

Dixie Chatter Rattles off Norfolk Win p.5

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HEADLINE NEWS

CURLIN STRIKES GOLD IN CUP

Curlin (Smart Strike) mounted a late-season run toward a three-year-old championship with an authoritative victory over older rival **Lawyer Ron** (Langfuhr) in Sunday's GI Jockey Club Gold Cup. It was the third Grade I victory on the card for the 15-year-old Lane's End stallion Smart Strike, who was also represented by Vosburgh winner **Fabulous Strike** and Turf Classic hero English Channel. Settled off a sensible early pace set by **Brother Bobby** (Out Of Place), the giant



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chestnut closed in on the forwardly placed Lawyer Ron, who struck the front after a mile in 1:36.30. Inching closer to his head-strong rival with every stride, Curlin wore down Lawyer Ron in the final strides to collect his second Grade I victory by a neck. "I think he is an outstanding horse, and he proved so once again today," said winning trainer Steve Asmussen. "The third in the Haskell [to Any Given Saturday and Hard Spun] and the third in the Kentucky Derby [to Street Sense and Hard Spun] were against horses whose form has held up. We'll all meet in [the Breeders' Cup Classic at Monmouth Oct. 27], probably to decide year-end honors." *Cont. p3*

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ENGLISH RESOLVE

Displaying the tenacity that has defined his career, the diminutive **English Channel** (Smart Strike) muscled his way through a narrow opening along the rail and scampered clear late to successfully defend his title in yesterday's GI Joe Hirsch Turf Classic S. at Belmont Park. Through the Breeders' Cup's "Win and You're In" series, the victory earned him an automatic bid to the GI Breeders' Cup Turf, a race in which he ran third last term. "This turned out to be a perfect prep," said winning trainer Todd Pletcher. "He relaxed really well and only ran for an eighth of a mile." *Cont. p3*



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JUST FABULOUS IN VOSBURGH

Heading into yesterday's GI Vosburgh S., most of the pre-race hype swirled around Godolphin's **Discreet Cat** (Forestry), who was returning from a six-month layoff, but it was **Fabulous Strike** (Smart Strike) who stole the show with a rousing 5 3/4-length success over **Talent Search** (Catienus). Making his first start since an unplaced finish in the Mar. 31 G1 Dubai World Cup, Discreet Cat stalked the early pace and remained one-paced in the stretch, finishing third as the even-money choice. *Cont. p2*

BELLE OF A DAME

Unbridled Belle (Broken Vow), the less heralded member of the Todd Pletcher entry, belied her generous 8-1 odds to win Sunday's GI Beldame S. at Belmont Park. Reserved off a pedestrian early pace, the strapping filly charged at stablemate **Indian Vale** (A.P. Indy) in deep stretch and inched past her rival late to post a narrow victory. *Cont. p3*



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Sunday, Belmont Park

VOSBURGH S.-GI, \$416,000, BEL, 9-30, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:09 1/5, ft.

1--▲**FABULOUS STRIKE**, 124, g, 4, by [Smart Strike](#)

1st Dam: Fabulous Find, by Lost Code

2nd Dam: Dial a Babe, by Fire Dancer

3rd Dam: Saratoga Sal, by Tonkaton

O-Walter Downey; B-Tea Party Stable, Inc (PA);

T-Todd M Beattie; J-Ramon A Dominguez; \$240,000.

Lifetime Record: 14-9-1-0, \$632,832.

2--**Talent Search**, 124, c, 4, Catienus--Mrs. K., by Dixieland Band. O/B-Kenneth L & Sarah K Ramsey (KY); T-Mark Shuman; \$80,000.

3--**Discreet Cat**, 124, c, 4, Forestry--Pretty Discreet, by Private Account. O-Godolphin Racing LLC; B-E Paul Robsham (KY); T-Saeed bin Suroor; \$40,000.

Margins: 5 3/4, NK, NO. Odds: 4.60, 18.00, 0.95.

Also Ran: Mach Ride, E Z Warrior, Park Avenue Ball, First Defence, Will He Shine.

Fabulous Strike, campaigned by breeder Walter Downey, came into this a winner of two of three over this track, including last July's Ziggys Boy S. Fifth when placed on the turf for the Restoration S. at Monmouth last September, the gelding was a good second to Diabolical in the Gallant Bob H. at Philadelphia Park in October. Capping off the season with a pair of easy stakes victories at Mountaineer, the dark bay picked up in 2007 in the same vein, taking the five-furlong Panhandle H. at the West Virginia oval May 5. Adding his first graded score in the GIII Aristides S. at Churchill Downs June 2, Fabulous Strike was well backed to reproduce that form in Calder's GII Smile Sprint H., but faltered and had to settle for fifth.

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Ready to Strike...

Sent off the 4-1 third choice in this salty affair, the Pennsylvania-bred raced in tandem with Talent Search in the early going, carving out brisk early splits of



Fabulous Strike

Sarah Andrew

:21.89 and :44.51. Soon in front by a comfortable margin, the gelding, who was under mild encouragement by jockey Ramon Dominguez, continued to dominate late, posting a 5 3/4-length victory. According to trainer Todd Beattie, Fabulous Strike will be shipped back to his home base of Penn National and will be trained up to the GI Breeders' Cup Sprint

at Monmouth Park Oct. 27. "I'm glad he showed up today," said Dominguez. "Even though he had some huge Beyer [Speed Figures] there was a lot of skepticism. We were going so fast, but he was going easy. I was just hoping I would have some horse. As soon as I opened my hands, he just exploded. This horse is a running son of a gun. I know Todd [Beattie] will have him in great shape going into the Sprint." Also eyeing a possible tilt at the Breeders' Cup Sprint was Mark Shuman, trainer of runner-up Talent Search. "He ran a great race," said Shuman. "I never bet, but I had to bet him because he was such a big price [18-1]. He finished up in front of some great horses. If everything is okay, we'll look at the race at Monmouth."

Discreet Cat Respectable in Defeat...

Following a respectable third as the even-money choice, trainer Saeed bin Suroor indicated that GI Cigar Mile hero Discreet Cat will make his way down to the Jersey Shore for the final Saturday in October. "He needed the race and should improve off of this race," explained Suroor. "He had been working well and was physically sound. We'll have to see how he comes out of this race and check him over. If everything is fine, I would be happy to send him to the GI Breeders' Cup Mile [Monmouth Park Oct. 27]. I think the Mile would be better for him. Six furlongs is too short for him."

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Sunday, Belmont Park

JOCKEY CLUB GOLD CUP S.-GI, \$765,000, BEL, 9-30, 3yo/up, 1 1/4m, 2:01 1/5, ft.

1--**CURLIN**, 122, c, 3, by **Smart Strike**

1st Dam: Sherriff's Deputy, by Deputy Minister

2nd Dam: Barbarika, by Bates Motel

3rd Dam: War Exchange, by Wise Exchange

(\$57,000 yrl '05 KEESEP). O-G Bolton, Stonestreet Stables, Padua Stables, Midnight Cry Stable; B-Fares Farm Inc (KY); T-S M Asmussen; J-Robby Albarado; \$450,000. Lifetime Record: 8-5-1-2, \$2,402,800.

2--**Lawyer Ron**, 126, c, 4, Langfuhr--Donation, by Lord Avie. O-Hines Racing LLC; B-James T Hines Jr (KY); T-Todd A Pletcher; \$150,000.

3--**Political Force**, 126, c, 4, Unbridled's Song--Glitter Woman, by Glitterman. O/B-Joseph Allen (KY); T-H Allen Jerkens; \$75,000.

Margins: NK, 4, 6. Odds: 2.10, 0.70, 5.50.

Also Ran: Sun King, Brother Bobby, Indy Wind, Malibu Moonshine.

Curlin won his career debut for trainer Helen Pitts against Gulfstream Park maidens Feb. 3 before adding the Mar. 17 GIII Rebel S. for Steve Asmussen. An embarrassingly easy 10 1/2-length winner in the GII Arkansas Derby Apr. 14, the chestnut closed well to be third to Street Sense in the GI Kentucky Derby May 5. Ready for a showdown with that foe in the GI Preakness S. two weeks later, the \$57,000 KEESEP yearling won the battle by a narrow head. Game in defeat behind the classy filly Rags to Riches in the 1 1/2-mile GI Belmont S. June 9, Curlin failed to reproduce his best effort and had to settle for third behind Any Given Saturday and Hard Spun in his most recent start in the GI Haskell Invitational S. at Monmouth Aug. 5. "I just let him gather himself up," said winning rider Robby Albarado. "I was confident the whole race. It looked like Lawyer Ron got a little rank down the backstretch, so I just sat behind him. Johnny [Velazquez on Lawyer Ron] made his move and I just followed suit. Curlin loves being outside, so I was pretty confident during the stretch drive. It feels great to beat a great horse like Lawyer Ron."

Sunday, Belmont Park

JOE HIRSCH TURF CLASSIC INVITATIONAL S.-GI, \$612,000, BEL, 9-30, 3yo/up, 1 1/2mT, 2:25 3/5, fm.

1--**ENGLISH CHANNEL**, 126, h, 5, by **Smart Strike**

1st Dam: Belva, by Theatrical (Ire)

2nd Dam: Committed, by Hagley

3rd Dam: Minstinguette, by Boldnesian

(\$50,000 yrl '03 KEESEP). O-James T Scatuorchio; B-Keene Ridge Farm (KY); T-Todd A Pletcher; J-John R Velazquez; \$360,000. Lifetime Record: 21-12-4-1, \$3,699,028. *Full to Sedgfield, MGSP, \$240,093.

2--**Stream of Gold (Ire)**, 126, g, 6, Rainbow Quest--River Dancer (Ire), by Irish River (Fr). O-Zabeel Racing International; B-Ballymacoll Stud Farm Ltd (IRE); T-Kieran P McLaughlin; \$120,000.

3--**Interpatation**, 126, g, 5, Langfuhr--Idealistic Cause, by Habitony. (\$31,000 wlng '02 KEENOV). O-Elliot Mavorah; B-Larry Cassaday & Jack O Thompson (KY); T-Robert Barbara; \$60,000.

Margins: 2 1/4, 3, HD. Odds: 0.40, 8.30, 19.20.

Also Ran: Kiss the Kid, Mission Approved, Green Girl (Fr), Mustanfar.

An Eclipse Award finalist last year, English Channel has enjoyed another productive season. The chestnut



English Channel (rail)
Sarah Andrew

set a new track record in a Gulfstream allowance in February, then rebounded from a disappointing try in the G1 Dubai Duty Free to be second in the GI Manhattan H., win the GI United Nations S. and run second in Saratoga's GI Sword Dancer S. Aug. 11. English Channel was the 3-5 pick when he won this race last year by 4 1/2 lengths and was once again backed as the odds-on choice. Taken off the early pace under regular jockey John Velazquez, English Channel settled into a comfortable stride through splits of :23 4/5, :49 2/5 and 1:13 3/5. As they cut the corner for home, however, he'd tired of playing the waiting game and, after punching on through, left the rest fighting for place honors. "He just needed a spot to go," said winning trainer Todd Pletcher. "Fortunately, things opened up for him enough on the rail."

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Sunday, Belmont Park

BELDAME S.-GI, \$612,000, BEL, 9-30, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8m, 1:48 3/5, ft.

1--▲**UNBRIDLED BELLE**, 123, f, 4, by [Broken Vow](#)

1st Dam: Little Bold Belle (SW), by Silver Buck

2nd Dam: Bold Juana, by John Alden

3rd Dam: Little Bold Sphinx, by Bold Ambition (\$4,000 yrl '04 KEESEP). O-Team Valor Stables LLC; B-Charger Six Venture (KY); T-Todd A Pletcher; J-Ramon A Dominguez; \$360,000. Lifetime Record: 13-5-3-1, \$1,212,840.

2--**Indian Vale**, 123, m, 5, A.P. Indy--Marley Vale, by Forty Niner. O-Melnyk Racing Stables, Inc; B-Eugene Melnyk (ON); T-Todd A Pletcher; \$120,000.

3--**Ginger Punch**, 123, f, 4, Awesome Again--Nappelon, by Bold Revenue. O-Stonach Stables; B-Adena Springs (FL); T-Robert J Frankel; \$60,000.

Margins: HD, 2 1/4, 4HF. Odds: 6.70, 7.20, 1.10.

Also Ran: Balance, Mo Cuishle, Miss Shop, Ice Cool Kitty. Scratched: Sugar Shake.

Unbridled Belle, winner of last year's Go For Wand S. at Delaware, closed out the season with a pair for



Unbridled Belle (outside)

Sarah Andrew

fourths in Grade I Company, including the Gazelle S. over this track and trip Sept. 9. A good second coming back from a 10-month hiatus in the Obeah H. at Delaware June 16, the mammoth filly galloped home an easy 7 3/4 length winner in the July 15 GII Delaware H.; a race that included favorite and

stablemate Indian Vale. Favored for the 10-furlong GI Personal Ensign S. at Saratoga Aug. 24, the dark bay found Miss Shop (Deputy Minister) too tough and had to play bridesmaid that day. Rated off the pace as Ice Cool Kitty (Tomorrows Cat) showed the way here, Unbridled Belle found things a bit tight at the five-eighths, but recovered to make up ground along the inside. Moved to the outside for the stretch drive, she drove past tiring favorite Ginger Punch and collared Indian Vale in the final strides to record her first Grade I victory. "Obviously, Unbridled Belle is just a better filly this year than she was last year," said Todd Pletcher, trainer of winner Unbridled Belle and runner-up Indian Vale. "I thought there'd be a little more pace. I think Indian Vale, considering she was stuck inside there, never could really get clear of Ice Cool Kitty at any point. I thought she ran a big race as well. Indian Vale is a deserving Grade I winner..it's a tough loss for her. On the flip side, the other filly ran a big race. It's unfortunate that sometimes you have to run them together, but it was the right thing for both fillies and both owners." As for future plans for the fillies, Pletcher added, "I think they both ran well enough to go forward [to the Breeders' Cup Distaff at Monmouth Oct. 27]." **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or the [free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree](#). Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.**

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[GI Vosburgh S.](#) **Fabulous Strike** (Smart Strike) gets the ball rolling for his sire.

[GI Joe Hirsch Turf Classic S.](#) **English Channel** (Smart Strike) makes it two Grade I wins for dad.

[GI Beldame S.](#) **Unbridled Belle** (Broken Vow) gets up in the final jump.

[GI Jockey Club Gold Cup](#) **Curlin** (Smart Strike) completes the elite hat trick for his sire.

[GI Norfolk S.](#) **Dixie Chatter** (Dixie Union) gets his first graded stakes victory.



Sunday, Santa Anita

NORFOLK S.-GI, \$250,000, OSA, 9-30, 2yo, 1 1/16m (AWT), 1:42 3/5, ft.

1--#**▲DIXIE CHATTER**, 122, c, 2, by [Dixie Union](#)

1st Dam: Mini Chat, by Deputy Minister

2nd Dam: Phone Chatter, by Phone Trick

3rd Dam: Passing My Way, by Pass the Glass

O/B-Herman Sarkowsky (KY); T-Richard E Mandella; J-Richard Migliore; \$150,000. Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-0, \$191,400.

2--**Salute the Sarge**, 122, c, 2, Forest Wildcat--

Dixie Ghost, by Silver Ghost. (\$300,000 2yo 2007 BESMAR). O-Southern Equine Stable LLC; B-Gulf Coast Farms LLC (KY); T-Eric J Guillot; \$50,000.

3--**Shore Do**, 122, c, 2, Include--Dynashore, by

Dynaformer. (\$37,000 yrl '06 KEESEP; \$100,000 2yo 2007 BESMAR). O-Mike Connors, Jim Hawkins, and Kevin and Terry Jacobsen; B-Farfellow Farms Ltd (KY); T-Chuck Peery; \$30,000.

Margins: 1 1/4, 1 3/4, HF. Odds: 2.90, 1.80, 5.70.

Also Ran: Beresford, Dodgen Bullets, Drewthegentleman, Guts, Yes It's a Cat, Rivergrade Boy. Scratches: P. S. U. Grad, Sky Cape, Trickster Nickster.

Dixie Chatter offered little in his debut and reported home seventh going five panels at Hollywood June 10, but returned next time to get the job done while trying a sixteenth longer over that track July 7. Sent to the sidelines for two months, the bay came from off the pace to hit the front in the late stages of the GI Del Mar Futurity Sept. 5, but couldn't sustain the bid and came home fifth. Settled off the pace in the early going this time, the colt swung out for the drive, took command midstretch and drew clear to score. "He settled well today," said winning rider Richard Migliore. "I know he got tired at Del Mar [in the Futurity], but he relaxed much better going long. I moved with him going to the quarter pole, and we hit the front earlier than I wanted to, but I felt like I had to move when I did to secure my position. When he made the lead, he seemed to idle a bit. He's very athletic and he's the kind of horse who likes to have horses to chase." [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or the [free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree](#). [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

Sunday, Nakayama, Japan

SPRINTERS S.-G1, ¥185,420,000, Nakayama, 9-30, 3yo/up, 1200mT, 1:09.40, v sft.

1--**▲ASTON MACHAN (JPN)**, 117, f, 3, by [Admire Cozzene \(Jpn\)](#)

1st Dam: Rustling Copse, by Woodman

2nd Dam: Fieldy (Ire), by Northfields

3rd Dam: Gramy (Fr), by Tapioca (Fr)

O-Mayumi Tosa; B-Shadai Farm; T-Sei Ishizaka; J-Eiji Nakadate; ¥98,444,000. Lifetime Record: 9-5-2-0.

2--**Sans Adieu (Jpn)**, 121, m, 5, French Deputy--

Sheriyza (Ire), by Caerleon. O-Takao Matsuoka; B-Shimokobe Farm; T-H Otonashi; ¥38,984,000.

3--**I'll Love Again (Jpn)**, 126, h, 5, El Condor Pasa--

Tokio Reality, by Meadowlake. O-Yomoji Saito; B-Northern Farm; T-T Tezuka; ¥24,492,000.

Margins: 3/4, NK, HD. Odds: 4.60, 2.60, 10.10.

Also Ran: King's Trail (Jpn), Tamamo Hot Play (Jpn), Lohengrin (Jpn), Precise Machine (Jpn), Couverture (Jpn), Suzuka Phoenix (Jpn), Peer Gynt (Jpn), Koiuta (Jpn), Amberjack (Jpn), Agnes Raspberry (Jpn), Orewa Matteruze (Jpn), Meisho Bowler (Jpn), M O Winner (Jpn).

Aston Machan started the season with a win in the Mar. 11 Hochi Hai Fillies Revue, but went to the shelf after finishing seventh in the Apr. 8 Japanese 1000 Guineas. The bay filly made her return against older horses in a stakes at Kokura Aug. 12 and was not disgraced, finishing 2 1/4 lengths off the winner in sixth. The third choice off that effort, she dashed to the front soon after the start and, despite the boggy conditions, zipped through the opening three furlongs in :33.10. Aston Machan had three lengths on the field when they turned into the straight and held on gamely as favored Sans Adieu closed late.

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JUDDMONTE BERESFORD S.-G2, €125,000, Curragh, 9-30, 2yo, 1mT, 1:46.74, yl.

1--#**@CURTAIN CALL (FR)**, 127, c, 2, by [Sadler's Wells](#)

1st Dam: Apsara (Fr), by Darshaan (GB)

2nd Dam: Whakilyric, by Miswaki

3rd Dam: Lyrism, by Lyphard

(60,000gns yrl '06 TATOCT). O-Mrs P K Cooper; B-Niarchos Family; T-Jessica Harrington; J-Fran Berry; €81,250. Lifetime Record: 4-1-2-0, €108,800.

2--**Domestic Fund (Ire)**, 127, c, 2, Sadler's Wells--

Market Slide, by Gulch. O/B-Moyglare Stud Farm; T-Dermot Weld; €25,000.

3--**Going Public (Ire)**, 127, c, 2, Night Shift--Gifts Galore (Ire), by Darshaan (GB). O/B-Moyglare Stud Farm; T-Dermot Weld; €12,500.

Margins: 4, 1HF, HD. Odds: 9-2, 9-1, 20-1.

Also Ran: Brazilian Star (Ire), Lisvale (Ire), Lizard Island, Capt Chaos (Ire), Lucifer Sam, Via Galilei (Ire).

Scratched: Bruges (Ire).

After an eye-catching late run to be sixth in a Curragh maiden June 29, Curtain Call delivered on that promise when a silver medallist in a mile maiden July 18 at Leopardstown. The bay belied odds of 40-1 with a staying-on second behind New Approach (Ire) in the G2 Futurity S. on his last start here Aug. 25, and benefited from an aggressive ride from the front to master a seemingly competitive line-up here. Shaken up at the top of the stretch, Curtain Call simply powered away from the field under a drive to break his maiden in impressive style. "I took a chance coming here as a maiden, but he ran so well behind New Approach in the Futurity," commented trainer Jessica Harrington, better known for her handling of the famed jumper Moscow Flyer (Ire). "I've only six two-year-olds, so I was hoping for the best and that he'd improve. The plan was not to give up the rail, and every time anything came to him, he just picked up. He's bred to get a mile and a half and more. He's a real stayer and could go for the G1 Racing Post Trophy [at Doncaster Oct. 27]." [Click for the Racing Post chart](#) or the [free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree](#). [Video, courtesy of attheraces.com](#).

Sunday, Ascot, Britain

DIADEM S.-G2, £90,000, Ascot, 9-30, 3yo/up, 6fT, 1:13.96, gd.

1--**@HAATEF**, 124, c, 3, by Danzig

1st Dam: Sayedat Alhadh, by Mr. Prospector

2nd Dam: Muhbubh, by Blushing Groom (Fr)

3rd Dam: Manal (Fr), by Luthier (Fr)

O-Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum; B-Shadwell Estate Company Limited; T-Kevin Prendergast; J-Richard Hills; £51,102. Lifetime Record: 7-4-0-1, £108,553. *Full to Walayef, GSW-Ire, \$116,576; and Ulfah, MSW-Ire, \$185,915.

2--**Dark Missile (GB)**, 123, f, 4, Night Shift--Exorcet (Fr), by Selkirk. O-J C Smith; B-Littleton Stud; T-Andrew Balding; £19,368.

3--**Assertive (GB)**, 126, c, 4, Bold Edge (GB)--Tart and a Half (GB), by Distant Relative (Ire). (36,000gns yrl '04 DONSEP). O-A J Ilsley, K T Ivory & Lady Whent; B-Raffin Bloodstock; T-Richard Hannon; £9,693.

Margins: SHD, NK, 1 1/4. Odds: 8-1, 25-1, 66-1.

Also Ran: Zidane (GB), Al Qasi (Ire), Beckermest (Ire), Knot In Wood (Ire), Sonny Red (Ire), Abraham Lincoln (Ire), Baltic King (GB), Prime Defender (GB), Silver Touch (Ire), Ripples Maid (GB), Balthazaar's Gift (Ire), Captain Marvelous (Ire), Galeota (Ire), Scarlet Runner (GB). Benbaun (Ire), Per Incanto, Hellvelyn (GB).

Haatef was tagged a ☆ **"TDN Rising Star"** ☆ following his impressive maiden success over six furlongs at The Curragh last August, and acquitted himself with credit when fourth after a troubled trip in Newmarket's G1 Dewhurst S. in October. He made his sophomore bow as a 7-1 shot in the G1 2000 Guineas, but never landed a serious blow on the far side, finishing 10th. Back to winning ways in a seven-furlong Naas conditions event June 27, the bay followed up despite the heavy ground in the July 22 Listed Belgrave S. over six furlongs of the Fairyhouse circuit. He found the mile of the G3 Desmond S. too far at Leopardstown last time Aug. 19, fading to third, and was shortening up in trip here. Taken over to the far side early, he chased the pace in mid-division and responded to driving to deny Dark Missile with a final lunge. "Andrew Balding revealed that the runner-up, who would have provided his lady rider Hayley Turner with a first group-race success, might contest the Oct. 21 GI I Nearctic S. at Woodbine. [Click for the Racing Post chart](#) or the [free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree](#). [Video, courtesy of attheraces.com](#).

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Sunday, Ascot, Britain

CUMBERLAND LODGE S.-G3, £50,000, Ascot, 9-30, 3yo/up, 1 1/2mT, 2:34.47, gd/sf.

1--ASK (GB), 129, c, 4, by [Sadler's Wells](#)

1st Dam: Request (GB), by Rainbow Quest

2nd Dam: Highbrow (GB), by Shirley Heights (GB)

3rd Dam: Highclere (GB), by Queen's Hussar (GB)

O-Patrick J Fahey; B-Side Hill Stud; T-Sir Michael Stoute; J-Ryan Moore; £28,390. Lifetime Record: 8-3-2-1, £106,609.

2--Zaham, 118, c, 3, Silver Hawk--Guerre Et Paix, by Soviet Star. (\$50,000 yrl '05 KEESEP). O-Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum; B-London Thoroughbred Services Ltd; T-Mark Johnston; £10,760.

3--Honolulu (Ire), 118, c, 3, Montjeu (Ire)--Cerulean Sky (Ire), by Darshaan (GB). O-Derrick Smith, Susan Magnier & Michael Tabor; B-Kilfrush Stud; T-Aidan O'Brien; £5,385.

Margins: 2, 3/4, 1. Odds: 11-4, 8-1, 6-4.

Also Ran: Hattan (Ire), Laverock (Ire), Acapulco (Ire), Classic Punch (Ire), Young Mick (GB). Scratched: Stotsfold (GB), Satulagi.

Ask, fourth in the G1 St Leger at York on his final sophomore start in September, has been off the track since claiming the scalp of subsequent G1 Coronation Cup winner Scorpion (Ire) in the May 11 G3 Ormonde S. at Chester. Showing no signs of rustiness, the bay was reserved in rear off the strong early pace and traveled strongly into contention out wide on the final turn. Finding top gear when straightened up, he rolled by Honolulu and Zaham approaching the eighth pole before drawing clear for a convincing success. "He's a proper top-class horse and was very good today," jockey Ryan Moore said. "He was a bit fresh early on and, when I first went for him, he took a while to pick up, but in the last furlong he really stretched." Connections are pondering a tilt at Sunday's G1 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe at Longchamp, but have a range of options. "He was impressive and Sir Michael [Stoute] said he would improve for the run," owner Patrick Fahey's Racing Manager Simon Christian remarked. "He had a hoof crack in the summer, but he has the right attitude, stays and has a turn of foot. It would be nice to go for the Arc, but we'll leave it up to Sir Michael--perhaps we should prove he's a Group 1 horse before running in one, and there are other group races over Europe." [Click for the Racing Post chart.](#) [Video, courtesy of attheraces.com.](#)

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1--#**@EVA'S REQUEST (IRE)**, 124, f, 2, by Soviet Star

1st Dam: Ingabelle (Ire) (GSW-Ire), by Taufan

2nd Dam: Bodelle (Ire), by Falcon (GB)

3rd Dam: Shade (GB), by Gratitude (GB)

(€150,000 yrl '06 GOFORB). O-Liam Mulryan;

B-Ballylinch Stud; T-Mick Channon; J-Michael Kinane;

€52,080. Lifetime Record: GSP-GB, 7-2-0-1,

€63,713. *1/2 to Priory Belle (Ire) (Priolo), Hwt. 2yo Filly-Ire, G1SW-

Ire, \$114,135; and Wild Bluebell (Ire) (Bluebird), GSW-Ire.

2--**Kyniska (Ire)**, 124, f, 2, Choisir (Aus)--Lunadine (Fr),

by Bering (GB). (€55,000 wnlg '05 GOFNOV). O-Kyniska

Syn.; B-Deer Forest Stud Ltd; T-T Collins; €16,000.

3--**Indiana Gal (Ire)**, 124, f, 2, Intikhab--Genial Jenny

(Ire), by Danehill. O-T F Brennan; B-Holborn Trust Co;

T-Patrick Martin; €8,000.

Margins: 1, 2, HD. Odds: 14-1, 12-1, 11-1.

Also Ran: Carribean Sunset (Ire), Yarastar (GB), Lady

Jane Digby (GB), Sassy Gal (Ire), Raja (Ire), Kitty Mat-

cham (Ire), Longing to Dance (GB), Solas Na Greine

(Ire), Mystical Lady (Ire). Scratched: Toirneach.

The winner of a six-furlong Kempton maiden in her second race June 27, Eva's Request ran third when stepped up to the G3 Prestige S. at Goodwood Aug. 25 and was eighth in the Parknasilla Hotel Goffs Fillies' Million here on her latest outing Sept. 14. Tracking the leaders in fourth through the early strides, she still traveled well at the quarter pole, was maneuvered to deliver her challenge soon after and stayed on strongly when the whip was applied to hit the front 50 yards from the post. [Click for the Racing Post chart.](#) [Video, courtesy of attheraces.com.](#)

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1--**EL TANGO (GER)**, 132, h, 5, by **Acatenango (Ger)**

1st Dam: Elea (Ger), by Dschingis Khan (Ger)

2nd Dam: Envira (Fr), by Yoggi (Fr)

3rd Dam: Elektra (Ger), by Orsini II (Ger)

O-Stall Mydlinghoven; B-Gestut Wittekindshof;

T-Peter Schiergen; J-Andrasch Starke; €40,000.

Lifetime Record: Hwt. 3yo-Ger at 14f+, 23 starts,

8 wins, 7 places, €195,273. *Full to Evil Empire

(Ger), GSW-Ger, \$107,917; and 1/2 to El Tiger (Ger)

(Tiger Hill {Ire}), SW-Ger; and Enigma (Ger) (Sharp

Victor), GSP-Fr & Ger.

2--**Scatina (Ire)**, 117, f, 3, Samum (Ger)--Silvassa (Ire),

by Darshaan (GB). O-Gestut Ittlingen; B-Gestut Hof

Ittlingen; T-Mario Hofer; €15,000.

3--**Waldvogel (Ire)**, 121, c, 3, Polish Precedent--

Wurftaube (Ger), by Acatenango (Ger). O/B-Gestut

Ravensberg; T-Andreas Wohler; €6,000.

Margins: HF, 2HF, 3. Odds: 0.90, 13.80, 5.00.

Also Ran: Avanti Polonia (Ger), Peppertree Lane (Ire),

Rising Cross (GB), N'Oubliez Jamais (Ger). DNF: Jump

For You (Fr).

El Tango was successful in the 2005 renewal of this contest. He came back to form this term in the June 26 Listed Langer-Hamburger before running sixth in the valuable Ebor H. at York last time Aug. 22. Anchored in rear until the straight here, the grey made headway under pressure to challenge approaching the final furlong and stayed on in determined fashion to outgame Scatina nearing the line for a sixth stakes score.

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ON TO THE GOFFS MILLION When the new team at Goffs decided to revamp the old Orby Sale and launch the Million race and its filly equivalent in 2006, even the most optimistic amongst them could not have predicted the sale's dramatic turn of fortunes. The three-day auction took on a new vibrancy with the introduction of the two races, now worth €1 million apiece, and that energy has seemingly been transferred to its most esteemed graduates. Recent graduates include "living legend" **Finsceal Beo (Ire)** (Mr. Greeley), shrewdly purchased by Michael Ryan and turned into a champion by trainer Jim Bolger. In addition to shaping the aforementioned into a dual Guineas winner--and very nearly a triple one, Bolger snapped up another luminary 12 months ago in **New Approach (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}). New Approach captured the G1 National S. in August, and Bolger came back just two days later to collect the Fillies' Million with newcomer **Lush Lashes (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}). It is no coincidence that the Coolcullen conditioner was responsible for one of this sale's previous best international performers in **Alexander Goldrun (Ire)** (Gold Away {Ire}). Others to have flown the sale's flag this year include G2 Doncaster Cup and G2 Lonsdale Cup winner **Septimus (Ire)** (Sadler's Wells); **Red Rocks (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}), whose light campaign in 2007 has included a win in Sandown's G3 Gordon Richards S. under a penalty; **Arch Swing** (Arch), who chased home Finsceal Beo when second in Newmarket's G1 1000 Guineas; and **Speciosa (Ire)** (Danehill Dancer {Ire}), runner-up in the G1 Pretty Polly S. at The Curragh. With the merging of two sales companies, this year's 610-lot catalogue comes under the new DBS/Goffs banner, and next year's sales races will be worth over €5 million combined. Thursday and Friday are given up to the Sportsman's Sale, which has its own race worth €100,000 staged on Million day at The Curragh.



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**Hip 33, f, Danehill Dancer (Ire)--Igreja (Arg),
by Southern Halo**

Consigned by Barronstown Stud

David Nagle's operation has done consistently well at this sale, and this daughter of 1997 G1 Cape Fillies Guineas winner Igreja should attract plenty of attention. She hails from a family of proven South American performers, including the dam's full sister, MG1SW Taimazov (Arg), as well as the U.S. graded winner Bolder Than Bold.

Hip 45, c, King's Best--Irresistible Jewel (Ire), by Danehill
Consigned by Moyglare Stud Farm

Part of the Moyglare draft that will demand intense focus, this February-foaled colt is the second foal out of operation's Irresistible Jewel, winner of the G2 Ribblesdale S. and runner-up in the G1 Prix de l'Opera five years ago. Her first runner is Mad About You (Ire), subject of one of this catalogue's most significant updates when third in last month's G1 Moyglare Stud S.



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Hip Happenings cont.

Hip 90, c, Galileo (Ire)--Livadiya (Ire), by Shernazar (Ire)
Consigned by Moygannon Stud

Despite his May foaling, this colt is certain to have his admirers. He is the first foal of the ultra-tough Livadiya (Ire), who was a multiple stakes scorer in her native Ireland and stateside, and was runner-up in the 2004 G1 Tattersalls Gold Cup. This is also the family of the top-class sprinter-miler Linngari (Ire).

Hip 102, f, Pivotal (GB)--Lurina (Ire), by Lure
Consigned by Newtown Stud

One of seven yearlings by Cheveley Park's phenomenon in this catalogue, this is a half-sister to the recent Haynes, Hanson and Clark Conditions S. winner Centennial (Ire). She hails from the outstanding family of Croco Rouge (Ire), Taipan (Ire), Ali-Royal (Ire), Sleepytime (Ire) and Oonagh Maccool (Ire).

Hip 151, f, Rahy--My Renee, by Kris S.
Consigned by Kilcarn Stud

Pat O'Kelly's County Meath nursery has a formidable record here, having been responsible for the sale's topper on eight occasions, and for a daughter of Sadler's Wells who fetched €1.3 million 12 months ago. This filly is the first foal of the homebred dual listed winner My Renee, whose third dam is 1980 G1 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe heroine Detroit (Fr), also the dam of the 1994 Arc victor Carnegie (Ire).

Hip 175, c, Galileo (Ire)--Onereuse (GB), by Sanglamore
Consigned by Clare Castle

Galileo's reputation continues to sky rocket courtesy of New Approach (Ire) and Lush Lashes (Ire), and Coolmore's "heir apparent" has a notable offering here in this three-parts brother to the 2003 G1 Prix Saint-Alary winner Fidelite (Ire). Sadler's Wells's influence on this page extends to the best produce of the classy second dam J'ai Deux Amours (Ire). Like Fidelite, her son, 1995 G1 Irish Derby hero Winged Love (Ire) is by In the Wings (GB).

Hip 181, c, Dansili (GB)--Oval Office (GB), by Pursuit of Love (GB)

Consigned by Georgetown Stud

Khalid Abdullah's Dansili is one of the world's hottest sires at present and he has only five yearlings on offer this week. This March-foaled colt's second dam is the 1980 G2 Queen Mary S. winner and stakes producer Pushy (GB), herself a descendant of the late great Mrs Moss (GB), the queen of Lady Tavistock's Bloomsbury Stud.

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Accomplishment: Along with Team Valor International and Des Scott, owns Jazzy (Arg) (Mutakddim), who is slated to be supplemented to the Breeders' Cup Filly & Mare Sprint off her win in the GII Gallant Bloom H. at Belmont Sept. 22 in her dirt debut. Muir also owns with Scott the six-year-old gelding Candidato Roy (Arg) (Roy), winner of Saturday's £150,000 Challenge Cup H. at Ascot at 50-1 odds. Muir and his wife Robin have also owned several top runners in South Africa, where Robin is from, including the winners of six Equus Awards (South Africa's version of the Eclipse Awards). His top horses include Group 1 winners Cataloochee (SAf), and Argonaut (SAf).

Birthdate: Mar. 10, 1928.

Birthplace: Salt Lake City, UT.

Family: Wife Robin, two sons, two daughters, eight grandchildren and one great grandson!

Current Residence: Boca Raton, FL.

What did you do to celebrate Jazzy's big win? We had a celebratory dinner at our favorite eatery.

About how many horses do you own? 50-plus. (But he won't give me, his wife Robin, a straight answer either!)

What's your ideal meal? South African langoustines with drawn butter & lemon, with a fine wine!

Favorite vacation spot? Durban, South Africa.

Where would you like to go that you haven't been? A trip through the fjords of Norway, plus Sweden and Finland.

Do you have any pets? Yes. We have two blue & gold macaw parrots, one hand macaw, two cats and a mix-breed dog named Denali.

Favorite music? Music of the 1940s and '50s & Latin music.

Last good book you've read? Alan Greenspan's new tome, "The Age of Turbulence: Adventures in a New World."

What are your hobbies outside of racing? Golf, swimming & scuba diving.

If you could change one thing about racing, what would it be? I would like to see all tracks converted to Poly track to avoid the high amount of leg injuries.

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RAMONTI HAS CUP OPTION Saturday's G1 Queen Elizabeth II S. hero **Ramonti (Fr)** (Martino Alonso {Ire}) is likely to be trained for a tilt at the G1 Hong Kong Cup, Godolphin revealed yesterday. Following the five-year-old's half-length success in the Ascot contest, connections said the now triple Group 1 winner is likely to bypass the GI Breeders' Cup Mile at Monmouth Park Oct. 27 and enjoy a break leading up to Sha Tin's 10-furlong event Dec. 9. "I think we'll see how he is over the next two weeks, but the Breeders' Cup is coming at the end of October after a long season for him and he's so hard on himself," said Godolphin racing manager Simon Crisford. "We'll see what Sheikh Mohammed wants to do, but he could go for the Hong Kong Cup, as we're keen to stretch him out and see what he can do there." Crisford also revealed that Ramonti is to stay in training at six, with a tilt at the G1 Dubai Duty Free on his early 2008 program.

BALLYDOYLE ARC BID HINGES ON GROUND Aidan O'Brien yesterday confirmed **Dylan Thomas (Ire)** (Daneshill) and **Soldier of Fortune (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}) on course for Sunday's G1 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe, with the participation of the former dependant on underfoot conditions at Longchamp. While Susan Magnier and Michael Tabor's five-time Group 1 winner Dylan Thomas might miss the showpiece if there is significant rain. Magnier, Derrick Smith and Tabor's G1 Irish Derby hero has proven form on testing ground. "Dylan Thomas and Soldier of Fortune are being aimed at the Arc, but we won't be finalising plans until later in the week," O'Brien told the *Racing Post*. "We'll have to see how the horses are and we'll also be keeping an eye on the ground situation." The Ballydoyle conditioner also had news of star stayers **Yeats (Ire)** (Sadler's Wells) and **Septimus (Ire)** (Sadler's Wells). "Yeats is also in the Arc, but he could go for the G1 Prix du Cadran instead," he added. "But Septimus won't be going to Longchamp, as we have decided that he has done enough for the season. He will be back in training next year."

RIO HAS LONGCHAMP AIM Godolphin's **Rio de la Plata** (Rahy) is set to run in Sunday's G1 Prix Jean-Luc Lagardere at Longchamp, connections announced yesterday. The G2 Vintage S. winner and G1 National S. runner-up is set to contest the seven-furlong contest if the ground does not deteriorate. "We might consider running in Paris if the ground is not too soft," racing manager Simon Crisford commented. He added that the G3 Prix du Calvados runner-up **Laureldean Gale** (Grand Slam) is under consideration for the same card's G1 Prix Marcel Boussac.

PLETCHER OUTLINES BC PLANS FOR WAIT A WHILE, ET AL Arindel Farm's **Wait a While** (Maria's Mon) came out of her disappointing third-place effort as the favorite in Saturday's GI Flower Bowl Invitational S. in good order and will continue on to the GI Breeders' Cup Filly & Mare Turf at Monmouth Oct. 27. "She looked good this morning," trainer Todd Pletcher said Sunday. "[Jockey Garrett Gomez] said he thinks she doesn't like the unevenness of this turf course. That was the only excuse I could come up with." **Wait a While**, last year's champion three-year-old filly, has never raced over Monmouth's sod. Pletcher also confirmed that **The Leopard** (Storm Cat), the \$2.5 million juvenile buy who won Saturday's Pilgrim S. at Belmont in his grass debut, will be pointed toward the inaugural Breeders' Cup Juvenile Turf on Oct. 26. Several of Pletcher's Breeders' Cup hopefuls were on yesterday's worktab. They included **Honey Ryder** (Lasting Approval), who breezed a half mile in :50.02 over the inner turf course at Belmont and who's likely for the Filly & Mare Turf. **Sunriver** (Saint Ballado) worked an easy half in :53.33 on the inner turf. Pletcher wasn't sure whether the four-year-old would be sent to the GI Breeders' Cup Turf, or instead contest Woodbine's Oct. 21 GI Canadian International six days earlier. "Where he goes is most dependent on how the European invaders play out," said Pletcher. The two-year-old **The Roundhouse** (Fusaichi Pegasus), runner-up to Kodiak Kowboy in the GII Saratoga Special S. at Saratoga Aug. 16, worked five furlongs at Belmont in 1:01.03 and will make his next start in Keeneland's GI Breeders' Futurity this Saturday. On the same afternoon, **Ready's Image** (More Than Ready) is slated to line up in Belmont's GI Champagne S. He is coming off a second-place finish to Majestic Warrior in the GI Hopeful S. Sept. 3.

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'DOOD,' WHERE'S MY SUPPLEMENTAL FEE?

Trainer Kieran McLaughlin said yesterday that there was a good chance that Shadwell Stable's **Lahudood (GB)** (Singspiel {Ire}), a 21-1 upset winner of Saturday's GI Flower Bowl Invitational S. at Belmont, would be supplemented to the GI Breeders' Cup Filly & Mare Turf at Monmouth Park Oct. 27. "I did not speak to [owner] Sheikh Hamdan, but [Racing Manager] Rick Nichols did and he said he was very happy with the race. We'd have to supplement her to the Breeders' Cup, I think for \$180,000, but it looks like that's where we'll go." McLaughlin also commented on **Etched** (Forestry), a two-year-old colt who was tabbed a **★ "TDN Rising Star" ★** after taking his six-furlong debut impressively on the Flower Bowl undercard ([video](#)). "We don't know what we're going to do with him," said the trainer. "He might run in the GI Breeders' Cup [Juvenile], but the GIII Nashua [S. at Aqueduct Oct. 28] may be more realistic. He's a bit of a coltish one."

FASIG-TIPTON MIDLANTIC BEGINS

The Midlantic division of Fasig-Tipton kicks off its largest sale of the year today, the Eastern Fall Yearling Sale at the Maryland State Fairgrounds in Timonium. A total of 903 yearlings are cataloged over three days. All three sessions commence at 10:00 a.m. The sale has proven a valuable source of winners, with several sales graduates grabbing recent headlines. Among them are Dominican, winner of this term's GI Toyota Blue Grass S., who was purchased for \$70,000 in 2005; Obi Wan, victorious in the Presidential Affair H.; and Pomona Derby winner Frank The Barber. This year's stallion roster is once again replete with a solid group of young stallions, including freshman sires Aldebaran, Dream Run, Empire Maker, Essence of Dubai, Flatter, Harlan's Holiday, Hold That Tiger, Hook and Ladder, Milwaukee Brew, Posse, Proud Citizen, Vindication, Whywhywhy and Wiseman's Ferry. A host of stallions are represented by their first crop of yearlings, including Action This Day, Birdstone, Domestic Dispute, During, Johar, Lion Heart, Medaglia d'Oro, Olomodavor, Peace Rules, Scrimshaw, Tapit, Ten Most Wanted, The Cliff's Edge and Tocet. For the complete catalog, visit www.fasigtipton.com.

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Zayat's **LAKE ISLAND** ([Songandaprayer](#)), a \$460,000 OBSAPR juvenile, debuts for Anthony Dutrow. The colt worked a best-of-23 four furlongs in :47 3/5 at Delaware Sept. 23 in advance of his career opener. Also debuting is **Sluggo Gulch** ([Thunder Gulch](#)), a half to MSW Spectacular Lisa, and **Bergys Back** ([Victory Gallop](#)), a half to MSP L'es Marq. brisset.com.pps

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Yesterday's Results:

MISS GRILLO S., \$81,900, BEL, 9-30, 2yo, f, 1 1/16mT, 1:40 2/5, fm.

1--**#NAMASTE'S WISH, 117, f, 2, Pulpit--Copelan's Bid Gal (MSW), by Copelan.** (\$600,000 yrl '06 FTSAUG). O-Live Oak Plantation; B-Glory Days Breeding, Inc (KY); T-William I Mott; J-Kent J Desormeaux; \$49,140. Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-0, \$89,788. *Full to Purge, GISW, \$905,434.

2--**Sea Chanter, 117, f, 2, War Chant--Smooth Charmer, by Easy Goer.** O-Stonerville Stable. \$16,380.

3--**Remarkable Remy, 117, f, 2, Hennessy--Most Remarkable, by Marquetry.** (\$200,000 yrl '06 FTSAUG). O-Live Oak Plantation. \$8,190.

Margins: 3/4, 4 1/4, HD. Odds: 3.15, 4.00, 3.15.

Namaste's Wish, well-beaten in a pair of main-track sprints to open her career, found instant success when switched to the turf, breaking her maiden by 1 3/4 lengths at this distance at Saratoga Aug. 31. The bay filly sat a stalking fourth before angling to the outside for the stretch run. She battled on gamely to overtake Sea Chanter late for a narrow victory. "The thought of running her on the turf has always been in the back of my mind," winning trainer Bill Mott explained. "Because of her pedigree, I thought she would handle the dirt well, but all she did in those first two starts was fight over the dirt. Obviously, she has handled the grass well. We may consider running her in the [Oct. 26] Breeders' Cup Juvenile Turf before putting her away for the year. That may be one of our options." [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

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1st-BEL, \$49,000, Alw, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6fT, 1:08 2/5, fm.

SORT OF TRICKY (f, 3, Phone Trick--Sortofa Lady {MSW, \$142,646}, by Lord Avie) won by 8 3/4 lengths in her off-the-turf debut at Saratoga Aug. 8, but tired to second after setting the pace in a six-furlong state-bred allowance at the Spa Aug. 27. Trying the turf for the first time, the 8-5 favorite jumped out to the early lead and set fractions of :22.22, :45.18 and :56.60 while opening up by as much as six lengths. The \$45,000 FTMOCT yearling maintained a clear lead to the wire, besting Odetta One (Runaway Groom) by 4 3/4 lengths. Lifetime Record: 3-2-1-0, \$81,920.

O-S Pugliese. B-K Y Hutchinson (NY). T-Dale L Romans.

4th-BEL, \$53,900, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$75,000), NW1X, 3yo/up, 7f, 1:23 2/5, ft.

NOW A VICTOR (c, 3, Yankee Victor--Try a Gator Girl, by Copelan) battled to a narrow victory in his debut at Saratoga Aug. 25. Always within striking distance, the 8-5 second choice put a head in front at the top of the lane and forged clear to win by three lengths over R Clear Victory (Victory Gallop). Now a Victor was a \$75,000 KEENOV weanling and a \$127,000 FTKJUL yearling. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$70,200.

O-Three Diamonds Farm, R Veratti and J Besecker. B-Brereton C Jones (KY). T-Michael J Trombetta.

2nd-BEL, \$53,000, Msw, 2yo, 1m, 1:36 4/5, ft.

GLOBALIZATION (c, 2, Touch Gold--In the Limelight, by Polish Navy), a well-beaten third behind Tale of Ekati in his July 7 debut at Belmont, was third again at Saratoga July 28, but tired to seventh when stretched out to 1 1/16 miles on the Saratoga lawn Sept. 3. Back on the main track, the 2-1 shot went right to the lead, opened up on the field when asked for run leaving the backstretch and flew home a 7 1/2-length winner. Favored Hyrule (Smart Strike) was second. Globalization, a \$120,000 KEESEP yearling and a \$250,000 OBSMAR juvenile, is a half brother to Minister Margaret (Mane Minister, Ch. Imp. Older Mare-PR, MSW-PR, \$495,634) and to Cash on the Run (Deposit Ticket), MSW & GSP, \$180,557. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made](#). Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-2, \$43,452.

O-Klaravich Stables, Inc and William Lawrence.

B-Stonerside Stable & Westwind Farm (KY). T-Richard A Violette, Jr.

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New York report cont.

6th-BEL, \$52,000, Msw, 2yo, f, 6fT, 1:08 3/5, fm. LUCKY COPY (f, 2, Unbridled's Song--Perfect Copy {GSP-US & SP-Fr, \$123,455}, by Deputy Minister) closed to be third in her Aug. 5 debut at Saratoga, but was on the lead before tiring to fifth last time out Sept. 2. Making her first start on the turf and with blinkers off, the 9-5 favorite attended the quick fractions of :21.87, :44.58 and :56.37. She put a head in front at the top of the lane and inched clear to win by one length over The Cat's Affair (Tale of the Cat).

[Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#) Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-1, \$39,260.

O/B-Wertheimer and Frere (KY). T-Todd A Pletcher.

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Brilliant Three-Year-Old
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[2nd-BEL \(Msw\)](#) Globalization (Touch Gold) romps home.

[6th-BEL \(Msw\)](#) Lucky Copy (Unbridled's Song) switched to turf for fast maiden win.

[Miss Grillo S.](#) Namaste's Wish (Pulpit) remains unbeaten on the turf.

[2nd-OSA \(Msw\)](#) Gone Grand (Grand Slam) flies early and holds on.

[7th-OSA \(Msw\)](#) Foxy Danseur (Mr. Greeley) graduates in the return to maiden company.

[Blue Jay Way S.](#) Night Chapter (GB) (Night Shift) makes it three in-a-row.

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Saturday Night's Results:

HOLLY S., \$55,000, MED, 9-29, 2yo, f, 1m70yT, 1:41 3/5, fm.

1--**#GRACE AND POWER, 117, f, 2, [More Than Ready](#)--Lady in Power, by Defensive Play.** (\$115,000 yrl '06 FTKJUL). O-Mike Ryan; B-Keene Ridge Farm (KY); T-Steve Klesaris; J-Eddie Castro; \$33,000. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$57,000.

2--**Sales Tax, 121, f, 2, High Yield--Snit, by Fit to Fight.** \$11,000.

3--**Return to Paradise, 117, f, 2, El Prado (Ire)--Winner's Edge, by Seeking the Gold.** \$6,600.

Margins: NK, 1 3/4, 2. Odds: 3.80, 1.80, 1.70.

Grace and Power graduated by 1 1/4 lengths while racing one mile over the Delaware turf in her Sept. 5 debut. The dark bay pressed the pace through moderate fractions, took over leaving the backstretch and opened up a clear lead in upper stretch before holding off the late rally of Sales Tax.

GOLDEN GULL "CHRIS BROWN MEMORIAL" S., \$50,800, CTX, 9-29, (S), 2yo, f, 4 1/2f, :52 4/5, ft.

1--**WE'RE IN THE MONEY, 117, f, 2, [Whywhywhy](#)--Numerous Moves, by Numerous.** (\$28,000 2yo '07 OBSAPR). O-Ray M Pennington, III; B-Charles A Woodson Jr (WV); T-Ollie L Figgins, III; J-Gerald Almodovar; \$30,480. Lifetime Record: 4-3-0-0, \$64,480.

2--**Touch of Class, 117, f, 2, Wiseman's Ferry--Trellis, by Baederwood.** (\$40,000 2yo '07 FTMMAY). \$10,160.

3--**Color Parade, 117, f, 2, Way West (Fr)--Anatasia, by Carnivalay.** \$5,588.

Margins: NK, 5, 4 3/4. Odds: 1.40, 2.50, 1.60.

We're in the Money had to share her first stakes win when she dead-heated for the victory in the Sept. 8 Cinderella S. over track and distance in her last trip to the post. Favored against four foes, the chestnut filly reeled in pacesetter Touch of Class down the lane for a determined victory.

Yesterday's Results:

5th-DEL, \$40,300, Msw, 2yo, f, 1m70y, 1:44, ft.

BASKET STITCH (f, 2, [Tiznow](#)--Link to Erin, by Linkage) opened her career with a pair of second-place outings sprinting six furlongs at this track, most recently losing by just a neck Sept. 8. Stretching out for the first time here, the bay filly broke on top, set tepid splits and drew clear down the lane to score by 4 1/2 lengths as the 1-2 favorite. The \$140,000 KEENOV weanling is a half sister to Link to Jimmy (The Name's Jimmy, SW, \$218,719) and to Fager's Island (Storm Boot, SW, \$159,494). Lifetime Record: 3-1-2-0, \$44,000.

O-Fox Hill Farms, Inc. B-Mt Joy Stables Inc (KY).

T-Steve Klesaris.

★ CENTRAL ★

Yesterday's Results:

6th-RPX, \$25,000, Msw, 2yo, f, 6f, 1:11 1/5, ft.

CHINA'S DRAGONLADY (f, 2, [Include](#)--Silver Gambler, by Prospectors Gamble), a \$40,000 KEESEP and \$200,000 OBSMAR juvenile, tired to be a well-beaten fourth as the favorite going 5 1/2 furlongs over this strip Aug. 23. Sent off the 2-1 chalk to make amends, the gray swooped to the lead in upper stretch and bounded clear to win by nine lengths over T C's Sweetie (Broken Vow). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$16,264.

O-Cobra Cooper Racing. B-Brereton C Jones (KY). T-W Bret Calhoun.

★ CANADA ★

Yesterday's Results:

6th-WOX, \$68,776, Msw, 2yo, f, 1m70y (AWT), 1:43, ft.

SIX PACK SAMMY (f, 2, [Yonaguska](#)--Sara Six Pack {MSP}, by Saratoga Six) made her career debut in the Sept. 3 Muskoka S. and was a solid runner-up. Sent off the 4-5 favorite, the bay filly recovered from a slow start, moving up along the rail to take charge turning for home, and quickly opened up before holding on for a one-length victory over Mascara (Milwaukee Brew). The winner was a C\$42,000 ONTSEP yearling. Lifetime Record: SP, 2-1-1-0, \$63,491.

O-Richard Lederman Farms, Inc. B-Denny Andrews (ON). T-Mark E Casse.

★ SO. CALIFORNIA ★

Smokey Stover Likely to Pass Ancient Title:

Harry Aleo's **Smokey Stover** (Put it Back), who will be one of the favorites in the GI Breeders' Cup Sprint, will likely pass on next Sunday's GI Ancient Title S. at Santa Anita and instead train up to Breeders' Cup, trainer Greg Gilchrist reports. "If the field came up very, very light, there's a slight possibility we would run," Gilchrist said. "But right now, I'd say we'll train up to the...Sprint." The four-year-old Smokey Stover is coming off a win in the Icecapade S. at Monmouth July 7. Likely for the Ancient Title is defending champion **Bordonaro** (Memo {Chi}). The six-year-old is coming off a disappointing seventh in the GII Pat O'Brien H. at Del Mar Aug. 19 and hasn't won since taking the GIII Count Fleet Sprint H. at Oaklawn in April. "We want to get back on track with Bordonaro," said conditioner Bill Spawr, who saddled the gelding to a fourth-place finish in last year's Sprint at Churchill. Other probables for the Ancient Title include **Greg's Gold** (Lake George) and **Idiot Proof** (Benchmark).



California report cont.

CHRB Files Complaints Against Vienna, Medici Code:

The California Horse Racing Board has filed two complaints against trainer Darrell Vienna after his charge **Medici Code (GB)** (Medician {GB}) tested positive for excessive levels of clenbuterol after two races at Del Mar. Medici Code was second in the Oceanside S. at Del Mar July 18 and then won the GII La Jolla H. at the track Aug. 11. The Ken Maddy Laboratory at UC Davis initially identified the excessive clenbuterol level and Industrial Laboratories confirmed the decision in split samples from both races. The three-year-old went on to win the Sept. 2 GII Del Mar Derby. A hearing date has not yet been set.

Yesterday's Results:

BLUE JAY WAY S., \$65,350, OSA, 9-30, (R), 3yo/up, a6 1/2fT, 1:11 4/5, fm.

1--**NIGHT CHAPTER (GB)**, 122, h, 6, **Night Shift--Context (GB)**, by **Zafonic**. O-Diamond Pride LLC, Robert Frankel; B-Juddmonte Farms (GB); T-Robert J Frankel; J-Brice Blanc; \$38,730. Lifetime Record: SW-Fr, 23-7-3-3, \$292,967.

2--**Moth Ball (GB)**, 118, g, 5, Royal Applause (GB)--Chrysalis (GB), by Soviet Star. (110,000gns yrl '03 TATOCT). \$12,910.

3--**Leonetti**, 122, g, 5, Saint Ballado--Lady At Peace, by Lord At War (Arg). \$7,746.

Margins: 1, HF, 2 1/4. Odds: 3.80, 9.60, 2.50.

Night Chapter, looking for his third straight victory, had not been out since winning the Feb. 17 Daytona H. over this course and trip Feb. 17. The bay settled in fifth, angled to the outside for the drive and took charge late for a one-length triumph. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

7th-OSA, \$46,600, Msw, 2yo, f, 6f (AWT), 1:08 4/5, ft.

FOXY DANSEUR (f, 2, Mr. Greeley--Ravish Me, by Wild Again), seventh behind subsequent GI Del Mar Debutante S. winner Set Play in her June 17 debut at Hollywood, missed by just a neck to subsequent GII Adirondack S. winner More Happy July 21 before being thrown into graded-stakes company while still a maiden. The dark bay filly was third in the Aug. 8 GIII Sorrento S. and returned to maiden company here after an eighth-place effort in the Sept. 3 Debutante. Sent off at 5-2, Foxy Danseur rated within striking distance before rallying three wide into the stretch. She took over with a furlong to run and pulled clear to win by 1 3/4 lengths over Morning Frost (Monsieur Cat). The winner was a \$47,000 KEESEP yearling and a \$280,000 OBSMAR juvenile. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#) Lifetime Record: GSP, 5-1-1-1, \$54,800. O-Charles Cono LLC. B-McCann, Goldsher, Lehmann, et al (KY). T-Christopher S Paasch.

2nd-OSA, \$45,800, Msw, 2yo, 6f (AWT), 1:08 3/5, ft. **GONE GRAND (c, 2, Grand Slam--Greyciousness, by Miswaki)** contested the early fractions before finishing second in his Aug. 4 debut at Del Mar, but was a distant 10th after setting a quick pace with blinkers on Aug. 25. Let go at 14-1 and sans blinkers this time, the gray colt zipped through fractions :21.12, :43.84 and :55.94 and gamely held off Zetterberg (El Corredor) for a half-length victory. Gone Grand was a \$55,000 KEESEP yearling and a \$120,000 BESMAR juvenile. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#) Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, \$36,800.

O-Lorraine and Rod Rodriguez. B-Gulf Coast Farms Bloodstock LP (KY). T-Doug F O'Neill.

★ WEST ★

Saturday Night's Results:

GOTTSTEIN FUTURITY, \$90,000, EMD, 9-29, 2yo, 1 1/16m, 1:42 2/5, ft.

1--**SMARTY DEB**, 117, f, 2, by **Smart Strike**
1st Dam: Taste the Passion (MSW, \$142,210), by Wild Again

2nd Dam: Bisbee, by Believe It

3rd Dam: Miss Cenyak, by Graustark

O/B-Northwest Farms (KY); T-Doris Harwood; J-Ricky Frazier; \$49,500. Lifetime Record: 4-4-0-0, \$121,055. * 1/2 to Shampoo (Gulch), MSW, \$136,524.

2--**Gallon**, 120, g, 2, Victory Gallop--Bellehop, by Hennessy. \$18,000.

3--**Margo's Gift**, 120, g, 2, Polish Gift--Burgundy Jones, by Knights Choice. (\$10,000 yrl '06 WASDEC). \$13,500.

Margins: 3, 2 3/4, 6HF. Odds: 0.80, 5.30, 3.70.

Smarty Deb hasn't looked back since breaking her maiden on debut at this track May 13, adding victories in the six-furlong Angie C. S. July 15 and in the one-mile Barbara Shinpoch S. last time out Sept. 2. A stalking third in the early going, the heavy favorite inhaled the pacesetters turning for home and pulled clear steadily down the lane to remain unbeaten in four outings.

★ AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS ★

IN ITALY:

Gladiatorus, c, 2, Silic (Fr). See "Italy."

IN IRELAND:

US Ranger, c, 3, Danzig. See "Ireland."

IN BRITAIN:

Ibn Khaldun, c, 2, Dubai Destination. See "Britain."

All the Good, c, 4, Diesis (GB). See "European Breeders' Edition."



IN FRANCE:

Niska, f, 2, [Smart Strike](#). See "France."

IN PERU:

Zenrun, c, 3, [Gilded Time](#)—Ava's Delight, by Cryptoclearance. Monterrico, 9-28, Alw, 6.5f, 1:21 4/5. Lifetime Record: 9 starts, 3 wins. O-Stud Myrna; B-H Charles Kidder. T-Jorge Salas.

Mister Keeneland, h, 11, **Lil E. Tee**--Nahlekadeya, by Our Native. Monterrico, 9-28, Hcp, 5f, 1:00 3/5. Lifetime Record: 133 starts, 20 wins. O-Stud Huerequeque; B-H P L McFadden. T-Luis Melgar. *\$7,500 yrl '97 KEESEP. **GSP-Per.

Ascot, 2.00, Hcp, £12,000, 2yo, 7fT, 1:28.14, gd. **IBN KHALDUN** (c, 2, Dubai Destination--Gossamer {GB} {Hwt. 3yo Filly-GB at 7-9.5f, G1SW-GB & Ire, G1SP-Fr, \$480,560}, by Sadler's Wells), off the mark at Leicester last time Sept. 11, was restrained in rear early and had most of the field in front passing halfway. Making up ground effortlessly on the outside, the 9-4 pick strode to the fore with 1 1/2 furlongs remaining and required only hand riding to impose his authority on Hurricane Hymnbook (Pulpit) by two lengths. Connections are looking at Newbury's Oct. 27 G3 Horris Hill S. for his next start. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, £12,600. O-Godolphin; B-Darley; T-Saeed bin Suroor.



★ BRITAIN ★

Yesterday's Results:

FENWOLF S.-Listed, £26,000, Ascot, 9-30, 3yo/up, 2mT, 3:39.72, gd/sf.

(DH)-1--DISTINCTION (IRE), 129, g, 8, [Danehill](#)--Ivy Leaf (Ire), by Nureyev. (Ir£190,000 yrl '00 GOFORB). O-Highclere Thoroughbred Racing Ltd; B-Orpendale & Minch Bloodstock; T-Sir Michael Stoute; J-Ryan Moore; £10,179. Lifetime Record: GSW & MG1SP-GB, 28-7-3-4, £314,853. *1/2 to Ivy Creek (Gulch), MSW & MGSP-GB, \$156,915.

(DH)-1--#SOLENT (IRE), 129, g, 5, [Montjeu \(Ire\)](#)--Stylish (GB), by Anshan (GB). O-Mrs J Wood; B-Quay Bloodstock and Samac Ltd; T-Richard Hannon; J-Jimmy Fortune; £10,179. Lifetime Record: 26-5-3-2, £80,978.

3--Sunley Peace (GB), 117, g, 3, Lomitas (GB)--Messila Rose (GB), by Darshaan (GB). (25,000gns yrl '05 TATOCT). £2,800.

Margins: DH, 5, 1 1/4. Odds: 13-8, 28-1, 6-1.

Also Ran: New Guinea (GB), Baddam (GB), Land 'n Stars (GB), Hawridge Prince (GB).

Scratched: Cape Secret (Ire).

Distinction, who was runner-up in the 2005 G1 Ascot Gold Cup and third in the same race last year, had looked a shade below his prior best when fourth in both the Aug. 21 G2 Lonsdale Cup at York and in the Sept. 14 G2 Doncaster Cup on his latest start. Solent did not share the same level of past form and came here off a poor display when last in the Sept. 1 Listed Chester H., but he shared the spoils with his supposed superior after a gutsy career best. Solent shaped the early pace, but he looked booked for a place as Distinction arrived from rear with his wide sweep to take over at the quarter pole. Digging in gamely against the fence, he reeled back the favorite to join him at the line.

[Video, courtesy of attheraces.com.](#)

★ IRELAND ★

Yesterday's Results:

WATERFORD TESTIMONIAL S.-Listed, €50,000, Curragh, 9-30, 3yo/up, 6fT, 1:16.15, yl.

1--US RANGER, 130, c, 3, Danzig--My Annette, by Red Ransom. O-Michael Tabor, Susan Magnier, Derrick Smith & Joseph Allen; B-Jospeh Allen; T-Aidan O'Brien; J-Kieren Fallon; €32,550. Lifetime Record: SW-UAE, GSP-GB, 7-5-1-0, €105,245.

2--Senor Benny, 129, h, 8, Benny the Dip--Senora Tippy, by El Gran Senor. (3,000gns HIT '03 TATAUT). €10,000.

3--Benwilt Breeze (Ire), 129, g, 5, Mujadil--Image of Truce (Ire), by Brief Truce. (€16,500 yrl '03 GFOCT). €5,000.

Margins: 3HF, 1 1/4, 2. Odds: 1-1, 20-1, 14-1.

Also Ran: Snaefell (Ire), Confuchias (Ire), Evening Time (Ire), Bravely (Ire), Liscanna (Ire), Strike up the Band (GB), Empirical Power (Ire), Majestic Times (Ire), Gist (Ire), Gunga Din (Ire). Scratched: Sedna (Ire).

Unbeaten in France as a juvenile, US Ranger impressed when taking the Listed Prix Djebel at Maisons-Laffitte on his sophomore debut Apr. 11. He was sent off the 5-1 second favourite for the G1 2000 Guineas at Newmarket May 5, but the trip and a moderate draw were possible mitigating factors in his seventh-place finish. The imposing bay found only Tariq (GB) too good in his final start for Jean-Claude Rouget, the G3 Jersey S. at Royal Ascot June 20. Racing in midfield in this first outing for Aidan O'Brien, he was niggled at from halfway. Sweeping to the front at the quarter pole, US Ranger strode away from his pursuers under hand-riding in the final eighth. "He's a lovely horse and will make a smashing four-year-old," jockey Kieren Fallon commented. "That was a nice confidence-booster."

TDN Euro is:

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Tom Frary (*CAFE Racing*)

France: Claude Beniada

Germany: Christa Riebel

Ireland: Dave Keena

Italy: Giorgio Barsotti



Curragh, 4.00, Mdn, €20,000, 2yo, 7fT, 1:32.49, yl.
+ DIVINITUS (GB) (c, 2, Medicean {GB}--Divina Mia {GB}, by Dowsing) was let go at odds of 20-1 and sat in mid-division early. Nudged along at halfway, the 46,000gns TATDEC foal was ridden to take control 1 1/2 furlongs out and held on by a short head from the fast-finishing Golden Silk (Ire) (Barathea {Ire}). The winner is a 1/2 to Antediluvian (GB) (Air Express {Ire}), SW-GB. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, €13,020.
 O-Mrs S Grassick; B-Mrs M L Parry & P M Steele-Mortimer; T-Michael Grassick.

★ FRANCE ★

Yesterday's Result:

GRAND PRIX DE LA REGION D'ALSACE-Listed,

€52,000, Strasbourg, 9-30, 3yo/up, 1 5/16mT, time: n/a, vsf.

- 1--**BALIUS (IRE), 133, c, 4, Mujahid--Akhla, by Nashwan.** O-Leonidas Marinopoulos; B-Stilvi Compania Financiera SA; T-Carlos Laffon-Parias; J-Miguel Blancpain; €26,000. Lifetime Record: GSP-Fr, 15 starts, 6 wins, 7 places, €200,550. *1/2 to Delfos (Ire) (Green Tune), MGSW-Fr, \$311,024.
 2--**Solsiste (GB), 125, g, 6, Vettori (Ire)--Sandbank, by Riverman.** (9,500gns wnlg '01 TATDEC; €15,000 yrl '02 DEAAUG). €10,400.
 3--**Marend (Fr), 125, g, 6, Green Tune--Marende (Fr), by Panoramic (GB).** €7,800.

Margins: 2, SHD, 3. Odds: 2.70, 8.10, 8.40.
 Also Ran: Brisant (Ger), Mohandas (Fr), Loup de Mer (Ger), Lockup (Ire), Far From Old (Ire), Petit Colibri (Fr), Chiron (Ger), Nearby (GB).

Bagging a third stakes score in the Listed Grand Prix de Bordeaux May 26, Balius ran second in the G3 Grand Prix de Vichy next time July 18 and was a last-out fifth in the valuable Copa de Oro at San Sebastian Aug. 15. Reserved in rear in this return across the Pyrenees, he made wide progress in the straight to challenge with 300 meters remaining and was ridden out thereafter to easily assert superiority.

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★ ITALY ★

Yesterday's Results:

PREMIO DIVINO AMORE-Listed, €50,400, Rome, 9-30, 2yo, 5fT, :57.80, hy.

- 1--**#AMALDI (ITY), 121, c, 2, by Blu Air Force (Ire)**
1st Dam: Lan Fei (Ity), by Love the Groom
2nd Dam: Lazarska (Fr), by Baby Turk (Ire)
3rd Dam: Laura Piranesi (Ity), by Canisbay (GB)
 O-Millennium Horses SRL; B-Azienda Agricola Loreto Luciani; T-Armando Renzoni; J-Mario Esposito; €28,000. Lifetime Record: 7-6-0-1, €85,885. *First SW for freshman sire (by Sri Pekan).

- 2--**L'Indiscreta (GB), 118, f, 2, Desert Prince (Ire)--I Remember (Ire), by Dominion (GB).** (€28,000 yrl '06 ITYSEP). €12,320.

- 3--**Powerful Speed (GB), 118, f, 2, Compton Place (GB) --Gandini (GB), by Night Shift.** €6,720.

Margins: SHD, 1 1/4, NK. Odds: 2.35, 3.40, 1.55.
 Also Ran: Ballantynes (Ire), Natal Lad (Ire), The Catcher (GB), City Roma (Ire), Mr Island (Ire).

Amaldi recorded a fourth straight win in a six-furlong conditions event at Milan's San Siro Sept. 16 and squeezed home to earn a first black-type rosette here. Positioned in a close fifth from the bell, he was ridden along to challenge at the eighth pole and kept on strongly to oust L'Indiscreta in the final strides.

PREMIO ARCHIDAMIA-Listed, €50,400, Rome, 9-30, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/4mT, 2:03.50, hy.

- 1--**#TURFROSE (GER), 117, f, 3, Big Shuffle--Turfquelle (Ire), by Shaadi.** (€15,000 yrl '05 BBASEP).
 O/T-Pierluigi Giannotti; B-Gestut Auenquelle; J-Mario Sanna; €28,000. Lifetime Record: MGSP-Ity, 10-4-2-2, €119,805.

- 2--**Miss Annaleo (Ire), 117, f, 3, Alzao--Monkey Business (GB), by Warning (GB).** (€9,000 wnlg '04 GOFNOV; €8,000 2yo '06 GORMAY). €12,320.

- 3--**Lamentation (GB), 117, f, 3, Singspiel (Ire)--Dark Veil, by Gulch.** €6,720.

Margins: 1HF, HF, HF. Odds: 3.75, 2.90, 23.50.
 Also Ran: Mimetico (Ire), Lasciatelapassare (Ire), Digital Photo (Ity), Opatja (GB), Shot Bless (Ire), Bertha von Suttner (GB), Jasmine Joli (Ire), Shibuni's Thea (Ire), Becoming Ness (Ire), Vanitosa (Ire), Wickwing (GB).

Turfrose hit the board in the May 13 G3 Premio Regina Elena at this track, and occupied the same berth in the G3 Premio Mario Incisa at Milan two weeks later before running fourth in the G2 Oaks d'Italia back at the San Siro June 17. Dropping to seventh in the G3 Prix de Psyche at Deauville July 31, she was runner-up in the Listed Prix de Lieurey back on the Normandy coast last time Aug. 16 and booked a ticket to the G1 Premio Lydia Tesio Oct. 28 with this victory. Settled in third after the early exchanges, Turfrose made smooth progress in the straight to reel in Mimetico (Ire) (Monsun {Ger}) with 100 meters remaining. She drew off late to lead home a sophomore trifecta.



2.10 Bath, Mdn, £5,000, 2yo, 5f 161ydsT

SISTER MOONSHINE (GB) (Averti {Ire}), a half-sister to G1 Cheveley Park S. heroine Donna Blini (GB), is unveiled by trainer William Muir in this battle of the speedsters. Her rivals include the Jamie Osborne-trained **Premier Yank (Johannesburg)**, a \$220,000 Keeneland September yearling from the family of GI Breeders' Cup Sprint winner Safely Kept; and **Todber (GB) (Cape Cross {Ire})**, who is the first foal of G2 King's Stand S. victress Dominica (GB).

3.15 Roscommon, Mdn, €10,000, 2yo, c/g, 7fT

PROVINCIAL (GB) (Aldebaran), a Juddmonte Farms homebred, opens his account for Dermot Weld's Rosewell House base. Out of a half-sister to the yard's G1 Irish Derby winner Grey Swallow (Ire), he faces the Aidan O'Brien-trained **Majority (Ire) (Pivotal {GB})**, a half-brother to the brilliant globetrotter Alexander Goldrun (Ire), who comes back from a third in a Tipperary maiden last month.

3.40 Bath, Mdn, £7,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 10f 46ydsT

PROPAGANDA (IRE) (Sadler's Wells) represents Luca Cumani's Bedford House stable and bids to improve on a first-up fifth at Lingfield at the end of July. The first foal of G1 Prix Vermeille victress Pearly Shells (GB), she is opposed by Godolphin's once-raced **Bochinche (Kingmambo)**, who is a daughter of G1 1000 Guineas heroine and multiple top-level scorer Hatoof.

5.00 Windsor, Mdn, £4,350, 3yo/up, 1m 67ydsT

HEAVENWARD (GB) (Pivotal {GB}), a Cheveley Park Stud homebred brother to multiple Grade I winner Megahertz (GB), returns from an off-the-board debut effort at Sandown last month. He lines up against Gary and Lesley Middlebrook's **Imperial Quest (GB) (Rainbow Quest)**, who is a homebred half-sister to last season's champion sprinter and dual Group 1 hero Reverence (GB) and hails from James Fanshawe's barn.



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PREMIO RUMON-Listed, €50,400, Rome, 9-30, 2yo, c, 1mT, 1:38.90, hy.

1--**GLADIATORUS**, 125, c, 2, by Silic (Fr)

1st Dam: **Gmaasha (Ire)**, by Kris (GB)

2nd Dam: **Al Bahathri**, by Blushing Groom (Fr)

3rd Dam: **Chain Store**, by Nodouble

(\$8,000 yrl '06 FTKOCT). O-Scuderia Razza Dell'Olmo SRL; B-Azienda Agricola le Ferriere di Giampaolo Raponi; T-Maria Rita Salvioni; J-Germano Marcelli; €28,000. Lifetime Record: 8-6-1-0, €126,447.

2--**Cima on Fly (Ire)**, 121, c, 2, Kris Kin--Peralta (Ire), by Green Desert. €12,320.

3--**Senlis (Ire)**, 121, c, 2, High Chaparral (Ire)--

Senebrova (GB), by Warning (GB). €6,720.

Margins: 3HF, HF, 8. Odds: 3.75, 4.65, 1.20.

Also Ran: Jay Force (Ity), Force of Ransom (Ire), Alca Driver (Ire), Aube Claire (Ire).

Gladiatorus garnered a third black-type score in the Listed Premio Toscana at Florence last time Sept. 9 and carried on in a similar vein with a dominant performance here. Leading after the opening exchanges, he lengthened clear of toiling rivals approaching the final quarter mile and was ridden out in the closing stages to claim an unchallenged success.

MAGRITTE INJURED; OUT FOR SEASON

Scuderia Razza Dell'Olmo's **Magritte (Ity)** (Modigliani) is set to miss the remainder of the 2007 season after meeting with a setback. Trainer Riccardo Menichetti revealed that the G3 Premio Primi Passi winner and G2 Prix Robert Papin runner-up would be back next year, possibly at the Dubai Carnival at Nad Al Sheba. "She's on her way back and I would like to try a race or two at the Carnival," her conditioner said. "She's fine after suffering a minor setback this summer, but we don't want to rush her as I think she's quite exceptional."

★ G E R M A N Y ★

Yesterday's Results:

HTP-CUP-Listed, €20,000, Hannover, 9-30, 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2fT, 1:24.66, hy.

1--**#SLADE (GER)**, 126, m, 5, **Big Shuffle--Semplice**

(Ire), by **Common Grounds (GB)**. O-Ulrich Zerrath;

B-Gestut Schattauer Hof-Granum Zucht; T-Michael

Trybuhl; J-Filip Minarik; €12,000. Lifetime Record:

21 starts, 4 wins, 11 places, €44,050. *1/2 to

Shapira (Ger) (Kornado {GB}), Hwt. Older Mare-Ger at

7-9.5f, GSW-Ger, G1SP-Fr, \$209,492; and Shane

(Ger) (Kornado {GB}), GSW-Ger.

2--**Hanover Lady (Ger)**, 125, f, 3, Dashing Blade (GB)--

Hanover Princess (Ger), by Esclavo (Fr). €4,400.

3--**Zut Alors (Ire)**, 127, f, 3, Pivotal (GB)--Zeiting (Ire),

by Zieten. (€4,500 yrl '05 BBAOCT). €2,400.

Margins: NK, NK, 1 3/4. Odds: 2.50, 24.70, 6.80.

Also Ran: Hashbrown (Ger), Lumiere Noire (Fr), The Fairy (Ger), Zoom (Ger), Hunting Girl (Ger), Pinkabout (Ire), Mimisel (GB). Scratched: Fairyland (Ger), Creative Mind (Ire), Alexa (Ger), Chantra (Ger), Deauville (Ger).



German report cont.

Dortmund, 3.35, Cond, €50,000, 2yo, f, 6fT, 1:18.56, hy.

LIPS ARROW (GER) (f, 2, Big Shuffle--Lips Plane {Ire} {GSP-Ity}, by Ashkalani {Ire}), seventh in a similar event on debut at Baden-Baden Aug. 25, was out smartly to race in a stalking second here. Coaxed to the front just inside the quarter-mile marker, the 28-5 chance quickened clear approaching the final eighth and geared down late to comfortably best De La Vista (Ger) (Big Shuffle) by three lengths. Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 1 win, 0 places, €25,000.

O-Stall Lintec; B-Stall Parthenaue; T-Andreas Lowe.

BREEDERS' EDITION AMERICA

STAKES RESULTS:

ONTARIO DERBY, \$152,032, WOX, 9-30, 3yo, 1 1/8m (AWT), 1:51, ft.

1--**#ARTIE HOT, 117, g, 3, by Black Minnaloushe--Dyrce, by Sandpit (Brz)**. O-Tucci Stables; B-Richard Rowan (KY); T-Nicholas Gonzalez; J-Eurico Rosa Da Silva; \$90,495. Lifetime Record: 21-4-2-3, \$210,334.

2--**Alezzandro, 119, c, 3, High Yield--Eseni, by Granacus**. \$30,165.

3--**Mike Fox, 119, c, 3, Giant's Causeway--Alexis (Ire)**, by Alzao. \$16,591.

Margins: 4 1/4, HF, 1 3/4. Odds: 33.15, 0.80, 3.75.

OKLAHOMA CLASSICS CLASSIC S., \$100,000, RPX, 9-29, (S), 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:43 4/5, ft.

1--**D FINE OKIE, 117, m, 5, Burbank--Dynafine (MSP), by Dynaformer**. O/B-Richter Family Trust (OK); T-Donnie K Von Hemel; J-Donald R Pettinger; \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 32-13-6-3, \$433,085.

2--**Aisle Two, 120, g, 4, Down the Aisle--Two Bucks Lady, by Personal Flag**. \$20,000.

3--**Zee Oh Six, 118, g, 8, Alphabet Soup--Belle of Killarney, by Little Current**. \$11,000.

Margins: 1 3/4, 2 1/4, 4 1/4. Odds: 0.90, 5.40, 1.70.

FALL CLASSIC DISTAFF H., \$75,414, NPX, 9-29, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:44 3/5, ft.

1--**SHE'S ITALIAN, 121, f, 4, Hail the Ruckus--Forever Charmed, by Basic Rate**. O-Rocky Mountain Turf Club Stable; B-Max G Gibb (AB); T-Doug MacDonald; J-Quincy Welch; \$45,248. Lifetime Record: 21-11-5-3, \$304,268.

2--**Banjo Babe, 119, m, 6, Banjo--Clever Courtesan, by Vice Regent**. (C\$12,000 yrl '02 ALBAUG). \$15,083.

3--**Speedy Gone Sally, 117, m, 5, Devonwood--One Hundred Plus, by Claim**. (C\$3,200 yrl '03 ALBAUG). \$7,541.

Margins: 1HF, 3HF, 3. Odds: 1.00, 2.55, 7.60.

ALBERTA BREEDERS' H., \$75,414, NPX, 9-29, (S), 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:44, ft.

1--**ARTHURLOOKSGOOD, 119, g, 5, Regal Intention--Articulation, by Verbatim**. (C\$10,500 yrl '03 ALBAUG). O/T-Clint D Willson; B-Dallas Haeberle (AB); J-Shannon Beauregard; \$45,248. Lifetime Record: 25-7-10-5, \$167,708.

2--**Candid Remark, 117, g, 9, Regal Remark--Refined Reality, by Proper Reality**. \$15,083.

3--**Beau Brass, 116, g, 7, Dixieland Brass--Isabeau, by Prospector's Pick**. \$7,541.

Margins: NK, 3 1/4, HF. Odds: 1.90, 4.20, 5.75.

OKLAHOMA CLASSICS DISTAFF S., \$60,000, RPX, 9-29, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 1m70y, 1:42 2/5, ft.

1--**#MIDSUMMER MAGIC, 116, f, 3, Pure Prize--Lovely Tasha (SW, \$125,860), by Private Terms**. (\$50,000 yrl '05 TEXAUG; \$45,000 2yo '06 TEXMAR).

O-J Alexander, N Stockseth and D K Von Hemel; B-Diamond G Ranch Inc (OK); T-Donnie K Von Hemel; J-Donald R Pettinger; \$36,000. Lifetime Record: 9-3-3-2, \$100,021.

2--**Alidoon, 120, f, 4, Muldoon--Allezalaplage, by Slew City Slew**. \$12,000.

3--**Mystical Moonlight, 118, f, 4, Brahms--Miss Moonlight, by Broad Brush**. \$6,600.

Margins: 3/4, 4 1/4, 1 1/4. Odds: 2.90, 2.50, 0.80.

OKLAHOMA CLASSICS TURF S., \$60,000, RPX, 9-29, (S), 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:37 3/5, fm.

1--**NOTABLE OKIE, 118, g, 7, Editor's Note--Fly Love (SW), by Rahy**. O/B-Richter Family Trust (OK); T-Donnie K Von Hemel; J-Donald R Pettinger; \$36,000. Lifetime Record: 38-9-10-8, \$307,129.

2--**Some Quick, 115, g, 3, Mi Selecto--Kacey Quick, by Garthorn**. \$12,000.

3--**Artic Heat, 116, g, 3, Dixieland Heat--Artic Raptor, by Silver Hawk**. \$6,600.

Margins: 1HF, NK, 1HF. Odds: 1.50, 8.00, 6.70.

OKLAHOMA CLASSICS SPRINT S., \$60,000, RPX, 9-29, (S), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:09 2/5, ft.

1--**#GARBU ROAD, 120, g, 4, Garbu--Little Nannie Mae (MSW), by Haymarket (GB)**. O/B-Rachel Curtis (OK); T-Ricky J Gustafson; J-Ramsey Zimmerman; \$36,000. Lifetime Record: 9-4-0-2, \$102,990.

2--**Marq French, 123, g, 5, Marquetry--Intimate, by Topsider**. \$12,000.

3--**Explosive Okie, 118, g, 4, Burbank--Tic Tic, by Geiger Counter**. \$6,600.

Margins: 2 3/4, 1 3/4, NK. Odds: 3.20, 1.50, 4.10.

★ ON THE WORKTAB ★

FAIR HILL

BETTER TALK NOW (Talkin Man), 5f, 1:02.00, 1/2

STORMY KISS (ARG) (Bernstein), 4f, :48.60, 1/2



OKLAHOMA CLASSICS FILLY SPRINT S., \$60,000, RPX, 9-29, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:17 1/5, ft.

- 1--**#ANNIEVILLE, 118, m, 5, Reel On Reel--Tyrosa (SW), by Tyrant.** O/B-Ralph C Bruner (OK); T-Kari Craddock; J-Nena Matz; \$36,000. Lifetime Record: 24-6-6-3, \$129,003.
 - 2--**Carsoncityprospect, 118, f, 4, Carson City--Annettas Prospect, by Be a Prospect.** \$12,000.
 - 3--**Zippie Okie, 117, f, 3, Prospector's Music--Diamond Ruth, by Vanlandingham.** \$6,600.
- Margins: 2 3/4, NO, 2 3/4. Odds: 3.20, 0.70, 4.60.

DR. ERNEST BENNER S., \$51,550, CTX, 9-29, (S), 2yo, 6 1/2f, 1:20 1/5, ft.

- 1--**#POW WOW POWER, 120, g, 2, Rich Deeds--Dancing Pow Wow, by Dancing Czar.** O-E Elaine Hagy; B-Elaine Hagy (WV); T-Titus Hagy; J-Gustavo Larrosa; \$30,930. Lifetime Record: 8-2-2-2, \$68,795. *First stakes winner for freshman sire (by Alydeed).
 - 2--**Homer Dane, 120, g, 2, Danish Gold--Cedar Gun, by Super Gun.** \$10,310.
 - 3--**Milwaukee Fun, 120, c, 2, Milwaukee Brew--Midday Fun, by The Prime Minister.** \$5,671.
- Margins: 6 1/4, HF, 2 3/4. Odds: 6.10, 74.80, 1.70.

ALBERTA PREMIER'S FUTURITY, \$50,276, NPX, 9-29, (S), 2yo, 1m, 1:39 3/5, ft.

- 1--**#JIM'S CHOICE, 118, g, 2, Seattle Syn--Lunar Gem (SW), by Tiffany Ice.** O/B-Jim Bottomley (AB); T-Gerald R Simpson; J-Daniel Boudreau; \$30,165. Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-1, \$46,979.
 - 2--**Ballintoy, 119, g, 2, Rosetti--Ribbon Falls, by Regal Classic.** (C\$3,151 yrl '06 ALBAUG). \$10,055.
 - 3--**Mandarin, 118, g, 2, Sir Cat--Satsuma, by Lord Avie.** (C\$30,163 yrl '06 ALBAUG). \$5,028.
- Margins: NK, 2HF, 3HF. Odds: 13.55, 2.25, 7.05.

BEAUFORT S., \$50,276, NPX, 9-29, (S), 3yo, 1 1/16m, 1:44 4/5, ft.

- 1--**#HURRICANE TIKI, 121, g, 3, Hurricane Center--Miss Tiki, by Torsion.** (C\$10,000 yrl '05 CTHOCT). O/B-Met Set Consulting, Ltd (AB); T-Wendy Kadar; J-Rickey A Walcott; \$30,165. Lifetime Record: 12-4-6-1, \$105,885. *1/2 to Miki Bleu Eyes (Slewvescent), SW, \$248,705.
 - 2--**Howsitgoinghotshot, 121, g, 3, Regal Remark--La Belle Bleu, by Beau Genius.** \$10,055.
 - 3--**Wood B Nice, 121, g, 3, Devonwood--Some Right Nice, by Exclusive Era.** (C\$7,700 yrl '05 CTHOCT). \$5,028.
- Margins: 2, 1, NK. Odds: 1.00, 2.45, 11.25.

OKLAHOMA CLASSICS JUVENILE S., \$50,000, RPX, 9-29, (S), 2yo, c/g, 6f, 1:11, ft.

- 1--**#PICASO, 116, c, 2, Alphabet Soup--Break Through (SP, \$247,622), by Prosper Fager.** (\$30,000 2yo '07 TEXMAR). O-Blossom Racing Stable LLC and Bob Spring; B-Diamond G Ranch, Inc (OK); T-Joyce Salisbury; J-Richard E Eramia; \$30,000. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, \$46,632.
 - 2--**Noggin, 115, g, 2, Sea of Secrets--Sweet Edith, by Horatius.** \$10,000.
 - 3--**Cryptographer, 116, c, 2, Smart Strike--Poppies and Wheat, by Lost Code.** \$5,500.
- Margins: 1 1/4, 2, 4. Odds: 0.90, 3.90, 2.50.

OKLAHOMA CLASSICS LASSIE S., \$50,000, RPX, 9-29, (S), 2yo, f, 6f, 1:11 1/5, ft.

- 1--**#NAKALI, 115, f, 2, Wertaloona--Nanique (SP), by Rivergo.** O/B-Don S Nutt (OK); T-Joseph Petalino; J-Quincy Hamilton; \$30,000. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$36,024.
 - 2--**Approved Bluff, 116, f, 2, Pine Bluff--Approved Anthem, by With Approval.** \$10,000.
 - 3--**Tellmewhat, 116, f, 2, Lucky Lionel--Tellyualittlestory, by Coordinator.** \$5,500.
- Margins: 3HF, NK, 11HF. Odds: 1.20, 1.00, 14.10.

J. R. STRAUS MEMORIAL S., \$45,000, RET, 9-29, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:08 4/5, ft.

- 1--**MYSTERY CLASSIC, 123, g, 4, Mystery Storm--Kristy's Regency, by Regal Classic.** O/B-John L Pierce, II (TX); T-Robert D Schultz; J-Bobby J Walker, Jr; \$27,000. Lifetime Record: 16-11-1-1, \$249,510.
 - 2--**Nuttyboom, 117, g, 7, Marked Tree--Promised Proper, by Proper Reality.** \$9,000.
 - 3--**War Bridle, 117, h, 5, Commanchero--Linenfold, by Saros (GB).** \$4,950.
- Margins: 3, 3, 4. Odds: 0.80, 4.00, 2.20.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

5th-WOX, \$76,316, Opt. Clm. (\$62,500-\$60,000), NW2LX, 3yo/up, 1 1/4mT, 2:01 2/5, fm.

SKIPPED BAIL (g, 4, Skip Away--Striking Proposal, by Smart Strike) Lifetime Record: 14-3-4-1, \$178,248. O/B-Chiefswood Stables Limited (ON). T-Eric Coatrieux.

10th-WOX, \$71,892, NW2L, (S), 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:41 4/5, fm.

ORNA (c, 3, Tethra--Heavenley Lark {GSP, \$184,966}, by Septieme Ciel) Lifetime Record: GSP, 6-2-0-3, \$118,183. O-Eaton Hall Farm. B-Phillip S Birsh & Bill Gildin (NY). T-Michael J Doyle. *\$43,000 2yo '06 FTMMAY. **Full to Pyramid Park, SW, \$249,944.

9th-WOX, \$70,686, NW1LX, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m (AWT), 1:46 2/5, ft.

SAFFI (m, 6, Labeeb {GB}--Czipra, by No Louder) Lifetime Record: 28-3-4-2, \$185,733. O/B-Arnold Sasek (ON). T-Julia Carey. *1/2 to Rundle (Foxhound), MSP, \$304,115.

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KEENELAND

HAMOODY (Johannesburg), 5f, :59.40, 2/11

RAVEL (Fusaichi Pegasus), 4f, :47.60, 2/20

SLEW'S TIZNOW (Tiznow), 5f, 1:01.00, 4/11



Breeders' Edition cont.

7th-WOX, \$66,763, NW1LX, 3yo/up, f/m, 7fT, 1:22 2/5, fm.

GLITTER ROX (f, 3, Glitterman--Moriah Ifyouplease, by Dixieland Band) Lifetime Record: 7-3-0-0, \$86,894.

O-Ellie Boje Farm, Peters, Read and McClellan.

B-Ellie-Boje Farm (ON). T-Ian Black.

11th-BEL, \$49,000, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6fT, 1:08 4/5, fm.

TOMORROW'S NANO (f, 4, Tomorrows Cat--Denville, by Candy Stripes) Lifetime Record: 9-2-3-2, \$95,430.

O/B-Hayward Pressman and Steve Rubell (NY).

T-Stanley M Hough.

8th-OSA, \$49,000, Opt. Clm. (\$32,000), NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, 1 1/16m (AWT), 1:42, ft.

VALIANT EFFORT (g, 4, Bertrando--Blonde Fever {SW, \$122,825}, by Flying Paster) Lifetime Record: 9-2-3-0, \$94,200. O-Pam and Martin Wygod (Ca). T-Clifford W Sise, Jr. *Won by 7 1/2 lengths. **1/2 to Feverish (Pirate's Bounty), GSW & MGISP, \$908,983; Blonde Bounty (Pirate's Bounty), SW, \$114,514.

8th-PHA, \$48,360, NW2X, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11 3/5, ft.

MISS A. G. (f, 4, Power by Far--Our Sister Shel, by Hold Your Peace) Lifetime Record: 21-4-6-2, \$145,567.

O-William Gerahty and Peter Giangulio. B-Castle Rock Farm (PA). T-Anthony Correnti.

7th-DEL, \$46,300, Opt. Clm. (\$50,000), NW3X, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10 2/5, ft.

MORE ANGELS (f, 4, Slew of Angels--Falmora, by Falstaff) Lifetime Record: SP, 34-6-10-4, \$307,518.

O-Roddy J Valente. B-Madera Thoroughbreds (CA).

T-Bruce N Levine. *\$10,000 yrl '04 NCASEP.

9th-PHA, \$41,440, NW1X, 3yo/up, 5fT, :57, fm.

TAURUS (g, 4, Hesabull--Banana Dance, by West by West) Lifetime Record: 18-4-6-2, \$86,709. O-Anita

Racing Stable and Windhover Farm. B-Tony Bowling & Bobby Dodd (FL). T-Alfredo Velazquez. *\$25,000 2yo 2005 OBSAPR.

8th-BMX, \$38,338, NW1X, 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:37 2/5, fm.

MISSISSIPPI GOLD (g, 5, Wild Gold--Jackies White Lies, by Lazaz) Lifetime Record: 9-4-1-0, \$60,222. O-Barbara

DeLima. B-Mr & Mrs Clifford Delima (CA). T-Clifford DeLima.

5th-RPX, \$31,700, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, 7 1/2fT, 1:31 3/5, fm.

GARBU'S BOW (c, 4, Garbu--Braaks Bow, by De Braak) Lifetime Record: 10-2-0-2, \$34,173. O-Carl W Holt.

B-Earl Brashear Jr (OK). T-Benny Melson.

8th-HAW, \$30,000, NW2X, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11 3/5, ft.

WILDBUTABLE (m, 5, Roar--Able and Valiant, by Abel Prospect) Lifetime Record: 22-5-2-1, \$83,906.

O-Peacock Stable. B-Orion Stables (IL). T-Kerry Zavash.

9th-ZIA, \$29,475, NW3L, (S), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10 2/5, ft.

BILL'S DEMON (g, 4, Desert God--Tk Demon, by State Craft) Lifetime Record: SP, 8-3-0-3, \$59,258.

O-Armstrong Racing. B-A A I M High Racing (NM).

T-Joel H Marr.

8th-CTX, \$28,000, NW1X, 2yo, f, 6 1/2f, 1:21 3/5, ft.

STORY OF A LION (f, 2, Lion Hearted--Hot Story {SP}, by Two Punch) Lifetime Record: 3-2-1-0, \$37,400.

O/T-Charles L Frock. B-Dr & Mrs Thomas Bowman (MD). *\$3,500 wlng '05 FTMDEC; \$9,000 yrl '06

FTMOCT. **1/2 to Good Night Shirt (Concern), MSW-

N, \$383,563.

9th-RPX, \$27,940, NW1X, 3yo/up, 7 1/2fT, 1:30 1/5, fm.

ILIKEWHATIAMDOING (g, 4, Glittering Wolf--Last Store, by Country Store) Lifetime Record: 14-4-1-2,

\$68,206. O/B-Gary Johnson and Ancel Fry (AR).

T-Robert L Listen.

7th-CTX, \$27,000, 9-29, NW3L, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 4 1/2f, :52 3/5, ft.

SAFETY FIRST (m, 6, Shelter Half--Safeway Elaine {SW}, by Feel the Power) Lifetime Record: 14-2-4-2,

\$68,050. O/B-O'Sullivan Farms LLC (WV). T-George G Yetsook.

9th-CTX, \$27,000, NW3L, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 7f, 1:28, ft.

IRVS PICK (f, 3, Slew O'Quoit--Saay Good Looking, by Oh Say) Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$31,200. O-Irving

Kidwell. B-Charles S Jenkins (WV). T-Georgia D Andreadakis.

10th-CRC, \$26,000, NW1X, 3yo, f, 5 1/2f, 1:06, sy.

SUAVE ROYALTY (f, 3, Suave Prospect--Royal Forum, by Open Forum) Lifetime Record: 23-2-7-1, \$74,340.

O-Dr Derek K Paul and J C Benjamin. B-Farnsworth Farms (FL). T-Cecil Paul. *\$8,000 yrl '05 OBSAUG;

\$140,000 2yo 2006 OBSAPR.

9th-TPX, \$26,000, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000), NW2X, 3yo/up, 6f (AWT), 1:09 4/5, ft.

SHARP ATTACK (c, 4, Storm Cat--Foppy Dancer, by Fappiano) Lifetime Record: 15-3-0-0, \$84,673.

O-Overbrook Farm and Estate of William A Marquard. B-William A Marquard & Overbrook Farm (KY). T-D

Wayne Lukas. **Full to Magic Storm, GSW & GISP, \$249,135.

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3rd-CRC, \$25,000, NW1X, 2yo, f, 1m (off turf), 1:42 2/5, sy.

VIVA LA SLEW (f, 2, Doneraile Court--Viva La Viva, by Crafty Prospector) Lifetime Record: SP, 12-2-2-2, \$42,890. O-Golden Age Stable. B-Gulf Coast Farms Bloodstock LP (KY). T-Fred G Warren. *\$2,700 yrl '06 OBSAUG.

9th-ALB, \$24,900, NW3L, (S), 3yo/up, 1m, 1:38 1/5, ft.

BLAZING ROCKSTAR (g, 3, Chimes Band--Blazing Royalty, by Screen King) Lifetime Record: SW, 14-3-0-3, \$117,541. O-Pierre Jean and Leslie Amestoy. B-Pierre Amestoy & W L Mooring (NM). T-Ramon O Gonzalez.

8th-SUF, \$22,638, 3yo, f, 1m, 1:45 4/5, ft.

BELL OF BRASS (f, 3, Yarrow Brae--Legendary Miss, by Gold Legend) Lifetime Record: 7-4-1-1, \$57,595. O-Carlee Thoroughbreds LLC. B-Mona Gardella & Teo Zanchelli (NY). T-John Rigattieri.

3rd-EMD, \$22,300, 3yo/up, 5f, :56, sy.

CHICKASAW PARK (g, 5, Delineator--Chena, by Chisos) Lifetime Record: SW, 25-6-6-2, \$102,342. O-H R Pat Mullens, R A Larson and Ed Zenker. B-Robert E Gibson (WA). T-H R Pat Mullens.

8th-MNR, \$22,200, 9-29, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m70y, 1:47, ft.

GOLD INGOT (f, 3, Coronado's Quest--Lemhi Go {MGSW, \$330,805}, by Lemhi Gold) Lifetime Record: 14-2-4-0, \$32,859. O-Richard Finucane. B-Cheveley Park Stud (KY). T-Wallace A Jenkins. *\$2,000 wlng '04 KEENOV. **1/2 to Unleash (Benny the Dip), MSP-N-Eng, \$218,682.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

+ **Promising Dancer, g, 2, A Fleets Dancer--Promising West, by West by West.** WOX, 9-30, (C), 5f (AWT), :59. B-1093111 Ontario, Inc. (ON).

Cantina's Rose, f, 2, Decarchy--Cantina, by Seattle Dancer. OSA, 9-30, (S), 6 1/2f (AWT), 1:15 2/5. B-B&B Zietz Stables, Inc., Bruce Henry & Beverly Kay Zietz (CA). *1/2 to Roi Charmant (Evansville Slew), MGSP, \$248,178.

+ **Sea of Faces, g, 2, Lord Carson--Sea Dollar, by Sea Hero.** OSA, 9-30, (S), (C), 6f (AWT), 1:10 4/5. B-Tommy Town Thoroughbreds, LLC (CA).

Snuckintheforest, g, 2, Snuck In--Bamboo Forest, by Forest Wildcat. CTX, 9-30, 4 1/2f, :53. B-Shari H Rogers (FL).

Seeyalatertater, f, 3, Doug Fir--Pretty Naskra, by Sir Naskra. HAW, 9-30, (S), 1mT, 1:37 3/5. B-Barr Three LLC (IL). *1/2 to Kate the Great (Doc's Leader), SW, \$112,708.

Cipher, c, 3, Gone West--Fleet Renee (MGISW, \$658,085), by Seattle Slew. RPX, 9-30, 6f, 1:10 3/5. B-Winchell Thoroughbreds, LLC (KY).

Lookn for the Lord, g, 3, Lord Carson--Just Lookn (MSW, \$214,005), by Synastry. BMX, 9-30, 5 1/2f, 1:03. B-Dave & Trish Currie (CA). *1/2 to Trish's Diamond (Half Term), MSP, \$213,872.

Max Is Loose, c, 3, Max's Pal--Spring Loose (GSP, \$156,827), by Noholme II. CRC, 9-30, (C), 1 1/16m (off turf), 1:48 4/5. B-Lambholm Farm (FL).

Chamaco Loco, g, 3, Ocean Splash--Kute Kris, by Kris S.. PHA, 9-30, (C), 5fT, :58. B-Victoria M Herlinger (PA).

Granda Tormenta, g, 3, Stauder--Oui Cazcing, by Hawkster. RPX, 9-29, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:05 2/5. B-Cecilia Anne Wiley (OK).

Sack of Rubies, f, 3, Unbridled Jet--Cozzy Rhythm, by Cozzene. MED, 9-29, 1 1/16mT, 1:44 2/5. B-Mr & Mrs Randall L Rolfe (PA).

Truckee Lite, g, 4, Truckee--Marlite, by Majestic Light. CTX, 9-30, 7f, 1:28 1/5. B-Four Quarters Corp. (CA).



First-crop starters to watch: Monday, October 1

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

BAY HEAD KING (Saint Ballado), Buena Suerte, \$2K, 20/1/0
7-ZIA, Msw, 5 1/2f, Roses for You, \$1K TEX APR 2yo, 8-1
9-ZIA, Alw, 5 1/2f, Bay Queen, 5-2

COMIC GENIUS (Unbridled), Doubletree, \$3K, 22/3/0
9-ZIA, Alw, 5 1/2f, Unbridled April, \$700 RUI AUG yrl, 12-1
5-ZIA, Msw, 5 1/2f, My Girl Bella, 5-1

FLATTER (A.P. Indy), Claiborne, \$5K, 81/6/0
1-MNR, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Lyric Praise, \$19K EAS SEP yrl, 12-1
SUNDAY BREAK (JPN) (Forty Niner), Walmac, \$9K, 93/7/0
1-MNR, Msw, 5 1/2f, Sundayinthesouth, \$25K KEE JAN yrl, 5-1

Second-crop starters to watch: Monday, October 1

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

DEEP GOLD (Olympio), 30/11/0
5-ZIA, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Romantic Jive, \$8K RUI AUG yrl, 8-1
ISTINTAJ (Nureyev), Hatfield Farm, \$2K, 21/2/0
7-ZIA, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Istint Magic, 5-1
THATSUSINTHEOLBEAN (El Prado {Ire}), 37/11/2
5-ZIA, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Time Passages, 6-1
TWO POINT TWO MILL (Known Fact), 13/0/0
7-FL, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Two Points of Law, 8-1

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SANTA ANITA

BELGRAVIA (Mr. Greeley), 5f, :58.40, 3/47
GET FUNKY (Straight Man), 7f, •1:25.00, 1/7
MEDICI CODE (GB) (Medicean {GB}), 6f, 1:15.00, 11/15
MIDNIGHT LUTE (Real Quiet), 4f, •:46.60, 1/45
WHILLY (IRE) (Sri Pekan), 7f, 1:27.40, 7/7



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HANDICAP RESULTS:

BRITAIN, Ascot, 3.10, 9-30, £30,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/2mT, 2:35.64, gd/sf.

ALL THE GOOD (c, 4, Diesis {GB}--Zarara, by Manila) Lifetime Record: 19-5-2-0, £74,669. O-Future In Mind Partnership; B-Mount Coote Partnership; T-Gerard Butler. *62,000gns yrl '04 TATOCT.

IRELAND, Curragh, 5.30, 9-30, €15,000, 3yo/up, 1 3/4mT, 3:14.07, yl.

TARALAYA (IRE) (f, 3, Kahyasi {Ire}--Taradiya {Ire}, by Danehill) Lifetime Record: 8-4-0-1, €42,500. O-H H The Aga Khan; B-H H The Aga Khan's Studs SC; T-J Oxx.

CONDITIONS RESULTS:

ITALY, Milan, 3.20, 9-29, €22,500, 2yo, 5fT, 1:00.90, hy.

CALABRONE ROSSO (ITY) (c, 2, Dr Fong --Curamani {Ger} {SP-Ger}, by Formidable) Lifetime Record: 6-2-1-0, €18,224. O/T-Bruno Grizzetti; B-Al Del Torriente SAS.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Abril (Fr), f, 2, **Anabaa**--Cerita (Ire) (MSP-Fr), by Wolfhound. Le Croise-Laroche, France, 9-29, Mdn, 2yo, 1 1/8mT. B-Chevington Stud.

Really Really Wish (GB), c, 2, **Bertolini**--Shanghai Lil (GB), by Petong (GB). Kempton Park, Britain, 9-29, Mdn, 2yo, 5f (AWT). B-Vincent Howley. *€19,000 wnlg '05 GOFNOV; €20,000 yrl '06 TATIRE.

Sea Sex Sun (GB), f, 2, **Desert Prince (Ire)**--Asmita (GB) (SW-It), by Efisio (GB). Milan, Italy, 9-29, Mdn, 2yo, f, 6fT. B-Azienda Agricola Rosati Colarieti. *1/2 to Jack Aubrey (GB) (Alzao), GSP-It, \$168,839.

Rockhorse (Ire), c, 2, **Rock of Gibraltar (Ire)**--Maelalong (Ire), by Maelstrom Lake (Ire). Milan, Italy, 9-29, Mdn, 2yo, c/g, 6fT. B-Camma SAS di Schiavi Andrea Co. *1/2 to Lago d'Orta (Ire) (Bahhare), SW-Fr, SP-GB, \$152,799.

Niska, f, 2, **Smart Strike**--Lady of Talent, by Siphon (Brz). Le Croise-Laroche, France, 9-29, Cond, 2yo, 5 1/2fT. B-Bwana Bloodstock. *\$7,000 wnlg '05 KEENOV.

Saata (Ire), f, 2, **Traditionally**--Bhils (GB), by Polar Falcon. Siracusa, Italy, 9-29, Mdn, 2yo, 1mT. B-Azzura SRL. *€27,000 yrl '06 ITYSEP.

Viva Vettori (GB), c, 3, **Vettori (Ire)**--Cruinn A Bhord (GB), by Inchinor (GB). Kempton Park, Britain, 9-29, Mdn, 3yo/up, 1 1/4m (AWT). B-Stanley Estate and Stud Co. *6,000gns yrl '05 TATOCT.

THIS WEEK IN HISTORY...

Oct. 4, 1970...**Nijinsky II**'s 11-race winning streak came to an end when he finished second to Sassafra (Fr) in the Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe at Longchamp.

Oct. 4, 1980...Less than an hour before post time, **Spectacular Bid** was scratched from the Jockey Club Gold Cup, which was to be the final race of his career. The colt was retired after going nine-for-nine on the season; he was named 1980's Horse of the Year.

Oct. 4, 1989...**Secretariat** was euthanized at Claiborne Farm in Paris, Kentucky due to complications from laminitis. He was 19.

Oct. 5, 1933...English jockey **Gordon Richards** concluded a 12-race winning streak that began October 3 with a win in the last race at Nottingham, followed by a six-for-six day at Chepstow Oct. 4 and five straight wins at that course Oct. 5.

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AQUEDUCT

KIP DEVILLE (Kipling), 5f, 1:01.92, 3/8

SUMMER DOLDRUMS (Street Cry {Ire}), 5f, •1:00.67, 1/8

SWINGFORTHEFENCES (Boston Harbor), 5f, 1:02.49, 7/8

BELMONT

A TRUE PUSSYCAT (Yes It's True), 4f, :51.49, 31/31

HONEY RYDER (Lasting Approval), 4fT, :50.02, 9/16

LIKE NOW (Pine Bluff), 4f, :47.88, 4/31

NAISSANCE ROYALE (IRE) (Giant's Causeway), 4f, :50.31, 22/31

NOBIZ LIKE SHOBIZ (Albert the Great), 5fT, 1:01.21, 2/9

PANTY RAID (Include), 4fT, :49.81, 7/16

RED GIANT (Giant's Causeway), 4fT, :50.62, 13/16

REMARKABLE NEWS (VEN) (Chayim), 4fT, :49.12, 4/16

RUTHERIENNE (Pulpit), 4fT, :51.44, 14/16

SAINT ANDDAN (A.P. Indy), 6f, 1:13.76, 1/1

SUGAR SWIRL (Touch Gold), 4f, :48.42, 5/31

SUNRIVER (Saint Ballado), 4fT, :53.33, 16/16

THE GREEN MONKEY (Forestry), 5f, •1:00.80, 1/47

THE ROUNDHOUSE (Fusaichi Pegasus), 5f, 1:01.03, 8/47

CHURCHILL DOWNS

MINEWANDER (Mineshaft), 5f, 1:02.00, 8/27

REFEREE (Distorted Humor), 5f, 1:00.80, 5/27

U D GHETTO (Honour and Glory), 4f, :51.40, 36/57