

CLAIRIERE NAILS SECRET OATH ON THE WIRE IN APPLE BLOSSOM



Clairiere (outside) reels in Secret Oath | Coady Photography

Secret Oath (Arrogate) looked home free after inhaling the longtime runaway pacesetter and striding confidently clear into the Oaklawn stretch, but **Clairiere** (Curlin) was unleashing a powerful stretch run of her own that saw the Stonestreet homebred just get her nose in front on the wire in a dramatic finish to the GI Apple Blossom H. Saturday in Hot Springs.

Hot and Sultry (Speighster) caught a flyer out of the gate and was some seven lengths in front down the backstretch as she cut out fractions of :24.01 and :47.88 at the head of a strung-out field of four. Secret Oath cut into the pacesetter's advantage around the far turn and stuck her head in front at the top of the lane. Clairiere, who was most recently second behind Secret Oath over this same track and trip in the Mar. 11 GII Azeri S., closed relentlessly down the center of the track to just nab the 3-5 favorite in the shadow of the wire.

"It played out like everybody thought it would," said trainer Steve Asmussen, who swept both graded stakes--and four races total--on the Oaklawn card Saturday. "I think Joel [Rosario] is fabulous about the theory that I have--races are from point A to point B. If you go from point A to point B as good as you can, you get the best outcome you can, whether it's favorable or not. She's a tremendous mare. She's really good."

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STYLISH RETURN FOR IN ITALIAN

Peter Brant's **In Italian** (GB) (Dubawi {GB}), last seen finishing second in the Nov. 5 GI Breeders' Cup F/M Turf, returned to the races with a dominant wire-to-wire victory in the GI Jenny Wiley S. at Keeneland Saturday. Sent off the 3-5 favorite for her 5-year-old debut, the chestnut mare bound out to the early lead and was in control through fractions of :23.63 and :47.29. Asked to go by Irad Ortiz at the top of the lane, she extended her advantage in the blink of an eye and she was never challenged to the wire.

"She's been a nice filly all the time," said Ortiz. "She broke quick out of the gate and then she relaxed. Her ears were up. She does that all the time. I was confident. The trainer told me just to go to the lead. She broke so good, I tried to relax her going into the first turn, and she switched off. That was key. After that, on the backside if somebody gets close to her, I can let her do her thing, because I know I have plenty in the tank. She was nice. She deserves all the credit. She got the job done."

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Edgar Morales, Jr. visits with his one-month old baby daughter between races outside the jockeys' room at Keeneland Saturday. | Sue Finley

FIRST MISSION ON TOP IN LEXINGTON

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First Mission (*Street Sense*) goes from maiden winner to graded victor with a determined score in the GIII Stonestreet Lexington S. at Keeneland Saturday.

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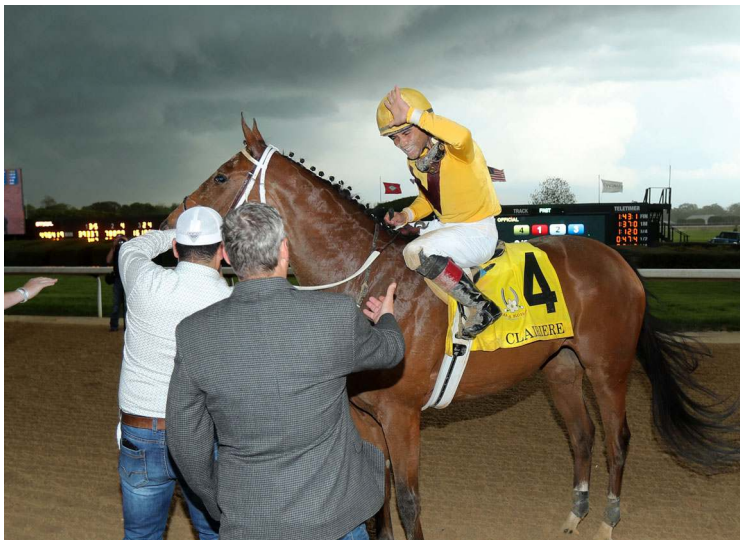
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Clairiere Nails Secret Oath on the Wire in Apple Blossom *(cont. from p1)*

Rosario added, “She responded really well today. I was watching the one horse in front of me [Secret Oath]. She did really great. She really dug in there. I was able to get there in time. She always tries really hard.”

The ultra-consistent Clairiere has been on the board in 15 of 18 lifetime starts, including 12 graded events. Second behind champion Letruska (Super Saver) in last year’s Apple Blossom, the bay mare shipped north for the summer and recorded victories over last year’s eventual champion older mare Malathaat (Curlin) in the GI Ogden Phipps S. and the GII Shuvee S. Following a rare off-the-board effort when fifth in the Aug. 27 GI Personal Ensign S., she concluded her 2022 campaign with a third-place effort in a dramatic blanket finish with Malathaat and Blue Stripe (Arg) (Equal Stripes {Arg}) in the GI Breeders’ Cup Distaff.



Storm clouds threaten as Clairiere returns to winner's circle
Coady Photography

Pedigree Notes:

Clairiere is the first foal out of 2015 GI Test S. winner Cavorting, who was purchased as a weanling by Stonestreet for \$360,000 at the 2012 Keeneland November sale. The mare’s next foal is stakes winner La Crete (Medaglia d’Oro). She has an unraced 3-year-old colt by Curlin and, without foals in 2021 and 2022, she produced a colt by Curlin this year.

Clairiere’s second dam, graded stakes winner Promenade Girl, died in 2022, but left behind a now-yearling colt by Into Mischief.

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Saturday, Oaklawn Park

APPLE BLOSSOM H.-GI, \$1,000,000, Oaklawn, 4-15, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:43.36, ft.

1--**CLAIRIERE**, 122, m, 5, by **Curlin**

1st Dam: Cavorting (MGISW, \$2,063,000), by Bernardini

2nd Dam: Promenade Girl, by Carson City

3rd Dam: Promenade Colony, by Pleasant Colony

O/B-Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC (KY); T-Steven M. Asmussen; J-Joel Rosario. \$650,000. Lifetime Record: MGISW, 18-7-5-3, \$2,831,392. *1/2 to La Crete (Medaglia d’Oro), SW, \$159,460. **Werk Nick Rating: A+++**. *Triple Plus* [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree](#). [Click for the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree](#).

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2--**Secret Oath**, 123, f, 4, by Arrogate

1st Dam: Absinthe Minded (MSW & MGISP, \$607,747), by Quiet American

2nd Dam: Rockford Peach, by Great Above

3rd Dam: Strawberry Skyline, by Hatchet Man

O/B-Briland Farm, Robert Mitchell & Stacy Mitchell (KY); T-D. Wayne Lukas. \$200,000.

Broken and Trained by Randy Bradshaw

3--**Hot and Sultry**, 117, f, 4, by Speightster

1st Dam: Hot Water, by **Medaglia d’Oro**

2nd Dam: Elusive Heat, by Elusive Quality

3rd Dam: Xtra Heat, by Dixieland Heat

1ST GRADED BLACK TYPE, 1ST G1 BLACK TYPE. (\$475,000 Ylg '20 KEESEP). O-Alex and JoAnn Lieblong; B-Cobalt Investments, LLC (KY); T-Norm W. Casse. \$100,000.

IT'S IN THE WATER
Rebecca Maker Layup Graduate

Margins: NK, 3HF, 18 1/4. Odds: 1.50, 0.70, 4.20.

Also Ran: I Feel the Need.

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Stylish Return for In Italian *(cont. from p1)*

The victory gave trainer Chad Brown his sixth win and Brant his third in the Wiley.

“She’s a wonderful mare,” said Brant. “She’s been good from the very beginning, and we’re very proud to have her. She’s going to be a great broodmare for us. We’re so excited; to win this race this number of times has been a great thrill for us. This is one of the most important filly-and-mare races, and it’s just a great honor to win this race.”



In Italian | Coady Photography

In Italian, who has never been off the board in now 10 lifetime starts, was tabbed a 'TDN Rising Star' following her maiden victory at Belmont in 2021, but it would be another eight months before she returned to the races. She made up for lost time in 2022, with wins in the Gill Honey Fox S., GI Diana S. and GI First Lady S. She attempted to stretch her speed to the F/M Turf's 1 3/16 miles and found only Tuesday (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) too good over the Keeneland turf last November.

Pedigree Notes:

In Italian's group-winning dam Florentina has an unraced 4-year-old gelding by **Kingman (GB)** in the UK and a filly by that sire foaled in Australia in 2020. The 15-year-old mare, a half to Group 1 winner Gathering (Aus) (Tale of the Cat), was barren to Yes Yes Yes (Aus) the past two seasons. She was bred to So You Think (NZ) last October.

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JENNY WILEY S.-GI, \$511,125, Keeneland, 4-15, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:39.71, fm.

1--**IN ITALIAN (GB), 123, m, 5, by Dubawi (Ire)**

1st Dam: **Florentina (Aus) (GSW-Aus, \$250,958), by Redoute's Choice (Aus)**

2nd Dam: **Celebria (Aus), by Peintre Celebre**

3rd Dam: **Twyla (Aus), by Danehill**

(475,000gns Ylg '19 TATOCT). O-Peter M. Brant; B-Fairway Thoroughbreds (GB); T-Chad C. Brown; J-Irad Ortiz, Jr..

\$306,125. Lifetime Record: 10-6-3-1, \$1,635,308. **Werk Nick Rating: B+**. [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree or free Equine.com catalogue-style pedigree.](#)

2--**With The Moonlight (Ire), 123, f, 4, by Frankel (GB)**

1st Dam: **Sand Vixen (GB) (GSW-Eng, \$119,931), by Dubawi (Ire)**

2nd Dam: **Fur Will Fly (GB), by Petong (GB)**

3rd Dam: **Bumpkin (GB), by Free State (Ire)**

O/B-Godolphin LLC (IRE); T-Charles Appleby. \$98,750.

3--**White Frost, 123, m, 5, by Candy Ride (Arg)**

1st Dam: **Miss Frost (MSW, \$247,259), by Curlin**

2nd Dam: **Allencat, by Storm Cat**

3rd Dam: **Pharma, by Theatrical (Ire)**

1ST G1 BLACK TYPE. O-Gainesway Stable (Antony Beck); B-Gainesway Thoroughbreds (KY); T-William I. Mott. \$59,250.

Bred by **GAINESWAY**

Margins: 3, 1 1/4, 3. Odds: 0.75, 2.40, 7.68.

Also Ran: Skims (GB), Pizza Bianca, Queen Goddess. Scratched: Freedom Speaks, Henrietta Topham, Speak of the Devil (Fr).

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1--**FIRST MISSION**, 118, c, 3, by **Street Sense**

1st Dam: **Elude**, by **Medaglia d'Oro**

2nd Dam: **Forty Marchanta (Arg)**, by **Roar**

3rd Dam: **Marcha Toss (Arg)**, by **Egg Toss**

1ST BLACK TYPE WIN, 1ST GRADED STAKES WIN.

'TDN Rising Star'. O/B-Godolphin (KY); T-Brad H. Cox; J-Luis Saez. \$232,500. Lifetime Record: 3-2-1-0, \$276,500.

Werk Nick Rating: A+.

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2--**Arabian Lion**, 118, c, 3, **Justify**--Unbound, by Distorted Humor. **1ST BLACK TYPE, 1ST GRADED BLACK TYPE.**

'TDN Rising Star'. (\$600,000 2yo '22 OBSAPR). O-Zedan Racing Stables, Inc.; B-Bonne Chance Farm LLC (KY); T-Bob Baffert. \$75,000.

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3--**Disarm**, 118, c, 3, **Gun Runner**--Easy Tap, by **Tapit**.

'TDN Rising Star'. O/B-Winchell Thoroughbreds LLC (KY); T-Steven M. Asmussen. \$37,500.

Rebecca Maker Rehab Graduate

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Margins: HF, 4 1/4, 3/4. Odds: 2.19, 3.89, 3.46.

Also Ran: Denington, Demolition Duke, Prairie Hawk, Empirestrikesfast, Baseline Beater, Reinvest, Curly Larry and Mo. Scratched: Transect. **Click for the Equibase.com chart and the TJCIS.com PPs. VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

Godolphin homebred First Mission, coming off an impressive maiden-breaking score at Fair Grounds last month, made the jump to graded company with aplomb, striding home a determined victor of the GIII Stonestreet Lexington S. at Keeneland Saturday. Sent off at 2-1, the dark bay colt sat just off pacesetting Arabian Lion through fractions of :24.12 and :48.01. He cut the corner into the stretch as the pacesetter drifted out into the lane, but gamely persevered as that foe drifted back in on him and was inching clear late.

"This was a tough Lexington S.," said Godolphin director of bloodstock Michael Banahan. "There were some nice horses in there. So we were very hopeful and confident that if he showed the talent that we thought he had, we had a big, big chance. It's exceptionally nice to see that happen, and especially the experience he needed to get, coming down [the stretch] in tight on the rail. For an inexperienced horse, I think that will hold well for the future with us."



First Mission | Coady Photography

A debut second behind well-regarded stablemate Bishops Bay (**Uncle Mo**) while sprinting six furlongs at Fair Grounds Feb. 18, First Mission romped home by 6 3/4 lengths in a 'TDN Rising Star'-worthy performance when stretched to 1 1/16 miles in New Orleans last time out Mar. 18.

"[Trainer] Brad [Cox] just got this guy in after Christmas time and had never seen him before, so he wasn't sure where we were going to stable him for the winter time," Banahan said. "He saw him work one time up at Churchill and he said, 'This horse is going down to Fair Grounds,' where he put all his good horses.

"We've always held him in high regard. He had a few juvenile issues last year, but we were very high on him. He ran a tremendous race first time out, when Brad's other horse beat him going six furlongs, knowing he wanted to stretch out. He won very easily last time."

Asked if First Mission may make his next start in the GI Preakness S. in five weeks' time, Banahan said, "I think it will be ideal, really. I think he answered a lot of questions today, so we'd certainly look hard at that."

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Banahan continued, "I think we have a nice horse for down the road even if he doesn't make one of the Classics."

With his third-place finish, Winchell Thoroughbreds' Disarm earned enough points to qualify for a spot in the GI Kentucky Derby.

"It looks like he got enough points to go, so we have the option to go," Ron Winchell said. "We'll see how he comes out of this race. We've always thought a mile and a quarter [of the Derby] would be fine for him."

Pedigree Notes:

First Mission is the 39th worldwide graded winner for his sire, **Street Sense**. His dam Etude produced a full-brother last year and was bred back to Protonico. His second dam is Argentinian champion Forty Marchanta (Arg) (Roar).

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Saturday, Oaklawn

COUNT FLEET SPRINT H.-GIII, \$500,000, Oaklawn, 4-15, 4yo/up, 6f, 1:09.20, ft.

1--**SKELLY**, 117, g, 4, by **Practical Joke**



1st Dam: Adande, by Bwana Charlie

2nd Dam: Game for More, by More Than Ready

3rd Dam: Ermelinda, by Sea Hero

1ST BLACK TYPE WIN, 1ST GRADED STAKES WIN. (\$250,000 Ylg '20 FTKSEL; \$350,000 RNA 2yo '21 FTFMAR). O-Red Lane Thoroughbreds LLC; B-H. Allen Poindexter (KY); T-Steven M. Asmussen; J-Ricardo Santana, Jr. \$295,750. Lifetime Record: 8-4-3-0, \$549,400. **Werk Nick Rating: A+.** [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#) [Click for the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.](#)

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2--**Strobe**, 119, c, 4, Into Mischieff--Flashing, by A.P. Indy.

1ST BLACK TYPE, 1ST GRADED BLACK TYPE. 'TDN Rising Star'. O/B-Godolphin (KY); T-Brad H. Cox. \$91,000.

3--**Tejano Twist**, 124, g, 4, **Practical Joke**--Haley's Lolipop, by Cuvee. O-JD Thoroughbreds LLC and Joey Keith Davis; B-Tom Durant (KY); T-Chris A. Hartman. \$45,500.

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Margins: 2 1/4, 1, 3/4. Odds: 6.00, 2.50, 1.80.

Also Ran: Surveillance, Pirate Rick, Payne, Cogburn, Edge to Edge, Radical Right, Candy Man Rocket. [Click for Equibase.com chart and the TJCS.com PPs.](#) **VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

One of the most progressive horses to race during this year's meet at Oaklawn Park, Red Lane Thoroughbreds' Skelly took Saturday's \$500,000 GIII Count Fleet Sprint H. by the scruff of the neck and never gave any of his rivals a chance, as he led past every pole for an impressive first victory at the stakes and graded stakes level.



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It was the 100th Oaklawn stakes victory in the Hall of Fame career of trainer Steve Asmussen.

“That is exactly what happened [taking advantage of speed-favoring track],” the conditioner commented. “He’s definitely the quickest half-mile of the [Asmussen trio] and showed it today. The racetrack’s playing for that to be effective.”



Skelly | Coady

Pedigree Notes:

Skelly becomes the 21st worldwide black-type winner and 14th group/graded winner for **Practical Joke**, whose California-based son Practical Move will be one of the top couple of choices for the GI Kentucky Derby in three weeks' time.

A \$250,000 purchase out of the 2020 Fasig-Tipton Selected Yearlings Showcase, Skelly was led out unsold on a bid of \$350,000 at the Fasig-Tipton Florida the following March.

A May 14 foal, Skelly is out of a daughter of the three-times stakes-placed Game for More, whose own produce include the versatile MGSW & GISP Isotherm (Lonhro {Aus}); GI Acorn S. third Gio Game (Gio Ponti); Giant Game (Giant's Causeway), runner-up in the 2021 GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile; and the promising Japanese-based 3-year-old colt Great Sand Sea (Into Mischief). Adande is due to **Silver State** for her 2023 foal.

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Albaugh Family Stables' Angel of Empire worked alongside stablemate **Tapit's Conquest** (**Tapit**), who was most recently seventh in the Louisiana Derby, just as the track opened at 5:30 a.m. Sporting blinkers while working outside his stablemate through early fractions of :12.40 and :24.40, Angel of Empire galloped out five furlongs in 1:00.80, according to Churchill Downs clocker John Nichols. Cox's exercise rider Edvin Vargas was aboard for the move.



Angel of Empire | *Coady Photography*

Two hours later, Vargas was again in the irons when West Point Thoroughbreds and Albaugh Family Stables' Jace's Road worked in company with Smarty Jones S. winner Victory Formation (**Tapwrit**).

"It was a solid morning with three weeks out from the Derby," Cox said. "It's always an exciting time of year and we'll see what happens in 21 days."

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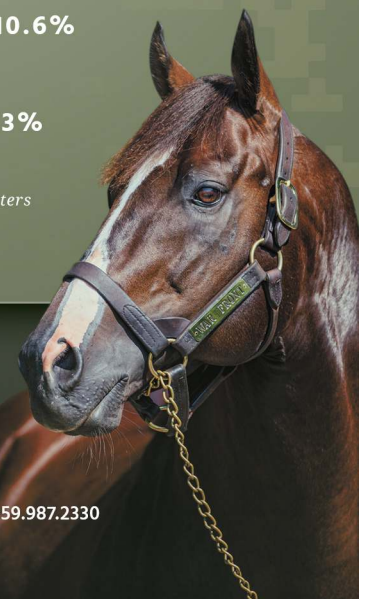
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Following Jace's Road's work, Cox's other Derby contenders, GI Toyota Blue Grass S. runner-up **Verifying** (*Justify*) and GI Wood Memorial runner-up **Hit Show** (*Candy Ride {Arg}*), galloped about 1 1/2 miles. Both are scheduled to work next Saturday.

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KEY OF LIFE FAVORED IN BEAUMONT

Flurry Racing Stables and Hoffman Family Racing's **Key of Life** (*Mo Town*) is the even-money favorite on the morning line for Sunday's GI Beaumont S. at Keeneland, the lone graded offering of the day in the U.S. The bay filly, who faces six rivals in the seven-furlong event for 3-year-old fillies, comes off a front-running tally in the Mar. 25 Purple Mountain S.

While she will be trying seven furlongs for the first time in her career, the Brad Cox trainee already owns a pair of victories over the Keeneland surface. She romped by 6 1/4 lengths in a optional claimer last October before adding a 6 3/4-length victory in the Oct. 28 Myrtlewood S. Both of those efforts were at six furlongs.

Cox, who won the GIII Stonestreet Lexington S. with First Mission (*Street Sense*) on Saturday's card at Keeneland, will be looking for his second straight win in the Beaumont, following Matareya (*Pioneerof the Nile*)'s victory a year ago.

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Date	Race	Track
Apr. 16	GII Beaumont S. (Keeneland Select)	Keeneland
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Apr. 22	GII Elkhorn S.	Keeneland
	GII Oaklawn H.	Oaklawn
	GII Californian S.	Santa Anita
	GIII Kona Gold S.	Santa Anita
	GIII Ben Ali S.	Keeneland
Apr. 28	GIII Bewitch S.	Keeneland
Apr. 29	GII Santa Maria S.	Santa Anita
	GIII Providencia S.	Santa Anita
	GIII San Francisco Mile	Golden Gate
Apr. 30	GIII Wilshire S.	Santa Anita
May 5	GI Longines Kentucky Oaks	Churchill
	GI La Troienne S.	Churchill
	GII Alysheba S. (Sentient Jet)	Churchill
	GII Edgewood S. (Forcht Bank)	Churchill
	GII Sheepshead Bay S.	Belmont
	GIII Westchester S.	Belmont
	GIII Modesty S.	Churchill

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PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Shoplifter	Super Saver	Anderson Stables, LLC, Eddie Kenneally, and Christian Hays	Kenneally	Lanerie	118
2	She's On the Rocks	California Chrome	Eduardo Terrazas	Gorostieta	McKee	118
3	Stonewall Star	Flatter	Barry K. Schwartz	De Paz	Saez	118
4	Interpolate	Into Mischief	Klaravich Stables, Inc.	Brown	Ortiz, Jr.	118
5	Fun and Feisty	Midshipman	Lucky Seven Stable	McPeek	Hernandez, Jr.	118
6	Opus Forty Two	Mendelssohn	Mark B. Grier	Delacour	Gaffalione	118
7	Key of Life	Mo Town	Flurry Racing Stables LLC and Hoffman Family Racing, LLC	Cox	Prat	118

Breeders: 1-Douglas Scharbauer, 2-California Chrome Syndicate & TerrazasThoroughbreds, LLC., 3-Stonewall Farm, 4-Capital Bloodstock, 5-J. Stephen McDonald, 6-Rose Hill Farm & John Trumbulovic, 7-Moreau Bloodstock International, Inc.



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SCYLLA BECOMES LATEST 'RISING STAR' FOR TAPIT



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by Stefanie Grimm

The latest royally-bred filly to hit the track for owner/breeder Juddmonte Farm, **Scylla** (**Tapit**) lived up to her illustrious connections with a 2 1/2-length score on debut at Keeneland Saturday.

Despite being the full-sister to current Taylor Made stallion **Tacitus**, MGSW & MGISP, \$3,767,350, Scylla earned only 5-2 billing--going off as the second choice in the wagering behind the more experienced **Zeitlos** (**Curlin**). A step slow from the blocks, the bay found herself in eighth with only a handful of rivals beaten as **Miss Arlington** (Mark Valeski) paced the field through opening fractions of :22.50 and :46.31. Given her head with room to run around the far turn, Scylla began to pick up the pieces with an impressive move towards the front, challenging new leader Zeitlos with a furlong to run. With more left to give and all the momentum, she cruised by into the final sixteenth and cleared off nicely to the wire to win by open lengths going away under only a mild ride.

The third winner produced from champion older mare Close Hatches (First Defense), herself a full-sister to SW & MGISP Lockdown--the dam of SW Idiotmatic (**Curlin**)--Scylla traces back to European champion 2-year-old colt Xaar (GB) (Zafonic) as well as G1 Tattersalls Irish Two Thousand Guineas and GI Keeneland Phoenix S. victor Siskin (First Defence). Close Hatches has a 2-year-old full-brother to **Tacitus** and Scylla still to make the races along with a yearling **Constitution** filly and a newborn **Uncle Mo** filly, all of whom remain with Juddmonte. Scylla is **Tapit's** 52nd 'TDN Rising Star'.

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6th-Keeneland, \$99,588, Msw, 4-15, 3yo, f, 6f, 1:10.32, ft, 2 1/2 lengths.

SCYLLA, f, 3, by **Tapit**

1st Dam: Close Hatches {Ch. Older Mare, MGISW, \$2,707,300}, by First Defence)

2nd Dam: Rising Tornado, by Storm Cat

3rd Dam: Silver Star (GB), by Zafonic

Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$56,575. O/B-Juddmonte Farms Inc (KY); T-William I. Mott. [Click for the Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#), sponsored by TVG. [Click for the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.](#)

SUNDAY'S RACING INSIGHTS:

by J.N. Campbell



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WINCHELL COLT SET TO PULL DEBUT OUT OF HAT

6th-KEE, \$100K, Msw, 3yo, 6f, 3:40 p.m.

At Keeneland on Sunday afternoon, **MAGIC TAP** (**Tapit**) debuts for Winchell Thoroughbreds breaking from post three with Irad Ortiz Jr. in the irons. The \$450,000 KESEEP purchase, bred by Don Alberto, is a half to MGISW American Gal (Concord Point).

Dam GSP American Story (**Ghostzapper**) is herself a sibling to G1 Golden Shaheen victor Reynaldothewizard (**Speightstown**) and GI Apple Blossom scorer Seventh Street (Street Cry {Ire}), who went on to produce GSW Lake Avenue (**Tapit**).

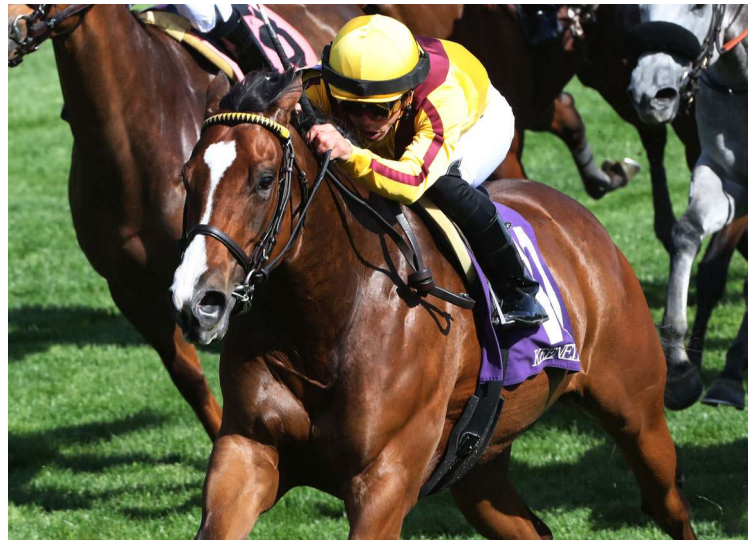
This Steve Asmussen firster fired a bullet work at the Fair Grounds on Mar. 26 (5f, :59.40, 1/27).

Drawn to the inside, **MALIBU SPRINGS** (*Quality Road*), for Todd Pletcher, is out of multiple stakes winning dam Marquee Miss (Cowboy Cal), who herself is a half-sister to GISW Promises Fulfilled (Shackleford). The WinStar homebred will have the services of John Velazquez.

BRIGADE COMMANDER (*Hard Spun*), a \$325,000 KESEEP buy, was bred by Tami Bobo. Trained by Dallas Stewart and ridden by Flavien Prat, the bay colt counts GISW Daddys Lil Darling (Scat Daddy) and GI Breeders' Cup Turf Sprint hero Mongolian Saturday (Any Given Saturday) among his female family. **TJCS**

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IN ORDER OF PURSE:

GIANT'S CAUSEWAY S., \$214,650, Keeneland, 4-15, 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2fT, 1:01.74, fm.

1--**TWILIGHT GLEAMING (IRE)**, 122, f, 4, **National Defense (GB)--Thames Pageant (GB)**, by **Dansili (GB)**. (£75,000 Ylg '20 GOFOR). O-Stonestreet Stables LLC; B-Pier House Stud (Ire); T-Wesley A. Ward; J-Irad Ortiz, Jr. \$113,150. Lifetime Record: GSW-USA, SW-Fr, GSP-Eng, 10-6-3-0, \$906,580.

2--**Querobin Dourada**, 122, f, 4, Capo Bastone--Gusto Dolce (Uru), by T. H. Approval. O-Brownwood Farm, LLC; B-Haras Phillipson Inc. (KY); T-Paulo H. Lobo. \$45,625.

3--**Star Devine (Ire)**, 122, m, 5, Fastnet Rock (Aus)--Stars At Night (Ire), by Galileo (Ire). (200,000gns Ylg '19 TATOCT). O-L. Goichman; B-Rockhart Trading (Ire); T-J. Abreu. \$18,250.

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Margins: 1HF, HD, NK. Odds: 2.77, 87.18, 5.34.

Also Ran: Happy Soul, Little Jewel, Mamba Wamba (Ire), Minaun (Ire)-(DH), Miner's Queen-(DH), Oeuvre, Opening Buzz, Train to Artemus, Creative Credit. Scratched: Amy C (GB), Fast Giselle, Sarah Harper.

A sprint specialist, **Twilight Gleaming** made her seasonal debut Saturday with a clear win in Keeneland's 5 1/2 furlong Giant's Causeway S. The GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Sprint winner from 2021, the Stonestreet-owned '**TDN Rising Star**' won two of her four starts last year culminating in a fourth-place effort behind GI Breeders' Cup Turf Sprint winner Caravel (Mizzen Mast) in the GIII Franklin S. at Keeneland Oct. 16. Not seen since, Twilight Gleaning returned to the races with aplomb Saturday as the 5-2 favorite.

Sitting pretty outside of **Miner's Queen** (Bernardini), she kept pressure on that pacesetter through an opening half in :44.39. Pushed to the front from the three path around the turn, Twilight Gleaming kicked into gear past the furlong marker and easily overtook the lead, keeping a closing 87-1 shot **Querobin Dourada** at bay for the win.

Trainer Wesley Ward seemed to indicate a return to Royal Ascot for his winning filly.

"Both fillies (Love Reigns and Twilight Gleaming) certainly look like they would do really, really well in the G1 King's Stand. We'll get home and assess it with the team. To have a stakes record in this race--there's been a lot of great fillies that have run in it--that really says a lot."

Twilight Gleaming has a placed 3-year-old half-brother, Spartan Arrow (Ire) (**Sioux Nation**), a 2-year-old half-sister by Phoenix of Spain (Ire), and a yearling Ribchester (Ire) half-brother still to race. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

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FEDERICO TESIO S., \$125,000, Laurel, 4-15, 3yo, 1 1/8m, 1:52.18, ft.

1--**PERFORM**, 118, c, 3, by **Good Magic**

1st Dam: Jane Says, by Tale of Ekati

2nd Dam: Judy B, by Marquetry

3rd Dam: Leslie's Lady, by Tricky Creek

(\$230,000 Ylg '21 KESEEP). **1ST BLACK TYPE WIN.** O-Woodford Racing LLC, Lanes End Farm, Phipps Stable, Ken Langone, and Edward J. Hudson Jr.; B-Michael Orem & J.B. Lane Orem (KY); T-Claude R. McGaughey III; J-Feargal Lynch. \$75,000. Lifetime Record: 7-2-1-1, \$130,956.

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2--**Ninetyprcentmaddie**, 124, c, 3, Weigelia--Amblin Easy, by Private Interview. O/B-LC Racing (PA); T-R. Reid, Jr. \$25,000.
 3--**Summer Cause**, 118, c, 3, **Summer Front**--Our Cause, by Arch. **1ST BLACK TYPE**. O/B-Waterford Stables, Inc. (KY); T-Christophe Clement. \$12,500.
 Margins: HD, 1 1/4, 3/4. Odds: 10.00, 3.90, 6.60.
 Also Ran: Eldest Son, Coffeewithchris, Prince of Jericho, Circling the Drain, Time to Cruise, Fletcher.

Perform came away with his first stakes victory for Hall of Fame trainer Shug McGaughey in the Tesio S. Saturday afternoon at Laurel Park. Without a nomination for the Triple Crown, the bay colt will not receive an automatic spot in the gate for this year's GI Preakness S.

To get to Laurel, the \$230,000 KEESEP purchase raced at five different tracks starting as a juvenile at Belmont Park July 3 before he broke his maiden at Tampa Bay Mar. 11 by 2 3/4 lengths. The 10-1 price settled at the rear of the field from the start and throughout the backstretch. Into the far turn he continued to lag behind, but at the top of the lane, Perform weaved through traffic along the rail. With less than a sixteenth left he angled out to the two path eclipsed Ninetyprcentmaddie just before the wire to pull off the upset by a head.

"I was expecting him to be keen. Shug said, 'You've got to get him to relax,'" his jockey Feargal Lynch said. "[Jockey] Irad [Ortiz Jr.] said the last time at Tampa he got him switched off and he came home good. He's always been a nice horse, but the key's been getting him to relax."

The winner hails from a family that includes Leslie's Lady (Tricky Creek), who produced multiple champion Beholder (Henry Hughes), GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Turf victor **Mendelssohn** (Scat Daddy) and multiple leading sire in the U.S., Into Mischief (Harlan's Holiday). Perform has a 2-year-old half-brother by **Mastery** and his dam just foaled another by Rock Your World. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**



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WEBER CITY MISS S., \$125,000, Laurel, 4-15, 3yo, f, 1 1/16m, 1:47.42, ft.

1--**CATS INTHE TIMBER**, 118, f, 3, by **Honor Code**
1st Dam: Wychwood, by Tale of the Cat
2nd Dam: Queen's Wood, by Tiznow
3rd Dam: Salon Prive, by Private Account

1ST BLACK TYPE WIN. O/B-Haymarket Farm LLC (KY); T-Brittany T. Russell; J-Jevian Toledo. \$75,000. Lifetime Record: 6-3-1-1, \$152,400.

Paul Sharp Training Stables Graduate



2--**Crypto Mama**, 118, f, 3, Cloud Computing--Silly Little Mama, by Old Topper. (\$30,000 Wlg '20 KEENOV; \$47,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP). O-George Hall & Annestes Racing; B-Scott Pierce (KY); T-Kelly J. Breen. \$25,000.

3--**Six the Hard Way**, 118, f, 3, **Creative Cause**--Silver Lantana, by Badge of Silver. (\$4,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP). **1ST BLACK TYPE.** O-Mi Patria Racing; B-Brereton C. Jones (KY); T-Rodolfo Sanchez-Salomon. \$12,500.

Margins: HF, 1 3/4, 4HF. Odds: 7.00, 1.60, 8.70.

Also Ran: Cynergy's Electra, Ginger Girl, Girl Trouble. Scratched: Pharoahs Baby Gyal.

Cats Inthe Timber earned an automatic berth in the GII Black-Eyed Susan S. with her first stakes victory at Laurel Saturday. Away slightly awkwardly, the filly raced near the back into the first turn. She began picking off foes behind a pedestrian pace down the backstretch and rushed up four wide on the far turn and determinedly outbattled Crypto Mama to the wire.

A maiden winner at Delaware last October, Cats Inthe Timber opened 2023 with a third-place effort in a Jan. 13 optional claimer before battling to the win in a Jan. 28 optional claimer. She made her third straight start going one mile at Laurel with a fourth-place effort in the Mar. 18 Beyond the Wire S. last time out.

"That was a nice surprise," said winning trainer Brittany Russell. "It's been a rollercoaster of a day. This filly is tough. She's just game. You put her beside a horse and she's going to fight."

The unraced Wychwood, who sold for \$70,000 with the winner in utero at the 2020 Keeneland January sale, produced a filly by **Hard Spun** last year and was bred back to More Than Ready. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

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11th-Keeneland, \$119,500, Alw (NW2\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$80,000), 4-15, 4yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:17.99, ft, neck.

TARABI (f, 4, First Samurai--Indian Bay, by Indian Charlie), never off the board in all six of her starts beginning as a juvenile when she broke her maiden at Ellis Park by 5 1/2 lengths, was second in the GI Spinaway S. at Saratoga and third in the GI Breeders Cup Juvenile to champion Echo Zulu (**Gun Runner**). Last seen Sept. 24 when she placed behind her rival in the Dogwood S. at Churchill Downs, she returned as the 5-2 favorite in this spot. Breaking from the extreme outside, the chestnut filly pursued a pair of leaders around the far turn. Traveling three-wide, she secured the lead past the eighth pole and held on for the victory, despite a late run from Your So Sillea (**Lea**). The winner is a full-sister to Shivaji, GSW & G1SP-Jpn, \$2,147,669. Her unraced mare is also responsible for a 2-year-old filly named Lady Chai (**Kantharos**) and a yearling colt by Authentic. Sales History: \$240,000 Ylg '20 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: MGISP, 7-3-3-1, \$493,140. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

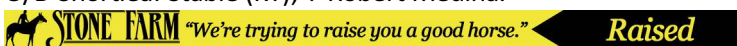
O-LBD Stable, Manganaro Bloodstock & David Ingordo; B-Hinkle Farms (KY); T-Cherie DeVaux.



3rd-Keeneland, \$118,405, Alw, 4-15, (NW2\$X), 4yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:40.38, fm, 3/4 length.

VIVAR (c, 4, Cairo Prince--Debit, by Tapit) switched barns from Brad Cox to Robert Medina last fall and turned in a pair of seconds against allowance company Jan. 21 and Feb. 22 at Turfway Park. Switching to the turf here, the hooded 19-1 shot trailed around the clubhouse turn, but under a quick half-mile of :46.60, the dark gray colt began to make up ground around the far turn. Looking for running room at the top of the lane, the homebred cut to the outside past the eighth pole and mowed down the competition to win by 3/4 length over James Aloysius (More Than Ready). Vivar's dam has a 2-year-old filly named Creditor (**Collected**) and a yearling full-brother to the winner. Lifetime Record: 11-3-2-0, \$249,350. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

O/B-Shortleaf Stable (KY); T-Robert Medina.



7th-Keeneland, \$110,000, Alw, 4-15, (NW1X), 4yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:45.02, ft, neck.

BARBER ROAD (c, 4, Race Day--Encounter, by Southern Image) raced through every step of the Arkansas series last year en route to a sixth in the GI Kentucky Derby and seventh in the GI Belmont S. Returning to training in the fall, the gray colt took on allowance company four times at Oaklawn starting Dec. 17 with his best finish in his latest race, when he second Mar. 11 at 9 furlongs. Cutting back here as the 2-1 second choice, the John Ortiz trainee chased favorite Principe d'Oro (**Medaglia d'Oro**) down the backstretch and making a bold middle move in between horses before the far turn, found himself in a dual with the leader. Past the quarter pole, the pair went back and forth before it was Barber Road that found more to declare victory by a neck. Dam Encounter was bred to **Independence Hall** last year. Sales History: \$15,000 Wlg '19 KEENOV. Lifetime Record: GISP, 15-3-5-2, \$784,253. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

O-WSS Racing, LLC; B-Susan Forrester & Judy Curry (KY); T-John Alexander Ortiz.

Hughes Bloodstock Weanling Purchase

5th-Keeneland, \$109,550, Alw, 4-15, (NW1X), 3yo, 1 1/8mT, 1:48.20, fm, 5 3/4 lengths.

DESERT DUKE (c, 3, Kitten's Joy--Desert Duchess {SW, \$240,505}, by Hard Spun) broke his maiden in wire-to-wire fashion Feb. 25 at the Fair Grounds in what was his fourth try and third attempt over the grass in New Orleans. At 10-1, the frontrunner once again served as the pace from the off. Unchallenged rounding the far turn, Desert Duke sped away down the lane to win by a comfortable 5 3/4 lengths over Classic Creation (**Classic Empire**). His dam's first offspring, the winner has a 2-year-old half-brother named Uprising (**Constitution**) and a yearling half-sister by **Munnings**. Desert Duchess visited **Not This Time** last year. Lifetime Record: 5-2-1-1, \$107,733. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

O-William Henderson; B-Sam Henderson (KY); T-Chris Hartman.

2nd-Aqueduct, \$79,540, Alw (NW1\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$62,500), 4-15, 3yo, 6f, 1:12.05, ft, 1 length.

LOOMS BOLDLY (c, 3, Goldcents--See the Forest, by Forestry) made his first start in opening company Saturday after taking the Damon Runyon S. for NY-breds at Aqueduct last time out Mar. 19. Heavily favored at 3-5, the Triple Crown-nominated colt sped from the gate straight to the lead to show the way through an opening quarter in a sharp :22.44. Chased throughout by Heldish (Great Notion), Looms Boldly hugged the rail into the stretch and kept on finding, keeping that rival at bay for the one-length score. See the Forest, already responsible for

Critical Value (Bodemeister), MSW, \$303,795, is herself a daughter of MGISW Critical Eye (Dynaformer). After two years of failing to produce a foal, she dropped a colt by **Constitution** this spring. Lifetime Record: SW, 5-3-1-1, \$162,640. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

O-Ten Strike Racing; B-Marshall Gramm & Clay Sanders (NY);

T-Brad H. Cox.

Paul Sharp Training Stables Graduate

5th-Laurel, \$61,590, Alw (NW1X)/Opt. Clm (\$50,000-\$62,500), 4-15, 3yo, 6f, 1:11.42, ft, 4 1/4 lengths.

THATAWAY (g, 3, Sky Kingdom--Boudicca, by Hard Spun) graduated over this track and trip while facing \$30,000 maiden claimers in his Feb. 10 debut, but was never in the mix when seventh stretched out to one mile here Mar. 11. The 5-1 shot was hustled out of the gate, but was outfooted and near the back of a compact field down the backstretch. He improved his position along the rail on the turn, tipped out three wide at the top of the lane and strode to the lead with a furlong to run before pulling clear to score by 4 1/4 lengths. Running River (Long River) was second. Thataway, a \$25,000 EASOCT yearling, is a half-brother to Dendrobia (Denman {Aus}), SP, \$199,411. He has a yearling half-sister by Irish War Cry and his dam was bred to Bourbo Courage last year. Boudicca is a half-sister to For Royalty (Not For Love), dam of Grade I winner Constellation (Bellamy Road). **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.** Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, \$62,400.

O-Louis Ulman & Stephen Parker; B-Charles McGinnes (MD); T-Phillip Capuano.

10th-Gulfstream, \$44,000, (NW1X)/Opt. Clm (\$75,000), 4-15, 3yo, 6f, 1:11.04, ft, 2 1/4 lengths.

SWIRVIN (c, 3, Girvin--Cara Sorella, by Brother Derek) took a 4 1/2-month break after winning over this track on debut and cut back a sixteenth of a mile in his return to stay undefeated with a win here at odds of 5-2. The bay colt broke smartly and sped to the front where he showed the way along the rail all the way up the backstretch and into the far turn. He was challenged briefly by Quincy Café (Mendelssohn) and Great Navigator (Sea Wizard) to his outside midway on the bend, but found an extra gear at the quarter pole. He opened up down the lane and held on to his advantage in deep stretch, crossing the wire 2 1/4 lengths in front of 22-1 outsider Quincy Café. His dam also produced an unnamed yearling full brother and full sister this year. Sales Results: \$20,000 Wlg '20 KEENOV; \$25,000 Ylg '21 OBSOCT; \$60,000 2yo '22 OBSAPR. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$62,400. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

O-Bassett Stables; B-Brereton C. Jones (KY); T-Saffie A. Joseph, Jr.



IN ORDER OF PURSE:

1st-Keeneland, \$100,000, Msw, 4-15, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:46.22, ft, neck.

OGLETHORPE (c, 4, Arrogate--Star Act {SP, \$147,605}, by Street Cry {Ire}) was narrowly defeated twice in New York last summer and played bridesmaid once more in his 4-year-old opener at Gulfstream Mar. 17. Back on the main track for the first time since his Belmont unveiling last year and racing with blinkers for the first time as the 9-5 second choice, the bay was content to let Trumptastic (Race Day) go on with it up front. Three wide around the far turn, Oglethorpe came with a sustained bid outside of that leader and just pulled out a narrow victory, nailing Trumptastic on the wire to win by a neck. From the female family of MGISW Stellar Jayne (Wild Rush) and GISW Star Billing (Dynaformer), Oglethorpe has a 2-year-old half-sister by **Justify**. Star Act returned to **Justify** twice more but has not produced a foal since. Sales History: \$350,000 Ylg '20 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 4-1-2-1, \$105,825. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

O-West Paces Racing LLC, R. A. Hill Stable, Danny Gargan and Anthony Sileno; B-George Krikorian (KY); T-Danny Gargan.

 Consigned by **HILL 'N' DALE** Sales Agency 

9th-Aqueduct, \$80,000, Msw, 4-15, 3yo/up, f/m, 6ft, 1:08.61, fm, 1 3/4 lengths.

DEKANTER (f, 4, Kantharos--Morning Rush, by Unbridled's Song) debuted Mar. 16 at Gulfstream Park, finishing third against a field of mixed competition sprinting six panels on the main track. Sent up to New York and swapped to the grass here, the 11-1 shot put in a gutsy effort and snuck up the rail in the lane to victory in the night cap over Accept the Outcome (Ire) (**No Nay Never**). The most recent to the races for her dam thus far, she has a pair of unraced half-sisters in Celebration Dance (Tale of the Cat) and Miss Spitfire (**The Factor**) as well as being the younger half-sister to SP Shoo Shine (Gemologist). Dam Morning Rush delivered a 2023 filly by **Classic Empire**. Sales history: \$50,000 Ylg '20 FTKSEL. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$52,400. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

O-Brown Road Racing and Old Tavern Farm; B-Rustlewood Farm, Inc. (FL); T-Jorge R. Abreu.

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7th-Aqueduct, \$70,000, (S), Msw, 4-15, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:44.12, fm, neck.

KOSUKE (f, 3, Karakontie {Jpn}--Osaka, by First Samurai), ignored at the windows, went off at 41-1 in her debut over the Inner Turf Course at the 'Big A.' Taking up the second position, the homebred stuck closely to the 28-1 pacesetter into the clubhouse turn and down the backstretch. Given her cue before the top of the lane, the longshot ranged up and was let loose, finding the wire to score by a neck over the hard-charging Starts Now (**Mucho Macho Man**). The winner is his unraced dam's latest progeny. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$38,500. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

O/B-Berkshire Stud (NY); T-H. James Bond.

SHOOTING STAR SALES

Graduate

6th-Laurel, \$52,600, Msw, 4-15, 3, 4, /5yo, 1mT, 1:34.73, fm, 1 1/2 lengths.

BASSANIO (GB) (g, 4, Bated Breath {GB}--Unnatural, by Proud Citizen) opened his career with a pair of runner-up efforts going 1 1/16 miles over the Tampa Bay turf Dec. 2 and Jan. 22 and was coming off a fourth-place effort when stretched to 1 3/8 miles in Tampa Mar. 22. The 3-5 favorite, adding blinkers for this third start, settled in third under a snug hold through a quarter in :23.37 and pulled his way closer through a half in :46.94. Tipped out three wide at the top of the lane, the dark bay gelding surged to the lead at midstretch and spurted clear to win by a geared-down 1 1/2-lengths. First-time starter Toofareastiswest (**Street Sense**) closed late to be second. Bassanio was a 185,000gns TATDEC weanling and a 170,000gns TATOCT yearling. He has a yearling full-brother who sold for \$107,584 at last year's Tattersalls December sale. Unnatural is a half-sister to the dam of champion Dream Ahead (Diktat {GB}). **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.** Lifetime Record: 4-1-2-0, \$42,890.

O-West Point Thoroughbreds; B-Laundry Cottage Stud Farm (GB); T-Arnaud Delacour.

5th-Gulfstream, \$43,700, Msw, 4-15, 3yo, 1 1/16m (AWT) (off turf), 1:43.16, ft, 4 lengths.

AMSTRONG (c, 3, Tapwrit--Abbreviate, by Harlan's Holiday) debuted third over the dirt Jan. 14 in Hallandale before finishing a well-beaten eighth Mar. 4. Rained off the turf onto the Tapeta and trying two turns for the first time, the 2-1 favorite tracked just off the pacesetter and making his move around the far turn, made for home to graduate by four lengths over Lookin for Roses (**Lookin At Lucky**). The winner, who also has a yearling full-sister, is his dam's first offspring. Sales History: \$51,000 Ylg '21 KESEEP. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-1, \$33,900. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

O-Soldi Stable LLC and Ohana Racing LLC; B-Gainesway Thoroughbreds LTD & Bridlewood Farm, LLC (KY); T-Jose Francisco D'Angelo.

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3rd-Gulfstream, \$43,000, Msw, 4-15, 3yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:18.36, ft, 2 1/4 lengths.

PRACTIKO (c, 3, Practical Joke--Song of Melody, by Flat Out), fifth over the main track in his Jan. 14 debut, was returning to the dirt and adding blinkers following a well-beaten ninth-place effort over the Gulfstream lawn Mar. 12. The 7-1 shot was hustled out to battle Pay Zone (**Mosler**) on the front end through an opening quarter in :22.09 and began inching away from that rival into the far turn. Clear through a half in :45.11, the gray colt held Maptitude (Liam's Map) at bay to the wire despite drifting out late to graduate by 2 1/4 lengths. Practiko was a \$60,000 KEENOV weanling and an \$85,000 KESEEP yearling. Song of Melody produced a colt by **Not This Time** in 2021--who sold for \$87,000 at last year's Keeneland January sale and again for \$320,000 at Keeneland September--and a filly by Competitive Edge last year. She was bred back to **The Factor**. The winner's third dam is Words of War (Lord at War {Arg}) **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.** Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$27,240.

O-Korina Stable; B-James Allender & Jackson Roberts (KY); T-Jose Francisco D'Angelo.



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1st-Gulfstream, \$40,000, Moc (\$50,000), 4-15, (C), 3yo, f, 1m 70y (AWT) (off turf), 1:40.29, ft, nose.

STARSHIP AURORA (f, 3, Khozan--Realgoodlookin, by Unbridled's Song) drew in off the also-eligible list after just missing have a half-length over this same surface and conditions Mar. 23. Bumped up with an extra 70 yards to work with, the 3-1 second choice settled back to race sixth in mid pack while kept four wide up the backstretch. With an outside move around the far turn, Starship Aurora began to close on pacesetter Rugealch (**Twirling Candy**) and, though it took her the length of the stretch to do so, finally got by in the last jump to win by a nose. A half-sister to Lovely Luvy (He's Had Enough), MSW, \$308,333, Starship Aurora's only younger sibling is a 2-year-old half-sister, Realistic Goal (**The Factor**). Sales History: \$1,200 Ylg '21 OBSWIN; \$40,000 Ylg '21 OBSOCT; \$75,000 RNA 2yo '22 OBSAPR. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$34,400. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

O-Starship Stables; B-Rustlewood Farm, Inc. (FL); T-Steven Dwsokin.



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**IN AUSTRALIA:**

National Guard, g, 7, **War Front**--Coin Broker (Ire), by Montjeu (Ire). Ascot, 4-15, Hcp., 1800mT, 1:51.28. B-Coin Broker Syndicate (KY). *1/2 to Donna Veloce (**Uncle Mo**), GSW & MGISP, \$502,500.

**IN CHILE:**

Guairaba (Chi), f, 2, **Practical Joke**--Gazania (Chi), by **Lookin At Lucky**. Club Hipico, 4-14, Clasico Cotejo de Potrancas-G3, 1300mT, 1:14.51. B-Haras Paso Nevado. *1ST GROUP WIN. 1ST STAKES WIN. **VIDEO (SC 7)**

**SECOND-CROP STARTERS TO WATCH: SUNDAY, APRIL 16***2023 Stud Fees Listed*

Always Dreaming (Bodemeister), WinStar Farm, \$10,000
213 foals of racing age/25 winners/1 black-type winner
6-Keeneland, 3:40 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Saudi Crown, 9-2
\$45,000 KEE JAN wnl; \$240,000 OBS APR 2yo
6-Gulfstream, 3:09 p.m. EDT, Msw 1 1/16mT, Starship Agenda
\$17,000 KEE JAN wnl; \$90,000 KEE SEP yrl

Army Mule (Friesan Fire), Hill 'n' Dale at Xalapa, \$12,500
143 foals of racing age/38 winners/7 black-type winners
9-Laurel, 4:38 p.m. EDT, Alw 5 1/2f, Judy's Army, 20-1
\$62,000 EAS OCT yrl; \$40,000 OBS APR 2yo
3-Lone Star, 3:31 p.m. EDT, Aoc 6f, U. S. Army, 2-1
\$8,000 KEE JAN wnl; \$32,000 FTC AYR yrl

Bolt d'Oro (Medaglia d'Oro), Spendthrift Farm, \$35,000
256 foals of racing age/39 winners/6 black-type winners
7-Keeneland, 4:12 p.m. EDT, \$250K Palisades S., 5 1/2fT,
Chiringo, 20-1

\$50,000 KEE SEP yrl; \$260,000 OBS MAR 2yo
7-Keeneland, 4:12 p.m. EDT, \$250K Palisades S., 5 1/2fT,
Olazabal, 8-1
\$60,000 FTK OCT yrl

City of Light (Quality Road), Lane's End Farm, \$60,000
209 foals of racing age/24 winners/5 black-type winners
7-Keeneland, 4:12 p.m. EDT, \$250K Palisades S., 5 1/2fT,
Gaslight Dancer, 8-1
\$80,000 FTK JUL yrl; \$260,000 OBS APR 2yo
6-Gulfstream, 3:09 p.m. EDT, Msw 1 1/16mT, Goldcrest, 15-1

Girvin (Tale of Ekati), Airdrie Stud, \$20,000
180 foals of racing age/32 winners/5 black-type winners
6-Keeneland, 3:40 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Briterdayahead, 8-1
7-Keeneland, 4:12 p.m. EDT, \$250K Palisades S., 5 1/2fT,
Damon's Mound, 6-1

Good Samaritan (Harlan's Holiday), WinStar Farm, \$7,500
172 foals of racing age/31 winners/1 black-type winner
6-Laurel, 3:02 p.m. EDT, Msw 1mT, Good Accelebrate, 20-1
\$23,000 RNA SAR AUG yrl; \$18,000 EAS MAY 2yo

Liberty Lover (Diabolical)

4 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners
7-Sunray, 6:39 p.m. EDT, Msw 4 1/2f, Imperial Eagles, 4-1

Long On Value (Value Plus), Pleasant Acres Stallions
30 foals of racing age/4 winners/0 black-type winners
4-Aqueduct, 2:56 p.m. EDT, Aoc 7f, Majestic Return, 9-2

Mendelssohn (Scat Daddy), Coolmore Ashford, \$25,000
348 foals of racing age/44 winners/3 black-type winners
7-Keeneland, 4:12 p.m. EDT, \$250K Palisades S., 5 1/2fT,
Fadethenoise, 20-1
7-Keeneland, 4:12 p.m. EDT, \$250K Palisades S., 5 1/2fT, Golden
Nugget, 12-1
\$180,000 KEE SEP yrl; \$350,000 OBS MAR 2yo
8-Keeneland, 4:44 p.m. EDT, \$400K GII Beaumont S. Presented
by Keeneland Select, 7f, Opus Forty Two, 8-1
\$185,000 FTK JUL yrl
7-Keeneland, 4:12 p.m. EDT, \$250K Palisades S., 5 1/2fT, Storm
Daddy, 30-1
6-Laurel, 3:02 p.m. EDT, Msw 1mT, Wings of a Song, 15-1

Mor Spirit (Eskendereya), Spendthrift Farm, \$5,000
190 foals of racing age/29 winners/1 black-type winner
3-Lone Star, 3:31 p.m. EDT, Aoc 6f, Aaron's Spirit, 12-1
\$19,000 RNA FTK OCT yrl; \$25,000 OBS OPN 2yo

Mo Town (Uncle Mo), Coolmore Ashford, \$5,000
 172 foals of racing age/30 winners/3 black-type winners
 8-Keeneland, 4:44 p.m. EDT, \$400K Gil Beaumont S. Presented
 by Keeneland Select, 7f, Key of Life, 1-1
 \$42,000 OBS OCT yrl; \$350,000 OBS APR 2yo

No Never No More (Scat Daddy), Pleasant Acres Stallions
 19 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners
 9-Laurel, 4:38 p.m. EDT, Alw 5 1/2f, Tiz No Clown, 10-1
 \$2,200 EAS DEC wnl

Oscar Performance (Kitten's Joy), Mill Ridge Farm, \$20,000
 172 foals of racing age/22 winners/2 black-type winners
 6-Gulfstream, 3:09 p.m. EDT, Msw 1 1/16mT, Literate, 6-1
 \$27,000 KEE SEP yrl

Sky Flight (Sky Mesa)
 12 foals of racing age/3 winners/0 black-type winners
 2-Lone Star, 3:03 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Sassy Flyer, 8-1



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STAKES RESULTS:
HEAVENLY CAUSE S., \$100,000, Laurel, 4-15, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m,
 1:38.32, ft.
 1--**BETH'S DREAM, 122, m, 5, Jess's Dream--Gator Brew (SW),
 by Milwaukee Brew. 1ST BLACK TYPE WIN.** O-James &
 Virginia
 Gamble; B-James Gamble (FL); T-Victor Barboza, Jr.; J-Jaime
 Rodriguez. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 10-5-1-1, \$221,160.
 2--**Pass the Champagne, 120, m, 5, Flatter--Champagne Taste,
 by Distorted Humor.** O-R. A. Hill Stable, Black Type
 Thoroughbreds, Rock Ridge Racing LLC, BlackRidge Stables LLC
 & James Brown; B-Preston Madden (KY); T-George Weaver.
 \$20,000.



3--**Award Wanted, 122, m, 6, Macho Uno--Touring Hong Kong,
 by Cherokee's Boy.** O-No Guts No Glory Farm & Erica Upton;
 B-Alexandro Rubim Dias (MD); T-John J. Robb. \$10,000.
IT PAYS TO BREED MARYLAND-BREDS
 Margins: 2, 4 1/4, 3/4. Odds: 1.40, 2.50, 5.30.

FRANK Y. WHITELEY S., \$100,000, Laurel, 4-15, 3yo/up, 7f,
 1:24.05, ft.
 1--**ALWAYSINAHURRY, 122, g, 5, Great Notion--Otherwise
 Perfect, by Lemon Drop Kid.** (\$70,000 Ylg '19 EASOCT).
 O-Mopo Racing; B-Dr. & Mrs. Thomas Bowman, Quin Bowman
 & Rebecca Davis (MD); T-Phillip Capuano; J-Jorge Ruiz.
 \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 24-7-5-4, \$425,082. *1/2 to I Stand
 Alone (Dance With Ravens), SW, \$251,578; Clubman (Not For
 Love), MSW, \$605,732; and to Friscan (Two Punch), GSP,
 \$112,557.

IT PAYS TO BREED MARYLAND-BREDS

2--**Hello Hot Rod, 120, g, 5, Mosler--Hello Now,** by Tiznow.
 (\$10,000 Ylg '19 EASOCT; \$335,000 3yo '21 FTKFEB). O-George
 A. Sharp; B-Hillwood Stable (MD); T-Brittany Russell. \$20,000.
DARK HOLLOW Foaled, Raised and Consigned

3--**Yodel E. A. Who, 120, g, 7, Creative Cause--Laugh N Yodel, by
 Speightstown.** O-Troy Johnson, Charles Lo & Jagger, Inc.;
 B-Heinz H. Steinmann (KY); T-Jamie Ness. \$10,000.
 Margins: 1, 1, 2HF. Odds: 8.60, 11.90, 6.50.

DANGER'S HOUR S., \$87,000, Aqueduct, 4-15, 4yo/up, 1mT,
 1:34.54, fm.
 1--**BIG EVEREST (GB), 120, g, 5, The Gurkha (Ire)--Long Face
 (GSP, \$161,690), by Whywhywhy.** (47,000gns Wlg '18
 TATFOA; 72,000gns RNA Ylg '19 TATOCT; £260,000 2yo '20
 GOFARQ). O-Reeves Thoroughbred Racing, Steven Rocco and
 William Branch; B-Newsells Park Stud (GB); T-C. Clement; J-M.
 Franco. \$55,000. Lifetime Record: 11-6-1-1, \$384,840.
 2--**Anaconda, 118, h, 6, Pioneerof the Nile--Lawn Party, by
 Medaglia d'Oro.** (\$150,000 Ylg '18 KEESEP; \$67,000 RNA 5yo
 '22 FTKHRA). O-Three Diamonds Farm; B-Hargus & Sandra
 Sexton, Silver Fern Farm & WinStar Farm, LLC (KY); T-Joe
 Sharp. \$20,000.

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3--**Eleven Central, 119, g, 5, Into Mischief--Sealy Hill, by Point
 Given.** (\$950,000 Ylg '19 KEESEP). **1ST BLACK TYPE.** O-OXO
 Equine LLC; B-Bonne Chance Farm LLC (KY); T-Paulo H. Lobo.
 \$12,000.
BONNE CHANCE BRED
 Consigned by **GAINESWAY**
 Margins: NO, 6HF, NO. Odds: 0.55, 1.60, 4.50.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

7th-Oaklawn, \$104,000, (NW19M)/Opt. Clm (\$50,000), 4-15, 4yo/up, 6f, 1:10.02, ft, 1/2 length.

SIR WELLINGTON (h, 5, Palace--Scarlet Hall, by Graeme Hall)

Lifetime Record: MSW, 18-5-3-1, \$325,168. O-Xtreme Racing Stable; B-BCS Thoroughbreds (LA); T-M. Robertson. *\$20,000 Ylg '19 KEEJAN; \$35,000 Ylg '19 OBSOCT; \$55,000 2yo '20 EASMAV.

BRYAN FORD Training Stables/Pick View

1st-Aqueduct, \$72,000, (S), 4-15, (NW1\$X), 3yo/up, 6fT, 1:07.92, fm, 3/4 length.

ROUGH DRAFT (g, 4, Editorial--Rate Play, by Exchange Rate)

Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$78,100. O-Clear Stars Stable, Mitre Box Stable and Big Toe Stables LLC; B-Climax Stallions LLC (NY); T-David P. Duggan. *\$25,000 Wlg '19 FTNMIX.

6th-Charles Town, \$35,100, (S), 4-14, (NW3L), 3yo/up, 4 1/2f, :52.72, ft, 2 lengths.

BELLA MELA (f, 3, Bustin Stones--Stone Cold Flirt, by Yes It's True) Lifetime Record: 5-3-0-0, \$63,515. O/B-Alex Kazdan (WV); T-Javier Contreras.

3rd-Mahoning Valley, \$35,100, (S), 4-15, (NW3L), 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:41.72, ft, 5 1/4 lengths.

MOBIL CHIC (m, 5, Mobil--Chic Cat {SP, \$166,190}, by Tiger Ridge) Lifetime Record: SP, 21-3-5-5, \$121,518. O-James McConnell; B-Mapleton Thoroughbred Farm (OH); T-Richard Zielinski. *1/2 to Grizabella (Lunarpal), SW, \$549,135.

8th-Evangeline Downs, \$35,000, (S), 4-14, (NW1X), 4yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:05.98, ft, 4 lengths.

LOVELYREDSTILETTOS (f, 4, Catalina Red--Wild Stilletos, by Wildcat Shoes) Lifetime Record: 5-2-0-1, \$53,330. O-Elite Thoroughbred Racing; B-Michele Rodriguez (LA); T-Lee Thomas.

6th-Lone Star, \$34,500, (NW2X)/Opt. Clm (\$30,000), 4-15, 3yo/up, 7 1/2fT, 1:29.91, fm, 3/4 length.

ROBO (g, 6, Final Row {GB}--Miss Oops, by Olmodavor) Lifetime Record: 24-6-2-5, \$172,729. O-L and G Racing Stables; B-Keen Farms (TX); T-Cesar Govea.

8th-Charles Town, \$33,900, 4-14, (NW2LX), 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:21.48, ft, 2 1/4 lengths.

TIMED OUT (m, 5, Flat Out--It's Stevie's Time, by Quiet American) Lifetime Record: 13-2-5-2, \$127,270. O-Robert Photos; B-John R. Penn (KY); T-Jeffrey S. Englehart. *\$7,200 Wlg '18 KEENOV; \$28,000 Ylg '19 OBSOCT; \$27,000 RNA 2yo '20 OBSAPR. **1/2 to Point of Reference (Benchmark), MSW, \$328,687.

6th-Lone Star, \$33,500, (S), 4-14, (NW1X), 3yo/up, 5fT, :57.13, fm, 1 1/2 lengths.

UPTOWNEAGLESLANDED (c, 4, Eagle--Island Artist, by Artie Schiller) Lifetime Record: 10-2-2-3, \$63,854. O-Jon R. & Krista Henningsgard and Marcus D. Hutka; B-Jon Henningsgard & Dr. Marcus Hutka DVM (TX); T-Carlos A. Padilla. *1/2 to Uptownblingithome (Too Much Bling), MSP, \$150,104.

3rd-Lone Star, \$33,500, 4-15, (NW1X), 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:06.44, ft, head.

TEXAS ASCOT QUEEN (f, 4, Fast Anna--Balmaran {SW-PR }, by Yes It's True) Lifetime Record: 15-5-3-0, \$121,726. O-Indigo Racing; B-Wesley Melcher (TX); T-J. R. Caldwell. *\$11,000 Ylg '20 OBSOCT; \$30,000 2yo '21 OBSAPR.

5th-Lone Star, \$33,500, (S), (NW2L)/Opt. Clm (\$50,000), 4-15, 3yo, 1m, 1:43.14, ft, 5 lengths.

GUITAR BOY (g, 3, Star Guitar--Trick City, by Hat Trick {Jpn}) Lifetime Record: 9-2-2-1, \$66,464. O-Tyree J. Wolessensky; B-Leadem Farm (TX); T-H. Ray Ashford, Jr.

9th-Mahoning Valley, \$32,900, 4-15, (C), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:12.57, ft, neck.

DUKE OF DARKNESS (g, 5, Northern Afleet--Dark Darling {SP}, by Ready's Image) Lifetime Record: 22-6-6-2, \$171,053. O-Kymaria Galloway; B-John Rankin (OH); T-Khadeem Galloway.

6th-Evangeline Downs, \$32,440, 4-14, (NW2X), 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:37.35, fm, 2 1/4 lengths.

FIRST GLIMPSE (g, 4, First Samurai--Bard's Day, by Arch) Lifetime Record: 21-4-3-4, \$136,401. O-P. Potier; B-P. Gonzalez & J. Herrera (KY); T-Keith Bourgeois. *\$13,000 Ylg '20 OBSOCT; \$40,000 2yo '21 OBSMAR; \$72,000 RNA 2yo '21 OBSOPN.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Wild Express, f, 3, **Bayern--Hard Grace**, by **Hard Spun**. Lone Star, 4-14, 7 1/2fT, 1:30.75. Lifetime Record: 10-1-1-3, \$43,322. B-Kenneth L. & Sarah K. Ramsey (KY). *\$8,000 Ylg '21 FTKOCT.

Blame D Rule Maker, g, 3, **Blame--Divine Rule**, by Empire Maker. Laurel, 4-15, 1mT, 1:35.90. Lifetime Record: 7-1-2-0, \$63,695. B-Five Rings Racing LLC (KY). *\$70,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP; \$225,000 2yo '22 OBSAPR. **1/2 to Azure Coast (**Street Sense**), GSW-UAE, \$135,516.



LANE'S END SALES GRADUATE



Evie Does It, f, 3, **Cross Traffic--Athehsa**, by Big Brown. Gulfstream, 4-15, (C), 1m 70y (AWT) (off turf), 1:41.58. Lifetime Record: 7-1-2-1, \$45,130. B-Pippa's Hurricane LLC (KY). *\$11,000 Ylg '21 FTKOCT; \$32,000 2yo '22 OBSOPN.

Hip 46 - Half-bro. sells at OBSAPR w/Scanlon Training & Sales

Azunia, f, 3, **Euroears**--Deeloca, by Najran. Lone Star, 4-14, (S), 6f, 1:13.39. Lifetime Record: 5-1-0-2, \$27,623. B-Eric & Randi Moreau-Sipiere (TX).

Kingdom, c, 3, **Golden Lad**--Miss Manatee, by Smarty Jones. Oaklawn, 4-15, 1m, 1:39.64. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, \$72,750. B-Maria M Haire (PA). *\$10,000 Ylg '21 OBSWIN; \$32,000 Ylg '21 EASOCT; \$215,000 2yo '22 EASMAY.



Colt's Brim, c, 3, **Half Ours**--Brushfirefairytale, by Najran. Evangeline Downs, 4-14, (S), 5f, :59.22. Lifetime Record: 5-1-0-0, \$27,900. B-Coulee Croche Thoroughbreds, LLC & Tracie Crochet (LA). *\$15,000 Ylg '21 LTBSYM.

Justifiable Belle, f, 3, **Justify**--Bow Bells (SW), by Giant's Causeway. Tampa Bay Downs, 4-15, 1mT, 1:37.18. Lifetime Record: 6-1-1-1, \$45,085. B-Jay Grandfield & A. Cowley(KY).

Shame On Charlotte, f, 3, **Shame On Charlie**--Heartscore, by Even the Score. Sunray, 4-15, 4 1/2f, :52.81. Lifetime Record: 9-1-1-1, \$28,823. B-Carlos F Paez (NM).

Plain Tap Water, g, 3, **Tapiture**--She's Plain Jane, by Into Mischief. Lone Star, 4-15, (S), 6f, 1:15.69. Lifetime Record: 5-1-0-2, \$26,320. B-Glen Robertson (TX).

Blessed Assurance, f, 3, **Zong**--Society Doll, by Theatrical (Ire). Evangeline Downs, 4-15, (S), 5f, :59.68. Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-0, \$32,920. B-Indian Creek Thoroughbred Farm, LLC (LA).

Big Wave James, g, 4, **Jimmy Creed**--Suzy Malibu, by Malibu Moon. Lone Star, 4-15, 1mT, 1:37.89. Lifetime Record: 7-1-0-1, \$23,950. B-W C Racing (KY). *\$6,000 Wlg '19 KEENOV.

Proven Hope, g, 4, **Street Boss**--Lotta Lolly, by Smart Strike. Aqueduct, 4-15, (C), 1 1/16mT, 1:42.75. Lifetime Record: 12-1-3-2, \$70,060. B-Kingswood (KY). *\$90,000 Ylg '20 KEEJAN; \$170,000 RNA Ylg '20 KEESEP; \$130,000 Ylg '20 EASOCT.

Please Be Kind, f, 4, **Violence**--Include Me Out (MGISW, \$956,530), by Include. Keeneland, 4-15, (C), 6f, 1:12.76. Lifetime Record: 15-1-4-3, \$126,524. B-Samantha Siegel (KY).



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Bated Breath (GB), Bassanio (GB), g, 4, o/o Unnatural, by Proud Citizen. MSW, 4-15, Laurel

Bayern, Wild Express, f, 3, o/o Hard Grace, by **Hard Spun**. MSW, 4-14, Lone Star

Blame, Blame D Rule Maker, g, 3, o/o Divine Rule, by Empire Maker. MSW, 4-15, Laurel

Bustin Stones, Bella Mela, f, 3, o/o Stone Cold Flirt, by Yes It's True. ALW, 4-14, Charles Town

Cairo Prince, Vivar, c, 4, o/o Debit, by **Tapit**. ALW, 4-15, Keeneland

Catalina Red, Lovelyredstiletos, f, 4, o/o Wild Stilletos, by Wildcat Shoes. ALW, 4-14, Evangeline

Cross Traffic, Evie Does It, f, 3, o/o Athehsa, by Big Brown. MOC, 4-15, Gulfstream

Curlin, Clairiere, m, 5, o/o Cavorting, by Bernardini. GI Apple Blossom H., 4-15, Oaklawn

Eagle, Uptowneagleslanded, c, 4, o/o Island Artist, by Artie Schiller. ALW, 4-14, Lone Star

Editorial, Rough Draft, g, 4, o/o Rate Play, by Exchange Rate. ALW, 4-15, Aqueduct

Euroears, Azunia, f, 3, o/o Deeloca, by Najran. MSW, 4-14, Lone Star

Fast Anna, Texas Ascot Queen, f, 4, o/o Balmaran, by Yes It's True. ALW, 4-15, Lone Star

Final Row (GB), Robo, g, 6, o/o Miss Oops, by Olmodavor. AOC, 4-15, Lone Star

First Samurai, First Glimpse, g, 4, o/o Bard's Day, by Arch. ALW, 4-14, Evangeline

First Samurai, Tarabi, f, 4, o/o Indian Bay, by Indian Charlie. AOC, 4-15, Keeneland

Flat Out, Timed Out, m, 5, o/o It's Stevie's Time, by Quiet American. ALW, 4-14, Charles Town

Girvin, Swirvin, c, 3, o/o Cara Sorella, by Brother Derek. AOC, 4-15, Gulfstream

Golden Lad, Kingdom, c, 3, o/o Miss Manatee, by Smarty Jones. MSW, 4-15, Oaklawn

Goldencents, Looms Boldly, c, 3, o/o See the Forest, by Forestry. AOC, 4-15, Aqueduct

Good Magic, Perform, c, 3, o/o Jane Says, by Tale of Ekati. Federico Tesio S., 4-15, Laurel

Great Notion, Alwaysinahurry, g, 5, o/o Otherwise Perfect, by Lemon Drop Kid. Frank Y. Whiteley S., 4-15, Laurel

Half Ours, Colt's Brim, c, 3, o/o Brushfirefairytale, by Najran. MSW, 4-14, Evangeline

Honor Code, Cats Inthe Timber, f, 3, o/o Wychwood, by Tale of the Cat. Weber City Miss S., 4-15, Laurel

Jess's Dream, Beth's Dream, m, 5, o/o Gator Brew, by Milwaukee Brew. Heavenly Cause S., 4-15, Laurel

Jimmy Creed, Big Wave James, g, 4, o/o Suzy Malibu, by Malibu Moon. MSW, 4-15, Lone Star

Justify, Justifiable Belle, f, 3, o/o Bow Bells, by Giant's Causeway. MSW, 4-15, Tampa Bay

Kantharos, Dekanter, f, 4, o/o Morning Rush, by Unbridled's Song. MSW, 4-15, Aqueduct

Karakontie (Jpn), Kosuke, f, 3, o/o Osaka, by First Samurai. MSW, 4-15, Aqueduct

Khozan, Starship Aurora, f, 3, o/o Realgoodlookin, by Unbridled's Song. MOC, 4-15, Gulfstream

Kitten's Joy, Desert Duke, c, 3, o/o Desert Duchess, by Hard Spun. ALW, 4-15, Keeneland

Mobil, Mobil Chic, m, 5, o/o Chic Cat, by Tiger Ridge. ALW, 4-15, Mahoning Valley

Northern Afleet, Duke of Darkness, g, 5, o/o Dark Darling, by Ready's Image. ALW, 4-15, Mahoning Valley

Palace, Sir Wellington, h, 5, o/o Scarlet Hall, by Graeme Hall. AOC, 4-15, Oaklawn

Practical Joke, Practiko, c, 3, o/o Song of Melody, by Flat Out. MSW, 4-15, Gulfstream

Practical Joke, Skelly, g, 4, o/o Adande, by Bwana Charlie. GIII Count Fleet Sprint H., 4-15, Oaklawn

Race Day, Barber Road, c, 4, o/o Encounter, by Southern Image. ALW, 4-15, Keeneland

Shame On Charlie, Shame On Charlotte, f, 3, o/o Heartscore, by Even the Score. MSW, 4-15, Sunray

Sky Kingdom, Thataway, g, 3, o/o Boudicca, by Hard Spun. AOC, 4-15, Laurel

Star Guitar, Guitar Boy, g, 3, o/o Trick City, by Hat Trick (Jpn). AOC, 4-15, Lone Star

Street Boss, Proven Hope, g, 4, o/o Lotta Lolly, by Smart Strike. MCL, 4-15, Aqueduct

Street Sense, First Mission, c, 3, o/o Elude, by Medaglia d'Oro. GIII Stonestreet Lexington S., 4-15, Keeneland

Tapit, Scylla, f, 3, o/o Close Hatches, by First Defence. MSW, 4-15, Keeneland

Tapiture, Plain Tap Water, g, 3, o/o She's Plain Jane, by Into Mischief. MSW, 4-15, Lone Star

Tapwrit, Armstrong, c, 3, o/o Abbreviate, by Harlan's Holiday. MSW, 4-15, Gulfstream

Violence, Please Be Kind, f, 4, o/o Include Me Out, by Include. MCL, 4-15, Keeneland

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ONESTO HEADS CHAPPET TEAM OF BRIGHT YOUNG PROSPECTS



Onesto and Gregory Defrel on the Piste des Lions, Chantilly
Emma Berry

By Emma Berry

Fabrice Chappet has already bagged one Classic trial this season and, weather permitting, has another two chances of group-race success this weekend with Fortune (Fr) (De Treville {GB}) entered in Sunday's G3 Prix Noailles and Paz (GB) (Siyouni {Fr}) in the G3 Prix de la Grotte.

On April 6, Good Guess (GB) (Kodiac {Fr}) became the trainer's second winner of the G3 Prix Djebel. The first, Dice Roll (GB) (Showcasing {GB}), went on to run third in the G1 Poule d'Essai des Poulains, with that race now the target for Hisaaki Saito's colt, who is a grandson of Cheveley Park Stud's 1,000 Guineas heroine and four-time Group 1 winner Russian Rhythm (Kingmambo)

"He's come out of the race perfectly," says Chappet of Good Guess, who has been one of the trainer's favourites since his arrival in the yard from Tattersalls, where he was plucked from Book 1 of the October Yearling Sale for 420,000gns by Sebastien Desmontils on behalf of the Japanese owner.

"The good thing about French racing is that it's not run at a crazy pace so horses usually come out of their races better that way. Good Guess was a nice two-year-old and he had a good winter, so all is well so far." [Cont. p3](#)

CORACH RAMBLER WINS GRAND NATIONAL AS NINE PROTESTORS ARRESTED *By Brian Sheerin*

Corach Rambler provided trainer Lucinda Russell and jockey Derek Fox with their second Grand National triumph at Aintree on Saturday after the race was delayed due to a number of animal rights activists storming the track.

Successful in 2017 with One For Arthur, Russell and Fox repeated the trick with Corach Rambler, who had enough in reserve to hold off the fast-finishing Vanillier at the winning line.

A winner at the past two Cheltenham Festivals, Corach Rambler was sent off an 8-1 favourite in a race that was delayed by over 15 minutes due to the protests that led to Merseyside Police arresting nine people.

Russell said, "Those guys that went out to protest on the course, they think it's about horse welfare but that horse loves the sport. He loves everything that he does. He's kept in the best condition and I'm just so delighted that he can run in a race like that and perform like that.

"He has got greatness and it's what he deserves. Corach Rambler, in our hearts, is just the best horse. Now in the public hearts he is as well. To win the National, I know how important it is, I know how it changed my life with Arthur--for Corach to achieve that too is just fantastic." [Cont. p5](#)



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IN TDN AMERICA TODAY

CLAIRIERE TURNS THE TABLES IN THE APPLE BLOSSOM
Secret Oath (Arrogate) led clear into the stretch of Saturday's GI Apple Blossom H. at Oaklawn Park, but Clairiere (Curlin) rallied furiously through the final sixteenth to score by a narrow margin.

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VICTORIA ROAD RETURNS IN FOUNTAINEBLEAU

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G1 Breeders' Cup Juvenile Turf hero Victoria Road (Ire) (*Saxon Warrior {Jpn}*) makes his return to the races in Sunday's G3 Prix de Fontainebleau at ParisLongchamp.

JUDDMONTE'S BRAVAIS SHINES AT FIRST ASKING

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The *Frankel* (GB) colt, who is out of a full-sister to superstar mare Love (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}), delivered a decisive half-length score at Fontainebleau Saturday over heavy ground.

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Fabrice Chappet cont. from p1

The current stable star at Chappet's Chantilly stable is Onesto (Ire) (**Frankel {GB}**), whose 2022 season included victory in the G1 Grand Prix de Paris and G2 Prix Greffulhe as well as splitting Luxembourg (Ire) (**Camelot {GB}**) and Vadeni (Fr) (**Churchill {Ire}**) when second in the G1 Irish Champion S.

"He should go to the Prix Ganay first, all being well," says the trainer of the four-year-old, who runs in the colours of Gerard Augustin-Normand. "There are some good horses in the race but there aren't many options at this time of the year for Group 1 horses in France. But he had a good winter and I'm very happy with him.



Fabrice Chappet and Onesto | Emma Berry

"He had a two-month break at the farm after the Japan Cup. He'll go to the Ganay first and we'll consider the options in Groups 1s in Europe over 2,000m and 2,400m in the first half of the year. We may look at travelling him farther afield in the second part of the season."

Looking ahead to Sunday, Chappet says of his two runners aiming to prove their Classic potential, "Fortune goes for the Prix Noailles and he's two-for-two. It's his first race of the year but he won twice last year. Paz is two-for-two as well and is a very nice **Siyouni** filly. It's a bit ground dependent so we will wait to see how much rain they have at Longchamp."

Chappet tasted Classic success for the first time when Precieuse (Ire) (Tamayuz {GB}) took the Poule d'Essai des Pouliches for Brendan and Anne-Marie Hayes in 2017 before being sold to Peter Brant to continue her career with Chad Brown in America. Since then, Speak Of The Devil (Fr) and Mageva (Fr), both daughters of **Wootton Bassett (GB)**, have been placed in the French Guineas, as well as the aforementioned Dice Roll.

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There was also reflected glory to be had when Chappet's former resident Gold Trip (Fr) (**Outstrip {GB}**), whom he trained to win the G2 Prix Greffulhe two years before Onesto, won the Melbourne Cup for Ciaran Maher and David Eustace last November.

At this time of year, however, life in a training yard is all about looking forward rather than reflecting on the past, and Chappet highlighted to *TDN* a few members of his juvenile team of 2023 to keep an eye on as summer rolls on.

"We'll have our first two-year-old runners probably at the end of May," he says.

"One of my first two-year-olds to run will be a filly called Zeplacetobe (Fr). She's a daughter of Iffraaj (GB) out of Zenda (GB) (**New Approach {Ire}**) and she shows speed, so she could be the first one to go."

Zeplacetobe is owned in partnership by Ecurie Hunter Valley and Jean-Etienne Dubois, both of whom are involved in the ownership of Onesto. Dubois and his partners are also to be found behind another new recruit to the stable who has just arrived from Florida and the OBS March Sale.



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Chappet cont.

The colt by Spendthrift Farm's first-season sire Omaha Beach is out of the unraced Two Sugars (Scat Daddy) and was bought by Hubert Guy for \$285,000. This is a path that has been taken before with some success as, although Onesto owns a markedly European pedigree, he was bred by the American-based Diamond Creek Farm and, when he failed to reach his reserve when offered as a yearling at Tattersalls, he was exported to the States and sold at Ocala for \$535,000 to Guy.

Chappet says of the Omaha Beach colt, "We're quite excited about him. He's a nice colt and looks quite an early type, quite fast."

He adds, "We didn't use to pay close attention to the breeze-ups in America but then we got Onesto from Ocala so we've been taking another look."

In regard to the breeze-up sector in general, Chappet continues, "We used to say that it wasn't the best school for French racing because we like the horses to be nice and relaxed going to the races but when you look at the stats, and they are very good stats, and with horses coming through that are showing such promise it has become a much bigger thing."

"When you buy a yearling you don't know how fast he's going to be able to go, so when they have been through this prep and have come through the breeze and have done a good time, then it is an advantage for a trainer because they have already done a good amount of work and shown that they can handle it. It may not always be the best preparation for French racing but at the same time I think there are also some advantages to the

breeze-ups."

Another juvenile colt who has taken the trainer's eye at this stage is one whose family has had significant updates in the last month courtesy of his dual Group 1-winning half-brother Dubai Honour (Ire) (Pride Of Dubai {Aus}).

"He's not named yet but he is by Invincible Spirit (Ire) out of Mondelice (GB) (Montjeu {Ire})," Chappet says. "He was bought at Tattersalls and he's a nice sort who should run this summer. He already shows some promise."

The colt represents a first horse in the Chappet yard for Barbara Banke of Stonestreet Stable, who bought the colt through Ben McElroy for 220,000gns.

Craig Bernick is another American owner now with Chappet,

and he has two horses in training there including the juvenile La Landonne (Ire), a **No Nay Never** half-sister to Derby winner Anthony Van Dyck (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) owned in partnership with Haras d'Etream. The same duo also owns Lady Glenham (Ire), a Zoffany (Ire) half-sister to Australian Group 1 winner and Widden Stud stallion Russian **Camelot** (Ire) (**Camelot {GB}**).

The team at Haras d'Etream will no doubt be pleased to hear the feedback from the trainer on a quartet of colts in his stable by the farm's first-season sire City Light (Fr), a son of **Siyouni** (Fr).

"I have four colts by City Light which are nice and I am quite happy with them," he says.

He also singles out a colt who has already been optimistically named Winning Formula (Ire). The son of Exceed And Excel (Aus) was bred by Shadwell and sold as a yearling for 350,000gns by Tally-Ho Stud, who bought him as a foal at Goffs for €130,000.

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G3 Prix Djebel winner Good Guess, front | Emma Berry

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"He also came from Tattersalls and he is for the same owner as Good Guess, Hisaaki Saito," Chappet notes. "He's another one I like for this summer. Mr Saito is a great supporter and he definitely deserves a nice horse."

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Grand National cont. from p1

"It's all about the horse, for me it's not about the betting--though I did back him and quite a lot actually!"

She added, "I hope those guys who were protesting will look at our website and our Facebook posts and see how they are looked after. It is so important they understand how we care for them every inch of the way.

"It is about Corach, he is just amazing. He took to those fences brilliantly, he understood them, he worked them out--he loved it."

Fox had sat out the first two days of the meeting in order to recover from injury in time to ride Corach Rambler.

The jubilant rider said, "He is just the most wonderful thing ever, he deserved to win this. I got a fall last week and banged my shoulder, it was far from ideal. I was worried all week. I thank God I was back in time because it was the thrill of my life to ride him.

"It's thanks to the support of Lucinda and Scu [Peter Scudamore, assistant trainer and Russell's partner] for having the faith in me to put me up after not riding all week. I feel very lucky to be working for these great people.

"I think he'd the profile and he's loads of class--I just can't believe it."

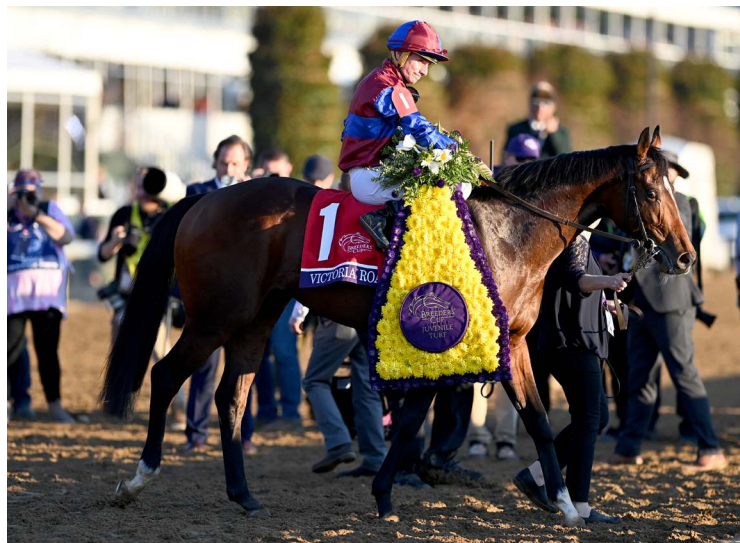
Animal Rising had threatened to disrupt the Aintree showpiece and were protesting from early on Saturday morning outside the track.

As the National runners were in the parade ring, a number of people breached security fences around the venue and ran on to the course, with at least two people affixing themselves to a jump using glue and lock-on devices

All of the intruders were apprehended, and the Merseyside Police commented afterwards, "We can confirm that nine people have been arrested at Aintree Racecourse today.

"Just after 5pm, a large number of protesters attempted to gain entry on to the course. The majority were prevented from breaching the boundary fencing, but the nine individuals who managed to enter the course were later arrested by officers."

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STAR CAST ASSEMBLE FOR FONTAINEBLEAU TEST

Victoria Road | Horsephotos

by Tom Frary

With the Ballydoyle 3-year-olds in flying form this Spring, it is the turn of one of the premier members of that exclusive club to reappear on Sunday as **Victoria Road (Ire)** (**Saxon Warrior {Jpn}**) takes aim at ParisLongchamp's G3 Prix de Fontainebleau. Slowly building to a crescendo in 2022 with wins in Deauville's Listed Criterium du Fonds Europeen de l'Elevage and the G3 Prix de Conde, the Westerberg colour-bearer nosed out Silver Knott (GB) (Lope De Vega {Ire}) in a memorable G1 Breeders' Cup Juvenile Turf at Keeneland. He faces two live home-trained G1 Poule d'Essai des Poulains contenders in The Aga Khan's unbeaten Listed Prix Isonomy scorer **Rajapour (Ire)** (Almanzor {Fr}) and Malcolm Parrish's Listed Prix Omnium II winner **American Flag (Fr)** (**Wootton Bassett {GB}**), so the picture will be clearer after this time-honoured prep.

More Of The Same...

Another top-level winner returning at the Bois de Boulogne venue is Yeguada Centurion SL's **Blue Rose Cen (Ire)** (**Churchill {Ire}**), whose emphatic heroics in the G1 Prix Marcel Boussac establish her near the top of the pecking order for the G1 Poule d'Essai des Pouliches. As ever, it is a case of last year's elite having to do it all over again as new threats emerge in the G3 Prix de la Grotte such as the Wertheimers' unbeaten **TDN Rising Star Algolia (Ire)** and Peter Savill's Listed Prix la Camargo scorer **Autumn Starlight (GB)** both by Lope De Vega (Ire). The card also features the 10 1/2-furlong G3 Prix Noailles, where Andre Fabre pitches Juddmonte's Chantilly conditions scorer **Flight Leader (GB)** (**Frankel {GB}**) against Ballydoyle's impressive Dundalk maiden winner **Londoner (Ire)** (**Saxon Warrior {Jpn}**).

Sunday Preview cont.

Aidan O'Brien has his usual significant Curragh representation, with the long-absent **TDN Rising Star** and leading 2-year-old of 2021 **Point Lonsdale (Ire)** (**Australia {GB}**) at the fore in the G3 Alleged S. which has often served as a springboard back to the big time for the stable's older horses.

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went on to run a very good race to finish second in the Irish Derby and then the ground was like flint in France for the Grand Prix de Paris. He pulled out of that race a little bit jarred which is why we gave him the rest of the year off.

"Looking at his pedigree and even physically, he's a horse who was always going to make up into a better four-year-old, and we had that in the back of our minds even at the start of last season's campaign.



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O'BRIEN PREDICTS PIZ BADILE IMPROVEMENT AHEAD OF CURRAGH RETURN *By Brian Sheerin*

Donnacha O'Brien is predicting that Piz Badile (Ire) (Ulysses {Ire}) will strip a lot fitter for his comeback effort in the G3 Alleged S. at the Curragh on Sunday and identified the G1 Tattersalls Gold Cup as the early-season target for last year's Irish Derby runner-up.

The trainer also provided an upbeat bulletin on the hugely-exciting Proud And Regal (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}), who could get his season underway in the G3 Derrinstown Derby Trial at Leopardstown on May 7.

Piz Badile will face just five rivals on Sunday, including likely favourite Point Lonsdale (Ire) (**Australia {GB}**), with O'Brien optimistic that the best may yet be to come from his charge at four.

He said, "Piz Badile is in good form and has done very well from three to four. It will be nice to get him started and hopefully the ground dries out a little bit for him. He doesn't mind a bit of juice in the ground but I'd rather if it wasn't heavy ground. We're looking forward to the year ahead with him."

Asked how he reflects on last season with Piz Badile, O'Brien said, "I suppose he won his Derby Trial well and then we went to Epsom for the Derby and he didn't really handle the track. He

"The plan was to use this race as a prep for the Tattersalls Gold Cup, which is over the same course and distance, and I think he will come on a lot from whatever he does on Sunday. He'll come on plenty for it and is going to be a lot better on better ground."

O'Brien revealed that Nell Gwyn S. entry Not Even Close (Ire) (Zoustar {Aus}) is an unlikely runner at Newmarket on Wednesday but confirmed that Wodao (Fr) (Showcasing {GB}) would definitely take his chance in the G3 Prix Sigy at Chantilly on Monday.

He said, "Wodao had a really nice comeback run behind Tenebrism (Caravaggio) at Cork. We didn't have him entered in this race but it popped up and the ground is soft over there, which will be to his liking. He takes his racing well and we thought it looked a nice opportunity to put him in. Some of the Irish sprints can be very competitive and even some of our listed races will be the equivalent Group 2s and Group 1s because of the types of horses who will be using such races as preps."

On Not Even Close, he added, "She's a lovely filly and has done really well throughout the winter but I don't think she'll be running in the Nell Gwyn. As is the case with most of mine, we're trying to find a bit of nice ground for her somewhere, but it's been a bit of a nightmare start to the year with all of the rain that we're getting.

Donnacha O'Brien cont.

"I bought her for Justin Carthy and then Qatar Racing bought into her after she won nicely at Dundalk. It's my first horse for Qatar and I think she's a smart filly. Obviously she is completely unproven at any kind of stakes grade but, on her work at home, she looks as though she can make up into a stakes filly."

But there's no doubting the great hope for O'Brien this season is Proud And Regal, a winner of the G1 Criterium International when last seen in October.

O'Brien said, "He's a lovely horse and has done well over the winter. We didn't run him in any of the early trials as he'd have had to carry the Group 1 penalty.

"At the minute, we're aiming him at the Derrinstown Stud Derby Trial, as he wouldn't have a penalty in that. We could see where we want to go with him after that.

"He could go the Derby route or he could even drop back for something like the Irish 2,000 Guineas. But we'll start him off at Leopardstown first and then decide about where we want to go afterwards."

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BRITAIN

Saturday's Results:

3rd-Great Yarmouth, £10,000, Novice, 4-15, 3-5yo, 10f 23yT, 2:14.44, sf.

ROGUE SEA (GB) (c, 3, [Sea The Stars {Ire}](#)--[Tarfasha {Ire}](#) {MGSW-Ire, G1SP-Eng, \$477,507}, by [Teofilo {Ire}](#)), bred to win a Derby, had been cast off by Shadwell for a small fee at the Tatts February Sale and broke well to race prominently throughout the early stages. Looming on the front end passing three out, the 9-1 shot drew away to score comfortably by 5 1/2 lengths from Dasho Lennie (GB) (Territories {Ire}). The winner is the fifth foal out of the classy dam, who was successful in the G2 Blandford S. and G3 Blue Wind S. and finished runner-up in the G1 Oaks. and who has produced [Sea The Stars'](#) Listed King George V Cup winner Rakan (GB) and the G3 Eyrefield S. runner-up Wuqood (GB) (Dubawi {Ire}). A half to the G2 Doncaster Cup and G2 Goodwood Cup winner Saddler's Rock (Ire) (Sadler's Wells) and the G1 Derby, G1 Irish Derby and G1 St Leger-placed Galileo Rock (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) from the Ballymacoll family of Gamut (Ire) and North Light (Ire) et al, her 2-year-old filly Fayqa (GB) is a full-sister to Wuqood, while she also has a yearling colt by [Kingman \(GB\)](#). Sales history: 21,000gns 2yo '22 TATFEB; €50,000 2yo '22 TATGOR. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$6,704. O-The Rogues Gallery; B-Shadwell Estate Company Limited (GB); T-Tom Clover.

2nd-Wolverhampton, £8,000, Novice, 4-15, 3yo, f, 8f 142y (AWT), 1:49.59, st.

MAID IN LONDON (GB) (f, 3, [Roaring Lion--Maid To Dream {GB}](#), by [Oasis Dream {GB}](#)), fourth on debut over seven furlongs at Kempton in November, broke smartly in front before being restrained to sit towards the rear. Delivered to collar Tranquil Rose (Fr) ([Kingman {GB}](#)) with 100 metres remaining, the 15-2 shot asserted to beat that rival by 1 1/2 lengths. The winner is a half-sister to the G3 Renaissance S. scorer The Happy Prince (Ire) (Rip Van Winkle {Ire}), to the G2 Prix Daniel Wildenstein runner-up Ziegfeld (GB) (New Approach {Ire}) and to the Australian stakes performer Sibaaq (GB) (Dark Angel {Ire}). The second dam is the Listed Empress S. scorer Maid For The Hills (GB) (Indian Ridge {Ire}), whose descendants include the listed-winning and group-placed Caucus (GB) (Cape Cross {Ire}), Machete (Fr) (Myboycharlie {Ire}) and King Of Wands (GB) (Galileo {Ire}). Her 2-year-old daughter of [Ten Sovereigns \(Ire\)](#) was a 120,000gns purchase by Blandford Bloodstock at the Tattersalls December Yearling Sale. Sales history: 62,000gns Ylg '21 TATOCT. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$6,084. O-Tony O'Connor & Reins Partners 2; B-Barton Stud Partnership (GB); T-Hugo Palmer.

3rd-Wolverhampton, £8,000, Novice, 4-15, 3-5yo, 6f 20y (AWT), 1:15.02, st.

DUBAI DAWN (IRE) (c, 3, [Dawn Approach {Ire}](#)--[Dorraar {Ire}](#), by [Shamardal](#)), a half-brother to the stable's G3 Palace House S. scorer Far Above (Ire) (Farhh {GB}), had won on debut over this course and distance last month and soon had control in front of his two rivals. Despite early keenness, the 8-13 favourite was able to surge clear in early straight and was being eased down as he scored by 2 1/4 lengths from Maxzeno (GB) ([Bated Breath {GB}](#)). Far Above, who stands at Starfield Stud, was the first foal out of the dam who is a granddaughter of the G2 Ribblesdale S. winner and G1 Oaks and G1 Irish Oaks-placed Bahr (GB) (Generous {Ire}). Therefore connected to the G1 Prix de l'Opera and G1 Flower Bowl Invitational heroine Nahrain (GB) (Selkirk) and her triple group 1-winning son Benbatl (GB) (Dubawi {Ire}) as well as the G2 Railway S. winner and G1 Phoenix S.-placed Go Bears Go (Ire) (Kodi Bear {Ire}), Dorraar has 2021 and 2022 colts by Dark Angel (Ire) to come, with Joe Foley paying 155,000gns for the former and Linden Bloodstock 115,000gns for the latter at the last two editions of the Tattersalls December Foal Sale. Sales history: €70,000 Wlg '20 GOFNOV. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$11,941. O-Sheikh Hamed Dalmook Al Maktoum; B-Linden House Stables (IRE); T-James Tate.

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FRANCE

Saturday's Results:

3rd-Fontainebleau, €27,000, Debutantes, 4-15, 3yo, 7fT, 1:31.38, hy.

BRAVAIS (GB) (c, 3, Frankel {GB}--Lucky Kristale {GB}, by Lucky Story), sent off the 7-10 favourite, raced behind the leading trio early. Delivered wide to mow down Isola (Ire) (Kodiac {GB}) with 100 metres remaining, the chestnut asserted to register an authoritative half-length success. The winner is the third live foal out of the talented dam, who recorded juvenile wins in the G2 Lowther S. and G2 Duchess of Cambridge S. She is out of Pikaboo (GB) (Pivotal {GB}), the half-sister to the multiple group scorer Arabian Gleam (GB) (Kyllachy {GB}) whose progeny by Frankel's sire Galileo (Ire) are the G1 1000 Guineas, G1 Oaks, G1 Prince of Wales's S., G1 Moyglare Stud S. and G1 Yorkshire Oaks heroine Love (Ire) and the group 3 scorers Peach Tree (Ire) and Flattering (Ire) and who is the second dam of the G3 Blue Wind S.-placed Tosen Lydia (Ire) by Galileo's The Gurkha (Ire). Also connected to the G2 Fuji S. winner and G1 Dubai Turf runner-up Vin De Garde (Jpn) (Deep Impact {Jpn}) and the G2 Challenge S. scorer Pogo (Ire) (Zebedee {GB}), her 2-year-old filly At No Time (GB) is by Galileo while she also has a yearling filly by Kingman (GB). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, €13,500. **Video, sponsored by TVG.**

O-Juddmonte; B-Juddmonte Farms (East) Ltd (GB); T-Andre Fabre.



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FIRST WINNER FOR SIRE

1st-Moulins, €23,000, Mdn, 4-15, 2yo, 5fT, 1:01.05, sf.

SNOW GHOST (FR) (c, 2, Donjuan Triumphant {Ire}--Snow Spirit {GB}, by Verglas {Ire}), a Mar. 26 debut seventh over this trip at

La Teste in his only prior start, was handily placed behind the leaders after an alert getaway in this straight dash. Shaken up with 350 metres remaining, the 24-1 outsider quickened smartly to challenge inside the final furlong and was ridden out in the closing stages to deny stablemate Gotta Skedaddle (Ire) (Bungle Inthejungle {GB}) by a short head in a bobbing finish, becoming the first winner for his freshman sire (by Dream Ahead). Snow Ghost is the latest of seven reported foals and second scorer produced by a multiple-winning half to dual MGSW G1 Gran Criterium third Pearl Flute (Ire) (Piccolo {GB}), Listed Prix Solitude victrix Secret Pursuit (Ire) (Lawman {Fr}) and G3 Prix Texanita second Milord's Song (Fr) (Siyouni {Fr}). The January-foaled bay's second dam, G3 Stuten-Meile winner Secret Melody (Fr) (Inchinor {GB}), is a granddaughter of MGSW G1 Poule d'Essai des Pouliches, G1 Prix de Diane and G1 Prix Saint-Alary runner-up Secret Form (GB) (Formidable). Sales history: €8,000 Ylg '22 OSAAUG. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, €11,500. **Video, sponsored by TVG.**

O-Mme Theresa Marnane; B-SCEA Barbottiere (FR); T-Florian Guyader.

2nd-Moulins, €21,000, Mdn, 4-15, 2yo, 5fT, 1:00.01, sf.

FABULEUSE (f, 3, Wootton Bassett {GB}--Pas Prete {GB}, by More Than Ready), who posted a short-neck second tackling 6 1/2 furlongs on the synthetic surface at Chantilly last month, stalked the leaders in a close fifth through halfway here. Coming under pressure passing the quarter-mile marker, the 27-10 second favourite powered forward to launch her challenge with 100 metres remaining and was ridden clear in the closing stages to easily account for Beast Mode (Fr) (Supplicant {GB}) by three lengths. Fabuleuse is the second foal and scorer produced by a winning daughter of GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies and GI Del Mar Debutante S.-winning US champion Halfbridled (Unbridled). The February-foaled homebred dark bay is a half-sister to Listed Prix de la Californie third Trop Prete (Fr) (Intello {Ger}), the unraced 2-year-old filly So Ready (American Pharoah) and a yearling filly by Uncle Mo. Her dam was bred to Munnings last year. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, €15,900. **Video, sponsored by TVG.**

O/B-Wertheimer & Frere (KY); T-Andre Fabre.

CONDITIONS RESULTS:

1st-Fontainebleau, €27,000, Cond, 4-15, 4yo/up, 8fT, 1:41.77, hy.

TITANIUM (FR) (g, 4, Zarak {Fr}--Kyurem {Ire} {SP-Fr}, by Verglas {Ire}) Lifetime Record: SP-Fr, 10-4-2-2, €87,320.

O-Ecurie 4L, Comte Guillaume de Saint-Seine, Alessandro Botti, Giuseppe Botti, Ecurie Vitale, Scuderia Visconti di Modrone & Giovanni Neri; B-Haras de la Perelle (FR); T-Alessandro & Giuseppe Botti. *€50,000 Ylg '20 ARQSEP.

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Wootton Bassett | Coolmore

1.25 Curragh, Mdn, €17,000, 2yo, 6fT
RIVER TIBER (IRE) (Wootton Bassett {GB}) appears the pick of the two juvenile colts from Ballydoyle making his debut in this maiden which proved such a fertile source of group performers 12 months ago as Tough Talk (Ire) (Kingman {GB}) led home Little Big Bear (Ire) (No Nay Never) and Shartash (Ire) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}) and other useful types. A 480,000gns Book 1 purchase, the February-foaled bay hails from the family of the 2013 G1 Phoenix S. winner Sudirman (Henrythenavigator) and Star Of India (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) who captured last year’s Listed Dee S. for this stable. Also here is **Democracy (Ire) (No Nay Never)**, a full-brother to last year’s G3 Oh So Sharp S. scorer Midnight Mile (Ire) from the family of Quarter Moon (Ire) (Sadler’s Wells).

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IN AUSTRALIA:

Diamil (Ire), g, 5, **Awtaad (Ire)**--Diyilawa (Ire), by Mastercraftsman (Ire). Rosehill, 4-15, JRA Plate-G3, 2000mT, 2:05.13. B-His Highness The Aga Khan's Studs SC.

Kalapour (Ire), g, 6, **War Command**--Kaladena (Ire), by Daylami (Ire). Eagle Farm, 4-15, Hcp., 1815mT, 1:50.61. B-His Highness The Aga Khan's Studs SC. *Full to Kalaxana (Ire), SW & MGSP-Ire, \$104,314.

Long Arm (Ire), g, 7, **Rock of Gibraltar (Ire)**--Llew Law (Ire), by Verglas (Ire). Morphettville, 4-15, Hcp., 2500mT, 2:42.89. B-Patrick Headon. *1/2 to Who's Steph (Ire) (Zoffany {Ire}), MGSW-Ire, \$268,378. **MGSP-Aus. **VIDEO**

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WORLDWIDE NEWS

Saturday, Turffontein, South Africa

HSB PRINCESS CHARLENE EMPRESS CLUB S.-G1, R1,250,000, Turffontein, 4-15, 2yo/up, f/m, 8fT, 1:36.92, gd.

- 1--**DESERT MIRACLE (SAF)**, 132, f, 4, by **Dynasty (SAf)**
 1st Dam: **Welwitschia (GB) (MGSW & MG1SP-SAf)**, \$181,657, by **Oasis Dream (GB)**
 2nd Dam: **Maid For Romance (GB)**, by **Pursuit of Love (GB)**
 3rd Dam: **High Savannah (GB)**, by **Rousillon**
 O-Wilgerbosdrift (Pty) Ltd (Nom: Mrs M Slack);
 B-Wilgerbosdrift & Mauritzfontein (SAF); T-Mike de Kock;
 J-Craig Zackey. R781,250. Lifetime Record: 16-6-5-3,
 R2,250,750. *1/2 to Tree Tumbo (SAf) (Silvano {Ger}), G1SP-SAf. **Werk Nick Rating: A. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree. Click for the free EquineLine.com pedigree.**
- 2--**Feather Boa (SAf)**, 127, f, 3, Flower Alley--Osprey (SAf), by Silvano (Ger). O-W D Jackson, M J Campbell, A D Marx & C C Valjalo; B-Wilgerbosdrift & Mauritzfontein (SAF); T-Stuart Pettigrew. R250,000.
- 3--**Marigold Hotel (SAf)**, 132, f, 4, Querari (Ger)--Indira (SAf), by Tiger Ridge. **1ST GRADE 1 BLACK-TYPE**. O-Sean Tarry Racing Pty (Ltd) & M A Currie; B-Wilgerbosdrift & Mauritzfontein (SAF); T-Sean Tarry. R125,000.
 Margins: 1 1/4, 3 3/4, NK. Odds: 3.00, 2.25, 8.50.
 Also Ran: Under Your Spell (SAf), Humdinger (SAf), Miss Daisy (SAf), Gimme A Shot (SAf).

Saturday, Hanshin, Japan

ARLINGTON CUP-G3, ¥76,930,000, Hanshin, 4-15, 3yo, 1600mT, 1:33.90, sf.

1--**OBAMBURUMAI (Jpn)**, 123, c, 3, by **Discreet Cat**

1st Dam: Pink Gerbera (Jpn), by **Deep Impact (Jpn)**

2nd Dam: Le Sucre (Jpn), by **Sakura Bakushin-Oh (Jpn)**

3rd Dam: Asian Meteor, by **Unbridled**

O-Koji Oka; B-Sunday Hills; T-Keiji Yoshimura; J-Yutaka Take;

¥40,651,000. Lifetime Record: 4-3-0-0, ¥86,288,000. **Werk**

Nick Rating: B. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.

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2--**Session (Jpn)**, 123, c, 3, **Silver State (Jpn)**--Miss Dubawi (GB),

by Dubawi (Ire). **1ST GROUP BLACK-TYPE.** O-Masamichi

Hayashi; B-Northern Farm; ¥16,186,000.

3--**Shomon (Jpn)**, 123, c, 3, Mind Your Biscuits--Epxoi (Jpn), by

Deep Impact (Jpn). (¥17,000,000 Wlg '20 JRHAJUL). O-Eiko

Hayashi; B-Northern Farm; ¥10,093,000.

Margins: HD, NK, 3/4. Odds : 6.00, 6.00, 4.10.

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Victorious in last year's G2 Keio Hai Nisai S. (1400m),

Obamburumai was having his first start since finishing seventh to Dolce More (Jpn) (Rulership {Jpn}) in the G1 Asahi Hai Futurity S. in December.

Settled just ahead of midfield as lukewarm favourite Yurisha (Jpn) (Greater London {Jpn}) tore away to lead by nearly double digits over the rain-affected turf, Obamburumai was a bit short of room and with plenty to do with less than 400 metres to race, but he found his best stride late and got up on the line to defeat Session in this prep for next month's G1 NHK Mile Cup at Tokyo.

The Maeda family's North Hills Management acquired the winner's third dam, a full-sister to Unbridled's Song, for \$275,000 at the 2001 Keeneland September Sale and she produced Obamburumai's Group 3-placed second dam two years prior to dropping D'Accord (Jpn), a future Group 3 winner from the first crop of the late Deep Impact (Jpn).

Le Sucre has since gone on to be an important part of the North Hills broodmare band, as she has accounted for the dual group-winning and Group 1-placed Blanc Bonheur (Jpn) (Deep Impact {Jpn}); Entschieden (Jpn) (Deep Impact {Jpn}), a listed winner at home and twice third in the G1 Prix de la Foret; and the fleet two-time Group 3 winner Bien Fait (Jpn) (Kizuna {Jpn}).

Pink Gerbera is also represented by a 2-year-old Maurice (Jpn) filly, a yearling filly by Rulership and was most recently covered by Saturnalia (Jpn).

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Sunday, Hanshin, Japan, post time: 3.40 p.m.

SATSUKI SHO (JAPANESE 2000 GUINEAS)-G1, ¥304,020,000, 3yo, 2000mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	Sol Oriens (Jpn)	Kitasan Black (Jpn)	T Yokoyama	Tezuka	126
2	One Direct (Jpn)	Harbinger (GB)	Y Fujioka	K Fujioka	126
3	Gruner Green (Jpn)	Lovely Day (Jpn)	Ishikawa	Aizawa	126
4	Shonan Bashitto (Jpn)	Silver State (Jpn)	Demuro	Sugai	126
5	Hrimfaxi (Jpn)	Rulership (Jpn)	Lane	Sugai	126
6	Win Odin (Jpn)	Epiphaneia (Jpn)	Miura	Shikato	126
7	Phantom Thief (Jpn)	Harbinger (GB)	Lemaire	Nishimura	126
8	Top Knife (Jpn)	Declaration of War	N Yokoyama	Kon	126
9	Ho O Biscuits (Jpn)	Mind Your Biscuits	K Yokoyama	Okumura	126
10	Ras Hammel (Jpn)	Silver State (Jpn)	Ishibashi	Matsunaga	126
11	Shazzan (Jpn)	Lord Kanaloa (Jpn)	M Iwata	Tomomichi	126
12	Danon Touchdown (Jpn)	Lord Kanaloa (Jpn)	Kawada	Yasuda	126
13	Granite (Jpn)	Danon Ballade (Jpn)	Shimada	Owada	126
14	Tastiera (Jpn)	Satono Crown (Jpn)	K Matsuyama	Hori	126
15	Bellagio Opera (Jpn)	Lord Kanaloa (Jpn)	Tanabe	Uemura	126
16	Touch Wood (Jpn)	Duramente (Jpn)	Y Take	K Take	126
17	Metal Speed (Jpn)	Silver State (Jpn)	Tsumura	Saito	126
18	Meiner Laulea (Jpn)	Gold Ship (Jpn)	Tosaki	Miya	126

Breeders: 1-Shadai Farm, 2-Shadai Farm, 3-Mitsumasa Saito, 4-Northern Racing, 5-Northern Farm, 6-Cosmo View Farm, 7-Tanikawa Stud, 8-Kineusu Bokujo, 9-Yoshihisa Ozasa, 10-Northern Farm, 11-Shadai Farm, 12-Northern Farm, 13-Mill Farm, 14-Northern Farm, 15-Tsunebumi Yoshihara, 16-Murata Bokujo, 17-Tabata Farm, 18-Big Red Farm

Sunday, Curragh, Ireland, post time: 15:10

SP OR BETTER GUARANTEED WITH TOTE ALLEGED S.-G3, €33,000, 4yo/up, 10f 0y

SC	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Layfayette (Ire)	French Navy (GB)	Mrs Patricia Hunt	Noel Meade	C T Keane	136
2	Fastnet Crown (Ire)	Hallowed Crown (Aus)	M J Smith	M D O'Callaghan	D McMonagle	131
3	Piz Badile (Ire)	Ulysses (Ire)	Flaxman Stables Ireland Ltd	Donnacha O'Brien	G M Ryan	131
4	Point Lonsdale (Ire)	Australia (GB)	D Smith, Mrs J Magnier, M Tabor, Westerberg	A P O'Brien	W M Lordan	131
5	Self Belief (Ire)	Make Believe (GB)	Ballylinch Stud	W McCreery	W J Lee	131
6	Visualisation (Ire)	No Nay Never	Harold John Millar	Joseph O'Brien	D P McDonogh	131

Breeders: 1-Matthew Duffy, 2-Michael Smith, 3-Flaxman Stables Ireland Ltd, 4-Epona Bloodstock Ltd, 5-Ballylinch Stud, 6-Whisperview Trading Ltd

Sunday, Curragh, Ireland, post time: 15:45

LESTER PIGGOTT GLADNESS S.-G3, €33,000, 3yo/up, 7f 0y

SC	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Hannibal Barca (Ire)	Zoffany (Ire)	Ecurie Ama Zing Team	Joseph O'Brien	M P Sheehy	138
2	Carrytheone (GB)	Lope De Vega (Ire)	Any Excuse For A Holiday Syndicate	Johnny Murtagh	B M Coen	135
3	Cosmic Vega (Ire)	Lope De Vega (Ire)	Long Inch Ltd	M Halford & T Collins	R P Whelan	135
4	Power Under Me (Ire)	Mehmas (Ire)	Vincent Gaul	G M Lyons	C T Keane	135
5	Goldana (Ire)	Galileo Gold (GB)	Sights On Gold Partnership	Joseph O'Brien	D McMonagle	132
6	Mea Domina (Fr)	Pivotal (GB)	Merry Fox Stud Ltd & Newsells Park Stud Ltd	P Twomey	W J Lee	132
7	Nightcliff (Ire)	Territories (Ire)	Stacey Fitzgibbon	David J Geary	N G McCullagh	119

Breeders: 1-Brittas House Stud, 2-Pevens Racing, 3-Mrs Noreen Clibborn, 4-Ms Barbel Reiss, 5-Patrick Grogan, 6-San Paolo Agri Stud SRL & Cheveley Park Stud Ltd, 7-Rathbarry Stud

Sunday, ParisLongchamp, France, post time: 14:33

PRIX NOAILLES-G3, €80,000, 3yo, 10 1/2FT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	7	Flight Leader (GB)	Frankel (GB)	Fabre	Murzabayev	128
2	2	Rubis Vendome (GB)	Galiway (GB)	Baratti	Crustus	128
3	1	Harry Way (Fr)	Galiway (GB)	Perret	Barzalona	128
4	3	Prince De Paname (Fr)	Pedro The Great	C&Y Lerner	Piccone	128
5	4	Londoner (Ire)	Saxon Warrior (Jpn)	A O'Brien	Soumillon	128
6	5	Mononof (Fr)	Zelzal (Fr)	Kobayashi	Bazire	128
7	6	Fortune (Fr)	De Treville (GB)	Chappet	Pasquier	128

Sunday, ParisLongchamp, France, post time: 15:50

PRIX DE FONTAINEBLEAU-G3, €80,000, 3yo, c/g, 8FT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	1	Halfway Line (GB)	Zoffany (Ire)	Graffard	O Murphy	128
2	6	Marhaba Ya Sanafi (Ire)	Muhaarar (GB)	Schutz	Barzalona	128
3	7	Rajapour (Ire)	Almanzor (Fr)	Rouget	Demuro	128
4	5	American Flag (Fr)	Wootton Bassett (GB)	Barberot	Soumillon	128
5	2	Royal Shake (GB)	Kingman (GB)	Delzangles	Pasquier	128
6	4	Maniatic (Ire)	Intello (Ger)	Fabre	Guyon	128
7	3	Victoria Road (Ire)	Saxon Warrior (Jpn)	A O'Brien	Mendizabal	128

Sunday, ParisLongchamp, France, post time: 16:25

PRIX DE LA GROTTTE-G3, €80,000, 3yo, f, 8FT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	5	Lindy (Fr)	Le Havre (Ire)	Ferland	Demuro	126
2	8	Prija (Fr)	Shalaa (Ire)	M Nigge	Pouchin	126
3	2	Palerma (Fr)	Alex The Winner	Scandella-Lacaille	Peslier	126
4	9	Preciosite (GB)	Dabirsim (Fr)	Perret	Crustus	126
5	3	Paz (GB)	Siyouni (Fr)	Chappet	Pasquier	126
6	4	Oujda (Fr)	Sioux Nation	Le Dren Doleuze	Bachelot	126
7	7	Autumn Starlight (GB)	Lope De Vega (Ire)	S Wattel	Soumillon	126
8	1	Algolia (Ire)	Lope De Vega (Ire)	Fabre	Guyon	126
9	6	Blue Rose Cen (Ire)	Churchill (Ire)	Head	Lemaitre	126

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Sunday, Dusseldorf, Germany, post time: 14:00

KALKMANN FRUJAHRS-MEILE-G3, €55,000, 4yo/up, 8fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	9	Best Lightning (Fr)	Sidestep (Aus)	Suborics	Seidl	130
2	14	Dapango (Ger)	Soldier Hollow (GB)	Dzubasz	Sabatbekov	130
3	6	Aemilianus (Ger)	Holy Roman Emperor (Ire)	Klug	Starke	128
4	2	Fire Of The Sun (Fr)	Areion (Ger)	P Schiergen	Panov	128
5	3	Parol (Ger)	Pastorius (GB)	Nedorostek	Mazur	128
6	1	See Hector (Ger)	Counterattack (Aus)	Grewe	Delozier	128
7	7	Calif (Ger)	Areion (Ger)	P Schiergen	Piechulek	126
8	12	Zavaro (Ger)	Areion (Ger)	Hofer	Koyuncu	126
9	13	Arnis Master (Ger)	Tai Chi (Ger)	Kleinkorres	Hammer-Hansen	123
10	10	Mythico (Fr)	Adlerflug (Ger)	Carvalho	Pedroza	123
11	8	True Tedesco (Ger)	Areion (Ger)	Smrczek	Pecheur	123
12	5	Western Soldier (Ger)	Soldier Hollow (GB)	P Schiergen	Abik	123
13	11	Zerostress (Ger)	Areion (Ger)	Smrczek	Ganbat	123
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PRIX SIGY-G3, €80,000, 3yo, 5 1/2fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
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2	4	Denver Chop (Fr)	Vale Of York (Ire)	O de Montzey	Forest	126
3	8	Disillusion (Ire)	Profitable (Ire)	Soto Loring	Sousa Ferreira	126
4	3	Vicious Harry (Fr)	Harry Angel (Ire)	Delcher Sanchez	Guyon	126
5	1	Whistle And Flute (Ire)	Dandy Man (Ire)	H de Nicolay	Soumillon	126
6	5	Marshman (GB)	Harry Angel (Ire)	Burke	C Lee	126
7	6	Ciao Pa' (Fr)	Shamalgan (Fr)	Schoenherr	Bazire	126
8	7	I Am Incredible (Fr)	Pedro The Great	Dupont-Fahn	Lemaitre	122

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GIGA KICK TAKES GROUP 1



Giga Kick | Bronwen Healy

by TDN AusNZ

On Saturday it was the Clayton Douglas-trained and Jonathan Munz-owned **Giga Kick's (Scissor Kick)** time to bask in Group 1 glory when he put away a gun field to win the G1 All Aged S.

The 3-year-old gelding announced himself as a superstar in the 2022 \$15 million The Everest in the spring, but until Saturday had yet to claim that precious Group 1-winner title.

Narrowly defeated by I Wish I Win in the G1 TJ Smith S. Giga Kick stamped his 'freakish' qualities with regular partner Craig Williams aboard in the prestigious G1 All Aged S. winning the event by 1.66l from **Zaaki** (Leroidesanimeaux {Brz}) and Cascadian (GB) (New Approach {Ire}) 0.11l away in third.

Douglas commented before becoming overcome with emotion, "It's everything we strive to do, it's phenomenal."

Williams returned to the saddle on Easter Monday after a March 25 fall at Flemington that saw the Champion jockey sustaining a fractured collarbone (clavicle), one or two broken ribs, a fractured finger and a concussion and understandably was eager to renew his partnership with 'Giga'.

In winning the All Aged S., Giga Kick places his name on an honour roll that includes some of the pantheons of the Australasian turf. Since its inception in 1866 the likes of Carbine (NZ), Wakeful (Trenton {NZ}), Desert Gold (NZ) (All Black {GB}), Peter Pan, Bernborough and Sunline (NZ) (Desert Sun {GB}) among many others.

Giga Kick is a son of the former Arrowfield stallion Scissor Kick, who was sold to Tunisia.

Pedigree Notes

A homebred for Jonathan Munz, he is one of the two stakes winners for his G3 Up And Coming S.-winning sire who left Australian shores in 2019, putting a couple of stamps on his passport since!

Giga Kick is the 10th foal produced by the imported mare Rekindled Applause (GB) (Royal Applause {GB}), a four-times winner who was four times stakes-placed in Italy. In 2021 producing a colt by Pariah, Rekindled Applause has been nicely represented by six winners with Rekindled Power and Shuffle Up (both by Scissor Kick's sire Redoute's Choice) also earning black type with Group placings. And she is grandam of a classy galloper, her lightly raced daughter Lago Ovation (Encosta De Lago) producing Yulong's G1 CF Orr S. winner Alabama Express (also by Redoute's Choice).

Saturday, Royal Randwick, Australia

ALL AGED S.-G1, A\$1,500,000, ATC, 4-15, Open wfa, 1400mT, 1:24.48, sf.

1--**GIGA KICK, 56.5, g, 3, by Scissor Kick**

1st Dam: Rekindled Applause (GB) (MSP-Ity, \$164,827), by Royal Applause (GB)

2nd Dam: Rekindled Affair (Ire), by Rainbow Quest (USA)

3rd Dam: Seasonal Pickup (USA), by The Minstrel (Can)

1ST GROUP 1 WIN. O-Pinecliff Racing (Mgr: J B Munz); B-G S A Bloodstock Pty Ltd (VIC); T-Clayton Douglas; J-Craig Williams; A\$875,000. Lifetime Record: 9-6-1-1, A\$8,699,700. **Werk Nick Rating: B+.** [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#) [Click for the free Arion.co.nz catalogue-style pedigree.](#)

2--**Zaaki (GB), 59.0, g, 8, Leroidesanimeaux (Brz)--Kesara (GB), by Sadler's Wells (USA).** (40,000gns Ylg '16 TATOCT; 150,000gns HRA '20 TATOCT). O-C E Holt, P J Prendergast, P F Guerra, P D Sidwell, Hirecha Racing, T C Eddy, A J Willoughby, D F Degenhardt, D P Sinn, C B Elkington, G P Carmody, G J Williamson, D P Hickey, M Etinger, Phil's Dream No.3, M Catalano, Werrett Bloodstock Pty Ltd (Mgr: N R J Werrett) & N M Wilson; B-Miss K. Rausing (GB); T-Annabel Neasham; J-J B Mc Donald; A\$285,000.

3--**Cascadian (GB), 59.0, g, 8, New Approach (Ire)--Falls of Lora (Ire), by Street Cry (Ire).** O/B-Godolphin (GB); T-James Cummings; J-N Rawiller; A\$142,500.

Margins: 1HF, SHD, 1HF. Odds: 1.90, 5.00, 5.50.
 Also Ran: Bandersnatch, Jacquinot, Mazu, Ho O Amazon (Jpn), Kolding (NZ), Roch 'n' Horse (NZ), Lost and Running (NZ), Electric Girl.

MILITARIZE, A DUAL G1 WINNER

by TDN AusNZ

“He was in a class of his own,” said Chris Waller following **Militarize (NZ)** (Dundeel {NZ})'s second elite-level victory.

The race also provided another feather in the Champion trainer’s cap, with Waller training the Sydney 2-year-old Triple Crown with two individual colts.

Waller trained his first G1 Golden Slipper with the royally bred Shinzo (Snitzel) before Militarize claimed the G1 Sires’ Produce S. over 1400 metres on Day 1 of The Championships at Royal Randwick with Joao Moreira.

Returning to the scene of the demolition job in the G1 Sires', Militarize once again stamped himself as one of the leading 2-year-olds with an impressive victory in the G1 Champagne S. over the mile journey.

With Moreira once again in the saddle and claiming another feature victory at the meeting, he set the son of Dundeel (NZ) alight at the top of the testing Royal Randwick straight. The colt devoured the extra ground to defeat the Gai Waterhouse and Adrian Bott-trained **Bases Loaded** (Deep Field) by 1.7l who also carried the China Horse Club/Newgate silks and was gusty in defeat after parading in a lather of sweat prior to the event.

Sticking on to third was the stablemate to Bases Loaded and the another Dundeel colt, **Townsend**.

“We haven’t done anything different; we have just looked after this crop of 2-year-olds like any other crop. It makes me very emotional,” Waller said. “He’s (Militarize) a decent horse, he didn’t have it all his own way today, he was three-wide and didn’t have any cover, Joao didn’t panic. However, the most exciting part is we haven’t pushed this horse yet, but he’s done a wonderful job and will have a break now.” In winning the G1

Sires’ Produce S. and G1 Champagne S. double Militarize joins King’s Legacy, Guelph (Exceed And Excel) and Helmet as recent gallopers to claim the double.

Pedigree Notes

Militarize proved himself one of the best of the country’s juveniles winning the third leg of the Sydney 2-year-old Triple Crown having also won the second leg--the G1 Champagne S.--in convincing fashion. Bred by GSA Bloodstock and sold by Bhima Thoroughbreds to China Horse Club/Newgate Bloodstock/Trilogy Racing for \$550,000 at the 2022 Magic Millions Gold Coast Yearling Sale, Militarize is one of the 24 stakes winners for

his Arrowfield Stud based, multiple Group 1-winning sire. He is the second foal for the imported placegetter Amerindia (GB) (Dubawi {Ire}) whose first foal Non Grata (Pariah) has not been far away at his first two runs for the Ciaran Maher and David Eustace stable. She was again served by Dundeel (NZ) last spring, foaling a Snitzel colt in October with her previous son a yet to be named Super Seth being a three-quarter brother



Militarize | Magic Millions

to Militarize.

Saturday, Royal Randwick, Australia

CHAMPAGNE S.-G1, A\$600,000, ATC, 4-15, 2yo Open Set Weight, 1600mT, 1:39.84, sf.

1--**MILITARIZE (NZ)**, 56.5, c, 2, by Dundeel (NZ)

1st Dam: **Amerindia (GB)**, by Dubawi (Ire)

2nd Dam: **Satwa Queen (Fr)**, by Muhtathir (GB)

3rd Dam: **Tolga (USA)**, by Irish River (Fr)

(A\$550,000 Ylg '22 MMJAN). O-Newgate Bloodstock, China Horse Club Racing Pty Ltd, Trilogy, Newgate S F, Horse Ventures, Go Bloodstock Australia, Starlight Racing, Grant Bloodstock Pty Ltd, Carpe Diem, Aston Bloodstock, Nick Vass Bloodstock, G1g Colts & Breeding Pty Ltd & Aristia Park Bloodstock Pty Ltd; B-GSA Bloodstock Pty Ltd (NZ); T-C J Waller; J-J Moreira; A\$348,000. Lifetime Record: 5-3-0-1, A\$1,116,400. Werk Nick Rating: A. **Click for the eNicks report**


& 5-cross pedigree. Click for the free [Arion.co.nz](#) catalogue-style pedigree.

2--**Bases Loaded**, 56.5, c, 2, Deep Field--Passarelle, by Not a Single Doubt. **1ST GROUP 1 BLACK TYPE.** (A\$400,000 Yrl '22 INGAPR). O-Horse Ventures, Starlight Racing, China Horse Club Racing Pty Ltd, Carpe Diem, Grant Bloodstock Pty Ltd, Nick Vass Bloodstock, Newgate Bloodstock, Aston Bloodstock, Newgate S F, Go Bloodstock Australia, Aristia Park Bloodstock Pty Ltd, G1g Colts & Breeding Pty Ltd; B-Willaroon Thoroughbreds (VIC); T-G Waterhouse & A Bott; J-Tim Clark; A\$114,000.

3--**Townsend**, 56.5, c, 2, Dundee (NZ)--Secret Admirer, by Dubawi (Ire). **1ST GROUP BLACK TYPE, 1ST GROUP 1 BLACK TYPE.** (A\$360,000 Yrl '22 INGAPR). O-Milburn Creek Thoroughbred Stud (Mgr: J L Muir), Bangaloe Stud (Mgr: Miss J C Ritchie), Belford Productions Pty Ltd (Mgr: A B Jones) Mrs C Mason, S R Tucker, M B Closter, L Caminiti & P E Mason; B-Milburn Creek Stud (NSW); T-G Waterhouse & A Bott; J-B Prebble; A\$57,000.

Margins: 1 3/4, 1, 1HF. Odds: 1.05, 16.00, 16.00.

Also Ran: Tom Kitten, Make a Call, Don Corleone, Kintyre, Pier Pressure, Mah Ali, Felix the Scat. **Click for the [Racing Australia](#) chart. VIDEO.**

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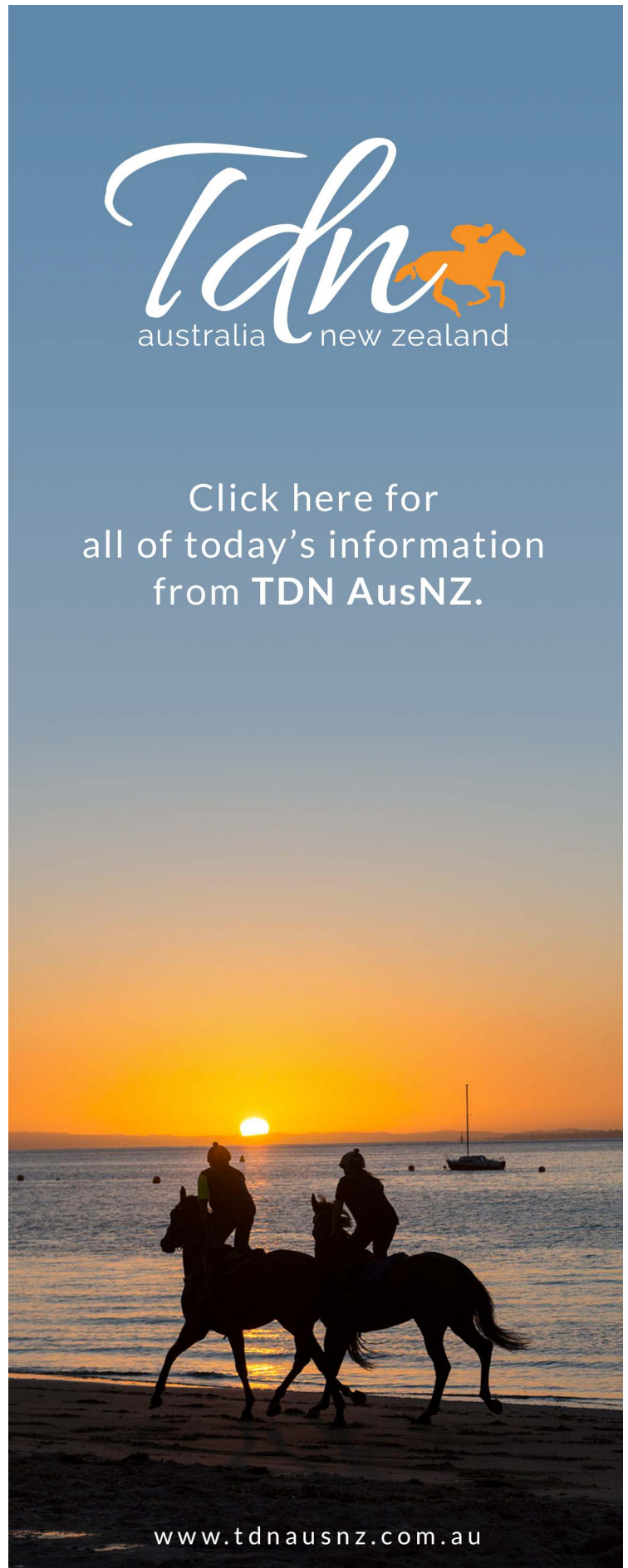
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