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'BELIEF' CAUSES RIVALS MORE GRIEF

With arch-rival and Horse of the Year California Chrome (Lucky Pulpit) a little more than a week away for boarding a flight to a place halfway around the world, the task ahead of **Shared Belief** (Candy Ride {Arg}) looked that much easier in Saturday's \$1-million GI Santa Anita H. At the conclusion of 120 seconds and a little bit of change, the 4-year-old had turned the 10-furlong affair into a mere procession, as Mike Smith basically stopped riding 100 yards from home to soak up the applause--a la



Shared Belief

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Zenyatta--from an adoring crowd of 26,134. Pacesetter **Moreno** (Ghostzapper), making his first appearance since suffering the same twist of fate as Shared Belief in the GI Breeders' Cup Classic last November, set the pace and outfought **Catch a Flight** (Arg) (Giant's Causeway) for second. **Cont. p3**

Saturday, Santa Anita Park

SANTA ANITA H.-GI, \$1,001,750, SAX, 3-7, 4yo/up,
1 1/4m, 2:00 3/5, ft.

1--**SHARED BELIEF**, 125, g, 4, by [Candy Ride \(Arg\)](#)

1st Dam: Common Hope, by Storm Cat

2nd Dam: Sown, by Grenfall

3rd Dam: Bad Seed, by Stevward

O-Jungle Racing LLC, KMN Racing LLC, Hollendorfer, Litt, Solis II & Todaro; B-Pam & Martin Wygod (KY); T-Jerry Hollendorfer; J-Mike E Smith. \$600,000. Lifetime Record: 11-10-0-0, \$2,932,200. *1/2 to Double Major (Bertrando), SP, \$157,439; and Little Miss Holly (Maria's Mon), GSW, \$217,430. **Werk Nick Rating: A+++ *Triple Plus***. [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

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2--**Moreno**, 121, g, 5, [Ghostzapper](#)--Danceinthesunlight, by A.P. Indy.

O/B-Southern Equine Stable LLC (KY); T-Eric J Guillot. \$200,000.

3--**Catch a Flight** (Arg), 115, h, 5, [Giant's Causeway](#)--Callaia (Arg), by Lode. O-Haras Santa Maria de Araras; B-Estacion de Montas La Mission S A & Tupacireta SRLAG (ARG); T-Richard E Mandella. \$120,000.

Margins: 4 1/4, HD, 2. Odds: 0.30, 9.10, 16.00.

Also Ran: Hard Aces, Bronzo (Chi), Dynamic Sky, You Know I Know, Imperative, Sr. Quisqueyano, Cool Samurai, Patrioticandproud, Diamond Bachelor, Crimson Giant.

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DORTMUND CHANGES THINGS UP

'**TDN Rising Star**' Dortmund (Big Brown) has won going short and going long. He has won racing on the outside. He has emerged victorious while buried down on the inside. The 17-hand monstrosity showed yet another dimension in Saturday's GI San Felipe S., as he somewhat surprisingly made the running beneath Martin Garcia and dared them to catch him. And catch him they could not. The well-regarded **Prospect Park** (Tapit) weaved his way through traffic in the final furlong and a half and was just able to catch turf specialist **Bolo** (Temple City) for second. **Cont. p6**



Dortmund following the San Felipe

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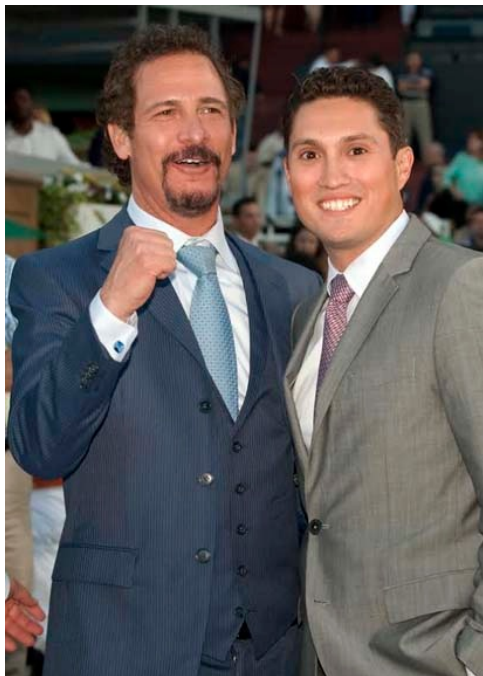
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Jim Rome and Alex Solis II celebrate following Shared Belief's win in the Big 'Cap
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Rising Stars Rock and Roll



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It was an outstanding Saturday afternoon for TDN Rising Stars in graded stakes all over eastern seaboard. In New York, Zayat Stables' El Kabeir (Scat Daddy) cemented his status as the best 3-year-old in the region with a comfortable victory in the GIII Gotham S. at Aqueduct, while on Florida's Suncoast, Carpe Diem (Giant's Causeway) returned to his winning ways with a five-length success in the GII Tampa Bay Derby. In the handicap ranks, Honor Code (A.P. Indy) lagged well behind a stirring speed duel, but kicked it in late to defeat Private Zone (Macho Uno) in the GII Gulfstream Park H.

African Story Can Dirt After All

After failing badly when trying the main track for the first time in Round 2 of the G2 Al Maktoum Challenge, defending G1 Dubai World Cup winner African Story (GB) (Pivotal {GB}) looked destined for a return to the grass. But Saeed bin Suroor insisted that he was not fit for that run and James Doyle employed positive riding tactics and it all came together in Round 3 over the World Cup distance of 2000 meters.

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The Makings of a Championship Season...

Perfect in three starts late in his 2-year-old season, Shared Belief was named champion of his generation and took his winning streak to eight when he overcame the widest of wide trips in last year's GI Awesome Again S. He lost his undefeated record in that much-discussed and -debated gate incident in the GI Breeders' Cup Classic Nov. 1, but still managed a good fourth-place effort, and closed the season by cutting back to seven furlongs to win the GI Malibu S. Dec. 26. While that effort earned him a spot on the Eclipse ballot for champion 3-year-old, he didn't do enough to be considered for Horse of the Year. Given the chance to settle something of a personal score with California Chrome in the Feb. 7 GII San Antonio Invitational S., Shared Belief took care of business--albeit with a bit of a fitness advantage--and was out to give trainer Jerry Hollendorfer a second Big 'Cap success following Heatseeker (Ire) (Giant's Causeway) in 2008.

Dominance Personified...

Shared Belief stood to become the first horse to return 30 cents on the dollar in the Big 'Cap since Spectacular Bid was sent off at that quote some 35 years ago and broke cleanly to settle just behind the early pace established by last year's GI Whitney H. hero Moreno, Catch a Flight to his outside and the ambitiously spotted Sr. Quisqueyano (Exclusive Quality)



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down at the fence. Settled three wide and on the back of the Argentinian-bred rounding the first turn, Shared Belief got into a good rhythm following an opening quarter-mile in :23 flat and a half in :46.56, not suicidal fractions, but testing enough for

the distance. Sr. Quisqueyano displaced Catch a Flight from the second spot about midway up the backstretch, but the complexion of the race began to change when Smith gave his mount his head fully four furlongs out and after six panels in 1:10.89. The Florida-raider was the first to pack it in and Gary Stevens began to urge Catch a Flight in a vain attempt to keep pace, but they both still had Moreno to catch as the quarter pole loomed. **Cont. p4**

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Santa Anita H. cont.

In several of his races heretofore, Shared Belief routinely took a breather and sometimes caused his backers some anxiety by idling. But there was little of that to be found Saturday, as he methodically reeled in Moreno with three-sixteenths of a mile to race, pulled clear and was under a double hammerlock for the final 100 yards. Despite effectively eased home from there, he still managed to cover his final quarter-mile in :24.98 for yet another amazing victory. He joins treble Big 'Cap hero Game on Dude (Awesome Again) as the only



Mike Smith Benoit photo

winner of the race to carry as much as 125 pounds, the most since Alysheba toted 126 pounds in 1988.

"I'm so humbled right now," said Smith, who was winning his third consecutive Big 'Cap after guiding Game on Dude the last two years.

"[Trainer] Jerry [Hollendorfer] has done such a tremendous job getting this horse to the races each and every time. It's just incredible what they've done to get him here. He was probably at his best today

and won with a whole lot left. He won well in hand, hopefully this race didn't take too much out of him and we can move onto the next one."

While that next start is as-yet undetermined, it is unlikely it will come in the G1 Dubai World Cup.

"I haven't talked about Dubai recently with the connections," Hollendorfer said. "I wouldn't think that would change but I could be over-ruled I guess."

Part-owner Jim Rome concurred.

"We love the horse and we want to keep the horse close to home," the sports talk show personality explained. "Dubai is an amazing race and an amazing opportunity, but hopefully it will always be there and I just want to celebrate the moment. I couldn't be more proud of him."

Moreno, who was mooted as a World Cup possible, will instead remain at home and target the GII Charles Town Classic Apr. 18.

"It was almost exactly the race we expected to run," his trainer Eric Guillot offered. "It was a little faster than I expected with the fractions early."

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Saturday, Santa Anita Park

FRANK E. KILROE MILE S.-GI, \$401,500, SAX, 3-7, 4yo/up, 1mT, 1:32 4/5, fm.

1--**▲RING WEEKEND**, 118, g, 4, by [Tapit](#)

1st Dam: Free the Magic (MSP), by Cryptoclearance

2nd Dam: Pompoes (Den), by Belmont

3rd Dam: Wilhelmina, by Pall Mall (GB)

(\$310,000 yrl '12 KEESEP). O-St Elias Stable & West Point Thoroughbreds; B-Gainesway Thoroughbreds Ltd (KY); T-H Graham Motion; J-Drayden Van Dyke. \$240,000. Lifetime Record: 14-5-3-2, \$1,095,410.

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

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2--**Summer Front**, 118, h, 6, [War Front](#)--Rose of Summer, by El Prado (Ire). (\$475,000 2yo '11 KEEAPR). O-Waterford Stable; B-Graceville Breeding (KY); T-Christophe Clement. \$80,000.



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3--**Home Run Kitten**, 118, c, 4, [Kitten's Joy](#)--Grand Slam Girl, by Grand Slam. O-Tarabilla Farms Inc; B-Kenneth L & Sarah K Ramsey (KY); T-David E Hofmans. \$48,000.

Margins: 1, 2 1/4, HF. Odds: 7.70, 2.20, 13.50.

Also Ran: Za Approval, Winning Prize (Arg), Mega Heat, Holy Lute, Hay Dude (GB), Silentio, Dimension (GB), Mr. Commons. Scratched: Talco (Fr).

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F. E. Kilroe Mile S. cont.

One day short of the one-year anniversary of his score in the GII Tampa Bay Derby, Ring Weekend celebrated a new career high in style here. After finishing fifth in the GI Preakness S. and getting eased in the GIII Pegasus S. at Monmouth the following month, Ring Weekend found a new home on grass with a quality second-place finish behind the talented Tourist



Ring Weekend
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(Tiznow) in Saratoga's Sir Cat S. July 18. He went one better in that track's GIII Saranac S. Sept. 1, then added Belmont's GIII Hill Prince S. over a soft going Oct. 4. The chestnut concluded his sophomore campaign with a disappointing sixth as the 8-5 chalk after bobbling at the

start in the GII Twilight Derby at Santa Anita Oct. 31. Slightly overlooked in this seasonal bow after scratching out of last month's GIII Canadian Turf S., Ring Weekend was away well from his outside draw and bided his time near the back of the pack through swift early splits of :22.54 and :45.41.

He began to advance down the backstretch, continued to rally while parked at least six wide on the far turn and kept on coming down the center of the course to get the money. "He ran great," assistant trainer Alice Clapham said. "Drayden [Van Dyke] gave him a great ride and settled him nicely. It couldn't have worked out better. He's grown up from last year. I hadn't seen him since then. He's grown up a lot mentally and physically. Hopefully, we'll have a good, fun year with him." For last year's Eclipse Award winning apprentice jockey Drayden Van Dyke, the win marked his first Grade I victory in the saddle. "It feels amazing to win my first Grade I for a trainer like Graham Motion," he said. "I'm very blessed. When I was galloping out I was smiling the biggest smile ever."

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Saturday, Santa Anita Park

SAN FELIPE S.-GII, \$401,250, SAX, 3-7, 3yo, 1 1/16m, 1:41 3/5, ft.

1--**DORTMUND**, 123, c, 3, by Big Brown

1st Dam: Our Josephina (SW & GSP, \$190,584), by Tale of the Cat

2nd Dam: Ropa Usada, by Danzig

3rd Dam: Lakeville Miss, by Rainy Lake

(\$85,000 RNA wnlg '12 KEENOV; \$90,000 yrl '13 FTKJUL; \$140,000 2yo '14 FTMMAY). O-Kaleem Shah Inc; B-Emilie Gerlinde Fojan (KY); T-Bob Baffert; J-Martin Garcia. \$240,000. Lifetime Record: G1SW, 5-5-0-0, \$689,400. **Werk Nick Rating: A+ . Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.**

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2--**Prospect Park**, 118, c, 3, **Tapit**--Quiet Romance, by Bertrando. O/B-Pam & Martin Wygod (KY); T-Clifford W Sise Jr. \$80,000.

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3--**Bolo**, 118, c, 3, **Temple City**--Aspen Mountain, by Chief Seattle. O-Golden Pegasus Racing Inc & Earle I Mack; B-Spendthrift Farm LLC (KY); T-Carla Gaines. \$48,000.

Margins: 1 1/4, HF, 3HF. Odds: 0.80, 4.00, 11.30. Also Ran: Lord Nelson, The Gomper, Pulmarack, Pain and Misery, Ocho Ocho Ocho, Sir Samson, Kenjisstorm.

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San Felipe S. cont.

Favored at 11-10 for his Nov. 2 debut over 6 1/2 furlongs of this track, Dortmund blew his rivals away by 4 1/2 lengths, then made the trip to Kentucky alongside fellow Kaleem Shah colorbearer Hoppertunity (Any Given Saturday) four weeks later. His stablemate won the G1 Clark H. Nov. 28, and 24 hours later, Dortmund followed suit, drilling a first-level allowance field by 7 3/4 widening lengths to enter the Triple



Dortmund

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Crown discussion. He furthered that conversation with a tough-as-nails defeat of Firing Line (Line of David) in the inaugural G1 Los Alamitos Futurity Dec. 20 and hooked up with that rival again in the GIII Robert B. Lewis S. Feb. 7. Right on that

solid pace, Dortmund looked destined for his first career defeat, as Firing Line got the jump on him into the stretch. But the strapping chestnut boxed on gamely at the fence and dropped his head on the wire first.

Originally programmed to skip this and train up to the G1 Santa Anita Derby, Dortmund gave trainer Bob Baffert all the right signs in his morning work and went postward as the odds-on selection to remain undefeated. **Cont. p7**

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"Coming into this race he was doing much better than he was last time," Baffert stated. "As long as he stays healthy, the farther they go, he's just getting cranked up there at the end."

Asked if the plan was to make the running, the silver-haired conditioner said, "Martin [Garcia] is on his own. All riders are on their own and they just rode their race. The thing about Martin, he knows all these horses, so if I have to give him instructions, then I'm in trouble. He knows the horse really well. The worst thing you can do is take him back and get him behind a wall of horses. He was doing it pretty easily."

Dortmund will remain in California for the GI Santa Anita Derby Apr. 4.

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Saturday, Tampa Bay Downs

TAMPA BAY DERBY-GII, \$350,000, TAM, 3-7, 3yo, 1 1/16m, 1:43 3/5, ft.

1--**CARPE DIEM**, 122, c, 3, by [Giant's Causeway](#)

1st Dam: Rebridled Dreams (SW & GSP, \$134,663), by Unbridled's Song

2nd Dam: Key Cents, by Corridor Key

3rd Dam: Centimeter, by Aloma's Ruler

(\$550,000 yrl '13 KEESEP; \$1,600,000 2yo '14 OBSMAR). O-WinStar Farm LLC & Stonestreet Stables LLC; B-Coffeepot Stable (KY); T-Todd A Pletcher; J-John R Velazquez. \$210,000. Lifetime Record: GISW, 4-3-1-0, \$919,800. *1/2 to Doncaster Rover (War Chant), MSW & MGSP, \$349,932; J. B.'s Thunder (Thunder Gulch), GISW, \$280,130. **Werk Nick Rating: A+++ *Triple Plus***. [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

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O-Ivan Dalos; B-Tall Oaks Farm (ON); T-Josie Carroll. \$70,000.

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3--**Divining Rod**, 116, c, 3, [Tapit](#)--Precious Kitten, by Catienus. O-Lael Stables; B-Mr & Mrs M Roy Jackson (KY); T-Arnaud Delacour. \$35,000.

Margins: 5, 2HF, 5. Odds: 1.00, 13.50, 9.40.

Also Ran: Danzig Moon, Great Stuff, Moonlight Bandit, Ocean Knight, My Johnny Be Good. Scratched: Souper Colossal.

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Tampa Bay Derby cont.

Whereas stablemate Daredevil (More Than Ready) couldn't quite get the job done in his seasonal debut in Saturday's GII Fasig-Tipton Swale S., Carpe Diem took care of business on Florida's Gulf Coast, overcoming some pre-race shenanigans to post a comfortable victory in the Tampa Bay Derby.

The joint-topper at the 2014 OBS March Sale, Carpe Diem lived up to the hype at first asking, besting Swale hero Ready For Rye (City Zip) in a 5 1/2-furlong test at Saratoga Sept. 1 to become a 'Rising Star' and made the most of his first crack at stakes company, taking out Keeneland's GI Claiborne Breeders' Futurity by some 6 1/4 lengths Oct. 4. Whereas he raced close to the pace on that occasion, he was forced to rally from the



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latter third of the field in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Nov. 1, came six wide for the drive and was just able to touch GIII Holy Bull S. hero Upstart (Flatter) out of second money.

Preferred in the wagering to fellow Stonestreet runner and GIII Sam F. Davis S. hero Ocean Knight (Curlin), Carpe Diem proved a handful while attempting to load him into the stalls, forcing John Velazquez to dismount momentarily.

But he was all business once the latch was sprung, taking up a box-seat position in third as Divining Rod was roused along at the fence to lead narrowly into the first turn from My Johnny Be Good (Colonel John). Ocean Knight raced in about fifth position, but never looked especially comfortable, and Ami's Flatter, getting blinkers and Lasix for the first time, slid up the rail to be midfield as they approached the second turn. Steered out into the three path entering that bend, Carpe Diem loomed upsides of Divining Rod at the quarter pole and the race was over for all intents and purposes. He swapped his leads on cue and kept on well for a daylight victory, as Ami's Flatter closed best of the rest for second.

"Wow. When they leave their 2-year-old season behind, you hope they come out like he did," WinStar President Elliott Walden effused. "Everyone who has watched him train said he has been training better than any horse in Florida, and it's nice to see him put it together like that. He is just a natural athlete and has a great rhythm to him. We missed him as a yearling, but thankfully John [Moynihan, representative for co-owner Barbara Banke's Stonestreet Stables] and I got together on him as a 2-year-old."

The disappointment of the race was Ocean Knight, who tailed off into the lane crossed the line last but one. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](http://www.brisnet.com), the [brisnet.com](http://www.brisnet.com) PPs or the [free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree](http://www.brisnet.com). [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.](#)

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Saturday, Gulfstream Park

GULFSTREAM PARK H.-GII, \$300,000, GPX, 3-7, 4yo/up, 1m, 1:36 1/5, ft.

1--**HONOR CODE**, 116, r, 4, by A.P. Indy

1st Dam: **Serena's Cat** (SW, \$131,391), by Storm Cat

2nd Dam: **Serena's Tune**, by Mr. Prospector

3rd Dam: **Serena's Song**, by Rahy

O-Lane's End Racing & Dell Ridge Farm LLC; B-Dell Ridge Farm LLC (KY); T-Claude R McGaughey III; J-Javier Castellano. \$184,140. Lifetime Record: GISP, 6-4-2-0, \$626,740. *1/2 to Noble Tune (Unbridled's Song), MGSW & GISP, \$492,222.

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

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2--**Private Zone**, 122, g, 6, **Macho Uno**--Auburn Beauty, by Siphon (Brz). (\$15,000 yrl '10 KEESEP). O-Good Friends Stable LLC; B-Adena Springs (ON); T-Jorge Navarro. \$59,400.

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3--**Valid**, 117, g, 5, **Medaglia d'Oro**--Grand Prayer, by Grand Slam. (\$500,000 yrl '11 KEESEP; \$115,000 HRA '13 FTNOCT). O-Crossed Sabres Farm; B-Edward P Evans (VA); T-Marcus J Vitali. \$29,700.

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Margins: HF, HF, HD. Odds: 2.50, 1.20, 3.70.

Also Ran: Wicked Strong, East Hall, Loverbil.

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Gulfstream Park H. cont.

Lane's End Racing and Dell Ridge Farm's Honor Code announced himself as a potential top handicap horse, coming from as many as 12 lengths out of it to tag an extremely game Private Zone in the GII Gulfstream Park H.

That he bridged that sort of gap is no real surprise, given that he overcame a 22-length deficit in graduating by 4 1/2 lengths in the Saratoga slop at first asking,

becoming a '**TDN Rising Star**' in the process.

Desperately unlucky to drop a neck decision at the hands of fellow

'**Rising Star**' Havana (Dunkirk) in the 2013 GI Champagne S., the dark bay closed out the season by out-bobbing Cairo Prince (Pioneer of the Nile) in the

GII Remsen S. A distant runner-up to track

record-setter Social Inclusion (Pioneer of the Nile) in a Gulfstream allowance test last Mar. 12, the regally-bred ridgling raced well back off a solid pace in his Nov. 22 return to action at Aqueduct and looked beaten turning for home, but conjured up a flying finish for a one-length success.

Gulfstream Park H. cont. p10



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Gulfstream Park H. cont.

The betting market, especially in the final 10 minutes or so, was very interesting, as Honor Code, 6-5 at one point, touched 3-1 and settled at 5-2. Last-out GI Cigar Mile H. winner Private Zone, as high as 3-1, was into even-money favoritism as the money came late and drifted a tick to be off as the 6-5 chalk.

Drawn inside for this return to the graded-stakes ranks, Honor Code broke inward and was content to trail as Valid was hell-bent on making life difficult on the chalk and they were each others' best friends through lively fractions of :23.51 and :45.96. Wicked Strong (Hard Spun), reappearing for the first time since clipping heels and unseating Rajiv Maragh in the GI Jockey Club Gold Cup Sept. 27, sat the best trip



Kenny Martin

from third ahead of East Hall and the distant trailer. Private Zone just could not shake off Valid as they raced past the three-quarters in 1:10.09, but by this time, Javier Castellano had Honor Code in full gear, still with plenty of ground to make up. Into fourth, but still five lengths away with an eighth of a mile to go,

Honor Code layed his body down and was along in the waning strides. Private Zone held for second just ahead of Valid.

"I was ready to go home [after the break]," winning trainer Shug McGaughey admitted. "I was watching it on TV, and down the backside there wasn't a '1' on there for a long time. Then I saw him swing to the outside. It was the same thing when he broke his maiden at Saratoga. I was watching on TV there and he wasn't ever in the picture and I was thinking up excuses already."

While the conditioner said the GI Carter H. Apr. 4 would be an unlikely next start, "the [GI] Met Mile [June 6] is a good possibility. Obviously he runs good off a layoff so that wouldn't be anything I'd be worried about. The owners might be more worried about it than me."

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Saturday, Santa Anita Park

SAN CARLOS S.-GII, \$250,500, SAX, 3-7, 4yo/up, 7f, 1:21 4/5, ft.

1--**WILD DUDE**, 118, h, 5, by Wildcat Heir

1st Dam: Courtly Choice, by Doneraile Court

2nd Dam: I'maknightschoice, by Knights Choice

3rd Dam: Pass Formation, by Forward Pass

(\$9,000 wnl'g '10 OBSOCT; \$42,000 2yo '12 OBSAPR). O-Jerry Hollendorfer & Green Smith; B-Versatile Thoroughbreds LLC (FL); T-Jerry Hollendorfer; J-Rafael Bejarano. \$150,000. Lifetime Record: 12-5-3-2, \$494,220. **Werk Nick Rating: C +**.

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Purchased by Christina R. Jelm



2--**Kobe's Back**, 118, c, 4, [Flatter](#)--Well, by Well Decorated. (\$60,000 yrl '12 FTKOCT; \$480,000 2yo '13 OBSMAR). O-C R K Stable; B-Joanne R Mummert (KY); T-Peter Eurtan. \$50,000.



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3--**Conquest Two Step**, 123, c, 4, Two Step Salsa--Homesteader, by Pioneering. (\$20,000 yrl '12 OBSAUG; \$420,000 2yo '13 OBSAPR). O-Conquest Stables LLC; B-Manuel Andrade (FL); T-Mark E Casse. \$30,000.

Margins: 3/4, 3/4, 2 3/4. Odds: 1.90, 6.90, 0.80.

Also Ran: Outside Nashville, Majestic City, Blues Blaster, El Nino Terrible.

Scratched: Chitu, Midnight Hawk.

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Wild Dude, winner of last year's GII Palos Verdes S., went to the sidelines after finishing a nose runner-up behind Big Macher (Beau Genius) in the GII Potrero Grande S. last April. The gritty bay resurfaced with a third-place effort behind Conquest Two Step and Secret Circle (Eddington) in this year's Palos Verdes last time out Jan. 31. Wild Dude raced with the pace in a compact field through fractions of :23.26 and :46.11. He grabbed the lead coming out of the turn, with favored Conquest Two Step, four wide into the lane, breathing down his neck and Kobe's Back looming a threat from the back of the pack. **Cont. p11**



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San Carlos S. cont.

Wild Dude turned back the favorite with a furlong to run and gamely held off the late-rushing Kobe's Back. "I didn't think we'd be that close early, but the horse broke real well and I'm glad Rafael [Bejarano] went on with him," commented winning trainer Jerry Hollendorfer. "He was in between horses; I was a little worried about that, but turning for home it seemed like he still had a lot left and he opened up on them, and



Wild Dude

Benoit

opened up a little more and held off a great, big, gaining gray horse [Kobe's Back]." Bejarano added, "I just picked my spot and I went from there. I was close to the pace and he normally doesn't like that but he proved he can do it today. By the three-eighths I took

off; when I felt pressure from Conquest Two Step, I took off." Joe Talamo, aboard beaten favorite Conquest Two Step, commented, "We had a perfect trip. I was lying right outside with some slow fractions, and just got out-run today. I was lying in the perfect spot right outside, and I came to the winner at the top of the lane and just didn't get there." Wild Dude is the first foal out of Courtly Choice. Breeder Versatile Thoroughbreds purchased the winner's dam Courtly Choice for \$20,000 as a Keeneland September yearling in 2005. She RNA'd for \$1,000 at the 2010 OBS October sale. The 11-year-old mare produced a colt by Awesome of Course last year and a filly by Bodemeister this year. The colt sold for \$30,000 at last year's OBS October sale. Also last year, the mare's colt by Gone Astray sold for \$100,000 as a yearling at the OBS August sale and her colt by Kantharos brought \$90,000 at the OBS March 2-year-old sale.

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Saturday, Gulfstream Park

FASIG-TIPTON SWALE S.-GII, \$200,000, GPX, 3-7, 3yo, 7f, 1:22 1/5, ft.

1--#**@READY FOR RYE**, 117, g, 3, by [City Zip](#)

1st Dam: Embroidery, by More Than Ready

2nd Dam: Flagrant, by Rahy

3rd Dam: Flamboyance, by Zilzal

(\$70,000 yrl '13 KEESEP). O-Chalk Racing; B-Soc Agr Santa Elena de Chimbarongo LTDA (KY); T-Thomas Albertrani; J-Luis Saez. \$122,760. Lifetime Record: 4-2-2-0, \$203,360. **Werk Nick Rating: B+ . Click for the [eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree](#).**

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2--**Daredevil**, 123, c, 3, [More Than Ready](#)--

Chasethewildwind, by Forty Niner. (\$260,000 yrl '13 KEESEP). O-Let's Go Stable, WinStar Farm LLC & China Horse Club; B-Marianne I & Brandon L Chase (KY); T-Todd A Pletcher. \$39,600.

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3--**Senor Grits**, 117, g, 3, [Elusive Quality](#)--Butterfield, by Unbridled's Song. O-Six Column Stables LLC, Randall L Bloch & Phil Milner; B-Randy Bloch, et al (KY); T-Ian R Wilkes. \$19,800.

Margins: 2 3/4, 10, 1 1/4. Odds: 6.30, 0.60, 7.60.

Also Ran: Bluegrass Singer, Social Request, X Y Jet.

Scratched: Souper Colossal, Twotwentyfive A.

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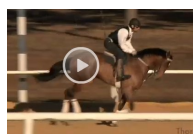
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Fasig-Tipton Swale S. cont.

Ready for Rye, second behind “TDN Rising Star” and subsequent GI Claiborne Breeders’ Futurity winner and yesterday’s GIII Tampa Bay Derby victor Carpe Diem (Giant’s Causeway) in his debut at Saratoga last September, romped home by seven lengths over a muddy Belmont strip in his second start Oct. 11. He finished second, beaten three lengths by subsequent GIII Hutcheson S. winner Barbardos (Speightstown) in the six-furlong Spectacular Bid S. last time out Jan. 3.



Ready For Rye

Adam Coglianesse

The bay gelding, trying seven furlongs for the first time, broke alertly and led in the early strides before ceding the advantage to X Y Jet (Kantharos). He pressed that rival through an opening quarter in :22.53 as heavily favored Daredevil stalked from fourth. Ready for Rye surged to the lead after a half in :45.36 and skipped clear on the turn. Daredevil made a menacing move at the top of the lane, but Ready for Rye had plenty left down the stretch to earn a decisive victory. Last year’s GI Champagne S. winner Daredevil, making his first start of the year, was 10 lengths in front of Senor Grits in third.

“It was perfect,” winning jockey Luis Saez said of his trip. “The inside horse [X Y Jet] was moving and moving and that was good because I tucked my horse in a nice position in second and, with a half-mile to go, I had a lot of horse. When I hit him, he responded and I knew we were going to win.”

Trainer Tom Albertrani thinks his charge’s runner-up effort in the Spectacular Bid set him up for a big performance Saturday. “I think he really needed that race—I don’t really tighten up on them off the layoff,” Albertrani explained. “I would hope they make that step forward off of the race. He really came back like he needed the race. He was a lot tighter for this one. My only question today was if he would go seven-eighths, that was the only doubt in my mind. I know he’s got a lot of speed. I’m glad they re-drew the race because X Y Jet was on the outside of us [last week] and [drawing outside of him] might have helped [today]. It just worked out well. We’ll go back to New York and keep him short for now.”

Albertrani, who was winless at the Gulfstream meet, but with several runner-up efforts, coming into Saturday’s card, was winning his third race of the day in the Swale, which was postponed a week by heavy rain.

“It’s a relief—it’s been a little frustrating,” Albertrani admitted. “I think we’re actually up to 12 or 13 seconds after yesterday, and maybe my luck changed yesterday when they put my number up [to second] instead of down in the maiden race. But it’s been a great day.”

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Javier Castellano, aboard Daredevil, was not discouraged by the favorite’s runner-up effort. “He ran a good race, unfortunately we were second-best today,” Castellano said. “He did not disappoint us at all. I think he is still a very good horse. He was coming off a layoff in the Breeders’ Cup and unfortunately today he came back in a sprint race. They went pretty quick and the winner was able to dictate the pace. He still made a great effort today.”

Of the beaten favorite, trainer Todd Pletcher said, “He broke OK, not great, but we got the position we wanted. It’s difficult to analyze the track today because there have been mostly turf races. I’d say it was speed-favoring and we got out-sprinted a little bit. I thought he finished well considering the way the race was run. I think this sets us up for stretching out next time.”

Luigi D’alessandri purchased the winner’s dam Embroidery (More Than Ready), with this foal in utero, for \$75,000 at the 2011 Keeneland November sale. Embroidery is a half-sister to GI Breeders’ Cup Dirt Mile winner Furthest Land (Smart Strike) and to graded stakes placed Street Move (Street Cry {Ire}). The partnership group of Chalk Racing, managed by Rick Westerman, purchased Ready for Rye for \$70,000 at the 2013 Keeneland September sale. Westerman is a senior executive with Liberty Global, Inc., an international cable operator.



Black-Type Results cont.

Saturday, Aqueduct

GOTHAM S.-GIII, \$400,000, AQU, 3-7, 3yo, 1 1/16m, 1:45 2/5, my.

1--**EL KABEIR**, 123, c, 3, by [Scat Daddy](#)

1st Dam: Great Venue, by Unbridled's Song

2nd Dam: Rose Colored Lady, by Formal Dinner

3rd Dam: Pink Forest, by Green Forest

(\$250,000 yrl '13 OBSAUG). O-Zayat Stables, LLC;

B-Rustlewood Farm Inc (FL); T-John P Terranova II;

J-Charles C Lopez. \$240,000. Lifetime Record:

8-4-2-1, \$678,892. Werk Nick Rating: A+++

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2--**Tiz Shea D**, 116, c, 3, [Tiznow](#)--Ender's Sister, by A.P. Indy. (\$67,000 wing '12 KEENOV; \$117,000 RNA yrl '13 FTKJUL; \$100,000 RNA yrl '13 FTKOCT; \$65,000 2yo '14 FTMMAY). O-Wachtel Stable, Brous Stable LLC & Gary Barber; B-Green Lantern Stables LLC (KY); T-William I Mott. \$80,000.

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3--**Classy Class**, 116, c, 3, [Discreetly Mine](#)--Collegiate, by Saarland. (\$120,000 yrl '13 KEENOV; \$250,000 2yo '14 OBSMAR). O-Cheyenne Stables LLC; B-E Paul Robsham Stable LLC (KY); T-Kieran P McLaughlin. \$40,000.

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Margins: 2 3/4, HD, 3/4. Odds: 1.30, 11.00, 4.10.

Also Ran: Toasting Master, Tencendur, Dontbetwithbruno, Uninfluenced, Blame Jim, Combat Diver, Lieutenant Colonel. Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or the [brisnet.com PPs](#). [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton](#).

With the return of champion American Pharoah (Pioneer of the Nile) now just under a week away, El Kabeir continues to fly the flag well for Zayat Stables, got a textbook ride from C. C. Lopez and proved a comfortable winner of Saturday's GIII Gotham S., the final local prep for the GI TwinSpires.com Wood Memorial S. in four weeks' time.

Accorded 'TDN Rising Star' status following a 10 3/4-length defeat of recent John Battaglia Memorial S. hero Royal Son (Tiznow) going seven furlongs at Saratoga Aug. 30, the gray failed to make any impact when a distant fourth behind Daredevil (More Than Ready) and Upstart (Flutter) in a sloppy renewal of the the GI Champagne S. Oct. 4, then finished second to another Pletcher trainee in the form of Blofeld (Quality Road) when five lengths adrift in the GII Nashua S. Nov. 2. Instead of getting a breather, El Kabeir has thrived on his racing and defeated Imperia (Medaglia d'Oro) by a head in the GII Kentucky Jockey Club S. Nov. 29 before returning to this track for a dominating 4 3/4-length success in the GIII Jerome S. Jan. 3.

He was forced to settle for a runner-up effort in back of Far From Over (Blame) in the GIII Withers S. back here Feb. 7, but with that one taking a pass, proved easily best yet again.

Toasting Master (Congrats) won the break and was soon joined to his outside by Blame Jim (Sharp Humor)--the widest-drawn of a three-pronged Repole Stable entry--and those two set off at a fast clip, covering the opening couple of furlongs in :23 flat. El Kabeir landed slightly worse than centerfield while one away from the fence through that first sectional, but Lopez got him down onto the fence as heads were turned up the backstretch. Shuffled back to near the back of the pack, El Kabeir was given a first cue to get closer, and he commenced a strong middle move with about 5 1/2 furlongs to race to be a joint fifth after a half-mile



El Kabeir

Adam Coglianese

in an above-par :46.63. Following the move of recent private purchase Tiz Shea D on the turn, El Kabeir was deftly shifted out three wide around Uninfluenced (Indian Charlie), beating Classy Class to that spot, and was in perfect position turning for home. With clear sailing from there, the chalk hit the front with a little more than an eighth of a mile to race and held sway late. Tiz Shea D enjoyed the run of the race throughout and outgamed Classy Class for second.

Winning trainer John Terranova says the winner has done a lot of growing up from last year to this.

"From two to three years old, he's a completely different horse," Terranova offered. "He was a speedy horse [at two]. He was very fast, and we knew he was very talented, but we didn't know how he would be mentally. Now, we've focused on getting him to use his energy in the right way. He's gone the right way; he's that type. It's nice to see him completely change dimensions from two to three, and that quickly."

Tiz Shea D, recently purchased by Adam Wachtel, Gary Barber and Nils Brous out of a Parx maiden win and racing in Barber's pink silks, pleased his connections and will in all likelihood be supplemented to the Triple Crown for \$6,000 at the late stage Mar. 23.

The top two will be pointed for the Wood and that race is also under consideration for Classy Class, though he is possible for the Keeneland's GI Toyota Blue Grass S. the same afternoon.

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Saturday, Aqueduct

TOM FOOL H.-GIII, \$200,000, AQU, 3-7, 4yo/up, 6f, 1:09 3/5, my.

1--**SALUTOS AMIGOS**, 125, g, 5, by Salute the Sarge
 1st Dam: Sarasota (Arg) (MGSW-Arg), by Luhuk
 2nd Dam: Sandals (Arg), by Southern Halo
 3rd Dam: Sarawak (Arg), by Salt Marsh
 O-David Jacobson & Southern Equine Stable LLC;
 B-Joan Hadley Thoroughbreds (KY); T-David Jacobson; J-Cornelio H Velasquez. \$120,000.
 Lifetime Record: 27-9-2-4, \$897,406. *1/2 to Sarah's Secret (Leroidesanimaux {Brz}), GSW, \$197,000.
 Click for the [eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree](#). Werk Nick Rating: A.

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2--**Dads Caps**, 123, h, 5, [Discreet Cat](#)--Seeking the Silver, by Grindstone. O/B-Vince Scuderi (KY); T-Gustavo Rodriguez. \$40,000.

Hidden Brook foaled & raised for Vince Scuderi

3--**Green Gratto**, 116, h, 5, Here's Zealous--Starship Smokester, by Smokester. O-Gaston & Anthony Grant & Basil Greene; B-Kaz Hill Farm (NJ); T-David J Smith. \$20,000.

Margins: 4, 2 3/4, 1. Odds: 0.60, 2.95, 24.00.

Also Ran: Maleeh, West Hills Giant, Sonny Inspired, Elevated.

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Salutos Amigos charged to the lead in deep stretch to score his fourth straight Aqueduct stakes victory. Since finishing seventh in the Nov. 1 GI Breeders' Cup Sprint, the bay gelding has won the Nov. 27 GIII Fall Highweight H. and Dec. 26 Gravesend S. He came from last to run down Dads Caps to take the Feb. 7 GIII Toboggan H. last time out. Heavily favored here, Salutos Amigos stalked the pacesetters from third as Dads Caps and Green Gratto battled on the front end. Dads Caps took charge at the top of the lane, but Salutos Amigos was winding up for his run on the outside and the favorite kicked into gear, took over with a furlong to run and surged clear to the wire.

"My horse broke on top, and if I let him go he could have gone wire to wire," said winning rider Cornelio Velasquez. "But I wanted to cover him up behind horses because he is more relaxed. At the top of the stretch, when I put him in the clear, I had a lot of horse. He won easy today. It was an easy race for him."

Winning trainer and co-owner David Jacobson added, "This is a special race, with all the training that he missed, and to run the way he did. Dads Caps really looked great in the paddock, I was worried after I saw him. A spectacular performance; he's just a special horse." As for what is next, Jacobson said, "We'll see where we go from here. We were really concentrating on this race, and now that we have this one behind us now I will take [Dubai] a lot more serious. After today, he proved that he is a special horse. He's been running all year, and he's been so strong and good. He's had the foundation, so the training he missed was like a mini-vacation, but it didn't affect him at all."

Saturday, Tampa Bay Downs

FLORIDA OAKS-GIII, \$180,000, TAM, 3-7, 3yo, f, 1 1/16mT, 1:43 1/5, fm.

1--**@QUALITY ROCKS**, 116, f, 3, by Rock Hard Ten
 1st Dam: Elusive Virgin, by Elusive Quality
 2nd Dam: Purer Than Pure, by Turkoman
 3rd Dam: Pure Platinum, by Singh
 (\$37,000 RNA yrl '13 OBSAUG). O-Flavor Racing, Brous Stable, Wachtel Stable & Destiny Oaks Of Ocala LLC; B-Destiny Oaks of Ocala (FL); T-William I Mott; J-Jose Lezcano. \$120,000. Lifetime Record: 6-3-2-0, \$245,200. Werk Nick Rating: A+ +. Click for the [eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree](#).

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2--**Consumer Credit**, 120, f, 3, [More Than Ready](#)--Sally Bowles (SAf), by London News (SAf). (\$185,000 yrl '13 KEESEP; \$130,000 RNA 2yo '14 FTFMAR). O-Klaravich Stables Inc & William H Lawrence; B-Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC (KY); T-Chad C Brown. \$30,000.

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3--**Lismore**, 116, f, 3, [Tiznow](#)--Fastbridled, by Unbridled's Song. (\$110,000 yrl '13 FTSAUG; \$140,000 2yo '14 FTFMAR). O-Shamrock Farm; B-Jamm Ltd (KY); T-George Weaver. \$15,000.

Purchased by Donato Lanni/Hill 'n' Dale Bloodstock

Margins: 3/4, HF, 1HF. Odds: 3.60, 1.20, 10.10.

Also Ran: Tiger Ride, Include Betty, Bugle, Distorted Type, Nicky's Brown Miss, Get Down Kitten, Season Ticket, Aliquippa. Scratched: Afleet Mary, Don't Leave Me, Mrs McDougal.

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Florida Oaks cont.

Quality Rocks made good on her early promise with a victory in the GIII Florida Oaks yesterday. The dark bay opened her account with a pair of wins for previous trainer William Helmbrecht and breeder Destiny Oaks of Ocala, starting with a debut victory sprinting over the Presque Isle synthetic Aug. 13, and followed by a win in the Arlington Washington Lassie S. Sept. 6. Bought into by Flavor Racing, Brous Stable and Watchel Stable, the sophomore was subsequently transferred to Hall of Famer Bill Mott and finished second first time out for that barn in Keeneland's turfky GIII Jessamine S. Oct. 8. Tenth in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies Turf in Arcadia Oct. 31, the dark bay was second to favored Consumer Credit last time out here in the grassy one-mile GIII Sweetest Chant S. Jan. 24. Patiently handled by Jose Lezcano, the 7-2 shot kept tabs on the pacesetter Lismore and her pursuer Distorted Type (Distorted Humor) from third through soft early splits of :24.12 and :49.14. Bearing down on Lismore turning for home, Quality Rocks split rivals to seize command in mid-stretch and drew clear late to score. **Cont. p15**

Distorted Type faded to seventh. "She rated very well, she wasn't overly anxious and she finished good," Mott commented. "Jose [Lezcano] did a great job. She has raced against good company and run well. Her body type seems to be more suited for grass. I didn't really have any anxious moments other than going into the second turn. I could see Jose didn't go around the two in front [Lismore and Distorted Type]. It looked like he was staying tucked in right behind, but he realizes how important it is to save ground. He stayed inside waiting for them to spread a little bit when they turned for home, and indeed they did. That other filly [Consumer Credit] is a pretty good filly." Quality Rocks's dam Elusive Virgin has a 2-year-old filly by Old Fashioned and a yearling filly by Lookin at Lucky.

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Saturday, Gulfstream Park

PALM BEACH S.-GIII, \$150,000, GPX, 3-7, 3yo, 1 1/16mT, 1:40 4/5, fm.

1--#[@EH CUMPARI](#), 118, c, 3, by [Elusive Quality](#)

1st Dam: Bells Are Ringing, by Sadler's Wells

2nd Dam: Trolley Song, by Caro (Ire)

3rd Dam: Lucky Spell, by Lucky Mel

(\$47,000 RNA wnlg '12 KEENOV; \$225,000 yrl '13 FTSAUG;). O-Anstu Stables Inc; B-Turner Breeders LLC (KY); T-Michael Dilger; J-Jose C Caraballo. \$89,280. Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-0, \$136,300. **Click for the [eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree](#). Werk Nick Rating: C.**

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2--**Felifran**, 117, c, 3, [Discreet Cat](#)--Island Escape, by Petionville. (\$31,000 wnlg '12 KEENOV; \$82,000 yrl '13 KEESEP). O-Grupo 7C Racing Stable; B-Robert B Trussell Jr & John TL Jones III (KY); T-Gustavo Delgado. \$28,800.

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3--**Divisidero**, 116, c, 3, [Kitten's Joy](#)--Madame Du Lac, by Lemon Drop Kid. (\$250,000 yrl '13 KEESEP). O-Gunpowder Farms LLC; B-Hinkle Farms (KY); T-William B Bradley. \$14,400.

MARGAUX FARM **Starting & Training Graduate**
Margins: NK, HF, HD. Odds: 6.70, 24.20, 4.00.
Also Ran: Call Me Crazy, Night Prowler, Nutty Fuddy, Decision Day, Croninthebarbarian, Bears Personality.
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Palm Beach S. cont.

Anstu Stables LLC's Eh Cumpari launched a prolonged rally to power home a neck best in the re-scheduled GIII Palm Beach S. yesterday. The dark bay earned his first stakes victory and second win in four career starts for trainer Michael Dilger in the 1 1/16-mile turf affair, which was shifted to Saturday after rains forced the postponement of the race one week ago.

Coming off a wide fifth-place run to kick off his sophomore campaign over this course in the one-mile Kitten's Joy S. Jan. 24, Eh Cumpari raced toward the



Eh Cumpari
Natalie Fawkes

rear of the pack behind fractions of :23.7, :48.01 and 1:11.87 under veteran jockey Jose Caraballo. Briefly displaced to trail the field on the backstretch as longshot Nutty Futtu (Johar) continued to cut the pace, the colt picked up the tempo from the six path on the far turn and set

sail for the front turning for home.

Bumped by Call Me Crazy (Lemon Drop Kid) in mid-stretch, Eh Cumpari stayed on in the center of the course to prevail in a determined score over late-charging Felifran (Discreet Cat). Divisidero (Kitten's Joy) checked in third in his second career start.

"We were very pleased with his last race," commented winning trainer Michael Dilger. "He had a very, very wide trip. Today, he might have been far back, but he at least saved ground. When he ran in the Kitten's Joy, I think he was three-to-four wide the whole way around and then finished up a little bit flat at the end to run fifth. I think he appreciated the extra sixteenth of a mile, and I think he'd like to go farther again. I'm very pleased with him."

A first-out winner going one mile in an off-the-turfer at Aqueduct Nov. 8, he was ninth in the GII Remsen S. when extended to nine furlongs at that venue Nov. 29. The \$225,000 Fasig-Tipton Saratoga August yearling purchase was given a brief freshening before traveling south to kick off his sophomore campaign in the Kitten's Joy. The colt now has earned victories on both turf and dirt, opening doors for his connections in the future.

"He's probably slightly better on turf, but he's a 3-year-old colt doing well at the moment, so there are lots of exciting options for him," added Dilger.

The conditioner added that he has no specific plans in mind, but a discussion will occur in the coming days to plot out a plan for the newly minted graded stakes winner.

Saturday, Oaklawn Park

HONEYBEE S.-GIII, \$150,000, OPX, 3-7, 3yo, f, 1 1/16m, 1:46 4/5, ft.

1--#**@SARAH SIS**, 117, f, 3, by Sharp Humor

1st Dam: Emerald Gal, by Gilded Time

2nd Dam: Wancha Back, by End Sweep

3rd Dam: Wancha, by Transworld

(\$10,000 yrl '13 KEESEP; \$20,000 2yo '14 OBSJUN). O-Joe Ragsdale; B-Catherine Rene White DVM (KY); T-Ingrid Mason; J-Julio E Felix. \$90,000. Lifetime Record: 6-3-3-0, \$203,000. [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree](#). Werk Nick Rating: A+.

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2--**Oceanwave**, 117, f, 3, Harlan's Holiday--Tamboz, by Tapit. (\$40,000 yrl '13 KEEJAN; \$120,000 yrl '13 KEESEP). O-Gary & Mary West; B-Popatop LLC (KY); T-Wayne M Catalano. \$30,000.

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3--**Pangburn**, 119, f, 3, [Congrats](#)--It's True Love, by Yes It's True. (\$130,000 yrl '13 FTKJUL).

O-Shortleaf Stable Inc; B-Edward A Seltzer & Beverly Anderson (KY); T-Kenneth G McPeck. \$15,000.

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

Also Ran: Purr, Bootsy's Girl, Desert Valley, Indian Annie, Super Saks. Scratched: Promise Me Silver.

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Sarah Sis finally enjoyed the spotlight to herself after suffering a pair of tough second-place finishes behind Promise Me Silver (Silver City) in the six-furlong Dixie



Sarah Sis
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Belle S. Jan. 15 and to champion Take Charge Brandi (Giant's Causeway) while making her two-turn debut in the Martha Washington S. here last time Jan. 31. Well-supported at the windows this time, Sarah Sis chased early in second after breaking widest of all from post eight. Third through a half mile in :46.36 as Super Saks (Sky Mesa) set

a very ambitious tempo, Sarah Sis began to roll while three wide on the far turn, took over as they straightened for home, drew clear thereafter, and was geared down late to register a career high.

"I wasn't worried about her," jockey Julio Felix said, referring to Super Saks. "I knew she was going too fast up there, because my filly broke like a rocket. When she opened up on me, my filly kind of got off the pace and I was pretty happy at that point." **Cont. p17**



A runaway debut winner at Arlington Aug. 21, Sarah Sis followed with a second-place finish as the even-money favorite behind Saturday's GIII Florida Oaks heroine Quality Rocks (Rock Hard Ten) in the Arlington-Washington Lassie S. Sept. 6. Sarah Sis concluded her 2-year-old campaign on a high note with a runaway allowance win at Keeneland Oct. 11. She lost her first two starts this season by a neck and a head, respectively.

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Saturday, Tampa Bay Downs

HILLSBOROUGH S.-GIII, \$150,000, TAM, 3-7, 4yo/up, f/m, a1 1/8mT, 1:49, fm.

1--**STEPHANIE'S KITTEN**, 122, m, 6, by [Kitten's Joy](#)

1st Dam: **Unfold the Rose**, by Catienus

2nd Dam: **Bail Out Becky**, by Red Ransom

3rd Dam: **Becky Be Good**, by Naskra

(\$30,000 RNA yrl '10 KEESEP; \$17,000 RNA 2yo '11 OBSAPR; \$3,950,000 RNA HRA '14 FTKNOV).

O/B-Kenneth L & Sarah K Ramsey (KY). T-Chad C Brown; J-John R Velazquez. \$90,000. Lifetime

Record: MGISW, 20-9-3-4, \$2,724,104. **Click for the**

eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree. Werk Nick Rating: A+.

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2--**Ball Dancing**, 122, f, 4, [Exchange Rate](#)--Ball Gown, by Silver Hawk. (\$55,000 yrl '12 KEEJAN; 80,000gns RNA yrl '12 TATOCT). O-W S Farish & F Steve Mooney; B-Kirk & Deby Wycoff (KY); T-Chad C Brown. \$30,000.

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3--**Speed Seeker**, 120, f, 4, Heatseeker (Ire)--Seraphic Too, by Southern Halo. (\$10,000 yrl '12 OBSAUG). O-R Johnson, F Coniglio, F Ferrogine, R Rendina & S Ritman; B-Katherine Devall & Heatseeker Syndicate (FL); T-Joan Scott. \$15,000.

Margins: 1HF, 1 1/4, 1 1/4. Odds: 1.40, 4.70, 60.50.

Also Ran: Maria Maria, Filimbi, Principessa Ava (Ire), Loto o' Lex, Night Song, Sparkling Review, St. Borealis. Scratched: Lori's Store, Pink Poppy.

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Favored Stephanie's Kitten lived up to her billing and scored convincingly over fellow Chad Brown trainee Ball Dancing to start her 2015 campaign. The 6-year-old raced against the pine in fifth as St. Borealis (War Chant) showed the way through a :23.92 first quarter. With positions largely unchanged after six furlongs in 1:12.90, Stephanie's Kitten was scrubbed on by John Velazquez to angle outside of eventual last-place finisher St. Borealis at the top of the lane, but needed to weave her way back to the inside to find running room with a quarter mile yet to travel. The bay showed a sharp turn of foot inside the final furlong, holding safe the late rally of Ball Dancing. "She really ran well," said winning trainer Chad Brown who also trains Ball Dancing. "

Historically, Stephanie's Kitten hasn't run that well off a layoff. She was off the board in her first two starts last year, and at that times I questioned whether maybe she doesn't want to do it any more. Then her third start, she ran terrific and from there she had a great year. Stephanie's Kitten was in the sale [2014 Fasig-Tipton November] and I didn't expect to have her back at all." The 6-year-old took a few runs to reach top form in 2014, when unplaced in the GI Jenny Wiley S. in April and GI Just A Game June 7 before back-to-back seconds in the GI Diana S. at the Spa July 19 and Arlington's GI Beverly D. S. a month later. The Ramsey homebred scored in the GI Flower Bowl Invitational S. back at Belmont Park Sept. 27 and completed the exacta behind champion Dayatthespa (City Zip) in the GI Breeders' Cup Filly and Mare Turf at Santa Anita to end her season Nov. 1. She lost out to that rival in the older female turf horse division in 2014.

Sunday, Santa Anita Park, post time: 7:00 p.m. EDT

LAS FLORES S.-GIII, \$100,000, 4yo/up, f/m, 6f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	ML
1	Harlington's Rose	Harlington	Talamo	Knapp	4-1
2	Sagebrush Queen	Unbridled Energy	Maldonado	Gutierrez	9-2
3	Global Hottie	Dixie Chatter	Espinoza	Baffert	2-1
4	Meinertzhageni	Stormin Fever	Perez	Miller	4-1
5	Liza Doolittle Day	Curlin	Van Dyke	O'Neill	8-1
6	Patriotic Brother	Brother Derek	Pedroza	Biancone	20-1
7	Tribal Gal	Tribal Rule	Bejarano	Owens	5-2

UPCOMING MAJOR NORTH AMERICAN STAKES

Date	Race	Track
Mar. 8	GIII Las Flores S.	SA
Mar. 14	GI Santa Margarita S.	SA
	GII Azeri S.	OP
	GII Rebel S.	OP
	GIII Razorback H.	OP
Mar. 15	GII Santa Ana S.	SA
Mar. 21	GII Inside Information S.	GP
	GII Royal Delta S.	GP
	GII San Luis Rey S.	SA
	GIII Bourbonette Oaks	TP
	GIII Spiral S.	TP
Mar. 22	GIII Sunland Derby	SUN
Mar. 28	GI Florida Derby	GP
	GII Louisiana Derby	FG
	GII Gulfstream Park Oaks	GP
	GII Honey Fox S.	GP
	GII Pan American S.	GP
	GII Fair Grounds Oaks	FG
	GII New Orleans H.	FG
	GII Mervin H. Muniz Jr. Memorial H.	FG
	GIII Orchid S.	GP
	GIII Skip Away S.	GP
	GIII Appleton S.	GP
	GIII Tokyo City Cup	SA
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NEW CHAPTER FOR WORLD CUP WINNER

Shortly after his 2014 G1 Dubai World Cup winner **African Story (GB)** (Pivotal {GB}) ran a dull seventh in his first try on the dirt in the G2 Al Maktoum Challenge Round 2 Feb. 5, trainer Saeed bin Suroor suggested a return to the turf may be in order for the 8-year-old gelding. African Story was given another chance on the



African Story holds off Prince Bishop in the Al Maktoum Challenge
DRC/Andrew Watkins

dirt in yesterday's G1 Al Maktoum Challenge Round 3, however, and the decision paid dividends when the plucky chestnut earned his second Group 1, and also scored the middle leg of a Godolphin triple for trainer Saeed bin Suroor and jockey James

Doyle that also included the G1 Jebel Hatta with Hunter's Light (Ire) (Dubawi {Ire}). Fastest from the gate on the rail, African Story led the first few hundred meters before being overtaken by **Henry Clay (GB)** (Dubawi {Ire}), who crossed over to race on the rail, and **Frankyfourfingers (Fr)** (Sunday Break {Jpn}), winner of the Al Maktoum Challenge Round 2. African Story was sitting third and already being scrubbed on by Doyle as the field ran into the turn, but he found another gear when switched out three-wide, mowing down a brave Henry Clay at the 150 meter mark. Prince Bishop, who was remarkably under the whip around the first turn and hard-ridden throughout the race, made an eye-catching late run down the middle of the track to run African Story to a half-length decision.

Round 3 of the Al Maktoum Challenge has served as the springboard for three of Sheikh Mohammed's Dubai World Cup winners--Dubai Millennium, Street Cry (Ire) and Electrocutionist--and African Story could attempt to become the first repeat winner of the world's richest race.

Saturday, Meydan, UAE

AL MAKTOUM CHALLENGE R3 (SPONSORED BY EMIRATES AIRLINE)-G1, \$400,000, MEY, 3-7, NH4yo/up & SH3yo/up, 2000m, 2:04.92, ft.

1--**AFRICAN STORY (GB)**, 126, g, 8, by Pivotal (GB)

1st Dam: Blixen (SP-Ire), by Gone West

2nd Dam: Danish (Ire), by Danehill

3rd Dam: Tea House (Ire), by Sassafras (Fr)

O-Godolphin; B-Darley (GB); T-Saeed bin Suroor; J-James Doyle. \$240,000. Lifetime Record: MGSP-Fr, 20-8-4-3, \$7, 634,880. **Werk Nick Rating: A.** Click for the [eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree](#).

2--**Prince Bishop (Ire)**, 126, g, 8, **Dubawi (Ire)**--North East Bay, by Prospect Bay. (80,000gns wlng '07 TATDEC). O-Sh Hamdan bin Mohd Al Maktoum; B-Thurso Ltd (Ire); T-Saeed bin Suroor. \$80,000.

3--**Henry Clay (GB)**, 126, h, 6, **Dubawi (Ire)**--

Congressional (Ire), by Grand Lodge. (115,000gns yrl '10 TATOCT). O-Sheikh Hamdan bin Mohammed Al Maktoum; B-Rabbah Bloodstock Ltd (GB); T-Doug Watson. \$40,000.

Margins: NK, 3HF, 4HF.

Also Ran: Frankyfourfingers (Fr), Storm Belt, Le Bernardin, Toolain (Ire), Ducab (Ire), Long River.

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African Story proved a productive runner on both dirt and all-weather surfaces early in his career in France, and in fact ran superstar sprinter/miler Moonlight Cloud (GB) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}) to a head when second in the G3 Prix de la Porte Maillot in 2011 when conditioned by Andre Fabre. The chestnut made his carnival debut the following January for trainer Saeed bin Suroor a winning one, and he proceeded to win three of four that campaign over the Tapeta, including the G3 Burj Nahaar on this card and culminating in the G2 Godolphin Mile on the World Cup Card. African Story made just two starts at the 2013 carnival, repeating in the Burj Nahaar before finishing fifth when tried beyond a mile for the first time in the G1 Dubai World Cup. African Story likely still had plenty of doubters about his stamina heading into last year's World Cup after he finished eighth in this race, but he silenced those remainders when running away from subsequent G1 Coral-Eclipse victor Mukhadram (GB) (Shamardal) by 2 3/4 lengths. Supporters of African Story were likely disappointed by the news last year that Meydan's main track would be changed to dirt, and the gelding's dull seventh in the G2 Al Maktoum Challenge Round 2 on Feb. 5 suggested a bid to become the first dual winner of the Dubai World Cup could be out of the question. Winning jockey James Doyle suggested after last night's victory, however, that African Story has improved on the dirt with experience. "He has a lot of class and a great attitude," said Doyle. "Those attributes have really come to the fore here as he had to dig deep. There is more improvement to come from him, I think, and he is starting to get the hang of racing on dirt and was happier in the kickback this time than he was on his first start on the surface."

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Saturday, Meydan, UAE

JEBEL HATTA (SPONSORED BY EMIRATES

AIRLINE)-G1, \$300,000, MEY, 3-7, NH4yo/up & SH3yo/up, 1800mT, 1:47.97, gd.

1--**HUNTER'S LIGHT (IRE)**, 126, h, 7, by [Dubawi \(Ire\)](#)

1st Dam: Portmanteau (GB), by Barathea (Ire)

2nd Dam: Dayanata (Ire), by Shirley Heights (GB)

3rd Dam: Delsy (Fr), by Abdos (Fr)

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

J-James Doyle. \$180,000. Lifetime Record:

27-12-2-3, \$1,450,099. **Werk Nick Rating: A+++**

Triple plus. [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

2--**Trade Storm (GB)**, 126, h, 7, Trade Fair (GB)--Frisson (GB), by Slip Anchor (GB). (£1,500 RNA yrl '09 BRIDEC). O-Qatar Racing Ltd; B-G T Lucas (GB); T-David Simcock. \$60,000.

3--**Johann Strauss (GB)**, 126, c, 4, High Chaparral (Ire)--Inchmina (GB), by Cape Cross (Ire). (72,000gns wlng '11 TATDEC; 110,000gns yrl '12 TATOCT O-Sheikh Mohammed bin Khalifa Al Maktoum, Dr John McVeigh, & Jehan Malherbe; B-Gary Chervenell (GB); T-Mike de Kock. \$30,000.

Margins: 6HF, SHD, 3/4. Also Ran: Flying the Flag (Ire), Sanshaawes (SAf), Vercingetorix (SAf), Ellevall (Ire), Calling Out (Fr), Anaerobio (Arg), Limario (Ger), Mr Pommeroy (Fr), Darwin. [Click for the Racing Post result, AmWest PPs or the free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree. VIDEO.](#)

Hunter's Light made it a Super Saturday indeed for Godolphin, giving Sheikh Mohammed's operation a Group 1 double and three group wins on the Meydan card, all trained by Saeed bin Suroor and ridden by James Doyle. Making the best of his inside draw, the 7-year-old entire stalked Anaerobio (Arg) (Catcher In The Rye {Ire}) as the Mike de Kock trainee set a strong pace



James Doyle searches for the opposition aboard Hunter's Light

DRC/Andrew Watkins

on the rail, while the well-fancied Vercingetorix (SAf) (Silvano {Ger}) travelled in mid-division. Hunter's Light tipped out to the three path coming off the turn and spurred clear to make a Group 1 win look ridiculously easy. The Godolphin

runner crossed the line with 6 1/2 lengths to spare from David Simcock's Trade Storm, who made up a lot of ground in the straight. Johann Strauss, a short-head back in third, was the first home from the de Kock armada, with last year's winner Vercingetorix never looking able to deliver his customary turn of foot. The 6-year-old was later reported to have pulled up lame.

This performance puts Hunter's Light in leading contention for the G1 Dubai Turf (formerly the Dubai Duty Free) over course and distance in three weeks' time.

The Darley homebred has now won three Group 1 races, yesterday's title adding to the G1 Premio Roma in 2012 and the G1 Al Maktoum Challenge Round 3 two years ago. "Saeed [bin Suroor] and the whole team have done a great job with this horse," said winning jockey James Doyle. "He has really bounced back to his best and this was a fantastic effort in what had appeared a very competitive race." Bin Suroor added, "We wanted to win another Group 1 with him so I am obviously delighted."

Hunter's Light becomes the 17th Group/Grade 1 winner for his sire Dubawi.

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Saturday, Meydan, UAE

DUBAI CITY OF GOLD (SPONSORED BY EMIRATES

SKYCARGO)-G2, \$250,000, MEY, 3-7, NH4yo/up & SH3yo/up, 2410mT, 2:32.88, gd.

1--**SKY HUNTER (GB)**, 126, g, 5, by Motivator (GB)

1st Dam: Pearl Kite (GSP-Eng), by Silver Hawk

2nd Dam: Spur Wing, by Storm Bird

3rd Dam: Equal Change, by Arts and Letters

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

J-James Doyle. \$150,000. Lifetime Record:

10-7-0-1, \$581,743. *1/2 to Nayyir (GB) (Indian Ridge {Ire}), MGSW & G1SP-Eng, G1SP-Fr & G1SP-UAE, \$974,960; Highest (Ire) (Selkirk), GSW-UAE & MG1SP-Eng, \$433,991. **Werk Nick Rating: A+.**

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2--**Sheikhzayedroad (GB)**, 126, g, 6, [Dubawi \(Ire\)](#)--Royal Secrets (Ire), by Highest Honor (Fr). O-Mohammed Jaber; B-Rabbah Bloodstock Ltd (GB); T-David Simcock. \$50,000.

3--**Umgiyo (Aus)**, 126, g, 4, [Danehill Dancer \(Ire\)](#)--Celtic Queen (Ire), by Sadler's Wells. (A\$40,000 yrl '12 INGPRES) O-W V Rippon, Mrs W V Rippon, Mike de Kock, G M Grant, C S Haynes, Mohammed Khaleel, A Chadha, Mrs R Chadha, Dr J McVeigh, Mrs AJ McVeigh & Mrs N P Malherbe; B-Linley Investments & David Magnier (Aus); T-Mike de Kock. \$25,000.

Margins: 1 3/4, 3/4, NO. Also Ran: True Story (GB), Cooptado (Arg), Mickdaam (Ire), Zambucca (SAf), Pilote (Ire), Brass Ring (GB), Ayahuasca, Scratched: Songcraft (Ire). [Click for the Racing Post result, AmWest PPs or the free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree. VIDEO.](#)

Third in the 2013 G1 Prix du Jockey Club and winner of the G3 St Simon S. at Newbury last time out, Sky



Sky Hunter

DRC/Andrew Watkins

Hunter made his first start at Meydan a winning one and emulated his half-brother Highest (Ire) (Selkirk) in landing the G2 Dubai City Of Gold. The gelded 5-year-old broke almost too quickly from gate seven and was promptly restrained by James Doyle, who appeared determined to get cover as his mount was

returning from a four-month layoff. **Cont. p20**



Dubai City of Gold S. cont.

With the rail-drawn Cooptado (Arg) (Equal Stripes {Aus}) running to the lead and Brass Ring (GB) (Rail Link {GB}) shadowing him, Doyle was able to sit in fourth position and get Sky Hunter to settle despite the steady pace. The Godolphin colorbearer was angled three wide around the home turn and pushed to the front as Sheikhzayedroad, who had been spotted at the back of the field in the early stages, started delivering his challenge. It took Sky Hunter a few seconds to hit his best stride, but when he did he was soon clear from his rivals and won running away. David Simcock's globetrotter Sheikhzayedroad stayed on gamely in second, while Mike de Kock's Umgioy finished well in third for his first effort over a mile and a half.

"He is a very nice horse and we thought he would run well," said trainer Saeed bin Suroor of the winner. "He was improving last year in England and there is hopefully more to come." Doyle added, "I was pretty confident coming into the race as he has been working so well and he impressed me at Newbury on his last start."

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MAHAB AL SHIMAAL (SPONSORED BY EMIRATES SKYWARDS)-G3, \$200,000, MEY, 3-7, NH & SH
3yo/up, 1200m, 1:12.13, ft.

1--**@#SHAISHEE, 126, g, 5, by Indian Charlie**

1st Dam: Hatpin (SW & MGSP-Can, \$257,897), by Smart Strike

2nd Dam: Lafayette's Lady, by Young Commander

3rd Dam: French Tout, by Tout

(\$325,000 yrl '11 KEESEP). O-Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum; B-Audley Farm (VA); T-Musabab Al Muhairi; J-Silvestre de Sousa. \$120,000. Lifetime Record: 22-4-6-6, \$255,367. *1/2 to Dannhauser (Johannesburg), MSW & GSP-US, \$272,943. **Werk Nick Rating: A. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.**

Sold by **Brookdale** for Audley Farm

2--**United Color, 126, h, 6, Ghostzapper--Silk Candy, by Langfuhr.** (\$10,000 yrl '10 KEESEP). O-Sheikh Ahmed bin Rashid Al Maktoum; B-Adena Springs (KY); T-Dhruba Selvaratnam. \$40,000.

3--**Speed Hawk, 126, c, 4, Henny Hughes--Cosmic Wing, by Halo.** (\$2,000 wIng '11 KEENOV; \$55,000 yrl '12 KEESEP). O-Khalifa Dasmal; B-Santa Rosa Partners (KY); T-Robert Cowell. \$20,000.

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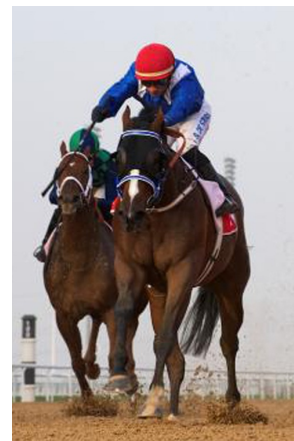
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Margins: 3/4, SHD, 2.

Also Ran: Cool Cowboy, Krypton Factor (GB), Farmah, Nawwaar, Price is Truth, Mashaaref (GB). Scratched: Satwa Story (GB).

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Following a formative period with Charlie Hills in Lambourn, Shaishee flourished in the desert for Musabab Al Muhairi and earned a first black-type placing when third in the Listed Jebel Ali Sprint over five furlongs last March. Enjoying two straight successes over seven and eight furlongs when campaigned here in the winter, the dark bay went on to be fifth in the G2 Al Fahidi Fort over the former trip Jan. 22 before filling the same spot in the G3 Al Shindagha Sprint dropped to this distance Feb. 12. Slowly away when third behind Mashaaref in a handicap over another panel a fortnight later, he broke more professionally this time from his outside post but was soon finding the pace too hot and had only one behind as he began the turn. Responding to pressure to close on Speed Hawk and gain the lead with 100 yards remaining, Shaishee asserted in the drive to the line as United Color found his stride too late.



Shaishee
DRC/Andrew Watkins

The 2012 and 2013 winners of the Mahab Al Shimaal, Krypton Factor (GB) (Kyllachy {GB})--who was fifth here--and Reynaldotthewizard (Speightstown) went on to win the G1 Dubai Golden Shaheen on the Dubai World Cup card, and trainer Musabab Al Muhairi--who won the G3 Burj Nahaar with Tamarkuz (Speightstown) two races later and also won Friday's Listed Jebel Ali Sprint with Muarrab (GB) (Oasis Dream {GB})--said that will be the target for Shaishee.

"He had not been at his very best recently," Al Muhairi explained. "We will have to take Shaishee for the Dubai Golden Shaheen now and Muarrab could also run in that, although we have the option of the [G1] Al Quoz Sprint with him."

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Saturday, Meydan, UAE

BURJ NAHAAR (SPONSORED BY EMIRATES

HOLIDAYS)-G3, \$200,000, MEY, 3-7, NH4yo/up & SH3yo/up, 1600m, 1:37.31, ft.

1--**TAMARKUZ**, 126, h, 5, by [Speightstown](#)

1st Dam: Without You Babe, by Lemon Drop Kid

2nd Dam: Marozia, by Storm Bird

3rd Dam: Make Change, by Roberto

(\$325,000 yrl '11 KEESEP). O-Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum; B-John D Gunther (KY); T-Musabah Al Muhairi; J-Paul Hanagan. \$120,000.

Lifetime Record: 12-6-2-0, \$365,444. **Werk Nick**

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

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2--**Gold City (Ire)**, 126, g, 6, Pivotal (GB)--Storm Lily, by Storm Cat. O-Sheikh Mansoor bin Mohammed Al Maktoum; B-Darley (Ire); T-Satish Seemar. \$40,000.

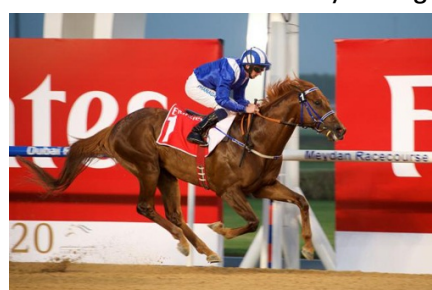
3--**Layl**, 126, h, 5, [Street Cry \(Ire\)](#)--Cymbal (Ire), by Singspiel (Ire). O-Sheikh Hamdan bin Mohammed Al Maktoum; B-Darley (KY); T-Doug Watson. \$20,000.

Margins: 2 3/4, HF, 3/4.

Also Ran: Haatheq, Romansh, Heavy Metal (GB), Not a Given, Genius Boy (GB), Pylon (SAf), Muaanid (GB), Sirius Prospect, Ocean Tempest (GB), Bannock (Ire). Scratched: Plantagenet (Spa).

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Rounding off a spell in the Godolphin blue for Saeed bin Suroor with a Kempton conditions score in October 2013, Tamarkuz suffered a head trauma when getting upset in the stalls ahead of a seven-furlong handicap here last March. Patiently brought back to form by



Tamarkuz
DRC/Andrew Watkins

Musabah Al Muhairi, the chestnut lost ground at the start on his return in another seven-furlong handicap at this venue Jan. 8 and that proved costly despite his highly creditable effort in second. Making no mistake next time with a clean break to win

over a mile a fortnight later, he followed that with a dominant display when making virtually all in the Feb. 12 G3 Firebreak S. and gave no problem in the stalls once again. Enjoying a trouble-free run up the rail near the front, the reformed Tamarkuz coasted to the lead at the top of the stretch and found plenty out in the clear for Paul Hanagan to comfortably hold the closers and continue his upward trajectory. "He has plenty of ability, this horse," said jockey Paul Hanagan. "He has had a few issues with the stalls in the past but seems over those now. It was hard work out there as there was plenty of pace in the race but this horse has a really high cruising speed and carried me to the front. He seems to still be improving."

Tamarkuz's dam is a half-sister to GI Travers S. and GI Cigar Mile winner Stay Thirsty (Bernardini), as well as stakes winners Andromeda's Hero (Fusaichi Pegasus) and Superfly (Fusaichi Pegasus).

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Saturday, Meydan, UAE

MEYDAN SPRINT (SPONSORED BY ARABIAN

ADVENTURES)-G3, \$175,000, MEY, 3-7, NH & SH 3yo/up, 1000mT, :57.10, gd.

1--**@SIR MAXIMILIAN (IRE)**, 126, g, 6, by Royal Applause (GB)

1st Dam: Nebraska Lady (Ire), by Lujain

2nd Dam: Montana Lady (Ire), by Be My Guest

3rd Dam: Invisible Halo, by Halo

(8,000gns RNA wlng '09 TATDEC; £10,000 yrl '10 DONAUG; £68,000 2yo '11 DONAPR; 30,000gns HRA '12 TATHIT; 50,000gns RNA HRA '13 TATHIT; £10,000 RNA HRA '14 GOFLON; 60,000gns RNA HRA '14 TATJUL). O-Paul Wildes; B-Holborn Trust Company (Ire); T-Ian Williams; J-Kieren Fallon. \$105,000. Lifetime Record: MSW & GSP-Ire, 28-7-4-5, \$367,604. **Werk Nick Rating: C**. Click for the [eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree](#).

2--**Ahtoug (GB)**, 126, h, 7, Byron (GB)--Cherokee Rose (Ire), by Dancing Brave. O-Saeed H Al Tayer; B-Darley (GB); T-Charlie Appleby. \$35,000.

3--**Caspar Netscher (GB)**, 126, h, 6, Dutch Art (GB)--Bella Cantata (GB), by Singspiel (Ire). (25,000gns yrl '10 TATOCT; 65,000gns 2yo '11 TATAPR). O-Charles Wentworth; B-Meon Valley Stud (GB); T-David Simcock. \$17,500.

Margins: SHD, HD, 1 1/4.

Also Ran: Lancelot du Lac (Ity), Roi de Vitesse (Ire), Line of Reason (Ire), Banaadeer (Aus), Caspian Prince (Ire), Via Africa (SAf), Rafeej (GB), Fityaan (GB), Sole Power (GB), Monsieur Joe (Ire), Moviesta, High On Life (GB), Extortionist (Ire). Scratched: Mirza (GB), Seachantach.

Click for the [Racing Post result](#) or the [AmWest PPs](#). **VIDEO**.

The connections of Sir Maximilian enjoyed a fruitful campaign with the gelding last season, when he won four of nine outings, including two listed stakes, over this distance in Britain and Ireland. The bay got the year off on a winning note when taking a Chester handicap over Caspian Prince (Ire) (Dylan Thomas {Ire}) in May, and three starts later he landed in the winner's enclosure at The Curragh, once again in handicap company. After finishing seventh, beaten 3 1/4 lengths, in a heritage handicap at Goodwood Aug. 2, Sir Maximilian returned to Ireland to take the Listed Abergwaun S. a week later prior to finishing second in the G3 Flying Five S. Sept. 14. Sir Maximilian was a smart seventh, beaten just 1 3/4 lengths, when stepped up to Group 1 company for the Prix de l'Abbaye on the Arc undercard Oct. 5, and rounded out his campaign with a score in Dundalk's Listed Mercury S. three weeks later. He had found little luck in four outings at the Meydan carnival prior to yesterday, his best finish coming when third behind Ahtoug over this track and trip Jan. 29, and he was most recently fifth when tried over a panel longer in a Feb. 28 handicap.



Meydan Sprint cont.

Biding his time in midpack while Caspian Prince set the tempo yesterday, the bay was beginning to wind up as that rival ducked to the outside passing the halfway point. Last year's GI Nearctic S. winner Caspar Netscher put in a valiant run down the middle of the track in his first start since finishing eighth in the GI Breeders' Cup Turf Sprint, as did Ahtoug, but Sir Maximilian swooped on the outside to nail them on the wire. Jockey Kieren Fallon revealed he didn't get the exact trip he wanted, but it worked out nonetheless. "I was actually held up for the run when I first wanted it," he said. "As things worked out it has probably helped me as I did not want to get to the front too soon. It is great to ride a winner here on Super Saturday and for a trainer with just one horse here."

It was the first win in the UAE for trainer Ian Williams.

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AL BASTIKIYA (SPONSORED BY EMIRATES

SKYWARDS)-Listed, \$250,000, MEY, 3-7, NH & SH 3yo, 1900m, 1:59.08, ft.

1--#MUBTAAHIJ (IRE), 120, c, 3, by [Dubawi \(Ire\)](#)

1st Dam: Pennegale (Ire), by Pennekamp

2nd Dam: Gale Warning (Ire), by Last Tycoon (Ire)

3rd Dam: Gay Apparel, by Up Spirits

(€450,000 yrl '13 ARQAUG). O-Sheikh Mohammed bin Khalifa Al Maktoum; B-Dunmore Stud Ltd (Ire); T-Mike de Kock; J-Dane O'Neill. \$150,000. Lifetime Record: 6-3-1-0, \$261,335. *1/2 to Lily Of The Valley (Fr) (Galileo {Ire}), Co. Ch. 3yo Filly-Eur, G1SW-Fr, \$473,009; Calbuco (Fr) (Kendor {Fr}), SW-Fr, \$576,284.

2--Sir Fever (Uru), 130, c, 3, Texas Fever--Sirina (Arg), by Rainbow Corner (GB). O-Godolphin. \$50,000.

3--Ajwad (Arg), 130, c, 3, Not For Sale (Arg)--Asian Influence, by Pine Bluff. O-Sheikh Mohammed bin Khalifa Al Maktoum. \$25,000.

Margins: 2HF, 10HF, 7HF. Also Ran: Tashbeeh (Aus), Quarterback (Ger), Intenser (Ire). Scratched: High Blade (Brz). [Click for the Racing Post result. VIDEO.](#)

Mubtaahij extended his almost perfect record at this year's Carnival when running 2 1/2 lengths clear of



Mubtaahij
DRC/Andrew Watkins

Uruguayan champion Sir Fever, with their other rivals left trailing over 10 lengths in their wake. Sir Fever made the running on the outside of the other Mike de Kock representative Ajwad, while Mubtaahij sat on the tail of his main rival. As the pace

quickened around the bend and most horses were already under pressure, the Sheikh Mohammed bin Khalifa colorbearer zoomed three wide and overtook the front-running pair in a matter of strides, galloping to his first stakes victory.

It was a fifth win in the race for South African Mike De Kock, who landed this in 2007 with Asiatic Boy (Arg) (Not For Sale {Arg}). The latter remains as the only UAE Triple Crown winner, having previously taken the UAE 2000 Guineas and following up in the UAE Derby.

Mubtaahij failed to make the frame in two starts on British turf as a juvenile, but he has looked an altogether different horse since being switched to Meydan's dirt surface. He opened his account on the final day of 2014 in a maiden and doubled up in a conditions event, already defeating his stablemate Ajwad by five lengths. He only missed by a head to Maftool (Hard Spun) in the G3 UAE 2000 Guineas Feb. 12, and will now target the UAE Derby, run over course and distance on Dubai World Cup day.

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AUSTRALASIAN RESULTS

Saturday, Randwick, Australia

GIRVAN WAUGH RANDWICK GUINEAS-G1,

A\$600,000, RAN, 3-7, 3yo, 8fT, 1:35.06, gd.

1--HALLOWED CROWN (AUS), 125, c, 3, by [Street Sense](#)

1st Dam: Crowned Glory (Aus) (GSW & G1SP-Aus), by Danehill

2nd Dam: Significant Moment (Aus), by Bletchingly (Aus)

3rd Dam: Lady Giselle (Fr), by Nureyev

O-Darley Australia Pty Ltd (Mgr: H B Plumptre) & Gooree Stud (Mgr: E M Cojuangco); B-Gooree Park Stud Party Ltd (Aus); T-Bart & James Cummings; J-Hugh Bowman. A\$360,000. Lifetime Record: 7-6-0-0, A\$1,341,475. *1/2 to Needs Further (Aus)

(Encosta De Lago {Aus}), GSW-Aus. **Werk Nick**

Rating: A+++ *Triple plus*. Click for the

[eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

2--Sweynesse (Aus), 125, c, 3, [Lonhro \(Aus\)](#)--Swansea (Ire), by Singspiel (Ire). O-Godolphin; B-Darley (Aus); T-John O'Shea. A\$120,000.

3--Shooting to Win (Aus), 125, c, 3, Northern Meteor (Aus)--Listen Here (Aus), by Elusive Quality. (A\$160,000 yrl '13 MMGCYS) O-T K Stuckey, Ms P Yan & Ms S Yan; B-Balmoral Operations Pty Ltd (Aus); T-Peter & Paul Snowden. A\$60,000. *Full to Deep Field (Aus), GSW & G1SP-Aus.

Margins: 3/4, SHD. Odds: 1.90, 3.00, 1.50.

Also Ran: Sworn to Silence (NZ), Rhodin Drive (Aus), Preferment (NZ). Scratched: Scissor Kick (Aus), Kermadec (NZ). [Click for the Racing Post result or the free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree. VIDEO.](#)

A winner of the G1 Golden Rose S. last September, Hallowed Crown resumed last start with a strong win over Sweynesse in the G2 Hobartville S. over 1400 meters at Rosehill Feb. 21. Stepping up to the 1600 meters of the G1 Randwick Guineas, the result was the same as Hallowed Crown achieved his second victory at the elite level, highlighting himself as arguably the best 3-year-old colt in the country. Darley purchased a 50% share in the Gooree Park Stud homebred last October, which now looks like a very shrewd investment.



Randwick Guineas cont.

The Bart and James Cummings trainee was sent off the second favorite, as punters preferred G1 Caulfield Guineas winner Shooting To Win despite the result of both their previous encounters in the G1 Golden Rose S. and G2 Hobartville S. Attempting to live up to his



Hallowed Crown
Racing and Sports

name, Shooting To Win was the quickest of the six runners out of the gates and went for the lead while Hallowed Crown, who was drawn on the fence, was held up and angled out by Hugh Bowman to sit on the outside of the front-runner, a couple of lengths ahead of the rest of the field. As the turn was reached and Shooting To Win

appeared to be traveling extremely well under Blake Shinn, Godolphin's Sweynesse--who had settled in last position--charged along the rail and looked as if he would take the race. Hallowed Crown seemed to be slightly struggling, but soon knuckled down impressively to fight off all challengers.

Hallowed Crown has now won six of his seven starts, his only faux pas being a fourth to Brazen Beau (Aus) (I Am Invincible {Aus}) in the 1200 meter G2 Roman Consul S., and boasts earnings in excess of A\$1 million.

"I think he's answered the doubters there," co-trainer James Cummings said. "Does this horse run a mile? He's even better over a mile." Reflecting on how the race unfolded, Cummings Jr. added, "I told Hughie [Bowman] we really wanted to stay off the fence and he was able to do just that. This horse is ranging up on the outside of Shooting To Win, the sparks begin to fly and he just loves it. He's always going to find late. He loves nothing better than to attack the line. He did that, he savaged it and he won again. He's the best 3-year-old in the country."

James Cummings added that the G1 George Ryder S. at Rosehill, Mar. 21, would be next for the colt, before taking on older horses in the G1 Doncaster Mile, a race for which he was elevated to equal favorite after yesterday's victory. The George Ryder S. is shaping out as a strong contest, with Japanese raiders Real Impact (Jpn) (Deep Impact {Jpn}) and World Ace (Jpn) (Deep Impact {Jpn}) among the expected runners, alongside Shooting To Win. Co-trainer Peter Snowden said about the beaten favorite, "He was just a bit keen. He is much better off when he can find a sit, with everything behind him he just wanted to do a bit much too early."

Saturday, Flemington, Australia

AUSTRALIAN GUINEAS-G1, A\$500,000, FLE, 3-7, 3yo, 8fT, 1:35.14, gd.

1--**▲WANDJINA (Aus)**, 125, c, 3, by Snitzel (Aus)
1st Dam: La Bamba (Aus), by Last Tycoon (Ire)
2nd Dam: Party (Aus), by Lunchtime (GB)
3rd Dam: Waltz (Aus), by Adamastor (Fr)
(A\$1,000,000 yrl '13 INGEAS) O-Dr E G T Bateman & Mrs B C Bateman; B-Arrowfield Pastoral Pty Ltd (Aus); T-Gai Waterhouse; J-Brett Prebble.
A\$300,000. Lifetime Record: 12-3-0-1, A\$553,800.
* 1/2 to Provence (Aus) (Redoute's Choice {Aus}), SW-Aus; Lucky Unicorn (Aus) (Redoute's Choice {Aus}), SW-Aus; Inspiration (Aus) (Flying Spur {Aus}), G1SW-HK. **Werk Nick Rating: A+ . Click for the [eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree](#).**

2--**Alpine Eagle (Aus)**, 125, c, 3, High Chaparral (Ire)--Zephyria (NZ), by Zabeel (NZ). (NZ\$240,000 yrl '13 NZBPREM) O-W F O Blass; B-Standard 2080 Ltd (Aus); T-Tony McEvoy. A\$90,000.

3--**Stratum Star (Aus)**, 125, c, 3, Stratum (Aus)--Purely Spectacular (NZ), by Pins (Aus). (A\$165,000 yrl '13 MMGCYS) O-D Davidson, M Krauser, A Davidson, M Davidson, C J Peoples, I Berger, H Kalus, Dr N Siow, M Wolper, A Yeo, S Cheng, Widden Stud Pty Ltd, Balmerino Racing Partnership & The Hankton; B-Widden Stud Australia Pty Ltd (Aus); T-Darren Weir. A\$45,000.

Margins: HD, HF, 3/4. Odds: 7.00, 3.75, 7.00.

Also Ran: Kermadec (NZ), Admiral (Aus), Merion (NZ), Chivalry (Aus), Minnesinger (Aus), Firehouse Rock (Aus), Manapine (Aus), Sweet and Speedy (Aus), Petrology (Aus), Lucky Liberty (Aus), Fontein Ruby (Aus). Scratched: Rommel (Aus), Testashadow (Aus), Rod's Opinion (Aus).

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Australian owners Edmund and Belinda Bateman saw their colors carried on the biggest stage by G1 William Reid S. winner and exciting young dual-hemisphere sire Foxwedge (Aus) back in 2012, and the Batemans are looking at another sire prospect after their A\$1 million Inglis Easter purchase Wandjina justified that price tag with a maiden Group 1 score in the Australian Guineas.



Wandjina
Inglis

A winner at second asking at Warwick Farm a little more than a year ago, Wandjina tried black-type company in the Listed Lonhro Plate and

the G2 Todman S. on this card, finishing fourth in both, and was subsequently spelled. He failed to find the winner's circle during a six-race spring campaign, but did finish third in the G1 Caulfield Guineas before checking in 10th against elders in the 2040 meter G1 Cox Plate. **Cont. p24**



Randwick Guineas cont.

Wheeled back to seven furlongs for his autumn debut, Wandjina scored in the G3 C S Hayes S., and was sent off the joint third choice yesterday. Rushing forward to take command from the break under Brett Prebble, who was stepping in for the suspended Damien Oliver, Wandjina ran them off their feet and had just enough left in the tank to hold off the fast-finishing second choice Alpine Eagle. "Obviously Damien did all the work on him and he was unlucky he couldn't get off his suspension, but it was my gain," Prebble said. "He's tough and he's fit and Gai said 'make your own luck, go the front on him.'"

Wandjina is a half-brother to the G1 Hong Kong Sprint winner Inspiration (Aus) (Flying Spur {Aus}). Their half-brother by Manhattan Rain (Aus) will be offered at this year's Inglis Easter sale.

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Saturday, Randwick, Australia

CANTERBURY S.-G1, A\$500,000, RAN, 3-7, 3yo/up, 6 1/2fT, 1:15.17, gd.

1--**COSMIC ENDEAVOUR (AUS)**, 126, f, 4, by Northern Meteor (Aus)

1st Dam: Crevette (Aus) (MSW & GSP-Aus), by Danehill

2nd Dam: Twiglet (Aus), by Twig Moss (Fr)

3rd Dam: Extradite (Aus), by Bletchingly (Aus)

(A\$230,000 yrl '12 INGEAS). O-D C Kelly & Mrs J R Kelly; B-Mrs C B Remond (Aus); T-Gai Waterhouse; J-James McDonald. A\$300,000. Lifetime Record: 16-7-2-1, A\$1,414,280. **Werk Nick Rating: A+++**

Triple plus. Click for the

[eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree](#).

2--**Catkins (Aus)**, 126, m, 5, [Dubawi \(Ire\)](#)--Salix Caprea (Aus), by Catbird (Aus). (A\$85,000 yrl '11 MMGDCO) O-Ingham Racing (Mgrs: Ms L J Ingham, J A Ingham, R C Ingham & Mrs D N Kepitis); B-O J Carter (Aus); T-Chris Waller. A\$100,000.

3--**Criterion (NZ)**, 130, c, 4, Sebring (Aus)--Mica's Pride (Aus) (GSW-Aus), by Bite the Bullet. O-Sir O G Glenn; B-Go Bloodstock New Zealand Ltd (NZ); T-David Hayes & Tom Dabernig. A\$50,000. *1/2 to Silently (Aus) (Anabaa) SW-Aus, 1/2 to Varena Miss (Aus) (Redoute's Choice {Aus}), GSW-Aus.

Margins: HF, 3/4. Odds: 2.25, 3.50, 11.00.

Also Ran: Hooked (Aus), Sacred Falls (NZ), Leebaz (NZ), Royal Descent (Aus), Tiger Tees (NZ). Scratched: Fontelina (Aus). Click for the [Racing Post result](#) or the [free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree](#). [VIDEO](#).



Cosmic Endeavour
Racing and Sports

Victorious in the G1 Tattersall's Tiara S. on her final start of her 3-year-old campaign, Cosmic Endeavour had been a beaten favorite in both her outings this season, finishing fourth and then second in a pair of Group 3 events, including the G3 Guy Walter S. at Warwick Farm last Saturday.

However, punters as well as trainer Gai Waterhouse kept their faith in the 4-year-old mare and were duly rewarded with an all-the-way victory in the G1 Canterbury S. The bay broke alertly from post one and took control under James McDonald, while Chris Waller's multiple group winner Catkins was niggled along to keep track in fourth.

Cosmic Endeavour quickened sharply entering the straight and had three lengths to spare at the 200-meter mark. That margin was gradually reduced as Catkins produced an impressive late run and Criterion also made progress on the fence, yet the leader never looked in danger and scored comfortably by a half length. "I thought about it last Saturday night, I was out to dinner and I started to think, 'the Canterbury S. is such a winnable race when you've got a mare like this has just hit her hobbles,'" said Waterhouse, who notched four wins on the Randwick card. "All this week, every single day she kept improving and it was a joy just to see her and she has beaten the boys before, and I just knew she was cherry ripe and this was the time to run her." Waterhouse indicated that the G1 Doncaster Mile on day one of The Championships, Apr. 4, would be next for her charge.

Cosmic Endeavour was a A\$230,000 purchase at the 2012 Inglis Easter Yearling sale, and has a So You Think (NZ) half-brother catalogued for this year's renewal ([lot 345](#)). Their dam is a full-sister to dual Horse of the Year in Hong Kong, Fairy King Prawn (Aus) (Danehill).

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Saturday, Ellerslie, New Zealand

HAUNUI FARM DIAMOND S.-G1, NZ\$200,000, ELL, 3-7, 2yo, 6fT, 1:10.66, gd.

1--**▲@DAL CIELO (NZ)**, 125, c, 2, by Per Incanto

1st Dam: Cent From Heaven (NZ) (SP-Aus), by Centaine (Aus)

2nd Dam: Logical Miss (NZ), by Sound Reason

3rd Dam: Ciquita (NZ), by Oncidium (GB)

(NZ\$95,000 yrl '14 NZBSEL) O-JML Bloodstock Ltd & Homebush Partnership No 5 Syndicate; B-Little Avondale Trust (NZ); T-Murray Baker & Andrew Forsman; J-Opie Bosson. NZ\$120,000. Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-1, NZ\$222,500. *1/2 to Eloa (NZ) (Volksraad {GB}), MGSW-NZ & SW-Aus. **Werk Nick Rating: F**. Click for the [eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree](#).

2--**Battle Time (NZ)**, 125, c, 2, Battle Paint--Lady of Oakview (NZ), by Diamond Express (NZ). O/B-A D Hayward (NZ); T-Tim & Margaret Carter. NZ\$39,000.

3--**Rocanto (NZ)**, 125, c, 2, Per Incanto--Romantic Liaisons (NZ), by Danasinga (Aus). (NZ\$66,000 RNA wnl '13 NZBMIX; NZ\$22,000 RNA yrl '14 NZBFEST). O-Kenneth Lau; B-Justice Goddard (NZ); T-Stephen Marsh. NZ\$19,000.

Margins: 1 1/4, 3/4, SNK. Odds: 3.00, 42.00, 5.70.

Also Ran: Marky Mark (Aus), Strata Lady (NZ), Gotham (Aus), Link Road (NZ), Serena Miss (NZ), Magic Dancer (NZ).

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Saturday, Ellerslie, New Zealand

RONALD MCDONALD HOUSE CHARITIES NEW

ZEALAND S.-G1, NZ\$200,000, ELL, 3-7, 3yo/up, 10fT, 2:06.03, gd.

1--▲**SAKHEE'S SOLDIER** (NZ), 130, g, 4, by Sakhee's Secret (GB)

1st Dam: Surreptitious (GB), by Machiavellian

2nd Dam: Nadma, by Northern Dancer

3rd Dam: Beaconsaire, by Vaguely Noble (Ire)

O-A R Chisholm, A Egan, N Egan, S Egan, G Lamperd

& M McKernan; B-The Oaks Stud (NZ); T-Murray

Baker & Andrew Forsman; J-Matthew Cameron.

NZ\$120,000. Lifetime Record: 15-8-1-4,

NZ\$285,575. **Werk Nick Rating: D. Click for the**

[eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

2--**Rising Romance** (NZ), 126, f, 4, Ekraar--Post

Romance (NZ), by Postponed. O-John Carter, Brian

Carter & Ross Powell; B-Carter Bloodstock Ltd (NZ);

T-Donna Logan. NZ\$39,000.

3--**Farm Boy** (NZ), 130, g, 4, El Hermano (NZ)--Lady of

Oakview (NZ), by Diamond Express (NZ). O/B-A D

Hayward (NZ); T-Tim & Margaret Carter. NZ\$19,000.

Margins: NO, LHD. Odds: 6.90, 0.60, 14.20.

Also Ran: Lauren Tate (NZ), Fast Dragon (Aus),

Iamishwara (NZ), Shuka (NZ), Soriano (NZ), Delago's

Secret (Aus). **Click for the [Racing Post result](#) or the [free](#)**

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RISING STAR BACK TO SLIPPER FAVORITISM

'**TDN Rising Star**' **Vancouver** (Aus) (Medaglia d'Oro) was promoted once again to the top of the betting market for the Mar. 21 G1 Golden Slipper after running away with yesterday's G2 Todman S. at Randwick, a traditional Slipper lead-up race for colts. Racing on near even terms with Godolphin's **Furnaces** (Aus) (Exceed



Gai Waterhouse enjoyed a Group 1 and Group 2 double yesterday

and Excel {Aus}) with former Slipper favorite **Headwater** (Aus) (Exceed and Excel {Aus}) to his outside, Vancouver grabbed the lead passing the 300 meter mark and drew away to score by almost 3 1/2 lengths from Furnaces, with Headwater another two lengths back in third. Vancouver is now the 2-1 favorite for the Slipper, while Furnaces and Headwater both dropped to 10-1. Another '**TDN Rising Star**', Godolphin's **Ottoman** (Aus) (Exceed and Excel {Aus}), sits at 16-1 in the betting after finishing second after traveling wide in the G2 Reisling S. for fillies one race earlier.

Vancouver's victory was part of a big day for trainer Gai Waterhouse: she took both Slipper preps--with **English** (Aus) (Encosta de Lago {Aus}) winning the Reisling, and won Group 1s on two sides of the country: the Canterbury S. at Randwick with **Cosmic Endeavour** (Aus) (Northern Meteor {Aus}) and the Australian Guineas at Flemington with **Wandjina** (Aus) (Snitzel {Aus}). Waterhouse also saddled yesterday's Listed Fireball S. winner **Nayeli** (Aus) (More Than Ready).

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STONESTREET RUNNER WINS DOWN UNDER

The 2013 G1 Blue Diamond S. winner **Miracles of Life** (Aus) (Not A Single Doubt {Aus}), making her third start since being purchased by Stonestreet Stables for A\$900,000 at last year's Magic Millions National Broodmare Sale, won her second group race as a



Miracles of Life

Racing and Sports

4-year-old and fourth overall when taking yesterday's G2 Challenge S. at Randwick. Racing in midpack one slot behind '**TDN Rising Star**' **Rubick** (Aus) (Encosta de Lago {Aus}) into the bend, the blaze-faced chestnut worked her

way to the lead on the outside in midstretch and drew away to win by almost 2 1/2 lengths. Rubick was hampered by traffic in the lane and put in a late run to be third.

"She's a lovely mare, we were very confident first up last preparation at Caulfield, they just didn't have the pace to cross her," said jockey Hugh Bowman, who was riding for co-trainers Peter and Paul Snowden.

"Today it was always going to be a fast run 1000 meter race--that gave her the opportunity fresh to sit back off them."

He added, "She exceeded my expectations today--I didn't expect her to come off that pace and let down the way she did."

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JAPANESE RESULTS

Saturday, Nakayama, Japan

YUKAN FUJI SHO OCEAN S.-G3, ¥76,860,000, Nakayama, 3-7, 4yo/up, 1200mT, 1:08.70, gd.

1--**SAKURA GOSPEL** (Jpn), 123, h, 7, by Sakura President (Jpn)

1st Dam: Sakura Blues (Jpn), by Cure the Blues

2nd Dam: Slew Princess, by Seattle Slew

3rd Dam: Lillian Russell, by Prince John

O-Sakura Commers; B-Yamada Bokujo; T-Tomohito

Ozeki; J-Keita Tosaki. ¥40,602,000. Lifetime Record:

27-8-3-0. **Werk Nick Rating: D. Click for the**

[eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

2--**Hakusan Moon** (Jpn), 126, h, 5, Admire Moon (Jpn)--

Ciliege (Jpn), by Sakura Bakushin-Oh (Jpn).

(¥50,000,000 wnl '09 JRHAJUL) O-Goichi Kawasaki;

B-Shirai Farm. ¥16,172,000.

3--**Beste Geschenk** (Jpn), 123, h, 5, Deep Impact (Jpn)--

Souvenir Gift, by Souvenir Copy. O-Katsumi Yoshida;

B-Northern Farm. ¥10,086,000.

Margins: 3/4, NK, 3/4. Odds: 12.30, 3.10, 6.10.

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Japanese Results cont.

Saturday, Hanshin, Japan

TULIP SHO-G3, ¥65,860,000, Hanshin, 3-7, 3yo, f, 1600mT, 1:37.70, sf.

1--**KOKORONO AI (JPN)**, 119, f, 3, by Stay Gold (Jpn)

1st Dam: Beauty Song (Jpn), by Danehill

2nd Dam: Max Jolly (Jpn), by Real Shadai

3rd Dam: Max Beauty (Jpn), by Bravest Roman

O/B-Sakai Farm; T-Tomohito Ozeki; J-Norihiro

Yokoyama. ¥34,602,000. Lifetime Record: G1SP-

Jpn, 5-3-1-1. **Werk Nick Rating: A.** [Click for the](#)

[eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

2--**Andriette (Jpn)**, 119, f, 3, Deep Impact (Jpn)--

Unabashed Charm, by Silver Deputy. O-Kazuhiko

Nagata; B-Morinaga Bokujo. ¥14,172,000.

3--**Let's Go Donki (Jpn)**, 119, f, 3, King Kamehameha

(Jpn)--Marutoku (Jpn), by Marvelous Sunday (Jpn).

O-Toshihiro Hirosaki; B-Shimizu Bokujo. ¥8,586,000.

Margins: 1 1/4, 3/4, 2. Odds: 7.20, 14.20, 2.80.

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GOSSAMER SEED, 7, Choisir (Aus)--Light and Airy

(GB), by Linamix (Fr)

Foal born Feb. 9, a colt by Nathaniel (Ire).

Will be bred back to Nathaniel (Ire).

Owned and boarded at Newsells Park Stud.

Accomplishments: GSW-Ire, \$119,862.

SILVER SCREAMER, 7, Cozzene--West Sider, by Gone West

Foal born Feb. 9, a filly by Tapit.

Will be bred back to Pioneerof the Nile.

Owned and boarded at River Bend Farm.

Accomplishments: GSW, \$314,245.

DEAR LAVINIA, 6, Grand Slam--Baroness Richter (Ire), by Montjeu (Ire)

Foal born Feb. 10, a colt by Oasis Dream (GB).

Will be bred back to Mount Nelson (GB).

Owned and boarded at Newsells Park Stud.

Accomplishments: SW-Fr, \$102,886.

BSHARPSONATA, 10, Pulpit--Apasionata Sonata, by Affirmed

Foal born Feb. 11, a filly by Tiznow.

Will be bred back to Declaration of War.

Owned by Woodford Thoroughbreds.

Boarded at Woodford Thoroughbreds Kentucky.

Accomplishments: MGSW & MGISP, \$595,010.

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Florida

Yesterday's Results:

CHALLENGER S., \$60,000, TAM, 3-7, 4yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:42 4/5, ft.

1--**GENERAL A ROD**, 116, c, 4, **Roman Ruler**--Dynamite Eyes, by Dynaformer. (\$100,000 yrl '12 FTKJUL; \$72,000 yrl '12 FTKOCT). O-Skychai Racing LLC & Starlight Racing; B-Hare Forest Farm (KY); T-Todd A Pletcher; J-John R Velazquez. \$36,000. Lifetime Record: GISP, 10-3-2-1, \$445,400.

EATON SALES **SOLD**

2--**Old Time Hockey**, 116, g, 6, Smarty Jones--Grat, by A.P. Indy. O-Glen Hill Farm. \$12,000.

3--**Neck 'n Neck**, 116, h, 6, Flower Alley--Bootery, by Storm Boot. O-A Stevens Miles Jr. \$6,000.

Margins: 6 1/4, NK, 2. Odds: 1.80, 4.40, 9.10.

General A Rod, who was second in the GII Fountain of Youth S. in February of 2014 and third in the GI Besilu Stables Florida Derby a month later for previous owner J Armando Rodriguez, was purchased privately by Starlight Stables and Skychai Racing prior to running 11th in the GI Kentucky Derby. Fourth in California Chrome (Lucky Pulpit)'s GI Preakness S. and seventh in the GI Belmont S. after a wide trip, the dark bay was shelved for the rest of 2014. He opened his 4-year-old season with a fourth in a Gulfstream optional claimer going seven furlongs Jan. 14 in his final start before being transferred from Mike Maker to Todd Pletcher. Away in good order, the 4-year-old settled in the wake of the leaders against the rail, but soon shifted out into third for the backstretch run. Revved up by pilot John Velazquez circling the turn, General A Rod strolled away down the lane to win as he pleased. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.](#)**

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5th-GPX, \$44,000, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$62,500), C, 4yo/up, 1 7/16mT, 2:20 1/5, fm.

BIZ THE NURSE (Ire) (h, 5, Oratorio {Ire}--Biz Bar {GB} {SW-Ity, \$115,210}, by Tobougg {Ire}) began his career campaigning in Italy under the care of trainer Stefano Botti. Winner of five of his first six starts, he annexed the G1 Gran Premio di Milano, the G2 Derby Italiano and the G2 Premio Federico Tesio as a sophomore. The bay added three more Group 1 placings through June of 2014, and closed out his season with a second and a third behind Dylan Mouth (Dylan Thomas {Ire}) in the Sept. 21 Tesio and Oct. 19 G1 Gran Premio del Jockey Club, respectively. Privately purchased from owner Scuderia Aleali, the Irish-bred was transferred to trainer Tom Albertrani and showed a steady string of works at Palm Meadows in preparation for this American unveiling. Tabbed as the 2-1 second choice, Biz the Nurse bided his time toward the rear of the pack through six furlongs in 1:12.48. Moving closer from the four path on the far turn, the 5-year-old kicked clear in mid-stretch and ran off to a 1 3/4-length score. Desvelo (Arg) (Sunray Spirit) was second best. The winner is a half to Misterious Boy (Ire) (Arcano {Ire}), GSW-Ity. Lifetime Record: GISW-Ity, 12-6-3-2, \$900,808. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.](#)**

O-John D'Amato. B-Massimo Parri (IRE). T-Thomas Albertrani.

7th-TAM, \$25,600, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$16,000), NW1X, 4yo/up, 7f, 1:22 3/5, ft.

SONGSATIONAL (c, 4, Unbridled's Song--Grandmas' Girl, by Miesque's Son), a track and trip debut winner Jan. 28, was bet down to 3-5 favoritism from a 9-5 morning line. The dark bay pressed the pace three wide through the opening salvos, but soon dropped back to stalk the leaders turning for home. Unleashed four paths off the rail in upper stretch, he powered into contention up the center of the track and out-dueled a stubborn Lake Drive South (Pomeroy) in a blanket finish to win by a half-length. The winner's second dam was produced by multiple Canadian champion Northernette (Northern Dancer), who is out of South Ocean (New Providence), dam of Storm Bird (Northern Dancer). Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$26,250. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.](#)** O-John Fielding & Frederick Hertrich III. B-Fred W Hertrich III, John D Fielding & Unbridled's Song Syndicate (KY). T-Thomas F Proctor.

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7th-GPX, \$40,000, Msw, 3yo, 1m, 1:37 1/5, ft.

UNBRIDLED JUAN, c, 3, Unbridled's Song

1st Dam: Sugar Swirl (MGSW & GISP, \$795,458), by Touch Gold

2nd Dam: Astrapi, by Distinctive Pro

3rd Dam: Scotch N' Sound, by Bombay Duck

Unbridled Juan, third on debut going six panels here Feb. 7, breezed a best-of-40 half-mile at Palm Meadows in :47 3/5 Mar. 2 and was sent off as the 3-1 second choice here. Bounced around in mid-pack early, the gray tracked from a two-wide fourth off of moderate opening fractions. Seizing command from heavily



Unbridled Juan
Leslie Martin

favored Wisecracker (Distorted Humor) approaching the far turn, Unbridled Juan effortlessly powered clear of that rival in the lane to win by seven lengths going away. Wisecracker, who was highly regarded after finishing second to next-out allowance winner and 'TDN Rising Star' Khozan (Distorted

Humor), finished 10 lengths clear of third-place finisher Seeking Alpha (Medaglia d'Oro). It was the third win on the card for jockey Luis Saez, who also took the GII Swale S. aboard Ready for Rye (City Zip). Ulysses (Street Cry {Ire}), a half-brother to MGISW Tizway (Tiznow), was bumped at the break and pressed the pace early, but began to fade at the half and was pulled up in the lane. Adena Springs also bred and raced Unbridleds Juan's three-time graded stakes-winning dam Sugar Swirl, who produced a filly by Hat Trick (Jpn) in 2013 and a colt by Bernardini in 2014. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$27,200. **Click for the [brisnet.com](http://www.brisnet.com) chart, the [free brisnet.com](http://www.brisnet.com) catalogue-style pedigree, or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

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

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12th-GPX, \$40,000, Msw, 3yo, 7 1/2fT, 1:28 2/5, fm. FORCE THE PASS (c, 3, [Speightstown](http://www.brisnet.com)--Social Queen {MGSW, \$344,164}, by Dynaformer), closed well to be second over course and distance when unveiled Feb. 14 and was even-money to go one better in this second attempt. The chestnut battled for the lead from the outside, but was soon swamped by runners to his outside and dropped back to fourth. Full of run, but with nowhere to go, Force the Pass came off the inside to confront Weekend Express (Any Given Saturday) in upper stretch, and defeated that foe by a comfortable length. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$32,000. **Click for the [brisnet.com](http://www.brisnet.com) chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton. O-Richard Santulli. B-Colts Neck Stables LLC (KY). T-Alan E Goldberg.**

LAMBHOLM SOUTH Training Graduate

2nd-GPX, \$40,000, Msw, 3yo, 1 3/16mT, 1:53 2/5 (NCR), fm.

OCEAN TELEGRAPH (c, 3, [Street Cry {Ire}](http://www.brisnet.com)--Sea Chanter {GSW & GISP, \$506,188}, by War Chant), a distant 10th behind GII Fountain of Youth S. winner Itsaknockout (Lemon Drop Kid) when unveiled here Dec. 7, faded to fifth after pressing the pace when stretched out to 1 1/16 miles behind 'TDN Rising Star' J S Bach (Tale of the Cat) to open his sophomore season Jan. 17. Last of 12 after stumbling at the start when cutting back to a mile Feb. 7, the Godolphin homebred took charge from the bell and soon secured a rail trip for his first grass appearance. The 9-1 chance doled out reasonable fractions while mildly pressed by 4-5 favorite Tapkee (Tapit), and had that one to contend with to his outside after six furlongs in 1:12.92. Ocean Telegraph found another gear down the stretch, however, and graduated by 2 1/4 lengths over that rival in course record time to become trainer Tom Albertrani's first winner after 60 losses at this meet. Albertrani celebrated win number two with Biz The Nurse (Ire) (Oratorio {Ire}) in race five and added the GII Swale S. with Ready for Rye (City Zip) in race six. The winner is a half-brother to 2-year-old filly Seafire (Ire) (Lonhro {Aus}) and counts influential GISW Dance Number (Northern Dancer) as his fourth dam. Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-0, \$25,160. **Click for the [brisnet.com](http://www.brisnet.com) chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton. O-Godolphin Racing LLC. B-Darley (KY). T-Thomas Albertrani.**

8th-GPX, \$40,000, Msw, 3yo, 5 1/2f, 1:05 1/5, ft. + CHIPIT (c, 3, [Tapit](http://www.brisnet.com)--Chiloe, by Awesome Again), backed at 2-1 for these always-dangerous connections, broke slowly and was ridden along to take up a mid-pack spot. He came off the rail to overtake a rival along the bend, and returned to the inside to bide his time behind the top flight while clearly ready to roll. Forcing his way through a seam at the top of the lane, the dark bay out-dued Fitzgerald (Elusive Quality) in the run to the line to score by 3/4 of a length. Sales history: \$250,000 yrl '13 KEESEP; \$345,000 RNA 2yo '14 FTFMAR; \$300,000 2yo '14 FTMMAY. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$24,000. **Click for the [brisnet.com](http://www.brisnet.com) chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton. O-Alto Racing LLC. B-Winchell Thoroughbreds LLC (KY). T-Todd A Pletcher.**

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TODAY'S INSIGHTS

12th-GP, \$45K, Msw, 3yo, f, 71/2ft, 6:00 p.m. ET

Richard Santulli homebred **BRIDE TO BE** ([Candy Ride](#) {[Arg](#)}) debuts here for Alan Goldberg. The dark bay is out of Grade II winner Cat Chat (Storm Cat), making her a half to GISW In Lingerie (Empire Maker). Her second dam is champion 2-year-old filly Phone Chatter (Phone Trick), who was also responsible for the dam of GISW Dixie Chatter (Dixie Union). StarLadies Racing's **Pointe Class** ([Arch](#)), a \$250,000 KEESEP yearling, is out of GSW Golden Marlin (Marlin); while Shel Evans's **Tennessee Whiskey** ([Smart Strike](#)) is a daughter of Grade III-winning turfer Dance Away Capote (Capote) from the family of Horse of the Year Skip Away (Skip Trial). Earle Mack's **Proudly We Hail** ([Malibu Moon](#)) is the first foal to race out of Grade III-winning fellow Graham Motion trainee Lady Digby (Grand Slam). [Brisnet.com PPs](#)



Thanks to Gail Earle from South Carolina who sent us these pictures of **Prospect Point** (First Dawn--Our Vivian, by *Tronado). A winner of seven of 72 career starts over six seasons, Prospect Point celebrated his 37th birthday this past Wednesday, Mar. 4. His "legs are a bit wobbly" and he "lost a tooth in his feed tub the other day," but is otherwise healthy, Earle reports. Is he the oldest Thoroughbred in America? Let us know.



New York

Yesterday's Results:

CAT CAY S., \$100,000, AQU, 3-7, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:47, my.

1--**#SHAYJOLIE**, 116, f, 4, Indian Charlie--School for Scandal (SP, \$146,447), by Is It True. (\$150,000 2yo '13 FTMMAY). O-Sean Shay; B-Peachtree Stable (KY); T-Gary C Contessa; J-Sheldon Russell. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: GSP, 12-3-4-0, \$309,943. *1/2 to Mythical Power (Congaree), MGSW, \$821,529.

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2--**Holiday's Jewel**, 116, m, 6, Harlan's Holiday--Denali Red, by Crafty Prospector. (\$75,000 yrl '10 KEESEP). O-Sunny Meadow Farm. \$20,000.

3--**Storied Lady**, 116, f, 4, Read the Footnotes--Wide Barrel, by Broad Brush. (\$5,000 RNA yrl '12 FTMOCT). O-Tri County Stables. \$10,000.

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Margins: 3/4, 5HF, NK. Odds: 2.45, 6.90, 1.60.

Shayjolie closed out last term with runner-up finishes in both Laurel's Safely Kept S. Nov. 15 and this venue's GIII Comely S. Nov. 29. Kicking off this term with a fourth in the track-and-trip Affectionately S.

Jan. 1, the bay filled that spot again in the Ladies H.

over this strip Feb. 6 and was sixth last time in Laurel's 1 1/8-mile Maryland Racing Media S. Feb. 14. Installed as the third choice in this field of six, Shayjolie broke sharply and tracked from a close third as the leaders loped along through soft early splits. Ranging up to turn up the heat from second, the bay entered into a duel with the pacesetter in early stretch and shrugged off that rival in the final furlong to give her pilot Sheldon Russell his 1,000th win. "Honestly, I was not going to run her this month," winning trainer Gary Contessa remarked. "But just like in any sport, you can call an audible at any time. I saw how this race was shaping up, and I thought, 'I need to be in it. She needs to be a stakes winner.'" Russell added, "It was a great trip, and a nice horse to get my 1,000th win on. I know [her connections] were very confident going into the race, I'm just glad she ran up to expectations." [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#), sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.



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Sunday, Aqueduct, post time: 2:18 p.m. EST

JIMMY WINKFIELD S., \$100,000, 3yo, 6f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	Lord Commander	Giant's Causeway	I Ortiz	Pletcher	5-2
2	Possessed	Posse	W Garcia	Baker	20-1
3	Regal Minister	Posse	Alvarado	Hennig	8-1
4	Joe Franklin	Bernstein	CC Lopez	Breen	6-1
5	Majestic Affair	Majesticperfection	Carmouche	Brown	4-5
6	Ackeret	Mach Ride	J Ortiz	Rodriguez	12-1

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Central U.S.

Yesterday's Results:

HOT SPRINGS S., \$100,000, OPX, 3-7, 4yo/up, 6f, 1:09 3/5, ft.

1--**GENTLEMEN'S BET**, 115, h, 6, Half Ours--Lady of Sun, by Gentlemen (Arg). O-Harry T Rosenblum; B-Juvenal Diaz (FL); T-Ron Moquett; J-Ramon A Vazquez. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: MGISP, 11-6-0-4, \$483,200.

2--**Ivan Fallunovalot**, 122, g, 5, Valid Expectations--Flashdance Missy, by Horse Chestnut (SAf). O-Lewis E Mathews Jr. \$20,000.

3--**Apprehender**, 116, g, 6, Posse--Missy's Mirage, by Stop the Music. (\$21,000 yrl '10 KEESEP). O-Dream Farm LLC. \$10,000.

Margins: 1 1/4, 5 1/4, 2 1/4. Odds: 5.10, 0.60, 7.10.

Gentlemen's Bet ran third in the 2013 Alfred G. Vanderbilt H. at the Spa and dropped to fourth in Keeneland's all-weather GIII Phoenix S. in October of that year. He ended his season with another third, this time in the GI Breeders' Cup Sprint at Santa Anita and was not seen again until returning from a 15-month plus layoff when completing the trifecta in a track-and-trip optional claimer Feb. 14. The 6-year-old tracked the leader in second through the early furlongs. He rallied into contention circling the bend and clawed past Ivan Fallunovalot in late stretch to return to the winner's circle. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton](#).

ALLEN LACOMBE MEMORIAL S., \$60,000, FGX, 3-7, 3yo, f, a7 1/2fT, 1:29 4/5, fm.

1--**#MIZZ MONEY**, 118, f, 3, by [Mizzen Mast](#)

1st Dam: Abbeyville Miss, by Grand Slam

2nd Dam: Skye Castles, by Sky Classic

3rd Dam: My Sea Castles, by Polish Navy

O-LTB Inc & Hillerich Racing LLC; B-Bernie Flint, Ron Hillerich & LTB Inc (KY); T-Bernard S Flint; J-Francisco C Torres. \$36,000.

Lifetime Record: 5-3-0-1, \$84,434.

2--**Divine Dawn**, 118, f, 3, [Divine Park](#)--Seattle Grey, by Friends Lake. (\$50,000 yrl '13 KEESEP). O-Tommy G Lignon & Michael Pressley. \$12,000.

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3--**Happy to Go**, 116, f, 3, Saint Anddan--Arctic Dove, by Dove Hunt. (\$8,000 wlng '12 OBSOCT; \$8,000 yrl '13 OBSAUG). O-Raul Bahena. \$6,000.

Margins: HD, 2, HD. Odds: 4.10, 1.40, 13.20.

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Mizz Money was seventh in her career debut for this barn going 4 1/2 furlongs at Churchill Downs June 22, and improved to third in a five-panel event at Indiana Downs when transferred to the care of Jeff Greenhill July 9. Put on the shelf for the remainder of her juvenile season, the homebred returned to annex a 5 1/2-panel turf test Jan. 19 with Bobby Barnett listed as her third trainer in as many starts. Rejoining the Flint barn, she wired the field in a trip-and-surface score Feb. 8. Taking moderate public support for this stakes debut, the grey tracked the pace along the rail through a half-mile in :46.79 and shifted out turning for home. Favored Divine Dawn held a sizeable advantage in mid-stretch, but Mizz Money launched a prolonged rally to catch that foe in the final strides to register a narrow victory. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton](#).

7th-OPX, \$64,000, Msw, 3yo, 1 1/16m, 1:47, ft.
RAAGHEB (c, 3, [Street Cry {Ire}](#)--Mostaqeleh {GSP-Fr}, by Rahy), ninth in his career bow sprinting at Churchill Downs Nov. 29, faded to 11th next out going six panels at Oaklawn Jan. 17. A much-improved second when stretched out to 1 1/16 miles in the slop here Feb. 21, he was disqualified and placed ninth after a claim of foul for interference in the second turn. Let go at 5-1, the bay bided his time in sixth off slow early splits of :24 and :48.59. Closing in, but stuck in traffic turning for home, Raagheb was swung out to the center of the track and powered clear late to win by 2 3/4 lengths over All About Ashley (Colonel John). The winner is a half to Nawwaar (Distorted Humor), SW-UAE, \$236,946. Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-0, \$39,009. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton](#).

O/B-Shadwell Stable (KY). T-Daniel C Peitz.

Friday Night's Results:

9th-TPX, \$19,510, Alw, NW3L, 4yo/up, 6f (AWT), 1:12 3/5, ft.

PABLO DEL MONTE (c, 4, [Giant's Causeway](#)--One Hot Wish, by Bring the Heat) won his first two career starts on the synthetic track at Keeneland as a juvenile, and added a third-place finish over that same surface in the nine-furlong GI Blue Grass S. last April. The chestnut subsequently set the pace and tired to sixth in the wake of California Chrome (Lucky Pulpit) in the GI Preakness S. at Pimlico. Turned back to six furlongs over Del Mar's Polytrack in the GI Bing Crosby S. in July, the colt checked in sixth--his final appearance of the term. Hammered down to 1-5 favoritism for this return to the races, Pablo del Monte broke alertly and ceded the early lead to Smoking Romance (Smoke Glacken) through a half-mile in :46.14. The colt gained a narrow lead in mid-stretch and held off a late rush from Divine Thunder (Divine Park) to prevail by a nose. Lifetime Record: GISP, 9-3-0-2, \$167,630. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton](#). O-Mrs John Magnier, Michael Tabor & Derrick Smith. B/T-Wesley A Ward (FL).



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California

Yesterday's Results:

CHINA DOLL S., \$91,650, SAX, 3-7, 3yo, f, 1mT, 1:35, fm.

1--**SINGING KITTY**, 122, f, 3, by **Ministers Wild Cat**

1st Dam: **Natural Singer R N**, by **Unbridled's Song**

2nd Dam: **Instinct**, by **Thunder Gulch**

3rd Dam: **Wendy's Ten**, by **Tentam**

O-Chris Aulds & Peter Jeong; B-Tommy Town Thoroughbreds LLC (CA); T-Matthew Chew; J-Aaron T Gryder. \$59,940. Lifetime Record: 8-4-0-0, \$235,378.

2--**Curlin's Fox**, 118, f, 3, **Curlin**--**Foxysox** (GB), by **Foxhound**. O-Warren B Williamson. \$15,480.

3--**She's a Big Winner**, 117, f, 3, **Bellamy Road**--**I'm Surprised**, by **Ghostzapper**. (\$42,000 RNA wlng '12 KEENOV; \$11,000 yrl '13 KEESEP; \$80,000 2yo 2014 FTMMAY). O-Sharon Alesia, Ciaglia Racing LLC, Rob Dyrdek & Robin Christianson. \$9,288. Margins: 1HF, NO, 3HF. Odds: 19.80, 1.00, 3.40.

Singing Kitty was claimed from Tommy Town Thoroughbreds and trainer Steven Miyadi for \$32,000 following a victory going six furlongs on the dirt at Los Alamitos Dec. 11. Fading to seventh next time out when switched to the turf for the one-mile Blue Norther S. here Jan. 1, the bay returned to her winning ways in the course-and-distance California Cup Oaks against state-breds Jan. 24. Let go at a big price in this one despite her most recent victory, Singing Kitty saved ground in an even fourth off a moderate early tempo. Sliding up the fence on the backstretch, the bay tipped outside of pacesetter She's A Big Winner to launch a bid in the stretch and sailed clear of that rival in the final furlong to score. 'TDN Rising Star' Curlin's Fox tagged the pacesetter on the wire for second. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#), sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

6th-SAX, \$59,500, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000), NW1\$X, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8mT, 1:48 2/5, fm.

ARETHUSA (f, 4, **A.P. Indy**--**Miss Coronado** {**GSW, \$152,575**}, by **Coronado's Quest**), a winner of the Sharp Cat S. at Hollywood in 2013, was third in last February's GI Las Virgenes S. on the local main track before three off-the-board tries in graded stakes company. She was sixth last time in an optional claimer going a mile over this course Feb. 7. Racing without Lasix, the 10-1 shot was a bit keen past the stands for the first time before settling in off the pace. She uncorked a bid into the lane while shadowed by Irish import Circling (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) to her outside, but that rival seemed to be going a bit better while keeping Arethusa pinned in. Arethusa kept at it, however, and squeezed through Fresh Feline (Kitten's Joy) and Circling to score by a half length. Fresh Feline was second by a nose. Lifetime Record: SW & GISP, 11-2-1-2, \$189,910. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#), sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

O-Godolphin Racing LLC. B-Darley (KY). T-Eoin G Harty.

5th-SAX, \$61,936, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000), NW1\$X, 4yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:15 4/5, ft.

PULLING G'S (g, 5, **Curlin**--**Torrid Affair** {**MSW & GSP, \$367,829**}, by **Alydeed**) finished a solid second first up at Belmont Sept. 7, and aired by 5 1/2 lengths in the Big A slop Nov. 1. He earned a career-best 97 Beyer Speed Figure when beaten a neck in an Aqueduct allowance Nov. 29, and closed from out of the clouds to complete the exacta over this track and trip Jan. 3. A dull sixth going an additional sixteenth in optional claiming company Feb. 7, the bay was supported at 2-1 to secure an elusive second victory. Hustled to keep up out of the gate, Pulling G's tracked from midpack while well off the rail early. He uncorked a strong turn rally, and swept five wide into the lane. Idling a bit to midstretch, he finally found his best stride as the winning line loomed to get up by 3/4 of a length over Big Tire (Candy Ride {Arg}). The winner is a half to Seductively (Thunder Gulch), MGSW, \$450,343; and Prophetically (Pulpit), MSP, \$264,527. Sales history: \$260,000 yrl '11 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 6-2-3-0, \$113,050. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#), sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

O-Flag Lake II Stable. B-Fares Farm LLC (KY). T-John A Shirreffs.



3rd-SAX, \$57,750, Msw, 3yo, f, a6 1/2fT, 1:13 3/5, fm.

WHISK (f, 3, **Elusive Quality**--**Fastongrass** {**SW, \$127,205**}, by **Forest Wildcat**) finished sixth behind 'TDN Rising Star' Curlin's Fox (Curlin)--a fast-closing second in the China Doll S. later on the card--and four of these return rivals over course and distance Feb. 1, and was dismissed at 14-1 to bridge the gap for a barn that has done well with limited second timers. Taking up a pocket spot early, the bay switched out for running room after crossing the dirt and kept plugging away outside of rivals to don cap and gown by a length. Favored Emyvale Court--second in that same Feb. 1 affair--got her nose down for second. The winner's third dam is Grade I-winning turf First Approach (Northern Fling). Sales history: \$50,000 yrl '13 KEESEP; \$80,000 2yo '14 OBSMAR. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$33,850. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#), sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

O-Eclipse Thoroughbred Partners. B-R M Anderson (KY). T-Michael W McCarthy.



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4th-SAX, \$57,000, Msw, 3yo, f, 6 1/2f, 1:16 1/5, ft.
+ BLACK BETSY (f, 3, Jump Start--Time to Dream {SW, \$112,540}, by Time for a Change), sent off at 5-2 for this debut, perched one off the rail in second and raced up to take the lead after a :21.90 first quarter. Firmly in control leading into the far turn, the dark bay steamed into the lane three wide and, though leg weary late, held off Never Ends (Successful Appeal) by a desperate head for the win. Sweet Promises (Bernardini) finished fifth. The winner is a half to Five Star Dream (Two Punch), SW, \$128,320. Sales history: \$12,500 yrl '13 FTMSEP. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$33,600. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#), sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

O-Panic Stable. B-Classic Thoroughbred XXV (NY).

T-Richard Baltas.

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9th-GGX, \$26,939, Msw, 3yo, 6f (AWT), 1:08 4/5, ft.

+ KENTUCKIAN, c, 3, Tiznow

1st Dam: Forest Music (MGSW & MGISP, \$370,566), by Unbridled's Song

2nd Dam: Defer West, by Gone West

3rd Dam: Defer, by Damascus

Kentuckian, a half-brother to 'TDN Rising Star' Maclean's Music (Distorted Humor), who earned a record 114 Beyer Speed Figure for a first time starter in 2011, was installed as the 3-5 favorite off a series of bullet works here, most recently breezing six panels in 1:13 4/5 Mar. 1. Seizing the early advantage, the \$610,000 KEESEP purchase doled out splits of :22.54 and :45.65 from the rail. Under a hand ride from Hall of Famer Russell Baze, the gray sailed clear in the lane with devastating ease to register an 11-length success. Fellow firster Solomon Bay (Leroidesanimaux {Brz}) was second. The winner's two-time graded stakes-winning dam Forest Music won her debut by eight lengths at Laurel in October 2003 and earned a 105 Beyer. She produced a colt by Distorted Humor last year. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$15,600. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#), the [free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree](#), or [VIDEO](#), sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

O-Fox Hill Farm. B-Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings (KY). T-Jerry Hollendorfer.

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Sire (Sire's Sire), current farm, 2011 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/

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

BLAME (Arch), Claiborne, \$30K, 152/11/1

8-TAM, Msw, 6 1/2f, Rap, \$200K KEE SEP yrl, 7-2

DISCREETLY MINE (Mineshaft), Lane's End, \$10K, 181/23/1

10-TAM, Msw, 5fT, Back to Me, \$20K OBS APR 2yo, 20-1

10-TAM, Msw, 5fT, +Showtime Girl, \$30K FTK OCT yrl, 15-1

ESKENDEREYA (Giant's Causeway), Taylor Made, \$18K, 194/20/0

3-GG, Msw, 1m, +Singing, 7-2

7-TAM, Aoc, 1 1/16mT, Impromptu, \$11K OBS OCT 2yo, 6-1

FOREST COMMAND (Monarchos), Oak Hill Farm, \$3K, 18/0/0

6-SA, Msw, 6f, +Gemmabeto, 12-1

GRACE UPON GRACE (Rio Verde), Lovacres Ranch, \$2K, 28/0/0

6-SA, Msw, 6f, London Legacy, 3-1

HOLD ME BACK (Giant's Causeway), WinStar, \$6K, 153/11/1

5-PRX, Alw, 6 1/2f, Truth in the Lies, \$35K KEE SEP yrl, 2-1

JUSTENUFFHUMOR (Distorted Humor), McMahon of Saratoga NY, \$3K, 51/1/0

5-AQU, Msw, 1m, Justenuffdior, \$9K RNA SAR AUG yrl, 30-1

MACH RIDE (Pentelicus), Bridlewood Farm, \$2K, 13/3/0

3-AQU, Stk, 6f, Ackeret, \$53K OBS OPN 2yo, 12-1

MAJESTICPERFECTION (Harlan's Holiday), Airdrie Stud, \$10K, 124/24/2

3-AQU, Stk, 6f, Majestic Affair, \$12K RNA ARZ NOV yrl, 4-5

NEKO BAY (Giant's Causeway), Elite Thoroughbreds, \$3K, 42/6/0

7-TAM, Aoc, 1 1/16mT, Takechargecopeland, 20-1

QUALITY ROAD (Elusive Quality), Lane's End, \$25K, 178/22/3

2-SA, Msw, 7f, Attack, \$9K RNA OBS OPN 2yo, 6-1

5-GP, Msw, 1 3/16mT, Castellani, 15-1

SUMMER BIRD (Birdstone), Japan, Dead, 191/14/1

5-AQU, Msw, 1m, Summon the Spirit, 6-1

TEMPLE CITY (Dynaformer), Spendthrift Farm, \$5K, 161/14/3

3-GG, Msw, 1m, Heartofthetemple, \$37K FTK OCT yrl, 8-1

7-LRL, Aoc, 6f, Anythingicandoforu, \$4K EAS SEP yrl, 12-1

TIZDEJAVU (Tiznow), Crestwood Farm, \$5K, 95/11/1

7-TP, Aoc, 6 1/2f, La Coronita, 20-1

WARRIOR'S REWARD (Medaglia d'Oro), Spendthrift Farm, \$13K, 173/21/1

5-GP, Msw, 1 3/16mT, Starship Hostility, \$32K OBS APR 2yo, 8-1

12-GP, Msw, 7 1/2fT, +Freda, \$130K SAR AUG yrl, 15-1

8-TAM, Msw, 6 1/2f, Fortutious, 3-1

12-GP, Msw, 7 1/2fT, +Happy Shoes, \$60K OBS APR 2yo, 15-1

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STAKES RESULTS:

AZALEA S., \$100,000, DED, 3-6, (S), 3yo, f, 7 1/2f, 1:32 3/5, wf.

1--**#SIBLING WAR**, 119, f, 3, **Brother Derek--Raise Her Flag**, by Harlan. (\$29,000 yrl '13 KEESEP; \$4,000 yrl '13 STMJAN). O-Maggi Moss; B-Brereton C Jones & Spanish Cross Stables LLC (LA); T-Thomas M Amoss; J-Gerard Melancon. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 6-3-1-0, \$110,600.

2--**Forest Lake**, 122, f, 3, **Forestry--Oval**, by Kris S. O-Set-Hut LLC. \$19,000.

3--**Pacific Pink**, 119, f, 3, **Private Vow--Truly Romantic**, by Robyn Dancer. (\$11,500 yrl '13 ESLOCT; \$90,000 2yo '14 OBSAPR). O-Keith Plaisance. \$10,000.

Margins: 1, 4HF, 3HF. Odds: 2.40, 7.10, 9.70.

MT. CRISTO REY H., \$85,270, SUN, 3-7, (S), 3yo/up, 4 1/2f, :49 4/5, ft.

1--**#INFINITE BULL**, 121, g, 4, **King Bull--Fancy Numbers**, by Polish Numbers. O/B-Tucumcari Thoroughbreds (NM); T-Greg Green; J-Norberto Arroyo Jr. \$51,000. Lifetime Record: 12-5-2-1, \$151,547.

2--**B R Big Red**, 125, g, 5, **Minister Eric--H R Hennessy**, by Hennessy. (\$30,000 yrl '11 RUIAUG). O-Allen J Aldrich & Skyler Kelley. \$18,700.

3--**Reaper**, 123, g, 4, **Attila's Storm--Hang Glide**, by Dome. O-R D Hubbard. \$8,500.

Margins: HF, 1 1/4, 3/4. Odds: 3.00, 1.50, 4.50.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

5th-OPX, \$67,000, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000), NW2X, 4yo/up, 6f, 1:11, ft.

RIVERS RUN DEEP (c, 4, **Ready's Image--Music Miss**, by **Prospector's Music**) Lifetime Record: MSW, 15-7-4-2, \$361,700. O-James L & Ywachetta H Driver. B-Nancy J Lavrich & Walmac Farm LLC (OH). T-Chris A Hartman. *\$22,000 yrl '12 FTKFEB; \$30,000 yrl '12 FTKOCT; \$77,000 2yo '13 OBSJUN.

6th-AQU, \$59,000, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000), NW2\$X, (S), 4yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11 2/5, my.

TOWN KITTY (f, 4, **Relato Del Gato--Road to Town**, by **Williamstown**) Lifetime Record: 7-3-0-0, \$86,533. O-Madeline Cohn. B-Edward Cohn (NY). T-James T Ryerson.

8th-AQU, \$57,000, NW1\$X, (S), 4yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:39 1/5, my.

LADY LUCIANO (f, 4, **Frost Giant--Miriam's Song**, by **Peterhof**) Lifetime Record: 18-3-3-2, \$150,324. O-Bran Jam Stable. B-Frost Giant Partnership, Barone's SunnyCrest Farm & Beals Racing Stable LLC (NY). T-John T Toscano Jr. *\$5,000 yrl '12 FTKOCT; \$9,500 2yo '13 OBSJUN; \$10,000 RNA 2yo '13 OBSAPR.

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11th-GPX, \$46,800, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), NW1X, 4yo/up, 6f, 1:10 2/5, ft.

FRENCH QUARTER (g, 4, **Shakespeare--Cent Nouvelles**, by **Storm Bird**) Lifetime Record: 15-4-2-1, \$119,529. O-Howard Walton. B-Kathleen A Taylor (FL). T-John Mattine. *\$23,000 RNA yrl '12 OBSJAN.

4th-GPX, \$44,000, Opt. Clm. (\$62,500), NW2X, 4yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:38, fm.

INCHCAPE (h, 5, **Indian Charlie--Cottage Link**, by **Seeking the Gold**) Lifetime Record: 15-3-5-3, \$173,413. O-Mr Amore Stable. B-Eugene Melnyk (ON). T-Jason Servis.

2nd-TAM, \$36,400, Hcp, 4yo/up, 6f, 1:09 2/5, ft.

TAIRNEACH (g, 4, **Singing Saint--Miss Cappy**, by **Skip Trial**) Lifetime Record: SP, 15-4-4-3, \$105,255.

O-Midwest Thoroughbreds Inc. B-Adena Springs (KY). T-Jamie Ness. *\$2,000 yrl '12 FTKOCT.

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3rd-GGX, \$33,642, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000), NW1\$X, 3yo, f, 6f (AWT), 1:10, ft.

DEB'S WILDCARD (f, 3, **Desert Code--Deb's Royal Flush {MSP, \$143,770}**, by **Demons Begone**) Lifetime Record: 6-2-1-2, \$58,344. O-Robert Jones & Lloyd Mason. B-Victoria Polzin & Harris Farms (CA). T-Lloyd C Mason. *\$17,500 yrl '13 CTNAUG.

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6th-TAM, \$27,400, Opt. Clm. (\$16,000), NW1X, 4yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:17 2/5, ft.

GUCHI GOLD (f, 4, **Mr. Sekiguchi--Royal Advantage**, by **Regal Classic**) Lifetime Record: 12-2-3-2, \$49,920. O/B-Lorna Possler (FL). T-Gerald S Bennett.

4th-MVR, \$25,800, (S), 3yo, f, 6f, 1:14 2/5, ft.

JUSTALITTLESMOKE (f, 3, **Smoke Glacken--Justasprinkle**, by **Gilded Time**) Lifetime Record: MSW, 6-3-2-1, \$154,880. O-Marion F Gorham. B-Belvedere Farm Inc (OH). T-Robert M Gorham. *\$22,500 yrl '13 FTKOCT. **1/2 to Portales (Sharp Humor), MSW, \$194,500.

8th-HOU, \$22,000, 3-6, Opt. Clm. (\$20,000), NW2X, 4yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:42 3/5, fm.

BUCKING THUNDER (g, 4, **Special Rate--Buckstar**, by **Spend a Buck**) Lifetime Record: 19-5-4-1, \$71,357. O-Twisted Chaps Racing Stables LLC. B-Star Bright Thoroughbreds (TX). T-W Bret Calhoun. *\$15,000 2yo '13 TEXMAR.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Shore to Party, c, 3, **Desert Party**--Onota, by Strong Hope. AQU, 3-7, (S), 6f, 1:12 4/5.

B-Thomas-Burleson (NY). *\$110,000 2yo '14 OBSAPR.

My Ruston, f, 3, **Forefathers--So Sorry** (SP), by The Prime Minister. DED, 3-7, (S), 5f, 1:00 1/5. B-Neal & Mary McFadden (LA). *\$7,500 yrl '13 ESLSEP. **1/2 to Nubin Ridge (Gold Tribute), MSP, \$219,925.



Maiden Winners cont.

Gold Dust Diva, f, 3, **Gottcha Gold**--Anyways Wynn, by Northern Afleet. HAW, 3-7, 6f, 1:12 4/5. B-Martin Cherry (FL). *\$4,000 wlng '12 OBSOCT; \$7,500 RNA yrl '13 OBSAUG; \$5,000 2yo '14 OBSJUN.

Media Time, g, 3, **Mass Media**--Noon Time Dancer, by Afternoon Deelites. TAM, 3-7, 7f, 1:23 2/5. B-Roger Cimbora & Richard & Cynthia Daniels (FL). *\$2,500 wlng '12 OBSOCT; \$24,000 yrl '13 OBSAUG.

Laflowmylaxbro, g, 3, **Monarchos**--Lost Village, by Jump Start. TPX, 3-7, 6f (AWT), 1:13 3/5. B-Holly Wilson (KY).

Overcomer, c, 3, **Old Topper**--Fasahah, by Unbridled. SAX, 3-7, (S), (C), 6f, 1:09 4/5. B-Tommy Town Thoroughbreds LLC (CA). *1/2 to Show Me Your Glory (Alphabet Soup), MSW, \$262,885.

Prize Patrol, f, 4, **Pure Prize**--Cold Play, by Souvenir Copy. MVR, 3-7, (S), 6f, 1:15 2/5. B-Laurie Hickman LLC (OH).

Full Heart, g, 5, **Lawyer Ron**--American Slew, by Quiet American. FGX, 3-7, 6f, 1:11. B-Lothenbach Stables Inc (KY). *\$95,000 yrl '11 KEESEP. *1/2 to City Attraction (Vicar), GSW, \$258,900; Vicarian (Vicar), MSP, \$326,140.

Runaway Wilson, h, 5, **Total Command**--Runaway Inflation, by Runaway Groom. HOU, 3-6, (S), 5fT, :59. B-Rick Maxey (TX).

Lady Wulfruna S. cont.

Sovereign Debt hit a peak when runner-up to Farhh (GB) (Pivotal {GB}) in Newbury's G1 Lockinge S. in May 2013 when under the care of Michael Bell, but plateaued thereafter and ended his time in that Newmarket stable with a second in a seven-furlong conditions event at Doncaster in October of that year. Re-appearing for Dandy Nicholls' barn when runner-up in a mile handicap on Lingfield's Polytrack Feb. 14, the grey followed that effort with a third placing in another competitive affair at the same circuit a week later. Sluggish from the gates and forced to race worse than mid-division here, he was granted an abundance of cover against the fence as a result. As the field fanned out on the home turn, Sovereign Debt had saved vital ground and was able to chase down last year's winner, Chookie Royale, in the last 50 yards for a first black-type score.

6th-WOL, £8,000, Hcp, 3yo, 7f 32y (AWT), 1:28.04, ft.

FOREST MAIDEN (IRE) (f, 3, **Invincible Spirit {Ire}**--**Lady Marian {Ger}** {Hwt. 3yo-Ger at 9.5-11f, G1SW-Fr, GSW & G1SP-Ger, \$546,643}, by **Nayef**) graduated in a Sept. 22 Kempton maiden on debut last time and raced in a handy fifth from the outset of this seasonal bow. Turning for home in third, the even-money chalk quickened to the front passing the eighth pole and was coaxed clear in the latter stages to score by 3 3/4 lengths from Dark War (Ire) (Dark Angel {Ire}). Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, £8,086. [Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton](#).

O-Godolphin. B-Darley (Ire). T-Charlie Appleby.

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Wakea, c, 4, **Cape Cross (Ire)**--Imiloo, by Kingmambo. WOL, 3-7, 13f 194y (AWT), 3:03.96. B-Sanford R Robertson (KY).

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Yesterday's Results:

LADBROKES LADY WULFRUNA S.--Listed, £50,000, WOL, 3-7, 4yo/up, 7f 32y (AWT), 1:26.21, ft.

1--**#SOVEREIGN DEBT (IRE)**, 129, g, 6, **Dark Angel (Ire)**--**Kelsey Rose (GB)** (MSP-Eng), by **Most Welcome (GB)**. (105,000gns yrl '10 TATOCT; £145,000 HRA '14 TATFEB). O-Lady O'Reilly; B-Yeomanstown Stud (Ire); T-David Nicholls; J-Joe Fanning. £28,355. Lifetime Record: G1SP-Eng, 23-5-7-1, £167,923. *1/2 to Puff (Ire) (Camacho {GB}), GSW-Eng, \$126,421.

2--**Chookie Royale (GB)**, 129, g, 7, **Monsieur Bond (Ire)**--Lady of Windsor (Ire), by Woods of Windsor. O-Raeburn Brick Ltd. £10,750.

3--**Al Thakhira (GB)**, 127, f, 4, **Dubawi (Ire)**--**Dahama (GB)**, by Green Desert. (42,000gns wlng '11 TATDEC). O-Al Shaqab Racing. £5,380.

Margins: 1 1/4, 3/4, HF. Odds: 4.50, 5.00, 4.00.

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Yesterday's Result:

1st-SAI, €29,000, Cond, 3yo, 10fT, 2:12.87, hy.

MIGWAR (IRE) (c, 3, **Sea the Stars {Ire}**--**Katyusha**, by **Kingmambo**), a €180,000 ARQOCT yearling who scored by a half length going nine panels at Longchamp in his only prior go Oct. 19, was steadied in sixth of the seven runners from the break in this sophomore return. Making ominous headway once into the straight, the 13-10 chalk swooped for control approaching the final eighth and was pushed clear thereafter to score by an impressive five lengths from Zafiro (Fr) (Sageburg {Ire}). Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 2 wins, €27,000. [Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton](#).

O-Sheikh Abdullah bin Khalifa Al Thani. B-Viktor Timoshenko (Ire). T-Freddy Head.

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4th-DUN, €20,000, 3-6, 4yo/up, 8f (AWT), 1:36.94, ft.

PAENE MAGNUS (IRE) (g, 6, [Teofilo {Ire}](#)--Luminaria {Ire}, by Danehill) Lifetime Record: MSW-Ire, 18-5-4-2, €102,056. O-Mrs J S Bolger. B/T-Jim Bolger (Ire).

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Anarchiste (GB), f, 3, [Archipenko](#)--Hermanita (GB), by Hernando (Fr). WOL, 3-7, 8f 141y (AWT), 1:48.97. B-Kirsten Rausing (GB).

+ **Diaktoros (Ire)**, g, 5, **Red Clubs (Ire)**--Rinneen (Ire), by Bien Bien. WOL, 3-6, 12f 50y (AWT), 2:40.73. B-Tally-Ho Stud (Ire). *42,000gns yrl '11 TATOCT; £20,000 HRA '15 BRIJAN.

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INFORMED DECISION, 10, Monarchos--Palangana, by His Majesty
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Owned by Augustin Stable.
Boarded at Stone Farm.
Accomplishments: Ch. Female Sprinter, MGISW, \$2,214,426.

LIGHTHOUSE BAY, 5, Speightstown--Pay Lady, by Seeking the Gold
Foal born Feb. 8, a colt by Tapit.
Will be bred back to Medaglia d'Oro.
Owned by SF Racing.
Boarded at Taylor Made Sales Agency.
Accomplishments: GISW, \$365,706.

RITE MOMENT, 11, Vicar--Moments of Joy, by Lost Code
Foal born Feb. 8, a filly by Congrats.
Will be bred back to Mucho Macho Man.
Accomplishments: MGSW, \$399,303.

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