B-D M K & Mrs I S Lees.
- Giovanni (NZ)**, g, 3, **Bertolini**--Fashionabeel (NZ), by Zabeel (NZ). Raranaki (New Zealand), 5-12, Hcp, 3yo/up, 6fT. B-Mrs J L Smith & D A Thomas.
- J'Adane (NZ)**, f, 3, **Danehill**--Affirmed Lane, by Affirmed. Eagle Farm (Brisbane), 5-9, Mdn, 3yo, 6fT. B-P J & P M Vela Ltd.
- Chase The Sun (NZ)**, g, 3, **Pentire (GB)**--Glimmer (NZ), by Dance Floor. Te Rapa (New Zealand), 5-5, Hcp, 3yo/up, 7fT. B-I G Hadfield.
- Amberino (Aus)**, f, 3, **Perugino**--Amber Plate (Aus), by Rustic Amber (Ire). Moonee Valley (Melbourne), 5-5, Hcp, 3yo, f, 5fT. B-Contract Racing Pty Ltd.

- Baha (NZ)**, g, 4, **Bahhare**--Perspicacious (NZ), by Sound Reason. Te Rapa (New Zealand), 5-5, Hcp, 3yo/up, 7fT. B-Judge Clapham.
- Go Cart (Aus)**, g, 4, **Danehill Dancer (Ire)**--Cubicle (Aus), by Scenic (Ire). Warwick Farm (Sydney), 5-9, Hcp, 3yo/up, 6 1/2fT. B-J D Haigh.
- Wasted Emotions (Aus)**, g, 4, **Desert Prince (Ire)**--Emotional Moment (Aus), by Salieri (USA). Randwick (Sydney), 5-12, Hcp, 3yo/up, 5 1/2fT. B-J R & Mrs P D Cribb.
- Mojo Pin (Aus)**, g, 4, **Marju (Ire)**--Miss Capucino (NZ), by Khozaam. Caulfield (Melbourne), 5-12, Hcp, 3yo/up, 1 1/4mT. B-Mrs D Parkes.
- Gold Gold Gold (Aus)**, f, 4, **Monashee Mountain**--AquaStrike (Aus), by Straight Strike. Eagle Farm (Brisbane), 5-9, Hcp, 3yo/up, f/m, 7fT. B-Mrs W M Morton.
- By Boon (Aus)**, g, 4, **Octagonal (NZ)**--Light Up The World (Aus), by Rory's Jester (Aus). Canterbury (Sydney), 5-7, Hcp, 3yo/up, 7f 165ydsT. B-G Harvey.
- Hanna Rossa (Aus)**, f, 4, **Testa Rossa (Aus)**--Johanna (Aus), by Umatilla (NZ). Moonee Valley (Melbourne), 5-5, Hcp, 3yo/up, f/m, 6fT. B-G Sirianni.
- Testabel (Aus)**, f, 4, **Testa Rossa (Aus)**--Cabaret Star (Aus), by Marauding (NZ). Sandown (Melbourne), 5-6, Hcp, 4yo/up, f/m, 1mT. B-Black Planet Thoroughbreds.
- Ave Maree (NZ)**, m, 5, **Cape Cross (Ire)**--Avelina (GB), by Nashwan. Rotorua (New Zealand), 5-12, Hcp, 3yo/up, 7f 165ydsT. B-T W Jarvis.
- Prince Eiram (Aus)**, g, 5, **Desert King (Ire)**--Acushla Marie (NZ), by Lord Ballina (Aus). Sandown (Melbourne), 5-6, Hcp, 3yo/up, 1 5/16mT. B-B Nally.
- Caridale (Aus)**, g, 5, **Desert Sun (GB)**--Song Of Norway (Aus), by Vain (Aus). Sandown (Melbourne), 5-6, Hcp, 4yo/up, 7 1/2fT. B-L J Fleming.
- Rum Dum (Aus)**, g, 5, **Peintre Celebre**--McCartney (NZ), by Trustful (Aus). Eagle Farm (Brisbane), 5-9, Hcp, 3yo/up, 1 1/8mT. B-Hobby Horse Hall Racing Pty Ltd.
- Fascinator (NZ)**, m, 5, **Spinning World**--Label Basher (NZ), by Conquistarose. Raranaki (New Zealand), 5-12, Hcp, 3yo/up, 1mT. B-Mrs M E A Evans.
- Danebar (Aus)**, g, 7, **Danehill Dancer (Ire)**--Miamber (Aus), by Red Anchor (NZ). Rosehill (Sydney), 5-5, Hcp, 3yo/up, 1 1/2mT. B-Ms P Godfrey.

FOALING NEWS:

JETINTO HOUSTON, 8, Houston--Jetinwith Kennedy, by Kennedy Road
Foal born Apr. 25, a filly by Speightstown.
Will be bred back to Henny Hughes.
Owned by Craig Bendoroff, George Harris, Steve Holland and Tom Ryan.
Boarded at Denali Stud, Ky.
Accomplishments: MSW of \$282,885.



TDN FANTASY STABLE 2005

By Steve Sherack

In the spring of 2005, the *TDN* had four U.S.-based Thoroughbred consulting firms select a Fantasy Stable of 20 juveniles. Each group was asked to put together its stable from horses catalogued in any of that season's two-year-old in training sales, based on their company's methodology on how they evaluate horses. The participants were allowed to include sales entrants that RNA'd. No cap or price range was imposed on the groups regarding the outlay for each Fantasy Stable. Each company was given an equal amount of time to discuss the selection process and productivity of its Fantasy Stable, as well as their company's services and methodology and criteria of selecting Thoroughbreds. The Fantasy Stable quartet includes: Bob Fierro and Jay Kilgore of **DataTrack International, LLC**; Suzanne Smallwood of **Equix Biomechanics**; Jeff Seder of **EQB, Inc.**; and Cecil Seaman of **Cecil Seaman & Co., LLC**. With the horses in the Fantasy Stables now in their four-year-old seasons, we thought it would be a good time to check the results.

DATA TRACK/BREEZEFIGS FANTASY STABLE

Stable Purchase Price: \$5,936,000

Average Purchase Price: \$296,800

Median Purchase Price: \$250,000

Earnings: \$2,957,697

% Earnings Per Dollar Spent: 50%

Average Earnings Per Stable Member: \$147,885

% Graded Stakes Winners: 3/20=15%

% Graded Stakes Horses: 6/20=30%

% Stakes Winners: 4/20=20%

% Stakes Horses: 8/20=40%

% Repeat Winners: 12/20=60%

% Winners: 16/20=80%

% Starters: 19/20=95%

Stud Fees Produced (2007): Henny Hughes (Darley, \$40,000);

Praying For Cash (Hartley/De Renzo, \$6,500); Excelsior (Ardell

Sayler's Farm, \$1,000)=\$47,500.

*through 5/14/07

Bob Fierro, along with DataTrack International partner Jay Kilgore, developed BreezeFigs in 2004 after reviewing five years of video data from two-year-old in training sales. A BreezeFig ([sample, courtesy DRF.com](#)) is a speed figure that combines time, stride-length, miles-per-hour and other variables for horses that breeze at least once at a two-year-old in training sale. The higher the number, the better.

"We came up with a system that identified the best horses in each sale, not by the speed they went in the under-tack shows, but by a combination of factors--speed, stride length, a couple of angulations and a couple of other things--and devised a formula so that it would be common to what most people were using at the time in terms of speed figures, the lower the better," Fierro commented.

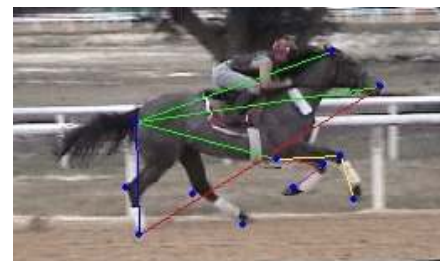
"However, after looking at it some more, I found that it was backwards. I went in and re-adjusted the formulas and took another factor into consideration as well.

And when we did that, we had a total of 10 internal numbers and we kept evaluating which were the better indicators. We identified certain elements and divided them into groups, just like the racing pattern in this country--Group One, Two and Three."

Along with BreezeFigs, DataTrack also offers cardio scores and biomechanical measurements for their clients. According to Fierro, the consulting firm uses a digital cardio machine, which scans a horse's heart at rest and shows whether or not the heart has the capacity when it's dilating or when it's contracting to deliver enough blood through the body.

"There are also formulas involved, and the strength of the walls of the heart are involved as well," Fierro said of the cardio scores. "You want to make sure that if you have a Maserati colt, that he has a Maserati heart. Our attitude is that at the two-year-old sales, it's the trainer who makes the difference. We developed a BreezeFig, which everybody can relate to because they are all handicappers. We believe that if you use our BreezeFigs and really like the horse on the Figs and your trainer likes the way the horse moves, then it's really incumbent upon you, if you are concerned with having a horse that could go two turns, to take a look and see what that cardio system is all about. We've seen a lot of people buy horses that have pedigrees that say two turns, but who have cardios that stop them at a mile."

According to Fierro, DataTrack takes approximately 36 biomechanical measurements and puts them through a program which "shows how the horse is likely to behave as a racehorse." Most of DataTrack's biomechanical measurements are done primarily on yearlings.



BreezeFigs are derived by digitizing stride lengths as well as various angles and segmental distances of a horse's action, similar to what is shown here.

BreezeFigs™



"We've done a number of biomechanical reports on yearlings who have subsequently gone on to the two-year-old sales," he said. "For example, we're at a two-year-old sale and we notice that we measured one of them as a yearling. When we saw this one at the yearling sale, we may have said that he was going to have high knee action and that's indicative of a turf horse, or it's not indicative of a turf horse and he's likely to hurt himself because he's going to come down hard on his front legs, or this a horse that's not going to have a lot of early speed from the gate because he has a very long tibia and he's likely to be a one-paced horse. Then we take a look at their videos in slow motion at the breeze shows and the majority of the time we find that we were right with our evaluations."

When evaluating horses for its clients at the two-year-old sales, the team at DataTrack first takes a look at the BreezeFigs.

"Based on the BreezeFigs and the internal numbers--we have one that shows if they are slowing down during their breeze--we look for horses that are hitting on all cylinders," Fierro explained. "Then primarily Jay will look at the ones that he picks out of that group in slow motion, and based on the way the horse throws its legs, and comes up with its knees, etc., he will eliminate a good 50 percent of those horses from an advisory capacity. In slow motion, what some horses do from the knees down will make a prospective buyer drop his jaw. And we will explain to our client what is likely to happen to the horse because of that. Then Jay, myself and Frank Mitchell will look at the horses at the barns and we will do cardios on the ones that we really like. If the horse passes the cardio inspection, we're done unless the client specifically says to measure the horse biomechanically. And at that particular point, we're over, unless they want us to bid for them at the sale. We charge a fee for our BreezeFig services--video, stride-length analysis, etc.--and there is an extra fee for our cardio and biomechanical services. We have some clients who choose to do the cardio and biomechanics and some who don't."

Fierro pointed out that the majority of DataTrack's clients have other advisors, including trainers, and that they work together in a team capacity. DataTrack's role in the team doesn't include vetting out horses or taking x-rays.

"Virtually everyone of our clients has another advisor or two who handle pedigree, conformation, etc.," Fierro continued. "Especially for clients who stay home and don't go to the sale until it's time to bid, they have teams out there. If a client doesn't have their own vet, we can recommend one, but we work as part of a team. Some clients won't even ask us to analyze horses that weren't cleared by their vet first."

Henny Hughes (Hennessy), an Eclipse finalist for champion sprinter in 2006, was the DataTrack Fantasy Stable's chief earner, bankrolling \$1.1 million in purses. The \$370,000 RNA at BESMAR won the GII Saratoga Special S. at two before finishing second in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile.

Henny Hughes notched two wins at the highest level in his sophomore season, including the prestigious GI King's Bishop S. at Saratoga. He was retired to Darley in Lexington, Kentucky, following an unplaced effort in the 2006 GI Breeders' Cup Sprint. The chestnut stood his first season at stud in 2007 for a fee of \$40,000.

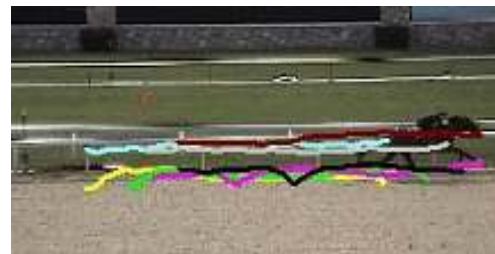
"This colt went :9 4/5," Fierro recalled of Henny Hughes's bullet breeze at Barretts. "He was going faster at the end than at the beginning of his breeze. He had a 24.3-foot stride length, which was one of the longest stride lengths of the sale. He didn't have an outstanding thrust, which is

the ability to maintain that speed for more than a mile. He was the second-fastest horse in the sale on the internal speed figures [One's Not Enough (Northern Afleet), a maiden winner of \$31,800, had the

fastest internal speed figure]. So even though he missed out on thrust, Jay just loved this horse. He does a short list. He looks at the BreezeFigs and looks at all the internal numbers and then he selects a group of horses that he looks at as far as how they moved. Then he cuts that down and looks at the horses as well and when he falls in love, he falls in love."

Also included in DataTrack's Fantasy Stable was last season's GI Haskell Invitational H. runner-up and GIII Long Branch Breeders' Cup S. winner **Praying For Cash** (Songandaprayer). The \$150,000 KEEAPR graduate retired with \$357,630 in earnings following an off-the-board finish in Keeneland's GIII Perryville S. in October. He stands at Hartley/De Renzo Thoroughbreds in Ocala, Florida, for a fee of \$6,500 in 2007.

"Praying For Cash had a 25.39-foot stride length," Fierro said. "He moved at a quarter mile--which he achieved in :21 flat--at exactly the same speed every step of the way. That's really scary! Based on thrust, he was probably going to be a miler, but probably go a little further if he had a good cardio system. He had an excellent internal speed figure, which was the best of the sale. He had a BreezeFig eight points over par, which was the second fastest BreezeFig in the sale [fellow Fantasy Stable selection **Noonmark** (Unbridled's Song), MGSP, \$116,175 had the highest BreezeFig]. And Jay just loved the way he moved."



BreezeFigs also tracks the "foot placement" of a horse in order to hone stride lengths utilizing streams similar to these that indicate vertical movement (exaggerated in thickness in this photo for sharper display).

DataTrack/BreezeFigs cont.



The Stable looks to be on track for additional season-ending sprinter honors this year with Harry Aleo's **Smokey Stover** (Put It Back).

The blaze-faced gelding has been perfect in four attempts this term, rattling off victories in the Jan. 27 Sunshine Millions Sprint S. at Santa Anita, the Mar. 11 GIII Bay Meadows Breeders' Cup Sprint H. and most recently the Apr. 7 GII Potrero Grande Breeders' Cup H. at Santa Anita. According to trainer Greg Gilchrist, the \$140,000 FTMMAY purchase will be freshened for a summer/fall campaign and will be pointed toward the GI Breeders' Cup Sprint at Monmouth Oct. 27.

"At an eighth of a mile, he went in :10 3/5," Fierro said of Smokey Stover's breeze at the Fasig-Tipton Midlantic Sale. "He didn't erupt on the track at all, but he had a 24.78-foot stride length--which was major. It was one of the longer stride lengths of any colt which breezed an eighth of a mile at that sale. He was speeding up a little bit at the end of the breeze and he had one of the fastest internal speed figures, even though he went in :10 3/5."

There were many other reasons why Fierro and Kilgore selected their Fantasy Stable of 20.

"It looked like these horses were really the best on a number of terms," Fierro continued. "Number one, what kind of BreezeFig did they have? Number two, what group did they fall into? Number three, what was their potential to get better as they get older based on the internals? Were they slowing down at the end of their breeze? That's one of the things we look at. If a large horse does :10 flat and in our numbers he shows that he has a 23.5-foot stride length, we are skeptical of that horse going beyond sprint distances because there's another factor in our numbers which shows whether or not that horse should sustain his speed beyond that distance--it's called thrust. We found that thrust is extremely important with horses who have very fast breeze times, but below average or average stride length. The average and below average stride length we calculate. Stride length is coming absolutely out of the woodwork as a defining parameter for quality horses. We're the only ones who provide stride length at the two-year-old sales on an immediate basis the night of the breeze show, and whether or not that horse had a longer than average stride length for that day, and sex and distance."

Fierro was quick to give Kilgore credit for selecting the bulk of DataTrack's Fantasy Stable.

"Jay is the guy," Fierro said. "Not only does he do the video at the breeze shows, he analyzes the way the horses move as well. He's very scary when it comes to that, and he does the cardio and, along with biomechanical expert and consultant Frank Mitchell, measures the horses digitally. Jay's the workhorse."



Smokey Stover
Horsephotos

In terms of measuring success, DataTrack conducts studies involving the two-year-old in training sales and BreezeFigs. A recent study that included all juveniles who breezed at least once at eight major two-year-old sales in 2006 and started at least once through the end of the year, showed that in most cases a horse's stride length during the breeze show is at least as important, and sometimes more so, than the time the horse worked in.

"Our original intent was to focus on the validity of BreezeFigs as a predictor of two-year-old racetrack performance, especially in terms of stride lengths," Fierro said of the study. "What we discovered was over 72 percent of horses that were ranked in our top two BreezeFigs groups who broke their maidens in their first four starts as two-year-olds had stride lengths that were longer than the average. But what really got us motivated to mine the data further was that 73 percent of those that broke their maidens in their first start had longer than average stride lengths and, that this figure rose to 78 percent at the five select sales."

BreezeFigs are available on *Daily Racing Form's* website for subscribers to *DRF Plus*. BreezeFigs, used by prospective buyers at two-year-old sales, are also used by many as a handicapping tool for maiden races.

"We reached a deal with *Daily Racing Form* at precisely the same time that people started to pay attention to what we were doing at the sales," Fierro said. "And the beauty of this is that a number of trainers use Figs to claim horses and handicap as well. So it was congruent to a mind set that came out of handicapping. We developed a tool that in effect is the only statistical tool that you can use to both buy and bet on horses."

MAKING THE SHORT LIST

Two-year-olds who made the grade for more than one Fantasy Stable

<u>Horse (Sire)</u>	<u>Sale Price</u>	<u>Earnings</u>
Master of Disaster (Dance Master)	\$600K	\$231,708
<i>Chosen by DataTrack/BreezeFigs, EQB & EQUIX</i>		
Graffham (Red Ransom)	\$400K	Unplaced
<i>Chosen by EQUIX & Seaman</i>		
Likely (Yes It's True)	\$400K	\$93,516
<i>Chosen by EQB & Seaman</i>		
Nectar of the Gods (High Yield)	\$450K	Unraced
<i>Chosen by EQB & EQUIX</i>		
Oden's Tale (Menifee)	\$140K	\$91,170
<i>Chosen by DataTrack/BreezeFigs & EQUIX</i>		
The Long Gray Line (Silver Charm)	\$360K	Unraced
<i>Chosen by DataTrack/BreezeFigs & EQB</i>		
Tilden (Delaware Township)	\$225K	\$33,010
<i>Chosen by EQUIX & Seaman</i>		
Zann (Dynaformer)	\$400K	\$130,632
<i>Chosen by DataTrack/BreezeFigs & Seaman</i>		



EQUIX BIOMECHANICS FANTASY STABLE

Stable Purchase Price: \$15,320,000

Average Purchase Price: \$729,523

Median Purchase Price: \$375,000

Earnings: \$1,810,208

% Earnings Per Dollar Spent: 12%

Average Earnings Per Stable Member: \$86,200

% Graded Stakes Winners: 0/21=0%

% Graded Stakes Horses: 3/21=14%

% Stakes Winners: 1/21=5%

% Stakes Horses: 5/21=24%

% Repeat Winners: 9/21=43%

% Winners: 13/21=62%

% Starters: 18/21=86%

Stud Fees Produced (2007): None

**through 5/14/07*

EQUIX Biomechanics analyzes stride traits using its proprietary EquiTrax video ([click for more info](#)), and also factors in biomechanical measurements ([click for more](#)



[info](#)) and a cardio analysis when selecting horses at two-year-old in training sales. EquiTrax is an ultra high-speed digital video system that helps evaluate a number of stride

traits and other variables. Its biomechanical analysis uses approximately 38 body measurements to further evaluate a horse's athletic potential. The cardio analysis helps to determine a horse's distance capabilities.

"We start with the EquiTrax Stride Analysis at the two-year-old sales," said Suzanne Smallwood, who serves as the vice president and senior analyst for EQUIX. "We have a high-speed 150 frames per second motion sensor camera where we're able to lock the camera onto the horse at the 1/16 pole and follow him throughout the breeze automatically. Once the horse's video is gathered, we have two analysts simultaneously working on computers, performing a series of evaluations on every stride down the stretch. We calculate their stride length, efficiency, and how each stride varies. Babies are green. They'll show a long stride and then may take a couple of shorter strides before smoothing out again. They may cross-fire, and then change their lead properly. It is important that we look at a series of stride revolutions where they're on the same lead. What sets us apart is that we're looking at a significant portion of their workout. Once we compile all our data, we're able to filter through our results and select a group of horses that cluster near the top."

According to Smallwood, between 70 to 75 percent of the horses that breeze at two-year-old in training sales are eliminated right off the bat after analyzing their stride results.

"We're really looking for elite stride traits," she continued. "Stride analysis is more than measuring just the stride length. They need to have timing and efficiency as well. Sometimes long-striding horses are unable to be tactical. They just end up being really slow turn-over horses. Historically, those horses that have elite stride traits are the ones that reach a high performance level."



EquiTrax Video

The next step for the Lexington, Kentucky-based company involves a more in-depth stride analysis.

"We apply another slow-motion analysis to evaluate the quality of their action and their overall efficiency," Smallwood added.

For those that possess what Smallwood describes as "elite stride traits," EQUIX then inspects the horses at the barns for conformation and body balance. For those that pass visual inspection, an analyst takes 38 body measurements and an ultrasound on the heart. EQUIX does re-evaluations on the stride if there is more than one breeze show.

"We use the body measurements and the heart to get more detail on the racing style of the horse," Smallwood commented. "We can identify distance capabilities, whether they're going to be fast from the starting gate, have tactical speed or be a one-run type of horse. We really love our system, but we still have to be good horsemen. We look at a horse as an athlete--looking at his presence and fluidity, not only on the track, but back at the barn as well. We look at muscle quality, soundness, and we consider who has been training him and how he has been brought along. It's just a multi-level approach to buying horses out of the two-year-old sales."

EQUIX does not always take part in the vetting process during its evaluation routine.

"Many of our clients coordinate their own vetting," Smallwood said. "I don't always know who vets and who doesn't. If we give a client a list of 20 horses at a sale, they tend to focus on certain horses that suit their racing program. It may be based on price, pedigree, if they want colts or fillies, etc."

EQUIX produces a Best-in-Sale List at most auctions that they attend.

EQUIX cont.



EQUIX cont.

"Our clients like to review our data and see a ranking of these horses," Smallwood said. "It helps them make a more educated buying decision. Instead of somebody saying, 'I really like this one because he went in :10 1/5 and he's by so and so...', our reports document all their stride traits, as well as their pattern of biomechanical development."

EQUIX doesn't target one particular type of horse at the sales.

"Initially, we look for all types of horses, but it depends on which clients we're working for," Smallwood explained. "For the most part, everybody says they



Steppenwolver
Horsephotos

want a Classic-distance horse. Even though they are two-year-old sales, we do find good distance horses. One of our clients bought two from the 2006 sales, Dominican and Sedgefield, who both ran in the Kentucky Derby this year, and we had **Steppenwolver** (Aptitude) last year. Pinhookers will bring horses to these sales that can go two turns.

But some clients that buy multiple horses will also consider a horse that is going to be early and fast. Our Best-in-Sale List's include horses with a variety of distance capabilities and racing aptitudes."

Steppenwolver, who finished third behind Barbaro in the 2006 GI Kentucky Derby, was selected by the EQUIX Biomechanics Fantasy Stable. The \$375,000 OBSAPR purchase stamped himself as a top sophomore early last season with second-place finishes behind Lawyer Ron in the GII Arkansas Derby and the Southwest S. The gray outran his 16-1 odds in the Run for the Roses and followed that effort with a respectable fourth behind Jazil in the GI Belmont S. He finished off the board in his first two attempts at Oaklawn this season, but sprung to life with a return to turf, finishing second in a \$50,000 optional claimer at Belmont May 16.

"Steppenwolver was a quintessential two-turn horse," Smallwood recalled. "He did show very good speed at the breeze show, but he has really turned out to be more of a closer. His stride length was over 25 feet. I put him at a distance of 6 1/2 to 11 furlongs. His BME's [biomechanical efficiency scores] were good. He had a good heart. He had a lot of good things going for him. In fact, he was the only horse I recommended to Robert and Lawana Low at that sale, and they bought him."

Rondo (Grand Slam), a \$2.9-million FTFEB graduate, was tabbed as a "TDN Rising Star" following a Saratoga maiden win last July. The EQUIX Fantasy Stable member finally resurfaced Apr. 18 at Gulfstream with a dominating allowance win beneath a motionless Joe Bravo.

Sky Diving (Aptitude), runner-up in the 2006 WinStar Derby and Turf Paradise Derby, has rattled off a pair of Turfway wins over the Polytrack in his last two starts Jan. 1 and Mar. 28, respectively. The dark bay, owned by B. Wayne Hughes, was a \$310,000 OBSMAR acquisition.

The EQUIX Fantasy Stable was put together from its Best-in-Sale Groups. Smallwood pointed out that rival Fantasy Stable selections Strong Contender, Diabolical and Praying For Cash were included on their Best-in-Sale Lists, but were not placed in the EQUIX Fantasy Stable.

"Obviously, I should have included those, but we had 20 or even 30 to choose from out of each sale and we had to narrow it down to just a few at each venue," Smallwood said. "The Fantasy Stable exercise really had no parameters. We were just asked to compile a list of horses we liked from the two-year-old sales and their racing performance would be tracked. No criteria, such as purchase price limit or auctions attended, were given.

"Lately, the majority of our clients limit their spending to under about \$400,000," Smallwood continued. "We seldom recommend paying more than that for any horse, unless the residual value is very strong. In making the Fantasy Stable selections, there was some pressure to consider more expensive horses. For the most part, this group included pretty well-bred horses. They were athletic and met our criteria for motion and biomechanics. If they were sound and were trained properly, we thought they had an opportunity to be good horses. A couple of them were very expensive and were purchased by big outfits, but sometimes those horses don't pan out for whatever reason. We didn't know how many of these horses vetted out. We thought that if their purchase price was fairly high, then maybe those vetted out and they'll make it to the races. I was trying to find horses that might not have problems or be laid up a year."

In terms of measuring success, Smallwood said, "We keep track of everything we've measured--whether it be yearlings or two-year-olds or our matings--on a daily basis. For the most part, our Best-In-Sale Lists usually average around 25 percent stakes horses each season, with some sales as high as 35 percent. Depending on the size of the sale, the list might contain just 15 horses or it could be 35 or so for a big sale. So the bar is raised pretty high. It usually takes a couple of seasons to get everybody's performance level sorted out, since many of our choices have very good distance potential." **EQUIX cont.**



**Dominican takes the
GI Blue Grass S. over
subsequent Kentucky Derby
hero Street Sense**
Pat Lang photo



"Our 2005 Best-in-Sale Lists produced a lot of stakes horses; out of OBS March alone, we had 30 horses on our List and there are 10 or 12 stakes horses so far," Smallwood said.

Smallwood added that EQUIX has made some changes to its stride analysis criteria since 2005.

"We've done some enhancements on the video analysis," she said. "We're analyzing more strides now than we were in 2005. It's a continuous process-- improving our technology to help our clients buy good horses."

EQB FANTASY STABLE

Stable Purchase Price: \$6,017,000

Average Purchase Price: \$300,850

Median Purchase Price: \$252,500

Earnings: \$1,784,372

% Earnings Per Dollar Spent: 30%

Average Earnings Per Stable Member: \$89,219

% Graded Stakes Winners: 0/20=0%

% Graded Stakes Horses: 3/20=15%

% Stakes Winners: 3/20=15%

% Stakes Horses: 5/20=25%

% Repeat Winners: 8/20=40%

% Winners: 15/20=75%

% Starters: 18/20=90%

Stud Fees Produced (2007): None

**through 5/14/07*

EQB's Thoroughbred evaluation process includes a slow-motion analysis of breezes at the under-tack shows (gait analysis methodology), conformation and walk, ultrasound heart scans and cardio analysis, and endoscopic throat exams and x-rays.

Gait analysis ([click here to view video](#)) captures horses breezing at two-year-old in training sales with

high-quality, ultra slow-motion films digitized to hundreds of pictures per second. EQB's specialized video allows for close analysis of movement based

on biomechanics of quadruped locomotion--stride length, way of going, energy expended, angles of legs, shoulder, neck and joint positions, hoof flight patterns, etc. Using slow-motion video and photography for more than 20 years, EQB has been able to assess patterns associated with certain performance characteristics, such as those of high earners and distance runners.

The consulting firm uses a non-invasive 2D ultrasound to conduct heart scans, which measure a horse's heart size and pumping volume. Using its exclusive software, EQB has collected detailed cardiac data of more than 40,000 Thoroughbreds.

EQB targets horses that have speed and that will be at their best as three-year-olds at one mile or longer.

"At two-year-old in training sales, first we look at the breeze show," explained Jeff Seder, who is EQB's president and founder. "We have a traditional bloodstock person, who's an expert and who's been a trainer and a jockey, looking at them and we make a list. As each horse goes by in the breeze show, before the next horse comes by, the video is looping in slow-motion on our monitor. I look at them from a biomechanical standpoint and look for five or six key variables, then we take measurements of the films. You can't just measure stride length unless you know the exact velocity, and you have to get the right kind of stride as well. Then [EQB Vice-President] Patti Miller goes and looks at every horse to make sure they have a balanced walk and good conformation. Then she does the heart exam. Then they have to pass the vet and the endoscopic exam. Now you're down to only two percent of the horses that were offered. Of those, then we have personal opinions, but statistically they are pretty much the same."

One thing EQB doesn't consider when evaluating two-year-olds is pedigree.

"Pedigree is the odds of what you will get before they're born," Seder continued. "After they're born, we'd rather look at the individual. We didn't come out of the normal bloodstock training fields with conformation and pedigree. We came out of the Olympic Sports Medicine movement. Our whole approach was not to look at the parents, but to look at the individual. It doesn't mean that pedigree doesn't mean something. At the major auctions, a horse's pedigree has been scrutinized enough to get into the catalogue and we feel that it's not very helpful to further analyze it. It's interesting that without considering pedigree, we're arriving at a lot of the same horses as the big outfits with our sports medicine approach."

With regard to selecting their Fantasy Sable, Seder pointed out that EQB deliberately did not pick the most expensive horses sold at auction or the juveniles that had the fastest breezes. He said that they were trying to pick horses that someone other than the big outfits could afford to buy and still beat industry odds.

"When making our selections, we tried not to give the bullet workouts," Seder said of the EQB Fantasy Stable.

EQB cont.



Seder using EQB's video gait analysis at a two-year-old in training sale

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"Anyone can do that," Seder continued. "The vast majority of these selections had well below the fastest breezes. Those bullet breezes admittedly do mean



Diabolical in the Big A paddock
Sherack photo

something, but anyone can see those, so we can't add value there except for the really bad movers or badly conformed. We tried to show what our technology can do when handicapped, not to buy the most expensive and not the bullet works. Otherwise, why bother with the tech? Every year, we study our results and change our methods to adapt. We are now two generations of the technology ahead of where

we were when did that list in 2005. A list of 20 horses is a bit of a small sample to indicate performance in this game. On our website, we have scientific studies that we have performed on thousands of horses. Luck, trainers, injuries, etc., can totally skew the appearance of results in 20 horses in one group, but not in a proper study with a lot more horses."

All 20 of EQB's Fantasy Stable met the company's requirements, including a passing grade from a veterinarian. However, according to Seder, sometimes using a vet can backfire.

"Many may think that it's an advantage that we vetted out our Fantasy Stable, but that year the vets killed us by eliminating the ones that passed all our tests and then went on to become graded-stakes winners," Seder said. "In this case with the list of 20, we would've been better off without the vets. We had a couple of graded-stakes winners on our list that year that failed the vets. In 2004, we liked Afleet Alex a lot at FTMMAY. He breezed in :22 1/5, galloped out in :35, then :49 2/5. He averaged a stride length of 24.6 feet with a stride frequency of 2.46. But the vet said he had 'a big ankle.' A couple from 2005 that still frost me are Ready to Please [GSW & GISP, \$316,919], who failed her throat exam at OBS February, subsequent two-year-old champ Stevie Wonderboy [GISW, \$1,058,940], and Miraculous Miss [MGSW, \$450,370]. I guess we were too picky about bumps, bruises, swollen tendons and ankles after the stress of the two-year-old auction process."

Seder added that he tried to stay under a \$250,000 purchase price per horse, and that 14 of the 15 Fantasy Stable's maiden winners graduated against maiden special weight company.

EQB's Fantasy Stable features multiple-stakes winners **Diabolical** (Artax) and **Master of Disaster** (Dance Master). The former, purchased for \$300,000 at OBSFEB, found a niche for himself as a sprinter last season, winning the Gallant Bob H. in a sharp 1:08 2/5 and finishing a good second behind subsequent sprint champ Thor's Echo in the GI De Francis Memorial Dash S.

Diabolical began his four-year-old season with a third-place finish behind Half Ours in the GII Richter Scale Breeders' Cup Sprint Championship H., and most recently completed the exacta in the GI Carter H. on the GI Wood Memorial S. undercard. Diabolical is entered to make his next start in the GIII Maryland Breeders' Cup Sprint H. on the GI Preakness S. undercard.

Master of Disaster, second in the GII Saratoga Special S. behind Henny Hughes as a juvenile, went on to add wins in the Oh Say S. and the Majestic Prince S. in his sophomore season. The chestnut, last seen finishing second in Delaware's Odessa S. in November, was put back in training at Fair Hill in late March. He went through the ring for \$600,000 at OBSFEB.

"At OBS, Master of Disaster had small feet, and breezed the official furlong in what for that sale was a modest :10 4/5, but galloped out in :33 3/5," Seder recalled. "Diabolical had an old right ankle chip, but in a place we thought would be OK. He only breezed the official furlong in :10 4/5, but galloped out in :33 1/5 with an average stride length over 25 feet."

Eagle Sound (Fusaichi Pegasus), a \$725,000 RNA at BESMAR, broke her maiden impressively at Delaware as a two-year-old, but has been plagued by injuries since. She has one published workout this year, a three-furlong breeze in :37 at Gulfstream Jan. 21. According to Seder, Eagle Sound was purchased privately by George Strawbridge of Augustin Stable for \$450,000 following Barretts.

"If she ever gets back to the races, she's going to be something else," Seder said of Eagle Sound. "She was the best horse on the list of 20 that we put together. She broke her maiden impressively, then got hurt. That was a phenomenal filly. She had a great heart, a huge throat and awesome conformation. At Barretts, Eagle Sound had a very strong, yet flexible way of going and a long fluid smooth stride for the velocity. She reminds me a lot of [GII Forward Gal S. victress] Forever Together (Belong to Me), who we signed the ticket on at OBS March in 2006 for \$240,000."

Forever Together most recently finished second in the GII Stonerside Beaumont S. at Keeneland Apr. 12. The three-year-old filly was previously unbeaten in three career attempts.

Fantasy Stable member **Hit and Hope** (Five Star Day), a wire-to-wire winner at first asking last November at Hollywood, has been working well for his return over the Cushion Track. The chestnut, trained by Neil Drysdale, RNA'd for \$195,000 at KEEAPR.

In terms of measuring success, Seder offered, "We look at what the industry averages are for the other major bloodstock agents. The *Thoroughbred Times* publishes a list and we try to exceed whatever rates the other good guys are getting by trying to double it. We look at graded-stakes winners and stakes winners, but not just any stakes winners. We look at the kind of stakes races, too, because you can have a \$10,000 stakes race at a no-name track."

EQB cont.

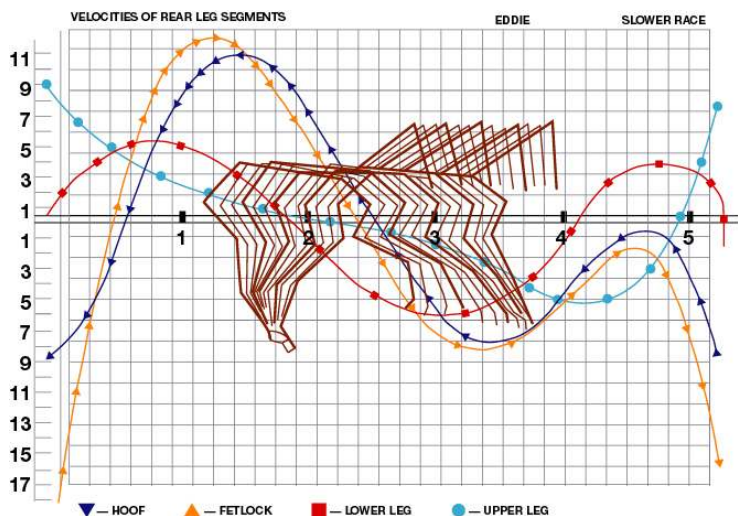


EQB cont.

"We really are looking more at performance and also taking a look at speed figure numbers," Seder continued. "EQB's results the last four or five years have been running well above the success percentages of many of the best in the industry for producing stakes winners and major graded winners."

EQB's scientific studies have been featured in publications such as the *Journal of Equine Veterinary Science*, including "Temporal and Kinematic Gait Variables of Thoroughbred Racehorses at or Near Racing Speeds" in May 2003 ([click here to view](#)) and "The Relationship of Selected Two-Dimensional Echocardiographic Measurements to the Racing Performance of 5,431 Yearlings and 2003 Two-Year-Old Thoroughbred Racehorses" in April 2003 ([click here to view](#)).

"We've done real research with studies that were designed by veterinarians, statisticians and engineers and we got them published in refereed scientific journals, so they had to get through experts in the field," Seder commented. "We proved our point. Nobody else is doing studies the way we are. Out of 20 horses, you can do good or bad, but out of 1,000 or 10,000 horses--which is what our studies include--those numbers will hold. We know what percentages we're going to get over time. These studies aren't our opinion. There's nothing hidden in them--not the data, nor the methodology. It's all published in scientific journals. We have to do twice as much work and research to get any credibility from them since we're not from a university, but it's worth it."



CECIL SEAMAN & CO., LLC FANTASY STABLE

Stable Purchase Price: \$5,045,000

Average Purchase Price: \$252,250

Median Purchase Price: \$215,000

Earnings: \$1,752,157

% Earnings Per Dollar Spent: 35%

Average Earnings Per Stable Member: \$87,608

% Graded Stakes Winners: 1/20=5%

% Graded Stakes Horses: 4/20=20%

% Stakes Winners: 4/20=20%

% Stakes Horses: 7/20=35%

% Repeat Winners: 10/20=50%

% Winners: 15/20=75%

% Starters: 20/20=100%

Stud Fees Produced (2007): Strong Contender (Stonewall Farm Stallions, \$10,000)=\$10,000

*through 5/14/07

Cecil Seaman & Co., LLC selects horses based on biomechanical evaluations. Using a tape measure, the Thoroughbred consulting firm takes 15 precise measurements of skeletal anatomy and compares the measurements to horses in its database. Through a custom-designed computer program, Seaman & Co. analyze the data and look for ratios and proportions that resemble those of previous champions and Grade/Group 1 winners. Each horse is given a final analysis which consists of an overall grade ([click here](#))--ranking from A+ to C. An A+ or an A is categorized as an elite horse or a horse possessing champion potential. All 20 of Seaman's Fantasy Stable members received grades of A+.



Each horse's overall grade is derived from three numerical scores, including: *Type (soundness)*, *Ratio (leverage times mass)* and *Leverage*. A *Type* score lower than four indicates superior soundness; higher than five implies unsoundness. The *Ratio* grade helps determine whether a horse has the size and proportion to move its weight efficiently. A *Ratio* between five and nine is considered to be outstanding. *Leverage* scores, which are rated from five to 10, are considered to be the most important grade of all. The higher the number, the more powerful the horse.

"We select for soundness and we select for high-class horses," said Cecil Seaman, who founded the Lexington, Kentucky-based company in 1977. "We usually look at horses that are going to run at a mile or longer. We project soundness, mechanical distance and class, all from measurements that are compared against the 78,000 horses in our database that we have physically measured--once, twice or sometimes three times."

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"We measured over 725 champions from all over the world and we're looking for the same skeletal proportions and ratios that the Grade Is and quality horses have," Seaman said.

Seaman's database includes 1978 Triple Crown winner Affirmed, two-time Horse of the Year Cigar and the immortal Northern Dancer. Over 3,000 horses are added to the database annually.

"We measure horses for size, mass and the length of the motion bones and we also look at conformation," he continued. "We're doing the opposite of what most



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people do. We're looking for reasons to buy. If the horse is too overweight, we're afraid to buy it. We'll buy some conformation defects if they have a good point of gravity [balance of a horse in relation to gravity with its mass] and their point of gravity is not accenting this problem. We have horses scoped and x-rays done on

the ones that we buy. There are lots of horses that measure well and that we're interested in, but don't have them vetted because we figure we can't afford them."

Seaman & Co. doesn't measure hearts or analyze a horse's motion at the two-year-old in training sales.

"We look at the videos at the breeze shows, but we don't have access to the high-speed cameras," Seaman explained. "I tried to do it in the early 1970s, but we got off on too many other projects. Usually, if a horse has good biomechanics, he or she has a good heart. That was our findings back in the '70s."

Seaman has conducted studies regarding a horse's weight and success on the racetrack. According to a study conducted in August 2006 ([click here](#)), the main problem is that overweight and obese horses make up a significant percentage of the entries in yearling and two-year-old sales. The study, which correlates weight with career earnings, also showed that horses who are overweight tend to have shorter and less profitable careers. The study included 44,310 horses--91 percent yearlings; nine percent two-year-olds; 52.2 percent colts; 47.8 percent fillies--which were measured at auction from 1970 through 2001.

"Another thing that is a major contributing factor in our selection process is that we will not buy overweight horses," Seaman said. "We did a study with over 44,000 horses. If a horse is overweight, it effects soundness. If they weigh too much, they are applying too much pressure to their feet, tendons, cannon bones and knees, and they are going to break down. It's compounded the faster they run. The study showed that horses that were an ideal weight or slightly underweight earned twice as much as the obese horses. The ideal weight horses had the highest percentage of starts and the highest percentage of graded-stakes winners."

Seaman & Co. measures horses biomechanically for their potential ability as racehorses, but also as stallion prospects. Using its Genetic Dominance Tree Reports ([click here](#)), Seaman & Co. evaluate if the potential purchase has the genetic consistency to be a good sire. The GDT Report, which uses Seaman's previously mentioned database, identifies if the horse was produced from a high probability mating and whether it has the consistent, homogenous genetic bank to be an elite Thoroughbred.



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The majority of Seaman's Fantasy Stable selections weren't x-rayed or vetted.

"All 20 we submitted for our Fantasy Stable were selected with biomechanics or physical measurements," Seaman explained. "We only vet and scope the ones we actually purchase or the ones that we're interested in bidding on. Our clients only vetted the horses that they were willing to bid on. There's a couple of them in the Fantasy Stable that we did have done."

Seaman used his biomechanical analysis from the 2004 yearling sales as well as the following year's two-year-old in training sales when making his Fantasy Stable selections. He didn't attend all of the two-year-old sales in 2005.

"Some of these were selected based on their yearling measurements," Seaman commented. "We didn't get to all the two-year-old sales in 2005. We probably didn't even look at one third of what the competition looked at and also video taped."

Seaman's Fantasy Stable includes horses by several young stallions that he thought highly of at the time.

"I tell you what's interesting about our bunch, look at the stallions we selected," he said. "Put It Back, Delaware Township, Dixie Union, etc. Even though those selections didn't do all that well, we picked out some young sires that we feel are going to be O.K. in the future."

Three of Seaman's Stable members RNA'd at their respected two-year-old in training sales.

"We liked 'em, looked at 'em and they measured well, but they RNA'd," Seaman said. "Maybe they didn't vet well, or their connections just wanted too much money, or the people didn't like the pedigree."

Strong Contender (Maria's Mon), an \$800,000 KEEAPR purchase, was the star of the Seaman Fantasy Stable, posting wins last season in the GII Dwyer S. and the GII Super Derby, as well as third-place finishes in the GI Haskell Invitational H. and the GI Blue Grass S. The chestnut was retired with \$618,000 in earnings to Stonewall Farm Stallions in Kentucky following a fifth-place finish in the GIII Hal's Hope S. in early January. He stood his first season at stud in 2007 for a \$10,000 fee.

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Strong Contender earned an A+ rating, with scores of *Type (1)*, *Ratio (5)* and *Leverage (10)*. According to Seaman, the colt was similar in size, measurements and grade to MGISW Behrens, GI Travers S. winner Corporate Report, two-time GI Breeders' Cup Classic winner and Horse of the Year Tiznow and champion three-year-old colt and Horse of the Year Spend a Buck.



Strong Contender
Adam Coglianese photo

"Strong Contender was a large horse and very well balanced," Seaman said. "I was surprised this horse's career didn't last longer."

Sabatini (Five Star Day), an impressive maiden winner at first asking, was also part of Seaman's Fantasy Stable. The \$350,000 FTFEB purchase placed third in the 2005 GI Hollywood Starlet S. and second in the GIII Santa Ysabel S. in her sophomore bow. The bay closed out her sophomore season with off-the-board finishes in the GI Test S. at Saratoga and the GII Raven Run S. at Keeneland in October. Sabatini doesn't have any listed works since last October. She was a *Type (1)*, *Ratio (4)* and *Leverage (10)*.

Cinderella's Dream (Prime Timber), purchased for \$190,000 at OBSAPR, made four starts as a juvenile, but hasn't raced since. The New York-bred won the Maid of the Mist S. before finishing second behind subsequent Grade I winner Wonder Lady Anne L in the GII Demoiselle S. Cinderella's Dream earned scores of *Type (1)*, *Ratio (7)* and *Leverage (9)*.

Zann (Dynaformer), a \$400,000 KEEAPR purchase, looks to have a bright future on the lawn after posting a fifth-place finish in last term's GI Hollywood Derby in November and a third-place finish in the GIII Sir Beaufort S. last time Dec. 26. Zann received grades of *Type (1)*, *Ratio (5)* and *Leverage (10)*.

Seaman is confident that his Fantasy Stable will have some favorable updates in the future.

"I think we'll have two more stakes winners from this group," Seaman commented. "We have pretty high expectations for **Graffham** (Red Ransom) and Zann. They both measured really well and we liked them a lot at the sales."

According to Seaman, Graffham has been plagued by tendon injuries since exiting the Keeneland April Sale. The four-year-old finally made his career debut at Gulfstream Mar. 18, finishing last of eight, but doesn't have any published workouts since. The \$400,000 two-year-old purchase is trained by Graham Motion.

Seaman measures success two different ways.

"Actually, I have a client that I buy horses for [a total of 28 horses of racing age] that has 32.1 percent stakes winners from foals and 21.4 percent graded-stakes winners from foals, so [our Fantasy Stable] is not quite in line yet," he said. "I think we still have chances for improvement though. It really makes a difference who you send your horses to. The other way we grade our results is that the *Thoroughbred Times* did a report ([click here for chart](#)) and we had the highest rate of return of the yearling buyers for purchase price and I think we only averaged around \$40,000 a piece. And we paid \$8 million for 200 and something horses and they earned right at \$14.9 million."

Seaman prefers the yearling sales over two-year-old in training sales.

"I'm not into just buying two-year-olds," he commented. "The thing about the two-year-old sales when you look at it, I think they are too hard on the horses. They destroy too many of them. They ask them for their lives. Thirty years ago you couldn't carry a stick on a two-year-old until it made three starts. I think you're going to end up with more sound horses at the yearling sales."



Zann
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THIS DATE IN HISTORY...

May 19, 1961...Jockey **Bill Shoemaker** rode his 4000th winner aboard **Guaranteeya** at Hollywood Park.

May 19, 1964...Jockey **Laffit Pincay Jr.** rode his first winner aboard **Huelen** at Presidente Remon in Panama.

May 20, 1941...Seventeen days after his Kentucky Derby win and 10 days after his Preakness victory, Triple Crown winner **Whirlaway** faced older horses for the first time and, carrying 108 pounds, he defeated four rivals in the Henry of Navarre S. at Belmont Park. He came back 16 days later to finish his Triple Crown sweep in the Belmont S.

May 20, 1954...At odds of 13-1, Rex Ellsworth's two-year-old colt **Swaps** broke his maiden by three lengths at Hollywood Park.

May 20, 1977...Two-year-old **John Henry** won his first start ever, a four-furlong maiden race at Jefferson Downs, by a nose.

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DataTrack/BreezeFigs Fantasy Stable

<u>Horse (Sire)</u>	<u>Lifetime</u>	<u>Earnings</u>	<u>Top Performance</u>	<u>Hammer</u>
<u>OBSFEB 2005</u>				
Master of Disaster (Dance Master)	13-6-2-0	\$231,708	MSW & G2SP	\$600K
Travelin Leroy (Two Punch)	12-2-2-1	\$72,240	Alw winner & SP	\$250K
Nothing Like It (Forest Camp)	21-3-4-1	\$42,214	Multiple winner	\$60K
Cat's Eye Witness (Elusive Quality)	12-1-3-1	\$24,185	Maiden winner	\$125K
<u>FTFFEB 2005</u>				
Ten Halos (Marquetry)	13-2-4-2	\$92,800	Alw winner & MSP	*95K
Circuit Breaker (Yes It's True)	11-2-3-2	\$63,180	Alw winner	\$435K
Five Star Thief (Cat Thief)	4-2-0-0	\$62,740	Alw winner	\$480K
Tyler's Way (Two Punch)	8-1-0-1	\$12,740	Maiden winner	\$250K
<u>BESMAR 2005</u>				
Henny Hughes (Hennessy)	10-6-3-0	\$1,124,820	MGISW	*\$370K
Ecru Egret (Silver Hawk)	14-1-4-2	\$38,881	Maiden winner	*\$60K
<u>OBSMAR 2005</u>				
Oden's Tale (Menifee)	20-2-1-3	\$91,170	Alw winner	\$140K
The Long Gray Line (Silver Charm)	Unraced	-----	Unraced	\$360K
<u>ADNMAR 2005</u>				
Benedict (Golden Missile)	7-0-0-2	\$9,960	Placed	\$500K
<u>KEEAPR 2005</u>				
Praying For Cash (Songandaprayer)	8-3-2-1	\$357,630	GSW & GISP	\$150K
Zann (Dynaformer)	9-3-1-1	\$130,632	Alw winner & G3SP	\$400K
Noonmark (Unbridled's Song)	8-2-1-1	\$116,175	Alw winner & G2SP	*\$1115K
Lucy'swordsoflove (Tactical Cat)	6-1-0-2	\$24,360	Maiden winner	\$117K
Excelsior (Unbridled's Song)	5-0-0-0	\$487	Unplaced	\$250K
<u>FTMMAY 2005</u>				
Smokey Stover (Put It Back)	11-7-4-0	\$459,725	MGSW	\$140K
Noah's Pal (Millions)	1-0-0-0	\$2,050	Unplaced	\$39K
Totals		\$2,957,697	<i>(through 5/14/07)</i>	\$5,936,000

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EQUIX Biomechanics Fantasy Stable

<u>Horse (Sire)</u>	<u>Lifetime</u>	<u>Earnings</u>	<u>Top Performance</u>	<u>Hammer</u>
<u>OBSFEB 2005</u>				
Master of Disaster (Dance Master)	13-6-2-0	\$231,708	MSW & G2SP	\$600K
Speed of Sound (Phone Trick)	12-3-3-1	\$115,100	Alw winner & GSP	\$550K
Jeannette's Hope (Yes It's True)	15-1-1-3	\$38,000	Winner	\$185K
<u>FTFFEB 2005</u>				
Cintarosa (Grand Slam)	14-3-2-4	\$105,230	Alw winner	\$500K
Cat Criminal (Tale of the Cat)	3-2-0-0	\$46,650	Alw winner	\$400K
Rondo (Grand Slam)	4-2-2-0	\$69,400	Alw winner	\$2900K
Major Tom (Thunder Gulch)	17-0-6-3	\$28,907	Placed	* \$550K
Ever Shifting (Tale of the Cat)	2-0-0-0	\$507	Unplaced	\$5200K
Investor's Gamble (High Yield)	Unraced	-----	Unraced	\$975K
Nectar of the Gods (High Yield)	Unraced	-----	Unraced	\$450K
<u>OBSMAR 2005</u>				
Sky Diving (Aptitude)	12-3-3-1	\$207,100	Alw winner & MSP	\$310K
Cajun Mistress (Salt Lake)	9-4-0-2	\$119,610	Alw winner & SP	\$220K
Oden's Tale (Menifee)	20-2-1-3	\$91,170	Alw winner	\$140K
Derby (Touch Gold)	9-1-0-1	\$43,386	Winner	\$350K
Tilden (Delaware Township)	8-1-1-1	\$33,010	Winner	\$225K
Batidas (Siphon {Brz})	3-0-1-0	\$8,600	Placed	\$320K
Saddle Shoes (Delaware Township)	4-0-0-1	\$6,970	Placed	\$95K
<u>KEEAPR 2005</u>				
Memphis Mon (Maria's Mon)	5-1-1-0	\$41,400	Winner	\$375K
Graffham (Red Ransom)	1-0-0-0	\$380	Unplaced	\$400K
Accepting Fate (Saint Ballado)	Unraced	-----	Unraced	\$200K
<u>OBSAPR 2005</u>				
Steppenwolfer (Aptitude)	12-3-2-3	\$623,080	GISP	\$375K
Totals		\$1,810,208	<i>(through 5/14/07)</i>	\$15,320,000

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EQB Fantasy Stable

<u>Horse (Sire)</u>	<u>Lifetime</u>	<u>Earnings</u>	<u>Top Performance</u>	<u>Hammer</u>
<u>OBSFEB 2005</u>				
Diabolical (Artax)	17-6-6-2	\$480,900	MSW & MGISP	\$300K
Master of Disaster (Dance Master)	13-6-2-0	\$231,708	MSW & G2SP	\$600K
Moon's Halo (Halo's Image)	7-3-0-2	\$97,627	Alw winner	\$275K
Dade County (Songandaprayer)	6-1-0-1	\$38,480	Maiden winner	\$200K
Triple Step (Trippi)	9-1-1-1	\$33,910	Maiden winner	* \$95K
True Perception (Yes It's True)	3-0-0-0	\$2,365	Unplaced	\$230K
<u>FTFFEB 2005</u>				
Fine Sentence (Artax)	15-2-2-1	\$215,795	Winner	\$155K
Saratoga Drive (Siphon {Brz})	11-2-1-1	\$89,625	Alw winner & SP	* \$145K
The Red Prince (Carson City)	6-1-3-0	\$53,872	Winner	\$200K
Baronova (Tale of the Cat)	1-0-0-1	\$5,000	Placed	\$500K
Gordon Gekko (Siphon {Brz})	1-0-0-0	\$400	Unplaced	* \$325K
Nectar of the Gods (High Yield)	Unraced	-----	Unraced	\$450K
<u>BESMAR 2005</u>				
Eagle Sound (Fusaichi Pegasus)	3-1-0-1	\$28,405	Winner	* \$725K
<u>OBSMAR 2005</u>				
Red Sports Car (Trippi)	9-1-0-3	\$115,734	Winner	\$140K
Parker B. (Wagon Limit)	15-3-2-1	\$94,720	Alw winner	* \$100K
Remembering Star (Wild Wonder)	6-1-1-2	\$73,000	Winner & G2SP	* \$47K
The Long Gray Line (Silver Charm)	Unraced	-----	Unraced	\$360K
<u>KEEAPR 2005</u>				
Mantoloking (Unbridled's Song)	8-3-0-0	\$105,315	Alw winner	* \$575K
Likely (Yes It's True)	7-2-2-0	\$93,516	SW	\$400K
Hit and Hope (Five Star Day)	1-1-0-0	\$24,000	Winner	* \$195K
Totals		\$1,784,372	<i>(through 5/14/07)</i>	\$6,017,000

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Cecil Seaman & Co. LLC Fantasy Stable

<u>Horse (Sire)</u>	<u>Lifetime</u>	<u>Earnings</u>	<u>Top Performance</u>	<u>Hammer</u>
FTFFEB 2005				
Sabatini (Five Star Day)	8-2-1-2	\$154,040	Alw winner & GISP	\$350K
Mr Retsof (Put It Back)	17-3-1-0	\$44,489	Multiple winner	*\$130K
Away Down South (Dixie Union)	11-1-1-1	\$25,120	Maiden winner	*\$95K
OBSMAR 2005				
Paddy Murphy (Forest Camp)	12-3-3-1	\$124,180	Alw winner	\$190K
Surfing Ian (Rizzi)	6-2-1-1	\$80,322	Alw winner & SP	\$170K
Dancin Olivia (Forestry)	8-3-0-0	\$73,968	SW	\$150K
Tilden (Delaware Township)	8-1-1-1	\$33,010	Winner	\$225K
Five Star Special (Five Star Day)	2-0-0-1	\$4,480	Placed	\$210K
KEEAPR 2005				
Strong Contender (Maria's Mon)	8-4-0-3	\$618,000	MGSW & MGISP	\$800K
Zann (Dynaformer)	9-3-1-1	\$130,632	Alw winner & G3SP	\$400K
Likely (Yes It's True)	7-2-2-0	\$93,516	SW	\$400K
Grass Thunder (Forestry)	4-1-1-0	\$60,324	Winner	\$250K
Right Place N Time (Coronado's Quest)	10-2-0-0	\$59,047	Alw winner	\$220K
Nickypalmer (Dynaformer)	12-1-2-2	\$58,650	Maiden winner	\$320K
Fisher of Men (Saint Ballado)	2-0-0-2	\$5,025	Placed	\$250K
Graffham (Red Ransom)	1-0-0-0	\$380	Unplaced	\$400K
Fusaichi Apollo (Silver Deputy)	2-0-0-0	\$0	Unplaced	*\$90K
OBSAPR 2005				
Cinderella's Dream (Prime Timber)	4-2-2-0	\$133,600	SW & GSP	\$190K
Luvyasomuch (Put It Back)	7-1-3-2	\$38,500	Winner	\$125K
Sensational Humor (Distorted Humor)	8-0-1-2	\$14,874	Placed	\$80K

Totals		\$1,752,157	<i>(through 5/14/07)</i>	\$5,045,000

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Two-Year-Olds in Training Sales Overview*

Sale	06 Avg.	05 Avg.	% Chg	06 No. Sold	05 No. Sold	% Chg	2006 Gross	2005 Gross	% Chg
BESMAR	\$154,419	\$163,188	-5.4%	93	88	5.7%	\$14,361,000	\$14,360,500	0%
BESMAY	\$52,573	\$39,708	32.4%	200	193	3.6%	\$10,514,500	\$7,663,700	37.2%
FTFFEB	\$403,812	\$341,034	18.4%	154	147	4.8%	\$62,187,000	\$50,132,000	24%
KEEAPR	\$211,954	\$162,290	30.6%	87	105	-17.1%	\$18,440,000	\$17,040,500	8.2%
OBSAPR	\$32,494	\$28,410	14.4%	756	775	-2.5%	\$24,565,500	\$22,017,800	11.6%
OBSFEB	\$139,430	\$136,890	1.9%	93	109	-14.7%	\$12,967,000	\$14,921,000	-13.1%
OBSJUN	\$22,484	\$18,677	20.4%	245	304	-19.4%	\$5,508,700	\$5,677,800	-3%
OBSMAR	\$108,545	\$81,731	32.8%	286	323	-11.5%	\$31,044,000	\$26,399,000	17.6%
Totals	\$93,828	\$77,403	21.2%	1,914	2,044	-6.4%	\$179,587,700	\$158,212,300	13.5%

Racing Data for Two-Year-Olds in Training Sales, 1999-2003*

Sale	No. Off.	No. Sold (% Off.)	Avg. Price	2yo Rnrs (% Off.)	2yo Wnrs (% Off.)
BESMAR	760	423 (56%)	\$171,501	255 (34%)	115 (15%)
BESMAY	1,307	952 (73%)	\$28,700	460 (35%)	163 (12%)
FTFFEB	1,296	750 (58%)	\$204,451	432 (33%)	207 (16%)
KEEAPR	896	567 (63%)	\$160,780	306 (34%)	107 (12%)
OBSAPR	4,730	3,349 (71%)	\$23,657	2,143 (45%)	950 (20%)
OBSFEB	959	669 (70%)	\$107,550	466 (49%)	224 (23%)
OBSJUN	1,536	1,096 (71%)	\$17,176	595 (39%)	205 (13%)
OBSMAR	1,934	1,234 (64%)	\$67,094	814 (42%)	352 (18%)
Totals	13,418	9,040 (67%)	\$66,058	5,471 (41%)	2,323 (17%)

Sale	2yo SW (% Off.)	Rnrs (% Off.)	Wnrs (% Off.)	SW (% Off.)	GSW (% Off.)	Earnings
BESMAR	15 (2%)	387 (51%)	308 (41%)	44 (5.8%)	17 (2.2%)	\$57,603,670
BESMAY	17 (1.3%)	798 (61%)	574 (44%)	36 (2.8%)	4 (0.3%)	\$34,269,910
FTFFEB	31 (2.4%)	701 (54%)	579 (45%)	82 (6.3%)	47 (3.6%)	\$114,066,021
KEEAPR	13 (1.5%)	526 (59%)	417 (47%)	41 (4.6%)	18 (2%)	\$67,711,783
OBSAPR	43 (0.9%)	3,039 (64%)	2,412 (51%)	152 (3.2%)	49 (1%)	\$167,935,555
OBSFEB	27 (2.8%)	627 (65%)	531 (55%)	79 (8.2%)	23 (2.4%)	\$58,864,270
OBSJUN	5 (0.3%)	974 (63%)	745 (49%)	31 (2%)	9 (0.6%)	\$40,611,592
OBSMAR	43 (2.2%)	1,151 (60%)	950 (49%)	107 (5.5%)	36 (1.9%)	\$102,553,754
Totals	194 (1.4%)	8,203 (61%)	6,516 (49%)	572 (4.3%)	203 (1.5%)	\$643,616,555

*Courtesy TBH MarketWatch